

ROOSEVELT AND CABINET ABSOLVED OF BLAME BY PEARL HARBOR PROBE

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—A majority of the Congressional Pearl Harbor committee, laying solely to military men the failures which contributed to the 1941 disaster, declared today that the late President Roosevelt and his cabinet "discharged their responsibility with distinction, ability and foresight."

Coffee Asked To "Explain" Campaign Gift

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—The senate war investigating committee ordered the justice department today to deliver its files on a \$2,500 check described by Rep. John M. Coffee (D-Wash.) as a "campaign contribution" — an explanation bluntly termed by Senator Brewster (R-Me.) a "belated alibi."

Groups Agree To Renew OPA For One Year

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—Senate-House conferees agreed tonight on compromise legislation to revive OPA until next June 30, with a complex formula for handling price controls for various major food items.

Jet Lessens Takeoff Time Of Flying Boat

ALAMEDA, Calif., July 20 (AP)—A jet-assisted takeoff made the giant flying boat Philippine airborne in less than half the regular time, the Navy announced today as it readied the craft for a flight to Honolulu with 20 civilian observers.

Atom Bill Passes House With Many Amendments

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—Loaded with amendments, the senate's McMahon atomic energy control bill passed the house today.

2nd Bomb Test Ready July 24

ABOARD USS APPALACHIAN, Sunday, June 21 (AP)—Operation Crossroads today neared its second climactic test, which will be the decisive factor in determining whether the atomic age has made present-day navies obsolete.

tee for adjustment of differences between the two branches. The major differences are over the voice the military shall have in control of atomic energy development, and the stiffness of penalties for violations.



FACES DOUBLE MURDER CHARGE—Albert Jones (right), 14, of Chico, Calif., is questioned by Sheriff W. H. Forward of Oroville, Calif., in connection with the fatal shooting of Mrs. Myrtle Nielsen. A murder charge was filed against the youth in the death of Patricia A. Crandall, 15, and District Attorney J. M. McPherson said he would make it a double charge as a result of the death of Mrs. Nielsen. (AP Wirephoto.)

UNIFIED GERMANY PROPOSED TO FORESTALL ECONOMY TIE-UP

BERLIN, July 20 (AP)—The United States bluntly advised the three other occupying powers in Germany today to join their zones in a single economic unit or face a steady growth of "creeping economic paralysis."

Using 12 rockets in relays, the crew got the huge four-engine plane into the air in about 40 percent of the time usually required. The test, conducted off the Alameda air station late yesterday, was pronounced a success with many future possibilities.

O'Dwyer Asks Buyers To Boycott Rises

NEW YORK, July 20 (AP)—Mayor William O'Dwyer today called upon the people of New York City to refrain from paying exorbitant prices for foodstuffs.

6 Injured In Plane Crash

YELLEVILLE, Ark., July 20 (AP)—A twin-engine airplane crashed in downtown Yellville tonight, seriously injuring the plane's six occupants.

single economic Germany before the four-power Allied control council in an attempt to break the long-standing deadlock on the reich's economic future.

O'Daniel's Rent Suit Settled

DALLAS, July 20 (AP)—Mike O'Daniel, son of Sen. W. Lee O'Daniel, was scheduled to file an eviction suit against Wesley Briant here today, but Mrs. Briant said a compromise had been reached.

Violence Precedes Voting In Turkey

ISTANBUL, July 20 (AP)—Four persons were shot to death and violence swelled on a mounting tide of tension, opposition reports said today, as Turks prepared to go vote tomorrow to determine the fate of President Ismet Inonu's government.

Reviewing The Big Spring - Week - Joe Pickle

Cotton is soaring into the clouds these days. Seeing as how we are quite apt to be short of this commodity this year in Howard county, it reminds us of the man who lost \$50,000 on hogs — because he didn't have 10,000 head when the market jumped.

Live Fish Removed From Ex-GI's Lung

NEW ORLEANS, July 20 (AP)—With the use of a bronchoscope, a live flounder about the size of a silver dollar was removed today at Charity hospital here from the right lung of Franklin Larrain, 26, an ex-service man of Cutoff, La.

Board To Meet

FORT WORTH, July 20 (AP)—First meeting of the bi-racial commission appointed by Governor Stevenson to work out a plan for establishment of a negro state university will be called Thursday morning in Austin, Mark McGee, announced here today.

Two Killed Instantly

HOUSTON, July 20 (AP)—Two men were killed instantly in an auto-truck collision on the Beaumont highway near here today, and the automobile in which they had been riding was destroyed by flames.

Other Cereals Added To British Rationing

LONDON, July 20 (AP)—The food ministry in a midnight announcement tonight added oatmeal, wheat porridges, macaroni, spaghetti, pudding and cake mixtures, pearl barley and a number of other cereal products to the rationing program which begins tomorrow.

More Food, But Higher Prices Without Control

CHICAGO, July 20 (AP)—More food and higher prices. That was a one sentence summary today of conditions in primary food markets after three weeks of free, competitive buying and selling following termination of OPA price controls.

Opponents of the OPA claimed that prices were no higher than they had been in black markets, where they said a large part of the trading had taken place, and that in addition the OPA had paid subsidies to producers which were a "hidden cost" exacted against the consumer.

MOTHER IS ILL

Dr. and Mrs. Allen R. Hamilton have gone to Lubbock where her mother is reported seriously ill.

KU KLUX REVIVED

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 20 (AP)—William H. Morris, a roofing contractor, said tonight that the Ku Klux Klan had filed incorporation papers in Alabama "as a revival of an American crusade for white supremacy."

Weather Forecast

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy and slightly cooler today and tomorrow. High today 85, low tonight 70.

Body Identified

REDDING, Calif., July 20 (AP)—The body of a woman found in an abandoned gold mine shaft a month ago was identified today, Coroner Claude E. Whiteman announced, as that of Mrs. Ruth Knight, 42, formerly of Silver City, N. M.

Valley Foresees Firm Vegetable Demand

MALLEN, July 20 (AP)—Farmers in the Rio Grande Valley who cashed in on vegetable crops last winter and spring to the tune of millions of dollars already are planting their seedbeds for next fall's crops.

Postal Bill Signed

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—President Truman signed the \$1,604,862,140 treasury-post office appropriation bill today which means that now postal employees can get their pay.

Dallas Leads Permits

By The Associated Press Building permits on projects valued at \$1,707,399 were issued in Texas' major cities last week. Dallas led with \$629,054, followed by Fort Worth with \$410,057. San Antonio had \$405,178, while Houston reported only \$263,110.

Father Of Five Charged With Murder In Mysterious Roadside Slaying

HOUSTON, July 20 (AP)—Mysterious circumstances continued to obscure the picture in the roadside slaying near here today of a 22-year-old painter identified 16 hours after he was shot as Roy Jones of Corpus Christi.

Top Candidates Plan Final Say

By The Associated Press All the five candidates for governor expected to be in the top bracket in the balloting next Saturday announced plans for their final say on Friday night before the voters get the last word July 27.

China Demands Food Relief

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—The Chinese government demanded today that UNRRA resume suspended relief shipments to China and in a sharply worded statement it indirectly blamed UNRRA itself for delays in distribution of supplies.

New Cabinet Named

BUENOS AIRES, July 20 (AP)—President Gualberto Villarroel of Bolivia named a new cabinet made up entirely of military men today, the Bolivian embassy here announced, after an abortive revolutionary coup in which more than 100 persons were reported killed.



### The Week

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one time that farmers and ranchers, forced to unload because of serious drought conditions, are not compelled to sell at sacrifice prices.

The annual Big Spring rodeo is slated for Aug. 7-10, and that's only about three weeks away. The show shapes up as a repeat on last year's high quality. It's not too early to write friends and tell them about it.

As for the color of corn meal, which we speculated on last week, the matter is still not cleared. Latest explanation is that processes are being rushed to meet the demand, thus not permitting enough moisture to be kept out. The maize-corn mixture theory seems to be exploded since this would-hub food laws.

If the \$41 scholastic apportionment goes through (\$35 regular plus \$6 supplemental on this year's roll), the Big Spring Independent school district would stand to receive around \$50,000 to \$55,000 more. Nobody will object to this.

Dry, hot weather is certainly creating a water demand. The daily draw is around 3,500,000 gallons, and occasionally spurts substantially higher than that. Increased population as well as laws and air conditioners help keep the consumption high.

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**MOTHERS AND VET SONS GRADUATE TOGETHER**

PEORIA, Ill. — It's unusual when a college has two generations from the same family at graduation. But it happened twice in the same class at Bradley College this year.

Bradley's graduates included Ethel Norton Cooper and her son, Robert; and Nellie Poe Powers and her son, Norman. Both mothers are teachers. Both sons are World War II vets.

Cooper returned to Bradley after his discharge from the air force. He flew 50 missions over Africa and Italy as a bomber pilot. Powers, a sergeant with medical corps, also returned to Bradley after his discharge. He landed with US troops in Africa in 1942, and later served in Italy, France and Germany.

### Candidates

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and Tuesday, Fort Worth Wednesday, and Dallas Thursday.

Caso March said he had traveled 3,000 miles in the last three days in his campaign for governor. March will work principally in East Texas during the last week. He said in Austin Saturday he would emphasize his bid for the dry vote.

Pat M. Neff, Jr., will close his campaign for attorney general in Waco, his birthplace, Friday night. He will visit several major cities and make a fast swing through East Central and Southeast Texas the last week.

Price Daniel will close out his campaign for attorney general at a Dayton rally Friday night. He will work in South, Central and East Texas during the week before the wind-up in his home county.

Allan Shivers, candidate for lieutenant governor, was congratulated by the Texas Good Roads Association for foresight in supporting the proposed good roads amendment to the Constitution.

Homer P. Rainey, speaking yesterday morning at Olney, Young county, where he spent his youth after leaving a North Texas farm, denounced the efforts of "desperate people" in seeking to inject racial questions into the gubernatorial campaign.

Jack Hawkins, Groesbeck publisher, continued to substitute for Jerry Sadler during morning campaigning at Sulphur Springs, home of Grover Sellers, yesterday.

At an informal gathering of supporters in Kingsville, Beauford Jester said that he would not enter into a name calling contest in the campaign for governor.

### Major League Leaders

By The Associated Press National League

Batting—Hopp, Boston, .383; Walker, Brooklyn, .372.

Runs batted in—Slaughter, St. Louis, 72; Walker, Brooklyn, 70.

Home runs—Mize, New York, 19; Kiner, Pirates, 16.

American League

Batting—Vernon, Washington, .358; Williams, Boston, .353.

Runs batted in—Williams, Boston, 87; Doerr, Boston, 78.

Home runs—Williams, Boston, 26; Greenberg, Detroit, 22.

### Legionnaires Lose

MIDLAND, July 20 — The American Legion girls' softball team of Big Spring lost a 12-11 decision to a scrappy Midland club here Saturday night.



STATUE OF SAINT—Enrico Tadolini, Italian sculptor, stands beside his nearly completed statue of Mother Frances Xavier Cabrini in Rome. It will be placed in St. Peter's to honor the first American Catholic saint.

### Federal Employees' Loyalty 'Questioned'

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP) — A house civil service subcommittee declared today the nation's security is threatened by presence of persons of "questioned loyalty" on federal payrolls.

To permit them to remain "seriously endangers the security of our country," the sub-committee said in a report.

The group said that testimony it took "is sufficient to indicate the immediate necessity for certain action and to warrant further study and inquiry into the entire problem."

The report, made public by the full civil service committee, was compiled by Reps. Combs (D-Tex.), chairman; Fallon (D-Md) and Rees (R-Kas).

### Connally To Speak On Radio Tuesday

WASHINGTON, July 20. (AP)—Senator Connally (D-Tex.) will speak over the Texas Quality Network and other radio stations in his home state at 8:30 p. m. (CST) Tuesday.

**SPEEDS SNAPSHOT PRINTS**  
LOS ANGELES. — Snapshot fans have been offered an automatic paper developer which uses just one solution to develop, stop and fix the print.

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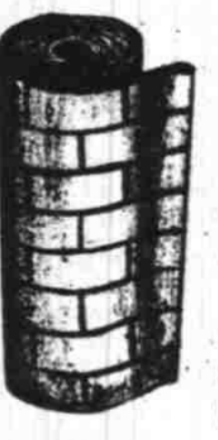
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### Contacts In Making On Snyder Highway

First contacts are being made on right-of-way for the Big Spring-Vincent leg of the Snyder highway. Currently, the county commissioners court, sitting as a board of equalization, is busy with values and when this work is completed, members of the court have indicated the roadway problem will get major attention. Meanwhile, contacts have been made with out-of-county residents who own tracts on the route which runs diagonally from a point north of Big Spring to near Vincent. Estimates for the job are nearing completion by the highway

### Dodd Seeks Teachers For College Posts

E. C. Dodd, president of Big Spring Junior college, leaves the coming week for San Marcos and Austin where he will confer with leaders in the educational field. He will stop at Austin Tuesday to see members of the state department of education and officials of the University of Texas, then go to San Marcos the next day for a conference with Dr. A. H. Nolle, dean of Southwest Texas State Teachers college. One of the purposes of the trip is to seek additional teachers for the college, Dodd said.

department and it is anticipated that bids will be called as soon as right-of-way can be delivered.

### Menard County Gets Its First Commercial Oil

By JOHN B. BREWER  
SAN ANGELO, July 20. — Opening of Menard county's first oil pool, the best oil showing yet made by a Silurian well in the Wheeler field on the line of Winkler and Ector counties and a three-quarter mile extension to the North Goldsmith Devonian pool in Ector highlights West Texas developments this week.

Exploration boomed with locations staked for three wildcats in Andrews county and one each in Ector, Reagan and Upton counties. Two outposts were spotted in Andrews and one each in Ector, Winkler, Hockley and Kent counties. Failures included a wildcat each in Garza and Ward counties and an outpost in Kent. Accelerated drilling followed the setting last week of a new 1946 record in locations, five wildcats and 48 field tests being listed in 16 counties.

The Menard discovery, Warren Petroleum Corp. and T. F. Morrow No. 1 Mrs. Ruby Russell and others prepared for a potential pumping gauge after swabbing naturally 15 1-2 barrels of 32.5 gravity, pipeline oil in six hours, a rate of 62 barrels daily, from pay at 2,282-90 feet in the Canyon sand of the Pennsylvanian. The well is in the C NE NE 18, S. Wallick survey, six miles northeast of Fort McKavett, Rhodes Drilling Co., Abilene contractor, skidded rotary a quarter mile west for Warren-Morrow No. 2. Russell, to be drilled 4,300 feet, if necessary to explore the Ellenburger, No. 1 Russell's original objective.

Cities Service No. 1 R. A. Wheeler, quarter mile north of Devonian production in the Wheeler field in Winkler county and quarter mile west of the Ector line, flowed 30.41 barrels of 30.4 gravity, pipeline oil in one hour and 37 minutes on a drillstem test of the Fusselman section of the Silurian from 9,125-9,350 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 942-1. Location is the C SW NE 10-46-T&P, 1 7-8 miles east and slightly south of Stanolind-Shell No. 1 Waddell Bros., Silurian discovery, recompleted in April for 125 barrels of oil and 22 barrels of water daily, pumping from a perforated zone at 9,220-90 feet.

A new Devonian lime producing area for the Keystone district in Winkler was opened by Sun No. 2 Keystone, C SW SE 4-77-psl, 1 1-2 miles north of Ellenburger production. A failure in the Ellenburger in exploring to 10,396 feet and a short-lived Silurian strike, the Sun wildcat flowed 214 barrels of oil in 24 hours after acidizing through perforations at 8,035-8,142 feet. It is 5 3-8 miles northwest of Stanolind No. 1 Mack Taylor, first completed Devonian well in the area.

### INFLATION HITS RENO DIVORCES

RENO, Nev., July 20. (AP) — Reno divorces, just like meat and butter, now cost considerably more than they did a few weeks ago. Attorneys general have adopted the Washoe County Bar Association's recommendation that to meet rising living costs they increase their minimum fees for run-of-the-mill, non-contested divorces from \$250 to \$350.

For contested divorces or those requiring additional time or labor, the association suggested a minimum fee of \$450, an increase of \$150.

Added to the attorneys' fees, of course, are filing fees and living costs ranging from \$10 to \$50 daily for the minimum six weeks a divorce seeker must remain in Nevada.

Prior to the war \$150 was sufficient to pay both the attorney and court costs; but despite rising prices the number of Reno divorces has jumped from an average of 2,500 in pre-war years to more than 8,500 last year.

### Livestock

FORT WORTH, July 20 (AP) — (USDA) — Cattle: compared close last week; good and choice fat cattle and calves 50-100 lower, canner to medium grades from 50-2.00 off; stockers steady; week's tops: good beef steers 17.50, choice yearlings 18.00, cows 15.50, bulls 14.00, calves 18.00, stockers 16.00; week's bulks: medium steers and yearlings 13.00-16.00, medium and good cows 10.00-14.00, common 8.50-10.00, bulls 9.00-12.00, good and choice fat calves 14.00-16.50, common and medium 10.50-13.50, medium and good stockers 12.00-15.00.

Hogs: for week—butcher hogs 25 higher, sows 25-50 lower, stocker pigs 50 higher; week's tops: butcher hogs 21.000, sows 19.00, feeder pigs 18.00; closing bulk: good and choice butcher hogs averaging 180 lbs. 18.75, good and choice 150-175 lbs. 16.50-18.25, sows 16.50, stocker pigs 16.00-17.00.

Sheep: for week; spring lambs steady to 25 higher, aged sheep 50-1.00 lower; week's tops: spring lambs 19.00, yearlings 15.00; closing bulk: good and choice spring lambs 16.00-17.25, medium springers 14.00-15.50; common springers 12.00-13.50, medium and good yearlings 12.50-14.00.

Humble No. 1 R. B. Cowden, C NW SW 3 - 45-in-T&P, extended the North Goldsmith Devonian field 3-4 mile south when it recovered an estimated 35 barrels of oil on a 90 - minute drillstem test from 7,971-8,042 feet. It cemented 5 1-2 - inch casing on bottom for perforating. Humble staked No. 1-C R. B. Cowden C NE NE 1-45-2n-T&P, 2 1-2 miles northeast of its No. 1 R. B. Cowden.

### Candidates List Campaign Costs

Campaign expenditures totaling \$2847.04 were reported Friday by 26 of the 29 Howard county candidates whose names will be entered on the ballot of the July 27 first Democratic primary election.

Three of the office seekers failed to beat the Friday deadline and had neglected to turn in a written report on their expenses to the county clerk Saturday afternoon.

The cost to the average candidate to further his campaign has amounted to something like \$105 to date. State legislation limits campaign expenses for each office seeker to \$300 in counties where the population is less than 30,000.

The candidates and their reported expenditures include: G. E. "Red" Gilman, \$134.25; J. T. Thornton, \$45; Walton Morrison, \$83.50; Walker Bailey, \$67.50; Walter Grice, \$45; W. W. Long, \$89.30; J. F. "Frank" Howard, \$117; R. B. Hood, \$150.50; and W. W. "Pop" Bennett, \$89.80.

Also R. F. Blumh, \$37.50; George Thomas, \$264.60; J. F. Wolcott, \$126.96; Earl Huell, \$70.50; Mrs. Ida Collins, \$84; H. C. Hooser, \$147; Lee Porter, \$100; Charles Stovall, \$102; J. E. "Ed" Brown, \$95.50; Grover Bissard, \$161; J. B. Bruton, \$183.20; Bob Wolf, \$142.78; R. L. "Punch" Nail, \$84.85; Earl Plew, \$99; L. E. "Snuffy" Smith, \$80; Oren LeFevre, \$126.30; and Thad Hal, \$65.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Myers and children, Betty Joan and Billy, leave Sunday for a vacation trip to Carlsbad, N. M. and El Paso.

### Week's Business—

### Livestock Market Hits New Season Peak Of 3,000

Livestock receipts continued heavy at both local auction barns during the week, and the market reached a new season's peak when choice butcher calves brought up to \$18.25 per cwt. at the Big Spring Livestock Auction company Wednesday.

The Big Spring company, incidentally recorded its heaviest receipts in history, with about 1,700 head keeping the week's auction under way until late Wednesday night. The West Texas Livestock Auction company also experienced a heavy run, with a steady to strong market. Total local receipts amounted to well over 3,000 head during the week.

Although gaining over the previous week, building permits were far below the average for the year at \$7,600, as construction work remains at a virtual standstill. The year's total is \$852,376.

Warranty deeds filed in the county clerk's office recovered slightly after a slump of several weeks duration. Transactions totaling \$43,366 were recorded during the week, raising the year's total to \$2,220,623.

CARPENTERS WITH BUILDERS HOUSTON, July 20. (AP) — Carpenters voted last night to stay with the Houston Building Trades Council for a "finish fight" in the dispute over recognition of the common laborers and the teamsters unions in the building industry.

### Four Navy Fighters In Forced Landings

MEADVILLE, Pa., July 20. (AP) — Four Navy fighter planes from Quonset Point, R. I., crash-landed in fields within a two-mile area near Cochran today, but all four pilots escaped injury. The pilots identified themselves as Lts. R. H. Cash of Los Angeles,

H. R. Drew of Miami Beach, Carl L. Baker of Amarillo, Tex., and J. R. Ean of St. Albans, Long Island, N. Y.

Lt. Ean said the planes were forced down by bad weather and a dwindling supply of gasoline. The propellers of all four planes were bent and the wing tips of one plane also were damaged.

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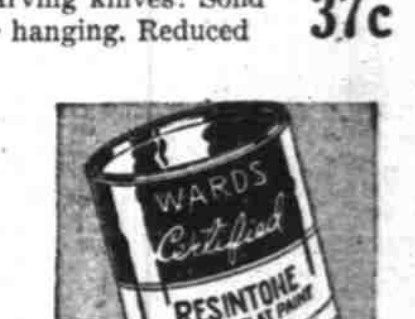
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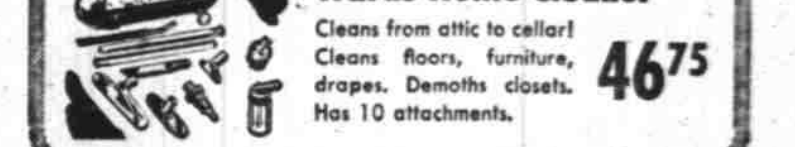
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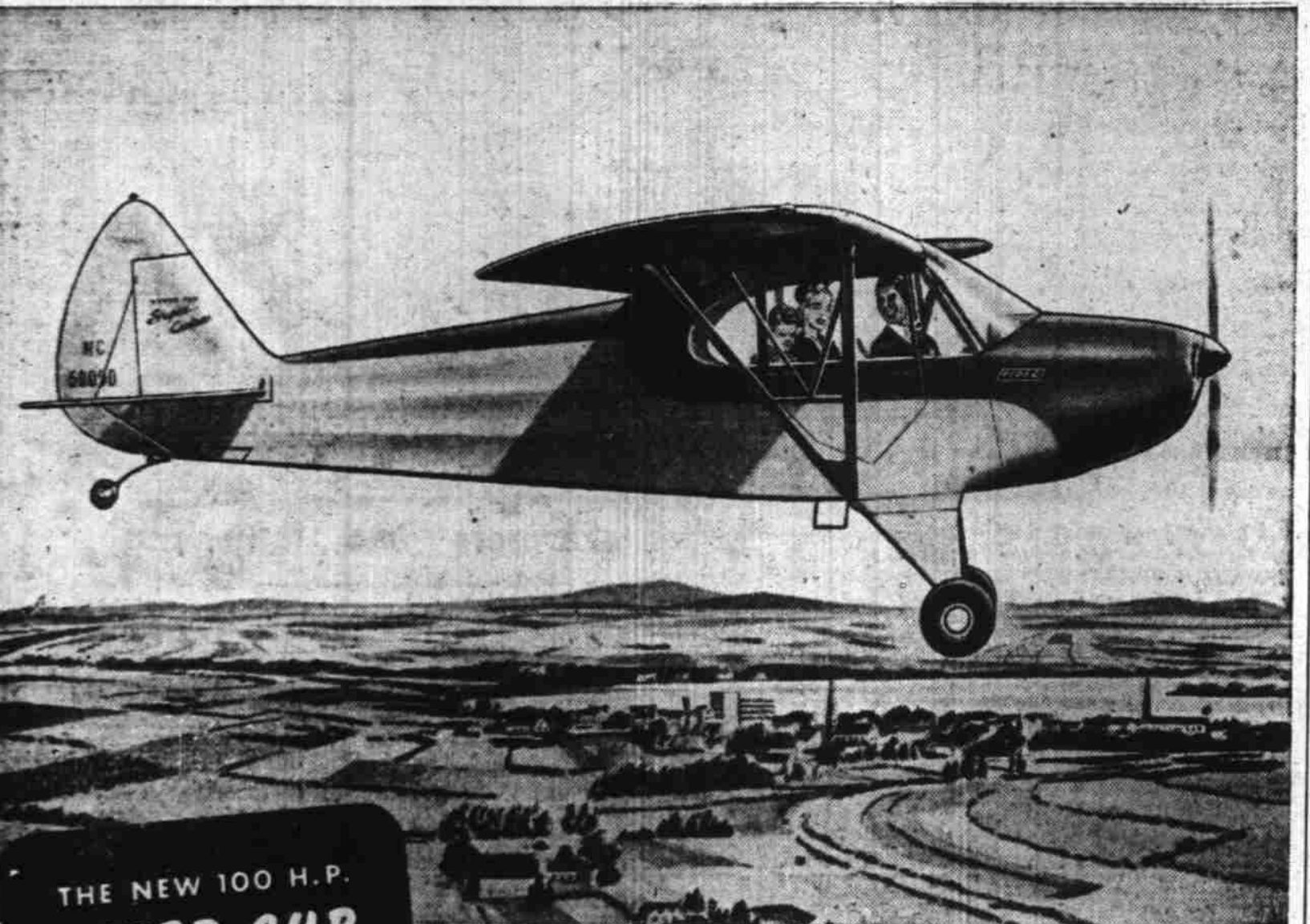
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All passenger tire sizes! Lengthen life of worn tires . . . get extra savings now! **1.47**



**Wards Home Cleaner**  
Cleans from attic to cellar! Cleans floors, furniture, drapes, demosth closets. Has 10 attachments. **46<sup>75</sup>**



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# MONTGOMERY WARD



## Senate Delays Tideland Vote

WASHINGTON, July 20. (AP) — The Senate put off today until 3 p. m. CST Monday, a vote on a bill to yield federal claims to tidelands or lands beneath navigable waters within the boundaries of states.

