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AND WEEKLY CHRONICLE

A MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
That is what we are building
Let's build now and enjoy it later.

WATER OUR PROBLEM
Concreted action at this time will
remedy this for all time to come.
Let's Act!

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Around The Square With Mack

Now they are accusing us of neglecting Harry, which proves we can't please all the people all the time, try though we may. We have told about many of his bad traits, and though this should suffice, yet it seems we have been barking up the wrong tree. People are clamoring for more. He has done one good thing, and that is he made Ike into a national character, and did such a good job, most people are now wanting Harry to sit down and turn the presidency over to Ike.

Harry doesn't have a Chinaman's chance himself, but might hurt Ike, for we still have a few people who think everything Harry says is true. This is indeed sad, and we hope this small group will get it's eyes open before it is to late.

One consoling fact is these fellows are going to find out they can't bribe the Maker, and make arrangements for a home in the heavens as easily as they have pushed to high offices on this earth through Harry's recommendation.

The reason we know that Al Capone never belonged to Harry's machine is that he was never elevated to high office. Had he been a member in good standing, the least he could have expected would have been a cabinet post or an ambassadorship.

But we are through worrying. Harry is finished and the sooner he learns this the better off America will be. We thought for a while that if he could get 51 percent of the voters on the Federal pay roll, he would about have the thing sewed up. But we were wrong. It would shock Harry to know how many of his "payroll group" are going to vote against him. They accepted his jobs after he had caxed them out of house and home. They were hungry and the job afforded temporary relief. But now that the wolf has in a way, been driven from the door, they are ready to join hands in helping remove this blight for all time to come.

Notice the number of poll taxes that have been paid this year. Well all these people didn't buy them in order to elect some fellow to office—they bought them so they would be enabled to vote "against" somebody, and your guess is just as good as ours as who they have in mind. Genuine Democrats are going to vote Republican this year, not because they are in love with that party, but because the "fair dealers", posing as Democrats, "stink" to high heaven.

The heaven we are striving to see is one of peace and harmony, a place where honesty prevails, and where tears are unknown. Up there we shall see the Savior, even God, and are to stay throughout eternity. So we feel that Harry would feel all out of place, and his changing trends of politics he wouldn't be able to last even half the duration of eternity. Just a mix-up, we suppose.

So we are going ahead laying out treasurers in heaven and Harry can go back to Missouri—if they will have him.

Little Items Of Local Interest

Captain Billy M. Jones has been transferred from Mather Air Force base in California to the Air Force Base in Waco and is expected momentarily here by his mother, Mrs. Ora B. Jones for a visit enroute to the new base. He will be accompanied by his wife and two children, Mrs. Jones said.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Lafevre and son, James, were in Bowie Sunday on account of the death of an aunt, Mrs. Cecil Thomas. Mrs. Thomas was buried in Bowie Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Landers of Brownwood, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray B. McCorkle Sunday. Mr. Landers says that Brownwood is enjoying good business, and that "boom" conditions may prevail should the reactivating of Camp Bowie materialize, as he now expects.

For Good Used Cars
(Trade-ins on the New Olds)
Osborne Motor Company, Eastland



SILENT WATCH—As a royal guard keeps silent watch, the body of King George VI lies in state in historic Westminster Hall in London after a solemn procession from King's Cross railway station where the King arrived from Sandringham. Atop the casket are the Imperial State Crown, the Royal Orb and the Royal Sceptre. (NEA Telephoto).

Duke Windsor, Nobility All Nations In London For Funeral

By Robert Musel
United Press Staff Correspondent
LONDON, Feb. 13.—The Duke of Windsor returns today to join the nation in mourning the brother to whom he gave the British throne.

The Duke, formerly Edward VIII, was scheduled to arrive at Southampton from New York at 10 p.m. (8 a.m. EST) to take part in the state funeral Friday for his younger brother and successor, King George VI.

He planned to leave at once for London to join his mother, dowager Queen Mary, at her London residence, Marlborough House.

There was speculation that the Duke's visit might lead to a reconciliation with the Royal Family which would permit him and his wife to live in England at least part of the year.

Windsor has refused to take up residence in Britain until his American-born Duchess, for whose love he abdicated the throne in 1936 in favor of his brother, is given the same privileges and precedence as he. The Duke said on his departure from New York that his mission was all the sadder because his wife was not accompanying him.

There also were rumors that Windsor wished to arrange for continuation of the annuity which he received from George VI. Henry Walter, the Duke's American attorney, accompanied the Duke on the voyage from New York, but informed sources denied his presence was anything more than a coincidence.

Besides Windsor, European and Middle-Eastern royalty was converging on London to take part in the King's funeral. Already in London were King Haakon of Norway; Prince Mohammed Abdol Moniem, cousin of King Farouk of Egypt; and Prince Aly Reza Pahlavi, brother of the Shah of Iran.

King Paul of Greece and King Gustav VI and Queen Louise of Sweden were scheduled to arrive today. So was U. S. Secretary of State Dean Acheson, who will represent President Truman.

Expected tomorrow were King Frederick and Queen Ingrid of Denmark; Queen Juliana and Prince Bernhard of the Netherlands, the former King Peter and Queen Alexandra, Yugoslavia.

Only Haakon of Norway will stay at Buckingham Palace as guest of Queen Mother Elizabeth. Most of the others have suites on



LAST RESPECTS—Huge crowds of grief-stricken Londoners gather outside Westminster Hall waiting to pay their respects to their King, George VI, lying in state in the historic hall after being brought from Sandringham. (NEA Radiophoto).

Air Force Brass Defends Sabres

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13 (UP)—Top Air Force officers do not share the belief that Russian-made MIG-15 jet fighters are "much better" than the American F-86 Sabrejets in action over Korea.

They concede that the MIGs are better in some respects, but contend that the American fighter is superior in other ways.

The issue was raised by the grief-stricken widow of Maj. George A. Davis, the nation's leading jet ace, who was shot down in Korea last Sunday.

Mrs. Davis said at her Lubbock home that her husband wrote her last October that the enemy MIGs "are so much better than the Sabres that something must be done."

Air Force officials replied by citing a statement of Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg, Air Force Chief of Staff, that the two fighters are "approximately operationally equal."

"One has certain advantages and the other has certain advantages," Vandenberg said.

"The difference in the F-86 and the MIG in the ability to shoot each other down lies in the pilot."

Sabres so far have shot down MIGs at the rate of about six or seven to one.

An Air Force spokesman said the MIG can climb "slightly" better than the Sabre. The F-86 has more range than the MIG.

The Sabre is rated here as having a slight edge over the MIG in performance up to 25,000 feet. Above that, the MIG is "somewhat faster—and, being lighter, has a higher service ceiling."

Good Program At Lions Club

Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Treadwell rendered a special musical program at the Lions Club luncheon Tuesday noon. Dr. Treadwell plays the "saw", a fiddle style and has his "Henry Danton" well under control. Three numbers were rendered without a single "blue note". Mrs. Treadwell accompanied him on the piano.

Attendance was a little better than usual this week, and efforts are being made to get the club's dead timber into circulation again.

The club is sponsoring Troop 103, Boy Scouts, and arrangements are being made at this time to increase Scout activities during the coming months.

Hospital Workers Needed Tonight

Workers are in demand again tonight at the Eastland Memorial hospital, M. H. Perry, construction chairman said. Work continues to progress each evening and wonderful progress is being made, he said.

