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Directors Meet In Ozona Tuesday

A special directors meeting to further discuss the National Wool Act with special reference to Section 708 of the Act and the American Sheep Producers Council has been scheduled for Tuesday, April 12 in Ozona, R. W. Hodge, Del Rio, Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association president, has announced. The meeting is called for 10 o'clock in the County Court Room.

Section 708 provides for the promotion of lamb, wool and mohair through a producer operated organization. It will be financed through a mandatory deduction of one cent per pound from the incentive payments due the producer, Hodge stated, but the deduction for the program will not be made unless it is approved by growers of two-thirds of the wool in a referendum to be held later in the summer.

He urged that all interested growers attend the meeting.

Junction Track Team Tops Sonora 46-40 1/2

The Junction Eagles, powerful running aggregation from Shortville, grabbed relays and distance runs by the handful Saturday to cop the Ozona Invitation Meet with 46 points. Sonora was second with 40 1/2 points.

Others in the ten-team meet included Menard with 27 points; Richland Springs 16, Llano 13 1/2, Reagan County 4, Ozona and Coahoma 3 each, and Iraan and Rankin, none.

Joe Renfro and Menard's Robert Hooten broke four records and tied with J. D. Smith of Richland Springs for high point man. Hooten had 11 3-4, Renfro 11 1-2 and Smith 11.

Renfro ran the hugh hurdles in 20.5, while Hooten ran a 9.9 hundred yard dash and a 21.9 second 220 yard dash.

Other results: 440 yard dash-1. Moss, Junction; 2. Lové, Sonora. Time 51.9. 440 relay-1. Junction; Menard; 3. Sonora. Time 45.8. 880 yard dash-1. Dutton, Junction; 2. Ratliff, Sonora. Time 2:08.1.

Mile run-1. Bolt, Junction; 2. Hernandez, Sonora. Time 5:04. Shot Put-1. Smith, Richland Springs; 2. G. Johnson, Sonora. Distance: 49 Ft. 10 1/4 inches.

Discus-1. Wallace, Menard; 2. Smith, Richland Springs; 3. McLaughlin, Sonora. Distance 138 Ft. 4 3-4 inches.

Broad Jump-1. Ragsdale, Junction; 2. Watkins, Llano; 3. G. Johnson, Sonora. Distance: 20-9.

High Jump-1. Ragsdale, Junction; 2. Carriger, Menard. Height: 5 Ft. 10 inches.

Pole Vault-1. Badillo, Sonora; 2. Smith, Junction. Height: 10 Ft. 3 inches.

Mile Relay-1. Junction; 2. Sonora; 3. Big Lake. Time 3:40.5.

Berry and Sterling Baker were in from their ranches in the Owenville country last week serving as jurors.

George Allison returned Wednesday from Menard where he had been attending court.

Mr. and Mrs. Dud Yaws were in from the ranch several days this week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryson were in from the ranch Monday and Tuesday shopping and visiting.

Sheep Ranchers Seek Aid In Controlling Outbreak Of Scrapie

Members of the advisory committee of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Assn., meeting here Wednesday asked the USDA and the Texas Livestock Sanitary Commission to assist in wiping out threats of scrapie, a sheep disease new to the Texas range.

The committee wants the USDA and sanitary commission to determine the amount of money that will be necessary to dispose of around 3,200 head of sheep in the Lometa area now under quarantine.

The sheep, belonging to seven ranchmen of the Lometa section, will have to be slaughtered.

The committee was told the federal government has issued an approximate appraisal of the animals but agreements have not been reached with owners on the values of the animals under quarantine.

Explaining and acquainting the TS&GRA group with the disease and the seriousness of the situation were Dr. C. F. Layton, Fort Worth, of the Agricultural Research Service of the USDA; Dr. E. M. Jones, San Angelo, fieldman for the service; Dr. W. T. Hardy, superintendent, and Dr. Don Price, veterinarian of the Ranch Experiment Station near here, and Pierce Hoggett, Junction, supervisor for the sanitary commission.

Senator Dorsey B. Hardeman, San Angelo, at the request of TS&GRA officials, has an emergency bill he is to present in the Texas Senate, seeking an appropriation of \$15,000 to fight the disease and help pay indemnities to the ranchmen whose sheep must be slaughtered.

Scrapie, is a sheep disease characterized by twitching, excitability, intense itching, excessive thirst, emaciation, weakness and finally paralysis. The disease may be dormant for periods of four to five years and then hit a flock.

Authorities found that only one animal, a ram, has been found to have the disease. The fact was established after a brain specimen of the ram was set to laboratories in Denver for examination. The animal was imported from Canada five years ago and never off the ranch near Lometa.

Personal Notes

Cheri Major and David Williams of San Angelo were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mackey last week.

Jan Keng had as her guests last weekend, Jane Rickentine and Rose Marie Glover of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Morris, who have been living in Los Angeles since 1941, are here visiting his mother, Mrs. H. V. Morris. Mr. and Mrs. Morris plan to make their home near San Angelo, where they have bought property.

PLAN FOOD SALE

The Womens Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church will have a food and apron sale at the Sonora Appliance Store May 6. Mrs. E. E. Sawyer will be in charge of the apron booth and Mrs. Alvis Johnson will be in charge of the food booth.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bryson were in from the ranch Monday and Tuesday shopping and visiting.

School Trustees Reelected

Mr. Joe M. Vander Stucken and Frank Bond were reelected as trustees of the Sonora Independent School District here Saturday.

Mr. Vander Stucken received 54 votes and Bond got 50. In the county school trustees elections, Herbert Fields, Wesley Sykes and Robert Hardgrove were elected trustees from Precincts 2, 3, and 4 without opposition.

EXPOSITION, POWER SHOW FEATURE OF LEAGUE MEET

Hundreds of glimpses into the future await high school students and friends visiting the University of Texas May 5-7 for the annual Interscholastic League State Meet.

An All-University Exposition and Power Show will dramatize man's latest plans for tomorrow's world and give visitors chances to learn how they may fit into careers of both today and the future.

More than 1,600 high schoolers will compete in the State Meet, the final round of Interscholastic League competition in track and field, tennis, golf, speech, literary, shorthand, typing and mathematical contests.

The Exposition and Power Show is designed so students may visit it during times when they are not participating in the giant meet. The University's many teaching, research and public service departments will present films and exhibits, and University faculty members will be available for individual conferences about career opportunities and prospects.

A highlight of the huge open house will be the 48th Power Show presented from 6:30 p.m. through 10:30 p.m. Friday, May 6, by the College of Engineering, natural science and home economics departments. Exhibits will include music made by a beam of light, mechanical animals with "electronic brains," and hundreds of other entertaining and enlightening wonders of science.

Attend Church Sunday!

Magnolia Takes Sonora 5-4 With Late Rally

An error in the last half of the ninth cost the Sonora Mules a 5-4 loss to the Magnolia Red Horses at Guinn Field in San Angelo Sunday. It was an exhibition game.

The Mules, as the local Concho Basin entry has been named this season, were leading 4-2 going into the last of the ninth, when Hut Moore, center fielder, misjudged a fly and two runs scored. Moore, it should be added in all fairness, played errorless ball last season in the league.

John Bell allowed four hits in the four innings he pitched, and got two hits himself. Bell was relieved by Byron Stuart in the fifth and Stuart was touched for six hits while Sonora's total hits were nine.

Jackie Sharp and Charles Lee Haines, fielder and shortstop, played outstanding games for Sonora. Bobby Biederman got three for four for the Magnolias.

The Mules open Concho League play here April 17 with the Goodfellow Field Independents.

Texas 4-H Business \$7,500,000

The estimated value of demonstrations in agriculture, home economics and related fields owned by Texas 4-H Club members is \$7,500,000. The 122,000 4-H members last year, report the state 4-H leaders, conducted a grand total of 239,754 different demonstrations involving practically every phase of agricultural

production and homemaking.

The state 4-H leaders in their annual report show that 4,918 local clubs conducted active programs during 1954. Also that 45,418 members received training in farm and home safety; 22,451 in soil and water conservation; 42,640 in citizenship; 13,940 in group recreation; more than 4,200 in music appreciation and 20,800 received training in some phase of judging.

The records also show that 4-H members are farmers and livestock producers. Their corn acreage last year exceeded 11,500 acres and one of their members, Doyce Turney of Lamb County, set an all-time corn production record for the state of 204.3 bushels an acre. They planted over 14,000 acres of cotton; 4,700 acres of garden vegetables and carried out soil and water conserva-

tion and homemaking. Most important factor in the weakness of fat cattle and fat calves is the expected continuation of the Easter dinner tables by ham and turkey. Nationwide promotion of Easter hams as handled by the National Livestock and Meat Board has all the purveyors of red meat certain that ham will dominate the holiday board.

