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trying to contemplate. The value of the American dollar would plunge downward on world markets and at home. Prices for everything we buy would skyrocket if we lacked the gold to back up our paper money. There would be inflation such as we never have seen before. And the worst depression by far this country ever has known would be swift and certain.

The recent near-panic in gold markets of the world is the warning that the world is uneasy about the soundness of the American dollar. Unless we can restore world confidence in our money, we are faced with financial and economic catastrophe. We would destroy ourselves from within, which is the historic goal of communism. Russia would like us over as an enslaved satellite without firing a shot in exactly the manner predicted by Marx, Lenin, Stalin and Krushchev. We would be inclined to embrace communism because of the feeling that such a step couldn't make our condition worse and that a change might help. If this should happen such things as the American Way of Life and the Free World would become nothing more than memories.

Bill Magnus and family of Fort Stockton spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Taylor of Slaton.

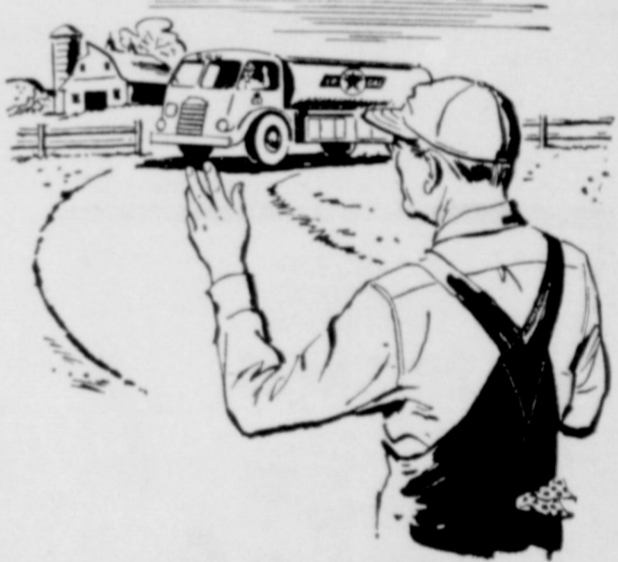
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gave all gold mining equipment top priority for shipment to Russia. When the United States currency was on the domestic gold base, the American citizen had a direct check on the government. If people did not like the squandering of money by Congress, they could go to the bank and withdraw their savings in gold from the treasury of the United States by asking for it. As long as the Congress of the United States was keeping the dollar on a sound gold basis,

the American people deposited their gold in their local banks. But the Congress no longer can be controlled by the citizens of the United States. The country is now controlled by a bunch of free wheeling spenders who have brain-washed most American citizens into believing they never have had it so good.

The sad truth is that the people of the world do not share the belief that the stability of the American Dollar is unshakable. Our money has been discounted in Canada and Germany for years.

If you believe in the New Deal Mythology then you are unrealistic enough to believe that giving the Russians all the gold mining equipment they ask for is good economy for the United States, that paying for the gold mine equipment from our taxes

is sound and that you have nothing to worry about.

But those who do not believe in the New Deal money policy have a lot to worry about. The Russians now have over \$9 billion on dollars in gold, mined by slave labor with the equipment you paid for, and we have more foreign debts against our gold supply than we have gold.

What the bankers in New York and across the country are holding their breath about is the fear of a run on the United States gold pile by foreign depositors.

If this happens, the price of gold in the United States will triple to \$108 an ounce, or be impounded. If either happens, it will be a worldwide money crisis for the West.

The United States for a short time in history has been the world's strongest nation, the major defense of Western civilization and the last bulwark of the free and Christian world.

But our leaders have not demonstrated the maturity for world leadership. If the value of the dollar vanishes with our gold supply, you will experience one of the American economic crashes in American history.

The United States gold mines are closed. They are too expensive to operate. They were forced to close during the war and many have filled with water. The operating cost of mining today would call for a government

subsidy of \$60 per ounce to the miner.

The American dollar on the world market is based on gold at \$35 per ounce. Our inflation prices are based on gold at \$108 an ounce. This makes gold impossible to mine at a profit in the United States.

We are living high in the sky and New Dealers are advocating one-world government. They are saying that, if you have one-world you have one economy. Either our living standards would fall to the level of China or China would climb up to our level if this happened. This is impossible. If every Chinese family had a car and a half, as we have in America, China would have such a complete cover of cars that none could move.

The fact is that foreigners can control the fiscal and monetary policy of the United States. They own our gold. The gold in the treasury of the United States is borrowed from these creditors.

If you still believe in the New Deal mythology policy of the United States which the New Deal one-world government advocates, then it is OK for our gold mining equipment to be given to Russia, and for all our gold to be owned by foreign nations.

We can keep on giving four billions a year in foreign aid and hope that they won't some day call for payment of all their credits in the United States in gold. We have mortgaged ourselves for more gold than we own.

