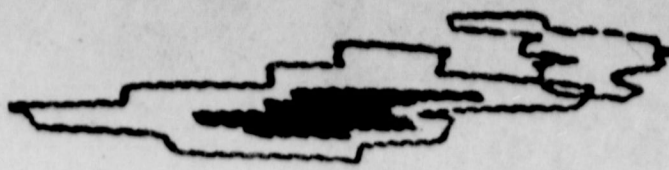




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## LISTEN TO LUKE

There is a lot of clamor going on over the state in informed circles over the new Code of Criminal Procedure which will go in effect January 1, 1966.

The Code sets down the procedure of arrests, statements by the accused, arraignment, subsequent trial, penalty, etc.

Recent action by the Supreme Court of the United States has made some of this action necessary, while other parts of the new code are efforts to possibly beat the Supreme Court to the draw.

Regardless of the reasons for the changes, there are several things that those connected with law enforcement will have to begin doing come Jan. 1, and even before unless they want reversals of court decisions from cases that are now pending or are yet to be made prior to that time.

Some of the new laws may be changed with time, but the new laws will be the laws and must be adhered to after that date.

Another change that will be made after January 1 is the removal of the fee system from all offices in Texas. All offices will be on a salary basis after that date. We are glad to see that law go into effect.

It is going to be difficult for all those connected with law enforcement to adhere strictly to the law under the new Code, in that it causes certain inconveniences that hitherto did not exist. It also is liable to be more costly to the taxpayers in some instances. But all of these things, and more, too, will come to the government, law enforcement, and other details of everyday living ere things are changed.

Some of the expressions of the "restless" youth of today are getting a little out of hand. They, like other demonstrators, are doing alright until they get to violating the law or flagrantly flouting their un-American and immature ideas, then they are going too far. These may all be relative things to some people, but they are not relative to most of the people that we know.

The burning of draft cards puts the owner in the peculiar light of not having in his possession a draft card, and this makes him a law violator, regardless of his own feelings about the draft. It also does not take into consideration his feelings about the way the war in VietNam is being waged.

And demonstrations have actually led to some youngsters offering blood and other aid to the cause of the Viet Cong.

Thank goodness, there are a lot of students who have demonstrated their patriotism and their sound-thinking by supporting the draft laws and their offerings to help their fellow Americans that are fighting the war in VietNam.

We have been rather outspoken in our ideas against the policies being used in the fray, while upholding the right of the fighting man to win, if possible, his battles. This we will continue to do so long as we feel that way. But a refusal of Americans to feel a bit of compassion for Americans who are fighting and dying as Americans for an American cause, goes a little against the grain.

This is the same kind of attitude that permits a person to stay back and watch a crime being committed, or fail to step forward in behalf of the right when it is being opposed.

Phone Your News To The Times

## Cong. White Proposes Corps For Doctors

Richard C. White, U. S. Representative of the 16th Congressional District, was in Sanderson Saturday night to talk to a group of local citizens at the courthouse.

Rep. White advocated a Rural Medical Corps to help furnish a need that existed, in his opinion, in several West Texas towns and probably in many other towns in the United States.

Rep. White stated: "This is a crying need throughout the entire rural America, and from my observation of rural areas you are having serious elements and illnesses and even deaths as a result of it, and I personally would like to see and call upon the medical society to come up with a solution."

His possible solution here was a corps similar to the peace, job and youth corps.

He continued: "I propose that the U. S. government form a placement service where they would inventory the medical schools to find students who would be willing to go into the rural areas and serve." White continued his proposal that the U. S. turn over surplus medical supplies and equipment it has on hand to these "corps doctors" and place them in rural towns for a period of two years.

"Each state would guarantee half the income of the doctor and the local community could guarantee the other half," White said. "The doctor could keep everything he earned over that amount and after his two years are up he could stay or go to another area."

His proposal, which he intends to present as a bill in the next session of Congress, would state that those students, after they got out of their medical schools, be given credit for one of their two years required military obligation if they serve two years in a rural community.

There were about 20 people at the meeting Saturday night.

## TB Patch Test Given Monday

The annual patch test for tuberculosis, sponsored by the Terrell County Tuberculosis and Health Association, was given on Monday morning to the pupils of the second and seventh grades. The test was given by Meses M. W. Duncan, Troy Druse, and H. E. Ezelle.

About one hundred children received the test. Patches will be removed Wednesday and read on Friday to ascertain if there are any positive reactors.

While tuberculosis is not often found in children under 15 years of age, if it is present that is a good indication of exposure by contact with some adult having tuberculosis. If a positive reactor is found to the patch test, further study and examination of the child is indicated and sometimes even further tests for other members of his family.

## Calendar of Events

- Monday - Presbyterian Women of the Church, Baptist WMS, B. of R. T. Auxiliary.
- Tuesday - Masons, Legion Auxiliary, Tuesday Club.
- Wednesday - Bonhomie Club, Rotary Club, '51 Club.
- Thursday - Lions Club, Kiwanis Club, Duplicate Club.



Pvt. Armando Ponce ... to go overseas soon

Pvt. Armando Ponce, son of Mrs. Enemencia Ponce, is in Fort Ord, Calif., awaiting orders for overseas assignment. He graduated from Sanderson High School in 1962 and took his basic training at Fort Polk, La.

## 3-Way Tie Now For Grid Title

A three-way tie now exists in District 8-A for top honors. The tie is between Eldorado, Sonora, and Big Lake, each of whom has two losses each. Sonora, who has had an open date, has actually won only four games, whereas the other two teams have won five games each.

Eldorado will meet Sanderson this week here and is expected to try to stay in the race for the tie in the district title with a win.

In games last week Sonora won over Ozona, Big Lake won over Menard, and Eldorado beat Rankin.

This will be the last home game for the Eagles who will be in junction for their final game of the season.

## Juniors Split Marfa Games

The Junior High gridders split a pair of games with the Marfa lads here last Saturday in the final games of the season.

In the 8th grade game, Marfa won by 34-6. They scored early in the first period and again in the second frame, making the half-time score 14-0. Late in the final period, with Marfa 34 points in the lead, Junior Garcia broke loose for 30 yards and the only Sanderson score. The kick try for the extra point failed.

