

UN Will Act To Stop Aid For Guerrillas

GENEVA, May 23. (AP)—The 11-nation Balkans investigation commission today formally signed a report to the United Nations Security Council recommending that support of armed bands violating Balkan frontiers should be considered a menace to world peace, subject to action by the U.N.

American and Russian sources said there was no formal vote on this conclusion, but that nine nations favored it. Russia and Poland were opposed.

The informants also said that the commission approved 8 to 2 a section blaming Yugoslavia, primarily, for the support of guerrilla warfare in northern Greece, and declaring that Albania and Bulgaria were blameworthy to a lesser degree.

Conditions with Greece were declared a contributing factor. Along with the 251-page final report, terminating their four-month investigation of Greek frontier incidents, the commission members also ordered transmitted to the security council more than 10,000 pages of records and documents relating to the investigation.

The actions were said to have been taken in a closed session of the commission, which came here to write its report for the security council after making an on-the-spot investigation in the Balkans.

Truman Seeks Top-Notch Director For Aid Measure

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—Undersecretary of State Acheson declared emphatically today that there will be no kick back to the British out of the \$400,000,000 Greek-Turkish aid fund.

The British are reported seeking repayment—though not necessarily out of the Greek aid fund—for some \$20,000,000 they have spent since March 31 in helping Greece.

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—President Truman's difficulty in finding a top-notch man to run the new American aid program in Greece threatened some delay in getting the operation underway.

The state department already is reported to be acquiring a \$100,000,000 RFC loan to finance the start of the \$400,000,000 undertaking to buttress Greece and Turkey against any extension of Soviet power over those countries.

But officials made it clear that despite the availability of money and the authority granted by Congress in the bill which Mr. Truman signed yesterday, nothing very substantial can be accomplished until an administrator is appointed and takes over his duties.

Diplomatic officials were hopeful this might be done today. But they were uncertain whether it could be.

At least five men have been considered but for a variety of reasons each has proved unavailable. Inside speculation at the moment centers around Paul Hoffman, president of the Studebaker Corp.

No hitch is anticipated in carrying out the \$100,000,000 Turkish part of the program. That involves mainly supplying military equipment to the Turkish Army under the general supervision of Ambassador Edwin C. Wilson at Ankara.

But the program for Greece is much broader, embracing not only military assistance, but economic rehabilitation as well. In addition to \$300,000,000 under the aid program the Greeks are to receive \$50,000,000 in direct relief funds under a separate bill awaiting the President's signature.

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The witness did not name the "big steel companies." He said he was not accusing any steel executive of anything and had no personal knowledge of any improper practices, but merely was telling what his client was told.

Margiotti called it "an interesting and amazing story — if true." The client is E. A. Kerschbaum, who testified yesterday that he tried to buy 300,000 tons of steel for resale, but that the deal fell through.

Margiotti said Kerschbaum was informed by Herbert M. Karp, New York lawyer, that Kerschbaum could buy 248,000 tons if he would secretly pay \$62.50 a ton as an "override" for the unnamed steel executives.

Longview High Band To Play In Streets

Longview High school's 75-piece band will visit Big Spring Monday afternoon and present a street concert, the local chamber of commerce was advised today.

The band members have scheduled an overnight stop here on a trip to Carlsbad, caverns. They plan to make a short parade here and conclude with a concert.

Fear Lynching As Group Seizes Negro From Jail

Masked, Armed Men In North Carolina Take Rape Suspect

JACKSON, N. C., May 23. (AP)—Sheriff A. C. Stephenson of Northampton county said today Godwin (Buddy) Bush, 24-year-old negro, was taken from the county jail here at 2 a. m. this morning by a group of masked, armed men.

The Negro was held in the jail on a charge of attempted rape. The sheriff said: "I am afraid that a lynching has taken place."

The Negro had been arrested after a young married woman at Rich Square, 12 miles from here, reported an attempt had been made to rape her as she was walking home about 10 p. m.

No clue to his whereabouts has been discovered, the sheriff said since has was taken away by the band which, the officers reported, was made up of white men.

Jackson, county seat of Northampton county in the northeastern part of North Carolina, is approximately 400 miles from Greenville, S. C., where a jury Wednesday night acquitted 28 men accused of lynching a Negro.

The News-Herald at Murfreesboro, a few miles away quoted Jailer E. D. Edwards as saying that three masked men told him, "deliver him or else."

Economy Ax Swings On Agriculture Funds

FORTUNATE FLIER

LINWOOD, Kas., May 23. (AP)—An unidentified airplane flew low over the Kaw River, crashed through three half-inch electric cables carrying 33,000 volts, and left a power blackout through two villages yesterday.

The plane continued in flight, apparently undamaged, and a check of nearby airports failed to disclose a clue as to its identity.

Judge Sentences Romney To Three Years In Prison

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—Kenneth Romney, former House Sergeant-at-Arms, was sentenced today to serve from one to three years in federal prison on a charge of concealing a \$143,863 shortage in his office accounts.

Defense Attorney William H. Collins announced he will take the case to the United States Court of Appeals. Judge Holtzoff permitted Romney to remain free on \$2,500 bond pending this appeal.

Maximum penalty on the charges of which Romney was convicted a week ago could have ranged up to 30 years in prison and a \$30,000 fine.

The sentence was imposed in federal district court by Justice Alexander Holtzoff who said he was dealing leniently because the shortage occurred a great many years ago and two other people who apparently had some part in it are beyond the law.

Holtzoff referred to former Representative John H. Smithwick (D-Fla.) 72, who now resides in Georgia.

He said the evidence indicated some checks that Romney had cashed for Smithwick had never been paid and they apparently represented a good portion of the shortage. But Holtzoff said the statute of limitations prevent Smith from being accused.

Dying Youth, 15, Gets Scout Badge

SAGINAW, Mich., May 23. (AP)—A dying 15-year-old boy, his fevered eyes aglow, today received the Eagle Badge in a bedside ceremony that climaxed his long, heart-breaking struggle to reach the peak as a boy scout.

In his hushed, antiseptic sick room at Saginaw general hospital, Ronald Phillips, blond and husky, smiled wanly as Willard J. Nash of Valley Trails Boy Scout Council, pinned the coveted badge on his pajama jacket.

His pride shone in his eyes but he said nothing. He lost his speech a short time ago.

An enthusiastic scout, Ronald was a senior patrol leader of the First Baptist Church troop when he was stricken last September with a malignant brain tumor that withstood two operations.

Firemen Douse Three Blazes

An automobile owned by C. L. Collins was damaged this morning in one of three fires extinguished by the Big Spring fire department during a 15-hour period.

Soil Conservation, Lunch Program Hit

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—The House Appropriations Committee swung its economy-axe at the Agriculture Department today, recommending a 32 per cent budget cut.

In sending to the House floor an \$807,143,576 bill to finance the department for the year starting July 1, the committee chopped \$381,427,742 from President Truman's budget estimate.

The amount approved is \$467,542,475 less than the department had to spend this year. It includes \$225,000,000 in loan authorizations and \$10,429,710 in permanent appropriations.

The cuts, if upheld by the house after debate next week will boost to slightly more than \$2,000,000,000 the total reductions made by the house in its drive to top \$8,000,000,000 from the President's \$37,150,000,000 budget for 1948.

This is exclusive of a surprise \$642,000,000 "bookkeeping" cut written into a deficiency appropriation bill by the senate appropriations committee and passed by houses without a word of debate earlier this week.

The house committee acted on the agriculture bill after weeks of closed door hearings and after Secretary Anderson insisted that any reductions would impair essential farm services. The estimates submitted, Anderson claimed, were rock-bottom minimums.

But the committee rejected this contention and said in its report that the bill's objective is to make "selective reductions" based upon present and future needs of agriculture.

Of the total recommended reduction, \$148,000,000 was accounted for by transfer from the agriculture department to the treasury's general fund of "section 32" money heretofore allotted for various farm programs, including the school lunch project and conservation payments.

There funds come from customs duties, 30 per cent of which had been earmarked for the agriculture department. The President's budget had contemplated the use of \$100,000,000 of this money for benefit payments to farmers.

The committee said, however, that its action in withholding the "section 32" money should not be "taken to mean that similar action should be taken in future years."

The committee also (A) cut out all funds for farm tenant loans, (B) trimmed from \$267,620,754 to \$150,000,000 the funds for soil conservation payments, and (C) entirely eliminate from the bill language that would have authorized a \$200,000,000 soil conservation program for the 1948 crop year.

It ordered a 20 per cent cut (about 130 employees) in public relations and publicity activities of the department and chopped the allotment for the school lunch program from \$76,000,000 to \$45,000,000.

American Personnel Leave Besieged City

NANKING, May 23. (AP)—An American Army plane evacuated the families of the United States and British consuls-general from Changchun today as Chinese dispatches reported communist shells falling in the northern suburbs of the besieged Manchurian capital.

The wife and daughter of the American consul-general and the wife and two daughters of the British consul-general left for Peiping, the US embassy announced here, together with several members of the UNRRA staff.



SAVED FROM DEATH — Charlie Phillips, 31-year-old tenant farmer, examines a pair of his wife's slacks in which a suicide note, purportedly signed by his wife, was discovered a few days before he was scheduled to die for her murder in the North Carolina gas chamber. Phillips is shown in court in Lillington, N. C., after Superior Judge W. H. S. Burgwyn, the same jurist who last September sentenced him to die, granted Phillips a new trial. (AP Wirephoto).

46th B. S. High School Class Graduates Today

The 46th class of the Big Spring high school will be graduated in exercises at 8:30 p. m. today at the city auditorium.

One hundred and twenty-one seniors will be presented as candidates for diplomas, and announcement of honor students and recipients of other awards will be made at the program, which features an address by E. C. Dodd, president of the Howard County Junior College.

Student speakers, using the topic of "Our Opportunity," will be Edna Faye Stevenson and Donald Webb, chosen by the class for the occasion.

An ensemble composed of Patty McCormick, Carolee Raines, Joyce Howard, Leslie Cathey, Jean Conley, Barbara Lytle, Jeanette Kinman, Frances Bigony and Donnie Roberts will sing Vincent Youmans' "Without a Song," and Leslie Cathey will play Johann Strauss' "Blue Danube."

Dodd will speak on "The World is Yours, If—" W. C. Blankenship, superintendent, will preside; Charles Romine, assistant high school principal will introduce candidates; W. L. Reed, principal, will announce awards; and Dr. J. E. Hogan, member of the board, will present diplomas.

Seniors will sing the school song, "Invitation" will be by Dr. C. A. Long, First Methodist pastor, and the professional Celia Westerman will play Vardi's "Triumphal March" and for a recessional "Priest March," in addition to playing the "Warsaw Concerto" as a piano solo.

Diplomas will be awarded by M. R. Turner, superintendent, to Betty Joyce Woodson, Jane White, Ovelia Shirley, Nelja Deeds, Patsy Wolf, Patricia Turner, Faye Barr, Margie Woodson, Ray Nell Hale, Betty Kidd, Frances Bartlett, Helen Joyce Engle, Corrien Bewley, Uel Pearl Read, Gaye Barr, Wayne DeVaney.

Ben Cockrell, Pete Hull, Bobby West, Bobby Kiser, Charles Dickson, Vernon Wolf, Charles Barbee, Bobby Fletcher, Teddy Fowler, Dennis Turner, Weldon Covert, and Ralph Buchanan.

Cricket Hordes Threaten Crops

ORDNANCE, Ore., May 23. (AP)—The old Oregon Trail Highway was red with crickets on a six-mile stretch west of here today as millions of migrating Mormon crickets moved closed to rich farmlands, despite the efforts of farmers and seagulls.

The seagulls, virtually unknown in this dry wheat country 250 air-line miles from the ocean until they descended in large flocks yesterday, were attacking the northwest flank of the crickets.

Their numbers were insufficient yet, however, to halt the insects, which also were being combated by machines that blew poisoned mash into their 12-mile front and by frantic farmers who were even pouring oil into irrigation ditches in an attempt to stem the advance.

Electric Power Out Over Hour When Line Breaks

Electric power in a large portion of Big Spring was "out" for an hour and 20 minutes early Friday afternoon.

The Texas Electric Service company reported a line went down at 11th and Johnson streets, necessitating repair work. The eastern part of the city was not affected by the break.

The interruption delayed issuance of The Herald, since all production machinery was halted.

Lynching Acquittals Stir British Comment

LONDON, May 23. (AP)—South Carolina's lynching acquittals won front page space in Britain's tightly rationed newspapers today and the Daily Express commented: "Trial by jury remains the unwritten law of America's south."

Himmler's Assistant Captured

MUNICH, May 23. (AP)—Brig. Gen. Eric Neumann, principal adjutant to Nazi Gestapo chieftain Heinrich Himmler, has been captured in Bavaria after a two-year search by American war crimes investigators.

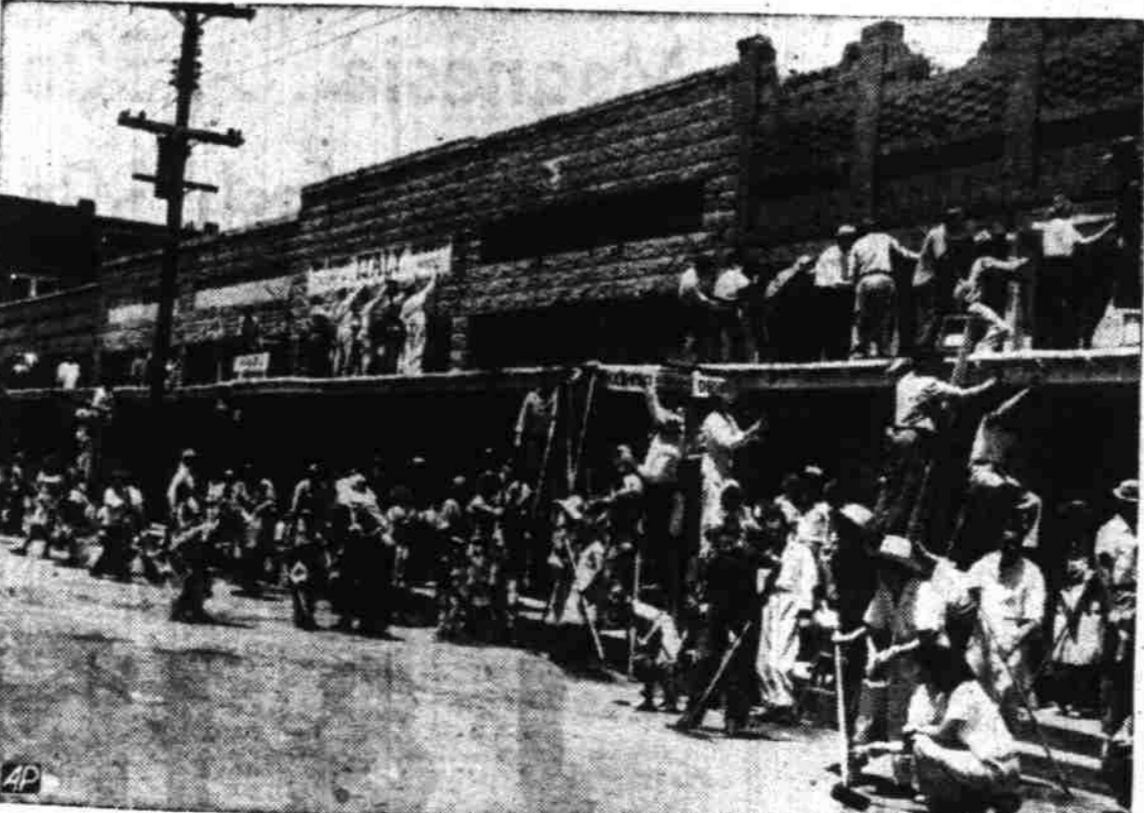
The SS (Elite Guard) general had been one of the most eagerly sought of German fugitives. He had been commander of security police in Holland and Belgium and also was combat commander of Nurnberg.

He now is in custody of American war crimes prosecutors at Regensburg. He was found using an assumed name and working as a farmer near the Austrian border in the neighborhood of Berchtesgaden.

The arrest was made May 9, but not disclosed until today. Neumann was reported to have had Swiss and British money amounting to about \$62,500 in his possession.

An unofficial report said an associate of Neumann, a Major Eichler was picked up at the same time on a farm on the Austrian side of the border, near Salzburg.

It was assumed Neumann would be held for trial either at Dachau or Nurnberg as a war criminal, but there was a possibility that the Dutch or the Belgians might ask his extradition.



RESIDENTS PAINT UP TOWN—Residents of Italy, Tex., (population 1,224, 1940 census) turned out (above) in work clothes to clean up the town. They swept, mowed, raked, and painted. All main street store fronts were painted white. (AP Photo).

ERECTION OF MONUMENT TO FDR OKAYED AFTER HEATED DEBATE

AUSTIN, Tex., May 23. (AP)—Proposed erection of a memorial monument to Franklin D. Roosevelt on the state capitol grounds today had the consent of the House of Representatives.

Vigorously opposed, the measure passed 65 to 51 and went to the Senate for action there. Rep. Tom Martin of Fredericksburg termed it "the most controversial issue ever offered in this House."

He said the introduction of the resolution was "a cheap, slyster political fight on the floor of the House."

ford, author of the resolution, denied charges that granting of legislative permission to erect a monument to a man who was neither a southerner nor a Texan would be setting a "dangerous precedent."

"No man in the history of America has done more for the south than this man," he said. Martin countered: "Roosevelt was a great man. No one will argue that. But there were many, many other great men who have never had monuments to them on the grounds of the capitol."

SATURDAY'S Bargain Session At FISHERMAN'S

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Fancy Colors Sizes 7 to 14 **\$1.55-\$1.95**

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Ladies' Rayon **PANTIES**
3 for **\$1.00**

Ladies' Low Heel Canvas **OXFORDS**
Sizes 4 to 10 **\$1.98**

Boys' Short Sleeve **SPORT SHIRTS**
Solid and Fancy Patterns **\$1.29 to \$2.49**

Extra Heavy **PILLOW CASES**
Large Size **69c**

Children's Rayon **PANTIES**
3 for **\$1.00**

Boys' Sanforized **KHAKI PANTS**
\$1.98

Shirts To Match **\$1.69**

Men's Blue Chambray **WORK SHIRTS**
Sanforized **\$1.39**

Sheer **NYLON HOSE**
Slightly Irregular, New Shades. Sizes 8½ to 10½. **Pair \$1.00**

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Texas Funeral Directors Map Disaster Plan

DALLAS, May 23. (AP)—A disaster plan for Texas funeral directors will be submitted to Gov. Beauford H. Jester for approval, according to J. J. Crane, president of the Dallas Funeral Directors association.

He announced the plan following a closed meeting of the profession's leaders here last night.

The disaster plan would make the president of the state board of embalming the key man to be notified first from the scene of any disaster, Crane said. Under him, the presidents of each of the nine Texas regions of the funeral directors association would be in charge of each region.

At the opening of last night's session, Crane said there are "men in this room who witnessed shameful acts by embalmers at Texas City" and added that their stories would be heard.

A Dallas news reporter then was told the facts related would be "off the record." When the reporter declined to agree to such an arrangement he was barred from the meeting.

Crane said the disaster plan had the unanimous approval of those at the meeting — four members of the Texas state board of embalming, the president and three other representatives of the Texas Funeral Directors and Embalmers association and 20 Dallas funeral directors and embalmers.

Crane said information brought out in the closed meeting disclosed "no grounds for any criticism leveled at funeral directors." He added that "a few petty instances" had been "ironed out," but that he was not at liberty to discuss that phase further.

Equal Education Opportunities Urged By CIO

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—The CIO, striking out at state differences in educational standards, contended today that the federal government "should be as concerned about the people who cross state lines as about the quality of vegetables and cattle which cross them."

Kermit Eby, CIO director of education and research, declared in a statement prepared for a house labor subcommittee that "agricultural products and livestock must meet certain standards of quality — but young men and women are ignored."

Supporting a bill to provide federal grants to states for education, he asserted that young people who leave underprivileged areas in search of opportunity for themselves and their children carry with them "their illiteracy and prejudice to the cities in which they settle."

"For this reason, if for no other," he said, "national standard of equal education opportunity is needed — to protect against the contagion of ignorance, to inoculate against the virus of prejudice."

Equalization of education would benefit the whole country, he said, and "would also be fairer to the south where, in spite of low expenditures, the high birth rate forces large numbers, who receive their share in the education, but into other areas, thereby robbing the south of even value received for its expenditures."

"Federal aid would surely insure a greater degree of justice to Negroes whose schooling is disgracefully behind even that of the white southern schoolchild. All these things would build a strong America, free from the bonds of ignorance and intolerance."

Bathing Beauty Winner To Be Given Gifts By Local Firms

JIMMY GREENE, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, will present the winner of the bathing beauty review with a bouquet of flowers and her title at 2 p. m. Sunday when the municipal swimming pool opens for the season. The review is being sponsored by the High Heel Slipper club.

Prizes donated by local business firms include a radio from Zale's, a 21-jewel ladies' wrist watch from Nathan's and a portrait by Culver Studio. The High Heel Slipper Club will present the winner with a compact.

Conciliation Bill May Be Accepted

AUSTIN, May 23. (AP)—Gov. Beauford Jester today was apparently prepared to accept a voluntary industrial conciliation service considerably "watered-down" from what he had originally desired.

He expressed hope at his press conference yesterday that the legislature before it adjourns will pass the Nokes bill—even if it wishes to go only that far.

The bill by Rep. George Nokes of Corsicana proposes a conciliation service which would empower the state to act as arbitrator in labor-management disputes only if requested to do so by one of the disputing sides.

Jester has suggested amending the bill to require compulsory arbitration in industrial disputes which seriously affect the public health, safety and welfare. In jurisdictional strikes; and in disputes over contracts in effect.

No one thus far has been fit to so amend the bill.

The House has twice declined to act on the bill since the governor has been trying to spur action.

Nokes said privately he would try to get the measure before the House at its next session.

Weather Forecast

DEPT. OF COMMERCE WEATHER BUREAU

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY—Partly cloudy with scattered showers this afternoon and tonight. Fair Saturday with slowly rising temperatures. Expected high today 74, low tonight 60. High Saturday 82.

WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Saturday. Wisely scattered showers, mostly during the afternoon of early evening. Cooler south Plains this afternoon, warmer Panhandle and South Plains Saturday.

EAST TEXAS—Mostly cloudy with scattered showers this afternoon, tonight and Saturday. No important temperature changes. Moderate to fresh southerly to south winds on the coast.

Forecast for the period 7:30 p. m. tonight through 7:30 p. m. May 28th:

TEMPERATURES

City	Max	Min
Abilene	80	60
Albany	80	60
Big Spring	80	60
Chicago	77	56
Denver	54	41
El Paso	82	64
Fort Worth	82	64
Galveston	81	74
New York	81	64
St. Louis	80	58

Local sunset today 7:42 p. m.; sunrise Saturday 6:44 a. m.

Water Rights Hearing Affects Texas Cities

AUSTIN, May 23. (AP)—The first day in a consolidated hearing for water rights to the Texas City and Galveston area will begin Monday before the state board of water engineers.

The hearing adjourned yesterday after presentation during the first four days of the application of the San Jacinto river conservation and reclamation district and the request of the American Canal Company to divert Brazos river water to the area.

Early next week the board will hear the application of Briscoe Irrigation Company; also a Brazos river diversion.

E. V. Spence, chairman of the board, predicted the outcome of the hearing would affect all large Texas cities and industries due to their enormous needs in the future for water.

Yesterday H. E. Thompson, vice-president of the Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company, said large quantities of water were "imperative" if his company carried out a \$20,000,000 expansion program.

D. J. Smith, president of the Pan-American Refinery Company at Texas City, said his company was "in immediate need" of water.

Robert H. Chuoke, Galveston water commissioner, said the city was in "grave need."

Smith testified that the Galveston county water company was organized and partially capitalized by Pan-American and the Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company as a method of obtaining cheaper and better water. The water company proposed to construct a \$2,000,000 canal system from the terminal of the American canal system near Alvin to reservoirs in Texas City.

He said his company was "unwilling" to contract with the San Jacinto district because their costs were too high and their time element too long.

Forsan Seniors Are Graduated

FORSAN, May 23.—Twelve seniors were graduated Thursday evening from the Forsan high school, and 18 eighth graders will be promoted into high school in 7:30 ceremonies in the school auditorium today.

E. C. Dodd, president of the Howard County Junior College, addressed the graduating class Thursday and diplomas were presented by Harry Miller, president of the board, after G. D. Kennedy, superintendent, had introduced the candidates. Doylene Gilmore, Gwendolyn Oglesby, and Laura Whitburn, accompanied by Mrs. Wilbur Dunn, sang "The Rosary." Invocation was given by C. V. Wash and the benediction pronounced by J. D. Gilmore.

Norman Roberts was announced as valedictorian, Haroldine West as salutatorian, and Bobby Wash as high ranking boy.

Walker Bailey, county superintendent, will be the eighth grade speaker this evening, and diplomas will be presented by O. S. Clark, grade school principal.

Monday, under direction of J. T. Holladay, high school principal, members of the graduating class will leave on a five-day tour to Longhorn Caverns, Buchanan dam, Austin, San Antonio, Texas City, Galveston, Houston and Waco. Holladay will be assisted by Frank Honeycut Mrs. C. V. Wash, Nell Rogers.

Class members are Haroldine West, Eva Smith, Bobby Lou Cathart, Fern Bedell, Norma Roberts, Lavonne Hoard, Bobby Baker, Bobby Wash, Decece Bedell, Stanley Hayhurst and Charles Long.

Russians Agree To 'Briefing' Reporters

SEKUL, May 23. (AP)—Soviet delegates agreed today to permit Maj. Gen. Albert E. Brown, chief American commissioner, to "informally" brief the press on each meeting of the US-Russian joint commission on Korea without disclosing secret matters.

In his first conference with newsmen, Brown said the commission decided to close all meetings to the press "except when both sides agree any specific meeting shall be open."

Searchers Still Hunt Philippines Airplane

MANILA, May 23. (AP)—A vast aerial search for a lost luxury airliner with at least 11 Philippine government officials and crewmen aboard was resumed today after a report that its wreckage had been sighted proved to be false.

Maj. Gen. Rafael Jalandoni, Philippine army chief of staff who is directing the search, messaged President Manuel A. Roxas that wreckage spotted yesterday on a Mindanao mountain was that of an old army plane.

CHILD, FOUR, DROWNS
BONHAM, May 23. (AP)—Charles Wilson Pearson, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pearson of the Hiller community ten miles northeast of here, drowned last night in a small pool on a neighbor's farm.

Joycelyn Clark Is Honored At Party

Friends met in the home of Babe Lytle for a slumber party Wednesday night honoring Joycelyn Clark, who is moving to Corpus Christi soon.

After a midnight snack, 42 and card games were entertainment. Those present were Joyce Worrell, Bonnie Dempsey, Jean Cornelison, Rhea Roberts, Caroline Hill, Wanda Forrest, Pat Phillips, Donnie Roberts, Tommie Hill, Jane Rice, Billie McClain, the honoree and the hostess.

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\$1.00	Hyton . . . 45c	50c	Halitosine . . . 29c
20c Paper	Napkins . . . 15c	\$1.00 Maralou	Shampoo . . . 69c
79c	Cal-O-Mine . . 59c	59c	Shompona . . . 39c
59c	Bisodol . . . 39c	\$1.25 Colonial Club	Shaving Set . . 89c
50c Pensler Milk of	Magnesia . . . 30c	50c Propy-latic	Tooth Brush . . 33c
55c Antiseptic	Mouth Wash 39c	25c Downies Sanitary	Napkins . . . 15c
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Markets

LIVESTOCK
FORT WORTH, May 23. (AP)—Cattle 1,100 calves 240 dressed sales on western base, slaughter steers and yearlings 18.00-23.00; common, medium and good cows 12.00-17.00; sausage hogs 18.00-21.00; common and choice 22.00-25.00.

HOGS 300; butcher hogs steady to 25c lower; sows and pigs steady; good and choice hogs 18.00-21.00; medium and common 14.00-18.00.

SHEEP 7,500; aged sheep 25-30c lower; other fillings classes steady; feeders weak to lower; medium and good spring lambs 17.00-21.00; choice kinds to 22.50; medium to good shorn lambs 16.00-18.50; common shorn lambs 11.00-15.00; medium and good shorn aged sheep 7.50-9.00; shorn feeders 14.00-18.50.

WALL STREET
NEW YORK, May 23. (AP)—Individual recoveries persisted in today's stock market but bidding was exceptionally timid and assorted leaders down in moderately lower territory.

Debt issues reverted to sluggishness after a fairly active opening. Trends stiffened here and there before midday and winners of fractions to a point or so held the majority near the fourth hour.

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NEW YORK, May 23. (AP)—Cotton futures at noon were 3 cents a bale lower to 30 cents higher than the previous close. July 34 1/2, Oct. 29 1/4, Dec. 28 1/4.

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benediction will be by the Rev. Cecil Rhodes, pastor of West Side Baptist church. Mrs. LaVon Aaron will play the processional and recessional.

Candidates include Christine Anderson, Athal Atkins, Jackie Wallace Barron, Rosalyn Beale, Martha Bearden, Charles Biddison, Frances Bigony, Bill Blalack, Bonnie Byers, Betty Jo Burns, W. A. Bynum, Allien Rose Cahoon, Joycelyn Clark, Marion Milton Casey.

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Gilbert Hernandez, Dorothy Hudgins, Lex James, Jr., Jean Jenkins, Mary Evelyn Johnson, Joyce La Verne Jones, Eugene Jones, Jeannette Kinman, Donald Lester, Mynonne Lomax, Dorothy Mae Loudamy, Barbara Lytle, Annie Marsh, Anita Mason.

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Frances Phillips, Pat Phillips, Alva Jo Porch, Melba Preston, Billy Frank Roney, Geneva Ray, Pat Ray, LaVerne Reynolds, Reba Jean Roberts, Mary E. Rusk, Dorothy Satterwhite, Jerry Scott, Erma Jean Slaughter, Jeanne Slaughter, Lou Ann Smith, Susan Steers, Edna Stevenson, Beverly Ann Stutting, Betty Stuteville, Lynelle Sullivan, Jo Taylor, Henry Alton Thames, Burk Kenneth Thompson, Patsy Ann Tompkins, Murph Thorp, Jr., Wanda Townsend, Helen Tubb, R. L. Tubb, Sophia Mae Turner, Betty Jean Underwood, Vera Dell, Virginia Walker.