At that time sponsors said they had little doubt the Senate will approve a revised measure already voted by the House. Senator McCarran (D-Nev) said it would "settle forever" the tidelands ownership question.

The Senate interrupted a lagging debate today to insert in the measure an amendment by Senator O'Mahoney (D-Wyo) which would reaffirm the federal government's claim to the continental ocean shelf wherever it extends beyond state boundaries. This previously had been claimed by presidential proclamation.

Former Secretary of Interior Iches was pictured by Senator Overton (D-La) as the originator of the controversy over whether the states or the federal government own the tidelands, many areas of which are dotted with producing oil wells.

## Absentee Balloting Continues To Rise

More than 50 persons Saturday exercised absentee voting privileges for the first democratic primary election as the week's ballot total rose to 255.

Persons have until Tuesday, July 23, to cast absentee ballot. The blanks can be applied for at the county clerk's office.

## Crewmen Believed Dead In Plane Crash

PANAMA, Panama, July 20. (AP) — Twenty crewmen aboard two US Army Flying Fortresses were believed to have been killed today when the planes collided near Coiba Island, off the Pacific coast of Panama, and plunged into the sea.

An Army announcement said that First Lt. Elmer Drolshagen (home address unavailable), who was flying in the same formation, circled the scene for three hours without sighting any survivors.

Later three unidentified bodies were recovered.

Army headquarters said one bomber appeared to break in half before plummeting into the ocean and submerging immediately, the other lost part of the right wing and appeared to explode when it hit the water.

The planes were part of a formation based at Rio Hato airbase which were searching for three US pursuit planes reported lost in a storm Thursday morning and which are already two days overdue at Talca, Peru.

## Betty Hyer Elected To Teaching Position

Miss Betty Hyer, Coleman, has been added to the teaching staff of Big Spring Junior college. President E. C. Dodd announced Saturday.

Miss Hyer, who will divide time between the high school and college, will instruct in Home Making. She is a graduate of Texas State College for Women and comes here from Three Rivers, Tex.



NAPLES HARBOR VIEW—This postwar view of the harbor of Naples, Italy, shows the main pier with the liner Vulcania tied alongside and Mt. Vesuvius in the background.

## Church Brigades Back In Action

Play in two of the four Church leagues will be resumed Monday while the senior boys will wait until Tuesday to begin the fight for the second half title.

In the senior boys' race, one game will be played on the Salvation Army diamond, two others at the city park. The Army team, champion of first half play, seeks to get away to a good start in a tilt with First Baptist at West Fifth and San Antonio streets around 6:45 p. m. Tuesday.

City park competition will find Airport Baptists meeting the Methodists at 6:45 and East Fourth Baptist tangling with First Christian around 8:15.

Other games:

SENIOR GIRLS — Church of God vs. Catholics, Carter Field, 6 p. m. Monday.

JUNIOR GIRLS — Salvation Army vs. Methodists, SA Field, 6 p. m. Monday.

The remainder of the last half schedule will be carried in an early edition of The Daily Herald.

## THE RAINS CAME—ON WEATHERMAN

ST. LOUIS, July 20. (AP) — As it does for many picnics, rain came today for the annual outing of the St. Louis weather bureau.

Said Meteorologist Harry F. Wahlgren, who showed up for the affair with his raincoat: "The date was picked last May—not by himself and bureau aids—but by their wives."

Anyhow, both picnickers and stay-at-homes welcomed the relief from oppressive temperatures.

## Ag Official Dies

WASHINGTON, July 20. (AP) — Geron E. Rathell, 51, Agriculture Department official, died today at his home from heart disease. Rathell came to Washington in 1938 to direct the cotton loan program of the Commodity Credit Corporation. He subsequently became an assistant to the administrator of the production and marketing division, Department of Agriculture.

## Transportation Schedules

GREYHOUND BUSES	
<b>Eastbound</b>	<b>Westbound</b>
4:30 a. m.	1:17 a. m.
4:54 a. m.	3:50 a. m.
8:13 a. m.	4:28 a. m.
8:28 a. m.	9:30 a. m.
12:51 p. m.	1:30 p. m.
1:06 p. m.	4:41 p. m.
4:24 p. m.	9:15 p. m.
8:17 p. m.	9:41 p. m.
11:34 p. m.	
<b>KERRVILLE BUS CO.</b>	<b>WT-NM-COACHES</b>
<b>Southbound</b>	<b>Northbound</b>
5:00 a. m.	9:20 a. m.
9:15 a. m.	4:20 p. m.
1:15 p. m.	11:30 p. m.
4:45 p. m.	
11:30 p. m.	

ALL-AMERICAN BUSES	
<b>Eastbound</b>	<b>Westbound</b>
2:58 a. m.	2:32 a. m.
5:53 a. m.	6:27 a. m.
12:28 p. m.	6:02 a. m.
6:28 p. m.	2:02 p. m.
9:22 p. m.	6:42 p. m.
11:52 p. m.	10:57 p. m.

T&P TRAINS	
<b>Eastbound</b>	<b>Westbound</b>
7:00 a. m.	6:05 a. m.
8:40 a. m.	8:15 a. m.
10:40 p. m.	11:50 p. m.

AMERICAN AIRLINES	
<b>Eastbound</b>	<b>Westbound</b>
6:22 p. m.	7:48 a. m.
9:15 p. m.	9:57 p. m.

CONTINENTAL AIRLINES	
<b>Northbound</b>	<b>Southbound</b>
9:16 a. m.	11:46 a. m.
6:06 a. m.	8:45 p. m.

WESTAIR LINES	
<b>Eastbound</b>	<b>Westbound</b>
1:35 p. m.	11:00 a. m.

All times listed are departure times. All air lines leave from municipal airport on west highway 80, Greyhound, Kerrville and West Texas-New Mexico & Oklahoma buses from union bus terminal, 313 Rannels street; All-American buses from All-American station in Crawford hotel building; trains from T&P passenger station.

## CID Claims Evidence Russians Did Arrest American Officers

BERLIN, July 20. (AP) — The head of the American criminal investigation department in Berlin said tonight that he had established that Russian authorities arrested Capt. Harold Cobin of New York and Newark, N. J., and Second Lt. George Wyatt of Oklahoma City, Okla., on July 4 at Birkenwerder in the Russian zone just north of Berlin.

The chief of the US Army Intelligence section, however, said he knew of no progress having been made in efforts to explain the disappearance of the two officers nor in effecting their return.

Russian headquarters officially stated three days ago that they had been unable to locate Cobin and Wyatt in their zone.

## Krueger Reviews Troops For Last Time

SAN ANTONIO, July 20. (AP) — General Walter E. Krueger reviewed three platoons of troops at Fort Sam Houston today, and thus performed the last official act in the 48 years of distinguished service during which he has commanded every type of military unit from a squad to a field army.

Promptly at 10:30 a. m., the hour set for the review in honor of his retirement, Gen. Krueger dismounted from a staff car with his old friend, Gen. Jonathan M. Wainwright, and walked to the point where the reviewing party, composed of generals and colonels, faced the 365th Army Ground Forces band and a small detachment from the Fourth Army headquarters troops.

## Ball Club Benefits From Knott Pie Sale

Pies were very much in evidence at the Knott political rally Friday night but, unlike the familiar proverb, they couldn't be had for a dime a dozen.

The pastries sold anywhere from \$2 to \$8 each and the Knott baseball club, which benefited from the sale, retained something like \$187. The money goes toward the team's equipment.

Most of the 29 candidates in the races for local, precinct and county offices were on hand and took part in the round of oratory. Something like 400 persons were in attendance, according to one estimate.

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### ENDION

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### BROWN

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In heavy boarded calf with full double sole. Sizes to 13. Especially adapted to men whose work require long hours on their feet.

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The elimination of scale in the water heating coils, through the use of soft water, makes the heater more efficient... heating the water quicker with less fuel consumption.
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Save up to one-half on home furnishings of every description during our sweeping Mid-Summer Furniture Sale! You'll find many outstanding values listed here—scores of others through every department in our store! Some quantities are limited, so first come, first served.

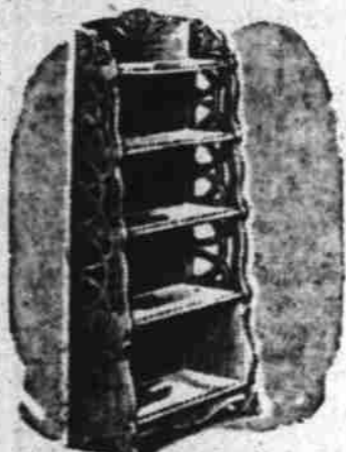
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**RECORD TABLE**  
**\$11.95**

Top holds record player. Four roomy compartments for albums, and a handy record shelf. Walnut or mahogany finish.



**BOOKCASE or WHAT-NOT**  
**\$10.95**

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**\$20.00** For Your Old Suite

Your choice of these suites masterfully tailored in rich velour and tapestry covers—the luxurious long wearing fabric. Smartly styled davenport of spacious proportions with matching lounge chair. Extra wide restful arms. Buoyant innerspring base and reversible cushions—with walnut finish trim.

- GROUP NUMBER ONE ..... 229.50
- GROUP NUMBER TWO ..... 189.50
- GROUP NUMBER THREE ..... 164.50
- GROUP NUMBER FOUR ..... 159.50

We will allow \$20.00 trade allowance for your old living room suite.

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#### DELUXE INNERSPRING MATTRESS!

Here's real sleep-comfort in a super quality inner-spring mattress that is scientifically designed to give you the perfect buoyant support you need for refreshing rest. Deep, individually pocketed coils between layers of soft upholstery with protective sheeting. Handsome woven striped ticking.

**\$42.50**

- Full or Twin Sizes
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- Full or Twin Size Matching Box Springs. \$42.50



**PAY ONLY \$1.25 WEEKLY!**



#### TWN BEDROOM SUITE

Consists of Twin Beds—Large Roomy Chest—4 Drawer Vanity, with swinging plate glass mirror. Finished in rich red maple. Ideal suite for boys or girls room. Priced for this sale ..... **\$169.50**

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\$34.00 Down — \$4.00 Weekly

#### Platform Rockers



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**\$27.50**

Handsome styled, comfort construction, fully spring filled with high back, sturdy hardwood. You'll enjoy its restful soothing movement. Spring base. Durable tapestry cover.

#### 5-Pc. All White

### Dinette Suite



For a cozy intimate breakfast nook; you'll enjoy this attractive set in white enamel finish scroll decorations. Table 30 x 50 inches with four matching chairs.

\$5.95 Down; \$1.25 Weekly

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#### HOLLYWOOD BED

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Glamorous headboard covered in washable leatherette with nail trim. Comfortable all-cotton mattress and 80-coil box spring included. All complete.

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**FINISH DESK**  
**\$12.95**

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Beautifully framed and Venetian styled mirrors, oblong and round shapes.



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Crystal base lamps in new designs. Complete with shade.



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**\$19.95**

Tot sleeps safely while mother is busy, in this crib. All-steel spring. **\$3.99 Down—\$1.25 Week**



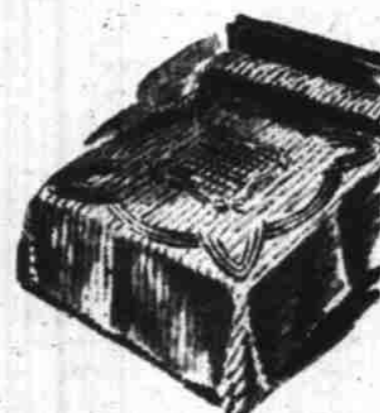
**CRIB MATTRESS**  
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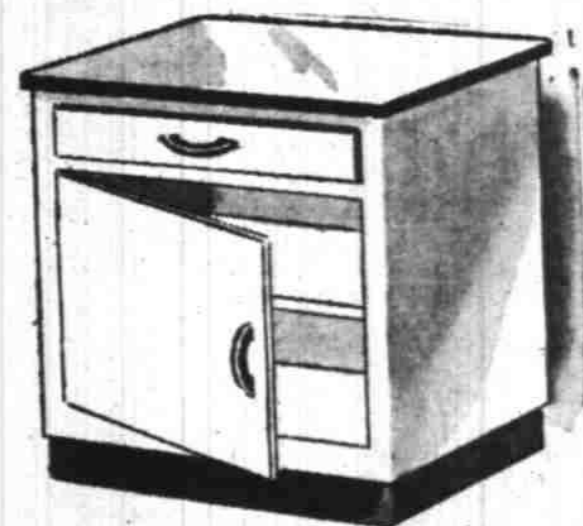
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# Walker, Hallmark Rites Read In Sweetwater

### Bride Wears White Embroidered Organdy Frock For Wedding

Louise Hallmark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hallmark of Lorraine, was married Saturday evening at six o'clock to Truman Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Walker of Lorraine.

The double ring ceremony was read at the altar of the Highland Heights Methodist church in Sweetwater by Rev. J. E. Schubert.

For the ceremony the bride chose a frock of white embroidered organdy, made with a sweetheart neckline, and a row of white covered buttons extending down the front of the pleated bodice. She wore a hat of white starched crocheted lace which formed a halo. Her corsage was of red roses. For something old the bride wore a brooch belonging to her mother, something borrowed was a white Bible.

Mrs. Howard Bynum of Lorraine, wearing a frock of beige crepe and a corsage of pink rosebuds, acted as matron of honor. Marvin Hall of Lorraine was best man.

Only close friends and members of the bridal couple's families attended the ceremony.

The bride was graduated from Lorraine high school, and received her degree from Texas Tech. For the past year she has been employed at Cosden refinery.

Walker, also a graduate of Lorraine high school, attended McMurry prior to his enlisting in the Army. He was in the service for three and a half years and served overseas for two years in North Africa, Italy and Sicily. He received his discharge in September. Mr. and Mrs. Walker planned to leave this morning by plane for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will make their home.

### Cosden Chatter—

## Women Employes Have Picnics, Highlight Week

The girls in the office enjoyed a barbecue Thursday afternoon at the tank car department.

M. M. Miller returned Thursday from a business trip to Fort Worth, Dallas and Graham.

A. G. Talbot, owner of the Petroleum Exchange company in Chicago, and his production superintendent, E. W. Robbittallie of Graham, were visitors in the office Monday and Tuesday.

H. L. Weeks, who was injured in Ector county, is improving in the Harris Memorial Hospital in Fort Worth.

Fred Stitzell left yesterday for Denison where he plans to spend part of his vacation visiting with relatives.

W. H. Wharton is spending the weekend in Seymour visiting with his family.

Henry Carpenter is in a much improved condition and thinks he may be back in the office Monday.

H. C. Stipp left yesterday for Pettus and Austin on company business.

Wynelle Wilkinson left Tuesday for Santa Fe, New Mexico where she is spending part of her vacation.

John B. Evans, son of D. T. Evans, is expected to return today from a vacation trip to Kansas.

Frank Hughes who was taken home from the hospital last week returned Friday for further observation.

Mrs. Velva Mullinax, of the Fort Worth bulk plant, is recovering nicely from an attack of gastritis last week.

The following refinery employes are on their vacations: Charles Herring, R. Schwarzenbach, M. L. Hayworth, D. C. Biddison, Willie Gale, John Q. Roney, and W. E. Owens.

Florence Mosely was taken home from the hospital Thursday and is recovering from her recent illness.

### "Ten C's Of Credit Letters" Discussed

John Lou Callison discussed the "Ten C's of Credit Letters," when members of the Retail Credit Women's club met for luncheon at the First Methodist church Thursday.

Following Miss Callison's talk a round table discussion was held, followed by a spelling quiz on words commonly misspelled in business letters.

Attending were Irene Meier, Bobbie Goad, Verna O'Neal, Catherine Homan, Ollie Eubanks, Edith Tripnell, Veda Carter, Alice Cravens, Elizabeth Stanford, Marguerite Wooten, Faye Coltharp, Mrs. King and Jessie Townsend.

### Mrs. Steve Baker Entertains Merry Wives Bridge Club

Mrs. Steve Baker was hostess to the Merry Wives Bridge club Thursday evening.

Mrs. Vance Lebkowsky was the only guest, and members present were Mrs. George Thomas, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. Perry Johnson, Mrs. Joe Black, Mrs. Howard Stephens and the hostess.

Mrs. Joe Black binged and made high score.



JULY BRIDE—Mrs. Wilben G. Gathings, the former Bobbie Dunlap before her marriage on July 14, and Mr. Gathings are now on a wedding trip to San Antonio and Galveston. The ceremony was read in the parlor of the First Baptist church by Dr. P. D. O'Brien. Following a reception in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Baker, the couple departed. On their return they will be at home at 1210 Main street.

## Gene Tingle Marries George Kilpatrick In Ceremony In First Methodist Church

Mrs. Avie Tingle has announced the marriage of her daughter, Gene, to George Kilpatrick of Birmingham, Ala., on July 15, in the parlor of the First Methodist church.

The simple double ring ceremony was read by Rev. James Swafford.

The bride was attired in a two piece street length frock, with a black crepe skirt and a tailored jacket of pink linen. All accessories were black and her corsage was an orchid.

The bride was graduated from Big Spring high school in 1939, and since that time has been associated with Tingle's News stand.

Kilpatrick attended Birmingham schools and served with the Air Corps for four years, serving overseas in Australia, Japan and various Pacific islands. Now discharged he is associated with the T&P railway.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilpatrick are making their home temporarily in Big Spring.

## Miss Susie Brown Named Honoree By Sunday School Class

COAHOMA, July 21. (Sp) — Miss Susie Brown was honored with a gift shower for her new home this week with the Viola Boswell Sunday school class entertained in the parlor of the Methodist church.

Hostesses were Mrs. P. F. Sheedy and Mrs. Dick Cramer. Games were played and refreshments were served to the church stewards and guests.

Attending were M. R. Turner, Lem Dennis, Charlie Graves, Rev. A. B. Cockrell, Mrs. A. B. Cockrell, Mrs. Bill Layfield, Mrs. D. S. Phillips, Mrs. Burr Brown, Mrs. Cap Tarver, Mrs. T. K. Bartlett, Mrs. W. H. Wise, Mrs. Virginia Kidd, Mrs. A. E. Frin, Mrs. Bill Wood, Mrs. H. W. Felton, Mrs. Roy Roxburgh, Mrs. Charlie Graves, Mrs. Lew Dennis and Mrs. Jimmy Brooks.

## Youth Revival To End Today

Youth Revival services will be concluded tonight at the East Fourth Baptist church following a successful week, church officials have declared, and added that more enthusiasm has been shown by the young people of the church than in a number of years.

Rev. Glen Norman, visiting youth evangelist, will speak Sunday morning at "The Church," and special music will be given by the girls ensemble. The public is invited to attend the concluding service.

# TRY THIS AMAZING HOME RECIPE TO TAKE OFF UGLY FAT

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## Angie Cook, Basil Huett Wed At Baptist Church

### Double Ring Vows Performed By Rev. James Roy Clark

In a double ring ceremony read Thursday evening in the parlor of the East Fourth Street Baptist church Angie Cook was married to Basil E. Huett.

The wedding vows were read by Rev. James Roy Clark. For the wedding the bride was attired in a street length frock of aqua crepe with white accessories.

For something old she wore a strand of pearls which were brought to Mrs. A. M. Ripps from China 25 years ago. Something borrowed was a handkerchief belonging to Mrs. V. W. Fuglar, and something blue was a ribbon placed in her handbag. Her corsage was of gardenias.

Mrs. Lewis Atkins, sister of the bride, was her only attendant, and wore a frock of black crepe with black lace yoke, and black accessories. Her corsage was of pink pom-pom asters.

Kenneth Huett was best man. Guests at the ceremony were his mother, Mrs. John Huett, wearing pale green sheer with a corsage of white carnations, Mrs. V. W. Fuglar, Mrs. Joe Hamby, Miss Frances Sheppard, Mrs. Bernard Huett and Mrs. J. R. Clark. Corsages were presented to all women guests at the wedding.

The bride has been an employe of Cunningham and Phillips drug store. The bridegroom is an inspector at the Coral - Tex plant in Los Angeles, Calif. The couple will be at home there after August 3.

For traveling the bride will wear a suit of bride's blue summer worsted with corse bag and hat. Other accessories were black patent.

## Mrs. Travis West Complimented At Gift Party Friday

### Guests were received by Mrs. J. L. Sandridge and Mrs. Henry Rogers.

The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth, and the centerpiece was the pink punch service.

Attending were Mrs. Ted Brown, Mrs. Bill Archer, Mrs. Jack Grant, Mrs. Marshall Henderson, Mrs. Joseph W. Scott, Jr., Mrs. Arch Ellington, Dolores Sneed, Mrs. Dolly Evans, Patsy Rogers, Mrs. C. C. Brown, Beulah Bailro, Ala Munselle, Mrs. J. L. Sandridge, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Joe W. Scott, Sr., Faith Scott, the honoree and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lane and Annabelle returned Friday night from a vacation trip near Fort Worth. They were gone for about a month.

## Arthur Kasch Weds In Bryan

### Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Kasch have announced the marriage of their son, Arthur, to Modene Majors, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Majors, Thursday at Bryan.

The ceremony was read by the Rev. R. W. Willis, pastor of the First Methodist church, before an altar decorated with arrangements of white carnations in the small chapel on the A&M campus.

The bride wore a blue dress-maker type suit with white accessories. Her corsage was a white orchid.

Present for the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Kasch, Paul Kasch, brother of the groom, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Majors.

Following a short trip to Galveston, the couple will live at Bryan where Kasch is enrolled at A&M.

## Women Attend Meet

A group of ladies from First Methodist church WSCS were in Coahoma for a zone meeting Wednesday. They included Mrs. Bernard Lamun, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. H. G. Keaton, Mrs. H. M. Rowe, Mrs. Robert Hill and Mrs. Iva Huneycutt.

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District Singing Meet To Be Held In Church Of Christ At 3:30 Sunday

FORSAN, July 20. (Sp) — District singing meet will be held at the Forsan Church of Christ Sunday at 3:30 p. m. The public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Townsend and daughter of Brownwood are Forsan visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Griffith of McCaney were Sunday guests of the J. D. Gilmores and J. W. Griffiths.

Mary Frances Ogleby and Mary LaVerne McLeod of Hobbs, N. M., visited friends and relatives in Forsan this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ewell, Janice Ewell and Betty Hayes of Abilene were Sunday guests of the Bob Ewells.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Longshore and Roy were recent Sterling City visitors. The Adolph Woods of Colorado City visited the Longshores and Walter Gressett and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Seward have been on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Chatten have returned from a visit in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Charley Adams is the guest of her sister in Dallas.

Mrs. T. L. Campbell and children, who have been here with Mr. Campbell, have gone to Penwell for a visit with the Lloyd Rippys.

Mr. Campbell is conducting which will be concluded today.

Walter Gressett and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Link Wood in Sterling County Sunday.

Good attendance is reported at both Church of Christ and Baptist revivals, now in progress.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Chatten were Odessa visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Robeson and family are vacationing in Fort Worth.

The Wesley Yarbros of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Yarbros this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton King and children will spend their vacation in Brown county fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Prescott are in Houston visiting relatives.

G. C. Gaskins is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Vera Harris.

C. L. Aquilla and Haroldine West were San Angelo visitors this week.

Mark Nasworthy went to San Angelo for the week end.

Mrs. W. K. Scudday and children of Garden City visited relatives in the oilfield this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Painter and family are on vacation.

Mr. Jackson is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Malcolm Green.

Mrs. J. E. Gardner and James of Abilene were recent visitors in the oil field. Gardner's former Forsan residence.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Martin and daughter have returned from Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Green and grandchildren, Sparky, Jimmie and Prichilla, are vacationing in Oklahoma City.

Mrs. A. D. Barton has been ill this week.

Mrs. F. J. Klahr, who is ill in a Big Spring hospital is somewhat improved it has been reported.

