

## Riot Breaks Out As Veterans Buck Political Machine

ATHENS, Tenn., Aug. 2 (AP)—A bi-partisan group of GIs, their election to McMinn county offices conceded by a leader of the opposition, brought quiet to bullet-ridden Athens today after a bloody six-hour gun battle around a now battered jail.

At least 18 persons were injured, six seriously, in the election day strife which began yesterday afternoon and continued until 3 a. m. when a score or more deputized officers surrounded their hold on the two-story brick prison building.

Before complete order could be restored, several automobiles were overturned or stripped, and near riots swept over this town of 7,000, suddenly heretofore of formal law enforcement from county agencies.

A mobilization of state guardsmen was cancelled and a spokesman for the GI forces said they would maintain order until a mass meeting Monday when it was hoped some provision for filling county offices would be made.

In Washington, Attorney General Tom Clark ordered an investigation today of the gun battle. The civil rights section of the justice department was directed to determine whether federal laws were violated.

The battle of the jail, pocked and battered from bullets and home made bombs tossed by GI sympathizers, was a direct outgrowth of the bitter political campaign waged by the veterans to overturn the democratic organization of State Senator Paul Cantrell, in power for a decade.

Armed sheriff's deputies moved two ballot boxes to the jail Thursday afternoon, shortly after the polls closed at 4 p. m., and trouble, long brewing, burst into the open.

A group of the GIs disarmed seven of the deputized officers, beat them and shoved them into automobiles for a swift ride out of town.

At 9 p. m., a crowd, estimated at 500 and now armed with pistols and light rifles, moved on the jail, occupied by the force of deputies.

Ralph Dugan, a former navy lieutenant commander and a leader of the GI forces, said the crowd was "met by gunfire" and because they had "promised" that the ballots would be counted as cast, they had "no choice but to meet fire with fire."

The exchange of fire, sporadic for six hours, ended after the jail was rocked by four blasts of explosives and one of the deputies shouted down for a halt because "we are dying in here."

## Tribunal President Critical Of Delays

TOKYO, Aug. 2 (AP)—The War crimes trial of Ex-Premier Hideki Tojo and 26 other accused war mongers, which opened June 17, plodded toward the end of its Manchurian phase today with the international tribunal president sharply scoring both sides for delays.

Calling the trial an "immense task," Sir William Webb said "We can't afford to waste time."

He said Japanese defense counsel were asking "silly" inconclusive questions in cross-examination, concluding his rebuke with his familiar admonition, "We will deal with you."

He chided the prosecution for asking his witness, Morito Morishima, a former Japanese consular official in Manchuria, "To swear to too much in his affidavit."

## B-29's A Reminder Of Slow Recovery Of Damage In Japan

TOKYO, Aug. 2 (AP)—The newspaper Asahi commented today that the B-29's that roared over Tokyo in observance of Army Air Corps Day Thursday were a reminder of Japan's slow recovery from the devastation they wrought.

"Looking down upon old battlefields after their long absence, these B-29's must have been surprised to find the slow progress in rehabilitation of this land," Asahi said.

It declared that 2,450,000 houses and factories destroyed by the bombers had not been rebuilt, that 8,045,000 war sufferers still lived in wretched hovels, and that it is "no wonder people have no hope for the future."

## Bill Would Reduce Air Mail To 5 Cents

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—A nickel will buy an airmail stamp come October 1 if President Truman signs the bill congress sent him late yesterday.

## Clark To Investigate Election Disorders

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—Attorney General Tom Clark ordered an investigation today of last night's election gun battle at Athens, Tenn., in which at least six men were seriously wounded.

The Justice Department said without elaboration that Clark has ordered the civil rights section of the department to determine whether Federal laws were violated.

## Jackson Refuses To Comment On Court Duties

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—Associate Justice Robert Jackson returned today from Nuernberg but declined to say whether he will resume his duties on the supreme court where he has been publicly critical of Justice Hugo Black.

Jackson told reporters who met him at the National airport that he would comment only on the war crimes trial where he is the United States prosecutor. Asked specifically about returning to the bench, Jackson said:

"I won't have anything to say except about Nuernberg."

Shortly after Fred Vinson was named chief justice to succeed the late Harlan F. Stone, Jackson issued a statement, while abroad June 10 critical of Black's participation in deciding a case in which a former law partner represented one party. Black has not commented.

When he may return to Germany, Jackson said, "depends on the course of events there."

## Communists Remain In Manchurian City

SHANGHAI, Aug. 2 (AP)—Chinese communists have refused to turn over Harbin, Manchuria, to government troops. It was reported today in a Chinese press dispatch.

