



First Jet Planes Arrive

The first two Lockheed T-33 jet training planes, two-seater version of the famous Shooting Star, to be assigned to the Big Spring Air Force Base arrived at the local installation this morning. Capt. Eber Neely and Lt. Burl Coursey of the 356th Pilot Training Group ferried the new aircraft. They were flown from the Lockheed factory at Burbank, Calif. (USAF Photo).

FEINSINGER SUFFERS FROM FATIGUE

Truman Summons Wilson As Wage Board Head Collapses

WASHINGTON, March 20 (AP) — President Truman summoned Defense Mobilizer Charles E. Wilson to Key West, Fla., today to discuss the steel wage dispute after wage board deliberations were halted by physical collapse of the board chairman.

Philip Murray, union chief and president of the CIO, met this morning with his 36-man executive board in what Murray described as a purely informal session.

Feinsinger, working day and night on the case in an effort to avert a strike set for midnight Sunday, keeled over at about 5:30 a.m. (CST).

A physician reported Feinsinger collapsed from fatigue.

The board then recessed until 1 p.m.

The industry was facing the prob-

lem of closing down furnaces lest the threatened week end walkout leave the equipment without workers to attend it.

Doctors said Feinsinger apparently would be able to continue this afternoon.

Earlier the WSB was deadlocked on the union shop issue.

Neither industry nor labor members could agree during an all-night meeting to a public member proposal straddling the problem.

The deadlock threatened to upset the WSB's time schedule designed to deliver a "package" solution in the complex steel labor dispute in time to avoid a strike set for midnight Sunday.

Philip Murray, head of the CIO and the CIO United Steelworkers, waited for the WSB's findings to

submit them to his union's Executive Board this morning.

The union's policy committee was called to meet in the afternoon on a strike postponement to at least April 8 asked by Wage Board Chairman Nathan Feinsinger.

This was to give the union and management time to bargain on the board's recommendations.

While the bickering went on within the public-industry-labor wage board, the steel industry stood by waiting to learn whether to start shutting down furnaces and mills across the nation to prepare for a walkout of 650,000 members of Murray's union.

The union-shop issue is perhaps the most hotly contested of all the union's many demands. It would require all workers in the steel industry to be members and pay dues to the union, which claims 85 to 90 per cent worker membership now.

The industry argues that it is wrong to require workers opposed to union membership to join the union or be fired. The union contends the union shop already prevails in a great part of American industry, and in a sizeable portion of the steel industry.

Public members of the WSB reportedly proposed that the wage board make no specific recommendations on the union shop issue but submit a report strongly favoring the union shop without saying so.

This was understood to be acceptable to neither the industry members, who dislike the language, nor to labor members, who dislike the failure to take a stand.

The public members were reported pushing a plan that would give the steelworkers a 20-cent hourly raise in pay plus contract improvements in such things as holidays and vacations.

The union had been asking for a total "package" of a 15-cent boost in wage rates, now estimated to average about \$1.80 an hour, along with numerous side benefits. The total cost of this to employers is estimated at 35 cents an hour or more.

BY TEN PER CENT

House Group Slices Labor, FSA Budget

By WILLIAM F. ARBOGAST
WASHINGTON, March 20 (AP) — A \$1,786,086,161 budget for the Labor Department, the Federal Security Agency and related boards was recommended today by the House Appropriations Committee.

This is \$197,324,700, or approximately 10 per cent, less than the \$1,983,410,761 President Truman requested for the year starting July 1.

All but one of the four agencies financed by the bill were cut, the sole exception being the National Mediation Board.

The Labor Department's budget was trimmed from \$228,096,100 to \$211,064,400, a cut of \$16,401,700.

The Federal Security Agency asked for \$1,740,758,261 and was allotted \$1,590,244,261, a cut of \$150,514,000.

The National Labor Relations Board's request for \$9,500,000 was trimmed to \$9,000,000, a reduction of \$500,000.

The committee cut \$179,000 from the \$3,626,500 requested for the Federal Mediation and Concilia-

tion Service, leaving that agency \$3,447,500.

A budget cutting drive which already has shaved President Truman's own funds ran headlong today into demands for more money for veterans and public housing.

The VA now has 2,234 employees doing contact work and says the cuts would reduce this figure to 205.

In addition, a joint committee on atomic energy said that certain economies and limitations in the \$6,271,138,348 appropriation bill may delay the nation's atomic and H-bomb programs and threaten "our atomic supremacy over Russia."

Money for veterans' programs, for housing, for the atomic energy program, for the President and a score of other federal activities is lumped together in the bill, on which the House started debate yesterday. Leaders hope to pass it late today.

Many Republicans, and some Democrats, believe the \$707,548,695 cut out of the bill by the Appropriations Committee doesn't represent all the savings that can be made.

They are backing an amendment by Rep. Jensen (R-Ia) to prohibit most agencies from filling more than one out of every four job vacancies that occur next year.

The same group is insisting that the number of public housing units started next year and in subsequent years be limited to 25,000.

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Permanent Group Of UN To Study Points On Freedom Of Info

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., March 20 (AP) — A U.N. subcommittee has approved a plan to set up a permanent U.N. group to deal with questions about freedom of information.

The U. S. and Russia both opposed the plan in yesterday's 9-2 vote of approval. Both agreed studies of the state of free information in the world and the removal of barriers to it could be handled by present permanent bodies of the U.N. or by the General Assembly.

Three Indicted For Using Mails To Sell A 'Death Ray Gun'

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A federal grand jury has indicted two men and a woman on charges of conspiracy against the government and using the mails to defraud in connection with a phony "death ray" gun.

George M. Treister, assistant U.S. attorney, said the trio, "with reckless disregard for truth, as early as 1949 claimed their 'death-dealing device' was not only perfected, but was among other things capable of destroying animals, humans and airplanes by its super-sonic death ray emissions."

Those indicted yesterday are Kurt Van Zuyke, West Los Angeles, and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis de Neefe of Hollywood.

THE WEATHER

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY, Friday's 7:11 report with dust in the early afternoon. Clearing later in the afternoon and becoming partly cloudy and cooler tonight and Friday.

Highest temperature this date 84 in 1949; lowest this date 19 in 1923; maximum rainfall this date 1.49 in 1921.

Ike Says US Sentiment May Put Him Into Race

Ike Return Is Up To Him, HST Says

KEY WEST, Fla., March 20 (AP) — President Truman said today Gen. Eisenhower is at liberty to return to the U. S. any time he deems it safe and proper.

The President told a news conference the general is doing an able job and is the best judge of when it will be safe for him to give up his post.

Truman also told newsmen the Korean situation has no bearing whatever on whether he will seek re-election.

This amounted to a slap at Frank E. McKinney, the Democratic national chairman, who said yesterday his "impression" was Truman's decision would hinge on whether a satisfactory truce was reached.

Truman went on to say he was not interested in Eisenhower's political career. The general has a perfect right to do whatever he likes in that line, the President said, adding he had told Eisenhower that personally.

Eisenhower, he said, is in a very important job. He said he had told him he could use his own judgment as to when to return.

Some Republicans backing Eisenhower for President have been urging that he come home for speeches.

Truman said he will decide whether he will seek re-election and will pick his own time and place for his announcement.

McKinney, after nearly three days of intimate conferences with the President, said yesterday his personal opinion was:

1. The President definitely has not made up his mind yet, and probably will not in time for his March 29 address to the \$100-a-plate Jefferson-Jackson Dinner in Washington. He predicted Truman would announce his decision by May 15.
2. His decision "will be predicated on the success or failure of resolving the Korean situation satisfactorily." If peace comes, then the President would feel he has achieved his major goal and step aside without attempting to name a successor.

McKinney said he hoped the President would make his decision before May 15, when the Democratic Executive Committee meets to choose a keynoter and other executive officers for the national convention starting July 21.

In that way, McKinney said, "if he does not choose to run, we can give everybody an equal break."

McKinney's statement that Truman's decision may hinge on the outcome of the Korean truce negotiation is given added emphasis by the President's own oft-repeated assertion that his only desire is for peace.

Truman told a news conference here on a previous trip that he wants his administration judged in history by whether he is able to secure a permanent peace.

Expect Japan Treaty To Be Okayed Today

By JOE HALL
WASHINGTON, (AP) — The Senate today begins voting on the Japanese Peace Treaty. Leaders predict it will be ratified before nightfall.

Some opposition to the treaty and its three accompanying Pacific security pacts—with Japan, the Philippines, and Australia and New Zealand—developed among Republican senators yesterday.

But Democratic Leader McFarland will be needed to put it into effect. They would be approved by well over the necessary two-thirds majority.

The Senate will vote first on a motion by Sen. Dirksen (R-Ill.) to postpone consideration of the treaty indefinitely.

There will be an hour of debate on this. Then will come half-hour debates on each of nine reservations submitted by Sen. Jenner (R-Ind) and Sen. Margaret Chase Smith (R-Me.). An hour is allowed on the ratification resolution itself.

Leaders predicted all this time would not be used, particularly if opponents of the treaty muster little support.

If the Senate approves the treaty, only one more national ratification will be needed to put it into effect. Five of the 13 countries involved already have ratified.

The peace treaty was signed at San Francisco last Sept. 8, six years after Japan's surrender. Russia and her satellites refused to sign.

Jenner says his reservations are designed to preserve the sovereignty of the United States and the war-making powers of Congress.

He objects to references to the United Nation in the treaty and security pacts.

Dirksen and Sen. Young (R-ND), who spoke against the treaty yesterday, raised these other objections: (1) When Japan regains its sovereignty it is likely to resume trade relations with China even though that nation is under Communist control; (2) the ratification is premature until peace is secured in Korea and Indochina; (3) many of America's World War II allies in the Pacific fear a resurgent Japan; and (4) Nationalist China was not treated fairly because it was not invited to the San Francisco meeting.

However, the treaty and security pacts have had powerful bipartisan support including all seven Democrats and six Republicans on the Foreign Relations Committee.

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SEUL, Korea (AP) — American Sabres shot down five Communist MIG-15s and damaged five others today, bringing their two-day score to six Red jets downed and 12 damaged.

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It was a high-wing version of the familiar Russian-type MIG-15. This was the first reported hit.

