

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights by Vern Sanford TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Austin — Texas Democrats have marked June 14 on their calendars. Austinites have circled it in red.

June 14 is the day some 5,000 Texas Democrats will converge on the Capital City for their state convention.

It's expected to be many big days rolled into one.

It will be the first time in recent memory that the huge colorful gathering has come to Austin. A new large city auditorium

and convention center makes it possible.

It's the day that comes once every four years when Texans name delegates to a national presidential nominating convention.

But most excitement centers on the fact that Texas Democrats will be assuming what is usually a once-in-a-lifetime role - that of sponsoring a major contender for the presidential nomination.

Work is under way in every part of the state to insure that the delegates to Austin will give rousing support to Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson for favorite son nominee and chairman of the Texas delegation to Los Angeles.

Senator Johnson's chances of becoming president were re-emphasized by Gov. Price Daniel and cheered by the State Democratic Executive Committee when the party leaders met to plan the June convention.

Committee members selected Dallas for the second state Democratic convention on September 20. Their meeting also was made an occasion for honoring Mrs. Hilda Weinert of Seguin for a quarter century of loyal service to the Texas Democratic party.

Court Rejects Vote Hassle — Texas Supreme Court refused to consider a direct appeal from the City of Austin that it order a complete recount of votes in a hotly contested urban renewal election.

Issue has had Austinites in a stew for months. It was originally announced after the election in December that urban renewal had carried by a 52-vote margin. Eight property owners contested the election results on grounds that ballots were cast by persons not qualified to vote.

After 9 of 18 contested boxes had been opened, District Judge James K. Evetts of Belton declared the election void. He said there were so many disqualified voters and improperly marked ballots that it was impossible to determine the election outcome.

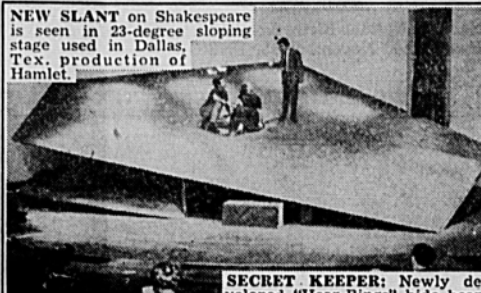
Austin's city attorney petitioned the Supreme Court for a writ of mandamus to compel Judge Evetts to open and examine all the ballot boxes. He contended the qualified voters had a right to have their votes counted.

Having lost out on a direct plea to the Supreme Court, City Attorney Doren Eskew said he would go through the usual appeal route, going first to the Third Court of Civil Appeals.

College Home Delayed — Governor Daniel's office and the Legislative Budget Board are to make a "full review" before plans proceed to build an \$87,000 home for the president of Sam Houston State Teachers College.

A number of legislators hit the ceiling last session over similarly costly homes built for presi-

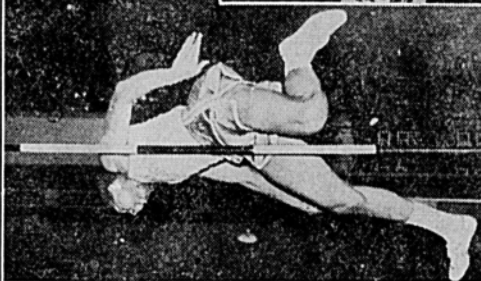
People, Spots In The News



NEW SLANT on Shakespeare is seen in 23-degree sloping stage used in Dallas, Tex. production of Hamlet.



SECRET KEEPER: Newly developed "Hear-Rings" hide hearing-aid earpiece, come in many interchangeable designs.



WHATZIES? They're four-man folding huts, made of paperboard, used by ice-fishermen near Boulder Junction, Wis.

'ONLY 7 FEET' is height of this classic jump by Boston University's John Thomas, at New York meet. He has a leap of 7-2, two leaps of 7-1 1/2, all world-record heights.

dents of Southwest Texas State College and Stephen F. Austin State College. Restrictions were written into the current appropriations bill aimed at preventing further expenditures on such a scale.