In the 7th grade game, Sam Bell went over tackle for 5 yards for the first score early in the ball game. Butch Spann threw a pass to Tom Allen for the extra points. In the second period, Bell ran 15 yards for the second tally and the run try for the extra two points failed.

In the third period Bill Littleton ran about 40 yards on an end sweep for a touchdown. Sam Bell tried a drop kick for the extra point and it was blocked.

Coach Roger Goertz stated that all of the boys participated in the games and they were:

Lea Elrod, Emilio Martinez, Bill Littleton, Mack Turner, Manuel Olivas, Emilio Andrade, Juan Garcia, Juan Sanchez, Raul Ybarra, Sam Bell, Johnny Freeman, Oscar Rodriguez, Tom Allen, Tommy Couch, Jim Hill, Walter Shoemaker, Jackie Deaton, Barton Harkins, Steve Litton, Oscar Lopez, Travis Spann, Ronnie Stewart, Ross Dunn, Damon Harrison, Blaine Chriesman, Randall Louwien, and Bob Murray.

## National Honor Society Plans Induction Ceremony Friday

The National Honor Society of the Sanderson High School plans an induction ceremony Friday at 8:45 a.m. in the high school auditorium.

The public is invited to attend the ceremony.

## Baptist Revival To Be Nov. 8-14

A week of revival services has been planned Nov. 8-14 at the First Baptist Church in Sanderson, according to Rev. J. C. Hancock, pastor.

There will be services at 7:00 a.m. and at 7:30 p.m.

Rev. Billy Hudnall is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Rotan and will do the preaching.

Tom Mercier, First Baptist Church in Fort Stockton will lead the song service.

Everyone in the community is extended a cordial invitation to worship during the special week.

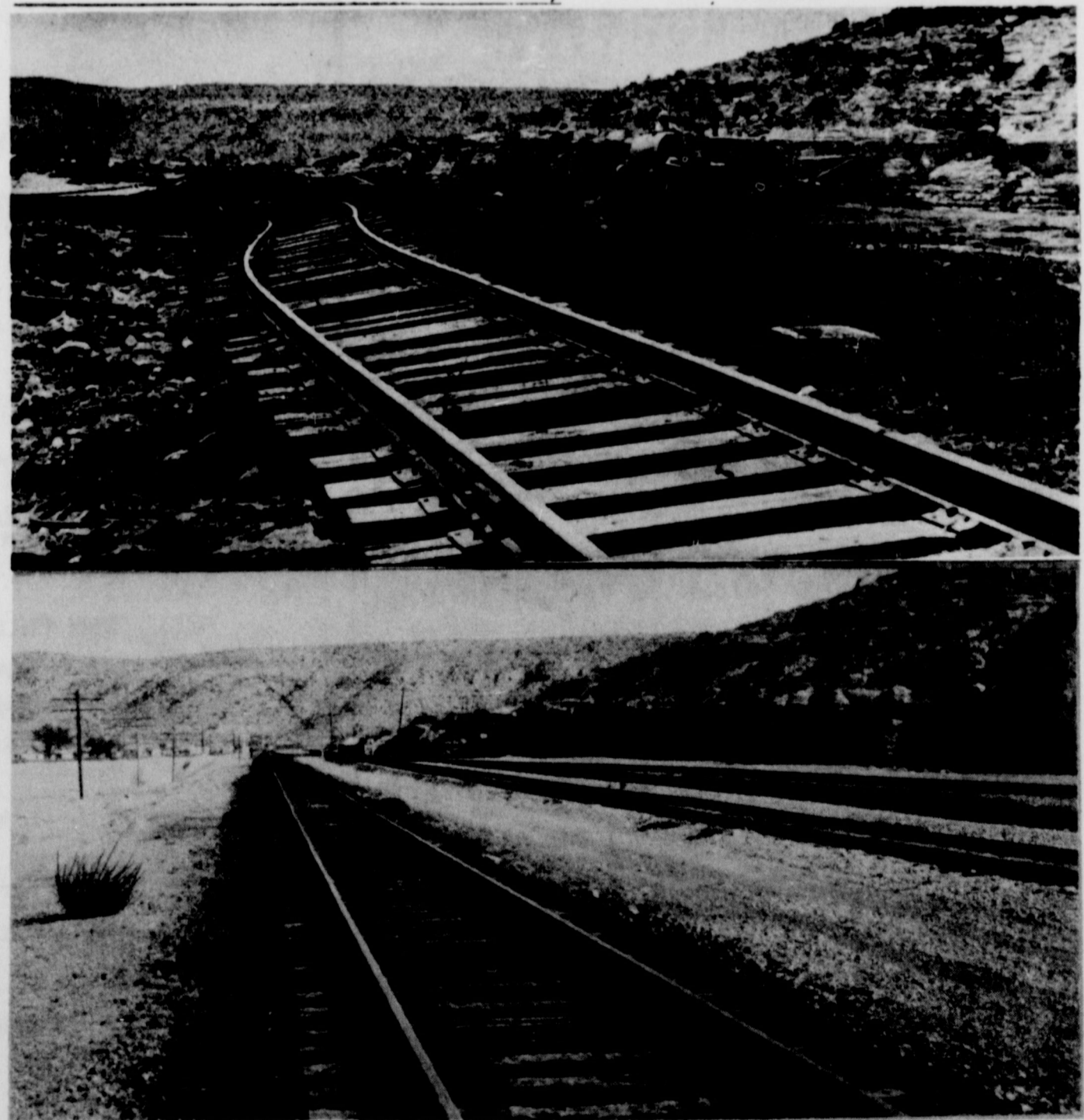
## N. M. Mitchell Re-Elected Director of FLB Association

Stockholders of the Federal Land Bank Association of Fort Stockton had a barbecue supper Saturday night at their annual meeting and heard reports of the operation of the organization before election of directors.

N. M. Mitchell was re-elected as a director to the five-man board and its president.

Mrs. Bob Moon returned home Friday of last week after spending several days in a Fort Stockton hospital for medical treatment.