If all foreigners should suddenly demand gold for their American currency, we couldn't pay off. There are conclusive proofs that this sort of a run on our gold supply is developing. Only a few days ago, Swiss bankers advised their patrons to convert, without delay, all their American cash into gold. This is one of the reasons for the present crisis which has seen the price of gold skyrocket on the financial markets of the world.

If our gold supply should be exhausted, the results are terri-

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## Sands Motel Dinner Honors Wedding Party

M. and Mrs. W. V. Smith were hosts at a dinner in the dining room of the Sands Motel Restaurant in Odessa on Monday Evening, December 19. The dinner was given in honor of the members of the Barnes-Smith wedding party. Emelda Ann Barnes and Ronald William Smith were married on December 20 in Belmont.

Mr. Tommy Cheek, a student at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, entertained the group with humorous narrations and also with guitar music.

A trio composed of Danny Yearly, Cleburne, Ron Smith, Slaton, and Cheek sang a variety of numbers.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lewellen, Shidler, Oklahoma, and Nettie Redenbaugh, Bedford, Iowa.

and those attending were Mrs. C. S. Simmons, Mr. Claude Cravens of Slaton; Mr. Champion's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Smith of Houston; Mr. Champion's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whitaker of Decatur, Texas and Mr. Champion's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Champion of Decatur; the hosts and honorees.

Several friends called during the afternoon.

## Willing Workers Party Is Held

The Willing Workers Sunday School Class of Westview Baptist Church met December 14 in the home of Mrs. T. V. Ellis for their regular business meeting and Christmas party.

The meeting was opened with prayer which was led by Mrs. Rose Bloxom. Mrs. Jack Brookshire read the devotional from Luke 2.

Mrs. Faye Gra gave the Christmas story and gifts were exchanged with a prayer by Mrs. Ellis.

Refreshments were served to nine members and 1 guest.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Janie Phillips.



MRS. RONALD WILLIAM SMITH  
nee Emelda Ann Barnes

## BARNES-SMITH WEDDING IS HELD DECEMBER 20th

In a lovely twilight service on Tuesday, December 20, Miss Emelda Ann Barnes and Ronald William Smith pledged marriage vows. The wedding was held in the Belmont Baptist Church in Odessa.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Barnes of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Smith of Slaton. The bride is a junior student at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. Her husband attended Howard Payne College, served in the U. S. Marine Corps, and in May he will receive a degree from Hardin-Simmons where he is a ministerial student. He is currently serving the First Baptist Church in Aspermont as assistant pastor and is employed by the Gulf Oil Distributor in Abilene.

A sunburst arrangement of white gladioli and large white mums flanked by standing candelabrae with cathedral tapers formed the background for the wedding. The Rev. Dr. Conway Evans officiated for the double ring ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory peau de soie with Alencon lace encrusted with seed pearls forming the bodice and outlining the scoop neckline. The elbow length sleeves were softly shirred. The full skirt sprinkled with beaded lace medallions swept into a full train. Her veil of illusion was caught to a crown of pearls. She carried a bouquet of white cattleya orchids and feathered chrysanthemums in a white heirloom Bible.

Mrs. Kenneth Ward, soloist, sang "Because" and "Whither Thou Goest" before the vows were spoken and Barton Barnes, brother of the bride, sang "Wedding Prayer" following the ceremony. Miss Darlene Cunningham was organist.

Miss Samye Jernigan, Odessa, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Melinda Millican of Fort Worth and Carole Cunningham of Odessa. Miss Nancy Smith, sister of the groom, was junior bridesmaid. Their dresses were of coral pink silk organza over taffeta and were enhanced by over-skirts and cumberbunds of organza. They wore coral hats and carried bouquets of coral Fiji mums.

Barton Barnes and Randall Gavlik lighted the candles.

Danny Yearly of Cleburne was best man and groomsmen were Tommy Cheek of Fort Worth, Dave Collins and Randall Gavlik of Abilene.

The mother of the bride wore a dress of blue peau de soie with black accessories. Her corsage was of coral pink lily roses. The bridegroom's mother wore a suit of brown silk brocade with brown accessories and a corsage of gold Peruvian lilies.

A reception was given in the parlor of the church. Members of the house party were Messames Jewel Johnson Nilsen, Canterbury, Harry Cunningham, Rollie Barnes and Miss Stenhanie Pearce.

For a wedding trip to Dallas, Mrs. Smith traveled in a taupe velvet suit with matching shoes and bag. She added a white fur hat.

The couple will reside at 1951 Simmons, Abilene.

## C. E. Gravells Celebrate 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gravell celebrated their 25th Wedding Anniversary on Christmas Day.

Those attending were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brush and boys, Mrs. Corinne Cage, and children, from Slaton; her father from Presidio, Mr. W. M. Callahan; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bissard, and Tony, from Slaton, Eddie, Jim and Charlie Gravell and Sammy Wilson concluded the guest list.