Fed steers and yearlings and cows opened steady to 50 cents lower. Stockers and feeders were mostly 50 cents lower. Fat calves and bull sold about steady at Ft. Worth Monday. Top fat cattle were club steers sold at \$26.50, and some commercially fed cattle sold at \$23 and \$24. Fat cows drew \$12 to \$14.50, and canners and cutters sold from \$8 to \$12. Bulls \$10 to \$15. Fat calves \$21.50 down. Stocker calves and yearlings \$16 to \$22.

A good recovery from the lows of last week in sheep and lamb prices continued at Fort Worth Monday. Average prices of most sheep and lambs were fully \$1 and in sport \$1.50 to \$2 above the extreme low sports of last week's trade.

Good and choice fat Spring lambs drew \$20 to \$23, and shorn fat lambs cashed at \$19 down. Old wethers drew \$13 down. Old ewes sold from \$5.50 to \$7, and old bucks drew \$4 to \$5. Yearling muttons sold around \$16 down.

Sonora Wins Literary Meet

Sonora won the district literary and speech event meet here Saturday, taking six first places out of thirteen events.

Shannon Ratliff and Nancy Hunt won senior boys and senior girls declamation, Jim Ray Baker won senior boys poetry reading and Martha Valliant won girls extemp speech. Boys extemp speech was won by Robert Hardgrove of Sonora, and Vicki Savell won senior girls poetry reading.

Other winners included Lenora Ashley, Junction, junior girls declamation; James Noguess, Menard, junior boys declamation; Peggy Lewis and Peggy Pinney, Junction, won spelling; Edward Kothman, Junction, won slide rule; Marion Teel, Junction, won number sense; Ila Boyer, Eldorado, won typing; Lola Leamons, Junction, won shorthand.

Sonora Student Wins State Essay Contest

Jan Keng, freshman high school student and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Keng of Sonora, was informed this week that she won the state soil conservation essay contest sponsored by the Fort Worth Press.

Miss Keng is the second winner of the state contest. Miss Jackie Gwen Wardlaw, having been state winner several years ago.

State winners are given a two week's expense paid trip to Colorado and are honored at a soil conservation awards banquet in Fort Worth April 30.

In the local district contest, Miss Keng's essay "Why We Must Conserve Our Soil and Water" placed second. Winners of the first three places are entered in the state contest.

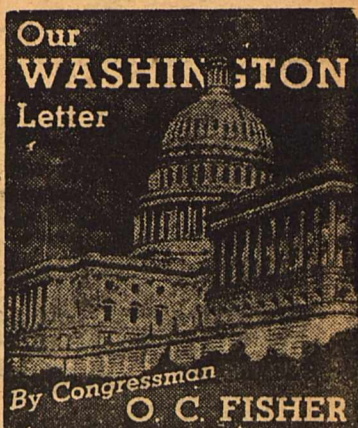
Personals

Mrs. J. R. Watson of Van Horn is a patient at Hudepsch Memorial Hospital this week. Her condition is reported to be improved. Mrs. Watson is the mother of Mrs. Howard Espy of Sonora.

They owned 573,128 chickens and turkeys; 6,123 dairy animals; 13,461 beef animals; 31,466 swine; 12,112 sheep and almost 5,000 were enrolled in the tractor maintenance program.

They canned and preserved 380,015 quarts of food while an additional 301,208 pounds of food was preserved by freezing. The 36,744 enrolled in clothing work made 93,902 articles and 83,746 garments. More than 38,000 studied meal preparation and 7,411 were enrolled in junior leadership projects.

Demonstrations and activities are a mighty important part of the 4-H program but of even more value is the training members receive in character building. County extension agents and local volunteer leaders are their teachers and their farms, ranches and home the class-rooms where they learn to do by doing.



HOLLYWOOD'S DAVY CROCKETT and cherry blossoms vied for top interest in Washington last week, and it looked to me like Davy came out on top.

Sparkling in brilliant sunlight, Washington's famous Japanese cherry blossoms came into their own at the Tidal Basin as the annual Easter festival get under way.

But such attractions did not dim the fervor of the thousands who eagerly sought a glimpse of Walt Disney's version of the legendary frontiersman, who in real life is Fess Parker. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Fess Parker, Sr., of Brownwood and reared in San Angelo, Hollywood's newest star spent three busy days in the Capitol City, a guest of the National Rifleman's Association.

"Loaded" for the occasion by Walt Disney whose studio in Hollywood is soon to complete the movie "Davy Crockett-King of the Wild Frontier", the 6-foot-5 Texan-handsome, stalwart and modest-came in on American Airlines' "Davy Crockett Special".

Thousands of children swarmed around their idol. The next day as he strode through the capitol corridors where ex-walked-tourists cameras clicked and buzzed. In fringed buckskin, power horn and a long rifle made in the 1840s, Parker was a hit all the way.

His only recording in song thus far, "The Ballad of Davy Crockett", produced by Disneyland's TV show, has already sold a million. His rise to fame has exceeded anything seen in movieland in modern times.

Fess told me the movie in which he portrays the immortal Crockett will be released in June, and the premiere will be in San Antonio, home of the Alamo. Parker will be there in person for the event.

I went to the hotel to see Parker shortly after his arrival. Having known him well since his early childhood, I, of course, took great pride in joining in the tumultuous welcome which he received here.

On Thursday he was honored at a luncheon at the House of Representatives, attended mostly by Texas and Tennessee Members. Following the luncheon there was a scramble for joint TV and radio appearances with the modern prototype of the Tennessee frontiersman. Senator Kefauver, Gore and Price Daniel all got in a few minutes each, and I wangled a 15-minute radio interview for my weekly radio program that goes to five stations in our district.

Rugged, yet self-effaced, Parker emits inspiration everywhere he goes. It is clear that his great fame has not "gone to his head". He will instill into the hearts of millions that spark of character and sincerity which symbolizes the life of the great hero he so well portrays.

Personal Notes

G. E. Ellis and Mrs. Nellie Allen left Thursday for Tucson, Arizona where they will spend about two weeks visiting their sister, Mrs. Lillie Roberts and other relatives.

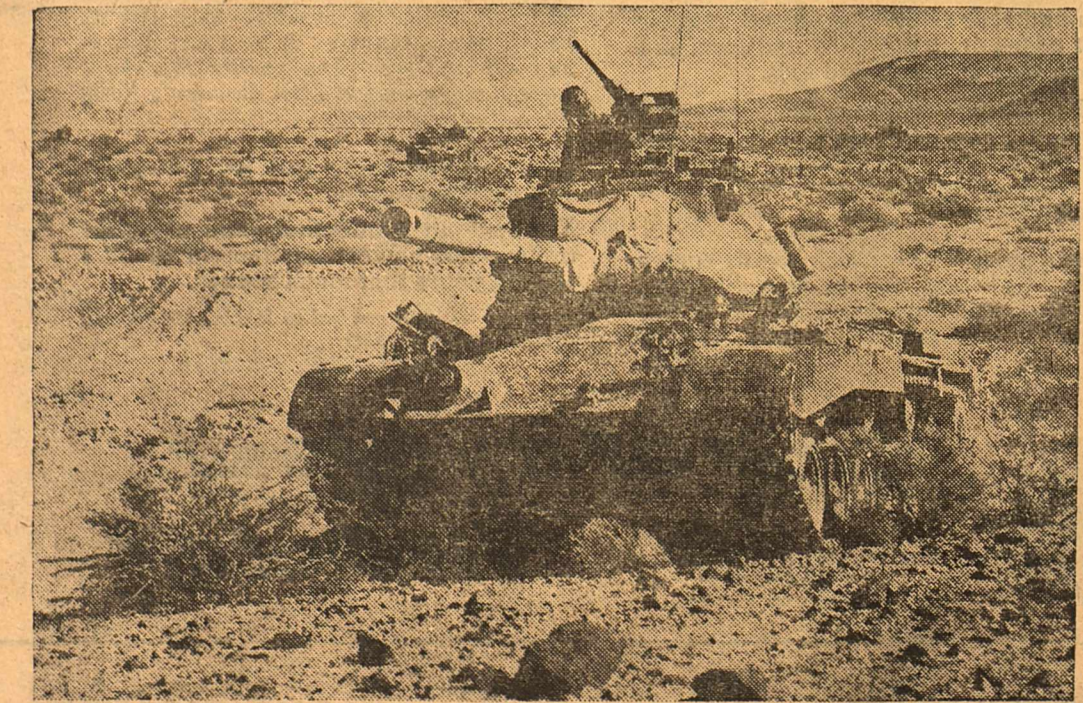
Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond for the Easter holidays are Mrs. Bond's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Fraeborn of San Antonio, and their son Frank, who is a student at Baylor Dental College at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Decker are spending the Easter holidays in Merton, the guests of Mrs. Decker's mother, Mrs. Lillie Askew.