Billie Joe Watkins, Sonia Weaver, Donald Webb, Harry Weeg, Jr., Richard Weinkauf, Mary Ann Whitaker, Bobbie Lea Wilmuth, Donald Jay Wood, Marvin Wright, Billie Gene Younger, Billy Plew, Horace Rankin, George Worrell.

Heavy Rainfall Hits South Texas

By The Associated Press

May flowers are getting a drenching today in the Panhandle and all of Texas from Waco southward, the Weather Bureau said.

Widely scattered thundershowers are predicted over most of the state tomorrow, with cooler weather in the South Plains later today.

"Warmest spot yesterday was Presidio with 97 degrees. Coldest today were Amarillo and Pampa with 50 degrees.

Berlin Policemen Uncover Fats Racket
BERLIN (AP)—A new racket to obtain fats which are scarce and strictly rationed has been uncovered by Berlin police. Stores have been warned against men posing as controllers for the Municipal Food department who have been demanding samples of butter and margarine for "inspection," and then walking off with the "samples," allegedly for laboratory tests.

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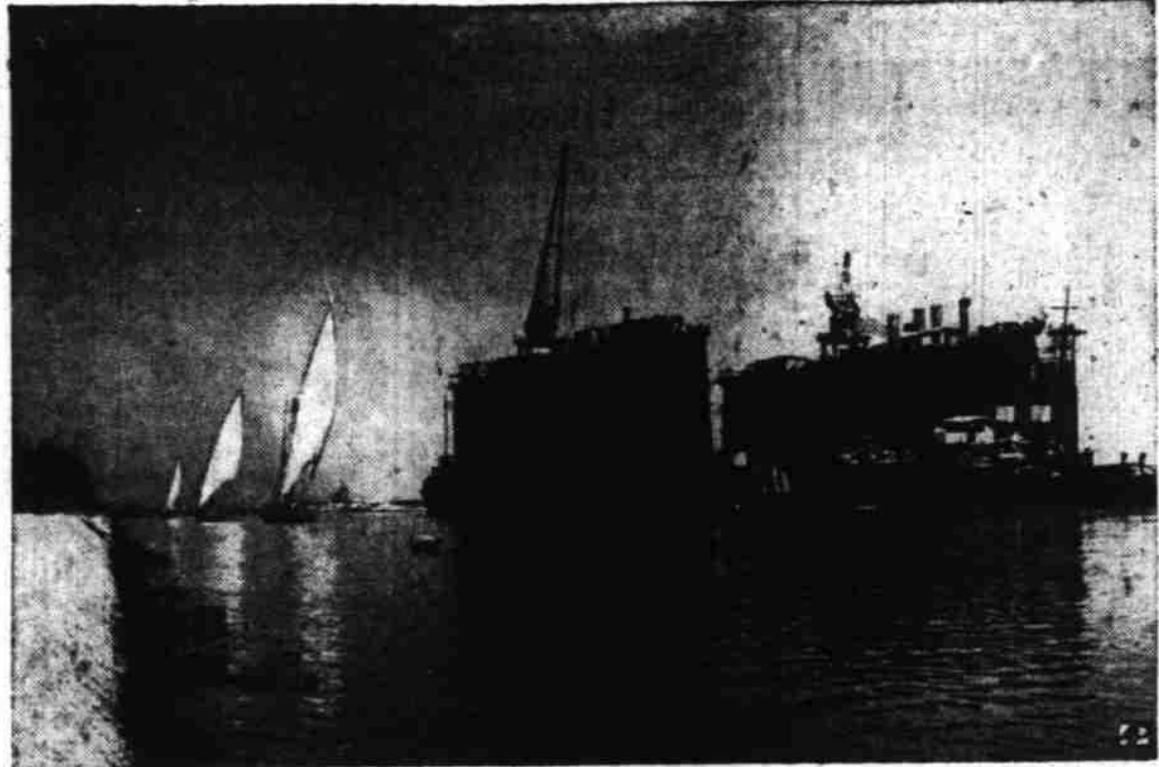
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Sheep, Stocker Cattle Sell On Strong Market

Sheep and stocker cattle sold on a strong market at regular scheduled sales of the West Texas Livestock Auction company this week, and sheep receipts registered a sizeable gain. Approximately 975 head of sheep went through the ring Thursday, and prices compared favorably with those in larger market centers. Stocker cattle showed some gains Tuesday, with Hereford cows and calves topping at \$187 a pair, a new high for this area. The market for the week: Cattle—Hereford cows and calves, \$150 to \$187; pair, mixed cows and calves, \$90 to \$150; fat cows, 14.00-17.00 cwt. fat yearlings, 16.00-20.00; fat calves, 19.00-23.00; stocker cows, 12.00-14.00; stocker yearlings, 18.00-20.10; stocker calves, 18.00-20.00; canners and cutters, 8.00-12.00; bulls, 12.50-15.50. Fifty head of hogs brought 23.10. Sheep—Ewes and lambs, 14.00-22.50; ewes and aged wethers, 5.00-12.00; spring lambs, 18.00-20.00; shorn lambs, 15.00-17.50; aged bucks, 4.50-6.50.

Decline In Retail Food Prices Seen

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—The Bureau of Agriculture Economics is standing firm on its earlier forecasts that retail food prices will decline somewhat during the summer and fall. In a review of the national food situation issued today, the bureau said food prices likely to become cheaper include evaporated milk, cheese, most fresh and processed fruits and vegetables, fish and cereal products. The agency said retail prices of butter, fluid milk and cream, potatoes, and canned citrus products may remain substantially unchanged. Sugar and meats, it said, are more likely to advance in price within the few months than are other major foods. Price control on sugar will expire Oct. 31 unless extended by congress. The bureau said that stocks of sugar at that time are usually low—a fact which, it said, would exert an upward pressure on prices if controls expire. The bureau said overall food production this year may be even greater than in the last three years, but that output of poultry products, fresh and processed vegetables, potatoes, and sweet potatoes are expected to be below 1946.



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Craddock To Get Silver Star Medal

A Silver Star decoration has been forwarded to the local US Army recruiting station for Billy D. Craddock, who will receive it in a formal ceremony in his home town in the near future. Craddock earned the medal for displaying gallantry in action in Germany Jan. 19, 1945 while a member of the 104th Infantry. According to the citation, Craddock, attached to the Medical Corps of the 104th Infantry, crossed a mine-infested battle field to rescue several injured soldiers. M-Sgt. David Lillard, in charge of the local station, said Capt. Eugene Saffold, sub-district recruiting commander, would probably pin the medal on Craddock.

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Question Of Injunctions In Labor. Tieups Is Pondered In Congress

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—The question of whether to let private employers obtain injunctions against some kinds of labor tieups bobbed up today for another round of congressional discussion. This time the issue confronted the House-Senate conference committee which is reconciling differences between the separate labor bills passed by the two chambers. The House bill authorizes employers to seek injunctions in some instances. The Senate, in considering its measure, rejected a similar provision and decided to let the National Labor Relations Board petition for court orders against: 1. Jurisdictional strikes—the most common kind result from a fight between unions as to which should be given work. 2. Secondary boycotts—a union attempt to hit indirectly against an employer by forcing other em-

Court Convicts State Official

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—A Federal District Court jury has convicted Carl Aldo Marzani, former State Department official, of making false statements to conceal Communist affiliations from government investigators. Justice Richmond B. Keech permitted the 35-year-old, Italian-born Marzani to remain at liberty while his attorney prepares a motion for a new trial. The maximum penalty under the jury's verdict late yesterday could be 110 years in prison and a \$10,000 fine. The government charged Marzani made the false statements to the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Civil Service Commission, and the State Department in order to keep his job. Specifically he was accused of denying falsely that he was a member of the Communist Party in California, the San Luis Valley project in Colorado and the Valley Gravity Canal in Texas from the law prohibiting delivery of water from more than 160 acres in a single ownership. Downey told the subcommittee yesterday he considered the list of 34 owners holding 748,000 acres a "misrepresentation" of the situation. The list was submitted by Paul H. Johnstone, Sacramento regional economist of the bureau.

Probing Land Holding List

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—The Senate hearing on the 160-acre limitation of the reclamation law took a recess today to permit Senator Downey (D-Calif.) to investigate a list of large land holdings in the Central Valley of California. Downey expressed his opinion that the reclamation bureau list is "fallacious," and announced that he had sent Boyd Stewart, Olema, Calif., rancher, to California to make an inquiry. Stewart previously has testified before the subcommittee as a proponent of Downey's bill to exempt the Central Valley project in California, the San Luis Valley project in Colorado and the Valley Gravity Canal in Texas from the law prohibiting delivery of water from more than 160 acres in a single ownership. Downey told the subcommittee yesterday he considered the list of 34 owners holding 748,000 acres a "misrepresentation" of the situation. The list was submitted by Paul H. Johnstone, Sacramento regional economist of the bureau.

Two More Japs Go On Trial For Prison Cruelties

YOKOHAMA, May 23. (AP)—Two more Japanese went on trial before U.S. Eighth Army military commissions today. Both pleaded innocent to war crimes charges. Former Lt. Nagayasu Kawabe denied taking Red Cross supplies and permitting persons under his command to torture, number our allied prisoners at camp number four in the Sendai area. One alleged victim—Staff Sgt. Harold L. Miller, Box 43, Moline, Kas—is scheduled to appear as a witness against Kawabe. Others whom Wawabe's men assertedly mistreated included Capt. Lundy L. Zeigler, Wichita Falls, Tex., Lt. Maxwell Humble, San Antonio, Tex., and James William Hallbert, Winnipeg, Canada.

Distribution Men For Phillips Meet

West Texas distribution personnel for the Phillips Petroleum company met at the Settles hotel Wednesday afternoon for a general sales conference. Seventy-nine distribution employees from 11 cities and towns attended the event, which was climaxed with a banquet Wednesday night. Phillips officials here for the conference included Fred Cordell, Bartlesville, Okla., assistant sales manager; H. O. Starks, Amarillo, division manager; J. A. Whitley, Paul Hunt, P. D. Berthelet, assistant division managers from Amarillo; W. C. George, Amarillo, merchandise manager; W. O. Stephens, Amarillo, division credit manager; Marvin Earhart, Amarillo, division public relations manager. Distributors' representatives were present from Abilene, Sweetwater, San Angelo, Midland, Odessa, Pecos, Fort Stockton, Seagraves, Andrews, Lamesa and Big Spring.

Journalism Head For Baylor Appointed

WACO, May 23. (AP)—New chairman of the Journalism Department at Baylor University here, effective September 1, will be Prof. Byron E. Ellis, chairman of the Department of Journalism at Los Angeles City College since 1931, Baylor President Pat M. Ney announced. Present head of the department is Frank E. Burkhalter, who is retiring June 1 after having held down the position since Sept. 1, 1929.

Public Records

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NEW CARS
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Reverend Lewis Asks Stress On Worship Study

Representatives from the St. Mary's Episcopal church Tuesday evening heard the Rev. Arnold Lewis, executive secretary of the Laymen's Movement of the Episcopal church, tell clergy and laymen that new emphasis should be placed on worship, study, service and active evangelism. The Rev. Lewis addressed a North Texas district meeting held at Seaman Hall, Lubbock. In the afternoon he addressed the clergy on the work that the national council of the Episcopal church desires to execute in every mission and parish beginning in the fall of 1947.

Ackerly Junior Play Tonight

ACKERLY, May 22. — Final activity of the school year will be the junior play, "Aaron Slick from Punkin Creek," presented tonight at 8 o'clock at the school auditorium. Members of the cast include: Clay Ingram (Aaron), Bertie Hinson (Mrs. Berry), Barbara Archer (Sis Riggs), Forrest Criswell (city slicker), Glenodene Hanks (city gal), Louie Moore (Clarence the detective).

Action On Relief Fund Bill Being Sought

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—Rep. Ritzley (R-Okla.) said today he was informed that House Appointee to obtain a committee decision sometime next week on legislation providing relief funds for the tornado stricken areas in Oklahoma and Texas. Ritzley is author of a bill which would appropriate \$2,500,000 for rehabilitation, reconstruction and relief work in the Woodward, Okla., area. Rep. Worley (D-Tex) introduced legislation asking \$5,000,000 for the entire area in Texas and Oklahoma, including Woodward, which was damaged by a tornado several weeks ago.

Son Of Mayor Dabney Receives Promotion

Chesney Dabney, son of Mayor and Mrs. G. W. Dabney, has been given another promotion by F. W. Woolworth company, for whom he has been serving as store manager at Visalia, Calif. At the time he was planning a vacation trip home, he was instructed to proceed to Seattle, Washington where he is to be manager of a larger store. Chesney entered employ of the company here approximately seven years ago as stockroom worker. Subsequently, he was transferred to Los Angeles, Calif., and became assistant manager before he entered the army. Upon his discharge, he was made manager at Visalia.

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Twenty-Eight Big Spring Girl Scouts Plan To Attend Camp

Twenty-eight Big Spring Girl Scouts have registered to attend the West Texas Girl Scout Area camp to be held at Camp Tonkwa near Abilene, July 6 to August 3, announced Mrs. H. W. Smith Friday.

Mrs. Smith attended an area camp committee session at Sweetwater Tuesday. Members of the committee were looking for ways and means of serving the growing demand for camping for West Texas girls. Over 800 girls have expressed desires to attend camp this summer.

Announcement of the camp staff was made at the committee meeting by Mrs. Robert Koger, Lamesa, who is in charge of securing a staff. They are Mrs. Floyd Gentry, Mrs. J. S. Thornham, Mrs. Walter Jarrett, Mrs. Edwin Miller, Mrs. F. L. Marvin, Mrs. J. C. Patterson, Mrs. E. A. Piller, and Mrs. C. B. Oates of Abilene; Mrs. H. W. Smith, and Arah Phillips of Big Spring; Mrs. George Gannaway and Mrs. C. W. Test of Rotan; Mrs. Ray Hendricks of Roscoe; Mrs. Milton Edwards and Mrs. L. T. Nelson of Sweetwater; and Mrs. Jane Mitcham of Brownwood. Mrs. Eugene Pearce of Abilene will serve as dietitian and Mrs. Bill Snively of Sweetwater will be nurse. Betty Jo Pearce of Abilene will serve as a member of the waterfront staff.

Big Spring Girl Scouts who plan to attend the camp are Vona Beth Nutt, Nancy Lee Smith, Barbara Lee Smith, Melva Jane Ray, Janice Covert, Marybeth Jenkins, Joyce Gound, Mary Frances McClain, Jo Ann Smith, Betty Jo Earley, Billie Kathleen Carr, Anna Mae made at Johnnie Griffin's—adv.

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Second Service 10:50 A. M.
Young People's Meeting 6:30 P. M.
Preaching 7:30 P. M.

WEDNESDAY
Prayer Meeting 7:30 P. M.

THURSDAY
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Kid Party Given For Coahoma Group

Mrs. Jim Hodnett and Mrs. V. H. Wolf entertained the Coahoma seniors with a kid party in the yard of Mrs. Willis Winters Wednesday evening. Mrs. Pearl Adams registered the guests.

Roses and larkspur were decoration on the refreshment tables placed in the yard.

Mrs. Hodnett, directed the games played during the evening. Refreshments were served to seniors Raphael Buchanan, Faye Barr, Gave Barr, Ovella Shirley, Weldon Covert, Bobb Kiser, Wayne DeVaney, Margie Raye Woodson, Patsy Wolf, Ben Cockrell, Jane White, Pete Hull, Rae Nell Hale, Frances Bartlett, Betty Joyce Woodson, Nelda Deeds, Ted Fowler, Bobby West, Vernon Wolf, Betty Kidd, Pat Turner, Corrine Bewley, Wanda Cranf, Helen Engle and Vel Pearl Read.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Y. H. Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Brown, Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Cockrell, Rebecca and Sarah Cockrell, Jackie Wolf, Mrs. Loyd Brannon and Wanda, Dan Boone, Tom Brannon, Richard Read, Mr. and Mrs. George Read, Rev. and Mrs. C. O. Waits, Lynn Hodnett, Everett and Eula Bell Self, Mike Brown, Buddy Barr, Frank and Leon Curbie, Bill Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Harding, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Buchanan, Mrs. Pearl Adams, Mrs. L. M. Barr, Margaret Holley, Girene Adams, LaRoy Shaffer, Norma Barr, Ray Fortson, Binie White, Mr. and Mrs. Binie White, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hodnett, Jim Tom and Jenine.

Dr. Morgan Directs Bible Conferences

Dr. F. Crossley Morgan will direct Bible conference under the sponsorship of the Big Spring Pastors Association beginning Sunday, June 1. The general theme of the conference will be "Some Great Scenes in the Life of Our Lord."

Dr. Morgan Directs Bible Conferences

Dr. Morgan, who appeared in Big Spring once before, was born in London, England. He resigned his pastorate in Concord, N. Car. in 1944 in order to devote his full time to Bible conference work. Morning subjects for the conference here will be a systematic and consecutive study of the Book of the Hebrew Prophet Habakkuk. His first regular topic will be "A Scene in the Porches of Bethesda and its Sequel." His second sermon of the first day will be "A Scene in the Home of Simon the Pharisee."

The services are to be held at the First Presbyterian church with the exception of the Wednesday, June 4, sermon which will be at the First Baptist church at 8 p. m. Study will also be held each morning at 10 o'clock.

Various churches will be in charge of the music.

Semper Fidelis YWA Studies Manuel

Anita Cate was hostess to the Semper Fidelis YWA in her home Tuesday evening when the YWA manual was studied and a trip to Christoval was discussed.

Miss Cate brought the devotional and Mrs. Dick Davis led with prayer.

Refreshments were served to Olene Leonard, Ethelyn Rainey, Toka Williams, Edna Anderson, Ada Mary Leonard, Leta Thompson, Katherine Patterson, Mrs. Davis, Jo Nelle Sikes, Billie Kenner, Georgia Wise, Bobbie Sanders and Miss Cate.

The next meeting will be in the home of Georgia Wise at 605 Main.

Lutherans To Join In Dedication Of New Midland Church

All services at the St. Paul's Lutheran church will be suspended here Sunday to permit the congregation to join in the dedication of the Grace Lutheran church at Midland.

The Rev. O. H. Horn, pastor of the St. Paul's church, will deliver the dedicatory service at Midland, speaking on "The Christ and Him Crucified" — the Only Message," based on I Cor. 2:2. The Rev. Gilbert Becker is pastor of the Midland church. All attending will be guests of the Midland congregation for dinner Sunday.

Teachers meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. and lectures on Christian doctrine at 8 p. m. Wednesday will be held as usual at St. Paul's church.

First Advance Meet For Salvation Army Bible School Set

The first of a series of three planning meetings for Vacation Bible school will be held at the Dora Roberts citadel of the Salvation Army at 8 p. m. today. Subsequent advance meetings will be May 30 and June 6, said Capt. Olvy Sheppard.

Date of the school has been fixed for June 9-20.

Teachers will help work out a tentative plan for enrollment, which leaders hope will reach 175, and a survey will be made of a 62-block area to enlist students.

On the staff are Mrs. (Capt.) Ruth Sheppard, Mrs. Franklin Lazenby, Mrs. Beatrice Davidson, Marvin Wright, Charles Wright, Dolores Sanderson, Virginia Davidson, Roxie Benton, Betty Louise Roberts, Mrs. Zora Harrison, Capt. Sheppard.

"Soul And Body" Is Lesson-Sermon Topic

"Soul and Body" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, at 11 a. m. Sunday at 217 1/2 Main Street. Sunday school will be held at 9:30 a. m.

The Golden Text is "Why art thou cast down, O my soul? and why art thou disquieted within me? hope thou in God: for I shall yet praise him, who is the health of my countenance, and my God" (Psalms 42:11).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Know ye not that ye are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwelleth in you?" (I Corinthians 3:16).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Because of human ignorance of the divine Principle, Love, the Father of all is represented as a corporeal 'creator'; hence men recognize themselves as merely physical, and as ignorant of man as God's image or reflection and of man's eternal incorporeal existence" (page 13).

Special Program Set For Church Of God

Rev. C. R. Thomison, pastor of the West Fourth Street Church of God, announced that there will be a special program at the church at 7:45 o'clock this evening.

The program will include "Songs of the Old South" given by an all colored choir, conducted by Rev. J. O. McGee. The public is invited to attend.

Bennett Reaves Is Recognized At Tech

H. Bennett Reaves, senior Civil Engineering student at Texas Tech, was among the 303 students recently recognized at Tech for outstanding scholarship, service and leadership. Bennett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Reaves, 601 E. 12th Street.

Fall of the Northern Kingdom HIGHLIGHTS ON THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL
(The International Uniform Lesson on the above topic for May 25 is II Kings 5:1-15; 15:8-17:41; Isaiah 28:1-4, the Memory Verse being Psalm 46:1, "God is our refuge and strength, A very present help in trouble.")

"Now NAAMAN, captain of the horse of the king of Syria, was a great man with his master, and honorable, because by him the Lord had given deliverance until Syria: he was also a mighty man in valour, but he was a leper."

In one of the raids made by the Syrians, the soldiers had brought a little Israelite maiden as a captive, and she waited on Naaman's wife. "And she said unto her mistress, Would God my lord were with the prophet that is in Samaria! for he would recover him of his leprosy."

Someone told the master what the little girl had said, and the king of Syria wrote a letter to the king of Israel telling him that he, the king of Syria, was sending his servant, Naaman, to him to be cured of leprosy. The king of Israel read the letter and tore his robe, saying, "Am I God, to kill and to make alive, that this man doth send unto me to recover a man of leprosy? Wherefore consider I pray you, and see how he seeketh a quarrel against me."

When Elisha heard that the king had sent his servant, Naaman, to him, he said, "Let him come hither to me, and he shall know that there is a prophet in Israel."

Naaman came to Elisha with his horses and his chariot and gifts, and stood at Elisha's door. Now Elisha did not come down to see Naaman himself, but he sent a messenger to him, telling him to go to the river Jordan, wash himself in the water seven times, and he would be clean.

Naaman flew into a rage at this message. Probably he felt he had not been shown the proper respect, and he had not come to Elisha had not come to talk with him. "Behold, I have brought gifts to the man, and he will surely come out to me, and stand, and call on the name of the Lord his God, and strike his hand over the place, and recover the leper," he said.

And as for the river Jordan, why could he not wash in one of the rivers of Syria and be clean? They were much less muddy than the Jordan. However, his servants, who seem to have been fond of him, said, "My father, if the prophet had bid thee do some great thing, wouldest thou not have done it? How much rather than, when he saith to thee, Wash, and be clean."

That must have seemed like commonsense to Naaman, so he went to the river Jordan, dipped himself seven times in the water, and "His flesh came again like unto the flesh of a little child, and he was clean."

Naaman went back to Elisha and offered him gifts, but he would take nothing, so Naaman told him he would offer no more sacrifices to strange gods, but only to the Lord.

Fall of the Kingdom
This story of the healing of the captain by the power of God is the first part of our lesson; the rest deals with the fall of the northern kingdom because of the people's wickedness and disobedience to God. "As we noted in our last lesson, Israel rose to its height in power and prosperity in the reign of Jeroboam II. This monarch was followed by his son, Zechariah, who was murdered after a six months' reign, by Shallum, who reigned for only one month and was killed by Menahem. At this time Tiglath-pileser, king of Israel, invaded the kingdom of Israel and exacted an enormous tribute from the king of the new weakened empire. The king took the money from the wealthy men of his kingdom who had piled up fortunes when Jeroboam II was king.

Menahem was succeeded by his son, Pekahiah, who was assassinated by Pekah, Pekah opposed the Assyrians, but he was slain by Hoshea I and his followers. He was a tool of Assyria.

Isaiah, the prophet, prophesied the downfall of Israel, saying "Woe to the crown of pride, to the drunkards of Ephraim, whose glorious beauty is a fading flower, which are on the head of the fat valleys of them that are overcome with wine! . . . The crown of the pride, the drunkards of Ephraim, shall be trodden under feet. And the glorious beauty, which is on the head of the fat valley, shall be a fading flower, and as the hasty fruit before the summer; which when he that looketh upon it seeth, while it is yet in his hand he eateth it up."

Hoshea was a wicked king, although not as bad as some of the others. It was during his reign that Israel fell. Hoshea was taken captive and held a hostage for the payment of tribute, and the hordes of Assyrians poured into Israel. Samaria was besieged, and although it held out for three years, it was finally captured and the Israelites were carried off into slavery once more. This took place in 722 B.C.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Guthrie this week is Mrs. Guthrie's sister, Mrs. Walker Crump of Ropesville and a nephew, Joe Bailey Crump and wife of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wolf of Baltimore, Md. visited with Coahoma relatives here Tuesday. They were enroute to Coolidge, Ariz., to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wolf.

Mrs. Paul Woodson, Mrs. Tom Birkhead and Mrs. J. D. Spears recently visited friends and relatives in Midland and Odessa.

Tuesday climaxed Coahoma school picnicing when two bus loads of first, second and third grade students with teachers and room mothers spent the morning at the Big Spring city park. The afternoon was spent at the picture show.

The Presbyterian auxiliary met at the church Tuesday for their annual birthday program and party. Mrs. W. T. Barber was in charge of the program on "Brothers or Bombs." Mrs. Charles Read, president, presided during the business and Mrs. Arnold Johnson read news letters and checked the roll.

Mrs. Frank Loveless opened the meeting with a prayer and the closing prayer was offered by Mrs. Barber.

Refreshments were served from a lace covered table centered with a birthday cake. Mrs. R. V. Guthrie and Mrs. H. T. Hale presided. Those attending were Mrs. Charles Read, Mrs. Arnold Johnson, Mrs. C. H. DeVaney, Mrs. L. H. Stamps, Mrs. Bruce Mayfield, Mrs. Truett DeVaney, Agnes Barnhill, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Frank Loveless and Mrs. W. T. Barber.

Special Ceremony Held By Troop 6
An investiture ceremony was held by Girl Scout Troop 6 Tuesday afternoon at the First Baptist church. Five girls receiving their pins were Mary Jack Drake, Delorse Hagood, Martha Jo Buford, Annabel Boutwell and Peggy Ridgway.

Seniors Honored At Open House In Underwood Home

Approximately 100 seniors attended an open house in the Alton Underwood home, 1601 Main, Thursday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock when five hostesses entertained. Hostesses were Mrs. Bill Younger, Mrs. Roy Cornelison, Mrs. Harbel Petty, Mrs. Harold Meador and Mrs. Underwood.

The afternoon was spent in signing annuals on the lawn of the backyard.

A black and gold color scheme was carried out in refreshments and decorations. The register and party napkins were gold engraved in black. The entertaining rooms were decorated with spring flowers of amaranths, snap dragons and carnations.

The refreshment table was covered with a lace cloth and centered with a punch bowl encircled with an arrangement of roses.

High Heel Slipper Club Has Annual Spring Formal

A spring theme and pastel colors were carried out in decorations for the High Heel Slipper club's annual spring formal held Thursday evening at the Country Club.

A pastel umbrella hung from the center ceiling with colored streamers above the doors of the ballroom.

Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harris, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wright, Mrs. Shirley Robbins and Mrs. Herbert Whitney.

Approximately 100 couples and 50 stags attended the invitation affair.

Representatives Attend Banquet

Maymie Mayfield and Jewel Barton attended a banquet in Kermit Thursday night marking the presentation of a charter to the newly organized Business and Professional Women's club of Kermit. The new club has a roll of 101 charter members.

Miss Barton, who is incoming district director, represented district 8. She also attended the installation of officers held by the Monahans club Tuesday night.

The charter was presented the Kermit club by Marguerite Anderson of Abilene, incoming State president. Miss Anderson was introduced by Fannie Beth Taylor, of Midland, State finance chairman. Miss Taylor spoke on objectives of the B&PW clubs. Mrs. Rossa Maples, president, was in charge of the session.

The Kermit Chamber of Commerce manager, Lions club president, County Judge, School Superintendent and a representative of the American Association of University Women were present to congratulate the organization and offered the club their support and co-operation.

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Disagree, If You Like, But Don't Ban

Americans are funny people. In the same breath they proudly boast of their right to say whatever they please, and then to proclaim that "there ought to be a law" controlling something they do not approve.

Certainly there is a need for progressive movement of legal machinery, else there would be no need for our legislative assemblies. The danger is not alone in cumulative effects, but in trends such as controls begetting controls. Most of these are in the realm of material things, and while they produce more beating of the breast than any other thing, they are not as pernicious as the philosophy which would ban or restrict ideas.

Not all this gets into the realm of law. Some of it reaches alarming proportions

in private realms. For instance, some folks in the Midwest, weary of Charles Chaplain's cinematic flops and sordid extra-curricula activities, proposed a mass ban on his latest picture. More recently, clamors have gone up to prevent Henry Wallace from speaking. Some would boycott recognized artists because of race or political views. Others, had they the power, would close news columns and radio to Westbrook Pegler and Drew Pearson.

But why should there be a desire on the part of anyone to ban anyone else from speaking or expressing ideas short of treason or lewdness? Was it not Voltaire who said "I disagree with everything you say, but I will defend until death your right to say it?"

Maintaining Virtue Of Hor. Tie

Surely most people have a sympathetic interest these days in the vigil that is maintained over the falling and aged mother of the President of the United States.

Except that her son has risen to the highest office in the nation, Mrs. Martha Truman might be an obscure but devout Missouri woman. But this is beside the point. There is more in the matter than the President and his mother. There is an expression of the respect and love with which men hold their mothers, even those in the highest places.

It would be far more practical to carry on the affairs of state in Washington than

from Kansas City and Grandview, Mo., but somehow there is a refreshing note in the fact that a son, no matter how busy or how beset with responsibility, will transfer the scene of his activities in order to be near the woman who bore and reared him in an hour of crisis.

Perhaps this is an object lesson to many another busy man throughout the nation. Too often the affairs of business keep a person chained at his desk or counter until a death notice tears him away and even then some cannot throw off the bonds of slavery to work. It's a small thing, and yet it is important for home ties represent one of the virtues which sets us apart.