The spokesman said it appeared to be more efficient at lower altitudes than the low, swept-wing MIG-15. But it seemed to be about 50 miles an hour slower. It is about two feet longer and had a two-foot wider wing span than the MIG-15.

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Two smaller probes were made south of Kosong at the Eastern anchor of the 155-mile front.

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Gas Plant Planned

DALLAS, March 20 (AP) — Lone Star Producing Co. said today it has completed plans for construction of a 3 million dollar gasoline plant which will process casinghead gas from the Fort Chadbourne field in West Texas.

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TOO SILLY SO NO-DIVORCE

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., March 20 (AP) — Mrs. Alice Jones told the court today her husband secretly polished the soles of her shoes in the hope she would fall and hurt herself.

"Absolute nonsense," said the judge, and denied her request for divorce.

Royall Seriously Ill

NEW YORK, March 20 (AP) — Condition of former War Secretary Kenneth C. Royall, who underwent surgery for a sinus abscess, continued critical today.



Topper

This is the official Eisenhower campaign hat for ladies as modeled in New York by Mrs. Francesca Lodge, wife of the Governor. It is light blue fabric pillbox beret with red fabric piping and a red ribbon facade on the left front to which Mrs. Lodge has pinned an "I Like Ike" button. The hat was designed for Connecticut, John Davis by Sally Victor. (AP Wirephoto).

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UN Suggests 'Off-The-Record' Talks To Solve Truce Deadlock

By ROBERT S. TUCKMAN
MUNSAN, Korea, March 20 (AP) — The U. N. Command tonight in effect suggested off the record truce negotiations to try to break the long deadlock over exchanging war prisoners in Korea.

An Allied spokesman said the U. N. would "give consideration" to secret negotiations with only the final agreement—or lack of one—announced. There would be no daily briefings of correspondents.

Earlier, staff officers agreed on 10 ports of entry through which troops and supplies would be funneled into Korea during an armistice.

Three major issues remain to be settled: (1) Communist nomination of Soviet Russia to a neutral inspection commission, (2) Allied demand for a ban on military airfield construction, and (3) the U.N. request for voluntary repatriation of war prisoners.

Staff officers wrangling over prisoner exchange made no apparent headway toward breaking the repatriation deadlock. The Communists answered seven questions asked by the U.N. Command Monday. But Allied negotiators said they replied failed to show how the Reds' latest exchange plan could end the stalemate.

Col. Andrew J. Kinney said it probably would take a day or two

Active Campaign Could Be Coming

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED POWERS EUROPE, March 20 (AP) — Gen. Eisenhower said today "the mounting numbers of my fellow citizens who are voting to make me the Republican nominee" may cause him to change his mind about refusing actively to seek nomination to political office.

Eisenhower issued an informal statement at his headquarters in response to requests by reporters for comment on the Minnesota primary Tuesday in which more than 100,000 voters wrote in his name in the preferential primary.

The statement said:

"You gentlemen probably realize how astonished I was by the results of the Minnesota primary.

"The mounting numbers of my fellow citizens who are voting to make me the Republican nominee are forcing me to re-examine my personal position and past decision.

"I did not imagine that so many voters in Minnesota would make me a write-in candidate and, according to newspaper accounts, some of them had trouble with my name.

"I count it an additional compliment that some refused to be dismayed by the long Eisenhower name and simply wrote in 'Ike.'"

Eisenhower's reference to his "personal position and past decisions" apparently referred to a statement he issued Jan. 7, the day after his backers announced they would enter him in the New Hampshire Republican primary.

Referring to that statement, made by Sen. Lodge, head of the Eisenhower-for-President movement, Eisenhower said then Lodge was correct in terming him a Republican and added:

"He was also correct in stating that I would not seek nomination to political office."

Kerr Wonders About Kefauver Foreign Policy

KEARNEY, Neb., March 20 (AP) — Sen. Kerr (D-Okla.) said last night he doesn't see how he and Sen. Kefauver (D-Tenn.) "can be so far apart in foreign policy and still be to the same party."

The Oklahoma attacked especially Kefauver's support of a proposed federal Atlantic union.

Kerr and Kefauver are the Democratic entries in Nebraska's presidential preference primary April 3, with Kerr representing himself as a stand-in for President Truman unless Truman decides to retire.

Kerr has been on a three-speeches-a-day schedule in Nebraska for two weeks.

Kerr described Kefauver as "a fine gentleman" and said "I have no word of personal criticism for him. However there is a deep chasm between us on foreign and domestic policies."

The proposed federal union of Atlantic Treaty nations is "the keystone of Sen. Kefauver's foreign policy," Kerr said.

"As for me, I would never be a party to a Kefauver proposal or any other proposal that would bind our people, shackle our government and forfeit our national sovereignty."

Plumbers Go Back To Work In Dallas

DALLAS, March 20 (AP) — A 17-day dispute over whether workers or management should furnish hand tools ended here yesterday when AFL union plumbers returned to work.

Contractors agreed to supply the small tools, union officials said. Contractors' representatives were unavailable for comment.

New Directors Picked

SEATTLE, March 20 (AP) — John D. Murchison, Dallas, and Donald Royce, Los Angeles, are new directors of the American Mail Line, Ltd., increasing the board's size to 11 members.

UNDERWEAR TAX IS NOT FAIR!

LONDON, March 20 (AP) — A member of Parliament denounced a new tax on long underwear today as unjust to Britons of a certain age and girth.

Laborite Norman Dadds said the hardy athletic type who wear shorts will go free while "outsized or elderly men" are forced to pay more for their longies.

Bauduin On Stamp

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — The first stamp carrying the portrait of Belgium's young King Baudouin will be put on sale May 14 for the opening here of the Congress of the Universal Postal Union.

Capital of Pyongyang and the Manchurian Boundary

In South Korea the ports of entry would be Pusan on the southeast coast; Kanguan, an east coast seaport; Kusan and Incheon, the seaport for Seoul, on the west coast; and Taegu, an air base in southeast Korea.

The U.N. Command gave up its demand that Pyongyang be designated a Communist port of entry and agreed to substitute Sinanju. The Reds agreed to let the Allies use Taegu rather than Suwon, the Communists' original choice.

Both sides will submit detailed maps Friday showing areas around each port they want opened to inspection teams.

The staff officers agreed Thursday that either side could provide air transportation for neutral inspectors from Panmunjom to any port of entry.

Col. George W. Hickman said Communist answers to Allied questions.

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Five Crippled Children Aided By Local Chapter

Five Howard County children are receiving aid through the local chapter of the Society for Crippled Children.

Transportation to and from the crippled children's centers in Lubbock and Dallas is provided by the chapter for the children and their mothers.

All members of the Howard County Medical Association are working without charge in cooperation with the local unit, by diagnosing and recommending treatment for each child before he is sent to one of the centers for treatment. The families may choose any doctor.

The most serious cases are sent to Dallas for another diagnosis and subsequent treatment. All along the way the transportation of the patients and that of their mothers or fathers is paid by the local chapter.

The chapter here has expressed a desire to aid more crippled children in the area. Anyone desiring aid is asked to call either Shine Phillips or Jewel Barton, county health nurse.

It takes approximately \$300 a year to operate the local unit to provide transportation and for their braces, crutches and such.

Contributions to the drive should be mailed to Mrs. J. T. Brooks, 606 Johnson.

Mrs. Grissom Is Hostess At Forsan HD Club Meeting

FORSAN, (Sp)—Mrs. E. A. Grissom was hostess to the Home Demonstration Club in her home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Pyle read the club prayer and Mrs. D. L. Knight gave the council report. The club voted to buy cookies from the Girl Scouts to take to the VA Hospital in Big Spring.

Mrs. Sammie Porter was in charge of the program on "Family Life." Attending were 14 members.

Mrs. Knight will entertain the club at the next meeting April 7, when Mrs. Eugenia Toland will give a demonstration on living rooms.

Members of the Ladies Auxiliary met for a covered dish luncheon at the Country Club Monday evening. Mrs. O. W. Scudday and Mrs. James Underwood were hostesses at the games of bridge.

The Rev. R. L. Bowman made a brief talk at the meeting of the Methodist WSCS Monday afternoon at the church.

Mrs. L. B. McElreath, Mrs. Howard Story and Mrs. B. D. Caldwell were named to serve as a nominating committee to report March 31, at which time election of officers will be held.

Mrs. Hamlin Elrod announced the annual meeting of the WSCS which will be held in Amarillo April 1-3. Mrs. Oero Allison led the prayer, and Mrs. McElreath gave the devotional.

Mrs. W. B. Dunn taught the first lesson of the new study, "The Family—A Christian Concern."

Four additional models for the Forsan Study Club style show Thursday evening have been selected. They are Helen Jo Holaday, Jan Stockton, Jerry Stephenson and David Roberson.

Mrs. B. D. Caldwell was hostess to the Pioneer Sewing Club Tuesday afternoon in her home. Refreshments were served to seven. Mrs. J. H. Cardwell will be the next hostess April 1.

Frank Sealey of Tulsa, Okla., is

visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hayhurst and Dan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Howard spent Sunday in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shortes and sons had as their week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Peek of Artesta, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Grant and Jimmy were week-end visitors in Andrews.

Madge Anderson spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Knightstep in Odessa. Mr. and Mrs. John B. Anderson, Jimmy and Nancy Jo also visited them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Sewell and Tommy of Colorado City were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Sewell.

Frank Tate and son were in De Leon during the week end and were accompanied home by Mr. Tate's mother.

Mrs. Floyd Kennemur of Iran was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Grissom and daughters. The Grissoms spent the week end in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gilmore were Lubbock visitors Wednesday. Alvin Long of Carlsbad, N. M., was a Saturday guest of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Anderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chambers visited relatives in Midland Sunday.

Mrs. S. C. Cowley and daughter, Mrs. Jimmie Hager, and Mrs. Earl Hagar of Pecos are visiting in El Paso.