Mrs. Edna Eubanks of Roosevelt was the guest of Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson last week.

Mrs. Ben Meckel has returned from a months visit with her sisters, Mrs. Holly McGonigal of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Mora C. Clark of Fort Worth.


Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hutcherson and daughter Georgalyon of Barksdale are spending the Easter holidays with Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson.



HISTORIC "FIRST"—An armored task force moves 170 miles overland from Camp Irwin, Calif. to Camp Desert Rock, Nev., to take a position forward of the trenches at H-Hour during one of the 'shots' at the Atomic Energy Commission's test site. For the first time, U.S. Army soldiers will depend upon their Patton 48 tanks and other vehicles for protection against an atomic blast.



"THUNDER AND GLORY", An Authentic Historical Pageant, will be presented on April 19 at 8:15 p.m. in the Municipal Auditorium, sponsored by the Battle of Flowers Association of San Antonio. From left to right, Marshall Steves, who will play the part of John Smith; Mrs. Frank Gillespie, Jr., Alamo Scene Chairman, and Frank Gillespie, Jr. who will portray Col. Wm. B. Travis. Steves and Gillespie are direct descendants of John Smith.



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"Fore," yelled Glen Bibb as he

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"Well, they're too slow," growled Glen. "I'll just crack one over their heads—that'll speed 'em up a little."

There was a resounding crack as Glen drove, and the gold ball shot out low and hard along the right side of the fairway. As the players watched, admiring the fine shot, the ball began to curve to the left, hooking toward the two men and two women in the

fairway. "Fore," Glen yelled frantically, and one of the women moved desperately to one side, ducking her head. The ball struck her on the arm.

Warning Necessary

In all of his conduct which might result in harm to another player, or to a caddy, the golfer must exercise reasonable and ordinary care, according to the circumstance. It is well known that driven balls do not always travel in the straight course intended, but the player must reasonably foresee the likelihood of injury to others from his driven ball, and use the care necessary to prevent such injury.

One duty of a golfer is to give timely warning of an intended drive if the other player is not aware of such intention, but in some cases a mere warning is not enough. The golfer is not necessarily an insurer of the safety of others with reference to the balls he drives, nor is he guilty of negligence merely because the ball deflects from its intended course, but he must have in mind the possibilities of dangers to others.

Ordinary Care Needed

In the case above, Glen was at fault. The players were obviously in a danger zone, and the mere shouting warning was not sufficient to protect them, especially since their backs were to Glen, and they were proceeding ahead of him, in a place where, under the rules of the game, they had a right to be.

On the golf course, remember, use just ordinary reasonable care to see that other players are protected. Be sure they know when you are going to drive, if they are in a danger zone, and don't deliberately drive into the people ahead of you.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts because the facts may change the application of the law.)

Sergeant and Mrs. Odell Odom, and children, Bob, Cheryl and Debra of El Paso spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Odom.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moss, Lu Nance and Bob, of McCamey, were weekend guests of Mrs. Moss' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Nance.

Miss Nettie Reiley of Dallas was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dantes Reiley last week. Attend Church Sunday!

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Boiled down to its simplest terms his job is one of collecting water at a central point for processing, making it safe for human consumption, and transporting it to our homes and places of business. It goes on 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year.

Today—April 7—is really his day. It's World Health Day, the theme of which is "clean water means better health."

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The use of water so pervades human life that it sometimes loses its significance. Thus does the Man of the Hour get slighted when the public hands out its accolades for vital service.

Why no drop by the plant some time today. Look the place over. Ask questions. And, if the thought

occurs to you says "thanks" to the Man of the Hour.

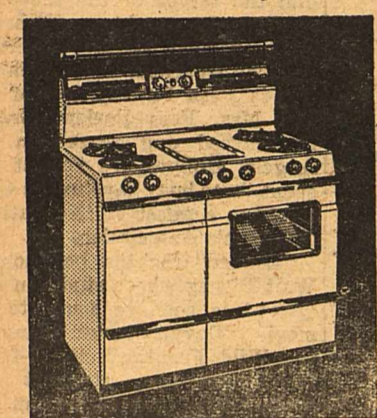


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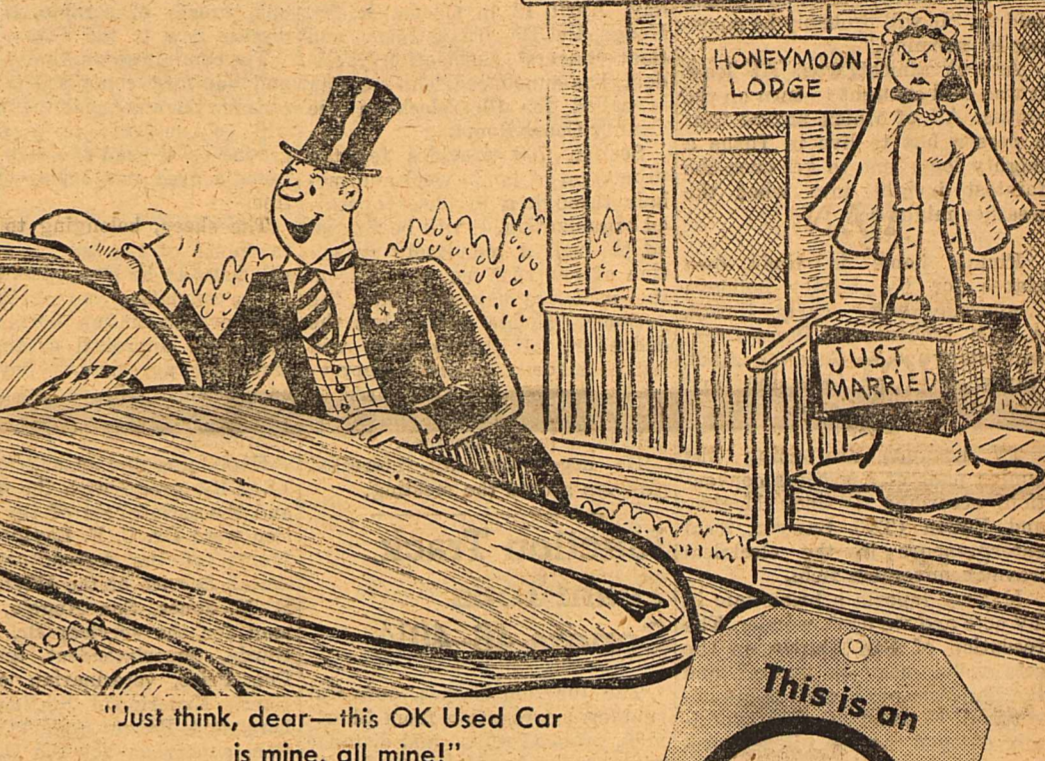
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- 7 Any change in normal bowel habits

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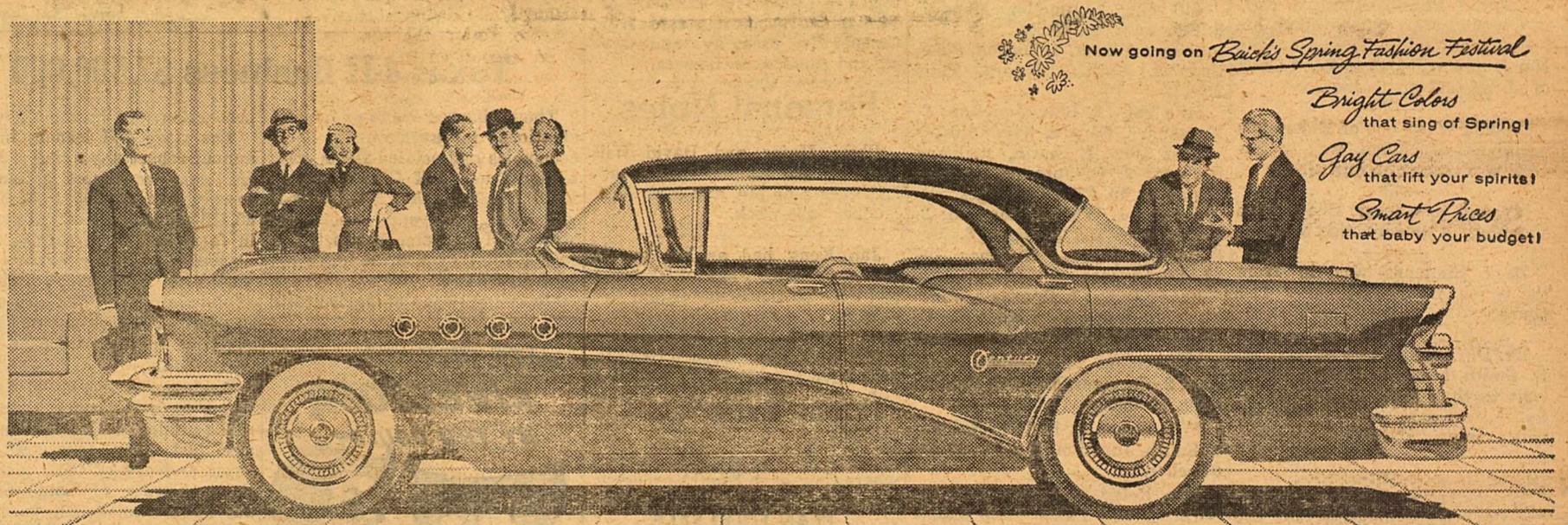
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Personal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mayfield have as their guests this week, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Bloodworth and children of Lan Lunas, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Street and son of Alexandria are spending this week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dantes Delley and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Smith.

