# Snow Glaze Promotes Car Wrecks

hard packed snow on the highways resulted in damaged to several vehicles during Saturday when snow fell over most of the Panhandle section

Three cars were involved in a traffic accident on U. S. High-way 54 at the eastern edge of 8 Inch Snow the city limits. The three way collision which occurred about 3:15 a. m. Saturday was the re- U. S. Weather Bureau gauge Sawyer of Winterset, Iowa sult of poor visibility and one kept by Horace Sneed gave the driver misjudging the speed of Stratford area .35 inch of moisthe cars ahead of him.

Hughie Eugene Strup of Kanstalled car of Mr. and Mrs. Milo level. R. Edwards of Yuba City, Cal-

car almost to the city limits of County line. Stratford when he was overtaken by a car driven by Paul Leon Eaken of Port Hueneme, California. Poor visibility kept Eaken from judging the speed of the cars ahead of him. Too late, he attempted to check his speed by using his brakes on the snow covered pavement. Eaken attempted to turn to both the right and the left of the cars ahead of him but his car kept skidding straight ahead and eventually collided with the rear of the Edwards car which was being towed. The towed car in turn, rammed into the Strup car, which had been towing it. Mrs. Eaken was laying down in the front seat and was bruised about one eye when she was thrown against the dash in the collision. Mr. Eaken and their three children were not

Although damaged, the Strup car was able to continue in use. The small foreign-made car belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Milo

The Eaken car is being repaired in the C & E Paint and

Tuggle investigated the acci-

three-car collision at Stratford, Tuggle came upon a rather pe-Tuggle came upon a rather peculiar accident 1.3 miles east of Friday Night Conlen. He stopped briefly, and then returned to the scene A meeting of the Sherman

the Conlen area was a Little County Exhibit Building. Audrey tractor-trailer, loaded The meeting will be held for with California vegetables and the purpose of adopting the byenroute to the company head- laws of the organization and to quarters at Freemont, Nebraska. determine the method of accept-It was driven by Edward Carl- ing membership in the associaton Trimble of Chicago.

on the snow-glazed highway shown. and started to slow down.

### .35 Inch Of Moisture In

Snow falling Saturday in the ture in the 8 inch snow.

In the Kerrick area, the snow sas City, Missouri was driving was reported to be heavier and west when he came upon the ranged up to 11 inches on the

Falling without wind,

urday grocery stores did a land 54. slide business as residents rushed to secure a supply of food had not been equipped with or injuries, but all evidence inbefore the possibility of being flashing light signals showing dicated that the car turned ovsnowed-in. Garages and fill- it to be an emergency vehicle. ing station men worked desperately to care for the rush de- east and had passed two of the mand for placing snow grip tires trucks, driving at a speed of a- started turning to the left pre- week. and chains on automotive ve- bout 20 miles an hour.

opening a laquidation sale in a choice stock of furniture, had to wait until this week when more desirable weather permitted buyers to start taking advantage of the savings which are offered.

Saturday night the hotel and the city's five motels were filled to capacity and a number of tourists were placed in private The snow on the highways and poor R. Edwards which was caught visibility combined with the between the two heavier cars in possibility of the hazards of a the collision, was sold as a total blizzard caused many to remain in Stratford until the weather

# Highway Patrolman Delmer County Sugar

after completing his investiga- County Sugar Beet Growers Astion of the accident at Stratford. sociation will be held Friday The only vehicle wrecked in night at 7:00 p. m. in the

Trimble, going east, was fol- A film showing methods of

### Iowa Car Slides Into Snow Plow

smashed into a highway snowplow driven by L. S. DeBord Saturday at 6:15 p. m. at almost the same location in front of To the south, the snow was No one was injured in the ac- power. reported to have tapered off to cident and the Sawyer car was Strup had towed the Edwards 4 and 5 inches near the Moore taken to the C & E Paint & Body Shop for repairs.

snow is melting where it fell, ing one behind the other at came to a stop after it had gone short intervals, were going east-under a four-wire fence and Have Calves In During the early hours Sat- ward plowing snow from U.S. changed directions in a wheat

The Iowa car was moving rest on all four wheels.

way behind him was clear, he mated at \$140.00.

O SPARE ME, PLEASE THE PARTY DAME,

WHO ASKS US IN PARTY DAME;

AND WHILE I TRY A GAME;

HER TV BOOMS AND BLOTS,

MY PATE!

### Marshall Towed Vehicles Stalled On Highway 287

Bob Marshall handled stalled vehicles on U.S. 287 Saturday night with the Garrison Motor Co. wrecker.

Three semi-trailer trucks were jackknifed on the highway just the highway barn where the south of Stratford. Pulled out three-car collision took place on the highway, they were able Saturday morning on U. S. 54. to continue under their own

Sunday morning, an Arizona woman whose name was not learned, lost control of her car Three highway trucks, mov- which left the highway and field near Kerrick. Marshall The lead truck was new and said the lady suffered only miner about four times and came to Brannock Berry, and Terry Til-

paratory to going back on the

SOME MORE VALENTINES

### Spurlock 4-H Club Meets In **Baskin Home**

and Lucy Baskin. There were be held at the First Methodist 8 guests present.

stration on baking and icing a eon will be served in Fellowship decided on individual projects. and refreshments were served.

### County Boys **Guymon Show**

Scott Whorton, Andy and lery are showing calves in the fat stock show at Guymon this

Whorton placed 11th in the L. S. DeBord, driving the front highway with his snow plow. junior show and 14th in open truck, said he looked in his rear- The Sawyer car was unable to class competition at the Ft. view mirror and did not see the stop and slid into the truck. Worth Fat Stock Show with his Iowa car. Thinking the high- Damage to the truck was esti- heifer in the junior breeding

THAT LOATHESOME JERK BLOKE;
THAT RAUCOUS RUBE, 10 POKE;
TO POKE;
TO POKE;

SITS BACK OF ME IN TIGHT ?

AND LOUDLY HONKS AT CHANGE

### World Day Of **Prayer Service** February 17

The 75th World Day February 2 in the home of Steve Prayer anniversary service will 13 members, 3 adult leaders and Church Friday, February 17. The program will open at 9:45 The girls enjoyed a demon- a. m. and a covered dish lunch-The boys discussed and Hall at the close of the service.

Goals of the 75th World Day The meeting was adjourned of Prayer are to double the attendance by enlisting the cooperation of every church in the community, to double the number of services by helping neighboring communities organize for a World Day of Prayer, and to double the offering, \$750,000 for the 1961 World Day of Prayer.

History is not written in dollars. But dollars are one measure of devotion and they tell a From \$70 in 1920, the story. World Day of Prayer offerings grew to \$1,000 in 1934, to \$445,-807 in 1959. These dollars have been transformed into lives taking Christian leadership in Asia and Africa, in North America and in South America, on the islands and the continents of the earth.

Seventy-five to millions of people in 1961 means the multiplied faith and devotion of countless women, men and children over three quarters of a century. For 1961 is the Five sang, "My Adobe Haciseventy-fifth anniversary of the World Day of Prayer.