Those reporting Tuesday evening were L. E. McGraw, Bill White, Bruce Butler, L. D. Harris, F. M. Spurlin, J. Y. Jordan, J. A. Copen, Preston Mansker, Henry VanGeem, Neil VanGeem, E. E. Robertson, Doc Alford, C. T. Lucas, Chile Johnson, Tommy Alford, O. B. Crawley, Dee Samuels and Perry.

Hostesses were Meses. Frank Castleberry, Ed Castleberry, Fred Davenport and Misses Verna Johnson and Jessie Lee Ligon.

The chameleon has a tongue twice as long as its body.

UN-Reds Agree On POW Return

By Arnold Dibble
United Press Staff Correspondent
PANMUNJOM, Korea, Feb. 13 (UP)—The United Nations and the Communists agreed today to return all war prisoners within two months of a Korean Armistice.

The U. N. also offered to meet the Reds half-way in the dispute over the number of ports through which rotated troops may pass during a truce.

Both steps were taken in meetings of staff officers. The full truce delegations still were in recess awaiting a promised Communist compromise proposal for a full-scale Korean peace conference.

Col. George Hickman, senior U. N. staff officer, told the Reds at the meeting on a prisoner exchange that the Allies could move to the exchange point all 132,000 Communist prisoners within 60 days of an armistice.

The Communists promised they would have all 11,599 Allied war prisoners at the exchange point within the same period.

The agreement was believed to have settled all outstanding questions relating to an exchange of war prisoners except the most controversial point of all—the U. N.'s insistence that prisoners shall have the right to refuse repatriation.

"The Communists still contend that all prisoners should be repatriated, by force if necessary. The name of Maj. Gen. William F. Dean, highest-ranking American officer in Communist hands, was mentioned for the first time in the truce talks. His name came up when the Reds said it would be impossible for Red Cross representatives to accompany all Allied prisoners to the exchange points.

"This would not be mandatory for all prisoners," Hickman replied. "It would be idle, for instance, to accompany General Dean to the exchange point."

Dean, reported in good health, held with one other Allied prisoner, a private, in a private residence in Pyongyang.

The staff officers will meet again at 11 a.m. Thursday (9 p.m. today) to begin drafting an agreement on the prisoner exchange.

Plans Made For "World Day Of Prayer"

At a meeting Tuesday afternoon of representatives of the Churches participating in the World Day of Prayer, Mrs. E. C. Johnston was elected chairman. Mrs. Johnston was the representative of the First Presbyterian Church at which place the meeting will be held at 2:30 p.m. February 29th.

Others at the meeting held in the home of Mrs. J. M. Bailey and at which the program was planned were Mrs. Homer Stiffler, of the Church of God, Mrs. R. L. Carpenter of the First Christian church and Mrs. Bailey, who represented the First Methodist church.

Boy Scouts Are Entertained By Local Rotarians

Troop 6, Boy Scouts of Eastland, enjoyed a chicken dinner at the City Park Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m. The boys were guests of their sponsors, the Eastland Rotary Club.

Scout Leader Bill Brown and his wife, Arthur Murrell, and Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Dick were the only adults present. Brown and Murrell prepared the food.

Following the dinner the evening was given over to the doing of stunts. The boys enjoyed the occasion very much and are looking forward to the time when they may begin their hiking and camping expeditions.

Teachers Are To Meet Here

Eastland County Teachers' Association will meet in the high school auditorium here tonight, for their regular stated meeting, according to Truman Robinson of Carbon, who is president of the county organization.

Important questions will be considered during the session and a representative attendance is urged.

Newark Airport Is Closed For Probe

AF Commander Commends Lost Lubbock Pilot

TOKYO, Feb. 13 (UP)—Lt. Gen. O. P. Weyland said his Far East Air Forces suffered a tragic loss when Maj. George A. Davis, Jr., world's leading jet ace, crashed in North Korea Sunday.

The FEAF commander said Davis was a "man of daring, courage and skill. My heart goes out to Mrs. Davis and her family in their bereavement, just as I have shared the grief of the mothers, wives and families of every other airman lost in Korea.

"We are fighting a vicious and skillful enemy in the air war," Weyland said, "and every ounce of our skill, leadership, experience and determination is needed.

"Major Davis possessed these attributes in abundance, in addition to a countless courage, and thus served as both an inspiration and a mentor to the younger fighter pilots," the general said. "His loss is a blow to the Far East Air Forces."

Internal Revenue Bureau Offers Aid With Tax Reports

With preparation of your individual income tax return for 1951 presenting a problem to the average citizen, the Bureau of Internal Revenue will have a Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue at Eastland to assist you with your income tax problems.

Existing laws do not impose this duty on the bureau or its employees, but they desire to assist wherever possible, to an extent permitted by available personnel. The Deputy Collectors advice and assistance is extended purely as a courtesy and without cost to any citizen.

Deputy Collector's Cole and Smith will be at the Internal Revenue Office, Court House, Eastland on Feb. 15 and 29, March 7 and 10, thru March 15 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. to render assistance with income tax problems to any who desire it. This will be the only visits that can be made to this county for this purpose before March 15, 1952.

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Committee Appointed To Study Safety Methods For Other Ports

NEW YORK, Feb. 13 (UP)—Newark Airport was padlocked today for the duration of a Congressional investigation of the three Elizabeth, N. J. plane crashes that took 117 lives within two months.

An agreement to keep the \$52,000,000 installation closed was reached last night at a six-hour closed meeting of government and city officials and executives of 25 scheduled and non-scheduled airlines.

H. H. Hardeman Is Candidate For Treasurer

H. H. Hardeman authorized his paper to place his name in the political column, and to state to the voters of the county that he is making the race for County Treasurer.

Mr. Hardeman was married in Eastland in 1917, and has lived here off and on since that time. In earlier days he taught school and did bank work, though in recent years he has been farming and doing carpenter work.

He has never held or asked for public office before. This is his first race, which will, of course, be subject to the July primaries.

Ace's Brother Takes Poke At Korean War

INGLEWOOD, Calif., Feb. 13 (UP)—The brother of Air Force jet ace Maj. George A. Davis, Jr., said today "political football" in the Korean War was responsible for the flyer's "useless death."

Lowell B. Davis, minister of the Church of Christ here, joined Davis' widow in calling for an investigation of the Air Force's failure to take Davis out of combat after he became an ace.

"Such an investigation is insignificant compared to the one that should be made of the entire Korean situation," he said.

"The Korean War is not a war but a political football. Anybody knows we could have gone in there and won the war if we had followed General MacArthur's policy."

Even though the airport has become a ghost field, angry Elizabeth residents noted that construction workers were continuing to build a new \$2,500,000 runway there.

They feared the airport would be reopened eventually and circulated petitions demanding that it be shut down forever. More than 40,000 of Elizabeth's 110,000 residents signed the petitions.

In heavily-populated Queens County, a group which said it represented 750,000 apartment dwellers clamored last night for removal of LaGuardia and Idlewild Airports.

The group, which was organized as the Queens Council for the Elimination of Airports in the City of New York, said it would institute law suits against the government, airlines companies, the Port of New York and the city if operations were not suspended.

POLITICAL HIGHLIGHTS

By United Press
Republicans
Taft—Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio said he had "no confidence in the present job chiefs of staff," and if elected president, "would do everything I could to utilize the knowledge and experience of a great soldier—Gen. Douglas MacArthur."