Rep. James M. Cotten, member of the House committee on saving taxes, wrote the governor to protest what he called a "tremendous waste."

Governor Daniel said he had been assured by the chairman of the Board of Regents for the State Teachers' Colleges that no action would be taken until everyone interested had had his say. He pointed out, however, that the home was to be built from constitutionally allocated funds to which the legislative appropriation restrictions "have been held not to apply."

More Judges Suggested — Larger metropolitan areas such as Houston, Dallas and San Antonio may soon need larger Courts of Civil Appeals. This observation was made by Associate Justice James R. Norvell of the Texas Supreme Court and others, in a study made for the Texas Civil Judicial Council.

Judge Norvell suggested that five judges, rather than three, may be needed soon for the courts in the city areas.

Supreme Court, the study also noted, may also soon need some further restrictions on cases it will handle to prevent too heavy dockets. Civil Appeals Courts were created to keep everything from going to the Supreme Court but the high court is flooded with appeals from these courts.

Judge Norvell suggested limiting the Supreme Court to con-

stitutional issues and cases where there is a conflict in judicial decisions.

Oil Allowable Cut — Railroad Commission cut the state's oil production for April after testimony that both crude oil and gasoline were in oversupply.

April allowable will be 2,814,252 barrel a day, a cut of 123,029 barrels a day for March. Number of producing days was cut from 10 to 9.

Oilmen told the Commission that other states, such as Louisiana and Mississippi had not cut back production to offset the oversupply as Texas has. This state, said one Texas executive bitterly, is taking the "backlash" of the situation.

Tighter Driving Law — Legislation that would crack down on the driver who does not even have a drivers licence has been proposed for the next session.

Rep. Ben Lewis of Dallas said that under present law a person who drives without having a license can only be hauled before a city court and fined about \$10.

By contrast, he said, a license holder who gets three tickets and has his license suspended can, if he drives during the sus-

pension, be put in jail and fined as much as \$500.

Lewis said he would propose a series of stiffer penalties for the people who cannot pass driver tests but drive anyway.

About Your Health

Rich, director of the department's division of veterinary public health, blamed abundant susceptible wildlife as the main source of rabies trouble.

Laboratory confirmed cases of rabies in Texas were still above the usual incidence last month. A State Health Department rabies control specialist warned that some sections of the state "are in position to expect further increased incidence of this disease unless preventative measures are instigated."

A total of 66 positive cases were confirmed from 36 counties between January 3-30. The five-year January median is 50 cases, Dr. A. B. Rich said.

"I think Texas has more wildlife now than I have ever seen before," Rich said. "But through the years it has been difficult to stimulate interest in wildlife rabies."

"It is quite evident that dogs are a relatively minor factor to date," said Rich. "Let's hope for the sake of humans they remain so."

Of the total 66 diagnosed cases in January, only 13 were dogs.

The obvious danger of wildlife

rabies - aside from the possibility of direct exposure of hunters, campers and other sportsmen - is that foxes and skunks can easily expose dogs, and dogs thus become a source of human exposure.

In January Rich said that Central Texas counties along the Brazos River appeared to be most seriously affected. But he said after studying the rabies picture "there begins to be a doubt in my mind whether or not the Brazos Basin is any worse off than other parts of the state."

Rabies were diagnosed in the following counties:

Anderson, Austin, Blanco, Burleson, Brown, Cameron, Dallas, DeWitt, Falls, El Paso, Fayette, Fort Bend, Gillespie, Harris, Henderson, Hidalgo, Howard, Jasper, McLellan, Lampasas, Milam, Mitchell, Pecos, Robertson, Reeves, Smith, Stephens, Sutton, Tom Green, Travis, Upton, Uvalde, Washington, Willamson, Wood and Young.

In response to Rich's urging, commissioners courts in Falls, Milam and Washington counties started emergency control programs under authority granted to them by law.