It all started with a humble, Presbyterian, called for a national day of prayer for home missions. This came from the that day especially for the new-Mother for Den 4. comers arriving by the thousands from Europe and the Bear badges to John Lavake, Orient seeking work and oppor-Phil Plunk, Doug Taylor, Kevin

boldly pioneered in the early Grant Keener; Silver arrow days of the World Day of Prayer saw also the need for Christian literature. It was they who started the Committee for Christian Literature for Women and Children. Today, the award for having the largest three quarters of a century la-number present. ter, we see the overwhelming need for books and magazines for the millions of people who Teachers Will are learning to read. The heart of one of the thrilling new pro- Meet At Sunray jects for the 75th is to help develop the nationals who can February 13 write these books.

### Sonja DeBord On Wayland **Honor Roll**

Sonja DeBord, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. DeBord, Stratford, is among 119 Wayland Baptist College students named to the honor roll for the fall semester. The honor roll is made up of students posting a 2.0 or higher grade average from a possible score of 3.0.

A freshman, Miss DeBord is majoring in business and minoring in education. She is serving as treasurer of the Young Women's Auxiliary at Wayland.

### Scouts Hold **Pack Meeting**

Pack 38 met January 31 at 7:30 in the American Legion Hall. The theme for the meeting was South America. C. C. Plunk, scoutmaster, presided over the meeting.

Den Three gave the flag ceremony and led the pledge of allegiance. Phil Plunk offered prayer. Den One gave a musical skit on "soap and towels." Den Three sang the song, "Ta-Ra-Ra Boom De-A," using tambourines they had made. Mike Wells and Bill Baker of Den enda." Den Three led the group in a pack song.

consecrated woman who wasn't American Cowboys, showed toys afraid of a vision or of work. they had made. Den Two, In 1887 Mrs. Darwin James, a dressed as roosters, gave a rooster fight with Marvin Kimball referring the bout.

concerns of Christian women of Dale Schriber is to be the Den

tunity in the young country of Cummings; Wolf badges to Bill These same women who so row points to Allan Ross and points to Doug Taylor; Denner awards to Sandy Kimball and Barry Smith.

Owen Hudson led the cubs in

The Moore-Sherman unit of "It begins to look as if the the Texas State Teachers Asso-

### on his way to investigate the Beet Meeting

tion.

lowing a car that suddenly be- producing sugar beets and the gan whipping back and forth processing of the beets will be

#### THAT WHINING SPORT UND LINE WHILE CHASING HARD THE POKER BUCK; I'D LIKE TO CLUNK THE LONG SHOT LUSH; WHILE TO SELLAT THE GAL WHO MAKES ME MORE THAN SO IS SHE WHO BRAGS ABOUT THE LINES IN THE SUNNY LIMES price of liberty is eternal vigil- ciation will meet in the school Trimble pulled to the left and The state flower of Ohio is the ance and no ceiling on the na- auditorium at Sunray at 7:00 p. (Continued on Page 8) scarlet carnation. tional debt." - Dan Bennett. m. on Monday, February 13. Band Concert Delayed By Storm To Be Played Sunday

Who puts on Pants to Go
Goes out to Strike And Spare
AND SPRIT
WHILE I STAY HOME AND
BABY-SIT!

the program. No admission Fantasia on Lady of Spain, Ba- ette Morris, and Beth Naylor; Ronnie Pickens, and Carol The sixty-three Junior High Brannan, Sammy Clark, Dora and Don Roper.

marches, serious numbers, and There are sixty-six students in Plunk.

The band concert which was On the Street March, Overture | Charlotte Eller, Erma Ford, | Kenneth Scott, Louise Stone, | representatives; Bobbie Burgess | and Kathy Sneed; bass clari- | son; basses: Orland and Walter

light contest selections. Between the Senior High Band. They are: | Cornets: Cleo Aduddell, E. H. man, Billie Robbins, Jack son, Lorelyn Haile, Julia Hen- and Karen Woolsey; trombones: | Brewster, Joe Elms, Claude Fedthe appearances of these bands, flutes: Kay Caraway, Connie Baker, Bobby Benson, Roy Boul- Standefer, Bobby Stone, Sandy derson, Sheri Hudson, Karen Lanny Harris, Robert Meeks, Ed- ric, Jimmy Gore, Gary Hudson, the High School Stage Band Garrison, Judy Hudson, and din, Phil Dettle, Pat Donelson, Tillery and Terry Trapp. will present four popular tunes. Laurina Riggs; oboe: Kaye Joe Elms, Cindy Heil, Barbara Lavake, Jack Morgan, Numbers to be included on Webb; b flat clarinets: Lynda Lavake, Linda Reesing, Made- Joe Brown, president; Madeline Standefer, and Donna Summer- ry Bates, Tommy Blake, Eliza- Dan Newman, Dennis Plunk,

February 5, was postponed due In Spain, and Mr. Woodblock. ing, Rosann Laird, Marie horns: Bonnie Combs, Reta Ja- tatives; Charlene Wisdom and Sanders; alto saxophones: Linda Charles Plunk; percussion: be presented Sunday, February The High School Band will play: Moore, Senora Mullican, Sharon cobs, Linda Plunk, and Angela Mike Peterson, sophomore re- Elms, Myrna Hester, and Cheryl Charles Britain, Peggy Calcote, 12, at 2:30 p. m. in the school Hosts of Freedom March, Pre- Mullican, Ann Pronger, and Teague; trombones: Lynn Allen, presentatives; Sue Plunk and Judd; tenor saxophones: Jim- Milford Davis, Missie Keener, lude to Act V from the Opera Judy Steinberger; bass clari- Claude Fedric, Jimmy Gore, Lynn Allen, freshmen represen- my Hudson and Nancy Oquin. Dewey Kysar, Spence Lewis, The public is invited to attend "King Manfred", Studio One, nets: Jeanette Bardwell, Wyn- Gary Hudson, Donna Moon, tatives. sin Street Blues, and The Bat- alto saxophones: Bobbie Bur- Reeder; baritones: Herman Band members are: flutes: El- Davis, Terry Ellison. Delores Band, which will The Stratford Senior High the Hymn of the Republic. The gess, Jack Morgan, and Sue Borth, Joe Brown, Kenny Gup- len Dyess, Donna Harbor, Jan- Frey, Tommy Hidalgo, Donna appear between performances of School and Junior High School Stage Band numbers will in- Plunk; tenor saxophones: Gro- ton, and Mike Peterson; basses: ice Reynolds and Barbara Judd, Mary Ann Roberts, Judy the Senior High and Junior Bands, composed of the seventh clude: Midnight Sun, Caravan, vene DeBord and Sue Hudson; Dwayne DeBord, Bill Kirkwood, Stublefield; oboe: Linda Smith; Williams and Carolyn Wright; High Bands includes in its perand eighth grades will feature and Kiss of Fire Cha Cha. baritone saxophone: Dennis and Teddy Reynolds; percus- b flat clarinets: Eloise Adkins, french horns: Johnny Crownov- sonnel: Lynn Allen, Bobby Bension: Dan Newman, Duane Pitt- Elaine Cummings, Vicky Elli- er, Bob Pendleton, Teri Wilson, son, Bobbie Burgess, Lynda

Keener, Linda Mitts, Ethel die Moon, Richard Ross, and Sue Hudson, Bill Kirkwood,

to have been held on Sunday, to Hansel and Gretel, Holiday Yvonne Gamble, Lorelei Hard- and Charlene Wisdom; french and Joe Elms, junior represen- nets: June Huggins and Lola Lasley, Terry Mathews, and

the Junior High program are: Brewster, Shelia Donelson, lene Reesing, Mary Sanders, Reesing and Kaye Webb, senior our; alto clarinets: Julia Gray beth Leal, and Lynn Stephen- Sue Plunk, and Angela Teague.