Pictured below top is a view of the Southern Pacific Railroad's tracks in the east end of the yard looking to the east. The hill behind the bulldozer at the right is the "SHS" hill. Part of the track west of the bridge was completely washed away. The picture, taken on the day of the flood, shows the water running in the canyon on the upper left of the picture. The bottom picture is a view from the same spot after the repairs were made to the track. Top picture is from "The Communicator" official publication of Community Public Service Co.





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**Light Vote Cast Tuesday**

Incomplete returns of the voting Tuesday on 10 proposed constitutional amendments show a light vote in Precinct 1 and an odd array of acceptance and rejection of certain of the amendments.

The results of Precinct 1, only available box at this writing, are as follows:

Proposition	For	Agnst
Ad Valorem Tax	62	25
Veterans' Loan	49	37
Medical Aid	59	27
4-Year Term	40	47
Teachers' Funds	64	22
Student Loans	53	30
Houston hospital	36	49
Judge Retirement	63	23
Lgture Salaries	37	47
Lgture Terms	25	57



I seek not mine own will—  
(John 5:30)

God's will is good—everlasting unfailingly good. We do not question this. But in our eagerness for the manifestation of some desire we may forget. We may let our human,

**Gas Plant News . . .**

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Syd Brooks and Carolyn last week were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Smith, and Mike, and Andrews.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sowders and their daughter and grandson, Mrs. Bob Phillips and Rodney of Junction.

Weekend guests of the Aubrey Mobleys were her parents and brother of Dallas.

Charles Smith has returned after undergoing medical tests in Midland followed by several days in the Iraan Hospital.

Cub Scout Troop #4 met in the home of Mrs. Bob Norred Tuesday. During the meeting they made Hallowe'en masks out of cheese cloth, masking tape and finished in papier-mache. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Norred.

The Brownie troop met at the home of Mrs. Bill Hall Sunday afternoon. The girls discussed the Brownie Bs and what a girl must do to be a Brownie. Following games of discovering things by touch, sniff, and sight, they discussed the celebration of Founder's Day and the life of Juliette Low. Refreshments were served following the meeting.

personal will get in the way. We are filled with quiet assurance if we let God's will become ours.



Nov. 1, 1913—Little-known Notre Dame footballers beat Army 35-13 with team captain Knute Rockne using the forward pass for big gains.

Nov. 5, 1911—C. P. Galbraith completed first American transcontinental airplane flight—in 49 days, 24 lost through bad weather and mechanical trouble.

Nov. 11, 1918—At solemn ceremonies attended by some 100,000 people at Arlington National Cemetery, President Harding dedicated the tomb in which America's unknown soldier is buried. The monument bears the inscription "Here rests in honored glory an American soldier known but to God."

Nov. 13, 1927—The Holland Tunnel running under the Hudson River between New York City and Jersey City, N. J. was opened to public traffic after seven years of construction.

Nov. 19, 1863 — President Abraham Lincoln dedicated battlefield at Gettysburg, Pa., in a brief address destined to be world-famous.

Nov. 22, 1963—John Fitzgerald Kennedy, 35th President of the United States, was assassinated.

**SUBJECT RETURNED**

Sheriff Bill C. Cooksey went to Seguin last week to pick up Ernest Newton, who is charged with misdemeanor theft in Terrell County. Several tools that had been reported stolen from W. H. Dishman were recovered.

Newton is being held in jail in lieu of bond awaiting trial.

**Among Our Subscribers**

Mrs. Betsy Flores of Sanderson is a new subscriber to The Times Renewals have come from J. O. Herlan, Marietta, Ohio; Lawrence Janes, Ozona; Mrs. Sid Smith and Mrs. M. H. Goode Jr. in Del Rio; Mrs. A. L. Fawcett, Copperas Cove; Mrs. Catherine Morgan, Beeville, Mrs. Marvin Drum, Garland, E. F. Pierson, H. W. Johnson, H. G. Cates, J. A. Mansfield, Mrs. T. H. Eastman, and H. A. Couch, all of Sanderson; Mrs. Lellee Fuller, Hemphill, Major E. F. Pierson, Jr., Quantico, Va.; Wiley Holland, Alpine.

Mrs. Lee Grigsby returned home last week from San Antonio after a visit with Mrs. Betty Harris when she attended several Eastern Star affairs and then she visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Scott and Mrs. Alberta Courtney.

Mrs. M. H. Goode Jr. returned to Del Rio Monday after visiting here with relatives for several days. Her mother, Mrs. W. E. Lea, accompanied her home.

Spec. 5 Irvin Robbins Jr. Stationed at Fort Hood Army Specialist 5 Irvin Robbins Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Robbins, was assigned to the 1st Armored Division at Fort Hood on October 12. Robbins is a supply specialist in Headquarters Company, 2d Battalion of the division's 46th Infantry. He has been in the army since July 1948 and was stationed at Fort Sill, Okla. He and his wife and two sons live in Harker Heights, Texas.

