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MR. AND MRS. MELVIN EARL PRICE

Miss Betty Joyce Parish Weds Melvin Earl Price At Calvary Baptist Church

Miss Betty Joyce Parish became the bride of Melvin Earl Price Friday, January 1, in a double ring ceremony performed by the Rev. H. E. Small at the Calvary Baptist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Verna Parish and the late Robert E. Parish of 1208 North First Street. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Price of Longview.

The candlelight ceremony, including the use of a prayer bench, was performed before an arch covered with greenery and white carnations with baskets of white gladioli placed on each side. Tall candelabra flanked either side of the altar area.

Pre-nuptial music was rendered by Mrs. John H. York and soloist Mrs. Billy Wayne Shortnacy.

winkle. Her dress was pink taffeta designed with a swirling skirt and a tight fitting bodice with puff sleeves. She carried a nosegay of white carnations.

The bridesmaids were Misses Peggy Parish, sister of the bride, and Linda Kerr. They wore identical dresses of baby blue taffeta with full skirts. The bodice was designed with a low point in back and three quarter length sleeves. They carried nosegays of white carnations.

Jimmy Moore of Shreveport, Louisiana, brother-in-law of the groom, served as best man. Ushers were Bobby K. Harrison of Marshall and Don Manley of Lufkin, brothers-in-law of the bride.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Parish chose a gray suit with black accessories. She wore a

tion was held in the church parlor. The table was covered with a white net cloth over pink taffeta and centered with the bride's bouquet on a reflector.

Presiding at the punch bowl was Miss Shirley Brashear and serving the tiered wedding cake was Miss Alice Miles. Miss Melba Ainsworth attended the bride's book. The wedding and reception were under the direction of Mrs. H. E. Small.

For the wedding trip to Shreveport, the bride chose a tailored dress of aqua wool with a rollup collar and three quarter length sleeves. She wore black accessories and a white orchid corsage.

The bride is a graduate of Lufkin High School and was employed by the Lufkin Telephone Exchange. A graduate of Jacksonville High School, the groom is now serving in the United States Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Price will make their home in Kingsville, where the groom is stationed.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Moore, Shreveport, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Harrison, Randy and Ricky, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Shortnacy, Marshall; and Mrs. Lula Jackson of Sour

Given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Robert Janes, the bride was attired in a white waltz-length gown of Chantilly lace over taffeta. The tight fitting bodice was designed with a scalloped neckline, opening down the back and fastening with tiny covered buttons. The long, tapered sleeves, gently pointed at the wrist, were accented by tiny covered buttons. Her fingertip veil of illusion was caught by a headdress of Chantilly lace trimmed with white sequins and white seed pearls. She carried a white orchid atop a white Bible.

Attending the bride as matron of honor was Mrs. Boyd Preck-

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Zavalla Woman Killed In Wreck

2/6/60
Feb. 6, 1960

SILSBEE—A 60-year-old Zavalla woman was killed instantly and six members of her family were injured Saturday afternoon about 3:30 p.m. in an automobile-pickup truck collision near Silsbee.

Killed was Mrs. Hattie Coleman, who was thrown from the 1954 model automobile in which she was riding after the vehicle was involved in a sideswipe collision with a pickup truck.

After the collision, the car in which the Zavalla woman was riding swerved into the ditch, traveled down the ditch out of control and slammed broadside into a culvert.

The sedan landed on both the woman and her six-year-old grandson, Robert Lewis Coleman of Houston, officers reported.

Young Coleman, hospitalized in Baptist Hospital in Beaumont, was reported to be in serious condition with facial and head injuries

Saturday night by Beaumont authorities.

Also injured were:

Mrs. Coleman's husband, Coleman of Zavalla.

Martin D. Coleman, 30, her son of 7646 Laura Koppe in Houston.

DeQuitta Coleman, 26, her daughter-in-law, also of Houston.

Carl Wallace Coleman, 4, her grandson, of Houston.

John W. Coleman, 38, of York, a son.

Driver of the pick-up, James Thornton of Vidor, was not injured, Beaumont authorities said.

All the injured, with the exception of John W. Coleman and S. I. Coleman, were taken to hospital in Beaumont. John Coleman was hospitalized at Hardin County Hospital in Kountze.

S. I. Coleman was given emergency treatment there and missed.

Conditions of all the hospitalized with the exception of six-year-old Robert Lewis Coleman, were reported Saturday night as "good."

Beaumont Highway Patrol said that apparently John W. Coleman, reported as driver of the car, swerved in an endeavor to miss the oncoming truck, lost control of the car after the collision and struck the culvert.

The Coleman car was traveling east on Highway 418 at the time of the crash and the truck was on the Roosevelt extension in Silsbee.

The Colemans are longtime residents of Zavalla. Mr. Coleman is an Angelina County farmer.

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Stanleys Observe 50th Anniversary

Feb. 7, 1960

By JOHN W. MOODY
Lufkin News Staff

"Just another day," was the way an Angelina County couple described their Golden Wedding anniversary Saturday.

They apparently meant they weren't having an elaborate celebration. Because even strangers could tell the two were very proud of their 50 married years.

The two are Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Stanley of Route 1, Zavalla. They live in a white house about two miles from Zavalla on the Jasper Highway.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Sanders of Zavalla live next door and are also relatives. They plan to honor the Stanleys today with a small dinner.

Out-of-town guests expected include Mr. and Mrs. James H. Sanders of Abilene; Mrs. Sam Tindall, Jim David, and Sammie of Abilene; and Mrs. L. A. Lowery of Houston and Broadus.

The Stanleys, however, are "making no fuss," except to note that Saturday was also the anniversary of another Angelina couple.

They referred to Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Ryan of the Ryan's Chapel Road. The Ryan's anniversary story was printed in the Thurs-

day edition of The Lufkin News. The Ryans have been married 62 years.

"We have the same anniversary day as the Ryans," Mr. Stanley said. "But the Ryans were married twelve years before us."

Mr. Stanley described himself as a man who is 74-years-old, who has built a lot of good houses and had a good life.

Friends say that Mr. Stanley is a retired contractor and farmer. He just likes to call himself a retired carpenter.

"I have built a lot of houses," he said. "And 'I've seen Lufkin grow up from just one main street."

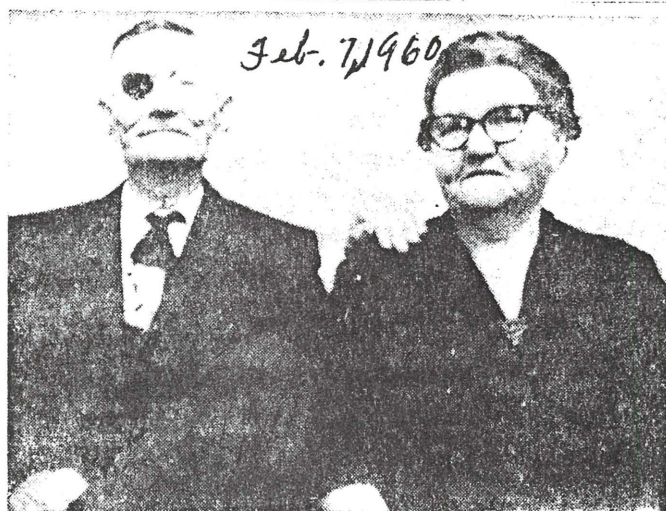
"And you know that day we were married 50 years ago seems just like yesterday. I got in my seventies before I knew it."

Mrs. Stanley, who hasn't quite reached that mark yet, smiled and agreed.

The Stanleys were married Feb. 6, 1910 in Broadus. He was 25 and she 20. About 15 years of their married life was spent in South Texas. The rest has been in San Augustine and Angelina counties.

They have no children, but they have made many, many friends.

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MR. AND MRS. G. L. STANLEY
... married 50 years

McBroom Rites

Held Monday

March 13, 1960

Funeral services for John L. McBroom, 84, were held Monday at 2 p.m. in the Huntington Church of Christ with Bro. J. B. Jordan officiating. Interment was in the Huntington Cemetery.

Mr. McBroom, of Route 1, Zavalla, died unexpectedly Sunday morning.

He was born December 2, 1875, in San Augustine County and had lived in Huntington and Zavalla for the last 33 years. He had retired from farming and was a member of the Huntington Church of Christ.

Mr. McBroom is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lillie Capps of Dallas, and Mrs. Sytha Lowery of Huntington; one son, Murry McBroom of Zavalla; four sisters, Mrs. Sudie Hight of San Augustine, Mrs. Gertrude Burkhalter of Nacogdoches, Mrs. Lonie High of El Paso, and Mrs. Della Triplet of Bay City; one brother, Joe McBroom of Zavalla; 15 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were to be Junior Capps, Billy Capps, Johnny Capps, Oran Johnson, Venice Evans, and Bobby Weaner.

Hough Rites

Held Saturday

March 10, 1960

In Zavalla

Funeral services for Mrs. Erma Jewel Hough, 37, of Rtt. No. 1, Huntington, Texas, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church, Huntington, Texas. Rev. George Dodson officiated and interment was in Zavalla Cemetery.

Mrs. Hough passed away suddenly Thursday in a local hospital. She had lived in Angelina County all of her life, and was a member of the Huntington First Baptist Church. She was born in Angelina County, Texas, April 27, 1922.