Li Li-san, representing Gen. Lin Piao, communist commander-in-chief in Manchuria, was reported to have said "impossible" when put the question by Gen. Tu Li-min, the government's Manchurian commander.

Li and Tu met at Mukden in conferences aimed at settling the Manchurian civil strife. The press dispatch said that Li returned to Harbin Wednesday.

## Ex-Waves To Reenlist For Reserve Corps

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—The navy wants a Waves reserve. Former members of the women's branch, the navy said, can reenlist in the new volunteer reserve at their highest war-time ratings. While on inactive duty, training opportunities will permit them to advance in rates.

## TRUMAN VETO OF TIDELANDS MEASURE MAY BE SUSTAINED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—The house today sustained President Truman's veto of the tidelands bill, thus killing the legislation.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—Congress showed signs today of accepting President Truman's veto of the so-called "Tidelands Oil Bill" without even the formality of a vote to override.

Legislative leaders said privately the House may simply agree to refer the veto message to committee. With adjournment at hand this would have the effect of killing of the long-disputed bill.

Mr. Truman sent it back to the lawmakers yesterday with the declaration that the Supreme Court, not Congress, should decide the issues involved.



VOTES FOR HERSELF—With her five children in tow, Mrs. Leah Richardson is shown as she arrived at a voting place in Memphis, Tenn., to vote in Tennessee's democratic primary. Mrs. Richardson is a candidate for governor. (AP Wirephoto).

## McKellar Returned To Senate Post

NASHVILLE, TENN., Aug. 2 (AP)—Senator Kenneth D. McKellar, the 77-year-old dean of the Upper House, won Democratic renomination for a sixth term yesterday in a statewide primary

## Escaped Convict Recaptured With Bride Of A Day

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 2 (AP)—The one-day honeymoon of an escaped convict and his 16-year-old bride ended abruptly last night when they were captured several hours after kidnapping State Trooper Charles R. Kell at gunpoint and holding him captive until his escape under a hail of bullets.

Their capture—near Hopewell—ended what police said was the most intensive Jersey manhunt since the same patch of wooded area was combed in a search for the Lindbergh baby.

Kell had stopped the pair near Raritan in Somerset county for speeding.

The first to be captured was the girl, identified by State Police Supt. Charles H. Schoeffel as Constance Ethel Blondell. She was taken when her husband fled on foot from their car as police closed in on them.

But a mile and a half away, the man, identified by Schoeffel as August Bernard Doak, was caught by a lone trooper as he tried to cross the Hopewell railroad bridge.

Schoeffel said Doak fled from a southern Michigan prison Sept. 28.

## 247 School Transfers Recorded In County

Transfers from local school districts totaled 247, it was announced at the office of the county superintendent Friday.

Bulk of the transfers were from common school districts into the Big Spring Independent School district. There were several others also into dependent districts at Knott and Coahoma, and scattered ones between the common school districts.

## Sino-Reds Reported Attempting To Force Marines From China

PEIPING, Aug. 2 (AP)—Two Chinese Government Officials said today that the United States could expect further anti-American outbreaks by Chinese Communists similar to the Ambushing Monday of a US Marine convoy and the kidnapping earlier of seven Marines, later released.

Lt. Gen. Tsai Wen-Teh, former Government commissioner at executive (Truce) headquarters, asserted that by launching an anti-American campaign the Communists hoped the Marines would withdraw from China "out of weariness."

The Marine Corps has announced that three Marines were killed and 12 wounded in the ambush of the convoy 35 miles south-east of Peiping. The Communists have admitted involvement, but say the Marines and Government troops "made a surprise attack."

Tsai, who is leaving within a few days for the United States, forecast "further moves by the Communists to create incidents forcing the withdrawal of American Forces from China."

## Rules Unit Unable To Agree On Chairmanship, Adjourns

PARIS, Aug. 2 (AP)—The rules committee of the European peace conference spent most of its fifth session today wrangling over who should be permanent chairman of the full conference and recessed without deciding the question.

Many of the smaller nations, led by New Zealand, lined up against a decision of the foreign ministers of the four principal powers—Britain, the United States, France and Soviet Russia—to rotate the chairmanship among themselves, but the issue did not reach a vote.

When Heter MacNeil, speaking for the British, called on the proponents of a single chairman to offer a proposal which would specifically call for the election by acclamation of President Georges Bidault of France as permanent chairman, Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov pointedly remarked, "In this very room the

foreign ministers made the decision to have a rotating chairmanship."