Billie Sue and Betty Ruth Sewell and Bob Baker were visitors at Carlsbad Caverns Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conger, William and Betty spent Saturday in Snyder with Mr. and Mrs. Britt Cox, Bill and Jacqueline.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Laccocare had as their dinner guests Friday Mr. and Mrs. Jones Lamar, and Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pitts, all of Big Spring.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Shelton and son were his mother, Mrs. Mamie Shelton, of Big Lake and his sister, Mrs. J. W. Watkins of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. James Craig of Dollarhide visited relatives in Forsan during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clifton recently had all their children as guests. Visiting them were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Parsons, Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stanley and Bryant, Harwell, Colo.; Capt. Lee Croft Clifton, Luke Field, Ariz.; Allen Clifton, Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene; and Mrs. Clifton's mother, Mrs. R. H. Brown, Monahan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Long have as their guest her father, Ben Olive, of Mangum, Okla.

Mrs. M. M. Hines played bridge in a benefit tournament in Midland Friday.

Luther Folk Return From Mexico Trip

LUTHER, (Sp)—Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Murray and Charles returned Sunday from a pleasure trip to Del Rio and Villa Acuna, Mexico. They reported everything green and roses blooming in that area.

Orba Hamlin was the victim of a minor accident Sunday morning when a piece of timber he was chopping with an axe flew up and hit his head, cutting through the rim of his right ear.

A light shower, accompanied by hail, settled the dust temporarily Monday afternoon, but all signs of moisture were soon erased by the red dust which followed.

Mrs. C. H. Hyden and Imogene visited Mrs. O. B. Crow and Connie Friday afternoon.

Betty Filkimgim of Coahoma was the guest of Bonnie Dale Anderson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Puckett spent Sunday afternoon and night with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Blair of Kermit.

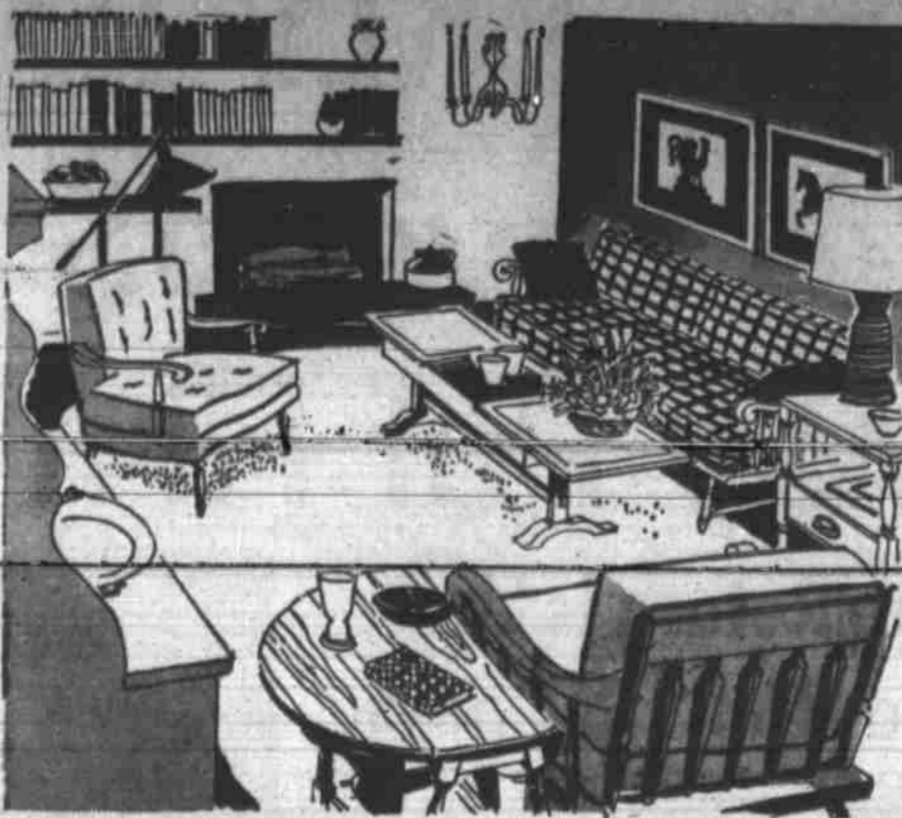
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spencer of Comanche were visiting their son, Neil, and family the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Choate of Stanton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kilpatrick Sunday.

Don Lookhart is ill again and back in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Cromwell Rhoton of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Smith Jr. and Randy Sunday.

Visitors in the O. E. Hamlin home Sunday were Evelyn Hampton, a teacher from Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Norris and Evelyn of the Richland community.



DESIGNING WOMAN

New Furniture Borrows From Colonial, Modern

By ELIZABETH HILLIER

The furniture is colonial on the outside and modern on the inside. Underneath that yesterday charm lies extra cushion comfort and double usefulness — the sofa's a bed, the coffee table hides away a damage-proof serving tray.

But the colonial styling has a background of authenticity. The handcrafted furniture of early Pennsylvania and of early Tidewater, Maryland provided designs, for example, the arrow slats that back both the foreground chair and the sofa.

And there it is, colonial maple furniture of good lineage, in a black and white, entirely contemporary setting, even to a full quota of contemporary accessories.

If there are rules for decorating, people with taste break them every day. Mrs. Pamela Statton, who collaborated with the designers of the furniture, William Lemen Beard and James J. Chapman, Jr., designed the contemporary setting precisely for the furniture. This was no circumstance that set maple furniture adrift in a modern house as might happen with a family move, but a deliberate designing of an interior and a choice of the contemporary style rather than the period quaint. In it Mrs. Statton has proved what a success the combination can be. To the black and white of the walls and the bookshelves, lamps and accessories is added a gold rug and fabrics in gold, black and white. The only other color in the scheme is the handsome wood color, a soft medium grayed beige.

This furniture, called Maryland Maple, and made in the Cumberland Valley, includes forty pieces, a collection for every room in the house. There's a chest with a specially spaced shirt compartment, a

double headboard for twin beds, a serving cart that ups its drop leaves to become a dining table for two. The setting sketched backgrounded the furniture's first showing in the recent Grand Rapids previews but it will soon be seen in both contemporary and other settings in the stores.

CC Seniors To Present Play Friday

COLORADO CITY. — Colorado City High School seniors will present their annual "Senior Follies" Friday night at 8 in the school auditorium.

The class as a whole takes part in the annual show, which is usually an original production, written by students and directors, and proceeds go to pay expenses of the class in making its annual senior trip.

The show this year is "A Trip to New Orleans" and depicts scenes from that famous river town. The Follies are directed by Mrs. Jimmy Payne, with dance routines directed by Mrs. Irving Grant. Can-can dancers, a Parisian Apache dance and a ride on Captain Andy's Showboat will be features of the show. Jimmy Forehand plays the part of showboat captain with Nan Gossett as a riverboat singer.

Among several specialty acts will be a routine by Carolyn Brown, who is editor of the school annual, cheer leader and a four-year honor student.

Center Point HD Club Has Program On 'Family Life'

A "Family Life" program was given by Mrs. L. J. Davidson at the meeting of the Center Point Home Demonstration Club Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Hull, the hostess, gave the devotional, and Mrs. Wesley Carroll reported on the Council meeting.

At the next meeting April 1 in the home of Mrs. Carroll, Mrs. Eugenia Toland will conduct the program on "Backgrounds for Living Rooms." A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon, and an Easter bonnet sale held during the afternoon.

Refreshments were served to seven members.

Gloves Tell Short Sweetly Feminine Story For Spring

The story is short and sweetly feminine for gloves this spring, in keeping with the elaborately designed sleeves on dresses and coats.

Fabrics, fine leathers and sporty knits are briefed for fashion-rightness, trimmed in the most romantic manner, and dipped, in the case of the fabrics, in pastels. In leathers, glove colors are sharp and intense.

Fabric gloves, whether they appear in double woven cotton or nylon, take on a festive air with lots of French knotting, open work of every type, and sometimes, in the more elaborate styles, beautifully designed hand appliques and intricate ribbing.

Daisy-fresh white remains ever popular this spring with other fabric shirtings appearing in delicate mauvy pinks and blues, neutral beiges and black.

For late day wear, gloves of supple kid are in order.

Bunko Party Slated

The Jaycee-Rtes will sponsor a Bunko party this evening at 7:30 p.m. at the Girl Scout Little House. The public is invited to attend and tickets will be on sale at the door for 50 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wynn Eston and S. T. Eston have returned from La Marque where they visited the Wyatt Estons' daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kerst.

MENU FOR TOMORROW

FRIDAY FARE

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(Recipe for Starred Dish Follows)

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Ingredients: 2 eggs, 2 cups medium white sauce, 1 tablespoon finely grated onion, 3 tablespoons minced parsley, one 1-pound can salmon, 8 ounces (2 cups) noodles (cooked and drained), ½ cup buttered bread crumbs.

Method: Beat eggs slightly and add to white sauce with onion and parsley. Remove bones and skin from salmon, flake and add to sauce. Alternate layers of noodles and sauce in baking dish. Top with bread crumbs. Bake in moderate (350 F.) oven 30 minutes or until hot through and top is lightly browned. Makes 4 to 6 servings.

P-TA Names New Officers Wednesday

Officers were elected when the Airport P-TA met Wednesday afternoon at the school.

Mrs. A. M. Simpson was elected president and other officers include Mrs. Glen Earhart, vice president; Mrs. W. T. Bradberry, secretary; and Mrs. Jim Engstrom, treasurer.

Guilford Jones, guest speaker for the afternoon, discussed "What Makes Better Schools."

Eulalia Mitchell gave the devotional and Beth Ennis and Jane Engstrom presented a tap dance number.

Members voted to present Mrs. W. L. Vaughn, out-going president, a life membership in the organization.

Mrs. Myrtice Haws' room won the room count prize. Thirty-two attended.

Fashion Says Any Length For Coats

Coats go to all lengths, this Spring, with new fashion emphasis placed on the tiny, waist-high topper and the full length princess coat.

Blown-up sleeves, sparkling new colors and richly-textured fabrics provide newest coats with their own fashion scoop.

Take sleeves, for example, whether the coat is a shrug-type briefer or reaches to the hem, its silhouette is accented by the exaggerated size of the sleeve. For there are batwing, large lantern, balloon cape, bell, turn-back and sleeves blousing from the waistline on hand this season.

Every sleeve type is full, in a manner suggesting turn of the Century fashions. And every sleeve, in this full design, is usually combined with dropped shoulder seams, welt details across the bodice and back, or diamond and square-cut armholes. Typical shrug coat, or waist-length topper, featuring the oversize sleeve is one of pastel fleece. It is styled with sloped shoulders, just below the elbow batwing sleeves. And it is detailed with a small bead-embroidered collar.