Cornets: Joe Boren, Johnny Jimmy Milam, Donnie Parvin,

FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS

### Boy Friend Wants Things His Way



THE WEEK'S LETTER: "I am | get a steady job and stay and I'll a girl of sixteen and like a boy, never see him again. How can I nineteen, who also likes me. I stop him from doing this? My have three problems. My first: third problem: he loves to make them up.

Myenever we walk down the loves to make Whenever we walk down the up big stories and gets me all street together he seem that it and the street together he seem that it and the street together he seem that it are the street together he seem that the street together he seem that it are the street together he seem that it are the street together he seem to street together he seem that the street together he seem together he seem that the street together he street together he seem together t street together he says "hi" to upset by them. One is where he every girl that goes by and looks said he was giving me up to back at them. What can I do to back at them. What can I do to marry another girl cause he was singe. We don't say that a marstop him from doing this? He tired of waiting for me to reach riage won't last if one partner also thinks he's so cute he just nineteen so we could get married. is "boss" all the way; but we has to snap his fingers and the What can I do? I love him very don't believe that it will be the girls come running. In my opinion | much. and the opinion of my friends he isn't especially cute. Second: he thinks I should do everything he says and if I don't he says he'll go up to this town where he can be done in the first instance, fight fire with fire, so to stance, fight fire with fire, so to speak. Say "hi" to all the boys speak. Say "hi" to all the boys who pass and let him "hi" all open to the first instance, fight fire with fire, so to speak. Say "hi" to all the boys speak. Say "hi" all open to this town where he can be a second to the first instance, fight fire with fire, so to speak. Say "hi" to all the boys speak. Say "hi" all open to this town where he can be a second to the first instance, fight fire with fire, so to speak. Say "hi" to all the boys speak second to the first instance, fight fire with fire, so to speak second to the first instance, fight fire with fire, so to speak second to the first instance, fight fire with fire, so to speak second to the first instance, fight fire with fire, so to speak second to the first instance, fight fire with fire, so to speak second to the first instance, fight fire with fire, so to speak second to the first instance, fight fire with fire, so to speak second to the first instance, fight fire with fire, so to speak second to the first instance, fight fire with fire with fire, so to speak second to the first instance, fight fire with fire with fire, so to speak second to the first instance, fight fire with fire with

OUR ANSWER: Get wise, young ideal.

the girls he wants to. In the second instance: Courtship, like marriage, should be a 50-50 proposition. Nobody can be the "boss" all the way. In courtship one usually puts the best foot forward. The individual, boy or girl, who "gives in" or "gives up" for the sake of peace and harmony is just buying future trouble. If someone is "bossy" and demanding during courtship, that individual will become even more so after marriage.

By C. D. Smith

In the third instance: If you know they are "big stories" why worry about them? Why get upset? Keep a level head and try to show him how foolish it is to

And we add: Courtship is the

BY The Old Timers

From Florence Mitchell Berry, Oildale, California: Woodson Coun-

ty, my childhood home, is in the

blue-stem grass belt of Kansas.

This region is now recognized as

fine range land; in the nineties it

was an area populated by small farmers coaxing a living from the

limestone soil which was alternately flood-cursed by the waters

of the Neosho river and drought-

ridden by a cloudless sky. It was

even then definitely not dairy

country and a cream separator

That did not scare my experi-

menter father. We studied cata-

logs; agents visited us. The De

Laval machine seemed for a while to fit our need. My small

brother called it the Dilly Dally, a touch that vastly titilated our

bucolic humor. For some particular reason, I don't remember

what, we bought an Empire for

The floor of the smokehouse was

reinforced, the machine set up in

it. Tales of a separator that had

exploded had been relayed to us.

I recollect, that first morning, the

terror that made us children stay

yards away when those cylinders

That cream separator was a

wonder to us. The settlings we

found in its insides after the milk

was out (no washing of udders then), the unnatural thinness of

foam which topped it, the smooth

Neighbors came, and strangers

from far away, to see the novelty,

It was a marvel to others also.

was simply unheard of.

\$107 cash.

begun to hum.

lovely cream.

the skim milk, the

### Rep. Buchanan Summarizes The Legislature

(By James L. Bass Jr.) The Texas Legislature House of Representatives, faced with the biggest tax bill in Texas history, got into high gear last week after Speaker James Turman named the committees These committees have been diligently working since that time on the more than 390 bills which have already been referred to

On Tuesday, February 7, the Conservation and Reclamation Committee will hear H. B. 8 and H. B. 54, sponsored by Representative J. W. Buchanan, chairman of said committee. Both measures would broaden the powers of the Texas Water Development Board. The bills would allow the board to invest funds in U.S. securities and would raise the loan limit to local governments for water development from \$5 million to \$15 million.

Of course, the big problem for the House is finding a solution to the tax problem, since all tax legislation must originate here. The estimated \$90,000,-000 tax increase made in 1959 has proved inadequate. servers generally believe this Legislature will try to raise between \$100,000,000 and \$200,-000,000 a year more money to pay off a deficit and meet the rising demand for state ser-

Several 'tax measures have been introduced in the House, including three sales tax bills. One calls for a 2 percent general levy, another for a 2 percent tax on items costing more than \$50.00, and the third a 3 percent tax on utility, telephone (Continued on Page 5)

#### ALL SEASONS ENDED

All major game hunting seasons on wild game in Texas are now closed, according to the Game and Fish Commission. There can be no more hunting on deer, turkey, dove, quail, ducks or geese until new seasons are set. Squirrel and javelina hunting is still legal in a few counties, but you'd better check with your game warden.

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WALLABY BABY . . . The funny, furry animal above is a small Australian kangaroo, shown in an England zoo, eating a piece of fruit for lunch.

"A jury under the American system is a group of twelve citizens who could not exert enough influence to be excused." Franklin P. Jones.