Warren—Gov. Earl Warren of California criticized Republicans "who would like to turn the clock back," and said "there are many more Democrats who would like to convince everybody that all Republicans would do so if they had opportunity."

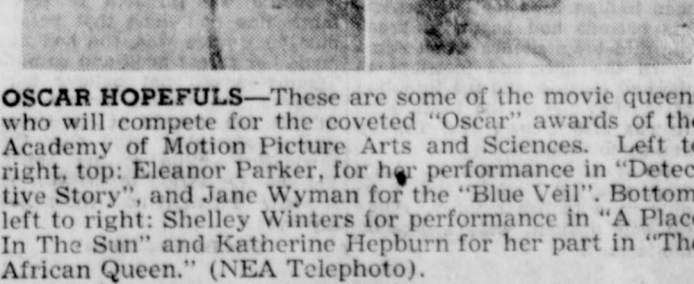
Stassen—Harold E. Stassen urged the GOP to follow a vigorous campaign and constructive program to throw the "scandalous Truman administration" out of office.

Democrats
Kefauver—Sen. Estes Kefauver of Tennessee said "corrupt politicians" threaten Democracy just as much as Communists.

Kerr—Sen. Robert S. Kerr of Oklahoma, who may try for the Democratic presidential nomination if President Truman decides not to run again, said his party is willing to let the Republicans "have the spotlight now" so their candidates can "cut each other up, telling the truth on each other."

Truman—Rep. Adolph J. Sabath (D-Ill.) added fuel to the speculative fires by quoting Mr. Truman as saying he will seek reelection, even though it might shorten his life, if he thinks it would help attain world peace.

Ride The "ROCKET"
And Save
Osborne Motor Company, Eastland



OSCAR HOPEFULS—These are some of the movie queens who will compete for the coveted "Oscar" awards of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences. Left to right, top: Eleanor Parker, for her performance in "Detective Story", and Jane Wyman for performance in "A Place In The Sun"; Shelley Winters for performance in "The African Queen." (NEA Telephoto).

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MORE PRECIOUS THAN RUBIES

By Nina Wilcox Putnam

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THE STORY: Alma Conroy believes her husband Tommy when he says he has a respectable, but accidental new job with the Jewel Firm of Trumbull & Company, where he has been employed for years. But the next day, having been told that Tommy will be out of town, she drops in at the Blue Cat Club with Joe Denton, a friend of the Conroys, to tell him the news. There she sees Tommy in company with a beautiful girl. Joe says they won't discuss it and takes her elsewhere.

VIII
THE very thought of food seemed to choke Alma Conroy but she was afraid to be alone just yet—alone with the bitter, heart-breaking thoughts which lay in wait for her in the dark hours ahead. If she controlled herself now, perhaps she would be able to think more sanely, later.

"All right," she told Joe. "We'll eat at the Italian place."
It was not until the after-dinner coffee cups were on the table that Joe released the thing he had been saving up through an interlude of forced small-talk and shop gossip.

"Look, Alma!" he began abruptly, his handsome face tense. "How fond are you of Tommy?"

"That's something I should not have to tell you. You've seen us together for years."

"Do you really love him—or is he just a form of self-indulgence? Do you want to go on forever being a martyr to your ideal of him? Be honest, Jewels!"

She raised large, straightforward eyes to his.

"I don't know," she said simply. "After what happened tonight, I don't know."

"All right then, I can wait until you do know," he spoke with a dignity she had never seen in him before. "Personally, I'm sure about how I feel. I've been in love with you ever since I first saw you. But Tommy is my best friend. While he was on the level with

you I could manage to keep my mouth shut. Now, I can't do it any longer."

"Stop it, Joe! Please!"

"I can't stop it. It's come to the bursting point. You can't go on as you are. We both have a right to live, while as for Tommy—can't you see he's just no good? For heaven's sake, why don't you forget him? I want you more than anything on earth!"

"Joe!" she said, horrified. "I don't play that way. Tommy's being seen with another woman doesn't justify . . ."

"Alma, you've got me wrong, all wrong! I want to marry you, I wouldn't dream of anything else."

It was profoundly disturbing. She felt slightly groggy, like a sleeper awakened too suddenly. For the moment she could not readjust herself to what he was saying.

"All these years I've been watching you, wanting you. But I knew you were on the level and I couldn't have made a pass at you even if Tom hadn't been my pal. You must have known. Women always do."

"Yes, I suppose I knew. I pretended to myself that I didn't because we three were so comfortable."

"Because it gave you two men."

"Maybe."

"But what do you think I've been dreaming about? A home, a comfortable, conventional marriage with children by a wife I could be true to. And at last I feel free to say so. Will you marry me, Alma?"

"I—never thought of such a thing, Joe!"

"Well, think of it now. Think hard."

"It would mean a divorce," she said miserably. Much as she had suffered through Tommy, divorce

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THE STORY: Alma Conroy, designer for the exclusive Blue Cat Club, a jewel firm, has been enjoying over her husband's recent promotion in the same firm. She goes to a club to tell the good news to Tommy and her friend, Joe Denton, and there she sees Tommy with another woman, although Tommy had told her he was going to be out of town. Joe takes Alma elsewhere and three confessions that he is in love with Alma and wants to marry her if she leaves Tommy. Alma believes there is another explanation about Tommy's conduct and does not give Joe her answer.

IX
THERE was a little silence between them as Alma Conroy finished speaking. Then Joe Denton shook his head and laughed abruptly—a half-angry, half-tender sound it was.

"You're hopeless!" he said, arising from the table. "Come on, I'm going to take you home—and leave you alone till you come to me. But no matter what you decide about us, Alma, I want you to remember that I'll always be there when you need me, for no matter what purpose!"

When Alma got home, she felt that the apartment had ceased to be a haven of rest. As she let herself in, the place seemed almost dreary in spite of the gay furnishings. It was empty, dead, too tidy. With a rush of mingled emotions she washed it filled with the signs that her husband Tommy was home—safely home.

She wanted to see newspapers on the floor, soiled shirts to be sent out, a dinner to cook, dishes to wash. Anything which meant their habit of life together, imperfect as that life had often been.

But the little flat bore no imprint of anything except the impersonal care with which she had set it in order that morning. Worst of all, was the silence. She turned on the radio and the familiar voice which had blazoned out at this same hour last night,

filled the room: ". . . Courtesy of the Mammoth Gold-Buying Company. Sell your old gold and jewelry with confidence. . . ." She snapped it off again. This is where Tommy came in last night. She thought. Last night. Came in. The words had painful significance now.

Tommy would not come home tonight, she felt certain. Undressing in the dark she crawled into bed and lay there thinking. What if Tommy were untrue to her? Well, she had Joe—why couldn't she make it even? If she was going to be left alone like this, lied to, deceived, why not console herself? Aunt Pleasant's grim mouth and tender eyes seemed to come close in the darkness. "It's not being true to Tommy that counts," said the nasal voice, "it's being true to yourself!"

Then Gran Bijou's wrinkled mischievous old face pushed its way into the picture.

"Alors! Be realistic, my little cabbage! Love is not important enough to torture one's soul about. Do not worry about your husband's behavior, nor copy it. We French have a sound family life and we do not allow a thing like this to break it up."