Typical full-length coat style with outstanding sleeve treatment is a sleeveless coat with the upper arms covered by the cape top of the coat. The coat appears in a rough-textured wool and is cinched in at the waist by a self-belt.

The full-length princess coat, predicted to be the coat favorite in this length for Spring, in many instances, is designed with a figure-bugging bodice and a full skirt. One example is a snug top, whirl-skirted princess coat of grey flannel with a deep cape collar covering the rounded shoulders and also serving to provide eye appeal to the slim sleeves.

Loose full-length coats, greatly in evidence this Spring, are fashioned with carefully-controlled all-around flare. This type of coat, in a cashmere, may appear with full blown three-quarter push-up sleeves.

Hyperions Hear Mrs. J. H. Hodge

Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, chairman of the board of directors for the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, of Midland, spoke at the Wednesday meeting of the 1948 Hyperion Club in the home of Mrs. G. E. Pascoe.

Co-hostesses were Mrs. H. M. Jarrett and Mrs. Bill Graham. Mrs. Hodge pointed out in her talk that clubwomen like to do things when they are helping someone else.

She urged the women to be intelligent voters and to be interested in the United Nations. "But," she said, "Remember that the UN's objective of any woman should be her home."

The tea table was laid with a white cutwork cloth and centered with an arrangement of double pink tulips. Jonquils were used elsewhere in the home.

Special guests were Mrs. P. W. Malone, Mrs. D. D. Dyer, Mrs. H. L. McDermott, Mrs. John Hogan, Mrs. Shelby Read and Mrs. Robert Stripling.

Mrs. W. C. Foster, 603 George, will be next hostess.

Auxiliary Meets For Luncheon

Mrs. Marshall Cauley's resignation as vice president was accepted with regret when the Lion's Auxiliary met Wednesday at the Wagon Wheel for a luncheon.

Members voted to give a donation to the Cheerio Circle for the Blind.

Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Cauley, Mrs. Carl Coleman and Mrs. Dan Conley.

The dining table was centered with an arrangement of spring flowers with a miniature Easter rabbit in the center.

Twelve attended. Hostesses for the next meeting April 18 will be Mrs. Pete Cook, Mrs. C. W. Deats and Mrs. John Dohrell.

Minister To Show Pictures Of Tour At Prairie View

Dr. P. D. O'Brien will show pictures made during his tour of Palestine and Europe Friday evening at 7:30 at the Prairie View Baptist Church, six miles north of Big Spring.

Leslie Kelley, pastor, announced today the program will climax a week of special activities. Members of the church have been meeting each night this week in study courses sponsored by the BTU.

A fellowship hour will follow the showing of the pictures, and all interested persons are invited.

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SURPRISING GAINS

Ike Backers Seek Minn. Delegates

MINNEAPOLIS (U)— Jubilant backers of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower today talked plans for gaining Republican convention delegates with the surprising 106,788 write-ins the general got in his challenge of favorite son, Harold E. Stassen in Minnesota's presidential primary.

With 3,350 of the state's 3,760 precincts reported, Eisenhower's total was 57.2 per cent of the GOP vote.

Stassen, who had 128,134, had a 44.6 percentage and, under the law, a clean sweep of both the state's 25 Republican delegates and the popularity contest.

Returns from the small and scattered 219 voting districts remaining were not expected to change the standings materially.

Eisenhower supporters said their drive for delegates would be centered in the Third and Fifth Congressional Districts, where the general bested the former Minnesota governor in the vote totals. The fifth is entirely in Minneapolis. The third is made up of the remaining Minneapolis wards and four counties north and east of the state's biggest city.

A spokesman said these district conventions, meeting April 26, would be asked to name two delegates each for the general in the place of four representing Stassen, whose names were printed on the ballots. Because the state primary law is not clear, observers said a court suit might be needed to settle the matter.

There also were reports that Eisenhower forces would ask the state convention on May 24 to name 10 delegates-at-large for Eisenhower to the GOP National Convention. It was pointed out this issue would have to be resolved at the national convention, which makes its own rules.

In the same 3,550 precincts, Edward C. Slettedahl, a political unknown, drew 21,339 votes. His name and Stassen's were the only ones printed on the Republican ballots. Write-ins included Gen. MacArthur, 1,536; Sen. Robert A. Taft, 23,966; and Gov. Earl Warren of California, 5,173.

On the Democratic side, Sen. Hubert Humphrey (D-Minn) had 98,704 and there were these write-ins: Sen. Estes Kefauver (D-Tenn) 19,783, and President Truman, 3,602. Humphrey has disclaimed any presidential aspirations and has said his delegate would be turned over to President Truman, if he is a candidate.



Ike's Grin

Here's how Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower appeared at his Atlantic City headquarters near Paris as he received the news of the write-in vote he was getting in Minnesota Republican primary. Although his name did not appear on the printed ballot, the general piled up a vote that surprised even his supporters who had started a write-in campaign last Friday. Eisenhower made no comment on the news. (AP Wirephoto).

LIVESTOCK IN BAD WAY

2,000 Californians Marooned By Snow

SAN FRANCISCO (U)—Snow marooned some 2,000 people in East-Central California and threatened 600,000 head of Nevada livestock with starvation on this first day of spring.

In Mono County, on the Nevada-California border, snow blocked roads to people running low on fuel.

"The storms are keeping up and I don't know when we'll get out," telephoned Mrs. Marjorie Gripper, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Leavine.

Some 125 still were snowed in at June Lake Lodge, 180 miles east of San Francisco, where drifts up to 45 feet deep covered roads and many one-story houses.

"Here we can step out of a second-story window onto snow," said George Conn, lodge owner, over the only telephone line open from that community.

Conn reported ample stocks of food at June Lake, but Mrs. Gripper said food was running low in other snowbound parts of Mono County.

Nevada Gov. Charles Russell proclaimed a state of emergency to qualify for federal aid for livestock. Heavy snows have blocked roads to 200,000 cattle and 400,000 sheep in North and Central Nevada.

Gov. Russell said the livestock industry was threatened with a loss of 10-million dollars. He compared the crisis to that of 1948-49, when planes made a "hay lift" to starving animals.

In the Sierra Nevada passes from California to Nevada, all principal highways were blocked. Last night, after two days of diverting trains, Southern Pacific rotary plows chewed through 20 miles of deep drifts and reopened its rail route over Donner Summit.

The record snow pack—almost 22 feet at Soda Springs, and Donner Summit—threatens California's interior valleys with spring floods.

Claim Record For Flight In Glider

BISHOP, Calif. (U)—Two Californians who soared aloft on updrafts over the lowering Sierra Nevada claim a world altitude record of 40,000 feet for a two-place glider, the Soaring Association of Southern California reports.

They are Larry Edgar, 30, and Harold Kieferth, 30, both employed in a high-altitude weather research project here.

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Men In Service

WITH THE X CORPS IN KOREA—Sgt. Louis W. Jones of Big Spring, recently was assigned to the motor section of X Corps in Korea.

Jones, whose wife, Lola, lives at 1408 Collins St., Kansas City, Mo., previously lived at 410 Runnels St. in Big Spring.

A veteran of 25 years Army service, he served at Fort Bliss, Texas, before sailing for Korea last December.

Sgt. Hollis Yates, who has been stationed at Fairchild Air Force Base, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Yates. Sgt. Yates stopped at home on delayed orders while en route to an overseas assignment in North Africa.

Fifth US Witness To Take Stand In Trial Of Commies

LOS ANGELES (U)—The government's fifth witness—identity undisclosed until he takes the stand—is scheduled to testify against California's 15 Communist leaders today in their federal conspiracy trial.

Judge William C. Mathes yesterday took under submission defense motions to strike testimony of the first four prosecution witnesses. The attorneys argued all day, with the jury excused, over the defense contention that most of the early testimony be stricken because it concerned events before 1940. The defendants are charged under the Smith Act of 1940 with conspiring to teach and advocate overthrow of the government by force.

Eighth Suspect In Reno Burglary Is Arrested By Police

RENO, Nev. (U)—Arrest of an eighth suspect in the burglary of millionaire Laverne Redfield's safe brought the first confession of the case and boosted the cash recovery to \$128,000.

The FBI said Anthony Gazzigli, 41, former gambling house porter here, admitted taking part in the 1 1/2-million-dollar Redfield burglary and led to the recovery of \$27,000 cash, some jewelry and securities.

Officers said Gazzigli, a brother of Louis (Firpo) Gazzigli, already held in the case, told how Redfield's safe was taken from the home and broken open with crowbars in an isolated area outside Reno.

Farmers Plan Cut In Planting Plans

WASHINGTON (U)—Government hopes for more meat, dairy and poultry products during the next 18 months were dimmed today when a spring planting survey showed farmers plan to cut down on acreage, rather than increase planting as recommended by Secretary of Agriculture Brannan.

The Agriculture Department said farmer concern over a tight labor supply, recent downturns in farm product prices, and a desire to keep much land in grass for grazing beef cattle were factors holding down planting.

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AIKEN THINKS

Taft Needs A Good Wisconsin Showing

By MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH WASHINGTON (U.S. — Sen. Aiken (R-Vt.) said today that Sen. Taft will be "just about out of the race" for the Republican presidential nomination unless he wins Wisconsin's April 1 primary decisively.

Other comment was that he had discouraged his Minnesota supporters from writing in his name. The Ohioan's headquarters here said he made "no campaign whatever" and added that the Eisenhower forces had been unable to defeat Stassen "despite weeks of feverish effort and the expenditure of large sums of money."

Cecil B. Gibbs Seeks County Commission

A man who has spent the major portion of his life in Howard County is asking for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1.

He is Cecil B. Gibbs. His announcement of candidacy was made subject to action of the Democratic primaries.

Since 1943 he has resided in the Knott community with the exception of four years in the Armed Forces, which included overseas duty in the Philippines.

Since his separation from service in March 1948, Gibbs has been engaged in farming. He is married and he and Mrs. Gibbs have one child, Cecil Russell Gibbs, three months old. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs.

"I feel that I know the precinct which I now ask to serve and that I have observed the problems it has from time to time," said Gibbs.