The Nation Today—James Marlow

Easy Pickings In Drug Racket

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Crooks and crackpots find easy pickings in citizens looking for a quick cure.

A government agency, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), is trying to stop them. It can do this because there's a law against selling healing devices that pretend to work cures they can't work.

This week one of the FDA heads, Charles W. Crawford, an associate commissioner, said: "At present there is an epidemic of serious violations in unscrupulous adventures in the business of selling cure-all therapeutic devices."

"During the past year or so we have had to deal with scores of contraptions of this kind."

These are some of the stories told at FDA headquarters here:

There was a man who built a

fancy machine with a strong electric light inside.

The light came through different-colored glasses. The idea was this:

If you used the right color light at a certain time on a certain day you could get cured of diabetes, cancer, tuberculosis, and other diseases.

You couldn't buy the magic lamp. You had to join an "Institute" for \$90. Then you'd get the lamp "free."

The maker claimed he had distributed 9,000 such lamps. He was convicted in federal court, fined \$3,000, and sentenced to three years in jail. He has appealed to a higher court.

Here's another:

A man sold two plates—one copper, one zinc—to put in your shoes.

Walking on them was supposed

to set up an electric current, which went through your body and cured your rheumatism.

They sold for \$5 a set but cost only a few cents to make. The maker was fined \$1,000 and given six months in jail.

FDA officials say they've had to knock off the market any number of reducing belts, rollers to roll off fat, and exercising devices which claimed to cure all kinds of diseases.

FDA has about 230 inspectors and investigators and about the same number of specialists, like chemists, doctors and so on.

They have offices in 16 cities. Most of their work is checking on the purity of foods and truthfulness in the labeling.

FDA brings about 3,000 food and drug cases into federal court a year and claims to win 95 per cent of them.

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Hal Boyle's Notebook

Men Can Sew, Too

JOPLIN, Mo. (AP)—Everette Smart always held the theory a man could do anything a woman could and better.

A year ago he got the opportunity to prove his point. He was asked to sew a shirt for a man who had lost his arm.

"Oh, honey, they're too hard to make," she replied. "Hmph," grumbled Smart, unconvinced. "I could make a shirt with the sewing machine stuck up my sleeve."

"I'd like to see you do it, and you can leave the sewing machine on the floor," said friend wife.

The matter would have ended there except that at dinner that evening Mrs. Smart announced to their two daughters, Jean Ann, 14, and Mary Jane, 12: "Girls—your father is going to make a shirt. Tee hee."

His ego offended, the essential male in him challenged. Smart boldly announced, "I will make a shirt, too."

His excited daughters spread the word around and the neighborhood kids began dropping in to see if it were really true. Smart had to produce.

He was 42 years old and telegraph editor of the Joplin News Herald. He had written poetry and fiction and worked simultaneously on two novels. But he had never used a needle for anything but digging out a splinter.

"I got out my mother-in-law's sewing machine that had been gathering dust," he said. "Then I put the male reasoning mind to work. For two days I studied the book of instructions that came with sewing machines. That is something women never

do. That is why few women ever learn to use all the attachments.

"I bought a 20 cent shirt pattern and studied it as carefully as a contractor handed the architect's blue prints of the Empire State building. Then I went to work on the shirt. It took me two weeks to finish it."

"My daughter Jean Ann liked it and said, 'Daddy, I want you to make me a formal dress.' 'I cut a hole in a newspaper and put it over her head. I clipped the paper to the shape of the body and used it for a pattern. It worked fine. She was the belle of the ball and got lots of compliments.'"

Smart amazed at his own success, Smart really went to work in his spare time sewing. He began to create his own designs. He made suits for both his daughters, two more shirts for himself, coats for the girls and is now completing a suit for himself.

His fame spread. Neighborhood women came to ask him just how he got in sleeves or fashioned shoulders. They had seen his sewing and wanted to learn how to do as well.

One husband came to him and complained, "You're causing trouble to the rest of us. My wife is telling me she married the wrong man."

Smart estimates his sewing has cut the family's clothing budget by two-thirds. His wife has become his stoutest advocate.

"She told me she would be glad to cut the lawn," he laughed. "If I would just keep on sewing. But with so much to do for the girls I haven't been able to make much for her."

She's the orphan in the storm.

Washington Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

Japs Got Facts Before US Public

WASHINGTON—One of the amazing things about the secret war, court-martial of Lt. Com. Edward N. Little in connection with maltreatment of American prisoners in a Jap prison camp is that the Japanese people have had access to the facts but the American public hasn't.

When the two Jap prison-camp commanders, Capt. I. Fukuhara and Lt. K. Uri, were tried and executed for the brutal murder of American prisoners. The Japanese public was admitted to the trials and all the evidence was public. Little's name came up frequently as having contributed to the death of two men.

In fact, it came up so often that Lt. Val Burati, in charge of Army Press Relations in Yokohama, prepared a dispatch on Little's activities and sent it to Tokyo for press distribution.

Except for a brief reference in the Nippon Times, however, it never reached the press. And today, though the Japanese public has had access to the facts, they are still being suppressed.

At Com. Little's request—in the court-martial now being held at the Naval gun factory in Washington.

Sworn affidavits placed in evidence at the Yokohama war-crimes trials show that even the Japs thought Little acted like a tyrant. According to the sworn statement of Willie Reems, Gilbert, La., "Both the Allied POW and Japs thought he acted just like a little Caesar. The Japs own name for Lt. Little was 'Little Lord' (Shoshi Dono)."

Evidence also showed that Little even used the Japanese language in addressing American prisoners. Apparently he got along so well with the Japs that, around-Christmas 1944, the Japanese officers gave a special dinner for him.

While Pvt. William Knight, one of the men beaten to death, had a bad record for theft, other American prisoners resented the fact that Little turned him over to the Japanese. The men had their own kangaroo courts to maintain discipline among themselves.

Here are some of the affidavits pertaining to Little used in the Yokohama trials of Fukuhara and Uri, which are a matter of court record and therefore privileged:

STORY OF BRUTALITY
Edgar Vann Wagon, Pomeroy, Ohio: "Private Knight was tortured and starved to death. Knight stole some beans out of the galley. The next morning Lt. Little, Navy, American camp commander, announced this fact to us and stated that he was going to turn Knight in to the Japanese, which he did. I saw the Japanese guards beat Knight with their fists and clubs. They would beat him about thirty minutes at a time, twice a day. The beatings lasted for about fifteen

days during which time they revived him with cold water between beatings.

"In some of the series of beatings he passed out two or three times and the Japanese guards would revive him and continue the beating. Knight was not fed during the fifteen days of torture. Four or five times he was suspended by ropes tied to his fingers, feet off the ground, and left that way for several hours. On one occasion they suspended him by his fingers outside of the guardhouse where I and all the prisoners could see him. After 15 days of this treatment Knight died and I helped bury him."

Floyd Jay Dudley, Jr., 2932 East 30th St., Kansas City, Mo.: "James Pavlokos was starved to death in December 1943. He had been turned over to the Japs by Lt. Little for punishment. I asked Lt. Little for the reason he had done it. Lt. Little said he would do it again if he had to, and said Pavlokos had it coming to him."

Maj. Thomas H. Hewlett, New Albany, Ind.: "I was a prisoner of war at Fukuoka No. 17 from August 1943 until 15 September 1945. During my internment at this camp I was senior medical officer. On or about December 23, 1943, Cpl. James G. Pavlokos of the 4th Marine Regt., was turned over to the Japanese by Lt. Senior Grade E. N. Little, USN, for stealing Cpl. Pavlokos was put in the guardhouse without food or water. He remained alive until 28 Jan. 1944, at which time he died of starvation. I saw his dead body after he had died and I would estimate his weight at about 55 pounds. He is normally a man of about 170 pounds."

"Fourth American execution, Pvt. William N. Knight, 6983866, US Army. He was turned over to the Japanese on or about May 5, 1945 by Lt. E. N. Little, Lieutenant Senior Grade. Knight had been guilty of stealing guns in the mess hall. He was confined in the guardhouse and subjected to repeated beating and all the forms of torture that could be devised by the guards on duty. This man died on May 20th. Body was in a state of extreme emaciation. Post-mortem autopsy was not permitted. It is felt that this man died of starvation with possibly secondary pneumonia."

John R. Tansley, Jr., 305 5th Avenue, Rossmore, Pa.: "In May 1945 Pvt. William Knight was turned in to the Japanese by Lt. Little, USN, for having stolen some rolls. Lt. Little made the statement at the time that he hoped the Japs beat Knight to death. That is exactly what happened."

"The next day I saw Knight out in front of the jail and his face was badly beaten, covered with cuts and blood. During the following days I saw him several

times, kneeling on bamboo rods, and the guards beat him occasionally with belts. His legs were ulcerated and because of his pus drainage he was kept outdoors most of the time. He kept getting thinner as he didn't get food or water until he died about 20 June 1945. I last saw him the night before he died, lying in the mud and rain in front of the jail."

Orville K. Fox, Cpl., ASN 37069198, Black Springs, Ark.: "In May, 1945, an American prisoner-of-war named Knight was caught stealing bread from the American prisoners' kitchen. An American Navy Lieutenant named Little, who was in charge of the kitchen, turned Knight over to the Japanese for punishment."

"Knight was taken to the guardhouse and beaten severely. He was made to kneel for hours and then stand and hold up a heavy timber until he collapsed from fatigue. Usually at night when he was cold, the Jap guards would pour water on him while he was naked, kneeling or standing in the yard in front of the guardhouse. I heard that while his body was wet, an electric wire was put around his neck and the power turned on just enough to burn him. He was beaten while holding up the timber and also while he was kneeling."

Frank F. Yellen, 473 Hall Avenue, Perth Amboy, N. J.: "A Private Knight was caught stealing bread from the messhall. A Lt. Little turned him over to the Japanese. That night as we were lining up to go to work in the coal mines, I saw the Japanese guards take Knight's clothes off, pour water on him, and beat him with clubs and sticks. The next morning when we returned from work they again began beating on Knight so that we could see it. He was badly bruised around the face and head and on the back. This treatment went on for four days. There were three shifts working at the mines, and the Japanese beat Knight every time a detail went out and every time one came in from work."

Charles G. Davis, Box 806, Route 5, Phoenix, Arizona: "Knight was accused of stealing from the camp bakery by Lt. Comdr. Little, USN, the commander of the American troops at the camp. Lt. Comdr. Little announced at a formation of the prisoners at which I was present that for this theft he had turned Knight over to the Japanese for unlimited punishment."

Similar statements used in the trial were sworn to by Albert Montoya Gonzales, Tulare, N. M.; James B. Wilson, East St. Louis, Ill.; William D. Lee, Jacksonville, Fla.; and Melvin L. Routh, Tracy, Calif. (Copyright, 1947, The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Affairs Of The World—DeWitt MacKenzie

Coverage Of Thoughts Irks Bevin

BRITAIN'S outspoken foreign secretary, Ernest Bevin, says one of the greatest handicaps in international negotiations (specifically the recent Big Four conference in Moscow) is that a chap can't even think out loud without his thoughts being "hurled into headlines in the press."

US Secretary of State Marshall disagrees with this conclusion, and favors full news coverage. One suspects that Mr. Bevin really feels the same but has been irked for the moment by some unwelcome experience and has let the sun go down upon his wrath. Maybe, too, the fiery foreign secretary himself contributes a wee bit to his "difficulties" by thinking out loud so explosively.

Anyway, one feels sure that Bevin wouldn't turn back the clock on a freedom of the press to which England has contributed so much during the past generation of progress. International conferences in Britain these days have the latch-string out for newspapermen. And so do government officials, as witness my last visit to London a year ago when all I had

to do to secure a private conversation with Prime Minister Attlee was to signify that I desired it.

But it wasn't always thus in his majesty's domains. When I went to London as a correspondent during the First World War, communication with a government official by telephone was almost unheard of.

If you wanted an interview you wrote a note of request, and perhaps a week later you got an appointment. Then you presented yourself in morning coat and striped trousers, and of course that outfit called for the inevitable silk hat.

However, the First World War brought unprecedented pressure on government offices for news, especially from the persistent Yankee reporters, and arrangements quickly were undertaken to meet this demand. Secretaries were assigned to deal with the press, and as the reporter got acquainted with his sources, news began to move more easily.

My first experience with getting a big story over the phone from a government office was a real thriller. There was a rumor in the financial district that the

great Lord Kitchener, secretary of war, had been drowned in the sinking of the Hampshire while enroute to Russia. In the emergency I telephoned the press secretary at the foreign office, and was flabbergasted when he replied without hesitation: "I'm sorry to say that the report is true."

Before the war (and even after) newspapermen were divided into two classes. There were an exclusive few at the top who were called journalists, and then there were a great rank and file who were just plain "pressmen," regarded as very low caste indeed. I recall that a Lord Mayor of Liverpool once remarked to an English newspaper friend of mine (since knighted for distinguished reporting): "I always treat pressmen as though they were gentlemen."

However, that view of the press has undergone a vast change. These days, England provides excellent facilities for newspaper folk to secure the news. Their war information establishment in London during the late upheaval was magnificent, and press arrangements which I contacted in the zones were equally efficient.

In Hollywood—Bob Thomas

Maureen To Do Film In Eire

HOLLYWOOD. (AP)—For year Maureen O'Hara has been campaigning to do another picture with John Ford and now she gets her wish. Next summer she will be directed by him in "The Quiet Man," which will be made in Eire.

The Irish actress has long groused that "How Green Was My Valley" has been her only dramatic opportunity in Hollywood and Ford is the only film maker who recognizes her talent as an actress. Instead of a mere color-picture beauty, so she's very happy about the deal with her fellow Irishman.

Lynn Bari, just separated from Producer Sid Lufits, offers a refreshing change from the usual parted-but-till-friends formula in Hollywood. She was asked on the "A Texas Legend" set if she were still friendly with her husband and answered "No!"

Ginger Rogers hasn't given up dancing on the screen, by any means. She is still looking for a musical. "Before his death, Jerome Kern told me he was writing one for me," she says, "but I never saw it."

Jerry Colonna will probably

have his own air show next fall. He'll probably be leaving Bob Hope for the same reason that other performers have left the top comic — more dough.

Cecil B. DeMille has finished his "Unconquered," after putting about two years and \$3,500,000 into it. He's starting work on "Samson and Delilah," which he'll start filming this fall. He says he'll have a star for Delilah, but will seek an unknown for Samson.

Roy Rogers is as happy as a kid at a circus, and the reason is that he has his own circus to play with. He'll open the show in New York's polo grounds July 19 and tour through the summer. "I'm gonna lead a vacation some time," says Roy. "One of these days I'm going to turn up missing."

Charles Chaplin Jr., now 22 and playing in a local stage attraction, is reported planning to make films in France next year since his father will not permit him to appear in Hollywood-made pictures. That raises the question of whether Charlie, Sr., plans production in France, as has been rumored.

WORD-A-DAY
By BACH
SOME SALE, EH, MABLE?

DISHEVELED
(di-shev'eld) ADV.
DISORDERED; DISARRANGED;
RUFFLED

Crossword Puzzle

- 1. Wheeled vehicle
- 4. Philippine tribe
- 12. Corroded
- 13. Soft drink
- 14. Any monkey
- 15. Soft drink
- 16. Wagnerian
- 17. Laxative
- 18. Broad flat
- 19. Chair back
- 20. Cover with something solid
- 21. Wrath
- 22. Cart
- 23. Kind of lizard
- 24. Sharpens
- 25. Faria
- 26. On the ocean
- 27. Tropic hummingbird
- 28. Not any
- 35. Old-fashioned ending
- 36. Comparative ending
- 37. Type measure
- 38. Quantity of yarn
- 39. Inexpensive
- 40. In a pentant
- 41. Raves
- 42. At once
- 43. Swiss canton
- 44. Ingredient of varnish
- 45. Kind of wood
- 46. Portion of a curve
- 47. Wash lightly
- 48. Rustle
- 49. New comb
- 50. Form
- 51. Human race

- 1. Down
- 2. Above
- 3. Duplicate
- 4. Gain control over
- 5. Has debts
- 6. Went quickly
- 7. Ancient Roman
- 8. Report
- 9. Breed of chickens
- 10. Florida plate
- 11. Poisonous tree
- 12. Of Java
- 13. Measure
- 14. Piece of composition
- 15. Dove's note
- 16. Small performer
- 17. Flannel
- 18. Flaxen fabric
- 19. Bouquet
- 20. Flat-headed nail
- 21. Occurrence
- 22. Shirts, armoire
- 23. Facility
- 24. Goes in again
- 25. Gladders
- 26. Hot wind
- 27. Change of word or phrase into another by transposition
- 28. Front part in a game
- 29. Anarchy
- 30. Book of the Bible
- 31. Arrange
- 32. Scarce
- 33. Italian opera
- 34. Preposition
- 35. Two halves

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Texas Today—Jack Rutledge

Cactus Candy King Of El Paso

Move over, Horatio Alger. Listen to the story about the Cactus candy king of El Paso.

Thirty years ago George D. Carameros, a \$7-a-week-soda fountain clerk, was walking through south El Paso when he saw an outdoor stand selling home-made candy bars as big as his fist for a penny.

He was curious to know what kind of candy could be sold for that price. Even 30 years ago that was cheap.

He sampled a piece, and it was good. He offered to stand owner \$5 to show him how it was made.

That led to the building of a business that now sells cactus candy in every state of the union and abroad.

The candy has a distinct flavor, and the consistency of gum drops. It has been made by Mexicans for centuries and is called "Cuberto de Viznaga" or Little Squages of Viznaga. Viznaga is the Mexican name for the barrel cactus from which it is made. Some weigh as much as 200 pounds.

Carameros hauls his cactus on burros from the Organ Mountains between El Paso and Alamogordo between 20 and 40 miles away. It is handled carefully so as not to bruise it. It lasts indefinitely, piled in the yard off his plant.

First, the cactus is stripped of its thorny spines. Then the rind is peeled-off and the cactus is quartered, sliced, cut into small pieces and dumped into a cooker where it is boiled from four to six days and reduced to pulp.

Somewhere along the line a secret process is used—a process invented to preserve the candy. In the old days, it molded. But not now.

Then it is poured for cooling, wrapped and packaged. Some of the boxes carry a picture of a Catholic mission, others of Spanish dancers doing the Jarabe Tapaté or hot dance.

The factory once consisted of a small kettles and a kitchen range. Today it has three 200-pound-rotor, four gas-fired furnaces, four 50-gallon kettles, and 500 wire trays on which the cooked pulp is placed to drain. There is, of course, other equipment, and the factory is the largest of its kind in the world.

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FRIDAY EVENING

6:00 Evening Melodies	6:00 Baby Snooks Show	6:00 News
6:15 News of the World	6:30 This Man	6:15 Soavetime
6:30 Texas. P.M. Gals	6:35 News. Bill Heary	6:30 News
6:45 News	7:00 Glenn Swann Show	6:35 Sportcast
7:00 People Are Funny	7:30 Duranite-Moore	6:40 Dr. Carlson
7:30 Waltz Time	8:00 Plays to be Inevitable	6:45 Melody Parade
8:00 Mystery Theater	8:30 Jay's Round Table	6:45 Reflections in Ivory
8:30 Bill Stern	9:00 Lowell Thomas	6:50 Music of the Young Men
8:45 With H. Thornton	9:15 Jerry Lester Show	6:55 Musical Melodians
9:00 Super Club	9:30 Blue Bonnet Inn	7:00 The Sheriff
9:15 Smiley Program	9:45 Post Parade	7:05 Charles E. Roll Call
9:30 Allan Young Show	9:50 Stars for Tonight	9:00 Photos
10:00 News	10:00 World at Large	10:00 Tomorrow's Callings
10:15 Live News & News	10:15 Sports Extra	10:15 Plattner Serenade
10:30 News & Orchestra	10:15 This is Port Worth	10:20 Memory and Thought
11:15 Milt Schneider	11:00 Star Party	11:00 News
11:30 Little Concert	11:05 Plattner Party	11:05 The M-Co
	11:10 Gerry Krupa Orch.	11:30 Jack Fina
	11:35 News	11:45 Jimmie Rodgers Trio
	12:00 Midnight Matinee	12:00 News
	12:05 News	
	1:00 Sign Off	

SATURDAY MORNING

6:00 Texas Farm. Home	5:30 Radio Revue	6:00 Slim Bryant
6:15 Last Night's Entertainment	6:30 Texas Roundup	6:30 Amusement Show
6:30 Farm Editor	6:35 News. Farm Edition	6:30 Local Ad Show
6:45 Our Nineties	7:00 Grand Revue	6:40 Musical Clock
7:00 Naks. Rev. Carlston	7:00 Morning News	7:00 News
7:15 Early Birds	7:15 Roundup	7:45 Slim of Pioneer
7:30 News	7:35 Saturday Serenade	8:00 News and Live
8:15 V. Schofielder	7:35 News. Voz Box	8:00 Betty Moore
8:30 Saturday Serenade	8:00 Grand Revue	8:15 Slim's Melodians
9:00 Teenagers Club	8:05 Morning News	9:30 Junior Junction
9:45 Dr. Williams' Meds.	8:15 Garden City	10:15 Fern Air Time
10:00 News	10:00 Mary Lee Taylor	10:15 Home Show Club
10:15 Consumer Time	9:00 News. W. Sweeney	10:20 Piano Showcase
10:30 Smith Ed	9:15 Let's Practice Show	9:30 Saturday Concert
11:00 News	9:30 Adventure Club	11:15 The Doctor
11:30 Weather & Sugar	10:00 Theatre of Today	11:30 M. Music Hall
11:45 Songs of the West	10:30 Grand Central Star Lesson	12:45 P.M. The Hanz

Steers To Play Saturday Game Starting At 2

Saturday's District 10AA baseball game between the Big Spring Steers and Midland's Bulldogs, originally booked to be played in Midland Saturday night, will instead begin at 2 p. m.

The Canines already hold one victory over the Longhorns, having turned back Conn Isaacs' charges here, 8-8, several weeks ago.

The Bovines were booked to tie the Odessa Bronchos in a bout beginning at 3:30 o'clock here this afternoon. The locals are also behind in that series, having dropped a 24-23 decision to the Hoses last month in Odessa.

Either Jackie Barron or Marv Wright was to get the pitching call for Big Spring today. Facing the Steers was to be either Byron (Santone) Townsend or Paul (a)tejowski.

Huck Doe, the Steers' all-around star, might be brought in from center field to work tomorrow's game. Doe has trouble with his control but has been hard to hit to date.

After this week's games, the resident nine has only two games remaining on its schedule, a makeup game with Abilene and the finale against Sweetwater's Mustangs.

To date, the Herd has won from Sa. Angelo twice, Lamesa and Sweetwater while losing to Odessa, Midland, Abilene and Lamesa.

Local Girls, Odessans Tangle Here Saturday

Big Springers Seek 2nd Win

Big Spring's crack girls softball team plays its third game of the 1947 season at the city park around 8 o'clock Saturday evening, meeting the Sewell contingent of Odessa in a seven-inning exhibition.

The Big Springers dropped their initial encounter to San Angelo's Red Chicks in Sterling City last Saturday night, 8-4, but came back this week to "swarm all" over the Colorado City All-Stars, 13-8.

The Odessans reportedly boast one of the strongest few lineups in this section. The team beat Big Spring on a couple of occasions in '46 and reports say the Ector county gang will field practically the same lineup.

Lefty Nell Todd, who was impressive against Colorado City, goes to the hill for the locals. Her consistent bat should help the Big Spring offensive, too.

Forsan, Conoco Chalk Up Wins In League Play

FORSAN, May 23. — Next scheduled games in the Forsan Community softball league are for Tuesday night, May 27, league statistician Jack Lamb has announced.

The Tuesday program pits Magnolia against Moore's Grocery and Conoco against Lees. The first bout begins at 7:30 p. m., the last one at 9 o'clock.

Forsan won a wild encounter from Moore's, 20-12, while Conoco was edging Ross City, 12-4, in Tuesday night competition.

A total of 28 base hits were registered in the Forsan-Moore game, 16 of them by the Forsan clan. Bobby Asbury and Manager Lewis Heusel had four safeties.

Cleo Wilson of the Moore gang banged out three hits.

The Forsans had their big inning in Round One, when they chased home 10 runs on five hits and a flock of Moore errors.

Conoco led by the start in the contest and crowned its efforts with a six-run outburst in the fourth. Carl Wilson, continental starter, pitched shutout ball for the first three innings and allowed no man to get more than one hit.

Griffith, Anderson and Huestis all hit hard for the winners.

First game: Ross City.....000 22-4 5
Conoco.....213 6x-12 11
Soules and Willis; Cardwell and Seward.

Second game: Moore.....122 341 0-12 12
Forsan.....(10) 02 026 x-20 16
Camp and Wilson; King and Shoultz.

LOOKING 'EM OVER

Rumor that Vernon is stepping out of the Longhorn baseball league and surrendering its franchise rights to San Angelo are, as far as we know, unfounded. At the last report, the North Texas city's club was on a sound financial basis and drawing exceedingly well for a team that has not yet been able to turn on the lights for nocturnal play.

Vernon is under a handicap, geographically speaking, because it is so far removed from other Longhorn league cities. However, if the Dusters continue to draw well at home, that will not constitute too great a handicap.

Sources close to the Angelo situation insist the village is at long last ready to admit that the Longhorn league is a going organization, however, and interested parties there would like nothing better than to pick up a franchise in event Vernon, or any other town, should drop out.

All of which should make the league officials very happy, as far as future planning goes. The circuit no doubt will have growing pains by '48 and should be able to expand to eight teams without a great deal of trouble, especially if Lamesa and Abilene should elect to divorce the WT-NM loop in favor of the infant organization. Angelo capital has already built a lighted baseball park and the town would be ready to plunge right into the swim.

Ballinger's protest of a play in the first Big Spring-Cat game here Thursday, May 15, did not hold water, according to information received here.

Manager Stu Williams of the Felines had rushed in to lodge the protest with Bob Russell, one of the arbiters that night, when a Ballinger batter was called back to the plate after doubling due to the fact that the base umpire had called time before the Big Spring pitcher delivered the ball. (A stray horseshoe had drifted onto the playing field and umpire Connie Smith was the first to spot it.)

League president Howard Green ruled this week that Williams' challenge was unwarranted and said the decision would stand as is.

Miller Harris, the former Big Spring pitcher who once had a tryout with the Philadelphia Athletics, is still active in the game.

Now a resident of Dumas, Tex., Miller manages a semi-pro club there. The nine is a member of the Panhandle league, composed of Oklahoma and Texas teams.

The mighty Miller—he reminded a lot of local folks of Babe Ruth—is playing first base and hitting something like .500.

Playing with him are his brother, Lillian, and son, Jimmy, as well as Jess Upton, who pitched for Borger of the WT-NM league in '46.

J. K. McClain, who works for the Longhorn league as an arbiter, is a father to Junior McClain, the Ballinger club's hard-hitting second sacker.

The senior McClain was never in the professional game but played a lot of semi-pro ball in his time.

Patrons who saw him in action admitted he is big enough to have his way about most anything. He gave one Midland batsman four strikes here last Monday night and knew he had made a mistake after calling the play but no amount of arguing by Tony Traspuosto, Jose Cindan and Orlie Moreno would make him change his mind.

Nobody seemed to censure him for the fumble. Umpires are as apt to make a mistake as anyone else.

In the late 19th Century Brazilian rubber trees were first planted to the Far East where rubber plantations developed as the growing source of the world's rubber about the same time as Brazilian coffee plantations began to supplant the Far East in supplying the world with coffee.



BUFFALO — Eighty-seven-year-old George E. Kilpatrick has been bowling for 63 years and he still hopes for a 300 game. He manages to top the 200 mark consistently and he bowls with a team of seven whose combined score don't add up to 1000.

Tabbing The Broncs

Player	AB	R	H	Pct.
Bert Baes	56	23	444	
Tom Traspuosto	110	45	409	
Pat Patterson	44	18	409	
Pat Patterson	113	46	400	
Harold Ellington	119	47	395	
Andy Viamonte	49	18	386	
Orlie Moreno	116	44	381	
Jose Cindan	128	10	357	
Gaspar Del Toro	20	8	300	
Gerry Rodriguez	20	8	300	
Base Viamonte	20	8	300	
Mario Varona	103	30	291	
Jose Traspuosto	22	3	136	

University Of Texas Regents Hold Meet

AUSTIN, May 23. (AP)—University of Texas regents begin a two-day session here today for consideration of an important docket including some top administrative appointments.

Action was also expected on granting of scholarships for Latin American students. Their purpose will be to offer additional financial aid to such students following passage of a bill raising tuition fees for out-of-state residents.

The regents also plan to name the architects for the M. D. Anderson Hospital for Cancer Research and the dental branch of the University to be located in the Texas Medical Center at Houston.

Five members of that aggregation—Merritt, Dooley, White, Collins and Crockett—played with the team in 1946. Newton is just breaking in. He's 17 and displays a world of promise. Harris was in the US Army last year.

Tommy Floyd, the Sweetwater pilot, suggested to Modkins that he field his strongest possible lineup because his club, in his own words, "is loaded for bear."

Patterson Goes To Hill Tonight In Odessa Bout

Pat Patterson, who owns four victories as against two defeats, tries for No. 5 in tonight's game between Big Spring and Odessa, scheduled to be played in Odessa.

The Longhorns play again in Odessa Saturday night, then return, home Sunday afternoon to open a series with Sweetwater.

BALLINGER, May 23. — Big Spring's Longhorn league lead was sliced to four games when the Ballinger Cats subdued the Brones, 11-6, here Thursday night.

The Felines took the odd game of the series with the decision, hitting two Big Spring pitchers hard to accomplish it.

Joe Traspuosto started on the rubber for the Hoses but failed to last out the third inning. Jose Cindan finished.

Manager Stu Williams of the winners collected four safeties while every man in the starting Ballinger lineup, with the exception of Dick Allinder, hit safely at least once.

Steve Kolesar, beaten by the Big Springers in a previous series, came back to gain the win despite the fact that he was hit hard throughout.

Orlie Moreno broke a brief hitting slump by collecting four singles in five tries.

