

## Selective Service Gets Petitions

HEREFORD, Tex. (AP) — At stores, cafes and club meetings in this Panhandle city of 12,000, people are being asked to help keep two of the town's doctors out of the uniform of the Army for a while.

If general practitioners Howard Johnson and Nobel Ballard go into the active Army, there will be only five doctors left in town, and only three of them general practitioners.

"We're both commissioned as first lieutenants in the Army Medical Reserve," said Dr. Johnson at Hereford Medical Clinic where the two practice.

"I guess our times has come

to go and they've sort of hit us with our pants down. If we leave now that will be a total of six doctors—five of them general practitioners—to leave within a year."

The petitions are circulated in neighboring communities which have no or few doctors and in the countryside among residents who depend on Hereford for their medical attention.

Mrs. Brooks said there was some belief that petitions with as many as 10,000 names would be looked upon favorably by the Selective Service Committee in Washington having authority to review the orders.

## Grants Announced By AFROTC

Air Force ROTC headquarters at Maxwell AFB, Ala., is receiving 75 to 100 applications a day from high school seniors seeking ROTC financial assistance grants, Texas A&M ROTC leaders have been informed. The awards will be made for the first time next fall.

Col. Vernon L. Head, professor of aerospace studies at Texas A&M, noted that the application deadline is Nov. 15.

Each grant will provide for tuition, laboratory fees, textbooks allowance and \$50 a month subsistence allowance. Scholastic test,

academic record, extracurricular and athletic activities, personal references and medical qualifications are selected criteria.

Colonel Head said interested high school seniors may get further information from their counselors.

The 1967 crop of food promises to be 4 per cent above last year's and 2 per cent above the 1965 record crop, according to the Statistical Reporting Service of the Agriculture Department's Crop Reporting Board.



THREE R'S OF REPUBLICANS  
Gov. Nelson Rockefeller of New York, Gov. George Romney of Michigan, and Gov. Ronald Reagan of California, left to right, are pictured on liner Governors' Conference is being held during cruise to Virgin Islands. (AP Wirephoto by radio from S. S. Independence)

## Geyer To Attend European Confab

Dr. Richard A. Geyer, Oceanographic Department head, will attend an International Oceanographic Congress meeting in

France as a U. S. State Department advisor.

Geyer will counsel with Dr. S. A. Futterman and W. L. Sullivan of the State Department at the Oct. 22-29 meeting in Paris.

# Texas Avenue Work To Begin

The resurfacing of Texas Avenue (SH 6) through Bryan and College Station will begin within the next few days, according to representatives of the Texas Highway Department. A slurry seal type surface, similar to the one placed two years ago when left turn lanes were constructed, will be used again.

A liquid slurry consisting of Emulsified Asphalt, Alcoa slag, stone screening and sand, together with water will be applied to the existing pavement to provide a better skid-resistant wearing course and seal the surface.

Arrangements for the projects have been in the making for about two months during which designs have been tested using a cationic type emulsion new to this area. This emulsion hardens quicker than other types minimizing the inconvenience to traffic and adjacent property owners.

Nevertheless, the slurry being a liquid mixture, traffic must necessarily be kept off the applied material until such a time as it is dry and has been hardened. Certain streets will be closed dur-

ing construction, and cross traffic advised to detour the construction area. It will not be the intent to close off adjacent property entirely but during application periods it will be necessary for certain businesses to use side street entrances.

Williams Asphalt Company of Ft. Worth will furnish the equipment and material for the project and the work will be under the supervision of Mr. Johnnie H. Young, Maintenance Construction Foreman for Brazos County.

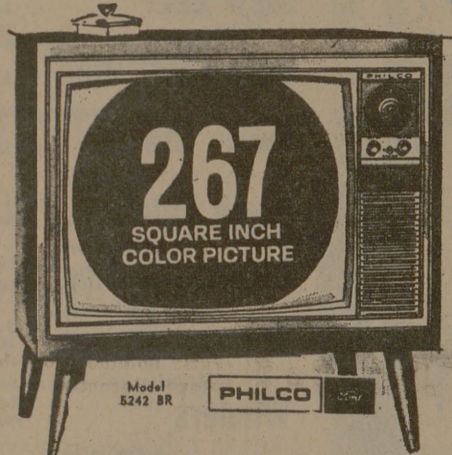
According to Mr. Robert H. Schleider, Texas Highway Department Assistant District Engineer, work will progress as rapidly as possible with as little inconvenience to the traveling public and adjacent property businesses as possible. Adequate barricades and flagmen will be provided to direct and detour traffic safely through and around work areas.