Looking over his nose-pincher glasses in the direction of the British delegation, Molotov said "I cannot understand those who voted for it in the foreign ministers council now coming here to vote against it."

Earlier, a Polish demand to sit on the peace conference commission which will deal with the treaty with Hungary, although Poland was not formally at war with Hungary, set off a dispute between Molotov and Dr. Herbert V. Evatt of Australia.

Poland finally withdrew her motion for representation on the commission for Hungary, declaring the debate "had proved its point that it (Poland) was at war with Hungary and was satisfied with that."

## Congress Speeds Toward Final Adjournment

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—The 79th congress, which teamed with Presidents Roosevelt and Truman in carrying the burdens of war but balked on many home-front matters, sped toward final adjournment today.

The house already has voted for final adjournment today but the senate has held up on the suggestion.

Barring an emergency that would cause the president to recall it for a special session, the 79th congress will not meet again once it closes the books, for the congress that convenes in January will be a new one, the 80th.

The fact that a new congress will be elected in November was one of the compelling reasons that prompted the body to take its longest vacation in eight years, allowing members to campaign.

Even as they began leaving for their homes, many members felt they might be recalled into special session after the November elections. Should the republican party make good its boast that it will win control of the house in the new congress, they feel certain that President Truman will make one final effort to win approval of some of his domestic legislative proposals, from the democratic 79th.

## Girl Identifies Negro Who Killed Mother, Raped Her

MINEOLA, N. Y., Aug. 2 (AP)—Capt. Stuyvesant Pinnell, chief of Nassau county detectives, said today Ward Beecher Caraway, 23-year-old negro butler and chauffeur, had confessed to the slaying of socially prominent Mrs. Marjorie Church Logan, 52, and raping and shooting her daughter, Marjorie, 26, last July 24.

MINEOLA, N. Y., Aug. 2 (AP)—Capt. Stuyvesant Pinnell, chief of Nassau county detectives, said today a 23-year-old negro butler and chauffeur had been arrested and charged with murder in the death Aug. 24 of Mrs. Marjorie Church Logan and the rape and shooting of her 26-year-old daughter, Marjorie Jean.

Pinnell said Miss Logan had positively identified the negro as the man who forced her to disrobe in a bedroom of her home, attacked her, and then deliberately shot her in the face and neck.

Mrs. Logan was shot to death in the living room of her home a few minutes before the attack on her daughter.

The man was identified by Pinnell as George Beecher Caraway, employed by Joseph M. Rose, whose home is near the Logan's in the Long Island community of Flower Hill.

## Carrie Turner Faces Charge Of Theft

Charges of theft have been lodged against Carrie B. Turner, negro, in connection with loss of a watch by Nancy Marie Marshall, who signed the complaint.

The defendant was held in custody by the sheriff's department pending examining trial. Approximate value of the watch was listed at \$400.

## Garsson Arranged Loan For May, Never Repaid, Financier Claims

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—Elisha Walker, senior partner of the New York firm of Kuhn-Loeb, informed Senator Mead (D-NY) today that in 1941 he lent \$5,000 to Rep. Andrew J. May (D-Ky) at the request of munitions-maker Murray Garsson. Walker said he still as not been paid back.

The New York financier conferred here with Mead, who is chairman of the Senate War Investigating Committee.

## Social Security Compromise Paves Way For 1947 Payroll Tax Freeze

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—Congress gave final approval today on a compromise social security bill freezing the old age insurance payroll tax at one per cent.

It will thus prevent \$2,000,000,000 in additional tax deductions in 1947 from employees' pay and employers' payrolls.

A 14-man senate-house conference committee agreed unanimously last night on a compromise so-

cial security bill. In addition to blocking an otherwise automatic rise of the payroll levy to 2.5 percent January 1, the measure makes these broad revisions in the security program:

1. Larger federal grants for 2,000,000 aged persons, 75,000 blind, and 772,000 dependent children, under a new formula that would be especially beneficial to low income states. This will mean about \$150,000,000 additional in federal money annually for needy persons.

2. Survivors insurance for families of World War II veterans, for three years without charge. Survivors of a veteran who dies within three years after discharge from the services would receive the same benefits that would accrue if he had been working in covered employment at \$160 a month.

3. Blanketing of 300,000 maritime workers under the unemployment compensation benefits of the social security act. This will cost the government about \$3,000,000 during the reconversion period.

4. Doubling federal expenditures, from \$9,000,000 to \$18,000,000, for maternal health, crippled children and child welfare programs.

The social security agreement erased what appeared to be the last major barrier to congressional adjournment today.