## Lottie Moon Offering Taken

The T. E. L. Sunday school class of the First Baptist Church met in Fellowship hall for the annual Christmas party and Lottie Moon offering. Rev. Ted Gaze gave thanks for the turkey dinner served to 16 members and 9 guests.

Gifts were exchanged from the tree and cards given. Special songs were sung. In the Lottie Moon offering there is \$283.38.

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## Sarah Bickers, Norman Williams 'Are Married On Christmas Day

The home of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bickers was the setting for the wedding of their daughter, Sarah Sue, and Norman R. Williams, son of Mr. Thomas J. Williams of Wichita, Kansas.

The double ring ceremony was read on Christmas day at 5 o'clock. Officiating was Rev. Ted Gaze, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Slaton. Music was provided by Mrs. Thomas E. Bickers, pianist, and Mrs. Ted Gaze, vocal soloist.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a bridal dress of white wool jersey. Her hat and accessories were in white. She wore a single pearl drop and earrings which belonged to her late maternal grandmother. She carried a bouquet of white carnations surrounding a white orchid which was atop a white bible with satin streamers.

The wedding was performed before a fireplace which was flanked by candelabra, greenery and Christmas decorations. Mrs. Donald L. Webb, the bride's sister, who served as Matron of Honor, wore a navy silk dress with matching accessories. She carried white carnations. Diane Webb, dressed in red velvet, was flower girl.

Mr. Thomas E. Bickers, brother of the bride, was best man. Gene Bickers was ring-bearer.

Mrs. Williams wore an olive green tweed wool suit with olive green accessories for the wedding trip to California. The couple will make their home in Burbank, California, where Mr. Williams is employed in the I.B.M. department of Lockheed Aircraft Co.

A reception followed the ceremony.



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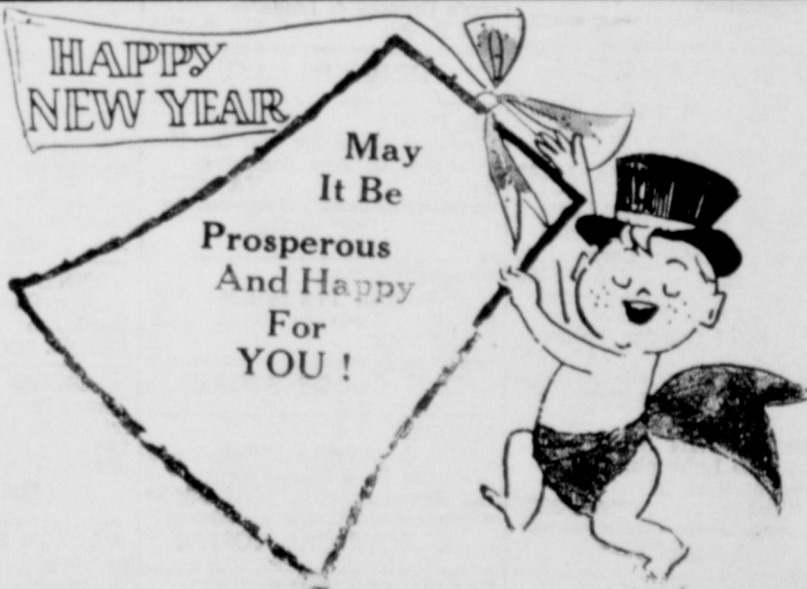
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The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite, Thursday, December 29, 1960

## Lettie Traweek Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Traweek of Slaton are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lettie Ellen, to Joe Frank Roberts, son of Mrs. Dora Roberts of Levelland.

Wedding vows will be read at 7 p. m. on January 27th, in the First Christian Church Slaton.

## Pair Entertains In Claiborne Home

Miss Joan Claiborne and Miss Peggy Kirksey entertained in the Claiborne home on Friday, December 23.

Supper was served to Misses Caron Caldwell, Carla Fondy, Janice Henry, Nancy McSweeney, Jane Teffertiller, Connie Woods, Claiborne and Kirksey.

## Reunion Held In Bickers Home

A family reunion was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bickers over the Christmas holidays.

as the sands of time run from the old year into the new, may they bring with them a full measure of health and happiness for you.

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## HEATON-MORGAN WEDDING IS READ HERE SATURDAY

The home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Heaton, 530 West Lynn St., was the setting for the 4 p. m. Saturday wedding of Miss Dorothy Kay Heaton to James Clinton Morgan.



MRS. JAMES MORGAN nee Dorothy Heaton

The bride-groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morgan of Roby.

Miss Heaton is a graduate of Slaton High School and attended Texas Tech and Draught's Business College.

The bride's chosen colors of blue and white were carried out in the centerpiece.

Guests were the honoree's mother, Mrs. C. L. Heaton, Misses Dana Heaton, Cynthia Merritt, Catha and Linda Walker, Mrs. M. G. Davis, Mrs. Robert Heaton and Mrs. Grady Halburton.