THE lumbering sound of early morning traffic, of heavy trucks pounding to the markets and the shrill whistles of night-club doormen hailing cabs for late-departing patrons had begun to break the mid-town silence when Alma heard the uncertain footsteps in the hall outside, and the fumbling at the keyhole of the front door. It was 2:30 o'clock and Tommy had come home.

He stood in the bedroom doorway, swaying slightly and grinning in a foolish manner. Alma sat bolt upright, wide awake on the instant.

(To Be Continued)

Boots Are Like Thermos Bottle

Insulated rubber boots worn by Marine and Army troops in Korea this winter are built on a "thermos bottle" principle, according to the New York Journal of Commerce.

Industrial research has developed a boot that keeps the body heat inside just as a thermos bottle retains the heat of steaming liquids. The new boots keep the feet warm when the temperature outside drops to 45 below zero, and are expected to prevent frostbite under ordinary conditions.

Men "Outsparkle" Women

Contrary to accepted opinion, American men not only like diamond rings, but wear larger diamonds than the ladies, according to a prominent jewelry designer. The average palladium or gold engagement ring sold today has one-quarter of a carat of gems, while men generally get rings containing about one-half of a carat of diamonds. He reveals that both sexes tend to select rings with several, rather than a single stone, mounted in precious white palladium "illusion" settings.



LADY OF LIGHT—Wearing the traditional crown of candles is Margit Sjodin, 18, Sweden's "Lucia," or Queen of Light. The Swedish beauty is en route to the United States after reigning over her country's Lucia Day, harbinger of the Swedish Christmas season.



New Hardin-Simmons University Coach—Murray Evans, who has served as an assistant coach for a total of five years, has been named head football coach at the Cowboy school. Evans, a former Cowboy all-Border Conference quarterback, played two years with the professional Detroit Lions. He replaces Warren B. Woodson, who recently resigned to become head football coach at the University of Arizona.

Bobby pin manufacturers in the United States use 6,000 tons of steel a year.

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Come Tax Time, The Better Half Has Financial Value

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13 (UP)—You fellows may not be able to tell it from looking at your bank book at the end of the year, but having a wife is a big help, financially.

Ludwig S. Hellborn, an economist from Bloomfield Hills, Mich., and a former federal tax expert here, says it bluntly—wives have a "cash value."

Hellborn has prepared a chart to prove his point.

"For instance," he says, "on a net income of \$10,000 earned by a single person, the tax on the first \$5,000 is \$1,052, but the tax on the second \$5,000 is \$1,676. The total tax, therefore, is \$2,728. That leaves the bachelor \$7,272 after taxes to spend for bow ties, homburgs and steaks."

Now consider the case of a married man with \$10,000 net income. The tax law says, in effect,

that \$5,000 is earned by him and \$5,000 by his wife. Thus, the married couple pays \$1,052 on the first \$5,000 of income, but it only pays another \$1,052 on the second \$5,000.

Total tax bill in that case is \$2,104 or \$624 less than the single person in the same wage bracket. The married couple's income after taxes is \$7,896.

Hellborn carries it further.

"If a single person wanted to obtain the same \$7,896 after taxes which married couples enjoy from a \$10,000 income before taxes, he would have to earn 11,034."

"In other words, additional income, before taxes, of \$1,304 per year would be required to put the single person's spending on the same basis as that of the married man who earns \$10,000. Thus, a married fellow with a net of \$10,000 not only has a wife, but also

the equivalent of an investment yielding him \$1,034 per year."

Hellborn's calculations go even beyond this.

"An investment of \$41,360 in 2 1/2 per cent U. S. Treasury Bonds would yield an annual income of \$1,034," he said.

"It is obvious that the wife who has no other income has brought her husband (with a net income of \$10,000 a year of his own) a dowry of \$41,360. This, we might say is the capitalized cash value of a wife."

Hellborn works this part of his chart up and down from there. Follow closely, and remember that it's all on paper and not money in the bank. He reasons:

A man with an annual net income of \$2,000 has a wife whose "cash" value is \$6,840. If a fellow is lucky enough to net \$75,000 his wife is worth—on paper, at least, \$3,432,880 which, let's say, likely is more than the old man has in his checking account.

Hellborn warns that a guy has to watch he doesn't make as much as \$1,191,800 per year. The scale,

as I said, goes up and down. In this unfortunate case, the wife wouldn't be worth a dime—tax-wise, this is.

Vic Vet says

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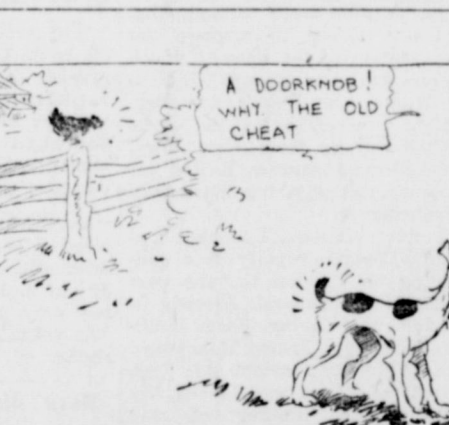
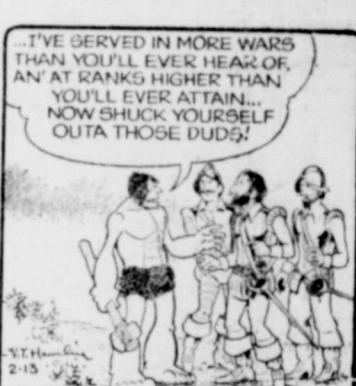
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February Social Calendar

- FEB. 13—Exemplar Chapter Sorority 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Bill Collings Home, 201 South Oak Lawn. Civic League and Garden Club 3 p.m. Woman's Club. Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m. Eastland County Council of HDC Clubs, 2 p.m. Commissioner's Court Room. Women's Bible Class, Church of Christ 9:30 a.m.
- FEB. 14—T.E.L. Class Luncheon 12 noon, First Baptist Church. Sweetheart Banquet 7 p.m. First Baptist Church. Alpha Delphian Club 3 p.m. Woman's Club. South Ward PTA study club, 9:30 a.m. Ben Lynch home, 505 South Seaman.
- FEB. 15th—High School Carnival 6:30 p.m. Eastland High School. Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m.
- FEB. 16—Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m.
- FEB. 18—Baptist YWA Eldon Anderson home, 6:30 p.m. CWF Circle Day 3 p.m. WMU Circle Day 3:15 p.m. Pythian Sisters 7:30 p.m. Castle Hall.
- FEB. 19—West Ward PTA, West Ward School, 3:15 p.m. Eastland Rebekah Lodge 7:30 p.m. I.O.O.F. Hall.
- FEB. 20—Music Study Club 3:30 p.m. Woman's Club. Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m. Women's Bible Class 9:30 a.m. Church of Christ.
- FEB. 21—Thursday Afternoon Club 3:30 p.m. Woman's Club. Baptist Winsome Class Party 7:30 p.m.
- FEB. 22—Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m. Civic League and Garden Club's Mid-Winter Festival 8:30 p.m. American Legion Hall. Cleaners Class Party, First Baptist Church, 6:45
- FEB. 23—Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m.
- FEB. 25—Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m. Baptist YWA 6:30 p.m. Edith Cox home. Baptist WMU Business Meeting 3:15 p.m. Baptist Church. Methodist WSCS Circle Day 3 p.m. Christian CWF Circle Day 3 p.m. Pythian Sisters 7:30 p.m. Castle Hall.
- FEB. 26—Exemplar Chapter, Marene Johnson Home, 414 Hill Crest, 7:30 p.m. South Ward PTA 3:15 p.m. South Ward School. Eastland County 50 year Pioneer Club, Mrs. Winnie Sue Home, 906 South Seaman. Eastland Rebekah Lodge 7:30 p.m. I.O.O.F. Hall.
- FEB. 27—Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m. Women's Bible Class, Church of Christ, 9:30 a.m.
- FEB. 28—Alpha Delphian Club 3 p.m. Woman's Club. Baptist Monthly SS Banquet 6:45 First Baptist Church.
- FEB. 29—High School Coronation 8 p.m. Eastland High School.

