



CHOOSE YOUR PARTNER — The square dancers are shown Saturday morning east of the courthouse, performing for the Bicultural celebration here. They also danced at College Park, 2 p.m. at Highland Shopping Center and at 4 p.m. on the Gibson parking lot. The celebration continues today and Monday with many activities slated. (Photo By Danny Valdes)

'Pennies from heavens' big plus for moods and farmers

Rain hovered over Big Spring and West Texas Friday night and Saturday, depositing generous amounts of moisture in several locations. During the night Friday, the area around Bull Creek near Gail was flooded with some nine inches of rainfall and the creek was reported to have spread out to a mile in width at some locations. Rain fell heavily Friday night north of Big Spring, all the way across West Texas to Brownfield.

THEN ON Saturday, rainfall concentrated in the Luther area and in an area northeast of Big Spring. Around 1:30 p.m., the highway department declared that State Highway 350 (Snyder Highway), FM 669 (Gail Highway) FM 821 between Coahoma and the Snyder highway were dangerous, due to high water.

An unidentified youth nearly drowned in Buchanan Creek east of Howard County Airport when he attempted to wade across around 1:30 p.m. Saturday. He was rescued by neighbors.

A car was reported to be turned over in a ditch around 2 p.m. on Moss Creek Road near Beal's Creek, which was running full Saturday afternoon.

Some cotton was washed out, but a lot of farmers received just the moisture they needed for very dry fields.

Rain Friday night in the Ackerly, Knott and Martin County areas was "considered a Godsend" by the farmers.

One farmer in the Ackerly area said Saturday, "We had gone as long as we could go without rain and that 1 1/2 inches of rain was perfect."

Rainfall totaling 1.3 inches was reported a mile east of Fairview north of Big Spring. Five miles east of Fairview, 1.7 inches fell. Eight miles from Big Spring on the Snyder Highway, 2.9

inches was trapped in gauges. A Saturday morning rain dampened the soil to the extent of two inches. Three miles south of Knott, the measurement was 1.5 inches.

MARTIN COUNTY, the northern portions of Howard County and the southern portions of Dawson County all apparently received around 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 inches of rain.

Mrs. Cecil Allred reported .9 on the home place and 1 1/2 inches in Martin County. Mrs. John T. Couch, the Rich Anderson Ranch and Russell Yadon all reported around 1 inch to 2 inches in the Luther and Vealmoor areas. However, Luther gained additional moisture Saturday.

Lamesa Press-Reporter said that rainfall in Dawson County ranged from 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 inches with the heaviest rain in the northern portion of the county.

Lamesa citizens were busy Saturday morning moving concession stands out of the draw in Forrest Park for their Bicentennial celebration Saturday afternoon.

They were hurrying "up the hill" with the booths and were "glad for the rain," even though it was making extra work at the event.

Big Spring, Forsan and Elbow received only light and scattered showers Friday night, but got heavier showers Saturday. An estimated 1.5 inches fell in the 24-hour period ending at 1 p.m., Saturday in east Big Spring.

Sand Springs had 7 during the night Friday but both Coahoma and Sand Springs had around an inch after lunch Saturday.

Boyce Hale at the Garden City cutoff said that there was .55 Friday night and 1.1 after lunch Saturday for a total of 1.65.

One weather report from the local police station indicated that additional rain might come in from the north late Saturday or possibly even Sunday. The sun came out around 2:30 p.m. Saturday just an hour after the flooding north of town.

Three miles west of Vincent, Mrs. Dan Whitaker reported their farm was soaking up 4.7 inches of 'sky juice'. The rain came down, some heavily, she saw barrels floating down the road. The fields across from the Whitaker place washed badly, indicating planting would have to be redone, but terraces on the Whitaker farm seemed to be holding.

G. S. Hudson, who lives on Midway Road, was all smiles after two inches of moisture fell on his place. Bill Williams of the Country Corners Grocery Store on the Moss Lake Road reported rainfall of 2.10 inches while Billy Jack Darden, who lives in Coahoma, reported a fall of 2.5 inches.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department says the Soviet Union has bought 800,000 metric tons of soybeans for about \$200 million from an American company. In announcing the sale Friday, the department declined to name the American company involved in the sale.

Israeli commandoes liberate hostages

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — Airborne Israeli commandoes raided Uganda's Entebbe airport early Sunday and freed all 106 hostages being held by pro-Palestine hijackers of an Air France jetliner, an Israeli army spokesman said.

It was not immediately clear how many casualties there were among the hostages and commandoes. An Air France spokesman in Nairobi, Kenya, where the three Israeli military planes stopped over on their way home, said the commando unit "apparently has eliminated" the hijackers.

He said surgical operations were performed on some wounded persons on the runway of the Nairobi airport. The raid took place about 12 hours before the 7 a.m. EDT deadline for Israel and four other nations to meet the hijackers' demands of freedom for 53 militants jailed in those nations.

According to the Air France spokesman in Nairobi, there was fighting reported around the old terminal building at Entebbe where the hostages were being held captive. He reported the Israeli planes flew directly to Uganda from Israel — 2,500 miles — and landed in Nairobi on their return at about 2:30 a.m. local time (7:30 p.m. EDT).

Kenyan soldiers surrounded the Israeli planes and prevented our personnel from going near them," the Air France spokesman said. "but one of the Israelis said, 'The operation at Entebbe is over.' From that we gather that the Palestinians have been eliminated."

He said he did not know how many hostages were rescued or how many persons were injured. He reported the Israeli raiders he saw at Nairobi wore civilian clothes. An Air France plane that had been prepared for evacuation of the hostages was still standing by in Nairobi.

"Tonight Israel defense forces extracted and freed the hostages including the Air France crew from the airport at Entebbe," an Israeli army spokesman issued in Tel Aviv said. A military command spokesman told reporters, "As far as we know they were all freed. We do not know if they are all OK."

Most of the hostages, held for a week, were Israelis or Jews of other nationalities. The hijackers had freed 148 other passengers Wednesday and Thursday. The military command did not say if the commandoes encountered resistance from Ugandan soldiers at the airport.

The French airplane was commandeered by four hijackers over Greece last Sunday during a flight from Tel Aviv to Paris. After a refueling stop in Benghazi, Libya, the pilot was forced to fly to Uganda, where the hijackers reportedly were joined by three or four others.

The surprise raid came three days after Israel made a turnaround Thursday and said it was willing to negotiate with the terrorists. Forty of the prisoners the hijackers wanted freed were being held in Israeli jails.

After that, there were meetings of a ministerial group headed by Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin, and Israel kept secret the moves it was making.

Other survivors include one brother, Paul of Wichita Falls; and three sisters, Mrs. Felipe Ramirez and Mrs. Felipe Rosales, both of McKinney and Mrs. Manuela Reyes, Pecos. One son, Isamael Holguin was killed in Vietnam Feb. 7, 1968. There are 35 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren who survive.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. W. H. Martin, Lamesa and three brothers, N. D. Gandy and M. B. Gandy of Midland and P. L. Gandy of Houston.

N. R. Holguin Sr., 74, died at 12:40 a.m. Saturday in a local hospital. Funeral services are scheduled at 3 p.m. Monday in Sacred Heart Catholic Church with the Rev. James F. Delaney officiating.

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Age is no deterrent

BARTOW, Fla. (AP) — Charlie Smith isn't about to let a little thing like his 134 years interfere with his celebration of the Bicentennial.

The nation's oldest citizen — officially recognized as such by the Social Security Administration — led a parade down the main street of this central Florida city Saturday.

Smith is not sure that July 4 is his birthday. But he said he celebrates it as such because on that day back in 1854, when he was 12 years old and newly arrived from Liberia, he was sold from the slave block in New Orleans to a Texas rancher.

"The age y'all are, you don't know about slavery, just what you read about it," said Smith. "I lived then."

He lived with the Texas family until slaves were freed in 1863. He bounced around the West as a cowboy and worked as a logger until he settled in Florida at the age of 100. At 109 years old, he was running a small grocery store in Polk City.

Saturday, he sat in a limousine and served as grand marshal for Bartow's Bicentennial parade. Although he sometimes forgets things, he seemed to have a good grasp of public relations.

"You know I'm in the national news now," Smith said with a twinkle in his eye. "My pictures are always running in the newspapers."

Marilyn Ness, director of nursing at the convalescent home where Smith lives, said he was excited over the parade when he awoke Saturday.

"I said, 'Charlie, you know you're going to be in a parade today.' And he said, 'Okay, I'm ready. Let's go,'" Mrs. Ness said.

She said Smith's personal appearances are carefully regulated. "I've had to guard his health," she said. "He loves it and would keep going if I didn't make him stop."

Residents of the nursing home will join in a festive party Sunday in Charlie's honor, Mrs. Ness said. "He's only 66 years younger than the country, and it's going to be a great celebration," Mrs. Ness said. "I sure hope they both have another birthday."

Wire tap law needed, says Gov. Briscoe

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Gov. Dolph Briscoe told Texas lawyers Saturday that a wiretap law is needed to "break the back" of organized crime and drug trafficking in the state.

"We are not winning the battle against organized crime and against drug pushers," Briscoe said in an address to a general session of the State Bar of Texas convention. "We need to give our officers additional tools with which to fight."

The governor stressed that a bill to authorize electronic surveillance should be "judicially authorized and judicially supervised." He said the wiretap bill was being prepared for the 1977 Legislature along with a number of other anti-crime measures he would support. "This package will be the basis of a new bill of rights for Texas," he said.

"I think the time has come for Texans to remind state and national judicial officials that the constitutions of Texas and the United States extend rights to all people equally. The time has come for Texans to demand that the rights of the accused

be no greater, extend no longer, be no more carefully defined than the rights of the victims of crime and of society as a whole." Briscoe repeated his legislative demands which include a guarantee of long prison terms for anyone committing a serious crime with a firearm, mandatory supervision of all released from prison, allowing juries to be informed about parole records, denying probation to those convicted of "more heinous crimes and acts of violence," allow restitution to victims of crime for personal and property losses, stronger bail bond laws, recognition of voluntary oral confessions, stronger penalties for welfare fraud, a new law to allow trial on charges of engaging in organized crime, and new laws to get the drunk driver off the highways and streets.

Will be open

Deaths

Ellenbarger

Hazel Gandy Ellenbarger, 69, died at 9:00 p.m., Friday in the Midland Memorial Hospital. Services will be Sunday at 2:30 p.m. at the Poolville Baptist Church, Poolville. Burial will follow in Poolville's cemetery under direction of Branon Funeral Home.

Mrs. Ellenbarger, a resident of Big Spring, lived at 905 Wasson Road. Before that she was a resident of Oakland, Calif. for 32 years. She was a member of the Baptist church of 50 years.

She was preceded in death by Clifford C. Ellenbarger, her husband, who died May 1, 1976.

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Funeral services are pending at Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home for Mrs. David (Rosalieva) Nolting, 43, who was dead on arrival at Malone and Hogan Hospital at 5:54 p.m. Friday.

The family moved to Big Spring from Las Vegas, Nev. about a year ago. Attempts to revive Mrs. Nolting at their home in Park Village, Apartment 506 at 1905 Wasson Road apparently failed and she was rushed to the hospital.

Survivors include her husband, Dr. David Nolting, who is on sick leave from the Veterans Hospital here, and several children, including three sons and one daughter who reside in Big Spring.

Mrs. Nolting

J. G. Kerley

J. G. Kerley, 59, of Odessa died at 8:30 a.m. Saturday in a local hospital. Services are set for 2 p.m. Tuesday at Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home, Odessa.

Born Aug. 7, 1916 in Ardmore, Oklahoma, he was a truck driver. Survivors include a son, Guy Kerley of Bakersfield, Calif. and two brothers, R. L. Kerley and Joe Kerley, both of Odessa.

W. G. Browning

AMARILLO — W. G. Browning, stepfather of Fred Simpson of Big Spring, died at 7 a.m. Saturday in an Amarillo Hospital.

Funeral services will be in Paramount Baptist Church in Amarillo at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday. Burial will be in an Amarillo Cemetery with Masonic graveside rites.

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Fireworks to light up skies at 9:30

The Bicentennial planners were eyeing the sky for possible showers over the weekend as plans went forward for big events in Big Spring today and Monday.

Today's activities will climax at 9:30 p.m. with fireworks off the top of Scenic Mountain, sponsored by Web Air Force Base and the Chamber of Commerce.

THE "LET FREEDOM RING" pageant, headed by Mrs. Mamie Lee Dodds, will get under way at 8 p.m. in the amphitheatre. Mrs. Dodds urges everyone to bring a bell to ring at the end and to wear colonial costume or red, white and blue, if they desire.

A community birthday cake will be served prior to the pageant, with many organizations and individuals contributing a section of the giant cake honoring the country's birthday.

Winners of the \$200 and \$100 bonds given away by 19 local merchants will also be presented tonight by Al Stephens and Richard Atkins, who head the chamber's retail group. The employees who had the most original costumes will also receive prizes.

At 4 p.m. today, the traditional Highland South parade will be held with Mrs. Larry Willard as chairman. The GI Forum is holding a

barbecue at Comanche Trail park at noon today with tickets for sale to the public.

The Evening Lions will host a noon barbecue at the park on Monday. Monday's activities open with a veteran's parade on Main Street at 9 a.m. It will go from the old Malone-Hogan clinic to the courthouse where a wreath will be placed on the veteran's monument. George Dreher is chairman.

At 10 a.m., there will be a people's parade in the park headed by Mrs. Larson Lloyd. All children and young people are invited to gather at the amphitheatre to participate.

During the day Monday, Mrs. Dene Sheppard will show films on the 1949 centennial celebration in Big Spring in the small room near the amphitheatre starting at 11 a.m.

THE ELKS CLUB will help with a flag ceremony, along with the veterans at 10:30 a.m. The Elks also sponsor bicycle races at 1 p.m.

During the morning there will be square dancing and patriotic speakers. In the afternoon, the Jaycees will sponsor the beard contest judging, horseshoe pitching, bubblegum-blowing contest, cow chip throwing, and a tug of war.

Sig Roger's Gospel Wagon will be in the park both

Sunday and Monday starting at 11 a.m.

Other booths will include a display and sale by the Big Spring Art Association, a wagon sponsored by Airport Baptists that has a puppet show and a basketball throw; the concessions stands by Immaculate Heart Parents Club, Volunteers of the State Hospital, Parents without Partners and Miss Softball America.

The Western Kawasaki will have a safety display and the Elks Club will sell watermelon. The Elks Auxiliary will have a Jart throw and ring toss and the Bass Club has a casting booth for would-be fishermen. Dorothy Earhart jewelry and dried flowers will be sold as well as oil paintings by E. L. Long.

The Jaycees also will hold their traditional dunking booth.

CAF aircraft go on display

HARLINGEN, Tex. (AP) — A large contingent of Confederate Air Force aircraft will be on hand for the July 4 celebration in Colorado Springs, Colo.

The aircraft, of World War II vintage, will be flown into Colorado Springs Friday by pilots belonging to the CAF, an organization based in this Lower Rio Grande Valley city which collects and restores old aircraft.

Most of the Ghost Squadron's planes will come from Harlingen, where the CAF has its museum and hangars. The CAF has about 2,000 members nationwide.

The airshow, to run July 3-5, is being sponsored by the Colorado Springs Bicentennial Commission, with proceeds going to the commission, said CAF national commander Walter Estridge. The CAF will be reimbursed for its expenses only.

The air show will be held at the Colorado Springs airport Sunday and Tuesday. Monday the CAF will have a 25-plane flyover at the Air Force Academy.

One of the planes traveling to Colorado is the B29 Super Fortress, the only one in flying condition in the world.



RONEY WOOD

Choir post is filled by Wood

Roney Lathan Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roney Wood of Coahoma, has resigned his position as choir director at Crane High School to take a similar position in the Brownfield school system.

The younger Wood attended 12 years of public schools in Coahoma. He has taught music in Crane for five years, also participating in band activities. In 1974, his choir was awarded sweepstakes, the highest achievement for a choral group.

He also led the choir to a first division rating at contest held this year. Two years ago Wood started the junior high choir program at Crane.

Young Wood has served as interim music director at the Crane First Baptist Church on two occasions and was employed as head lifeguard at the county swimming pools.

High school choir membership at Brownfield is approximately 165. The junior high choir there has 100 tentative members. At Brownfield, Wood will have an assistant on the junior high level.

Insists Wayne Hayes

Suicide not his intention

STRATTON, Ohio (AP) — "If I wanted to commit suicide," says Rep. Wayne L. Hayes, "there were 30 or 40 more pills in the bottle and I could have taken all of them and that would have done it."

The 65-year-old Democratic congressman talked Friday to reporters for the first time since he took an overdose of sleeping tablets that put him in the hospital for a week.

"I lost about 15 pounds," Hayes said. "I've regained a pound or so. I feel pretty good. I'm weak. Otherwise I feel all right."

Hayes said he hopes to return to Washington — if his doctor allows him — after the congressional recess July 19.

Hayes resigned as chairman of the House Administration Committee following charges by Elizabeth Ray that he had put her on the committee's payroll to serve as his mistress.

Hayes has admitted a "personal relationship" with Miss Ray but has denied her accusation.

Hayes said he has no plans to resign from Congress and plans to run again for a 15th term in the November general election.

He won renomination in the June 8 Ohio primary by a 2-1 margin compared to previous margins of 4-1.

Explaining the episode on the night of June 9 when he returned from Washington to his farm near Belmont in eastern Ohio, he told reporters after a Bicentennial ceremony here:

"As near as I can reconstruct it, I came home late and I was very jittery. The doctor prescribed Dalmane and he said two and I took two. I couldn't sleep and I got up and I took two more. And

I still couldn't sleep. I got up the third time and I thought I took two. I may have taken three or four. I don't know. I was pretty doozy anyway.

"...I think my doctor said

my resistance was down. He said that normally if I'd taken as many as 10 Dalmane it wouldn't have caused as much trauma as I had. In other words, it's a

fairly safe drug." Hayes said he had been out of the house three times since he was released from the Barnesville Hospital June 18.

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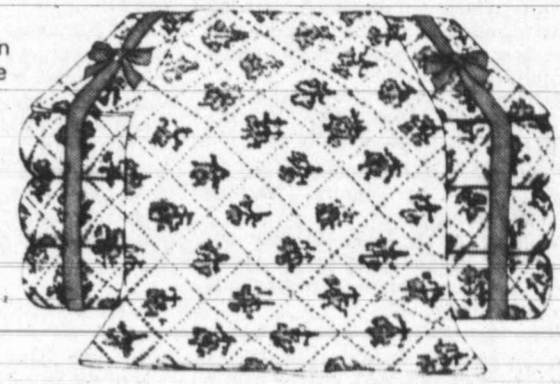
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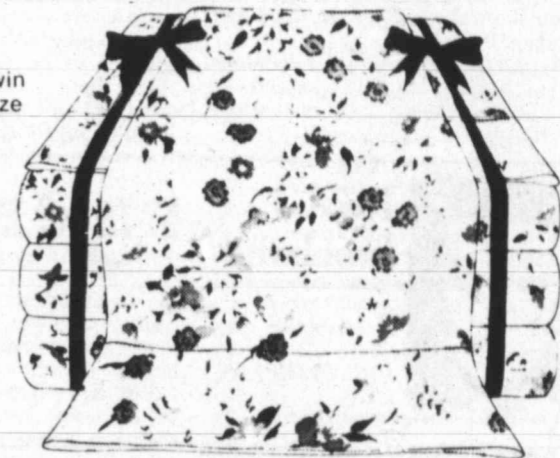


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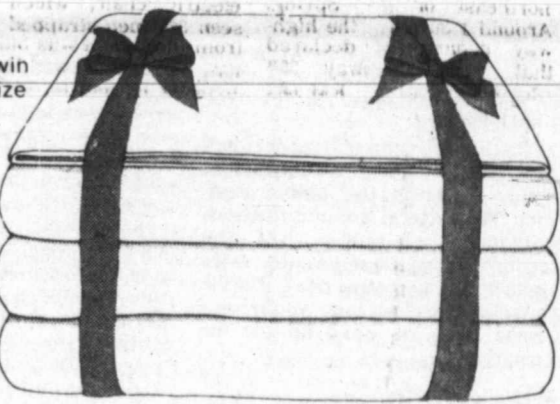


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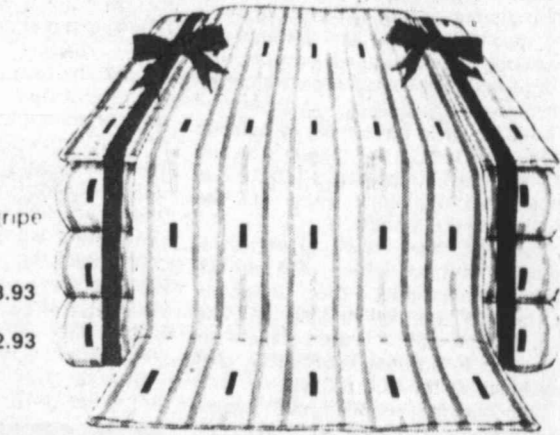


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NO HOT DOG, SHE — Sergio, German-born, takes on the look of a typical West Texas sun worshiper as she lolls in the sun beside a swimming pool here. The three-year-old dog is the companion of E'Tienne Chupa, 13, of 2603 Carleton Drive. Tennis, anyone?

Bicentennial town crier

We love a parade! And so do the American Legion, VFW, GI Forum, WWI Vets, DAV, and auxiliaries, who will march down Main at 9 a.m. July 5 to honor our veterans, living and dead. George Dreher will address the veterans groups that plan to place a wreath on the Memorial Plaza on the east side of Howard County courthouse. After that, we hope you'll want to join the People's Parade at Comanche Trail Park. Margaret Lloyd says the drums will roll at 10:00 a.m. and participants should meet in the amphitheatre at 9:45. See you there!

Jackie Zimmerman has been a busy gal since Don Buchholz asked her to head publicity for the Jaycee Picnic in the Park. An additional feature of the show this year will be a limited number of Bicentennial flags for sale at the hot dog booth manned by the Festival Committee. Better get in line.

Give us that old time religion! Our local churches have done a great job emphasizing Bicentennial with varied activities. The Coahoma-Sand Springs-Vincent area celebration was a truly communitywide event. Church representatives Charlie Murphy, Sandy Sandlin, A.L. Gatewood, Monroe Teeters, Bob Roby, Dwayne Clawson and Homer Salley made us feel very much a part of it all. The Coahoma First Presbyterian Church received a Bicentennial award certifying that their building has been in continuous use longer than any

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They are right. It is the most radical document ever written by man. It is the Declaration of Independence.

Though exactly 200 years have passed since the assorted bunch of colonialists adopted it, challenging the yoke of the world's most powerful empire, the declaration remains the world's most revolutionary document.

The reading of its preamble on the steps of government buildings would be a capital offense in most of the world even today.

Tonight in Big Spring, the patriotic "Let Freedom Ring" program will recreate the signing of this document as a part of the evening of celebration on our nation's 200th birthday, an evening which will include a birthday cake big enough to feed thousands and a shower of fireworks from the top of scenic Mountain.

But the highlight of the program will be the resigning of the Declaration of Independence.

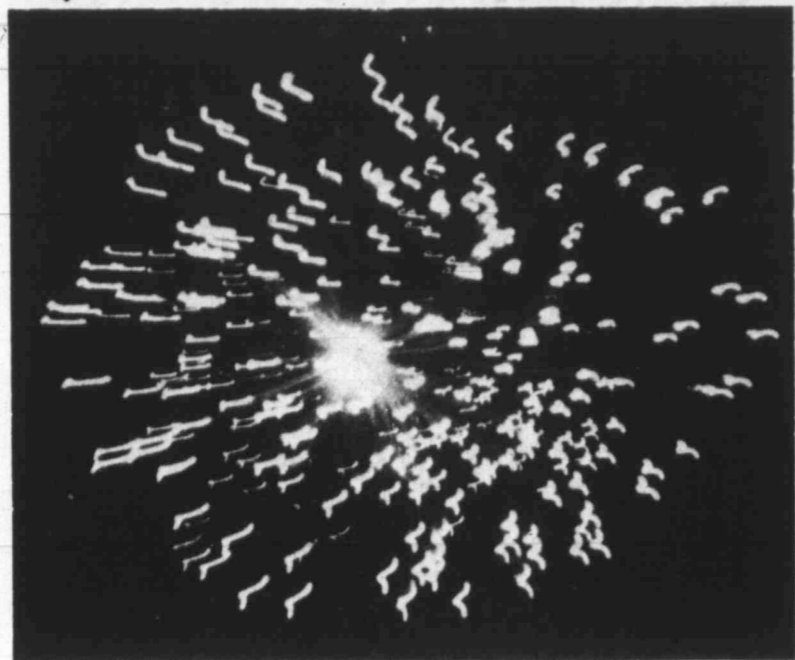
I am one of 56 Big Spring men who will recreate the signing. Nothing could honor me more.

Walking to the front of the amphitheatre to sign tonight will take no more courage than required to suppress my stage fright.

This was not true 200 years ago as the colonialists looked with horror upon the document penned by Thomas Jefferson.

It took bravery for those original 56 men to sign. In some cases, it took them several weeks to screw up their courage for it.

To put their names to this document of revolt against mighty England was, to the reasonable men of Europe, certain death.



BY THE ROCKETS' RED GLARE

But sign if they did, and they made it stick.

The European aristocracy, shaken by the document, gave the new nation founded upon the dangerous ideas of individual rights and limits no government little chance of surviving.

They were wrong. This nation, based on ideas so revolutionary that even today many Americans will not sign it, not only survived, but thrived into the world's foremost hope for truth and right.

THE DOUBTERS have not gone away. If anything they have multiplied. They cite historians, for whom the 200th birthday has another significance. It marks the time span history seems to allow nations of power and empire.

After 200 years, great nations have historically either gone into great decline or outright collapse. There have been in the past decade no shortage of persons predicting a similar fate for America.

Historians point out that the decline begins from within until the will of the nation is weakened to the point that it may be conquered or defeated from without.

Is this happening to America? Does Vietnam or any other symptom demonstrate a decline in the American will? Are our principles of individual freedom being made null and void by today's complicated world with its international communism and shrinking resources? Will future historians view America as only a temporary accidental setback enroute to a world of centrally managed humans?

Perhaps so. As democracies tumble and totalitarianism advances, America stands increasingly alone, an anachronism of individuals in a world bent on collectivism.

But I believe that through our freedom we have, for the first time, the ability to defy history. We have within our system the power to cleanse our Watergates and keep our

will honed sharp and pure. We do this by holding to the principles written by Thomas Jefferson in his shocking declaration:

"WE HOLD these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. That to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed; that whenever any form of government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the right of the people to alter or abolish it..."

Do we have the courage to live by that document as a nation as our forefathers did?

Its implications are vast and daring.

If we believe in them, we do not support dictatorships of any political hue. We back revolutions against corrupt governments whether in Africa or our own. We support self-determination in dangerous places like Hungary, no matter what it does to detente.

Are we, as a nation and as individuals, willing to die for the principles of freedom as the founding Americans were?

I believe we must. I believe we owe it to past and future generations. Perhaps the tide of time and history is against the American experiment in freedom. But I believe we must follow our chartered course to whatever end is ahead. I believe the American experiment can prevail if we stand true to it.

I take my part in tonight's signing of our Declaration of Independence seriously.

If the quill quivers in my hand, it is not only because of the audience watching; it is also because I am aware of what this document has done to change the earth and how much remains yet to be done if the American experiment in freedom is to succeed.

—J. TOM GRAHAM



No secretary Around the rim

Walt Finley

The way things are going our next cabinet member will be the Secretary of Sex.

And the way things have been going in Washington, they won't let him have a secretary.

"Super Cop" Pete Stone, ex-Big Spring policeman, discloses: This Texas Aggie went out hunting and met a girl in the woods.

He said "Are you game?" She said "Yes." So he shot her.

I dare say it is only fitting that I point out that Pete now resides near Austin, the home of Derrell Royal.

How come there are no University of Texas jokes?

Other than their football team, that is.

How'd you like that one "Boom Boom" Baum?

Freddie Fender, who had a hot record on the charts just recently, actually is named Bertram Bumper from San Bonita, Tex.

Well, half right isn't tacky.

Incidentally, I had never figured out what Freddie was saying in that song which seemed to have been played incessantly, until a younger person, intrepid reporter John Edwards, told me it was "Wasted Days and Wasted Nights."

Mine were wasted many long days and nights ago.

Marj Carpenter's lifeguard son, Jim Bob, brings up a question important to all of us about this time of year.

"Do you think OU has enough Texas boys to make Oklahoma No. 1 this year?"

We certainly hope so — don't we Eli?

The term "Good grief" is redundant, isn't it? Besides it should be "Bad grief" in its context.

Senate Panel OKs Bill To Break Up Oil Firms — Headline That has two chances: Slim and

None.

Okie U.S. Sen. Dewey Bartlett says if oil firms are broken up, it will result in turmoil.

Turmoil? It might be a good name for a new oil company.

Good ol' Bill Factor who recently resigned what seemed like a good job explained.

The pay was good. The job could have been very interesting, but the boss had one bad habit. Breathing!

Thought for the month — from People Magazine:

"There's a lot more to this woman than meets the brassiere," is the comment from one of Raquel Welch's film directors. People Magazine's cover girl, happy with a new Brazilian boy friend, has started out on a live show tour that seems headed for success.

"I love being a world-famous sex object," says Raquel, "but if you're an artist, you like to use your whole instrument. . . I decided to do a live show and show everybody I was more than a cash register with glands."

But look where she'll be if someone does perfect a cash register with glands — Back in the old chorus line.

After Sissy Mann and Smasher Couvillon trounced curvaceous Carla Walker and yelling yours truly in the mixed doubles tennis match I yolked:

"Tennis is not a matter of life and death

"It's Much More Important than that!" Sissy smiled, curvaceous didn't.

"Cocktails can lead to headache problems" George Thosteson, M.D., wrote in his newspaper column.

Do you suppose he'll get a Pulitzer prize for that?

The thought for the day: "Everybody has a little bit of Watergate in him." — Billy Graham.

Yes Billy, I believe some of them keep it inside.



Real brouhaha

Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON — An epic battle over telephone equipment is raging in the backrooms of Congress. The brouhaha has brought the telephone industry's top brass, led by American Telephone and Telegraph chairman John deButts, to Capitol Hill for some stormy meetings.

At stake is the right of householders to buy their own telephone equipment instead of paying the phone companies. The Federal Communications Commission contends that the freedom to purchase would offer telephone users a better deal. But the companies warn that they would have to raise rates to make up for the revenue loss.

THE ARGUMENTS are complicated, with legal and engineering entanglements. But it all boils down to the question of whether a telephone monopoly or increased competition will provide the customers with better service.

Senators who have been caught up in the controversy say it should be one of the most important debates in congressional history. Here are the behind-the-scenes details:

The FCC has issued a series of complex rulings, which has had the effect of eroding the telephone companies' natural monopoly. The Bell System quietly looked around for someone to sponsor legislation that would nullify the FCC rulings.

Bell bigwigs sounded out Senate Commerce Chairman Warren Magnuson, D-Wash., and Senate Communications chairman John Pastore, D-R.I. These two key senators finally consented to meet several of the telephone industry's most high-powered executives, with deButts in command.

Pastore can be as feisty as one of his state's red roosters. In sizzling language, he told the telephone executives that he didn't want their legislation in his subcommittee. It was "the wrong time and the wrong place," he snapped.

Undeterred, the deButts group finally persuaded amiable Sen. Vance Hartke, D-Ind., to sponsor the telephone bill. On the House side, Rep. Teno Roncalio, D-Wyo., agreed to introduce it.

Once the bill was in the legislative works, the Bell System began a massive lobbying campaign.

REMEMBERING...

By BILL D. BROOKS

VICTROLAS

Our Victrola had belonged to my grandparents and was handed down to them. We called it our record player but Victrolas actually were "talking machines" when they first came out.

It was a source of daily entertainment for us kids and we were allowed to work it "all by ourselves" once we had been properly instructed as to the do's and don'ts. The rules were listed in a manual that came with the Victrola entitled "How To Get The Most Out Of Your Victrola" (Copyright 1918 by the Victor Talking Machine Company, Camden, N.J.)

The following is quoted from it: "In starting a record, release the brake and allow the turntable to make several revolutions to attain its full maximum speed. Then take the circumference of the soundbox between the thumb and two first fingers of the right hand and lower gently until the reproducing point comes, gently, into contact with the smooth, shiny rim at the circumference of the record. That is the right way and the only right way to start a

record." Mom saw to it that we were thoroughly knowledgeable of this and all other rules in the book before we were allowed to use the machine.

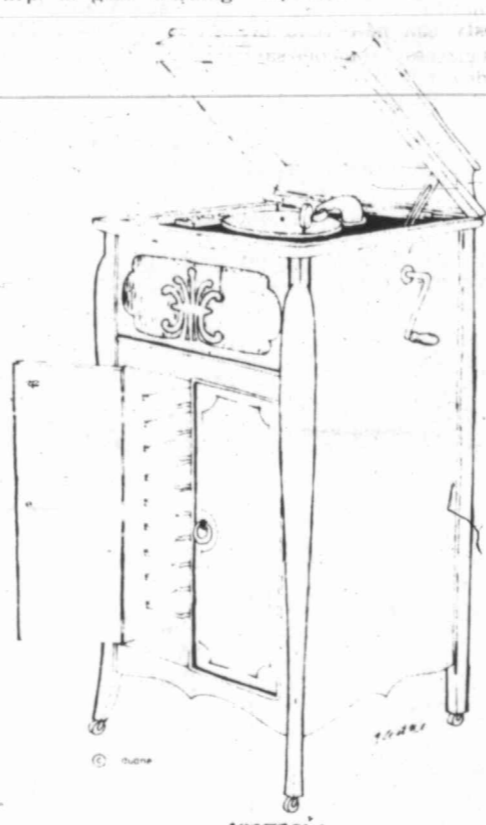
I remember I had to stand on a stool to be able to see in the top where the record went. When the lid was raised you could see the turntable and the playing arm in the top part. Three small metal cups held the needles, two of which held new ones. Some needles were for loud sound reproduction, some for soft sound. The other cup (this one had a lid with a small hole in it) was for worn out needles. There were some knobs and things that we were supposed to leave alone that had to do with adjusting the speed and tone of the machine.

In the front was a place that had grill work and cloth over it where the sound came out. Underneath that were two doors with shelves inside where records were stored. The shelves were full of records, most of which were classical and not too much fun to listen to but we had others that I especially liked. "Take That Night Train to Memphis" was my favorite but "The Arkansas Traveler" and "Blue Yodel No. 2" got played a lot also.

Playing the Victrola really took three of us. I turned the

wind-up crank, before each record was played. My sister placed the needle on the records because that task could be trusted only to someone with a "most sensitive" touch. My brother, since he understood machines, changed the needle after each record and saw to it that the machine was kept in good working

order. We finally sold the machine to a junk dealer for practically nothing because we got tired of it and it took up too much room. Sometimes I sorta wish we still had it though, because music from it had a special sound, an earnest kind of sound you just don't hear anymore.



VICTROLA

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"I may disagree with what you have to say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." — Voltaire

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Glands can be weight factor

Dr. G. C. Thosteson

is often called the "master" gland. It's about the size of a lima bean and, as a matter of fact, it bears a striking resemblance to one. It's located near the center of the head at the base of the brain. From here it controls the entire endocrine (gland) system of the body.

It can enter the picture in weight gain through its control of the thyroid, another important gland that controls metabolism (how we use the food we eat). A low-functioning thyroid can be related to a low-functioning pituitary. Metabolism may be slowed down and weight gain may result.

But, as I've said here before, it makes no sense to tinker with glands at the slightest sign of something wrong. Only in extreme cases of disabling obesity is such an approach even considered. Your 20 pounds of excess weight is certainly no indication of a serious obesity.

Forget about it. Lose your weight by cutting back on calories the way millions of others do. Also, there is no specific food that's going to have any significant effect on how these glands work.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I would like to know if a person is on a salt-free diet for a heart problem, should he also avoid food containing baking powder, lunch meats, and other prepared meats that contain sodium nitrate for preservative? — Mrs. M. M.

You certainly shouldn't overdo on

these items or any high-sodium foods. However, you have to take a balanced view of such things. The prepared meats might contain the sodium product you mention, but they don't require any table salt (sodium) for flavoring. Most of the fresh meats do.

There is no such thing as a "salt-free" diet. You are bound to get some amount in any diet you go on. A good thing, too. The body needs a certain amount of salt to stay healthy.

As for the baking powder, it seems an extreme measure to eliminate that. Better to restrict the amount of biscuits and other baked goods containing it. Look for the unsalted crackers rather than salted ones, etc. My booklet on blood pressure may be of help to you in the matter of diet. For a copy, send 25 cents to me in care of the Big Spring Herald. Enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Acne is a terrible problem for anyone growing up. If you are afflicted with it, or have children who are, write to Dr. Thosteson, in care of the Big Spring Herald, for a copy of his booklet, "Controlling Acne, Blackheads and Pimples." Enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 25 cents.

Dr. Thosteson welcomes reader mail but regrets that, due to the tremendous volume received daily, he is unable to answer individual letters. Readers' questions are incorporated in his column whenever possible.



To Pop on Fourth

Art Buchwald

Dear Pop: It's been four years since you passed away at the age of 79. On this Bicentennial holiday, with all the hoopla and overkill, I am not taking the 200th anniversary of the country lightly, mainly because I know you wouldn't.

FIRST, I would like to thank you for leaving your home in Gaiitia, which you once explained was part of Poland, in 1910 when you were 17 years old. I know it wasn't an easy trip for you. You had to cross Europe all by yourself, and then you had to find a ship in Rotterdam that would take steerage passengers to New York City.

I've tried to imagine what it was like for a 17-year-old boy to arrive at Ellis Island without being able to speak a word of English. There were thousands like you, and fortunately there were people who came before you to help you through the maze of paper work and bewildering ways of New York City.

You wound up on the lower east side with so many of your fellow immigrants. They offered you a chance to go to night school, but you said you would learn English by reading every New York City newspaper every day. You kept reading them for 62 years, and you seemed to know more about the country and the world than any of your children who had been "educated" in American schools.

I know you started out working in a raincoat factory 14 or 15 hours a day, and when World War I came you worked even longer. They wouldn't let you serve in the Army because you were considered an "enemy alien." Once I asked you if you missed being a soldier and you replied, "Yes, only because it would have gotten me out of making raincoats."

Then you went into the curtain and drapery business — the Aetna Curtain Co. The business consisted of you, a man named Sammy who helped you hang the drapes and a seamstress. "Gimbel's we're not," you used to tell me, much to my chagrin.

BUT YOU did save enough money to bring your two sisters and a brother to America. And you did manage to get out of the lower east side.

"Making it in America in those days," you once told me, "was moving to the Bronx."