The hostess gift was silver.

## Mrs. Morgan Is Honored With Luncheon

Mrs. James Morgan, the former Miss Dorothy Heaton, was honored, December 17, with a luncheon in the Gold Room of Hemphill-Wells, Monterey Center in Lubbock.

The bride's chosen colors of blue and white were carried out in the centerpiece.

Guests were the honoree's mother, Mrs. C. L. Heaton, Misses Dana Heaton, Cynthia Merritt, Catha and Linda Walker, Mrs. M. G. Davis, Mrs. Robert Heaton and Mrs. Grady Halburton.

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## Cuba, Alaska Circles Hosts To WSCS Meeting December 19

The Cuba and Alaska Circles were hosts to the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the annual Christmas party, Monday, December 19, in Fellowship Hall.

Food for a needy family was brought; also toys for the church nursery. Gifts for exchange by those present were placed under a lighted tree. A devotion, The Christmas Story, was

## Railroad Paid \$110,248 Taxes In Lubbock County During 1959

Texas railroads paid \$110,248 in taxes in Lubbock county during 1959, according to the Texas Railroad Association.

That amount was the county's share of the nearly \$10,000,000 the railroads paid throughout the state.

In addition, of course, was the large total in taxes the railroads' approximately 40,000 Texas employees contributed on their own property. The vast majority of railroad workers,

many of whom live in Lubbock county, own their own homes.

The largest railroad contribution in Lubbock County was for the support of education. The school tax for 1959 totaled \$61,241.

City and village taxes amounted to \$35,521, while the share of the county government's operating expenses paid for by the railroads totaled \$7,091. The road and bridge fund gained \$4,525 from the railroads in 1959. All other taxes brought the total

for the county to \$110,248.

"With the future of the county depending upon the of our youth, I am sure that nearly half of the by the railroads in of \$4,565,103, went to the schools," said W. general counsel of Railroad Association, "and many of our railroads scholarships available year."

## LITTLE COLONEL By Bob McK...



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## TEMPERATURES

The following temperatures were reported by Pioneer Gas Co. for the week of December 18 through 24. Sunday, 60-30; Monday, 65-30; Tuesday, 40-32; Wednesday, 42-20; Thursday, 40-18; Friday, 54-22; Saturday, 66-26. The weeks average was 38%.

## CHRISTMAS VISITORS

Guests in the home of Mrs. Leona Lamb on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Meeks and their daughter, Holly, of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lamb, Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Lamb, Brent and Brad, Slaton; Mrs. Dorta Fay Harris and her son, Dale.

All of the family were present except James and his family. James has just returned to the states after several months at sea. He is still in the Navy and serves aboard the ship U. S. Oriskany. James has one more year of Navy duty. He is a Chief Warrant Officer.

## Surprise Shower Is Given For Miss Basinger

A surprise knick-knack shower given in the honor of Dolores Ann Basinger, bride-elect of Ronnie Dunn, was held in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Sikes with Miss Harriet Perkins assisting.

Refreshments of coffee and doughnuts were served to Misses Lena Glascock, Pam Henry, Fatsy Pettigrew, Sue Liles, Carolyn Rhoades, Peggy Draper, Judie Bishop, Perkins, Mrs. Sikes and the honoree.

## New Grass Variety Released

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1. AD-RIMES are impartially judged and a cash prize of \$10 will be awarded each week for the best rhyming line; and \$50 for the best of the 26 weekly winners.

2. Bring or mail entries on card or plain paper to The Slatonite.

3. Everyone is eligible except employees of this newspaper. No limit on number of lines submitted by any person.

4. The HIDDEN SLOGAN must appear on every entry (see Description).

5. All entries must be in Newspaper office by 5 p. m. next Monday.

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Water District Director and County Commissioner

- Places in Lubbock County:
1. City Hall, Idalou
  2. Old County Courthouse, Lubbock
  3. Community Clubhouse, Shallowater
  4. City Hall, Slaton
  5. Frenship Schoolhouse, Wolforth

District Director: (Vote For One) 1. Elmer Blankenship, Route 2, Wilson 2. Earl Weaver, Idalou

County Committeemen: (Residents Vote for One Committeeman-at-Large) 1. W. J. Bryant, 1902 Avenue C, Lubbock 2. Dan Young, 402 19th Street, Lubbock

(Residents of Commissioner's Precinct No. 3, (Vote For One) 1. Virgil Isom, Idalou 2. Calos May, Route 1, Idalou

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## STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights by Vern Sanford TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN, Tex.—So far this year, the average number of persons killed in Texas traffic accidents has been slightly more than four per day.

But during the 10-day holiday period, the average is expected to jump to nine. Department of Public Safety is predicting 90 traffic fatalities in the 10 days from December to January 1. In the first 49 weeks of this year, the traffic toll was 2,025.