Geology Major To Be Offered At H-SU Soon

ABILENE—West Texas' development as an oil center is responsible for the offering of a major in geology for the first time at Hardin-Simmons University.

Increased demand of university students for advanced instruction in geology is the result primarily of the growth of the oil industry in the West Texas area, H-SU geology instructor Kenneth Patterson believes. In his opinion Abilene is the natural geographical location for such instruction.

The university has added five new courses to its geology curriculum and will offer a bachelor of arts degree in the subject next year.

Nearly all advanced geology students at Hardin-Simmons plan to seek employment with oil companies following graduation and many are already employed part time by local oil offices, Patterson said.

The new geology courses will be designed to emphasize the subject's relation to the oil industry, he stated.

Instruction will be offered each term in physical geology, historical geology, mineralogy and economic geology. Courses to be given in 1951-52 and alternate years include structural geology and invertebrate paleontology. Geomorphology and groundwater classes will be offered in 1952-53 and alternate years.

Courses in field geology and petroleum geology will be taught during summer session, Patterson said.

Evening instruction in physical and historical geology is being offered for extension students.

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FOOTLOOSE—Some folk put their best foot forward but the Wallen twins (Eileen, left, and Enid) prefer to put theirs 'way over their heads. The sisters, starring at a Miami Beach night club, practice acrobatics on the sunny beach.

Federal Payroll Election Factor

Conservatives in Congress fear that Federal spending has reached the point where voters receiving government checks will be the major factor in electing Presidents.

The reason is that as of June 30, 1951, more than one-fourth the number of persons who voted in the last Presidential election, when 48,836,579 cast ballots, were receiving Federal checks. That's in addition to military and naval personnel. The conservatives say that when that many voters have a financial interest in keeping an Administration in power, their influence could swing an election.

About three-fourths of the Indians of the United States live on lands which they own, the title to which is guaranteed by treaties or statutes.

Gem Settings Go Circular

French craftsmen are credited with the new trend in this country to set diamonds in circular mountings of the all-precious white metal palladium, rather than traditional square mountings.

Prompting the change is the feeling that the shape of the mounting should blend with the roundness of the gem, thus magnifying the size and fiery quality of the stone. Palladium is also increasingly favored by designers because of its ability to hold stones securely, and without danger of chipping during the operation of setting the stones.

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Brotherhood Has Latin American Counterpart Now

HAVANA, Cuba — The first Latin American Chapter of the World Brotherhood movement has been established here at a meeting of prominent Cuban and United States civic leaders and churchmen.

First president of the new brotherhood chapter is Dr. Cosme de la Torre. Dr. Torre is a former Cuban Ambassador to the United States. Mr. Frederico Morales, prominent Cuban civic leader presided at the meeting. It was attended by more than 6 persons.

Attending the meeting were three leading exponents of the World Brotherhood movement in the U. S. They were Mr. T. E. Braniff, President of Braniff International Airways at Dallas, Tex. Dr. Everett R. Clinchy of New York, Executive Staff Head of the movement and Rabbi Nathan A. Perelman of New York.

Mr. Braniff was one of the founders of the World Brotherhood movement at Paris, France

two years ago. Later he made two European tours in the interest of the organization. He is National Catholic Co-Chairman of the National Conference of Christians and Jews in the U. S.

Motion for the establishment of the initial Latin American Chapter of the World Brotherhood movement was made by Mr. Francisco Jimenez Travieso. It was seconded by Dr. Hermine Portell Vila. The latter is a member of the Havana Municipal Council, a professor at the University of Havana and a Director of the Cuban-North American Cultural Institute.

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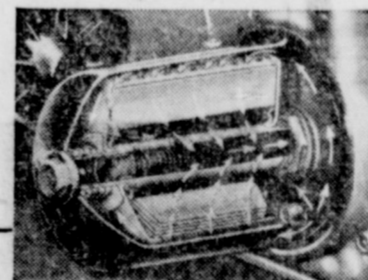
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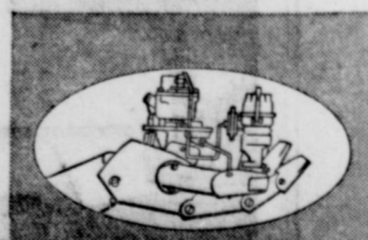
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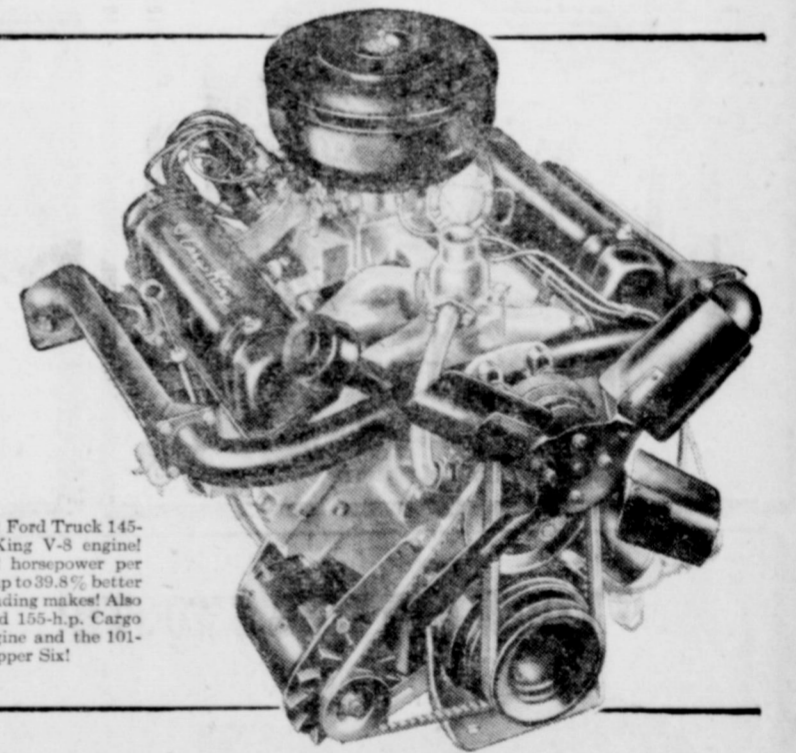
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WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

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Miss Hastings, Mr. Sims United In Home Ceremony Sat. At Twilight

The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hastings, 411 South Connelley, was the scene of the wedding of their daughter, Miss Betty Jean Hastings and Warner B. Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sims of Mexia are the parents of the bride groom.

Rev. Lee Fields of Carbon, Baptist minister officiated at the candle lighted ceremony before an improvised altar of palms and candelabra.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore a navy crepe dress, with matching accessories. She carried a white Bible topped with a bouquet of white candelabra.