Her daughters, Mrs. George Kolar of Indiana and Mrs. Donald Kline of Ohio, and Mr. Kline arrived Thursday to be with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patton of Fort Worth are guests of the C. L. Drapers. He is Mrs. Drapers' brother.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bryant and family are vacationing in Lubbock.

Mrs. Ida Ollins and Mrs. J. P. Andrews of Big Spring were Forsan visitors Thursday.

J. B. McDonald, now in the Marines, visited in Forsan this week.

Mrs. Jack Craig of Corpus Christi visited the Jim Craigs this week.

Wayne Monrosey went to Lubbock this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Chambers and family are in Enid, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Chambers and family went to Fort Neches this week. He will work for Shell Petroleum Corp., there.

Buddy Smith has returned from a vacation in Corpus Christi.

T. C. Smith of Robert Lee visited his son, Tom, and Mrs. Smith this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Ogleby of Hobbs, N. M., visited the A. P. Oglebys this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. McMillian of Aubin are guests of the John Butlers.

W. B. Dunn was a business visitor in Amarillo recently.

Bobby Asbury is home from having served with the Army in the Pacific theater. Mrs. Asbury met him in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Elliot visited in Westbrook this week. His parents returned with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Keith are on vacation.

The Calvin Sewells and Jake Greens are fishing on the Concho this week end.



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What Gives 'Round Town

By LEATRICE ROSS

"Hang sorrow! Care will kill the cat; therefore, let's be merry." — Haynes.

The sage who dreamed up that thought didn't have Big Spring young people in mind, but the shoe fits.

First-off, award for the prize tale of the week without a doubt should be pinned on the chests of Murph Thorp, Jr., and Paul Shaffer. Just back from visiting Wendell and Wesley Strahan in Fort Stockton, those two claim that the foursome bagged no less than 128 jackrabbits on one hunt!

They said aim was immaterial— you just pulled the trigger and you were sure to snag one. 'S truth!

Dorothy Day and La Verne Franklin are having a mad two weeks vacation in San Antonio. There's skating and dancing and dinners every night, they write back. And Sunday a whole day of riding on an honest-to-gosh ranch.

Ronnie Johnston and Castle E. Campbell were in Christoval one day this week. And how they suffered under natural ultra-violet rays.

It is said that every once in a while there's a slumber party at which everyone goes to sleep. But not this one, for Melba Dean Anderson says her guests played bridge all night. Wide-awake for the night were Mary Nell Cook, Carol Conley, Dot Satterwhite, Nina and Pat Curry, Kathleen Little, Patsy Tompkins, Patsy McDaniel, Anna Waters, Betty Sue McGinnis, Luan Wear, Betty Sue Sweeney, and Bobbie June Bobb.

Jack Thompson's archery club boasts several new Robin Hoods and Hoodesses, including Donnie and Reba Roberts, Jean Cornelison, Joyce Cooper, Donald Phillips, Red Weaver, and that ace, Athol Atkins.

Lost in the crowd at a recent political rally were "Sage" Underwood, Bobby Pritchett, Bobbie Green.—Same night found Richard Reagan, Alveda Herring, Betty Hutchins, Dwains Herring, Eddie Hickson, and an incognito blonde at the J & L for hamburgers.

Billie Jo Bates had a few of her friends over for ice cream and a slumber party some nights ago. And at which affair Francys Weir inadvertently slipped into sleep in the middle of a joke.

Touring the YMCA on Coed Night: Gil Alfred Barnett, Marvin Wright, Bobby Hollis and John Cooper held stations over the pool table. . . . Donald Williams was struggling for possession of a ping-pong ball. . . . Jean Ellen Chowns, Gerald Harris and Helon Blount were supposedly playing that game with him. . . . Not one couple came in together!

Horace Rankin was back in town over the weekend. Horace aspires to be a cattleman, toils on a ranch this summer.

Der college men we run into: George Nell, Jerry Mancill, Harry Middleton, Robert Hobbs, Keith Slaughter. Poor army man, Herby Johnson.

J. T. Erwin, Johnny Cooper, Billy Bob Whittington, and Billy Vaughn numbered in a crowd that took a junket to San Angelo Tuesday for swimming.

Night life under Mundy ball park lights at the Church All-Star Salvation Army set to two-three nights ago saw Lon Burnett, home from the USN, shaking the hands limp on all his old compadres. Lon spent a week of his reprieve in San Angelo. Milton Knowles— Cpl. Knowles, if you please—was likewise out. He boasts a 12-day pass from San Antonio. Also behind the back-stop and scattered through the throng sat Jim Bob Chaney, Billy Chrane, Gertie Hull, Olene Leonard, Ann Smith, Mary Anna Whitaker, Fred Franklin.

Add for variety: Regularly paired are Bobby Hollis and Mary Beth Morgan, Ardis McCasland and Betty Ray Nail, Bill Campbell and Mary Gerald Robbins.

Ramona Weaver has been in Fort Worth taking on exams to enter Harris Memorial School of Nursing come fall. While she was at liberty, Ramona ducked over to Denton to see Jane Beale, who's staying through the summer run at TSCW.

Billy Wosenkraft has let it be known that he will acquire the sum and substance of Robert Hobbs' airplane model collection. Robert, if your memory functions, had long been a plane addict and his creations have earned no end of honors. But Robert, Tech man, opines that henceforth he must give all his time up to this business of getting learned.

A. J. Cain says that the Navy will open wide its arms to him in a couple of weeks.

Finale: Jimmy Smith has gloriously refreshed his car with a coat of dark green paint.

Trainmen Ladies Have Regular Meet In WOW Hall

Trainmen Ladies met at the WOW hall recently for their regular meeting.

Mrs. J. P. Meador presided at the business session at which a new sick committee was appointed, including Mrs. B. N. Ralph and Mrs. T. A. Underhill.

Attending were Mrs. E. O. Hicks, Mrs. A. J. Cain, Mrs. S. A. Wilson, Mrs. Joe Tuckness, Mrs. B. N. Ralph, Mrs. Lesley Jenkins, Mrs. J. P. Meador, Mrs. M. C. Knowles, Mrs. Annie Schull, Mrs. Frank Powell, Mrs. T. A. Underhill, Mrs. Harris McCasland, Mrs. Harold Meador and Mrs. Albert Smith.

COAHOMA, July 21. (Sp) — Mr. and Mrs. Bur Brown had as guests this week Mrs. Brown's brother, Howard Spikes, and Mrs. Spikes of Benjamin.

M. R. Turner made a trip to Denton this week, and Mrs. Turner, who has been attending school there this summer plans to return home with him.

Smith Cochran and Tom Birkhead made a trip to Anson this week where they visited his sister, Mrs. A. B. Thompson.

Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Cockrell and Sarah and Betty Jean Graves visited relatives in Seymour this week. Ben Cockrell returned home with them.

Mrs. Vance Davis and son, Norman, of Fort Sumner, are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Armstrong.

Hershel Fowler of Odessa spent a few days here this week with his mother, Mrs. E. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ethridge left this week for Fayetteville, Ark., where he will enter the veteran's hospital for medical treatment. Barsie Ray Fletcher has taken his place at the press in the Thompson tailor shop.

J. G. Brito left Monday for a two weeks visit with relatives in California. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Birkhead and son spent last Sunday in Colorado City as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Currie.

Mrs. P. F. Sheedy entertained her sister, Mrs. O. M. Stephens and daughters of Breckenridge, as house guests this week.

Mrs. Clyde Simpson of New Mexico is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sullivan made a trip to Mowice recently where they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sullivan.

Bobby Ward, who has been the guest of Betty Jean Graves the past three weeks returned to her home in Seymour Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster of Sudan are visiting here in the John C. Adams home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Shive left Thursday for a three week vacation to be spent in Hot Springs, N. M.

Mr. A. L. Armstrong returned to her home in Coahoma following an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Walter Armstrong of Cleburne.

Lowell Gregory of Corpus Christi is visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hale.

Jane Echols, Doris Jean Coonson, Margaret Ann Stamps and Elvon DeVaney left Monday for Fort Stockton where they spent the week attending the encampment for the Pioneer group of the El Paso Presbytery. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. H. DeVaney. They returned Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Mayfield.

Charles Harry Zonker of Houston is spending this week here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Spears.

A large party of Coahoma people spent last week end at Christoval. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Spears and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Birkhead and son, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. DeVaney and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Woodson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. Truett DeVaney, Mrs. Gerald Sanders and boys, Johnson B. Hall, Fred Woodson and Rowland Lepke.

The Presbyterian Auxiliary met this week with both circles gathering in the home of Mrs. H. T. Hale. The program on "We Found What We Needed," was led by Mrs. Bruce Mayfield.

Pink and blue shower gifts were collected and prepared for sending to Mrs. Hard O'Dell, a member of the Coahoma church, now living in Fort Worth.

Following the meeting refreshments were served to Mrs. Arnold Johnson, Mrs. Charles Reed, Mrs. Frank Lovelace, Mrs. Bruce Mayfield, Mrs. Vance Coonson, Mrs. Cora Echols, Mrs. Ellie Elliott, Mrs. E. G. Cullie, Mrs. F. C. Woestemeyer, Mrs. George McGregor, Mrs. A. C. Hale, Mrs. Sam Hicks and the hostess.

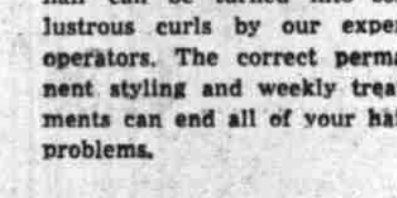
Mrs. R. V. Guthrie returned to her home this week after spending several days in Fort Worth visiting her niece, Mrs. Bolden Ellis.

Mrs. F. C. Woestemeyer, who has been visiting her children, Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Cullie, returned to her home in Houston Monday. Mrs. Cullie accompanied her home and will visit there for some time.

Fred Woodson, who is attending college in Alpine, spent last week end in Coahoma with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Woodson. He was accompanied by his college

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roommate, Rowland Lepke. The return trip was made with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Woodson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Lovelace of the Spade community, spent several days in Coahoma visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lovelace.

Mrs. A. B. Cockrell and Mrs. Smith Cochran were co-hostesses for the July social for the Young Adults Suncay school class of the Methodist church. They entertained with a chicken barbecue. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Cochran, Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Cockrell, Mrs. L. O. Moore, Mrs. Paul Turner, Lucille Thompson, Punch Brooks, Betty Jean Graves and Bobby Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kinder of Bryson are visiting here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mays, and other relatives. The Kinders were recently married in England.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Adams and Allie Ray spent last week end in Grandberry where they attended the old settlers reunion.

C. R. Farris made a business trip to Brownwood this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hall and Mrs. E. L. Ragsfield left Thursday for Christoval to spend the remainder of the week.

Mrs. Leon Musor was admitted to a Big Spring hospital for treatment this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sullivan spent last Sunday visiting with friends in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rod and Sandra have returned after spending two weeks vacationing in Arkansas.

Mrs. R. F. Dorsey is a patient in a Big Spring hospital.

VISITS - VISITORS

Mrs. Jack Rutherford has returned from a trip to Wichita Falls where she visited with her husband, recently transferred there by his company.

Mrs. Ruth Wood, Edsel and Landon have returned to their home in Junction after a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. P. Riddle, her sister, Mrs. Reuben Hill, and her brother, J. B. Riddle.

Mrs. A. W. Sheeler, Louise Sheeler and Carrie Scholz have returned from Menard where they visited a week with Mr. and Mrs. John F. Decker. They visited for a few days with Mrs. Austin Edmonds in San Angelo.

Ricki Cooper and John Lou Calhoun have returned from a month's vacation to points in New Mexico.

Marie Hall has returned from camp near Kerrville. Dr. and Mrs. G. T. Hall motored to Kerrville and she returned with them.

Mrs. Ben Kirkland has left to join her husband who is stationed at Colorado Springs, Colo., with the army. Mrs. Kirkland is the former Dauphine Reece, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Reece.

Social Calendar For Monday

MONDAY FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH WMS will have a meeting of all circles at 9:30 a. m. at the church.

FIRST METHODIST WSCS will meet in the parlor at 3 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY will have an inspirational meeting in the church at 3 p. m.

WESLEY METHODIST WSCS will have a social meeting in the home of Mrs. W. D. Lovelace.

FIRST CHRISTIAN WOMAN'S COUNCIL will have Bible study at 3 p. m. in the church.

Charles Bonner is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Schultz of Midland.

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## Morgan's 73 Holds Good As Best Tally Posted To Date

Jake Morgan's one-under par 73, posted last Wednesday may withstand the challenge of the field in the race for medal honors in the Muny city golf tournament.

## Sports Flashes

PARIS, July 20. (AP)—Led by Tom Brown of San Francisco in men's singles and five Californians and a Florida girl in the women's divisions, United States players continued to dominate play in the French international tennis championships today.

NEENAN, Wis., July 20. (AP)—Billy Talbert easily eliminated national junior champion Herb Flam 6-2, 6-4 today to enter the finals tomorrow in defense of his Western hard courts tennis title against Felicissimo Ampon, No. 1 man of the Philippine Islands Davis Cup team.

NEW YORK, July 20. (AP)—Frank Parker, who captured the national title the past two years as an Army sergeant, and Gardner Mulloy, a tall ex-naval officer today reached the final round of the Eastern clay courts championships at the Jackson Heights tennis club.

LAKE VILLAGE, Ark., July 20. (AP)—Clyde Scott, star halfback who resigned last week from the US Naval Academy, announced tonight that he would enter the University of Arkansas next fall.

## Hubbers Salvage Final Contest Of Lobo Series

LAMESA, July 20.—The Lubbock Hubbers salvaged the final game of the series with the Lamesa Lobos here last night before 1,080 spectators in a contest that was turned from a tight affair into an easy 10 to 6 win on the wisdom of Lobo relief hurler Callen McPike.

## Invite Peek If Rain Wanted

This community could perhaps profit by hiring out Steve Peek, Newark, N. J., baseball star.

CHICAGO, July 20. (AP)—Historian, sturdy son of Lawrence, 1935 Kentucky Derby winner, nipped the nation's handicap champion Armed, in one of the greatest stretch duels ever waged at Arlington Park today to win the \$56,800 Arlington handicap by a neck.

NEW YORK, July 20. (AP)—The Shell Oilers of Houston today defeated the Ennis Tigers 13 to 3 in the state semi-pro baseball tournament here today.

WASHINGTON, July 20. (AP)—Bobby Feller won his 17th victory today as Cleveland took full advantage of four Washington errors to beat the Senators 10-2.

## Muny Stands Inadequate—

# Softball Popularity Is At Record Peak Here; Other Sports Booming

The anticipated post-war sports boom is here and the spectators are profiting by it, for the most part.

## LOOKING 'EM OVER

With TOMMY HART  
Cy Faussett, business manager of the Albuquerque WT-NM baseball league club and a brother to Buck Faussett, skipper of the Hollywood Stars, has come out with a proposal for a new Class B league, which would have as members El Paso, Juarez, Mexico, Amarillo, Abilene, Lubbock, Albuquerque, Odessa and Wichita Falls.

## Chandler Shuts Out Pale Hose, Yanx Win, 7-0

NEW YORK, July 20. (AP)—Spud Chandler spun his 14th victory and fourth shutout of the season today, blanking the Chicago White Sox with five hits, 7-0, as New York took the opener of the three-game series.

## Thurman's Head For Chicago

Milt Steengrafe, who quit an umpiring job in the American Association when League President Roy Hamey refused to act on his suggestion that a manager be suspended, is calling balls and strikes in J. Alvin Gardner's Texas league.

## Zaharias Routs

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP)—They gave Babe Didrikson Zaharias 36 holes in which to defend her Broadmoor golf crown but the free-swinging Denver star accomplished the feat in 27 today when she trounced Miss Margaret Gunther, Memphis, Tenn., 10 and 9, to retain her title in the fifth annual Broadmoor invitation tournament.

## Feller Wins 17th Behind Cleveland

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## Dooley To Hurl For Baron Club

The Salvation Army diamond at West Fifth and San Antonio streets will be the scene of action today of a baseball contest between Frank Miller's Big Spring Black Barons and the Sweetwater Shepards.

## Tony Zale Tests Rocky Wednesday

NEW YORK, July 20. (AP)—For the first time since Mickey Walker decided he'd rather eat than stay tight back in 1931, the middleweight championship goes on a "one world" basis Thursday night in Yankee stadium when titleholder Tony Zale tangles with Rocky the Rock Graziano.

## Motorists Trip Colorado City

Big Spring Motor nosed out the White House softball team, 7-6, in an exhibition game played in the Colorado City football stadium Friday night.

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## Will Meier Irene Meier

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## Tigers, Anson Collide Today At North Ward

Shelled into submission by an improved Midland team last weekend, the Big Spring baseball Tigers hit the comeback trail at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon on the North Ward diamond when they came to grips with the Anson Bengals.

## Harmon Signs

LOS ANGELES, July 20. (AP)—The Los Angeles Rams of the National football league today signed Tom Harmon, fresh from a snubbed by the Los Angeles Dons of the rival All-America conference, to a two-year playing contract.

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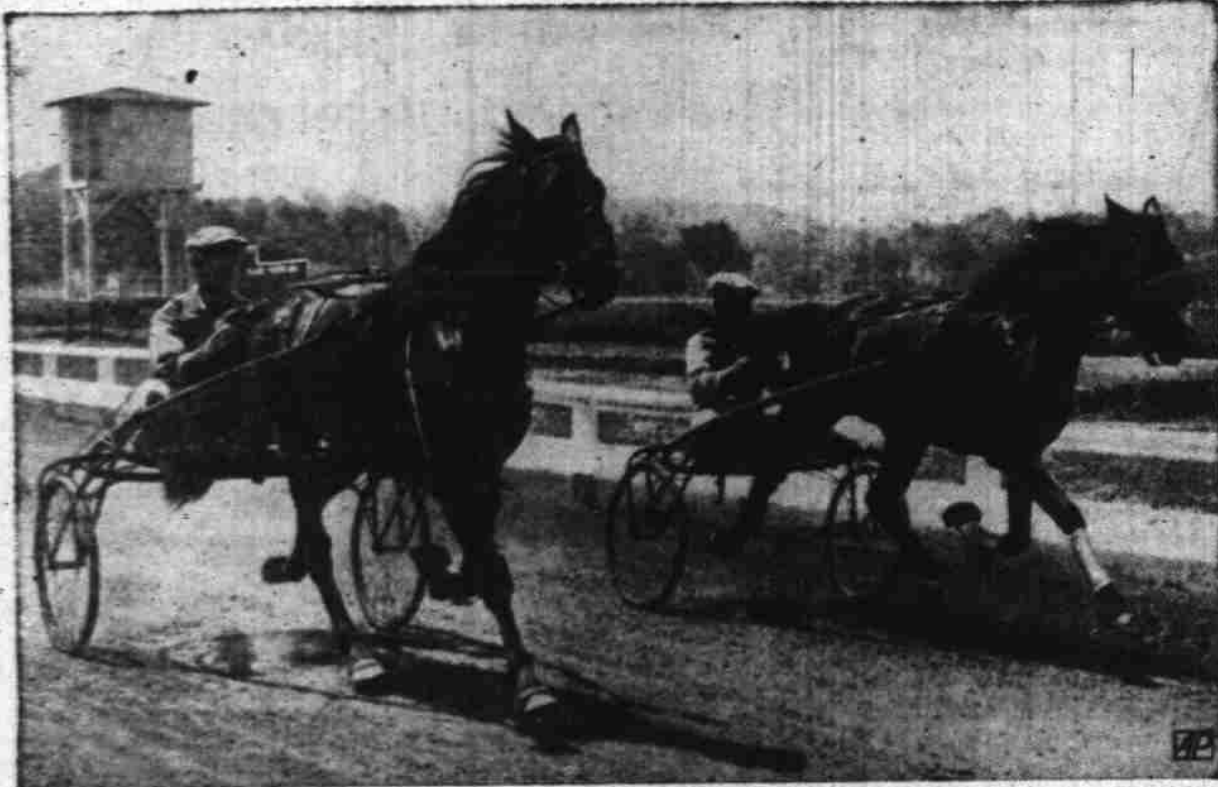
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**PACER AND TROTTER TRAIN** — Gibson White (left) pilots Reynis, a pacer, while his father, Ben White (right), drives Nathalie, a trotter, at the Good Time mile track at Goshen, N. Y., in preparation for the annual Grand Circuit meet. Gibson will drive the favorite, Deanna, of which he is half owner, in the \$50,000 Hambletonian trotting classic.

### Mangrum Burns Up Chi Course To Take Lead

CHICAGO, July 20 (AP)—Mustached Lloyd Mangrum, ignoring a war-wound twitch in his left shoulder, today spanked a course record-making 67 to bound three strokes in front of the \$10,000 Victory national open golf field at the 36-hole mark with a six-under-par 136.

The US open champion slammed five birdies as he added a 33-34 to his opening 69 yesterday.

Runner-up to Mangrum in the 72-hole scramble over Medina's 6,778-yard par 71 course was hard-hitting Chick Harbert, Northville, Mich., pro who turned in a 70 for a two-day total of 139.

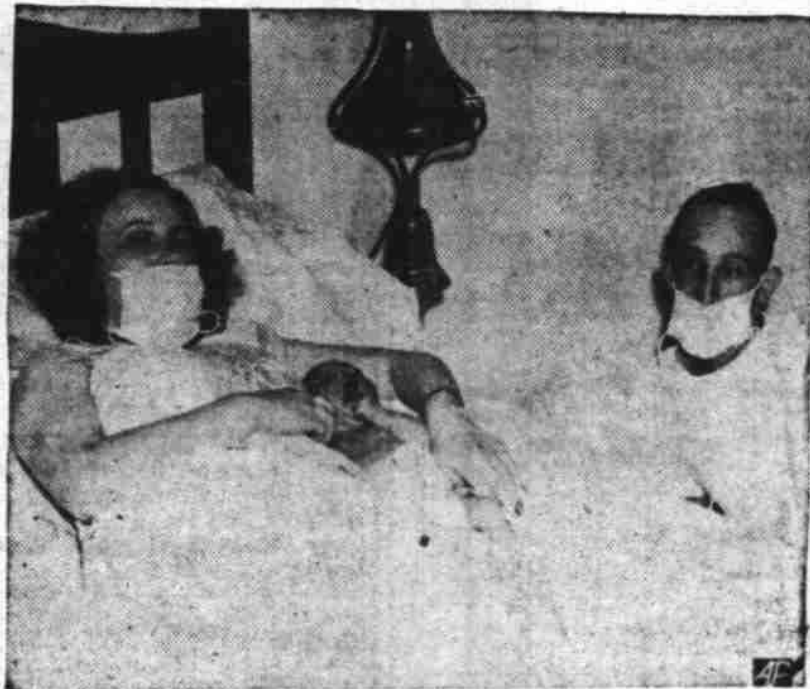
Three pros were deadlocked at 141, Chandler Harper, ex-serviceman from Portsmouth, Va.; Johnny Bulla, lanky Chicagoan, and E. J. (Dutch) Harrison, stoop-shouldered veteran from Little Rock, Ark.

Next in line, as some 70 of the nation's top pros and amateurs battled for 50 berths in tomorrow's final 36 holes, was defending champion Byron Nelson, who came to life today with a 69 for a 36-hole count of par-matching 142.

Seven strokes off the pace were Harold (Jug) McSpaden, 1944 Victory open champion, and Sammy Byrd, the former New York Yankee baseballer with 143's.

Jimmy Hines of Chicago, bagging a 71, and George Schnetter of Ogden, Utah, also carding a 71, were tied for ninth spot with 144's.

Stranahan remained the top amateur, tied with professional Ben Hogan, the nation's top money-winner, and Art Doering of Denver, Colo., at 145.



**THIRD BASEMAN JOINS FAMILY IN HOSPITAL**—A crowd of 2,388 paid admissions turned out for "Don Stokes Night" in Sherman, Tex., to present the popular Sherman Twins third baseman with a big assortment of stork shower gifts in ceremonies preceding an East Texas league game. An hour later Stokes himself was in the hospital with his wife and infant daughter, after sustaining a severe foot injury when he violently collided with a Paris, Tex., infielder in sliding for a base. The player and his wife and baby are pictured above. Doctors said Stokes will be out of the lineup for ten days (AP Photo).

### Bridges Halts Late Rally As Tigers Win

PHILADELPHIA, July 20 (AP)—Relief pitcher Tommy Bridges stopped a Philadelphia Athletics' ninth-inning threat to give the Detroit Tigers a 4 to 3 victory over the A's today before approximately 7,000. Bridges struck out pinch-hitter Barney McCosky and got two others out on flies after Sam Chapman and Buddy Roser had singled.

Freddy Hutchinson, Detroit starter, drove in one of the Tigers' runs with a single.

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Philadelphia 100 010 100—3 8 0

Hutchinson, Bridges and Tebbets; Marchildon, Knerr and Rosar.

### Y Group Given Swim Buttons

Sixty-five members of the "non-swimmers' class" in the YMCA water school in progress at the municipal natatorium received graduation buttons last week and thus moved into the more advanced group.

They are Sadler Bridges, Bobbie Bryan, Page Eiland, Jimmy McCrary, Darrell Sanders, Paul Linder, Ralph Winterrowd, Jimmy Porter, Buddy Martin, Preston Mason, Patsy Maddux, Tommy Hammond, Sue Nell Nall, Luan Nall, Patty Hull, Joyce Woods, Bobby Blumh, Mary Frances Norman and John Lawrence.