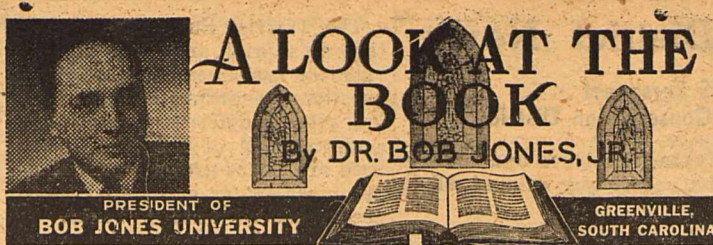
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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ratliff spent the weekend in Austin visiting their sons, Jack and Bill, who are students at the University of Texas.

Dr. and Mrs. Joe B. Logan, Rickey and Sharon spent the weekend in Batesville visiting Mrs. Logan's mother, Mrs. H. E. Ottenhouse.

Attend Church Sunday!

Sonora, Texas, Friday, April 8, 1955



I wonder if you ever noticed in reading the account of the resurrection of our Lord how much there is of tears and fears and perplexity in the story.

When the women came early on that Easter morning and found angelic visitors instead of Roman guards, an open tomb and an empty sepulchre instead of a sealed burial place, they were so frightened that the angel had to tell them not to be afraid.

And at least one woman looked upon the beauty of the garden that Easter morning through the glistening of her tears. In John's narrative we are told that as Mary stood outside that open tomb the wondering angels asked her why she wept, and Jesus Himself when He came and stood before her asked the reason for her tears. There was certainly perplexity. The Apostle Peter, having heard from the women the angel's announcement of the resurrection of the Saviour and having come and seen for himself the empty tomb, "went away wondering in himself at that which had come to pass."

All this fear and grief and uncertainty came because they had failed to understand the plain words of Christ when He had foretold His resurrection as He had talked to them of His death and burial. Now the time for grief and fear was over. The Lord was risen! The tomb was empty! All had happened just as He had said it would. There was now proof of the fulfillment of His promise—the testimony of the angels and the evidence of the empty tomb—but they could not quite comprehend. Their understanding was dull and their eyes were blind to the truth.

How much sorrow and fear and perplexity we could avoid if we listened to the Saviour when He speaks. How much unhappiness comes because we fail to take Him literally. How clear and plain is His statement that "Who soever believeth in Him should not perish but have eternal life." Yet men wander on in the misery and wretchedness and unhappiness of sin because they will not believe in Him. Others of us trust Him as our Saviour and possess the eternal life which is found in Him and yet go through life failing to enjoy the privileges which are ours as sons of God because we do not take Him at His Word. We worry about our physical needs—food and clothing—because we do not take His promise to provide these things as literal and sure. We are frightened and perplexed by the sudden changes in conditions that face us all. We are disturbed and afraid because we fail to heed His assuring utterance that "All things work together for good to them that love God; to them who are the called according to His purpose" (Romans 8:28). The open tomb rebukes our lack of faith. I wonder that we do not

Ted Montgomery, who is a student at San Angelo Junior College, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. J. B. Montgomery, and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Logan.

June Henderson was in Austin last weekend visiting her brother in law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barho.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Granger spent the weekend in San Antonio visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Arthur of Kingsville, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hater of San Antonio.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS FROM VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

Q - I am a World War II veteran in school under the GI Bill. When I get my AB degree, would it be possible for me to go on and obtain my Master's degree in the same field? I have plenty of GI entitlement.

A - Yes, it will be possible for you to go ahead and study for your MA degree, so long as it will help you reach your education or vocational objective.

Q - I had an appointment for VA outpatient treatment that I failed to keep because I forgot all about it. Will breaking this one appointment deprive me of future outpatient care?

A - No. Breaking one appointment, without notice, will not deprive you of further outpatient treatment. But breaking two without notice, and without a reasonable excuse, could result in bringing your outpatient care to an end. Always give at least 24 hours' notice if you must break medical appointments.

Q - If I get a GI loan to buy a farm, is it necessary for me to live on that farm?

A - It is not necessary that you actually live on the farm. But you must at least supervise the farming operations.

Q - I am a disabled Korea veteran. May I take vocational training under Public Law 894 on a part-time basis, and get a job for the rest of the time?

A - No. Under the law, vocational training for disabled veterans must be on a full-time basis, unless the veteran's physical condition would not allow for full-time training.

Q - I am a disabled World War II veteran. I could have entered Public Law 16 training earlier than this, but I never got around to it. If I apply now, would I be able to get four years of training?

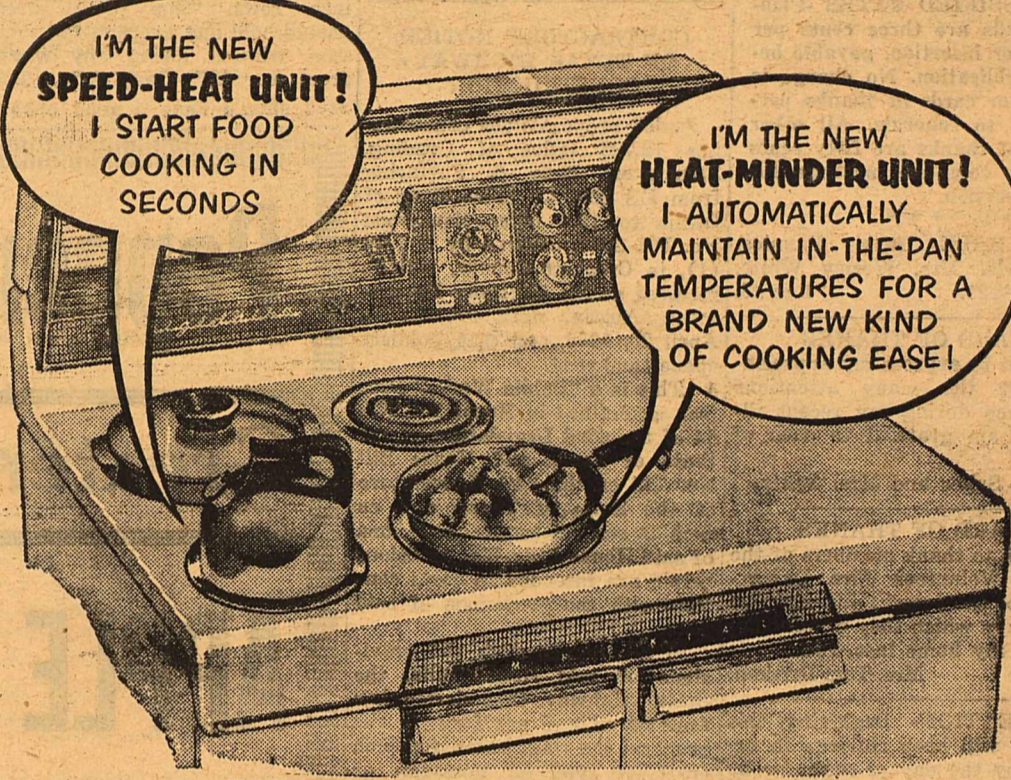
A - No. Under the law, you would be permitted to take a course that you could complete by July 25, 1956, the end of the Public Law 16 program as the law now stands.