Summary: 100 Yard Dash (7th)—Jimmy Stewart, Central Spec. Frank West, John Rusk, College Heights. West, East, Time, 13.2 seconds.

100 Yard Dash (6th)—Darrell Corning, Central Spec. L. Thompson, West, Distance, 12 feet, 11 inches.

50-Yard Dash (5th)—Doris Maynard, College Heights. J. C. Armistead, West, Time, 7.2 seconds.

50-Yard Dash (4th)—Dute Cluck, South Central. Jim Montgomery, West, Height, 4 feet, 7 1/2 inches.

50-Yard Dash (3rd)—Gerald Scott, Central. Jim Montgomery, West, Height, 4 feet, 7 1/2 inches.

50-Yard Dash (2nd)—Darrell Corning, Central. L. Thompson, West, Height, 4 feet, 7 1/2 inches.

50-Yard Dash (1st)—Van Dean Hall, College Heights. L. Thompson, West, Height, 4 feet, 7 1/2 inches.

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IN JUNIOR TRACK MEET

Central, College Heights Triumph

Central Ward and College Heights dominated the Ward school track and field show conducted at Steer stadium Thursday afternoon. Central grabbing off team honors in the Sixth and Seventh grade event after College Heights had showed the way with its Fourth and Fifth grade entries.

In Seventh grade competition, Central tallied a total of 33 points, almost twice as many as second place West Ward, which had 18. College Heights wound up with 17, East Ward with five.

West Ward also finished next to Central in Sixth grade play, collecting 19 points to 33 for the winners while third place East Ward gathered eight.

College Heights' 20 points in Fifth grade activity edged West Ward by 1 1/2 points. South Ward had 16 for third place, Central 14 and North Ward eight.

South Ward and East Ward gave College Heights a fight of it in Fourth grade competition, each collecting 13 points to 14 for College Heights while North Ward and Central trailed in that order with eight and seven points, respectively.

Perhaps the outstanding feat of the afternoon was turned in by Gerald Scott of Central in the high jump. Scott leaped 4 feet, 7 1/2 inches to win that event easily.

Yesterday's Results

League	Team	W	L	Pct.
LONGHORN LEAGUE	Big Spring	10	7	.731
	Midland	14	10	.583
	Dallas	14	14	.500
	Ballinger	11	15	.423
	Abilene	10	14	.413
WT-NM LEAGUE	Abilene	18	7	.720
	Abilene	14	12	.538
	Lamesa	11	11	.500
	Borger	11	16	.407
	Abilene	6	18	.250
TEXAS LEAGUE	Houston	25	14	.641
	Fort Worth	21	17	.553
	Shreveport	22	19	.537
	Oklahoma City	20	20	.500
	Beaumont	19	23	.452
AMERICAN LEAGUE	Chicago	17	12	.586
	New York	17	12	.586
	Boston	16	13	.552
	Brooklyn	15	13	.538
	Pittsburgh	15	12	.556

The Standings

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	Pittsburgh	15	12	.556

Ex-Tailgunner Philly Threat

PHILADELPHIA, May 23. (AP) Stocky Johnny Palmer surveyed ransacked Cedarbrook County Club golf course today and opined in a cautious Carolina drawl he "hopes to do pretty good" in the fourth annual Philadelphia Inquirer invitational tournament.

Off early in the throng of 108 entrants in the 72-hole, three-day scramble for \$15,000, the Fourth army air forces tailgunner looked to many in the first tee crowd like a good dark-horse prospect. Despite the presence of Ben Hogan, Jim Demaret and nearly all of the other top money winners, the Palmer backers figured his chances better than fair.

Pouring rain that forced postponement of the opening round until today had left the course so waterlogged the experts were virtually unanimous on the preference for accuracy over distance. Palmer backers pointed out this as his specialty and Johnny himself admitted he's "been hittin' pretty well off the tee."

The quiet 28-year-old golfing sophomore from Badin, N.C., wasn't making any extravagant predictions. "It's a tough course," he said, "not many chances to cut a stroke off par."

Revision of the tourney plans because of the rain left the full field to play 18 holes today with the 80 low scores going into the second round tomorrow. For Sunday, with 36 holes to be played,

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Bannerline Battle On KBST Tonight



Activity on the mail market tonight centers around light-heavyweight champion Gus Lesnevich (above) of New Jersey and Melio Bettina, former titleholder who hails from Beacon, N. Y. They clash for ten rounds at Madison Square Garden.

Bettina is a squat southpaw, solidly built. Being low to the ground makes him hard to hit. Melio has enjoyed marked success since becoming a heavyweight and hopes to get closer to a title shot with the Brown Bomber by vanquishing Gus.

Lesnevich has successfully defended his title twice since his Coast Guard discharge. He chloroformed the British Empire champion and also kayoed Billy Fox. Gus knows how to jab, how to hook and, like the Beacomite, packs a hefty wallop.

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Colored Sluggers Take On Sweetwater Mustangs Here At 8:15 This Evening

Victors in their initial go last week, the Big Spring Colored Sluggers try for their second diamond victory at the high school park this evening when they take on the Sweetwater Black Mustangs. Game time is 8:15 p. m.

Harry Dooley, who hit the 11th inning home run that beat the Lamesa Rangers, 11-9, will assume the mound chores for the Sluggers.

Others who will see action for LeRoy Modkin's classy nine include Charles Merritt, catcher; Dillard White, first base; Cen Newton, second base; Clarence Crockett, short stop; Henderson Crockett, third base; Jake Turner, left field; and Eric Harris, center. The skipper himself will patrol the right pasture.

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Amarillo Again Dumps Abilene

Amarillo's Gold Sox had a little more comfortable margin over Lubbock today in the West Texas New Mexico league. They made it off and one-half games in a 2-1 decision over Abilene last night.

The second game of a scheduled doubleheader was rained out.

Lubbock stayed within striking distance by handing Clovis' Pioneers a 5-1 defeat and in the only other game. Borger came from behind to defeat Pampa, 4-2.

Abilene's game at Lamesa was postponed because of rain.

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 MURRAY'S Radio service, 705 E. 3rd. All work guaranteed. Reasonable rates. 24-hour service.

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 Lunches packed to go.
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proposes an amendment to Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas...

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Mechanical College of Texas is hereby authorized to issue negotiable bonds...

Legal Notice
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"Missouri Outlaw"
RED BARRY

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Harris and son, James, have been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pickle. They left Thursday to visit in Crane and may return here during the weekend.

Controversial Wool Bill Facing Showdown In Washington Today

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—The disputed wool bill faced showdown today as the house is ready to vote on amendments. Center of controversy is a house agriculture committee approval provision which would authorize the president to impose import

Sweatt Resigns For VA Job In Dickens County

Paul Sweatt, teacher of vocational agriculture at Coahoma, has resigned to accept a position as VA teacher at Patton Springs school in Dickens county. He and his family will move to Patton Springs on July 1. Dan McRae, formerly head of the Forsan schools, is superintendent at Patton Springs. A graduate of West Texas State Teachers at Canyon, Sweatt also has done work on his masters degree at Sam Houston Teachers at Huntsville. He has served as principal of schools in Mitchell and Howard counties, was superintendent of a school in Scurry county and taught surveying two years in the Army before joining the Coahoma staff two years ago.

Hardware Clips Jaycees, 14-3

Big Spring Hardware scored its fifth victory in seven Mundy softball league starts by trouncing Howard County Junior college, 14-3, at the city park Thursday night. The game was originally supposed to have been played at Forsan but transferred at the request of Forsan league members. They said their lighting system was not working. The Spartans made the most of nine hits, getting four runs in the first and eight in the second to erase all doubt as to the outcome. Steven Baker and Bill Shelton collected a home run and a double each for the winners. Woodrow Harris clouted out a round tripper. Morris Crittenden and Ted Gross had doubles while Ocie Hensen had a double and a triple. Jimmy Daylong, on the rubber for Hardware, gave out four hits. The Forsan - Big Spring Motor game was postponed.

H.C.J.C. 110 10-3 4
Hardware 480 2x-14 9

Local Elder To Attend Assembly

A. A. Porter, member of the board of elders of the First Presbyterian church, will be one of two lay commissioners from the El Paso Presbytery to the 87th general assembly of the Presbyterian Church, U.S.

Legislators Go On Vacations

AUSTIN, May 23. (AP)—Texas legislators took another Thursday-night-to-Monday vacation this weekend with many of them convinced that next week will bring an end to the regular session of the 50th legislature. Yesterday's action in the Senate, the House and Governor's office gave good reason to believe that the session is near its end. House members heard that a new estimate of state revenue is in the offing, with the estimate due to show plenty of money on hand to take care of virtually all essential appropriation bills still pending. This would knock the props from under proponents of new taxes who have said there would not be enough money.

Whooing Cough At New High In Texas

AUSTIN, May 23. (AP)—Whooping cough, which kills one child out of ten with the disease in the under-one-year age group, is at its highest recorded rate in Texas, the State Health Department reported today. The department report showed 1,678 cases for the past two weeks, the highest ever recorded for any two-week period. Since April 5, whooping cough has been increasing. The 824 cases reported for the week ending May 17 are twice the number of cases reported six weeks ago, the report indicated.

Two Games Tonight

Many softball league games at the city park tonight will pit Big Spring Hardware against American Business club in the 7:30 o'clock and Big Spring Motor against Forsan in the "mornigcap".



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ST. PAUL, Minn., May 23. (AP)—When Mrs. Lester Schampagne, 30, returned home she saw what appeared to be two pairs of baby feet, clad in pink booties, protruding from beneath a sheet, at the bottom of the stairs to her apartment. She immediately called police and reported two babies had been abandoned in her apartment building. Two squads of detectives arrived. They lifted the sheet and found two dolls.

Detective Learns Hot Checks Hot

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla. (AP)—Detective Harold J. Hooper has been chasing down hot check artists for more than 25 years, but it still didn't prevent him from being victimized twice. Hooper sheepishly explains that a man came to him explaining that someone had forged his signature on some checks, but rather than cause any fuss would pay the amounts and forget the matter. Later the man returned and asked that Hooper endorse two of his checks. Hooper consented. The checks were returned with the notation "no funds."

Earl Of Harewood III

LEEDS, England, May 23. (AP)—The Earl of Harewood, brother-in-law of King George VI of England, is ill at his home here, suffering from cardiac complications and bronchial asthma, a bulletin today said. The Earl, 64, married the Princess Royal in 1922.

Requests For Alien Farm Labor Falls Off

HIDALGO, May 23. (AP)—Only 2,500 out of an estimated 40,000 alien farm workers have been contacted to date under the joint US-Mexico labor program in the Rio Grande Valley, Allan Skinner, officer in charge of the US immigration service station here, said. Skinner, whose office handles the workers on this side of the Rio Grande, said the program is running smoothly but that employer applications for contracted workers are falling off. However, he said, the Mexican labor office at Reynosa is still operating at full capacity.

Rice Millers Hold 48th Annual Meet

GALVESTON, May 23. (AP)—Topping today's program of the 48th meeting of the Rice Millers' Association here will be talks by Ray L. Miller, regional director of the US Department of Commerce, and Fred J. Rossiter, chief of Rice Oils and Fat Division, office of Foreign Agricultural Relations of the Department of Commerce. The convention got underway yesterday with a report by W. M. Reid, executive vice president, and routine business sessions.

BURIED TREASURE

LOS ANGELES, May 23. (AP)—Housewife Vivian West was digging up a plot for flowers in her yard when her spade struck an old fruit jar. In it were three small stones, each the size of a pea. A jeweler told her they were cultured pearls. "I guess they're mine," said Mrs. West. "but I feel like a pirate—sort of mysterious."

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"We draw attention to that," states Creighton, "because our tube became the most famous of its kind at the time it was in production prior to the war. We have patrons come to us from time to time who are still riding on Seiberling tubes after ten years of constant use. Some of those tubes have been driven up to 300,000 miles and are not yet ready to be retired."

In addition to gas, oil, grease and wash jobs, the Creighton concern proffers such things as batteries, radios, even lawn mowers to its customers. Creighton's has in stock several kinds of radios ranging from table models to cabinet size sets.

Functioning on a 6:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. schedule, the Creighton Tire company services the public every day of the week save Sunday. The concern has been doing business at that same stand for the past decade.

Your Car Needs Checking Before Summer Runs

It's summer tune-up time and before hot weather arrives, H. M. Rowe advises motorists to bring their automobiles to his garage for a thorough inspection.

"With vacations just around the corner and plans already in action, the present condition of the automobile should also be considered and planned for."

Located at 214 East Second Street, the Rowe Garage offers free inspection service and can give motorists estimates on the work to be done.

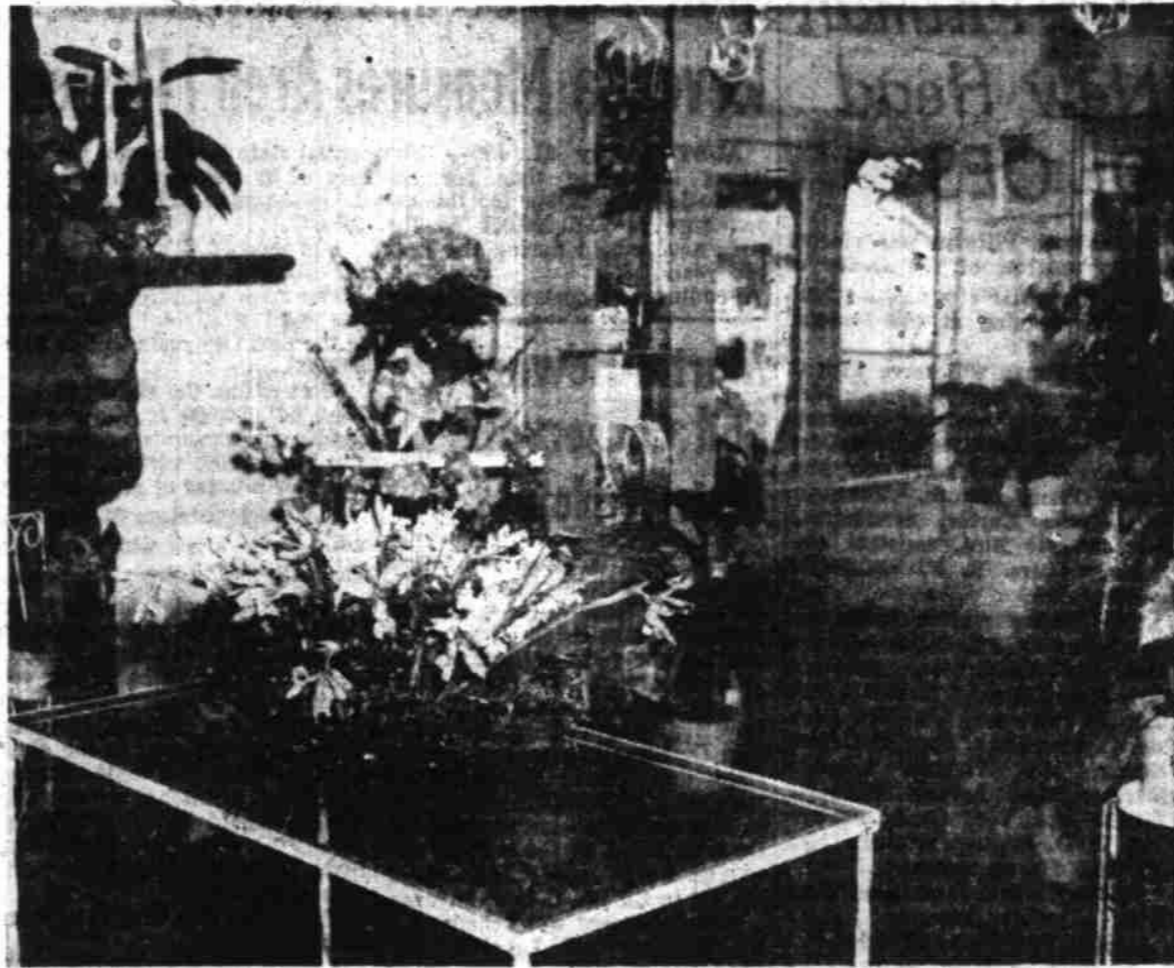
"Keeping a car running smoothly is much easier on the operator than a major overhaul, but many of us are prone to keep putting our repair job off until damage is really done," Rowe states in expressing his belief a "stitch in time saves nine."

Mechanics at the Rowe Garage, specialists in all types of automotive work, have a background of lengthy experience and are accustomed to using nothing but the best of parts in all repairs.

This enables the establishment to guarantee all the work that comes into the shop. The policy also gives car owners the assurance that he is getting the best repair work obtainable.

Handling virtually all types of automobile repair work, the shop specializes in the installation of piston rings, valve work and brake service.

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Convenience of location, well-kept, attractive premises, prompt service and nationally-known, proven products combine to make the Homer Williams Chevron Service Station popular with both local motorists and tourists.

The station is located at 311 East Third street, directly across the street from the Municipal auditorium.

Williams features Chevron gasoline and other products of the Standard Oil company. The station was recently repainted with different colors to bring Chevron gasoline to the retail market here.

In addition to regular retail sales of gasoline and motor oil, the Homer Williams Chevron station offers expert service for all types of auto lubrication. Standard Oil products are used by thoroughly experienced personnel for all lubrication work.

Another retail feature is the Atlas line of automobile tires, batteries and other accessories. The Atlas products also are nationally known for service and dependability, and the Atlas automobile tire carries an unconditional, one-year guarantee against all road hazards.

Williams invites new patrons to call at his station, where one and all are assured the most efficient, courteous service obtainable anywhere.

HOUSE OF BLOSSOMS — Estah's Flowers, 1701 Scurry, truly is a house of blossoms, for this shop has been serving the needs and tastes of Big Spring people for many years. Not only does Estah's carry a complete line of flowers suitable for all occasions, but it also has an exquisite display in its lobby. You not only have the thought of buying flowers, but the impression that you are seeing them at their best. (Jack M. Haynes Photo).

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Volunteer Work To Control Flies In City Area Urged By Officials

Local residents were asked again today to co-operate in volunteer work to control house-flies and mosquitoes until complete plans for a complete, city-wide spraying program can be completed.

No. 1 Brennand Stakes North Offset To Opener

Tobe Foster, completing a discovery in his No. 1 R. S. Brennand, Sr., a Clear Fork producer two miles south of the Coleman ranch pool and two and a quarter miles west of the north end of the Westbrook pool of northwest Mitchell, has staked north offset to the opener.

It will be his No. 1 D. M. Womack, 330 from the south and 2,310 feet from the west lines of section 22-26, H&TC. It is due to start May 25 and is for 2,900 feet.

Scurry county's interest lived in the deep pay prospects with oil and gas shown by the Ohio Oil No. 1-C J. W. Neal, in the north-eastern part of the county. It recovered 250 feet of oil and gas cut drilling mud and a little free oil on top of the mud on a drill-stem test to 7,270 feet. It is deepening 10 feet for another stem test. Ellenburger top has been picked around 7,224 feet. It is 660 feet out of the northeast corner of the E. N. Miller survey 1, abstract 868, 11 miles west and slightly north of Rotan and is 21 miles southeast of the Ellenburger production in the Polar field of Kent county.

After flowing 278.5 barrels, Sun Oil No. 2 Fred Jameson, more than a half mile south-southwest extension to the largest of four wells in the Jameson (Strawn) pool of northwestern Coke county, was killed for perforation of 5-1/2 inch casing in the lower zone. Production has been through perforations at 6,305-61, through which 5,000 gallons of acid had been injected.

Three Accepted For Membership In Local Lodge

Three persons were accepted for membership in the Rebekah lodge Tuesday evening when the organization met at the IOOF hall.

Sonora Murphy presided as noble grand, and Mrs. Kathryn Allen and A. J. Allen were relieved to accept the Rebekah degree by initiation. Mrs. Flora E. Hayworth was accepted by transfer from another lodge.

Those present were Mrs. Clara Bender, Mrs. Thelma Braune, Mrs. Gertrude Wasson, Mrs. Lois Forsyth, Mrs. Zula Reaves, Mrs. Gertrude Cline, Mrs. Lucille Brown, Mrs. Ruth Wilson, Mrs. Edith Mae Harrison, Mrs. Lou Ella Edson, Mrs. Dora Crenshaw, M. Crenshaw, Sorora Murphy, Mrs. Beatrice Vieragee, Mrs. Ola Ruth Barbee, Evelyn Roger, Mrs. Iatrice Bonner, Mrs. Mae Darrow, A. F. Gilliland, Mrs. Beulah Hayworth, Mrs. Billie Christianson, Mrs. Nannie Atkins, Mrs. Rosalee Gilliland, Mrs. Mary Ethel Landers, F. H. Landers, H. V. Crocker, Ben Miller, T. H. Hughes, Mrs. Lorene Bluhm, Mrs. Lois Coffee, Mrs. Jocie McDaniel, Mrs. Viola Robinson, Mrs. Amanda Hughes, Mrs. Ima Jean Neill, Mrs. Lona Crocker, Mrs. Beatrice Mittel and Julia Wilkerson.

Statement Signed In Shooting By Former Resident

A statement has been signed at Ballinger by J. T. Thomas, Sr., in connection with the fatal shooting of his son, J. T. Thomas, Jr., Sunday.

Thomas, a former resident of Big Spring, was held without bond and no preliminary hearing had been set.

The statement followed questioning by District Attorney O'Neal Denny and other officials including Deputy Sheriff A. T. Buchanan and Ranger R. R. Rohatich of San Angelo.

The defendant, held on a murder count, formerly worked here for a brother, Eugene Thomas. Rites for J. T. Thomas, Jr. were to be held this afternoon in Ballinger.

Airline Granted New San Francisco Route

American Airlines today was granted authority by the Civil Aeronautics Board to serve San Francisco and Oakland, Cal., on its transcontinental route, Woodrow Campbell, local manager of American, announced.

Campbell said American would begin service to the area within 45 days with "Five-Star" DC-6 flagships.

The CAB also granted a consolidation of American's routes No. 4 and No. 30 which will permit the airline to operate non-stop flights between Chicago and Los Angeles and other points west of Tulsa and Oklahoma City. This will enable the line to make more effective use of its fleet of DC-4 and DC-6 flagships, officials said.

Mrs. Pittman New Head Of OES

Mrs. Ruth Pittman was elected worthy matron of the Order of the Eastern Star at a meeting held Tuesday evening at the Masonic Temple.

Mrs. Pittman will serve with C. R. McClenny, worthy patron; Mrs. Annie Akers, assistant matron; Fred Akers, associate patron; Mrs. Dorothy Parrish, secretary; Mrs. Lois O'Barr Smith, treasurer; Mrs. Veda Carter, conductress; Mrs. Margie Bird, assistant conductress; Mrs. H. F. Williamson trustee.

The worthy matron announced the following appointive officers: Mrs. Ina Richardson, chaplain; Mrs. Mary Ehlmann, marshal; Mrs. Camille Patterson, Ada; Mrs. Cressie Watkins, Ruth; Dorothy Driver, Esther; Mrs. Virginia Lassiter, Martha; Mrs. Lorene Tuckness, Electa; Mrs. Vera Gross, warder; Mrs. J. D. Benson, sentinel; Mrs. Marjorie Morris, organist.

Officers will be installed June 3 at a regular meeting. Around 75 persons attended.

Annual Outing For Local Seniors Termed Success

Outdoor sports and dancing featured an exciting day for Big Spring high school seniors who held their annual outing Monday at Christoval.

Swimming, boating, horse-back riding, fishing, dancing, and boat riding was included in the entertainment and barbecue was served at noon.

Accompanying the 122 students were Mrs. Flossie Lowe, Marguerite Wood, Mrs. Irma Steward, Miss Lona McAllister, James McWhorter, Pat Murphy and Walter Reed and Bill Olson.

The senior sermon was held at the city auditorium Sunday evening and Dr. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist church, was guest speaker.

Commencement exercises are scheduled Friday evening at the auditorium at 8 o'clock.

Approval Of 25 HCJC Credits Asked

Approval of 25 credits in the academy division of the Howard County Junior College has been recommended by E. H. Boutler, deputy state superintendent, following an inspection of the college sub-division for non-high school graduates.

The academy was established last year by the college to accommodate returned veterans who had not completed high school graduation requirements. Under the arrangements, they could concentrate upon satisfying high school requisites and at the same time taking some college level work.

When an ample number of work has been completed, they will qualify for a high school diploma, which in turn will set the stage for credit on college subjects.

Boutler recommended approval of 25 subjects for affiliation. He commended the type of work and instruction in several subjects covered by the 25 credits.

E. C. Dodd, president of the college, said that possibly 65 percent of those receiving certificates at the end of the first year of the term would be in the academy.

Boutler commended favorably upon order and delivery of equipment and buildings in the approximate amount of \$86,000. This includes \$26,000 building conversion costs, to be paid out of operation; several thousand dollars of permanent equipment on hand; \$10,000 of heavy chemistry, physics, and biology lab equipment now in transit; and an additional \$20,000 of other permanent equipment for various departments of the college. The latter items will be financed out of a \$50,000 portion of a bond issue voted at the outset.

Mansfield, Lee Meet In Pecos

Toots Mansfield, Big Spring, is to meet Cotton Lee, Clovis, N.M., in Pecos Sunday afternoon in a steer-calf roping match.

They will each rope, or brand five steers and then conclude by roping and tying five calves.

Mansfield, after a bid start, barely fell short Sunday in a 12-calf match in a three-day series against Royce Sewall, Brownwood, at San Angelo. Ironically, he likely will use the horse that cost him the San Angelo match, for it is a big animal he used in steer roping. There will be a \$1,200 team steer roping match at Pecos.

State May Go Into Red If New Revenue Measures Aren't Passed

AUSTIN, May 21. (AP)—The Texas legislature thus far has approved bills calling for the expenditure of \$170,800,000 by the state government during the next two years.

Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District News

Land with a good stubble of sudan which was plowed with a chisel held more water during recent rains than listed on flatbroke land on the farm of Frank Lovelless, supervisor of the Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District. Lovelless, whose farm is in the East Coahoma Conservation group, states that terraced intervals which were chiseled had little runoff; just enough to fill the terrace channel. On land listed on the contour and on flat broke land enough water ran off to fill the 15-inch terraces.

"Most farmers won't believe it till they see it," Lovelless said, "but the stubble and chiseling made the ground soak up water like a sponge."

Austrian Winter peas which Lovelless planted for a winter cover crop, are knee high after close grazing during March. He is plowing the peas under lightly with a disc plow this week for a green manure crop and will follow with cotton to check the value of the peas as a soil builder.

L. H. Botton, manager of the J. Y. Robb ranch in the Lomax conservation group, is using commercial fertilizer on cotton and feed land this year. He is applying 100 pounds of 4-12-4 fertilizer to the acre to furnish nitrogen and phosphorus to the soil. Botton also fertilized a strip in a field of abuzzi rye and vetch with superphosphate to compare the yields with the unfertilized land.

D. F. Bigony in the Fairview group has a field of Hairy Vetch which is now in full bloom. L. H. Thomas, district supervisor, who inspected the vetch this week was impressed with the possibilities of the crop as a soil builder in this area.

Spring oats planted by District Supervisor Gordon Stone on newly constructed terraces last February is heading out and promise to make a good yield. Stone drilled the oats on his terraces on his ranch southeast of Stanton to protect the soil from blowing.

A 1,000-foot diversion terrace was staked out last week by the Soil Conservation Service on the ranch of Mrs. Etta Wade southeast of Big Spring. Mrs. Wade is building the diversion terrace to keep water off the farmstead and spread it on native pasture land, as a part of a coordinated soil and water conservation program on her ranch.

Strikers Against US Forfeit Jobs

WASHINGTON, May 21. (AP)—Employees who strike against the government forfeit not only their jobs but their right to undelivered pay for work done before they walk out. Comptroller General Lindsay C. Warren ruled today.

His decision came in a case involving three union carpenters who were employed by the Veterans Administration in remodeling its Waco, Texas, center.

Warren notified Gen. Omar Bradley, VA chief, that the VA had been right in not only removing the men from its payroll but also refusing to deliver salary checks covering work before the strike.

The ruling constituted an interpretation of the law passed by Congress last year forbidding payment of wages on salaries to any person striking against the government or holding membership in an organization of employees claiming a right to strike against it.

Warren held that it is "immaterial" whether an undelivered check "covers services rendered prior, or subsequent, to the actual period of the strike."

Bradley, in asking Warren for a ruling, said the men stopped work on instructions from the business agent of their union, Carpenters Local No. 1266 of Austin, Tex., because non-union painters were employed on the remodeling job.

Coahoma Soldier To Return Home

Pvt. John L. Wood, Coahoma, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wood, is among the cavalrymen due to be returned home from the 4th replacement depot at Zama, Japan. Pvt. Wood has spent six months with the First Cavalry division, on occupation in the 16 prefectures of the Tokyo-Yokohama area and is now eligible for discharge. He is a graduate of Coahoma high school, entered the army in September 1946 for training at Ft. Bliss.

James Wilson, 17, U.S.N. son of Mrs. Gladys Wilson, 703 Douglas, Big Spring, has completed recruit training at the US naval training center, San Diego, Calif., and has been advanced to seaman, second class. He will be assigned either to units of the fleet or to a service school for specialized training.

Grapefruit Shipping Extension Requested

HARLINGEN, May 21. (AP)—An application for extension of the grapefruit shipping date for 30 days to July 15 was on file today with the U.S. Department of Agriculture. The application was filed by Austin Anson, manager of the Texas Citrus and Vegetable Growers and Shippers Association. Anson estimated that 100 cars of valley oranges and 1,400 cars of grapefruit remain to be shipped.

Lasses Troupe Colorado City Behind Todd

Behind the three-hit tossing of Lefty Nell Todd, the Big Spring girls' softball team smashed the Colorado City Independents, 13-3, in an exhibition softball game at the city park diamond Tuesday evening.

The locals saluted the contest away in the first three innings by counting 12 of their 13 runs.

Catherine Redding paced the local attack with four hits in as many exhibitions to the dish. Lois "and Jan Kinman connected for three hits each as did Todd.

The wronglander struck out no less than 12 of the opposition, Joe Runnels, Colorado City tosser, had trouble with her control.