## LATIN AMERICAN KILLED, SONS INJURED IN FAMILY FEUD FIGHT

HOUSTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—Manuel Gutierrez, 56, was killed, his two sons wounded, and Trinidad Martinez, 48, critically injured by a series of gun shots in the Martinez yard here last night. Police said they believed the shooting resulted from a feud between the two families.

Martinez's son, Rudy Martinez, 17, had been charged with assault to murder in connection with the July 7 stabbing of Clem Gutierrez, 23, another son of the man killed last night. Clem Gutierrez is still in critical condition in a hospital.

Minerva Martinez, 15, daughter of Trinidad Martinez, signed a written statement saying she saw a group of men and some women trying to hold them back come into the Martinez yard. She said she ran into the house.

Her mother, Mrs. Isabel Martinez, 40, also signed a written statement. She said that her husband rushed out of the house when the girl warned of the approach of the men. She said she heard many gunshots from the yard.

After the shooting ceased Police Detectives R. R. Simmons and H. D. Lozano and ambulance attendants found the older Gutierrez dead with six bullet wounds in his body and one in the heart. John Gutierrez was shot three times in the chest and once in the arm, and is in a critical condition. Alex Gutierrez had two wounds in the thigh.

Trinidad Martinez was in critical condition from a wound in the back, the investigators said.

## Filed Suit Seeks To Throw Out Georgia Election

BRUNSWICK, Ga., Aug. 2 (AP)—A suit was filed in federal district court here today, attacking the constitutionality of Georgia's county unit primary election system and seeking to block the nomination of Eugene Talmadge for his fourth term as governor.

Talmadge won the nomination under the county unit system in a July 17 primary. He received a majority of the county unit votes, but in the popular vote trailed young James V. Carmichael who had the blessing of Governor Ellis Arnall.

Nomination in the democratic primary is tantamount to election in one party Georgia.

The suit, filed by Charles S. Reid, former chief justice of the Georgia supreme court, and John L. Tye, Jr., Atlanta attorney, was on behalf of Mrs. Robert Lee Turman of Fulton county, and Cullen B. Connell of Dekalb county.

The suit contended that the Georgia primary law, which provides for the county unit system of nominating state officials, was in conflict with the 14th amendment to the constitution of the United States.

It asked that Secretary of State Ben Fortson, Chairman Lon Duckworth of the state democratic executive committee, and Miss Grace Cannington, secretary of the committee, be enjoined from certifying the nominees in the re-elected primary.

## 'Big Names' Due To Give Thrills At Annual Rodeo

A multitude of the best Cowboys in the business will be on hand for the annual Big Spring rodeo, beginning Wednesday, and with some of the wildest stock ever corralled to furnish "raw material" one of the most successful local shows in history is in prospect, Charlie Creighton, chairman of the rodeo association, said today.

Creighton received a letter Thursday from Louis Brooks, world's champion bronc rider from Sweetwater, requesting entry in the bronc riding, bareback riding and bulldogging events. Calif roping competition promises to be keen, with plenty of "big names" on the card. Royce Sewall, winner at Cheyenne, Wyo., last week, will be here, and his prowess with the lariat will be challenged by such able contenders as Walton Poague of Rankin, Toots Mansfield and others.

All stock for the rodeo will be here by Sunday, Creighton said, with 120 head already on the scene. At least 80 more head are due to come in by the end of the week. Earl and Jack Sellers who are supervising the show, have started dispatching saddles and other equipment here also.

## Fighting In Greece

ATHENS, Aug. 2 (AP)—The government turned rocket-firing Spitfire planes today against fleeing outlaws fighting for a third day against Greek forces around the burned village of Arghyropoulou, north of Larisa.

## Vets Without Legs May Get Special Cars

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—GI's who lost their legs in the war—some 20,000 of them—will get specially fitted automobiles as a gift from Uncle Sam, under a bill up for a final vote in congress today.

The measure appropriates \$30,000,000 to purchase the cars.

Chairman Cannon (D-Mo.) of the house appropriations committee said the house is certain to accept the provision inserted in a general appropriation bill by the senate.

The cars, the kind to be determined by the Veterans Administration, would have special operating devices similar to those used by the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

They would be given to ex-servicemen whom the Veterans Administration judges to be entitled to disability compensation or pensions, and unable, because of the loss, or loss of use, of one or both lower limbs, "to use normal means of locomotion or ambulation."

## Caskets Constructed To Return War Dead

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—Contracts totaling approximately \$35,000,000 for 250,000 caskets and cases to be used for the return and final burial of America's World War II dead overseas have been awarded to five concerns.