Tabbed to be the worst day of the year is Saturday, December 24. Tying for second in the DPS predictions will be Friday, December 23, and Sunday, December 25. New Year's day will rank third.

DPS predictions, though based on sober experience, are not the last word. During last year's holidays, which were marked by an intensive safety campaign, drivers brought down a predicted 111 deaths to an actual 97. A similar cut would hold this year's holiday motorcides to about 90.

More important than totals and averages to the man at the wheel is whether he himself will wind up a statistic. Best way to get "home for Christmas" and back again, DPS officials advise, is to obey traffic laws scrupulously.

Says Col. Homer Garrison Jr., department director, "Experience has shown without a doubt that in most fatal traffic accidents, at least one violation of the traffic laws is a causative factor." TAX TAKE DOWN—Revenue from the new tax bill passed by the Legislature in 1959 is running nearly 11 per cent below expectations.

general revenue appropriation which can be used only to build new farm roads. TGRA favors continuing to take the F-M road money from the general revenue fund. This is to "get back" part of the \$70,000,000 a year in highway use taxes (gasoline, car registrations) that go to non-highway purposes.

It recommended giving the Highway Department authority to zone the new divided highways for higher speed limits, up to 70 miles per hour. GAS TAX HELD VOID—Texas' severance beneficiary tax on natural gas took another legal tumble when the Third Court of Civil Appeals agreed with district in holding it unconstitutional.

Case goes now to the Texas Supreme Court and then to the U. S. Supreme Court to be settled finally. Thus far, the severance beneficiary tax is having worse luck than the gas gathering tax which the Civil Appeals Court held constitutional in 1953. It was finally knocked down by the U. S. Supreme Court.

A jury charge against former mittie is noe perjury in the legal sense. This cannot be spent, however, as long as the tax is being contested in the courts. SAUNDERS CASE CLOSED—Court of Criminal Appeals has closed the books on the perjury charge against former State Insurance Commissioner Chairman J. Byron Saunders.

A district court sentenced Saunders to two years in prison on the charge that he lied to a legislative investigating committee about money he received from an insurance company. Appeals Court threw out the conviction, saying that false testimony before a legislative committee is not erjury in the legal sense.

Travis County Dist. Atty. Les Procter twice asked for rehearing, contending the decision on left legislative committee without authority to get truth from witnesses. But the court made the decision final by overruling Procter's motion with no written opinion. PROPERTY OWNER VOTE UPHELD — Texas Supreme Court issued an opinion upholding the action of Laredo election judges in restricting the vote in an urban renewal election to property owners.

In the Laredo election, a proposal that the city participate in the federal urban renewal program lost. Urban renewal supporters challenged the election because of the property owner restriction on voting.

San Antonio Court of Civil Appeals ruled that the restriction was unconstitutional because the proposal did not call for spending money. Supreme Court disagreed, pointing out that an urban renewal agency could spend money and issue bonds. High court sent the case back

to the civil appeals court with instructions to reconsider. SHORT SNORTS—Texas Railroad Commission decided to continue December's oil quotas through March. This means production of 2,799,157 barrels a day on a nine-day producing pattern. Earlier, Commission Chairman Ernest O. Thompson had suggested that perhaps Texas should start reducing more oil to keep other states from grabbing the market.

Despite protests of several legislators, the State Library Commission voted to merge the Texas Rural Library Service and the State Library's extension division. Five employees lose jobs in the change. Governor Daniel appointed John Barron, Bryan attorney, to succeed District Judge W. T. McDonald, who was elected to the Court of re-election.

### NEW ARRIVALS IN SLATON

Dec. 6: Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Winston Roy James, 209 S. Ave. 9, Post, on the birth of a daughter weighing 6 lb. 1 oz.

Dec. 7: Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Smith, P. O. 151, Wilson, on the birth of a boy weighing 7 lbs. 5 oz. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Royce Hobbs, P. O. Box 111, Wilson, on the birth of a son weighing 9 lbs. 7 oz.

Dec. 8: Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wallie Aguirre, P. O. Box 623, Slaton, on the birth of a daughter weighing 8 lb. 11 oz.

Dec. 10: Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Adolfo Garcia, Rt. 2, Slaton, on the birth of a son weighing 6 lb. 12 oz.

Dec. 11: Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Don Beard, 2105 38th St. Lubbock, on the birth of a daughter weighing 6 lb. 11 oz.

Dec. 12: Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Box 432, Slaton, on the birth of a daughter weighing 5 lb. 11½ oz.

Dec. 13: Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Taylor, 1012 North Ash, Lubbock, on the birth of a son weighing 8 lb. 1 oz.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. James Perkins, 2718 E. 9 St., Lubbock, on the birth of a daughter weighing 7 lb. 12 oz. Congratulations to Mr.



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and Mrs. Rafael Flores, Slaton, on the birth of twin girls weighing 2 lb. 6½ oz. and 2 lb. 6 oz. Congratulations to Mr. and Ms. Floyd Jones, Box 81, Wilson, on the birth of a son weighing 6 lb. 9 oz.