Also Lillian Rowe, Anna Bell Lane, Bobbie Gene Morgan, Florence Cass, Dan Royalty, Marilyn Mull, Constance Holmes, Janice Nalley, Ray Shaw, Pat McKinney, Nancy Clark, Wayne Medley, Lynette Blum, Billy John Early, Jim Farmer, Patsy Ann Neil, Billie Jean Stratton, Joyce Ann Fritchett, Margaret McDonald, Norma Lou Rose, Gilbert Mull and Louis Stipp.

Also Doris Ann McDonald, Janice Brooks, Billie Martin, Dixie Byrd, Twila Phillips, Mary Jane Rowe, Frances Walker, Nancy Hanson, Jack Gilbert, Trevelyan Kelley, Lonnie Winterrowd, Linda French, Joyce Gound, Avelie James, Joe Daves, Jackie James, Judy Douglas, June Gray, Jimmy Smith and Kenneth Strop.

Another 25 were enrolled in a new class that got under way Saturday morning.

Dorothy Rowe and Natalie Smith have joined the faculty of instructors.

### Tokyo Markets Closed After Bloody Riots

TOKYO, July 20 (AP)—Bloodshed-caused the closing tonight of Tokyo's lucrative market stalls in the Shimabashi and Shibuya sectors and a controlling Japanese organization, headed by the widow of a slain black-market dealer, considered a protest to General MacArthur.

Members of the organization, Matsuda Gumi, said they were told by police that the closing order came from MacArthur's provost marshal for Tokyo.

Chinese merchants, two of whom were killed and 21 wounded in shootings last night, blamed Matsuda Gumi for the troubles, charging the organization rented stalls to Chinese, then started tearing down Chinese shops and assaulting operators.

### Manhattans Win Over Coahoma, Redcaps Cop

Manhattan Club and Doc Wilkinson's Redcaps chalked up triumphs in Muncy softball league play at the city park Friday night, defeating Coahoma's Stanolind Oilers and the United Body Works team, respectively.

Cliff Harrison's Manhattans, behind the one-hit pitching of Jimmy Daylong, coasted to a 6-1 victory over the Coahomans. W. D. Berry, Jr., started on the rubber for the Oilers but failed to survive the initial round, when the Clubbers scored four times.

K. C. Grantham tripped for the losers in the last inning to rob Daylong of a perfect game.

Bill Greider and Woodrow Harris teamed up to pitch the Redcaps to a 14-2 win over the Mechanics. Greider gave up one hit in the five innings he worked. Harris surrendered one in the final two.

The Wilkinson brigade enjoyed their biggest inning in the second when they tallied five times.

### Army Measures Noses For New Gas Masks

FORT LEWIS, WASH., July 21 (AP)—The Army longnoses are being measured—right down to the tip.

And that tip may have something to do with the size, length and type of gas mask future GI's will wear—just as 63 other measurements being taken of 12,000 men at Fort Lewis may have a large scale effect on almost every describable piece of Army equipment.

## Enos Slaughter Paces Red Birds To Win Over Boston

### Lobbying Holds Up Bill, Wyatt Says

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—"Shameful lobbying by real estate interests and 'parliamentary filibustering' are blocking a vote on the Wagner-Elender-Taft general housing bill, Housing Expediter Wilson Wyatt charged today.

Wyatt offered to forego all appearances by himself and his aides if it would speed the long-range housing measure through the House banking and currency committee to a vote before adjournment. The opposition, he said, should be given "reasonable" time to state objections.

The National Housing Administration denounced the use of "almost never-invoked technicalities" which he said have rendered hearings impossible. He referred to a point of order raised in committee hearings which prevents testimony-taking while Congress is in session.

### Braves Get Only Run On Safety By Tom Holmes

ST. LOUIS, July 20 (AP)—A three-run sixth inning sparked by Enos Slaughter's single with the bases loaded enabled the St. Louis Cardinals to turn back the Boston Braves, 3 to 1, tonight and maintain a first place tie with the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Murray Dickson went the distance for the Red Birds, ratiating out seven hits. John Sain was the victim of the Card outbreak. Outside of the bad inning, he gave up only three hits.

Slaughter drove in two of the tallies, hitting with Dickson and Red Schoendienst ahead of him. Whitey Kurowski followed with a safety that enabled Stan Musial to cross the plate.

The Braves got their only run in the eighth inning when Tommy Holmes singled to drive in Dick Culler.

The crowd was listed at 10,205 paid.

Boston . . . 000 000 010—1 7 1  
St. Louis . . . 000 003 00x—3 6 1

Sain and O'Dea; Dickson and Garagiola.

### Results—Standings

WT-NM League			
Pampa 5, Abilene 1.			
Lubbock 11, Clovis 2.			
Texas League			
San Antonio 3, Fort Worth 2.			
Beaumont 14, Oklahoma City 9.			
Shreveport 4, Tulsa 1.			
American League			
New York 7, Chicago 6.			
St. Louis 5, Boston 4.			
Detroit 4, Philadelphia 3.			
Cleveland 10, Washington 2.			
National League			
Brooklyn 4, Pittsburgh 1.			
Cincinnati 2, New York 1.			
Chicago 4-3, Philadelphia 3-2.			
St. Louis 3, Boston 1.			
Texas League			
Dallas Houston postponed, rain.			
American Association			
Minneapolis at Indianapolis, p.p.d., rain.			
FRIDAY'S RESULTS			
WT-NM League			
Amarillo 4, Abilene 3.			
Albuquerque 7, Pampa 6.			
Clovis 3, Borger 0.			
Lubbock 10, Lamesa 6.			
Texas League			
Team—	W.	L.	Pct.
Fort Worth . . . . .	64	35	.646
San Antonio . . . . .	61	37	.622
Dallas . . . . .	57	40	.588
Tulsa . . . . .	52	47	.530
Beaumont . . . . .	47	49	.490
Houston . . . . .	40	58	.408
Shreveport . . . . .	39	58	.402
Oklahoma City . . . . .	30	67	.309
American League			
Team—	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn . . . . .	51	34	.600
St. Louis . . . . .	51	34	.600
Chicago . . . . .	46	37	.554
Boston . . . . .	42	44	.488
Cincinnati . . . . .	40	42	.488
New York . . . . .	36	48	.429
Philadelphia . . . . .	34	46	.425
Pittsburgh . . . . .	34	46	.410
National League			
Team—	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh (2) — Lombardi (9-4) and Behrman (6-3) vs. Sewell (6-5) and Ostermueller (7-5).			
Boston at St. Louis (2) — Nigleling (1-1) and Cooper (8-7) vs. Pollet (10-4) and Brecken (6-9) or Barret (3-2).			
New York at Cincinnati (2) — Trinkle (3-5) and Gee (4-0) vs. Blackwell (4-6) and Beggs (5-5).			
Philadelphia at Chicago (2) — Judd (5-7) and Rowe (9-4) vs. Borowy (3-4) and Passeau (7-6).			
American League			
St. Louis at Boston (2) — Fanning (2-0) and Shirley (5-9) vs. Dobson (9-3) and Ferriss (14-4).			
Chicago at New York (2) — Lopat (5-7) and Hamner (1-4) vs. Bevins (9-6) and Gettel (4-5).			
Detroit at Philadelphia (2) — Trucks (10-7) and Overmire (1-3) vs. Fowler (6-8) and Harris (2-4).			
Cleveland at Washington (2) — Gasaway (0-0) and Embree (6-7) vs. Wynn (0-0) and Haefner (7-6).			

### Red Sox Stumble, Lose To Browns

BOSTON, July 20 (AP)—The troublesome St. Louis Browns pushed a pair of runs across the plate in the seventh inning today on a trio of singles, a sacrifice and two walks, to edge the league leading Boston Red Sox, 4-1.

Although Jack Kramer was relieved in the eighth by Tom Ferrick after Ted Williams doubled off the left field wall, he received credit for his 10th victory of the season.

The loss shaved a full game off the Red Sox's lead, leaving them 10½ games ahead of the second place New York Yankees, who shut out the Chicago White Sox, 7-0.

In the fourth, Al Zarilla clouted a home run for the Browns.

St. Louis . . . 100 110 200—5 10 1  
Boston . . . . . 010 110 100—4 10 0

Kramer, Ferrick and Mancuso; Hughton, Johnson and Wagner.

### Bruins Sweep Twin Bill From Phillies

CHICAGO, July 20 (AP)—The Chicago Cubs swept a double header from the Philadelphia Phillies before a paid crowd of 35,600 in Wrigley Field today, 4-3 and 3-2.

Andy Pafko's ninth-inning single decided the opener while Johnny Schmitz went the distance to gain his No. 7 triumph in the second game.

First game:  
Philadelphia 100 110 000—3 11 1  
Chicago . . . 030 000 001—4 11 0

Humphries, Hoerst and Seminick; Kush, Bithorn and Scheffing.

Second game:  
Philadelphia 000 020 000—2 9 1  
Chicago . . . 000 210 00x—3 8 1

Mulligan, T. Hughes, Raffensberger and Seminick; Schmitz and McCullough, Scheffing.

### Roxas Won't Trade, He Tells Huk Leader

MANILA, July 20 (AP)—President Roxas, whose military police are clashing bloodily with armed peasants (Hukbalahaps) throughout central Luzon, bluntly told the peasants' leader at a three-hour conference today, "I will not trade concessions for observance of law."

The president demanded "immediate termination of lawlessness, banditry and resistance to peace forces of the government."



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### Canine Makes Pal Of Cat It Saved

NORTH HOLLYWOOD, Calif.—A nine-month-old police dog here saved the life of a month-old kitten, then carried it home for a playmate.

The two now are inseparable companions, the owner, Mrs. Myrtle Roberts, said.

"I think the kitten must have fallen in a pool of water in the river and Lady jumped in to save her," Mrs. Roberts said. "Anyway, Lady carried her home by the scruff of the neck, both dripping wet."

### HELP WEEDS TO GROW, THEN MOW 'EM DOWN

CHAMPAIGN, Ill.—To keep weed seeds from scattering wholesale over area soil, cut the weeds before they bloom, says L. V. Sherwood, assistant prop. production professor at the University of Illinois.

In offering this advice, Sherwood stated that as many as 40,000 weed seeds have been counted in a square foot of soil.

Sherwood says that farmers can destroy the seeds already in the soil by encouraging them to grow, so that the resulting seedlings can be killed.

He says that usually only the weed seeds in the upper two or three inches of soil grow. He advises farmers to get them there by early plowing, so that they can germinate and be destroyed before the crop is planted.

In England the harnessing of dogs to vehicles is forbidden, but in Belgium it is common practice to harness one or more to small milk carts.

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NY shop will be closed from July 1 to July 22. Aubrey Sublett, 101 Lester Bldg. Phone 380.

Lodges CHAPTER work Wed. nesday, July 24th. Jack Thomas, H. P. W. O. Low, Sec.

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FOR insured house moving see C. F. Wade, 1/4 mile south Lakeview Grocery on old highway. We are bonded. Phone 1684.

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GOOD old smoked pit barbecue, southern fried chicken, and choice steaks at Walter Green's Hilltop Place, located 408 N.W. Aviford.

FORD engine Exchange: engines rebuilt on all makes of cars; all work guaranteed. McDonald Motor Co. 206 Johnson St.

ALL kinds of Bulldozer work done; highest quality work; reasonable prices. Bob Arnold, Phone 52.

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AAA TRAVEL BUREAU If you are a driver we furnish the passenger. If a passenger we furnish the ride. CALL US FOR INFORMATION. 304 E. 3rd. Highway 80 Big Spring, Texas.

Public Notices JO Kincaid is now with Bungalow Beauty Shop and would appreciate friends calling; representatives of Rubinfon Cosmetics, Bungalow Beauty Shop, 1101 E. 4th.

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Exercise your good sense and you will save dollars in maintenance by having us do your electrical wiring, etc. Safe work always.

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WILL care for your children in your home day or night. Phone Mrs. Stayton, 1711.

WILL keep your children in your home day or night. Mrs. Clara Smith, 507 E. 7th in rear. Phone 780-J.

BUTTONHOLES, one day service. 204 W. 14th, Phone 1420-J.

IF you want buttonholes worked, bring them to me. 600 Douglas St. Phone 891.

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For Sale Household Goods

AUTHORIZED DEALER Servel Electrically Burned Gas refrigerator. Butane gas Magic Chef Ranges; Whirlpool Washing Machines; Payne fur furnaces; central heating plants. For sales service call 1683.

B. & M. Appliance SINGER sewing machine for sale; good condition; 1 1/2 gal. ice cream freezer; baby bed; high chair and buggy. Behind Lakeview Grocery No. 1.

75 LB. pre-war Cooler for sale. Wanted: 2 carpenters. Mrs. A. C. Bass, 605 Main, Phone 1529.

NEW furniture for sale; or will rent apartment at Ellis Homes if you buy furniture. Bldg. 30, Apt. 2.

NEW metal Lockerator refrigerator, 75 lb. ice capacity; 5 cubic feet food space; pre-war construction; also new 5-tube farm battery radio. See these at Army Surplus Store, 114 Main.

GOOD stove; new 8-piece white oak dining suite; dish cabinet; living room suite and two rockers; good mattress, springs and bedstead; other small furnishings. 701 E. 16th.

THREE rooms of furniture; living room, bedroom, dining room; with frigidaire electric box. See G. C. Potts, 1009 Main St.

JUST received shipment new Crosley table model radios. Shrover Motor Co.

Office & Store Equipment FINE large oak office desk and three chairs for sale. Call Mr. Swafford at 679.

Musical Instruments NICE Piano for sale. Call 9003.

Pets RABBITS for sale: Frvrs, and does at reduced prices. Phone 1030 for delivery or see Jack Roberts, 13 blocks south Adam's Garage, Coahoma.

REGISTERED Cocker Spaniels for sale. 1414 11th Place.

Poultry & Supplies FRYERS for sale on foot or dressed. Call 1303 Coahoma; for weekend deliveries or see Jack Roberts, 13 blocks south Adam's Garage, Coahoma.

Miscellaneous FARMERS' TRUCKERS! Buy Tarps at greatly reduced prices. Army Surplus Store, 114 Main St.

FOR Sale: Good new and used copper radiators for popular make cars, trucks, Coahoma. Satisfaction guaranteed. PEURIFOY RADIATOR SERVICE, 901 East 3rd St., Phone 1210.

MOTORCYCLES rebuilt: parts: Bicycles parts; almost any kind. LARRY MOWEN, 206 N. W. 4th St., Phone 507.

Hand tooled leather purses, belts, billfolds; also repair work; saddle repair. Dove Leathercraft, 115 Runnels.

PEACHES for sale; Nice red spuds and tomatoes, 5 lbs. for 50c; ice cold melons and other fruits and vegetables; alfalfa hay. See Mrs. Birdwell, 206 N. W. 4th St., Phone 507.

VENETIAN blinds available. Big Spring Paint & Paper Store, Phone 1181.

WESTERN Flyer bicycle for sale. 206 N. 11th.

BULLDOZERS for clearing and leveling lots and acreage. DRAGLINES for digging basements, tanks and any dirt work. AIR COMPRESSORS, drilling and blasting septic tanks, basements, ditches and pavement breaker work. Phone 2275, Midland, Tex. FRED M. BURLESON & SON

FOR FARM AND RANCH Milking machines; portable spraying machines; electric fences; lubricators; air compressors; ring-free oil. O. L. Williams, Sales & Service, 1306 East 3rd, Phone 9599-758.

BERKELEY Electric Water Systems for Shallow and Deep Water 10% Down - 18 Months On Balance - 5% Interest Sold and Serviced by BIG SPRING TRACTOR CO. Phone 938 Lamesa Highway

NOTICE Just received shipment new 1937-1946 Oldsmobile motors. Shrover Motor Co.

CONCRETE tile machine for sale with or without vibrator, tile easily, quickly made. Also dry 2 x 6's. Jack Roberts, Phone 1303, 1 1/2 blocks south Adam's Garage, Coahoma.

DIAMOND ring: Lady's Solitaire, about 14 carat; all platinum, \$425. Write to one, will send for examination. Dealers, Box C, B., # Herald.

PEANUT Vending Machines, 18 like new; a profitable spare time enterprise; reasonable. 405 Mesquite St., Phone 1317-W.

ATTENTION Railroad men: 21-jewel Hamilton watch; open face; perfect timekeeper; also 10-inch electric fan, oscillating, 3 speed; like new. Phone 1317-W.

HAVE one same as new Wisconsin make 4 to 9 hp engine; one air compressor with tank; for quick sale. 400 E. 3rd.

THREE stock saddles; two cars; 30 ft. Hobbs trailer; 6 sqs. building rock; 400 lb. posts; all for sale at a bargain. 204 N. Austin, Phone 1499-W.

For Sale Miscellaneous

MORE THAN 1,000 PAIRS Army Shoes. Your choice at \$1.50. Some are worth \$5.00 pair.

BIG SPRING FUEL CO. C. F. Morris

Wanted To Buy Household Goods

WANTED: Good used ice boxes. P. Y. Tate Furniture, 1000 W. 3rd.

FURNITURE wanted. We need used furniture. Give us a chance before you sell. Get our prices before you buy. W. L. McCollister, 1901 W. 4th, Phone 1261.

WANTED: Good used bedroom suites. P. Y. Tate Furniture, 1000 W. 3rd.

Radios & Accessories WANTED: Used radios and musical instruments. Will pay cash for anything. Anderson Music Co., phone 856 or call at 113 Main St.

Miscellaneous WANT to buy new or used Army foot locker. Phone 444.

For Rent Apartments

NICELY furnished apartment for rent. Frigidaire; gas cook stove; linens furnished; bills paid. Ranch Inn Courts, opposite American Airlines office at Airport, Phone 9521.

GOOD two room furnished apartment, all bills paid. Phone 1309.

TWO 1-room apartments for rent to couples only. 210 N. Gregg.

ONE room light housekeeping apartment for rent; \$4.50 a week. 18th block West 3rd. City View Courts. Call after 6 p. m.

TWO 2-room apartments and bath; for rent. Frigidaire, 1106 W. 3rd. Motor Inn Courts, Phone 1369. All bills paid.

TWO room furnished apartment for rent; suitable for 3. Mrs. Snyder, 808 Main.

ONE apartment and 3 bedrooms for rent. 119 Nolan.

NICE 2-room furnished apartment; utilities paid. Apply 1107 Main, east apartment.

Bedrooms NICE Bedroom for rent; close in. Phone 960.

BEDROOM for rent; close in; prefer two working girls. Phone 1624.

NICE southeast bedroom; adjoining bath; close in; gentleman preferred. 508 Gollad.

A NICE quiet bedroom in Edwards Heights on bus line; adjoining bath. Call 1180.

NICE bedroom for rent to working girl; Beauty Rest mattress; large cedar lined clothes closet; \$15.00 week; in good street. Phone 1066, 611 Bell.

SOUTH bedroom for rent; private entrance; 2 blocks from Settles Hotel. Phone 418 or 501 Johnson.

TEX HOTEL; close in; free parking; air conditioning; weekly rates. Phone 991, 503 E. 3rd St.

Rooms & Board Bedrooms - Board - Apartments Arrington Hotel, 311 N. Scurry Phone 962

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FOR RENT: Four business offices. Excellent location. Write Reuben Williams, 207 Southwestern Life Bldg., Dallas 1, Texas.

40 x 70 FT. warehouse for rent. Call 310.

BEST location in town for lease for drug or variety store; will build to suit renter. See H. W. Killingsworth, Y Courts, west highway.

Real Estate Houses For Sale

DON'T miss seeing these values I have listed in better homes, also a number of smaller places that will please you. Choice lots. Always glad to see you.

1. Very pretty nice 5-room house and bath; brick on large corner lot; in very best location; priced reasonable.

2. Nice 7-room house, 3 lots on Scurry; very attractive; beautiful yard; must be sold in next few days.



Real Estate

Farms & Ranches
160 ACRE improved farm, close to oil well now getting down to interesting depth...

Veteran Claims Being Handled At Lubbock

Since the opening of the Veterans Administration Regional office in Lubbock, the adjudication division has acted upon 3,042 of 4,488 claims received for compensation or pension...

This means that 3,042 West Texas veterans, or their beneficiaries, will soon know whether or not they are going to receive a pension or compensation check from the Veterans Administration...

One out of every four veterans of World War II has filed a claim with the VA for disability pension. VA records show more than 250,000 veterans of World War II living in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi have filed pension claims...

Business Property

SMALL Grocery stock and complete market fixtures, including walk-in refrigerator, priced to sell. O. L. Cooper, 341 Butternut, Abilene, Texas.

HAVE good Cafe for sale: 10 stools, two booths, 2 tables; doing a good business; priced right. See O. C. Turner, Stanton, Texas.

SHEET IRON building, 20 x 40 ft., to be moved off lot. J. M. Radford, C.A.D.

WE wish to extend to all our friends our heartfelt thanks for your beautiful floral offerings, the food and the many ways in which you expressed your sympathy in our recent bereavement.

The Children and Grandchildren of Mrs. Texana Ford.

Announcements

Political

FOR CONGRESSMAN George Mahon Hop Halsey

DISTRICT JUDGE Cecil C. Collings

DISTRICT ATTORNEY Martelle McDonald

DISTRICT CLERK George C. Choate

COUNTY JUDGE Walton S. Morrison

COUNTY ATTORNEY George T. Thomas H. C. Hooser

SHERIFF E. L. (Bob) Wolf J. B. (Jake) Bruton

TAX COLLECTOR-ASSESSOR John F. Wolcott R. B. Hood

W. C. (Charles) Stovall

COUNTY TREASURER Ida L. Collins J. F. (Frank) Howard

COUNTY CLERK Lee Porter

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT Walker Bailey

JUSTICE OF PEACE, Pct. No. 1 Walter Grice

CO. COMMISSIONER, Pct. No. 1 E. L. Roman

J. E. (Ed) Brown W. W. Long

CO. COMMISSIONER, Pct. No. 2 Earl Piew

G. E. (Red) Gilliam Ben L. LeFever

H. T. (Thad) Hale L. E. (Snuffy) Smith

W. W. (Pop) Bennett

CO. COMMISSIONER, Pct. No. 3 E. L. (Panche) Nall

Robert F. Blahm Grover Blahm

CO. COMMISSIONER, Pct. No. 4 Earl Hull

Monroe Johnson

CONSTABLE, Pct. No. 1 J. T. Thornton

COUNTY SURVEYOR Ralph Baker

Mr. and Mrs. A. Swartz are in Dallas for fall merchandise showings and plan to buy for their women's apparel shop.

W. J. Rodenback, district accounting and credit supervisor, and C. E. Veros, Kansas City, field merchandiser for automobile tires and accessories, were at Montgomery Ward & Co. store during the past week.

First boxcar on American railroads equipped with adjustable steel bulkheads is undergoing thorough road tests on the Texas and Pacific railroad. The car was designed by George F. Jones, an employe of the freight loss and damage department. Company officials hope that the adjustable bulkhead will be the answer to the problem of cargo damage in transit. The bulkhead can be put into any position at any place in the car, easily and quickly. Thus far, results have been highly satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Justin Holmes and son are vacationing in Colorado. Holmes is manager of Shroyer Motor company.

H. C. Brown, Amarillo, succeeds Armstrong Bailey as manager of Sherwin-Williams store here. Bailey is being transferred to Dallas where he will be division specialty sales manager. Brown comes here from the Amarillo store.

Mrs. I. H. Sumner is in Dallas to attend market for the Lorraine Shop.

Frank Hood, manager of Mar-ko's, is currently on vacation.

C. W. Norman, manager of the C. Penny store here, attended a division meeting of the company in Sweetwater Friday.

LEADS SEIZE CROPS

VIENNA, July 20. (P) - An Austrian source declared today the Russians had resumed seizures of crops and farmlands in eastern Austria under a new order issued by Col. Gen. L. V. Kurrasov.



and what will this post-war model do that I would hardly have thought possible?

MR. BREGER



Baseball park? I'm afraid you're gonna have to try sellin' my ticket to somebody else today!

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Exchange 85-90 HP .....\$105.50
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Brooks Takes First In Colorado Show

A group of Big Spring amateur entertainers presented a program to about 1,500 persons at the amphitheatre in Colorado City Friday night.

Ranked by local judges there, Joe Fowler Brooks won first place with his presentation of novelty numbers, while Barbara Lou Wright took second with her tap dancing routine and the Logan Bros. string band was awarded third place.

Harold Bennett of Colorado City was in charge of the program, and J. H. Greene, manager of the Big Spring chamber of commerce, was visiting master of ceremonies. The Colorado City high school band gave a 20-minute concert at the outset of the program.

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When the Thought of Monday's Work Spills Sunday's Picnic
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Don't let the thought of a big washday ahead spoil your fun! Send that laundry bag to us. We launder everything from a hankie to a bedspread—and launder it to your satisfaction!
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WHADDYA SAY WE DRIFT DOWN TH' CRICK TO TH' OHIO, AN' FOLLER TH' OHIO DOWN TO CAIRO—THEN GO ALL TH' WAY DOWN TH' MISSISSIPPI TO NEW ORLEANS? WE KNU KETCH CATFISH AN' SHUFFE WATER MELONS SAME AS HUCK FINN AN' JIM. AN' MEBBE WE'LL HOOK UP WITH A KING AN' A DUKE.