Survivors are: her husband, Charlie Hough; one son, Charles Dana Hough; two daughters, Brenda Kay and Linda Gail, all of Rt. No. 1, Huntington, Texas; her father, Roy Marshall, Huntington, Texas.

Gipson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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K. P. Coleman

10-16-62
Rites Today
Oct. 16, 1962

Funeral services for K. P. (Price) Coleman, 46, were scheduled for 2:00 p.m. Wednesday in the First Baptist Church of Zavalla with the Revs. W. P. Lott and Phillip Fenley officiating, with interment in the Zavalla Cemetery.

Mr. Coleman of Zavalla died in a local hospital Tuesday morning. He was born on May 22, 1916 in Nacogdoches County and had resided in Zavalla for the past 25 years. Mr. Coleman was an independent trucker and a former cattleman. He was a veteran of the U. S. Army, having served during World War II and was a member of the First Baptist Church in Zavalla.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Alice Coleman of Zavalla; two sisters, Mrs. R. W. Walker of Beaumont and Mrs. Stella Harvey of Van Leck.

Oakley-Metcalf was to be in charge of arrangements.

E. H. Minton

11-2-62
Rites Today
Nov. 2, 1962

Funeral services for E. H. Minton, age 74, Zavalla, Texas, are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. Saturday in the Zavalla First Baptist Church. Interment will be in the Zavalla Cemetery.

The body will lie in state at the residence of J. A. Barge, in Zavalla.

Mr. Minton was born in Sabine County, November 19, 1887. A former resident of Zwolle, La., he had lived in Angelina County four and one half years. He was a member of the Zwolle Masonic Lodge, the Zavalla First Baptist Church, and a retired farmer and stockman retailer. Mr. Minton died in a local hospital after a lengthy illness.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Anna Minton, Zavalla; two daughters, Mrs. Marguerite Caldwell of Jasper, and Mrs. Maudine Barge of Zavalla; two sons, Harris Minton of Hemphill and James Minton of Newton; two brothers, Jack B. Minton of Pasadena, and Marlon Minton of San Augustine; six grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

Gipson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Jones

1962
Dies, Final
6-21-62
Rites Friday
June 21, 1962

Funeral services for Mrs. Lizzie Jones, 84, will be held Friday at 3:00 p.m. in the United Pentecostal Church of Zavalla with the Rev. James Gillis and the Rev. O. G. Stanton officiating. Interment will be in the Zavalla Cemetery.

Mrs. Jones died in a local hospital Thursday morning. She was born in Tyler County, March 11, 1884 and had lived in Angelina County most of her life. Mrs. Jones was a member of the Pentecostal Church.

The body will lie in state at the residence of Mrs. Emma Parker in Zavalla.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Emma Parker of Zavalla, Mrs. Ray Oliver of Zavalla, and Mrs. T. E. Howell of Woodville; one step-daughter, Mrs. Stella McGilberry of Zavalla; two step-sons, Travis Jones of Zavalla and Van Jones of Waldron, Arkansas, and a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Oakley-Metcalf is in charge of arrangements.

Bridesmaids were Miss Julie Noble, Miss Mae Lene Cryer, Miss Billie Ross Self, and Miss Sue Barge.

Their dresses were styled the same as the maid of honor's: Miss Noble and Miss Cryer's dresses were yellow organza over taffeta with matching hat and shoes, and they carried yellow nosegays, and Miss Self and Miss Barge's dresses were blue organza over taffeta with matching hat and shoes, and they carried white nosegays.

Dianna Burgess of Brownwood, the groom's cousin, was flower girl. She wore a floor length dress of apricot pink organza with scalloped neckline, puffed sleeves, and ruffled skirt. She carried a pink net covered basket filled with pink rose petals which she scattered down the aisle ahead of the bride.

Carl Sanders, brother of the bride, served as ring bearer, carrying the ring atop a white satin pillow.

Loyd Neil Barge was his brother's best man. Groomsmen were Ronald Barge, Alvis Barge, Jr., Jake Widner, and Jerry Barker. The candles were lit by Jerry Barker and Alvis Barge, Jr.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Sanders chose a gray knit suit with black accessories. Her

Not married Dec. 28, 1962
MRS. BILLY QUINN BARGE
Sherry Carlene Sanders,
Billy Quinn Barge Marry
In Zavalla Church Rites

The First Baptist Church of Zavalla was the scene for a double ring ceremony uniting in marriage Miss Sherry Carlene Sanders and Billy Quinn Barge at 7 p.m. on December 28.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sanders of Zavalla, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Barge, also of Zavalla.

Vows were exchanged before an arch of greenery and white gladioli, flanked by white candelabra entwined with greenery. The family pews were marked by white satin bows and orange blossoms.

The candlelight ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. P. Lott and directed by Mrs. S. B. Owens of Beaumont.

Mrs. Jean Pickard provided the traditional wedding music at the piano, while Phillip Finley sang "I Love You Truly" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a formal wedding gown of white Chantilly lace over ivory-toned satin, fashioned with fitted bodice, scalloped neckline, and long pointed sleeves trimmed with tiny seed pearls, and the full floor length skirt draped into a short train in back.

Her veil of white tulle fell from a pearl and sequin tiara to waist length. She carried a white orchid surrounded by white carnations on a lace covered Bible. Her jewelry was a strand of pearls, a gift of the groom.

Miss Judy Lynn Sanders attended her sister as maid of honor. Her dress of apricot pink organza over taffeta was semi-formal with fitted bodice and matching jacket and dyed to match shoes. Her hat was pink organza and net with pink roses. She carried a nosegay of pink roses.

corsage was pink carnations.

Mrs. Barge chose a gold brocaded taffeta with gold accessories. Her corsage was yellow carnations.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the church fellowship hall. The bride's table was covered with white linen cloth, and the centerpiece was the bride's and attendant's bouquets.

At one end was the crystal punch service, while at the other end was placed the three tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom. A silver rice tree was covered with tiny bags of rice in pink, blue, and yellow net.

Members of the house party were Mrs. J. H. McWhorter, Mrs. J. H. Sanders, Mrs. S. B. Owens, and Mrs. Alvis Barge, Sr. Presiding at the bride's book were Mrs. Brady Burgess and Mrs. J. A. Barge, Jr.

For a brief trip to Houston Brownwood, Abilene, and Anson the bride wore a white wedding dress with gold accessories and the orchid from her bridal bouquet.

The bride is a student at Zavalla High School, and the groom is in the Navy stationed at Great Lakes, Illinois.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Brady Burgess and family, Brownwood; Mrs. W. D. Barge, Jr., and family, Crosby; Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Owens and Bronson, Beaumont; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Redman and family, Port Arthur;

December 28, 1962



Cape Gets Nov. 28, 1963 New Name

WASHINGTON (UPI)—When the first U. S. lunar mission is launched, it will take off from Cape Kennedy, named for the President who dedicated the nation's space efforts to reaching the moon.

President Johnson announced Thursday in his Thanksgiving address to the nation that Cape Canaveral's name would be changed to honor Kennedy and the "future of the works he started."

"I have today determined that station No. 1 of the Atlantic missile range and the NASA launch operation center in Florida shall hereafter be known as the John F. Kennedy Space Center."

Johnson said that with the cooperation of Florida Gov. Farris Bryant he also had directed that Cape Canaveral be called Cape Kennedy.

The idea for the change came from Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy who suggested that the Cape's new designation would be a fitting memorial to her husband who had dedicated U.S. space efforts to reaching the moon by 1970.

Meanwhile, moves already have begun in Washington to dedicate the proposed National Cultural Center to Kennedy's memory. It also has been suggested that the District of Columbia Stadium, opened a year ago, be named for the assassinated President who was active in sports.

Rep. Hugh L. Carey, D-N.Y., proposed that the Cape Cod National Seashore be renamed the John F. Kennedy National Seashore. The Massachusetts area "is identified with his happiest years and will serve as a splendid testament to the youth of the future," he said.

Mrs. King, 77, Dies, Rites April 11, 1963 Due Friday 4-11-63

Funeral services for Mrs. Jessie King, 77, of Zavalla, are scheduled for 10:00 a.m. Friday at the New Concord Church. Rev. Decker Sanders will officiate and interment will follow in the Concord Cemetery.

The body will lie in state at the family residence in Zavalla until service time.

Mrs. King died Thursday morning at the family residence after a long illness. She was born July 18, 1885, in Angelina County, and had resided at Zavalla for three years. She was a member of the Concord Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Jimmy King of Zavalla; one daughter, Mrs. L. V. Marshall of Zavalla; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. A. J. King of Pasadena; two granddaughters, one grandson, and six great-grandchildren, and a number of nieces and nephews.

Gipson Funeral Home, directors.

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McGilberry Final Rites Are Slated Jan. 23, 1963

Funeral services for Mrs. Green McGilberry, 67, of Zavalla, are scheduled for 3:00 p.m. Thursday in the New Concord Church, with Rev. O. G. Stanton and Rev. L. E. Bass officiating. Interment will be in Concord Cemetery.

The body will lie in state at the family residence in Zavalla until 2:45 Thursday.

Mrs. McGilberry was born in Angelina County on February 23, 1895, and had lived in Angelina County all of her life. She died early Wednesday morning after a long illness. She was a member of the Pentecostal Church.