The emergency measures consist of compulsory vaccination of owned dogs, stray dog impoundment and reduction of wildlife population, chiefly foxes and skunks, which are the principal species involved in infection among Texas wildlife.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM PUTNAM

I. G. Mobley and Judge Farmer went to Austin on business Tuesday.
 Wesley Wagley of Moran was in Putnam Monday.
 Mrs. Laura Jobe returned to her home in Putnam Tuesday after several weeks in the hospital in Baird.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill of Cisco visited the E. E. Sundermans Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Clark were visitors in Putnam Wednesday.
 Mrs. Mary Stovall of Rising Star spent Saturday night with her niece Mrs. Earl Jobe.
 Bro. Paul Witt head of Service Department at ACC visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Biggerstaff Thursday.
 Mrs. Euna Lovelady is visiting friends and relatives in Put-

nam. Mrs. Lovelady lives in Abilene.
 Gayle Williams spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Williams.
 Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fry spent the first of the week in Marshall where they attended a cattle show.
 Mrs. J. C. Hess of Moran visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gunn Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Macon Norris of Lawn were Sunday visitors with her sister Mrs. George Brown.
 Mr. and Mrs. Clint Blakely of Eula, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor and son of Weatherford visited Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Yeager of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pruet, Benton Pruet of Clyde Mrs. L. B. Jones attended a

birthday dinner at Moran Saturday evening honoring Warlick Jones.
 Mabel Mobley and Mrs. Hahn of Moorcraft, Wyo. spent one night last week visiting in Hamlin.
 Mr. and Mrs. Orville Taylor spent Sunday in Abilene visiting their sons and families.
 Cynthia and Rodney Pruet of Abilene spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Pruet.
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sprawls of Scranton visited Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Speckle in Cisco Sunday.
 Bernice Rutherford spent the week end in Fort Worth.
 Mrs. F. P. Shackelford Jr. and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Holmes in Seymour Sunday.
 Mrs. Weldon Isenhower, Mrs. John Petty, Mrs. Homer Pruet, Mrs. S. M. Eubank and Mrs. Tex Herring attended the 6th District Convention in Colorado City Friday.
 Those having Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Burnam were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett and daughters of Abilene, Mrs. Mary Ramsey and Mr. Tom Butler.
 Mrs. Annie Bishop of Cross Plains, Mrs. Eula Ford of Pioneer are visiting their sister Mrs. Mary Ramsey.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lige Burnam of Cisco were Saturday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Burnam. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yarbrough.
 Mr. and Mrs. Artis Yarbrough and daughter of Tuscon, Ariz. visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yarbrough Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. James Yarbrough and daughter and Ped Yarbrough were Friday guests of the Jim Yarbroughs.
 Veda Yarbrough is improving and plans to be writing her column soon.
 Mrs. Walker Allen, Mrs. Ruby Bryant of Wingate visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman Saturday.
 Earl Sunderman of Ft. Worth spent Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman.

The installation of the new members of the Eula chapter of the National Honor Society will be in the school auditorium at 8:00 p. m. on March 25. Parents of both the new and old members are invited.
 Eula Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 7:30 p. m. Monday night, March 28, 1960 in the High School Auditorium. The theme for the evening is "In our Field We Share." Mr. Pittman will give the introduction. Students will present, as their portion of the program, "Our Field of Endeavor." Refreshments will be served by the tenth grade mothers.
 The Eula FFA boys are entered in a district livestock judging contest at ACC March 26.
 The high school students who made the honor roll for the 4th six weeks are:
 Freshmen - Ronny Esman and Nita Shipman.
 Sophomore - Eileen Bentley Junior - Ramona Stephenson and Charles Ivey.
 Senior - Virginia Edwards and Darlene Isenburger.
 William H. Poole Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Poole who own the Cafe-Store in Eula was elected Assistant State Attorney General on March 16.
 Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Bentley visited the Joe Bentley's Sunday.
 Mrs. Dorothy Collett and children have moved from Eula and now live in Abilene.
 The Eula Boy Scouts met at Scout master Joe Bentley's house Sunday to prepare an exhibit for a Scout-O-Rama program at Coleman Saturday. The Scouts are selling tickets to the Scout-O-Rama. Everyone is invited.
 Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Barr Jr. are the proud parents of a 7 pound boy, Darrel Wayne. Congratulations.
 Betsy LaCour visited the Reese Millers and went to school with Carolyn.