BUCKLE THE KRAUTS IN SWEENEY TIE THAT MAD BARON SO HE CAN'T MOVE.



HO, HO, I'D LIKE TO SEE YOU CROSS THIS BRIDGE.



THE SCORCHY SWAB'S ARIPE, TOO, SHARKEY!



WAAL, GOOGLE, YE MOUGHT AS WELL PAY OFF THEM BETS YE MADE ON YORE TRAINED FLEA.



CURSE THE LUCK! THE FIRST BREEZE CATCHES US NAPPING!



THERE'S NOTHING LIKE A BIG DISH OF ICE CREAM ON A HOT SUMMER AFTERNOON.



SO YOU LIKE TRAVELING IN A COVERED WAGON, HONEY—AND YOU THINK IT'S LIKE LIVING IN A FAIRY TALE?



WHEN I'M GLAD TO GET OUTTA THAT JOINT!



CHUCKLE... I ACTUALLY SCARED THOSE KIDS INTO BUYING THAT BOOK!—SOME WORTHLESS OLD JUNK CALLED... THE FORBIDDEN VOLUME.



BUZZ AND SWEENEY ARE ABSORBED IN PREPARATIONS FOR THE TAKE-OFF. MOTORS ROAR. FROM THE SLEEVE OF THE MAD BARON APPEAR THE MISSING WIRE CUTTERS.



JUST A MINUTE—I'M HAVING TROUBLE!



PULL TH' SAFETY'S ON THEM BOMB HARPOONS—THERE'S NOTHING CAN TACKLE A TOUGH JOB LIKE... BIG SVEN!!



HE BIT SI POTTER'S HOUND DAWG.



IS TOO LATE! SEA GODS SPEAK! US ALL DIE!



I FINISHED MY WORKSHOP DAGWOOD COME IN AND SEE IT.



IT CARRIES YOU THROUGH A GREAT, BIG, LOVELY GARDEN WHERE EVERYTHING IS BEAUTIFUL AN' FREE—

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**Bruton Seeks Homes For Three Youngsters**

Three juveniles, confronted with unsatisfactory domestic conditions, are in need of homes, J. B. Bruton, county juvenile officer, said Saturday.

One is a 15-year-old girl, a freshman in high school, who has a good background, said Bruton, and the others, brothers of five, six and nine years, respectively, have been picked up repeatedly at night for roaming the streets.

Bruton made the appeal to individuals to furnish the youngsters a home because so many responded recently in the case of a youngster who faced similar circumstances.

The officer did not regard any

of the four youngsters needing homes as bad. The girl's only offense, he said, was in refusing to go home to a muddled domestic situation. The boys, whom Bruton would like to see kept together if possible, have been involved in some misdemeanors but generally for the purpose of securing food. It is not uncommon for the boys, victims of a broken home, to bed down in cardboard boxes at night, he added.

Persons interested in furnishing good homes to the juveniles should contact Bruton at his home or at his office in the courthouse.

**Work Speeded To Install Toilets**

A full day of each week will be set aside henceforth by the Big Spring-Howard county health unit for expediting installation of sanitary toilets in areas not connected to the city sewer systems, Lawrence J. Wells, sanitarian, has announced.

More progress has been made on this phase of the sanitation program during the past few days, Wells said, and by devoting a full day of each week to contact work improvement is expected to continue. Six concrete slabs for the approved, pit-type toilets were installed last week.

Due to the urgency of completing the program at the earliest possible date, Wells said the contact work would be conducted as follows: An inspection of premises will be made, and notices will be given to the respective property owners to install one of three types of sanitary toilets. The three types include connection to the city sewer systems, installation of a septic tank or the slab-type, approved outdoor toilet.

Failure to comply with notices within the specified time will result in the filing of formal complaints, Wells said.

**British Methodists "Slowly Dying Out"**

LONDON, July 20 (AP) — The British Methodist church lost 83,000 members in the past decade and "is slowly dying out," the Rev. W. Proctor told the British Methodist conference today.

Membership in the church declined by 5,902 during the past year to a total of 752,659, the membership committee reported.



**SERVES IN KYUSHU — T-4**  
Preston M. Denton is now serving with the 1731 engineer utility detachment at Zasshonokuma, near Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan. He entered the Army at Fort Bliss on Feb. 20, 1945, and trained at Camp Maxey, after which he was shipped overseas to the Philippine Islands. Sgt. Denton is acting as first sergeant for his unit and handling all clerical and personnel work of the detachment. Formerly pastor of the Airport Baptist church in Big Spring, he is carrying on his church work by acting as chaplain for the area. He conducts prayer meetings on Wednesday evenings and preaches on Sunday to all engineer troops in the Fukuoka area. He wears the Good Conduct Medal, the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon, the Japanese Occupation ribbon and World War II Victory medal.

**Plans Shape Up For Local Rodeo**

Plans are shaping up for Big Spring's annual Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo scheduled for Aug. 7-10, officials announced Saturday.

Arrangements already are underway for the parade and other activities related to the main event, and other plans are being completed rapidly.

To travel on a general mission of goodwill and specifically to advertise the rodeo, a motorcade is being arranged for July 31 and Aug. 2 by the goodwill committee of the chamber of commerce.

The group will visit more than a dozen cities and towns in the area during the two-day trip, Elmo Wasson, committee chairman said.

On July 31, stops will be made at Forsan, Sterling City, Garden City, Midland, Odessa and Stan-

**Runway Extension Underway At Airport**

Extension of another runway at the U.S. Flying Service private airport immediately northeast of Big Spring is underway.

Johnny Underwood, operator of the port, said Saturday that ground had been cleared and fenced for extending the east-west runway by approximately 1,500 feet. This will give a 3,000-foot runway in these directions in addition to a 4,000-foot north-south and 2,500-foot northeast-southwest runways.

It is probable that the new strip will be opened the first part of this week, Underwood said.

ton, in that order, with the motorcade scheduled to arrive in Midland for lunch. The Aug. 2 slate includes visits to Coahoma, Colorado City, Snyder, Gail, Lamesa, Ackerly and Knott, with the noon stop in Snyder.



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**Manchurian Capital Needs A Good Cleaning**

**By JOHN RODERICK**  
CHANGCHUN. (AP) — Weeks after its return to Chinese nationalist sovereignty this Manchurian capital remains a city of military tenseness and barbed wire barricades.  
Still, in view of the multiplicity of armies — Japanese, Russian, Chinese Communists and Nationalist — which have streamed through her modern, well-paved streets in recent months, the fact that it has returned to anything resembling normal is astonishing.  
From the air, Changchun's broad avenues, modern buildings

and wealth of parks serve notice that this is no ordinary Chinese city but a recent-day creation of the Japanese during 14 years of occupation. From the air, too, can be seen the effects of war — row upon row of former Japanese factories, now roofless shells of brick stripped even of floors and window sills.  
Around the fringes of a large well-equipped airport, hulks of Russian Stormoviks and Japanese planes are mute monuments to Changchun's recent tenants.  
No one may enter or leave Changchun through the barbed

wire which bars the main highways without producing a pass. Vehicles bearing the American flag are an exception.  
Inside the city, life appears to be approximately normal. Street cars are running, power and water systems are functioning, and freedom of movement is generally unrestricted except for miles of barbed wire which fence off many streets and army barracks. But parks are mostly overgrown with weeds and tall grass, roads are slowly falling into disrepair, and many beautiful homes are abandoned or suffering from lack of attention.

The capital of Japan's Manchukuo — the beginning of the Greater East Asia Co-Prosperity Empire — is badly in need of a general housecleaning. Many large, modern buildings, including the once impressive capital, have been gutted by fire or stripped and looted by succeeding armies.  
The city population still includes some 250,000 Japanese technicians.



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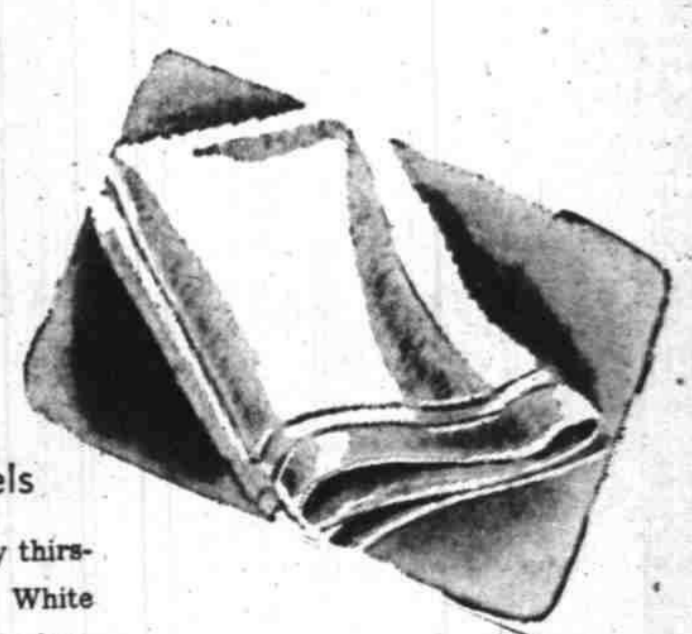
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# Ex-Servicemens Vote In Saturday Primary Still Question Mark

One of the big question marks this year in the voting will be the "soldier" turnout. This misnomer applies to servicemen in the armed forces reserves or who have received their discharges from the armed services within 18 months of the date of the election in which they wish to participate. This means that a member of the reserve can vote in any election and a discharged member of the armed forces may vote without exemption certificate or poll tax in the first Democratic primary if he was not separated before Jan. 28, 1945. Also exempt under similar terms are those who served in the US Maritime service and the US Merchant Marine. Service in the armed forces, however, does not waive citizenship and residential requirements. In other words, in addition to qualifying for an exempt vote as a serviceman or discharged serviceman, it is necessary for the applicant to be a citizen of the United States, 21-years of age, and have been a resident of the state for a year and the county for six months. Those who meet these requirements have but to satisfy the election judge of their qualifications (a copy of the discharge usually is sufficient) in order to ballot.

## Over-Age Vote To Be As Usual

"Overs," those who were 60 years of age before Jan. 1, 1945, will be allowed to vote pretty much as usual despite some conflicting reports. Recent opinions of the attorney general have helped to clarify the situation. Until last week, it had been presumed that "overs" in cities of 10,000 or more would be required to hold a current exemption certificate. The attorney general ruled this out except in the case of those securing their first exemptions as "overs." Elaborating on this, another opinion was issued during the past week at the request of County Attorney H. C. Hooser. In its essentials, it says that "overs" who resided in the rural areas and moved to town after time for securing exemptions will be entitled to vote. Summing it up, "overs" in Big Spring who formerly held permanent exemptions (regardless of whether they secured exemptions this year) and those who have secured their first "over" exemption will be entitled to vote. Those outside the corporate limits who satisfy age requirements may vote regardless of certificates if they meet citizenship and residential requirements (a year in the state, six months in the county).

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Martelle McDonald, Joe Pickle, Tracy Smith, Shine Phillips  
(Paid Pol. Adv.)

# BIG SPRING DAILY HERALD

POLITICAL SUNDAY, JULY 21, 1946 EDITORIAL

## 5 Bidders For Governorship Have Been Here

Despite a trend in this area during recent years which has caused attendance to slump at political speeches and rallies, a schedule of vigorous campaigning has brought several candidates for state and district offices to Big Spring and Howard county. Aspirants to the governor's chair have been most energetic of the list, with five candidates stopping here for speeches and another making several visits. A. J. Burks of Odessa made no address in Big Spring, but has stopped in Big Spring to converse with "the man on the street" several times since announcing his candidacy. Jerry Sadler, former railroad commissioner, started the parade of speaking tours to this section. Bringing musical entertainers with all the trimmings, he made a mid-day address from the courthouse lawn. Grover Sellers, present attorney general, followed a few days later with a night address, and he, too, brought a musical aggregation to "warm up" the audience. Beauford Jester, railroad commissioner, brought his gubernatorial campaign to Big Spring, addressing an afternoon crowd from the courthouse lawn without the usual preliminaries. The one-man campaigner, Caso March, probably was the most active candidate to appear here. Traveling alone and speaking without formal introduction, he claimed appearances in every county seat in Texas during his campaign. He had visited here earlier in the campaign. Homer P. Rainey, deposed University of Texas president, made his bid for Howard county support in a night address, which also was devoid of preliminaries and side attractions. Other candidates for state and district offices who already have made personal visits to Big Spring include Price Daniel, candidate for attorney general who made a radio address from the local station and visited with voters; R. E. Taylor and Cecil H. Barnes, state representative candidates; E. J. Miller and A. S. Mauzey, candidates for associate justice of the court of civil appeals; Mac Coker for railroad commissioner; Joseph Donnell, candidate for judge of the court of criminal appeals in the 11th supreme judicial district; and W. R. Chambers, candidate for commissioner of agriculture. In addition, R. E. (Peppy) Blount of Big Spring has been active in his home town and county for several weeks in his campaign for state representative and both candidates for the 19th district's congressional chair have campaigned here. George Mahon, incumbent congressman addressed the largest political gathering of the season at a rally arranged by his Howard county supporters in the City Park amphitheatre Thursday night.

## Sample Ballot

I AM A DEMOCRAT AND PLEDGE MYSELF TO SUPPORT THE NOMINEE OF THIS PRIMARY.

For UNITED STATES SENATOR: Floyd E. Ryan, Harris County A. B. (Cyclone) Davis, Dallas County Tom Connally, Falls County Laverne Somerville, Dallas County Terrell Sledge, Hays County

For GOVERNOR: C. R. Shaw, Harris County Walter Scott, Marion County Reese Turner, Travis County John Lee Smith, Throckmorton County Homer P. Rainey, Travis County Chas. B. Hutchison, Dallas County Floyd Brinkley, Harris County W. J. Minton, Grayson County Beauford Jester, Navarro County Jerry Sadler, Gregg County Grover Sellers, Hopkins County A. J. Burks, Ector County William W. Brown, Bowie County

For ATTORNEY GENERAL: Pat M. Neff, Jr., Harris County Price Daniel, Liberty County

For STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION: L. A. Woods, McLennan County

For COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE: R. E. McDonald, Travis County W. R. Chambers, Brown County Benjamin F. Hill, Dallas County J. E. McDonald, Ellis County

For RAILROAD COMMISSIONER: Olin Culberston, Jackson County Mac Coker, Dallas County Ike Lyons, Harris County

For ASSOCIATE JUSTICE SUPREME COURT (Place 1): Chas. T. Rowland, Tarrant County John H. Sharp, Ellis County

For ASSOCIATE JUSTICE SUPREME COURT (Place 2): Graham B. Smedley, Tarrant County James B. Hubbard, Nueces County

For ASSOCIATE JUSTICE SUPREME COURT (Place 3): J. E. Hickman, Eastland County

For JUDGE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS: Jesse Owens, Wilbarger County Weaver Baker, Kimble County Joseph Donnell Dickson, Baylor County Tom L. Beauchamp, Smith County

For REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, 19th DISTRICT OF TEXAS: George Mahon, Mitchell County Hop Halsey, Lubbock County

For CHIEF JUSTICE OF COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS FOR THE 11th SUPREME JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF TEXAS: Clyde Grissom, Eastland County

For ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS, ELEVENTH DISTRICT: Albert S. Mauzey, Nolan County E. J. Miller, Brown County

For STATE REPRESENTATIVE OF 91st LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT: Ralph E. Blount, Jr., Howard County R. E. Taylor, Tom Green County Cecil H. Barnes, Tom Green County

For DISTRICT JUDGE 70th JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF TEXAS: Cecil C. Collings

For DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 70th JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF TEXAS: Martelle McDonald

For COUNTY JUDGE: Walton S. Morrison

For COUNTY ATTORNEY: George T. Thomas H. C. Hooser

For DISTRICT CLERK: George C. Choate

For COUNTY CLERK: Lee Porter

For SHERIFF: J. B. Bruton R. L. (Bob) Wolf

For TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR: W. C. Stovall John F. Wolcott R. B. Hood

For COUNTY TREASURER: Mrs. Ida Collins J. F. (Frank) Howard

For COUNTY SURVEYOR: Ralph Baker

For COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT: Walker Bailey

For COUNTY COMMISSIONER: Precinct 1: J. E. (Ed) Brown Walter Long E. L. Roman

For COUNTY COMMISSIONER: Precinct 2: L. E. (Snuffy) Smith G. E. (Red) Gilliam W. W. (Pop) Bennett Ben L. LeFever H. T. (Thad) Hale Earl Plew

For COUNTY COMMISSIONER: Precinct 3: Grover Blissard R. L. (Pancho) Nall R. F. Bluhm

For COUNTY COMMISSIONER: Precinct 4: Monroe Johnson Earl Hull

For JUSTICE OF PEACE: Precinct No. 1: Walter Grice

For CONSTABLE: Precinct No. 1: J. T. Thornton

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## County Could Show A 7,000 Voting Total

How many votes Howard county will poll in the first Democratic primary Saturday is anybody's guess. Although it probably won't approach the potential, the county could turn out well over 7,000 votes. The county shows 5,502 poll taxes and 977 exemptions. This total of 6,483 does not include the "overs" outside the corporate limits of Big Spring and "overs" inside the city who had been held eligible to vote regardless of whether they renewed their "permanent" exemption certificates. Nor does it include the servicemen's vote, which could amount to 1,500 or more, based on discharges. Previous top for Howard county was about 80 per cent of its potential, and history proves it takes a mighty hot campaign to bring out that many. Should the serviceman vote, not shown in figures for the reason it is exempt, be heavy, the county might approach its apparent of 8,483 votes this year. Observers, however, regard this as a pretty steep goal.

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## Precinct Conventions Also On The Calendar For This Saturday

One of the forgotten parts of the first Democratic primary will be the precinct conventions. Normally, these are forgotten or go by default and without consequence. However, there have been occasions when precinct conventions have played important roles — and a case in point is no more than two years removed. That happened during the last presidential election. Since precinct delegates to the county convention are nominated at precinct conventions, ultimate control of the state Democratic party machinery stems from the precinct. It works this way. A majority of precinct delegates could determine the county's delegation to the state convention where control and complexion of the state party machinery is shaped up. This was particularly important during the battle for an elector's ticket on the general election ballot. The so-called "Texas regulars" had gained control of the spring state convention, but in a showdown fight at the state convention, opposing forces wrested control. The courts upheld the latter (Roosevelt-Truman) ticket and the Regulars went on the ballot in another column. Once before, in the days of W. Lee O'Daniel, precinct conventions, through the county convention medium, became important at the state convention. According to a digest prepared by George Sergeant for the state Democratic executive committee, precinct conventions in rural boxes are to be held at 2 p. m. on the day of the first primary; those in city boxes at 7 p. m., the hour for the closing of the polls.

## Major Political Dates Ahead

Here are some deadlines and dates to remember in connection with the first Democratic primary here Saturday:

SUNDAY: The tax collector is to have delivered to the county clerkman certified and supplemental lists of qualified voters in each precinct.

MONDAY: If a voter moves his residence to a new voting precinct, he must apply to the tax collector not less than four days before the election to qualify to vote (RS2967).

TUESDAY: Last day for absentee voting in the first primary.

THURSDAY: First day that candidates can file statement of campaign expenses for the second primary (as if they knew who would be in the run-off); county clerk must mail to presiding judges of proper precinct absentee ballots on second day prior to primary.

FRIDAY: County executive committee charged with responsibility of seeing that all election supplies have been distributed 24-hours prior to opening of the polls.

SATURDAY: Polls open at 7 a. m., close at 7 p. m.; precinct judges prepare results for county executive committee within 24-hours after ballots counted; precinct conventions at 2 p. m. in rural areas; 7 p. m. in city boxes to elect delegates to county convention.

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CHIEF JUSTICE REUBEN A. HALL, Sixth Court of Civil Appeals, Texarkana: "Left an orphan at an early age, Grover Sellers was reared and educated by his older brothers. Quite naturally, he is a Democrat, proud of the traditions of his party. He adheres to no clique, nor does he subscribe to any of the "isms" so prevalent in our country at this time."

MISS MARGIE NEAL, Carthage, former State Senator: "If the record of his past achievements be an earnest of the future, and the same indomitable spirit to win and avowed purpose to serve motivate his actions throughout this campaign, then we shall see Grover Sellers as the next Governor of Texas. Thus will there be repeated the people's performance of the past in elevating Hogg, Culbertson and others who served the State with distinction as its chief law officer, to the office of Chief Executive."

And from Hopkins County, where he's still just "Grover": MRS. WILL KENNEDY, who lives on a farm adjoining the Sellers place east of Sulphur Springs: "Once you know Grover Sellers, you always know him."

J. K. BRIM, ATTORNEY, who has practiced with him, against him and before him (as Judge and Justice of the Peace) for 36 years: "He'll make a great Governor. He's been all along the road. He's been part of every cross-section of life, and he has the common horse sense it takes."

TOM RAMEY, attorney, who gave Sellers his first lawyer's job (as Assistant County Attorney in 1919): "We all knew he was a good man; but it was as a Judge that he showed his first signs of greatness. He did what he thought was right, and did it on the spot."

JAMES L. ROPER, retired Cotton Belt Railroad agent, who, as a school trustee, gave Sellers his first job: "I thought he was a good man when I hired him and I think so now. I knew 33 years ago he was going to run for Governor—he said he was going to be Governor, or U. S. Senator, or maybe both. He just stayed one year in our school. He got a bigger one the next year and has been going up ever since."

PROF. SAM J. KING, 86, at whose private school Sellers qualified to become a teacher: "He was a timid boy who wanted an education when I first saw him. He has turned out to be a perfect social type of man. I never thought then of his running for Governor, but I thought there was a future for him. He had full appreciation of his aptitudes. He began at the ground, and he's been climbing ever since."

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91st District  
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—Paid Pol. Adv.



### Bogart-Sheridan Co-Starred

An outstanding star combination, Humphrey Bogart and Ann Sheridan, will be seen at the Lyric theatre, with the showing Sunday and Monday of a re-release, "It All Came True."

Adapted from a story by Louis "Rains Came" Bromfield, "It All Came True" relates the adventures of a group of quaint characters in a New York boarding house whose complacent lives are thrown into an uproar when a gangster decides to use their house as a hideout. Also featured in the film are such fine performers as Jeffrey Lynn, Zasu Pitts, Una O'Connor, Jesse Busley and John Littel.

## Film Version Of Best Seller At The Ritz Today

Bringing screen life one of the most fascinating stories ever to top best-seller lists, Darryl F. Zanuck's presentation of "Anna and the King of Siam," starring Irene Dunne, Rex Harrison and Linda Darnell, plays today and Monday at the Ritz theatre.

No fiction tale spun out of imagination, Margaret Landon's unusual biography captivated millions of readers with its exciting story of the adventures of an

English woman who came to the exotic Siam of 1862 to serve as a teacher to the scores of wives and children of King Mongkut.

Here was all the intrigue of the royal palace, the loves and jealousies that rose out of the passions and furies of the harem, the breathtaking spectacle of a people who revelled in pageantry, and a shocking barbarism that ran parallel in strange paradox with an age-old culture of wisdom and beauty. And woven in brilliant relief through this exotic background, the story of Anna herself, who brought her Western beauty, fiery courage and keen wit to win a triumph no woman ever knew before.

More glamorous than ever, and looking like a valentine in her crinolines and 1860 vintage bonnets, Miss Dunne, welcoming a change from the comedy roles she has been playing, brings Anna to the screen in her first historical role in 10 years.

For the part of the moody, temperamental King Mongkut, Rex Harrison, England's most famous screen and stage actor, came to Hollywood for his first American film appearance.

Lovely Linda Darnell is seen as the voluptuous Tuptim, King Mongkut's favorite wife.

The supporting cast of "Anna and the King of Siam" includes such outstanding players as Lee J. Cobb, Gale Sondergaard, Mikhail Rasumny, Dennis Hoey, Tito Renaldo and Richard Lyon.



THE KING IS THE SUBJECT—Irene Dunne and Linda Darnell are shown here in a scene from "Anna and the King of Siam," a picturization of the best-selling book which is at the Ritz theatre today and Monday. Miss Dunne appears as the British girl who has fantastic adventures in a strange country. Miss Darnell as the king's harem favorite, who would make complications.



AT STATE THEATRE—Angela Lansbury is jealous over the attention John Hodiak is showing Judy Garland, in this scene from the Technicolor production, "The Harvey Girls," which is at the State theatre today and Monday. A gay musical about the winning of the west, "The Harvey Girls" introduces the popular song hit, "The Atchison, Topeka and The Santa Fe."

### The Weeks Playbill

**RITZ**  
Sun.-Mon. — "Anna And The King Of Siam," with Irene Dunne, Linda Darnell and Rex Harrison.

Tues.-Wed. — "First Yank Into Tokyo," with Tom Neal and Barbara Hale.  
Thurs. — "Game Of Death," with John Loder and Audrey Long.  
Fri.-Sat. — "Cluny Brown," with Charles Boyer and Jennifer Jones.

**LYRIC**  
Sun.-Mon. — "It All Came True," with Humphrey Bogart and Ann Sheridan.  
Tues.-Wed. — "I Ring Doorbells," with Robert Shayne and Anne Gwynne; also, "The Hoodlum Saint," with William Powell and Esther Williams.