Survivors include her husband, Green McGilberry of Zavalla; two brothers, Ernest Marshall and T. J. Marshall, both of Zavalla; two sisters, Mrs. Allie Poulan and Mrs. Pinkie Walker, both of Zavalla; her mother, Mrs. Mollie Marshall, Zavalla.

Gipson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Marshall /-6-63

Countian's Rites Held

Jan. 6, 1963
Sunday
Funeral services for Mrs. Lillie Mae Marshall, 74, Zavalla, were scheduled for 2:00 p.m. Monday in the Zavalla First Baptist Church, with Rev. Decker Sanders and Rev. A. L. Teaff officiating and interment in Concord Cemetery. *9:30 A.M.*

Mrs. Marshall was born in Magnolia, Arkansas, on March 22, 1888, and died early Sunday morning in a Lufkin hospital after a long illness. She had lived in Angelina County most of her life, and was a member of the Zavalla Baptist Church.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Beatrice Bryan of San Augustine, Mrs. Effie Hornsby and Mrs. Jewel Beard, both of Zavalla and Mrs. Madeline Lewis of Houston; seven sons, Prentice Marshall, Lloyd Marshall and Roy Marshall, all of Zavalla, Henry Marshall of Jasper, Ray Marshall, C. J. Marshall and Herman Marshall, all of Houston; two sisters, Mrs. Mollie Pride of Shawnee Prairie and Mrs. Carrie Mott of Zavalla; 44 grandchildren and 47 great-grandchildren.

Gipson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

I. D. Colwell Service Due

Nov. 29, 1963
Funeral services for I. D. Colwell, 71, of Zavalla are scheduled for 2 p.m. Saturday in the Zavalla Baptist Church. Brother W. P. Lott, assisted by Brother A. L. Teaff, will officiate. Interment will follow in the Zavalla Cemetery.

The body will lie in state at the residence until service time.

Mr. Colwell was born in Angelina County on Jan. 3, 1892, and died early Friday morning in a Lufkin hospital after a brief illness. A lifelong resident of the county, he was a retired farmer and rancher. He was a member of the Zavalla Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Virgie Colwell of Zavalla; two sons, Coy Colwell of Jasper and John D. Colwell of Broadus; two daughters, Mrs. Loreen Wolfe of Groves and Mrs. Ercelle Fertig of Gilchrist; four brothers, Jack, Elton and Sam Colwell, all of Zavalla, and George Colwell of Jasper; two sisters, Mrs. J. A. Barge of Zavalla and Mrs. Jack Arnold of Lufkin; and five grandchildren.

Pallbearers are Robert Colwell, Berwyn Walker, Fletcher Colwell, Paul Hayes, Donald Gibson and Theron Gibson.

Honorary pallbearers are J. A. Barge Sr., B. T. Townsend, T. B. Jones, Sr., H. C. Arnold and A. L. Bradham.

Gipson Funeral Home, Directors.

C. Marshall

Oct. 21, 1963
Dies, Rites
5:30 O'clock A.M.
Set Tuesday

Funeral services for Curtis J. Marshall, 52, of 8420 Fulton, Houston, are scheduled for 1:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Concord Baptist Church. Rev. Decker Sanders will officiate and interment will follow in the New Concord Cemetery.

Mr. Marshall died in Houston early Monday morning. He was born August 2, 1911, in Angelina County and had resided in Houston for the past 25 years. He was employed as a dragline operator for the Gulf Coast Engineering Co. of Galveston. Mr. Marshall was a member of the East Houston Masonic Lodge No. 1299 A.F. & A.M., and was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Betty Jo Davis of Houston; two sons, N. K. Marshall and G. O. Marshall, both of Houston; four sisters, six brothers and five grandchildren.

Pat H. Foley Funeral Home, Houston, directors.

More Than 300 Anticipated

Zavalla School Classes To Be Launched Aug. 31

Aug. 9, 1964

ZAVALLA — Classes will begin at the Zavalla schools on August 31 at 8:15 a.m. according to John Edmons, superintendent.

More than 300 are expected to enroll, Edmons said.

Buses on that day will follow their regular schedules. Lunches will be served in the cafeteria.

The administrative staff includes Edmons; James H. Milstead, high school principal; Thomas E. Noble, elementary school principal; and Mrs. Syble Self, secretary and bookkeeper.

Twenty teachers comprise the Zavalla teaching staff.

Four new teachers are to be on the staff. Two of these, Mrs. Alice Fay Fenton, who will teach high school English, and Mrs. Pamela Neal, who will teach sixth grade, have already been employed.

Superintendent Edmons said that he still must employ a high school math teacher. He has application for the other vacancy.

The school's math department is to be set up under the Modern Mathematics Program. The change is to be gradual, with

the school completely embracing the plan in the 1965-66 school year.

Zavalla schools will observe these holidays: Labor Day, September 7; Thanksgiving, November 26 and 27; Christmas, December 22 to January 4; Easter,

April 16 and 19.

During the summer both high school and elementary school have been repainted throughout.

A general faculty meeting and pre-school workshop will be held on August 27 and 28, Edmons said.



"UNCLE DOBE" RHOODES
... 100 today

'Uncle Dobe' Turns 100

ZAVALLA — Robert R. (Uncle Dobe) Rhoudes celebrates here today on reaching the century mark.

Feb. 9 marks his 100th birthday.

However, he still has a ways to go before he matches in years the total number of children who are his direct descendants.

Rhoudes' family includes seven children living, 34 grandchildren, 88 great-grandchildren and 14 great-great grandchildren.

An open house birthday party, with everyone invited, is being given today in his honor by his daughter, Mrs. Vada Lee McDonald of Zavalla.

Other children include Mrs. Ellen Hawkins, Beaumont; Mrs. Debbie Buckner, Huntington; Eli Rhoudes, Zavalla; Daniel Rhoudes, Fred; D. B. Rhoudes, Fred; and Jack Rhoudes, Palestine.

Feb. 9, 1964



TWO SETS OF TWINS are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams of Zavalla. Kay and Gay were born in 1953, and Jess and Jessica were born in 1963.

McDonald's Rites Today

Graveside funeral services for J. E. McDonald, 56, of Zavalla are scheduled for 2 p. m. Sunday in the Crow Cemetery in San Augustine County.

The body will lie in state at the Gipson Funeral Home.

Mr. McDonald died at his residence in Zavalla Friday evening after a long illness. He was born March 13, 1910 in San Augustine County and had resided in Zavalla most of his life. He was a retired bricklayer and a member of the Penecostal Church.

Survivors include one son, Claude E. McDonald of Zavalla; one brother, J. A. McDonald of Zavalla; two sisters, Mrs. Ora Gonzales of Beaumont, and Mrs. Dollie Strong of Hurst; four grandchildren; and a number of aunts, uncles, nieces, and nephews.

Gipson Funeral Home, directors.

McDonald Rites Are Incomplete

Funeral services for John E. McDonald, 56, of Zavalla are incomplete and will be announced by the Gipson Funeral Home.

Mr. McDonald died Friday night at his residence in Zavalla after a long illness. He was born March 13, 1910 in San Augustine, and had resided in Zavalla most of his life. He was a retired bricklayer and a member of the Pentecostal Church.

The body will lie in state at the Gipson Funeral Home.

Survivors include one son, Claude E. McDonald of Zavalla; one brother, J. A. McDonald of Zavalla; two sisters, Mrs. Ora Gonzales of Beaumont, and Mrs. Dollie Strong of Hurst; four grandchildren; a number of nieces, nephews, aunts, and uncles.

Gipson Funeral Home, directors.

Jack Rhodes Rites Today

Funeral services for Jack Rhodes, 68, were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday at the graveside in the Zavalla Cemetery with the Rev. Buster Tanksley officiating.

Mr. Rhodes of Zavalla died in a local hospital Sunday night. He was born on Oct. 31, 1898 in Polk County and had resided in Angelina County most of his life. He was a retired logger and a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Mettie Rhodes of Zavalla; five daughters, Mrs. Willie Fletcher of Palestine, Mrs. Louise Williams of Zavalla, Mrs. Ollie Mae Jones of Houston, Mrs. Jackie Keiffer of Woodville and Mrs. Charline Weaver of Tyler; two sons, Robert Rhodes and W. L. Rhodes, both of Lufkin; father, Robert (Dobe) Rhodes of Zavalla; three sisters, Mrs. Dottie Buckner of Ora, Mrs. Ellen Hawkins of Beaumont and Mrs. Yada McDonald of Zavalla; three brothers, D. B. Rhodes of Fred, Ed Rhodes of Zavalla and Daniel Rhodes of Beaumont; 30 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren and 17 great great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Prentiss Trapp, J. V. Hawley, Ronnie Boyd, O'Daniel Williams, Wiley Mott and Wayne Buckner.



JOHN E. McDONALD

... medical oddity

Over 90 Pints Of Blood--He Needs A...

Zavalla Man A Medical Oddity

By JOE MURRAY

Lufkin News Staff

that he can stay alive, E. McDonald, 52, of Zavalla has taken over 90 pints of blood in transfusions during the last five years—an amazing number that makes him a medical oddity. He is looking older than his actual age, he told his story to Lufkin News in an interview Monday afternoon. After coming from internal bleeding he has been examined by doctors in Lufkin, Galveston and Houston, and has undergone two operations. He can't build up blood any more," he said, speaking in a voice which trembled. "What I eat just keeps

me alive from one transfusion to another."