"I will give all the time necessary to do the job as the people want it done, and to keep in mind the interests of Howard County as a whole. So far as is physically possible, I want to meet folks and present my request for consideration personally. If I should miss any, I would like them to consider my announcement an appeal for consideration."

Hoffman urged Eisenhower to return to the United States after the May 15 Oregon primary, and he (Hoffman) announced plans to seek a three-month leave of absence from the Ford Foundation, which he heads, to devote full time to the Eisenhower campaign.



CECIL GIBBS

Beaumont Voters To Conduct A Primary On Prexy Aspirants

BEAUMONT, March 20 (U.S. — Beaumont voters will conduct an unofficial presidential preference election.

Mayor the Plummer said yesterday names of major Democratic and Republican presidential aspirants will be placed on the ballots at the general city election, April 2.

Plummer explained the vote would be unofficial and would have no actual effect. He and four councilmen named in a Democratic primary earlier this month have no opposition for city offices.

CUTS HIS SPEECH

Kefauver Prefers To Shake Hands

WISCONSIN RAPIDS, Wis. (U.S. — Winding up his first day of campaigning in Wisconsin, Sen. Estes Kefauver of Tennessee cut down on his wordage last night so he could shake more hands.

Kefauver, who has flipped his cousin cap into the Democratic presidential ring and into Wisconsin's April 1 primary, put aside his prepared speech, declaring he was pressed for time in order to meet personally as many as he could in his audience of 2,300.

Among the Republican presidential candidates in the state, last night, Sen. Robert Taft of Ohio kept up his criticism of the administration's foreign policy and Harold Stassen hit again at Taft's foreign policy.

Kefauver told his audience at Wisconsin Rapids' Lincoln Field House that "this is a time of tremendous challenge. I know the people of the United States can outdo the slave people any time. We want to convince the people of the world their best course lies with us."

Taft poked anew at the administration's foreign policy before an overflow crowd of 1,000 in the Central School Auditorium at Superior.

Asked what he thought about "McCarthyism," he replied that so far as he knew it was a "smear tactic used by enemies of Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.)."

"McCarthy was more than justified in asking for an investigation of Communist influences in the State Department," Taft said. "Those who conducted the investigation (of McCarthy's charges) looked into the status of only four people and spent the rest of the time mostly investigating McCarthy." Taft did not name the four persons.

Stassen told a Milwaukee GOP

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Personal To Women With Nagging Backache

HAMILTON OPTOMETRIC CLINIC

Some Girls Reported On A Rampage At Gainesville

GAINESVILLE, March 20 (U.S. — A few girls at the state home here have been on a rampage of screaming, cursing and breaking up the furniture, the superintendent reported last night.

They are standing up defying us, saying we don't dare touch them because the press will get us," she said. The girls are on the second floor of a cottage where those hardest to control are housed, she said.

Seal Coat Projects For Area Highways

AUSTIN, March 20 (U.S. — Bids on the second largest amount of highway mileage ever offered for contract in Texas in a single month were checked by the State Highway Department the past two days. Low bids on 65 projects totaled \$7,566,970.

\$1.1 miles, seal coat and asphaltic pavement, from Cypress St. to east city limits in Colorado City; from State Highway 70 east of Clairmont to State Highway 70 south of Jayton; from U. S. 380 to Fisher County line; from Broadway St. to Mustang in Sweetwater; from Rotan to 5 miles; from State Highway 70 to Stonewall County line; from Coleman County line to Eastland County line in sections; from Big Spring to 12.5 miles northeast; from Merkel to Blair; from 7 miles north of Laeders to Jones County line; from Farm Road 142 to Shackleford County line; from State Highway 24 to 8.5 miles southwest; from Farm Road 618 west 0.7 mile; from Jayton to 2.6 miles southwest and from Farm Road 643 to 4.3 miles south. Ned B. Hoffman, Fort Worth, 217,112.

Fair Vote Assured In Jim Wells Co.

ALICE, March 20 (U.S. — The Jim Wells County Grand Jury says it will use its power under the new Texas Election Code if necessary "to assure our people of fair elections" this year.

The jury's report yesterday followed by one day a statement by Dist. Judge Sam G. Reams which was highly critical of County Judge George Parr, reputed South Texas political boss. Reams impaneled the jury.

Villagers Give Up As Water Creeps A Bit Closer To Them

TIGNES, France (U.S. — The lake water behind a big hydroelectric dam crept closer to Tignes today and most of the 460 villagers packed their belongings, conceding their fight for more compensation for their homes was a lost cause.

The villagers had sworn to stay until they were removed forcibly or were granted more than four times the two-million-dollar compensation offered by the government.

45 New Casualties

WASHINGTON (U.S. — The Defense Department today identified 45 more battle casualties in Korea in a new list (No. 534) which reported 11 killed, 33 wounded and one injured.

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AREA OIL

Southwest Scurry Wildcat Has Oil And Water In Lower Strawn

McAlester No. 1-A Allen, the southwest Scurry County prospect which has shown for probable reef production, recovered oil and salt water in the Strawn. Previous to this same section had flowed at the estimated rate of 10 to 15 barrels per hour.

Texas Co. No. 1 Wason, C SW NW 4-29-1N, T&P, nine miles northeast of Coahoma, was at 8,468 in dome, possibly the Ellenburger. Operator was preparing to take a drillstem test.

Shell No. 1 McGee, one mile southwest outcrop to the lone producer in the O'Daniel-Canyon pool, drilled at 8,464 in lime, shale and chert. It is located C SE NW 10-30-1N, T&P.

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Rehearsal For Mass Air Movement

Combat equipped soldiers of the 31st (Dixie) Infantry Division march to waiting transport planes at Shaw Air Force Base, S. C. as a rehearsal for the start of the biggest airlift of U. S. troops ever undertaken.

Actress Saved From Dose Of Sleeping Pills

NEW YORK, March 20 (AP)—The New York Journal American said today Actress Barbara Payton swallowed sleeping pills after a quarrel with her husband, Actor Franck Tone, a few days ago and was saved by "quick action" of a physician.

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'Miss Dixie Division'

Maj. Gen. A. G. Paxton, commanding General of the 31st Infantry Division, pins the division insignia on the shoulder of Miss Ellie Luckett, 19, and presents her with the title of "Miss Dixie Division" in Temple, Tex., as first units of the division arrived for the war games, Operation Long Horn.

County Has Raised \$3,600 Of Its Rainmaking Quota

Approximately \$3,600 of Howard County's \$8,500 budget for participation in the rainmaking program of the West Texas Weather Improvement District has been raised, according to the office of the Howard County Farm Bureau.

A contract has been signed by the district with the Water Resources Development Corporation of Denver, and reports indicate that some of the silver iodide generators for seeding clouds have been placed and that operations will probably start sometime around April 1st.

Leatherwood, Farm Bureau president, said that it will be close more than 300 one-man offices and sharply reduce contact personnel in 70 regional offices.

The V.A. now has 2,234 employees doing contract work, and says the cuts would reduce this figure to 308. Contact employees handle inquiries by veterans and others seeking information on veterans' laws.

The Appropriations Committee recommended \$1,177,727,000 for the atomic energy program for the next fiscal year. This is a cut of \$174,272,500 below the requested amount, and is \$468,170,250 below the appropriation for the current year.

The nine-member Joint Atomic Energy Committee said a proposed cut of 46 million dollars in the 136 million requested for the atomic reactor program could well slow down to a walk the program to build atomic-powered aircraft and submarines. It also protested a proposed 15 million cut for physical research, and limitations on certain production.

The budget-cutters started out in control yesterday by chopping the President's emergency fund from five million to one million dollars.

Sponsors of the cut, led by Rep. Phillips (R-Calif.), claimed that would be more than enough to allow the President to cope with real emergencies. In the past, they contended, the President has used the fund for projects that were not actual emergencies.

Final Compact Due Over Sabine River

DALLAS, March 20 (AP)— Compact commissioners agreed yesterday on framework for negotiation of a division between Louisiana and Texas of waters of the Sabine River Basin.

The final compact will be worked out later. The Sabine River Compact Commission is headed by Col. Lewis W. Prentiss, federal representative.

Each state outlined its principal problems in meeting water demands of the basin which John W. Simmons, Orange, sees as "becoming the breadbasket of an important industrial area."

For purposes not in sight, we can anticipate twice the present usage of water in the Texas portion of the Sabine River Basin," he added.

Simmons and Henry L. Woodworth, Orange, represent Texas. Col. J. Lester White, representing Louisiana, said irrigation is the No. 1 problem in the rice belt in southwestern part of his state.

Texans emphasized industrial needs. The commission agreed to work toward two principal provisions in the final compact:

1. Determine the amount of water which will pass Logansport, La., the approximate point at which the Sabine becomes the Texas-Louisiana state line and above which all water flowing into the River comes from Texas.

2. Division on a simple percentage basis of the flow below Logansport.

Simmons listed three principal trouble areas in the Texas portion of the basin as:

1. The Greenville area which has the lowest rainfall in the basin and where periods of no-flow in the river have been recorded.

2. The Longview-Gladewater-Kilgore area where there was recorded 149 days during 1948-49 in which the flow was less than the 280 cubic feet per second already allocated for use.

3. The area above tidewater in the vicinity of Ruff, Tex., where for 45 days during 1948-1949 the flow was less than the total present allocations above that point.

Simmons said the flow characteristics of the Sabine are more favorable than other Texas streams and storage in reservoirs can provide a high proportion of the flow for beneficial use.

Hickman said the essence of the Communist reply was "that the plan would be a step forward if we bought their proposition."

Official spokesmen at this U.N. treaty headquarters declined to comment on reports from Key West, Fla., that President Truman may not seek re-election if a "permanent peace" for Korea is agreed on soon.

Unofficially it was pointed out that the current negotiations can end only in a temporary armistice—not a permanent peace.

A peace treaty would have to be negotiated later by the nations involved.

Communist newsmen hinted Wednesday that an armistice might be reached by mid-April. Frequently Red correspondents have reflected official Communist opinion, but Allied negotiators were skeptical.

Mrs. John Damico, who suffered a contusion and slight brain concussion when a car in which she was riding turned over east of Coahoma this morning, was reported resting well in the Cowper Hospital-Clinic. The Damicos are from Brooklyn, N. Y.