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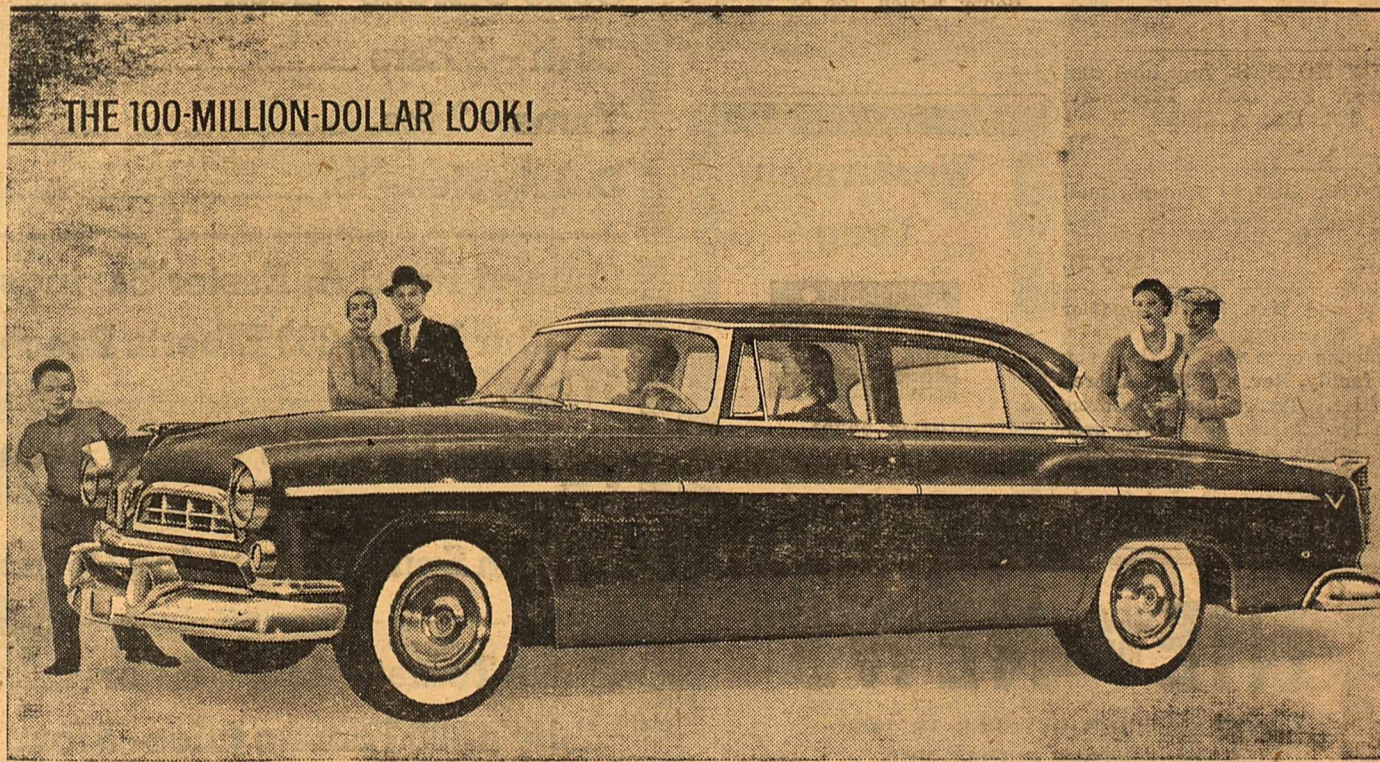
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CARD OF THANKS - I wish to thank members of the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department for the prompt and efficient manner in which they put out the fire at my home last week.
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Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Loeffler will leave Friday for Lawton, Oklahoma on a visit to their son and family, Rev. and Mrs. Aubrey Loeffler. Their grandchildren, Ann and Bobby, who have been their guests are returning home with them. They will attend an Easter Pageant at Lawton in which Mr. Loeffler will take part.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 12.798 miles of Grading, Structures, Base & Surfacing from US 290, 4.0 miles West of Ozona to 12.8 miles Southwest No. FM 2083, covered by S 1971 (1), in Crockett County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A.M., April 20, 1955, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the work on aforesaid project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal for each craft or type of laborer, workman or mechanic employed on this project.

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

Plans and specifications available at the office of R. A. McCulloch, Resident Engineer Sonora, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. 2 to 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neal Smith were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith of Ozona.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Stokes and Wade of Temple are spending the weekend in Sonora visiting relatives.

Bobby Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Kelley, underwent a tonsillectomy Wednesday in San Angelo.

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Soil Conservation District News

Prepared by Local SCS Personnel
News of Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District

Approximately 50 acres of rangeland has been planted to grass on the Edwards Plateau SCD trial area at the Herbert Fields ranch. A mixture of two pounds sidecoats gram, one pound KR bluestem, one pound buffelgrass, and one-half pound blue panic was planted per acre.

"The area seeded is in a wide flat which was practically bare of vegetation," E. B. Keng, SCS technician, pointed out. The area was pitted and seed planted with the district grass seed drill in 30 inch rows. "The pitted area should hold any average two inch rain without losing any water from runoff," Keng said. The seed should have a good opportunity to germinate and become established if any rain at all is received.

Only part of the 350 acre lease will be seeded. Ranchmen will have an opportunity to observe the results of no seeding, pitting alone, and pitting and seeding. A small area was seeded by broadcasting, so that this method can be compared to drilling.

Some three acres were seeded to native grasses gathered by Tom Davis, Leo Merrill and Thomas Morris on the Morris-Davis Mountain ranch. The mixture included sidecoats, blue, hairy, and spruce-top grama, cane bluestem, cottontop, plains lovegrass and several other good grasses.

The District Supervisors hope that this trial area will be of value to ranchmen in answering questions regarding range seeding, pitting, deferment, and other problems. All of the seed being used are Texas-grown seed which are much better acclimated than seed produced north of Texas.

Ranchmen are invited to examine the work being done, and to follow the progress during the next three years. Some of the results may be negative, but these, too, may be valuable in enabling ranchmen to avoid the same mistakes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Trainer and son, and Miss Jamie Trainer of Houston are spending the Easter holidays in Sonora visiting relatives.

Attend Church Sunday!

MRS. NANCE HOSTESS TO THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. R. G. Nance was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club at her home last week.

The Easter theme was carried out, and a salad and desert plate was served.

Mrs. O. G. Babcock won the high club score, Mrs. Rose Thorp won second high score, and Mrs. C. E. Stites won the bingo prize.

Those attending included Mesdames R. B. Kelley, Teresa Friend, Joe Berger, J. A. Cauthorn, Lee Labenske, B. C. McGilvray, Root & Rees, Auther Simmons, J. W. Trainer, Babcock, Thorp, and Stites.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Williams of San Antonio were guests of Mrs. Roy E. Aldwell last week.

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Libby's Spaghetti & Meat
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2 For 35^c
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Nine seniors were honored Friday night with a formal dance at the Ka-Bar Club. Sammie Daulong and His Melodeers of San Angelo furnished the music.

Easter colors and decorations were used in decorating the club. Frosted punch and cookies were served.

Honorees were Darcy Carroll, Tracy Crites, Turney Friess, Donald Fuqua, Jack Johnson, Joe Richard Lancaster, Connie Mack Locklin, Betsy Ross and Cherby Turney. Hostesses were Messrs. and Mesdames W. A. Carroll, W. O. Crites, Harold Friess, Lamar Fuqua, Francis Archer, A. C. Hudson, Dave Locklin, Joe Brown, Ross, Lin Turney and Paul Turney.

Out-of-town guests included James Tweedle, Cheri Major, David Williams, Jane Richentine and Rose Marie Glover of San Angelo. Pat Woodall, Jean Price, Jess Marley, Earl Berry, Charles Sawders, Liz Pearson, Patti Hardesty, Buskey Holydier, Janice Spencer, Kent Chapman, Peggy Trotter, Cecilia Cooke, Brock Jones, Jerry Beasley, and Mark White of Ozona. Joanna Lover and Ronny Anderson of

RANCHERO CLUB MEETS

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mayfield, and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McConnell, Jr. were hosts to the Ranchero Club last week at the Episcopal Parish House.

A covered dish supper was served. Cullen Luttrell did the calling for square dancing.

ENGAGEMENT OF GRETTA SHAW TOLD

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shaw of Pecos announce the engagement and approaching marriage of daughter, Gretta Mae, to Kelley Bryan Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jones of Pecos. Miss Shaw is a senior student in Pecos High School, where her fiancé also attended school. She is a former resident of Sonora.

The couple plan a June wedding.