Putnam Woman, Daughter Sail for Germany

Shown above are Mrs. George Lee Ramsey, Lisa Rae, of Putnam, who left from Abilene, March 16 by air via Dallas and New York for Germany where they will join their husband and father, Sgt. Ramsey, who has been stationed with the Army at Spangdahlem since last November.

Mrs. Ramsey and Lisa Rae went by jet plane from Dallas to New York where they left March 17 aboard the ship U. S. N. S. Patch. They will land at Bremerhaven after the ten-day voyage and go by train to Spangdahlem where they will remain for the next three years.
 Parents of Sgt. and Mrs. Ramsey are Jack Ramsey of Putnam and Mrs. Jessie Ramsey of Houston; and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway of Putnam, with whom

visited Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bennett and family last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hughlet and children of Denver City spent the week end visiting Rev. and Mrs. James O. Brandon.
 Mr. and Mrs. McCorkel and children have moved into the Varner house, are glad to have them live with us.
 Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bruton and son of California are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Green.
 Rev. and Mrs. Sam Day and boys and Hazel I. Respass attended the funeral of Mr. John Jensen at Cisco Sunday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Coppinger of Stanton have a new son born March 13, has been named Allen Micheal.
 Mrs. Hazel Coppinger was here Monday visiting Beulah and Hazel Respass.
 Mrs. C. R. Myrick and Hazel I. Respass was in Abilene visiting last Thursday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey of Stephenville visited here Sunday with Mrs. J. F. Coffey and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey.
 Miss Eunice Hembree of Scranton spent Monday night with Mrs. W. B. Gilleland.
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Phillips of Abilene were guest of Mrs. W. B. Gilleland Sunday.

Rowden Round-Up
 By Mrs. B. Crow
 Mrs. George B. Scott and Miss Gladys Riggs of Cross Plains, Ernest Sikes of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose visited Mrs. Lella Gibbs over the week end.
 Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Adair and children of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. John Adair the past week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom, Mrs. Tommie Harris, Franzl Odom and Mrs. Ivan Odom attended funeral services for Russell Odom's little grandson at Irving Thursday.
 Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crow spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Huse Crow at Sallisaw, Okla., Huse is critically ill at this time, he suffered a stroke and getting weaker each day now.
 Rev. W. E. Nowell had Sunday dinner with the Sterling Odom family.
 Mrs. B. Crow visited Mrs. E. E. Akin, Mrs. Lella Gibbs and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs the past week.
 Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Webb returned home last Thursday from visiting their son, Joe D. Webb and family in Jal, N. M., and their five sons and their families in Marfa, Texas. In Marfa the families and friends all got together for a big outing and fish-fry.

Atwell News

By Mrs. Roy Tatom
 Mrs. Roy Tatom received word Saturday evening that her brother J. C. Foster had died in the Mercy Hospital at Slaton. He had been ill for two months in the hospital. Attending the funeral Monday from Atwell were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nell Tatom, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster.
 Elder and Mrs. David Foster visited with relatives in Cross Plains Sunday.
 Mrs. Louis Griffith of Fort Worth visited two days with Mr. Black and Vee last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nell Tatom visited with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richardson and their new baby girl at Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom and boys of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom Sunday. They all visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatom in Baird Sunday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster visited Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Scott Sunday evening.
 Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis visited Mr. and Mrs. Lum Smith in Putnam Sunday.