A war department announcement today listed the firms as Continental Industries, Chicago; Cincinnati Coffin Co., Cincinnati; Goodyear Aircraft Corporation, Akron, Ohio; Gallnot Products, Alliance, Ohio, and the National Manufacturing Co., Plainfield, Conn. Each contract calls for 50,000 caskets.

The war department has arranged priority assistance for steel, plywood and other materials.

## Foreign War Brides Organize In Orange

ORANGE, Aug. 2 (AP)—Foreign war brides, representing four countries, have organized a club of their own here.

Nine wives of war veterans residing in Orange met yesterday at a covered dish luncheon to which each brought food typical of her homeland.

## Last Month Driest July On Record; Hottest Since 1918, Records Show

July got special mention from the weatherman, and this is what he had to say:

"The month was hot and extremely dry x x x producing the driest July since complete records were begun in 1900. . . .

"The mean temperature of 84.8 degrees was 1.9 degrees above normal and was the warmest month since 1918."

Vernon W. Schaad, meteorologist in charge of the US weather bureau, had some other things to say, but it all added up to the same thing—drouth.

For one thing, July had only a trace of moisture on three days during the month, even drier than the previous record of .02 for July, 1940, and totally off from the normal of 1.88 inches for the

month. Since the first of the year, only 3.93 inches of rain have fallen, a departure from normal of 6.41 inches. July was miserably dry in comparison to last year when 6.64 inches of rain saved the day.

As for heat, there were 10 days of 100 degrees or better and not since 1918 turned up 86.6 degrees as a mean temperature has there been anything like it. It was 1.9 degrees warmer than last July.

There was a gradual diminishing wind velocity during the month, and 12 days prevailing breezes were out of direction, which offered little or no chance of blowing in moisture. If July was hard on farmers and ranchers, it was perfect for aviators for 12 days were clear, 16 partly cloudy and only three that could classify as cloudy.

## Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

**BIG SPRING AND VICINITY:** Partly cloudy this afternoon, clear tonight; little change in temperature. Expected high-temperature this afternoon, 95 degrees, low tonight 73, high tomorrow 94.

**EAST TEXAS:** Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Saturday. A few widely scattered thundershowers in east and south portions this afternoon and Saturday afternoon, except in extreme lower Rio Grande valley. Gentle to moderate southeast to south winds on the coast.

**WEST TEXAS:** Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Saturday.

City	Max.	Min.
Ableme	95	72
Amarillo	95	67
BIG SPRING	94	73
Chicago	84	64
Denver	90	65
El Paso	100	72
Fort Worth	94	75
Galveston	86	78
New York	92	61
St. Louis	92	71

Local sunset today, 7:42 p. m.; sunrise tomorrow, 6:02 a. m.

## Livestock

**FORT WORTH, Aug. 2 (AP)—(USDA)—**Cattle 1,000, calves 600; cattle and calves slow, steady to weak. Trade largely a clean up affair. Common and medium steers and yearlings 10.00-15.00; medium to low good cows 10.00-13.25; common 8.75-9.50; bulls 8.00-12.50. Good fat calves 14.00-16.00, medium 13.00-50; common 10.00-12.50; stockers scarce, few calves and yearlings 11.00-14.50. Hogs 400; butcher hogs opened steady, later sales 25-50 higher, sows and stocker pigs steady. Top 24.50 paid by packers; good and choice 18.00-22.00. Stocker pigs 15.00-18.50; latter price for 130 lb. pigs.

Sheep 6,500; active, killing classes steady. Good spring lambs 16.50; medium and good spring lambs 14.00-16.00; common and medium 10.50-13.75.

Taking a top view, one can discern the sex of the small Guenther fish by the broader body of the female.

## County Library Contains Record Number Of Books

A record number of 6138 books were on the shelves or in circulation at the Howard county Free Library for the fiscal year ending July 13, an inventory run by Mrs. Inez Ragsdale, librarian, revealed.

Expenditures totaling \$2203.49 have been made on books, magazines and supplies since Jan. 14, the day Mrs. Ragsdale assumed charge of the facility.

Salary of the librarian, a part-time assistant and telephone bills pushed the total expense to \$4,156.99 for the entire fiscal year, Mrs. Ragsdale's records showed.

Money for the upkeep of the system are provided by a "donated" fund, an apportionment of \$1200 from the county's general fund and revenue from book fines, which came to \$76.06.

A total of 10,753 volumes were loaned to subscribers from Jan. 14 to July 31. Of that number, 6,450 were juvenile material. Added to the shelves were 2,168 manuscripts of all descriptions, 1,435 of which were purchased from publishers and the other 733 donated.