IDEAS FROM OTHER EDITORS

From the Desert Journal, Joshua with covenants. Each held to a Tree, California: Are we so-called high ideal formed to meet a pracmoderns in agreement on any- tical necessity. Magna Charter thing but to be certain of getting strove to break arbitrary royal enough money to meet the next control in England. The Mayinstallment payment? Being in flower Compact linked a group agreement should mean working of our forefathers to an agreetoward some goal important ment on mutual benefit controls. enough to tear us away from Our Bill of Rights defined the even our favorite TV program. terms on which our Constitution Men have worked and suffered was based. The Covenant of the and died for causes to which we league of Nations in 1919 aimed

have become indifferent in a at curing the ills resulting from world of too-complex problems. World War One. We lack a singleness of purpose | Compromises born of stubbornwhich has guided men in the past. ly selfish interests, or just pure Survival may supply that purpose human cussedness, have caused now, if we recognize the proper the full pursuit of these high ideals means for achieving it. We need to seek a covenant, or loss of faith in many of these a point of agreement upon the covenants conceived as guaran-

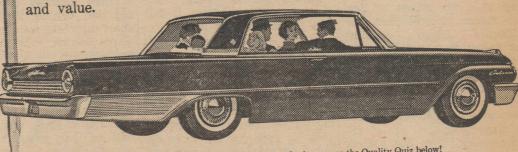
Thru-out history we meet up working to aid them.

to be altered, bringing about a value of a freedom we are tees of liberty. But in the practhreatened with losing. A cove- tical use of these guarantees nant is defined as an agreement there can be no compromise with reached between persons or par- forces like communism which limit human liberties instead of

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8. Do standard engines—"6" or V-8—use regular gas, to save you up to \$1.00 a tankful?
9. Do front and rear bumpers extend all the way down to guard against stone damage, bumper locking? Are they one piece?
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friends for the beautiful flow-

erts, cards, gifts and visits

which I enjoyed while I

was in the hospital and since I

returned home.

house

T also

I wish to thank all of my

WORLD OUTDOORS SOMETIMES in the quiet of a frosty morn, or with the rhyth-

mic beat of boots on a crusty field, it's easy to turn back the long, long years and be a boy again. The smell of Christmas was so

different then . . . Pine and holly and mistletoe, oranges and apples and candy sticks . . . the cold chill of the bare floor before the embers are rekindled to make a warming fire.

The Christmas tree stands tall and straight in the corner of the room, surrounded by gaily-colored packages of assorted sizes and shapes. There, in the middle of everything, with only a small ribbon and card as decoration, is the shiniest object in the entire room, enough to send a boy's heart soaring with joy. Then, breakfast gulped, church-attended, a boy is off to the fields on feet as light as snowflakes, this shiny object clutched tightly as if it might get away at the slightest opportunity.

Over the hills and through the woods, eyes alert and ears tuned for the rustle of the rabbit scurrying through the berry bush or the whirring wings of Bob White startled into the air; this is a

fond memory. There are many things in life a man must remember; his first date or his first girl; his first job; his first automobile, and many others. But, for the hunter, the outdoorsman, the first gun, his very own, represented an achievement that had been long awaited.

Jobs and cars and guns-a man may know how many in the span of a lifetime. But, like the girl that he will take "for better or worse" that very first gun will always outshine them all. None could ever be so true, so highly prized, so trusted, and so reliable . . and time only seems to make these things more true.

"What the man who has everything needs is help with the payments." - Maurice Seitter.

It's profitable to read the ads.

(Send contributions to this column to The Old Timer, Community Press Service Roy 29, Frankfort, Kentucky.)

want to thank those who lookthought we poured the milk into ed after Carol and those who the big can at the top to have it come out butter. have brought food to our

first in that section. Our prestige grew and our sophistication was fed by naive comments. Several Dalhart,



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### Town Talk

of Earth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Barbara had as a guest, Mrs. Joe Huff from Wednesday until Flores' mother, Mrs. W. A. Friday of last week. Mrs. Hitchcock of Amarillo, from Wheatley is a niece of Mr. Huff. Wednesday to Monday.

Joe Crabtree and a friend, John Ferguson of Stillwater, spent the week end with Joe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Crabtree.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Johnson and children, Dalhart, were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hill.

Mrs. Blanche Strother, Linda Plunk, Louise Stone, Erma Ford attended market in Amarillo very interesting program on art. and Yvonne Gamble attended Sunday. a style show in Amarillo Sat-

ness visitor in Pampa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Flores and Mrs. Frank Ross and Richard,

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wilson of Dalhart were visitors in Stratford Monday.

Mrs. Addie Dale of Needles, California is visiting in the home of Mrs. D. D. Woodall. She is a life-long friend of Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jeffcoat

Verlie Ellison of the Spurlock samples of different kinds of art. Community spent last week end Newton Crabtree was a busi- with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Crabtree.

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Saturday, February 11

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Music by Bob G. Smith's Orchestra TICKETS - \$1.50 PER PERSON

#### Mrs. Chesmer Entertains

#### Nu Beta Chapter

Mrs. Hattie Chesmer was hostess to the Nu Beta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi on January 27. Co-hostess was Vida Gaylord.

Final plans were discussed for the Valentine dance. The chapter voted to have a card-cake party to entertain the Dalhart chapters. The Dalhart and Stratford chapters will have an area council in Dalhart next

The ritual of jewels ceremony was held for Janet Riffe, Lore Woodall and Mrs. Dorothy Slay. Dietrich, Barbara Goule and Lucille Donelson.

Geneta Miller presented a She told about the history of art and showed some pictures as

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses to the following members: Joan Bell, Hattie Chesmer, Terry Flores, Ida Gaylord, Vida Gaylord, Pauline Martin, Geneta Miller Gaynelle Riffe, Janet Riffe, Lore Dietrich, Barbara Goule and Lucille Donelson.

#### Among the Sick

Mrs. M. F. Reeder was brought nome Monday morning from Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo where she has been a ter, Mrs. R. L. Young and baby, registered nurse.

to be seriously ill in an Ama- and the maternal grandparents p. m. rillo hospital.

surgery Monday in Northwest Mrs. Hardy Coffman. Texas Hospital in Amarillo, on her right hip which was broken in a fall early Wednesday morning of last week. Mrs. Wilson, who had been in a Texhoma Nursing Home for some time, became ill, and was taken Saturday Night to a Guymon Hospital Monday of last week, where she remain-

and Mrs. Jess Turner were visitors in Amarillo Wednesday.

### Laff Of The Week



"He arrived with this note . . . 'Please remove thumb.'"

#### **New Arrival**

surgical patient. Her daugh- (Penny) Brooks became parents of a girl about 10:45 a. m. Satof Wichita, Kansas are visiting urday when 8 pound 10 ounce in her home. Mrs. Young is a Melba Faye was born in the Stratford Clinic. Mrs. H. T. Jackson continues are Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brooks, which will be February 14 at 2:30 are Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Blackburn of Guymon. Paternal Mrs. Jessie Wilson underwent great grandparents are Mr. and lemonade to the room Friday,

### Sorority Charity Valentine Dance

A Valentine charity dance will be held Saturday night, February 11, in the American Legion Hall. This dance is sponsored annually by the Nu Beta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. Tickets are \$1.50 per

Music by Bob G. Smith's orchestra will begin at 9:00 p. m. The hall will be beautifully decorated in the Valentine theme. The entire proceeds of the

dance will go to charity work. The sorority donates to different state projects such as Cystic Fibrosis, Gonzales Foundation, Mental Health and others. At Christmas time, the sorority helps a needy family. It also Sigma Phi projects, such as the search and others.