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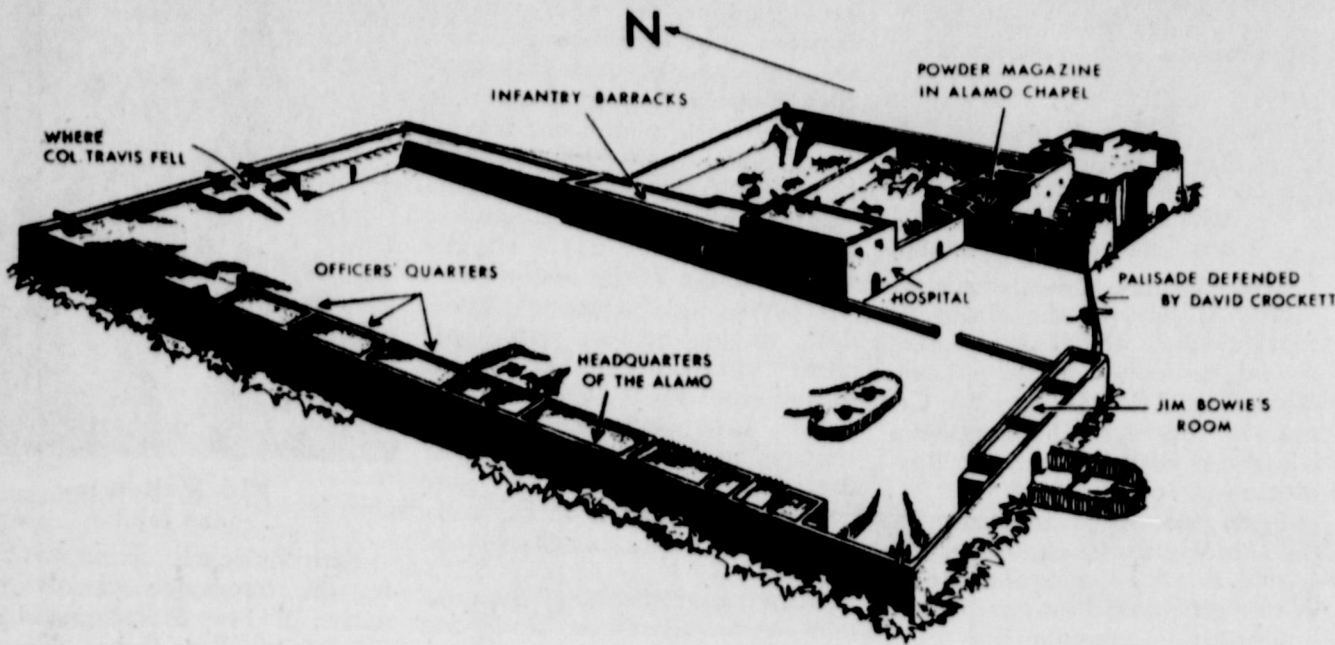
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# For 183 Defenders of Liberty, The Alamo Was a Time to Stand

## THE ALAMO-1836



"It was but a small affair," shrugged the arrogant Santa Anna in the early morning of March 6, 1836, as he viewed the mangled bodies of the fallen defenders of the Alamo.

Of course, he did not know that the valiant stand made there by the 183 men would arouse a whole nation to the north, and more immediately, help bring about his defeat less than seven weeks later at San Jacinto. How could he know that the "Alamo" would forever be synonymous with valor and sacrifice in defense of liberty.

"For Lack of a Horse . . ."  
For lack of a nail, they say of another moment in history, a shoe was lost; for lack of a shoe a horse was lost; for lack of a horse, a battle was lost; and because of the battle, a war was lost.

And, except for another quirk of fate, the Alamo might have never happened.

While the Mexican Dictator was still marching northward from Mexico, General Sam Houston had ordered Col. James Bowie, then in command at Bexar (San Antonio), to blow up the Alamo and abandon the post. The order was never carried out, historians say, because horses weren't available to evacuate the cannon.

**Crockett and Travis Arrive**  
San Antonio at the time was garrisoned by the gallant Texans who had stormed the town in December, defeating Mexican General Cos. They were joined by others sent by Houston who was busily organizing the Texas army. The famous David Crockett and his band of Tennesseans showed up, spoiling for a fight. And, finally, Lt. Col. William Barrett Travis and his friend James Butler Bonham arrived at the head of a small unit.

One hundred and fifty strong, most of these men had not even thought of Texas a scant few years earlier. For various personal reasons, they had made their way to the promising frontier—men from all walks of life, from many states, some even born across the water. Texas' struggle to become free was now their fight. And, at the Alamo, they determined to stand.

**No Quarter Given**  
Sighting Santa Anna's advance legions Feb. 23, the defenders pulled back into the dilapidated ruins of the old mission called the Alamo—which General Cos had fortified earlier. Presently, the self-styled "Napoleon of the West" arrived and the siege began. From the cathedral tower in town flew his blood-red flag of "no quarter."

Travis and Bowie shared command until the latter fell seriously ill and turned over full responsibility to Travis. As the Mexican cannon pounded the fortress, Travis made his dramatic appeal "To Texans and All Americans in the World . . . to come to our aid with all dispatch," underlining the immortal words, "I shall never surrender or retreat."

**The Men of Gonzales**  
From Gonzales, the "Lexington of Texas" where the first shot in the fight for freedom had been fired, came thirty-two men; they broke through enemy lines and entered the Alamo, there to attain immortality. Then Bonham, dodging sentries,

returned from Goliad with the chilling news that Fannin was not coming.

Travis called his men together, told them there was no hope for relief, but that he intended to stay and fight to the last. They had a choice—to escape now or stay with him. All but one stayed. Thus, the die was cast, the stage set for the final tragedy.

**Attack at Dawn**  
By mid-afternoon on the 5th of March, Santa Anna's plan of frontal attack was complete. Before the next dawn, the 1,800 assault troops were in their positions. At 5:30 the morning stillness was split by bugles and shrill cries as the advancing horde converged on the fortress from three sides, two columns at the north wall, one from the east and another on the south.

Above the din sounded the blood-curdling strains of the Deguello, the traditional Spanish march of no quarter. Twice the attackers were driven back by withering fire. On the third attempt they reached the north wall.

Travis fell, shot through the

head. At the palisades on the south, near Alamo chapel, Crockett's fierce-fighting Tennesseans forced the attacking column to veer to the west wall. Suddenly, the northern defenses were breached, and Mexican soldiers poured into the compound. Fighting raged inside the walls. Most of the remaining defenders retreated to the barracks rooms northwest of the chapel for the last stand.

**A Hero's Death for Bowie**  
In his small room on the south wall, the desperately-ill Bowie met a hero's death. Crockett fell near the chapel. Bonham died on the gun platform built on the chapel ruins.

Within an hour, all firing had ceased. The 183 heroic defenders

lay dead. Mexican casualties ran to some 600, dead and wounded. Only Mrs. Almaron Dickinson and her infant daughter, Angelina, a Negro slave Joe and several Mexican women and two boys survived the massacre.

Greeting one of his officers in the fallen Alamo, the victorious Santa Anna said, "It was but a small affair."

It was supposed to be the forerunner of victorious battles that would re-conquer Texas. But, in a few weeks, on the banks of the San Jacinto, Santa Anna would learn from the hoarse cries of "Remember the Alamo!" that what happened on March 6, 1836, would be long remembered.