Thurs. — "These Three," with Joel McCrea and Merle Oberon.  
Fri.-Sat. — "Sun Valley Cyclone," with Bill Elliott.

**QUEEN**  
Sun. — Spanish language picture.  
Mon.-Tues. — "The Spiral Staircase," with Dorothy McGuire and George Brent; also, "Courageous Avenger."  
Wed.-Thurs. — "The Man From Texas," with Tex Ritter; also, "Face of Marble," with John Carradine.  
Fri.-Sat. — "War Of Wildcats," with John Wayne.

**STATE**  
Sun.-Mon. — "The Harvey Girls," with Judy Garland and John Hodiak; also, "Murder In The Blue Room," with Grace McDonald, Donald Cook and Anne Gwynne.

Tues.-Wed. — "The Princess And The Pirate," with Bob Hope and Virginia Mayo; also, "Up Goes Maiale," with Ann Sothern and George Murphy.  
Thurs. — "The Conspirators," with Hedy Lamarr and Paul Henreid.  
Fri.-Sat. — "Sheriff Of Sundown,"

### Radio Program

#### Sunday Morning

- 7:00 News Summary.
- 7:15 Tom Graser's Ballad Box.
- 7:30 Coffee Concert.
- 8:00 Baxter Quartet.
- 8:15 Church of God.
- 8:30 Coast to Coast on a Bus.
- 9:00 Sunday Church Reporter.
- 9:30 Southernaires.
- 10:00 Sunday Hit Parade.
- 10:30 News.
- 10:45 Sunday Serenade.
- 11:00 First Methodist Church.

#### Sunday Afternoon

- 12:00 News.
- 12:15 Orson Welles.
- 12:30 Trinity Baptist.
- 12:45 Musical Grab Bag.
- 12:55 Record Show.
- 1:00 Elmer Davis.
- 1:15 Hop Halsey.
- 1:30 Freddy Martin Orch.
- 1:45 Sam Pettengill—News.
- 2:00 Stump the Authors.
- 2:30 True Detective Mysteries.
- 3:00 Darts for Dough.
- 3:30 Counterplay.
- 4:00 Those Websters.
- 4:30 Sunday Evening Party.
- 5:00 Drew Pearson.
- 5:15 Don Gardner.
- 5:30 Vaughn Monroe.

#### Sunday Evening

- 6:00 Washington Inside Out.
- 6:15 Gems of Melody.
- 6:30 Special Investigator.
- 6:45 Gabriel Heatter.
- 7:00 Walter Winchell.
- 7:15 Luella Parsons.
- 7:30 Jimmy Fidler.

with Alan Lane; also, "The Frozen Ghost," with Lon Chaney and Evelyn Ankers.

#### Monday Morning

- 6:00 Sign On.
- 6:30 Band Wagon.
- 6:55 Westward Ho.
- 7:00 Your Exchange.
- 7:15 Religion in Life.
- 7:30 George Mahon.
- 7:45 Sons of Pioneers.
- 8:00 Recordings.
- 8:10 Miracles of Faith.
- 8:15 Beauford Jester.
- 8:30 Serenade in Swingtime.
- 9:00 My True Story.
- 9:25 News & Betty Crocker.
- 9:30 Hymns of All Churches.
- 9:45 To Be Announced.
- 10:00 Breakfast in Hollywood.
- 10:30 Home Edition.
- 10:45 Ted Malone.
- 11:00 Glamor Manor.
- 11:30 Vision Conservation.
- 11:35 Downtown Shopper.
- 11:55 News.

#### Monday Afternoon

- 12:00 Man on Street.
- 12:15 Bing Sings.
- 12:30 Banner Headlines.

## Judy Garland In 'Harvey Girls' At The State

A mirthful melodious piece — and done in Technicolor — is "The Harvey Girls," which comes to the State theatre today and Monday with Judy Garland in the top role. It's a picture strictly for entertainment purposes, and is a look-see back into an era of the country's development when today's grandparents were building up the place and having fun as well as adventure as they went along.

With Judy as its heroine and singing leader of production numbers of eye and ear appeal, the cast also includes John Hodiak, Ray Bolger, Angela Lansbury, Preston Foster, Virginia O'Brien and Kenny Baker.

The picture is noted for its development of the song-hit, "The Atchison, Topeka and The Santa Fe," which is played and sung throughout the film. It makes for the biggest of seven production numbers, all based on music by Johnny Mercer and Harry Warren.

Miss Garland sings three of the songs, Angela Lansbury handles two others and Marjorie Main and Virginia O'Brien have one each, as does Kenny Baker. Bolger has an exceptional solo dance.

In the story, Miss Garland comes west to marry a man she knows only by mail, gets over that idea in a hurry and becomes a Harvey girl in the newly established Harvey Restaurant at Sandrock, New Mexico. The new re-

taurant is represented by John Hodiak, as operator of the local dance and gambling hall, and there's a deal of rough stuff put by before the two get rid of assorted obstacles to their romance, Miss Lansbury, as the chief obstacle, runs away with the picture every time she's on the screen, which is often enough to guarantee her a bright future. Preston Foster, as a well dressed bad man, supplies a villainous angle without overdoing it.

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- 1:30 Downtown Shopper.
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- 2:00 Coke Club.
- 2:15 Al Pearce Show.
- 2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
- 3:00 Cugat Time.
- 3:15 Bride and Groom.
- 3:45 Russell Bennett Or.
- 4:00 Band Wagon.
- 4:15 Dick Tracy.
- 5:30 Tunes of Today.
- 4:45 Hop Harrigan.
- 5:00 Terry & Pirates.
- 5:15 TSN News.
- 5:30 Captain Midnight.
- 5:45 Tom Mix.

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A-118—Moanin' Low Torch Songs by Lena Horne. "Moanin' Low," "I Gotta Right To Sing The Blues," "The Man I Love," "Stormy Weather," "Mad About The Boys," "Where Or When," "I'll Wind," "What Is This Thing Called Love?"

Dec-334—Django Reinhardt (Guitar) Stephane Gropelly (Hot Fiddle) Featured in the Quintet of the Hot Club of France. "Direct Appeal," "My Melancholy Baby," "Swing 39," "Them There Eyes," "The Japanese Sandman," "Love Letters," "Twelfth Year," "Three Little Words."

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# Howard Is A 'Border County' In All Its Political Districts

Howard might well be called the border county for political districts, with local voters casting their ballots with residents as far to the northeast as Seymour in one state office, with Mineral Wells people to the eastward, and with Plainview to the north, Muleshoe to the northwest and Andrews to the west in another district.

In fact, Howard county forms part of the boundary of each district its people vote in.

Largest is the 19th congressional district, with 25 counties, for which Howard helps form the southern boundary, along with Andrews, Martin and Mitchell counties. Other counties in the

19th congressional district are Bailey, Borden, Cochran, Crosby, Dawson, Dickens, Floyd, Gaines, Garza, Hale, Haskell, Hockley, Kent, King, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Scurry, Stonewall, Terry and Yoakum.

An even more complicated layout, however, is the 11th supreme judicial district, composed of 23 counties. Howard county is situated in the southwestern corner of a narrow "arm" which projects far enough west to include Dawson, Borden and Mitchell counties in addition to Howard. The court is located in Eastland, boundary and lines of the district change direction many times. Other counties voting in the 11th

supreme judicial district are Scurry, Nolan, Fisher, Stonewall, Taylor, Jones, Haskell, Knox, Callahan, Shackelford, Throckmorton, Baylor, Coleman, Brown, Comanche, Stephens, Erath, Palo Pinto.

The picture is inverted by boundaries of the 91st state representative district, with Howard county forming the northern line. In the representatives' race, Howard counties cast their ballots with voters of Glascock, Sterling, Tom Green, Irion and Reagan counties.

Although there is no race for that office this year, the 30th state senatorial district adds other counties to the list, with Howard again at the south border. Other counties in the district are Andrews, Bailey, Borden, Cochran, Cottle, Crosby, Dawson, Dickens, Floyd, Gaines, Garza, Hale, Hockley, Kent, King, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Motley, Stonewall, Terry and Yoakum.

The 70th judicial district is the smallest of the group. It is composed of Ector, Midland, Martin, Howard and Glascock.

Howard county votes with all of the principal cities of central West Texas and the South Plains, casting ballots with Abilene, Brownwood, Sweetwater, Coleman, Eastland, Ranger and Cisco in the 11th supreme judicial district, with Lubbock in the 30th state senatorial district and in the 19th congressional district, Lamesa and Colorado City in the 11th supreme judicial district, and the 19th congressional district, with San Angelo in the 91st state representatives' district, and with Midland and Odessa in the 70th judicial district.



**ENVOY**—Joaquin Miguel Elizalde, Philippine statesman and former resident commissioner in Washington, is slated to be the new republic's first ambassador to the U. S.

## \$1,085 Paid In By Candidates To Meet Expense Of Primaries

The 28 candidates entered in precinct, county and district races here paid a total of \$1,085 in balloting fees to L. S. Patterson, Howard county election chairman, who estimates the fund will about cover the costs of the first and second democratic primary elections.

State law provides that the candidates in party elections bear the expense involved and that expense is shared in ratio to the job the candidates seek and according to the number of persons entered on the ballot.

The expense of a general election is borne by the county in which it is conducted.

A major item of expense in an election such as the forthcoming July 27 primary is the payment of voting judges and their aides. All persons assisting in tabulating votes this year will receive \$5 per day, according to Patterson. Persons who bring results of completed boxes from outlying communities draw an extra stipend.

Printing of the detailed ballot comes high, too, even though that job is accomplished locally. The two elections, of course, require as many ballots. Pencils, tabulation pads and other items must be figured toward the expense total, too.

Balloting fees range from \$50 to \$25 this year. Lee Porter, lone entry in the county clerk's race, and Walton Morrison, who does not have an opponent in the county judge's race, paid \$50 for the privilege of having their names entered on the ballots.

Balloting assessment for the office seekers include: County judge, \$50; precinct commissioners, \$35; county attorney, \$45; district clerk, \$45; county clerk, \$50; county school superintendent, \$35; justice of peace, \$25; constable, \$25; tax assessor-collector, \$45; sheriff, \$45; and county treasurer, \$25.

Patterson said part of the funds collected in the 1944 election had not been spent and would be made available in the forthcoming election.

## EARL HULL

Candidate for Re-election for Commissioner, Precinct No. 4 Howard County

I want to thank my many friends in the County and the voters of Precinct No. 4 who elected me as Commissioner two years ago, for your friendship and support, and solicit your support for me in my candidacy for a second term.

When I became your Commissioner, it was at a time when material was scarce and high and labor was scarce, and such scarcities have made it almost impossible to carry on the work. If I have made you a good Commissioner, may I suggest that it is a Democratic custom to elect a man for a second term, if he has been faithful to his trust.

I know that I can make you a better Commissioner the next two years than I have in the past two years. I have gained experience and will be working under entirely different conditions. Therefore, I am requesting your support for a second term.

**EARL HULL**  
(Paid Pol. Adv.)

## LOCAL ATTORNEYS ENDORSE Judge Albert S. Mauzey

for COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS



The Big Spring Bar gladly joins with the many Bars over the twenty-three counties of the 11th Court of Civil Appeals District in the endorsement of Honorable Albert S. Mauzey for Associate Justice of that Court.

People of Howard County who have lived here ten years or more remember when Judge Mauzey was our District Judge, when Howard County was in the 32nd Judicial District. He is still the Judge of the 32nd District, but some time ago Howard County was transferred by the Legislature from the 32nd to the 76th District, so we are no longer in the 32nd District, but are in the 11th Court of Appeals District.

Judge Mauzey has made an outstanding record as a District Judge, and is considered one of the finest Judges in all Texas. We think he is the man to be elevated to the High Court of Civil Appeals.

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by Members of Big Spring Bar)

## Bill To Boost Rail Benefits Due To Get OK

WASHINGTON, July 20. (AP)—Legislation expanding the railroad retirement and unemployment acts to increase benefits and the number of employees covered was expected to receive final congressional approval soon and be sent to the White House for presidential signature.

Known as the "Crosser Bill," the measure passed the House by a vote of 234 to 49, and was reported favorably by the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee.

Sponsored by Rep. Crosser (D-Ohio), the legislation gives additional benefits to the 1,500,000 railroad employees subject to the act and to their beneficiaries. It was approved July 3 by the House after long debate and a reversal of position by some members during the voting.

Amendments were introduced on the House floor which were tantamount to rewriting the Crosser bill into the more conservative measure backed by the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce committee and which had been defeated June 20 by a vote of 136 to 129. At first a coalition of Republicans and a number of Democrats on voice vote adopted an amendment to modify the Crosser version, but on a roll call vote the amendment was rejected 180 to 108.

Rep. Patman (D-Tex.), one of the sponsors of the bill, presided over the House during the heated debate. He joined in the voting, however, going on record against adoption of the modifying amendment and for the bill on final passage.

In general, the Crosser bill has been favored by the railroad brotherhoods, and the committee version by the railroad companies. In dollars and cents the changes resulting from the Crosser bill and based on an annual payroll of \$4,000,000,000 would break down like this:

Retirement: Present act \$300,000,000 a year; Crosser bill \$500,000,000; the railroads and the employees contribute equally to the retirement fund.

Unemployment: Present act \$120,000,000 a year; Crosser bill \$120,000,000. Contributions to the unemployment fund are made entirely by the railroads.

## Cattle Rustling Still Profitable In This Area

Stock rustling did not cease when the vast empires of the range barons were broken up and the machine age came on.

Cattle raisers of this and other West Texas counties are still bothered by slick thieves who oftentimes employ modern methods to steal the stock.

The "black market," which got its start during the great war and continues to do a booming business, inspired a new outbreak of rustling.

The thieves of today operate on a much smaller scale than did their predecessors of a generation ago, when entire herds sometimes disappeared. Now, they back a truck up to a remote part of a rancher's grazing land, cut the fence and herd anywhere from one to a dozen cattle into their vehicle.

In the past five years, some where between 75 and a hundred separate cases of stock theft have been reported to the local sheriff's office. Beef cattle are not the only things that have disappeared. Sheep, horses, goats — 121 of them — turkey gobblers, game chickens, even sheep dogs, have been reported missing.

Lawmen make a report on the losses and, in addition to conducting a local search for the contraband, circulate news of the theft to other parts of the country.

However, the rustlers cover their trails well and generally make a clean getaway, for they can ordinarily dispose of their ill-gotten gains within a matter of hours. The precious meat finds its way into the hands of the black marketer, who vends it to an eager public that will buy the produce without questioning its source.

## Rainey Reports Highest Total Of Contributions

AUSTIN, July 20. (AP)—"Syrup bucket" donations have yielded \$510 for support of Jerry Sadler's gubernatorial campaign, and 274 persons have contributed \$6,908.55 in amounts ranging from 5 cents to \$500 to aid Dr. Homer P. Rainey's candidacy, their second expense accounts showed today.

Expense accounts filed in the secretary of state's office on the July 19 deadline reveal that Beauford Jester has been the top spender in the race for governor thus far with expenditures totaling \$5,988.08.

Candidates in major races, expenditures and donations received, respectively, are as follows:

**GOVERNOR'S RACE:**  
Jester — \$5,988, \$2,370; Rainey — \$4,333, \$6,908; Sadler — \$4,602, \$510; Grover Sellers, \$3,397, \$1,060; John Lee Smith, \$2,395, \$1,765.

**LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:**  
Boyce House, \$507, \$507; Allan Shivers, \$826, no donations reported; Jo Ed Winfree, \$783, \$1,250.

**ATTORNEY GENERAL:**  
Price Daniel, \$1,831, \$170; Pat M. Neff Jr., \$1,336, \$1,155.

## H. T. (Thad) HALE

Candidate for Commissioner Precinct No. 2 Howard County



In soliciting your vote for re-election, I want to thank all of you who have supported me in the past, and I also want to thank everyone for your cooperation in the past.

I have not been able to do a lot of things that I wanted to do because the last four years have been very trying ones and everything was slowed down on account of our war efforts; however, under the circumstances, I have done the best I could do. I am hopeful that conditions will improve and that we can accomplish more in the next two years than we have been able to accomplish in the past four years. The high cost of every kind of material that was needed in road work and the scarcity of labor hindered our work very much.

If I am re-elected, I promise you my best efforts toward securing for this County, a system of farm-to-market roads.

**H. T. (THAD) HALE**  
(Paid Pol. Adv.)

## Vote For GROVER BLISSARD For Commissioner Precinct No. 3



A veteran of 4 1/2 years who served us well in the armed forces until he became disabled in actual combat—and then continued to serve as instructor to young trainees getting ready to go into battle. He was separated from the Army in June, 1946. Give him a chance to serve us in civil life by electing him to be Commissioner of Precinct No. 3. He is a young man of mature judgment and progressive ideas. He has publicly declared that he will be aggressive in his efforts to secure those things for Howard County that will keep it going forward such as a system of highways serving Big Spring from all directions — A well planned system of farm to market roads — Improvement of the county library — and any other thing that will make living in Howard County more desirable. He will see that funds collected for operating the county are wisely expended where they will do the most good for the most people. He will serve us well as Commissioner. Give him a chance. Vote for him Saturday, July 27th.

(Paid for by G.I. Friends of Grover Blissard)



## R. E. "Peppy" BLOUNT

for Representative State Legislature—91st District

A returned service man who is not bound by any political commitments and who is not "attached" to any group; who pledges to face the problems of our state with an open mind, and to seek solutions in the best interests of all the people.

**Your Vote and Influence Will Be Appreciated**  
(Paid Pol. Adv.)

## Study These Facts About

# GEORGE MAHON



And You'll Help Re-elect Him To Congress

Age 45, born and reared on farm—rural school—high school—college.

Served as District Attorney—elected to Congress 1934.

Chairman of House Committee which controls program and appropriations for maintaining loan price on cotton at 92 1/4% of parity, for next two years—also other basic crops.

No. 2 man on House Committee responsible for making all appropriations for Veterans.

No. 2 man on House Committee making all Federal appropriations for public roads—farm-to-market roads.

No. 2 man on War Department Appropriations Committee and is in forefront of effort to keep America strong and free. Commended by Secretary of War as one of eight men making possible success of the Victory-hastening atomic bomb project.

Heled turn on the lights in 14,000 homes in the District through successful fight for REA.

Fights for American security and world peace; full parity for all farm and ranch products; more liberal old age pension program; electricity in every rural home; lower freight rates; soil conservation.

Works for the best interests of all the 300,000 people in the 19th district in matters small and great.

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by Howard County Mahon Club)



**Health Unit Slates Weekly Air Program**

With the summer days moving into a critical health season, the Big Spring-Howard county division of the Midland-Ector-Howard county health unit will take to the air in a series of programs this week.

will be held at 8:30 p. m. Monday over KBST, Lawrence J. Wells, sanitarian, announced. The programs will be designed to present discussions of timely health measures to combat infections usually prevalent during the summer months.

The new Navy fighter plane, the jet propelled "Fireball," climbs at the rate of a mile a minute.



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**To Voters Of Precinct No. 1**

I am very glad to have this opportunity for a few words in my behalf in this commissioner's race. I have made close study in my lifetime of Commissioner's duties and the responsibilities he has. I have helped build some of the best roads Howard county ever built and have helped on different roads with other commissioners in road building with modern machinery of today. I know what it takes to build roads and maintain them. If the people see fit to elect me to this office, I will greatly appreciate it for the salary it pays.

Sincerely,

**W. W. Long**

For Commissioner Precinct 1

(Paid Pol. Adv.)

**JOHN F. WOLCOTT**

Candidate for Re-election As  
**Tax Collector-Assessor**

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Under John Wolcott, the office has an outstanding record of tax collections, more complete assessments.

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John Wolcott has had a lifetime of varied, sound experience in business besides experience in office.

**Record**

Record of the office and of a competent staff evidences his ability as an officer and an administrator.

Re-elect a Faithful Servant

(Paid Pol. Adv.)



**Robert F. BLUHM**  
for  
**Commissioner Pct. 3**

**ROBERT F. BLUHM**

I have tried to contact every legal voter of Precinct No. 3. However, there are a few that I have not seen. I will let my past record speak for itself. For the past 15 years I have been engaged in road building. In connection with this office, there are various other obligations which I will be more than glad to check into.

I am a veteran of World War I. Have a wife and 3 children, and own my home at 107 East 18th.

(Pd. Pol. Adv.)

**Re-Elect H. C. HOOSER**

For  
**COUNTY ATTORNEY**

Two years ago the voters of Howard County did me the honor of electing me to the office of County Attorney. I am proud to have served you in that capacity.

It is true that I did not serve in the Armed Forces because of my age, but my only two sons served overseas, but that is not the political issue.

I have strived to make you a good officer and will continue to do so if you see fit to reelect me.

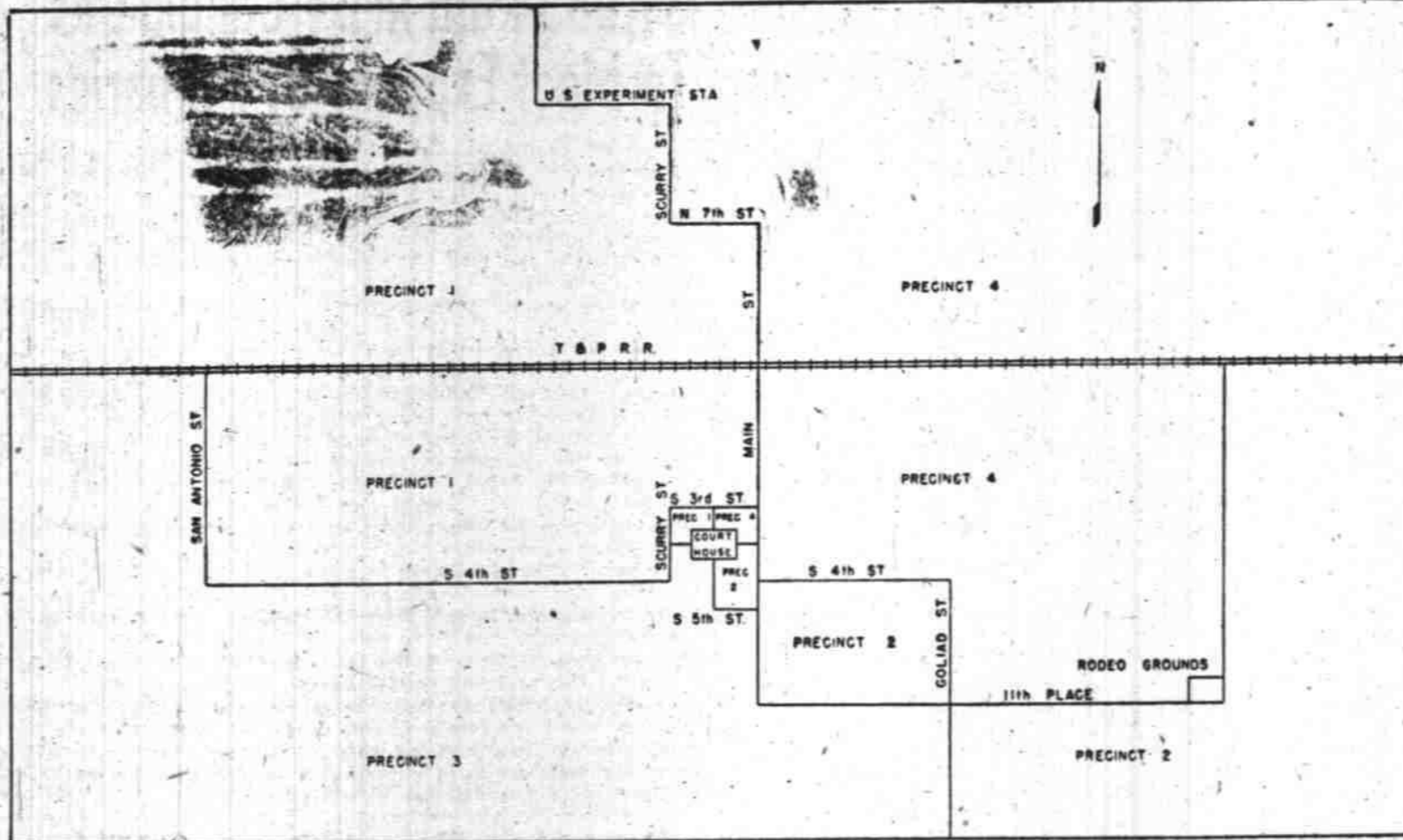
Sincerely Yours,

**H. C. HOOSER**

County Attorney

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE WILL BE APPRECIATED

(Paid Pol. Adv.)



**COMMISSIONER PRECINCT BOUNDARIES**—Some voters are confused about which candidates for county commissioner they should choose from in the first democratic primary on Saturday. The accompanying chart, prepared through assistance of Puckett & French, shows the location of precinct boundary lines within Big Spring. If doubt still exists in the minds of voters, election judges will be happy to straighten out the matter at the polls.

**Governors Of Texas—**

**Ireland Tangled In Barbed Wire; Laid Cornerstone For Capitol**

(This is the sixteenth in a series of articles based on the lives of governors of Texas.)