"If children didn't ask questions, how could they find out rocks, minerals, fossils and that we know so little? - Her- petrified wood. It is very inbert C. Phochnow.

week. Early Wednesday morn- agraphs in English class. ing she attempted to get out of

#### School News Mr. Boothby's Room

(By Dolly Mehner)

Mrs. Garrison, Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Keener and Paternal Mrs. Mehner are the room grandparents of the little Miss mothers for our Valentine party

Dallas Foreman and Dolly Mehner served cupcakes and thus honoring Mr. Boothby and Mr. Bateman on their birth-

In geography, we have been outlining Germany. In art we drew and colored pictures of flowers. After this we painted with black tempera, the effect was good. We displayed these on our bulletin board.

#### Mrs. Riggs' 7th Grade

(By Nancy Lollis and Donna Judd)

We have been quite busy the past week. Wednesday, we had a class election. The officers elected were: President, Myrna Stephenson; Secretary and Treasurer, Danny Brannan; Reporters, Nancy Lollis and na Judd. We are proud of all of them.

We have had several basketball games lately. Our 7th grade donates to International Beta boys had a game Thursday. They lost to Sunray with a score of Endowment Fund, Cancer Re- 10 to 12. The girls had a game scheduled for Saturday with Dalhart but it was postponed.

In science, we are studying

We are learning how to make ed until Wednesday night of last better and more interesting par-

In math, we are trying to bed alone, and fell, breaking learning more about percentage. After about three weeks,

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#### A Good Heart The Rewards of Research

Few of us stop to think of the rewards that research has given us in the past 50 years. We tend to take them for granted. Perhaps we can afford to be complacent about such benefits as air conditioning, television, jet flying, 70-horsepower automobiles and other comforts and conveniences produced by industrial research. But we cannot afford to be complacent about medical research in controlling the heart diseases which are the nation's Number 1 killer.

Health authorities agree that more progress in controlling the heart and blood vessel diseases has been made in the past 30 years through research than in the preceding 30 centuries. These are some of the advances that Heart Association research, aided by 50 million Heart Fund dollars, helped to achieve:

- Rheumatic fever, forerunner can now be prevented.
- out of 4 go back to work.
- Strokes are no longer hopeless. Invalidism can often be reduced or prevented.
- and surgery.
- The development of the heart-

some involving advanced electronic developments, can detect cardiovascular disorders more readily and with greater certainty. Thus physicians can begin treatment more quickly and establish controls more effectively. • New drugs can retard blood

clotting and heart attacks.

Despite these advances, we of rheumatic heart disease, have a long way to go before the battle against the heart diseases • Most victims of heart attack is won. We have not yet dissurvive. Of those who do, 3 covered, for example, the underlying causes of hardening of the arteries and high blood pressure which account for 90% of all heart disease and which are the chief targets of medical scientists. We • High blood pressure can be must discover these causes belowered through new drugs fore we can prevent heart attacks and strokes.

This goal can be reached during lung machine makes possible the life time of many of us if relife-saving surgery inside the search is continued and exheart to correct in-born de- panded, heart authorities say. fects. Surgeons also can re- Therefore, whether or not we pair damaged heart valves make real progress against the and replace damaged arter- heart diseases may depend on our gifts to the Heart Fund. The de-Improved diagnostic tools, cision is ours alone.

we are finally catching on.

#### Room Seven

(By Jean Anne Ross)

picture of a flower with crayons Banquet. We read a story aand then painted over them bout Abraham Lincoln. Freddy with black paint. They made Pronger's mother served rea very pretty effect.

Friday we had a class meeting. They are: Green, Lopez, Mrs. Jacobs, and the Jeff Davis and den chief Lynn chairman is Mrs. J. E. Bran- Reynolds. nan. They are room mothers for our Valentine party to be held from 2:30 to 3:30 on Tuesday, February 14.

many in geography and about surrounding counties our sincere the war. It is so interesting! thanks for all the help that was We also compared families of to- extended to us in our time of day and our mothers and fath- need. Your prayers and well ers families and found that our wishes were appreciated. parents on the average had more children in the family than the families of today. The average that we came up with was 3.7 children in today's fam-

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#### Den 3 Cub Scouts

(By Jeff Davis)

Our theme is geniuses for February. We made place cards This week in art we drew a today for our Blue and Gold freshments.

Members present were Freddy We chose the room mothers. Pronger, Butch Ellison, Phil Mrs. Plunk, Allan Ross, Dale Schri-Mrs. Ford, Mrs. ber, Kevin Cummings, reporter

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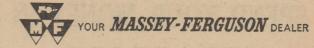


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#### **State Capital** Highlights

the money off the backs of the are fearful that they will get all legislators who campaigned on a the blame. no-income-tax no-sales-tax, platform has been made by one of the State Capitol correspon- suggests that legislators feel the

sons in Austin as well as over ers will be going to the polls the state that the public is ready for a definite, long-time tax program, whether it be a sales tax, an income tax or the Govenor's proposed payroll tax.

They are convinced that the state has to take some drastic check which of the three tax financing steps. And they are proposals he preferred — a payready to foot the bill. Many roll tax to be paid equally by legislators realized this fact.

ber of them campaigned on a Such a refendum would give platform. Many legislators felt program — an opportunity to at the time that such was a po- express their own preference pular campaign theme; that the in the matter. And at the same public did not want either type time it would lift the problem of tax; that their resentment to off the shoulders of the legislaeither would be bitter.

ber of the legislators that the are other ways to raise money people are far ahead of the but informed people generally

lawmakers in this type of thinking; that they understand the problem better than the legislators realize; and that they are willing to face the facts.

But the legislators as a whole are hestitant. They are not A proposal that would take sure the people are ready. They

Richard Morehead of the Austin bureau of the Dallas News public pulse by ordering a refer-It is the feeling of many per- dum on the April 4 ballot. Votanyway to vote for a new U.S. Moorehead's proposed refer-

endum would point out the state's need for at least \$100,-000,000 a year in new revenue. Each voter would be asked to employer and employee, a gen-Trouble is that a goodly num- eral sales tax, or an income tax. no-income-tax the voters a voice in the tax

It is the opinion of a num- As Morehead points out, there

### HALF-PAST TEEN



ods outlined herein is going to risen to \$95,381,122. be passed by the legislature. Savings Sought And by April 4 the voters will have heard many sides of all

Other Tax Plans Advocated

Lawmakers have proposed numerous methods for raising additional tax money.

Rep. W. W. Glass of Jacksonville suggests a constitutional amendment authorizing a one per cent levy on the gross income of all businesses. He estimated it would bring in \$100,000,000 a year.

was suggested by Rep. Henry A. bed the "Little Hoover Commis-Fletcher of Luling.

A graduated levy on gross income at the wholesale level and Loan Controls Urged on income from personal services — for an estimated \$300,- regulations got new push when 000,000 yearly - was put for- the State Supreme Court made

Rep. Marshall O. Bell of San legal. Antonio took the opposite ap- Under this plan a borrower prohibit either a state income for the certificate as well as pay

Raciest suggestion came from Atty. Gen. Will Wilson said it Antonio who, as he promised in set up a guide by which los tax on the track proceeds.

agree that some variaton or James announced that the gencombination of the three meth- eral revenue fund deficit has would take in \$11 million in tax-

> Legislature is also considering proposals aimed at cutting

Texas Research League, reporting on a study made at the request of the Legislature, made 19 recommendations for reducing the cost of collecting taxes.