McDonald, a resident of Angelina County for 40 years, was formerly a bricklayer but has been unable to work for the past five years.

"They haven't been able to find my trouble," McDonald said. "The doctors told me I'd have to take blood for the rest of my life."

He paused to rub a nervous hand across his small mustache. "They said that after awhile I'd take so much where it wouldn't do me no good anymore."

McDonald is considered a medical oddity.

Few persons have taken the large amount of blood transfusions that he has, his physician said here.

The physician stated that several years ago a North Carolina man received over 100 pints, a rarity in medical history.

McDonald is rapidly approaching this number.

But McDonald's major problem now is finding blood.

To draw from blood banks, a person must be able to replace the amount by donations from other persons.

He is now five pints behind at a local hospital.

"I can't hardly get any donors," McDonald said. "Most people I know work for companies that have their own blood banks. They put blood in for their families, themselves and

other employees."

He explained that many of his friends do hard physical work.

"They're afraid to give blood. Afraid it'll kill 'em."

McDonald can receive credit for any blood given at Woodland Heights General Hospital in his name. The type does not matter.

McDonald lives with his family in Zavalla.

"I draw a little social security, but can't hardly live on that. I've gotten behind on my hospital bill, can't work, had to sell everything I owned."

"I'm just trying to get a little blood to keep living and maybe I can get over this. Where there's a will there's a way. The doctors are trying to help me."

Oma Marks Scrapbook



ZAVALLA CORONATION — Pictured are the Queen of Zavalla and her court which were announced in ceremonies during the Zavalla homecoming Saturday. From left are, Miss Wanda Mott, second runner-up; Miss Barbara Shives, queen; Miss Brenda Dykes, first runner-up; and Miss Alice Gibson, third runner-up. (Lufkin News Photo)

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Ruby Had A Brain Tumor

DALLAS (UPI) — Jack Ruby who died of complications from cancer Jan. 3, had a brain tumor too, an autopsy report disclosed Thursday.

The report showed Ruby died of an obstruction of the lungs caused by a massive blood clot. The secondary cause of death was lung cancer. Microscopic examination showed the brain tumor was the same type as found in his lungs, the report said.

Cancerous material was found in the lungs, lymph glands, vertebrae, liver, brain, ribs and pancreas.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Lacy Walker and Paula Ann Loyd; Wilford Alphonso Clemens and Claudia Mae Thomas; Earl Crosby and Sandra Washington; John Everett Gordon Jr. and Terry Nell Lowry; Larry Travis Lunsford and Sherry Elizabeth Berry; James Walsh and Belinda Ann Williams; Norman Glenn Grimes and Alma Sue Bird; James Henry McRae and Elizabeth Ann Clary; Louis Eugene Sheffield and Wanda Gaye Stanley. June 1967

BETROTHAL REVEALED — Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Weaver of Huntington announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Linda of Nacogdoches to Jerry Hilliard. Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Parker of San Augustine. The wedding is set for June 30 at the Shawnee Prairie Baptist Church at 7 p.m. Invitations are extended through the press.

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Rayburn Camping Areas Readied

By ED HOLDER

News Outdoor Writer

SAM RAYBURN LAKE -

More and better camping areas are ready and waiting here for the throng of campers expected to invade this recreational play land during the next few months.

In fact, visitors will find camping facilities have more than tripled since last summer.

And the new development has come at a time when visitations to the lake are expected to increase rapidly.

Last summer, with only three camping areas in operation, a total of 992,000 visitors were recorded.

That figure very likely will more than double this year, officials say, and it could go as high as six million.

Visitors poured into the available camping areas during the summer of 1966 in unexpected numbers.

They often found overcrowded conditions in the three available recreation areas—Letney, Harvey Creek and Sandy Creek areas.

These three are under the jurisdiction of the U.S. Forest Service.

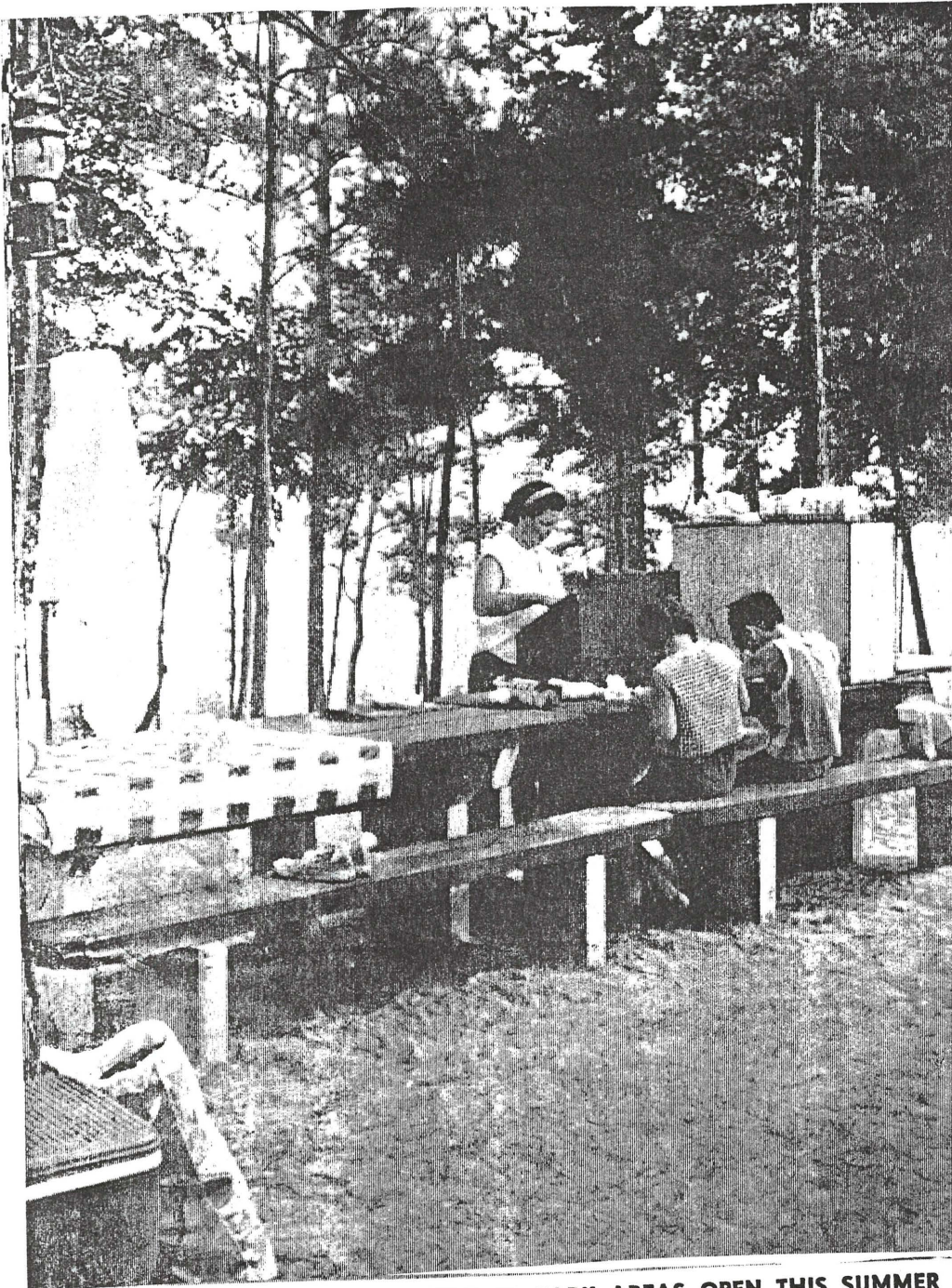
So great was the load on these three areas that on some busy weekends, rangers had to turn back people at the entrances to these areas after all available camp sites had been taken.

The Corps of Engineers, which along with the U.S. Forest Service is in charge of the recreation areas here, will get into the act in a big way this year.

The Corps will open eight new park sites, scattered at various points around the lake.

These eight, plus the three already in operation under the Forest Service program, will give campers a total of 11 areas where they can camp and picnic.

The eight new areas which will open under the Corps of Engineers jurisdiction this summer will provide a variety of facilities, such as launching ramps, drinking water, rest rooms, barbecue pits and picnic tables.



VISITORS TO RAYBURN LAKE WILL FIND 11 PARK AREAS OPEN THIS SUMMER
... park areas are operated by U.S. Forest Service and Corps of Engineers

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Feb. 19, 1967 Camping Areas *continued*

Only one of them, Powell Park, will have shower facilities.

In addition to these attractions, three concessionaires will be in operation this summer within some of the parks. The concessions, offering rent boats, tackle, bait and other services, will be found at Hanks Creek, Jackson Hill and Twin Dikes recreation areas.

There also are a few other areas where the Corps has built launching ramps and rest rooms, but these are considered only partially developed since there are no camp sites within these parks.

Here, in brief, is a run-down on the camping facilities which visitors to Rayburn will find this summer:

FM Road 705 and drive 13 miles. This area has 10 lanes of boat ramps, plus the other facilities found at Twin Dikes. It also has showers.