Dec. 14: Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. James Vance Alfred, Slaton, on the birth of a boy weighing 9 lb. 8½ oz. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Fred Riney, Lubbock, on the birth of a daughter weighing 6 lb.

Dec. 15: Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander Pugh, Slaton, on the birth of a son weighing 8 lb. 3 oz. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. K. C. King, Slaton, on the birth of a daughter weighing 6 lb. 15 oz.

Dec. 18: Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Bednarz, Wilson, on the birth of a daughter weighing 4 lb. ½ oz. Dec. 19: Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Willis, Slaton, on the birth of a daughter weighing 4 lb. 1 oz. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kenney, Slaton, on the birth of a son weighing 7 lb. 5 oz.

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son weighing 9 lb. 6 1/2 oz. Dec. 22 Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jaramillo, Slaton, on the birth of a son weighing 7 lb. 3 1/2 oz.

Dec. 23 Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. James Edgar Hunter, Lubbock, on the birth of a son weighing 8 lb. 1 oz. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John L. Sullivan, Post, on the birth of a son weighing 6 lb. 10 oz.

Dec. 24 Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morales, Wilson, on the birth of a son weighing 7 lb. 6 oz.

Dec. 25 Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Davidson, Lubbock, on the birth of a daughter weighing 8 lb. 7 oz.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. E. Joe Cooper Lamesa, on the birth of a son weighing 8 lb 7 oz. Congratulations to M. and Mrs. Keneth Calloway, Slaton, on the birth of a son weighing 7 lb. 1 1/2 oz.

Congratulations to M. and Mrs. Pedro Perez, Slaton, on the birth of a daughter weighing 7 lb. 11 1/2 oz.

Dec. 26 Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Williams, Post, on the birth of a son weighing 6 lb. 1 oz.

Dec. 27 Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Saucedo, Lubbock, on the birth of a daughter weighing 7 lb. 5 1/2 oz.

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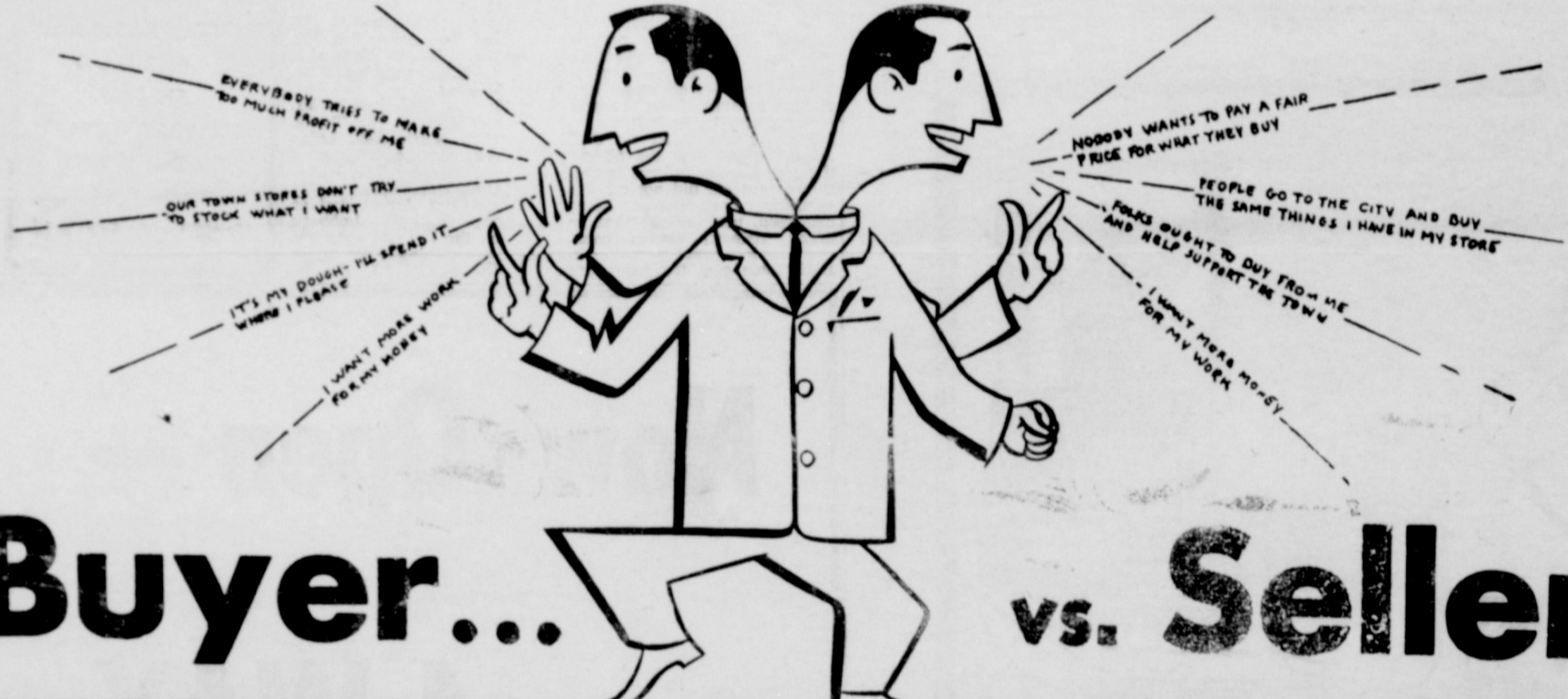
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Consequently, we sometimes get to playing our part as Mr. Buyer with such enthusiasm we forget that our other self, Mr. Seller, has to