Rep. Dick Cory of Victoria has proposed a bill that would set up a commission to study the agencies of state government with a view of eliminat- into effect 90 days after the ing duplication and bringing A 10 per cent tax on the gross about maximum economy and receipts of trading stamp firms efficiency. It has been dub-

Drive to enact loan company ward by Rep. Lloyd Guffel of final its ruling that the "certificate plan" for loans is not

proach by proposing a constitu- had to buy an investment certitional amendment that would cate from the loan firm and pay off the loan.

Rep. V. E. (Red) Berry of San is urgent that the Legislature his campaign, introduced a bill companies can operate legitito legalize horse racing and par- mately. Several lawmakers imutual betting and to levy a have announced plans to sponsor such bills. One would al-As bills dropped into the hop- low for total charges (interest per, State Treasurer Jesse plus other charges) of 3 per

### • Rep. Buchanan

(Continued from Page 2)

and telegraph sales. Governor Price Daniel has urged law makers to enact a 1 percent payroll-earnings tax. With regard to this needed taxation, Representative Wesley Roberts of Seminole announced plans to push for early passage of his bill to give voters a choice of broad-based taxes at a referendum on April 4, when the state will hold a special U.S. Senate election. The West Texan wants the taxpayers to tell law makers whether they prefer to pay a payroll tax, a general sales tax or a state income tax.

Already on notice is what is expected to be the most colorful hearing of the season. 'The House committee on constitutional amendments is set for a hearing February 14, on H. J R. 4, a proposed amendment to the Constitution which would allow horse racing in Texas. This bill calls for local option horse racing in certain counties. If the amendment clears the Legislature and is adopted by the voters in the next general election, horse racing would be permitted in those counties only after a vote of the residents of the counties. Representative V. E. Berry of San Antonio, sponsor of the bill, estimated the state es for the general revenue fund the first year racing was adopt-

A controversial bill authorizing Social Security coverage for legislators won final passage Monday, with more than the necessary 100 votes to put it into effect immediately. Bills must receive 100 votes in the House to go into immediate effect after the signature of the Governor is obtained. This particular bill was passed last week 76-64, thus making it go

cent per month on the unpaid balance of the loan.

bill for further consideration, to take immediate effect.

regular session ends on May 29, and on Monday, February 6, it 1961. However, the House ap- was passed with more than the proved a resolution recalling the necessary number of votes for it

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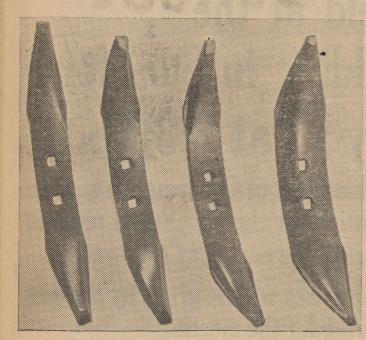
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Naylor, Harry O'Quin, Madelene Reesing, Billy Steinberger, Kay Spurlock, Frances Spurlock and Kaye Webb.

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Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. Training Union 6:30 p. m. Evening Worship 7:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer service 7:00 p. m. Wednesday.

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(Rev. J. O. Brown, Pastor) Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. Young People 6:00 p. m. Children's Church 6:00 p. m. Evangelistic Service 7:00 p.

Wednesday night service 8.00 The public is invited to all 49-tfc

#### Church of Christ (Arthur L. Golden, Minister)

Evening Worship 6:00 p. m.

A friendly welcome awaits you

Catholic Church

(Rev. James W. Sonderman,

Mission Pastor, Phone

Dalhart, CH9-4128

Children's Catechism 2:30 to

Confessions 3:30 to 4:00 p. m.

Methodist Church

(Rev. Raymond T. Dyess, Pastor) Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11:00 a. m.

Intermediate Fellowship 6:00

Junior additional session 6:00

Evening worsnip 7:00 p. m.

Wednesday of each month at

Wesleyan Guild meets second

Choir practice: First and

Official board meetings and

all commissions second Wednes-

day of each month, 7:30 p. m.

W.S.C.S. Meetings: Third

Circles meet the first Wednes-

Wednesday of each month at

day of each month; Mary Ethel

Circle at 9:30 a. m., Flora Fore-

man Circle at 2:30 p. m., Florence Mullins Circle at 9:30 a.m.

Methodist Men meet the

MYF council meetings: First

Sunday of every third month at

FIRST

Christian Church

(B. R. Clark, Minister)

Morning worship 10:45 a. m.

Junior youth fellowship 5:00

Chi Rho youth fellowship 5:00

C. Y. F. (high school) 5:00 p.

Adult study group 5:00 p. m.

Youth choir practice 4:00 p.

Adult choir practice 8:00 p. m.

Mid-week prayer study and

A friendly welcome awaits you at any service of the First

prayer meeting 7:30 p. m.

Christian Church.

Evening worship 6:00 p. m.

Wednesday

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.

fourth Wednesday night of each

the church at 2:30 p. m.

month at 7:00 p. m.

third Wednesday of each month,

Mass 4:00 p. m.

M.Y.F. 6:00 p. m.

7:30 p. m.

7:30 p. m.

at the church.

Bible Study 10:00 a. m.

Ladies class 9:30 a. m.

Bible study 7:00 p. m.

Worship 10:55 a. m.

Sunday Services

Tuesday

Wednesday

at all services.



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Announcements

Edward Brannan, Sec. STATED COMMUNICATION Third Thursday Every Month 7:00 P. M.

"Know all men by these presents that Stratford Grain Company, heretofore operated as a partnership, intends to incorporate and continue in the same business as a corporation under the name 'Stratford Grain Co.' with its principal office in Strat ford, Texas." 5-4t

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FOR SALE: Four room house with bath, located on pavement. - F. M. Keener, Phone 396-2631. 4-tfc

FOR SALE: Three Bedroom durox veneer house, located on three lots on proposed street to be paved in the spring. — Paul E. Smith, M. D., Phone 396-2351. 50-tfc

FOR SALE: House, acreage and barn. — W. H. Gaylord, acreage Phone 396-3361.

FOR SALE: Two Story 7-room house on four lots. House is insulated and has new roof. C. C. Plunk.

FOR SALE: Income Property, one bedroom furnished house and two bedroom unfurnished Both modern. L. Yates.

#### Wanted

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WANTED: Ironing to do in my home. — Mrs. Ruby Huggins. 30-tfc 5:00 p. m.

WANTED: Sewing to do in my home. Will also cover buckles make button holes and belts. - Mrs. W. J. Lowe, Phone 4381

"I know exactly what our children are going to do with the large national debt. They will pass it on to their children. Oren Arnold.



# Tom Dorr

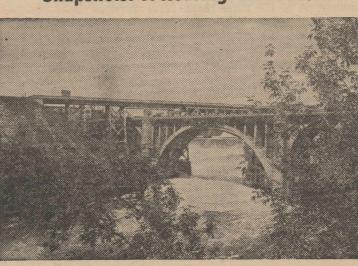








#### Snapshots: A Roaring Waterfall



There is something poetic about a waterfall, whether it be a natural wonder or an effort by man to control some mighty stream and turn cascading water into power that can serve in many ways. In the scene above, Spokane Falls is framed by the arches of Monroe Street Bridge at Spokane, Washington. At high water the cascading waters of the river generate a roar that is audible at many points in the downtown area of Spokane.