RAYBURN — This park is two miles south of the Powell area, also on "The Peninsula." It has the same facilities as found at Twin Dikes, with the exception of drinking water. It also will have water, as soon as electric lines are connected in the area and the power supply to the pumps is obtained.

MILL CREEK — This park is just outside Brookeland and

has all the facilities found at Twin Dikes, except drinking water. A new well is being drilled and as soon as it is completed, water will be available in the area.

JACKSON HILL — It's near the east end of the "long bridge" that crosses the lake on State Highway 147, between Zavalla and Broaddus. It's located on Attoyac Bayou. Concession area is open here now, offering boats, bait and tackle.

To reach it, turn north off State Highway 147 a short distance east of the lake. This area

offers facilities similar to Twin Dikes.

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CASSELLS-BOYKIN — This park is just off State Highway 147 on the west side of the lake. Its facilities are similar to those found at Twin Dikes.

In addition to these developed areas, there are several small parks which offer launching ramps and rest rooms.

These are as follows:

Monterey Park — North of Zavalla, on the west side of the lake. It's just across an inlet from the Cassell-Boykin area.

Hanks Creek Park — Located

off FM Road 2109, on the west side of the lake. A concession offering boats, tackle, and bait now is open here.

Marion's Ferry Park — Two miles north of Highway 103, on the west side of the lake, near the headwaters of the lake.

Etoile Park — Located on east side of the lake, just off Highway 103.

Shirley Creek Park — On the east side of the lake, eight miles south of the town of Etoile.

Boggy Creek Park — Located on north bank of Attoyac Bayou, off Highway 103.

U.S. FOREST SERVICE

The same three areas which the Forest Service had in operation last summer will be open again this year. These are Sandy Creek and Letney recreation areas on the west side of the lake, and Harvey Creek on the east side.

Each of these areas contains boat ramps (which may be out of use because of low water levels), drinking water, rest rooms, showers, picnic and camping sites.

Free maps showing these areas, and the Corps areas, are available at the Forest Service headquarters in Lufkin, and at the Corps of Engineers headquarters here on Rayburn Lake at the dam.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS AREAS

TWIN DIKES — This park is located a short distance east of the main dam, just off FM Road 255. It offers boat ramps, toilets, drinking fountains, picnic tables, barbecue pits and one group shelter. A concession is open offering rent boats, tackle, bait, gasoline and oil.

EBENEZER — Located adjacent to the spillway, this park is about a mile west of the main dam. Turn north off FM Road 255 to reach it. This park offers the same facilities as found at Twin Dikes.

SAN AUGUSTINE — This park is west of Pineland, on the north shore of Avish Bayou. To reach it, take the Broaddus road (FM Road 83) west out of Pineland for six miles, then turn south on the new FM road and continue another five miles to the park. Facilities are the same as found at Twin Dikes.

POWELL — Located on the south side of Avish Bayou, on what is known as "The Peninsula." Turn off FM Road 83 onto

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Lufkin Boys Will Try 'Scrambling'

Feb. 24, 1967

HOUSTON — Seven Lufkin area boys have been selected to participate in the "world's greatest calf scramble" at the Houston Livestock Show Rodeo in Houston's famed Astrodome.

Steve Platt and Keith Gilbert, Lufkin 4-H Clubbers, will compete Feb. 28; Gary Jones and Jimmy Flowers, Lufkin 4-H Club will compete March 3; Ronnie Stringer and Jackson Colwell, Zavalla FFA members, Feb. 23 and Bob Havard, Huntington FFA member, will compete the night of Feb. 26.

Last Six Weeks

May 28, 1967 Zavalla Officials Set Honor Rolls

John R. Edmons, superintendent of the Zavalla School District, has released honor rolls for the last six weeks' period. They include:

A honor roll, first grade — Van Johnson, Jonis Weaver, Jimmy Miles, Sandra Mott, Denman Dunkin, Darrell Dykes, Mike Dixon and Terry Williams.

A and B honor roll, first grade — Joan Mott, Jerry Powell, Debbie Moore, Brenda Massey, Randy Stanford, Edna Gilchrist and Jerrell Jordan.

A honor roll, second grade — Rebekah Barge, John Beard, Karon Cassels, Mark Collins, Raela Edmons, Teresa Hopkins, Wanda Lewis, Linda Lowery, Charla Roebuck and Cary Sinclair.

A and B honor roll, second grade — Carlton Bryan, Waukena Hopkins, and Sarah Reynolds.

A and B honor roll, third grade — Lenn Runnels, Sarah Fann, Charlotte Marshall, Geraldine Young, Sue Jordan, Laila Roebuck and Debbie Davis.

A and B honor roll, fourth grade — Elaine Dykes, Carol Martin, Brenda Letney, Reba Edmons, Cecilia Renfro, Brenda Mott and Margie Miles.

A honor roll, fifth grade — Melba Coleman, Roxie Evett and Vicki Harris.

A and B honor roll, fifth grade — Pamela Martin, Carolyn Letney, Elizabeth Havard, Joy Mott and Arthur Smith.

A honor roll, sixth grade — Annloria Hopkins, Patricia Ren-

grade — Carlton Bryan, Wau-

A and B honor roll, sixth grade — Charlotte Dykes, Brenda Flowers, Elizabeth Cooper and David Crain.

A honor roll, seventh grade — Marilyn Bryan, Betty Havard and Rhonda Jones.

A and B honor roll, seventh grade — Bennilyn Colwell, Joanne Carson, Patty Crawford, Burton Jones, Kathie Colwell, Vanita Fann and Diane Westberry.

A and B honor roll, eighth grade — Bruce Barnes, Earl D. Jones, Joyce Jones, Karen Sinclair and Retha Williams.

A honor roll, ninth grade — Marie Smith, Patsy Gibson and Linda Roberts.

A and B honor roll, ninth grade — Dennis Sammon, Deb-

ra Mott and Judy Weaver.

A honor roll, tenth grade — Kay Harris and Linda Moses

A and B honor roll, tenth grade — Danny Beard and Patricia Galloway.

A and B honor roll, eleventh grade — Brenda Dykes, Earline

Mr. Havard Rites Held

Funeral services for Mr. Clark Havard, 72, of Rt. 2, Huntington, were held Thursday in the Gipson Funeral Home Chapel. Rev. Fred Bell and Rev. Preston Westbrook officiated and interment followed in the Poland Cemetery.

Mr. Havard died in a Houston hospital Monday night after a long illness. He was born in Old Manning Community in Angelina County April 26, 1896, and had resided in this county all of his life. He was a retired farmer, a member of the Lala Hill Baptist Church, and a veteran of World War I. *Jan. 20, 1969*

Survivors include his daughter, Mrs. Harold Goggans of Huntington; son, Charles Clark Havard Jr. of Houston; grandson, Harold L. Goggans of Freeport; four granddaughters, Mrs. Janice Harrison of Houston, Miss Vicky Havard, Miss Charlene Havard and Miss Kathy Havard, all of Galveston; brother, Alvin Havard of Huntington; sister, Mrs. Bert Jones of Huntington; three great grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews.

Gipson Funeral Home, directors. *Jan. 20, 1969*

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Mrs. Colwell *Nov. 1, 1967* Services Set

Funeral services for Mrs. Virgie Colwell, 69, of Zavalla are scheduled for 11 a.m. Friday in the Zavalla First Baptist Church. Rev. A. L. Teaff will officiate and burial will be in the Zavalla Cemetery.

Mrs. Colwell was born in Zavalla, December 12, 1897, and died Wednesday at her residence after a brief illness. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Zavalla, and a member of the Zavalla Chapter Order of the Eastern Star.

The body will lie in state at the residence from 9:30 a.m. Thursday until 10 a.m. Friday.

Survivors include two sons, Coy Colwell of Jasper and John D. Colwell of Broadus; two daughters, Mrs. Loreen Wolfe of Groves, and Mrs. Ercele Fertig of Gilchrist; four brothers, Lindsey Hawkins of Amarillo, Bailey Hawkins of San Antonio, Lloyd Hawkins of Pearland, and D. H. Hawkins of Beaumont; three sisters, Mrs. Florence Crisp of Beaumont, Mrs. Coy McEwin of Nacogdoches, and Mrs. Helen Baker of Silsbee; five grandchildren.

Gipson Funeral Home, direc-

Jan. 2, 1967 Mrs. Clark's Rites Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Nellie Clark, 73, of Zavalla were held at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Pentecostal Church of God at Zavalla. Rev. A. M. Freeze officiated and burial was in the Zavalla Cemetery.

Mrs. Clark died Monday in a Lufkin hospital after a long illness. She was born in Warren, Sept. 24, 1893 and had resided in Zavalla most of her life. She was a member of the Pentecostal Church of God.

Survivors include one son, Doyle Clark of Albuquerque, N. Mex.; five daughters, Mrs. G. E. Price of Houston, Mrs. Gertrude Brown of Honesville, La., Mrs. R. V. Johnson of Zavalla, Mrs. Henry Bailey and Mrs. Vaughan Carswell, both of Lufkin; three step-daughters, Mrs. Guy Kersh and Mrs. Kyle Hawkins, both of Huntington, and Mrs. Sammy Hickman of Richland Springs; two brothers, Lane Tompkins and Cue Tompkins, both of Vivian, La.; four sisters, Mrs. Mae Townsend of Zavalla, Mrs. Edna Oakerson of Zwolle, La., Mrs. Annie Keene of Shreveport, La., and Mrs. Albie Law of Vivian, La.; a number of grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Active pallbearers were Roy Cramer, Jack Gesford, Emmet Kersh, Ronald Carswell, Kenneth Gibson and Roger Bailey.