Colorado City... 300 000 1-5 3 Big Spring... 345 010 x-13 15 Runnels and Johnson, Todd and Trotter.

BS Motor Boss Adds Players

In an attempt to field the strongest possible team, Manager Leon Glenn Bredemeyer of the Big Spring Motor company softball team is borrowing three players from other Mundy league teams to play against the Texas & Pacific contingent of Dallas in their exhibition bout at the park Sunday afternoon.

Lewis Heuvel, Forsan ace, has agreed to play with Bredemeyer and Company as have Woodrow Harris and Chock Smith, both of Big Spring Hardware.

Game time is 3:30 p.m.

THIS ISN'T A HOMING PIGEON

NEW YORK, May 20. (AP)—Since Saturday night a pigeon has been an unregistered, unwanted guest in the two and one-half story lobby of the Hotel Pennsylvania.

A youth with five caged birds tripped in the lobby and released the birds. Four were caught, but the fifth has stayed on.

Possibilities In Hairy Vetch Are Seen Here

County Agent Durward Lewter back from a demonstration at Rising Star, thinks that the growing of hairy vetch has possibilities in this area.

While doubting that the leguminous crop would thrive here as it has around Rising Star, Lewter believes it has possibilities as a winter cover crop, sown with abuzzi rye, together with winter pasturage benefits. Besides these, the agent feels that a seed crop every four or five years might be expected.

Other than holding sandy soils against wind and water erosion, vetch has the added advantage of restoring nitrogen to the soil. It is estimated that vetch, when inoculated, puts back 200 to 400 pounds of nitrogen per acre every year, he said. It has great value, too, as a green manure or litter crop for organic matter purposes.

Funeral Slated For Mrs. Norris

Last rites were to be said here Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. Vesta Francis Norris, 28, Fort Stockton, who died Sunday of injuries of undetermined origin.

Members of the family said that Mrs. Norris had been found Friday on the side of a highway near Fort Stockton, badly beaten about the head and with body bruises.

Services were held at the Eberley chapel and burial in the Salem cemetery. Dr. P. D. O'Brien, First Baptist pastor, officiated.

Commission's Power On Allowable Limited

AUSTIN, May 20. (AP)—The railroad commission is without power to authorize the balancing of over and under production of the gas allowable for a one-year period in the Carthage field in Panola county, the attorney general has held in an opinion.

The commission requested the ruling in its search for a method of which seasonal high demands above monthly allowances could be balanced against slumps.

The opinion suggested that the commission might zone the common reservoir to accomplish the desired purpose. Otherwise, the opinion noted, only a change in the law could offer any solution.

Cuttinghorse Billed For Annual Rodeo

A cuttinghorse contest has been added as a new feature of the annual Big Spring Rodeo. Charles Creighton announced Monday.

Improvements are to be made to the grounds and grandstands, he added, Earl and Jack Sellers, Del Rio, who have staged the last two shows for the rodeo association, will again produce the show.

Red Cross Worker Guest Speaker At B & P. W. Club

Mrs. Frances Blackburn, in charge of disaster relief for the American Red Cross, was guest speaker at a meeting of the Business and Professional Women's club held Tuesday evening in the home of Mayme Mayfield.

The worker told of Red Cross disaster plans for assisting homeless and described work which is being done in connection with the Texas City disaster.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Stella Womack, Mrs. Velma Griese, Edith Gay, Mrs. Ruth Shepard, Jewell Barton, Ima Deason and Mrs. Moore Sawtelle. Assisting were Florence Mosley, Marie McDonald, Beth Kay.

Arrangements were made for delegates to attend the State B&P.W. club convention which will be held in San Antonio June 6-8, and representing the local chapter will be Mrs. Mayfield, Mrs. Sawtelle, Mary Gilmore, Pauline Sullivan and Jewell Barton.

Mary Watson Jones, retiring president, will be in charge of the June meeting.

ZEALOUS PAPER DRIVE WORKERS

OLYMPIA, Wash., May 21. (AP)—Scores of subscribers to the Olympian telephoned the newspaper that boys failed to deliver their copies.

A quick check showed why. Enthusiastic collectors for a local paper drive had mistakenly picked up several bundles left on curbs and porches.

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Three years ago Ed Smith's luck was bad. His crops failed, and it wasn't long before Ed's home and furnishings were up for auction.

Half the town turned out, and Ed must have thought his neighbors were a bunch of hungry vultures—buying up all his precious possessions for a song.

When it was over, and the auctioneer had left, Sam Abernathy turns to the crowd and says: "All right, folks, let's take time out for a glass of beer, and then put the staff back where it belongs!"

Two hours later, Ed was in possession of his home and furnishings; and the folks who'd paid for them were sitting around Ed's fire enjoying a neighborly glass of beer—to show their friendship and their confidence in Ed.

Today, Ed's back on his feet—another constructive member of the community. And from where I sit, we've all been well repaid—a good investment in a good man.

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Eight Girls Enter Bathing Revue Today

Eight more entries for the High Heel Slipper club annual bathing beauty revue were announced today to compete for the title of "Miss Big Spring" when the municipal swimming pool opens officially for the summer months at 2 p. m. Sunday.

The new entries are Ann Smith, R&R Theatres; Dorothy Purser, O'Brien Grocery; Jo Barnaby, J & H Drug; Vegene Apple, Morris System; Sue Nell Nall, Colonial Beauty Shop; Earlyn Wright, Art Beauty Shop; Tommy Nall, Zale's Jewelry; and Mary Gerald Robbins, Club Cafe.

Vincent Baptist WMS Has Service Program

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Vincent Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. J. M. Whitaker for the Royal Service program recently. The program topic on "The Japanese" was led by Mrs. Jim Hodnett.

"Send the Light" was the opening hymn after which Mrs. Hodnett read the devotional from Psalm 67 and Mrs. C. O. Watts led in prayer.

Preceding the program discussion, the leader gave a true-false quiz on the program material. Mrs. Willis Winters gave a talk on "Meet the Japanese as Christians."

Mrs. Frank Whitaker spoke on "Japanese as Baptists," and Mrs. C. O. Watts gave the closing topic, "A Stranger or a Brother?"

An exhibit of articles brought from Japan by Mrs. Whitaker's brother was shown. The session closed by singing "The Light of the World is Jesus."

Other members present were Mrs. B. O. Brown, Mrs. Jim Meador, Mrs. Jim Hodnett, Mrs. George Read and Mrs. Willis Winters. Sr. Guests included Mrs. Dud Brannon, Mrs. George Brown, Mrs. Jim Whitaker and Mollie Whitaker.

Mrs. Carl Strom left Wednesday with her aunt, Mrs. Cora Shelton for San Antonio where they will spend a few days. Before returning to Big Spring they will visit Mrs. Strom's daughter, Gloria, in Austin where she is attending the University of Texas.

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Home Demonstration Training Schools Hear Talks On Consumer Education

Three Home Demonstration sessions were held Wednesday including two training schools at the County Home Demonstration agent's office.

Mrs. O. D. Engle and Mrs. R. C. Nickels gave a discussion at 10 a. m. on "Consumer Education in the Study of Clothing Labels." They used dresses and material samples donated by Hemphill Wells and J. C. Penney companies to demonstrate their talks.

Mrs. Engle and Mrs. Nickels received their training at a special school in Midland directed by Mrs. Dora B. Barnes, clothing specialist from Texas A. & M.

Those present from various clubs in Howard County were Mrs. W. H. Ward, Mrs. D. Z. Zant, Mrs. M. M. Fairchild, Mrs. Grady Hale and Mrs. Shirley Fryar.

The second training school of the morning at 11 a. m. was directed by Mrs. Edward Simpson and Mrs. Allen Hull on "Consumer Education through the Study of Food Labels."

This talk included can foods displayed, which were donated by Furr Food Store. Mrs. Simpson and Mrs. Hull attended a school in Stanton taught by Myrtle Murry, marketing specialist at Texas A. & M.

Two exhibits were presented at the Howard County HD council meeting held at 2 p. m. Mrs. Jim Gillespie directed the first exhibit on new electric clocks and hand electric heater, both donated by Firestone Store.

Western Insulating company gave a demonstration on insulation. Mrs. W. H. Ward and Mrs. L. C. Mathis reported on the district Texas Home Demonstration Association held in Midland May 9.

Others present were Mrs. Shirley Fryar, Mrs. Allen Hull, Mrs. R. E. Martin, Mrs. H. C. Reid, Mrs. Hershel Smith, Mrs. J. M. Craig, Mrs. H. J. Petty, Mrs. J. E. Brown, and Mrs. Edward Simpson.

Program suggestions were made and members voted to make the first session in September a business meeting.

Those attending the luncheon were Mrs. James Edwards, Mrs. John Malaise, Mrs. F. Schwarzenbach, Mrs. Matt Harrington, Mrs. Conn Isaacs, Mrs. E. H. Strauss, Mrs. Toots Mansfield, Mrs. E. P. Driver, Mrs. John W. Walker, Mrs. L. B. Patterson, Mrs. Earl J. Cooper, Mrs. W. K. Edwards, Jr., Mrs. G. E. Peacock, Mrs. Odie Wilson, Mrs. Sonny Edwards, Mrs. Fritz Welmer, Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Jr., Mrs. McKinney, Mrs. Ray Boren, Mrs. Ray Clark, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Kelly Lawrence, Mrs. M. F. Jarratt.

Installation Of Officers Highlights Program Of Hyperion Club Luncheon

Lavender, white and pink larkspur were used in the decorations of tables at a 1 o'clock luncheon given for the 1946 Hyperion club Wednesday at the First Methodist Church.

Tables were arranged T-shape and were ornamented with bouquets of the chosen flower. Smaller sprays with fern extended down the table center.

Highlight of the program was the installation of officers with Mrs. Maude Brooks in charge of the ceremony. Mrs. R. E. McKinney directed a business meeting at which members voted to meet the first Wednesday of each month.

Following the program at the church, the group visited in the home of Mrs. Mary Zinn and presented a program in unison including the 23rd Psalm and several hymns.

Mrs. G. L. Brooks, councilor, announced that the auxiliary will not meet during the two weeks of vacation Bible school. Following the Bible school, the organization will meet at 10 a. m. Wednesday during the summer months.

Thirty-two members were present.

Junior Auxiliary Studies Japan

A program on Japan was presented at the Wednesday afternoon meeting of the Junior Girls Auxiliary of the First Baptist church.

"Visiting Through A Diary" written by Rev. E. B. Dozier, was given by Janice Brooks, Joyce Ann Anderson, Nancy Wilson, Janice Anderson, Margie Ann Morris and Ethel Chapman. "Happy Holidays in Japan" was presented by Mary Frances Norman and Joyce Townsend.

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Knott Visitors Numerous As School Closes

KNOTT, May 22. (Sp.) — Rev. and Mrs. Lee Vaughn and Douglas, Mrs. Lee Vaughn, Jr., Mrs. Lee Burrow, Mrs. Hazel Smith, Mrs. Elsie Smith and Mrs. J. T. Gross attended the Baptist workers conference at Prairie View.

School classes were finished last week and graduation exercises for the eighth grade were held Thursday evening. High school exercises were last Friday evening.

The senior class left Monday for a trip to Corpus Christi. Members of the class were W. A. Burchell, Jerry Adams, Leon Eldridge, Jonnie Shortes, Charlie Shanks, Lewis Reed, Robert Nichols, Maxine Aury, Newel Tate, Margaret Ditto, Eugene Jackson, Edna Merle Gaskin and Neida Ann Shaw.

Woman's Missionary Society met with Mrs. J. T. Gross Monday afternoon for a mission study class. Rev. Lee Vaughn taught the remainder of the book, "Forty Years in the Land of Tomorrow."

Those present were Rev. and Mrs. Vaughn, Mrs. L. C. Matthews, Mrs. Hershel Smith, Mrs. Elsie Smith and Mrs. Gross.

N. Petty of May is visiting here with his brother, A. Petty and niece, Mrs. S. T. Johnson. H. W. Petty of Lubbock was a recent visitor also in the Johnson home and with Mr. Petty.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Morrison of Sweetwater visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hollis of San Antonio have been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sample.

Lloyd Robinson was in Rankin Friday on 4-H club business.

"Sleeping Beauty" Is Given By Farrar School

Brightly costumed children of the Farrar pre-school presented its annual operetta, "Sleeping Beauty" Wednesday evening at the city auditorium before approximately 400 persons.

The operetta, by Oliver William Robinson, was presented in three acts. The first act took place in the palace courtroom when an infant princess was honored at a christening party. Guests were announced by Herald Jackie Coleman and Lonnie Gene Webb.

The Lords and Ladies were greeted by King Buddy Pendleton, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Pendleton, and Queen Nan Baker Willbanks, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Willbanks.

Lords and Ladies at the party included Jerry Brooks and Virginia Le Johnson, Ross Plant and Frances Barber, Benny McCrary and Delores Baird, James Howard Stephens and Linda Kay Sessions, August Joe Luedecke and Ann Ho-

man, Larry McCleskey and Linda Liner, Danny McCrary and June Ann Johnston, Gordon Britow and Nancy Smith.

The 12 good fairies were portrayed by Tom Thomas, Kathleen Thomas, Zolite Mae Rawlins, Gerry Garrison, Joy Terry, Jan Tillinghast, Carlene Coleman, Gerry Girdner, Lynda Mason, Gwyn McCullough, Carolyn Sewell and Susan Lee Landers. Waldene Pike played the part of the wicked fairy, who cast an evil spell upon the young princess.

The second act took place in an attic room on the day of the princess' 16th birthday. Princess Rosa is portrayed by Sandy Bloom, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bloom. As the wicked fairy predicted, she pricked her finger on a needle and fell asleep.

At the end of her hundred-year nap, she was awakened with a kiss from Prince Charming, played by five-year-old A. C. Rowlin, III. Shirley Colium characterized the Old Woman in the attic.

L. Massey, Wednesday evening in the Meador home.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Meador, Miss Cannon, Mrs. Minnie Cannon, mother of the bride-elect, and Mrs. David L. Massey, mother of the bridegroom.

The honoree wore a light blue spring flowers. Bouquets of spring flowers were placed at vantage points about the entertaining rooms and the refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth centered with an arrangement of white larkspurs, Queen Ann's lace and orange poppies.

Jean Meador and Ann Meador presided at the refreshment table. Mrs. Clyde Woods presided at the guest book.

The couple will be married in the Isaac Medlin home May 31 in an informal service.

Guests attending were Mrs. Clyde Woods, Mrs. J. W. Purser, Mrs. R. L. Cook, Mrs. J. T. Dillard, Mrs. Cliff Wiley, Betty Noble, Dorothy Day, Mrs. D. P. Day, Edith Harrell, Mrs. Iks Medlin, Mrs. Frank Martin, Mrs. W. A. Cobb, Mrs. F. M. Purser, Mrs. R. Y. Cloud, Mrs. W. H. Forrest, Mrs. J. R. Creath, Mrs. Bill Earley, Mrs. H. E. Meador, Mrs. S. M. Barbee, Mrs. Logan Baker, Mrs. J. M. Teague, Jr., Betty Smith, Tex Massey, Bobbie Hightower, Mrs. Dorothy Adams, Coleen Davidson, Stella Clanton, Mrs. T. Williams, Mrs. M. A. Cook, Juanita Haygood, Mrs. Mary Frances Henley, Mrs. R. B. Cobb, Mrs. J. O. Newsum, Dorothy McCullough, Betty Jo Watt, Mrs. Clay and Doris, Mrs. Bowles and Katherine.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Berl McCallen, Mrs. G. B. Hale and Mrs. O. S. Clark.

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Racial Relations Studied At Meet

"Solving the Race Problems," was the program topic when Circle Three of the First Methodist WSCS met Monday with Mrs. C. R. McClenny. The group sang "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," accompanied by Mrs. Charlie Morris at the organ. Mrs. N. W. McCleskey offered the prayer and Mrs. Morris instructed the day's lesson.

Others having parts on the program were Mrs. E. E. Winterrowd and Mrs. Arthur Woodall. The next meeting will be with Mrs. L. E. Eddy.

Members present were Mrs. C. R. Moad, Mrs. L. E. Maddux, Mrs. R. E. Satterwhite, Mrs. Clyde Johnson, Mrs. B. P. Lovelace, Mrs. H. M. Rowe, Mrs. Cecil Collins, Mrs. A. C. Bass, Mrs. C. R. McClenny, Mrs. Charles Morris, Mrs. McCleskey, Mrs. Winterrowd, Mrs. Woodall.

Members present were Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. Gilbert Gibbs, Mrs. C. W. Deats, Mrs. Joe Pickle, Mrs. Culin Grigsby, Mrs. J. E. Hogan, Mrs. Otis Grafa, Mrs. Cecil Mc-

Bennett Petty has returned to San Antonio after spending a 21 day furlough with his mother, Mrs. B. F. Petty.

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Rev. Arnett Guest Speaker Sunday

ACKERLY, May 21. (Sp.)—The Rev. Bill Arnett, Baptist district missionary, will be guest pastor Sunday in the Ackerly First Baptist church. The pulpit was left vacant at the resignation of the Rev. W. C. Pool, who will probably accept a position in Childress.

B. O. Springfield is home on leave from the veteran's hospital at Legion.

Sunday guests with M. Y. Bowling were Mr. and Mrs. Graves of Spur; W. C. Porter of Odessa; J. A. Porter and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Bowling, Jack Bowlin, and family; Billy Bowlin and family, all of Ackerly; and Mrs. Morene of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Adams are spending a few days in the health resort at Stovall.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Adams attended funeral services of Mrs. Adams' grandmother, Mrs. J. F. Tucker, in Midland recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mashburn of Stanton visited over the weekend with C. L. Sikes and family.

G. T. Baum and family, Mrs. M. A. Baum and Mrs. J. I. Crass are visiting in Cross Plains.

E. B. Baker and family of Andrews spent Sunday here with his father, Buck Baker.

Tom Grigg and family are visiting in Stanton with Mrs. Grigg's mother.

J. L. Rudeseal, Sr., and son, Keith, and Mrs. Tom Baum were in Prescott, Ark., recently with W. A. Hannah and family.

HCJC Literary Club Has Picnic, Dance

A weiner roast and dance was entertainment for members of the Literary Club of Howard County Junior college and their guests Tuesday evening at the scenic pavilion.

Those present were Letha Holcombe, Charles Davies, Bobbie June Bobb, Jimmy Peden, Wilda Watts, Charles Sherwood, Betty Ray-Nall, Charles Lovelace, Bobby Green, Dee Thomas, Janet Robb, Bill Hicks, Leatrice Ross, Delbert Shultz, Beverly Stulting, Zack Gray, Mary Louise Davis, Wesley Deats, Wilma Jo Taylor, John Rudeseal, Norma Jones, Dewey Stevenson, Evelyn Green, Tip Anderson, Billy Clanton and Mrs. Ann Covey, sponsor.

Entertainments Are Planned By Sub Debs

Jan Stripling, was hostess to the Sub Deb club when members met in her home Tuesday evening for further discussion on their annual spring formal to be held May 30.

A picnic was planned for Saturday, it was announced.

Members present were Jean Pearce, Ann Currie, Dorothy Satterwhite, Patsy Sue McDaniell, Patsy Ann Tompkins, Betty Lou Hewett, Rose Nell, Porks, Billie Jean Younger, Dot Couble and Dot Wasson.

'Ho-Hum' Party Fetes Miss Joycelyn Clark

Mrs. Tom Buckner was hostess Friday evening to a ho-hum party honoring Joycelyn Clark, who will soon move to Corpus Christi.

Guests, who composed the 17-year-old girls department from the East Fourth street Baptist church, spent the evening manicuring their nails and shampooing their hair.

A gift was presented to Miss Clark. Attending were Carolyn Hill, Alva Jo Porch, Kathryn Patterson, Rose Faye Rice, Mrs. Bill Sandridge, Mrs. George McLelland and Kenny, Miss Clark, and Mrs. Buckner.

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Mrs. J. E. Hogan Is Principal Speaker At Luncheon Of Lions Auxiliary

Mrs. J. E. Hogan was principal speaker for the Lions auxiliary when the group met at the Settles hotel Wednesday for luncheon.

Mrs. Hogan gave a humorous and informative talk on "Magic Medicine" which included suggestions that might be followed to insure a happy and well rounded life.

Mrs. L. B. Edwards gave the invocation for the affair which was hosted by Mrs. Otis Grafa, Mrs. Culin Grigsby and Mrs. Joe Elrod.

Hostesses announced for the June meetings are Mrs. Jack Y. Smith, Mrs. E. B. Compton and Mrs. Gilbert Gibbs.

A commercial flower-seed grower once got into the market first with a new variety of masticum by having 200 women work for one solid month—crossing 50,000 of the plants by hand.

Mrs. Scott Returns From Christoval
Mrs. J. K. Scott has returned from Christoval, where she attended the funeral of her sister-in-law.

Mrs. G. W. Lewis.
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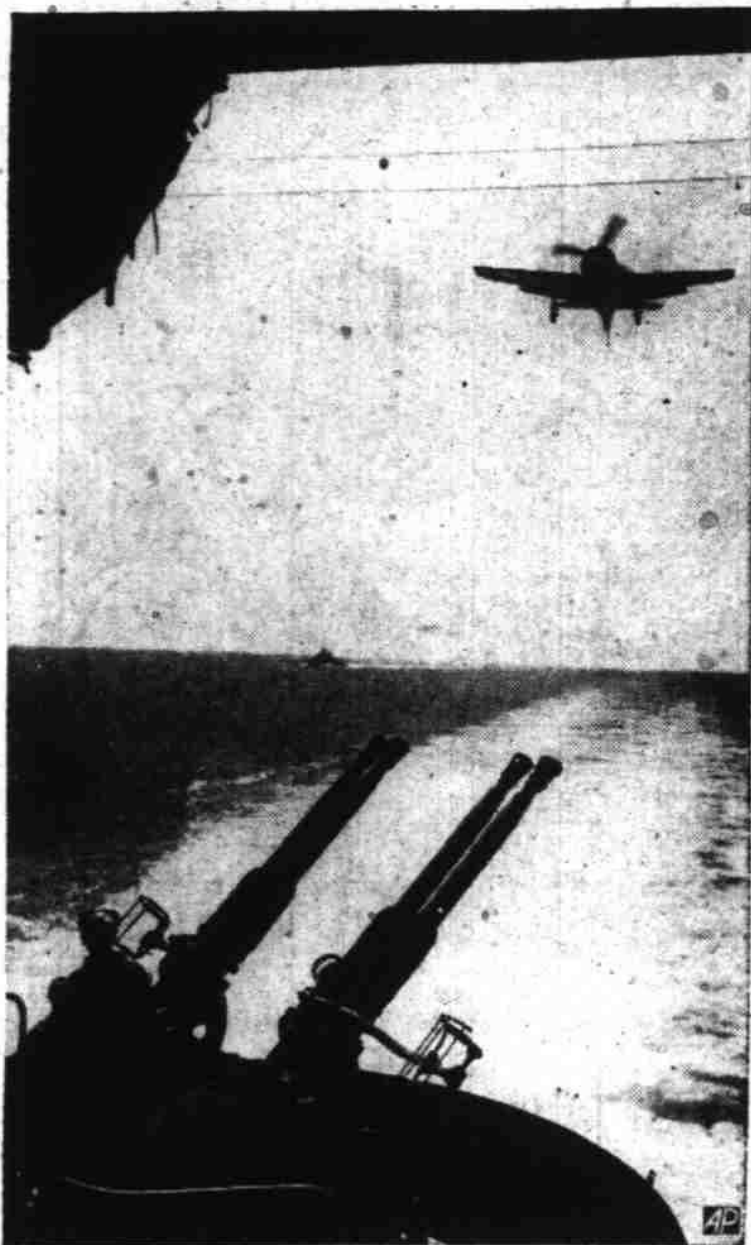
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MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED AT ZALE'S



HOME TO ROOST—A U.S. Navy fighter plane comes in for a landing on the deck of the aircraft carrier Leyte, as the warship plows a wake in the Mediterranean Sea during its recent cruise. Above is the overhang of the flight deck; below, sailors watch from an anti-aircraft gun platform on the carrier's hangar deck.

Negro University Directors Building On Permanent Basis

AUSTIN, May 22 (AP)—While Heman Marion Sweatt's legal fight to enter the University of Texas is in the process of adjudication, the directors of the newly-established Texas State University for Negroes are taking practical steps to give the colored youth of Texas a real university of their own.

They are letting the Sweatt case follow its own course, and meanwhile hope to have running full blast by September an institution of higher learning for Negroes that will afford the same educational opportunities now offered whites.

Some of the directors of the institution feel that the idea has become general over the state that the Texas State University for Negroes is only an emergency or stop-gap nature.

They emphatically insist that such impression is entirely incorrect, and that they are taking both the constitutional and statutory mandates under which the institution was founded at face value to give young Negroes in Texas substantially equal higher education on a long-range basis.

Craig V. Cullinan of Houston, chairman of the Negro university's board of directors, recently endorsed a proposed constitutional amendment designed to give the institution a sound financial basis for such growth. He was speaking for the entire board of five whites and four Negroes.

The proposed amendment, by Rep. Jim Heflin of Houston, would assure general fund appropriations for the school in an amount equal to one-sixth of the income from the University of Texas permanent fund. This underwriting in the state's fundamental law would remove the school from possible future legislative whims, assuring the sort of continued financial support essential to sound, long-distance development in every conceivable field of higher education.

Just one week after their nominations by Gov. Beauford H. Jester had been confirmed by the senate, the bi-racial board met in Austin and named Cullinan chairman. A Negro, Principal Emeritus W. R. Banks of Prairie View university, was made vice-chairman. The members wasted no time digging in on the business of putting into effect the statute enacted earlier in the session of the legislature, under which a total of \$3,000,000 was appropriated for higher education of Negroes in the

next two years.

They started plugging for enactment of another measure by Rep. Heflin, allowing them to accept lands, buildings and other property for the school. Cullinan said this would enable the directors to begin with a "going concern"—the physical properties of the Texas College for Negroes at Houston, which has a current enrollment of 1,800 students.

The directors are not worried about having students. They feel that a first-class institution of the kind they want to give the Negroes of Texas will draw as many students as it can handle. Cullinan believes most Texas Negroes want their own institution of higher learning, and that efforts to discredit the interim law school at Austin mostly stemmed from out of the state.

National Science Bill Considered

WASHINGTON, May 22 (AP)—The House Interstate Commerce Committee moved today to consider legislation establishing a national science foundation, and Senator Smith (R-N.J.) said he will withdraw his motion to have the Senate reconsider the approval it gave such a bill Tuesday.

Smith, chief author of the Senate bill, told reporters he believes he can accomplish the change he desires after the House acts and the measure goes to a House-Senate conference to adjust differences.

Smith told the Senate heavily under a misapprehension for an amendment, approved by a single vote, giving the President sole authority to remove the director of the proposed foundation. As originally presented, the amendment would have given such authority also to the proposed 24-member foundation.

The New Jersey senator said for such a government-financed research program to succeed the foundation itself should have control over its personnel as well as research projects.

FATHER-IN-LAW DIES
WASHINGTON, May 22 (AP)—Rep. Worley (D-Texas) left Washington today after receiving word of the death in Shamrock last night of his father-in-law, Fred S. Oliver.

Bevin Sinned Against Fact, Paper Charges

MOSCOW, May 22 (AP)—The government newspaper Izvestia declared today that British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin's recent report to the House of Commons on the Moscow foreign ministers meeting was "a sinning against fact."

The article, which took up three-quarters of a page, declared that Bevin's statement did not represent a "proper presentation" of facts and declared it could in no way be called a "report" on what took place in the Soviet capital.

The paper also accused Bevin of giving an improper account of conversations anent the proposed revision of the British-Russian treaty of alliance.

"Actually he said nothing about the real state of the Anglo-Soviet talks," Izvestia said. "The situation is that the British side introduced amendments in these talks which do not improve but worsen the present Anglo-Soviet agreement."

Izvestia added that the amend-

ments proposed by the British during the course of the talks, which were conducted coincidentally with the foreign ministers meeting, were "directed at weakening the obligations which exist in the original agreement."

Oiler Co-Owner Fined By Green

A \$50 fine has been assessed against A. D. Ensey, co-owner and business manager of the Odessa Oilers, by Longhorn League President Howard Green, according to reports received here today.

The fine was levied in connection with a disturbance during last Sunday's Odessa-Ballinger game played on the Oiler stadium. Ensey and Manager Stu Williams of Ballinger appeared at a hearing Wednesday in Abilene. Details of the disturbance were not made public.

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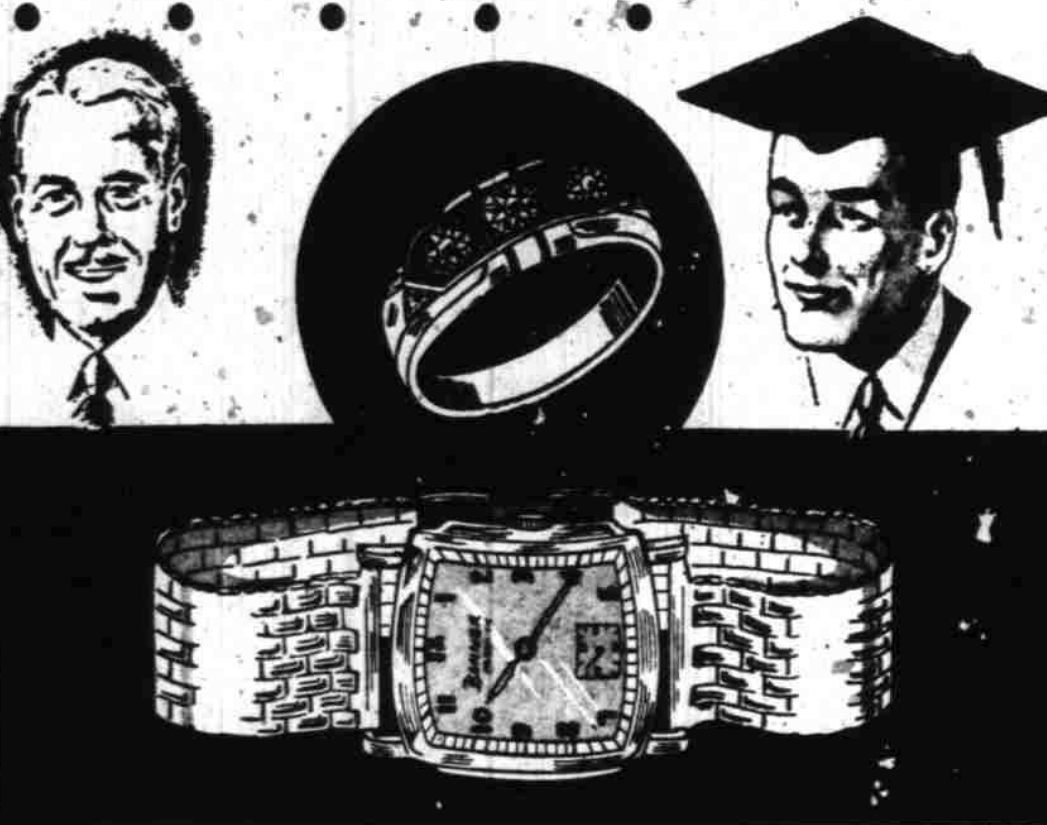
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UN Will Act To Stop Aid For Guerrillas

GENEVA, May 23. (AP)—The 11-nation Balkans investigation commission today formally signed a report to the United Nations Security Council recommending that support of armed bands violating Balkan frontiers should be considered a menace to world peace, subject to action by the U.N.