put dollars in our pocket before our Mr. Buyer self can spend them out of it.

And every time we, as Mr. Buyer, take one of those dollars out of circulation here by spending it out of town, we shrink Mr. Seller's market so it's a little harder for him to get us some more dollars.

It's too bad we don't get more teamwork out of our two personalities. When Mr. Buyer is cutting Mr. Seller's throat, we need to recall that they are both using the same throat.

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<b>Bland's Furniture</b>	<b>T. G. &amp; Y.</b>	<b>Greer Service Station</b>	<b>Slaton Pharmacy</b>



### Health Department's C. F. McGuire Health Department Citation

An official State Department citation was recently awarded to C. F. McGuire, supervisor of the Slaton water treatment plant, for his progressively designed efficiency in water plant management and an understanding of the public health importance of the work.

Under the State Health Department's operator certification program, operators are carefully examined on their technical ability and on their knowledge of their work's influence on community health. Each must pass a stiff written test to qualify for certification.

The Texas general sanitation law requires that at least one plant operator per shift be certified by the state health agency, but other plant personnel and persons in related fields frequently seek certification on their own time and at their own expense to advance to professional status and to increase their efficiency as vital public servants.

"The recipients of these certificates are a credit to their profession and to their communities," sponsors of the certification program said.

Points toward certification are earned through actual work experience and by attendance at annual district and state short schools sponsored and conducted by the Texas State Department of Health, the engineering extension service of Texas A and M College, and the Texas Water and Sewage Works Association.

Texas Agricultural Extension Service economics report that farmers have increased the per-acre yield of 18 leading field crops by 71 percent in less than 20 years and that more than twice as many workers are required to furnish farmers with needed supplies and to market the products they grow than are needed on the nation's farms.

a new hard red winter wheat adapted to south Texas, have been released to seed producers and planting seed should be available for 1961 fall seedings. The new variety was developed by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station in cooperation with the USDA and Rockefeller Foundation.

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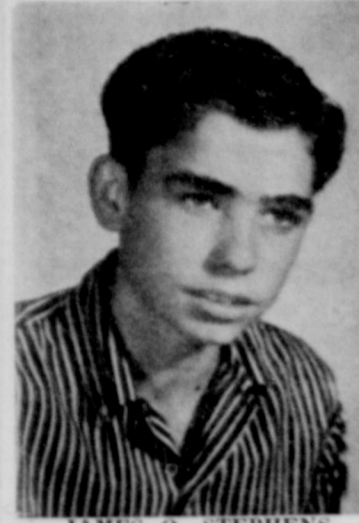
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The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite, Thursday, December 29, 1960

# Our Men In Service



**JAMES O. STEPHENS**  
leaves Dec. 19  
**James Stephens**  
Joins U. S. Navy

James O. (Jimmy) Stephens, son of C. O. Stephens of Rt. 2 Slaton, left Slaton on Friday, December 19 for service in the Navy. Jimmy is in San Diego where he will be stationed for his basic training.

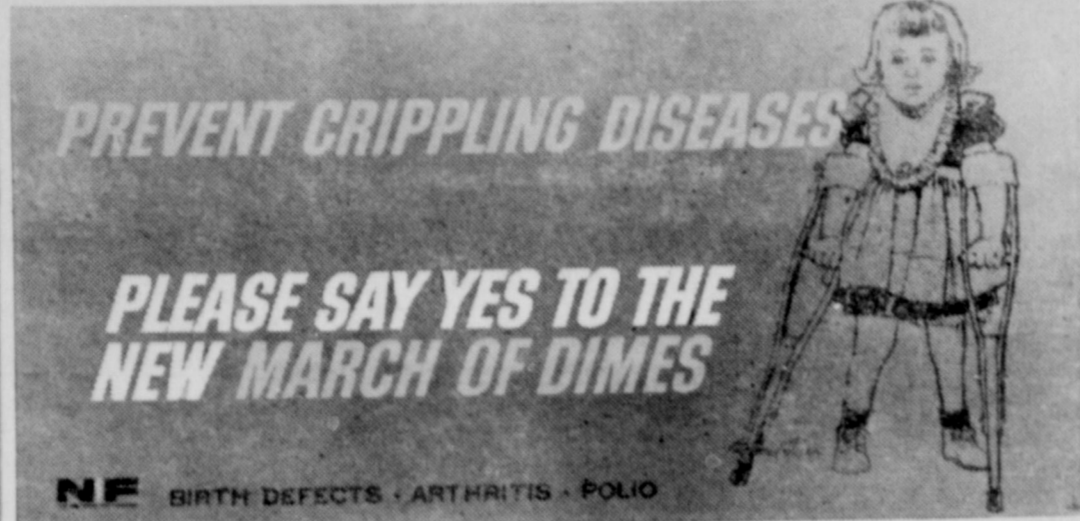
Jimmy, who is an ex Slaton High School student, was employed at Anthony's and at Dunlap's Shamrock Service Station. His address is Company 672, USNTC, San Diego, 33, California.