A total of 3269 borrowers are in good standing with the library and most of them exercise their reading privileges. Nearly one third of that number, or 1,397 have been added to the rolls during 1946.

A library rack has also been added since Mrs. Ragsdale's arrival and the facility subscribes to 32 weekly and monthly periodicals.

## Library Hours May Change For Summer If Readers Desire

Mrs. Inez Ragsdale, Howard county librarian, has announced that she would be able to rearrange library hours if a change could benefit her readers. The proposed alteration would open the reading room's doors at 9 a. m. and close at noon for the warm hours of the afternoon. The library would reopen at 5 p. m. and remain open until 9 p. m.

Mrs. Ragsdale urges readers to let her know whether or not this change would be desirable. If enough find it convenient, the new hours will go into effect early next week.

## Minor Fires Put Out By City Firemen

Two more alarms Thursday and another early today, kept fire engines moving in Big Spring.

At 5:45 p. m. Thursday, a small blaze at the rear of the Texas Club was extinguished without damage, and at 8:45 p. m. a fire was made outside the city limits to 704 Mesquite street in the Airport addition. An outbuilding belonging to A. P. Ward was totally destroyed.

A wood yard caught fire again at 403 East First street, where a coal fire has been smoldering for more than a week. Firemen extinguished the wood fire at 5:45 a. m. today, after small damage had occurred.

## Public Records

**Warranty Deeds**

J. A. Drake, et al, trustees for Wesley Methodist church, to Mrs. J. F. Callaway, lot 9, block 4, C&S; \$1 (exchange).

Mrs. J. P. Callaway to Wesley Memorial Methodist church, lot 4, block 6, C&S; \$1 (exchange).

Fred K. Winn, et ux to J. S. Atchley, et ux, lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, block 1 Price; \$14480.

E. L. Tiller, et ux to Carl Strom, lots 33, 34, block 14, W.P.; \$200.

H. G. Phillips to Harold Letcher, 75 feet lots 4, 5, 6, block 49, GH; \$800.

Louis A. Teeter to R. H. Teeter, W-2 of N-2, tract 16, Wm. B. Currie, SE-4, section 42-32-in, T&P; \$340.

Gracie Billingsley, et vir, to H. L. Nelson, lot 24, block 4, Cedar Crest; \$150.

Carl Strom to Paul Darrow, lot 3, block 1, Central Park; \$10 (stamps to \$500).

Sam Sullivan to H. M. Stewart, lot 12, block 3, May Thixton; \$600.

R. O. McClinton, et ux to John W. Walker, lot 24, block 4, HP; \$7,000.

D. W. Rankin, Jr., et ux to Jim C. Harper, N. 75 feet of SE4, block 43, CH; \$350.

**In The County Court**

W. L. Meier versus S. A. Benton and R. A. Benton, foreclosure on chattel mortgage and for sequestration.

**Beer Applications**

Hearing set for Aug. 7 on application Jose Angel Gonzales to retail beer at 501 NW 4th.

Hearing set for Aug. 3 on application H. C. Russell to retail wine and beer at 1101 W. 3rd.

Permit granted B. W. Boyd to retail wine and beer at 1012 W. 3rd street.

## Markets

**NEW YORK, Aug. 2 (AP)—**Scattered stocks continued to reach for higher prices today although many market leaders backed into slightly losing territory.

Ahead fractions to a point or so were Allied Chemical, Du Pont, Johns-Manville, Bethlehem, Lane Bryant (on a splitup proposal), Douglas Aircraft, Goodyear, General Motors, American Telephone, Kennecott and Great Northern Railway.

Backward were Youngstown Sheet, Republic Steel, Chrysler, Montgomery Ward, Sears Roebuck, Public Service of N. J., General Electric, Phelps Dodge, Philip Morris, Consolidated Edison, Hiram Walker, Pennsylvania (at a new 1946 low).

Bonds were selectively better.

## Trial Nears End

**NUERNBERG, Germany, Aug. 2 (AP)—**A member of the Allied prosecution staff said today the war crimes trials against 22 ranking Germans might end by Aug. 15 and that a verdict was possible on Sept. 2. The case against the individuals, including Hermann Goering, Joachim von Ribbentrop, Rudolf Hess and Field Marshal Wilhelm Kietel, has been completed.

Beans are said to have been first cultivated by Captain Gosnold on the Elizabeth Islands (off the Massachusetts coast) as early as 1602.