Gipson Funeral Home, directors. *Jan. 2, 1967*

Jan. 6, 1967 Mrs. Poulan Rites Slated

Funeral services for Mrs. Tom Poulan, 81, are scheduled for 2 p.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church of Zavalla, with the Rev. Decker Sanders and the Rev. A. L. Teaff officiating. Burial will be at Zavalla Cemetery.

Mrs. Poulan, of Zavalla, died in a local hospital Tuesday night. She was born on Feb. 1, 1886, in Angelina County and was a lifelong resident here.

Mrs. Poulan was a member of the Zavalla chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star No. 952 and of the First Baptist Church of Zavalla.

The body will lie in state at the family residence until 12:45 p.m. Saturday.

Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. J. W. Boulware, Mrs. F. L. Boulware, Mrs. Alford Boulware, all of Zavalla, Mrs. O. J. Oliver of Pasadena and Mrs. H. V. Harris of Mineral Wells; three sons, L. C. Poulan of Houston, T. A. Poulan of Santa Cruz, Bolivia, and T. C. Poulan of Zavalla; 20 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Oakley-Metcalf, directors.

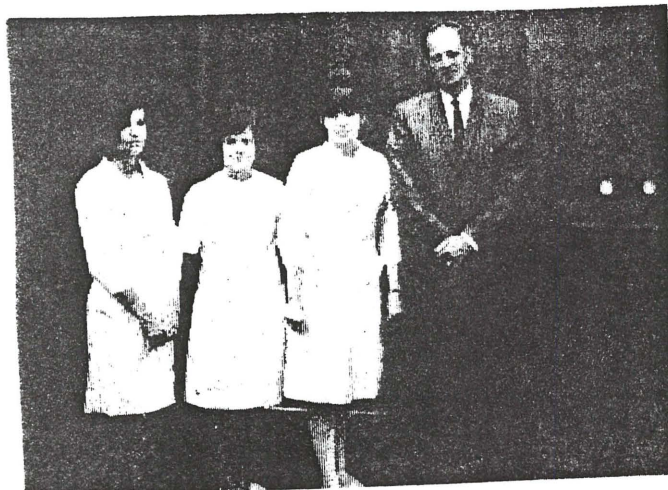
April 14, 1967 L. Z. ROBERTS

Funeral services for L. Z. Roberts, 60, of Chance-Loeb were held Sunday, April 16 at the United Pentecostal Church of Zavalla. Burial was in Zavalla Cemetery.

Mr. Roberts died Friday in a Beaumont hospital after a brief illness. He was born Sept. 6, 1906 at San Augustine and had resided at Chance-Loeb for 25 years. He was a member of the Chance-Loeb Pentecostal Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Mae Roberts of Chance-Loeb; son, Paul Roberts of Beaumont; daughter, Mrs. Opal Hoffman of Houston; three sisters, Mrs. L. D. Price of Chance-Loeb, Mrs. Cordia Hodges of Vidor, Mrs. Julia Williams of Pearland; brothers, Clyde Roberts of Voth, Joe Roberts of Zavalla; three grandchildren.

Kelley-Hixon Funeral Home of Beaumont, directors.



NEW GRADUATES — Two new graduates of the Kurth Radiation Center School of Radiologic Technology are, from left, Miss Sharon Shives and Miss Rose Ann Walters. They are pictured with Mrs. Marilyn Weatherly who presented the graduates their pins, and H. M. Cardwell, administrator of Memorial Hospital. *June 18, 1967*

LUNAR ROCKS TO GET ANALYSIS BY SCIENTISTS

July 13, 1969
By ALTON BLAKESLEE
AP Science Writer

Eleven days from now, an extraordinary shipment is due from the moon.

It will weigh 50 to 60 pounds, and be vacuum-packed inside two metal boxes. If a price tag could be placed upon it, the bidding might start at 100 times the value of the same amount of diamonds.

It will be a collection of rocks and dust, hand-picked from the lonely surface of the moon by two American astronauts, the first men on the moon. They may be rather ordinary rocks, or exotic rocks; in either case they will be the first specimens known to have come from the moon, or any other known place in the universe.

Scientists Wait

Several hundred impatient scientists in 13 nations will be waiting to interrogate these rocks, pouncing on them for what they really represent—pages out of the history of the mysterious, challenging moon.

"Are you dangerous?" will be a first question. Do these rocks carry germs, viruses, peculiar life forms that might sweep in a bizarre epidemic among people on earth? They will be quarantined, isolated, for at least three weeks while this worry is tested out.

But then the questions from scientists will flurry.

Third Six Weeks *Feb 7, 1968*

Zavalla School Honor Roll Set

Superintendent John R. Edmons of Zavalla has announced the Zavalla schools' honor rolls for the third six weeks.

Included are:

Grade 12 — making all A's, Earline Miles and Linda Sinclair; making all A's or B's, Brenda Dykes and Elisabeth Strickland.

Grade 11 — making all A's or B's, Linda Moses, Kay Harris and Pat Galloway.

Grade 10 — making all A's, Linda Roberts and Patsy Gibson; making all A's or B's, Ella Mae Miller, Kathy Owens, Carryl Poland, Judy Weaver, Dennis Sammon and Marie Smith.

Grade 9 — making all A's, Retha Williams; making all A's or B's, Joyce Jones, Earl Jones and Bruce Barnes.

Grade 8 — making all A's or B's, Rhonda Jones, Betty Ann Havard, Wesley Poland, Robin Strange, Douglas Crawford.

Grade 2 — making all A's, Mike Dixon, Bo Dunkin, Edna Gilchrist, Van Johnson, Jim Miles, Sandy Mott and Jonis Weaver; making all A's or B's, Gail Crawford, Debbie Moore, Joan Mott, Randy Stanford and Terry Williams.

Grade 1 — making all A's, Kathy Havard, Ricky McDonald, Billy Reynolds, Faye Powell, Karen Roebuck, Keeta Martin, Robin Harris; making all A's or B's, Julie Colwell, Terri Gilliland, Stephanie Irwin, Hollis Marshall, Bruce Johnson.

Grade 7 — making all A's, Emily Barnes, Patricia Renfro, Annloria Hopkins; making all A's or B's, David Crain, Brenda Flowers, Charlotte Dykes, Elizabeth Cooper.

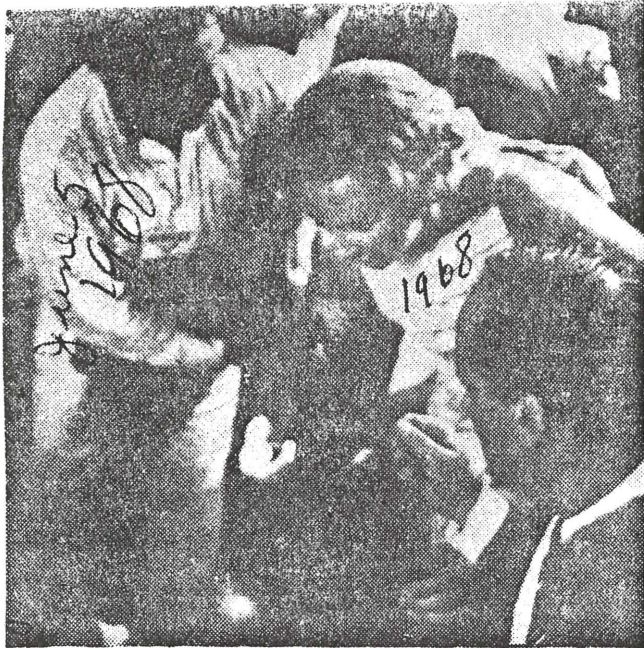
Grade 6 — making all A's, Vickie Harris, Arthur Smith, Joy Mott; making all A's and B's, Jacky Harris, Cathy Letney, Pamela Martin, Earl Rhodes, Roxie Evett, Melba Coleman.

Grade 5 — making all A's, Cynthia Cryer and Brenda Letney; making all A's or B's, Trisha Dykes, Reba Carole Edmons, Danelle Hopkins, Cecilia Renfro, Teresa Martin, Marjorie Miles and Brenda Mott.

Grade 4 — making all A's, Debbie Davis, Sarah Fann, Sue Jordan, Lanita Roebuck, Lenn Runnels; making all A's or B's, Charlotte Marshall, Sharron Nerren, Geraldine Young.

Grade 3 — making all A's, John Beard, Karen Cassels, Raela Edmons, Teresa Hopkins, Linda Lowry, Charla Roebuck; making all A's or B's, Rebekah

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Mrs. Ethel Kennedy gazes anxiously down on her husband, Sen. Robert F. Kennedy, as he lies critically wounded on a kitchen corridor in the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles early Wednesday.

This picture was made by photographer Harry Benson of the London Daily Express. (AP wirephoto)

Kennedys Across Globe Awake to New Tragedy

BY HENRIETTA LEITH
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK—In the big old white house on Cape Cod, a sick old man was allowed to sleep through the night. He could be told in the morning, when there was more definite news. In London, it was 8:30 in the morning, and a princess and her prince were just getting up when a telephone call from America told them the news.