You even got as far as Mt. Vernon, N.Y., when business was good, before the depression. Then during the depression it was back to the Bronx. The thing I shall always remember is how you felt about the United States. You kept telling me there was no better place to live than America, and I could never appreciate this unless I was a Jew who had lived in Europe. Once when I was working in Paris I offered you a trip to Europe and you replied, "What do I want to go to Europe for? I've been there already."

YOU WERE like so many foreign-born Americans — Jewish, Russian, Italian, Irish, German, Scandinavian

and Greek — who considered this country the only land where your children would have a chance to become what they wanted to be.

You told me, "Everyone has dreams for their children, but here it's possible to make them come true."

Well, Pop, I just wanted you to know, as far as your children are concerned, you made the right decision when you left Poland. There are four of us, all first-generation Americans, and we will be celebrating the Fourth of July with many other first-generation Americans whose mothers and fathers arrived here in more or less the same way.

I don't know if all those great men in 1776 had you immigrants in mind when they signed the Declaration of Independence and formed a new country, but even if they didn't, they made it possible for you and millions like you to come to a free land.

So let the tall ships sail and the fireworks explode. We're probably overdoing it, but if you were here I'm sure you would say, "It's probably a good thing people remember what a great place this country is, even if it's going to cost the city a lot of money."



My answer

Billy Graham

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: How may I know that there is a living God? — B. O.

DEAR B. O.: I want you to know, first of all, that God is very concerned that you come to know Him. He has even promised, "And ye shall seek me, and find me, when ye shall search for me with all your heart." (Jeremiah 29:13).

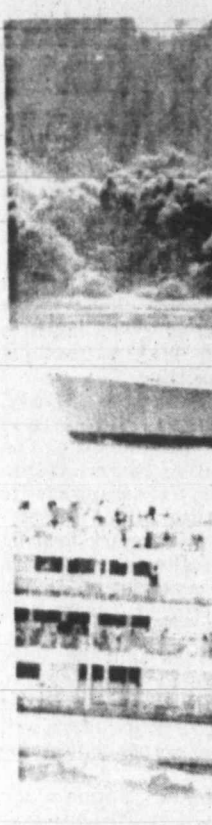
Begin your search by asking God to show Himself to you. Tell Him you are willing to commit your life to Him if He will reveal Himself to you.

Second, understand that we are not left alone in this world to guess whether or not God exists. Instead, God has taken the initiative and revealed Himself to us. This is why the Bible is so important, for it is in the Bible that we find God's revelation of Himself.

Therefore, I encourage you to read the Bible prayerfully. I suggest you begin with a modern translation of the Gospel of John, since it was written "that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name" (John 20:31). As you read it, ask God to convict you of its truth by His Holy Spirit.

God not only wants you to know that He exists, but He wants to enter into a personal relationship with you. We do this as we repent of our sins and accept Jesus Christ into our hearts by faith.

God bless you as you continue your search.



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BRITAIN AND U.S. SIDE BY SIDE — The British light cruiser London and a Hudson River Day Line vessel, crowded with passengers, move up the Hudson River in this helicopter view Saturday. The warship was participating in Operation Sail. In background is the 79th Street boat basin in New York's borough of Manhattan.

Rider criticized

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 said it had urged the veto.
 In a veto message to the House, Ford said the military construction bill was generally acceptable in providing a comprehensive construction program for fiscal year 1977. The bill authorized \$3.3 billion in military construction.
 "One provision, however, is highly objectionable," Ford said, "is highly objectionable, thus precluding my approval of the measure."
 The rider, he said, "would prohibit certain base closures or the reduction of civilian personnel at certain military installations unless the proposed action is reported to Congress and a period of nine months elapses during which time the military department would be required to identify the full range of environmental impacts of the proposed action."
 Ford said this was not sound governmental policy because it would substitute an arbitrary time limit and set of requirements for the current procedures under which base closures and reductions are effected.

They also point out that the House failed in an April attempt to add a base closing review rider.

Cong. Burleson's office said late Friday that the measure would go back to the House first because it had an "HR" (House of Representatives) number on the bill. The aide said the House would be the toughest fight for the override, but House leadership is confident that the votes are there.

The Associated Press this week has been quoting the Pentagon as saying the rider would have delayed base closings a year and cost \$150 million in lost savings.

A PENTAGON spokesman told the Herald Friday afternoon that the Associated Press was overinterpreting Monday's Pentagon statement. The statement said the bill would require a minimum one-year delay and would "involve" the 16 actions announced by the Pentagon since Jan. 1, 1976. The 16 actions "involve" anticipated savings of \$150,000 million, the statement said.

Bases subject to delay or reduction under the bill, other than Webb, are:
 The Army's Jefferson

Proving Ground in Indiana; Ft. Devens, Mass.; Ft. Hamilton-Totten, N. Y.; Ft. Indiantown Gap, Pa.; the Army Aviation Maintenance activity at the New Cumberland, Pa., depot; the Army Aviation Research and Development Command; an Army troop support and aviation material readiness command, both in St. Louis; and Ft. Buchanan, Puerto Rico.

Also the Key West, Fla., naval air station; the Navy Resale System Office, Brooklyn, N. Y.; the Naval Ship Repair Facility on Guam; and the Defense Clothing Factory in Philadelphia.

Also Craig Air Force Base, Ala.; Loring AFB, Maine; and Richards-Gebaur AFB, Mo.

The next step in the study of Webb for closing will be the release of an environmental impact statement by the Air Force. This is due in mid-July.

This will be followed by a public hearing on the statement in Big Spring, probably towards the end of August. After that, a final impact statement will be prepared by the Air Force and a final decision made on the closing of Webb.

Coahoma's Luke West Museum is dedicated

By FAYE ROBEY

A crowd estimated at up to 100 lined the sidewalk in front of Coahoma's Luke West Memorial Museum Saturday morning for ribbon cutting ceremonies.

A light drizzle did little to dampen the enthusiasm of the group as it heard Coahoma Mayor Joe Swinney commend the Coahoma Lions for their civic concern in sponsoring the museum.

Following the Mayors' remarks an award was presented to the Coahoma Lions Club by Mrs. Johnnie Lou Avery and Mrs. Jannell Davis, Howard County Bicentennial co-chairmen.

The award was accepted on behalf of the Lions Club by president Eddie Engel, president, Billy Jack Darden and Pete Banks, museum committee chairman.

A prayer of dedication was voiced by Darden. Mrs. Inez West, wife of the late Luke West, cut the red and white ribbon.

The museum includes

West's collection of coins, guns, western art, rocks and extensive arrowhead collection.

Darden stressed that the museum is still accepting artifacts and reminded would-be donors that pieces are accepted on loan only.

Coffee and doughnuts were served by members of the Lions Club.

Museum hours are Saturday from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. and Sunday from 1-5 p.m. Group tours can be arranged.

The Mary Jane Club will assist the Lions Club in maintaining museum hours.

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- 12:00 Lions Club Barbecue
- 1:00 p.m. Bike racing — by softball field
- 2:00 Beard Growing Contest
- 2:30-4:00 Horseshoe Pitching Contests
- 2:45 Bubblegum Blowing Contest
- 3:00 Cow Chip Throwing
- 3:30 Tug-O-War
- all day Sig Rogers' Gospel Wagon at Totem Pole

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- Immaculate Heart of Mary Church Parents Club — concessions stand
- Volunteer Service of State Hospital — concessions booth
- Parents Without Partners — cakes, pies, sandwiches
- Elks Club — watermelon sales
- Miss Softball America — concessions
- Big Spring Art Association — display and sale of pictures
- Airport Baptist Church — wagon with puppet show and basketball throw
- Western Kawasaki — motorcycles safety display
- Elks Auxiliary — dart throw and ring toss
- Base Club — casting booth with prizes
- Dorothy Earhart — jewelry and dried flower sales
- Mrs. E. L. Long — display and sales of oil paintings
- Jaycees — dunking booth



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In countless ways, Texans celebrate Independence Day

By The Associated Press
 They raised the flag at Old Glory, pop. 65, had mammoth parades in Dallas and Houston and tamale and "fajitas" (skirt steak) cookoffs in the Rio Grande Valley.

In Victoria, they selected Miss Vacant Lot and held an armadillo race. Throughout the wide expanses of the state Texans engaged in fun and games and listened to patriotic speeches and church sermons.

That's how Texans helped celebrate the Bicentennial of a country they joined a little more than a century ago and for which they have now become one of its best known symbols.

"I think the Bicentennial is a chance to rededicate ourselves to the spirit of change," said Dr. Joe Frantz, professor of history at the University of Texas and director of the Texas State Historical Association.

"We've gotten a little conservative in 200 years. We kicked off a revolution and we need to recapture the spirit."

It was a day for speeches, concerts, parades, musicals extolling the nation's virtues and tradition and a few solemn minutes of prayer of thanks for things often taken for granted.

Churches of all denominations scheduled special prayers during their Sunday services. Sen. John Tower, R-Tex., son and grandson of preachers, was to preach the sermon Sunday morning at the united worship service in San Augustine, one of the oldest towns in the state.

The official ceremonies included the dedication Sunday in Austin of the \$6 million, six-story Texas Law Center. It will be the last day of the annual convention of the Texas State Bar. U.S. Atty. Gen. Edward Levi was to be the featured speaker.

San Antonians organized a "Salute to Sousa" concert sponsored by the Music Performance Trust Fund of the American Federation of Musicians.

Throughout the state there rang the speeches of pride, love and allegiance mixed with historic reviews and hard looks at the country and its progress.

Frantz said in an interview: "I think the Bicentennial will cause some Americans to reassess themselves and their country. It seems we have become the England of 1776. We are the status quo nation. We eye with disdain the new countries springing up, saying they can't govern themselves. But we couldn't govern ourselves and fell on our face for the first 5 years back then... We should turn up the torch of revolution in our halo instead of trying to snuff it."

Depository designated

IOWA CITY, Iowa (AP) — The University of Iowa's main library has been designated since 1894 as an official depository for all documents printed by the U.S. Government Printing Office.

The documents arrive at the rate of 500 to 600 a day and the collection is expected to grow by 150,000 documents this year, it says. Another 100 documents arrive daily from state and foreign sources.

Richard Santos, a historian and professor of history at Our Lady of the Lake College, said the Bicentennial is a celebration of a political concept of government, the formation of a system of government by the people, a system that in spite of its flaws, has been shown to work.
 Here is how some Texans celebrated:

Despite Dickinson warning

Dozen colonies voted to adopt declaration

EDITOR'S NOTE — Finally, 200 years ago today, the Continental Congress adopted the Declaration of Independence and the United States was born.

By CHRIS ROBERTS
 Associated Press Writer

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Thursday, July 4, 1776, dawned hot and muggy. Inside the brick statehouse the Continental Congress would soon resume deliberations on the Declaration of Independence.

Flies buzzed about tethered horses outside, and some flew in open windows and stung the legs of our forefathers.

For a day and a half Congress had debated the Declaration, drafted by Thomas Jefferson, a 33-year-old architect from Virginia.

On the morning of July 4, the delegates turned first to the ordering a supply of flints for the troops at New York, then to the fragile subject of independence embodied in Jefferson's work.

John Dickinson of Pennsylvania warned his colleagues that to adopt the Declaration would be a great mistake, one that would condemn countrymen to wretchedness and death.

The debate — it was not recorded by Secretary Charles Thomson — continued into the early evening when a roll call finally was taken. Twelve colonies voted to adopt the Declaration. New York abstained from voting until July 9.

The Congress then ordered "that the Declaration be authenticated and

printed... that the committee appointed prepare the Declaration, superintendent and prepare the press... That copies be sent to the several commanding officers of the Continental troops; that it be proclaimed in each of the United States and at the head of the Army."

The next day the first printing was delivered to Congress. It was signed in large flowing letters by John Hancock, president.

"His majesty can now read my name without glasses," Hancock said. "And he can double the reward on my head."

Thomson witnessed the president's signature and theirs were the only names to appear on broadsides hurried into print. Other delegates signed an unpublished copy several days later, and one or two waited a year or more to add their names. The last to sign was Thomas McKean of Delaware, in 1781.

Because of possible reprisals by the British, the signatures were not made public for six months. Nevertheless, several signers had their homes burned or their families thrown into jail.

Little is recorded of what they said to each other as the Declaration was signed, but one conversation between Hancock and Ben Franklin comes down to us:

"Come, sir, we must be unanimous," Hancock said. "No pulling different ways. We must all hang together." And Franklin replied, "Indeed, indeed, we must all hang together. Otherwise we shall most assuredly hang separately."

At Old Glory in North Central Texas, the 65 residents of the town got together to hoist the flag in front of the town's general store. Many of them then went to nearby Stamford to watch the parade. Old Glory was called Brandenburg until residents changed the German name during World War I.

In San Antonio, there was a festival at the San Jose Mission, a canoe race down the San Antonio River, a parade and fireworks.

In Dallas, marching in the parade was Victor Foss, 79, a veteran of World War I, who wore his uniform and medals.

"The Bicentennial makes us sort of feel like we had a little part in making United States history," the old soldier said.

In Brownsville, at the tip of Texas, U.S. and Mexican flags were raised on a levee near the Rio Grande and the Confederate Air Force was to stage a fly-over.

In Corpus Christi there were exhibits by the Institute of Texas Cultures, art shows, flag ceremonies and a 21-gun salute at the Naval Air Station.

Victoria, the south Texas city named for a Mexican general, had its annual Armadillo Confab that included a jalapeno gobbler, a greased body slide, a fat-is-beautiful pageant, an armadillo race and the selection of Miss Vacant Lot.

La Feria had a tamale cookoff, Edinburg had a fajita cookoff, Brownsville, a bareback burro race, and Kingsville a pinto bean cookoff.

And there was a generous measure of baseball, hot dogs, hoe-downs and fireworks.

Police beat

Items valued at \$1,230 are taken

Charles Taggart, Barracks 207, Room 28, reported that somebody stripped his car inside the Auto Hobby Shop on Webb Air Force Base. He reported to city police at 3:20 p.m. Friday.

There was \$1,230 worth of items taken off his car including an \$800 four-speed transmission. The windshield and front door glass were also broken and several items taken from inside the car. Total damage to the car and missing items topped \$1,600 with another \$150 worth of parts taken from the garage.

Law officials in both Big Spring, and the sheriff's office checked many reports of firecrackers both here and in Coahoma over the weekend.

James Pierce, who resided at 616 Bucknell, said \$300 worth of clothing and a coin collection were missing from his residence. There was no sign of forced entry.

Bill Kuykendall reported burglary of a fireworks stand during the night Friday.

A fight was reported at the Fina Truck Stop at 12:39 a.m. Deputy Sam Smelser reported that it was all settled upon his arrival.

Wrecks included one at W80 and Utah at 4:49 a.m. between vehicles driven by Joseph Menton, Norwalk, Calif. and Denise D. Wim-

berly, OK Trailer Park 40. Other mishaps included one at 11th and FM 700 at 3:19 p.m. Friday between vehicles driven by Dannie E. Stevens, Gail Route and Bobby G. Lewis, 1305 Mobile. An accident at the Sonic at 5:10 p.m. involved a vehicle driven by Debbie D. Pierson, 306 Dixie and one that left the scene. Another accident occurred at 17th and Lincoln and involved a vehicle driven by Leonel Rogers, 1502-A Virginia and a street sign. This happened at 8:19 p.m.

A mishap at the Dairy Queen on N. Lamesa occurred at 8:32 p.m. and included a vehicle driven by Edward Turner, 300 Stonewall, Midland and a parked vehicle belonging to Felipe Ramirez, Richmond. An accident at 3rd and Main Friday morning involved vehicles driven by Bonnie McNeese, 3611 Connally and Mark Geurin, Gail Route.

Auto burglars also took the CB antenna which was attached to a car belonging to Russel Steck, 1101 S. Lancaster, sometime Friday night. The antenna was valued at \$40.

Vandals pried open the glove compartment in Dudley Barton's car while it was standing in the Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home parking lot around midnight Friday.

Cars belonging to Debra Faye Samuels, 411 S. Bell, and H. H. McPherson, 601 S. Douglas, collided at 501 Bell, 8:58 a.m. Saturday.

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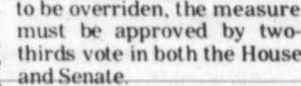
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TOP STUDENTS — Honor Graduates of Undergraduate Pilot Training Class 76-09, at Webb AFB, who received their wings and awards July 1, are shown with guest speaker Maj. Gen. Stanley M. Umstead Jr., (center) former wing commander at Webb, now commandant of the Air War College, Air University at Maxwell AFB, Ala. Col. Harry A. Spännaus, Webb wing commander is second from left. Honorees are (l. to r.) Second Lieutenants William F. Rowe, Gary R. Dylewski, Captains Danny R. Broyles and Richard O. Melvin, and 2nd Lt. Richard H. Robison.

It haunts man's memory

The night Charley Starkweather died

EDITOR'S Note: The following eyewitness account of the execution of the last man to die in Nebraska's electric chair, mass murderer Charles Starkweather, was written by a retired AP correspondent in Lincoln, Neb.

Nebraska Supreme Court rejected the last of a series of frantic bids for reprieve. Not until then was it certain that the 20-year-old killer would die in the electric chair on that June 24, 1959 night for 11 brutal stabbings and shootings in Nebraska and Wyoming.

Witnesses gathered in the reception building at the Nebraska penitentiary. Sounds of rock and roll music lofted in from car radios of teenagers gathered nearby — like laughter at a wake.

Just a half hour before midnight, the 75-year-old Lincoln physician who was to have pronounced Starkweather dead, Dr. B. A. Finkel, had a heart attack and died.

Midnight approached. The scheduled witnesses were frisked, led across the prison yard and into the stark white basement room where Nebraska exacts its death penalty.

At 12:01 a.m. Starkweather walked unassisted into the room. He looked briefly at some 35 seated witnesses, as if to count the house. There was something of the ham actor in him, even at the end, and he managed the shadow of a smile.

His red hair had been shaven, and a trouser leg had been cut off to accommodate the electrical contacts.

To those who had followed the Starkweather story from its bloody inception 17 months earlier, the bandy-legged ex-garbage hauler appeared heavier.

Starkweather seated himself in the bulky, wooden electric chair. A curtain was drawn to conceal the mechanics of preparation, then opened. Starkweather was firmly strapped in. If he was feeling emotion, he didn't show it.

By ODELL HANSON
For The Associated Press
OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — It was Charlie Starkweather's last night on earth — a night to haunt the memory.

Barely 3 1/2 hours before the midnight execution, the

Prison food and indolence had put fat on his 5-foot-5 frame. But he had spurned a final steak dinner in favor of cold cuts.

The Fourth of July is summer family reunions with lots of food and gallons of iced tea and in many cases, iced-down beer or homemade ice cream.

The Fourth of July is remembering to put the flag up and standing and looking at it a moment thoughtfully as it blows in the breeze, before rushing back into the house to get the picnic lunch loaded for a family outing.

The Fourth of July is remembering other Fourths of July when you were a child and headed for the lake, beach, or the mountains.

It's recalling your own sparklers and Roman candles as you light those for your children.

It's recalling a parade that was special to you, as you watch a parade.

In some towns, it's a beauty pageant. In some towns it's a rodeo. In some towns it's fireworks and games and contests.

Fourth is still vibrant holiday

By MARJ CARPENTER
What is the Fourth of July? This year, when the Bicentennial has been ground into the minds of people for over a year, the public is more aware of the early history of the first Fourth of July and the Declaration of Independence.

However, the holiday has come to mean many things

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Demolay officer

DEMOLAY OFFICER — Dee Brown, Dennis Burns, and Ronnie Hays, pictured above, were installed as the three chief officers of the Leon P. Moffett chapter, Order of DeMolays, at a recent ceremony. Brown will be master, color. Burns senior counselor and Hays junior counselor. The chapter dad is Kenneth Gafford, the sweetheart Andrea Hohertz and its duchesses Mariella Wise, Angel, Sulgham and Irene Little. Installing officer was Noel Piche.



(Photo by Danny Valdes)

Inoculations talks are scheduled

WASHINGTON (AP) — Representatives of four drug manufacturers making swine flu vaccines are to report to their companies this weekend on talks aimed at keeping the national inoculation program alive.

Marines drop serious charges against pair

SAN DIEGO (AP) — The Marine Corps case against two additional drill instructors charged in the death of recruit Lynn McClure appears weakened following the acquittal of S. Sgt. Harold Bronson.

The Marines announced Friday that the most serious charges — aggravated assault and negligent

homicide — had been dropped against Sgt. Henry E. Aguilar, 23.

Rangers take a broadside

TWIN FALLS, Idaho (AP) — A Twin Falls attorney claims Texas Rangers snatched his client from the Twin Falls jail and took him to Texas in violation of a court order.

He said the client, Erwin Turpin, 54, has heart problems and was taken to Decatur, Tex., without his heart medicine.

Greg Fuller, the attorney, said Friday Turpin was arrested two months ago on a fugitive warrant on suspicion of conspiracy to commit aggravated robbery.

At a preliminary hearing on the fugitive warrant this week, magistrate Daniel Meehl ordered Turpin held for extradition proceedings.

But Fuller said the judge also ordered Turpin held in Idaho five days while Fuller prepared a petition for a writ of habeas corpus to have the man freed.

He said the petition would be based on Turpin's contention he has witnesses that he was in Idaho at the time of the robbery in Texas.

Fuller contended at least one of the rangers was in the court and heard the order, but the extradition papers were taken to the sheriff's office which had not been informed of the magistrate's order and the rangers took Turpin.

Fuller said he will ask the U.S. District Court at Ft. Worth next week to allow Turpin to return to Idaho on the ground of violation of his right to due process.

He said he was considering filing a damage suit against the Texas Rangers and possibly the state of Texas.

Results to be announced

Mamie Lou Dodds announced Saturday that the Chamber of Commerce judged the retail merchants costume contest, and that the results will be presented Sunday evening at the "Let Freedom Ring" program.

The costumes were judged on an individual basis, and a men's and women's winner will receive a \$25 savings bond.

Special mention was made of Carter's Furniture, Blum's, Inland Port and Gibson's, for their Bicentennial efforts.

Final novel

NEW YORK (AP) — Dodd, Mead says it will publish Agatha Christie's final novel, "Sleeping Murder," on Sept. 20.

The book was written in the late 1930s and was intended for posthumous publication. It will bring the total number of books by Dame Agatha to 87.

Potton house will get marker Friday morning

The formal dedication of the official historical marker at the Potton House will be held at 10 a.m. Friday at 200 Gregg.

The marker dedication ceremonies will include the unveiling of the historical marker as well as the national register marker by descendants of the Joseph Potton family.

Architectural drawings for the restoration of the home have been sent to Austin and as soon as they are approved, bids can be let for the restoration, according to Mrs. Polly Mays, active in the project of restoring the home.

The house will be returned as nearly as possible to its original condition when it was built in 1901.

R. H. Weaver will serve as master of ceremonies for the dedication. Mrs. Wallace Hunter will give the dedicatory address and the Rev. Harland Birdwell will give the benediction.

Seeks freedom from his wife

TACOMA, Wash. (AP) — George Washington told a court here that he wants to celebrate the Bicentennial by getting a divorce from his wife.

Washington, 46, told a Pierce County Superior Court hearing on Friday that he and his wife Ella have been separated for 10 years. He said they agreed on the divorce for the Bicentennial.

Promising not to tell a lie, Washington told the court that the couple no longer has community property.

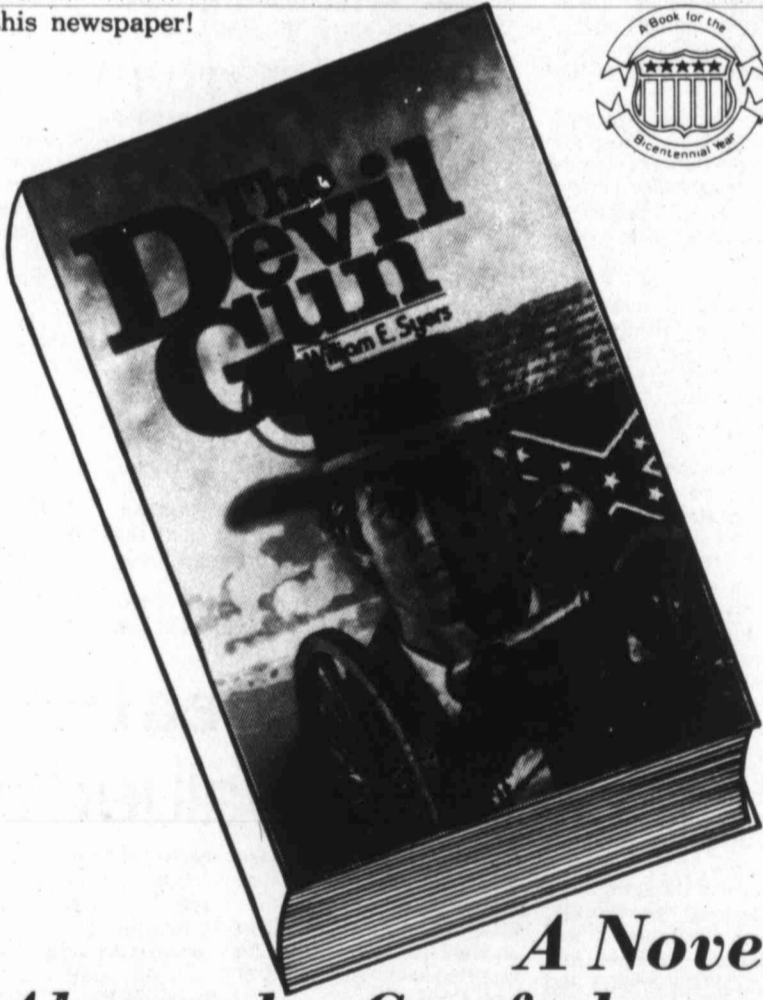
Judge James Ramsdell said the divorce will become final July 29.

Colorado City voters support bonds

COLORADO CITY — For the second time, voters in Colorado City have voted for street, sewer and water improvements.

A bond election calling for \$325,000 in expenditures for such improvements carried recently by a wide margin. The water and street improvement issue carried, 437-27. A total of 440 ballots for sewer improvements, only 17 against.

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Farm Crops in West Texas making good growth

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CHECKING FOR INSECTS—John Echols (right) and Bert Wristen, insect scouts for Howard County, check a boll weevil trap on the Donnie Reid farm east of Big Spring. This is a portion of the program being sponsored by the Howard County Cotton Producers Association and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. James Lee, county entomologist, supervises the scouts. The survey is being conducted to determine harmful and beneficial insect levels in Howard County cotton. The scouts are being financed by Howard County cotton producers who are donating 20 cents per bale on their 1975 cotton crop.

Break in pest insect count seen in county

Cotton producers in Howard and the surrounding counties are seeing a break in the pest insect populations, according to James Lee, County Extension entomologist.

Most cotton has outgrown the stage where thrips can damage it. Aphids or plant lice that were medium to heavy in number in some cotton have declined sharply due to hot, dry weather and to the buildup of the beneficial insects.

There is a slight increase in cotton flea hoppers in some of the older cotton.

These infestations are still spotted in the area.

Beneficial insects — lady bugs, big-eyed bugs, flower bugs and nabids are increasing in numbers.

The boll weevil catches have continued to drop.

This drop in number probably is due to the fact that over-wintered boll weevils are more attracted to the older fruiting cotton and to the natural decline in emergence from over-wintering sites.

Very light boll weevil damage has been found in older cotton in the Caohoma area.

western sections, Dr. Daniel Pfannstiel, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The general cotton harvest is about to start in South Texas, where the first bale was ginned June 22, Pfannstiel said.

Range and livestock conditions are generally good although pastures and range grasses in the plains and western sections need rain, Pfannstiel said.

District agricultural agents gave these reports:

Panhandle: Wheat harvesting is past the halfway point in most counties. Dryland yields are from 10 to 20 bushels per acre and irrigated yields range from 50 to 60 bushels. The second cutting of alfalfa is being baled. Forage conditions are below average.

South Plains: Cotton, corn and sorghum are making good progress. The wheat harvest is nearing completion. Yields have been fair to good. Ranges and pastures remain below average. Cattle are in fair shape.

Rolling Plains: Cotton and sorghum are making good progress but additional rain is needed in some counties. The second cutting of alfalfa is complete. Farmers are plowing wheat fields and cultivating cotton. Range and livestock conditions are mostly good.

West Central: Most small grains have been harvested. Yields are low. Cotton is making good progress but some boll weevils are active. Some early sorghum is heading. Sorghum midges are increasing. Ranges and pastures need rain.

Far West: All crops are making good growth although they would benefit from a good rain. Pastures and ranges also need moisture. The small grain harvest is complete. Harvesting of cantaloupes and onions is increasing.



RON PLUMLEE

Ira hires Plumlee

Ron Plumlee, former Big Spring basketball coach and principal at Greenwood Schools near Midland, has begun duties as superintendent at Ira.

Plumlee has been principal in Greenwood for one year. He earlier was head basketball coach in Big Spring for six years. Prior to that, he was basketball coach at Kress for three years.

While in Big Spring, his wife, Donna was a teacher and was president of the Classroom Teacher's Association here. They have two children, Kerri, 6 and Kyle, 1.

A graduate of Wayland Baptist College with a BS degree, he earned his associate of arts degree at Weatherford Junior College. He has a M.Ed. degree from Sul Ross University and 30 additional hours in advanced administration and other graduate work.

Rainbow girls plan dinner

The local chapter of the Order of Rainbow for Girls will hold a dinner at the Staked Plains Lodge banquet room at 6 p.m. Thursday, July 8.

The event is for Master Masons and their wives, members of the Eastern Star and their husbands and all others from the Masonic Order.

Democrats signal growing pride in party unity

HERSHEY, Pa. (AP) — Republican governors are showing concern over the prospect of a divided party while Democrats signal a new confidence as the Bicentennial National Governors Conference opens here Sunday.

A pre-conference survey showed several of the Republicans expressing concern about the possibility that the hot contest for the presidential nomination could leave the party scarred.

However, most predicted that things could be patched up before the fall election.

The Democrats, on the other hand, were talking of a

strong campaign in the fall on the economic issues with a former member of their ranks, Jimmy Carter of Georgia, at the head of the ticket.

In response to another survey question, most of the Democratic governors expressed no preference at all for a vice-presidential nominee, saying it should be left up to Carter, assuming he is the presidential choice.

Indiana Gov. Otis R. Bowen was typical with his comment that, "at the present time, the situation is divisive" among Republicans.

"However," Bowen said, "there is time to heal any

wounds that may result from the convention. I will continue to appeal to both sides to work together after the convention has reached its decision."

Gov. William Milliken of Michigan predicted President Ford would win the GOP nomination, but only by a slight margin. And he said the future of the party depends largely on how it comes out of the convention.

"There's still time to heal wounds and develop a successful campaign," Milliken said, "but if the convention ends in a bitter, divisive state, then, clearly, the outcome of the presidential race is in doubt and Republican races at all levels will be negatively affected."

There was not a sour note, however, among the Democrats responding to the survey.

TCA grants totaling \$152,257 approved

Grants totaling \$152,257 were approved for this district by the Texas Commission on Alcoholism (TCA) grant-contract hearings held in Austin last week, according to an announcement made Friday by State Senator Ray Farabee.

TCA approved federal formula funds to the city of Big Spring for its Alcoholism Treatment and Rehabilitation Center's Community Action Corporation of Wichita Falls and North Texas area for continuation of alcoholism services offered to recovering poverty-level alcoholics at Pioneer House in Wichita Falls; the Central Plains Comprehensive Community MHMR Center for a rural alcohol abuse-alcoholism prevention, treatment and control program; and to Nortex Regional Planning Committee for comprehensive treatment, prevention and control of alcohol abuse and alcoholism in State Planning Region I three.

TCA also awarded contracts to the Wichita Falls State Hospital for referral, education, crisis intervention, and after-care services for individuals in need of such assistance. According to K. E. Beahan, executive director of the committee, the federal formula grant funds are made available under the Comprehensive Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Prevention, Treatment and Rehabilitation Act passed by Congress in 1970, under article 5561C, V.A.C.S., passed by the Texas legislature in 1953.

TCA was designated as the single state agency to coordinate the efforts of all interested and affected state and local agencies concerned with alcoholism programming.

Mail delivery
WASHINGTON (AP) — The Postal Service says there will be no regular residential or business mail deliveries Sunday or Monday because of the Independence Day holiday.
Officials said the Postal Service will operate on a holiday schedule on both days, and in some areas holiday lockbox service and special delivery will be available.

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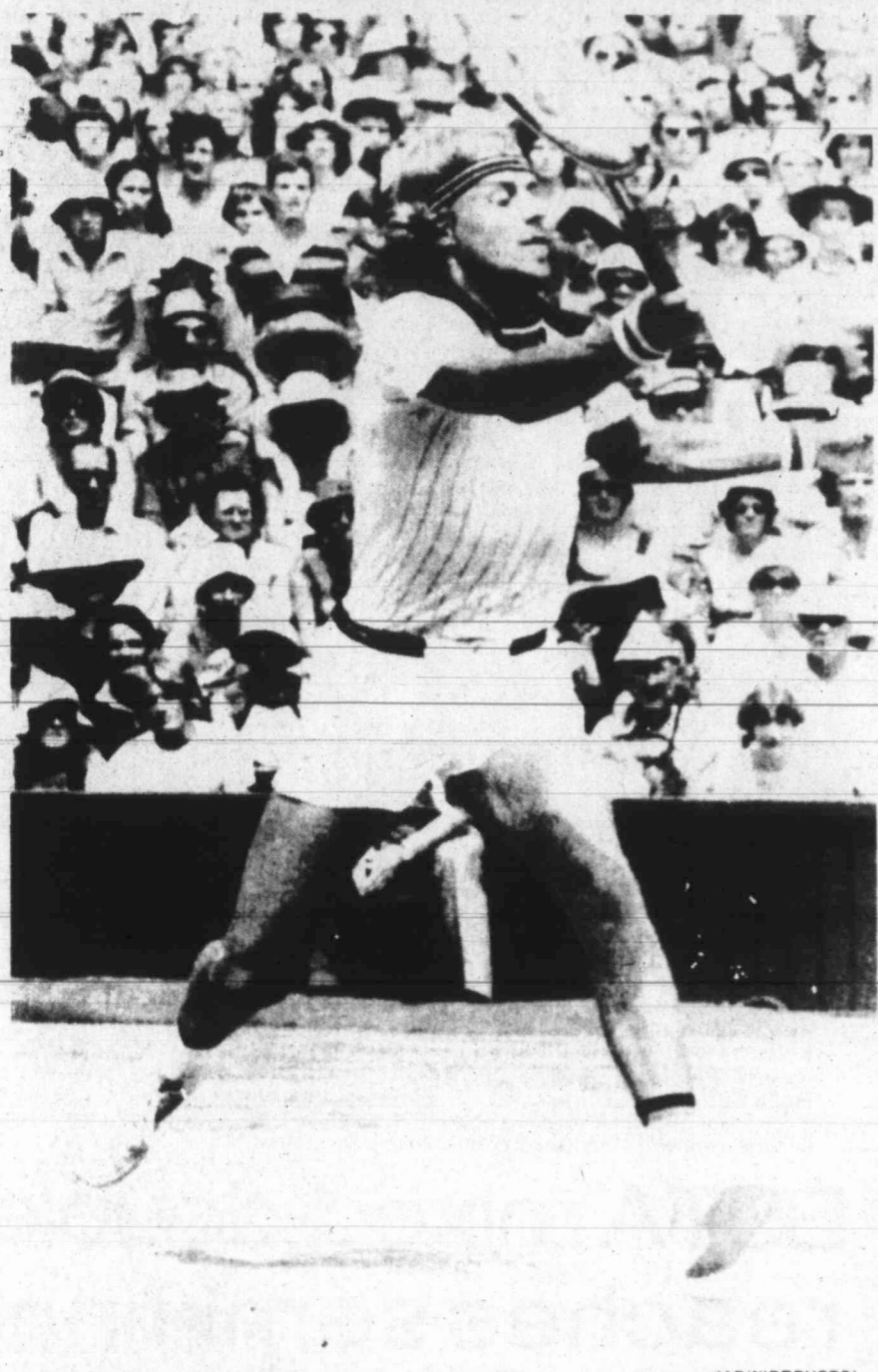
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Young Swede ignores injuries

Borg downs Nastase in straight sets



WINNING FORM — Sweden's Bjorn Borg is shown in play against Romania's Ilie Nastase, in the men's singles at Wimbledon this afternoon. Borg beat Nastase, 6-4, 6-2, 9-7, to win the men's singles title at the Wimbledon Tennis Championships.

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — Bjorn Borg, 20 just four weeks ago, became the youngest man in 35 years

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SECTION B

Six American crews taming the Thames

HENLEY-ON-THAMES, England (AP) — Six American crews powered their way into Sunday's final rounds at the Henley Royal Regatta in impressive performances under a sultry summer sun Saturday at rowing's most elegant international competition.

As cabin cruisers jammed the picturesque River Thames creating Piccadilly Circus-like traffic jams in an effort to get a glimpse of the days exciting races, one U.S. crew set a record on the 1 mile, 550-yard course, and together with another American foursome provided some of the most human drama.

The record came from the Potomac Boat Club of Washington with a time of 6 minutes, 54 seconds in the Wyfold Challenge Cup for coxless fours. That was in a morning quarterfinal, just after the Cambridge Boat Club of Boston, Mass., had won their heat in the same event.

The Bostonians, men aged 25 to 36 and including normally pin-striped businessmen, rowed the race of their lives, they said, to get that far. It was the Cambridge quartet who made Henley history in Thursday's first day's heat, by wrecking their shell in a crash but getting a re-row which they courageously won.

Fate and the Henley selectors then pitted the two U.S. crews against each other in the early evening semifinal, and Potomac won easily. "They just put on an awesome sprint and left us behind," said Stephen Carr for the disappointed Cambridge men.

Potomac was to meet London Eowing Club in Sunday's final.

and the first Swede — to win the men's singles title at the Wimbledon Tennis Championships with a 6-4, 6-2, 9-7 victory today over Ilie Nastase of Romania.

Borg joins Chris Evert as winners of two of tennis' most prestigious titles—Wimbledon singles. Miss Evert, of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., won the women's crown Friday, beating Australian Evonne Goolagong 6-3, 4-6, 8-6.

The Borg-Nastase match lasted 10 minutes short of two hours, started off as if it was going to be a feast of cut and thrust tennis. But it never, after the first four games, really fulfilled that

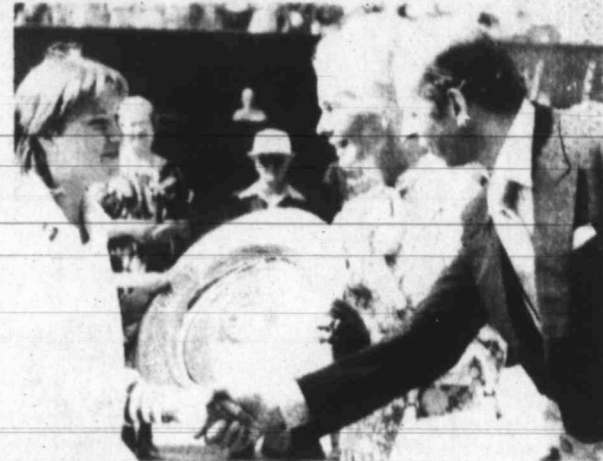
early promise. Borg, who has been suffering from muscle strain for the whole of the tournament and has been undergoing massages and a series of injections, showed no signs of any injury as he wore down the Romanian, moved around court with speed, and finally battered down Nastase's resistance with his topped drives.