By PAUL BOLTON

AUSTIN—Texas' sixteenth governor, John Ireland, almost got tangled up in barbed wire and most of the state suffered a few scratches before the governor could find suitable legislation to control the "new fangled stuff." Ireland had a lot of distinctions to his credit. He was one of the few men to receive the democratic nomination for governor without opposition. He chose the material that the present state capitol building should be built of after Governor Roberts before him had contracted for the structure. Ireland was the first Texas governor to start setting up bureaus, committees and commissions to handle the growing complications of governing Texas. And he was the first governor to arbitrate labor and capital troubles in the state.

The biggest "first" of all was barbed wire. Ireland was elected governor over G. "Wash" Jones, backed by the Greenback party and a lot of republicans, by a large majority in 1883. Marion Martin of Navarro county was his lieutenant governor.

Barbed wire came before Ireland. It was introduced in Texas in 1871 by John W. Gates, a hardware salesman. Many Texans termed it "that damnable device of his Satanic Majesty." And the old frontiersman, "Big Foot" Wallace exclaimed, "The railroads and barbed wire have played hell with Texas." The famous wire really won its place in history during the Ireland administration. With the coming of the fences "horse-high,

bull-proof and hog-tight" the small nesters and stock raisers could see their fate. It meant the end of the free grass range and cut many of them off from their water holes when the large "cattle barons" began fencing their lands.

It wasn't long before great gaping holes began to appear in the fences. Cowboys rode the fence lines armed to the teeth and the wire cutters were called "rag-tag, bob-tail ruffians" whose slogan was "the wire-fence must go."

The big ranchers got mad and fussed and fumed and the little ranchers kept cutting fences to get to better grazing lands and more water. All the while, the Texas press ran headlines like "Hell Breaks Loose in Texas" and "500 Miles of Wire Fence Cut in Coleman County."

Things got so bad, and the wire-cutters so effective, that J. L. Vaughn of Coleman county, one of the bigger fence owning ranchers, said that he wished "the man who invented barbed-wire had it all wound around him, and the ball rolled into hell."

Governor Ireland was pretty well bound up in barbed wire himself. The situation threatened to develop into civil war and Ireland called a special session of the legislature to enact suitable laws to govern the use of the hectic wire and the men who snipped a few miles of it every day and night. The governor sent Rangers to carry out the new law and soon the "epidemic of the prairies" fizzled out except for isolated cases of violence.

The man who introduced barbed wire to Texas never dreamed what he would start. But the little man with the hoe can thank him making it possible for him to make inroads into the great plains country.

When labor and capital began having trouble for the first time on any large scale in Texas, Ireland went in person to the scenes of trouble. He assured the strikers that law and order was su-

preme and that it would be enforced by military means if need be.

The war-torn Texas frontier was still a source of pain. Ireland, unhappy with the protection afforded by federal troops, threatened to send Texas forces to the Rio Grande. His threat caused federal regulars to re-double their efforts.

Ireland was probably the original conservationist in Texas history. He repeatedly warned against the encroachment of outside capital. He feared and preached against foreign immigration into Texas and at one time said that the day would come when "the ignorant hordes of Europe and Asia will be elbowing our children into the sea." Ireland also said that "our fathers were happier and freer and more prosperous with ox-carts and living in log cabins than their children in the days of steam and electricity." His political critics called him "ox-cart John."

During Ireland's first term (he was elected to a second term in 1884), Texas University was officially opened. Also, the cornerstone of the new capitol was laid. Governor Ireland was an ex-officio member of the board and when it was suggested that Indiana limestone be used for building the new capitol, Ireland told the board that he was the final arbiter in the matter of choosing materials and that "I'll be damned if the capitol isn't going to be built of Texas materials."

And so it was—of Texas granite. Ireland died in San Antonio in 1896. He's buried in Austin.

**HERE N THERE**

C. C. Crutchfield of Austin, field consultant for the Texas League of Municipalities, was a visitor in the office of City Manager B. J. McDaniel, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Thornton have named their "boy" Mary. The baby was born Wednesday noon, and mother and daughter are doing well.



**JOHN IRELAND**

**E. J. MILLER**  
Brown County



25 years active private practice in State and Federal Courts. 12 years as District Judge with a record above the average, asks promotion to

**THE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS**

Two members of the court are from the north and west part of the district, which might suggest that distributive fairness would be served by having one member of the court from the south and east part of the district.

**Unanimous Endorsement**

of the Brown County Bar We have known Judge E. J. Miller, both as Judge of the 35th District Court, where he served for twelve years, and as an active lawyer in private practice, in which he was engaged for many years. He was an able judge, diligent, industrious, learned in the law, and painstaking in his consideration and decision of the matters involved. We commend him as having the qualities that eminently fit him for the position which he seeks, that of Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals. Gordon Griffin, E. M. Davis, Gih Callaway, David J. Morris, Darrell Shelton, George Savarec, Gilbert Harrison, Levie Old, E. P. Woodruff, J. Edward Johnson, R. R. Holloway, Sam Connally, T. C. Wilkinson, Jr., Lee McCarty, A. L. Kirkpatrick, Mark Callaway.

(Paid Pol. Adv.)

**Vehicles On Sale At Sheppard Field**

Ninety-three vehicles will be offered at a special invitation sale of surplus motor equipment exclusively to World War II veterans at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, Thursday and Friday.

Included are 18 ambulances, 20 trucks, 17 weapon carriers and 38 scooters at fixed prices to the oldest dated certificate holders, the War Assets Administration has announced.

Letters have gone to all eligible veterans as principals or alternates. Inspection period starts July 22. Sales will be for cash and in chronological order. Among Big Spring veterans invited to participate are Richard B. Davidson, Jr., and Luther A. Raymer. They were listed as alternates to bid for ambulance and scooter, respectively.

**Two Plead Guilty To Liquor Violation**

G. C. Montgomery and J. G. Tedder, both of whom were picked up Friday on Highway 80 in the eastern part of Big Spring by members of the Texas Liquor Control board, entered pleas of guilty to the charges of transporting liquor in a wet area without a permit in county court Saturday.

Each was fined \$150 and costs.

**An Endorsement of**

**R. E. McDonald**

(of Travis County)

for  
**Commissioner of Agriculture**

Dear Friends:

I am happy to recommend, for your consideration on July 27, R. E. McDonald of Travis County for Commissioner of Agriculture.

Although the names are similar, he is not to be confused with J. E. McDonald of Ellis County, the incumbent.

R. E. McDonald is a dirt farmer, and also a nationally known scientist, being an outstanding entomologist. He was for many years on the Pink Bollworm Commission.

I have known him for a long time and can assure you he is a capable man, and one in whom I have every confidence.

Yours sincerely,

**CECIL COLLINGS**  
(Pol. Adv. Pd. for by Cecil Collings)

**Our Roads Are Important Business— Let's Put Them On a Business Basis**



**BEN L. LEFEVER** for Pct. 2

I am asking election to the office of Precinct 2 on the basis of my proposals for county improvements. I regard an integrated road program as one of the most important. If elected on July 27, I pledge myself to work wholeheartedly for this proposal; and I ask the voters to consider this part of my platform as one put forward sincerely for what I believe to be the best interests of Howard County.

**Ben L. Lefever**

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PCT. 2

(Paid Pol. Adv.)

**Neal Stanleys Buy Tahoka Funeral Home**

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Stanley, former residents of Big Spring, announced this week that they have purchased the Harris Funeral home in Tahoka. Stanley, an experienced mortician, formerly was employed for nine years at the Eberley

funeral home here, and for the past three years has worked in San Angelo.

**R. E. TAYLOR**  
for  
**State Representative**  
(Pd. Pol. Adv.)

For  
**State Commissioner of Agriculture**

Vote for

**W. R. Chambers**

**Able Official Real Democrat**

Mr. Chambers is a real democrat, believing in loyalty to the members of the party which nominate and elect him to public office. His record is one of honesty and fair dealing.

Both by training and experience, Mr. Chambers is well qualified for the office. He knows farming and ranching from years of experience; knows public affairs as legislator.

Vote For The Best Man

(Pol. Adv. Paid by Friends of W. R. Chambers)

Please Vote for

**Weaver Baker**

For Judge

**Court of Criminal Appeals**

Judge Baker is a native Texan, educated in our public schools and Texas University; worked on farms and ranches, taught school; veteran World War I; lawyer, district attorney, able jurist, six years as judge advocate of Texas, without pay; now chairman state board of control; eminently qualified to justly interpret the law.

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by Friends)

**To The People of Howard County**

As the election approaches, I wish to remind you again that I am seeking election to the office of tax collector.

Permit me to say that I stand by the statement, the promise made to you, when I announced my candidacy. I still desire to bargain with you—offering you, giving you, efficient and courteous service for your confidence and support.

May I say again that I am a native Texan, a resident of Howard county for many years, a veteran of World War I with 18 months in Europe—teacher in the public schools of Texas for several years. It is still delightful to recall that I spent six years as superintendent of schools at Coahoma.

I trust that my life's work thus far, to which I have just made reference, will commend me to you and win from you that confidence treasured by a Texan who has sought to contribute a measure of something worthwhile to the American Way.

As the campaign draws to a close, I wish to say that the people of Howard county have been gracious indeed. I am grateful for this. The attitude of my opponents in the race has been splendid. I desire that both you and they know that this is deeply appreciated. Thanks to them.

All of which adds up to this. It would be great to work for you. I am equal to the task. There is always someone who can carry on ably and gladly—this, you know, is a part of the good old American Way, if you please. Thank you.

Sincerely,

**R. B. HOOD**

Candidate for Tax Collector-Assessor

(Paid Pol. Adv.)



# Varieties Of Democrats Confusing To Texas Gal

By MARTHA COLE  
Associated Press Staff

The time has come when a Texas gal has to decide what variety of Democrat she is. Otherwise she'll be lost in the roundup of votes on July 27.

For there are more different breeds of Democrats in Texas than cattle brand on the plains. A just-plain-Democrat is a lonely maverick on the wide open prairie.

The "Texas Regulars" and the "Anti-Regulars" are definite enough but too many ignore that demarcation. The Southern Democratic Club is composed of Regulars, but says it's "Jeffersonian Democratic."

There's more confusion. Take the Young Democrats — some of them will never see 50 again. Now

how old is a Young Democrat?

How young is an old Democrat? No special organization mothers young women Democrats. There are no "teen age Democrats, no bachelor girl Democrats, and certainly no old maid Democrats. But everything else is organized, divided, sub-divided and labeled.

With the primary coming on July 27, here is a partial list, a dictionary of Democrats (abridged Texas varieties):  
Anti-Regulars — Began in 1944 with affirmed loyalty to the late President Roosevelt and still are going strong, mostly negatively, to fight the regulars.  
CIO Democrats — Vastly popular with many Texas candidates, but anyway making themselves known through their political action committee and getting themselves talked about plenty.  
Closed Shop Democrats — Dr.

Homer P. Rainey, candidate for governor, said in a speech at Deringfield in June that the party we should have, that the party needed to be purged of the Republicans.

Grass Roots — A Democratic group calling themselves that met in Dallas in May in what they said was an anti-CIO move to oppose the re-election of '66 members of the Texas House who bear the CIO-PAC stamp of approval.

Lifelong — Grover Sellers, candidate for governor, answered the State Democratic Executive Committee's questionnaire with just that, that he'd been a lifelong Democrat.

Liberal — The word itself is too encompassing and has to be broken down. Beauford Jester, candidate for governor, in a speech at Corsicana, said he was "liberal but not loose." John Lee Smith, candidate for governor, in answering a questionnaire of the Southern Democratic Club, said he was a liberal after the order of Woodrow Wilson. To the same query Sarah T. Hughes of Dallas said she was a "Roosevelt Liberal."

O'Daniel — Miss Louise Wright, secretary of the Dallas Labor Council, A.F.L., said the Democrats must decide whether they'd be liberal or O'Daniel types.

Old Line — Mrs. F. Rodell Carlton, executive vice president of the Southern Democratic Club said "we're old line Democrats but not conservative."

Regular — The group that formed in 1944 to oppose a fourth term for Roosevelt. It's now being snubbed by the State Democratic Executive Committee.

Simon Pure — Jester said that many called themselves such a kind of Democrat but he doubted their veracity.

Southern — Closely aligned with the regulars, a group which started out in Dallas and now is branching out.

Young Democrats — at their state convention in Fort Worth last December they came out with a Roosevelt tag.

Carpetbag — Something referred to as damnyankee Democrats. They came to Texas and then became Democrats. Some political observers say if all the Republicans in Texas voted their party ticket, Texas would have a two-party system overnight.

Wm. Jennings Bryan — This species now said to be extinct. This list could be doubled with a category of all the kinds of Democrats persons say they are "not."

## Women Voters Campaign For Secret Ballot

By Associated Press

Almost 2,000 women in 15 cities and towns of Texas with but a single purpose—to establish the secret ballot in the state.

That's the story of the Texas League of Women Voters this year.

The league has joined the list of organizations sending out questionnaires to candidates, but their's is going to legislators only and asks one question only: How do you stand on the secret ballot?

The single purpose was adopted at a state convention in Galveston in April.

"We're not working on anything else until we see it through," said Mrs. Martin Row of Dallas, president.

"We've checked voting machines and found them secret, but only a few cities in Texas have them. We're trying to get the perforated ballot over."

The perforated ballot would have the voter's number in a corner which could be torn off. With the number in one box and the vote in another, no possible way of checking how a vote was cast could be made, she explained.

State headquarters of the league is a rose-covered cottage in Mrs. Row's backyard. To it, leagues in Austin, Corpus Christi, Dallas, Fort Worth, Galveston, Lamarque, Midland, Port Arthur, San Antonio, San Angelo, Taylor, Texas City and on the campuses of the University of Texas and Texas State College for Women send their plans.

Their plan to get the secret ballot over simply is to get more women working on it.

"We've tried having local groups go down to Austin to lobby," Mrs. Row said, "and we've tried having them see their own senators and representatives in their home towns. But it's a funny thing — everywhere we have a league in the state, we find the state legislators from that place in favor of the secret ballot."

## Farm And Ranch News

By WACIL McNAIR

Although crops are scarce, general cultivation standards on Howard county farms are regarded high this year. The farmers apparently have kept their land in tip top shape ready to take advantage of any break they might get eventually from the weather. This condition will make it easier for them to get seed into the ground if the opportunity arrives, and even now they are investigating possibilities of several late feed crops, which could be planted any time until the last of August with a good rain.

County Agent Durward Lewter said he believes black-eyed peas and red-top cane will be good risks should it rain anytime during the first part of August. However, he cautioned all farmers who might want to plant these items to get their seed located well in advance. Although there is not yet a definite indication that such seed will be scarce it is improbable that they will be overplentiful, and if a shortage should develop at the crucial time an opportunity might slip by.

By keeping their land in up to the minute condition, many farmers also will be ready to plant wheat. Seed may present a problem here, too, but a good wheat acreage is expected if the drought continues over a period of weeks.

At the district six county agent's meeting here last week, plenty of stress was placed on insect control for livestock. The special emphasis on this matter is gaining momentum as a method of feed conservation, since statistics show that animals free from flies, lice, grubs, etc., consume considerably less feed than those infested with the insects. George Barnes, beef cattle specialist with the extension service, told of studies which have been made for determining effects of horned flies on beef animals. Each fly usually takes a drop of blood when it contacts an animal, he said, and when prevalent at least 2,000 horned flies

will pester an animal in a single day. The animal, then, must consume more feed to replace this lost blood. On a sizeable herd this condition would be distinctly noticeable in the feed consumption.

Peaches are reaching local markets in increasing numbers, and the estimated yields seem to be "popping out." Texas' total crop is estimated at 2,613,000 bushels, despite June hails in some areas which cut down the yields. The estimated yield in the early peach producing areas is 39 million bushels and the US crop is expected to total 81,065,000 bushels, only one percent under the all-time high sent to market in 1945.

B. F. Vance, state director of the USDA Production and Marketing Administration, said steady movement of fresh peaches from trees to kitchens is necessary if the big crop is to be put to best use. He urged housewives to take full advantage of supplies now on the market, and to can, dry and quick-freeze them for use later on.

## THANKS, FOLKS!

For permitting me to seek the democratic nomination for re-election as Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1, without opposition. I shall try to show my appreciation in honest, fair, and conscientious service.

WALTER GRICE

(Paid Pol. Adv.)



## R. L. "BOB" Wolf Asks REELECTION

To The Voters Of Howard County:

I earnestly solicit your vote on July 27th for the office of sheriff of this county. I am running for my second term and I believe that my record as your sheriff for the year and a half that I have served has been of such a nature as to justify me in asking for this office.

I have tried to conduct this office in the manner that you, the people of this county, expect it to be operated. We, who work in your sheriff's office, have tried to be fair in the performance of our duties, and diligent in our efforts to enforce the laws of this state.

As sheriff of this county I pledge to you that I will, to the best of my ability, perform my duties as such officer in a fair and impartial manner and that I will continue to be diligent in the apprehension of, and bringing to trial, all offenders of the law.

I further pledge that I will continue to cooperate, and work with, all other officers, Federal, State and City, and try to make our county a better place in which to live.

If you believe that I have made you a good sheriff I request your vote on July 27th.

Respectfully,

R. L. "BOB" WOLF

(Pd. Political Adv.)

## ELECT POP BENNETT As CO. COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2

15 years resident Big Spring; experienced in business and construction.



Pop Bennett stands for a fair deal for all in his precinct and the county as a whole; he will cooperate in a program of cooperative administration of county and precinct affairs; he has nothing to keep him from devoting every needed moment to his duties; he wants to see all voters but urges this as a personal solicitation should he not be able to call in person. Regardless of how you vote, Pop Bennett urges you to vote.

(Pd. Pol. Adv.)

## For Tax Assessor And Collector W. C. (Charles) Stovall

Solicits Your Vote and Influence



I am a farm-owner in Howard County, and have lived here for many years. I am a high school graduate, have had two years in college and one in business college.

I think my education and experience qualify me to make you a good tax assessor and collector. I pledge myself to maintain an efficient and business-like office; to give the job my best efforts; and to see to it that the interests of the citizens of Howard County are served well.

(Paid Pol. Adv.)

## Quick Recovery Of Memory Wins First Place

As comes to all troupers, a lapse of memory came to Kenneth Bryant on his second number at the amateur hour in the amphitheatre Friday evening—but he brushed it up, got a big hand from the crowd of around 1,000 and came off with first prize.

Clarice Petty, young lyric soprano, took second honors, accompanied by Mrs. Bruce Frazier, and Joyce and Bobby Field captured third prize. Mrs. Sue Gibson accompanied.

Jim King and his Bluebonnet boys, a lively string band, hit it off with the audience with a series of numbers at the start and midway in the program. Another guest artist who filled in impromptu was Susan Houser, who played a series of numbers, including a composition of her own. Other artists on the varied program were Lina Jane Wolfe, accordionist; Ray Dabney, readings; Wanda Lou Petty, pianist; Don Grantham, vocalist who played the guitar and was accompanied by Mrs. Gibson; and Mary Alice Rutherford and Geraldine Cross, who sang a duet without accompaniment.

Joe Pickle, master of ceremonies, announced that there would be no program on Friday, July 26, but that the next program would be on Aug. 2.

## Williams Toastmaster At Monday Meeting

Speakers for the weekly session of the Toastmasters club were announced by Wayne Williams, who will serve as toastmaster at the session Monday at 8:30 p. m. in the St. Mary's Episcopal parish house.

Harold Steck will present the 10-minute address and five-minute talks will be given by Arthur Caywood, Dr. R. B. G. Cowper and Dan Conley. The latter talk will be the educational offering for the evening, said Williams, and Lawrence Wells will propose the table topic.

## Businessmen Favor Reduced Air Rates

Several Big Spring business operators and organization heads have this week communicated their support to Texas senators of a measure which would reduce airmail tolls from eight to five cents.

The bill is now pending before the US senate. Arguments for the legislation have centered locally around the point that lower rates would increase poundage material.

## Vet Hospital Contract May Be Let In October

Construction contract for the 250-bed medical and surgical Veterans Hospital here probably will be let in October of this year, L. G. Bradley and Mr. Zimmerman of the US Engineers district office in Albuquerque, N. M., have informed city officials.

Here Friday for a conference with City Manager B. J. McDaniel, Bradley and Zimmerman exhibited preliminary plans for the proposed construction, for which completion date is expected to be in July of 1948.

The preliminary plans include a main building of six stories, which will contain a theatre, chapel, recreation facilities, sun decks, etc., in addition to administrative offices and the hospital unit.

In addition there will be a small nurses home, employees' home, fire station, power house, garage and work shop. About 300 employees will be required to operate the hospital and its related facilities.

Cost of the project is expected to be between \$4,000,000 and \$4,500,000, considerably more than the original estimate. Construction costs have mounted as much as 40 per cent since the \$2,635,000 appropriation was made several months ago, the engineers said.

Consequently, that appropriation has been channeled into other projects already under actual construction and a new grant will be sought for the unit here.

## Public Records

Marriage Licenses

Randolph A. Myrick and Pansy Joe Peacock, Big Spring. J. C. Sheridan and Glendola Sheridan, Colorado City.

Warranty Deeds

M. L. Pansel et ux to William A. Bonner, Lot 4, Blk. 33, Cole & Strayhorn add. \$375.

L. G. Bedwell et ux to Elmer Askins, part of Tract 11, William B. Currie Sub. Div. SE 1/4, Sect. 42, Blk. 32, Tsp. 1-N, T&P-Ry. \$250.

W. Benge, Jr., et ux, to Worth E. Allen, part of Sect. 68, Blk. 29, Waco & Northwestern Ry. \$25.

## VOTE FOR

L. E. "Snuffy" Smith FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2

Mr. Smith has been a resident of Howard County for over twenty years, eleven of which have been spent in working for the County as Blade Man.

He feels that he is qualified for the job of County Commissioner and will do the best for the County and the people of Precinct No. 2.

(Pd. Pol. Adv.)

## Monroe Johnson

Will Deeply Appreciate Your Vote



Monroe Johnson

Your Confidence Will Be Repaid By Conscientious, Diligent Attention To The People's Business

for Co. Commissioner Precinct 4

Life-long resident Big Spring and Howard county; son of late Pete Johnson, who served as commissioner from two precincts; experienced in business as employe and employer; farming in Precinct No. 4 since return from Navy.

(Pd. Pol. Adv.)

I feel that my record during my tenure as your County Commissioner has demonstrated my willingness to work for the good of the county. If reelected, I will continue to do my best work.

Concerning Howard county's roads, the program has been unavoidably retarded because of the war. Your county could not get materials any more than the private businessman could. Now, however, a three-year program is laid out, and I pledge to devote all my efforts to seeing that this program is completed.

(Paid Pol. Adv.)



VOTE on July 27 for

## HOP HALSEY

For Congress — 19th District

Hop served West Texas in the Texas Legislature before the World War. Hop served America during the war as a Marine in the Pacific. Hop Halsey wants to serve, West Texas, America and his district in Congress. Hop Halsey was born in Bell County, reared in West Texas, educated at Texas Tech College.

Hop is 32 years of age, married, has two children, and holds the respect and admiration of thousands who know him.

Hop is experienced, able, friendly, energetic and untiring in his work.

Hop believes that too many non-elective officials are directing our government and that Congress should recover its rights to law making.

Halsey believes that the teaching profession is entitled to adequate remuneration in keeping with the time taken to prepare for the dignified profession.

Hop believes that aged are entitled to the full federal grant of funds regardless whether the state's match the federal funds.

Hop wants to cut down the burdening bureaucratic spending and pay the war debt.

Too much governing of business is bad government.

## "Send A New Man To Congress"

This ad was worded and paid for by Hop Halsey's Friends after full investigation of his record and platform.

(Paid Pol. Adv.)

Vote for...

George T. Thomas for County Attorney



I was elected your County Attorney, but before completing my first term, I was inducted into the Army.

I would certainly appreciate an opportunity to serve in this office for a second term.

Any consideration which you may give my candidacy will certainly be appreciated.

Respectfully,

GEORGE T. THOMAS

(Paid Pol. Adv.)



# Magic Key To Open Opportunities

There is a magic key that will open many opportunities to any community which possesses the balanced resources such as are here in Big Spring and Howard county.

It is a combination of vision, initiative and self-reliance.

As a people we are keen on analysis, only fair on taking hold and doing the job ourselves. We are friendly and discerning but a bit timid.

This ought not to be, and it could not be if the masses will determine that something can be done about problems.

At the same time, there needs to be a realization that it never has been true that you get something for nothing.

We talk a great deal about our needs—about the possibilities of strengthening our schools, about new industries, new businesses, about new and improved city and county services. And yet we seem to be waiting for someone to hand us many things. Occasionally something good comes to us because of what we have to offer. We should not depend upon this, but rather be quickened by the fact that others see sound possibilities in our community.

To embark boldly upon ventures will call for courage and faith. Some things will cost us. Others may turn out badly. But if we keep our feet on the ground as nearly as sound judgment can dictate, the general trend will be outward and forward.

Perhaps this sounds like a young man's program; it is more than that. It is everyone's challenge, for success of such initiative will be visited upon all who are a part of the community. If, in this spirit, we can attack our problems, results will take care of themselves.

# Remarkable Recuperative Power

Another week has passed without sign or immediate hope of rain.