SEATTLE, March 20 (AP)—The King County Humane Society has a "problem" dog on its hands a big, frisky, friendly animal that simply refuses to leave the pound.

"Six times we've sent him away with a prospective owner," said "Doug" Boaz, assistant manager, "and six times he has come back. What can you do with a dog like that?"

NEW YORK, March 20 (AP)—Wool option prices were active today at the opening and closed at 41.44; July 49.50 and October 37.40.

Borden

Baker & Taylor No. 1 Johnson, C SW SW 41-32-5N, T&P, drilled to 4,545 in lime.

Magnolia No. 1-D Conrad, C NW SW 71-25, H&TC, progressed to 4,513 in lime, chert and shale.

Magnolia No. 7 Murphy, C SW NE 69-25, H&TC, was at 6,784, drilling out cement.

Phillips No. 1-A Dennis, C NW SE 62 Georgetown RR, was shut-down for repairs at 315 in redbeds.

Shell No. 6 Sterling, C SW NW 79-25, H&TC, progressed to 3,321 in shale and lime.

Superior No. 6-597 Jones, C SE NW 597-97, H&TC, drilled to 8,051 in lime. Operator will drill ahead to test the Ellenburger. This venture has experienced some substantial shows in the Mississippian.

Dawson

Cities Service No. 1 Brennan, C SW SW 78-M, EL&RR, drilled to 5,613 feet in lime.

Cities Service No. 14 Dupree, C NW SE 67-M, EL&RR, a 12,500-foot Ellenburger venture in the Welch pool, was building derrick.

Gulf No. 1 Reeves, C SW SE 6-1-6n, Politevant, was botomed at 10,261 in lime shale, and had a fishing job. Operator cored from 10,236-261 with recovery of 25 feet of lime and shale with no shows.

Gulf No. 1 Vestal, C NW NW 11-34-7n, T&P, remained shut-in at total plugged back depth of 10,613.

Pacific Western No. 1 Blevin, C SW SW 131-M, EL&RR, 14 miles west of Lamesa, progressed to 10,405 in shale and lime.

Stanolind No. 1-A Bodine, C SE NW 43-33-4n, T&P, 2 1/2 miles northeast of Ackerly, drilled ahead at 5,443 in lime.

Glasscock

Sinclair No. 1 Clark, C SW SE 41-35-4n, T&P, four miles east and three north of Driver Spraberry production, drilled to 5,220 in lime and shale.

Phillips No. 2 McDowell, C NE NE 31-34-2n, T&P, pumped six barrels in 18 hours and was still testing.

Phillips No. 1 Berry, C NW NW 35-36-2n, T&P, continued to drill on cement after plugging back to 10,752.

Ohio No. 1 Moeller, C SE SE 10-37-5n, T&P, was at 2,970 in anhydrite and redbeds.

Magnolia No. 1 Bryans, C SE NW 26-35-4n, T&P, flowed from perforations 6,975-7,000 and 7,010-49 46 barrels of load oil in 9 hours through 48-64 choke. Tubing pressure was 25-0. The operator swabbed 21 barrels load oil plus 25 salt water in 15 hours. There remained 100 feet of fluid in the hole and swabbing continued.

Howard

No further reports have been received from the American No. 2 Katie Barber, C NW NW 21-27,

hire enough inspectors to make thorough checks on all warehouses under the program.

The senators expected to hear about gifts and gratuities to some department officials.

White was fired in February after Agriculture Secretary Brannan reported big losses in government grain. Brannan said White was ousted for "inefficiency."

The former official said he tried to do something about those shortages. But, he said, "one man was not sufficient."

White replied delays on some were "legitimate."

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Texas Company No. 11 L. T. Clark, 1,850 from south and 2,310 from east lines section 7-A C&K&T, pumped 24 hours to make 50.96 per cent water and 7,650 barrels 28.6 gravity oil. It was treated with 1,250 gallons of acid. Top of pay was 1,026 total depth 1,092, the 6 1/2-in. at 1,078; perforated 1,041, 49, 1,026-33.

Humble No. 1 Mrs. Marvin Drivault, C N ENE 13-15, H&TC, drilled to 245 feet in redbeds. The test is projected to 4,500 to test the Wichita-Albany. It was a northeast outcrop to the Marvyn (Wichita-Albany field) southeast of Sterling City.

Atlantic Refining Co. No. 2-14 Driver will be a Driver Spraberry location 660 from south and west lines section 14-37-4n, T&P, rotary 8,100.

Humble Oil No. 2 TXL, 1,980 from south and west lines lease section 5-37-4n, T&P, Driver pool, pumped 24 hours after 2,000 gallons acid and 7,000 gallons fracture. It made two per cent water and 102.11 barrels of 38.1 gravity oil. Gas-oil ratio was 952-1, elevation 2,702; top pay 7,164, total depth 8,125; the 5 1/2-in. at 8,112; perforated 8,060-8,130, and 7,164-7,224.

Humble No. 2 Audrey Hut Fee, 660 from south and 1,980 from east lines section 30-37-3n, T&P, Tex Harvey pool, flowed 24 hours through 27-64 choke after 3,000 gallons fracture. It made two per cent water and 264.85 barrels of 36 gravity oil. Tubing pressure was 200, gas-oil ratio 795-1, elevation 2,635; top pay 7,135, total depth 8,092, the 5 1/2-in. at 8,079; perforated 7,135, 205, from 7,992-8,011, and 8,031-8,060.

Magnolia No. 2-L TXL, 660 from north and west lines lease section 17-37-4n, T&P, Driver Spraberry pool, pumped 24 hours after 13,500 gallons acid. It made 2.2 per cent water and 138.3 barrels 37 gravity oil. Gas-oil ratio was 237-1, elevation 2,756; top pay 7,212, total depth 7,425, the 5 1/2-in. at 7,174.

E. E. Fogelson No. 3 Boone, 660 from south and 1,980 from east lines section 42-36-3n, T&P, Tex

LITTLE SPORT



Odessa Favored In Relays; Amarillo Will Split Squad

Plainview Will Enter Full Team

Amarillo's Golden Saddies, top challengers for the team title in the Big Spring Relays the past few years, will divide its squad this weekend, sending part of the team here and the remainder to the Bluebonnet Relays in Brownwood.

Decision of Coach Frank Guess to have the school represented at both meets improves Odessa's chances to top title laurels.

Odessa had already been established as a big favorite but Amarillo was due to be a major contender.

A new team champion is certain to be crowned, since Brady is not returning. That team, considerably weaker this year than last, is competing at Brownwood this year.

Joe Childers, star sprinter, and Hurdler, Walter Holley, will lead the Odessa team to Big Spring. Walter Cooley of the Bronchos will be a major threat in the weights, too.

Odessa won first place in the San Angelo Invitational Meet last weekend, at which time Holley led the point-makers by winning both hurdles, the broad jump and the pole vault.

Childrens fashioned at 9.8 in the 100 last week. The record for the 100 here is ten flat, held jointly by Dean Smith of Graham and W. N. Turner of Brady.

Billy Joe Harville, discus thrower; David Guber, Roger Berggren, Carl Boone, Wiley Burk and Troy Moody are other Odessans who will compete here.

Plainview has entered a full team and could show surprising strength in some of the events.

Despite high winds, Coach Carl Coleman spent most of Wednesday working on the track at Steer stadium, which, like everything else, has taken a bad beating due to the wind.

He was ably assisted by some of his athletes, notably Harold Haynie and Ronald Farquhar.

About 30 to 40 are now expected to field teams here, some of them for the first time.

The American Business Club, sponsor of the meet, has spent something like \$600 toward prizes for the Relays. The carnival gets underway at 10 a. m. and continues through Saturday night.

Reimold Signed To Vernon Pact

VERNON—John Reimold has signed his 1952 baseball contract with the Vernon Dusters.

A first baseman, Reimold hit .296 and drove in 115 runs for the Dusters last season.

The Dusters will launch spring drills here next Monday. At least 208 players are due to greet Manager Chet Fowler, among them several Cubans.

Sam Snead Is Easy Winner Of Seminole Golf Tourney

PALM BEACH, Fla., March 20 (AP)—In one brilliant four-hole stretch, Sammy Snead won the pro division of the \$10,000 Seminole Gold Tournament yesterday and gave his admiring gallery a glimpse of golfing genius.

There were nine holes to go and Snead trailed Johnny Palmer, Babin, N. C., by a stroke. It was time to turn on the steam and the West Virginia slammer had a full head.

He birdied the 10th and 11th with just, difficult putts. He chipped in from 60 feet off the green for an eagle three at the 12th, and birdied the 13th with another long putt.

That demoralizing burst shot Snead far past Palmer, who flopped to a 29 on the homecoming stretch, and earned Sammy \$1,538.33 for the 36-hole event.

He collected \$1,800 for his victory in the pro section and \$38.33 for teaming with Arthur O. Wellman, New York, to tie for fifth in the pro-amateur best ball.

Snead's 138 gave him a six-stroke margin over Palmer and three others—Doug Ford, Harrison, N. Y.; Marty Furgol, Lemont, Ill.; and Claude Harmon, West Palm Beach. Gusty winds felled such golfers as Ben Hogan, Jack Burke, Houston, and Cary Middlecoff. So bad were conditions that only Snead

Big Spring (Texas) Herald, March 1952

PROSPECTS BRIGHT

Del Ennis Looks Great For Phils

By RALPH RODEN Associated Press Sports Writer

Manager Eddie Sawyer's "austerity program" is paying off for the Philadelphia Phillies skipper and he's optimistic over his team's chances in the 1952 race.

Sawyer laid the law down this spring after his "Whiz Kids" of 1950 slipped to fifth place in 1951. No wives, automobiles, golf, gambling, swimming and a strict curfew in the camp of the Phils.

The players toed the line and Sawyer was so pleased with the improvement that he relaxed some of the regulations. The boys can eat away from the hotel now and play cards but the remainder of the restrictions still are in force.

Outfielder Del Ennis is one reason the Phils' boss is enthusiastic about his team.

Ennis, who slumped after a great 1950 season, is in the best shape of his career. A streamlined 190 pounds, Ennis has been hitting with power in the clutch.