From "Texas Agriculture"

### New Schedule For Weekend Mailings

According to Postmaster J. R. Hodgkins a new schedule is now in effect on mail going out of Sanderson on weekends.

On Saturdays and holidays, the clerk will clear the post office drop box at 12:15 p. m. All mail is to be placed in the outside box after that time and it will be picked up at 3:15 by the mail truck and taken to Uvalde and postmarked there. The eastbound mail will continue east from there and westbound mail will be worked at Uvalde and placed on the train coming back through Sanderson Sunday morning. This will cause no delay in this mail, Hodgkins stated.

A mail clerk at Sanderson will pick up all mail in the outside box at 7:05 Sunday mornings and work it in time to be on the westbound train Sunday morning. Eastbound mail will be worked and set out for the eastbound truck to pick up at 1:00 p. m. It will pick up all mail in the outside box at 1:05 p. m. and again it will go to Uvalde to be worked and distributed as on the Sunday run. All mail deposited after 1:05 p. m. Sunday will be worked at 7:05 Monday morning in time to be placed on the westbound train.

The pick up schedules on the outside box and at the mail drop in the post office have been changed to reflect these changes. Incoming first class mail and all newspapers will be put into boxes on Sundays, all other mail received Sundays will be worked Mondays.

The post office department is trying to give the best possible service at the least possible cost and it is thought that this new schedule will not delay the mail in any way and at the same time reduce expenses at this office.

Travis Williams, Sul Ross student, visited in Austin last week and took his niece, Debbie Robinson, who had been visiting her, to her home in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Breeding, Tom Breeding, and Mrs. Mary Lou Kellar returned Saturday afternoon from a visit with relatives in Arkansas. The Carol Breedings left Sunday for their home in Buda.

### 'Tailoring' Workshop To Meet Next Tuesday Morning

The "tailoring" workshop to be conducted under the auspices of the Ranch Home Demonstration Club, will have the first meeting Tuesday at 9:00 a. m. at the Legion Hall. Anyone interested may attend the workshop, which will have two sessions, either as an observer or to bring their patterns and material and participate in the sewing.

Those attending are requested to bring a sack lunch and the club will furnish the tea and coffee at noon.

Mrs. Willene Siler, demonstration agent, will be in charge of the classes.

### Bonhomie Club Names Officers for New Year

Mrs. Marion Batson was named president of the Bonhomie Club at the regular meeting of that group last Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Ray Caldwell. A reporter, Mrs. E. F. Pierson, was also named.

Mrs. Garner decorated her home with marigolds and served oatmeal cake, nuts, coffee, soft drinks, and home-made candy.

The group celebrated the birthday of Mrs. H. E. Gatlin, made pictures, and drew new secret pals.

Those present were Meses. O. J. Cresswell, J. Garner, C. F. Cox, Batson, B. F. Dawson, F. G. Grigsby, Pierson, H. E. Gatlin, John Camuthers Jr., W. D. O'Bryant, C. T. Winkle, and L. R. Hall.

### Week of Prayer Observed By Methodist WSCS

Members of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service observed the annual Week of Prayer and Self-Denial last week.

Mrs. M. H. Stroup was in charge of the program meeting Tuesday at the church.

The title of the program was "Attempt Great Things for God; Expect Great Things From God".

The special offering will be directed toward a new library for Scarritt College and medical missions around the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Walton and children are residing in Mrs. Sadie Haynes Welling's home. The Wellings are in Mesa, Ariz., for the winter.

### Officers Attend Conference On Criminal Code Changes

S. P. Special Agent H. P. Boyd, Texas Highway Patrolman Malcom Bolinger, and Sheriff Bill C. Cooksey attended the attorney-general's conference on the new Code of Criminal Procedure in El Paso. The new Code, which goes into effect January 1, 1966, will greatly change all of the existing law enforcement procedure, according to Sheriff Cooksey, and is the first major change since 1925.

### Beta Iota Chapter To Meet

Beta Iota Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma will meet in the Lawrence Hall on the Sul Ross campus in Alpine Saturday.

Following the theme of the year on creativity, and under the direction of the music committee, an original opera will be performed. Every member will participate.

### Mrs. C. C. Wilson's Father Dies

Funeral services were held in Del Rio Tuesday afternoon for E. R. Skiles of Del Rio, the father of Mrs. C. C. Wilson who formerly resided in Sanderson. Mr. Skiles formerly operated a motel in Langtry.

### Stolen Pickup Recovered

A 1965 Ford pickup that had been reported stolen in Hidalgo County, Texas, was recovered here by Texas Highway Patrolman Malcom Bolinger and the sheriff department officers last week.

Douglas Warren Rosen, driver of the pickup, was placed in jail and later returned to Hidalgo County to face a charge of felony theft.

When the owner of the pickup reported to the Terrell County sheriff's office to claim the pickup, he aroused the suspicion of local officers and a subsequent check with the sheriff's office in Phoenix, Arizona, revealed that they were looking for the pickup and the owner, Walter Amos Whisenunt. He was charged with vagrancy and is being held in jail. Meanwhile checks are being made with the FBI to determine if he is wanted elsewhere.

W. E. Hill returned home Sunday from Houston where he had received treatment for a cardiac condition for several weeks.

### Rainfall Records In Sanderson Noted

By Darwin Schrader  
Soil Conservation Service

We often hear the expressions: "Back when it used to rain" and "It doesn't rain as much as it did years ago", or "When we get normal rainfall". These expressions probably originated because of the decline in forage production.

Let's take a look at the rainfall records in Sanderson. Records from 1891 to the present indicated that the only thing "normal" about rainfall in Sanderson is extreme fluctuations such as 1900 with 22.48 inches and 1901 with 7.30 inches; 1932 had 20.55 inches and 1933 had 3.35 inches. In 1934 there was 2.80 inches and 1935 back up to 17.34.

The long-time average for Sanderson is 11.29 inches. However, 54% of the years are below the average and 27 percent of the years received one-half or less of the average rainfall. The drought of 1950 through 1954 took its toll of perennial grasses with five years in succession of below average rainfall.