Nastase, the touch player with the mercurial temperament, was strangely subdued throughout the match, which started as if it was going to turn into one of Wimbledon's great finals. But after the start, when

Nastase reeled off a 3-0 lead with a second-game break—each of the games going to deuce—the match never fulfilled its early promise and only came alive spasmodically in the third set.

That was when Borg, ahead 5-4 and serving for the match, let a match point and the game fall from his grasp and brought Nastase level at 5-5.

Two games previously, Nastase had the chance of getting back on level terms in the set when, trailing 3-4, he had two chances at break point and muffed them both.



EVERT RECEIVES TROPHY — America's Chris Evert shakes hands with the Duchess of Kent while the Duchess of Kent presents her with the winner's trophy after she defeated Australia's Evonne Goolagong Cawley, Friday, at Wimbledon in the final of the Women's Singles Championship. Evert won the match 6-3, 4-6, 8-6 to take the trophy.

Evert's attention back to \$\$ issue

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — Chris Evert, her second Wimbledon crown safely won, can now turn her attention back to getting equal prize money as the men.

Chris, from Fort Lauderdale, Fla., is the top money winner in women's tennis, and is also president of the Women's Tennis Association.

Earlier in the tournament, the WTA threw a bombshell at the Wimbledon committee by announcing its women would not play here next year unless the money was shared with the men. At present, the women get 80 per cent of the men's share.

In Saturday's men's singles final, Ilie Nastase, the temperamental Romanian, met Sweden's Bjorn Borg.

Asked after her 6-3, 4-6, 8-6 final victory over Evonne Goolagong of Australia Friday whether she would be coming back to defend her title next year — Wimbledon's centennial year — she replied with a flat "No, unless parity of pay is agreed."

So far, the tournament committee has refused to meet the women's demands.

Chris has said 40 women have signed a declaration not to compete unless their demands are met, but Friday a rift appeared in the WTA ranks when Patti Hogan, the Wightman Cupper from La Jolla, Calif., who is also on the WTA board of directors, wrote to the London Times calling the move "folly."

Miss Evert said after her win, "I gave a lot of time to the WTA meeting with the championship committee during the first week. In the second week I tried to concentrate on my tennis. I will give parity further thought — the top players are still adamant."

Chris' concentration on tennis the past week brought her her first victory over Evonne on grass and her first at Wimbledon. The only time the pair had met here

Emerging from 17-month slump

Hill leads Milwaukee by four

MILWAUKEE (AP) — A relaxed Dave Hill, mainly after three rounds of the Class A Softball Tournament, but nothing irreparable. Hill, one stroke behind

of 201 and a four-stroke lead after three rounds of the \$130,000 Greater Milwaukee Open golf tournament. Hill, one stroke behind

second-round leader Fuzzy Zoeller at the start of the third round, overtook the young second-year pro on the third hole and mounted his lead despite his first two bogeys of the tournament. Homero Blancas also shot a third-round 68 and was runnerup at 205.

Zoeller, former Indiana amateur champion, bogeyed his last two holes for a 74 over the 7,010-yard Tuckaway Country Club course. He was tied for third at 206 with Ed Snead, who won here in 1974, and Johnny Jacobs.

Hill, who shot 66 and 67 in his first two rounds, is emerging from what he described as a 17-month slump, although he came here ranked 38th among this year's money winners with \$44,195 and has made the cut in all 18 tournaments that he has entered.

"But I've been grinding for every quarter I made," said Hill, whose 12th tournament victory in 18 years on the tour was in last year's Sahara Invitational.

"Nothing has come easy. I've managed to make cuts, but I wasn't making much money."

Hill, 39, described his third round as "a lot of fun."

Hill missed what he

described a "simple" birdie putts of 18 feet on No. 3 six feet on No. 6. However, he sank birdie putts of 30 feet on 16 and 15 feet on Nos. 5 and 12.

Blancas, who had been in a five-way tie at seven under after two rounds, said the crosswinds which sprung up Saturday affected his strategy.

Jacobs, who had a bogey and five birdies on his first seven holes, finished with a 70 Saturday while Snead shot 69.

Next, bracketed at seven-under 209, were 1975 U.S. Open champion Lou Graham, along with Fred Marti, Joe Porter and Bill Kratzert. Graham shot a third-round 70, while Marti

had a 71 and Porter and Kratzert shot 68.

Jack Nicklaus, Arnold Palmer, U.S. Open champion Jerry Pate, Masters champ Ray Floyd and Johnny Miller are among the better-known players who are skipping this tournament and its relatively low purse in order to prepare for next week's British Open.

'Breakfast special' scrambled

Briles serves Sox goose eggs

CHICAGO (AP) — Right-hander Nelson Briles allowed only three hits, pitching the Texas Rangers to a 3-0 victory over the Chicago White Sox in an unusual morning game, which began at 10:30 CDT Saturday.

Briles, 7-5, struck out seven and walked three in shacking the White Sox, who had scored only one run in each of their four previous games.

Briles didn't allow a hit until Jim Spencer singled opening the fifth and worked his way out of a tough spot in the sixth when the Sox threatened on a walk and a double by Rich Coggins. Jorge Orta got Chicago's other hit, a double in the ninth.

The Rangers jumped ahead in the first inning against Terry Forster, 1-5, when Gene Clines singled, went to second on a sacrifice by Danny Thompson and scored on Topy Harrah's two-out single.

Texas added a run in the second on a pair of walks and a run-scoring single by Clines off relief pitcher Pete Vuckovich. The Rangers got their final run in the ninth on Juan Beniquez' single and Jim Sundberg's triple.

The shutout was Briles' first of the season and his fifth complete game.

Forster, who has been troubled with tendonitis, walked Tom Grieve to open the second inning but got Lenny Randle to ground into a double play. He also

walked Beniquez and, after going to a 2-0 count on Sundberg, Forster left in favor of Vuckovich, who completed the walk to Sundberg before yielding a single to Clines.

Briles was in command most of the way. After Spencer singled in the fifth, Briles struck out Bucky Dent, Jack Brohamer and Kevin Bell.

With one out in the sixth, Briles walked Chet Lemon on a 3-2 pitch and Coggins followed with his ground-rule double. Briles retired Orta on an infield pop and ended the inning by getting Pat Kelly to fly out.

Orta was the Sox' only baserunner in the first four innings when he drew a walk with two out in the first.

Briles' third walk was to Brian Downing in the eighth but Lemon bounced into a double play.

A check of the records indicated the "Breakfast Special" was the first morning start in Sox history.

TEXAS CHICAGO

abr h bi	abr h bi
Clines dh	3 1 2 1
Downing 2b	4 0 0 0
Harrah lf	3 0 1 0
Harrah ss	4 0 1 1
Burgis rf	4 0 1 0
Moyles rf	0 0 0 0
Grieve lf	3 0 0 0
Randle 2b	4 0 0 0
Beniquez c	3 2 2 0
Sundberg c	3 0 2 1
Briles p	0 0 0 0



COMING TO GRIEVE — Chicago White Sox Bucky Dent leaps over sliding Texas Rangers Tom Grieve in the second inning in Chicago Saturday. Grieve was unsuccessful in his attempt to break-up the double play.

Lion's tourney rides out storm

The thunderstorms which swept through West Texas last night put a damper on the Lions Club 1st annual Class A Softball Tournament, but nothing irreparable. Another field had to be found when the softball complex at Webb Air Force Base became unplayable and the schedule has been thrown out of whack. But the games roll on. Friday's action was at Webb, where weather permitting the games will be played today and tomorrow — but the players had to move to Comanche Trail Park for Saturday's games.

Friday Joe Blasingame pitched the Big Spring Church All-Stars to a 7-1 victory, Sam Kirby of the Big Spring Bombers blanked Sweetwater Cotton Oil 10-0 and Al Oldfather hurling for the Webb Dusters shutout Rodco of Odessa 9-0.

In other action Friday the Stockton Packers of Odessa ripped the Lamesa Gabriels 9-1 and Brownwood downed the Big Spring Church All-Stars 7-3, in second round play.

Two teams were eliminated from contention in the double-elimination tournament Saturday. Cotton Oil lost their second game to the Ira Merchants 12-8 and Rodco was defeated in its second fray 8-3 by Gabriels.



GIRL CARRYING TORCH — Miss Louise Bolduc, relay runner between Mount Royal and the Olympic stadium carries the Olympic torch during a dress rehearsal Saturday through downtown Montreal. Male and female relay runners will carry the torch from Mount Royal, overlooking Montreal, over four miles during opening ceremonies of the XXI Olympic Games July 17.

Texas Cards win title

The Texas League Cardinals win Big Spring Little League City Championship, see story, picture p. 3B.

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Olympics still on, America still in

By The Associated Press

The controversy over Taiwan's participation in the Summer Olympics in Montreal continued Saturday but threats by the International Olympic Committee to withdraw sponsorship and by the United States to withdraw its team were apparently dead.

An IOC spokesman was quoted Thursday as saying the organization, angered by the Taiwan situation, was considering withdrawing support

from the Games, a move which would have reduced the whole business to "just another track meet," in the words of United States Olympic Committee spokesman Bob Paul.

The United States said it wanted no part of such a competition and threatened to pull out if the IOC withdrew its support.

But Lord Killanin, IOC President, announced Friday that the Committee had no intention of pulling out of the Games and had never "even

suggested privately it would take such action."

That statement seemed to satisfy U.S. officials. "Since the president of the IOC has clarified his position that the IOC will not withdraw recognition, sanction or patronage of the Games, there should no longer be a question of U.S. team participation in Montreal."

The situation which triggered the IOC and USOC threats remained unsettled. Glen Shortliffe, a spokesman for Canada's Internal

Affairs Department, kicked off this latest Olympic controversy Thursday when he announced that Taiwan's athletes would not be allowed to compete in the Games as Nationalist China. Canadian officials said the Taiwanese would not be permitted to fly their flag or play their anthem.

The restrictions were the result of Canada's attempts to improve relations with the People's Republic of China. Canada recognizes the People's Republic of China—Red

China—and does not recognize the Republic of China—Taiwan.

Negative reaction to the Canadian government's action continued to pour in Saturday. The International Amateur Athletic Federation and the International Judo Federation, both based in London, issued protests, joining a host of other groups in berating Canada for injecting politics into the Olympics.

The IOC and the USOC have already protested the move. Killanin is ex-

pected in Montreal Monday and will probably confer with Canadian officials about the move.

Meanwhile, Taiwan officials said the country's 51-member Olympic team plans to proceed to Montreal as originally planned, and officials would challenge Canada's decision. And four members of the Taiwan Olympic sailing team moved into the Montreal Olympic Village Friday night without incident.



RECORDING GROUP VISITS ALI — Muhammad Ali, who is recovering from blood clots in his legs after his fight in Japan against Antonio Inoki, was visited by members of the Spinners, a recording group, Saturday morning. I to Henry Sambrough and Philippe Wynne talked with Ali about his acting as master of ceremonies for their Jackie Wilson benefit show in October in New Jersey.

Norton fight on Ali's leg wounds deemed superficial

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — Muhammad Ali earned about a million dollars a punch for throwing six punches in his much ballyhooed and equally criticized martial arts match against Antonio Inoki, and boxing's heavyweight champion paid a price by coming out of the bout with blood clots in his legs.

But the blood clots, which had greatly alarmed Ali's followers when he was hospitalized Thursday, were deemed to be superficial Friday by the 34-year-old champion's physician.

Dr. Robert Kositchek said there was severe anemia produced by bleeding into the leg, but that Ali's over-all condition was less serious than first believed.

The doctor added, though, that the champion would remain hospitalized until further tests and observation are complete.

Kositchek said, "Medical tests revealed superficial thrombi around both knees with no evidence of any deep vein thrombosis.

"Tests did indicate severe muscle damage, vein damage and accumulation of both fluid and blood in the entire left leg," Ali's administrative assistant, Jeremiah Shabazz, said the champion was expected to be out of the hospital in a few days.

Shabazz said the injury should not stop the champion from meeting Ken Norton in a scheduled 15-rounder Sept. 28 in Yankee Stadium.

"We're still predicting a knockout over Norton," Shabazz said. "Let Norton know he can't get out of this one."

Ali suffered the injuries last Saturday when he and Inoki fought to a draw in their martial arts showdown in Tokyo. Inoki's strategy for most of the match was to lie on his back and kick Ali in the legs.

"He was bruised and bloodied on the left from the thigh to the ankle," said Gene LeBell, who refereed the match. "He was limping on the right back following the fight and had to be carried up to the apartment where he was staying."



MSA CITY CHAMPIONS — The McMahon Mixers, who finished third in regular season of the Miss Softball America Major League, had to traverse a rough schedule in one day last weekend, but they did it to win the MSA City Championship. They beat the 4th place Blue Angels 15-9, the 1st place Gibson Gals 13-12 and the 2nd place Kilowatts 17-7 to win the title. Members of the squad are: (sitting left to right) Teresa Hohertz, Penni Coffee, Delia Billalba and Sandra Bell; (kneeling) Terri Morrow, Paula Witte, Kerrie Morrow and Lisa Hartman; (standing) Max Coffee, coach, Sissy Yancy, Nora Billalba, Angela Cobb and Kenneth Morrow, coach. Not present for the picture are Sheryl Merritt and Elaine Morrow, manager.

Scorecard

Ruidoso results

FRIDAY RESULTS
FIRST (400 yds) On Tabasco 16.40, 5.20, 4.80; (Golf) Roul 4.00, 3.40; (Baseball) Kater 6.60, Time 21:17

SECOND (500 yds) Roll Time 5.20, 4.20, 3.90; (Baseball) Burned Adv. roll 3.90, Time 1:10:45

THIRD (400 yds) Lockridge 48.60, 13.20, 6.00; (Baseball) Lady Johnnie 3.80, 3.00; Deck Top 4.00, Time 47:45

QUINELLA PD \$37.20

FOURTH (500 yds) Azura 5.80, 9.80, 4.60, 4.80; (Baseball) Koll on 5.20, 4.80; Tercero 5.20, Time 38:99

FIFTH (400 yds) Minky Wilk 22.00, 12.40, 4.80; (Baseball) Miss Champ 31.40, 9.40; Doc's Windy Gold 3.20, Time 1:18:0

SIXTH (350 yds) Queen Chloe 51.20, 16.00, 4.80; (Baseball) Ester's Bunny 8.40, 6.00; Charge A Little 4.00, Time 1:18:32

EXACTA PD \$396.40

SEVENTH (500 yds) Infinite 10.20, 6.40, 3.80; (Baseball) Sonef Bird 12.80, 9.40; Purple Devil 7.00, Time 1:08:25

QUINELLA PD \$112.00

EIGHTH (400 yds) McCoy's Regard's 41.60, 16.20, 8.20; I Have Heard 11.80, 6.80; (Baseball) Bold Scout 6.20, Time 1:16:45

NINTH (350 yds) Leta Barnes Bug 4.60, 3.40, 2.80; (Baseball) Miss Tally Jay 10.20, 5.80; (Baseball) Easy Go 4.00, Time 1:18:65

QUINELLA PD \$201.20

TENTH (one mile) Hard Guy Redwell 6.60, 4.00, 3.20; (Baseball) Dottie's Dancer 4.40, 3.00; Deep 2.80, Time 1:44:15

ELEVENTH (600 yds) Trail Driver 8.20, 3.40, 2.40; (Baseball) Curra Call 1.90, 3.40; (Baseball) Arran Dunce 2.40, Time 1:20:2

TWELFTH (400 yds) Princess Gossip 35.40, 18.40, 9.80; (Baseball) Princess Gossip 30.00, 15.20; (Baseball) Cheapers Jetaway 5.80, Time 1:17:25

QUINELLA PD \$201.20

ATTENDANCE 5,600

TOTAL HANDLE \$352,334

SATURDAY RESULTS
FIRST (400 yds) Tammy True 12.00, 4.40, 3.80; (Baseball) True Scout 3.00, 2.40; (Baseball) Dancing Dickhand 6.20; Time 47:15

SECOND 400 Yds. Joe Bob Adams 11.00, 6.60, 4.00; (Baseball) Express 20.40, 7.60; (Baseball) Bar Face Kid 3.20, Time 21:01

DD (800 PD) \$130.00

THIRD (600 yds) Like To Do 13.20, 7.00, 3.40; (Baseball) Whitney's Baby 5.40, 4.20; (Baseball) Smitty's Girl 8.40; Time 1:21:45

Baseball

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East

W	L	Pct.	GB
Phila	51	21	7.08
Pitts	42	30	5.83
New York	42	31	5.32
St. Louis	32	42	4.32
Chicago	30	45	4.00
Montreal	24	44	3.53

West

W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincin	46	31	5.97
Los Ang	42	36	5.38
San Diego	41	36	5.32
Houston	38	41	4.68
San Fran	31	49	3.88

Night games not included

Saturday's Games
New York 3, Chicago 2, 10 in innings
Philadelphia 3, Pittsburgh 2
Atlanta 4, San Francisco 0
Houston at Cincinnati, (n)
Montreal at St. Louis, (n)
San Diego at Los Angeles, (n)

Sunday's Games
Chicago (Burr 3) and Bonham 4 5) at New York (Lolic 4) and Swan 4 7) at Pittsburgh (Kison 6) and Demery 5) 1)
Philadelphia (Kaaf 8) and Carflon 7) at Pittsburgh (Kison 6) and Demery 5) 1)
Montreal (Stanhouse 5) at St. Louis (Falcone 5) 7)
Houston (Dierker 7) at Cincinnati (Nolan 7) 4)
San Diego (Jones 14) at Los Angeles (John 5) 4)
Atlanta (More 3) at San Francisco (Dressler 1) 6)

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East

W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	45	27	4.25
Cleveland	37	35	5.14
Detroit	36	36	5.00
Boston	35	37	4.86
Baltimore	35	39	4.73
Milwaukee	27	42	3.91

West

W	L	Pct.	GB
Kan City	46	28	6.22
Texas	41	31	5.69
Oakland	37	40	4.81
Minnesota	35	39	4.73
Chicago	34	39	4.66
California	32	47	4.05

Major League Leaders

BATTING (116 at bats) G. Brett, K.C. 3.58; Leflore, Det. 3.44; Boston, Min. 3.35; McArae, K.C. 3.32; Munson, N.Y. 3.31

RUNS Ols, K.C. 53; Rivers, N.Y. 49; Hargrave, Tex. 49; R. White, N.Y. 47; North, Oak 4.

RUNS BATTED IN Burroughs, Tex. 54; Chambliss, N.Y. 53; Mayberry, K.C. 53; Ols, K.C. 50; Munson, N.Y. 49; McArae, K.C. 49; Carey, Min. 49

DOUBLES Carly, Cle. 18; Ols, K.C. 18; Hargrave, Tex. 18; Rivers, N.Y. 17; McArae, K.C. 17

TRIPLES G. Brett, K.C. 8; Garner, Oak 8; Leflore, Det. 8; Tied With 5

HOME RUNS Bando, Oak 17; L. May, Bal. 13; Rice, Bos. 13; Ystrzemecki, Bos. 13; Hendrick, Cle. 13

STOLEN BASES Patek, K.C. 37; Baylor, Oak 34; North, Oak 34; Carey, Min. 32; Campaneris, Oak 26

PITCHING (7 Decisions) Garland, Bal. 81, 8.99, 2.04; Fidrych, Det. 81, 8.89, 2.05; Bird, K.C. 81, 8.89, 2.09; W. Campbell, Min. 82, 8.00, 2.38; J. Brown, Cle. 72, 7.78, 2.88; Kern, Cle. 62, 7.50, 2.24; Vuckovich, Chi. 62, 7.50, 3.45; Leonard, K.C. 73, 7.00, 3.06

STRIKEOUTS Ryan, Cal. 136; Tanana, Cal. 125; Blyleven, Tex. 115; Jenkins, Bos. 99; Hunter, N.Y. 89

National League

First Team
Robert Avila, Pecos, catcher, senior; Linnet Mosby, Pecos, pitcher, senior; Mike Kiger, Spring, first base, senior; Mark Thompson, Texasana Liberty, Elyau, second base, senior; Bert Maddox, Midway, third base, senior; Andre Robertson, West Orange, shortstop, senior; James Glenn, Navasota, outfield, senior; Calvin Whitson, Canning, outfield, senior; Arlan Thieleman, Brenham, outfield, senior.

Second Team
Nick Junior, Duncanville, catcher, senior; Keith Crest, Duncanville, pitcher, junior; Fritz Conley, Pasadena, first base, senior; Rusty Loughlin, Midland Lee, second base, senior; Romero Luna, Edinburg, third base, senior; Larry Selby, San Antonio MacArthur, shortstop, senior; Larry Long, Duncanville, outfield, senior; Deacon Winters, Baytown Sterling, outfield, senior; Elliot Robinson, Dallas W. T. White, outfield, senior.

3A
Robert Avila, Pecos, catcher, senior; Linnet Mosby, Pecos, pitcher, senior; Mike Kiger, Spring, first base, senior; Mark Thompson, Texasana Liberty, Elyau, second base, senior; Bert Maddox, Midway, third base, senior; Andre Robertson, West Orange, shortstop, senior; James Glenn, Navasota, outfield, senior; Calvin Whitson, Canning, outfield, senior; Arlan Thieleman, Brenham, outfield, senior.

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Top third round scores Saturday in the \$100,000 Greater Milwaukee Open Golf Tournament on the 7,010 yard, par 72 Tuckaway Country Club course:

Dave Hill 66-67 68-201
Homero Blancas 67-70 68-205
Fuzzy Zoeller 66-66 74-206

Baseball

DOUBLES Zisk, Pgh. 20; Mon Janer, Ark. 18; Maddox, Chi. 18; Garvey, L.A. 18; G. Maddox, Phi. 17; Bench, Cin. 17; Rose, Cin. 17; Winfield, SD. 17

TRIPLES D. Cash, Phi. 7; D. Parker, Pgh. 7; Tyson, St. L. 7; Geromino, Cin. 6; W. Davis, SD. 6

HOME RUNS Kingman, N.Y. 27; Schmidt, Phi. 21; G. Foster, Cin. 16; Morahan, Cin. 13; Moran, Cin. 13; Cedeno, Min. 13

STOLEN BASES Cedeno, Min. 27; Brock, St. L. 24; Morgan, Cin. 23; Lopez, L.A. 21; Griffey, Cin. 20

PITCHING (7 Decisions) Rhoden, L.A. 7.0, 10.00, 2.93; Matlack, N.Y. 10.2, 8.23, 2.92; Jones, SD. 14.3, 8.24, 2.60; Kaat, Phi. 8.2, 8.00, 3.06; Alcala, Cin. 7.2, 7.78, 4.57; Reed, Phi. 6.7, 7.50, 2.86; Norman, Cin. 6.2, 7.50, 3.09; Freisleben, SD. 6.2, 7.50, 2.75

STRIKEOUTS Seaver, N.Y. 111; Musgrave, Atl. 94; J. Richardson, Min. 94; P. Niekro, Atl. 86; Montefusco, SF. 82

TENNIS

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) Results in the Wimbledon-Tennis-Championships Saturday:

Men's Singles
Final Bjorg Borg, Sweden, beat Ilie Nastase, Romania, 6-4, 6-2, 7-5

Women's Doubles
Final Chris Evert, Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and Martina Navratilova, Czechoslovakia, beat Billie Jean King, Long Beach, Calif., and Betty Stove, Netherlands, 6-1, 6-5

Mixed Doubles
Final Tony Roche, Australia, and Francois Durr, France, beat Dick Stockton, Dallas, and Rosemary Casals 3-6, 6-2, 7-5

BSTA mixed-doubles reaches semi-finals

The Big Spring Tennis Association Mixed-Doubles Tournament has reached the semifinals with B. Stephens-J. Easterling challenging the team of D. Redwine-S. Walker and M. Terelesky-L. Redwine going against L. Walker-G. Oleson.

Since the tourney is being played at the Figure 7 Tennis Center, where the Highway 80 Tournament begins Monday, the mixed-doubles tourney will probably not be concluded until next weekend.

Results up to date are:

MIXED DOUBLES
First round — V. Coots-S. Lain over Jim Werrell-Carl Hart, 6-1, 6-3; D. Curlee-S. Jones, bye; Walt Finley-Carla Walker by default over Bud Nichols-Jerry Iden; J. Bolts-C. Wagner over Fred Brewer-Gretchen Fred, 6-2, 6-0.

Second round — B. Stephens-S. Easterling, bye; Coots-Lain over D. Curlee-S. Jones, 6-2, 7-5; W. Mann-A. Couvillon over C. Chapman-L. Coots, 6-1, 6-0; M. Terelesky-L. Redwine over S. Syes-D. Dannon, 7-5, 7-5; D. Couvillon-Sissy Mann over Finley-Walker, 6-0, 6-0; P. Hinman-E. Nichols over J. Bolts-G. Wagner, 6-2, 6-3; L. Walker-G. Oleson, bye.

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First round — M. Nichols-M. Wallace over M. Chavez-S. Head, 6-2, 6-4.

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SPORTS BRIEFS

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — The National Federation of High School Athletic Associations has begun its annual meeting here.

About 1,200 persons from throughout the country are attending the four-day convention which began Friday, according to Gill Gideon, executive secretary of the Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association.

EDMONTON (AP) — Interceptions in the last two minutes of play by newcomers Paul Williams and Randy Graham helped the Saskatchewan Roughriders hold on for a 25-20 Canadian Football League exhibition victory over the defending Grey Cup champion Edmonton Eskimos Friday night.

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP) — Lonnie A. Burt Jr. has resigned after 10 years as sports information director at Florida State.

A university statement released Friday said only that Burt resigned for personal reasons. Burt declined comment.

The effective date of the resignation will be worked out by Burt and Athletic Director John Bridgers, the statement said.

Burt agreed to remain until a replacement is found, Bridgers said.

Junior tennis results

K. K. Griffin won the girls' bracket of the Figure 7 Tennis Center Junior Tournament and Ali Syed topped the boys'. The tourney was round-robin.

Lori Hicks was runner-up in the girls' competition. Other contenders were Polly Barbee, Robin Daniels, Robin Ethridge, Louise Shive, Beverly Wheeler, Doris Wilson and Terri Stringer.

David Barbee came in second in the boys' group which also included his brother Neal, Greg, Franklin, Skip Hinman, Jim Parks, Ricky Proffitt, Bryan Stringer, Bill Kothmann and Bret Sterling.

Bench hits beat Astros

Johnny Bench tied the game with a solo home run and then drove in the winning run in the eighth with a grounder, lifting the Cincinnati Reds to a 9-8 victory over the Houston Astros Saturday night.

Bench's dribbler, momentarily bobbled by third baseman Enos Cabell, scored Ken Griffey, who had opened the inning with an infield hit, advanced to second on a passed ball and stole third.

Earlier, Bob Bailey drove in four runs for Cincinnati with two homers, including a threerun blast, to help the Reds snap a three-game losing streak.

Pedro Borbon, 2-1, blanked the Astros the last two innings to pick up the victory.

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NLL PEE WEE CHAMPS — The Angels of the National Little League Pee Wee Division came in first with a 5-2-1 record. Members of the team are: (sitting left to right) Scot Martin, Jay Lopez, Joey Bingham, Doug Marriott, bat boy, and Thad Thomas; (kneeling) Mark Martin, Charles Calhoun, Bobby Madigan, Dean Marriott, Todd Daniels and Chris George; (standing) Gregg Blythe, Tony Salazar, John Moore, Todd McKimney, Sammy Watson and Kim Anding. Co-manager Fred Martin is standing to left and coach Gary Martin to the right. Co-manager Vaughn Martin was not present for the picture.

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Penalized for losing tee? Partner tourney here

There will be a Partnership Tournament at the Big Spring Muny Golf Course July 10-11.

Entry fee for the two flight scratch-handicap tourney is \$40 a team. Entry deadline is Friday, July 9, 6:00 p.m. Gift certificates or merchandise in excess of \$2,000 will be awarded to the top eight places in each flight.

For further information call Bobby Howell, club professional: 263-8311 and 263-8830 after 5:00 p.m.

The Thursday night "Couples Twilighters" held their weekly golf tournament at the Muny course and it was hard to tell which sport was enjoyed the most — the hitting of the golf ball or the stuffing of the food.

Prizes of golf balls were given to two teams, as they tied for first place with a best ball of 30, five under par. The teams were — Bobby and Carole Howell, Jeff and Merle St. John and a fivesome consisting of Jack Powell, Delbert and Bonnie Burchett, Bob and June Waters.

Believe it or not — one of the golfers took a healthy swing at a ball that was teed up and knocked the tee twenty yards. The ball was never touched by the club and it slowly fell to the ground. The golfer was penalized two strokes, as she could not find her golf tee! Come on out and join the fun — we would like to have a few more laughs!

Phillies edge Pirates

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Mike Schmidt's two-out single scored Dave Cash from second base in the ninth inning and lifted the Philadelphia Phillies to a 3-2 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates Saturday.

The Phillies' triumph ended Pittsburgh's four-game winning streak and boosted Philadelphia back to nine full games ahead of the second-place Pirates in the National League East.

Cash singled off reliever Bob Moose with one out in the ninth and went to second when Larry Bowa grounded out.



NICE SHOT OLD CHUM — American golfer Tom Watson (right) plays his way out of a bunker together with the Mootown Club, Leeds, captain Victor Watson, July 2. Tom, enroute to Royal Birkdale to defend his British Open title, had made a special detour to the Mootown Club to take on a number of Victor's friends including England Soccer team manager Don Revie.

Big Spring volleyballer Grant to San Angelo St.

Jodi Grant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Grant, 1803 Morrison Street, was recently awarded a \$1,100 scholarship in volleyball to San Angelo State University.

Grant was senior captain for the 1975 Big Spring Steers which had an impressive 19-6 and 12-2 district record coming in second to Midland High, which advanced to the state tournament.

Her choice of study in college will be in physical education.

Also, receiving a scholarship to San Angelo, is Paula Blount, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Blount, Plains, Texas. She has received two all-state awards and one second team all-American while playing for Howard College. Blount will be pursuing a degree in physical education and coaching.



She made all-tournament at Howard College and was chosen all-district in District 5-AAAA.

Big Spring youths qualify for Champions

Jeff Newton and Bruce Carroll of Big Spring tied for first in the PGS Junior Tournament at the Brownfield Country Club Thursday to qualify for the PGA Tournament of Champions to be held at the Big Spring Country Club on August 3-4.

received trophies for finishing second in their age bracket in the Brownfield tourney. Newton lost his sudden-death playoff for the 16-18 title on the first extra hole and Carroll met the same fate in the 14-15 playoff.

Newton fired a 73 for his round and Carroll had a 76.



TEXAS LEAGUE CARDINALS — BIG SPRING LITTLE LEAGUE CHAMPIONS

Molina initiates Pittman Texas Cardinals reign

Monday night four visiting teams lost in the Big Spring Little League City Championship. Tuesday night the four visiting teams lost. In the semifinal games Wednesday and Thursday nights

the two visiting clubs lost. In the final game the Texas League Champion Cardinals were the visiting team. They won.

Moe Rubio struck out 11, walked three and surrendered three hits to lead the Texas Leaguers to an 8-3 victory over the National League Cardinals Friday night at Pittman Field, home of the National Little League.

The American League Champion Hawks downed the International Starfighters 9-1 to win the consolation contest.

The Texas League Cardinals applied pressure to the National nine in the first inning and never let up as they pounded losing hurler Randy Johnson for 13 hits including two doubles and a home run.

Tony Molina, who thrilled Texas League fans with two moon shots over the Texas Park light tower showed Little League fans he doesn't care what park he plays in by blasting one over the Pittman light tower to clinch the game for the Cards in the sixth.

National League Cards Chris Teer had made the game exciting with one swing of the bat in the third inning. With the bases-loaded he drilled a single into centerfield knocking in two runs and before the play was over the then tying run had come across.

The Texas Leaguers ignored the gauntlet, though, and went their merry way scoring two runs in the



MOE RUBIO (left) and TONY MOLINA

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MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING — Chicago White Sox' Chet Lemon, right, swan dives onto second base while Texas Rangers shortstop Toby Harrah stands ready for a throw that never came, during first inning Friday night in Chicago. Chicago's Rich Coggins failed to beat out a bunt on the play.

Blyleven pitches well, but not well enough

CHICAGO (AP) — Manager Paul Richards grudgingly is growing accustomed to one-run-per-game output of his Chicago White Sox.

"When we got that run in the first inning I told Bart Johnson 'There it is, that's all we can do for you.'"

Johnson took it literally Friday night and hurled the White Sox to a 1-0 victory over the Texas Rangers with a snappy five-hit performance. It marked the fourth straight game in which the White Sox have scored only one run.

The unpredictable Johnson, considered a flake in baseball circles, appears to be predictable where the Rangers are concerned and now has a 7-0 lifetime record against them. This season alone he has allowed the Rangers but two runs in 26 innings.

"Just a coincidence," said Johnson. "I pitched well against other clubs, like Minnesota, but I don't have that kind of record to show."

"I had super stuff in the first inning and I think I got overconfident. Then I started struggling. I had a pretty good fastball, and

threw a few sliders. When I needed an out, they either hit the ball to somebody, or I made a good pitch."

Johnson boosted his record to 6-7, while Bert Blyleven, 6-9, took the loss. Blyleven came into the game with a string of 20 scoreless innings, and the Sox took immediate care of that.

Chet Lemon led off the Chicago first with a single, went to second on Rich Coggins' sacrifice bunt, and scored on Jorge Orta's single.

Blyleven was nicked for at least one hit in every inning.

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D. Maricis	4:00.0	Coggins	3:00.0
B. Johnson	2:10.0	Orta	4:01.1
P. Harper	0:00.0	Harrah	4:02.0
F. Harper	0:00.0	Harrah	4:02.0
H. Smith	4:00.0	Dennis	3:01.0
B. Johnson	4:02.0	Harrah	2:01.0
B. Johnson	0:00.0	B. Johnson	2:01.0
H. Smith	3:00.0	Esau	3:01.0
C. Green	4:01.0	B. Johnson	0:00.0
M. Smith	1:01.0		
L. Houston	1:00.0		
S. Anderson	3:00.0		
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after the first, and a total of ten, but didn't allow another run to score.

Johnson was far better. He gave up singles to Tom Grieve and Dave Moates after two were out in the second inning.

Spence recap

Channel catfish catches dominated reports from Lake E. V. Spence during the past week, but K. D. Dennis, Denver City, had the biggest fish — a 16½-lb. striped bass.

Every concession around the lake reported good strings of channel cat, and there were some blue and yellow catfish mixed in.

Among the reports were:

Triangle Grocery and Bait — James Hulsey and family of Odessa 44 channel cat to 2 lbs. and two blue catfish to 5 lbs.; M. and Mrs. Herman Spurgeon and party, Odessa, seven striper to 10 lbs.

Y. J.'s Marina — L. R. Bonner, Odessa, two striper to 4-2 lbs. and nine channel cat to 4½ lbs.

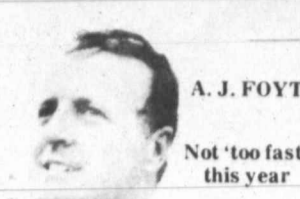
Wildcat Fish-A-Rama — B. J. Littlejohn and Tommy Anderson, Odessa, 30 channel cat to 3 lbs.

Hillside Grocery and Bait — Bernard and Josey McMahan, Coahoma, 40 channel cat to 4 lbs., a 5½-lb. striper, and a 6-lb. yellow cat; Tommy Williams, Big Spring, 13 channel cat to 1½ lbs.; Ronald Bufkin, Lamesa, three channel cat for 12 lbs.; K. D. Dennis, Denver City, 16½-lb. striper, also 10 channel cat to 4 lbs.; Ronald Dennis, Brownfield, two striper to 6 lbs. and 10 channel cat to 5 lbs.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denene, Midland, nine channel cat to 9 lbs. and two striper to 6 lbs. and a 9-lb. yellow cat; Jim Fatout, Odessa, a 7-lb. striper.

Slow qualifying times suspect

Sandbagging at Firecracker?

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — "It is quite obvious that some of the guys are sandbagging, trying to get the rules changed," observed Bobby Allison, "or more accurately, not get them changed."



A. J. FOYT Not 'too fast' this year

Allison, referring to the practice of not qualifying a race car as fast as it is capable of running, was apparently not guilty of that transgression in qualifying Friday for Sunday's \$170,000 Firecracker 400 stock car race. He earned the fourth starting position.

Other cars were unexpectedly slower than forecast — and not especially upset about it. "I'm not unhappy or real disappointed," insisted Buddy Baker, who qualified 12th in his Ford. "This Ford's body style hurts us a little bit. It's bulky in front and displaces too much air."

"But it handles better in traffic than alone. So it should be right in there on

race day."

Baker blazed to victory in the Winston 500, the fastest 500-mile race ever run, earlier this year after qualifying only 13th.

Darrell Waltrip, who was one of the fastest three qualifiers here in February but had his speed disallowed, posted the 17th fastest speed this time.

The major rules change this season has been requirement of a new carburetor which cuts fuel flow to the engine almost in half. Another change last month allowed blocking of radiator

sections to improve aerodynamics. "I guess that helped the Dodges more than the rest," said Richard Petty, who qualified third fastest Friday. Only six of the 52 drivers who made attempt Friday were over 180 miles per hour.

Dave Marcis, a pole winner in six of 15 races this season, was sixth, one of his worst starting spots all year.

The second fastest qualifier, Cale Yarborough, commented, "I saw some cars running earlier that weren't running as fast as I think they can. They're afraid of a rule change if they show how fast they really can run."

"There's very little at stake in qualifying, but when the money is on the line, you'll see some of those slower qualifiers running like bandits."

For pole position winner A.J. Foyt, however, the problem is running too

fast, not too slow. The crusty Texan ran too fast in turning in fast qualifying time here last February for the Daytona 500. That brought special attention from inspectors who said his car was rigged with "non-approved" equipment.

Despite his quick time Friday, NASCAR officials

found nothing suspicious. Foyt, with a speed of 183.090 m.p.h., shares the front row with Yarborough, another Chevrolet driver, who usually qualifies well down the list but seems to run away once the races start.

Next are Petty and Allison, followed by Benny Parsons and Marcis.

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Cowpokes open camp

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. (AP) — The Super Bowl X runnerup Dallas Cowboys opened training camp Monday at California Lutheran College and Coach Tom Landry says "It will be tough to attain the same success we had last year."