American and Russian sources said there was no formal vote on this conclusion, but that nine nations favored it. Russia and Poland were opposed.

The informants also said that the commission approved 8 to 2 a section blaming Yugoslavia, primarily, for the support of guerrilla warfare in northern Greece, and declaring that Albania and Bulgaria were blameworthy to a lesser degree. Conditions with Greece were declared a contributing factor.

Along with the 251-page final report, terminating their four-month investigation of Greek frontier incidents, the commission members also ordered transmitted to the security council more than 10,000 pages of records and documents relating to the investigation. The actions were said to have been taken in a closed session of the commission, which came here to write its report for the security council after making an on-the-spot investigation in the Balkans.

The Council's action was taken after Albania, Yugoslavia and Bulgaria had threatened to boycott the UN border group by refusing to cooperate with its members or permit them to cross their frontiers.

Truman Seeks Top-Notch Director For Aid Measure

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—Undersecretary of State Acheson declared emphatically today that there will be no kick back to the British out of the \$400,000,000 Greek-Turkish aid fund.

The British are reported seeking repayment—though not necessarily out of the Greek aid fund—for some \$20,000,000 they have spent since March 31 in helping Greece.

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—President Truman's difficulty in finding a top-notch man to run the new American aid program in Greece threatens some delay in getting the operation underway.

The state department already is reported to be acquiring a \$100,000,000 RFC loan to finance the start of the \$400,000,000 undertaking to buttress Greece and Turkey against any extension of Soviet power over those countries.

But officials made it clear that despite the availability of money and the authority granted by Congress in the bill which Mr. Truman signed yesterday, nothing very substantial can be accomplished until an administrator is appointed and takes over his duties.

Diplomatic officials were hopeful this might be done today. But they were uncertain whether it could be.

At least five men have been considered but for a variety of reasons each has proved unavailable. Inside speculation at the moment centers around Paul Hoffman, president of the Studebaker Corp.

No hitch is anticipated in carrying out the \$100,000,000 Turkish part of the program. That involves mainly supplying military equipment to the Turkish Army under the general supervision of Ambassador Edwin C. Wilson at Ankara.

But the program for Greece is much broader, embracing not only military assistance, but economic rehabilitation as well. In addition to \$300,000,000 under the aid program the Greeks are to receive \$50,000,000 in direct relief funds under a separate bill awaiting the President's signature.

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Hint Of Bribe For Steel Officials Told

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—Charles Margiotti, Pittsburgh lawyer, told a Senate committee today that a client of his, trying to buy steel for resale, was told by a New York lawyer that he would have to pay an extra \$62.50 a ton which would go to executives of "five big steel companies."

Margiotti testified before a senate small business subcommittee investigating the difficulties which small business firms are having in buying steel.

The witness did not name the "big-steel companies." He said he was not accusing any steel executive of anything and had no personal knowledge of any improper practices, but merely was telling what his client was told.

Margiotti called it "an interesting and amazing story — if true."

The client is E. A. Kerschbaum, who testified yesterday that he tried to buy 300,000 tons of steel for resale, but that the deal fell through.

Margiotti said Kerschbaum was informed by Herbert M. Karp, New York lawyer, that Kerschbaum could buy 248,000 tons if he would secretly pay \$62.50 a ton as an "override" for the unnamed steel executives.

Longview High Band To Play In Streets

Longview High school's 75-piece band will visit Big Spring Monday afternoon and present a street concert, the local chamber of commerce was advised today.

The band members have scheduled an overnight stop here on a trip to Carlsbad caverns. They plan to make a short parade here and conclude with a concert.

ERECTOR OF MONUMENT TO FDR OKAYED AFTER HEATED DEBATE

AUSTIN, Tex., May 23. (AP)—Proposed erection of a memorial monument to Franklin D. Roosevelt on the state capitol grounds today had the consent of the House of Representatives.

Fear Lynching As Group Seizes Negro From Jail

Masked, Armed Men In North Carolina Take Rape Suspect

JACKSON, N. C., May 23. (AP)—Sheriff A. C. Stephenson of Northampton county said today Godwin (Buddy) Bush, 24-year-old negro, was taken from the county jail here at 2 a. m. this morning by a group of masked, armed men.

The Negro was held in the jail on a charge of attempted rape. The sheriff said: "I am afraid that a lynching has taken place."

The Negro had been arrested after a young married woman at Rich Square, 12 miles from here, reported an attempt had been made to rape her as she was walking home about 10 p. m.

No clue to his whereabouts has been discovered, the sheriff said since has been taken away by the band which, the officers reported, was made up of white men.

Jackson, county seat of Northampton county in the northeastern part of North Carolina, is approximately 400 miles from Greenville, S. C., where a jury Wednesday night acquitted 28 men accused of lynching a Negro.

The News-Herald at Murfreesboro, a few miles away quoted Jailer E. D. Edwards as saying that three masked men told him, "deliver him or else."

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Economy Ax Swings On Agriculture Funds

FORTUNATE FLIER

LINWOOD, Kas., May 23. (AP)—An unidentified airplane flew low over the Kaw River, crashed through three half-inch electric cables carrying 35,000 volts, and left a power blackout through two villages yesterday.

The plane continued in flight, apparently undamaged, and a check of nearby airports failed to disclose a clue as to its identity.

Judge Sentences Romney To Three Years In Prison

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—Kenneth Romney, former House Sergeant-at-Arms, was sentenced today to serve from one to three years in federal prison on a charge of concealing a \$143,863 shortage in his office accounts.

Defense Attorney William H. Collins announced he will take the case to the United States Court of Appeals. Judge Holtzoff permitted Romney to remain free on \$2,500 bond pending this appeal.

Maximum penalty on the charges of which Romney was convicted a week ago could have ranged up to 30 years in prison and a \$30,000 fine.

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Soil Conservation, Lunch Program Hit

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—The House Appropriations Committee swung its economy axe at the Agriculture Department today, recommending a 32 per cent budget cut.

In sending to the House floor an \$807,143,576 bill to finance the department for the year starting July 1, the committee chopped \$381,427,742 from President Truman's budget estimate.

The amount approved is \$467,542,475 less than the department had to spend this year. It includes \$226,000,000 in loan authorizations and \$10,429,710 in permanent appropriations.

The cuts, if upheld by the house after debate next week, will boost to slightly more than \$2,000,000,000 the total reductions made by the house in its drive to lop \$6,000,000,000 from the President's \$37,100,000,000 budget for 1948.

This is exclusive of a surprise \$642,000,000 "bookkeeping" cut written into a deficiency appropriation bill by the senate appropriations committee and passed by houses without a word of debate earlier this week.

The house committee acted on the agriculture bill after weeks of closed door hearings and after Secretary Anderson insisted that any reductions would impair essential farm services. The estimates submitted, Anderson claimed, were rock-bottom minimums.

But the committee rejected this contention and said in its report that the bill's objective is to make "selective reductions" based upon present and future needs of agriculture.

Of the total recommended reduction, \$148,000,000 was accounted for by transfer from the agriculture department to the treasury's general fund of "section 32" money heretofore allotted for various farm programs, including the school lunch project and conservation payments.

These funds come from customs duties, 30 per cent of which had been earmarked for the agriculture department. The President's budget had contemplated the use of \$100,000,000 of this money for benefit payments to farmers.

The committee said, however, that its action in withholding the "section 32" money should not be taken to mean that similar action should be taken in future years.

The committee also (A) cut out all funds for farm tenant (B) trimmed from \$267,620,754 to \$150,000,000 the funds for soil conservation payments, and (C) entirely eliminate from the bill language that would have authorized a \$200,000,000 soil conservation program for the 1948 crop year.

It ordered a 26 per cent cut (about 130 employees) in public relations and publicity activities of the department and chopped the allotment for the school lunch program from \$76,000,000 to \$45,000,000.

American Personnel Leave Besieged City

NANKING, May 23. (AP)—An American Army plane evacuated the families of the United States and British consuls-general from Changchun today as Chinese dispatches reported communist shells falling in the northern suburbs of the besieged Manchurian capital.

The wife and daughter of the American consul-general and the wife and two daughters of the British consul-general left for Peiping, the US embassy announced here, together with several members of the UNRRA staff.



SAVED FROM DEATH — Charlie Phillips, 31-year-old tenant farmer, examines a pair of his wife's slacks in which a suicide note, purportedly signed by his wife, was discovered a few days before he was scheduled to die for her murder in the North Carolina gas chamber. Phillips is shown in court in Lillington, N. C., after Superior Judge W. H. S. Burgwyn, the same jurist who last September sentenced him to die, granted Phillips a new trial. (AP Wirephoto).

46th B. S. High School Class Graduates Today

The 46th class of the Big Spring high school will be graduated in exercises at 8:30 p. m. today at the city auditorium.

One hundred and twenty-one seniors will be presented as candidates for diplomas, and announcement of honor students and recipients of other awards will be made at the program, which features an address by E. C. Dodd, president of the Howard County Junior College.

Student speakers, using the topic of "Our Opportunity," will be Edna Faye Stevenson and Donald Webb, chosen by the class for the occasion.

An ensemble composed of Patty McCormick, Carolee Raines, Joyce Howard, Leslie Cathey, Jean Conley, Barbara Lytle, Jeanette Kinman, Frances Bigony and Donnie Roberts will sing Vincent Youmans' "Without a Song," and Leslie Cathey will play Johann Strauss' "Blue Danube."

Dodd will speak on "The World is Yours, If—" W. C. Blankenship, superintendent, will preside; Charles Romine, assistant high school principal will introduce candidates; W. L. Reed, principal, will announce awards; and Dr. J. E. Hogan, member of the board, will present diplomas.

Seniors will sing the school song, invocation will be by Dr. C. A. Long, First Methodist pastor, and the (See GRADUATES, Page 2, Column 3)

Cricket Hordes Threaten Crops

ORDNANCE, Ore., May 23. (AP)—The old Oregon Trail Highway was red with crickets on a six-mile stretch west of here today as millions of migrating Mormon crickets moved closed to rich farmlands, despite the efforts of farmers and seagulls.

The seagulls, virtually unknown in this dry wheat country 250 air-line miles from the ocean until they descended in large flocks yesterday, were attacking the northwest flank of the crickets.

Their numbers were insufficient yet, however, to halt the insects, which also were being combated by machines that blew poisoned mesh into their 12-mile front and by frantic farmers who were even pouring oil into irrigation ditches in an attempt to stem the advance.

Lynching Acquittals Stir British Comment

LONDON, May 23. (AP)—South Carolina's lynching acquittals won front page space in Britain's tightly rationed newspapers today and the Daily Express commented: "Trial by jury remains the unwritten law of America's south."

Himmler's Assistant Captured

MUNICH, May 23. (AP)—Brig Gen. Eric Neumann, principal adjutant to Nazi Gestapo chieftain Heinrich Himmler, has been captured in Bavaria after a two-year search by American war crimes investigators.

The SS (Elite Guard) general had been one of the most eagerly sought of German fugitives. He had been commander of security police in Holland and Belgium and also was combat commander of Nuernberg.

He now is in custody of American war crimes prosecutors at Regensburg. He was found using an assumed name and working as a farmer near the Austrian border in the neighborhood of Berchtesgaden.

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Texas Funeral Directors Map Disaster Plan

DALLAS, May 23. (AP)—A disaster plan for Texas funeral directors will be submitted to Gov. Beauford H. Jester for approval, according to J. J. Crane, president of the Dallas Funeral Directors association. He announced the plan following a closed meeting of the profession's leaders here last night. The disaster plan would make the president of the state board of embalming the key man to be notified first from the scene of any disaster, Crane said. Under him, the presidents of each of the nine Texas regions of the funeral directors association would be in charge of each region. At the opening of last night's session, Crane said there are "men in this room who witnessed shameful acts by embalmers at Texas City" and added that their stories would be heard. A Dallas news reporter then was told the facts related would be "off the record." When the reporter declined to agree to such an arrangement he was barred from the meeting. Crane said the disaster plan had the unanimous approval of those at the meeting—four members of the Texas state board of embalming, the president and three other representatives of the Texas Funeral Directors and Embalmers association and 20 Dallas funeral directors and embalmers. Crane said information brought out in the closed meeting disclosed "no grounds for any criticism leveled at funeral directors." He added that "if few petty instances had been 'ironed out,' but that he was not at liberty to discuss that phase further.

Equal Education Opportunities Urged By CIO

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—The CIO, striking out at state differences in educational standards, contended today that the federal government "should be as concerned about the people who cross state lines as about the quality of vegetables and cattle which cross them." Kermit Eby, CIO director of education and research, declared in a statement prepared for a house labor subcommittee that "agricultural products and livestock must meet certain standards of quality—but young men and women are ignored." Supporting a bill to provide federal grants to states for education, he asserted that young people who leave underprivileged areas in search of opportunity for themselves and their children carry with them "their illiteracy and prejudice to the cities in which they settle." "For this reason, if for no other," he said, "a national standard of equal education opportunity is needed—no to protect against the contagion of ignorance, to inoculate against the virus of prejudice." Equalization of education would benefit the whole country, he said, and "would also be fairer to the south where, in spite of low expenditures, the high birth rate forces large numbers, who receive their share in the education, but into other areas, thereby robbing the south of even value received for its expenditures." "Federal aid would surely insure a greater degree of justice to Negroes whose schooling is disgracefully behind even that of the white southern schoolchild. All these things would build a strong America, free from the bonds of ignorance and intolerance."

Bathing Beauty Winner To Be Given Gifts By Local Firms

Jimmy Greene, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, will present the winner of the bathing beauty review with a bouquet of flowers and her title at 2 p. m. Sunday when the municipal swimming pool opens for the season. The review is being sponsored by the High Heel Slipper club. Prizes donated by local business firms include a radio from Zale's, a 21-jewel ladies' wrist watch from Nathan's and a portrait by Culver Studio. The High Heel Slipper Club will present the winner with a compact.

Conciliation Bill May Be Accepted

AUSTIN, May 23. (AP)—Gov. Beauford Jester today was apparently prepared to accept a voluntary industrial conciliation service considerably "watered-down" from what he had originally desired. He expressed hope at his press conference yesterday that the legislature before it adjourns will pass the Nokes bill—even if it wishes to go only that far. The bill by Rep. George Nokes of Corsicana proposes a conciliation service which would empower the state to act as arbitrator in labor-management disputes only if requested to do so by one of the disputing sides. Jester has suggested amending the bill to require compulsory arbitration in industrial disputes which seriously affect the public health, safety and welfare. In jurisdictional strikes; and in disputes over contracts in effect. "No one thus far has been fit to amend the bill. The House has twice declined to act on the bill since the governor has been trying to spur action. Nokes said privately, he would try to get the measure before the House at its next session."

Weather Forecast Dept of Commerce Weather Bureau

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY—Partly cloudy with scattered thundershowers this afternoon. High 78. Low 60. Wind S.W. 10-15. TUESDAY—Partly cloudy with scattered thundershowers this afternoon. High 78. Low 60. Wind S.W. 10-15. WEST TEXAS—Mostly cloudy with scattered thundershowers this afternoon. High 78. Low 60. Wind S.W. 10-15. TEXAS WEST OF THE GREAT PLAINS—Temperatures will average 2 to 4 above the seasonal normal, near normal Saturday with rising trend Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Precipitation generally light scattered thundershowers Monday or Tuesday.

TEMPERATURES table with columns for City, Max, Min. Includes entries for Abilene, Amarillo, Big Spring, Dallas, Denver, El Paso, Fort Worth, Galveston, New York, St. Louis.

New Records Set At Calf Auction

BRYAN, May 23. (AP)—Calves won at the "Houston Fat Stock Show calf scramble were auctioned at prices setting new local records here last night. The calves were exhibited at a stock show given by Brazos County Future Farmers and 4-H club members. The grand champion, shown by Charlie Broach, 15, sold for 54 cents a pound. The reserve champion was shown by Olin Tobias and brought 49 cents. The average price was 40 1/8 cents. All the purchasers were local business firms.

Coahoma FFA Back

COAHOMA, May 23.—Coahoma Future Farmers of America have returned from a brief trip to Christoval. They were accompanied by their teacher, Paul Sweatt, and camped and prepared their own meals beside indulging in swimming, boating, etc.

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Water Rights Hearing Affects Texas Cities

AUSTIN, May 23. (AP)—The first day in a consolidated hearing for water rights to the Texas City and Galveston area will begin Monday before the state board of water engineers. The hearing adjourned yesterday after presentation during the first four days of the application of the San Jacinto river conservation and reclamation district and the request of the American Canal Company to divert Brazos river water to the area. Early next week the board will hear the application of Briscoe Irrigation Company, also a Brazos river diversion. E. V. Speche, chairman of the board, predicted the outcome of the hearing would affect all large Texas cities and industries due to their enormous needs in the future for water. Yesterday H. E. Thompson, vice-president of the Carbide and Carbon chemicals company, said large quantities of water were "imperative" if his company carried out a \$20,000,000 expansion program. D. J. Smith, president of the Pan-American Refinery Company at Texas City, said his company was "in immediate need" of water. Robert H. Chuoke, Galveston water commissioner, said the city was in "grave need."

Sets Speed Mark

MIAMI, Fla., May 23. (AP)—A Lockheed Constellation of the Eastern Airlines spanned the continent in six hours, 49 minutes and 26 seconds last night to set a new California-to-Miami speed record for commercial aircraft.

Forsan Seniors Are Graduated

FORSAN, May 23.—Twelve seniors were graduated Thursday evening from the Forsan high school, and 18 eighth graders will be promoted into high school in 7:30 ceremonies in the school auditorium today.

E. C. Dodd, president of the Howard County Junior College, addressed the graduating class Thursday and diplomas were presented by Harry Miller, president of the board, after G. D. Kennedy, superintendent, had introduced the candidates. Doyle Gilmore, Gwendolyn Oglesby, and Laura Whittenburg, accompanied by Mrs. Wilbur Dunn, sang "The Rosary." Invocation was given by C. V. Wash and the benediction pronounced by J. D. Gilmore. Norman Roberts was announced as valedictorian, Haroldine West as salutatorian, and Bobby Wash as high ranking boy. Walker Bailey, county superintendent, will be the eighth grade speaker this evening, and diplomas will be presented by O. S. Clark, grade school principal.

CHILD, FOUR, DROWNS

BONHAM, May 23. (AP)—Charles Wilson Pearson, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pearson of the Hilger community ten miles northeast of here, drowned last night in a small pool on a neighbor's farm. Class members are Haroldine West, Eva Smith, Bobby Lou Cathcart, Fern Bedell, Norma Roberts, Lavonne Hoard, Bobby Baker, Bobby Wash, Decece Bedell, Stanley Hayhurst and Charles Long.

Russians Agree To 'Briefing' Reporters

SEQUEL, May 23. (AP)—Soviet delegates agreed today to permit Maj. Gen. Albert E. Brown, chief American commissioner, to "informally" brief the press on each meeting of the US-Russian joint commission on Korea without disclosing secret matters. In his first conference with newsmen, Brown said the commission decided to close all meetings to the press "except when both sides agree any specific meeting shall be open."

Searchers Still Hunt Philippines Airplane

MANILA, May 23. (AP)—A vast aerial search for a lost luxury airliner with at least 11 Philippine government officials and crewmen aboard was resumed today after a report that its wreckage had been sighted proved to be false. Maj. Gen. Rafael Jalandoni, Philippine army chief of staff who is directing the search, messaged President Manuel A. Roxas that wreckage spotted yesterday on a Mindanao mountain was that of an old army plane.

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Joycelyn Clark Is Honored At Party

Friends met in the home of Babe Lytle for a slumber party Wednesday night honoring Joycelyn Clark, who is moving to Corpus Christi soon. After a midnight snack, 42 and card games were entertainment. Those present were Joyce Worrell, Bonnie Dempsey, Jean Cornelison, Rhea Roberts, Caroline Hill, Wanda Forrest, Pat Phillips, Donnie Roberts, Tommie Hill, Jane Rice, Billie McClain, the honoree and the hostess.

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Markets

LIVESTOCK PORT WORTH, May 23. (AP)—Cattle: 1,100 calves 350; dressed sales on western basis; slaughter steers and yearlings 13:00-23:00; common, medium and good cows 12:00-17:00; sausage bulls 10:00-15:00; good and choice fat calves available 30:00-22:00; common and medium calves 13:00-19:00. Hogs: 300; butchers' hogs steady to 20-25; choice hogs 180-450 lb 22-25; 23:00; good and choice 150-175 lb 22-25; 23:00; sows 17:50-18:50. Sheep: 7,500; head sheep 25-30c; lower other Killins classes steady; feeders weak to lower; medium and good spring lambs 13:00-21:00; choice lambs 22-25; medium to good shorn lambs 16:00-18:50; common shorn lambs 11:00-15:00; medium and good shorn and choice 7:50-9:00; shorn lambs 14:00 down.

WALL STREET NEW YORK, May 23. (AP)—Individual recoveries persisted in today's stock market but bidding was exceptionally timid and scattered leaders down in moderately lower territory. Dealings reverted to sluggishness after a fairly active opening. Bonds advanced here and there before midday and gains of fractions to a point or so held the majority near the fourth hour.

COTTON NEW YORK, May 23. (AP)—Cotton futures at noon were 5 cents a bale lower to 30 cents higher than the previous close. July 34.12, Oct 29.68, Dec 28.54.

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(Continued from page One) benediction will be by the Rev. Cecil Rhodes, pastor of West Side Baptist church. Mrs. LaVon Aaron will play the processional and recessional.

Candidates include Christine Anderson, Athal Atkins, Jackie Wallace Barron, Rosalyn Beale, Martha Bearden, Charles Biddison, Frances Bigony, Bill Blalack, Bonnie Byers, Betty Jo Burns, W. A. Eytum, Aileen Rose Cahoon, Joycelyn Clark, Marion Milton Casey, Betty Cathron, Wanda Clanton, Bonnie Coates, Leslie Cathey, Jean Cornelison, Lavada Crupud, Mary Louise Davis, Bonnie Joyce Dempsey, R. F. Doe, Janice Dunagan, Preston Dunbar, Pauline Ennis, Johnny Ervin, Johanna Forrest.

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Billie Joe Watkins, Sonia Weaver, Donald Webb, Harry Weeg, Jr., Richard Weinkauf, Mary Ann Whitaker, Bobbie Lea Wilmuth, Donald Jay Wood, Marvin Wright, Billie Gene Younger, Billy Plew, Horace Rankin, George Worrell.

Heavy Rainfall Hits South Texas

By The Associated Press May flowers are getting a drenching today in the Panhandle and all of Texas from Waco southward, the Weather Bureau said. Widely scattered thundershowers are predicted over most of the state tomorrow, with cooler weather in the South Plains later today. Warmest spot yesterday was Presidio with 97 degrees. Coolest today were Amarillo and Pampa with 50 degrees.

Berlin Policemen Uncover Fats Racket

BERLIN (AP)—A new racket to obtain fats which are scarce and strictly rationed has been uncovered by Berlin police. Stores have been warned against men posing as controllers for the Municipal Food department who have been demanding samples of butter and margarine for "inspection," and then walking off with the samples, allegedly for laboratory tests.

Sheep, Stocker Cattle Sell On Strong Market

Sheep and stocker cattle sold on a strong market at regular scheduled sales of the West Texas Livestock Auction company this week, and sheep receipts registered a sizeable gain.

Approximately 975 head of sheep went through the ring Thursday, and prices compared favorably with those in larger market centers.

Stocker cattle showed some gains Tuesday, with Hereford cows and calves topping at \$187 a pair, a new high for this area.

The market for the week:

Cattle—Hereford cows and calves, \$120 to \$187 a pair; mixed cows and calves, \$90 to \$150; fat cows, 14.00-17.00; cut fat yearlings, 18.00-20.00; fat calves, 19.00-23.00; stocker cows, 12.00-14.00; stocker yearlings, 18.00-20.10; stocker calves, 19.00-20.00; ewes and cutters, 8.00-13.00; bulls, 12.50-15.50.

Fifty head of hogs brought 23.10.

Sheep—Ewes and lambs, 14.00-23.50; ewes and aged wethers, 9.00-12.00; spring lambs, 18.00-20.00; short lambs, 15.00-17.50; seed bucks, 4.50-6.50.

Decline In Retail Food Prices Seen

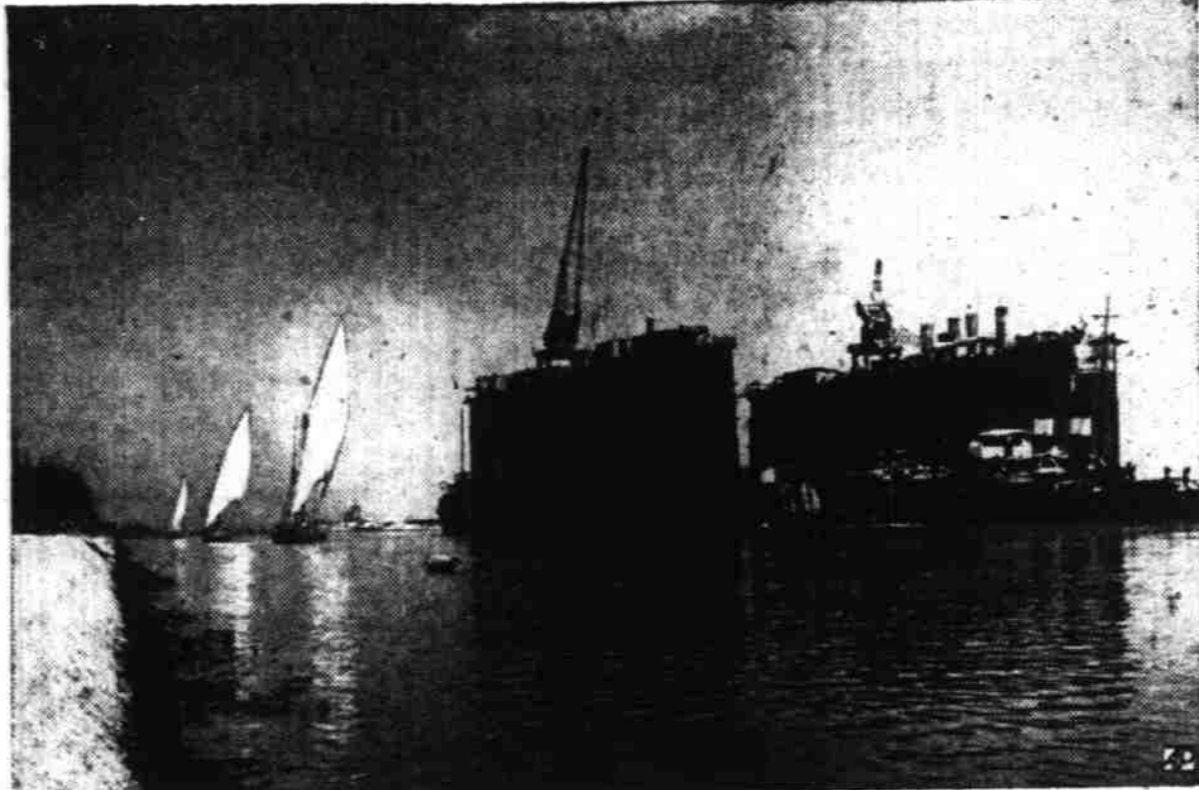
WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—The Bureau of Agriculture Economics is standing firm on its earlier forecasts that retail food prices will decline somewhat during the summer and fall.

In a review of the national food situation issued today, the bureau said foods likely to become cheaper include evaporated milk, cheese, most fresh and processed fruits and vegetables, fish and cereal products.

The agency said retail prices of butter, fluid milk and cream, potatoes, and canned citrus products may remain substantially unchanged.

Sugar and meats, it said, are more likely to advance in price within the few months than are other major foods. Price control on sugar will expire Oct. 31 unless extended by congress. The bureau said that stocks of sugar at that time are usually low—a fact which, it said, would exert an upward pressure on prices if controls expire.

The bureau said overall food production this year may be even greater than in the last three years, but that output of poultry products, fresh and processed vegetables, potatoes, and sweet potatoes are expected to be low in 1946.



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Craddock To Get Silver Star Medal

A Silver Star decoration has been forwarded to the local U.S. Army recruiting station for Billy D. Craddock, who will receive it in a formal ceremony in his hometown in the near future.

Craddock earned the medal for displaying gallantry in action in Germany Jan. 19, 1945 while a member of the 104th Infantry. According to the citation, Craddock, attached to the Medical Corps of the 104th Infantry, crossed a mine infested battle field to rescue several injured soldiers.

M. Sgt. David Lillard, in charge of the local station, said Capt. Eugene Saffold, sub-district recruiting commander, would probably pin the medal on Craddock.

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Question Of Injunctions In Labor Tieups Is Pondered In Congress

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—The question of whether to let private employers obtain injunctions against some kinds of labor tieups bobbed up today for another round of congressional discussion.