Del Rio. Charline Neill and Eddy Moss of Seguin. Ruth Patterson and James A. Davis of Menard. John Bartin Dungan of Odessa. Bob Hannah, Lynda Hubbell, Milton Tuekness, Dena Craven, R. C. Lackey, Jo Anne Cunningham, of Junction. Mary Tisdale, Yvonne Logan, Dale West, Collen Hicks, Sandra Nixon, John Meador, Ann Ballew, Lynn Griffin, Nancy LeSeaux, Monetta Bradshaw of El

P.-T.A. Shown Cancer Films

Mrs. Earl Beavers, district chairman for the Cancer Crusade, showed two films on cancer at the Parent-Teacher Association meeting Tuesday. Mrs. Beavers, who also spoke, was introduced by Mrs. Alvis Johnson, county chairman.

Mrs. W. A. McCoy reported on the District Six convention in Del Rio March 30. Mrs. McCoy, Mrs. Herbert Fields, Mrs. E. A. Brodhead and Mrs. Rex Lowe were delegates from Sonora.

Mrs. J. F. Howell reported on work done by the study groups on the subject, "Codes For Children and Family Living."

Mrs. Harry Walter's sixth grade won the March attendance prize.

Mrs. J. W. Trainer spent the weekend in San Angelo visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thomas.

Darcy Carroll was a guest of Sigma Nu fraternity of the University of Texas round up last week.

Mrs. R. V. Kelley was a patient in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital this week. Her condition is improved.

MUSIC CLUB MEETS AT GEORGE BARROW HOME

Mrs. George Barrow was hostess and Mrs. C. A. Tyler was co-hostess to the Music Club at Mrs. Barrow's home, Monday night.

Strawberry short cake and coffee were served.

Mrs. S. M. Loeffler, president, presided over a short business session. Mrs. G. H. Davis, program leader, chose as her subject "Our Famous Neighbors". Mrs. W. P. McConnell, Jr. gave a talk on the life and music of Villa Lobos. Recordings of South American musicians were played.

Mrs. W. T. Hardy accompanied Billy Doran, who played "The Holy City" as a coronet solo, and Martha Valliant who played "Santitas Varias" as a flute solo.

National music week will be observed in Sonora beginning May 1, with Mrs. G. H. Davis as chairman.

Visitors present were Mrs. T. A. Williams of San Antonio, and Sarah Lou Hardy. Members who attended were Mesdames O. G. Babcock, Edwin Mayer, S. M. Loeffler, A. E. Prugel, Alfred Schwiening, Jr., W. P. McConnell, Jr., J. C. Stephen, and G. H. Davis.

STUDY CLASS MEETS WITH MRS. BERGER

The study class of the Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. Joe Berger Wednesday morning.

Mrs. W. L. Davis, study chairman, had as her subject, "Jesus' Teachings Concerning Women". Mrs. Norman S. Davis spoke on "The Home Life of Martha and Mary". Mrs. Dan Cauthorn gave a talk on "Women of the Warm Heart". Mrs. J. T. Sellman had as her subject "Life and Character of the Pharisees". A dialogue, "The Women of Samaria" was given by Mrs. L. E. Johnson, Jr., Mrs. C. W. Taylor, and Mrs. Herman Smith.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames O. G. Babcock, Alvis Johnson, E. W. Hutcherson, C. W. Taylor, J. T. Sellman, E. T. Epps, E. E. Sawyer, L. E. Johnson, Jr., Herman Smith, W. L. Davis, Dan Cauthorn, Norman S. Davis, Cleve Jones, Jr., J. F. Howell and O. L. Richardson.

THE TRUE EASTER By W. H. Marshall

Easter is the great festival of the celebration of springtime. Ever since men have been on the earth they have marked the coming of spring in some special way. It was natural that they should do this because they have always felt intuitively that the real springtime of the soul, and the springtime of the heart is its awakening to God.

Easter, if it has any true significance for us, must mean just this—that the winter of separation and limitation is over. It must mean that now we know who we really are—the children of God, and what our real destiny is—reunion with Him.

Easter when properly understood, symbolizes the supreme spiritual experience, which is the regeneration of mankind. We were not meant to be forever in limitation, fear, and misunderstanding. The design of Providence is that we should awaken to our true spiritual nature, cast off the works of darkness, go out to meet life with clean hands and hearts, and love in our souls for every man. That is true Easter.

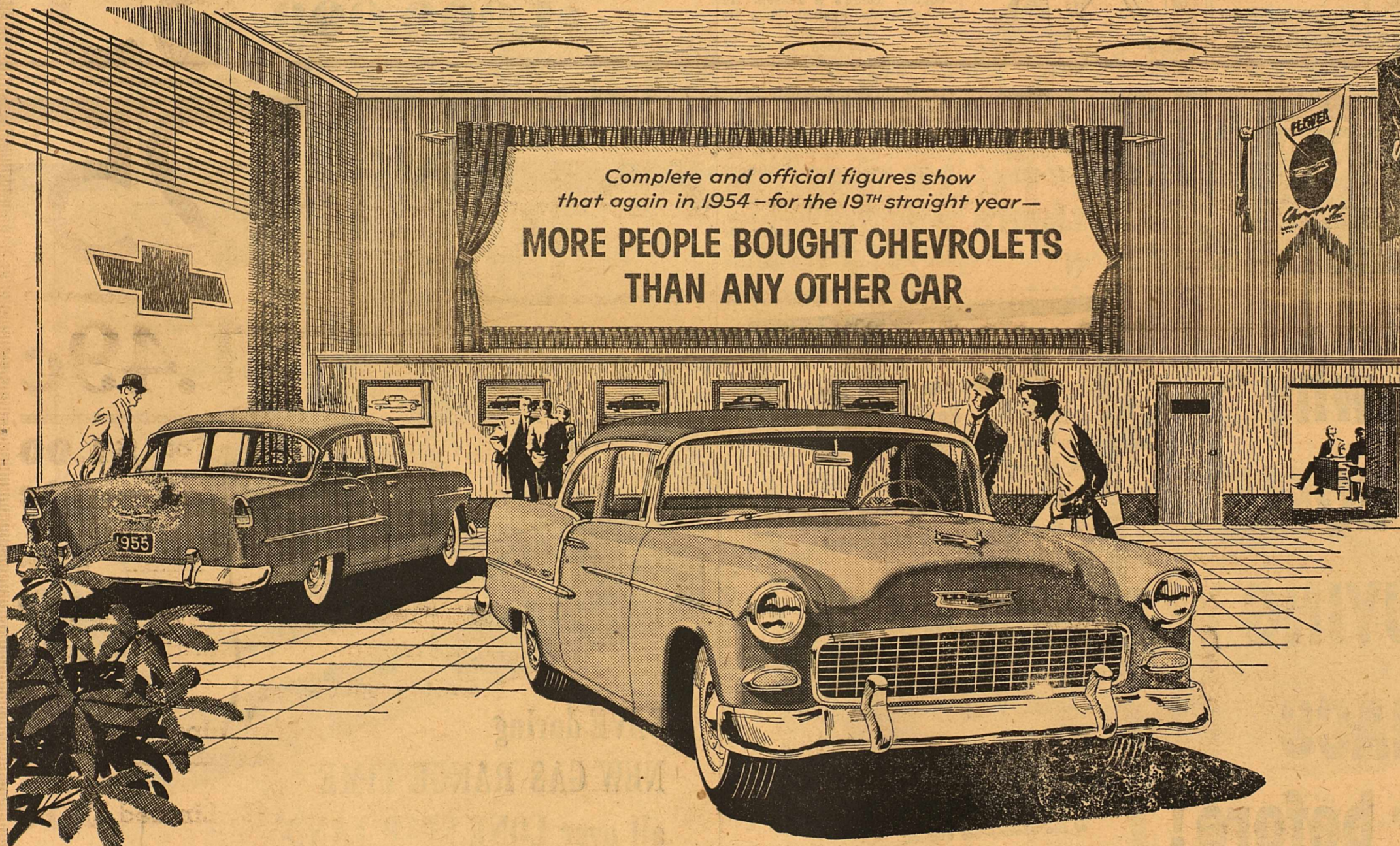
Jesus passed through the dark night of Calvary to the glorious resurrection of Easter day. Had there been no Christ to match all that Calvary could do to Him, certainly it is that there would have been no Easter.

If a man is to experience an Easter in his life, he must believe in something enough to make a difference in what he thinks, how he thinks, and how he lives. If one condescends to rate his life on the basis of the flesh, the Bible tells us, "... of the flesh we reap corruption, that is, spiritual decay and death.