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Cottonwood News

By Hazel I. Respass
 There will be a social for the young people at the Baptist Church Friday evening, March 25 at 7:00 p. m. The speaker for the evening will be Rev. Knox Waggoner, the youth director for Callahan County Baptist Association.
 The regular spring revival will begin April 3, to April 10.
 Mr. and Mrs. Dee E. Bennett and two children of Midland

Eula Items

By Eileen Bentley
 Eula FFA Banquet is scheduled for March 24. It is to be at the Lytle Lake Auditorium at 7:30 p. m.

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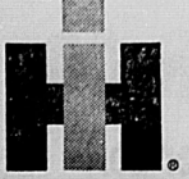


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Starring in the Technicolor production are two of Hollywood's most popular stars, James Stewart and Vera Miles. The film was directed and produced by Mervyn LeRoy.

The FBI Story traces the life of a typical young agent, his home life, as well as his career with the FBI. Paralleling his story is the development and growth of the FBI from a struggling organization in 1924 to the outstanding efficient operation it is today.

Included in the production are such action-packed events as

gun battles with notorious gangsters John Dillinger, Pretty Boy Floyd and Baby Face Nelson and undercover work by agents in solving murders of Osage Indians in Oklahoma to obtain their oil rights.

The film vividly depicts the early days when the underground organization worked 18 hours a day, often seven days a week, to get their jobs done. It shows how the FBI during World War II did counter-espionage work in South American countries in which German spies were operating. The story is brought up to the present with the FBI fighting as relentlessly as in wartime to track down enemy agents wherever they may be in the United States today.

LeRoy spent five weeks shooting in Washington and New York City. His cameras will give moviegoers an inside look at the amazing operations in the FBI headquarters in Washington where the evidence required to capture and convict a criminal is observed, collected and analyzed.

LeRoy was allowed entry to the various departments of the Bureau, including the largest crime laboratory in the world, equipped to handle any type of case; the identification division in which more than 150 million different sets of finger prints are on file, indexed and cross-indexed; to the FBI firing ranges as nearby Quantico, Virginia where agents are trained to become experts in the use of firearms.

Heading the cast with the stars, James Stewart and Vera Miles, are Murray Hamilton, Larry Pennell, Nick Adams, Diane Jergens, Jean Willes, Joyce Taylor, Victor Millan and Parley Baer.

Census Forms Being Distributed by Mail

Advance report forms for the 1960 census population and housing will be distributed by the Post Office this week to all households in this area, District Supervisor Max V. Mossholder announced today.

The advance report form is a new census-taking device which is designed to speed up the field canvass and provide more accurate statistics. Distribution of this form before the start of the house-to-house canvass gives the family a chance to assemble information about each member in advance of the census taker's visit. The district supervisor urges all residents to fill out the forms and have them ready for the census takers when they start their rounds on April 1.

The advance report form contains seven questions about every person in the household and six questions about the household's dwelling. The household information asked for is name, address, sex, color or race, month and year of birth, whether married or single, and relationship to head of the household. The information required about the dwelling is the number of rooms, cooking facilities, plumbing, if rented or owned.

At every fourth household, the census taker will seek the answers to additional questions covering population and housing characteristics which are being asked of 25 per cent sample of the nation's population. The sample population questions include inquiries on country of birth, schooling, employment, income, and related items. The additional housing questions relate to rent or value of dwelling, heating equipment, water supply and other facilities and equipment.

The district supervisor pointed out that information about individuals and their homes furnished to the Census Bureau is kept confidential under Federal law. Only statistical totals and averages are published. No individual person can be identified in published reports and census information cannot be used for regulation, investigation or taxation.

Quail Food Supply Helped by Disking

The cheapest and most effective method for providing food for bobwhite quail is disking strips in old fields and along fence rows.

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ten all that is needed to get a good stand of choice quail foods, such as doveweed and partridge peas growing. This method of turning the soil can be done at little cost and it gives the quail food plants a chance to compete with more vigorous growing ones. An application of fertilizer, the same as used on pastures in this area will greatly increase the food produced, adds Cooper.