Inhabitants of Guam callthemselves Chamorros.

The year 1960 showed 4.7 million business firms in the Unit- than in 1959.

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ed States, the U.S. Department of Commerce reports. This is 75,000, or two per cent, more

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# Stockholders Meeting Consumers Co., Inc.

Will Be Held at the County Exhibit Building in Stratford Monday, February 13 at 2:00 p.m.

This annual meeting of the stockholders of Consumers Co. is required in the by-laws of the organization for the purpose of presenting a report by the board of directors of the past year's operation.

As is customary, attractive door prizes will be given by drawing from the list of stockholders registering for the meeting.

Coffee and doughnuts will be served by the homemaking class of our high school.

The Board of Directors Urge You To Be Present for this Meeting.

Consumers Co., Inc. STRATFORD

FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS

#### Does This Girl Have Problems?



have a problem of two boys I like an answer." very much. One is Ralph, the OUR REPLY is really a quesother Bill. Ralph is popular, very tion: An answer to what? Is there cute and fun to be with. He is 16. something wrong with liking two Bill is fun to be with, but he acts boys? Must you not like one betoo funny sometimes. He tries to cause you like the other, or vice be too nice. He is 15. Some people versa? tell me to like Ralph. Others tell We don't see where there is any me to like Bill. I am only 13, but problem. Since you admit that you Lots of other girls would like to mature, and have a lot of good like them both, what is the future have the same kind of "problem."

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THE WEEK'S LETTER: "I about 15 or 16. Please help me find

dates. The boys all seem to go for me, and don't mind my age.

And I am not boy crazy. I'm big like best, or which one the major-for my age. People say I look ity of your friends want you to If you have a teenage problem you want to discuss, or an observation to make, address your letter to FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS, NATION-AL WEEKLY NEWSPAPER SERV-ICE. FRANKFORT, KY.

BY LLOYD BIRMINGHAM

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like-and who's the most fun to be with? If you like them both, enjoy being with both of them, consider yourself lucky. Some girls can't even find one boy they like-or one boy to like them. They are the ones who have a problem-not a girl who likes two boys and has "a lot of good dates."

Sometimes we can put too much store in what our friends say about some of our other friends. When we go out to eat, we wouldn't think of letting our friends order for us. We look over the menu and order the things that we like. Why then, would we allow some of our friends to tell us which people are best for us to choose as friends, or which of two boys would be more "fun" to be with?

Surely this is something a girl can decide for herself. If she enjoys being with them both, she should consider herself fortunate.

Mrs. Vance Morris

home of Mrs. Vance Morris,

Mrs. J. R. Morris reported that

the club had made a contrbu-

tion of \$15 to each of three

fund, and the new March of

Appointments were in crystal

and silver. Delicious refresh-

Mary Madell, Henry . Wyatt,

Burton Craig, Dianne and

Frank, J. R. Morris, Sidney

Park, Robert Furgerson, Carrie

Lynn and Jim, Harold Looney,

The next meeting will be Feb-

In some cases, when a woman

makes a fool of a man, it's an

ruary 14 in the home of Mrs.

Oleta and Tommy.

Roy Roper.

improvement.

Is Hostess To

Priscilla Club

Tuesday, January 31.

Dimes fund.

SQUARE COIN? ... This fivecent piece won't roll far if dropped by Mari Frederichs of Aruba, Netherlands West Indies. Another feature of the Caribbean island: free public telephones.

### **Bruce Clark** To Move To Sherman

Bruce Clark has resigned as the minister of the First Christian Church. He plans to leave the first of March to serve as the minister of a Sherman, Texas church. The Priscilla Club met in the

Mr. and Mrs. Clark have made their home in Stratford for about four years. They have three daughters.

#### funds, the heart fund, Cancer P-TA Will Meet February 20

The Stratford Parent-Teacher Association will meet Monday, ments were served to Mesdames John Boney, Ben Cowley and February 20, at 7:30 p. m. in the school auditorium. A tribute Vance Morris and Sherry, Wood to Lincoln will be presented. Students of the freshman and sophomore classes will take part under the direction of Mrs. Jim Greenwood. Music for the program will be provided by the second grade and junior high school classes, under the direction of Mrs. Lorraine Mehner.

#### CARD OF THANKS

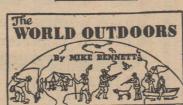
I wish to thank all of those friends who send me cards while I was in the hospital. Your remembrances made the time pass much more pleasant-

Mrs. Eric Kirkwood

#### CARD OF THANKS

We acknowledge with sincere appreciation the many kindnesses extended during the illness and passing of our loved

> Mrs. R. E. Oquin And Family.



FISHERMEN, water skiers, and boating enthusiasts don't have to be told that recreational boating had some growing pains in 1960. It was obvious to anyone who spent any time at all on a stream, lake or ocean,

Just how big boating has become is evidenced in a year-end report on the boating industry issued by the Outboard Boating Club of America and the National Association of Engine and Boat Manufacturers. These folks, who should know, report that Americans spent \$2,525,000,000 at retail for new and used boats, motors, accessories and safety equipment, fuel, boat shelters, docking and maintenance. Purchases of new outboard boats, motors and boat trailers alone amounted to

The number of people using the waterways more than twice for pleasure boating jumped 1,125,000 over 1959, the report shows. Total number of boats used for recreation rose to 8,025,000, of which 4,982,000 are motorboats.

The nation's recreational fleet consumed 547,000,000 gallons of gasoline and 25,200,000 gallons of lubricating oil.

In the U.S. today, there are more than 1,150 yacht clubs and boat clubs with waterfront stations, and approximately 4,000 marinas and boat yards. Recreational boating enthusiasts formed a major market for producers of sheet plywood, fiberglass and aluminum.

THE AMERICAN GUN, a new, luxury magazine for American sportsmen and gun enthusiasts, is a quarterly publication in the hard-cover publication field. Colorfully illustrated, it features articles on hunting, shooting and on the role of guns in American war history. First edition, 96 pages, has as its theme the Civil War.

Stratford,

Texas



By the time holiday's roll around. Mother may have lost all her spirit, if she doesn't schedule a break for herself in the program. Here's what she can do in planning her calendar now:

Plan to spend at least one or one-half day of the holiday week away from home to break the busy routine. Lunch? Movies? Concert? No shopping, please unless it's to buy a special bauble for herself, just for fun!

See that all the parties aren't at your house. If you're a constant hostess you can't relax.

Juggle the gift budget so you can buy at least one small item

#### Helen's Favorite: Holiday Peaches (Serves 6) 1 No. 2 can cling peach halves 1/4 cup brown sugar 2 tablespoons lemon juice 1/2 cup cranberry juice

1 3-inch stick cinnamon Drain peaches, reserving 1/2 cup syrup. To this syrup add sugar, lemon juice, cranberry juice and cinnamon. Boil slowly 10 minutes. Add peach halves and cook 5 minutes longer. Allow to stand overnight or at

for yourself, something that you know won't be given you.

least several hours before serv-

Shop alone. It's too much of a job to take the children along and get a lot done. Plan a shopping day for them so they can get to bob around all the Christmas spirit in the stores, including that visit to Santa.