The 1975 Cowboys were supposed to be a rebuilding team, yet stunned the National Football League with a 10-4 season and entered the playoffs as a wild card. Dallas defeated Minnesota and Los Angeles in the National Conference playoffs before losing to Pittsburgh in the Super Bowl.

"We won't surprise many people this time," said Landry. "When you come out of the Super Bowl everyone expects you to be as good as you were getting there. This doesn't mean it is impossible for us to get there again."

"I think we will be able to tell when we leave training camp."

Dallas' first pre-season game is at Oakland July 31. The regular season opener is in Texas Stadium on Sunday, Sept. 12, against the Philadelphia Eagles.

About 60 rookie draft choices and free agents are scheduled to report to camp Monday.

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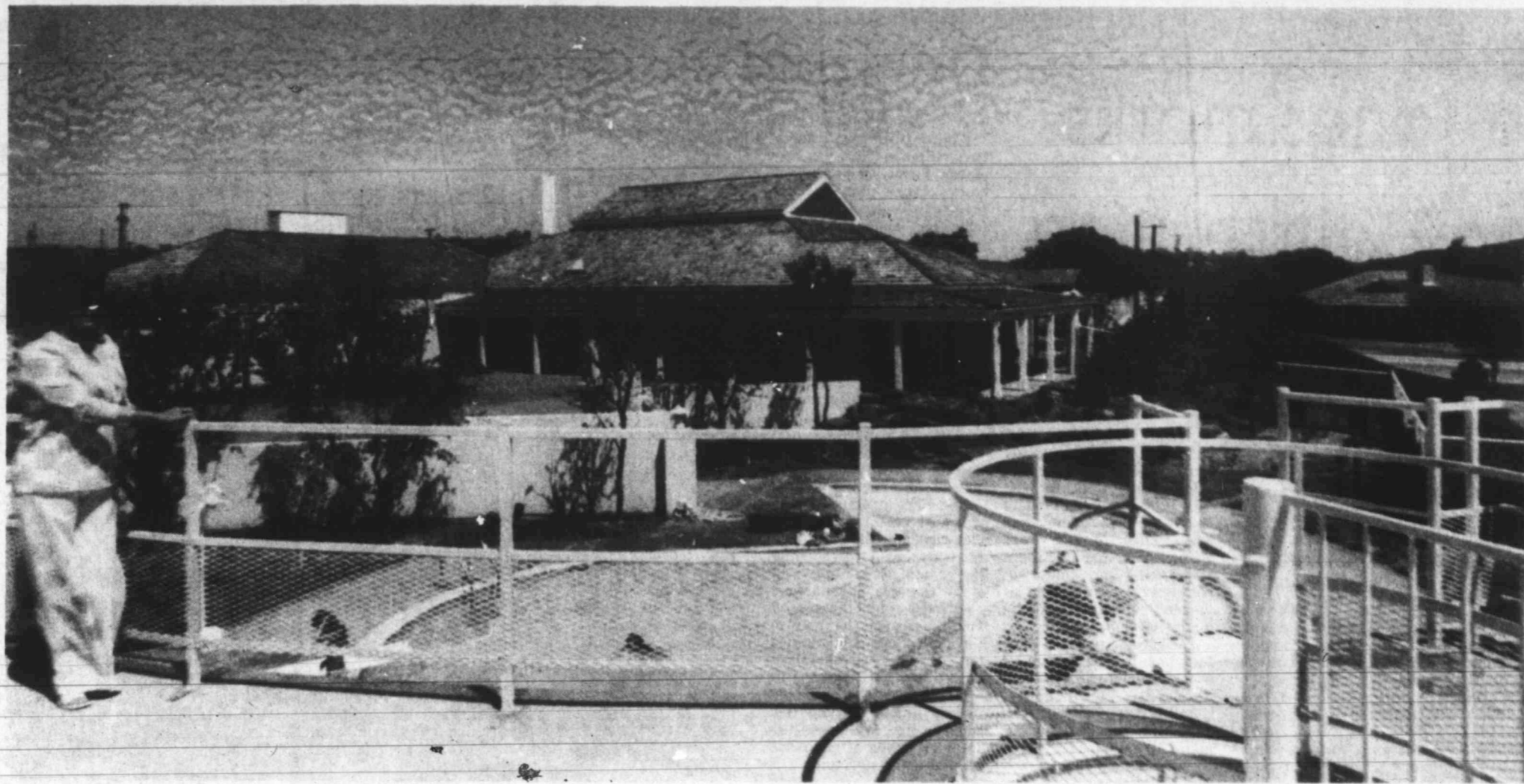


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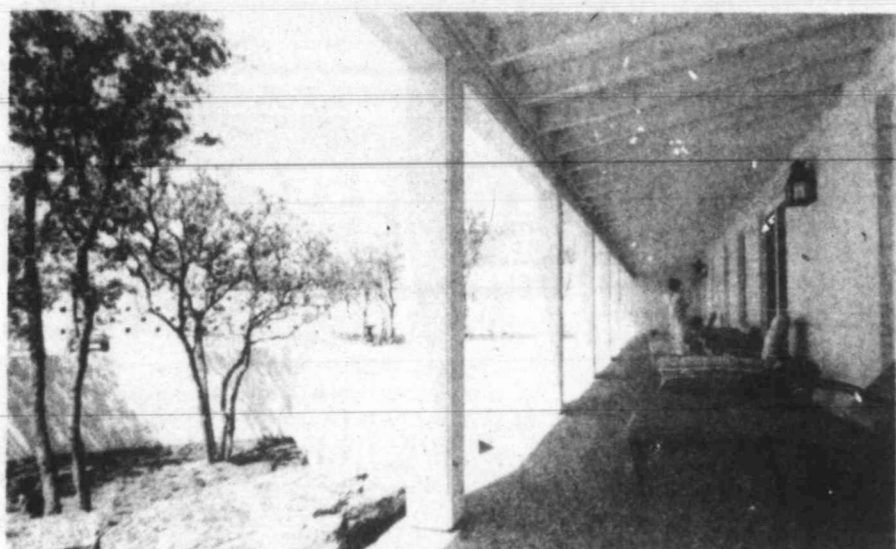
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ABOVE IT ALL — The house, viewed from the terrace on top of the pool house roof, takes up more than half a block, including the patio and swimming pool. The house has an unseen basement as well as the obvious upstairs playground.



MRS. DORLAND stands outside her back patio door and views the grounds leading to the pool area.

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By Candy Smith and Carol Hart

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DINING ROOM — A chandelier throws light on a new dining set called "Country Living."

This home is any man's castle

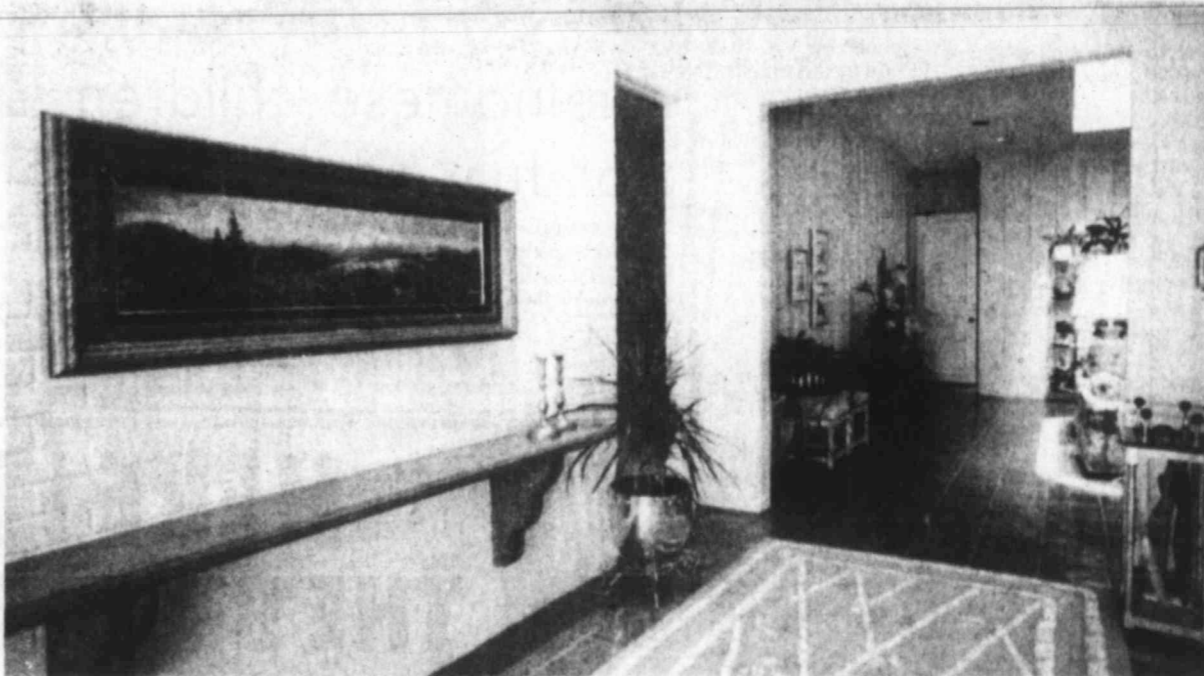
A hermit could live a very comfortable life in a house like this. There's little to go out for that can't be found within the half-block structure.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Dorland spent almost two years building their house and just moved in about six months ago. It might have been a terrific load, but Mrs. Dorland says she got out of the moving by being in the hospital with surgery when it all happened in January of this year.

The first thing that's noticed on entering the house is the abundance of fresh plants and floral arrangements. A more than three-foot deep skylight in the family room keeps them healthy and growing. The kitchen, carpeted entirely in a light and dark striped blue, is arranged around a large formica square in the center of the room. Hanging plants fall down almost to the bar stools that sit around the center square.

The breakfast area is gested back in a bay window closed off by floral drapes. Spots around the kitchen are papered in matching wallpaper.

Mrs. Dorland is a fan of the artist Windberg, and paintings of his can be found scattered in different rooms of the house. The newest Windberg painting has its place of honor in the entrance hall above a long, low wooden mantle. The



THROUGH THE FRONT DOOR — A Windberg painting hangs in the entrance way to the Dorland home. The entrance way leads directly to the family room.

only ornaments are two brass candlesticks with wide-rim candles. On the floor a brass-potted palm complements the room.

The formal living room is decorated in French Provincial furniture, mostly shades of blue. The divan and armchair are covered with a pale yellow and blue print that is set off by the pale blue carpet and pale yellow armchair on the further side of the room.

A card game table in grey has a single arrangement of pink willow branches, giving an almost Japanese air. Mrs. Dorland's collection of cut glass and crystal, painted china and other treasures are shown off in a china cabinet which matches the living room suite. Mrs. Dorland's favorite Windberg painting is above the fireplace.

The dining room focuses on a dining suite called "Country Living," a new style. A matching buffet and another cabinet give the dining area a tasteful and elegant look. In one corner sits a seven-foot palm in a basket of white wicker.

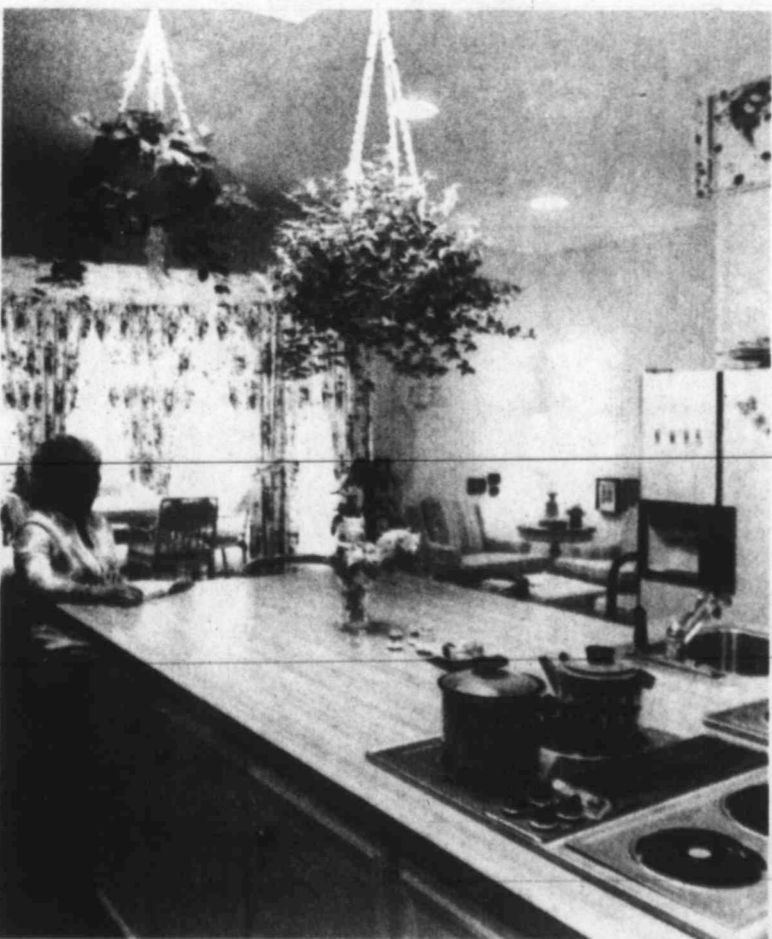
The Dorland's bedroom is done in pale yellow with an off-white carpet. A cut-crystal vase holds a bright arrangement of iris made of stiff fabric. The bedroom suite is a French Provincial of fruitwood.

Besides the three bedrooms and baths, kitchen, family room, dining room, living room and breakfast area, are the basement and upstairs game room.

In the basement are an air hockey table, player piano, electric table tennis set, shuffle board and sauna. There are also several closets for storage, including one paneled in cedar.

The upstairs playground is papered in a scene of Paris carpeted with a multi-colored shag and furnished with a soda bar and ice cream parlor tables and chairs.

Photos by Danny Valdes



A SPACIOUS KITCHEN — Mrs. Dorland checks a recipe while seated at the edge of a counter in the kitchen.



A PLACE TO RELAX — The family room is a place the Dorlands can relax and watch television. The room is done in colors of green and yellow.

Clyde Jones marks birthday with nation

The Fourth of July is a special day to Clyde Jones for more than one reason. In addition to being the nation's 200th birthday, Jones will mark his 86th birthday on that day.

"Daddy enjoys his birthday just as much as the grandkids enjoy theirs," said Jones' daughter, Mrs. Elmer Askins. Jones is staying with Mrs. Askins, 608 Linda, for a while. He also spends much of his time in Snyder.

His family had planned a birthday celebration in the Askin home on Saturday. Planning to come, in addition to the Askin family, were his other daughter and family, Mrs. Gilbert Fields, Snyder; and his son and family, Dr. Cy Jones, Lubbock. Mrs. Askins estimated that 20 people would attend the celebration.

Mr. Jones was born in Snyder on July 4, 1890. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jones. His father was a farmer in the Plainview area. When he



CLYDE JONES

died in 1904, the family took over the business of running the farm. Jones had five brothers and three sisters. He was the youngest boy.

Jones has spent most of his 86 years in the Snyder-Big Spring area. He picked cotton for a time in Fannin County in 1921, but came back to this area because "I like this part of the country."

Jones married Minnie Prince, a girl who had lived in the Snyder area for many years. They met at church,

which at the time was held in a brick school building in the Plainview community. Mrs. Jones died in 1962.

Jones hauled gravel in Snyder for 35 years, then worked with a binder cutting feed for 15 years.

"Daddy still has a binder that he used for many years," said Mrs. Askins. "He doesn't want to part with it. He can take binders apart and make them work when other people have given up on them." Jones added that his binder at home was not working at present, but that he could fix it if he found the time.

The Snyder pioneer knew the people in his area well. "I used to know everybody in Snyder," said Jones. "Daddy could tell you anybody's name there," added Mrs. Askins.

"I don't know them now," Mr. Jones said sadly. Most of the people he knew have gone from the area, said Mrs. Askins.

Mrs. Askins and Jones reminisced about July 4 celebrations in Snyder. They remember a few years back when they went to Towle Park in Snyder to watch the crowds—and the fireworks. But Mr. Jones' eyes sparkled when he spoke of the reunion his family had planned for him. For Mr. Jones, this will be a Fourth to remember.

Demand yields new machine

The Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center will be getting a new machine which blocks chronic pain, such as migraine headaches, following action by the board of directors Monday.

The board voted to authorize the center to purchase a second transcutaneous nerve stimulator (TNS) machine to go with the first one donated two months ago.

Jack Davis, executive director, said that last month the center had 49 patients use the TNS machine, and the demand for it was becoming so great that a second one is needed.

The TNS machine, which will cost \$365, uses its own electrical impulses to block the body's pain by impeding the firing of nerve fibers.

For example, the machine electrodes might be placed on the forearms for pain in the hand. The machine sends out impulses which block pain.

Davis said the machine makes people in pain feel much better. Whether long-term reduction of pain can be effected is uncertain.

The machine is used mainly on headaches and chronic pain, but also for various muscle strains. It can be carried in a patient's front pocket during one-hour treatments.

In other action, the board elected Dr. Emmett McKenzie, superintendent of Big Spring Public Schools, as a new director.

The June meeting also was the first for Ralph Brooks, owner of Blum's Jewelry, to serve as vice-president of



(Photo By Danny Valdes) Kaki Morton, left, explains how the transcutaneous nerve stimulator works to one of its beneficiaries, Jesse Manuel, right.

the board. He follows attorney Ben Bancroft who became president after Tom Locke moved.

The directors also voted to have this year's audit done by Kenneth C. Boothe, a Big Spring certified public accountant.

Davis reported to the board that the number of patients being treated had slacked off for summer and was running behind last year because the center is operating with one less professional staffer.

He said the center had a net loss of just over \$3,000 for the month of May but was showing a profit of \$29,000 for the year.

Davis also commented on the problem of patients who do not show up for ap-

pointments or do not let the center know that they cannot come.

For May, he said this ran more than 30 per cent of the appointments. This problem wastes staff time and keeps other therapy patients from being treated, he said.

The board authorized Davis to notify patients that they will face a nominal charge if they fail to show up for appointments without phoning the center.

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Ford puts woman in charge of discrimination program

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Ford administration is putting a woman in charge of a sweeping new project to eliminate federal laws and regulations which treat men and women differently solely because of their sex.

"A woman will definitely head the task force," Asst. Atty. Gen. J. Stanley Pottinger said in an interview Thursday shortly after President Ford announced the plan.

Pottinger, head of the Justice Department's civil rights division, will supervise the project and predicted it would "lead to important new legislation" protecting women's rights.

He said he is considering two women attorneys within the division for the job but hasn't decided which one to appoint.

Pottinger said the project is designed to root out provisions which discriminate against men as well as women.

"The review will cut both ways. But in the vast majority of cases, the women suffer the discrimination," he added.

Announcing the plan, Ford

said "some of the laws discriminating against women appear petty and even ridiculous. But the fact is, they are all equally unjust — all equally demeaning to Americans and all equally inconsistent with the American philosophy of equality."

As examples of provisions which might be changed, Pottinger cited the rules covering Social Security payments and disability benefits and other measures covering promotions for federal employees.

These provisions have been involved in recent court decisions striking down preferential treatment for men.

As for other areas, Pottinger said "this study is likely to reveal the extent to which existing laws discriminate."

He said the administration also may seek changes in federal criminal laws if they are found to treat men and women differently because of sex.

Ford urged the governors of all the states to launch similar reviews of their own laws.



Vietnamese children ready for July 4th celebration

Sixteen Vietnamese children spent the past week making American flags to celebrate the Fourth of July.


It was part of a summer program financed by the Catholic Community Ser-

VICES held at St. Mary's Episcopal Church.

Buses for the program are provided by Webb and both Webb and community wives are working together as volunteers.

This week's staff of women

were Debbie Gossett, Lana Cummings, Paula Ullman, Kathy Prendible, Lou La Rochelle, Paulette Schafer and Ginger James. Coordinators of the program are De Tucker, Lynne Solak and Cindy Moline.



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MALONE-HOGAN HOSPITAL
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Wingfield, 203 N. 13th, Lamesa, a boy, Justin Paul, at 3:45 a.m. June 25, weighing 7 pounds, 3 and 1/2 ounces.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Rex Cox, Box 41, Gail, a boy, Justin Trey, at 10:07 p.m.

June 25, weighing 3 pounds, 2 ounces.
 Born to Mrs. Dennis Stockberger, 1905 Wason, Apt. 4B1, a girl, Jennifer Kay, at 12:38 a.m. June 26, weighing 6 pounds, 11 and 1/2 ounces.
 Born to Mrs. and Mrs. Gary Redlin, Box 692, a girl, Teresa Jean, at 10:15 a.m. June 28, weighing 6 pounds, 11 ounces.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Terry Row, 2501 32nd Street, Snyder, a boy, Larry Craig, at 9:54 a.m. June 30, weighing 7 pounds, 3 ounces.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Tenney, 2503 Lynn, a boy, Matthew James, at 8:10 a.m. June 30, weighing 7 pounds, 8 ounces.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs.



MR. AND Mrs. Paul Talamantez Sr., 212 NE 10th Street, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Arlene, to Abel Baldazo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guadalupe Baldazo Sr., Lubbock. The couple will be married July 31 in the Kingdom Hall, 1011 North Runnels. Raul Garza, congregation elder, will perform the ceremony.

Miss Debbie Bennett is honoree at shower

Miss Debbie Bennett, bride-elect of Benny Parker, was honored with a bridal shower Monday evening in the Fellowship Hall of the Trinity Baptist Church.

The honoree wore a floor length green voile dress, printed with yellow and white daisies, and featuring puffed sleeves and a tie belt. She was presented a corsage as was her mother, Mrs. Callie Bennett. Special guest was Miss Bennett's grandmother, Mrs. R. W. McNew.

Miss Tammy Watkins registered guests and Miss Paula Waters assisted with the gifts.

The table was covered with an orange cloth, centered with a candle circled with flowers, on a crystal stand. Silver and crystal appointments were used.

Hostesses were Mrs. James Fuller, Mrs. Floyd Williams, Mrs. Howard Shaffer, Mrs. Luke Fortenberry, Mrs. Jimmy Newsom, Mrs. R. L. Cooper, Mrs. Roy Shaffer, Mrs. Tom Yeats, Mrs. Billy Powell, Mrs. Jesse Majors, Mrs. Jack Shaffer, Mrs. Paul Beasley and Mrs. Roy Watkins.

The couple will be married July 10 in the Trinity Baptist Church.



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hughes, Route One, Knott, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Connie Hughes, to David Zant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Zant, Route B, Lamesa. The ceremony will be held August 7 at the home of the bride's parents.

Forsan report

Jiffy Knitting Club meets in Galloway home Thursday

The Jiffy Knitting Club met with Bernice Galloway Thursday evening, June 24 at 7:30 p.m. for a show and tell meeting.

Mabel Richmond showed a vest made of red and white wool blend yarn, Edith Davis showed a set of coasters. Bernice Galloway showed a tunic of grey and white blend yarn, a back scratcher, a pair of men's socks and a bed jacket. The back scratcher was wool yarn, the socks were also wool yarn and the bed jacket was orlon yarn.

Ann Herrman was presented as a new member. Mrs. Galloway showed a new method of binding off, and also a new way to make

belts.

NOTICE: The meeting has been changed to the fourth Monday evening of each month instead of the fourth Thursday evening. The next meeting will be with Edith Davis Monday evening July 26 at 7:30 p.m. Her address is Park Hill Terrace, Apartment 15.

Refreshments were served and the meeting adjourned.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCoy of Villa Grove, Illinois are guests of Mrs. G. L. Monroney. Mr. McCoy is a brother of Mrs. G. L. Monroney. Mr. Monroney is a patient in the VA Hospital at San Antonio. The

Monroneys' son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Monroney of Snyder took Mrs. Monroney and her brother's family to San Antonio to see Mr. Monroney.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cowley spent last weekend in Pecos visiting with Mr. Cowley's sister Mrs. Kathryn Hagar and daughter, Jimmie Ann, who is home for the summer. They also visited with Mr. Cowley's mother, Donna Cowley.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Camp recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. Gary Stewart and Mr. Ross Stewart of Fort Worth. The Gary Stewarts went on to Carlsbad Caverns. The Camps also had a fish fry recently. Guests for the fish fry were Mr. and Mrs. Theibert Camp and Mrs. Lurlene Rogers of Big Spring, also Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Camp and Mr. Ross Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McCall visited in Bangs recently with Mr. McCall's daughter, Mrs. Jerry Idleman, who is ill. She is going to Scott and White Hospital at Temple soon to enter the hospital. They also visited in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith.

Third floor employees hold annual luncheon

Women employes in the Howard County courthouse and legal secretaries gathered Thursday for a salad luncheon.

The women plan to hold the event each year, according to Mrs. Crittenden, around the Fourth of July.

The women met at noon in the Grand Jury room located on the third floor of the courthouse, according to Peggy Crittenden, district clerk. Mrs. Crittenden was hostess, along with Glenda Brasel, Debbie Christopher, Nelda Jones, and Collean Henry.

Everyone was urged to wear red, white and blue clothing to the luncheon, which had a Bicentennial theme.

Bing Crosby honored guest

LONDON (AP) — Entertainer Bing Crosby, who once appeared in a film called "A Yank at the Court of King Arthur," was the guest of honor in the court of another English monarch.

Prince Philip, husband of Queen Elizabeth II, threw a cocktail party Thursday night to thank the veteran crooner for donating the proceeds from a two-week run at the London Palladium to British charities.

Crosby, 72, opened the series of 13 concerts on June 21 and got a standing ovation from the sellout crowd and rave reviews in the London press. The concerts, all sold out well in advance, are expected to net about \$122,500 for charity.

Debbie Bennett is honoree

Miss Debbie Bennett, bride-elect of Benny Eugene Parker, Lubbock, was honored with a kitchen and recipe shower in Canyon recently.

Table at the shower was covered with a linen cloth and a centerpiece of fresh fruit and flowers. Orange petitfours and punch were served.

Miss Bennett and Parker will wed July 10 at the Trinity Baptist Church.

Jackie Coogan sues hospital

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actor Jackie Coogan is suing a Palm Springs hospital for \$1 million, alleging the hospital invaded his privacy by giving out personal information about a reported fainting spell in March.

Coogan, 61, claims in the suit filed Thursday in Los Angeles Superior Court that Desert Hospital released information that damaged his reputation and his chances to work.



Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Guy, Rt. 2, Box 170B, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Donna Batt, to Sp. 4 Donald A. Bedford, Ft. Hood. Bedford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Bedford, 811 Lorilla. The couple will be married at 7:30 p.m. July 10 in the Base Chapel with Chaplain Jimmie Baggett performing the ceremony.

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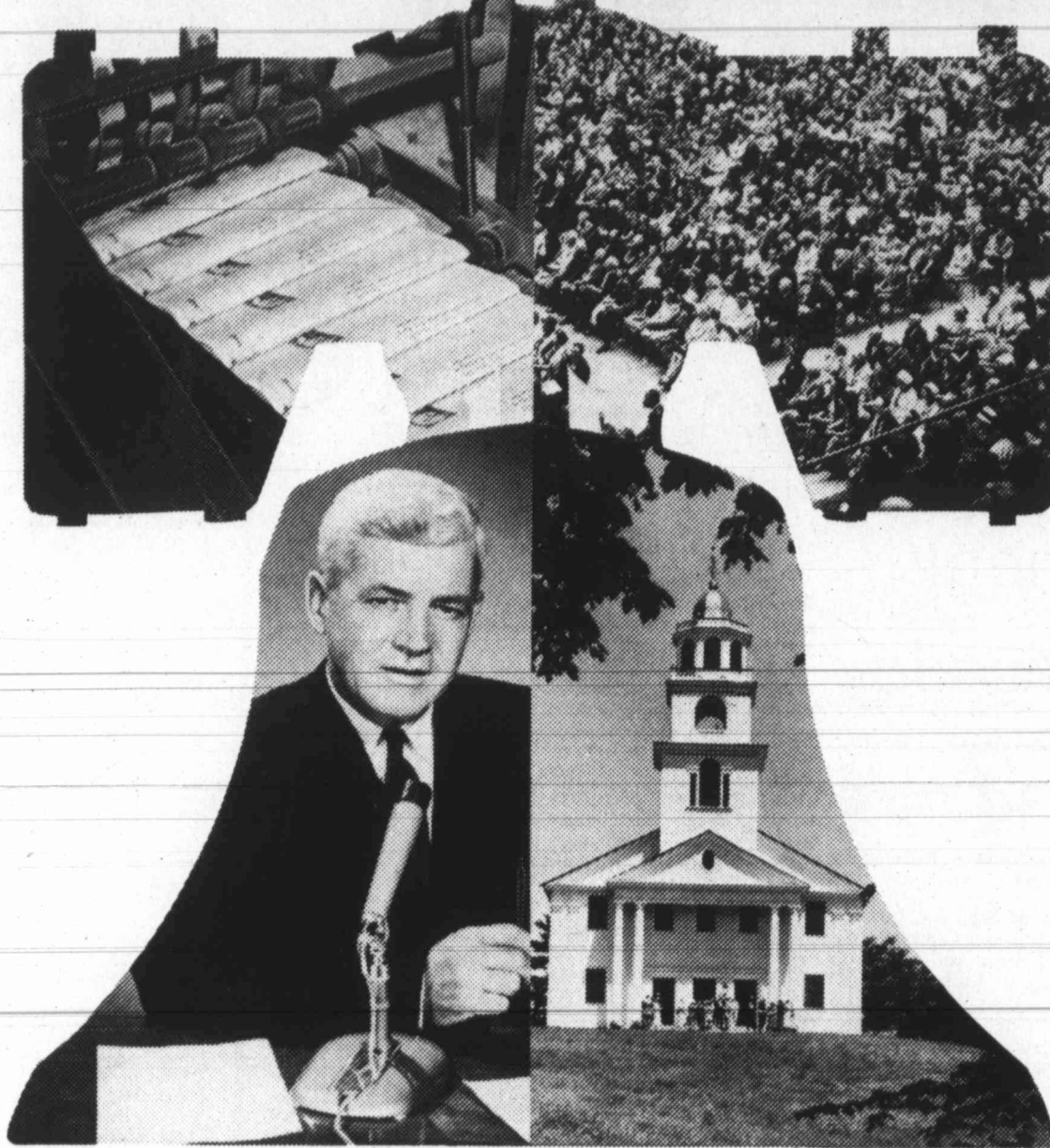
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1008 Birdwell
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Dear Abby

Swinger's wife not into mate-swapping

DEAR ABBY: When my husband first suggested that we join a swingers club and switch partners with other couples who advertised their availability in a porno magazine, I told him I wasn't interested. (He's 34, I'm 30 and we've been married 10 years.) He called me a prude and said that swinging was a common practice with married couples. (Is it?) I told him I would divorce him if he ever fooled around like that. I thought the subject was forgotten, then I found a letter he had written to this club saying he wanted to participate, but he would have to be discreet because his wife wasn't interested. I wasn't snooping, Abby; the letter was laying on top of the desk in our den. With the letter was a Polaroid picture he had taken of himself in a mirror—naked! I've always trusted him until now. He's a good father and provider, and I do love him. What should I do? File for divorce or forget I saw the letter? I am sick to death over this.

HURT AND DESPERATE

DEAR HURT: Tell him you saw the letter and picture, and ask him to see a marriage counselor with you. He needs to have his head straightened out if you're to get your marriage back on the right track.

He's wrong. Respectable married couples do not exchange sex partners with other couples. THAT is the beginning of the end.

DEAR ABBY: I have been widowed for four months. About six weeks ago I took a bus trip to the West Coast from Illinois. While waiting in the bus terminal for the bus to be serviced, I met a nice-looking, well-dressed gentleman. He asked me to have a cup of coffee with him, and before I boarded the bus he asked for my address. He said he came through my town often and wanted to see me again. Well, I wasn't back home very long when this man called and said he was in town. He took me out for dinner and we had a fine time. He calls me long distance every night and comes to see me every weekend.

He wants to marry me, but I am not sure I want to marry him because he's been married and divorced four times. He admits he has no money because his last wife took him for everything he had. He has no health or life insurance, but he does have high blood pressure, emphysema and diabetes. I am 58 and he is 62. Common sense tells me to turn around and run like mad, but I think I'm falling in love with him, and my heart seems to be ruling my head. I'm not a rich woman, but I'm not poor either. My children are begging me to quit seeing him. Should I? IN LOVE OR LONELY?

DEAR IN LOVE: I'd say, heed your common sense, Ma'am, and don't make any important decisions unless you are absolutely sure you can live with them.

DEAR ABBY: My fiance and I were making plans for our wedding when a problem came up. He asked me if I minded if he asked a girl to be his "best man." He says she is his best friend.

I didn't want to hurt his feelings, so I didn't say flat out that I minded: I just said maybe he should give it a little more thought.

Abby, I come from a very conventional family, and I don't want a girl to be "best man" at my wedding even if she is my fiance's best friend.

Can you suggest a tactful way to let my fiance know that I would prefer that he ask a male?

To be perfectly honest about it, my main objection is that I am afraid people will make fun of us, and I don't want anything to spoil my wedding day.

VERMONT BRIDE

DEAR BRIDE: Since the expected ridicule would take the joy out of your wedding, level with your fiance and ask him to select a male for his best man.

Hate to write letters? Send \$1 to Abigail Van Buren, 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212, for Abby's booklet "How to Write Letters for All Occasions." Please enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped (24¢) envelope.

DAR's announce

'Let Freedom Ring'

The Executive Committee of the Captain Elisha Mack Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution announces the establishment of a "Let Freedom Ring" award. It will honor the Big Spring 4th of July event and will be given to an outstanding Permian Basin citizen.

This will not be an annual award, but will be presented when the chapter feels a person qualifies.

Qualifications are: (1) U.S. citizenship; (2) Leadership - demonstrated by initiative in promoting the American way of life, the ability to lead others and to accomplish a goal; (3) Trustworthiness - is displayed by dependability, exemplary ideals and interest in the community and the people; (4) Patriotism - is actively shown by devoted love, support and defense of our country, its interests and the principles upon which it was founded; (5) Service - done for public benefit, or work performed for others, without regard to profit or direct remuneration. Such service should have contributed to the betterment of the community.

A plaque will be placed in the Howard County Library, listing recipients. An engraved bell will be presented to the individual.

This award was established by the local D.A.R. chapter with the

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Mrs. Ira Raley picks up brush in 1918; still going

She was not born "holding a paintbrush in her hand" but friends, fellow-artists, former students, and art-lovers who came to the tea given by Big Spring Art Association in honor of Mary Raley, artist, could be persuaded quite easily that she must have picked it up shortly after birth. More than fifty paintings, painted china, dolls, handpainted jewelry and illustrated books demonstrate her versatility.

The show displayed a range of oils, pastels and watercolors. Sizes were from the 48-inch colorful oil "Cloudcroft" to the 2 1/2-inch miniatures. A copper pitcher glows from a pastel still life, The Cosden "Catercracker" is done in watercolor. You can almost hear "Mission Bells." Several children's portraits were exhibited and the "Head of Christ" takes on a dimensional effect with an actual "Crown of Thorns" - a spray of thorned cactus which the artist had grown herself. Not too far away a very modern, impressionistic "Crucifixion" sang with clear, beautiful colors. There are lovely decorative panels of grapes, flowers, and still-life arrangements. On a round table were examples of the handpainted china, the china dolls she makes and dresses, two booklets which she has illustrated, one a recipe book, the other,

"Loving Hands," a devotional. She is currently working on a large recipe book "Old Southern Recipes," and a large devotional, "The Potter," to be published soon.

The very first painting she then Mary Partlow ever did was painted way back in 1918. Nearby was a watercolor, "Love, Innocence & Purity," painted in 1921. (Mr. Raley claims this particular painting as his, since they were "courting" at the time she painted it.)

When Mary Raley was still Mary Partlow, sixteen, one of her school teachers told her parents that she definitely should be encouraged to study art. Her first teacher was Alma West Parker, well-known in Austin art circles. Shortly after she married Ira Raley, who has always encouraged her, she studied with Helen King Kendall of San Angelo.

One of the highlights of her study was a workshop at Sul Ross in the Davis Mountains, conducted by Mrs. Kendall. She has done concentrated study of the old masters, emphasizing sepia and brown tones and recently took a workshop under David Slade, a well-known landscape artist of Arizona and New Mexico.

Mrs. Raley is also an art teacher. She began teaching art fifty years ago and has averaged about 42

students a month, which adds up to a great deal of people. The joy of teaching is finding a student who has extra talent and developing it into still more talent, she said. "Talent comes from God, and the Lord has been good to me," she added. Although she has slowed down in teaching now, she has not slowed down in painting.

Her favorite medium is watercolor, and subject is landscape. Over the years she has painted "what people asked me to paint," and now she paints freely "what I want to paint." She has several preferred quotations: "Art touches the life of every citizen and is an integral part of democracy." Art is a lovely locket worn near the heart, set with six precious gems: All great art is the expression of man's delight in God's work, not his own. The artist ought never be a participant to a temporary expression; Age is reaching out to the perfect principle of things and pushing towards perfection in art, invention and manufacture; Art is not a thing, it is a way; The best artist is always the most religious and the greatest artist is always a devout person; Art has no enemy but ignorance.

Mary Raley was also a charter member of the art association - when it was known as "Las Artistas."

Lipscombe's in Moot Court

Marianne Lipscombe, a member of the Moot Court team, will represent St. Mary's University Law School in the annual Moot Court competition during the State Bar of Texas convention in Austin this week.

Three member teams from the eight Texas law schools will argue the issue - Medical Malpractice - in preliminary rounds Wednesday, Thursday and Friday with semi-final and final rounds Saturday in the State Supreme Court.

Marianne recently received her doctor of jurisprudence degree from St. Mary's Law School. In the spring 1976 Moot Court Competition she won the Finkelstein Best Brief Award and the 2nd Place Norvill Moot Court Competition.

She also has one publication to her credit - Student Symposium, Introduction by Orvil Walker, Survey of Special Issue Submission in Texas; she was an associate editor of St. Mary's Law Journal; chairman of the Indigent Defender program of the Criminal Law Association; Delta Theta Phi Legal Professional Fraternity representative to the Student Bar Association Senate 1976.



MARIANNE LIPSCOMBE
Miss Lipscombe received the American Jurisprudence Award in Wills and Estates (1976) and the United States Law Week Senior Award (1976). She also worked as a law clerk at Bexar County

Legal Aid.
A graduate of Big Spring High School, Marianne received her B.A. degree from H. Sophie Newcomb College, Tulane University, New Orleans, La. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Lipscombe, 2404 Allendale Road, Big Spring.

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Miss Donna Carlile weds Arvil J. Henry on Friday

Miss Donna Lou Carlile and Arvil J. Henry exchanged wedding vows in a ceremony conducted Friday evening in the Hillcrest Baptist Church.

Jr. performed the ceremony before an archway of greenery and white gladiolas. White candles and a memory candle accented the altar.