The slugging outfielder started the Phils on the road to an 8-1 victory over the New York Yankees at Clearwater, Fla., yesterday by belting a grand slam home run in the seventh inning. The homer was his third of the spring.

The Detroit Tigers also came up with some lusty hitting as they scalped the Boston Braves, 9-1, at Bradenton, Fla. Rookies Ben Taylor and Russ Sullivan pounded out three hits apiece to lead the attack.

Former Tiger Earl Rapp socked two home runs to pace the St. Louis Browns to an 8-2 decision over the Chicago Cubs at Los Angeles.

Monte Irvin, National League runs-batted-in king, came out of his slump to lead the New York Giants to a 4-3 victory over the Chicago White Sox at Pasadena, Calif. Irvin poked a two-run homer in the first inning.

A home run by Vern Stephens also enabled the Boston Red Sox to nose out the St. Louis Cardinals, 3-2, at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Utility infielder Bobby Morgan drove home two runs on a triple and single to lead the Brooklyn

Dodgers to a 3-2 triumph over the Cincinnati Reds at Vero Beach, Fla.

The Pittsburgh Pirates hopped on Bob Feller for three runs in the first inning on a walk and three singles and went on to down the Cleveland Indians, 3-2, at San Bernardino, Calif.

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San Francisco's defending champion Stewart Chevrolet led the march into tonight's four-game round with an 89-44 lashing of Portland, Ore.

San Francisco plays the Hollywood, Fibber McGee and Molly team, which advanced with a 45-32 victory over the Denver Central Bankers.

Phillips 8834s, Bartlesville, Okla., winners of seven of the last nine AAU tourneys, had tough going before whipping the Los Alamitos, Calif., Naval Air Station 64-54.

Phillips will play the REA Travelers of Artesia, N. M. The REA club needed an overtime period before conquering the McPherson, Kan., American Legion, 61-55.

Oakland's Atlas Pacific Engineers, who slipped by San Diego Grinhalva Motors, 74-48, will play the Air Force All Stars. The Air Force team, generating a blazing fast break, swept by Milwaukee Allen-Bradley, 67-59.

Peoria's Caterpillar Diesels used their superior reserve strength to wear down Denver Jussel Electric 75-56. The Diesels will play the Warrensburg, Mo., Riggles Plaza Bowl, the only unseeded team among the starting 44 clubs to reach the quarter-finals.

The Missouri team, made up of Warrensburg Teachers College players, flipped over seventh-seeded Los Angeles Kirby Shoes, 62-45, in yesterday's major upset.

Victors in tonight's games will qualify for the playoffs later this month in New York City and Kansas City to select the team to represent the U. S. in the Olympics.

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IN JC MEET

Wharton Winner Over Moberly At Hutchinson

HUTCHINSON, Kas., March 20 (AP)—Teams from Illinois, Texas, Missouri and Kansas seek their second consecutive victories tonight in the National Junior College Basketball Tournament.

Joliet (Ill.) College plays the Wharton, Tex., club and Hannibal LaGrange of Hannibal, Mo., meets Dodge City Kas. All won their first round games.

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Pale Hose Have Cuban Flavor

By BOB MYERS PASADENA, Calif., March 20 (AP)—The final decisions remain to be made but it appears Manager Paul Richards is molding a solid infield for the Chicago White Sox.

The Sox infield was pretty well set from last year when the club came to Pasadena this spring, with the one hole at third base.

Eddie Robinson, a good long ball keystone combination of Shortstop Chico Carrasquel and Second Baseman Nelson Fox.

The newcomer is Hector Rodriguez, the rookie of the year with Montreal in the International League last year.

The international flavor, which extends into left field and the pitchers' box, goes like this:

Carrasquel is from Venezuela, and his rookie understudy, Guillermo Miranda, is from Cuba. Rodriguez and the now famed left fielder, Orestes Minoza, are also from Cuba along with Luis Aloma, ace relief pitcher.

Fox is from St. Thomas, Pa., and Robinson lives in Baltimore and his birthplace was Paris—Paris, Tex., that is.

Richards has been using the stocky Rodriguez regularly in the exhibitions. He knows what his veterans, Bob Dillinger, a holdover, and Sam Dente, late of the Washington club, are capable of doing at the position.

But Rodriguez must pass a thorough test before anyone will call him a 1952 third baseman. He hit .302 and drove in 95 for Montreal.

Rodriguez hits the ball well and his fielding more often than not has been exceptional.

The two top scorers on the University of Arizona basketball team, Roger Johnson and Jack Howell, are both married.



Resigns As Coach

Henry Frnka (above) resigned in New Orleans as head football coach at Tulane University to become executive vice president of Austin College at Sherman, Texas. The resignation is effective June 30. (AP Wirephoto).

Wolf Planning To Install T At Tulane U.

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Raymond (Bear) Wolf, Tulane University's new head coach, plans to continue use of the "T" formation but will probably add variations, including some double wing back formations.

Appointment of Wolf, Tulane line coach for the past two years, was announced last night by Dr. Rufus C. Harris, Tulane president, a few hours after the resignation of Henry Frnka.

Frnka, Tulane coach since 1946, resigned to become executive vice president of Austin College at Sherman, Tex., ending a 25-year coaching career. During his tenure at Tulane Frnka's football teams won 31 games, lost 23 and tied four.

Wolf said he plans to add some variations to Tulane's "T" formation and hopes for a balanced attack with running to set up pass plays.

"We like to throw the ball if we can," he said.

Frnka's resignation does not become effective until June 30, but with spring training already in progress, he suggested that his successor take charge immediately.

The 1949 season was not a happy one for Tulane fans, though the team won the Southeastern Conference championship.

When Tulane was swamped by Notre Dame, 46-7, and shut out by LSU's "Cinderella" team, 21-0, Frnka came in for considerable criticism from team supporters.

But Dr. Harris stood firmly behind Frnka, saying he played football the way he wanted Tulane to play it.

In 1950 the team record was six wins, two losses and one tie; last season Tulane won four, lost six and tied none.

Wolf played in the line at Texas Christian University in 1924-26. He coached the TCU line from 1929 until 1935, serving also as athletic director his last two years there.

He then became head coach at the University of North Carolina and in six seasons his teams won 37, lost 37 and tied three. He entered naval service in 1942 and after the war went to the University of Florida, where his teams won 24, lost 24 and tied two.

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Tommy Hart

Ordinarily spring training is a dead expense for any baseball club but there's no reason the Big Spring Bronchos shouldn't pick up some of the green stuff before the regular season gets underway, what with an opponent like Brooke Medical Center of San Antonio meeting the locals.

Big Spring hasn't hosted a major league exhibition in something like ten years, when the Philadelphia Athletics and the Chicago White Sox played in the old Roberts Park. The Brooke team that appears here April 17 comes close to being a big league outfit, though.

The Bronchos should also pick up a few nickels in their April 18 game at Midland, since they'll split the gate with the Indians. That city is more baseball conscious than it ever has been before and the Warriors will be playing their first game of the season at home when they meet the Hosers.

The locals will entertain the House of David, the famed Beloit, Wisconsin, team, here in early April, too.

The Davids, a team with a comic bend, used to put on the best pre-game "pepper game" that could be seen anywhere. They still do it, for all I know.

Several of those who'll probably play football for the Comets this fall are Randy Clay (Texas), Clayton Tonnemaker (Minnesota), and Joe Etheridge (SMU).

There's a high school lad at Taft, Calif., named Leon Patterson, who's been throwing the discus 173 feet.

The record for the Big Spring Relays, coming up this weekend, is 152 feet 6 1/2 inches, set by Jimmy Samuelson of Brady last year.

The Lou Boudreau lineup shift, which moves the pitcher into the No. 7 spot ahead of his catcher and Billy Goodman, might have paid off here last year.

Several of the hurlers being carried by Pat Stasey proved to be more reliable hitters than a few of the other regulars.

For a young league, the Longhorn is doing all right by the majors. Gerald Fahr, Roy McMillan and Leon Brinkoff are three graduates of the circuit fairly certain of sticking in the big tent and Haul Sanchez is another who may make the ripple.

When the Dallas Texans booked Carwell Air Force Base for an August 23 exhibition in Corpus Christi, it was a sort of compromise for that city.

Corpus had first sought to have the Texans conduct early workouts there. The Dallas people considered it too hot in August, however. Then the city made inquiries for an August 30 contest, only to find out the Texans were to play in Odessa a day earlier.

Plans for the operation of a Little League—baseball for boys not more than 13 years of age—are fast taking shape here.

Three sponsors have been lined up for teams to date. A fourth is needed. If more sponsors come forward, league membership will be increased accordingly.

The league, if it becomes a reality, will be affiliated with Little League, Inc., Willamport, Pa., and the champion here will compete for the state title.

Those interested can contact D. R. Gartman, 620 Caylor Drive, phone number 2251-W.

If organized, the league would function through most of the summer.

Andrew, Tinkham Bowling Leaders

L. B. Andrew and T. Tinkham are out front in Class C Doubles in the Texas Bowling Association's state meet at Dallas. The two Big Spring kiegiers have an aggregate score of 1,088 pins to lead the second place team by nine points.

In singles play in the Class C division, W. Cunningham of Big Spring is second with a tally of 563.

In Class B All-Events, R. D. Hale of Big Spring is third with 1,689 and Andrew fifth with 1,652.

In Class B doubles, Bob Birt and Jake Douglas of Big Spring are third with 1,089.

In Class B singles, Andrew is fifth with 569. In Class C team play, Lee Hanson's of Big Spring is second with 2,523.

Women Golfers Challenge Top Male Amateurs

By WILL GRIMSLEY

NEW YORK, March 20 (AP)—Fred Corcoran, tournament director of the ladies PGA, said today the current crop of feminine golfers can match shots with the best of the nation's male amateurs—and he'd like to prove it with a challenge match for charity.

The match: Babe Didrikson Zaharias, former Texan, vs. U. S. Amateur Champion Billy Maxwell of Denton and Odessa, Tex.

"The Babe would be tickled pink to play such a match," the Boston sports authority said. "She'd even be willing to play Maxwell on his home course in Odessa."

The Bostonian returned East yesterday after watching Mrs. Zaharias win the Women's Titleholders Tournament at Augusta with a 73-hole score of 298.