During these years the rainfall during the growing season, April through October, averaged only 4.88 inches whereas the longtime average is 9.55 inches for the same months.

What happened to the forage? Many of the plants died of starvation and old age during the drought. A grass plant starve?-- Does that sound strange? It might but that is what happened. The new leaves that a grass plant sends up in the spring come from the plant food that was stored in the crown and roots of the plant.

If the new leaves are allowed to continue to grow they begin to manufacture food to grow additional leaves, produce new roots, produce seed and restore food reserves in the crown and roots. If leaves are continually clipped, food reserves are used up and the plant dies of starvation because it was not allowed to replace roots and feed itself through the leaves.

Most perennial grasses have a natural life span of 2 to 10 years. If new seedlings are killed by grazing, there are no plants to replace those which die of old age. Just as though no ewe lambs were kept to replace old ewes.

### Personals

Mrs. Don Barber and children of Hobbs, N.M., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Rose, last week. Her husband came to visit over the weekend and return his family.

Mrs. Alice Turner, who is in a rest home in San Antonio, suffered an attack of coronary thrombosis last week but is improving satisfactorily, according to her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Turner, of Pandale, who had visited her.

Hal Black took his wife to Phoenix, Ariz., last week and she will spend several weeks with her father while he recuperates from serious injuries received in a recent car accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken McAllister and daughter, Carol, visited with friends in Fort Stockton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cash and their son and daughter, Jim and Mitzi, attended the homecoming in Comstock Saturday.

Mrs. W. H. Grigsby attended the homecoming for former pupils of the high school in Comstock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lowther, Jr., and children of Fort Stockton visited here Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thom, and attended the Halloween festivities.

Mrs. A. D. Brown and her daughter, Mrs. Ed Foley, of Alpine, visited in San Antonio last week with Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. Laura Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bendele and her mother, Mrs. Elma Riley, her sister, Mrs. Ethel Zerr, all of Marathon spent several days here last week to visit with friends and Mrs. Zerr's daughter, Mrs. Gene Black, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hinkle attended the homecoming at Sul Ross College in Alpine Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Adams were in Alpine Saturday for medical treatment.

### Mrs. Austin Nance Is Hostess For '51 Bridge Club

Mrs. Austin Nance was hostess to the '51 Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon in her home.

In the bridge games, Mrs. Web Townsend won high score, Mrs. Jack Riggs was second high and the slam prizes were won by Mrs. J. A. Gilbreath and Mrs. Robert Hunn.

Other guests included Mmes. T. R. McClellan, O. T. Sudduth, Vic Littleton, W. H. Goldwire, W. C. TenEyck, A. J. Hahn, S. H. Underwood, and F. J. Barrett.

### Antonio Rodriguez, Miss Irma Martinez Wed Saturday

Miss Irma Martinez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isabel Perez, became the bride of Antonio Rodriguez in a double-ring ceremony Saturday morning at 9:00 o'clock in St. James Catholic Church with Rev. N. Femenia, pastor, officiating. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rodriguez of Ozona.

Due to a recent death in the family of the bridegroom and the serious injury to several members of the family in a car wreck, the wedding was a quiet affair attended by only relatives and a few close friends.

White gladiolus decorated the altar.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an empire-style gown of white lace and silk chiffon oversatin. Her finger-tip veil was attached to a coronet and she carried a small bouquet of gladiolus with her rosary and prayer book.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Martinez of San Antonio were the couple's only attendants. Mrs. Martinez wore a sheath of gold brocade, gold shoes and an avocado green hat. She also carried a bouquet of gladiolus.

The parents of the bride were hosts for the reception which followed the wedding. The reception was in the parish hall.

Hot chocolate and cookies were served with the bride's cake. A dinner was served at noon in the hall for a small group of local and out-of-town relatives and friends.

The young couple left for San Antonio where they are on the faculty of the school district in San Antonio, teaching in the Edgewood School. They will go on a wedding trip later.

Mrs. Rodriguez, a graduate of the Ozona High School, received her B. S. Degree from Incarnate Word College in San Antonio.

Mr. Rodriguez, a graduate of Ozona High School, received his B. A. Degree from St. Mary's University, San Antonio.

Out-of-town relatives here for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Santiago Rodriguez of San Antonio, brother and sister-in-law of the bridegroom; Mr. and Mrs. Benny Salazar, of Monahans, cousins of the bride; Mrs. Sefina Martinez and Miguel Perez of San Antonio, sister and brother of the bride; also Miss Sylvia Leal, San Antonio, former classmate of the bride.

The bride-elect was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower Thursday evening in the parish hall. Hostesses were Mrs. Tome Perez and Miss Elida Villarreal. Miss Martinez wore a turquoise shift dress with white accessories.

A pink cloth covered the tea table where a doll dressed identically to the bride was in the centerpiece resembling an altar and from it extended a white satin streamer with "Irma and Tony" in gold letters.

Cake with whipped cream topping, sandwiches, potato chips, and punch were served for refreshments.

Several games were played and the honoree opened her gifts before they were displayed.

Thirty-two attended the shower.

Among Sanderson residents who are at home after spending some time in an Alpine hospital for medical treatment are: Mrs. V. G. Ross, Manuel Castro, and Julia Zepeda.

Mrs. Alice Ross of Dryden is at home after spending several days in an Alpine hospital for medical treatment.



Miss Suzanne Downie ... 'Good Citizen' award winner

Miss Suzanne Downie was selected Monday as the senior girl to receive the Good Citizen Award, an annual award presented to girls of this area by the Comanche Springs Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution at Fort Stockton.

From three girls nominated by the senior class for the honor, the school faculty makes the choice of one girl, based on qualities of leadership, dependability, service, and patriotism.

Each year, the National Society, DAR, gives an award of a \$100.00 savings bond or a \$75.00 scholarship to a senior girl in each state who possesses to an outstanding degree the four qualities on which the first selection is made.

Suzanne, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Downie, has been a member of the band for six years. She has been a member of the National Honor Society for three years, president of the Future Teachers of America, has been on the girls' "A" basketball team for three years; and represented the Sanderson High School in girls' tennis doubles for the past three years. She has been drum major of the Eagle Band for three years.