Spring. The bride attended Big Spring High School. The groom graduated from Big Spring High, attended Howard College, and is employed as a carpenter at the Veteran's Administration Hospital.

Clubhouse

Busy Bee's hold bar-be-cue

The Busy Bee Hobby Club elected new officers at the Hobby Center Thursday July 1. They met also for a work-day and luncheon.

The bride wore a blue peau de soie gown. The gown featured a bodice covered with white lace. Sleeves in matching lace adorned the gown.

The bride carried blue and white carnations. Mrs. Clay LaRochelle, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor.

Following a trip to San Antonio, the couple will make their home in Big Spring.

Postcards

slow item

PLAINS, Ga. (AP) — A cousin of Democratic front-runner Jimmy Carter says postcards from the "hometown of the possible next president of the United States" just aren't selling well.



MRS. ROBERT D. REAGAN

Miss Powell, Reagan wed in garden rite

Miss Ginger Powell and Robert D. Reagan exchanged wedding vows Friday evening in the garden of the bridegroom's parents.

The couple plans to make their home in Big Spring. The bride attended Haure High School and is currently employed by Malone-Hogan Hospital.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Oran Powell Sr., 1134 Washington, Haure, Montana.

The reception was held in the bridegroom's parents' home, 2907 West Street. Floral arrangements of spring flowers including carnations, daisies and baby's breath were used.

Couple honored

An "Old Fashion Pounding" was given to the former Della Smith and Buttons Moore in the couple's home June 20.

The serving table had a floor-length rust-colored cloth with a centerpiece of daisies and greenery. Punch was served from a hand-painted old-fashioned bucket and dipper.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Dale Fox, Mrs. Wayne Nichols and Mrs. Jimmy Bailey.

The Flame Room of the Pioneer Natural Gas Co. was the site of a rehearsal dinner honoring the couple, who were married June 25, in the First Methodist Church.

The spaghetti supper was given by the groom's parents. Each guest was asked to write a line of advice and sign his or her initials. The honored couple read each line aloud, trying to guess who wrote it.

A bridal shower given recently honoring Mrs. Moore was held in the ranch home of Mrs. Lynn Glass.

The table was orange and yellow with a centerpiece of yellow and white daisies. The register table was accented by a vase of fresh roses.

Della and her mother, Mrs. Gene Smith and Mrs. James Moore, mother of the groom were presented corsages of yellow daisies.

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. Lynn Glass, Mrs. Harry McMillian, Mrs. James Overton, Mrs. Jessie Overton, Mrs. V. E. Phillips and Mrs. Arlis Walker.



Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Ross, Driver Road, Big Spring, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to James L. Pratt, Detroit, Texas. Pratt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Pratt, also of Detroit. The couple plans a fall wedding.

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Westbrook news

Area residents host guests during week

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chambers have returned from a vacation in Hot Springs, Ark., Ft. Worth, Sonora and Midland.

The daughters of the Rev. and Mrs. Roy Johnson, former residents of the area.

The Rollins attended the wedding of Cindy Parrish and Rodger Lloyd Sunday in Coahoma.

African violet

The African Violet Club met Thursday July 1 in the home of Mrs. Thelma Montgomery for a garden party of barbecue and watermelon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Putnam are parents of a girl, Tammi Jo, weighing three pounds, 11 ounces. She was born June 15 in Malone-Hogan Hospital.

Music was played by a stereo system piped to the garden.

Thirteen members attended Gertrude Rodricks, who returned recently from California was welcomed back by the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Putnam are parents of a girl, Tammi Jo, weighing three pounds, 11 ounces. She was born June 15 in Malone-Hogan Hospital.

The bride wore a formal white gown of crinkled polyester with bell sleeves and trimmed in floral ribbon and lace. The bride also wore a white picture hat and carried a bouquet of white carnations and baby's breath.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Reba Baker, 710 Lancaster, on August 5.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl (Dutch) Doss have been her sisters, Mrs. Winnie Henning, Douglas, Ariz., and Mrs. Flossie Newman, El Paso. Other guests are Sylvia Daniel and Dorothy Condon, Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hall, Lubbock, and Pauline Barnhill and granddaughter, Oklahoma.

Music was played by a stereo system piped to the garden.

Coahoma — Sand Springs Newsbeat

Change in telephone lines will affect fire department

By FAYE ROBY A change in the Coahoma Telephone Company lines will leave Sand Springs Volunteer Fire Department minus two fire phones.

Fill the bathtub with water and close and lock the windows.

This particular bathroom has a window with western exposure and so provided the necessary sun light, which I controlled with a window shade.

In a move to lighten the load at the Sand Springs telephone station it will be necessary to transfer some subscribers to the Coahoma exchange.

Water the plants thoroughly and mist the foliage. Be sure plants are not exposed to direct sunlight.

We were gone three weeks and sustained not a single plant casualty.

Telephone subscribers east of Salem Rd. will convert to the Coahoma exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Best have recently returned from Tuscaloosa, Alabama where Mr. Best served as a delegate of the Coahoma Presbyterian Church to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States.

Mr. Best served on the committee to discuss the proposed Book of Confessions.

Kenneth Scott, ex-fire chief, and J. B. Hall live in this area and will lose their fire phones.

It's good to be back with you and don't forget to call and give me the latest news.

Approximately four hundred people gathered in Coahoma football stadium last Sunday evening to share in a joint Bicentennial worship service sponsored by the Coahoma-Sand Springs area churches.

At a meeting held Monday evening in the Sand Springs Fire Department, Stanley Phillips were named fire chief and M. A. Lily secretary-treasurer.

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The Presbyterian Church of Coahoma was presented a letter of recognition by Bicentennial Chairmen Mrs. Johnnie Lou Avery and Mrs. Janelle Davis.

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East Howard County Senior Center will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the fellowship hall of First Baptist Church of Sand Springs.

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Mrs. Beulah Reynolds of Big Spring will conduct a class in Macramé.

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Vacations are wonderful but sometimes they do pose problems of what to do with family pets, etc.

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In our case it was my house plants. I solved my problems simply and effectively and wanted to share it with you.

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In effect a bathroom was turned into a room size terrarium.

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Move the plants into the bathroom. Hanging baskets fit nicely on the shower curtain rod and towel racks.

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Before the Southwest could be settled, or crossed safely, protection from the Indians was necessary.

CHARGED WITH this task, the Army sprinkled a line of dedicated but feeble forts across the routes which would bring pioneers to the new territory.

The only mode of transportation, however, was the horse, mule or ox and these quickly proved to be totally inadequate for travelling between the outposts with sufficient supplies to maintain them.

IN 1853, Jefferson Davis became secretary of war under President Franklin Pierce.

Davis, based on his knowledge of transportation in the deserts of the Near East began immediately to lobby for the importation of camels to do the job.

In the second session of the 33rd Congress, Chapter 169, Section 4, it was voted to give camels a try.

The President approved the bill on March 3, 1855, and Secretary Davis sent Army Maj. Wayne and Navy Lt. Porter to Arabia to secure

the best camels they could find. By February 11, 1856, the Navy ship "Supply" left for the United States carrying its strange, "hawmped" cargo.

SOME THREE months later they docked at Indianola, Tex.

Early in 1857, a second shipment of camels was brought over, making the U.S. Army's Camel Corps seventy-five critters strong, all assigned to expectedly unhappy horse soldiers at Camp Verde, Tex., near San Antonio.

Along with the camels came a handler and instructor of uncertain origin whose Moslem name, Hadji Ali, was soon colloquialized into "Hi Jolly."

The camels proved a blessing for the Army once the men learned to handle them. It was not uncommon to have ordinary camels carry a 550-pound load, (more than twice the limit of pack mules). Larger dromedaries could be fitted with 700 to 800 pounds and, on occasion for short trips, upwards of 1,000 pounds.

The ultimate test of the camels' usefulness, and the deciding factor in the Army's moving to establish them as regulation mounts, was the Wagon Road Survey on 1857 held in the form of an endurance run. The trek stretched from San Antonio, Tex., to Fort Defiance (near Albuquerque), New Mexico, and along the 35th Parallel (or what is today roughly Route 66) into Northern Arizona, the Mojave Desert and into California.



DRESSED FOR BICENTENNIAL — Kenny Kay Young (left to right), Vee Sabin and Donna Hull try "dated" dress for the Fourth of July.

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Pet care catalogued

By REBECCA TAYLOR
REFERENCE LIBRARIAN

It's the pet season! Stores are offering everything from flea collars to goldfish.

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"SPEAKING OF PETS" by H.H. Miller and "All About Pets" by Margery Bianco are two of the titles about pets in general. Both books have helpful information about the care and feeding of many pets from mice to fish.

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"Know your Horse" by W.S. Codrington emphasizes health, care and selection of your horse.

"Your Horse" by George C. Saunders is concerned more with normal care, equipment and feeding.

"The Choice and Training

of the Family Dog" by John Holmes, "The Complete Book of Dog Obedience," by Blanche Saunders and "Gundogs for Field or Trial" by Roy Barnell are a few of many titles about dogs.

There are books on breeding, training, showing and grooming as well as books on individual breeds such as cocker spaniels or poodles, etc. There are several titles about cats, both humorous and serious.

"WHOLLY CATS" by Faith McNulty and Elizabeth Keiffer, "All

About Cats" by Carl Burger and "Enjoy Caring for Your Cat" by Pet Library LTD describe how to take care of and what to expect of a cat.

"First Aid and Care of Small Animals" by Ernest P. Walker is concerned with small wild creatures which may come into a person's life by accident or injury. This book covers widely varied subjects from foxes to flies.

"Enjoy Your Parakeets-Budgies" by Pet Library LTD will serve as a good introduction or answer book to those familiar with birds.

Baker's skill multi-faceted

By PHIL THOMAS
AI* Books Editor

THE TALISMANS AND OTHER STORIES. By Carlos Baker. Scribner's. 183 Pages. \$7.95

Having written well-received novels, poetry, criticism and a noted biography "Ernest Hemingway: A Life Story," it probably was inevitable that Carlos Baker would turn his talent to the short story form. After reading "The Talismans and Other Stories," admirers of the form will agree it's a most happy thing he did so.

Of the dozen stories in this collection, the best — or, rather, the first among equals — is the title piece, "The Talismans." Most memorable, perhaps, for containing a few finely etched lines that illumine most of the other stories in the book: "One of the odd little images that stuck in the mind. Residues. Links to the distant past that had been forged in a twinkling and then lay there forever, or as long as you lasted. They did not rust, they stayed bright like bright metal, waiting until chance occasions rediscovered them."

In "Talismans" these links with the past, these memories, return to a man as he sits in a barber's chair having his hair cut. On the surface, a scene of inaction, but in the man's memory, wonderfully active as he returns through time to other barber shops and the events that occurred in them and became an unforgettable part of his youth. With wonderful economy of line, Baker manages to compress — but not stultify — enough material in this story that would give lesser writers enough for whole novels.

In "Grate Apple, Leave Skin On, Raisins on Top and Honey," an elderly man, beset by a nagging wife, leaves his house planning to pick up the materials with which to prepare dinner. He stops at the shoemaker's en route and a tattoo on the cobbler's body evokes the past, so much so that the man forgets to buy the food he set out for and returns home empty-handed.

These are just two of the Baker's dozen contained in this book. One wishes there were more.

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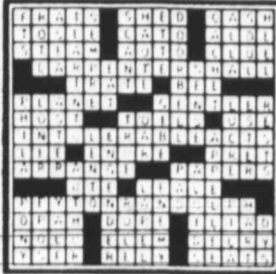
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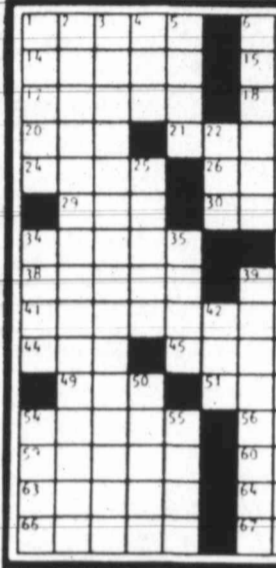
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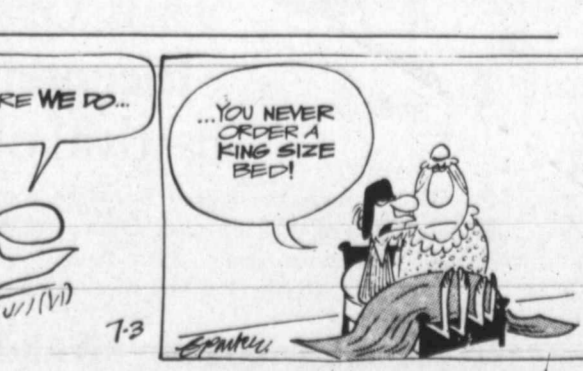
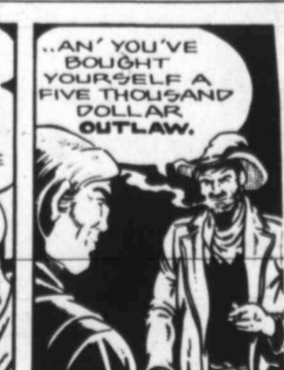
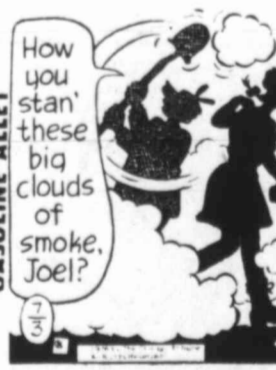
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A COUNTRY GEN-TELEMAN

Would love this made to order home north of the city. 20 acres of irrigated land surrounds this recently redecorated home. Jumbo den, beautiful paneled, & custom decorated. A 3 bdr, 2 bth total electric home. Has a deep water well, 2 stock tanks, fenced, 300 trees & shrubs. The price is just \$42,500.

2500 ANN

Is the address of this brand new brick on a street of lovely homes. The popular A-Frame design gives the family room a very contemporary look. Luxurious green carpet floors thru the entire home. In-hut in din rm., electric appliances, \$4,700 down.

LET US INTRODUCE YOU

To this very nice neighborhood, & to a very gracious 3 bdr, 2 bath home. The unique den w/ this brick fireplace overlooks a charming patio & well landscaped yard. Large family dining rm. plus a garden rm., breakfast area, car garage, back yard privacy fence. 3 year old, \$27,000.

HAVE WE CAUGHT YOU LOOKING?

We hope you are looking for a nearly perfect 4 bdr, 2 bath home w/ den, fireplace, formal din. & all the amenities that go to make a home a home. Look no further, priced in the upper 30's.

SLOW DOWN AMERICA

Let us live the good life in this all brick rambler in Kentwood. White marble entry enhances the open look of the large living area, & directs the eye to the antique red brick fireplace. Frpl. in den, dining, den, enclosed colorful kitchen w/ electric built-ins. Split master bed & bath. Total electric, dbl. garage, near schools, \$35,500.

SOMEBODY CARED

And this home is brimming over with loving care. 3 bdr, 2 bth, living rm., dining rm., den, breakfast area. Large utility room. Landscaped & fenced. Owner is transferring & must sell. Priced right at \$22,000.

BUILT FOR ENJOYMENT

In a prime location in Kentwood. Combination den w/ dining, & a woodburning fireplace. Attractive kitchen w/ all appliances. 2 bdrms, 2 bath, 2 full bths. Garage, ref. air, fenced yard. Will go V.A. \$32,000.

COME FOR A VISIT

Stay a lifetime. This immaculate 3 bdr, 2 bath home will win your heart at first glance. It features a nice living room w/ cheerful atmosphere. Attached garage, central heat & air. Sit on the patio & look at the many fruit trees in the large fenced back yard.

AN OLD FASHIONED DOLLARS WORTH

Only \$12,000 for this 3 or 4 bdr home on Johnson St. Just a little work will fix up this older home. Has living room, dining kitchen & utility, partially carpeted & draped. The rear is designed for an apartment.

EXTRA LARGE

lot with all brick 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, beamed cathedral ceiling, spacious living, dining. Double garage, storage house, in Chapman Addition. 393-5793

BY OWNER Fabulous three bedroom, two bath, refrigerated two car garage, fireplace. Ann Drive. Upper 30's. By appointment. Call 263-8850.

IN MIDWAY BY OWNER:

Three bedroom brick, 1 1/2 baths, formal living room, spacious kitchen-dining room-den combination, refrigerated air, built-ins, and fire place. 1/2 acre with garden and fruit trees. Call 263-3278.

Houses For Sale A-2

NOVA DEAN RHODS
 Off 263 2450 Brenda Riffey,
 800 Lancaster

EASY LIVING IN

This unusual mobile home. 2-walk on porches, 1 steel w/ wood cover, 10x1222 cor in Porlan dist. 14x72 ft cpld, draped. Harvest gold appl. w/ dryer. 2 huge bedrooms, 2 tub baths sliding drs. C. heat, cooler, 4-5 trees. All city utility. City approved septic tank. Forget the weather you are anchored in concrete & 3 steel belts. Total \$9,500. Easy terms.

TWO HOMES, (1 1/2 STORY)

100 ft lot. They're old, need redoing. Worth more than \$12,500. "2 FOR PRICE OF 1" 2-family 100' lot. Lge. home w/ 3 bdrms, 4 1/2 bath, 4 1/2 car garage. \$15,000 never bought so much.

ATTR: 8-HUGER RM

brk. 2-bths. Qlty crpt, drapes. All new appl. 3-trplc vent hmt. Dble gar. 3-rm, bth guest room. In 30's.

20 ACRES, 11 ACRES

in choice spots. 4-sep bus. lots priced to sell. 2-apts on 15x140. Ready to rent — 4 1/2 bdrms. 100' lot. Only \$30,000.

2-HOUSES, \$9,000

1700 Income for taxes, ins. etc. 3-rm rental form. Also a perm. 2 bdrms, 2 bath, 2 bths. Airtight, upkeep. Top spot No. side. Easy terms, good cr.

PARKHILL 9-RMS

3 bdrms, 1 1/2 bath, plush inside & out. Qlty crpt, drps, matching sprds. Unique lights. 7-ton Frig. in kitchen. Living area, well equipped kitchen, central heat & air. Large fenced backyard. This with gas grill, priced at \$21,500.

DON'T LOOK TWICE

There won't be time as this 2 bdr, 2 bath home, beautifully paneled, & custom decorated. A 3 bdr, 2 bth total electric home. Has a deep water well, 2 stock tanks, fenced, 300 trees & shrubs. The price is just \$42,500.

HOT PRICE-COOL HOUSE

Low down buys equity of this 2 year old home. Fully carpeted, 3 bdrms 2 bath, large kitchen w/ dining area. Huge utility, central air, garage. Mo pchs. of \$19,500.

DON'T WASTE YOUR SUMMER

Just looking. We found this lovely 3 bdr, 2 bth in Kentwood. Nicely decorated living dining area. Huge utility, garage, fenced, one of our best buys at \$21,500.

A WINNING NUMBER

This brick fireplace overlooks a charming patio & well landscaped yard. Large family dining rm. plus a garden rm., breakfast area, car garage, back yard privacy fence. 3 year old, \$27,000.

GOVA

Own your own corner of the world w/ lovely manicured lawn. Exceptional 3 1/2 bth w/ living rm., combination kit-din. Walking distance to school. \$19,750.

COUNTRY LIVING

Spacious 3 bdr, completely redecorated, all new kitchen, central heat, ref. air, all of this on 4 acres, deep water well.

HOWS YOUR MATH

3 1/2 acres up to one of the nicest small homes conveniently located to shopping area & schools. Garage, heat & air, garage & fence.

COLLEGE PARK

Almost 1,400 sq. ft. of comfort in this 3 bdr, 2 bath home near. paint, new carpet, w/ a professional clean-up. Vacant & ready to move in.

Houses For Sale A-2

NOVA DEAN RHODS
 Off 263 2450 Brenda Riffey,
 800 Lancaster

"GARDEN OF EDEN"

But Eve didn't eat this fruit! Livy bearing trees sur'd by an off the line. Well-house. Space to enjoy Liv in this 4-over-2 brk. 2 1/2 bth. Many extras in the bth kit, huge serv-bar. Birch panel den to match. Crpt, drapes. Sch bus at dr. \$34,000.

IMMEDIATE MOVE

Price cut to bone. Here's a 1-Time opport. Owner leaving this immaculate 2 prty tile bth, tub-shower behind. Most liv & at-brick panel den & kit. bar & all elec appl. Wall of brk with a big gas log frpl. Qlty crpt, drapes. Home bright and sunny. U might miss over City line. More extras. Step from lge den into a paved patio. 7ft priv bk-ty. Not a plain Vanilla home. — L.O. L.O. \$20,000.

FORNSAN OR B.S.

sch area. 8 rms, 1 1/2 baths. Attr. brk trim home, completely cpld., in qlty gtd. Heat, clean. C. heat, cooler. 1 reg unit. Lge den. Just steps to a shiny w/ bit-in kit. Move in at once. Nice yd. — Del Austin. Eq buy, \$108, pmt. \$14,500.

5 GREEN ACRES + 4

lge rms, bth. Home freshly redone. Peaceful, profitable garden. 40 Tree????? Abundance of good water. City Conv. & just steps over City line. More extras. Owner said, "Only \$16,500, would move him out."

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NICE

2 bdrms house, 3 car grge. Perfect for hobby shop. \$14,000.

OWNER TRANSFERRED

Cornell St. 3 bdrms, attractive paneled den, w/ w/ bar, carpeted, huge fruit trees. Fenced. See today.

GOOD BUY

3 bdrms, 1 1/2 bath, carpeted, CH & CA, fenced, garage, covered patio, nice yard, for only \$15,500.

BRICK

3 bdrms, 1 1/2 baths, carpeted, nice kitchen, birch cabinets, fenced, carport, large storage, 3 bks to Macy School. Vacant. Only \$19,500. Will go V.A.

REDECORATED

2 bdrms, paneled den, new carpet, new paint, fenced yard, patio, vacant. \$13,500.

COOL COLORADO

Dude ranch. 40 acres. 19 log cabins, large 2 story home. Gunnison River at back door. \$15,000.

KENTWOOD

Formal living, kitchen-den comb, 3 bdrms, 2 baths. Lovely yard with large trees, fenced, garage, extra storage, for only \$28,500.

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8 acres, good well, fenced, 4 horse stalls, stud barn, on paved road.

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THUD DROPPED \$1,000

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HERE'S WHAT SO MANY PEOPLE SAY

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GOING GOING & SOON GONE

spacious 2 br, 1 bth brick in best part of Edward's HI. VA home. A reasonable offer will buy this home. \$20's.

HIGHLAND SOUTH

Houses For Sale A-2

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1974 MONTE CARLO - Power steering & brakes, air, AM tape, green over green.
1974 CHEVROLET BLAZER - White on tan, power steering & brakes, air, tilt wheel.
1974 TOYOTA COROLLA - White on burgundy
1974 MONTE CARLO - Burgundy with white, power steering, power brakes, air, cruise control.
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Houses For Sale A-2

"CUSTOM HOMES" BY SPRING COUNTRY BUILDERS Drive by our "MODEL HOME" 1 1/2 miles North of Snyder Hwy on Gail Rd.

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Farms & Ranches A-5

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Mobile Homes A-12

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Mobile Homes A-12

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Lots For Rent B-11

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ANNOUNCEMENTS C

Lodges C-1 STATED MEETING Big Spring Lodge No. 1346 A.F. and A.M. 1st and 3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Visitors welcome. 31st and Lancaster. Ken Gattford, W. M.

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Special Notices C-2

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Tall ships' on display

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The Kodak Gallery's summer exhibit traces the voyage of American sailing ships from 1776 up to the present. Entitled "Tall Ships," the show offers more than 175 photographs, four slide shows, and three movies, along with ship models, actual bow figureheads and other artifacts.

Among the displays in the exhibit are a cutaway model of the 90-year-old merchant ship Balclutha, which is permanently anchored in San Francisco Bay. The show runs through August 7.

Campers & Travel Trls. M-14

1975 NOMAD 20 FOOT Travel Trailer. Set up on lot at Oak Creek Lake. Inquire at the Sportsman's Lodge, Blackwell, Texas.

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TWO BEDROOM furnished mobile home, nice. Couple or with one small child. For more information, call 243-1410.

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YARD SALE. 708 East 3rd. Monday and Tuesday. Clothes and lots of miscellaneous.

FOR SALE: 1970 Monte Carlo, good condition. Engine recently overhauled. \$600. Call 393-5359.

Card of Thanks

Our sincere thanks to the kind friends, neighbors and relatives for expressions of sympathy, beautiful flowers and other courtesies extended to us during our recent bereavement.

The family of William Charles Johnson

Card of Thanks

The loving support that was given through prayers, flowers, food and friendship has given our family strength and comfort during our time of grief. It is with heartfelt appreciation that we thank: Dr. Clyde Thomas and the nursing staff of Hall-Bennett Hospital, Mr. Jerry Yarbrough and the congregation of the 14th and Main Church of Christ and all of our many friends. A special thank you for the memorial contributions made to the American Cancer Society.

MRS. B. T. CHRANE AND FAMILY

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There is just not enough words to express all of our feelings to all the numerous churches, organizations, relatives, friends and neighbors for their prayers, kind thoughts and deeds, flowers, and food during our recent loss of our loved one, W. N. "Bill" Cochran.

We thank you all and God thanks you all.

Frances Cochran and family

LEGAL NOTICE

THE BIG SPRING INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT WILL RECEIVE SEALED BIDS UNTIL 10:00 A.M. JULY 19, 1976 FOR REEROOFING PORTIONS OF SEVERAL SCHOOL BUILDINGS. SPECIFICATIONS AND RELATED INFORMATION MAY BE OBTAINED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL BUSINESS MANAGER, 708 11th PLACE, BIG SPRING, TEXAS.

THE BIG SPRING INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ACCEPT OR REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS.

SIGNED: DONALDE CROCKETT BUSINESS MANAGER JULY 4, 11, 1976

LEGAL NOTICE

NO. 8716 ESTATE OF GEORGE F. KING DECEASED IN THE COUNTY COURT OF HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS.

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF GEORGE F. KING, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Administration for the Estate of George F. King were issued on June 21, 1976 in Cause No. 8716, pending in the County Court of Howard County, Texas, to Jacqueline Ellis.

The residence of said Administratrix is Big Spring, Howard County, Texas. The post office address is:

C. Roger D. Brown Box 2139 P.O. Big Spring, Texas 79720

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED: the 28th day of June, 1976.

SIGNED: BROWN, BANCROFT & MILLER BY: ROGER BROWN JULY 4, 1976

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COAHOMA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Coahoma I.S.D. will receive sealed bids on a three bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick home located at the east end of Ramsey Street, Coahoma, Tex. 79511. There will be no minimum bid. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bids will be opened at the administration building on July 13, 1976 at 8 P.M.

For further information please contact Mr. W. A. Wilson, Superintendent, phone 915-394-4565 or Mr. Wendell Shive, Board President, phone 915-394-4565.

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Two for the road Midsummer magic



with Danny Reagan and James Werrell

We took a short trip on midsummer's eve two weeks ago and wound up in Odessa, at the Globe Theater, just in time for a production of Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream."

The theater is a perfect replica of Shakespeare's Globe at Stratford-On-Avon in jolly old England. The audience is intimately clustered around an octagonal stage made of wood and decorated with wrought iron and burlap. Rows of seats encircle the rustic stage in a half-moon fashion.

All aspects of the theater, including the courtyard, entry way and concession booth, could well have been taken from 16th century archives.

THE GLOBE IS very easy to find. Enter Odessa on the first turnoff of I 20, and you're on 8th Street. Travel that boulevard for about a mile and a half until you hit Grant Street.

Hang a right on Grant and journey until you get to the light on 22nd street. Take a left there, and on your right, about half a block away, behind the south end of the Odessa College campus, is the domed structure that houses the best Shakespearean productions in the West Texas area.

"JULIETS," or usherettes, welcomed us inside the massive theater. We signed the register, and then were shown up the twin stairs to the circular auditorium.

The theater is large enough to cater to about 500 people, but it is designed in such a way that the audience feels it is a part of the action on stage throughout the play.

As the play began, we sat back in plush seats. The lights dimmed and we were transported to the courts of Theseus, King of Athens. In a short time we were introduced to the main characters of the play (the mortals, that is).

BUT THE PLAY really took off when the stage was



THE GLOBE — The picturesque Globe Theater in Odessa provides some of the best live entertainment in West Texas.

transformed into an enchanted forest inhabited by Puck, a mischievous spirit, and other members of the ethereal world. Puck is joined by Oberon, King of the unearthly creatures, who is an ominous figure costumed in flowing black cape and a crown to match.

The subtle lighting on the stage really gave the feeling that supernatural powers were at work there. And the sound effects, a lullaby accompanied on recorders, and the flamboyant costuming never broke the spell of 16th century magic.

Director Charles David McCally has concocted a delightful new version of the play, substituting spirits and their families in place of the common fairies.

AS IN ANY dream, a good many things are scrambled up. This is a tale of lovers befuddled by Puck's mistake with a love potion. There are also village bumpkins clownishly trying to rehearse a preposterous play and a trifling quarrel between the King and Queen of the Spirit World, who inhabit the enchanted woods.

The 2 1/2 hours of entertainment is well worth the hour's drive and \$4 ticket price for the play. Also, multi-admission tickets are on sale

at the Globe office. Adults, 16 admissions for \$30 or eight admissions for \$16, and student tickets are \$12 for eight admissions.

The night we went, a block of 46 Big Spring people had made reservations for the play, but coupled with the opening night of the Big Spring rodeo, and an ominous storm that cast an eerie glow over the countryside, the locals didn't make it.

By the time you read this column, the play "A Midsummer Night's Dream" will have ended its run at the theater. Have no fear, though, an equally delightful Shakespearean comedy, "The Merry Wives of Windsor" began July 2 at the Globe and continues through July 18.

THE "WIVES" is directed by the same man, McCally, and has the same fine performers. The major character who has always stolen the show in a production of the "Wives" is Falstaff, a bulbous knight who gets into all kinds of trouble.

Falstaff is caught in between the guiles of two women who bait him with their wily ways. The gullible Falstaff falls for all their tricks, and the results are hilarious.

HC to get A little lower \$4,090 Walter sets example

WASHINGTON — Cong. Omar Burlison announced today a veteran cost of instruction program award, administered by the U.S. Office of Education, to Howard College, in the amount of \$4,090.

The award to the post-secondary institution is for the 1976-77 academic year. This program of institutional aid provides cost-of-instruction payment to institutions, based on undergraduate veteran enrollment.

Payments are based on the number of veterans receiving vocational rehabilitation assistance or veterans educational assistance for undergraduate study, and number of veterans who have participated in special pre-discharge or remedial programs.

The institution in return must establish, and maintain, a full-time office of veterans' affairs to provide counseling and tutorial services, outreach and recruitment activities, and special programs for educationally disadvantaged veterans.

Institutions may use up to 25 per cent of the award for general academic instructional programs.

By WILFRID M. CALNAN

Director Howard County Family Service Center

Walter W. Whitson used to joke that he passed over a job offer in Walla Walla, Washington because nobody could stand six successive "W's." Whether or not this story is apocryphal, Walter Whitson always knew where he was coming from, and those of us who were associated with him knew that, too. He came out of a Quaker Meeting in Philadelphia. He had more than the Quaker respect for life. For him life was joy, even the struggles.

Following graduation from Haverford College, Walter's pursuit of a social work career took him to the Oranges of New Jersey. From there he migrated to Kansas. In the late Twenties he accepted an offer to be Director of Family Service Bureau of Houston. As happens often, there were mixed feelings in his family about this move. On the eve of the family departure from Kansas, Myra, Walter's wife, came down from listening to the prayers of their seven-year-old Ruth. Gleelessly she announced, "Walter, do you know what Ruth said in her prayers? She said, 'Good-bye God, we're going to Texas.'" Walter quickly responded, "No, Myra, you misunderstood what Ruth said. I'm sure she was exclaiming 'Good! By God, we're going to Texas!'"

The great Depression hit soon after the Whitsons went to Houston. In those grim times, few people were of a mind to use family counseling. Walter kept his family agency alive, but very practically moved over to the Texas Relief Agency to serve people struck by the gargantuan economic dislocation.

After the Depression passed, he moved back to his family agency to regenerate it. He saw it through World War II and well beyond.

All this time he was a devoted leader of men. Mature men bragged that they were "Walter's Boys."

As the years passed, envious women demanded to be recognized as "Walter's Girls." In 1949, I became one of Walter's boys. I applied to the Houston agency for a job. Unexpectedly, I encountered

some difficulties in clearing my immigration status. Not as a politician, but as a cheerful, assured Walter, the social worker who knew and used community resources, he contacted his Congressman for help.

Walter's staff reflected the man. They were confident and competent, reflecting a confidence that he had in them. Every staff meeting was a model of group interaction, the leader leading, and the staff asserting themselves. The honor accorded clients to the agency was unmistakable.

The day I told Walter I was going for my citizenship examination, he simply assumed that he would appear as one of my witnesses.

When I left him for an executive position in public welfare, he delivered a case history of this success to his board of directors. Yet, however, the day that I found myself immersed in a budgetary problem in my new agency, quietly he moved in and secured a solution.

Walter Whitson's optimism, far from being

spurious, was an expression of the integrity of the man. We all marvelled when he worked with a team to secure a graduate school of social work at the University of Texas in Austin. University politics in those days, if you can believe it, were even more complex than they are now.

Years of effort to obtain the school failed. Amid all the gloomy countenances, was that smile of Walter's. "Well," he declared, "that didn't work. We'll have to try something else."

Until I started to write this piece, I always thought that what Walter Whitson meant to me was Quaker pacifism. Now, as I write, I realize what there was about him that really meant so much. He believed in himself, simply, without affectation.

The transaction analysts of today would have been proud of him. He always knew that he was predestined to be a man of value and he always honored that gift.

Walter Wilson Whitson is my example of what an American should be.

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Big Spring State Hospital expanding Speakers' Bureau

In an effort to help people become more aware and better informed about mental health, Big Spring State Hospital has expanded its speakers bureau which was created several years ago.

"The staff is offering to share its experience and knowledge with the public it serves," said a Jake Glickman, director of social

services. "We invite local organizations to take advantage of this bureau, whose speakers include psychiatrists, physicians, psychologists, social workers, registered nurses and volunteer leaders."

The hospital also has on hand a color video tape on the facility's Public Responsibility Committee which Glickman said would provide an excellent program concerning mental health. "We would be happy for groups to come to our facility view this film as one of the coming year's programs," he added.

Topics suggested by Glickman, and for which the hospital can provide qualified speakers, are alcoholism, marriage and family counseling, new treatment programs, partial hospitalization, trans-accational analysis, nursing care, adolescent programs, behavior modification, outpatient services, drugs, personnel management, reality orientation and fields of volunteer service.

To make arrangements for one of the speakers, call the Social Service office (267-8216, Ext. 251). A minimum of two weeks notice is necessary.

Railroad buff

HATBORO, Pa. (AP) — Bob McFadden is a railroad tycoon in the dream world. He has a collection of 5,000 rolling stock models which range from an inch-long antique toy to an 85-foot, real dining car. The value of his collection is estimated at \$65,000.

"It may not be the largest collection around, but I have 95 per cent of a major manufacturer's regular production in the 20-year post-World War II period."

Eager to work around trains, McFadden, a 29-year-old school teacher, has worked as an engineer for a railroad and once served as a ticket clerk at a terminal.

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Atomic holocaust: An eyewitness view

OVER THE BIKINI LAGOON IN A B17 (AP) — Two minutes before drop, the flat metallic voice of the bombardier crackled through the air, "put on goggles."

We tightened our circle to stay in the orbit of planes flying over Bikini Lagoon as "Dave's Dream" the atomic bomber, went in for the third time. The first two were tests. This was the real thing.

One minute to go — the automatic tone signal from the bomb carrier started to buzz.

The navigator mechanically clicked off the seconds: "Fifty eight . . . 59 . . . 60 . . . Bomb away! Bomb away!"

Then there was silence. The atom bomb was hurtling earthward. We waited. Seconds seemed hours.

Like one of the spokes of a huge wheel suspended high in the sky, our photographic B29s circled the target. Far below, the battleship Nevada looked like a red bug on a blue carpet.

Then all hell broke loose. It was 25 seconds after 9 a.m., July 1, 1946.

Stronger than a thousand suns, the flash swished through the sky like a giant flyswatter blotting out everything — the ocean, the clouds, the ships, the sun.

We threw off our goggles. The fireball which appeared after the initial flash was so bright we couldn't look at it. It covered the entire target area.

At first, it was smooth as a billiard ball. It started curling upwards, boiling like a pot of hot sugar. Then each bubble burst into bigger ones in colors of red, brown, yellow and white.

Within a few seconds the molten ball had risen beyond 15,000 feet.

Then came the shock wave. It felt as if the aircraft had just been hit with a sledgehammer. Just one blow that drowned out the roar of the engines. Then it disappeared.

The ball kept spiraling upward to 26,000 feet into a cloud and reappeared atop the cloud. It looked like an immense ice cream cone with the tip pointing straight at the Nevada.

The center of the target was so completely covered it was impossible to determine whether the Nevada was still there.

The mass kept rising higher and higher. At 50,000 feet the top of the mushroom-shaped head spread out several miles. Huge cracks in the bubbles were streaked with a brilliant red. It looked as if the earth's furnace was burning at terrific heat.

The lower half of the cloud column kept turning different shades of red. Right over the target was a milky white. From 10,000 feet up it had turned into red. Above that it was a

Holiday will kill 28?

AUSTIN — The Texas Safety Association today predicted that 28 persons would die in traffic accidents during the long July 4 weekend, and urged Texans to be more careful.

'Sunshine Special' begins service July 7

A new page in railroad history will be written on July 7 when a through passenger train, the Sunshine Special, begins daily operation in each direction between the principal cities of Texas and New York, Philadelphia and Washington over the Texas and Pacific, Missouri Pacific and Pennsylvania Railroad.

This was announced by W. G. Vollmer, president of The Texas and Pacific Railway Company.

Plans are being discussed with the other Eastern lines for the operation of through sleeping cars between the East and the Southwest.

The question of operating complete through train service between Dallas, Fort Worth, El Paso and other im-

portant intermediate points in Texas to the principal Eastern cities has been under study for many months by the officials of the Texas and Pacific and the Pennsylvania Railroad. It is a source of much satisfaction to me that the Texas and Pacific Railway, on the advent of its seventy-fifth anniversary, is one of the three participating railroads that brings this history — making passenger train service to the people of Texas and the Southwest, Vollmer declared.

Several through sleeping cars now operate between the East and the West via Chicago but never before, it was pointed out, have railroads joined in the operation of a solid daily train beyond Chicago or St. Louis.