Easter can have no meaning for the person who never looks up into the face of God. I am glad God made man like He did. We can look up, or we can look down. We can live right, or we can live wrong. But as we live, so shall we be judged at the last Day.

Easter belongs to the man who belongs to the stars. He has a LOOKING UP in his soul. He has a LOOKING OUT in the love of his heart. He has a GIVING SPIRIT, he gives of himself and his means, that Easter may come to the hearts of men to stay, and when it does, all can say, "The Christ has been lifted up." Easter is here. God help us to keep it.

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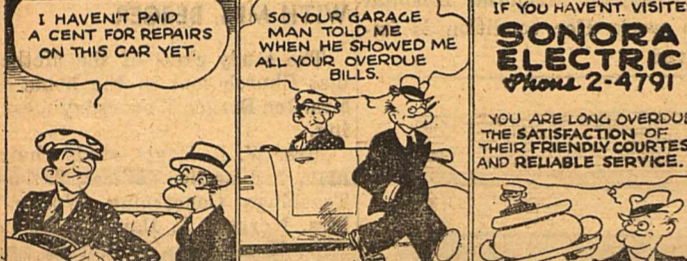
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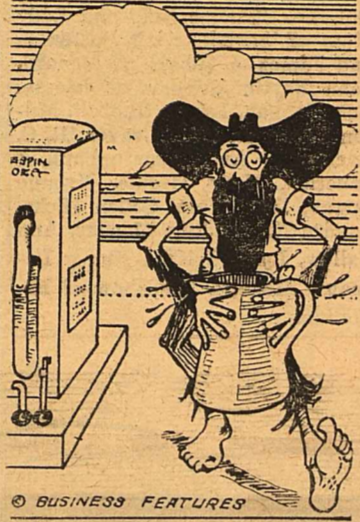
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LONDON, ENGLAND—Here are 12 American debutantes who are presented to Queen Elizabeth II at Buckingham Palace. Left to Right: Laura Haight, New York City; Laura Franklin Handy, Lookout Mt., Tenn.; Patricia Lang, Seattle, Wash.; Julia Meador Miller, Atlanta, Ga.; Pamela Gilbert Clarke Painter, Los Angeles; Letitia Breckenridge Pearre, Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Aldrich; Rinalda V. Brunt, San Antonio, Tex.; Mrs. E. Allen, Pelham, N. Y.; Mrs. H. L. Taylor; Mrs. G. G. Bennett; Tuesday, April 12, Mrs. E. T. Smith; Artie Zina Joy; Dennis Duane Parter; Wednesday, April 13, Bob teaff

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The Sporting News in a column of quotations picked up here and there has this one from Joe DiMaggio, speaking about Mickey Mantle: "I never saw a young ball player who had so much equipment. This is his fifth year, isn't it, Well, if he doesn't come big this year, I'm afraid he never will. Five years is enough time for anybody."

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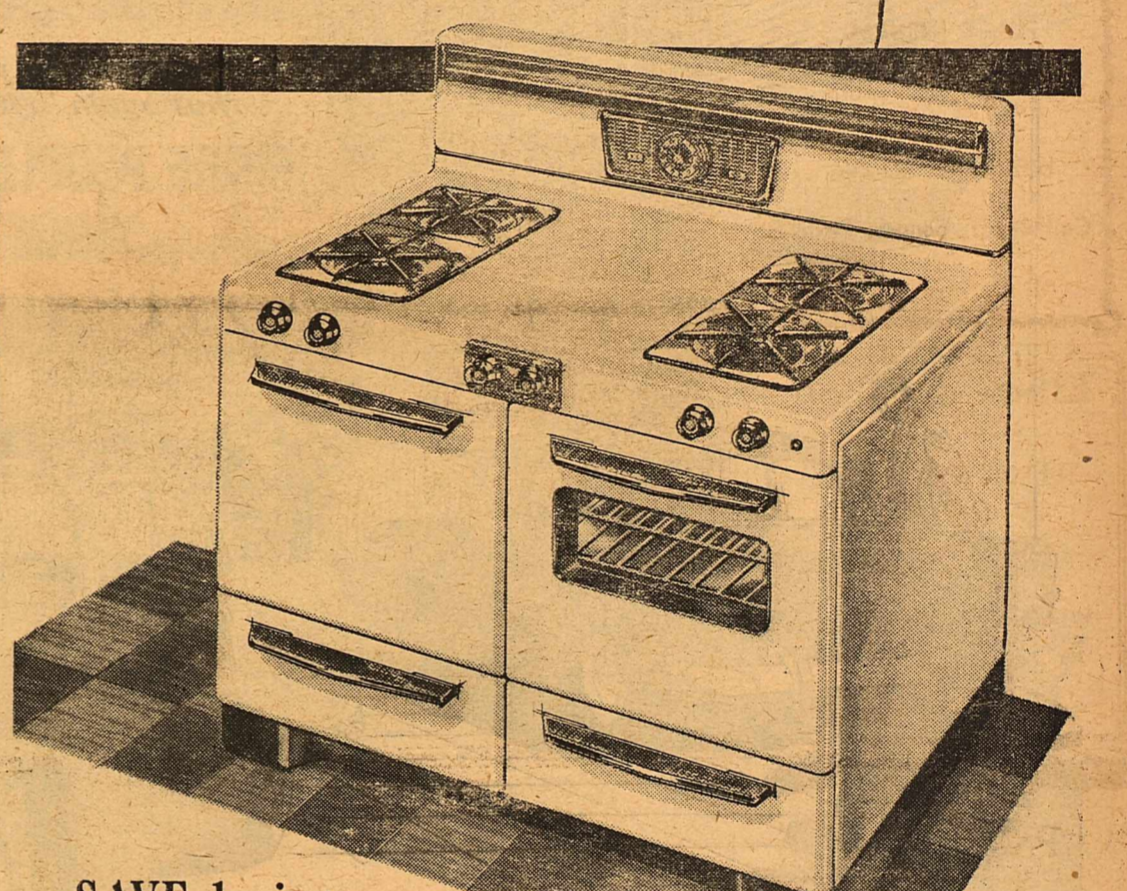


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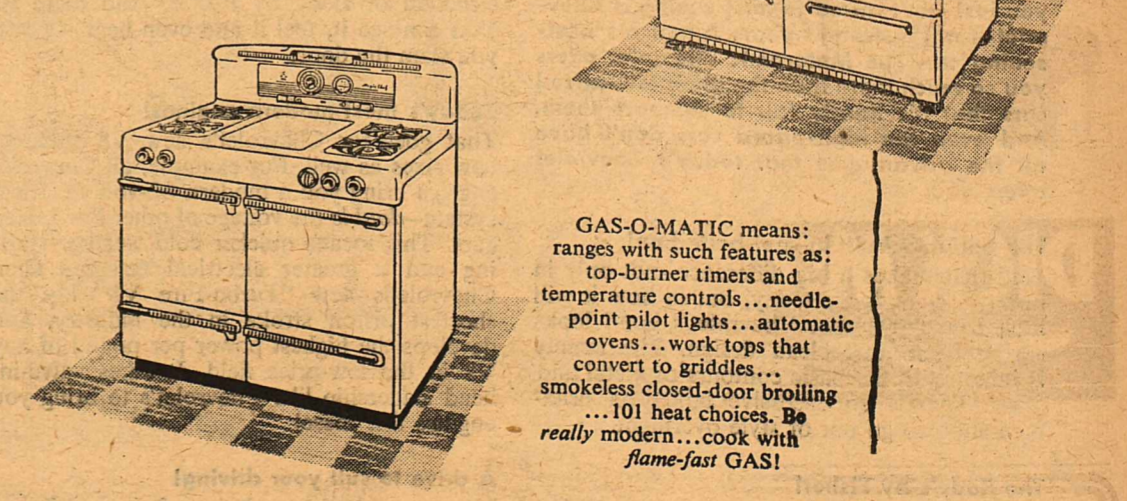
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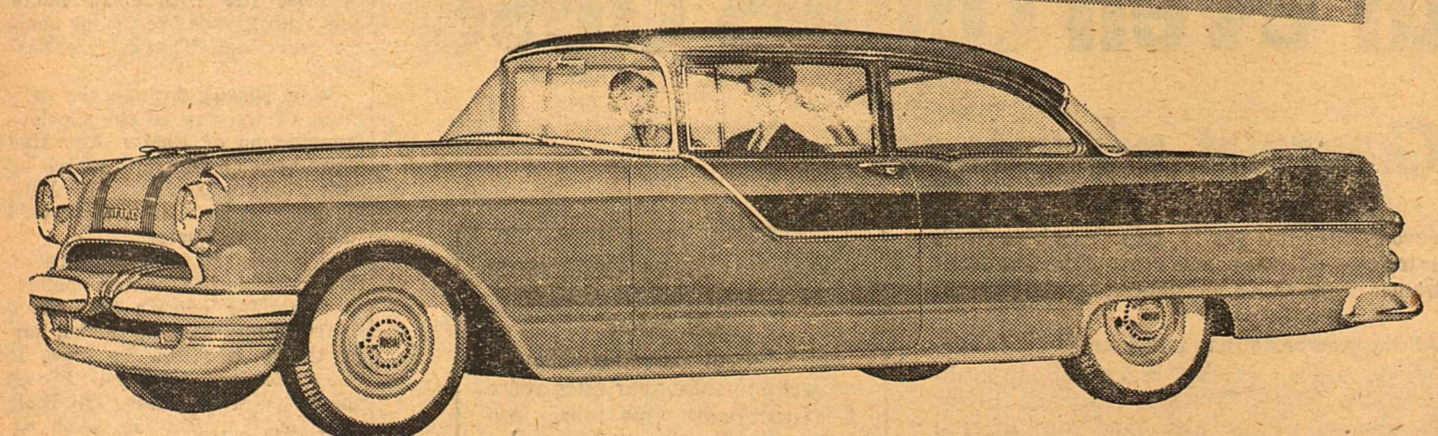