## Courthouse Offices Closed On Saturdays

Mots of the offices in the courthouse, except those offering emergency service, will be closed on Saturday afternoons during the month of August.

The clerk's office will be open, however, in order that those desiring to cast absentee ballots for the second primary may do so. Law enforcement offices will be open as is the custom.



**BIG TOOTH**—Engineer Earle Wood of the Connecticut highway department measures bicuspid of Mastodon Americanus found in a Weathersfield, Conn., peat bog. Dr. Carl O. Dunbar of Yale identified the prehistoric tooth.

## O'Brien To Be MC At Amateur Show

With Dr. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist Church, serving as master of ceremonies, the weekly amateur program will begin at 8 o'clock tonight in the City park amphitheatre.

Music, tap dancing and reading have been included on the program.

Entertainers to appear are Frank Lee Dearing, blind musician from Colorado City, with piano numbers; Rolan Covington, Hawaiian guitar; Elmo Jane, Spanish guitar; Bonnie Salles, accordion; Billie Bonne Webber, tap dancing; Jean Cornelison and Bill Younger; Charles and Virgil Robertson, tap dancing; Arlton and Rosalee DeVaney, novelty reading; Joyce Howard, songs; Rosalee DeVaney, reading; Arlton DeVaney, reading and Gail Bonner accordion numbers.

## Lomax Cattle Sprayed In Insecticide Tests

Cattle at the E. W. Lomax ranch in the Lomax community were sprayed with insecticides Thursday morning for the third time in a demonstration being conducted by County Agent Ourward Lewter.

As in former experimental sprayings, animals divided into groups were treated with various mixtures of DDT and rotenone and sulphur. Lewter is carrying out the experiment in efforts to determine improved methods of controlling lice and horned flies in Howard county cattle herds.

## Distance Termed Best Atom Bomb Defense

**WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—**President Truman's atomic bomb evaluators said today that a combination of the Bikini underwater first tested might "effectively dispose of a fleet for many months."

"We are convinced," the evaluation commission added in a report on the offensive results of the second, underwater, test, that "distance is the best defense."

## Bids Considered

**WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—**The War Assets Administration announced today that bids proposing use of the "Big" and "Little" Inch pipelines for transmission of oil and oil products will be given "first consideration" in disposing of the government-owned facilities.

## Delegates Report On National Meet At ABC Luncheon

"Nothing like a national convention," Roy Reeder and Merrill Creighton told fellow ABC members at their Friday noon luncheon when they accounted for time and money at the meeting in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Creighton reported on the business meetings and achievements of the 34 clubs represented there. Two Texas clubs, he said, were awarded for outstanding work, Amarillo receiving a cup for its work in boys' clubs and Lubbock a ribbon for establishing the chapter in Lamesa.

Reeder outlined their itinerary, which included a swing through Canada and the southern states before returning home. He said two speakers alone at the convention were worth the time and travel to hear and urged that members plan to attend next year in Dayton, Ohio.

Nidra Williams sang three songs—"Seems Like Old Times," "Don't Be A Baby, Baby" and "The Gypsy"—accompanied by Helen Duley on the piano. Otis Speers was in charge of the program and Loy House, president, presided at the meeting.

Royce Bridwell received applause for his work in the club, since this is his last meeting before he is to be transferred to Waco, and Chad Rocket, an old member, was welcomed back.

Guests present included Jack McDulvy, Carl Gross, and Jack Brunson.

## State Asked To Prod Dallas Street Work

**AUSTIN, Aug. 2 (AP)—**W. H. Benners, Jr., of Dallas appeared as a one-man delegation before the state highway commission yesterday to seek the westward extension of highway 240 in Dallas to improve a 10-block gap.

Benners said he was tired of trying to get the city of Dallas to do anything toward improving the street. He told the highway commissioners there was money authorized for the job now but he didn't think Dallas planned to do anything about this particular project before 1955.

The way money is now being spent, the authorized funds probably won't be available by 1955, declared Benners.

Commission chairman John S. Redditt told him his testimony would be taken under consideration.

## German Sentenced

**BRUNSWICK, Germany, Aug. 2 (AP)—**Gen. Nikolaus von Falkenhorst, German occupation commander in Norway, was sentenced today to death before a firing squad. A British and Norwegian military court convicted him of responsibility for the execution of Allied commandos captured in Norway.

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# Representative Without A Seat

Philip A. Schraub, Corpus Christi attorney, was nominated in the democratic primary as a member of the state house of representatives from Nueces county.