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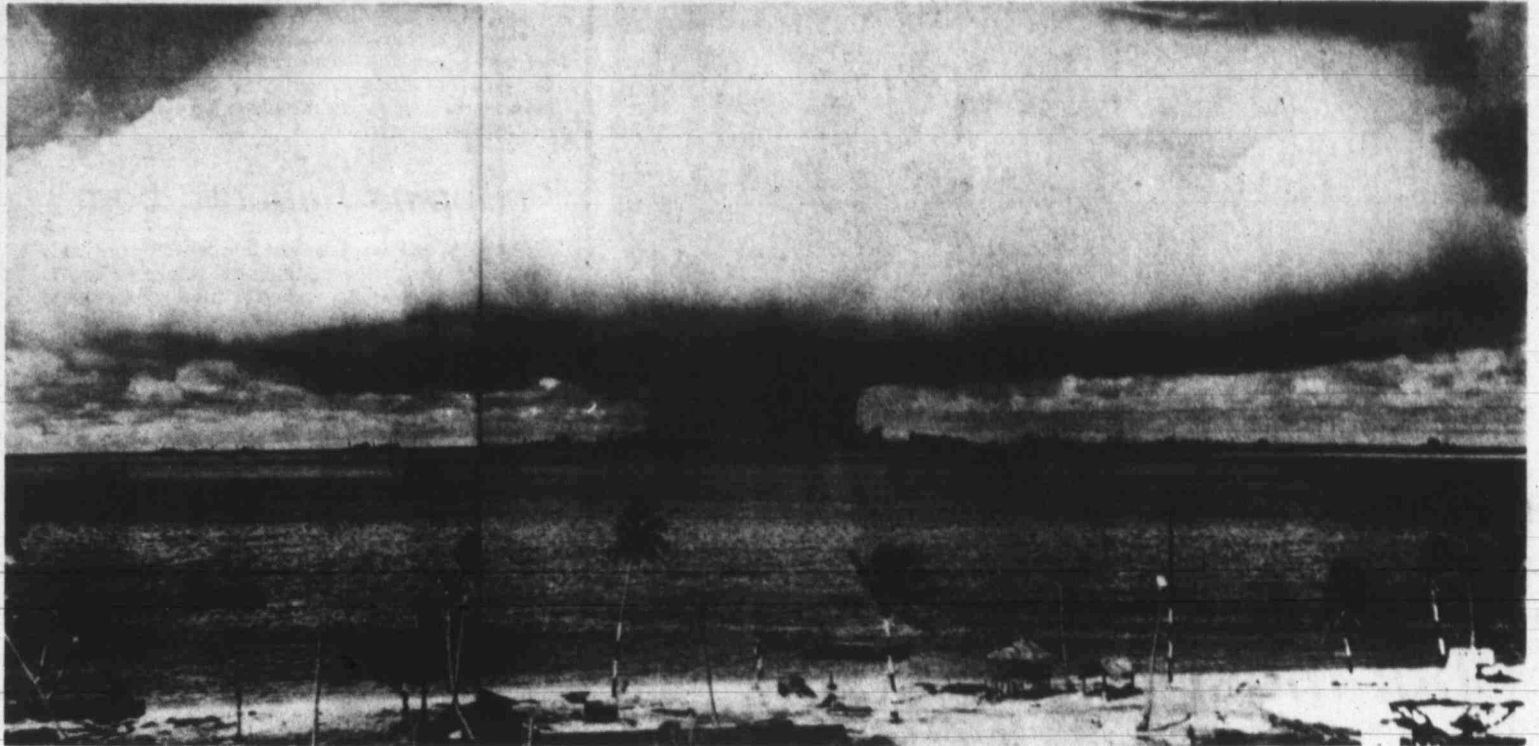
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THE CRITICAL MOMENT — The fearsome power of atom bomb is displayed for all the world to see in this photograph made by an automatic camera and released today by the War Department. The bomb exploded underwater, lifting a solid column of water 5,500 feet above a fleet of junked warships in the

target area in the Bikini Lagoon. Bulkheads burst and superstructures were carried away as the ocean erupted and seconds later, 10 of the vessels sank. The bomb was dropped by a B24, "Dave's Dream."

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First post-war fireworks spark peacetime fanfare

Loud bangs of firecrackers have returned from the war and heralded the return of the first peacetime Fourth of July in five years and Big Spring is celebrating.

A day of picnicking, fishing and other holiday sports, all to be climaxed by the amateur program and fireworks display in the city park amphitheatre beginning at 8 p.m. is expected to provide a busy July 4 for residents who stay home for their Independence Day activities, today.

Virtually all business establishments are closed for the day and both the city and state parks have been readied for a "heavy run."

A hot day is expected and scattered thunderstorms which may dampen some of the activities has been forecast by the weather bureau.

SEVERAL PRIVATE or organizations functions are on the calendar. The St. Paul's Lutheran Church Sunday School classes have planned a big picnic at the Albert Keune farm near Vealmoor.

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Focalpoint

Action/reaction: A-bomb danger

Q. Now that the atomic bomb has been added to the U.S. arsenal, what's to guarantee that other countries won't build them and wipe us out? Should I build a bomb shelter in my yard?

A. We can't keep a thing like this secret for long, so other countries are likely to get it soon. As for the bomb shelter, you can build one if you like, but you'll probably only need it for tornadoes. We here at the Herald have it from a good source that no atom bomb will be dropped on us for at least 30 years.

If you have a question for Action/Reaction, call 468.

Calendar: Big Fourth celebration

A day of picnicking, fishing and other holiday sports, climaxed by an amateur program and fireworks display will be held in the city park amphitheatre at 8 p.m.

FRIDAY

Trainman Ladies will meet at the WOW hall at 2:30 p.m.

Susannah Wesley class of the First Methodist Church will meet for luncheon at noon.

Gay Hill PTA will have a pie supper at the Gay Hill school at 8 p.m.

Associated Labor Board will meet at 8 p.m. to discuss current trends in politics.

Offbeat: Well-heeled hubby

A sign in front of a local shoe repair shop pictured several styles of rubber heels and a beautiful girl who was saying, "I'm in love with America's number one heel." Underneath in small, feminine handwriting, someone had added, "Too bad, sister! I married him."

Best bet on radio: 'Gang Busters'

Gang Busters at 7:30 p.m. may be the best bet on radio. However, for those who prefer music, Woody Herman has a program at 9 p.m. If you're wanting to hear politics, Beauford Jester will speak in connection with the race for governor at 10:15 p.m. Gabriel Heatter's "good news tonight" is at 7.

Inside: Jean Porter makes good

LOCAL STARLET, Jean Porter, gets the lead role in a new movie, "What next, Corporal Hargrove." See p. 11E.

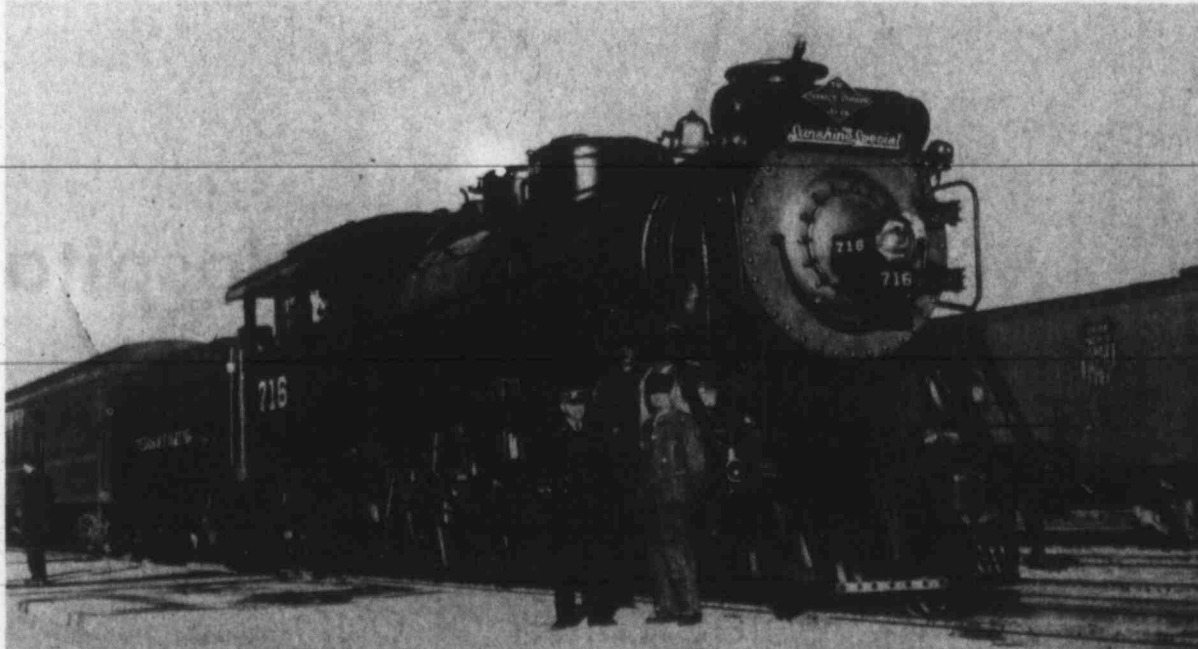
H. V. CROCKER learns that the ocelot which was once a well-known pet, has died. See p. 4E.

VISIONS OF football season, 1946 are dancing as Texas' and Bobby Layne's 40-27 win over Missouri in the Cotton Bowl is recalled. See p. 1F.

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Outside: Suitably hot

Hot as a firecracker, with a possibility of scattered showers interrupting Fourth of July celebrations today.



THE SUNSHINE SPECIAL — This T&P locomotive will be making scheduled passenger service stops through Big Spring beginning Sunday, July 7. The train begins daily operation in each direction between the principal cities of Texas and New York, Philadelphia and Washington over the Texas and Pacific, Missouri Pacific and Pennsylvania Railroad.

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'GIRL CRAZY' — Plenty of Jive is given out by Mickey Rooney, Judy Garland and Tommy Dorsey and his orchestra in the "I've Got Rhythm" finale of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's musical, "Girl Crazy." Mickey and Judy co-star in the film featuring the music of George Gershwin, Rags Ragland, Guy Kibbee, Frances Rafferty, Gil Stratton and Nancy Walker also play leading roles. Norman Taurog directed with Arthur Freed as producer. The movie is scheduled to be shown at the Ritz in two weeks.

Rent, some items higher, but most prices stable

The U. S. consumer had only scattered pieces of a jigsaw price puzzle today to indicate his future financial picture, but he glimpsed higher costs in a few of them.

Offsetting these advances, however, were steady prices in many other commodities, plus pledges from business and industry to keep them that way wherever possible.

While it was too early to determine overall trends in the costs of everyday necessities, the consumer took note of record high prices yesterday for cattle, above ceiling payments for hogs and varying increases in some places for what he pays for butter, poultry, milk, cheese, flour and a few other items, particularly rent.

From around the nation came a crescendo of complaints from tenants who told of extra-high rents imposed by landlords, but there were indications that most renters received no notice of increases. Several cities and states acted to put ceilings on rents.

Cattlemen rushed their cattle to market to take advantage of looming prices up to a record high of \$22.50 in Chicago, which was 50 cents above Monday and \$4.50 over the expired OPA's top price.

Hogs glut the market but hold the price down only \$1 and a \$1.50 below Monday's \$18.50 top, the best price since 1919.

World

Polish peasants arrested?

WARSAW (AP) — Vice Premier Stanislaw Mikolajczyk charged yesterday that irregularities occurred during the Polish referendum Sunday and declared that the secret police had made terroristic mass arrests of many members of his opposition Polis Peasant Party.

Philippine Republic born

MANILA (AP) — Torn but tempered by history's toughest war, the Philippine Commonwealth becomes a republic today with a government patterned closely after that of its political parent, the United States.

Except for broadened executive powers, asked by President Manual A. Roxas in his recent message to Congress, and reorganization of the executive branch, the transition in independence brings no departure from governmental procedures established in 1935.

Penn Charter displayed

HARRISBURG, Pa. (AP) — Scheduled for public display soon is the 265-year-old William Penn Charter, presented to Penn and the Quakers by Charles II of England.

The priceless document will be exhibited in Pennsylvania's Museum when a glass case designed to keep out infra-red rays is completed.

Troops keep order

TRIESTE (AP) — Determined to keep order in this strike-bound city, Allied troops mounted on armored cars and Bren gun carriers maintained a ring-of steel yesterday around the San Giacomo worker's district and Garibaldi Square in Trieste, centers of mob violence earlier this week.

Meanwhile transportation in general was still frozen and most stores and business were shut down by the general strike of 20,000 workers, called Monday following riots in which two persons were killed and 60 injured.

Reds won't start war

WASHINGTON (AP) — Nikolai V. Novikov, new Russian ambassador to this country, promised today that the Soviet Union "will never start a war against the United States or anyone else."

And by the same token he said he knew that the people of this country do not want to fight anyone.

BUT WHILE he said that all differences between the two major powers can be "ironed out," Novikov cautioned that solutions for many war problems will require time and patience.

The diplomat's views were made known as his first interview with an American reporter since he presented his Ambassadorial letters to President Truman June 3.

In emphasizing that solutions to all world problems cannot be expected overnight, Novikov said: "Europe is in its most difficult period — the transition of war to peace. Problems inevitably will be difficult."

NOVIKOV EMPHATICALLY rejected any idea that serious clashes of interest between Russia and the United States are "inevitable" or "necessary." The reporter had used those words in framing one of six written questions submitted in advance to yesterday's interview.

The ambassador said good faith by both nations, will "by practical actions and deeds" in carrying out mutual obligations, prevent such clashes.

Novikov voiced one criticism of the United States: His contention that this country along with Britain and France, is not carrying out the Potsdam Big Three agreement on German reparations.

"A more intensive trade between our two countries could also be of great importance, and this would be of no less advantage for the USA itself."

Deaths

Mrs. Rice

Many hearts were saddened Tuesday night when the death of Mrs. Sarah Ellen Rice, 70, was learned.

Mrs. Rice died at a local hospital after an illness of several weeks. She was a beloved pioneer, having been a resident of Howard County for 54 years.

She is survived by her husband, George O. Rice, five sons, Perry, Oliver S., Ira, Floyd W. and W. P. Rice, all of Big Spring, seven daughters, Mrs. Nettie Butts, Fort Worth, Mrs. Effie Foster of Kentucky, Mrs. Hattie Lowdermilk, Big Spring, Mrs. Alice McInturff, Monahans, Mrs. Nellie Williams, Longview, Mrs. Lorena Bigson, Odessa, and Mrs. Mary Chambers of El Paso.

Also surviving are 35 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren, two brothers, Bill Rigby of Big Spring and Ross Rigby of Chesterfield, Ill., a sister-in-law, Mrs. Alice Spears, Coahoma, and a brother-in-law, Sam Rice

Jerry Shafer

The 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Shafer, of Vincent, died in a local hospital Wednesday morning as a result of rattlesnake bites.

Jerry Paul Shafer suffered three snake bites on his heel early Tuesday morning, just as he was stepping off the back porch of his home. He was rushed to a hospital but the three bits from a 4-foot rattler proved fatal to this young fellow.

He is survived by his parents, a brother La Ray Shafer and several aunts and uncles.

Services will be conducted by Rev. Dick O'Brien, 4 p.m. today at the Eberley-Curry chapel.

Palbearers are Ed Mann, Jim Hodnett, L. K. Osborn and Lanham Hodnett.

R. L. Anderson

Robert Lee Anderson, 52, well-known farmer-rancher of the Knott and Ackerly communities, and veteran of World War I, died suddenly from a heart attack here Wednesday.

Mr. Anderson had just finished lunch at a local cafe and gone to a barber shop, to meet a neighbor who was to attend the livestock auction with him, when first stricken. He was rendered first aid and later removed to a hospital where he died at 3:30 p.m.

Bob Anderson, as he was known to all his friends and neighbors, was born October 10, 1894 in Limestone County and had been a resident of Howard County the past 26 years. He was held in high esteem by all that knew him.

He is survived by his widow, a sister, Mrs. W. A. Caddell, of Phoenix, Ariz.; three brothers, S. A. of Calif., I. B. of Reno, Nev., and L. E., who is in the U.S. Navy; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Sarah Brouton; a brother-in-

Ted Williams

Funeral services for Rufus Pitt (Ted) Williams, 36, were held at 6 p.m. Sunday in the First Baptist Church.

Williams, a resident of Big Spring for two years, who recently moved to Seagraves, was found dead, slumped over a fence three miles north of the Lamesa-Seminole highway last Friday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Teague of Seagraves.

Teague concluded that Williams had been dead overnight. A bullet from his gun had struck him in the head as he apparently tried to climb the fence.

Williams was born at Henrietta, May 15, 1910. Surviving are his wife and three daughters, Nidra, Maxine and Nancy Karon.

He leaves his mother, Mrs. C. W. Williams of Winters; three brothers, Alvin D. Williams of Winters, G. C. Williams and A. L. Williams of Big Spring; and one sister, Mrs. Howard Thompson, Big Spring.

Dr. P. O. O'Brien, First Baptist pastor, conducted the services. The men's quartet sang. Nalley Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers were Walker Bailey, Robert Currie, Richard Bull, Ray Griffin, Frank Martin, R. M. Downing, George Poe, Bill Minzenmayer, L. C. Yates. Burial was in the city cemetery.

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'Joe' was all muscle and bone

Crocker's pet ocelot dies

By DANNY REAGAN
H. V. (Burr) Crocker, 1707 Benton, learned recently that "Joe," a pet ocelot he had owned a few years ago died.

The ocelot succumbed as it was performing in Tate Lax's Medicine Show, a venture "Joe" began two years ago when Crocker sold him to the sideshow.

In 1936, the Big Spring Fire Department bought "Joe" to be their mascot. A soldier had brought him to the city from the Panama Canal Zone, and the firefighters couldn't resist his cute ways.

The department kept him for almost two years, always chained, for any time a stray dog or cat came near he would try to kill it.

"They didn't have a Chinaman's chance," said Crocker, talking about the unfortunate animals that got in "Joe's" way.

"He was all muscle and bone," remembers Crocker.

"Joe" was friendly enough with the firemen, "but we couldn't feed him any wild meat, because he got mean," Crocker said. The ocelot was only fed lean meat from the market.

But evidently he didn't remain "non-wild" enough for most people; for Crocker, a fireman himself, bought "Joe" scarcely two years after he had been acquired by the city, "because some people were afraid he would get somebody," said Crocker.

CROCKER ALWAYS carried "Joe" in the car with him, his old model A Ford. "I'd leave him in there and nobody, I mean nobody, would bother that car," Crocker jokingly reminisced.

"He rode in the car very well," recalls Crocker — "I would hold his collar, and he would sit in the back seat and purr. Of course, his purr sounded more like a growl."
"Joe" was very fun-loving, and didn't quite know his own strength, according to Crocker. "You had to know how to go around him, otherwise, he would grab you each time you would get close."

AN INTERESTING, but hectic, time in the life of "Joe" was the regular claw-clipping struggle.

"It took six men to clip his claws" Crocker remembers, "one on each leg, one to hold his head, and one to clip. If one claw got loose, we all had it."

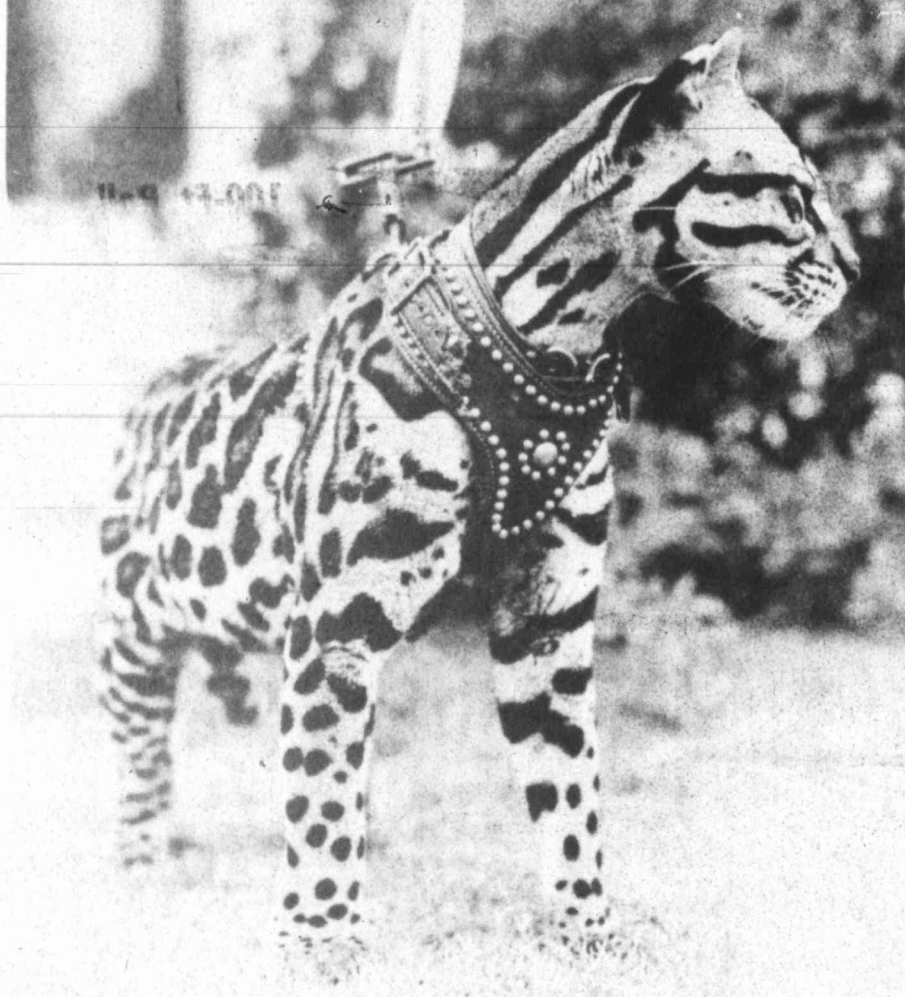
"Joe" weighed 40 pounds and he didn't like his nails clipped at all, recounts Crocker.

"JOE" ACCLIMATED to city life rather well, but he did have one "call of the wild" that he never outgrew. "His one instinct that never went away," said Crocker, "was that any time he saw any other animal, he would immediately drop to the ground and slink."

"Joe" lived through the tumultuous war years, when many pets and performing animals suffered from lack of food and attention. Ironically, he died just a few short months after the end of the war.



EATS A LOT OCELOT — But not H. V. (Burr) Crocker's hand as the picture might indicate "Joe," the ocelot, had been a familiar sight around the fire station and the Crocker household.



'JOE' THE OCELOT — Once owned by H. V. (Burr) Crocker, 1707 Benton, is shown here scouting out the West Texas hunting grounds. Crocker just learned recently that the cat died about a year ago, just after the end of the war.

Radio log

- Friday Evening
- 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
- 6:15 Raymond Swing
- 6:30 News
- 6:35 Sports News
- 6:40 Dance Hour
- 7:00 Gabriel Heatter
- 7:15 Serenade for You
- 7:30 Gang Busters
- 8:00 Flights
- 9:00 Woody Herman Show
- 9:30 This Is Your FBI
- 10:00 Cal Timney
- 10:15 Beauford Jester
- 10:30 Henry J. Taylor
- 10:45 Church and Band
- 11:00 Sign Off

Blount is decorated

The Distinguished Flying Cross and Air Medal with two clusters were presented to Ralph E. (Peppy) Blount, Jr., a former B-25 pilot, recently at Goodfellow Field in San Angelo, in the presence of a group of student officers and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blount, Sr., and his sister, Helon Blount.

Col. George M. Palmer, commanding officer, presented the DFC on behalf of the adjutant general "for extraordinary achievement" while on a bombing mission over Saigon French Indo-China.

The Air Medal and first cluster were for operational missions in the Southwest Pacific. The second cluster was awarded for "meritorious achievement" over Formosa, when Blount, flying a B-25 on a minimum-altitude strike, shot down a Japanese airplane.

On April 28, 1945 Blount piloted one of 13 B-25s in an attack on enemy shipping and installations at Saigon, "one of the first low-level strikes ever made against this target," the citation for the DFC states.

The Air Medal and first cluster were "for meritorious achievement" on operational missions from Feb. 3 to March 23, 1945 and from March 23 to May 9, 1945.

Enlisting in the AAF June 25, 1943, Blount received flight training in California. He went overseas Dec. 30, 1944, and was based for the greater part of the time at Clark Field on Luzon in the Philippines. Most of his missions were strikes against Japanese shipping.

50 blocks of paving bids to be submitted

At their regular meeting, Tuesday, the city commissioners adopted an ordinance, authorizing acceptance of bids for 50 blocks of street paving.

It is thought bids can be accepted within the next 30 days.

Under the ordinance, streets to be contracted are: S. 2nd from Nolan to Benton; Benton from E. 3rd to south end Benton street viaduct; S. Nolan from E. 2nd to E. 3rd street; S. 4th from Nolan to Goliad; S. Goliad from 9th to 11th; Rosemont from 11th Place to Wood; S. 10th from Main to Scurry; 11th Place from Runnels west and north around high school campus. N. 2nd from N. Gregg to N. Benton; N. 3rd from N. Gregg to N. Aylford; S. 5th from Main to Nolan; S. 6th from Main to Goliad; S. 8th from Runnels to Goliad; S. 9th from Scurry to Goliad; S. Runnels from E. 10th to 11th Place; S. 11th from Scurry to Runnels.

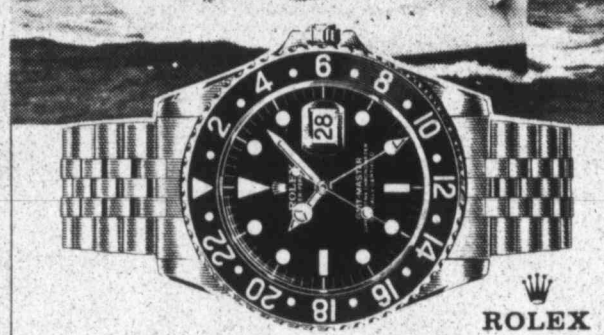
In addition to streets to be contracted, other work is shaping up by the city. City Manager B. J. McDaniel reported work was under way on three blocks on E. 15th — and Ted Groebel, chairman of the chamber of commerce paving com-

mittee, presented 100 percent signatures on W. 10th between Scurry and Gregg. McDaniel said signing was progressing well on Runnels from 11th to 18th.

Groebel expressed ap-

preciation to the commission, manager and other officials for getting the program going and pledged support of his committee to assist in getting other streets signed.

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Manager

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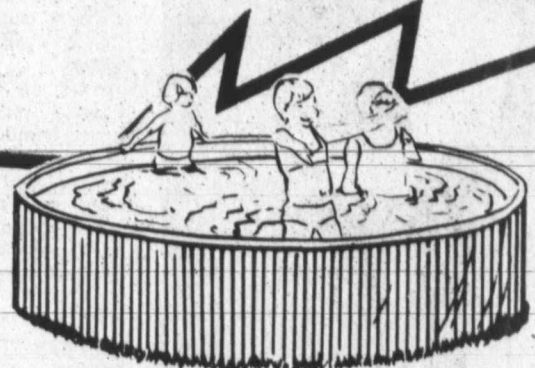


Discount merchandising history was made here. This is the so-called "old Buick building" in Abilene, Texas, where Gibson converted a wholesale store to his first discount operation. Customers mobbed the place and before the first day ended Herb had made plans to knock out all inside partitions for more sales room.

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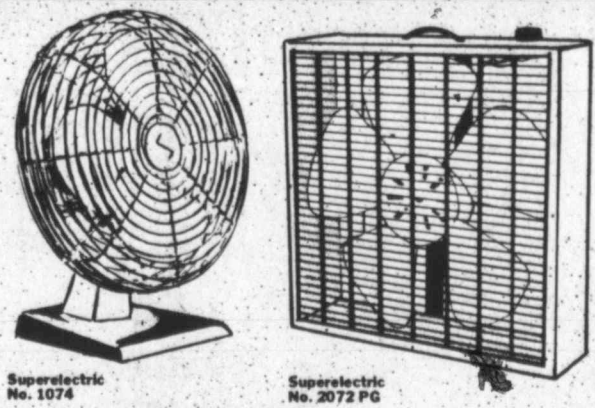
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Military

Bomb school served war effort well

Although the Big Spring Bombardier School here was officially phased out earlier this year, there is much in physical evidence to suggest that the facility was once a beehive of activity for men and women being prepared for the roles they would play in the biggest and costliest of all wars.



LINING 'EM UP—Pvt. Avord Belden lugs a 100-pound practice bomb for stacking where it will later be used to teach bomber crews how to hit their targets. Over 1,200,000 of these bombs were dropped on targets in the Big Spring area from 1942 to last year.

The property was officially turned back over to the city the past spring and is now

the site of the Big Spring Airport. A segment of the buildings within the old Big Spring Bombardier School, specifically near the eastern perimeter of the base, was turned over to Howard County Junior College.

THE LAST commander the BSBS had was Lt. Col. Joseph F. Hunker, who assumed command Oct. 25, 1945, and who remained here until the base was liquidated. The last class to graduate (the 42nd) got its wings Sept. 26, 1945.

In all, an estimated 6,000 students were trained and earned bombardier wings at the base. The training planes flew approximately 400,000 hours and more than 60 million miles. Over 1,200,000 practice bombs were released on nearby ranges.

ONLY FOUR fatal accidents occurred during the training program, an enviable record for any field. Two of those involved cadets. At one time, cadets of four nations were undergoing training at the facility. Those came from France, Brazil and China.

The base trained hundreds of bombardiers over a period of nearly four years. Headquarters of the facility came into being June 28, 1942, with Col. Sam Ellis as the project officer. He later became commanding officer and died of a heart attack March 8, 1943.

LT. COL. David Wade served as acting commanding officer until March 19, 1943, when Col. Robert W. Warren took charge.

Col. H. M. Whitkop succeeded Warren Feb. 26, 1944, and, in turn, was succeeded by Col. John P. Kenny May 16, 1944. Kenny's successor was Col. Ralph W. Lockwood, who assumed command Aug. 4, 1944. Lockwood was replaced July 15, 1945, by Col. John K. Nissley, who remained in command until Hunker took over.

The first graduating class at the Big Spring Bombardier School, which got its wings a year and ten days after the Japanese bombed Pearl Harbor, included 118

men from 30 states within the union.

The class was addressed by Cong. George Mahon.

THE CLASS was the result of a small miracle, since not until 5½ months after Pearl Harbor was construction started on the new bombardier school. The first class was identified as 42-17.

First director of training for the BSBS was Lt. Col. John W. White Jr., a native of Uvalde, Tex., who said he planned to make a career of the military.

The firm of Brown, Root and Bellows won the contract to build the Big Spring Bombardier School while W. L. Turner was general

superintendent for the construction. The school was designed by the firm of Niven, Staub, Rather and Turner.

ESTIMATED COST of the facility was \$5 million.

When it was announced that Big Spring would be the site of a flying school, G. C. Dunham was mayor of the city. He moved to call a \$100,000 bond election to finance the purchase of additional land for the base. The voters easily passed the bond issue April 22, 1942, by a margin of about 70-1.

Perhaps the most zealously guarded secret at the air base was the Norden bombsight. At the outbreak of World War II, the bombsight was rated far superior to any previously developed instrument of its kind in the world.

INFORMATION ABOUT the bombsight was considered so hush-hush that they were stored in a heavily-guarded vault not unlike that used by banks.

Fourteen women of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps arrived to begin duty at the Big Spring Bombardier School June 12, 1943, and the news created a great deal of excitement. The local WAACs became favorites here, participating in many community activities and performing many functions. Second Officer Marian W. Hawthorne of Miami, Fla., was the first officer in charge of the group.

TRAINING AT the base consisted of ground school courses and practice missions over a target area bigger than some of our smaller states. The field turned out trained bombardiers in about three months.

The field, although now being used for civilian purposes, would make an excellent site should the military ever decide again it needed a place that could be easily converted for training purposes.

Local man calls 20-1 atomic test in Bikini

A Big Spring man had a part in calling a 20-1 shot which opened the way to the successful atomic bomb test at Bikini.

He is Wesley Irvin, member of the U.S. Weather Bureau staff at the airport station. Irvin was one of some eight weather bureau specialists selected from the states in advance of the bomb demonstration. These men did ob-

servations of special character at Kwajalein from May 1 until time for the bombing. Since observers predicted that it was a 20-1 chance for a sufficiently good day in July for the test, pressure was on the observers and Army forecasters. They hit it on the nose the first day of the month.

Irvin may return to Big Spring or to El Paso where he is due to be transferred.

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Returning GI's killed in crash

HOLYOKE, Mass. (AP)—Twenty-five Army, Navy and Coast Guard men—the entire crew and passenger list of a converted Flying Fortress carrying the homeward-bound men from Gander, Newfoundland—were killed last night when the plane crashed against 1,200-foot Mount Tom.

Salvage crews summoned

Pfc. McDaniel

returns to Luzon

MANILA, P.I.—Recently returned to Luzon, Philippine Islands from a Mindanao Task Force as a member of Company "M," 342nd Regiment, 86th "Blackhawk" Infantry Division, was Private First Class Roy G. McDaniel, son of Mr. and Mrs. William McDaniel, 206 North West Third Street, Big Spring, according to a press release from the "Blackhawk" Division's Public Relations Office.

Send your list

of war heroes

Parents, relatives and friends are asked to send in the names and rank of Howard County men who lost their lives in World War II.

Send your list to the VFW Auxiliary today so a complete list may be secured promptly.

to the scene of New England's worst air disaster labored today on the mist-shrouded hill that rises, abrupt and alone, above the Connecticut valley not far from Westover Field in nearby Chicopee, where the plane was to land at 8:27 p.m. EST.

The broken bodies of the occupants, whose names were withheld pending notification of next of kin, were scattered among the plane's wreckage along a 400-foot swath shorn by the crashing B17 through dense woods 200 feet from the hilltop.

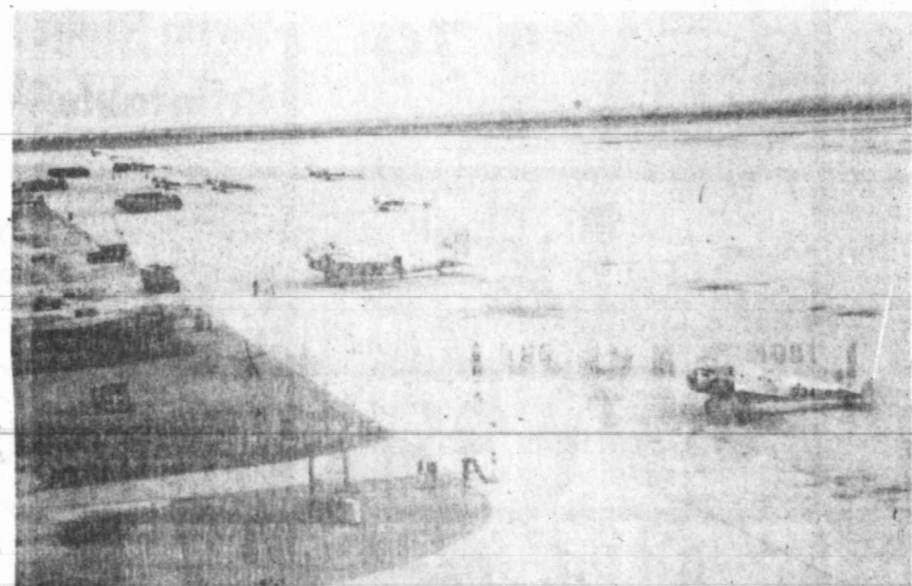
Twenty bodies were immediately recovered and taken to Holyoke funeral homes while five bodies were believed to be still in the smoldering wreckage.

Typical GI mementos of the happy homecoming—that became a grim tragedy—dotted the charred ground.

There were personal snapshots, obviously of parents, wives and sweethearts and a gold wrist watch that somehow withstood the shattering crash. Its hands were stopped at 10:20, the approximate time of the crash.

Duty in Japan

PFC. Sammie F. Haney, son of W. H. Haney, Big Spring, is now serving with the 1st Cavalry Division in the present occupation of the Nippon capital. Haney has been overseas 13 months.



WAAC "SHACKS"—This was no man's land during World War II at the Big Spring Bombardier School, which was phased out earlier this year. Except for some units along the flight line, they were the only two-story buildings on the base and they housed as many as 150 members of the Women's Auxiliary Army Corps. Later the Auxiliary was dropped and it became the WAC.

BIG SPRING BOMBARDIER SCHOOL FLIGHT LINE—Some of the planes used to train men at Big Spring Bombardier School during World War II are shown on the flight line here. The base was phased out earlier this year and the site is now used by the Big Spring Airport.

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purchase disclosed

Purchase of the Albert M. Fisher company by the Hemphill-Wells company was announced here recently by Albert M. Fisher Jr. and Spenser A. Wells, Lubbock, heads of the respective firms.

Effective date of the operation is retroactive to Jan. 1.

Wells said that W. T. Fain, Lubbock, secretary of Hemphill-Wells, and Scottie H. Johnson, San Angelo, would be in charge of operations for the time being.

He and J. D. Hassell Jr., Lubbock, vice president, and who has been with Wells in closing the transaction were to leave during the weekend to join Grady Mitchum, San Angelo, in New York for buying.

Sale of the store here, one of the leading department concerns of West Texas.

Real estate is \$2,000 an inch

We thought some real estate was selling a little high here in Big Spring until we read where it was selling for \$2,000 a front inch in Houston.

The F. W. Woolworth Co. recently paid \$2,000 a front inch — reputedly the highest price ever paid for real estate in the South — for a corner lot in downtown Houston.

The five and ten cent store firm paid \$3,055,000 to the Foley Brothers Department store for a 125-foot lot.

Water well plans mullied

STANTON — City officials were discussing plans for another water well for the city.

The officials were warned that Stanton was soon going to run out of water unless they made plans to drill another well in the near future.

A committee was appointed to study the matter.



BEEF PRICES UP — With the lifting of OPA regulations last week, beef prices took a sharp increase. Business at area ranches goes on as usual and did during the war while they provided necessary beef for the fighting forces and the folks at home. This chuck wagon scene photograph was made just prior to World War II on the Tom J. Goode Ranch.

County cotton crop hopes fading away

Howard County's 1946 cotton crop still constituted the proverbial \$64 question this week in many sections of the county, but some already had the answer, with much of it sounding a gloomy note.

This much is known for certain: The county's acreage is considerably below average, and prospects have all but vanished for last minute increases.

The chief uncertainty now, however, is the ultimate fate of the acreage planted and coming up.

Spotted showers have improved conditions in localized areas, and some farmers who obtained only part of a stand with first and second planting have put more seed into the ground.

The result has been stalks of varying height in many fields. North and north-western parts of the county still appear to be hardest hit by the continued drought. Hail also brought considerable damage to drops near Fairview Community, but other parts of the county escaped the storm of a week ago.

195 cotton farmers join insurance plan

Many farmers took advantage of government crop insurance this year as the late and spotted showers will not enable them to make a cotton crop.