"The cooperation and understanding of motorists and individual business interests is essential to obtain a satisfactory riding surface," Schleider said.

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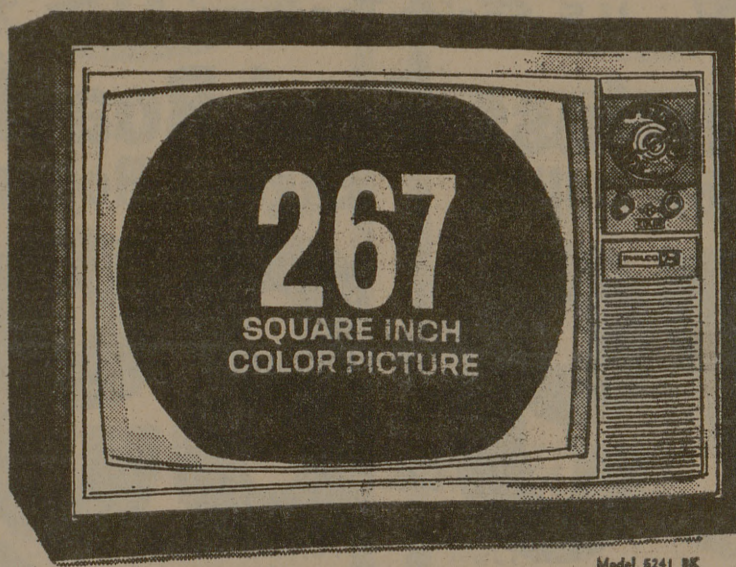
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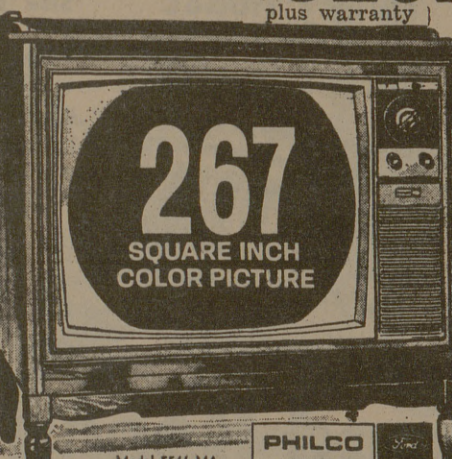


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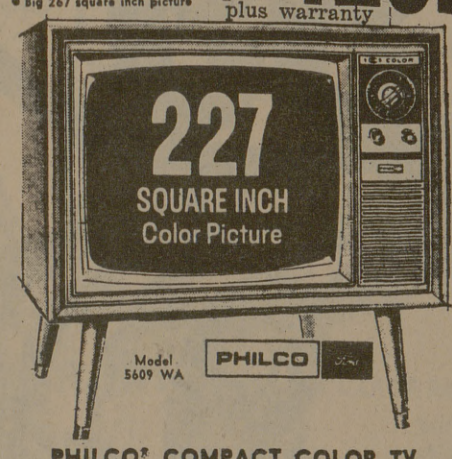
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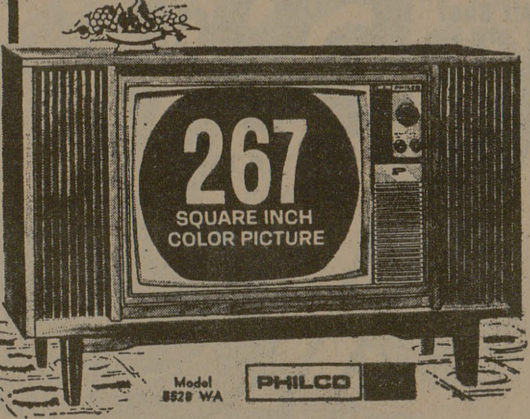
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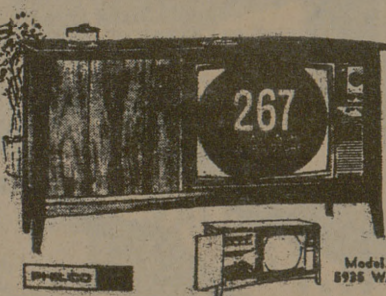
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