They at once put in a call to the beautiful young widow in New York. She was asleep. When they asked her for news, she thought they were talking about the election returns.

New Ambassador

In Paris, a new ambassador was on his way to his office, and learned the news only when he reached the embassy.

Thus the numerous and widely scattered Kennedy clan began to learn of the horrible and shocking few minutes in Los Angeles when a victorious Robert F. Kennedy was shot and critically wounded by an assassin.

It was like a nightmare, reliving something they had all been through before.

The first to know, because they were there, were Kennedy's wife, Ethel; his sister, Jean, and her husband Stephen Smith, and another sister, Patricia Lawford.

Cradles Head

Ethel had become separated from Robert in the crush as he left the speaker's stand in the Ambassador Hotel. He was looking around for her with a worried look when the bullets struck. It was a few moments before she could get to his side and cradle his head in her arms—just as Jacqueline had cradled John's in November, 1963.

Stephen Smith went quickly from shock to action. He rushed to the speaker's stand, grabbed a mike and began urging the crowd to clear the room, so help could get to the senator.

At Hyannis Port, Mass., Miss Anne Gargan, niece and companion to former Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy, learned of the shooting in the middle of the night.

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'RFK SLAYING BY JOE KENNEDY JUNE 5 VITAL' WEEPS SILENT NOTEBOOK SAYS TEARS FOR SON

NEW YORK (AP) — Mayor Sam Yorty of Los Angeles said Wednesday night a notebook apparently belonging to the accused assailant of Sen. Robert F. Kennedy mentions "the necessity to assassinate Sen. Kennedy before June 5, 1968."

Yorty's statements were contained in a copyrighted Los Angeles interview with Radio News International.

Found in Room

The mayor said the notebook was recovered from the rooms of the accused, Sirhan Bishara Sirhan, 24, with his family's permission. "The notebook appeared to have been written by Sirhan Sirhan," Yorty said.

He added:

"There's much scribbling, repeated phrases, many references to Sen. Robert Kennedy, even some references to . . . Arthur Goldberg. They're not very clear but there's a direct reference to the necessity to assassinate Sen. Kennedy before June 5, 1968."

Pro-Communist

"I don't know why. He does a lot of writing pro-Communist and anti-capitalist, anti-United States. Evidently he was quite pro-Arab in the Arab-Israeli matter. He has 'long live Nasser' written in there. And he said he favors communism of all types, whether Russian, Chinese and so forth."

"It's very difficult to tell from that why he'd want to pick on Sen. Kennedy."

HYANNIS PORT, Mass. (AP) — Former Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy wept silently Wednesday when visited by Richard Cardinal Cushing, the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston said.

"He cannot speak, but we got through to him with no difficulty. He understood everything I was saying to him," the Cardinal told newsmen outside the Kennedy family compound.

He said that Mrs. Rose Kennedy, mother of the critically wounded Sen. Robert F. Kennedy of New York, planned to stay with her husband while awaiting word on the condition of their son.

"He let a few tears drop," the cardinal said of the father, who suffered a stroke which impaired his speech 6½ years ago.

"I kissed him and said, 'Don't get discouraged now,'" the cardinal said of his bedside visit to the 79-year-old father of the late President John F. Kennedy.

Earlier in the day, Mrs. Kennedy slipped away from the family compound and attended Mass at St. Francis Xavier Church, as is her daily habit.

SHOWS NO IMPROVEMENT

BY WALTER R. MEARS
AND

JOSEPH E. MOHBAT

Associated Press Writers

LOS ANGELES — Sen. Robert F. Kennedy remained in extremely critical condition Wednesday, failing to show any improvement 12 hours after surgeons removed from his brain all but a fragment of a bullet police said was fired by a mysterious young gunman with a Jordanian heritage.

Sen. Kennedy's condition is still described as "extremely critical as to life," the senator's press secretary, Frank Maniewicz, told newsmen.

"Kennedys" Continued

Kennedy's Continued



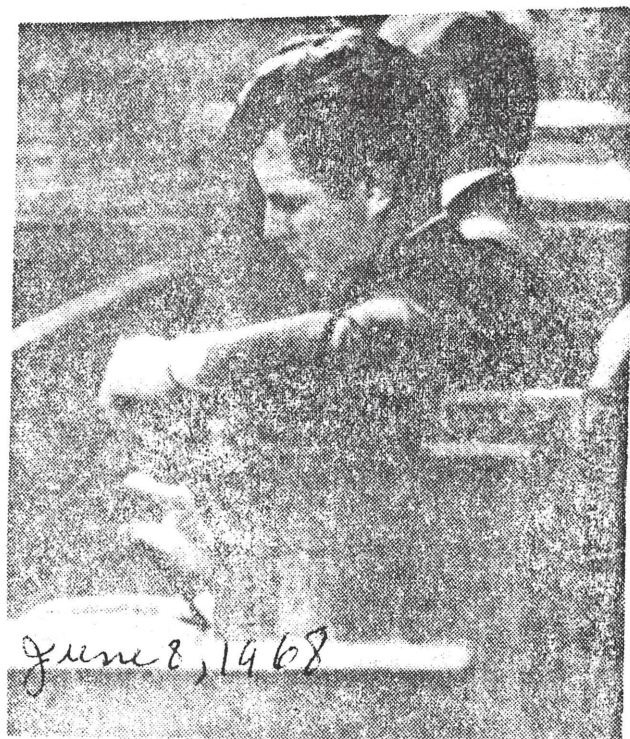
The face of Mrs. Rose Kennedy shows her anxiety for her son, Sen. Robert Kennedy. She was photographed leaving Mass Wednesday at St. Xavier Catholic Church at Hyannis, Mass. (AP wirephoto)



Robert F. Kennedy Jr., 14, keeps his eyes fixed on the casket as he stands as a member of the honor guard at the catafalque in the center aisle of St. Patrick's Cathedral. Man in background not identified.



Mrs. Ethel Kennedy blows a kiss Friday at the casket of her husband, Sen. Robert F. Kennedy, in St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York. (AP wirephotos)

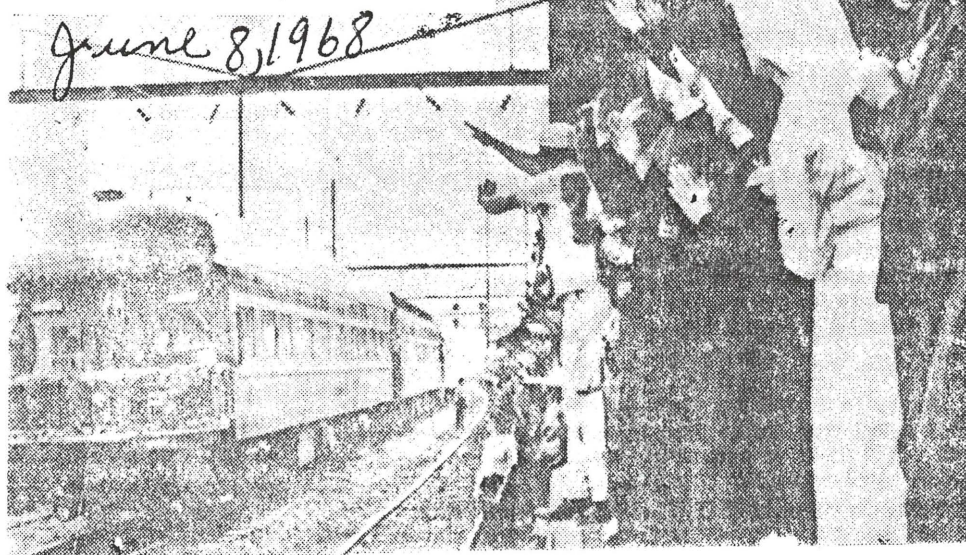


Sen. Edward M. Kennedy holds a cross in his right hand while sitting in a pew at the cathedral.

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Group of nuns from various religious orders in the Philadelphia Roman Catholic Archdiocese wave as funeral train bearing the body of assassinated Sen. Robert F. Kennedy passes through North Philadelphia Station Saturday.

On rear platform of car Sen. Edward M. Kennedy waves to crowd. (AP Wirephoto)



Funeral Train Carrying Kennedy Delayed 2½ Hours

NEW YORK (AP) — The funeral train carrying Sen. Robert F. Kennedy's body from New York to Washington for burial at Arlington National Cemetery moved at a crawl Saturday afternoon, more than 2½ hours behind schedule. Crowds, accidents and mechanical failure contributed to the painfully slow pace.

At 4:30 p.m., when the train was scheduled to arrive at Union Station in Washington, it was just pulling into North Philadelphia — the station it was supposed to reach at 1:55 p.m.

The train slowed down as it passed areas where large crowds waited — and there were gatherings along almost every mile of the route.

R. F. KENNEDY IS BURIED IN ARLINGTON BESIDE JFK

BY DOUGLAS B. CORNELL
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Robert F. Kennedy was buried on a gentle hillside Saturday night in the uncertain light of a full moon—and the flame flickering eternally over the grave of martyr.

The restless senator, who had aspired to follow his brother's path to the White House, found serenity at last among the heroes of Arlington National Cemetery just 4½ years after his brother was buried there.