Cotton farmers are invited

LAMESA — Cotton farmers from Big Spring are invited to an area-wide meeting of cotton growers on July 12 at 7 p.m. at the courthouse.

The group of farmers from many West Texas counties are to discuss the future of the cotton markets now that the war has ended.

Plans are also under way to begin a possible West Texas Cotton Producers Association. All interested persons are invited to attend.

Out of 875 cotton farms in Howard County, 195 are covered by the insurance plan and after completing the first inspection, Gabra Hammack, local AAA adjuster estimated 90 farms as a total loss.

Hammack and M. Weaver, AAA agent, have estimated a total loss on 13,000, out of 39,000, which will run the total amount to \$150,000 or more to be paid to Howard County farmers. Several farmers may collect \$8,000 to \$10,000 in insurance.

Tell all your friends and neighbors.

About all the new columns, such as — Ridin' Fence, in the Big Spring Herald. To start their home delivery service, phone 263-7331.

UNCLE SAM



As a soubriquet for The United States, Uncle Sam probably originated during the War of 1812.

The first cartoon of Uncle Sam appeared in the New York Lantern in 1852.

The artist was F. Bellew. In 1870, Thomas Nast, cartoonist for Harper's Weekly, added whiskers and a starred vest to Uncle Sam.

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Ladies Name Brand 4-Diamonds, 14 Kt. Gold Case 275.00 149.00	Ladies white-gold 13 Diamond Bridal, Set Total Weight 2.00 1650.00 1450.00
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Gents Name Brand Tuning Fork, Yellow-gold filled Digital 200.00 109.00	Ladies yellow-gold Antique Bridal, Set 1 Diamond Sol., Total Weight .37 425.00 390.00
Gents Name Brand Stainless Steel Date Battery Operated Tuning Fork 175.00 109.00	Ladies white-gold 8 Diamond Bridal, Set Total Weight .39 525.00 475.00
Gents Name Brand Yellow-gold filled Day-Date 135.00 90.00	Ladies white-gold 7 Diamond Dinner Ring, Total Weight 2.00 1259.00 1115.00
Gents Name Brand Yellow-gold Filled Day-Date 135.00 122.00	Ladies yellow-gold 31 Diamond Dinner Ring 699.00 550.00
Gents Name Brand Stainless Steel Day-Date 105.00 63.00	Trio-Set yellow-gold 700.00 630.00
Gents Baylor Yellow-gold filled Day-Date 125.00 100.00	Ladies yellow-gold Gen. Garnet and 6 Gen. Diamonds Fashion Ring 575.00 510.00
Gents Name Brand Yellow-gold Automatic 110.00 66.00	Gents yellow-gold Gen Black Star Sapphire Ring 250.00 200.00
Gents Baylor Stainless Steel, Date Automatic 75.00 55.00	White-gold 20 Diamond Earrings 295.00 260.00
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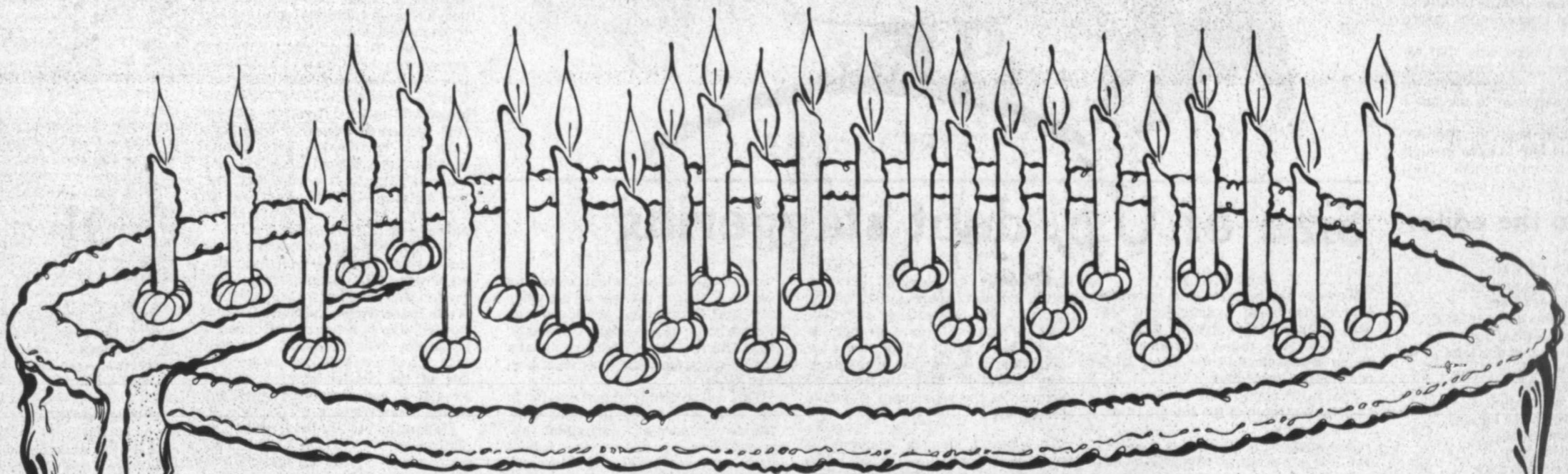
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Publisher's corner

Spectre of inflation haunting us

This first Fourth of July following the war finds the good people of Big Spring faced with what has been described as "an unprecedented challenge for sanity, Patriotism and unselfish action."

THE SUDDEN termination of price controls under the Office of Price Administration during and after the war leaves our city in a precarious position.

Though many of us have been urging the end to OPA, it is still a time of peril for our city's economy (and that of the nation and world as well).

Unless we act with adult intelligence and reasonable sacrifice, we could tip toward uncontrollable inflation.

We must not act as greedy folks. There will be a temptation to advance prices all around, and there will be many cases where this is justifiable and desirable.

There already have been some spotty reports of rents being raised outrageously from \$30 to \$34 a month in our city.

The problem is made more difficult in Big Spring because the city is experiencing "growing pains" like those



DR. P. W. MALONE

of the hectic late 1920s when Big Spring was overwhelmed with a rush of oil development.

In those days we had too little of everything: schools, homes and commercial buildings.

But we all pulled together and made things better, and pretty soon our needs were met.

However, the terrible depression and the retardations of war have gotten the city behind. Once again we need to expand in all directions.

There were those in town who thought the closing of the bombardier school at the Army air field would ease some of the demand, but this was proven not the case.

On this July 4 we again find ourselves short of everything. City, county and school officials are doing all they can.

WE ALREADY are seeing many steps for community progress being taken: the founding of Howard County Junior College and the returning of the Army airport to the control of the city.

As Dr. P. W. Malone, master of ceremonies at the April 6 Army Day ceremonies, pointed out, that was a great day for Big Spring when Aviation Industries of Dallas inaugurated airline service.

Dr. Malone, chairman of the chamber's aviation department, noted that Big Spring is the only

scheduled stop on the line between Odessa and Fort Worth. However, flights will stop on signal at Abilene, Sweetwater and Breckenridge.

Another good sign for our city's economy is the incredible level of deposits at our two banks. At the end of the second quarter, First National had \$10,037,596 on deposit and State National reported \$7,046,518.

This is an unbelievable total of \$17,084,115 which is \$1.7 million more than a year ago June 1945.

BIG SPRING truly has a bright future if we do not let the ending of the OPA go to our heads. The demand for housing and goods will be strong, but we must hold close to the line on prices.

Otherwise we may see inflation go wild to 3 or 4 per cent a year, or maybe even 5 per cent if we are not most responsible.

And we cannot imagine how we could possibly deal with prices growing that fast.

Though we have "growing pains," let's not have "grumbling pains." Let's act like intelligent adults, not like greedy folks.

Outlook bleak

(Editor's Note: Today's column is one written for Hal Boyle by a German worker.)

BERLIN (AP) — I don't believe it is possible that Germany will be rebuilt in my lifetime.

WE HAVEN'T enough tools or materials to work with. Young men, particularly those with families, want to leave Germany for another country where we could have more of a chance to get work.

I am a plumber, married, with a seven-year-old daughter and a five-year-old boy. I have my own plumbing business. I had enough work and enough food. I was very content. I had no political interest. I still have none. I don't know whether democracy would be good or bad for Germany.

I work 48 hours a week and get for that 70 marks (seven dollars) and one meal a day. That would be enough except that I must pay 20 marks a week taxes.

My wife has to work as a charwoman. She earns 20 marks a week from which she pays three marks tax.

We have a hard life, but we are much better off than those who don't work for the Americans.

We live in a little wooden house which has no light, no running water, and no gas. To get wood for cooking, my wife and I and the children go every evening and Sunday to the forest.

OUR CLOTHING situation is terrible. The children must wear wooden shoes. I have no savings of any kind left. But we are lucky to work for the Americans because we get extra food.

Our biggest fear — those of us who manage to find work — is that we will lose our jobs.

Our second biggest fear is inflation. I have no real hopes for the future for myself.

For Germany I hope only that we can get one government and that the eastern part of our country given to Poland will be returned to us, but I don't believe it.

My only other hope is for my children. I would like to earn enough to send them through school. They deserve a better life than I have.

Letter to the editor

DEAR EDITOR:
IT HAPPENS EVERY 4th
 Well, here I am in the hospital, and flat on my back I lie, and yesterday was going to be such a wonderful 4th of July. The little trip we planned to take, the anticipated fun, exploded in our faces, like a bullet from a gun. I was driving pretty fast I guess, but I didn't have all day, that is, to make the trip. And have any time to play. Sure, I saw the car a-coming, down the side road on my right. And I figured I had speed enough to pass him up all right. But he was driving fast as I, in a hurry too, I guess, and then there was the smashup. And golly, what a mess! I'd had plenty of time to have got there. If I'd started soon enough, it was a beautiful summer day, and the road was rough. But it seems a man just won't plan things far enough in advance. So right at the last minute, he just has to take a chance.
 — A. Smith



Size of U.S. debt staggering

By JOE PICKLE

We don't like to throw cold water on proceedings and particularly to disrupt the trend of popular worries, but there is a minor consideration which we feel should enter into a lot of our thinking these days.

That is the public debt. By the most charitable stretch of the imagination, it's staggering.

One school of thought says that we owe it to ourselves, so why fret about it. That's a bunch of foolishness. If we bought City of Big Spring bonds or those of any other of our school districts or of Howard County, we certainly would do so in the belief that they would be redeemed on schedule. This certainly should hold good for the obligations of the United States of America.

There are two things to bear in mind about this debt. One is to keep in mind that we have it and that as long as we permit it to retain current levels, service charges will be enormous.

The second is to recognize the fact that the only way it can be reduced is by setting up budgetary provisions to take care of it as rapidly and

systematically as possible. This involves popular appreciation of the cold fact that amortizing the debt must be figured in as a proper expense, that in truth it represents the application of the surplus of revenues over operation and maintenance expenses to the retirement of public obligations.

The logical step is economy in government. We don't hear much about this these days. Yet, silence on the subject does not lessen the need for it.

At the moment we are still operating the federal government

with a war-timetable, which is roughly for times that of pre-war levels when the total government employees was though to be pretty high. Obviously, one of the first steps is to bring about a reduction of the total to at least pre-war levels.

This will be doubly important, for as the staff is reduced to some semblance of normal, contingent appropriations for the services which these employees represent will be cut.

The course won't be easy, and in fact, it may be impossible unless personal considerations and patronage are left completely out of the picture.

Two trading blocs

By JAMES MARLOW
WASHINGTON (AP) — Why does Britain need a loan of \$3,750,000,000 from this country?

To get back on her feet. Her foreign trade was shot by the war. Is Britain the only country which will benefit by such a loan?

Government officials have repeatedly said the loan will not only help Britain but us too, and world trade in general.

Why? Because Britain agrees — if Congress approves the loan — to end her wartime trading methods, which hurt American trade, and to join the United States in creating a free world

trade.

If Britain didn't get the loan, what then?

The same government officials have said Britain would have to continue her wartime trade methods which would hurt American trade and world trade.

If that happened — with Britain dealing with one block of nations — the United States would have to set up its own block of nations to do business in dollars.

Then there'd be, government officials have suggested, the two trading blocs bucking each other. And that wouldn't help world trade.

(An Editorial)

Bank deposits gain in year

Deposits were up in Big Spring's two banks during the second quarter, a good indication that the local economy is in good shape.

When the reports were made for June 30, they reflected a gain of \$1,738,420 over the same period in 1945.

Bank officers said they were the

strongest summer statements ever made here.

The First National Bank had deposits of \$10,037,596, the State National \$7,046,518.

If our farms can yield a good cotton crop this fall, the banks may set records for deposits that will never be broken.



Should kids be bored?

Around the rim

Tommy Hart

The gossip monger: I've often wondered what kids did for entertainment during the war?

Would you believe they're saying there's nothing to do in this town, other than going downtown to look while some one gets a haircut or watch the hubcaps rust on someone else's car? There'll be a new motion picture theater, the Texas, opening soon but some of the best theatrical talent alive can be heard nightly on radio.

OF COURSE, it's not always easy to raise the 30 cents you need to get into a motion picture house, so save your money to see the best of Abbott and Costello, Ginny Sims, Zachery Scott and Ray Milland. The latter took a role in something recently called "The Lost Weekend" that could undermine his career, but I doubt it. Surely he doesn't drink like that all the time.

One hears that Big Spring High School football coach Pat Murphy may be leaving for an assistant's job at Abilene High School. If the report that he'll be paid \$3,000 a year for the job is right, he'd find it very hard to turn down the position. Not many schools anywhere do that well by coaching aides.

Howard County Junior College's projected enrollment is 200, which may be a bit too optimistic, especially when there are those predicting the college won't be in existence five years from now. New schools everywhere have a hard row to hoe, financially speaking. The college's president, E. C. Dodd, is an ambitious enterprising man but a limited budget will go just so far. The junior college people have a big selling job on hand if they are to convince high school graduates they are not wasting their time by spending two years in a junior college before going on to a senior college.

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Veto given serious thought

By DREW PEARSON
WASHINGTON — President Truman did not exaggerate when he told his radio listeners that he had given a Price-Control veto most serious reconsideration.

According to his close advisors, he worried more and longer over this than any other step he had taken. The President's decision to veto was finally made at a Thursday night conference in the White House, attended by his cabinet and economic advisors. Part of them were opposed to the veto. Secretary of the Treasurer John Royder, Civilian Production Administrator John Small and Secretary of the Interior Cap Krug felt that President Truman should accept the compromise Price-Control bill despite its unworkable features, and try to make it work.

Attorney General Tom Clark first agreed with them. He viewed the veto message from a political angle and told the President he hated to see him break with his good friends on Capitol Hill, particularly Speaker Sam Rayburn and Senate Majority Leader Barkley. Later, when the decision was made in favor of the veto, however, the Attorney General went to bat vigorously and helped White House advisors write the message.

Advisors who carried the ball to the inner White House debate Thursday night were OPA Administrator Paul Porter, who practically camped at the White House during the week. Chester Bowles, who is retiring as Economic Stabilizer, John Steelman, the new War Reconverter, who has become one of the closest advisors to the President and Secretary of Commerce Henry Wallace.

Backing him up for the Department of Defense — though it was not vigorous — was Housing Administrator Wilson Wyatt who, although not present at the meeting, sent his representative who was vigorous.

Later, when President Truman sat down with his congressional leaders on Friday, he almost changed his mind. He told friends afterward he knew how hard and loyally they had worked for a Price-Control bill and he simply hated to go against their advice. However, his main argument to them was that the half-breed Price-Control bill would not work. The Taft Amendment, he especially argued, was absolutely impossible — and he cited accountancy experts of various big manufacturing firms, all of them against OPA, and branded the Taft cost-plus formula as likely to bring chaos to industry.

"I just have to put what I consider the country's welfare first," the President told his congressional leaders. "Let's not fool the country and give them something that won't work."

When they told him they would not be persuaded they were reluctant colleagues to pass any sort of Price-Control bill, the President replied: "If it's this or nothing, then we'll just have to take nothing."

Among the things the President figured that during the chaotic period sure to follow if the polyglot Price-Control bill would pass, Congress would claim it was his fault for not making the bill work when, in actual fact, the bill was unworkable. He felt also that if Congress did dare to go home without a Price-Control bill,

missioners up for reelection this year, Poncho Nail, has pressed the flesh of many a returning serviceman this year. Nail remembers how it was in World War I, when he exchanged muffs for military gear and wound up in France. Poncho recalls it rained a lot in France in those days. His captain then was James Brocks, now our county judge.

Among newcomers to town who is trying to get around to meeting everyone is Champ Rainwater, manager of Empire Southern Gas Co.

One is told that Capt. Herb Whitney, former assistant city manager of the city of Big Spring, is now the chief of public works for the city of Seoul in Korea. Wonder how Herb deals with a customer who thinks his water bill was too high?

The cost of some buildings is going so high, it may give the builder a nose bleed. There're putting up a 65x100 foot structure on West First and Gregg Streets which will house Jones Motor Company. The cost? \$30,000.

THERE'S A NEW man in state politics who bears watching. He's Allen Shivers, who offered for the position of lieutenant governor earlier this year and who looks like a shoo-in in November. If he has his eye on the governor's chair, he may have to wait a while because Beauford Jester, the incumbent, may be around for quite a while.

One of our town wits may have stopped a pet lover cold in his tracks when the bore bragged "Our dog is just like one of the family." To which his audience of one offered as a rejoinder: "Which one?"

Not many Americans live to the ripe old age of 100 but one who will likely make it is Mary Zinn, affectionately called Mother by her many friends. If she lives until Aug. 19, she'll reach that magic figure. No doubt she will. She and her late husband organized the first Sunday School here in 1883 and she still reads the Bible daily.

things would be better for them in their districts than in Washington. He also warned in this case he would call a special session of Congress.

NOTE — In many respects Truman hated to accept Chester Bowles' resignation. However, Bowles urged it upon him, partly because he wanted to leave the government, partly because he felt that the political repercussions from his exit would help price control. Bowles has been none too popular with the Congress, and he advised the President that many senators would vote for price control if he stepped out. This was the same stand taken by Leon Henderson, the first OPA chief. Actual fact is that any administrator of OPA is bound to wear out his welcome, no matter how good he is.

The Eastman Kodak Company has been having trouble as a result of the first atomic bomb test in New Mexico — one year ago. Eastman found that, for some mysterious reasons, some of the film was turning black before exposure. Finally, experts discovered that the film had been packed in straw which came from western Kansas.

After the Los Alamos bomb tests, radio-active dust from New Mexico settled on Kansas wheat fields, and is still so powerful that the Kodak company has had to stop using Kansas straw for packing film.

Chairman John Wood of Georgia and Re. Karl Mundt of South Dakota of the House Committee on Un-American Activities, have quietly ordered a committee investigator to begin a study of the Ku Klux Klan.

Although the full committee did not seem to think the Klan important enough for its attention, these two members are aware of their responsibility to investigate all groups with Un-American purposes such as those of the Klan. After the preliminary report is presented, the question of a full scale committee investigation would again be put to a vote.

NOTE — Congratulations to Cong. William Barry of Brooklyn for demanding that the House committee for Un-American Activities investigate the Klan. So far, however, Barry has not demanded that this committee investigate the equally Un-American Christian Front, several of whose meetings he has addressed. Perhaps the Klan does not have as many votes in Brooklyn as the Christian Front does.

While the United Nations continue toicker about the French government, underground Spanish Republicans are getting stronger. Heavy censorship has hushed it up but about ten days ago a powerful bomb exploded in the Madrid headquarters of the Falange.

Another has planted in the Plaza de la Cibeles, one of the main squares of Madrid, which did not explode. Franco's police suffered several casualties from the guns of Republican partisans before they were able to get to it and prevent the explosion. It's only been a short time since the war but two former enemies, Italy and Austria, now earnestly seeking to become democracies, will be proposed by the United States for admission to the United Nations next September.

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"I may disagree with what you have to say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." — Voltaire

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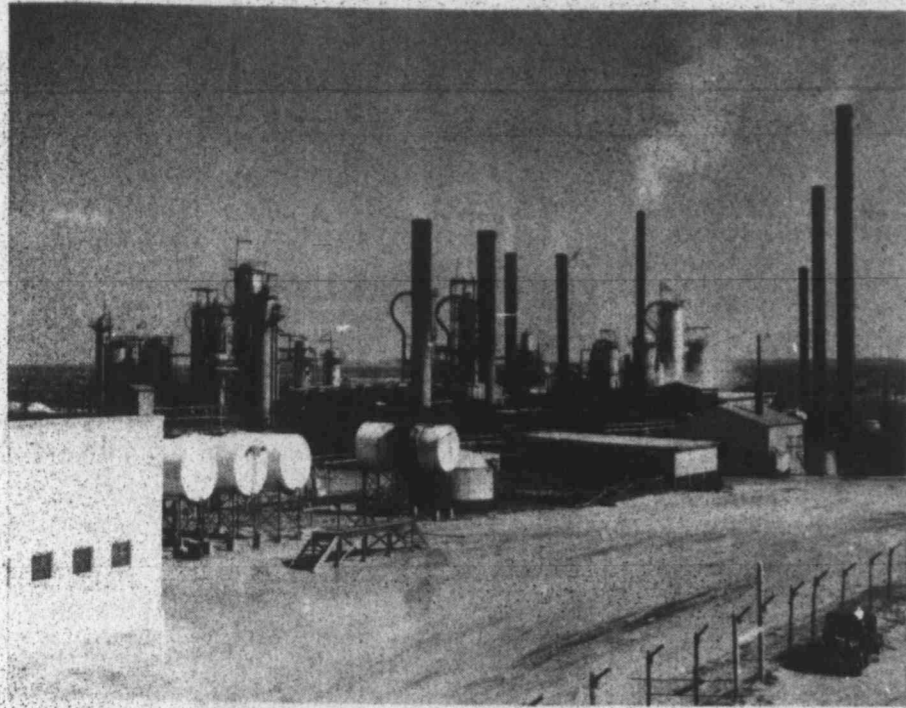
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REFINERY BOOMS — Cosden Refinery this week announced an extension of its pipeline to the Sweetwater and Abilene area. They also elected directors and re-elected Raymond Tollett as president.



THERE SHE BLOWS — Oil wildcats like this create lots of excitement here in Howard County. Just eight years ago in 1938, this well belonging to V.A. Merrick and M.E. Ooley came in near Big Spring.

Tolett heads Cosden board

Cosden Petroleum Corporation stockholders held their annual July meeting and elected a board of directors Monday morning. The board includes James L. Carey, A. V. Karcher, Marvin M. Miller, Leo M. O'Neil, Nelson Phillips, Jr., B. H. Roth and R. L. Tollett. The board then elected officers including Tollett, president; Miller and J. B. Mull, vice-presidents in charge of distribution and manufacturing; Karcher, secretary-treasurer; C. F. Dyckmans, assistant treasurer; V. A. Whittington, assistant secretary and Phillips, general counsel.

Was Dracula in spotlight?

Among the "lost" articles held at the Ritz for the owner is a pair of false teeth. The management doesn't recall a show which would have caused teeth to jump out, but the choppers were found in a seat nevertheless, and appear to be expensive ones.

'Too-young-looking' tag

Local starlet climbs in Hollywood

It has been a tough climb, but Jean Porter, daughter of H. C. Porter of Big Spring, seems well up the ladder of success as a Hollywood starlet.

Publicity releases on Jean say she is probably the only actress who rushes around exclaiming, desperately, "I'm much older than I look — I really am!"

Miss Porter is said to have literally tackled director Richard Thorpe into giving her the lead opposite Robert Walker in "What Next, Corporal Hargrove?" which showed at the Ritz earlier this year.

Director Thorpe said "No" in four ways: "Too young-looking; too short; hair too light; no French accent."

"Two of those can be fixed," countered Jean, who like all Texans not only isn't shrinking but can't be shrunk. She got the part!

That "too-young-looking" tag registers no joke to Miss Porter. It kept her knocking at studio gates three years, caused her first role in a Hal Roach picture to be a child with a lisp. Roach cast her in a sequel and she was typed "sub-typed," she phrases it. For months at a time, Jean couldn't get in to see anybody. Gatemens and secretaries merely smiled indulgently. When she did reach executives, they patted her shoulder and advised her to run along home and come back in three or four years.

Finally, she decided to ask for roles in the age bracket where observers placed her. Given a last minute chance to try for a role in "The Youngest Profession," she learned six pages of script in an hour and won the test over five girls. Before the film's completion, MGM signed her to a long-term contract, but the almost voting-age girl

Texans smoke, drink more

AUSTIN — Texans are smoking more cigarettes and drinking more liquor and wine this year than they did last, but they are drinking less beer.

A statement of stamp sales released by State Treasurer Jesse James showed an increase of \$688,658.74 in the sale of revenue stamps on cigarettes, liquor and prescription liquor for June 1946 over the same month last year.

The only decrease in sales was a \$44,001.27 slump in beer stamps.

Polio ban test delayed

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — City Attorney T. D. Cobbs has requested postponement of a legal test scheduled Friday in corporation court for violation of the city's polio quarantine ban of public gatherings for children under 14 years of age.

James E. Johnson, local amusement park owner is charged with violation of regulation.

Nehru now leader of India

BOMBAY (AP) — Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru formally assumed leadership of the Congress party today, and urged his followers to maintain intact "the weapon with which the nation had fought the Britishers" all these years — the Congress machinery.

July 4, 1776

A small group of Americans, inspired with a love of liberty, make the proclamation that will stir all who seek justice and equality. Today, the words of the Declaration of Independence resound more clearly than ever in the hearts of freedom-loving people everywhere. May the message of liberty ring out over the land!

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Gas pipeline survey made

A preliminary survey for the construction of a 225-mile four-inch gasoline pipeline from the Cosden Big Spring refinery to Weatherford has been completed. Cosden Petroleum Corporation announces that

distribution terminals are planned at intermediate points between Big Spring and Weatherford. The line will be laid in units with the first to be either to Sweetwater or Abilene.



"... And so my fellow Americans, ask not what your country can do for you, ask what you can do for your country. My fellow citizens of the world, ask not what America will do for you, but what together we can do for the freedom of man."

John F. Kennedy
Inaugural address

America stands as a beacon of freedom for everyone. As Americans, it is our responsibility to our country to see that this beacon remains bright and shining for all times.



Our American Heritage



Great things happen . . . when people get together to work together, for the good and the growth of a community and nation. From such efforts come the greatness of a nation and the achievements of an era. We are proud to contribute our share in our community and to share in working toward bigger and better things for our community.



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Accused killer of wife celled

GARDEN CITY — Earl Hamilton Williams, 48, is being held in jail without bond, charged in Glasscock County with the murder of his wife, Beulah.

She was found dead at the Roy C. Davis ranch near Garden City Sunday morning. Williams had been working for Davis about three months.

In a statement given to Sheriff Walter L. Teele of Glasscock County, Williams said that Davis left the ranch a few days previously, leaving him in charge.

The statement said that they had been drinking all day on Saturday and about mid-afternoon Williams had gone to the barn and fed and watered the horses. When he came back to the house, the statement said, Williams was unable to find the whiskey. He searched all over the house and barns until about 7:30 or 8 p.m.

In the statement, Williams said that he then came in and sat down in a chair and his wife started cursing him. The statement goes on to say that Williams did not answer his wife, but got up and slapped her twice. He then said he caught her by the hair of the head and jerked her down to the floor face down.

Williams statement continued that he stood by her side and jabbed her head on the floor about three times. He said he dragged

Bicycle theft charges filed

Two youngsters, both 10 years old, are confined to the county juvenile ward on charges of bicycle theft. The pair will probably have juvenile delinquency petitions filed against them shortly.

The duo admitted taking four bicycles within the past several days and selling them to bargain-hunting motorists who accepted the goods under "no questions asked" conditions. One of the youths, who has had his name entered on the police records six times within the past year, told Juvenile Officer Jake Bruton he had been sleeping in unlocked cars for the past several nights rather than go home.

Freakish weather brings rain, hail, sandstorms

Using a California slogan, we must admit we are having "very unusual weather." Last Saturday after the thermometer went to 108 degrees we had a freakish cloud come over that put out some good rains and some damaging hail. Hail stones from the size of marbles to tennis balls were reported and several farms north and east suffered heavy and total losses.

Fairview and Center Point reported the heaviest rains, some as much as two inches.

Sunday and Monday brought more showers, some getting more than an inch. Charlie Creighton reported a heavy rain at his northeast

farm, filling a small lake. Troy Gifford had a young flood to wash his fields and taking some terraces along, too. George White had good rain and some hail on his farm west of town.

Lomax received a good cotton shower, but a sandstorm, arriving before the rain, had done lots of damage to some crops.

It looks like the weather man and the OPA are all mixed up; too light on some of us and too heavy on others. Maybe all the 4th of July celebrations will bring on a good general rain for West Texas and give us a chance to make a bumper feed crop and get some grass land green for the ranchers.

Aged wheeler still unknown

A greybeard who prefers to remain anonymous wheeled in here Wednesday night on a 20-year-old bicycle, wheeled out this morning to resume a trip that he claims will take him from Canada to Cuba.

The ancient paused in a filling station attended at the time by F. H. Landers to refill his casings and engage in a bit of honest discourse with Landers.

He told Landers he had made five trips across the continent on the bicycle, liked to "travel about as free as a bird." He chatted freely about everything but his name, which he refused to divulge.

Housing limits set for staff

Housing Expediter Wyatt has announced that not more than five per cent of the college staff may occupy war housing units built at colleges and universities for war veterans.

Public records—

MARRIAGES

Joseph P. DiCiccio, Chicago, and Dorothy Lee Henderson, Big Spring.

J. H. Dossie and Mrs. Elnora Townsend, Big Spring.

Frank Robinson, Big Spring, and Lucy Bell Miller, Henderson.

Local postal receipts less than last year

Local postal receipts for June were \$7,297.77 showing a loss of \$3,904.81 over last year. Total for the first six months of 1946 was \$57,303.96 against \$79,518.28 for the same period in 1945.

According to the Bureau of Business Research of the University of Texas, postal receipts of fifty Texas cities were 3.9 per cent lower than receipts for May 1945.

Of the sixteen cities which reported receipts above those of April, Laredo ranked first with an increase

of 112 per cent. Dallas receipts increased 11.5 per cent, Houston 4.2 per cent, Fort Worth 4 per cent, El Paso 0.9 per cent and Austin 10.9 per cent.

Only eight cities had a gain in receipts over May, 1945. Austin ranked first in this group with a 10 per cent increase.

Other cities which showed increases over the corresponding month of last year included Edinburg, El Paso, Ft. Worth, Galveston, Jacksonville, Kerrville and McAllen.

Forty-three local buildings completed in rat proofing

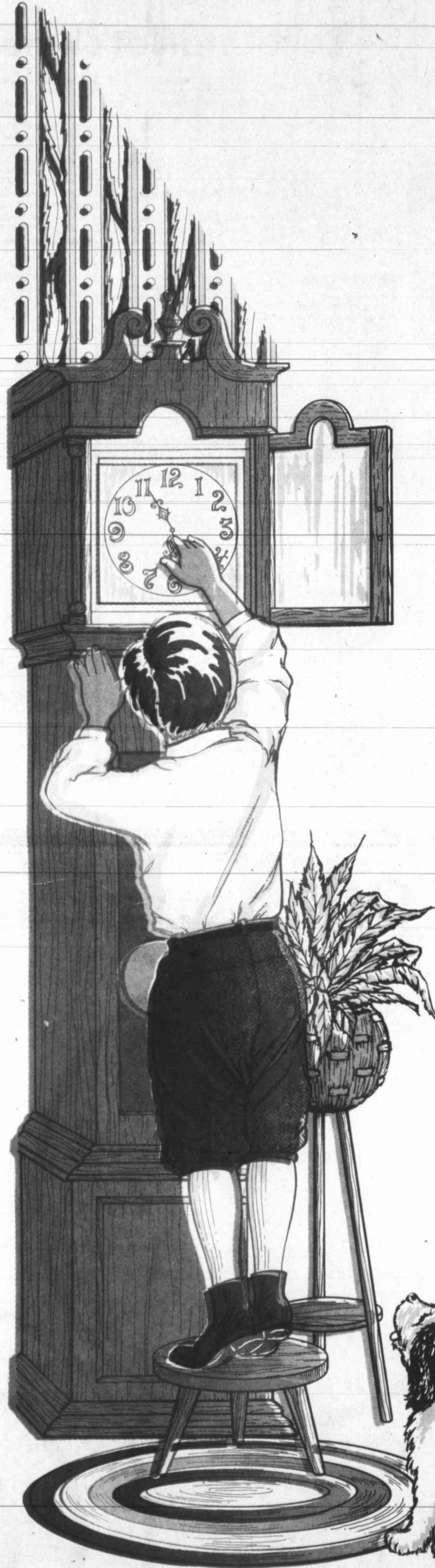
The rat-proofing and eradication program which was started here in October 1945, as the result of an outbreak of typhus fever and pox, is still plugging away.

James S. Burwell of the U.S. Public Health Service has been in the field since last fall and V. A. Cross, local supervisor of typhus control has been busy since January rat-proofing nine downtown blocks.

Some 43 buildings, which include 86 establishments,

have been completed. Due to shortage of materials, work has been progressing slowly the past few weeks. However a fair shipment was received yesterday and work on this health protecting program will continue uninterrupted for the present.

The general public is cooperating exceptionally well and many store owners have high praise for the successful rat-proofing job accomplished on their buildings.



Time Tried - Panic Tested

Grandfather Temp Currie adopted this slogan back in the 1930s.

What he meant was that the State National Bank has served the greater community of Big Spring, Howard County and the surrounding area since 1909 — and will continue to serve thru the years ahead.

Grandfather was right. Neither hard times nor boom have deterred the State National from its steady path of building our land and our community.

The State National pledges this 4th of July, our nation's 200th birthday, to keep on living up to Grandfather's slogan and his hopes and aspirations for his bank . . . time tried — panic tested . . . and continue to be a builder of this community.

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APPEAL FOR RECRUITS — An appeal for women to join the Women's Auxiliary Army Corps went out at the beginning of the war. Pamphlets, signs, and word of mouth caught the eyes and ears of women interested in serving in the Armed Forces.



RESULT OF APPEAL — Women responded to the call by volunteering for the Army Air Corps Women's Auxiliary. These women were new recruits arriving at the Big Spring Bombardier School.

Armed Forces appeal sees women respond

An appeal for women to join the Army did not go unanswered, as evidenced by the number of women stationed at the Big Spring Bombardier School.

A detachment of 14 women arrived at the school on June 12, 1943. Women remained at the school until its closure in

1946. The number of women stationed there grew to 150 during that time.

Women in the Army were first placed under the heading of Women's Army Auxiliary Corps. Auxiliary was later dropped from the name, leaving the initials WAC.

Forsan report

FORSAN — Mrs. Blesse Cathcart was a recent San Angelo visitor.

Booth Jones leaves Sunday for Dallas to enter beauty culture school.

Hyperion Club organized, Mrs. McKinney is president

The 1946 Hyperion Club, a branch of the Hyperion and 1930 Hyperion clubs, has been organized and will begin active meetings in October.

Mrs. McKinney, Mrs. Jarrett, Mrs. Phelan, Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Lawrence.

Center point report

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Center Point Methodist Church met with Mrs. J. C. Ray, June 25.

The following June program, evangelism, a Strategy of World Peace was presented—Call to worship, Mrs. J. C. Ray; prayer, Mrs. L. W. Butler; poem, Mrs. W. B. Sneed; meditation, Mrs. Howard Sneed. The Crusader Personal Preparation by Mrs. Clarence Todd; Crusade for Evangelism Begins at Home, Mrs. J. W. Brigrance.

Crusade for Evangelism Extends to the Community and Nation, Mrs. Ray. Crusade Extends to the World, Mrs. H. Sneed; prayer, Mrs. W. B. Sneed.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Clarence Todd, L. W. Butler, W. B. Sneed, Howard Sneed, G. W. Hilliard, J. W. Brigrance, L. D. Hopper and Miss Jewel Kirkland of Copell, Texas, visitors and hosts.

Next meeting will be at the church July 9 at 2:30 o'clock when Mrs. J. W. Brigrance will conduct the lesson on prayer. Everyone is invited.

Thirty-two were present at Sunday school. District Supt. Long of Sweetwater preached at the 11 a.m. service, using four verses of Isaiah 40 as his text. After preaching, noon lunch was served to 25.

The following attended Third Quarterly Conference, held after noon lunch: Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Butler, Mrs. Gordon Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Easton Barbee and Mrs. J. C. Ray of Center Point.

Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Haynes and Lon, J. W. Williams and Jewel Wilkerson of Garden City and Supt. Long of Sweetwater.

The Center Point Methodist Revival will begin July 26, with the Rev. Clyde Smith, Big Spring, doing the preaching. L. Butler will

lead the singing. H. A. Dooley, pastor, has been forced to resign due to throat trouble. The Rev. Dooley is in the Stanton hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Don Burke hosts club

Mrs. Don Burke entertained the Thursday Bridge club on Thursday with a party in her home.

Mrs. Wayne Prather won high score, Mrs. Howard Schwarzenbach made second high, and Mrs. Seth Boynton made low score.

Attending were Mrs. Steve Baker and Mrs. Boynton, guests, Mrs. Morris Patterson, Mrs. Mike Phelan, Mrs. Inez McCleskey, Mrs. R. E. McKinney, Mrs. Vance Lebkowsky, Mrs. James Edwards, Mrs. Matt Harrington, Mrs. Horace Garrett, Mrs. Schwarzenbach, Mrs. Prather and Mrs. Burke.

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Mrs. R. E. McKinney was elected president of the new organization. Other officers are Mrs. H. M. Jarrett, vice-president; Mrs. Mike Phelan, recording secretary; and Mrs. Kelly Lawrence, treasurer.

The women will meet the first and third Wednesdays of the month. The group is affiliated with Texas and national federated women's clubs.

Charter members of the club are Mrs. Hudson Landers, Mrs. Sonny Edwards, Mrs. Armstrong Bailey, Mrs. Fritz Weiner, and Mrs. Lloyd Patterson. Others are Mrs. Seth Boynton, Mrs. Wayne Prather, Mrs. Thomas Joe Williamson, Mrs. Harry Bloomfield, and Mrs. Howard Schwarzenbach.

Other charter members are Mrs. Dave Watt Jr., Mrs. E. P. Driver, Mrs. Ray Boren, Mrs. Earl Cooper,

Music featured at program

Music was featured in the fourth amateur program of the summer season recently in the city park amphitheatre.

The program began at 8 p.m. with J.H. Greene, manager of the chamber of commerce, serving as master of ceremonies.

Opening the competition for prizes was Arnold Marshall, who performed "The Big Bass Viol" and "Bell of the Sea." He was accompanied by Helen Duley.

Harry Echols presented two numbers, "Boogie Woogie" and "Claire de Lune" by Debussy on the piano, and Mabel Smith sang "Strange Music" and "My Heart Strings" accompanied by Jean Ellen Chowns.