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The Sporting News SPORTS FLASHES

It was said of Ted Tappe that the only difference between him and Ted Williams was \$100,000. But there is more than that. Williams likes to fish, says The Sporting News.

The Cubs, however, are concerned with neither of these items. They are interested only in whether the 23-year-old former University of Washington basketball and baseball star can bolster the team's outfield, which was so lacking in talent last year.

"I think he has the tools to do it," said Manager Stanley Hack. "I was surprised to see how well he can throw. Not many runners would take an extra base on him. He's a power hitter, too."

He can hit a long ball, but how often, is the question.

If nothing else, the tall, loose-swinging Tappe was the greatest lefthanded power hitter in the history of the Texas League when he hit 27 homers in 111 games last

year.

Tappe came to the Cubs last winter in the deal which sent Johnny Klippstein to the Cincinnati Redlegs. The Redlegs had signed Tappe in 1950 for a reported \$30,000 bonus when he was one of the most-sought-after amateurs in the country.

Tappe is not dazzled by the comparison between himself and Ted Williams.

"All I want to do now," he said, "is look like a big leaguer—any big leaguer."

As spring training came to a close in Mesa, Arizona, it appeared as if Tappe was in the lead for the right field job, or at least of sharing the chore with the veteran Frank Baumholtz.

"He'll still have to beat out Jim King for the job," said Manager Hack to a writer for The Sporting News, "but I'm going to give him every opportunity to do it. He'll have to eliminate himself."

American League Umpire-in-Chief Cal Hubbard says he doesn't believe the 20-second rule on pitchers will cause much trouble this year. Under the rule, a pitcher must deliver the ball within 20 seconds after he steps on the rubber. The Sporting News quotes Hubbard as saying that the longest delay clocked during the training season was only 11 seconds.

Baltimore has 1,000,000 inhabitants, but about 950,000 of them have never seen the Orioles play ball. A fan survey of 1954, says The Sporting News, is reported to have shown that of last year's attendance of 1,060,000, only between 50,000 and 80,000 Baltimoreans actually went to the ballpark. More than half of the attendance was made up of out-of-town visitors.

The Pittsburgh Pirates still owe Paul Pettit \$40,000 on the original \$100,000 bonus he received several years ago. Pettit is being paid at the rate of \$8,000 a year. Touted highly as a pitcher and hitter while a rookie, Pettit failed to come through in the majors. He is attempting to make a comeback as a first baseman with Hollywood this year.

Among the rookies in the American League, not counting pitchers, Elston Howard of the Yankees is a standout. That's the opinion of Dan Daniel. With bet-

ter than expected talents as a catcher, Daniel says, Howard seems to be measuring up for the distinction of being the first Negro to play an American League game with the Yankees.

The Cincinnati slugger, Ted Kluszewski, is believed by many to be capable of breaking Babe Ruth's home run record. But as for Ted himself, he doesn't intend to make any deliberate attempt to break it. It can't be done by trying, he says. The only time I ever deliberately went out after homers last year," Ted said the other day, "was in the last five games. I had 49 homers and wanted to make it 50. I swung for the fences, but couldn't make it. Which proves my point."

After all these years, Bill Terry has disclosed that he had a batting weakness. Terry, now president of the Sally League, didn't show any weakness when he hit .401 for the Giants in 1930. But, Terry now reports that his weakness was a fast ball, low and inside. "But" said Terry, "nobody ever found it out. The pitcher always threw me a lot of low outside fast ball and I always could hit that kind. When they pitched me inside, it was usually breaking stuff that was right down my alley."

Glenn Hay visited his mother, Mrs. Ada Hay in Austin last weekend.

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Dallas' civic-sponsored presentation of the Metropolitan Opera Company of New York this spring will include four opera performances sung by world renowned artists May 6, 7 and 8, in State Fair Auditorium. This will be the company's 14th visit to Dallas. Four of the season's stars are pictured above. The season schedule will be: Friday evening, May 6, the double bill of "Pagliacci," with Leonard Warren, Kurt Baum and Lucine Amara, and "Cavalleria Rusticana," with Richard Tucker, Herva Nelli and Mildred Miller; Saturday matinee, May 7, "The Barber of Seville," with Roberta Peters, Robert Merrill, Jerome Hines and Eugene Conley; Saturday evening, the Met's new production of "Andrea Chenier," with Mario Del Monaco, Zinka Milanov, Ettore Bastianini and Herta Glaz; Sunday matinee, May 8, "Manon," with Licia Albanese and Giuseppe Campora. The Dallas Grand Opera Association, with Arthur L. Kramer, Jr., president, has opened box offices at 1315 Elm St., to handle reservations of opera lovers throughout the Southwest.

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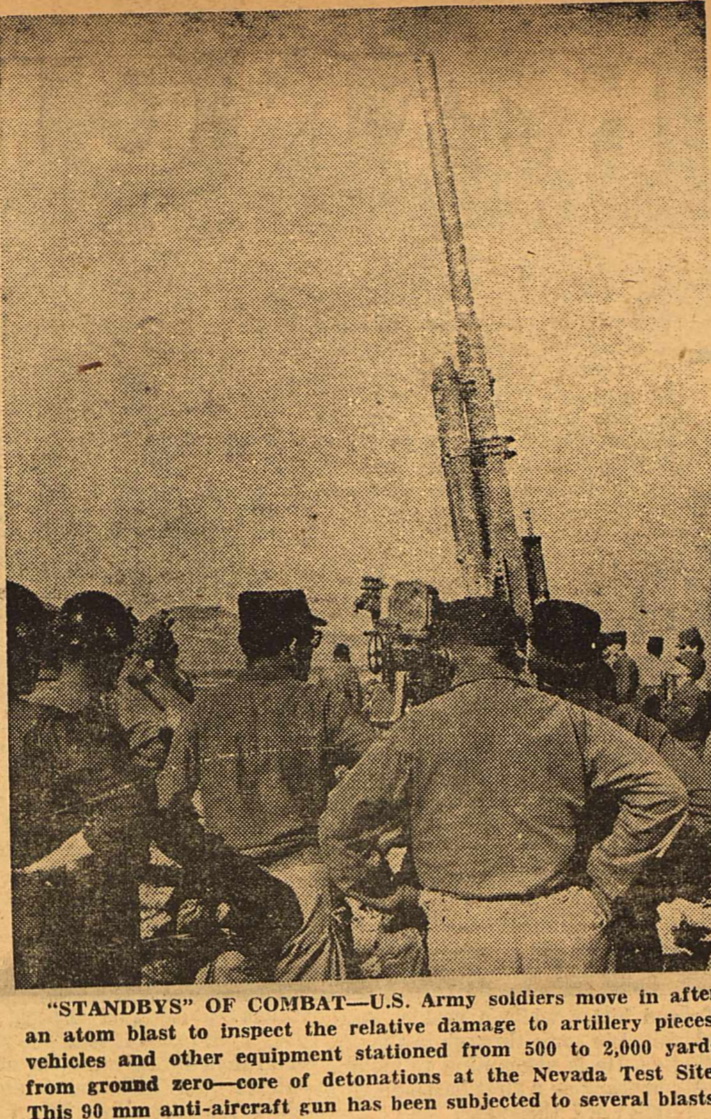
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