Keep everything on a simple scale so as not to lose the spirit. This is, after all, a heartwarming, intimate holiday not a production.

Do some of the shopping sitting down. You can read ads, order by phone or by mail.



By THOMAS COLLINS

Moving when you retire? Plan some activity, too HERE is a firsthand report on North, and have enough cash

The town is in one of the well- fords some friendly neighbors. known retirement areas of the typical place.

prove anything. It intends only to get their furniture out of the to lay out what things are like house up north, . . . without any trimmings, so you can decide what you want to pects not only to the realtor but

Mrs. Smith) arrive in the town crowd the local schools. They're without much real knowledge not agitators (at their age they about it. They don't know its his- are not about to worry the police.) tory, where its money comes

A former neighbor or business heard or read somewhere that the Chamber of Commerce. this town was a friendly and comstrangers.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith drive into the town in their car. They reg-

People like this are known in most real estate offices in retire-

how retirement usually be- money to buy a new one for regins for the couple that move to tirement. They are easy to sell if the sunshine when the pension the real estate office has a house that fits their resources and af-

They also are a quick sell becountry. It is a pleasant and fairly cause the couple want to get out from under the bill they are run-The report does not seek to ning up at the motel, and have

to the town as a whole. They have The couple (call them Mr. and no small children who will further Perhaps most important of all

from, where its sewage goes or the Smiths, if they can be happily what specialized taxes will hit settled in the town, will start writing letters to every 65-year-old couple they ever knew, extolling friend who now lives here lured its virtues. They become a more them down. Or possibly they effective advertising agency than

For two months or so they find they are treated as celebrities of be they've visited here before. sorts. Delightful strangers call The odds are that they know at their home to introduce themsomebody, for few retired couples selves as friends, to give them like to move into a town full of welcoming gifts from the local merchants and to invite them to church, club meetings or what

have you. They are the prime topic of conformer friend, go to the local Chamber of Commerce, and in a couple of days wind up at a real be assured of at least half a dozen they are nice people with friendly reactions.

ment country as gold-plated prospects. They probably have already sold their home back in the

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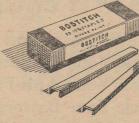
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#### **Dumas Man Dies** In Snow Storm

Remus H. Elliott, 49, of Dumas was found frozen to death face down in a snowbank about 2:15 Sunday morning northwest of Dumas by a National Guard unit.

Elliott and his brother-in-law, Finis J. Moody, were feeding Moody's cattle Saturday afternoon during the snow storm when the pickup in which they were riding stalled at 4:30. Elliott went for help while Moody stayed with the pickup.

About 7:00 p. m. a farmer picked up Moody and took him to Dumas, and when he found that Elliott had not arrived Moody notified officers and a search started.

Elliott's body was located about two and a half miles from the stalled pickup. It was three miles south and two and a half miles west of Etter, and only 200 yards from the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Terrell.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in the First Baptist Church at Dumas with the pastor, Edward Rogers, officiating. Burial was made in the Dumas cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Lillian of Dumas, a step-son, a step-daughter, his parents, a sister and three brothers.







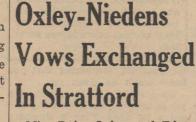
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### **Basketball Scores**

Stratford Elks 36, Gruver Greyhounds 60. Doug Mc-Bryde was high point man for the Elks with 11 points.

Stratford Elks 53, Panhandle Panthers 48. Doug McBryde was high point man with 21 points.

High School B Team Boys Stratford 39. Gruver 42. Pat Donelson was high point man with 12 points.

Stratford 67, Fritch 58. Gary Hudson was high point man for Stratford with 25 points. 8th Grade Boys

Stratford 33, Stinnett 10, John Brannan was high point man with 12 points.

8th Grade Girls Undefeated Eighth Grade girls held their record this week by defeating Stinnett 39 to 20. Peggy Calcote was high point forward with 17 points. Elkette Games

Stratford Elkettes 58. Gruver 53. Donna Boner and Madelene Reesing each scored 25 points for the Elkettes in the game. Boner has a scoring average in all the games in which the team has played this year. Reesing has piled up 25 points for the Elkettes in each of the last five games. The team has won 18 games and lost 9.

Stratford Elkettes 53, Panhandle Pantherettes 36. Donna Boner was high point forward for the Elkettes with 29 points. High School B Girls

Stratford High School B Girls have won 17 games and lost 5 during the season.

Stratford 30, Gruver 13. Marie Moore was high point forward with 10 points.

Stratford 35, Fritch 17. Sue Plunk and Marie Moore each scored 14 points for the Stratford team.

Play Friday At Stinnett Stratford Elkettes, Stratford Elks and Stratford B team boys will play at Stinnett Friday

night. The Elkettes and the Elks will play in the district tournament to be held in Stinnett. The games will open Tuesday of next week and continue through Sat-

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#### BY LLOYD BIRMINGHAM THE HANDY FAMILY



### FOLD-A-WAY WORKBENCH, 2×4'5-7 ATTACH 2×4 PLY WOOD TOP

#### **Snow Glaze**

(Continued from Page 1)

when in the white cloud of edge of the pavement. blowing snow ahead of him he say tell-tale smoke that he realized was coming from a dieselburning truck. He thought he

Then visibility momentarily tor is attached. cleared and he saw that he was them also headed east.

had started Trimble's tractor- the trailer east, and their right

trailer to skidding. Unable to control it any other way, he touched the brakes, but that caused the cab to veer to the had just gotten around the car right into mud and snow at the

The trailer did not follow the tractor's rightward skid, but plowed stright ahead with enough force to shear off what was about to meet the truck is called the fifth wheel, which heal-on and pulled sharply to is a flat disk under the front of the trailer by which the trac-

As the trailer moved straight behind another, car and that ahead it rolled over the rear of the diesel-burning truck had the tractor, and at the same just gone around it, both of time pushed it eastward so that when the tractor-trailer stopped The sharp pull to the right the tractor was headed west and

sides were together. Part of the Neither Trimble or a man in tractor was caught under the the sleeping compartment of the trailer so firmly it couldn't pull tractor were injured. Estimated damage was about \$3,500.

### This Week In

On February 10, 1763, Spain ceded Florida to England and on the same day the Treaty of Paris was ratified. Upper and Lower Canada were united Feb. 10, 1841.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture was created February 11, 1889 and February 11 was also the birthday of two famous Americans, Daniel Boone (1734) and Thomas A. Edison (1847). Abraham Lincoln was born February 12, 1809 and the U.S. motto,

"E Pluribus Unum" was adopted Feb. 12, 1873.

The first magazine in America, "The American," was published February 13, 1740 by Andrew Bradford.

February 14 is St. Valentine's Day. Valentine, a Christian martyr,

was put to death February 14, 270. The battleship Maine was sunk in Havana Harbor Feb. 15, 1898. On Feb. 15, 1933, Chicago Mayor Anton Cermak was fatally wounded at Miami, during an attempted assassination of President Roosevelt. The Russo-Japanese war began February 16, 1904.

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