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Fig-leaf era is returning

Obviously in a desperate attempt to find the Garden of Eden, women are donning costumes, especially playclothes, which are becoming more and more scanty. The return to the fig-leaf era appears imminent.

With an amazing lack of modesty, a word practically obsolete in the modern vocabulary, the modern belle appears in any and all places in dress which seems to be lacking in material in a number of spots.

Even fashion editors and writers who make it their business to keep up with the latest of styles are protesting vehemently about the new "nudity." On the young and the lithe there is less objection, but the main trouble with such extreme overexposure, the clothes commentators wail, is that too many women consider themselves svelte when, in such costumes, they very obviously aren't. Too many try to achieve that "bare, brown look," a term fast approaching the cliché state in the fashion world.

The "expose yourself and be happy" attitude is a trend popular in more metropolitan areas, but the smaller town beauties are also splashing into the wave of fashion. Big Spring butterflies are no less vulnerable than their sisters in bigger cities.

calendar

For Friday
TRAINMAN LADIES will meet at the WOW hall at 2:30 p.m.
FIREMEN LADIES will meet at the WOW hall at 4 p.m.
HIGH-HEEL SLIPPER CLUB will meet with Nancy Hooper at 6 p.m.
SUSANNAH-WESLEY CLASS of the First Methodist Church will meet for noon luncheon.
GAY HILL PTA will have a pie supper at Gay Hill school at 6 p.m.

High Heel Slipper Club meets in Gross home

Meeting Wednesday night in the home of Lindell Gross, the High Heel Slipper Club discussed plans for summer projects and a cabaret dance to be held sometime in August.

Old business in the form of financial reports and reports on the barbecue at the park last week was taken up.

Definite decision on the date of the dance will be carried over to next week's meeting at Nancy Hooper's. Joyce Worrell, president,

Frauleins like US girls

German frauleins think American housewives are very democratic and "wear lovely shoes."

And, by and large, the women dependents of the American Army of occupation believe the frauleins, by and large, are all right, too.

It is a tentative judgment on both sides, subject to further revision. But so far, little friction had developed between the "Colonel's lady" and the teutonic housekeeper who preceded her in her new home.

No one is more amazed at this perhaps, than the German women themselves. They had looked forward to something entirely different. "We thought your women would try to lord it over us," said a former German banker's wife, now employed as a housekeeper. "But they have instead been extremely considerate — more so probably than were German officers' wives when we occupied France."

"They are very democratic. They are always cheerful and smiling and when they want something done, they say 'please,' instead of issuing a command."

Particularly pleasing to cosmetics-short frauleins is the fact that the American girls they have met here don't over-dress or use too much lipstick or rouge.

Oil well footage

The 25,846 oil field wells drilled in the United States in 1945 attained a total footage of 90,486,215 feet.



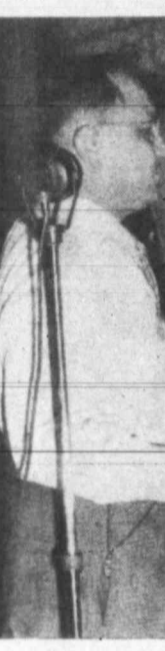
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With the creation of a large armed service came also the spreading germ of women in industry and business, and according to the local U.S. Employment Service, such business personnel are here to stay.

During the war years, women were forced to get out and make livings since their providers were called away. In the bigger cities, women took over glamorous jobs such as directing television programs. Women in Big Spring took jobs such as mechanics, filling station attendants, taxi drivers and riveters.

There were office jobs open for women which they never could have hoped to obtain prior to the war.

Women did their jobs well, according to the USES, and will continue to do so now that the war is over.

Henry A. Clark, manager for the USES, declared that there are more women in business in Big Spring than before the war. Most women indicate that they intend to maintain their position as wage earners.

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FINGERPAINTING — Members of the Enlisted Men Wive's Club take part in lesson in fingerpainting. The completed products of some of the women are shown on the walls.



SQUARE DANCE ROUTINE — Big Springers concentrate on a routine during a recent square dance sponsored in conjunction with the rodeo.



CONTEST WERE plentiful during the days of the Big Spring Bombardier School, which shut down completely this year, and most units selected favorite girls. One was the 2052 Ordinance Company. Major G. C. Dunham makes the presentation to the lucky girl, Betty Cravens — a practice bomb.



FITTING THE PIECES TOGETHER — Area children occupy themselves with a series of jigsaw puzzles.

“...that our flag was still there.”

from the Star-Spangled Banner
Francis Scott Key
John Stafford Smith



Our flag has been there for 200 years! From the circle of 13 stars to the field of 50 stars, our flag has grown as own nation has expanded. May it always wave, a symbol of peace and freedom, justice and hope.

The Casual Shoppe

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HAPPY BICENTENNIAL

The first Phillips Petroleum Company outlet opened in Big Spring, Texas, December 29, 1939, as K. H. McGibbon Oil Company consignee with an office at 601 East 1st. December 1, 1946, K. H. McGibbon Oil Company became a jobbership. They moved to the present location in November 1959. W. L. Wilson, Jr., purchased K. H. McGibbon Oil Company November 1, 1971. The name was changed to Bill Wilson Oil Company, Inc., in February, 1973.

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It's July 4, 1946

with Marj Carpenter



It's July 4, 1946, and my name is Marjorie Collier, and I am 19 years old, nearing 20. Some people call me Marj. I have had a wonderful year and just earned my bachelor of music degree at Texas A&I.

I also edited the college paper, The South Texan and they just received a cup for first place among Texas College Press Association.

This picture of me was taken on the King Ranch in May on the day that Assault won the Kentucky Derby. We were at Milflin Switch at a big barbecue and had our cars in a circle and listened on the radios to the King Ranch horse win the Derby.

Boy, were we celebrating. C. T. (Tex) Carpenter was my date and he celebrated a little bit too much and forgot who he brought. When they served the barbecue, he took a plate to another girl and left me sitting there. About 20 minutes later, he brought me a plate of barbecue, laughing and saying "I forgot to bring you anything to eat."

I answered, "Oh that's all all right, because I got a plate and I'm no longer hungry." At that point I hit him in the face with the barbecue.

Despite that dismal date, C. T. and I are planning to marry in August. Because of the planned wedding, I have just turned down a contract offered to me by Humble Oil in Houston. I was going to be in the advertising department.

but because of the coming Big dirigible forced down at Midland

A 167-foot former Navy dirigible now owned by Howard Hughes and used to advertise his movie "The Outlaw" made an unscheduled landing at Midland Saturday night due to bucking high winds and running short of fuel, but is reported back in service today.

It was deflated at the field to avoid wind damage, and was en route from El Paso to Big Spring. George Studer of Los Angeles, in charge of the 12-man crew and the ship, had it transported to Big Spring, re-inflated, refueled and continued on its itinerary which includes Dallas, Memphis, Tenn., Detroit, Atlantic City and New York.

Studer denied rumors that the dirigible had been badly damaged, and that some of the crew had been injured.

First reports had it lost or crashed near Big Spring, and a search party put in several busy hours before learning the rumors were false.



WHO'S WHO IN '46?

wedding, I now plan to teach choir at Kingsville High School while my husband-to-be gets his degree.

He has just returned from service as a combat engineer in Europe. He went in on D Day and fought to the invasion of Berlin, through Hurtgen Forest and has two Purple Hearts.

It's been an exciting year. At the college, we had an awful lot of parties from January to May celebrating boys who were coming home or officially getting out of the service. It's so different from the war years. It's hard to believe that it's all over. I went to Houston to watch the parade when Admiral Nimitz came home. My — it was exciting.

I just returned yesterday from a five-weeks trip to New York City, Washington, D. C. and New Orleans. It was my college graduation gift from my parents. I saw some good musicals in New York, including Ethel Merman in "Annie Get Your Gun."

I had worked one summer for the Corpus Christi Caller and upon their request, I just completed a feature on "The Return of Football to A&I." I got \$50 for that feature which covered an entire sports page at the Caller one Sunday and I am quite excited about it.

My senior recital was April 30 and a lot of friends came and sent flowers. I went out to King's Inn on the bay that day with Tex and his roommate to eat lunch and our car broke down. I had to hitchhike back into town and nearly didn't make it to my own recital.

In the Lantana Coronation this spring, I was the

duchess representing the Texas A&I Band Bert King from Harlingen was my escort. It was an exciting day. I also was named to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities this spring.

I think the world is a wonderful place. The war is really over. I can think of at least 50 boys that I knew personally that were killed and it breaks my heart. But it is over.

My college years are over and they have been wonderful ones. I went through in three years and have finished at the age of 19. I'm going to be a teacher after I've only been 20 one week and my oldest pupils will be 18 years old. I hope it works out.

I majored in music, but journalism is my true love. I was the only girl ever to be president of the Press Club at A&I and along with Eleanor Mortensen and Mary Katherine Mahoney was the only girl editor at A&I.

I loved it. I've won a lot of awards in high school and college journalism, and it's really my true love. I hope that some day I get back to it.

In the meantime, I've got a wedding to get ready for and a job coming up teaching music. I know it's going to be great. It's a wonderful year.

Business down

AUSTIN — Texas Business declined in May following a boom in April and is just about where it was six months ago, says Dr. Robert W. French, director of the bureau of business research.

Local man is named to club

T. B. Atkins of the Big Spring Hardware, has just been elected a Sponsor-Member of the Outboard Boating Club of America.

As a Sponsor-Member of this nation-wide organization of boating, fishing and hunting enthusiasts, Mr. Atkins' establishment will become a headquarters where local outdoorsmen can secure information about boating and fishing, safety tips, ideas for local club activities and many other things that will enable them to secure greater enjoyment from the outdoors.

Feeling that outboard boating has reached a degree of maturity that requires organized action for its advancement and protection, thousands of boating and fishing enthusiasts throughout the country have joined together in a national organization known as the Outboard Boating Club of America.

Widespread local and state clubs, in existence before the formation of the national group, are rapidly becoming affiliated with it to extend the scope of service and enjoyment to all users of America's recreational Waterways.

Outboard Boating, new official magazine of the Club, provides members with the latest news about boating and related activities, and helps keep outboard motor boat owners and other outdoorsmen closely knit together for greater protection and development of this healthful sport.

Hurry and eat, before it's 50'

DENVER — A couple ordered hamburgers at a restaurant after noting that the previous price of 30 cents had been crossed out, and 35 cents penciled in.

As they were finishing their hamburgers a waitress hurried over and began altering their check.

"The boss told me to change it to 40 cents — you just got caught in the middle of a change," she exclaimed.

Peace meetings seem possible in few weeks

PARIS (AP) — Possibility that a 21-nation peace conference might be convened here in a matter of weeks was forecast by competent observers today amid indication that the Foreign Ministers Council was near agreement on all important phases of the Italian peace treaty.

Chief points still to be resolved by the four foreign ministers was the question of how the city of Trieste should be administered under a French proposal for internationalization of the disputed territory — a

proposal on which the council agreed in principal yesterday.

There was widespread belief, however, that this issue would not prove too difficult and that U.S. Secretary of State James F. Byrnes might realize his desire that a general peace conference be convoked before the end of the month.

Soviet Foreign Minister Vyacheslav Molotov was quoted by a British spokesman as saying after yesterday's meeting that the four powers had

some so close to settling the Trieste problem that a few more talks would produce a concrete proposal which would be taken before a peace conference.

Measure OKed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate passed today a measure appropriating sixty-two million two hundred and ninety thousand dollars to finance government corporations. Independent executive agencies for the 12 months beginning July 1.

Bad lights head list

Defective lights headed the list of mechanical deficiencies listed at the traffic safety lane operated by Big Spring police Wednesday afternoon, when a total of 86 drivers voluntarily carried their automobile through for inspection by officers.

Fifty-six of the vehicles either had no lights or defective lights. Three had defective windshield wipers, two defective tires, two defective brakes and one defective horn.

Twenty-two were found to be in good overall mechanical condition.

The safety lane was to be open again Friday from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on a voluntary basis. The activities will conclude a full week's safety campaign carried on by the police department.

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NEW CAMPUS — Howard Junior College hopes to be moved into the Bombardier School buildings by September and begin classes for the newest junior college in Texas.

Two seeking funds to open Howard County Junior College

E. C. Dodd, president of the new Howard County Junior College, went to Austin Tuesday with H. T. Piner, chairman of the board of directors.

The two men were in Austin for the purpose of getting funds for the new junior college from the State Board of Junior Colleges.

Howard County Junior College and Henderson Junior College are the two newest additions to the junior college list in Texas.

Henderson already has its first enrollment with 80 students. Howard College hopes to open in the fall in the army barracks at the former Bombardier School, which closed at the end of the war.

Piner and Dodd reported that the main speaker at the meeting stressed the importance of junior colleges in the state in the field of higher education.

"More junior colleges are needed to reach an increasingly large number of



E. C. DODD
... president

students who are seeking a college education and will also help handle the large influx of veterans who will be returning to school," Dr. C. C. Cobert stressed.

some of the new faculty for the college that will open in September. John Frank Jones will head the department of commerce. J. T. Clements will head the math and science departments.

Gladys Gambil will head the English department. Leon Bush will be an instructor in social studies.

Mail route

bids accepted

Sealed bids are being taken at the Big Spring Post Office on Mail Messenger route No. 250-426, which runs between the post office and the T&P railway station (Rte 11-180), and includes the exchange of the city and the Union bus station (Rte. 50984).

The bids will be accepted until 2 p.m., July 10, Postmaster Nat Shick announced.

Big Spring well on way to construction 'boom'

Although handicaps probably are more numerous than ever before, the close of the second quarter finds Big Spring well on the road toward a record boom in building and other activity. Most major business transactions indicate that money is plentiful, and activity during the first half of 1946 might give weight to the popular concept that cash is the best obstacle remover.

A hurried survey at the beginning of the year disclosed that at least \$5 million would be spent for construction work within the corporate limits of Big Spring during 1946 provided early plans materialize. Due to CPA restrictions, many of the plans have been postponed for at least a year, and others were stifled in the preliminary stages.

Building permits have mounted steadily, however, despite restrictions and material shortages, with the total for the first six months climbing to \$801,691, more than twice the aggregate of a year ago. Several commercial projects, launched before CPA restrictions went into effect, gave 1946 a good start, and a moderate but steady rate of residential work has pushed the total upward.

The current outlook indicates that the year's total will fall short of the \$5 million planned earlier, but if work begins by fall or early winter on the veterans hospital that figure may yet be approached.

The total for June was \$73,600 with \$16,785 issued during the past week. Other monthly totals for the first half were, January, \$104,910; February, \$165,145; March, \$181,925; April, \$73,821; May, \$209,100.

The local livestock market provided increased activity during the past two months, after holding a steady pace during the first quarter. Although exact figures are not yet available, an estimated 25,000 head of cattle were sold here during the first six months of 1946, involving more than a million and a quarter dollars in value.

Choice fat calves repeatedly brought ceiling prices at weekly sales of the Big Spring Livestock Auction Company and the West Texas Livestock Auction Company which opened for business four weeks ago.

Although a decided slump was noted during June, warranty deeds filed in the county clerk's office have pointed to a new record in real estate deals. Residential property in Big Spring has accounted for a large portion of the activity, while several major rural tracts have changed hands. Unofficial total for the first half of this year is \$2,103,668, with \$113,259 recorded in June, and \$31,423 during the past week.

200 planes at Alice air show

ALICE — More than 200 planes, both civilian and military, were on hand for the Alice air show here Monday.

Approximately 2,500 persons attended the show.

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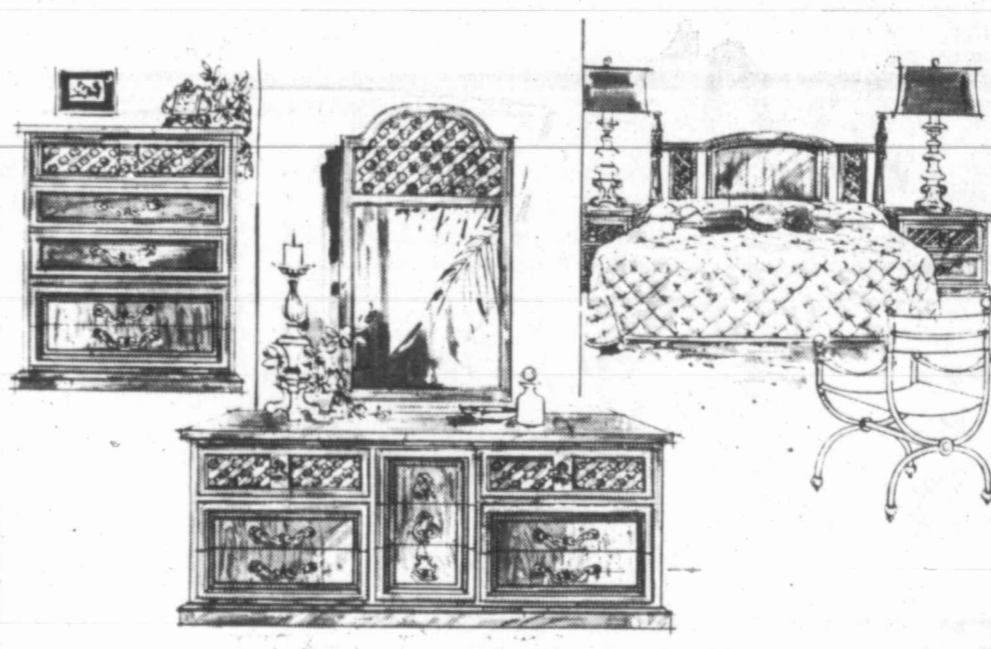
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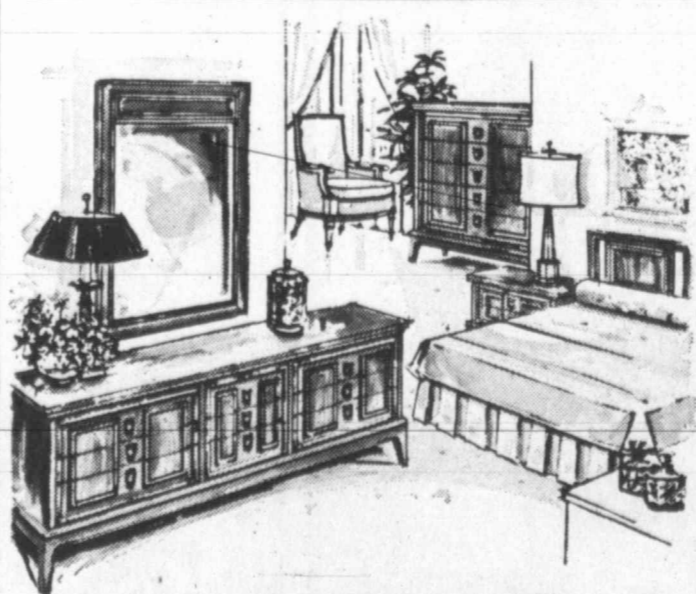
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House is installed as prexy

Fowler Faubian, former president of the local chapter of the American Business Club, now a resident of Levelland, installed officers of the local organization at a luncheon meeting held recently.

Loy House, incoming president, told his group that if each member would remember the club motto "shoulders together and all push at the wheel," club activities would make it the best in Big Spring.

Jimmy Jennis, Merle Creighton and Woody Campbell, first, second and third vice-president respectively, asked cooperation of members in their work.

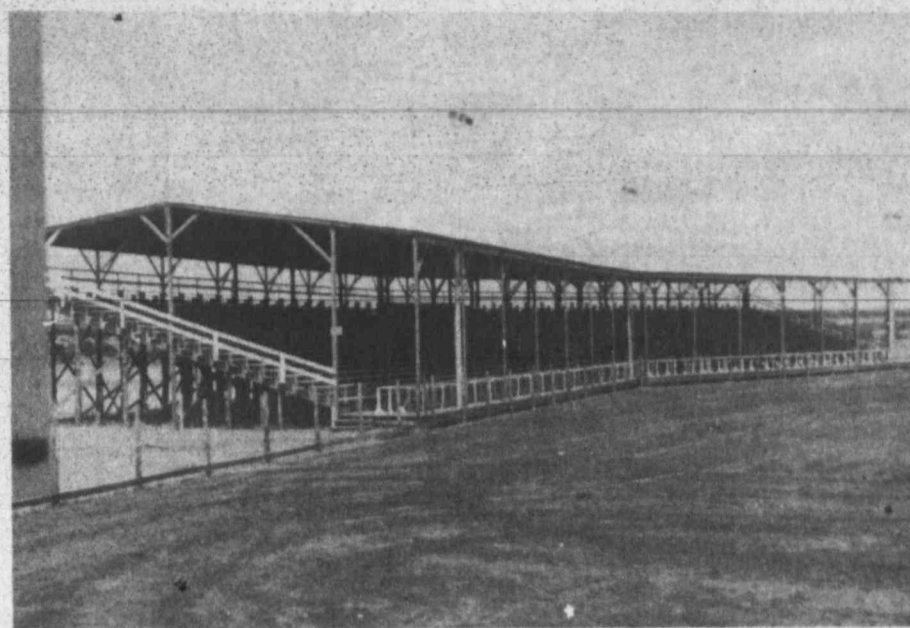
Ted Phillips, out-going president, who presided at the meeting, received a vote of thanks for his administration and said he looks forward to a good year, now that the groundwork of making a successful organization had been completed.

Preceding the installation, four young people who are conducting a youth caravan at the First Methodist Church here outlined the history, purpose and activities of the caravan. Irene Stew, adult counselor for the group, introduced Laura Behrens and Earl Johnston, who made brief talks. Together with Janet Baron, they composed a trio to sing one of their church numbers.

Guests at the meeting included Miss Stewart, Johnston, Miss Behrens, Miss Baron, G.K. Gartman, E.L. Rick, Blackie Herne, Ike Phillips, and Faubian. Harrell Jones was introduced as a new member.

Pitt trains oil experts

PITTSBURGH — The University of Pittsburgh was the only college selected by the Army in which to train Army officers as oil experts. The officers are all veterans of combat, and will be trained as petroleum engineers.



BIG SPRING COWBOY REUNION GRANDSTAND ... ready for big rodeo

Howard Hughes fighting for his life after crash

LOS ANGELES (AP) — His collar bone and seven ribs broken and his lungs punctured in six places, Howard Hughes was given a fighting chance to live today after crashing an experimental plane into three houses and a garage in Beverly Hills late yesterday.

The millionaire movie maker and plane builder was reported "resting easily" in Good Samaritan Hospital. Physician said the degree of shock suffered by the 41-year-old sportsman in the next 24 to 48 hours would be the determining factor.

Hughes also suffered a broken nose, third degree burns on his hands, and a possible skull and left leg fractures in the crash and explosion of his newest plane, the XF-11. It is unofficially reported to be the fastest long-range craft ever constructed. He was alone on the test hop.

Aided by an unidentified Marine sergeant, Hughes staggered from the burning wreckage, was rushed to Beverly Hills emergency

hospital, and transferred to Good Samaritan for surgery and for treatment in an oxygen tent.

He was conscious for half an hour after the crash. When he arrived at emergency hospital, he calmly announced himself: "I'm Howard Hughes. Shortly afterward he collapsed.

Hughes' plane had been in the air an hour and one-half. He had radioed the control tower at Burbank airport that his landing gear was not functioning.

Twenty-five minutes before the crash, Hughes radioed that he was having engine trouble. He said he was going to try to make an emergency landing on the Los Angeles Country Club course. That was the last message from him.

With a terrific "swooshing" noise the XF-11, designed for reconnaissance photography, plunged onto a rooftop, bounded onto another roof, smashed a garage and struck another house. It set

all the houses on fire, before it virtually buried itself in a vacant lot. Its fuel tanks exploded and flames licked the plane, which cost hundreds of thousands of dollars to build and reduced it to a blackened skeleton.

Property damage in the crash was estimated by firemen at \$100,000. No one except Hughes was injured, however.

Governor's race poll planned

BROWNWOOD — All Texas newspapers, both dailies and weeklys, have been invited to participate in a poll on the governor's race.

C. C. Woodson, publisher of the Brownwood Bulletin, invited all papers to conduct an individual poll on the race and send the results to the Bulletin.

The Bulletin would give each contributing paper the results of the poll, Woodson said.

Power show U.S. growing with immigrants big success

Some 11,000 Howard County folks visited the Texas Electric Show of '46 last weekend.

Everyone had a word of praise for the many new and complete exhibits of electric appliances for home and farm use.

Saturday, the last and closing day of the big 3-day show drew record crowds, with 3,200 attending at the Settles and 1,500 at the farm tent.

In a closing feature at the farm tent three pigs, 100 baby chicks, four pullets and four laying hens were awarded to 4-H club members. Those receiving the awards were Wanda Robinson, Ackerly, one pig; Elvon DeVaney, Coahoma, one pig; Joyce Choate, Big Spring, one pig; Alvin Shroyer, Jr., 50 baby chicks; Travis Fryar, Knott, 25 baby chicks; Bill Read, Coahoma, 25 baby chicks; and Delbert Davidson, Center Point, four pullets and four hens.

Texas Electric Service company officials and representatives of manufacturers with articles exhibited reported that the show here was one of the most successful they have staged.

Edwards wins roping event

Slightly over 1,200 roping fans saw Sunny Edwards defeat Troy Fort of Lovington, N.M. in a matched roping contest here Friday night.

Edwards roped and tied 12 salty calves in 222.7 seconds while Fort was taking 243.2.

In the second match, Vernon Miller of Gail nosed out E. P. Driver. Time for six calves, Miller, 145.4 and Driver, 147.

Toots Mansfield, world's champion calf roper, made the best time for the night to win the jackpot contest with a 12.4.

Jan Dickerson, Big Spring, and Jeannette Hightower won the flag race and Paul Wasson was first in the Howard County calf roping.

quota immigrants and 61,796 nonquota immigrants, a spokesman said. Nonquota immigrants include visitors, persons in transit through the United States and persons entering this country from Canada and Latin America. Quota immigrants come here with the intention of becoming citizens.

Extra service

CHICAGO, Ill. — The Santa Fe Railway Company announced today it was organizing the Santa Fe Skyway, Inc., as an affiliated company for the purpose of engaging in contract air transportation.

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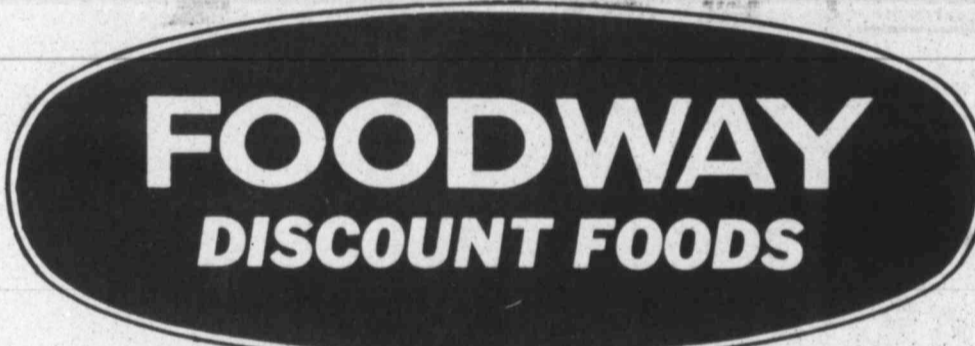
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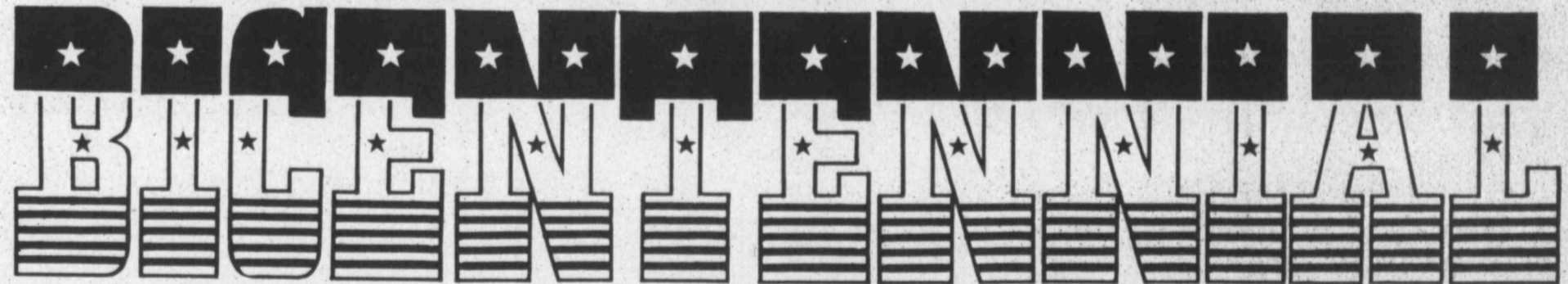
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CORONADO PLAZA CENTER

City paving, water projects tackled

A decision to go forward with municipally-done paving through the remainder of the warm weather months was reached by city commissioners in session Tuesday afternoon. They instructed the city manager to proceed as rapidly as possible to fill requirements to the maximum extent.

An attempt to renew a contract-letting program was turned down at least for the time being, because of time involved. Officials declared such an undertaking could not get under way in volume before winter, when construction would be handicapped.

The use of city facilities, it was indicated, will be tested this summer. If progress is not satisfactory, then the council will consider a larger contract proposition in the fall, for a spring beginning.

A three-block surfacing deal is under way on E. 15th; excavation is under way for a block on 10th, between Gregg and Scurry; and sign-ups are practically complete on Runnels, from 11th to 18th, and on

Washington Boulevard, in its entirety.

The city construction program is favored by Manager B. J. McDaniel, who said it would be expedited in every manner possible, and that overall progress would depend to a great extent on the sign-up for participation by property owners. Financing method is to get the money in advance, putting it in escrow until surfacing is completed, then turning it into the city's paving fund.

The commission Tuesday heard a report from Mayor G. W. Dabney on the general plans for the proposed five-city water reservoir project on the Colorado River, and authorized payment of \$1,232 into a \$4,000 fund to finance

additional engineering and investigation of the huge project. The sum is Big Spring's pro rata share of the total being advanced by the five towns involved.

Commissioners considered prospects for members of a tax equalization board, and will make appointments at the next meeting. The independent school district is expected to use the services of the same board, which is due to start holding sessions in August.

Being drafted, the council was informed by McDaniel, are ordinances to provide for a garbage collection fee (probably 50 cents), setting a franchise (street-use) tax on buses and taxicabs, and covering operation of the new parking meters. The commission Tuesday passed new regulations governing hunting and fishing at Moss Creek Lake.

Medicine halts bloat

For hours after every meal, a local lady used to spit up a strong, acidulous liquid mixed with the pieces of half-digested food. She says it was awful. At times she would nearly strangle. She had stomach bloat, daily headaches and constant irregular bowel action. Today this lady eats her meals and enjoys them. And she says the change is due to taking INNER-AID. Her food agrees with her after eating. She has no headaches now.

No gas bloat or spitting up, and bowels are regular, thanks to this remarkable new compound.

INNER-AID contains 12 Great Herbs: they cleanse bowels, clear gas from stomach, act on sluggish liver and kidneys. Miserable people soon feel different all over. So don't go on suffering. Get INNER-AID. Sold by all drug stores here in Big Spring.

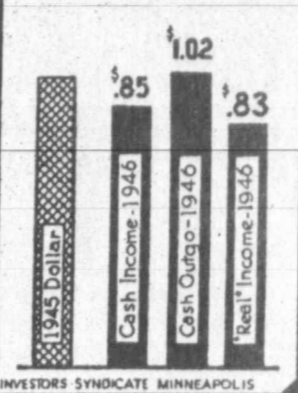
Advertising local rodeo

A group of delegates from Big Spring plans to attend several rodeos over the weekend to advertise the big rodeo here which has been set for August 7, 8 and 10.

Those attending the Stamford rodeo will be Charlie Creighton, Harry Middleton, Perry Walker, Son Rice, Junior Hayes, Ralph Davis and Paul Wasson.

Homer Hart, Curtis Driver and E. P. Driver are attending the Levelland rodeo while Toots Mansfield and Sunny Edwards will enter the calf roping at the Pecos rodeo.

PURCHASING POWER MAR 1945 vs MAR 1946



Real income of 83 cents

The above chart, showing how the average American fared in national income changes in the last twelve months, is based on the monthly consumers' study of Investors-Syndicate of Minneapolis.

The American public in March had a "real income" of 83 cents, or 17 cents on the dollar less than in March, 1945. This "real income" is not a subtraction of cash income and expenditures but an average relative of these figures designed to show how living costs affect adjusted income dollars.

Cash income of the American public in March was 85 cents for every \$1 a year earlier. The following changes per dollar were: wages off 29 cents, salaries off 27 cents on the \$1.00; investment income at \$1.15 was up 15 cents and other income at \$1.06 was up six cents.

Rents in March were unchanged compared with a year ago. Food was up three cents, clothing up four cents and miscellaneous items up three cents.

Turn in dairy tickets now

If you are receiving dairy subsidy payments, you are requested to turn in all sale tickets on dairy production as soon as possible. Tickets for April, May and June are due now.

Renew insurance, veterans told

The millions of veterans who have lapsed their National Service Life Insurance policies were urged today by Holgar J. Johnson, president of the Institute of Life Insurance, to put their service insurance back in force in view of the changes which have just been made in the Act of Congress governing it.

The life insurance companies and their agents have long been urging veterans not to drop their service life insurance and now, with the new provisions available, they urge all veterans who did drop their policies, to put them back in force," Mr. Johnson said.

"Many veterans have indicated that they dropped their service insurance because of the provisions originally in the National Service Life Insurance Act, which prevented a selection of beneficiaries or plan of benefit settlement. Life insurance agents throughout the country, when urging veterans to keep up or reinstate their service policies, have found this to be one of the major reasons why service insurance was dropped.

Veterans accept site for hospital

City dads received notification Tuesday that the Veterans Administration had made full acceptance of the 31-acre tract in the south part of the city which had been offered as a site for the 250-bed hospital.

The cost of the hospital is to be around \$2,625,000 and it is believed construction will be started by July.

Options have been secured on some of the property and City Manager McDaniel believes most property owners will cooperate by placing a reasonable price on tracts which are needed for the establishment of the hospital.

"Now, under the new provisions of the Act, veterans are given a wide range of selection of benefit settlement and beneficiary arrangements. With these liberalizations, those who discontinued their service insurance because of the former limitations, will be able to put their policies back in force and enjoy this valuable protection. The public, through the Government, makes a substantial contribution to the cost of this insurance."

Free library will reopen

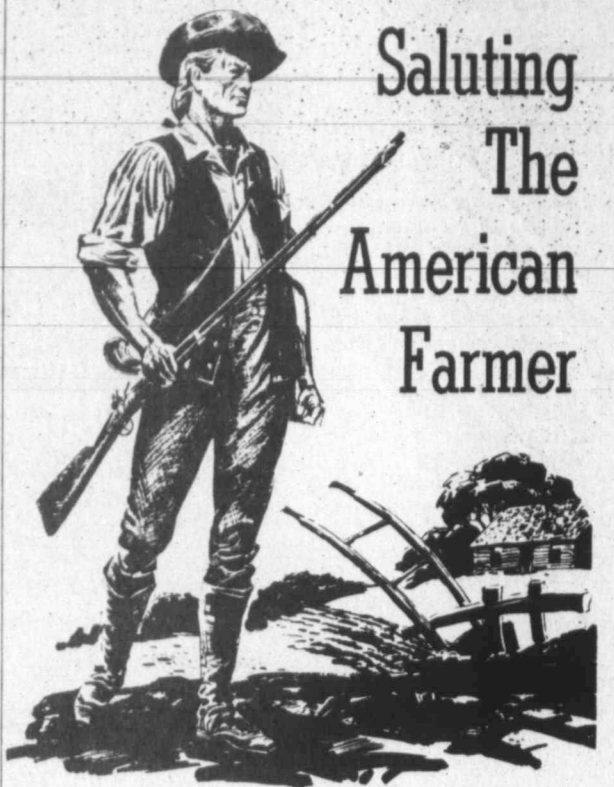
With the temporary assistance of a librarian and the promise of 2,000 volumes from the state library, the Howard County Free Library will reopen Monday, County Judge James T. Brooks announced recently.

The library was closed for two weeks, due to the fact that there was no librarian.

Penalty awaits fire chasers

Big Spring police reminded Big Spring motorists that a city ordinance provides penalties for automobile drivers who follow fire trucks to the scene of fires.

Traffic congestion has hampered the movement of equipment recently, and a stricter enforcement of the ordinance makes it illegal to park a private vehicle near fire fighting apparatus at a fire.



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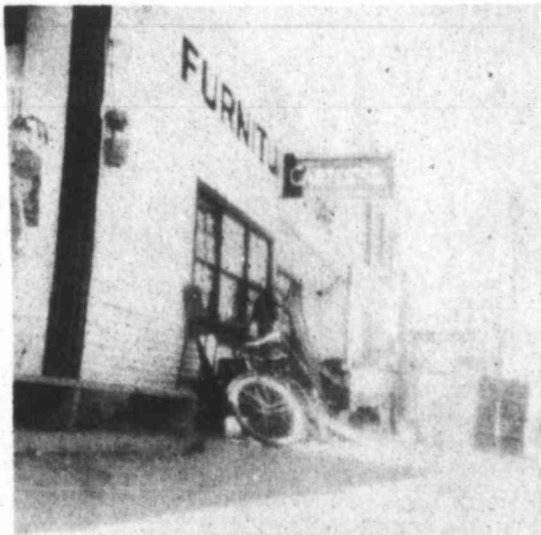
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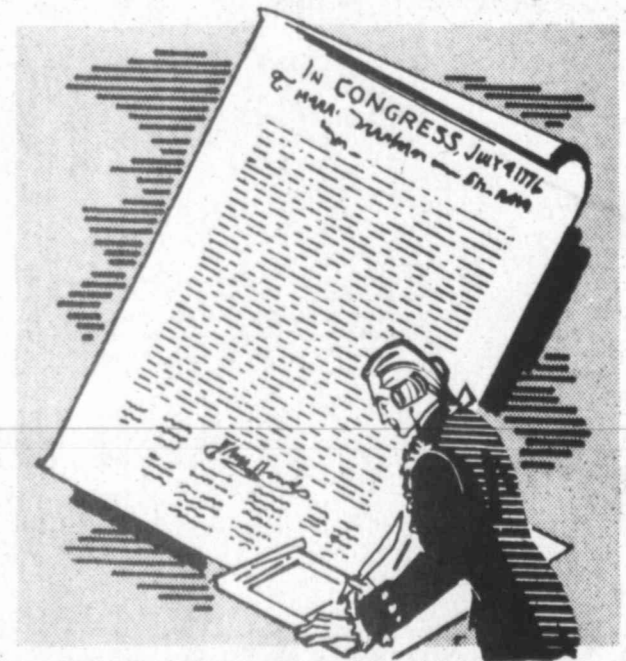
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