*The funeral was Saturday
June 8, 1968*



Mrs. Ethel Kennedy listens to the funeral service for her husband, Sen. Robert F. Kennedy, Saturday in St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York City.

She is the mother of 10 and is pregnant. (AP wirephoto)



June
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A REAL SWEET SWEETGUM TREE is located in the yard of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bates at 145 S. DeWitt, since a swarm of honeybees lighted there and produced this honeycomb filled with honey. This is considered most unusual, since bees normally will not produce honey on an open limb. A local resident, who is knowledgeable about the ways of bees, stated that this occurs when the queen bee has been lost or seriously

injured. The bees will not return to a hive, nor will they travel to a more natural habitat without a queen. Thus, the Bates have a ready supply of honey in their own sweetgum tree. Inset, the heat apparently caused the honeycomb to fall to the ground. Mr. Bates estimated that there is approximately 25 pounds of honey to be harvested.

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Billy Graham and his wife Ruth have circled the globe many times in spreading the word of God.



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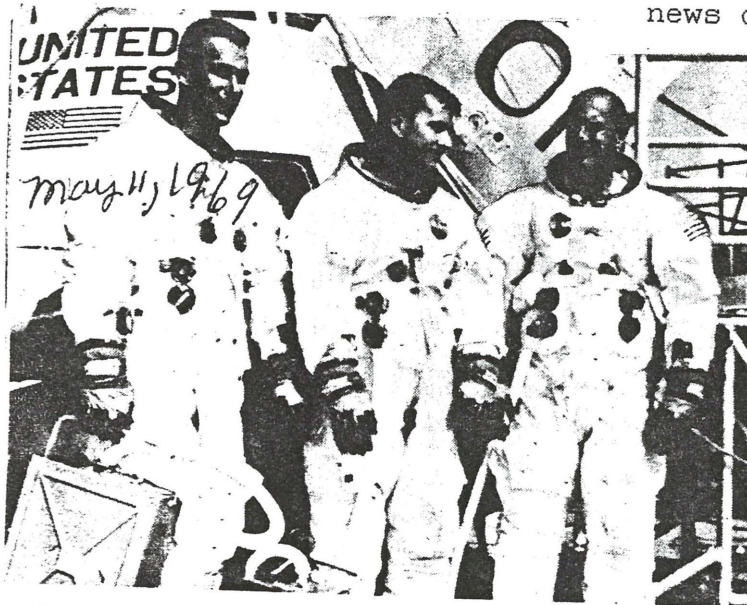
NEW FIRST FAMILY: Top political news during 1968 was the comeback of Richard M. Nixon, G. O. P. vice president under President Dwight D. Eisenhower. Nixon's well-planned campaign led to his victory over Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey, the Democratic candidate, in the November election. With Nixon are his wife, Pat, and daughter, Tricia, in back. In front, his daughter, Julie, and David Eisenhower, grandson of the former president, made news when they were married Dec. 22.



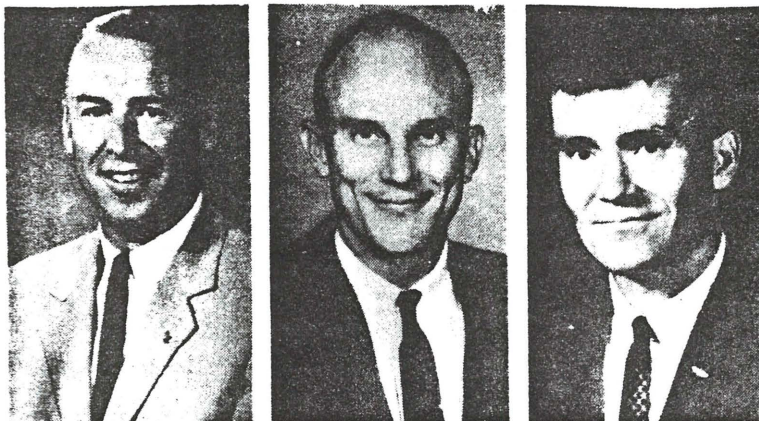
Dec. 29, 1968

PEACE HOPE: President Johnson set off a political bombshell March 31 when he announced he would not run for reelection nor would he accept renomination. At the same time he curtailed bombing in North Vietnam and proposed peace talks. Preliminary discussion began in May in Paris, with Averell Harriman, shown here with the President, as chief negotiator. Johnson in October ordered all bombing of North Vietnam halted.

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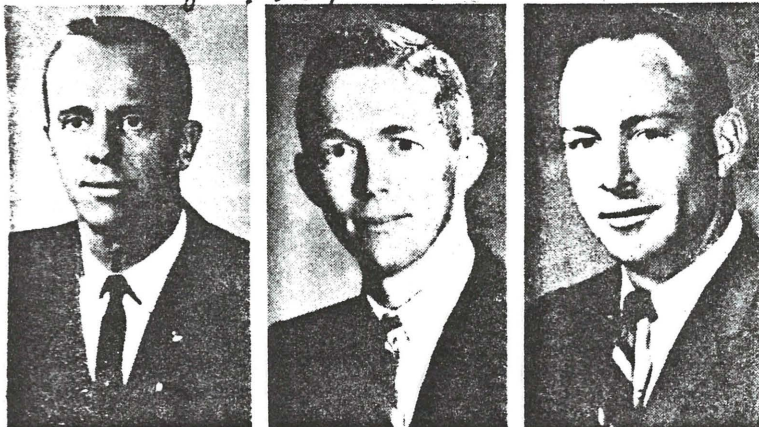


APOLLO 10 CREW: Crewmen who will man the Apollo 10 flight to orbit the moon and make final tests of the lunar module are (left to right) Navy Cmdr. Eugene A. Cernan, command module pilot; Navy Cmdr. John W. Young, lunar module pilot, and Air Force Col. Thomas P. Stafford, crew commander.



APOLLO 13: These are the astronauts who will make the Apollo 13 flight for further moon exploration. Left to right are James A. Lovell, Jr., commander; Thomas K. Mattingly II, command module pilot, and Fred W. Haise, Jr., lunar module pilot. Lovell will be making his fourth spaceflight, and each of his crewmen his first.

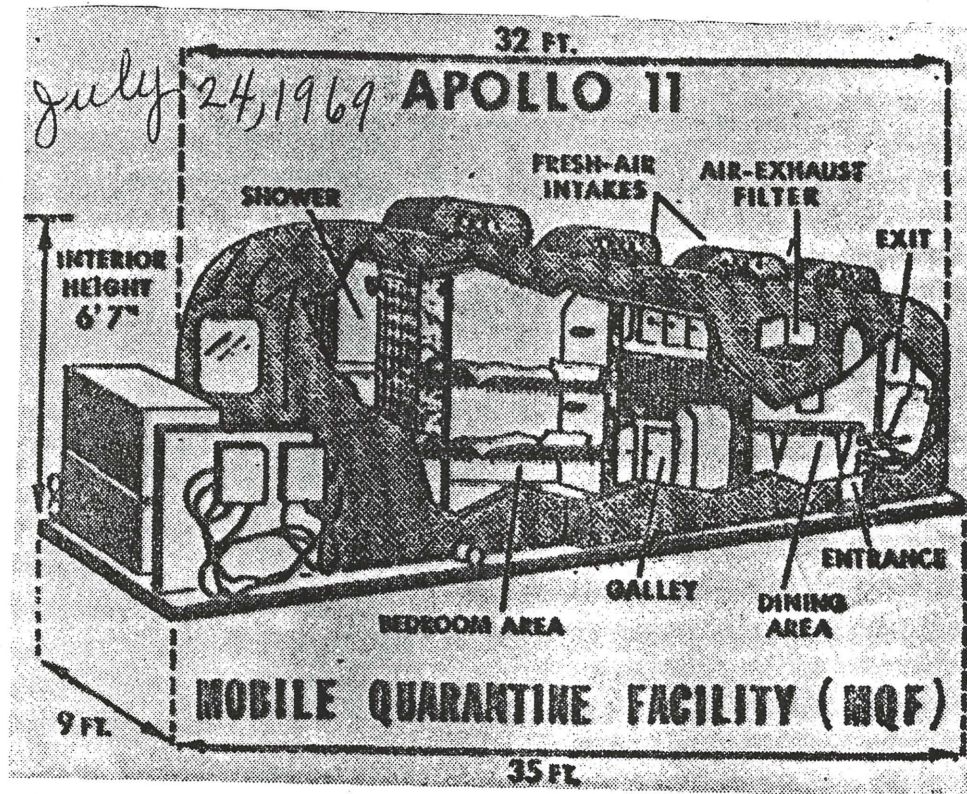
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APOLLO 14: Named to man Apollo 14 on a lunar landing and exploration flight were (left to right) Alan B. Shepard, Jr., commander; Stuart A. Roosa, command module pilot, and Edgar D. Mitchell, lunar module pilot. Shepard was America's first man in space, while the others are space rookies.



Neil Armstrong, Michael Collins and Edwin Aldrin, left to right, are addressed Thursday by President Nixon as the astronauts peer through a window of the mobile quarantine facility. (AP wirephoto by radio from USS Hornet)



This cutaway drawing of the mobile quarantine facility shows where the Apollo 11 spacemen will spend 18 days while physicians examine them for moon germs. (AP wirephoto)

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