Mrs. R. D. Kelley was the bride's only attendant. She wore a brown shantung dress with matching accessories and a shoulder corsage of yellow carnations.

R. D. Kelley served as best man. Candlelighters were Miss Peggy Edwards of Abilene and Miss Gatha Thompson of Cisco.

A reception followed the ceremony and was also held in the home.

Mrs. John Edwards of Abilene presided at the refreshment table, and was assisted in serving by Mrs. H. L. Thompson of Cisco.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lockhart of Cisco, John Edwards of Abilene and Mrs. Lee Fields of Carbon.

Mrs. Sims is a graduate of Carbon high school and of John Tarleton College in Stephenville. She has been employed for the past five years in the office of Dr. Ferguson. Her husband is a graduate of Sam Houston State College and is in the implement business at Fairfield, where the couple plan to make their home.

Local Women Attend NCCW

Dr. and Mrs. Fehrman H. Lund of this city, plan to attend the next meeting of the West Central Texas Optometric Society, Sunday, Feb. 17, 1952, in Abilene.

An open panel discussion of the increase in visual problems among our school children is the program.

The American Optometric Association in a recent statement to the profession revealed that of the 30,000,000 school children in America, 6,000,000 are in need of visual care. One in every five school child has a visual problem, and the number is on the increase.

Christian Church Women Host County Council

The Eastland Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian church hosted the meeting of the County Council Monday at the church annex, in Eastland.

Mrs. Jim Flournoy of Cisco, president, presided. Rev. Otto Marshall, Eastland pastor gave the prayer.

Rev. Spain of Cisco, introduced by Mrs. Flournoy, was the principal speaker, and spoke on "Compassion Week."

Reports of the year's activities were given by the three Fellowships attending, Ranger, Cisco and Eastland.

The next Council meeting will be June 2 at Cisco, according to announcement by Mrs. Flournoy. Rev. Spain gave the closing prayer.

Following the program a refreshment plate was served carrying out a Valentine motif.

Forty-five members and guests attended.

Mrs. Mitchell Hosts Meeting Of Sewing Club

The Wednesday Afternoon Sewing Club held its bi-monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. Davey Mitchell, Leon Plant Village, last week.

Games of bingo were played and members enjoyed an afternoon of visiting. Each member of the club brought a pair of pillow cases to be donated to the hospital drive.

Refreshments of coffee and cake were served to the following: Mmes. M. M. Whitley, O. H. Lendhardt, J. C. Butler, Richard May, A. W. Wright, Jr., James Wright, J. R. Powers, M. G. Key, and the hostess, Mrs. Mitchell.

Children present were: Linda Powers, Darlene, Pauline and Glenda Lendhardt, Martin Whitley, Jimmy and Jeannie Wright, Carolyn Key, and Rickie Butler. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. M. M. Whitley, 1302 S. Seaman, Feb. 20.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us during our recent bereavement.
The family of Mrs. W. S. Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. George I. Lane spent the weekend in Stamford, where they visited in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Jay Pumphrey and Mr. Pumphrey.

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Beethoven Junior Music Club Meeting Hosted By Eileen Vaughan

The Beethoven Junior Music Club met Monday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vaughan, with their daughter, Eileen as hostess.

Herby Weaver, president, presided over a short business session during which the TFMC spring festival March 8th at Goldthwaite was announced.

Sallie Cooper accompanied the assembly singing of "America." Alice Joyce Cushman was program chairman and presented Mary Vaughan, guest and a member of the Scale Runners Club, who played a piano number.

Jeannie Pittman gave an article

High School Chorus To Resume Work

The junior class of Eastland high school is sponsoring the annual carnival next Friday night, Feb. 15. The doors of the gym will open at 8:30. Each class is participating in the carnival and all proceeds go to the junior class.

There will be all kinds of booths and games, among these a hula dancer, a kissing booth and a fortune teller. Cake, pie, sandwiches, cokes, coffee, and hot dog will be served so come early and eat supper.

The highlight of the evening will be at 9:00 when the royal party for the coronation will be announced. A good time is expected, so come and bring your family and friends.

WSCS Continue Bible Study Mon. Afternoon

Mrs. W. P. Leslie continued the Bible study from the Book of Acts, at the meeting Monday afternoon of members of the Women's Society of Christian Service in the parlor of the First Methodist church.

Mrs. Herman Hassell, president, presided over the business session during which Mrs. Frank Castleberry, chairman, reported that \$512.00 had been made from the five rummage sales conducted for the benefit of the parsonage fund.

Present were Mmes. J. A. Caton, Margaret Welch, O. O. Mickle, R. E. Sikes, Frank Crowell, W. P. Leslie, T. M. Johnson, Charles B. Harris, Cecil Collings, James Horton, J. Morris Bailey, E. O. Harrell, George I. Lane, Frank Castleberry, Fred Davenport, Ina Bean and L. C. Brown.

entitled, "A Brave Woman" and played, "Song of Victory."

Jana Weaver and Eileen Vaughan played "Dance of the Baboons".

Mrs. Taylor, counselor, announced that the recital date was Feb. 22 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Methodist church.

All students present played their recital solos or duets.

Chocolate cake and cakes were served following the practice.

Others present not mentioned above were Lou Ann Corbell, Gayle Kilgore, by the hostess and her mother.

Presbyterian's Have Meeting In Oakley Home

Members of the Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church met Monday in the home of Mrs. C. M. Oakley.

Mrs. E. C. Johnson, president, presided, during the business session, during which the scheduled committee arranged an interesting study for the forthcoming year.

Rev. M. P. Elder, pastor, conducted a study of the 4th chapter of John.

A refreshment plate was served following the study. Present were Mmes. J. LeRoy Arnold, R. A. Cooper, Rev. and Mrs. Elder, Mrs. O'Brien, a guest and Mrs. Johnson and the hostess, Mrs. Oakley.

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Pythian Sisters Hold Initiation For 2 Members

Initiation was held Monday evening when members of the Pythian Sisters met at Castle Hall for their regular meeting.

Mmes. James Wright and Tim Spurrier were the candidates. Members of the initiation team were Mrs. C. C. Street, past chief; Mrs. J. C. Joe, most excellent chief; Mrs. Blanche Nicols, excellent senior; Mrs. J. F. Brook excellent junior; Mrs. Carrol Noble, manager; Mrs. Jack Lee, guard; Mrs. Frank Williamson, protector; and Mmes. Bill Darr, and Haywood Flowers, captains of the degree staff, assisted by the visiting women of Breckenridge, conducted the initiation ceremony.

The visitors were Mmes. D. H. Nix, A. L. Taylor, Ida Dover, Essie Pelfrey, Ruby Wilkin and Madalyn Evans.

Following the ceremony the Temple was closed in ritualistic form and a social hour was held during which refreshments were served.

Mrs. Poe presided over the table, which was laid with a white linen outwork cloth, over red. A Valentine center piece was made of red gladiolas, interspaced with red hearts. Red candles in silver candelabra, which were decorated with Dan Cupids holding streamers of the red valene extending from the centerpiece. Table appointments were of silver for the serving of coffee and individual Valentine cakes. Mrs. Jack Lee assisted Mrs. Poe in serving the 25 members and guests attending.

Personals

Rev. and Mrs. F. A. R. Morgan are attending the School of Missions at Atoka, Okla., this week.