## Ride 'Em Cowboy



Winston Bruce of Calgary, Canada, rides "Stingaree." Bruce has qualified for the 1960 National Finals Rodeo, Dec. 26-Jan. 1 in Dallas, and ranks fourth in saddle bronc riding. Only the top money-winners of the rodeo year are eligible for the National Finals "world series" rodeo.

# 1961 Poster Child for March of Dimes Is Victim of Two Grave Birth Defects



This likeness of Linda Breese appears on millions of posters and coin collectors

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**NE BIRTH DEFECTS - ARTHRITIS - POLIO**

Linda Gail Breese, a pictorial and high-spirited young lady of four, who lives in Columbus, Ohio, was named this week as the 1961 New March of Dimes National Poster Child.

Selection of the vivacious child, a victim of the grave birth defects of an open spine and excess fluid on the brain, was announced by Basil O'Connor, president of The National Foundation, parent body of the New March of Dimes. Study and patient aid in birth defects and arthritis, together with continued work in polio, embody the expanded program of the health organization.

In January, during which the New March of Dimes will be held throughout the nation, Linda will probably feel she is facing mirrors everywhere she travels. That's because millions of posters will bear her likeness which, in drawings and photographs, will also be published in thousands of newspapers and magazines. The blonde and blue-eyed child will also appear on network television.

Linda's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Dean E. Breese. Her father is an industrial engineer. Her mother, Dorothy Lohr Breese, in addition to Linda has another daughter, Susan, 14, and two sons, Ronnie, 12, and Terry, six. Tragically, since there is



Linda Breese

handicapped Linda among the Breese children, Ronnie is a victim of cerebral palsy but his general physical condition is described as good.

Mrs. Breese has been a Mother's Marcher for the annual March of Dimes.

"My husband and I are deeply grateful that at last something constructive is being done about birth defects," she says. "We pray that The National Foundation which, through public contributions to the March of Dimes, financed the development of the Salk polio vaccine, will in time also solve the puzzle of birth defects, which are the largest unmet childhood medical problem in our country today."

Emphasizing the enormity of the problem, Mrs. Breese cited statistics showing that 250,000 infants in the United States are born annually with significant birth defects. Also, because of these congenital malformations, 34,000 babies a year in the nation are stillborn or die in the first four weeks of life.

Linda underwent surgery to close her spine when she was less than a day old. The operation was performed at Children's Hospital, Columbus, where The National Foundation with March of Dimes funds established the nation's first Birth Defects Study Center a few months ago. Nine months

**CONTINUED JUST TALK**  
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your eyes. Mrs. Maskew had put up a glass shelf across the front dining room window, and she had loaded it with many colored glasses.

So they put up a permanent flower arrangement on the front door. Mr. Maskew dragged out a big sparkling wreath made of tin can lids and put it in its usual place on the light fixture near the door. Then they took a red plastic cord and tied the giant pine cones to the yard light.

That's when Mrs. Maskew called halt. She had begun to think maybe they had overdressed things.

Her opinion was confirmed the next morning when the maid arrived. A male relative had driven her, and Mrs. Maskew heard the startled male voice demand, "Does she sell that stuff?"

The last straw. In a first-year Sunday School class in San Francisco, things were going badly. Nobody seemed able to recall the identity of St. Matthew. Nor

did they do any better with St. Mark.

Finally the teacher implored, "Surely somebody will know who Peter was?"

A small boy in the back row came to the rescue. "Teacher," he hazarded, hopefully, "wasn't he a wabbit?"

**KERTAN**

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**HAPPY NEW YEAR**

**My Neighbors**

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**STRENGTH FOR THESE DAYS**

from The Bible

Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter: Fear God and keep his commandments: for this is the whole duty of man.—(Ecclesiastes 12:13)

Why are we here? Through the centuries man has tried to discover the purpose of life. Is it to acquire wealth or wisdom or happiness? To do good for other people? The only satisfactory answer is found in the Book of books; our goal should be to fear God and keep his commandments.

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