"These women today are playing a wonderful brand of golf," Corcoran said. "The top players are steadily in the low seventies—72's and 73's. They never go into the 80's, sometimes they get down in the 60's."

Corcoran said the "big four" of women's golf—Babe Zaharias, Patty Berg, Louise Suggs and Betty Jameson—are capable of gaining the quarter-finals of the men's amateur championship and might even win the title.

"But they aren't the only ones," he said. "Take the Bauer sisters, Beverly Hanson and others. They are all playing man-sized golf on man-sized courses."

Southwest Swim Meet On Tap

COLLEGE STATION, March 20 (AP)—The annual Southwest Conference swimming meet opens tonight with the 1500-meter freestyle.

Just as the entire meet, tonight's lone event is expected to be a tight fight between Texas and Southern Methodist. Arden Ameyne of Southern Methodist and Wynant Wilson, Alberto Yriart and Eddie Humphreys of Texas are the top men.

Preliminaries in the 50-yard freestyle, 200-yard backstroke, 220-yard breaststroke, diving and 40-yard freestyle relay will be held tomorrow afternoon with finals at night.

PASADENA, March 20 (AP)—Luis Aloma, White Sox No. 1 relief pitcher, says he is rounding into shape fast now that he has shed 30 pounds.

Aloma, who was ordered by Manager Paul Richards to refrain from playing winter baseball in Cuba to save wear on his arm, reported this spring at a hefty 230 pounds.

He still wonders why the Sox insist on listing him as a 175-pounder on their roster. He hasn't been that light in years.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

It Isn't the Heat—It's the Hide!

Big discussion after the Grange meeting Friday night. Tik Anderson was arguing that hogs were less more affected by the hot weather than cattle. Skeeter Morgan declared that it wasn't so—that he never saw any hogs bothered by the hot sun like his cows were.

I was glad when Rusty Robinson stepped in.

"Boys," he says, "don't get so riled up. It all depends on what color the livestock are. Hogs or cattle, the ones with light-colored coats absorb less heat from the sun's rays than animals with dark coats. So you're both right!"

From where I sit, so many useless arguments could be avoided if a person would remember he doesn't have all the right on his side. Reminds me of folks who insist that coffee, for instance, is the only drink, forgetting that other people have a right to a glass of beer now and then. If we wouldn't get so "het up" about our prejudices—we'd all be better off!

Joe Marsh

Advertisement for Schlitz beer, 'The BEER That Made Milwaukee Famous'.

Bluebonnet Relays Slated Saturday

BROWNWOOD, March 20 (AP)—More than 600 schoolboy tracksters will compete Saturday in the sixth annual Bluebonnet Relays. There also will be a golf tournament.

Fifty-five high schools have entered 667 athletes and there will be a few more by entry deadline.

Preliminaries will be held Saturday afternoon with finals at night. Amarillo, the defending champion; Austin and Brady, both former champions, and Dallas and Fort Worth schools are among the entries.

The golf tournament has drawn entries from Abilene, Breckenridge, Lampasas, Brady, Brownwood, Anson, Austin, Cisco, Poly (Fort Worth), Arlington Heights (Fort Worth) and Weatherford.

Wally Post must Hit To Make Grade

TAMPA, March 20 (AP)—Cincinnati Manager Luke Sewell was counting on Wally Post, 22, as a fine prospect to take over center field. But he'll have to hit.

Wally, who clobbered the ball for a .306 average at Buffalo last season, batted only .220 in 15 games with the Reds during 1951.

As for exhibition games, Post was hitless in three official trips to the plate as the Reds lost to Brooklyn, 3-2, yesterday, striking out twice.

Brooke Wins Again

SAN ANTONIO, March 20 (AP)—Brooke Army Medical Center's Comets defeated Ohio State, 13-1, here yesterday in the rubber game of a three-game baseball series.

Frogs Bop Sooners

FORT WORTH, March 20 (AP)—Texas Christian gave Oklahoma a 13-3 shellacking yesterday to snap a five game baseball losing streak. It was the season's opener for OU, but ended a 13-game winning streak.

Beaumont Graduate Shows To Advantage

ST. PETERSBURG, March 20 (AP)—Rookie Lefthander Harry Schaefer is compiling quite a strikeout mark for the Yankees.

Schaefer, up from Beaumont of the Texas League, has induced 12 men in 14 innings. Yesterday Schaefer induced five Philadelphia Phillies in five innings and allowed only three hits.

DEFENSE SUFFERING

Lollipops Plentiful, Senate Unit Finds

WASHINGTON (AP)—A Senate watchdog committee says a "don't disturb the civilian economy" policy dominates the nation's rearmament program.

The result, it said, has been the production of "a small number of guns and a great amount of butter, with a considerable number of lollipops thrown in."

The Senate Armed Services Preparedness Investigating Committee last night made public a report of

investigations made since it started work in July, 1950, soon after outbreak of the Korean War. It said investigations showed this about the mobilization program:

"Deliveries on defense hard goods—planes, tanks, ammunition and guns—had fallen dangerously behind schedule; so much so that the chances of reaching the minimum preparedness targets within the time set by our military planners seemed remote."

One basic cause for this, the committee said, is "failure of our responsible officials" to give weapons needs top claim on the nation's industrial capacity.

And back of this the committee found "apathy" among some government agencies. "Those responsible for the nation's current rearmament program lack the sense of urgency that has previously goaded Americans into their tremendous preparedness achievements," it said.

Brazil Troops Fight Off Reds At Ammo Dump

By JIMMIE S. PAYNE
RIO DE JANEIRO (AP)—Brazilian coastal provinces stretching more than 1,400 miles along the Atlantic were reported under a state of military alert today after troops fought off an attempt to blow up a Natal ammunition dump.

A Meridional News Agency dispatch from Natal said armed Communists made two night attacks on a regimental barracks in an effort to get at the ammunition dump. Troops beat them off with machine guns.

The news agency said Gen. Zenobia da Costa, commander of the area which stretches from Rio de Janeiro to Natal, ordered the alert. Machine guns were set up around Army barracks in the capital last night. Apparently Da Costa feared further Red attacks against the Army.

Da Costa, who has been in charge of a campaign against communism in the Army, sent his resignation to President Getulio Vargas. It appeared to be an effort to make Vargas clearly take sides on the Red issue and perhaps force out high officials accused of being Red sympathizers.

The Meridional agency quoted a presidential spokesman as saying Vargas will refuse to accept Da Costa's resignation.

Escape From Reds In Boxcar Full Of Barrels Of Wine

VIENNA, Austria (AP)—A Hungarian and his wife, who escaped their Communist homeland by hiding in a boxcar of wine barrels, are being held by police here for illegal entry into the American zone of Austria.

The couple started their daring six-day flight from a town near Budapest. Nestled among wine barrels consigned to Switzerland, they somehow were missed by Hungarian customs inspectors when the car crossed into Austria three days ago.

They remained in hiding through Austria's Russian zone. Yesterday, as the car rolled into the freight yards at Linz, they pounded on the sealed car and attracted the attention of railway workers who released them.

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Trucker Strike In The East Is Reported As Breaking Up

PITTSBURGH, March 20 (AP)—"Voluntary truck blockades" protesting Pennsylvania's 45,000 pound gross weight limit— which slowed truck traffic into the state from Ohio and New York were breaking up this morning.

Police estimated that more than

200 large interstate trucks had voluntarily halted in Ohio and New York state near the Pennsylvania border in observance of a midnight blockade set down by some 300 independent truckers.

The vehicles were halted on U. S. highway a heavily traveled trucking line into Pennsylvania, near Connessut, O., and near Ripley, N. Y. Truck traffic on the Pennsylvania Turnpike, the superhighway which spans the state from the Ohio border to near Philadelphia, was reported "very light" by state police.

In the state itself, a spokesman for the independent operators who started the protest, estimated some 4,000 to 5,000 vehicles would be idle.

Laird Bruner, business agent of the United Truckers Association, said roving pickets had been dispatched to various points over Pennsylvania to ask drivers to quit work.

A new law which would have raised the gross weight limit on the commonly used type of truck to 60,000 pounds was vetoed by Gov John S. Fine early this year.

CG Cutter Arrives

FREEMONT, March 20 (AP)—The Coast Guard Cutter Dione arrived yesterday from New Orleans at its permanent berth here. Civic leaders and the Navy Mothers Club welcomed the five officers and 52 crewmen of the 165-foot craft.

Negotiations Open

WASSENAAR, The Netherlands, among representatives of West Germany, Israel, and world Jewish organizations began last night to decide how much reparations Germany will pay to the Jews. Israel and the Jewish organizations claim 1 1/2 billion dollars.



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Decision Due On Lifting Of Cotton Control

WASHINGTON (AP)—The government hopes to decide in the next week or 10 days whether to lift price controls in a half-dozen major raw product fields, including wool and cotton.

Price Stabilizer Ellis Arnall told the Senate Banking Committee yesterday the Office of Price Stabilization hopes within two weeks to publish a statement on price control suspension policy, along with a preliminary set of standards.

He added that the first lifting of controls might come at the same time.

On the other hand, he said it may soon become necessary to place fresh fruit and vegetables under price controls if their prices continue to increase.

OPS officials said the first suspension actions might take place in five or six experimental areas. These might be actual suspension of controls or recommendations for close study in these fields.

Among the products named were wool, cotton, hides, tallow, burlap and edible fats and oils.

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Wreck Of AF Plane Found; Three Dead

FRONT ROYAL, Va. (AP)—The wreckage of an Air Force B-26, its three crewmen all dead, was found on a Blue Ridge mountain side six miles east of here yesterday after a day-long ground and air search. The plane crashed late Tuesday night.

Egypt Fires Four Top Govt. Aides

CAIRO, Egypt (AP)—Egypt's gov ernment fired four top officials of the Interior Ministry today for failing to stop the violent fire rioting of Jan. 20 in Cairo.

The ousted four were the national police chiefs and the acting governor of the city. They were ordered into retirement by royal decree issued by King Farouk last night after a Cabinet meeting.

Fired were Gen. Misrad el Kholy, commander of Egyptian police; Gen. Ahmed Abdel Hadi, director of Egyptian police; Mahmoud el Bedini Bey, acting governor of Cairo; and Brigadier Mohamed Aly, commander of auxiliary police.

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