Miss Beulah Speer returned Tuesday from a two-weeks visit in Abilene with her sister, Mrs. N. L. Lanier.

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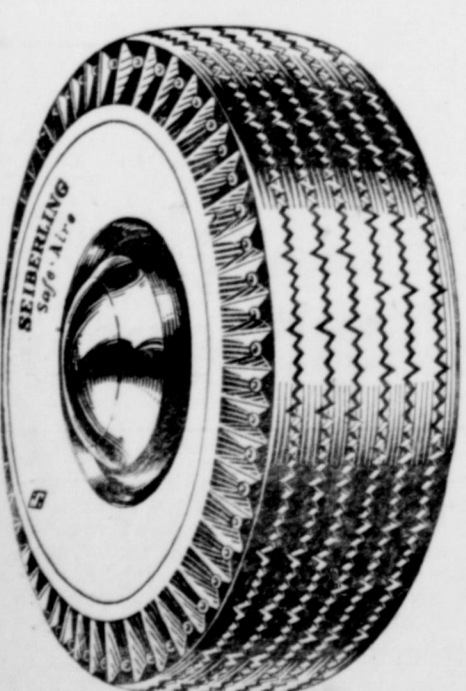


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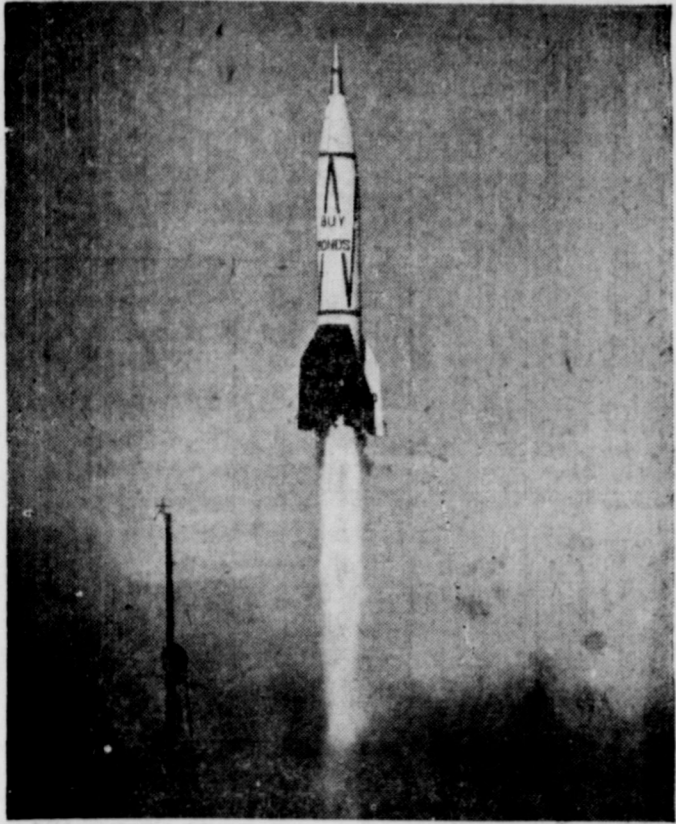
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Effects New Law On Rural Schools Told

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 13—Some early effects of the Gilmer-Aikin laws on rural education in Texas have been reported by Dr. R. L. Skrabanek, rural sociologist with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

These laws, enacted in 1949, called for a complete revision of the method for financing public schools and guaranteed each child of school age in Texas a school program for nine full months per year.

Dr. Skrabanek recently conducted a study of the effects of the Gilmer-Aikin laws in five rural counties in different parts of the state—Burleson county in East-Central Texas, Castro and Lynn counties on the High Plains, Schleicher county on the Edwards Plateau and Tyler county in East Texas.

Although the five counties had a loss in population of 12.7 per cent between 1940 and 1950, the study showed that both school enrollment and attendance of rural children have increased since the Gilmer-Aikin legislation was enacted.

The average length of school term in 1945-49 was 171.8 days. In 1949-51 the average number of days that school was taught had increased to 175.1.

Dr. Skrabanek reported that the number of pupils per teacher in 1945-49 was 24.6. This number

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Game Violations Show Increase Over January 51

AUSTIN—The Director of Law Enforcement for the Game & Fish Commission reports that the January arrest report shows "a substantial decrease" from January, 1951.

He added that the monthly report on violations for the last three months, covering most of the major 1951 hunting season, reflects a lower number of prosecutions.

The Director of Law Enforcement deducted that "this apparently indicates a better attitude of the general public and a healthier sportsmanship all the way around."

He went on: "It seems significant that there has been a decline in arrests in the face of increased law enforcement facilities."

The Director referred to a slightly larger game warden force and improved policing aids such as two-way radios in many wardens' cars.

The Director of Law Enforcement observed that "there still is room for improvement." He based this comment on the list of cases which showed: Nineteen arrests for killing doe deer; eight for killing spike buck deer; four arrests for killing fawn deer; 36 arrests for hunting at night; five arrests for headlighting deer; 25 arrests for killing migratory waterfowl in closed season; 12 arrests for hunt-

ing ducks in closed season; 14 for killing geese after legal hours; 10 arrests for killing geese after legal hours; eight arrests for killing quail in closed season; 14 arrests for exceeding bag limit on quail, and 11 arrests for using electrical devices to take fish.

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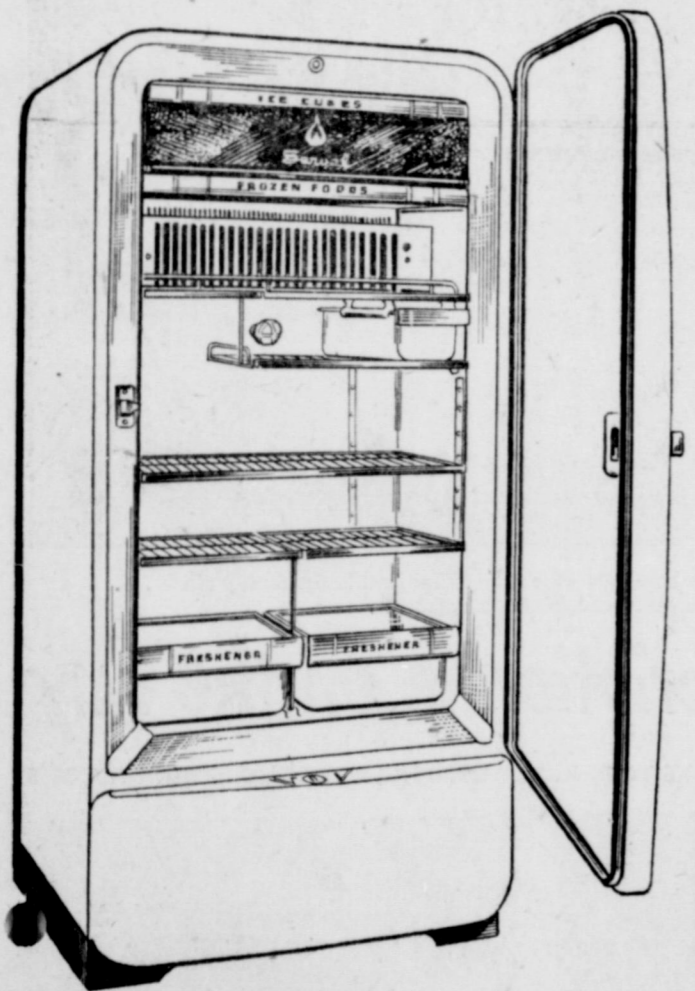
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Results of this study are given in Progress Report 1420, available from the Publications Office, College Station, Texas.