More and more it becomes apparent that we face the prospects of a major drought.

Still, there is an encouraging attitude concerning the outlook. Old timers and others alike are

using their heads, getting their houses in order, for the worst and hoping for the best.

There is little that can be done about it except to get ready for rain when it comes; be philosophically patient; be hopeful. These are the qualities that enable West Texas to bounce back with a remarkable vigor.

# The First Hundred Years

By FRANK GRIMES  
Herald Special Writer

In Chicago the State Street Council whose motto is "planning, building, improving, maintaining" has been a mighty influence in making Chicago the great commercial, industrial and financial center that it is. Among its merchants are names to conjure with—Marshall Field, Potter Palmer, Levi W. Leiter and the Peacocks and Piries.

To State Street in 1887 came a 40-year-old upstart from the East to challenge the supremacy of the older hands. His name was Henry C. Lytton and he called his clothing store "The Hub," later to become famous as Lytton's. He had a capital of \$12,000 and promptly set aside one-quarter of it for advertising.

By 1929 Lytton had tired of making money and sold his store for \$7,000,000. He got tired of retirement and bought it back during the depression for a great deal less.

One week ago yesterday Henry C. Lytton celebrated his 100th birthday. He is still active in the management of his store. He still advertises, "Modern advertising," he remarked last week, "is more important than ever these days. It is purely good salesmanship in print."

To celebrate his century of life, Mr. Lytton issued a little statement that is worth repeating. In it he said:

"I have lived through four wars, five major depressions, many calamities, personal and national. After each of these there were voices raised in anguish. And yet each time I have witnessed the pendulum of public spirit swing slowly from despair to hope.

"I am convinced there is one particularly important reason for this continued national progress despite all the setbacks of history. The world has sent us its more daring, its most aggressive, its most imaginative.

"Out of all these elements we have brewed a race that can not be defeated by adversity, and it is upon this that I base my profound hope for

our continued welfare and progress in the centuries to come."

One-hundred-year old Henry Lytton is frequently on his sales floors, greeting the customers, encouraging the clerks, keeping an eye on the stocks. The great clothing merchant carries his years lightly, perhaps because his interest in life and business is as keen as ever.

Texas had ceased to be a republic and become a state only a few months before Henry Lytton was born. The American railroad was only about 15 years old, and the steamship not much older. The great Atlantic cable was still to come, for the telegraph had just been invented.

Such undreamed of things as the telephone, the motion picture and the phonograph were far in the future. The automobile was 50 years away, and the X-ray and the wireless were beyond men's imaginations. The gigantic electric industry was still to be born.

Henry Lytton had seen them all come into existence, changing the lives and habits of the human family, creating new wealth, opening new horizons, producing new chains of thought.

We imagine such a man was not unquipped or excited by the perfection of the atomic bomb. In their way, the telegraph, the radio, the airplane and the automobile had been just as revolutionary, just as powerful in their impact upon men's lives and habits.

We imagine he can wait with patience for the coming of atomic control. He is unafraid of the future now, as he must have been when he told him the airplane would destroy our civilization, that the automobile would corrupt men's morals, that the telephone was the invention of the devil.

A wise old bird is Henry Lytton, as his remarks quoted above indicate. He has a message for the earthlings who look upon a hundred years as an astonishing period of time when measured in men's lives. To Henry Lytton, cutting his birthday cake with a steady hand, there's nothing to it. The thing to do is to be cheerful, hopeful and full of faith. Whatever voices may be raised in anguish over whatever calamity, Henry Lytton's won't be among them.

# The Nation Today—James Marlow

# About The Wage-Price Spiral

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Some of living costs have gone up 40 per cent in two months.

Inflation is clear, and the timing is obvious. But it isn't all clear.

This is clear: The CIO says there is a "demand and need for immediate wage increases." So it wants raises.

The reason: The CIO says living costs have gone up since the big CIO unions signed their contracts a few months ago.

Up how much? The CIO says

2. Manufacturers, the big employers of organized labor, are the ones who told congress they wanted no price controls on their products.

Without price control, there hardly can be a "guarantee" from anyone that prices and wages will be held even.

Even with price control during the war and up until last June 30, prices and wages went up.

The manufacturers told congress an end of price control on their stuff would encourage them to produce more goods.

They said prices would go up but that when production was in full swing prices would come down.

They didn't attempt to say how high prices would go or just when they'd start coming down.

Suppose at a labor-industry conference the employers agreed that:

1. Prices, and living costs, have gone way up since organized labor got its raises a few months ago.
2. Therefore, labor is entitled to another raise now.

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### Across-Seas Chess

SEATTLE — The kingdom of Trans-Jordan and the city of Seattle are running even-up in a year-old international chess game.

The moves are made by airmail and representatives of the two locales are: Deputy Sheriff P. P. Bliss of the King County Law Enforcement detail and All Ruhl, chess champion of Trans-Jordan.

Each side has made five moves and each has lost a knight.

In the 16th century, gunpowder, invented in the 14th century, began to make itself felt on the battlefield.

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# WONDERFUL WIZARDS OF WASHINGTON — HOW TO GET A G.I. HOUSING LOAN



Broadway—Jack O'Brian

# Half-Tones, Discords

NEW YORK — Robert Merrill, star of opera and radio, will sing the Sinatra tolerance circuit in the fall. . . . Betty Barclay, Sammy Kaye's singer, landed an MGM contract. . . . Thieves got a set of expensive and all but irreplaceable musical arrangements from Met Baritone John Brownlee's apartment just before his scheduled departure for a Mexican concert tour.

Johnny Desmond, the GI Sinatra, who was a European favorite as a crooner in khaki, has dispatched a bunch of his new recordings to Britain's Princess Elizabeth. . . . The princess, who likes American swing music, was a Desmond fan when Johnny sang abroad with the Glenn Miller orchestra, and, after hearing him when the band played at Bedford, she requested that he send along his records if and when he made any upon returning home. . . . Johnny now is waiting to hear her royal reaction.

So many fellows have been mentioned as about to marry Lana Turner that the gags are starting to flow. . . . Rosemarie Brancato said she went up to a friend at a party and said: "I thought for a while that you were going to marry Lana. . . . Me?" The answer: "Why, I was eliminated in the semi-finals."

The irrepressible Milton Berle introduced Promoter Mike Jacobs at the Carnival by announcing that Uncle Mike is writing a play about Yankee Stadium entitled "Billy Conn Slept Here. . . . At Cerutti's, Owner Frank Cerutti playfully frisked George Raft for a rod before sealing him. . . . and was startled when he touched something he thought was a real Rooco. . . . but it was just the cinema gangster's well-filled wallet. . . .

In the Cafe Louis XIV, lovely Yvonne de Carlo putting the air-conditioning system to the test. . . . In the Holland House Tavern,

# Washington Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

# Ku Klux Klan Cannot Be Ignored

WASHINGTON. — Various people, including my somewhat worried wife, have been looking askance at my bearding the Ku Klux Klan in its home lar in Atlanta. They saw I am living the Klan too much publicity, that the Klan doesn't amount to anything, that it should be ignored.

That, of course, was what folks also said about Hitler, and about the Capone gang in its infancy, and about the old Klan after the last war. Yet each developed tragic and amazing strength.

As a very young newspaperman, I remember going out to Kansas to cover the fight which William Allen White was then making against the Ku Klux Klan in his race for governor. White was one of the great leaders of the Middle West, one of the great figures of the nation. He stood for something which was truly and finely American. Yet the Klan was too strong for him. His weapon against it was merely philosophy. The Klan's weapons against him were hatred, terrorism, and one of the most outright political organizations the nation has ever seen.

That was my first brush with the Klan.

There were many others who fought the Klan—Gov. Henry Allen of Kansas, Gov. John M. Parker of Louisiana, Gov. Hugh M. Dorsey of Georgia. Dorsey reported 135 cases of lynching in Georgia in two years.

"In some counties the negro is being driven out as though he were a wild beast," Governor Dorsey reported. "In others, he is being sold as a slave. In others, no negroes remain. In only two of the 135 cases cited is the 'usual crime'—rape—involved."

has been credited with originating the block-by-block system, but the Klan had proved the efficiency of this system 15 years before.

Prior to the Klan, political leaders thought they were good when they organized a county or even a township. But the Klan wasted no time with such piddling methods. It sent its solicitors to every house in the block. The membership drive had a real incentive, for the solicitor got a cut on the \$10 initiation fee, while the Grand Dragon also got his cut and the Kleagle and the Imperial Wizard also got theirs. It was one of the wealthiest rackets ever operated in the USA—all built on hate.

With this close-knit political organization, the Klan could elect almost any man to office, and once elected, the Wizards and the Kleagles required just two payoffs: police protection and state contracts.

When the hooded order went out at night, it expected—and got—immunity from the police. To be sure, this meant a system whereby one government operated inside another government. But that made no difference, for one was elected by the other and the elected government was usually powerless against the invisible government. . . .

**KKK Gravy Train**

When the Imperial Wizard or Grand Dragon gave his support to a candidate for governor, he also expected state gravy after election. That was how Imperial Wizard Hiram Evans of Atlanta got into trouble along with Georgia's Gov. Ed Rivers.

Everyone knows, of course, that Evans twice was indicted for his asphalt deals with Governor Rivers—deals by which the state of Georgia purchased asphalt at \$2 a ton more than paid by other Southern states. But never have the inside facts regarding the deal between the Imperial Wizard and the governor of Georgia leaked out.

After Rivers, himself a Klansman, was elected governor of Georgia in 1936, various Kluxers converged on Atlanta to seek reward. One was Walter Bousart, one-time grand boy for Will Hays, former chairman of the GOP national committee. Bousart represented the textbook combine, and was intent on selling books to the schools of Georgia through his KKK friends in high office. Another who converged on Atlanta was Indiana's ex-Klan treasurer, Bob Lyons. Bob, however, was not selling anything. He was opposing Rivers' chainstore tax.

Lyons by this time had left the Klan and become national lobbyist for the chain stores—a fee of \$375,000 annually. It was up to Lyons to defeat the Georgia anti-chain-store law, and he got

specifically against it.

The Klan's greatest strength lay in the fact that it was the first organization in the USA to adopt the block-by-block system of securing membership. The CIO's political action committee

**Louisiana Appealed for Help**

Governor Parker, who was no carpetbagger, had to take the unusual step of appealing to federal officials to help him keep order inside the State of Louisiana. This was in 1922, not 1870. He reported that state officials could not cope with the "horrible crimes" of the Klan. A super-government had been created, more powerful than the state government because it was invisible. Local police were powerless.

It was impossible in some states to be elected without joining or bowing before the will of the Klan. Its membership grew in 1922 at the rate of 3,500 a day. By 1925 it had 8,904,871 members.

And yet it had mushroomed from nothing. People had laughed at it, advised that it be ignored. The Klan will die a natural death, they said. Once it got started, however, the opposite was true. It seemed nothing could stop the power of the KKK. Laws were passed forbidding hooded orders. The Klan was debated at the Democratic national convention in 1924, but in the end the convention dared not go on record specifically against it.

**Early Incentive**

PITTSBURGH. — The inventive genius of George Westinghouse made its practical debut because 14-year-old George wanted to attend a Saturday picnic.

His plans were endangered by a strict order from his father to cut a large pile of pipes into equal lengths. So George, who was born a century ago this year, devised an automatic pipe-cutting machine.

**Buy Island**

NEW ORLEANS. — Tired of the temptations of sizzling steaks, even in a meal-shortaged world, three New Orleans vegetarians have purchased their own island—and that's where they'll live.

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# Crossword Puzzle

**ACROSS**

1. Fellow
2. College organization
3. Public vehicle
12. Skin
13. Hindu demon who causes eclipses by swallowing the sun and moon
14. Bavarian
15. Winglike
16. Poisonous tree
17. Ancient Egyptian king
18. Support for a sail
20. Climber
21. Color
22. Made of flowers
24. More rapid
25. Mother of
26. Castor and Pollux
27. To a higher point
28. European larkspur
22. Stitch
23. Government levy
35. Head covering
36. Showing
41. Jumbled type
42. Ilium: comb.
43. Most mesager
44. Transfer: law
45. Dutch city
46. Short surplus
47. Elderly person
48. Masculine
53. East Indian gold piece
55. Lateral
56. Dutch city
57. Express

**DOWN**

1. Converse informally
2. Hawaiian city
2. Refuse
3. Refuse
4. Allows
5. Defeat
6. Engrossed
7. Exclamation
8. Straggles
9. Large waterfall
10. Part of a
11. Kind of climbing
12. Dilated
13. Closing musical measure
14. Fishbleness
15. Point
16. Large tub
17. Knocks
18. Send out
19. Shovel with a knife
20. Small island
21. Refuse
22. Vehemently
23. Ancient ointment
24. Plants of the family
25. Poaceous
26. Whole
27. Palmed
28. Truckie
29. American clergyman
30. Prepare for publication
31. Female sandpipers
34. Edged tool

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Sincerely,  
**EARL PLEW**  
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**The Texas Poll**

**Veterans' Vote About Like That Of Other People, Survey Reveals**

By JOE BELDEN  
Director, The Texas Poll  
AUSTIN, July 20. — Much political discussion in Texas this summer has centered on the way various groups of voters will cast ballots in the Democratic primary next Saturday. How will the veterans vote? Are the women supporting Rainey? Where are Jester, Sadler, Sellers, and Smith getting most of their strength?  
Overall results of this survey were published last Sunday in this newspaper. Breakdowns of that poll appearing below provide new angles from which reader may see how political opinion has been crystallizing. Next and final poll before July 27 primary now being conducted and will be published shortly before election.  
The accuracy of scientific opinion polls is controlled by including in the sample of voters questioned a proper representation of all important groups that make up the electorate. Thus, surveys like The Texas Poll make it possible to break down all these factions, exposing undercurrents of opinion not otherwise known. Here is an analysis of the current race for governor, based on a state survey completed during the early part of July (any differences of less than 3 or 4 percentage points in these tabulations are hardly significant):

BY VETERANS — World War II veterans have failed to emerge as a decisive factor in this campaign. They are backing candidates in about the same way as any other people. Compare these results for ex-servicemen with those of non-veterans and the state as a whole:

	Vets	Non Vets	All
Rainey . . . . .	27%	26%	27%
Jester . . . . .	17	18	18
Sadler . . . . .	17	12	14
Sellers . . . . .	9	13	12
Smith . . . . .	5	8	7
All others . . . . .	8	3	4
Undecided . . . . .	17	20	18

(When the undecided were eliminated, the percentages over the entire state for the leading candidates were: Rainey 33, Jester 22, Sadler 17, Sellers 15, and Smith 8.)

BY SECTIONS OF THE STATE — Homer Rainey's main strength, geographically, is coming from the Central Texas region. His weak spot appears to be the Panhandle and South Plains area. Beauford Jester shows up strongest in the Panhandle and South Plains, with least backing in Central and South Texas. North Texas — including Dallas and Fort Worth — gives Sadler the lowest vote of all sections. There is an indication he may have more than average support in East Texas.

Grover Seller's following the breakdowns reveal, is well scattered, except that he may be low in the Southwest and West Texas. The only section stronger than average for John Lee Smith seems to be the region close to his home county of Throckmorton in the northern part of the state.

BY SEX — Neither men nor women as a group seem to be lending their support to any particular candidate. Rainey, for instance, had 26 per cent of the men and 28 per cent of the women.

Jester had 20 per cent of the men and 15 of the women; Sadler 15 per cent men, 11 women.

BY CITY AND FARM — Who will carry the bulk of the large city vote is debated during every campaign. Cities of 50,000 or more will cast about three-tenths of the vote this year, The Texas Poll estimates. Here is a comparison of the strength of the candidates in cities of over 50,000, farm votes, and the entire electorate:

	City Farm	All	
Rainey . . . . .	24%	20%	27%
Jester . . . . .	16	19	18
Sadler . . . . .	12	18	14
Sellers . . . . .	11	11	12
Smith . . . . .	6	7	7
All others . . . . .	4	5	4
Undecided . . . . .	27	20	18

Rainey, then, is weaker on the farms than he is over Texas as a whole. And Sadler seems to be appealing to the farmer better than to townpeople.

The Texas Poll is now conducting its final pre-election survey of the state, to be published next Friday, the day before election. Any changes that may come about in the figures here given should be reflected in this forthcoming poll.

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**FRILLY**—Linda Darnell of the films poses in a fancy costume of the period of Philadelphia's 176 centennial.

**Polling Boxes, Judges Listed For Primary**

Four of the county's 15 voting boxes for the Democratic primary election July 27 will be located in the court house while the others are distributed throughout the county.

Persons in Voting Precinct One will go to the Grand Jury room in the court house to cast their ballots. Precinct Two voters report to the county judge's office, Precinct Three eligibles to the county auditor's office and Precinct Four balloters to the District Court room.

Other voting precincts and the location of the ballot boxes are: Five — Gay Hill school. Six — Vincent school. Seven — R-Bar school. Eight — West Ward school. Nine — Coahoma. (American Legion hall). Ten — Forsan school. Eleven — Center Point school. Twelve — Fairview school. Thirteen — Knott school. Fourteen — Morris school. Fifteen — Reese Adams' rent-house near Soash.

Polls will open in all precinct booths at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. L. S. Patterson, election chairman, has announced. Voting judges appointed by Patterson are: One — G. C. Broughton; Two — W. L. McColister; Three — George White; Four — S. P. Jones; Five — Willis Winters; Six — C. B. Lawrence; Seven — W. H. Wise; Eight — L. R. Mundi; Nine — LeRoy Echols; Ten — Mrs. H. H. Hilliard; Eleven — E. L. Bynum; Twelve — W. F. Cook; Thirteen — Earl Castle; Fourteen — Lloyd Branon and Fifteen — R. N. Adams.

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**G. E. (Red) Gilliam**  
Court procedure. I will try my very best to be a good public servant if you see fit to elect me.  
Sincerely,  
**G. E. (Red) Gilliam**  
(Paid Pol. Adv.)

**Slow-Starting Campaign Ending In Torrid Tempo**

Slower than most any campaign in recent memory, the 1946 democratic primary chase was warming up to a red hot tempo at the end of the week. What effect it will have on the vote total remains to be seen, but prospects are that it will boost the turnout substantially next Saturday. Because the campaign has been so late in developing, it is probable that the usual ratio of 10 final for each absentee vote may not be accurate this year. Resulting from the belated maturity of the drive for votes, one thing is certain—it will mean a torrid pace for candidates.

No where is this more evident than in a series of local races. With the electorate silent or undecided on many races, candidates are taking the position that last week contacts will be effective far beyond what they have been in previous years. The latter part of the past week saw a score or more busy ringing door bells, making flying trips to outlying communities. On the basis of information from seasoned observers of the local scene, it may be said that there are very few races where the outcome could be forecast now with a degree of certainty. Even the candidates, breathing confi-

**City Figures Maximum Cost For Paving**

A maximum cost figure to be used on preliminary petitions for paving in the city's voluntary program has been determined in efforts to speed up negotiations with property owners, City Manager B. J. McDaniel announced Saturday.

Previously, the city completed engineering plans and provided actual cost figures for designated blocks when petition requests were received. This procedure entailed a large amount of work for the city, which slowed circulation of petitions and in some cases the engineering work was completed and plans for the petitions did not materialize, McDaniel said. Under the new plan, property owners who request petitions for their respective blocks will be furnished forms with the maximum cost listed and contact work can begin immediately. After the petition is circulated, the actual cost will be determined and property owners on the block will be assessed that figure. The city street department still is working on the 1400 block of Scurry, which is the latest project to be started under the voluntary program. Concrete work there has been completed except curbing for one intersection.

**County Ag, HD Agents To Meet**

A radio school will feature a two-day meeting of county agricultural and home demonstration agents of district six, scheduled to open Monday in Midland. Program for the second day will be devoted entirely to radio for agents in counties which have broadcasting stations. Plans for various demonstrations to be held in the individual counties during the year will round out the program.

**To Precinct 1 Voters FOR BETTER ROADS IN BIG SPRING AND HOWARD COUNTY**

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**Court Grants Four Divorces Saturday**

Four divorces were granted in 70th district court proceedings Saturday morning. Elle H. Sager was awarded his freedom in a suit against Mary Ellen Sager. Vivian Peterson gained a divorce in action against J. H. Peterson. Bertice Griffice won not only her freedom but the right to use her maiden name, Ache, in action against Grover Griffice. Virginia Curtis won the custody of a minor child in addition to legal marital separation in her suit against Dale A. Curtis. Permission to change their surname to Baugh was granted Melba Pike and Frankie Janelle Pike in other proceedings completed Saturday.



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(Pd. Pol. Adv.)

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# Only Few Crops Expected To Mature In County Faced With Severe Drouth

With the drouth rapidly approaching a modern record for a major portion of Howard county, crop conditions vary sharply in the different communities, reports late this week indicate.

The picture for localized areas ranges from fair prospects in some communities which received showers at crucial stages to absolutely no green vegetation in others which have had no appreciable rainfall during the entire year. No community, however, boasts a normal cotton and feed crop. M. Weaver, manager of the local ACA office, and County Agent Durward Lewter both estimated that approximately 20,000 acres have been planted to cotton. However, Lewter doubted that more than 9,000 to 10,000 acres obtained a stand, and both said they had noted withering stalks and shedding of fruit in growing fields.

Lewter also estimated that 20,000 acres of feed had been planted, but germination has been no better than that of cotton and there are few acres of sudan ready for grazing in the county.

It is expected to require more than an ordinary rain to put farmland in condition for planting late feed crops. The generally accepted deadline for planting combine maize, July 15, has passed, and early August will bring the deadline for seeding red top cane.

Based on the various reports, crop conditions in the county's individual communities are as follows: Lomax—regarded top of the county, with both feed and cotton up. Farmers also have been able to graze some sudan, but it soon will be exhausted unless additional moisture is received. Cotton has held its own and is fruiting.

Elbow: Large cotton acreage in comparison to other communities, and some feed up on most farms. Crops are well worked out and cultivated.

Hartwells: About 70 percent normal cotton acreage planted, but light on feed. Cotton is holding up well considering moisture.

Fairview: An estimated 40 percent to 50 percent acreage planted to cotton, but poor stand. Some March and April cotton in the community is suffering, but that planted in May is faring better. Farmers are working it out despite poor stands, with good prices in prospect.

Moore: About 60 percent normal cotton acreage planted, with some feed up. However, there are some idle fields. The community has some of the most advanced cotton in the county, and it is well cultivated.

Highway: May cotton is holding up well, but only about 40 percent of the normal acreage has been planted, and very little feed is up.

Knott: Scarcely any crops, either cotton or feed, up, except west-

# DWI Cases Increasing, Highway Patrol Finds

A highway menace which has grown alarmingly in proportions since the war ended is that motorist who tries to navigate while under the influence of intoxicants. So says John Strother, local member of the state highway patrol.

"In the first 19 days of this month, we filed more charges against vehicle operators who obviously were inebriated than in the five previous months that we have been on duty here," Strother said Saturday.

Since July 1, no less than seven persons have appeared before County Judge James Brooks to enter pleas of guilty on charges of driving while intoxicated. Fines up to \$150 were paid in each case.

Reports from other sections of West Texas reveal that "DWI" cases are up 400 percent for the first six months of 1946 over the same period for 1945. In Lubbock alone, 106 cases were filed against vehicle operators who apparently had been drinking. Convictions were obtained in all but one of those cases.

State safety records reveal that alcohol was involved in 9 percent of the accidents reported since the first of the year, Strother stated. The patrolman attributes much of the increase to the fact that gasoline and tire rationing ceased with the end of hostilities.

# Water Pressure Drop Not Due To Shortage, City Officials Say

Increased water consumption caused by heavy lawn sprinkling and other household usage recently has caused pressure to drop in several sections of town, city officials have reported.

Although the current water supply is adequate, this problem is expected to continue until drouth conditions are relieved, due to small distribution mains in some areas and small individual lines at some residences. City Manager B. J. McDaniel said.

Some complaints have been received on the matter, and if the drouth continues it may be necessary to set up a lawn sprinkling schedule in the city, McDaniel continued. The distribution system is to be improved next winter, but a shortage of pipe and other materials have precluded any full-scale work on the problem during the summer.

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**Itinerary Mapped For Visiting 4-H Steers On Feed**

Business men, ranchers, farmers, 4-H club members and their fathers have been invited to make a tour of club steers on feed in Howard county Thursday, County Agent Durward Lewter has announced.

An itinerary is being mapped by Lewter, and he expects to exhibit between 50 and 60 club steers to the group, with virtually every community in the county to be visited during the day.

Forty-six club steers were inspected Thursday by George Barnes, beef cattle specialist for the A&M college extension service, who remained here an extra day after the district county agents' meeting to make a tour. Several other county agents and extension service specialists toured part of the Howard county club steers during the meeting. Club members in the county now have 96 steers on feed, Lewter said.

The Thursday tour will begin at 8 a. m., with the group scheduled to leave from Lewter's office at that hour. Several farmers, ranchers, club members and parents are expected to join the tour as it reaches the various rural communities.

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**City Cannot Meet Water Tap Requests**

A large back-log of requests for new water taps has accumulated at the city hall during the past few weeks, due to a shortage of materials.

The water department is temporarily out of necessary supplies for installing new taps, and officials said they have not been able to get new shipments in several weeks.

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