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TOWER REPORTS:

This week the new session of Congress has begun, and the President has delivered his annual State of the Union message. We are in an unexpectedly long congressional session this year because a great many problems piled up for our nation—chief among them crime, inflation and continuing war. Unfortunately, the new congressional session remains with crime, inflation and war still with us, and of even more serious dimensions.

I regret that it was impossible for our nation to begin serious attacks on these problems last year, but the current administration was committed to a policy of gradualism in each of the problem areas.

The administration did not allow really vigorous prosecution of our Vietnam effort until a few months ago when it gradually recognized the national breakdown of law and order, and it allowed anti-crime legislation to remain bogged down. The administration made only half-hearted attempts last year to curtail red-ink spending.

Yarborough Newsletter

There will be cooperative federal-state programs to improve law enforcement communications and training. We likely will override the Supreme Court decision barring voluntary confessions as evidence. It is in the field of finance where gradualism has most caught up with the federal administration. The cost of city living is up 39 per cent since 1959. It's gone up at an annual rate that, if unchecked, will make this year's 100-cent dollar worth only 75 cents in just 10 years.

For too many past months our Justice Department has turned a cold shoulder on the crime crisis. Lacking leadership and solid backing, a number of anti-crime bills were left unperfected when Congress adjourned in December. Then, suddenly this year, we were subjected to a number of near-paralytic such as extensive wrangling and the mounting of citizen vigilante groups in the streets.

Here, too, I expect Congress to responsibly reject over-reaction as suggested by just another hand-aid be applied to the sick economy—and the wrong hand-aid at that. It has been suggested, again, almost in a panic—that Americans be taxed for travel abroad and that U.S. business be penalized for overseas investment in a sort of "anti-Marshall Plan." These suggestions blindly ignore the fact that overseas investment brings us a trade profit and that tourism is only a minor factor in our financial equation.

It is overseas government spending that has caused us a gold outflow. It is government spending that must be controlled, not private spending. And, I expect Congress will insist that the government get its own fiscal house in order before uselessly taxing its citizens further.

So, this year, Congress is faced with the big job of tempering both gradualism and panic with reason. It is a year during which Texans will want to keep a close eye on their federal government.



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Advertisement for Maryland Club Coffee, featuring a 'Big Star' logo and prices for coffee and lunch meats.

Advertisement for Picnics, featuring various picnic items like sliced smoked picnics, heavy beef arm roast, and roast heavy beef.

Advertisement for Bacon, featuring Armour Star sliced bacon and other meat products.

Advertisement for Steaks, featuring heavy beef arm Swiss, heavy beef shoulder steaks, and heavy beef boneless chuck.

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COLMESNEIL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Taylor had as their guests during the past week her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hudson of Apple Springs, and their daughter, Mrs. Shirley O'Brien, and children of Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Owings returned Wednesday from a visit of several days with their son, Lieut. Col. James B. Owings, who is with the Pentagon in Washington, D.C.

The congregation of the First Baptist Church enjoyed Mr. Monroe Tolar of Warren as guest speaker Sunday in the absence of their pastor, who is among the large number of flu patients of our community. The church was host to a large group of visitors who attended the workers' conference on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Lula Justice, who has been ill for the past few days, was carried to the Woodville Hospital Sunday. W. R. Hartman, patient in the hospital during the past week, returned to his home Saturday.

On Thursday evening the local chapter of D.O.E.S. was held at the depot. Grand master, Mrs. Juanita Brown, and her district deputy grand master, Mrs. Nellie Chaires, both of Warren, and also district deputy grand master, Mrs. Myrtle Moreland, of Woodville, were present. The meeting was very successful, and the monthly dues were collected.

Visiting Mrs. Beulah Brown and Mrs. F. J. Brown.

Singing Stated

Singing will be held at the little church in town on Sunday by 10:30 a. m. to 7:30 p. m. The public is invited.

Saturday were Mrs. Dee Flowers of Pasadena and Mrs. Mac Dow of Cheyenne, Oklahoma. Mrs. Allen has recently opened up a beauty shop for the ladies of her community and visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Poland spent Sunday in Lufkin with her mother, Mrs. Addie Shoemaker who is ill. Also visiting in Lufkin Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. G. E. Davis, and family were Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Harden.

Congratulations are extended to Miss Sheila Benton, a senior in our high school, in winning the D.A.R. award for the current school year. She will attend the D.A.R. banquet in Jasper some time during the month of February.

Andy Anderson, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Boyett, who was accidentally shot through the abdomen several days ago, underwent surgery in the Jasper hospital Sunday night, for an abscess on his lungs. Though his condition is critical, he is making a satisfactory recovery from the operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clegg of Huntington spent Saturday in the home of her brother, J. L. Riley.

Mrs. Aprila Riley spent the past week in Warren with the children of Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Riley while her son and wife attended the state evangelical meeting in Dallas.

Mrs. Imogene Massey and children of Houston visited in Colmesneil over the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Bert Whitters, who is still confined to the Jasper hospital.

Mrs. Estelle Worthy has had as her guest for the past several days a sister, Mrs. Ruby Barrett of Hemphill.

4-H Adult Leaders Meeting Held Jan. 15 In Nacogdoches

A meeting of District 9 4-H adult leaders was held in Nacogdoches January 15 in the ballroom of the Hotel Fredonia.

The purpose of these meetings is to help the 4-H leaders plan and organize their local 4-H programs to the best advantage. The association is in the process of organizing a newsletter which will be made up of news in all the district 4-H clubs.