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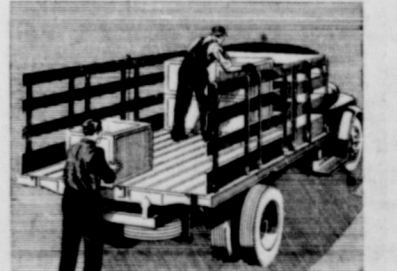
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Pioneer Conference Races Shapes Up Between San Angelo - Arlington

ARLINGTON, Feb. 13 — The basketball title chase in the Pioneer Conference appears this week to have narrowed into a two-way scrap between the San Angelo Rams and the Arlington State Rebels, both undefeated in league play.

These quintets are scheduled to meet at San Angelo, Friday night.

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"Planting Time" Table for All U. S. Gardens Adopted

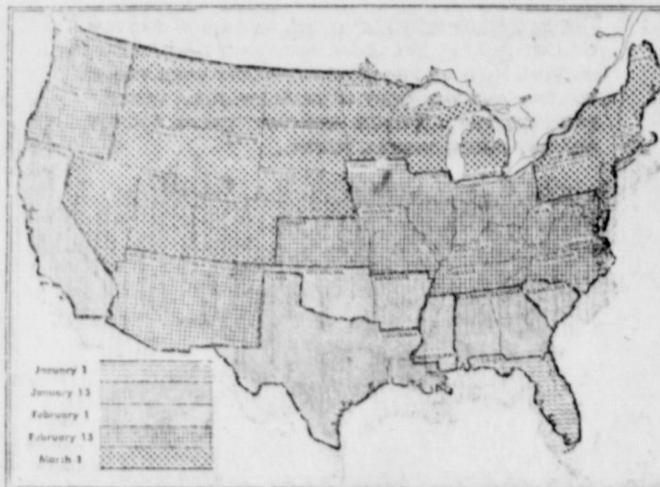


Diagram of "Planting Time" Schedule Sponsored by Horticultural Leaders.

When should your garden be started? Are you always late in making plans and sowing seeds?

To provide a trumpet call for gardeners throughout America, the American Horticultural Council is sponsoring an alarm clock schedule that will begin sounding in the south and follow the sun as it travels northward thawing out the ground, and releasing the energies which winter has kept locked up.

This schedule is called "Planting Time" and is intended to serve in March and the end of the winter garden week. The great variations of climate in the United States have made it impractical to observe one week throughout the country, for a gardening beginning. On the basis of U. S. Department of Agriculture records the country is divided into zones, in each of which the average date of the last killing frost in spring is approximately the same.

One month before this date is selected as the time for "Planting Time" in that zone. Seeds of hardy varieties may be sown; hardy plants may be transplanted; tender varieties may be started under protection, and more exotic garden goods should make these available to their customers.

Since it is considered impractical to divide a state into several zones, each state has been considered as a unit, and assigned a date for the beginning of "Planting Time" which represents the average climate of the whole state, although it may not be exactly right for either the earliest or latest sections of the state area. The dates assigned to the various states on this basis are as follows:

- January 1—Florida.
- January 15—Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, Texas.
- February 1—Arkansas, California, Mississippi, Oklahoma, South Carolina.
- February 15—Arizona, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Maryland, Missouri, New Mexico, North Carolina, Ohio, Oregon, Tennessee, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, D. C., West Virginia.
- March—Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Idaho, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Utah, Vermont, Wisconsin, Wyoming.

Planning must precede the actual planting of garden seeds in the open ground. Varieties which grow slowly and cannot survive freezing must be started under protection weeks before it is safe to sow seeds outdoors. Both these activities are part of garden planting and unless they are undertaken before it is warm enough for outdoor gardening, you will just be late again, as usual.

That is why the Planting Time schedule wakes you up early, so you can get your plans made and your tender seeds started, and be ready to spade up the garden as soon as the season for this operation rolls around.

The dates on this schedule are not too early. They are later than you may think. Days pass swiftly as winter fades for and spring begins. You will have plans to make, meetings to attend, reading to do in preparation for your garden project. So make a note of Planting Time for your state, and get busy when the signal sounds!

The Planting Time movement is sponsored by the American Horticultural Council, the Garden Writers' Association, Men's Garden Club of America, and many other horticultural organizations.

Bible Lectures At ACC Expected To Draw 4,000

ABILENE, Feb. 13 (Spl.) — The welcome mat is out for the first of an estimated 4,000 visitors expected to arrive here Sunday for the opening of the 33rd annual Abilene Christian College Bible Lectureship.

The lectureship is a five-day series of lectures which draws the largest annual gathering of Church of Christ members in the nation.

Glenn Wallace of Abilene, minister of the College Church of Christ, will open the series of lectures at 10:30 a. m. Sunday, speaking on the lectureship theme, "Pack to the Old Path." At 7:30 p. m. Sunday, James Baird, dean of Central Christian College, Bartlesville, Okla., will speak on "Authority in Religion." The lectureship will run through Thursday, Feb. 21.

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College officials anticipate the largest crowds in history at the 1952 lectures because of enlarged accommodations. Two auditoriums will be used simultaneously, the new church auditorium and Sewall Auditorium.

Other lecturers will be L. L. Geiger of Tyler, Claude Guild and Joe Malone of Fort Worth, M. Norvel Young of Lubbock, C. R. Nichol of Clifton, Trine Starnes of Waco, G. C. Brewer of Memphis, Tenn., and Elbridge Linn of Denver, Colo.

Reports on missionary work and church work carried on in the press and on the radio will be given by Floyd Hamilton of La Feria, James W. Mehols and J. P. Gibson of Abilene, E. W. McMillan of Terrell, Joseph W. White of Santa Monica, Calif., Frank Winters of Oklahoma City, R. C. Cannon of Ibarak-Ken, Japan, Antonio Ochoa of New York City, and Eldred Echois of Johannesburg, South Africa.

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in a game that should go far in indicating the season's champion. If San Angelo wins Friday night, the Rams will have to beat the Rebels in Arlington, and the Schreiner Mountaineers in San Angelo, later in the month to clinch the title.

A victory for Arlington State this week would leave ASC facing Schreiner, San Angelo, and Tarleton State in remaining conference games for the season.

Last week's play saw San Angelo run up its fifth consecutive victory by downing the Tarleton Plowboys, 76-48.

Arlington State continued its victory march in league play by beating Ranger, 65-43, and Schreiner, 53-32.

The Schreiner Mountaineers broke even last week, taking Tarleton State 53-42 and losing to ASC.

Ranger, with one of the most potent scoring threats in the league, remains winless by dropping a 43-55 contest to ASC.

The Tarleton State Plowboys, much improved since adding several January high school graduates, still appear a little weaker than their league rivals, although the Plowboys gave Schreiner a fine scrap before bowing 53-42 last week.

Glen Lewallen of San Angelo recaptured the season's scoring lead by pitching in 80 points last week for a total of 375 points. He is followed by Ranger's Jim Bridges, who has 280 points.

Lewallen also leads other scorers in conference games with 116 points in five games. Trailing him are Bridges of Ranger with 84

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