This time the issue confronted the House-Senate conference committee which is reconciling a similar provision on the separate labor bills passed by the two chambers.

The House bill authorizes employers to seek injunctions in some instances. The Senate, in considering its measure, rejected a similar provision and decided to let the National Labor Relations Board petition for court orders against:

1. Jurisdictional strikes—the most common kind result from a fight between unions as to which should be given work.
2. Secondary boycotts—a union attempt to hit indirectly against an employer by forcing other employers to quit doing business with him.

A majority of the Senate conferees is dead set against the House procedure for dealing with these practices. Two members of the House delegation—Reps. Hartley (R-NJ) and Landis (R-Ind)—have expressed willingness to abandon the employer injunction provision.

But Landis told a reporter he is opposed to one section of the Senate set-up for handling by the NLRB. It authorizes the board to compel arbitration of a jurisdictional dispute unless the parties voluntarily settle their quarrel to the board's satisfaction within 10 days.

This is the only instance where compulsory arbitration—submission of a dispute to a third party who makes a binding decision—is authorized in either bill. There is no provision for it in connection with the major strike issues—wages, hours or working conditions.

Landis said he had received protests against the Senate provision "from both business and labor." He added:

"I don't want to vote for compulsory arbitration in any form, whether on major strikes or not."

Court Convicts State Official

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—A Federal District Court jury has convicted Carl Aldo Marzani, former State Department official, of making false statements to conceal Communist affiliations from government investigators.

Justice Richmond B. Keach permitted the 35-year-old Italian-born Marzani to remain at liberty while his attorney prepares a motion for a new trial.

The maximum penalty under the jury's verdict late yesterday could be 110 years in prison and a \$10,000 fine.

The government charged Marzani made the false statements to the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Civil Service Commission and the State Department in order to keep his job.

Specifically he was accused of denying falsely that he was a member of the Communist Party, attended its meetings in New York, used the party alias Tony Whales and made speeches against the draft.

Government witnesses identified him as a Communist Party official in New York who once made a speech declaring "the time is ripe for revolution in this country."

Marzani testified he was a Williams College Phi Beta Kappa and a graduate of Oxford who helped pick the targets for the Doolittle raid on Tokyo.

Probing Land Holding List

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—The Senate hearing on the 160-acre limitation of the reclamation law took a recess today to permit Senator Downey (D-Calif.) to investigate a list of large land holdings in the Central Valley of California.

Downey expressed his opinion that the reclamation bureau list is "fallacious," and announced that he had sent Boyd Stewart, Olema, Calif., rancher, to California to make an inquiry.

Stewart previously has testified before the subcommittee as a proponent of Downey's bill to exempt the Central Valley project in California, the San Luis Valley project in Colorado and the Valley Gravity Canal in Texas from the law prohibiting delivery of water from a federal reclamation project to more than 160 acres in a single ownership.

Downey told the subcommittee yesterday he considered the list of 34 owners holding 748,000 acres a "misrepresentation" of the situation. The list was submitted by Paul H. Johnstone, Sacramento regional economist of the bureau.

Two More Japs. Go On Trial For Prison Cruelties

YOKOHAMA, May 23. (AP)—Two more Japanese went on trial before U.S. Eighth Army military commissions today. Both pleaded innocent to war crimes charges.

Former Lt. Nagayasu Kawabe denied taking Red Cross supplies and permitting persons under his command to torture numerous allied prisoners at camp number four in the Sendai area.

One alleged victim—Staff Sgt. Harold L. Miller, Box 43, Moline, Kas—is scheduled to appear as a witness against Kawabe. Others whom Kawabe's men assertedly mistreated included Capt. Lundy L. Zeigler, Wichita Falls, Tex., Lt. Maxwell Humble, San Antonio, Tex., and James William Hallbert, Winnipeg, Canada.

Action On Relief Fund Bill Being Sought

WASHINGTON, May 23. (AP)—Rep. Ritzley (R-Okla.) said today he was informed that House Appropriations committee decision sometime next week on legislation providing relief funds for the tornado stricken areas in Oklahoma and Texas.

Ritzley is author of a bill which would appropriate \$2,500,000 for rehabilitation, reconstruction and relief work in the Woodward, Okla., area.

Rep. Worley (D-Tex) introduced legislation asking \$5,000,000 for the entire area in Texas and Oklahoma, including Woodward, which was damaged by a tornado several weeks ago.

Columbus, Miss., was the site of the first Decoration Day celebration.

Distribution Men For Phillips Meet

West Texas distribution personnel for the Phillips Petroleum company met at the Settles hotel Wednesday afternoon for a general sales conference.

Seventy-nine distribution employees from 11 cities and towns attended the event, which was climaxed with a banquet Wednesday night.

Phillips officials here for the conference included Fred Cordell, Bartlesville, Okla., assistant sales manager; H. O. Starks, Amarillo, division manager; J. A. Whitley, Paul Hunt, P. D. Berthelet, assistant division managers from Amarillo; W. C. George, Amarillo, merchandise manager; W. O. Stephens, Amarillo, division credit manager; Marvin Earhart, Amarillo, division public relations manager.

Distributors' representatives were present from Abilene, Sweetwater, San Angelo, Midland, Odessa, Pecos, Fort Stockton, Seagraves, Andrews, Lamesa and Big Spring.

Journalism Head For Baylor Appointed

WACO, May 23. (AP)—New chairman of the Journalism Department at Baylor University here, effective September 1, will be Prof. Byron E. Ellis, chairman of the Department of Journalism at Los Angeles City College since 1931, Baylor President Pat M. Neff announced.

Present head of the department is Frank E. Burkhalter, who is retiring June 1 after having held down the position since Sept. 1, 1929.

Reverend Lewis Asks Stress On Worship Study

Representatives from the St. Mary's Episcopal church Tuesday evening heard the Rev. Arnold Lewis, executive secretary of the Laymen's Movement of the Episcopal church, tell clergy and laymen that new emphasis should be placed on worship, study, service and active evangelism.

The Rev. Lewis addressed a North Texas district meeting held at Seaman Hall, Lubbock. In the afternoon he addressed the clergy on the work that the national council of the Episcopal church desires to execute in every mission and parish, beginning in the fall of 1947.

Wednesday the executive committee set the budget for 1948 and developed plans for advancement of work within the district. Sufficient funds have been guaranteed to assure a full time chaplain to work among the Episcopal students at the Texas Technological college. In addition, a full time priest is to be placed in charge of the St. John's church at Odessa.

Attending from Big Spring were O. V. Christoffers, F. W. H. Werner, Jr., lay delegates from the St. Mary's Episcopal church, and the Rev. Charles Abeje, rector of St. Mary's.

Son Of Mayor Dabney Receives Promotion

Chesney Dabney, son of Mayor and Mrs. G. W. Dabney, has been given another promotion by F. W. Woolworth company, for whom he has been serving as store manager at Visalia, Calif.

At the time he was planning a vacation trip home, he was instructed to proceed to Seattle, Washington where he is to be manager of a larger store. Chesney entered employ of the company here approximately seven years ago as stockroom worker. Subsequently, he was transferred to Los Angeles, Calif. and became assistant manager before he entered the army. Upon his discharge, he was made manager at Visalia.

Ackerly Junior Play Tonight

ACKERLY, May 22.—Final activity of the school year will be the junior play, "Aaron Slick from Punkin Creek," presented tonight at 8 o'clock at the school auditorium.

Members of the cast include: Clay Ingram (Aaron), Bertie Hinson (Mrs. Berry), Barbara Archer (Six Riggs), Forrest Criswell (city slicker), Glendene Hanks (city gal), Louie Moore (Clarence the detective).

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Twenty-Eight Big Spring Girl Scouts Plan To Attend Camp

Twenty-eight Big Spring Girl Scouts have registered to attend the West Texas Girl Scout Area camp to be held at Camp Tonkawa near Abilene, July 6 to August 3, announced Mrs. H. W. Smith Friday.

Mrs. Smith attended an area camp committee session at Sweetwater Tuesday. Members of the committee were looking for ways and means of serving the growing demand for camping for West Texas girls. Over 300 girls have expressed desires to attend camp this summer.

Announcement of the camp staff was made at the committee meeting by Mrs. Robert Koger, Lamesa, who is in charge of securing a staff. They are Mrs. Floyd Gentry, Mrs. J. S. Thornham, Mrs. Walter Jarrett, Mrs. Edwin Miller, Mrs. F. L. Marvin, Mrs. J. C. Patterson, Mrs. E. A. Piller, and Mrs. C. B. Oates of Abilene; Mrs. H. W. Smith, and Arad Phillips of Big Spring; Mrs. George Gannaway and Mrs. C. W. Test of Rotan; Mrs. Ray Hendricks of Roscoe; Mrs. Milton Edwards and Mrs. L. T. Nelson of Sweetwater; and Mrs. Jane Mitcham of Brownwood. Mrs. Eugene Pearce of Abilene will serve as dietitian and Mrs. Bill Snively of Sweetwater will be nurse. Betty Jo Pearce of Abilene will serve as a member of the waterfront staff.

Big Spring Girl Scouts who plan to attend the camp are Vona Beth Nutt, Nancy Lee Smith, Barbara Lee Smith, Melva Jane Ray, Janet Lovett, Marybeth Jenkins, Joyce Gound, Mary Frances McClain, Jo Ann Smith, Betty Jo Earley, Billie Kathleen Carr, Anna

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Jane Watson Given Picnic On Birthday

Jane Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watson, was honored with a picnic party at the park on her ninth birthday Thursday afternoon. Games were entertainment.

Mrs. Watson was assisted by Martha Frazer, Nell Brown, Mr. and Mrs. K. M. McGibbon, Billy Bob Watson and Mr. Watson.

Those attending were Sally Cowper, Kendra and Kay McGibbon, Janice Nalley, Frances Reagan, Pricilla Ponds, Joyce Edwards, Marilyn Mull, Peggy and Janet Hogan, Maxine Rosson, Anna Mae Thorp, Mary Ann Leonard, Linda Smith, Beverly Edwards, Barbara Meador, Jacqueline Smith, Julie Rainwater and Cecilia McDonald.

Rev. Walker To Speak At Nazarene Church

Rev. W. B. Walker, district superintendent of the Abilene district, will speak at 11 a. m. Sunday at the Church of the Nazarene, Fourth and Austin.

Sunday school will be held at 9:45 a. m. and young people's society will meet at 7:15 p. m. Rev. W. R. McClure, pastor, will preach at 8 p. m. on "A Personal Pentecost."

Final Revue Set For Sunday By Pre-School

An informal dance and rhythm band revue is scheduled for 4 p. m. Sunday at the city auditorium to complete a series of three programs presented by the Farrar Pre-School.

The program will feature a complete ballet, "In the Jeweler's Window" given by a group of older girls.

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"Jesus Wounded In The House Of His Friends"

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The nursery is to be kept open for both worship services. Parents may feel free to bring their children as an attendant will be with them at all times.

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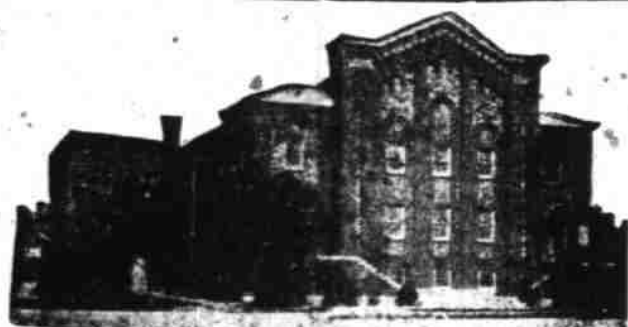
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WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting 7:30 P. M.

THURSDAY

Ladies' Bible Class 10:00 A. M.



Morning Worship 11:00 to 12:00 (KBST)

"THE STARTLING QUESTION" Hebrews 2:3

Evening Worship 8:00 to 9:00

"SAD UTTERANCE" John 5:40 Vacation Bible School begins Monday, May 26th, continuing through June 20th for children between the ages of three through sixteen. Mr. Ernest Hock, superintendent, will be assisted by sixty workers.

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Kid Party Given For Coahoma Group

Mrs. Jim Hodnett and Mrs. V. H. Wolf entertained the Coahoma seniors with a kid party in the yard of Mrs. Willis Winters Wednesday evening. Mrs. Pearl Adams registered the guests.

Roses and larkspur were decoration on the refreshment tables placed in the yard.

Mrs. Hodnett directed the games played during the evening.

Refreshments were served to seniors Raphael Buchanan, Faye Barr, Gaye Barr, Ovella Shirley, Weldon Covert, Bobb Kiser, Wayne DeVaney, Margie Raye Woodson, Patsy Wolf, Ben Cockrell, Jane White, Pete Hull, Rae Neil Hale, Frances Bartlett, Betty Joyce Woodson, Nelda Deeds, Ted Fowler, Bobby West, Vernon Wolf, Betty Kidd, Pat Turner, Corrine Bewley, Wanda Crain, Helen Engle and Vel Pearl Reed.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Brown, Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Cockrell, Rebecca and Sarah Cockrell, Jackie Wolf, Mrs. Loyd Brannon and Wanda, Dan Boone, Tom Brannon, Richard Read, Mr. and Mrs. George Read, Rev. and Mrs. C. O. Watts, Lynn Hodnett, Everett and Eula Bell Self, Mike Brown, Buddy Barr, Frank and Leon Curbie, Bill Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Harding, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Buchanan, Mrs. Pearl Adams, Mrs. L. M. Barr, Margaret Holley, Gerlene Adams, LaRoy Shafer, Norma Barr, Ray Fortson, Binie White, Mr. and Mrs. Binie White, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hodnett, Jim Tom and Jeninne.

First Advance Meet For Salvation Army Bible School Set

The first of a series of three planning meetings for Vacation Bible school will be held at the Dora Roberts citadel of the Salvation Army at 8 p. m. today. Subsequent advance meetings will be May 30 and June 6, said Capt. O'ly Sheppard.

Date of the school has been fixed for June 9-20.

Teachers will help work out a tentative plan for enrollment, which leaders hope will reach 175, and a survey will be made of a 62-block area to enlist students. On the staff are Mrs. (Capt.) Ruth Sheppard, Mrs. Franklin Lazenby, Mrs. Beatrice Davidson, Marvin Wright, Charles Wright, Dolores Sanderson, Virginia Davidson, Roxie Benton, Betty Louffe Roberts, Mrs. Zora Harrison, Capt. Sheppard.

Dr. Morgan Directs Bible Conferences

Dr. F. Crossley Morgan will direct Bible conference under the sponsorship of the Big Spring Pastors' Association beginning Sunday, June 1.

The general theme of the conference will be "Some Great Scenes in the Life of Our Lord."

Dr. Morgan, who appeared in Big Spring once before, was born in London, England. He resigned his pastorate in Concord, N. Car. in 1944 in order to devote his full time to Bible conference work.

Morning subjects for the conference here will be a systematic and consecutive study of the Book of the Hebrew Prophet Habakkuk. His first regular topic will be "A Scene in the Porches of Bethesda and its Sequel." His second sermon of the first day will be "A Scene in the Home of Simon the Pharisee."

The services are to be held at the First Presbyterian church with the exception of the Wednesday, June 4, sermon which will be at the First Baptist church at 8 p. m. Study will also be held each morning at 10 o'clock.

Various churches will be in charge of the music.

Semper Fidelis YWA Studies Manual

Anita Cate was hostess to the Semper Fidelis YWA in her home Tuesday evening when the YWA manual was studied and a trip to Christoval was discussed.

Miss Cate brought the devotional and Mrs. Dick Dav's led with prayer.

Refreshments were served to Olene Leonard, Ethelyn Rainey, Toka Williams, Edna Anderson, Ada Mary Leonard, Leta Thomson, Katherine Patterson, Mrs. Davis, Jo Nelle Sikes, Billie Kenyon, Georgia Wise, Bobbie Sanders and Miss Cate.

The next meeting will be in the home of Georgia Wise at 605 Main.

Lutherans To Join In Dedication Of New Midland Church

All services at the St. Paul's Lutheran church will be suspended here Sunday to permit the congregation to join in the dedication of the Grace Lutheran church at Midland.

The Rev. O. H. Horn, pastor of the St. Paul's church, will deliver the dedicatory service at Midland, speaking on "The Christ and Him Crucified - the Only Message," based on I Cor. 2:2. The Rev. Gilbert Becker is pastor of the Midland church. All attending will be guests of the Midland congregation for dinner Sunday. Teachers meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. and lectures on Christian doctrine at 8 p. m. Wednesday will be held as usual at St. Paul's church.

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Fall of the Northern Kingdom HIGHLIGHTS ON THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL

(The International Uniform Lesson on the above topic for May 25 is II Kings 5:1-15; 15:8-17:41; Isaiah 28:1-4, the Memory Verse being Psalm 46:1, "God is our refuge and strength. A very present help in trouble.")

"Now NAAMAN, captain of the horse of the king of Syria, was a great man with his master, and honorable, because by him the Lord had given deliverance until Syria; he was also a mighty man in valour, but he was a leper."

In one of the raids made by the Syrians, the soldiers had brought a little Israelite maiden as a captive, and she waited on Naaman's wife. "And she said unto her mistress, Would God my lord were with the prophet that is in Samaria! for he would recover him of his leprosy."

Someone told the master what the little girl had said, and the king of Syria wrote a letter to the king of Israel telling him that he, the king of Syria, was sending his servant, Naaman, to him to be cured of leprosy. The king of Israel read the letter and tore his robe, saying, "Am I God, to kill and to make alive, that this man doth send unto me, to recover a man of leprosy? Wherefore consider I pray you, and see how he seeketh a quarrel against me."

When Elisha heard that the King had rent his clothes and thought the king of Syria was trying to pick a quarrel with him, he said, "Let him come now to me, and he shall know that there is a prophet in Israel."

Naaman Goes to Elisha So Naaman came to Elisha with his horses and his chariot and gifts, and stood at Elisha's door. Now Elisha did not come down to see Naaman himself, but he sent a messenger to him, telling him to go to the river Jordan, wash himself in the water, seven times, and he would be clean.

Naaman flew into a rage at this message. Probably he felt he had not been shown the proper respect due to one of his station because Elisha had not come to talk with him. "Behold, I thought, he will surely come out to me, and stand, and call on the name of the Lord his God, and strike his hand over the place."

Coahoma Residents Visit, Entertain

COAHOMA, May 23. (Sp.) — Mrs. E. G. Culley left Monday for Houston where she will visit with her mother for two weeks. Rev. Culley will join her there June 1, as he has accepted a call to the Denver Heights Presbyterian church in Houston. Rev. Culley has served as the pastor of the local Presbyterian church for the past two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loveless spent last week-end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Loveless of the Spade community.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Guthrie this week is Mrs. Guthrie's sister, Mrs. Walker Crump of Ropesville and a nephew, Joe Bailey Crump and wife of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wolf of Baltimore, Md. visited with Coahoma relatives here Tuesday. They were enroute to Coolidge, Ariz., to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wolf.

Mrs. Paul Woodson, Mrs. Tom Birkhead and Mrs. J. D. Spears recently visited friends and relatives in Midland and Odessa.

Tuesday climaxed Coahoma school picnicking when two bus loads of first, second and third grade students with teachers and room mothers spent the morning at the Big Spring city park. The afternoon was spent at the picture show.

The Presbyterian auxiliary met at the church Tuesday for their annual birthday program and party. Mrs. W. T. Barber was in charge of the program on "Brothers or Bombs." Mrs. Charles Read, president, presided during the business and Mrs. Arnold Johnson read news letters and checked the roll.

Mrs. Frank Loveless opened the meeting with a prayer and the closing prayer was offered by Mrs. Barber.

Refreshments were served from a lace covered table centered with a birthday cake. Mrs. R. Y. Guthrie and Mrs. H. T. Hale presided. Those attending were Mrs. Charles Read, Mrs. Arnold Johnson, Mrs. C. H. DeVaney, Mrs. L. H. Stamps, Mrs. Bruce Mayfield, Mrs. Truett DeVaney, Agnes Barnhill, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Frank Loveless and Mrs. W. T. Barber.

Special Ceremony Held By Troop 6

An investiture ceremony was held by Girl Scout Troop 6 Tuesday afternoon at the First Baptist church. Five girls receiving their pins were Mary Jack Drake, Delores Hagood, Martha Jo Bedford, Annabel Boutwell and Peggy Ridgway.

The colors were presented by Janice Anderson, flag bearer, and Delores Hagood and Anna Mae Thorp were the color guard.

The girls prepared refreshments following the ceremony and served to their mothers who were guests. Mothers attending were Mrs. R. C. Clark, Mrs. Cochran, Mrs. M. E. Anderson, Mrs. H. G. Keaton, Mrs. M. N. Thorp and Mrs. Drake.

Other Scouts present were Mary Sue Blankenship, Nancy Clark, Margie Beth Keaton, Martha Jean Neil, Vona Beth Nutt, Maxine Williams, Mrs. Bob Adams and Mrs. L. E. Phillips, troop leaders, were present.

And recover the leper," he said. And as for the river Jordan, why could he not wash in one of the rivers of Syria and be clean? They were much less muddy than the Jordan. However, his servants, who seem to have been fond of him, said, "My father, if the prophet had bid thee do some great thing, wouldst thou not have done it? How much rather than, when he saith to thee, Wash, and be clean."

That must have seemed like commonsense to Naaman, so he went to the river Jordan, dipped himself seven times in the water, and "His flesh came again like unto the flesh of a little child, and he was clean."

Naaman went back to Elisha and offered him gifts, but he would take nothing, so Naaman told him he would offer no more sacrifices to strange gods, but only to the Lord.

Fall of the Kingdom This story of the healing of the captain by the power of God is the first part of our lesson; the rest deals with the fall of the northern kingdom because of the people's wickedness and disobedience to God. As we noted in our last lesson, Israel rose to its height in power and prosperity in the reign of Jeroboam II. This monarch was followed by his son, Zechariah, who was murdered after a six months' reign, by Shallum, who reigned for only one month and was killed by Menahem. At this time Tiglath-pileser, king of Syria, invaded the kingdom of Israel and exacting an enormous tribute from the king of the new weakened empire.

The king took the money from the wealthy men of his kingdom who had piled up fortunes when Jeroboam II was king.

Menahem was succeeded by his son, Pekahiah, who was assassinated by Pekah. Pekah opposed the Assyrians, but he was slain by Hoshea I and his followers. He was a tool of Assyria.

Isaiah, the prophet, prophesied the downfall of Israel, saying "Woe to the crown of pride, to the drunkards of Ephraim, whose glorious beauty is a fading flower, which are on the head of the fat valleys of them that are overcome with wine. The crown of the pride, the drunkards of Ephraim, shall be trodden under feet. And the glorious beauty, which is on the head of the fat valley, shall be a fading flower, and as the hasty fruit before the summer; which when he that looketh upon it seeth, while it is yet in his hand he eateth it up."

Hoshea was a wicked king, although not as bad as some of the others. It was during his reign that Israel fell. Hoshea was taken captive and held a hostage for the payment of tribute, and the hordes of Assyrians poured into Israel. Samaria was besieged, and although it held out for three years, it was finally captured and the Israelites were carried off into slavery once more. This took place in 722 B.C.

Seniors Honored At Open House In Underwood Home

Approximately 100 seniors attended an open house in the Alton Underwood home, 1601 Main, Thursday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock when five hostesses entertained. Hostesses were Mrs. Bill Younger, Mrs. Roy Cornelison, Mrs. Hershel Petty, Mrs. Harold Meador and Mrs. Underwood.

The afternoon was spent in signing annuals on the lawn of the backyard.

A black and gold color scheme was carried out in refreshments and decorations. The register and party napkins were gold engraved in black. The entertaining rooms were decorated with spring flowers of amaryllis, snap dragons and carnations.

The refreshment table was covered with a lace cloth and centered with a punch bowl encircled with an arrangement of roses.

High Heel Slipper Club Has Annual Spring Formal

A spring theme and pastel colors were carried out in decorations for the High Heel Slipper club's annual spring formal held Thursday evening at the Country Club.

A pastel umbrella hung from the center ceiling with colored streamers above the doors of the ballroom.

Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harris, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wright, Mrs. Shirley Robbins and Mrs. Herbert Whitney.

Approximately 100 couples and 50 stags attended the invitation affair.

Representatives Attend Banquet

Maymie Mayfield and Jewel Barton attended a banquet in Kermit Thursday night marking the presentation of a charter to the newly organized Business and Professional Women's club of Kermit. The new club has a roll of 101 charter members.

Miss Barton, who is incoming district director, represented district 8. She also attended the installation of officers held by the Monahans club Tuesday night.

The charter was presented the Kermit club by Marguerette Anderson of Abilene, incoming State president. Miss Anderson was introduced by Fannie Beth Taylor, of Midland, State finance chairman. Miss Taylor spoke on objectives of the B&PW clubs. Mrs. Rossa Maples, president, was in charge of the session.

The Kermit Chamber of Commerce manager, Lions club president, County Judge, School Superintendent and a representative of the American Association of University Women were present to congratulate the organization and offered the club their support and co-operation.

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Disagree, If You Like, But Don't Ban

Americans are funny people. In the same breath they proudly boast of their right to say whatever they please, and then to proclaim that "there ought to be a law" controlling something they do not approve.

Certainly there is a need for progressive movement of legal machinery, else there would be no need for our legislative assemblies. The danger is not alone in cumulative effects, but in trends such as controls begetting controls. Most of these are in the realm of material things, and while they produce more beating of the breast than any other thing, they are not as pernicious as the philosophy which would ban or restrict ideas.

"Not all this gets into the realm of law. Some of it reaches alarming proportions

in private realms. For instance, some folks in the Midwest, weary of Charles Chaplain's cinematic flops and sordid extra-curricula activities, proposed a mass ban on his latest picture. More recently, clamors have gone up to prevent Henry Wallace from speaking. Some would boycott recognized artists because of race or political views. Others, had they the power, would close news columns and radio to Westbrook Pegler and Drew Pearson.

But why should there be a desire on the part of anyone to ban anyone else from speaking or expressing ideas short of treason or lewdness? Was it not Voltaire who said "I disagree with everything you say, but I will defend until death your right to say it?"

Maintaining Virtue Of Home Ties

Surely most people have a sympathetic interest these days in the vigil that is maintained over the failing and aged mother of the President of the United States.

Except that her son has risen to the highest office in the nation, Mrs. Martha Truman might be an obscure but devout Missouri woman. But this is beside the point. There is more in the matter than the President and his mother. There is an expression of the respect and love with which men hold their mothers, even those in the highest places.

It would be far more practical to carry on the affairs of state in Washington than

from Kansas City and Grandview, Mo., but somehow there is a refreshing note in the fact that a son, no matter how busy or how beset with responsibility, will transfer the scene of his activities in order to be near the woman who bore and reared him in an hour of crisis.

Perhaps this is an object lesson to many another busy man throughout the nation. Too often the affairs of business keep a person chained at his desk or counter until a death notice tears him away, and even then some cannot throw off the bonds of slavery to work. It's a small thing, and yet it is important for home ties represent one of the virtues which sets us apart.

The Nation Today—James Marlow—

Easy Pickings In Drug Racket

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Crooks and crackpots find easy pickings in citizens looking for a quick cure.

A government agency, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), is trying to stop them. It can do this because there's a law against selling healing devices that pretend to work cures they can't work.

This week one of the FDA heads, Charles W. Crawford, an associate commissioner, said: "At present there is an epidemic of serious violations by unscrupulous adventurers in the business of selling cure-all therapeutic devices."

"During the past year or so we have had to deal with scores of contraptions of this kind." These are some of the stories told at FDA headquarters here: There was a man who built a

fancy machine with a strong electric light inside.

The light came through different-colored glasses. The idea was this: If you used the right color light at a certain time on a certain day you could get cured of diabetes, cancer, tuberculosis, and other diseases.

You couldn't buy the magic lamp. You had to join an "institute" for \$90. Then you'd get the lamp "free."

The maker claimed he had distributed 9,000 such lamps. He was convicted in federal court, fined \$8,000, and sentenced to three years in jail. He has appealed to a higher court.

Here's another: A man sold two plates—one copper, one zinc—to put in your shoes. Walking on them was supposed

to get up an electric current which went through your body and cured your rheumatism.

They sold for \$5 a set but cost only a few cents to make. The maker was fined \$1,000 and given six months in jail.

FDA officials say they've had to knock off the market any number of reducing belts, rollers to roll off fat, and exercising devices which claimed to cure all kinds of diseases.

FDA has about 230 inspectors or investigators and about the same number of specialists, like chemists, doctors and so on. They have offices in 16 cities: Most of their work is checking on the purity of foods and truthfulness in the labeling.

FDA brings about 3,000 food and drug cases into federal court a year and claims to win 95 per cent of them.

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Hal Boyle's Notebook

Men Can Sew, Too

JOPLIN, Mo. (AP)—Everette Smart always held the theory a man could do anything a woman could and better.

A year ago he got the opportunity to prove his point. Shirts were expensive and scarce. One day he casually asked his wife, Jewel, whether she wouldn't make him a few shirts if he bought her the material.

"Oh, honey, they're too hard to make," she replied. "Hmph," grumbled Smart, unconvinced. "I could make a shirt with the sewing machine stuck up my sleeve."

"I'd like to see you do it, and you can leave the sewing machine on the floor," said friend wife.

The matter would have ended there except that at dinner that evening Mrs. Smart announced to their two daughters, Jean Ann, 14, and Mary Jane, 12: "Girls your father is going to make a shirt. Tee hee."

His ego offended, the essential male in him challenged, Smart boldly announced, "I will make a shirt, too."

His excited daughters spread the word around and the neighborhood kids began dropping in to see if it were really true. Smart had to produce.

He was 42 years old and telegraph editor of the Joplin News Herald. He had written poetry and fiction and worked simultaneously on two novels. But he had never used a needle for anything but digging out a splinter.

That is why few women ever learn to use all the attachments.

"I bought a 20 cent shirt pattern and studied it as carefully as a contractor handed the architect's blue prints of the Empire State building. Then I went to work on the shirt. It took me two weeks to finish it."