For the past three years she has been pianist and sweetheart of the Sanderson Rotary Club. She is a member of the First Presbyterian Church and is vice-president of the Christian Youth Fellowship.

### Baptist W.M.S. Program Led By Mrs. J. C. Hancock

The Baptist W. M. S. met in the church Monday morning in regular monthly business session, opening the meeting with prayer by Mrs. O. D. Gray.

Announcement was made of the Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions to be observed November 23 through December 3 with meetings to be held in the homes of the members during that week. The group agreed to use the fifth Mondays of the months for visits instead of meetings.

Mrs. J. C. Hancock led the program titled "My Church - Hearing and Obeying". Mrs. G. C. Eggleston sang a solo: "Open My Eyes". Mrs. Hancock led the dismissal prayer.

Also present were Mmes. Clyde Whistler, A. D. Brown, Ernest Couch, Charles Hornsby, T. H. Eastman, Othie Lloyd, James Word, T. O. Moore, C. B. Card.

### Mrs. A. C. Garner Is Hostess For Duplicate Bridge

Mrs. A. C. Garner entertained the Duplicate Bridge Club last Thursday afternoon, decorating her home in the Hallowe'en motif.

She served tea and coffee and pumpkin chiffon pie topped with whipped cream to her guests upon arrival.

Tying for high score in the card games were Mrs. A. J. Riess and Mrs. H. E. Ezelle with nine points each. Mrs. Malcom Bolinger and Mrs. M. W. Duncan had eight points each.

Also present were Mmes. J. A. Mansfield, James Caroline, and J. L. Schwalbe.

Mrs. W. T. Attaway returned home Monday from a visit with relatives in Lubbock and Slaton. Her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Douglas Attaway, and her son, Mark, who were visiting in Lubbock, accompanied her home for a few days' visit and Mr. Attaway will join his family here in a few days.

### 'Family Night' Observed By Culture Club

To observe "Family Night", the members of the Sanderson Culture Club invited their families and the members of the faculty of the Sanderson Schools and their families to a supper served at seven o'clock Thursday evening in the Legion Hall.

Autumn leaves, red berries and green vines with autumn flowers provided decorations on the tables with polished red apples at intervals down the center. A cornucopia, pumpkins, leaves, seed pods, and flowers were beautifully arranged for a mantelpiece which was reflected in the mirror. Mrs. Clyde Higgins was in charge of the decorations.

On an old-fashioned school desk at the entrance were apple name cards for the teachers and plain cards for the other guests.

Mrs. L. H. Gilbreath gave the invocation before the serving of the supper consisting of baked ham, beans, potato salad, relishes, hot rolls, cakes, tea and coffee.

Misses Pam Stavley, Suzanne Downie, Carla Dunn and Jody Tronson composed the high school girls quartet which sang several selections.

Mrs. E. E. Farley introduced the club members who introduced the members of their family and then the teachers who in turn introduced their families. About ninety attended and they were seated by families.

Other club members participating in plans for the supper with

Mrs. W. H. Savage as chairman, were Mesdames A. D. Brown, C. F. Cox, H. E. Ezelle, R. A. Gatlin, H. C. Goldwire, S. D. Harrison, L. G. Hinkle, E. H. Jessup, J. O. Little, N. M. Mitchell, and W. J. Murrah, also two associate members, Mrs. H. A. Smith and Mrs. Mary Cox.



Kirk McKenzie ... band leader

Kirk McKenzie, band director for the Sanderson schools, is a native of Fort Stockton and received his Bachelor of Science Degree from McMurray College in Abilene with a major in music. This is his first year to teach.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown visited in Alpine Saturday and attended the homecoming festivities and football game.

Mrs. Clyde Higgins was in San Angelo the first of the week for a medical check-up.

### Personals

Mrs. Ben Martin returned home Tuesday from Houston where he visited with Mr. and Mrs. Brotherton. He is recuperating satisfactorily from recent surgery and was moved to a motel Monday, returning each day to M. D. Anderson hospital for treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wynn and daughter, Ruth Ann, of Paso were weekend guests of his uncle, T. W. McKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Zuberberler went to Comstock Saturday to attend homecoming of the Comstock schools.

L. T. Lee has been in the Hospital in Houston for several weeks for medical treatment.

K. H. Stutes and K. K. Robinson returned from a fishing trip to Guaymas, Mexico. Mr. Stutes was on his vacation at San Angelo and Odessa and he went to El Paso to attend the football game Saturday and visit his son, Kenneth Stutes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Barrow and children were in Alpine over the weekend to visit relatives and attend the homecoming festivities.

Mrs. Etta Baker of Uvalde is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Andy White.

H. W. Ridley, a brakeman on the Southern Pacific Railroad, suffered a heart attack Friday last week on a train nine miles east of Dryden. He is in a Dryden hospital.