A reporter from each county was selected to report 4H news from their local and county clubs. Mrs. L. A. Wardlaw, Jr. is Tyler county reporter.

Ham McQueen from Radio and T. V. Station KVLH Shreveport, Louisiana spoke on what 4-H had done for him and how it had influenced his life. One other speaker was H. T. Davidson, assistant state 4-H leader, who gave the leaders many ideas and points on how to obtain successful leaders and 4-H club members.

Tyler county needs short project leaders to work in area clubs. Anyone interested can contact Mrs. Maurine Mooney, Clinton Currie or any adult leader. A one day workshop will be held in Woodville April 10. Parents of 4-H members are urged to attend and anyone interested in 4-H club work is invited. There will be further

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hyde, formerly of Tyler County and now of Vidor, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Crews Monday.

The deepest of sympathy is extended from their neighbors to Mrs. Floyd Hignel, Jay Ratcliff and other relatives in the passing of their uncle, Oscar Hicks who was dearly beloved by his nieces, nephews and all who knew him.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients admitted Tuesday, January 16: Mike Stewart, Sr. and Mrs. Elizar Hill.

Dismissed: Richard Lynn Evans, Mrs. Mamie Tolar, and Mrs. Edna Owens.

Admitted Wednesday, January 17: M. Oscar Hicks, Grady Barlow; Robert Preston Dean, Mrs. Marie Ratcliff, Mrs. Allie L. Martin, and Master Kurt Wigley.

Dismissed: Mrs. Mary Ella Rice, Richard N. Mitcham, Jerry P. Jordan.

Admitted Thursday, January 18: Leroy Tukes, Mrs. Hilda Coats, and Master Gerard Butler.

Dismissed: Mrs. Rhoda Allen, Mrs. Catherine White, and Mrs. Carmen Cordero.

Admitted Friday, January 19: Albert E. Dawson, Mrs. Sarah F. Young, Mrs. Myrtle Moreland, Willis R. Haynes, Mrs. Robbie Pike, Mrs. Euralie Smith, A. G. Cluff, and Roy E. Freeman.

Dismissed: Mrs. Mollie Creel, W. C. Carlisle, Master Kurt Wigley, Leroy Tukes, Master Gerard Butler, Mrs. Jennie Stewart, Mike Stewart, Sr., Mrs. Lessie Barefield, Mrs. Lura Shaw, and Mrs. Allie L. Martin.

Admitted Saturday, January 20: Joel Merchant, Mrs. Nancy Novella Richey, A. W. Buckley, Jason Nowlin, and Miss Alice Dale Odom.

Dismissed: Robert Preston Dean, Mrs. Elizar Hill, A. E. Dawson, Grady Barlow, A. G. Cluff, and Ernest Benthall.

Admitted Sunday, January 21: Mrs. Jo Ann Jordan, Mrs. Gwendolyn Mayfield, Mrs. Lula Justice, Clarence Brackens, and J. E. Wheat.

Dismissed: Mrs. Gwendolyn Mayfield, Willis R. Haynes, and Mrs. Eugenia Wright.

Admitted Monday, January 22: R. W. McDonald, Mrs. Laura A. Dean, Blackmon (baby girl), and Mrs. Eugenia Wright.

Dismissed: Thos. L. McClain, Thos. E. Lelfester, Roy E. Freeman, Mrs. Hilda Coats, and Mrs. Helen Jane Worthy.

Admitted Tuesday, January 23: Carl Andrews.

Patients in the hospital Tuesday morning: Mrs. Zora Johnson, Mrs. Lula Justice, Joe Merchant, J. E. Wheat, Mrs. Myrtle Moreland, Calvin C. Lassiter, Sr., Jason Nowlin; Mrs. Nannie Fulton, Mrs. Sarah Frances Young, Mrs. Euralie Smith, Mrs. Laura Dean, Andrew Rogers, Edward L. Quinn, Mrs. Jo Ann Jordan, Mrs. Nancy Novella Richey, Mrs. Clara Rotan; R. W. McDonald, Mrs. Frances Renfro, Mrs. Dale Odom, Robert Carr, Carl Andrews; Mrs. Clara Bliss, Mrs. Eugenia Wright, Mrs. Lillie Mae Best, Mrs. Marie Ratcliff, Clarence Bracken, A. W. Buckley; Mrs. Willie Henry, Mrs. Robbie Pike, and Blackmon (baby girl).

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Texas Eligible For \$50,000 Grant For Oyster Restocking

Texas qualifies for up to \$50,000 from the Federal government for the restocking of oysters killed by Hurricane Beulah, according to Terry Leary, coastal fisheries coordinator for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

In a notice from the Department of Interior dated December 16, 1967, Secretary of State Stewart Udall qualified Texas for funds set aside for the rehabilitation and restoration of natural resources because the loss in the oyster crop was due to "natural causes."

Leary said the Department is considering reseeding oysters in the central coastal area, where flooding rivers killed almost all of the oyster beds. The San Antonio-Espiritu Santo Bay System is an area where reseeding could re-establish the oyster populations earlier than would be possible if a natural spawn from surviving stock in nearby areas was the only available seed source.

Oysters would be transplanted on historically productive reefs in the spring, at the end of the oyster fishing season, and just prior to the spawning period.

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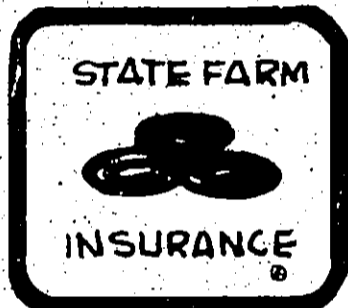
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