"My daughter Jean Ann liked it and said, 'Daddy, I want you to make me a formal dress.' I cut a hole in a newspaper and put it over her head. I clipped the paper to the shape of the body and used it for a pattern. It worked fine. She was the belle of the ball and got lots of compliments."

Somewhat amazed at his own success, Smart really went to work in his spare time sewing.

He began to create his own designs. He made suits for both his daughters, two more shirts for himself, coats for the girls and is now completing a suit for himself.

His fame spread. Neighborhood women came to ask him just how he set in sleeves or fashioned shoulders. They had seen his sewing and wanted to learn how to do as well.

One husband came to him and complained, "You're causing trouble to the rest of us. My wife is telling me she married the wrong man."

Smart estimates his sewing has cut the family's clothing budget by two-thirds. His wife has become his stoutest advocate.

"She told me she would be glad to cut the lawn," he laughed. "If I would just keep on sewing. But with so much to do for the girls I haven't been able to make much for her."

"She's the orphan in the storm."

Washington Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

Japs Got Facts Before US Public

WASHINGTON—One of the amazing things about the secret naval court-martial of Lt. Com. Edward N. Little in connection with maltreatment of American prisoners in a Jap prison camp is that the Japanese people have had access to the facts but the American public hasn't.

When the two Jap prison-camp commanders, Capt. I. Fukuhara and Lt. K. Uri, were tried and executed for the brutal murder of American prisoners, The Japanese public was admitted to the trials and all the evidence was public. Little's name came up frequently as having contributed to the death of two men.

In fact, it came up so often that Lt. Val Bérati, in charge of Army Press Relations in Yokohama, prepared a dispatch on Little's activities and sent it to Tokyo for press distribution.

Except for a brief reference in the Nippon Times, however, it never reached the press. And today, though the Japanese public has had access to the facts, they are still being suppressed—at Com. Little's request—in the court-martial now being held at the Naval gun factory in Washington.

Sworn affidavits placed in evidence at the Yokohama war-crimes trials show that even the Japs thought Little acted like a tyrant. According to the sworn statement of Willie Reems, Gilbert La., "Both the Allied POW and Japs thought he acted just like a little Caesar. The Japs own name for Lt. Little was 'Little Lord' (Shoshi Dono)."

Evidence also showed that Little even used the Japanese language in addressing American prisoners. Apparently he got along so well with the Japs that, around Christmas 1944, the Japanese officers gave a special dinner for him.

While Pvt. William Knight, one of the men beaten to death, had a bad record for theft, other American prisoners resented the fact that Little turned him over to the Japanese. The men had their own kangaroo courts to maintain discipline among themselves.

"Here are some of the affidavits pertaining to Little used in the Yokohama trials of Fukuhara and Uri, which are a matter of court record and therefore privileged:

STORY OF BRUTALITY

Edgar Vanin Wazen, Pomeroy, Ohio: "Private Knight was tortured and starved to death. Knight stole some buns out of the galley. The next morning Lt. Little, Navy, American camp commander, announced this fact to us and stated that he was going to turn Knight in to the Japanese, which he did. I saw the Japanese guards beat Knight with their fists and clubs. They would beat him about thirty minutes at a time, twice a day. The beatings lasted for about fifteen

days during which time they revived him with cold water between beatings.

"In some of the series of beatings he passed out two or three times and the Japanese guards would revive him and continue the beating. Knight was not fed during the fifteen days of torture. Four or five times he was suspended by ropes tied to his fingers, feet off the ground, and left that way for several hours.

On one occasion they suspended him by his fingers outside of the guardhouse where I and all the prisoners could see him. After 15 days of this treatment Knight died and I helped bury him."

Floyd Jay Dudley, Jr., 2932 East 30th St., Kansas City, Mo.: "James Pavlokos was starved to death in December 1943. He had been turned over to the Japs by Lt. Little for punishment. I asked Lt. Little for the reason he had done it. Lt. Little said he would do it again if he had to, and said Pavlokos had it coming to him."

Maj. Thomas H. Hewlett, New Albany, Ind.: "I was a prisoner of war at Fukuoka No. 17 from August 1943 until 15 September 1945. During my internment at this camp I was senior medical officer. On or about December 23, 1943, Cpl. James G. Pavlokos of the 4th Marine Regt., was turned over to the Japanese by Lt. Senior Grade E. N. Little, USN, for stealing. Cpl. Pavlokos was put in the guardhouse without food or water. He remained alive until 28 Jan. 1944, at which time he died of starvation. I saw his dead body after he had died and I would estimate his weight at about 55 pounds. He is normally a man of about 170 pounds."

"Fourth American execution, Pvt. William N. Knight, 6983666, US Army. He was turned over to the Japanese on or about May 3, 1945 by Lt. E. N. Little, Lieutenant Senior Grade Knight had been guilty of stealing buns in the mess hall. He was confined in the guardhouse and subjected to repeated beating and all the forms of torture that could be devised by the guards on duty. This man died on May 20, 1944. Body was in a state of extreme emaciation. Post-mortem autopsy was not permitted. It is felt that this man died of starvation with possibly secondary pneumonia."

John R. Tassej, Jr., 305 5th Avenue, Brownsville, Pa.: "In May 1945 Pvt. William Knight was turned in to the Japanese by Lt. Little, USN, for having stolen some rolls. Lt. Little made the statement at the time that he hoped the Japs beat Knight to death. That is exactly what happened."

"The next day I saw Knight in front of the jail and his face was badly beaten, covered with cuts and blood. During the following days I saw him several

times, kneeling on bamboo rods, and the guards beat him occasionally with belts. His legs were ulcerated and because of his pus drainage he was kept outdoors most of the time. He kept getting thinner as he didn't get food or water until he died about 20 June 1945. I last saw him the night before he died, lying in the mud and rain in front of the jail."

Orville K. Fox, Cpl., ASN 37069198, Black Springs, Ark.: "In May, 1945, an American prisoner-of-war named Knight was caught stealing bread from the American prisoners' kitchen. An American Navy Lieutenant named Little, who was in charge of the kitchen, turned Knight over to the Japanese for punishment."

"Knight was taken to the guardhouse and beaten severely. He was made to kneel for hours and then stand and hold up a heavy timber until he collapsed from fatigue. Usually at night when he was cold, the Jap guards would pour water on him while he was naked, kneeling or standing in the yard in front of the guardhouse. I heard that while his body was wet, an electric wire was put around his neck and the power turned on just enough to burn him. He was beaten while holding up the timber and also while he was kneeling."

Frank F. Yellen, 473 Hall Avenue, Perth Amboy, N. J.: "A Private Knight was caught stealing buns from the messhall. A Lt. Little turned him over to the Japanese. That night as we were lining up to go to work in the coal mines, I saw the Japanese guards take Knight's clothes off, pour water on him, and beat him with clubs and sticks. The next morning when we returned from work they again began beating on Knight so that we could not see it. He was badly bruised around the face and head and on the back. This treatment went on for four days. There were three shifts working at the mines, and the Japanese beat Knight every time a detail went out and every time one came in from work."

Charles G. Davis, Box 806, Route 5, Phoenix, Arizona: "Knight was accused of stealing from 8 to 10 buns from the camp bakery by Lt. Comdr. Little, USN, the commander of the American troops at the camp. Lt. Comdr. Little announced at a formation of the prisoners at which I was present that for this theft he had turned Knight over to the Japanese for unlimited punishment."

Similar statements were given in the trial were sworn to by Albert Montoya Gonzales, Tulare, Cal.; James B. Wilson, East St. Louis, Ill.; William D. Lee, Jacksonville, Fla.; and Melvin L. Routh, Tracy, Calif. (Copyright, 1947, The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Affairs Of The World—DeWitt MacKenzie

Coverage Of Thoughts Irks Bevin

BRITAIN'S outspoken foreign secretary, Ernest Bevin, says one of the greatest handicaps in international negotiations is specifically the recent Big Four conference in Moscow is that a chap can't even think out loud without his thoughts being "hurled into headlines in the press."

US Secretary of State Marshall disagrees with this conclusion, and favors full news coverage. One suspects that Mr. Bevin really feels the same but has been irked for the moment by some unwelcome experience and has let the sun go down upon his wrath. Maybe, too, the fiery foreign secretary himself contributes a wee bit to his difficulties by thinking out loud so explosively.

Anyway, one feels sure that Bevin wouldn't turn back the clock on a freedom of the press to which England has contributed so much during the past generation of progress. Internationally, the British press these days have the latch-string out for newspapermen. And to do government officials, as witness my last visit to London a year ago when all I had

to do to secure a private conversation with Prime Minister Attlee was to signify that I desired it.

But it wasn't always thus in his majesty's domains. When I went to London as a correspondent during the First World War, communication with a government official by telephone was almost unheard of.

If you wanted an interview you wrote a note of request, and perhaps a week later you got an appointment. Then you presented yourself in morning coat and striped trousers, and of course that outfit called for the inevitable hat.

However, the First World War brought unprecedented pressure on government offices for news, especially from the "persistent" Yankee reporters, and arrangements quickly were undertaken to meet this demand. Secretaries were assigned to deal with the press, and as the reporters got acquainted with file sources, news began to move more easily.

My first experience with getting a big story over the phone from a government office was a real thriller. There was a rumor in the financial district that the

great Lord Kitchener, secretary of war, had been drowned in the sinking of the Hampshire while enroute to Russia. In the emergency I telephoned the press secretary at the foreign office, and was flabbergasted when he replied without hesitation: "I'm sorry to say that the report is true."

Before the war (and even after it) newspapermen were divided into two classes. There were an exclusive few at the top who were called journalists, and then there were a great rank and file who were just plain "pressmen," regarded as very low caste indeed. I recall that a Lord Mayor of Liverpool once remarked to an English newspaper friend of mine (since knighted for distinguished reporting): "I always treat pressmen as though they were gentlemen."

However, that view of the press has undergone a vast change. These days, England provides excellent facilities for newspaper folk to secure the news. Their war information establishment in London during the late upheaval was magnificent, and press arrangements which I contacted in the zones were equally efficient.

Crossword Puzzle

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| 1. Wheeled vehicle | 14. Not any |
| 2. Philistine tribe | 15. Old-fashioned |
| 3. Total | 16. Comparative ending |
| 4. Corroded | 17. Time measures |
| 5. Covered with water | 18. Pieces out |
| 6. Ant monkey | 19. Quantity of |
| 7. Soft drink | 20. Incessant |
| 8. Wagnerian | 21. Inexpensive |
| 9. Large tub | 22. Mead |
| 10. Broad flat | 23. At once |
| 11. Device in chair backs | 24. Kind of wood |
| 12. Cover with something solid | 25. Kind of wood |
| 13. Wrath | 26. Portion of a curve |
| 14. Kind of lizard | 27. Wash lightly |
| 15. Sharpness | 28. New comb. |
| 16. Prentis | 29. Form |
| 17. On the ocean | 30. Above |
| 18. Toxopneumino | 31. Human race |
| 19. Hummingbird | 32. Duplicate |

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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| 1. Explosive device | 4. Gain control over |
| 2. Above | 5. Hoe debts |
| 3. Duplicate | 6. Went quickly |
| 7. Ancient Roman | 7. Ancient Roman |
| 8. Bread of wheat | 8. Bread of wheat |
| 9. Florida plant | 9. Florida plant |
| 10. Poisonous tree | 10. Poisonous tree |
| 11. Measure | 11. Measure |
| 12. Mass | 12. Mass |
| 13. Place of competition | 13. Place of competition |
| 14. Poet's note | 14. Poet's note |
| 15. Small perforated disc | 15. Small perforated disc |
| 16. Flaxen fabric | 16. Flaxen fabric |
| 17. Bouncing | 17. Bouncing |
| 18. Flat-headed nail | 18. Flat-headed nail |
| 19. Occurrence | 19. Occurrence |
| 20. Shirts, shirts | 20. Shirts, shirts |
| 21. Kabbalah | 21. Kabbalah |
| 22. Gave up again | 22. Gave up again |
| 23. Hot wind | 23. Hot wind |
| 24. Change of place into world of transportation | 24. Change of place into world of transportation |
| 25. Part in a game | 25. Part in a game |
| 26. Appraisal of the Bible | 26. Appraisal of the Bible |
| 27. Arrange | 27. Arrange |
| 28. Scarce | 28. Scarce |
| 29. Hand | 29. Hand |
| 30. Public opera | 30. Public opera |
| 31. Propulsion | 31. Propulsion |
| 32. Two halves | 32. Two halves |

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17. Bouncing
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21. Kabbalah
22. Gave up again
23. Hot wind
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30. Public opera
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In Hollywood—Bob Thomas

Maureen To Do Film In Eire

HOLLYWOOD. (AP)—For year Maureen O'Hara has been campaigning to do another picture with John Ford and now she gets her wish. Next summer she will be directed by him in "The Quiet Man," which will be made in Eire.

The Irish actress has long groused that "How Green Was My Valley" has been her only dramatic opportunity in Hollywood and Ford is the only film maker who recognizes her talent as an actress, instead of a mere color-picture beauty. So she's very happy about the deal with her fellow Irishman.

Lynn Bari, just separated from Producer Sid Luits, offers a refreshing change from the usual parted-but-till-friends formula in Hollywood. She was asked on the "A Texas Legend" set if she were still friendly with her husband and answered "No!"

Ginger Rogers hasn't given up dancing on the screen, by any means. She is still looking for a musical. "Before his death, Jerome Kern told me he was writing one for me," she says. "But I never saw it."

have his own air show next fall. He'll probably be leaving Bob Hope for the same reason that other performers have left the top comic—no more dough.

Cecil B. DeMille has lapsed about two years and \$3,500,000 into it. He's starting work on "Samson and Delilah," which he'll start filming this fall. He says he'll have a star for Delilah, but will seek an unknown for Samson.

Roy Rogers is as happy as a kid at a circus, and the reason is that he has his own circus to play with. He'll open the show in New York's polo grounds July 19, and tour through the summer.

"I'm gonna need a vacation some time," says Roy. "One of these days I'm going to turn up missing."

Charles Chaplin Jr., now 22 and playing in a local stage attraction, is reported planning to make films in France next year since his father will not permit him to appear in Hollywood-made pictures. That raises the question of whether Charlie, Sr. plans production in France, as has been rumored.

WORD-A-DAY

By BACH

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Texas Today—Jack Rutledge

Cactus Candy King Of El Paso

Move over, Horatio Alger. Listen to the story about the Cactus candy king of El Paso. Thirty years ago George D. Carameros, a \$7-a-week-soda fountain clerk, was walking through south El Paso when he saw an outdoor stand selling home-made candy bars as big as his fist for a penny.

He was curious to know what kind of candy could be sold for that price. Even 30 years ago that was cheap.

He sampled a piece, and it was good. He offered to stand owner \$5 to show him how it was made.

That led to the building of a business that now sells cactus candy in every state of the union and abroad.

The candy has a distinct flavor, and the consistency of gum drops. It has been made by Mexicans for centuries and is called "Cuberte de Vinnaga" or Little Squares of Vinnaga. Vinnaga is the Mexican name for the barrel cactus from which it is made. Some weigh as much as 200 pounds.

Carameros hauls his cactus on burros from the Organ Mountains between El Paso and Alamogordo between 20 and 40 miles away. It is handled carefully so as not to bruise it. It lasts indefinitely, "piled in the yard of his plant."

First, the cactus is stripped of its thorny spines. Then the rind is peeled off and the cactus is quartered, sliced, cut into small pieces and dumped into a cooker where it is boiled from four to six days and reduced to pulp.

Somewhere along the line a secret process is used—a process he invented to preserve the candy. In the old days, it molded. But not now. Then it is poured for cooling, wrapped and packaged. Some of the boxes carry a picture of a Catholic mission, others of Spanish dancers doing the Jarabe Tapatio or hat dance.

"The factory once consisted of a small kettle and a kitchen range. Today it has three 200-pound refiners, four gas-fired furnaces, four 50-gallon kettles, and 500 wire trays on which the cooked pulp is placed to drain. There is a lot of other equipment, and the factory is the largest of its kind in the world."

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FRIDAY EVENING

6:00 Evening Melodies	6:00 Baby Snooks Show	6:00 News
6:15 News of the World	6:10 Thin Man	6:15 News Time
6:30 News, Fish, Game	6:35 News, Bill Henry	6:30 Sports
6:45 News	7:00 Ginny Simms Show	6:45 Sports
7:00 People Are Funny	7:00 Dr. Carlson	6:45 Sports
7:30 Waltz Time	8:00 Days to be Remembered	6:45 Sports
8:00 Mystery Theater	8:10 My Friend Irma	6:45 Sports
8:30 Love, Romance	8:30 The Ed Bradley Show	6:45 Sports
8:45 Wm H. Thornton	8:30 Big Ben Hurst	6:45 Sports
9:00 Super Tune Show	9:45 Post Parade	6:45 Sports
9:15 Smile Program	9:50 Stars for Tonight	6:45 Sports
9:30 Allan Young Show	10:00 World at Large	6:45 Sports
10:00 News Birds	10:10 Sports Extra	6:45 Sports
10:15 Highlights in Melody	10:15 This is Post-Worth	6:45 Sports
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Steers To Play Saturday Game Starting At 2

Saturday's District 10AA baseball game between the Big Spring Steers and Midland's Bulldogs, originally booked to be played in Midland Saturday night, will instead begin at 2 p. m.

The Canines already hold one victory over the Longhorns, having turned back Conn Isaacs charges here, 8-8, several weeks ago.

The Bovines were booked to tie into the Odessa Bronchos, in a bout beginning at 3:30 o'clock here this afternoon. The locals are also behind in that series, having dropped a 2-23 decision to the Hosses last month in Odessa.

Either Jackie Barron or Marv Wright was to get the pitching call for Big Spring today. Facing the Steers was to be either Byron (Santone) Townsend or Paul Ametjowski.

Huck Doe, the Steers' all-around star, might be brought in from center field to work tomorrow's game. Doe has trouble with his control but has been hard to hit to date.

After this week's games, the resident nine has only two games remaining on its schedule, a makeup game with Abilene and the finale against Sweetwater's Mustangs.

To date, the herd has won from San Angelo twice, Lamesa and Sweetwater while losing to Odessa, Midland, Abilene and Lamesa.

Local Girls, Odessans Tangle Here Saturday

Big Springers Seek 2nd Win

Big Spring's crack girls softball team plays its third game of the 1947 season at the city park around 8 o'clock Saturday evening, meeting the Sewell contingent of Odessa in a seven-inning exhibition.

The Big Springers dropped their initial encounter to San Angelo's Red Chicks in Sterling City last Saturday night, 8-4, but came back this week to swarm all over the Colorado City All-Stars, 13-5.

The Odessans reportedly boast one of the strongest few lineups in this section. The team beat Big Spring on a couple of occasions in '46 and reports say the Ector county gang will field practically the same lineup.

Letty Nell Todd, who was impressive against Colorado City, goes to the hill for the locals. Her consistent bat should help the Big Spring offensive, too.

Forsan, Conoco Chalk Up Wins In League Play

FORSAN, May 23. — Next scheduled games in the Forsan Community softball league are for Tuesday night, May 27, league statistician Jack Lamb has announced.

The Tuesday program pits Magnolia against Moore's Grocery and Conoco against Lees. The first bout begins at 7:30 p. m., the last one at 9 o'clock.

Forsan won a wild encounter from Moore's, 20-12, while Conoco was edging Ross City, 12-4, in Tuesday night competition.

A total of 28 base hits were registered in the Forsan-Moore game, 16 of them by the Forsan clan. Bobby Asbury and Manager Lewis' Houzel had four safeties.

Cleo Wilson of the Moore gang banged out three hits.

The Forsans had their big inning in Round One, when they chased home 10 runs on five hits and a flock of Moore errors.

Conoco led by the start in the contest and crowned its efforts with a six run outburst in the fourth. Cardwell, continental starter, pitched shutout ball for the first three innings and allowed no man to get more than one hit.

Griffith, Anderson and Huestis all hit hard for the winners.

First game: Ross City 000 22-4 5 Conoco 213 6x-12 11 Soules and Willis; Cardwell and Seward.

Second game: Moore 122 341 0-12 12 Forsan 110 02 026 x-20 16 Camp and Wilson; King and Shoults.

LOOKING 'EM OVER

Rumor that Vernon is stepping out of the Longhorn baseball league and surrendering its franchise rights to San Angelo are, as far as we know, unfounded. At the last report, the North Texas city's club was on a sound financial basis and drawing exceedingly well for a team that has not yet been able to turn on the lights for nocturnal play.

Vernon is under a handicap, geographically speaking, because it is so far removed from other Longhorn league cities. However, if the Dusters continue to draw well at home, that will not constitute too great a handicap.

Sources close to the Angelo situation insist the village is at long last ready to admit that the Longhorn league is a going organization, however, and interested parties there would like nothing better than to pick up a franchise in event Vernon, or any other town, should drop out.

All of which should make the league officials very happy, as far as future planning goes. The circuit no doubt will have growing pains by '48 and should be able to expand to eight teams without a great deal of trouble, especially if Lamesa and Abilene should elect to divorce the WT-NM loop in favor of the infant organization. Angelo capital has already built a lighted baseball park and the town would be ready to plunge right into the swim.



BUFFALO — Eighty-seven-year-old George E. Kilpatrick has been bowling for 63 years and he still hopes for a 300 game. He manages to top the 200 mark consistently and he bowls with a team of seven whose combined ages don't add up to his.

Tabbing The Broncs

Player	AB	R	H	IP
Bert Baez	56	29	448	110
Tom Traspuesto	110	41	209	44
Pat Patterson	44	18	409	11
Pat Stacey	11	4	409	11
Harold Edmond	15	6	409	11
Pepper Martin	11	4	395	11
Andy Viamonte	48	18	387	11
Orlie Moreno	11	4	387	11
Joe Cindan	28	10	387	11
George Del Tano	20	6	309	11
Leon Bonick	11	4	299	11
Stacie Varona	10	2	299	11
Joe Traspuesto	2	1	116	11

University Of Texas Regents Hold Meet

AUSTIN, May 23 (AP)—University of Texas regents held a two-day session here today for consideration of an important docket including some top administrative appointments.

Action was also expected on granting of scholarships for Latin American students. Their purpose will be to offer additional financial aid to such students following passage of a bill raising tuition fees for out-of-state residents.

The regents also plan to name the architects for the M. D. Anderson Hospital for Cancer Research and the dental branch of the University to be located in the Texas Medical Center at Houston.

Patterson Goes To Hill Tonight In Odessa Bout

Pat Patterson, who owns four victories as against two defeats, tries for No. 5 in tonight's game between Big Spring and Odessa, scheduled to be played in Odessa.

The Longhorns play again in Odessa Saturday night, then return home Sunday afternoon to open a series with Sweetwater.

BALLINGER, May 23. — Big Spring's Longhorn league lead was sliced to four games, when the Ballinger Cats subdued the Broncs, 11-6, here Thursday night.

The Felines took the odd game of the series with the decision, hitting two Big Spring pitchers hard to accomplish it.

Joe Traspuesto started on the rubber for the Hosses but failed to last out the third inning. Jose Cindan finished.

Manager Stu Williams of the winners collected four safeties while every man in the starting Ballinger lineup, with the exception of Dick Allinder, hit safely at least once.

Steve Kolesar, beaten by the Big Springers in a previous series, came back to gain the win despite the fact that he was hit hard throughout.

Orlie Moreno broke a brief hitting slump by collecting four singles in five tries.

IN JUNIOR TRACK MEET

Central, College Heights Triumph

Central Ward and College Heights dominated the Ward school track and field show conducted at Steer stadium Thursday afternoon, Central grabbing off team honors in the Sixth and Seventh grade event after College Heights had showed the way with its Fourth and Fifth grade entries.

In Seventh grade competition, Central tallied a total of 33 points, almost twice as many as second place West Ward, which had 18. College Heights wound up with 17, East Ward with five.

West Ward also finished next to Central in Sixth grade play, collecting 19 points to 33 for the winners while third place East Ward gathered eight.

College Heights' 20 points in Fifth grade activity edged West Ward by 4 1/2 points. South Ward had 16 for third place, Central 14 1/2 and North Ward eight.

South Ward and East Ward gave College Heights a fight of it in Fourth grade competition, each collecting 13 points to 14 for College Heights while North Ward and Central trailed in that order with eight and seven points, respectively.

Perhaps the outstanding feat of the afternoon was turned in by Gerald Scott of Central in the high jump. Scott leaped 4 feet, 7 1/2 inches to win that event easily.

Yesterday's Results

League	Team	Score
LONGHORN LEAGUE	Ballinger 11, Big Spring 6	
	Odessa 5, Sweetwater 4	
	Midland 5, Vernon 3	
	Abilene 1, Lubbock 0	
WT-NM LEAGUE	Abilene 1, Lubbock 0	
	Borger 2, Pampa 2	
TEXAS LEAGUE	San Antonio 0-2, Houston 1-1 (9 games)	
	Oklahoma City 2, Fort Worth 0	
AMERICAN LEAGUE	Detroit at New York, p.p.d., rain	
	Cleveland at Boston, p.p.d., rain	
NATIONAL LEAGUE	Dallas 11, Tulsa 9	
	Pittsburgh 1	

The Standings

League	Team	W	L	Pct.
LONGHORN LEAGUE	Ballinger	11	2	.846
	Big Spring	4	1	.800
	Odessa	14	10	.583
	Abilene	14	10	.583
	Sweetwater	11	17	.393
	Vernon	10	18	.357
WT-NM LEAGUE	Abilene	18	7	.720
	Lubbock	20	8	.714
	Abilene	14	12	.538
	Pampa	14	12	.538
	Lamesa	12	14	.462
	Borger	11	15	.423
TEXAS LEAGUE	San Antonio	25	14	.641
	Fort Worth	21	17	.553
	Chicago	22	19	.537
	Dallas	19	21	.475
	Oklahoma City	19	21	.475
	San Antonio	18	22	.450
AMERICAN LEAGUE	New York	17	12	.586
	Boston	17	12	.586
	Cleveland	13	10	.565
	Philadelphia	13	10	.565
	Pittsburgh	13	12	.520
	Washington	12	16	.430
NATIONAL LEAGUE	St. Louis	10	19	.345
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Games Today

League	Game	Time
LONGHORN LEAGUE	Big Spring at Odessa	7:30
	Midland at Sweetwater	8:00
WT-NM LEAGUE	Abilene at Abilene	8:00
	Borger at Pampa	8:00
TEXAS LEAGUE	Fort Worth at Dallas	8:00
	Tulsa at Oklahoma City	8:00
AMERICAN LEAGUE	Chicago at Detroit	8:00
	St. Louis at Cleveland	8:00
NATIONAL LEAGUE	New York at Boston	8:00
	Philadelphia at Brooklyn	8:00

Major League Leaders

League	Player	Team	Points
AMERICAN LEAGUE	Baughman	Detroit	357
	McQuinn	Brooklyn	357
NATIONAL LEAGUE	Home Run	Williams	30
	Pittsburgh	Detroit	20

Ex-Tailgunner Philly Threat

PHILADELPHIA, May 23. (AP) Stocky Johnny Palmer surveyed waterlogged Cedarbrook County Club golf course today and opined in a cautious Carolina drawl he "hopes to do pretty good" in the fourth annual Philadelphia Inquirer invitational tournament.

Off early in the throng of 100 entrants in the 72-hole, three-day scramble for \$15,000, the Fourth Army forces tailgunner looked to many in the first tee crowd like a good dark-horse prospect. Despite the presence of Ben Hogan, Jim Demaret and nearly all of the other top money winners, the Palmer backers figured his chances better than fair.

Pouring rain that forced postponement of the opening round until today had left the course so waterlogged the experts were virtually unanimous on the preference for accuracy over distance. Palmer backers pointed out this as his speciality and Johnny himself admitted he's "been hittin' pretty well off the tee."

The quiet 28-year-old golfing sophomore from Baden, N.C., wasn't making any extravagant predictions. "It's a tough course," he said, "not many chances to cut a stroke off par."

Revision of the tourney plans because of the rain left the full field to play 18 holes today with the 80 low scores going into the second round tomorrow. For Sunday, with .36 holes to be played,

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Activity on the mail market tonight centers around light-heavyweight champion Gus Lesnevich (above) of New Jersey and Melio Bettina, former titleholder who hails from Beacon, N. Y. They clash for ten rounds at Madison Square Garden.

Bettina is a squat southpaw, solidly built. Being low to the ground makes him hard to hit. Melio has enjoyed marked success since becoming a heavyweight and hopes to get closer to a title shot with the Brown Bomber by vanquishing Gus.

Lesnevich has successfully defended his title twice since his Coast Guard discharge. He chloroformed the British Empire champ and also kayoed Billy Fox. Gus knows how to jab, how to hook and, like the Beaconite, packs a heavy left wallop.

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Colored Sluggers Take On Sweetwater Mustangs Here At 8:15 This Evening

Victors in their initial go last week, the Big Spring Colored Sluggers try for their second diamond victory at the high school park this evening when they take on the Sweetwater Black Mustangs. Game time is 8:15 p. m.

Harry Dooley, who hit the 11th inning home run that beat the Lamesa Rangers, 11-9, will assume the mound chores for the Sluggers.

Others who will see action for LeRoy Modkin's classy nine include Charles Merrill, catcher; Dillard White, first base; Cen Newton, second base; Clarence Crockett, short stop; Henderson Crockett, third base; Jake Turner, left field; and Eric Harris, center. The skipper himself will patrol the fifth pasture.

Five members of that aggregation—Merritt, Dooley, White, Collins and Crockett—played with the team in 1946 Newton is just breaking in. He's 17 and displays a world of promise. Harris was in the US Army last year.

Tommy Floyd, the Sweetwater pilot, suggested to Modkin that he field his strongest possible lineup because his club, in his own words, "is loaded for bear."

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Amarillo Again Dumps Abilene

Amarillo's Gold Sox had a little more comfortable margin over Lubbock today in the West Texas-New Mexico league. They made it one and one-half games on a 2-1 decision over Abilene last night.

The second game of a scheduled doubleheader was raised out.

Lubbock stayed within striking distance by handing Clovis' Pioneers a 5-1 defeat and in the only other game, Borger came from behind to defeat Pampa, 4-2.

Abilene's game at Lamesa was postponed because of rain.

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