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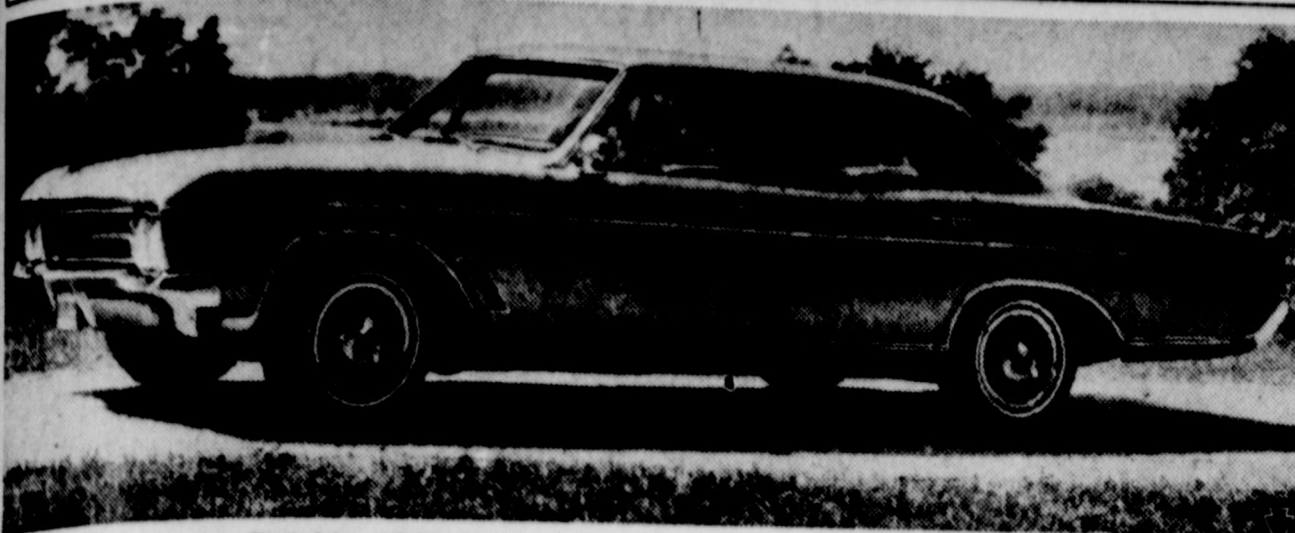
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Miss Eloise Farley, a student at Texas Tech College in Lubbock, spent last weekend here with her mother, Mrs. E. E. Farley, and her sister, Beverly.

Mr. and Mrs. George Turner spent the weekend in Sanderson attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mullings

returned home last weekend after spending two weeks in Regal, Colorado, on a hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Herring went to Rockdale last week on a business trip.

Mrs. H. A. Smith and her sister, Mrs. F. L. King, are residing in Alpine.

Staff Sergeant Manuel A. Maldonado, who has been stationed at Laughlin AFB, Del Rio, for the last six years, left last week for a tour of foreign service in Libya, Africa. His wife and two children are herewith her father, Jose Rivera.

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Sunday school 10:00 o'clock  
Morning worship 11:00 o'clock  
Evening worship 7:00 o'clock  
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**First Methodist Church**  
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Morning worship 11:00 a.m.  
(nursery provided)  
Sunday school 9:30 a.m.  
Choir practice 7:00 p.m. Thursdays  
Women of the Church.  
Circle 1 2nd Monday 4:00 p.m.  
Circle 2 2nd Tuesday 9:30 a.m.  
General meeting 4th Monday 4:00 p.m.

**First Baptist Church**  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship 11:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m.  
Training in church membership. 6:00 p.m.  
WMS every Monday 9:30 a.m.  
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**AMISTAD DAMSITE** — Only an aerial view of the huge construction project underway astride the Rio Grande can give any conception of Amistad Dam, which will extend six miles and rise 254 feet above the river bed. Located 12 miles upstream from Del Rio, Amistad Dam will impound the waters of the Rio Grande and of Devil's River, backing up 86 miles. Seen in this photo made by James Wardle of the International Boundary and

Water Commission, is the coffer dam, the circular construction which reroutes the Rio Grande from its normal bed while the concrete portion of the dam goes down. Seen in the background on the U. S. side of the project is the batching plant for concrete. Size of the panorama may be judged by noting the size of the cars and vehicles parked in the area.

Approximately 500 men continue working on Amistad Dam 12 miles upstream from Del Rio, a mile below the confluence of the Rio Grande and Devil's River.

The men, working in shifts, are employed almost around the clock on the concrete work underway in the river bottom at the damsite. They work six days a week, with a skeleton force at work on Sundays.

Work being done is on the lower portion of the concrete gravity section of the dam, which will be 2,182 feet long. Of that length, 950 feet will be the spillway section containing 16 gates.

Earthen embankments flank the concrete section, three em-

bankments measure 1.61 miles in the United States and 4.04 miles in Mexico.

This phase of the concrete work is expected to continue until next August.

The dam, being built by the United States and Mexico, will rise 254 feet above the Rio Grande, impounding the waters of that stream and Devil's River more than 85 miles upstream.

The height of the earthen embankments will vary to a maximum of 115 feet. A 26-foot wide paved highway will extend the length of the dam.

A total of 3,100,000 cubic yards of rock will be excavated during the construction; 13,500,000 cubic yards of embankments will be required and 1,755,000

cubic yards of riprap will be used.

Five penstocks for a power plant, to be installed later, are on the United States side of the dam; four penstocks will be built on the Mexican side.

Amistad Reservoir will have a water surface of approximately 138 square miles, storing 5,660,000 acre-feet of water that will stretch 86 miles upstream.

The contract for the dam is held by a group of builders headed by the Perini Corporation and includes Vinnell Corporation of Alhambra, Calif.; J. A. Jones Construction Co. of Charlotte, N.C. and C.H. Leavell and Co. of El Paso. Work on the Mexican side is under the direction of La Victoria y Asociados of Mexico City.

The contract was awarded by the International Boundary and Water Commission on the project with the target date for completion 1968. Construction started in January of this year.

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Mrs. Dan Riggs came Wednesday after having in a Fort Stockton hospital week.



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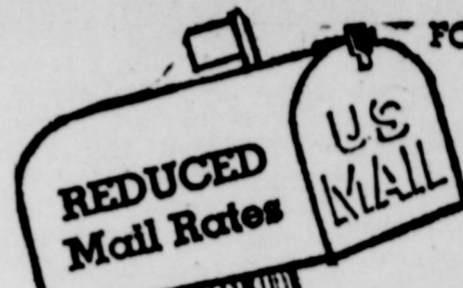
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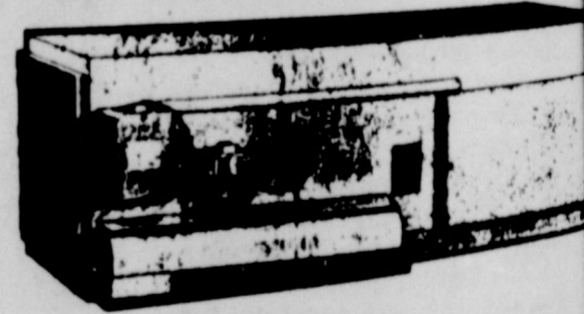
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