The disked strips should be near low-growing brushy cover to give the birds protection from natural enemies while feeding. The specialist emphasizes that quail may not use the choice foods if cover is not available nearby. And, he adds, it's easier, cheaper and faster to grow food plants near cover than to develop cover plants near good food supplies.

Research has shown that long strips of disked land, at least 20 feet wide, are better than square blocks. In disking, the soil should be cut only deep enough to turn the grass, usually about 4 inches, says Cooper. And the best time for carrying out the practice is from now through April. The practice works best when the strips are disked in the 3-year rotation, explains the conservationist.

Cooper says that livestock usually will not graze the type of

plants which will grow on the disked land, but if domestic food crops are planted for quail food, fencing is required. Too, the seeds of native plants usually last longer. That is important because quail need the food most in winter and early spring when domestic plant seeds have shattered or rotted.

And this final reminder from Cooper, if you like to have quail around the place, provide them food, cover and protection and they'll stay with you.

Guest Editorial . . .

Robert Taylor
BABEL REVISITED

The national highway program initiated by Congress in 1956 is not, as frequently represented, the most ambitious public works undertaking of all time. The most ambitious public works undertaking of all time was the Tower of Babel. Its designers meant for it to reach from the earth to heaven.

No doubt they claimed that this project was scientifically planned and perfectly feasible if their recommendations were followed, step by step. The same claims were made for the national highway program, and were used to answer any skeptics who questioned the fairness of its financing or objected to

the 50 per cent increase in the federal gasoline tax with which it was inaugurated.

How smoothly initial work on the Tower of Babel progressed the Bible does not record. But the national highway program was in deep trouble within the space of two years.

The estimated cost of completing the heart of this program - the 41,000-mile Interstate System - was boosted 45 per cent over the projections presented in 1956; the program was saddled with a \$2 billion debt from pre-1956 federal highway aid grants; the recession was used as an excuse for adding a \$1.2 billion pump-priming outlay to the program; and a pay-as-you-go safeguard in the law was suspended.

Naturally, the program was running in the red, and that was the excuse for increasing the federal gasoline tax again last year - to 4 cents per gallon. But this was represented as a temporary increase, pledged to expire in 21 months.

Now Congress is being asked to forget about last year's promise to the motorists, and to

retain that "temporary" one-cent per gallon gasoline tax increase past its scheduled expiration date, even adding to it still another 1/2 cent levy. This would boost the federal gasoline tax rate to 4 1/2 cents per gallon.

The most ambitious public works undertaking in history broke down in complete confusion. Disaster also threatens the second most ambitious program. The Tower of Babel project collapsed from a confusion of slipshod financing.

But, the national highway program can still be saved - if the people insist on an end to the confusion - and the habit of covering up mistakes with gasoline tax increases.

A problem that is the direct outgrowth of irresponsible estimates and irresponsible tax policies can only be solved by adherence to firm figures and fair methods of financing. We can't get to heaven, or drive our cars, either, on a Babel confusion.

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Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	\$4,500.00
Banking House & Furniture & Fixtures	\$2.00
Cash and Due From Banks	\$1,104,046.85

LIABILITIES

Capital	\$50,000.00
Surplus	\$100,000.00
Undivided Profits	\$71,793.25
Reserves for Taxes	\$39,342.39
Reserve for Losses, Depreciation, Etc.	\$96,505.65
Reserve for Contingencies, Bond Premiums, Improvements, Etc.	\$130,000.00
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"Oh, Freddie" (sigh)

"The dealer's got just the model we want, Sweetie. Right color, right everything."

"Oh, Freddie" (sigh)

"In fact he's got the biggest selection I ever saw. No problem at all to find what you want."

"Oh, Freddie" (sigh)

"It's got that V8 in it I've been talking about too. What an engine that is."

"Oh, Freddie" (sigh)

"And deal! Sweetie, wait'll I tell you the deal they've offered me. This is the time to buy all right."

"Well, don't just stand there, Freddie. Go ahead and buy it."



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BAIRD, TEXAS



KIMBELL'S	3 lb. can
Shortening	59c
	12 bottle carton
Coca Cola	49c
EARLY GARDEN ELBERTA	No. 2 1/2 can
PEACHES	25c
KIMBELL'S NEW WHOLE	No. 303 can
Potatoes	10c

FREE - 12c box Kimbell's Tea with KIMBELL'S	WHITE SWAN	No. 303 can
COFFEE, lb.	59c	Pork & Beans
		10c



KIMBELL'S		
TUNA,	flat can	19c

NICE TENDER	
Club Steaks, lb.	67c

MISSION	2 No. 303 cans	25c	FRESH FROZEN	STRAWBERRIES, 10 oz. pkg.	19c
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ALL MEAT	
WIENERS, lb.	49c

LIGHT CRUST or GLADIOLA	
Corn Meal, 5 lb. bag	29c

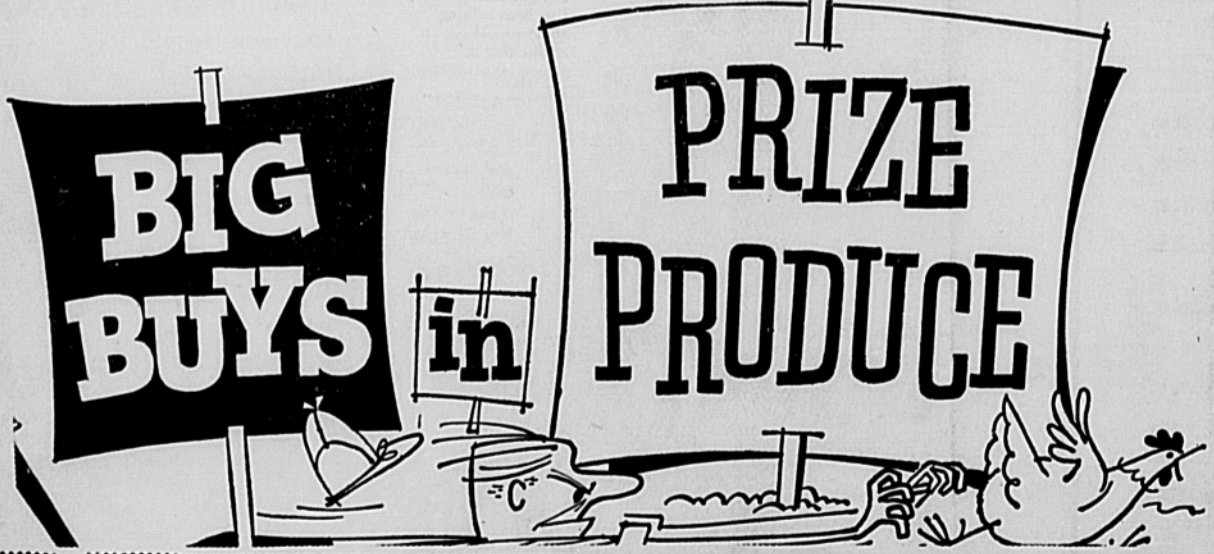
WISCONSIN LONGHORN	pound
CHEESE	49c

SUPREME CREME SANDWICH	2 lb. bag	49c	HUDSON	TISSUE, 4 roll pkg.	45c
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CHOICE	pound
Beef Roast	55c

KIMBELL'S	5 cans	39c	BREER RABBIT WAFFLE	SYRUP, 24 oz. jar	29c
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PECAN VALLEY, SHORT CUT	
Green Beans, 303 can	10c



FIRM CRISP	2 heads
LETTUCE	19c
FANCY DELICIOUS	
APPLES, lb.	15c
GREEN CRISP	
CABBAGE, lb.	3c
SUNKIST	
LEMONS, doz.	29c

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