This is a matter of statewide concern because Mr. Schraub was elected to an office which does not exist. It does not exist because succeeding legislatures since 1920 have failed in their duty to redistrict the state for legislative purposes.

As a matter of justice, Nueces county is entitled to a representative of its own. As a matter of fact, Nueces is now and has been compelled for many years to share representation with several other counties.

Mr. Schraub's name doubtless will go on the general election ticket, and he will be duly elected. Then in January he will go to Austin and confront the house with demands for a seat. The house will reject his request. Mr. Schraub will remain a private citizen.

All of this may seem ludicrous, but it is important. The fact that the house denies the people of Nueces county a right they are entitled to under the constitution will be a

novel and forceful reminder to the people of Texas that the body entrusted with making the laws under the constitution are flagrantly violating it. Public sentiment, already crystallizing, may reach such proportions that the inequitable districting arrangement will be tossed out the window and replaced with one that does more justice to the people of the state.

We are confronted today with the spectacle of some members of the house representing as few as 20,000 people while others represent as much as seven to eight times that number. That sort of situation makes a mockery of representative government.

The puny people who have blocked and who doubtless will continue attempts to block efforts at redistricting are unfair. They are honest in their desire to hold on to something which does not rightfully belong to them. We don't know exactly how we would define that, but whatever it is, it is not democratic and therefore not compatible with the best traditions of Texas and the United States of America.

# RUNNING WITH THE PAC HAS ITS DRAWBACKS



Broadway—Jack O'Brian

# Lippy To Be Quiz Kid

NEW YORK — Leo Durocher will emulate John Kieran on a radio sports quiz in the fall. . . . George Raft was Lippy's heaviest weeper when the Dodgers slumped. . . . Buddy Rogers, last decade's Van Johnson, is around town looking young and purty as the days when he had fifteen years ago's version of bobby soxers chasing him around. . . . Frank Sinatra's bow ties are getting more flowing than a five-dollar lecturer's. . . . Orson Welles goes for the submarine bows, with the ends tucked under the shirt collar.

sell introduced me to three fans, who have banded together hundreds of their pals, all Andy's admirers, under the name of "Russell's Sprouts." . . . They seemed normal enough. . . . Monogram Picture's Roy Del Ruth says he really would like to hire Fiorello LaGuardia, our ex-mayor, to play himself in the upcoming film, "It Happened On Fifth Avenue."

Orson certainly will leave no idiom alone in the entertainment world. After touching almost all bases—radio, screen and all moods of the theater from Shakespeare to the baggy pants comic character he plays in his own musical, "Around the World," he now has been signed to become a night club entertainer. He'll do his magic act, commentary on the state of the world, topical material of any sort his elastic whim suggests and practically anything he feels like doing. Monte Proser grabbed him up quickly for the Copacabana after Orson looked interested during what Monte thought was strictly a kidding conversation. But Orson was kidding on the square and the deal was set, signed and Orson will deliver . . . at \$3,300 a week. . . . He opens September 1. Customers should be prepared for anything. A few weeks ago when Orson lost his radio script for his Sunday program, he calmly ignored the frightened faces of the radio employees and started reading from the Bible. . . . did a wonderful job, too.

Mickey Rooney and Jack Benny may hit the road a-la Bob Hope's recent highly profitable tour.

THE DEFENDANTS don't always appear, but the judges always do," said Anne Keeshan, Chicago, who has supervised the pressroom from the beginning.

"The defendants can go to sleep in court, too, and the judges can't. Sometimes they look as if they might be nodding. But then they pop up with a question that shows they're right on the ball. I've never caught one napping yet."

This judicial record of perfect attendance is made more remarkable by the fact that the judges from America, Britain and France are all in their elder years. The two Russians are the freshmen of the bench in point of age.

As the trial winds wordily toward an expected verdict in September some 1,500 persons and nine electric mimeograph machines are still kept busy turning justice's lethargic wheels.

"Of course, it's tapered off a good bit now," said Miss Keeshan. "Many more were employed at the start of the trial."

Indicative of the falling world interest in this eventful but snail-paced drama is the shrinkage of the correspondents' corps from 300 newsmen representing 23 countries to 75 men and women from eight countries. Britain has the largest representation.

There were 249,827 words of news copy filed the day Justice Robert Jackson, the American prosecutor, made his opening statement. On July 1 the daily file dropped to 1,200 words. Throughout the trial it has averaged about 65,000 words.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 2 (AP) — The estate of Maj. Richard I. Bong, 24-year-old army pilot who shot down 40 Jap planes, amounts to \$2,800 and two airplanes.

Mrs. Marjorie Bong, his 22-year-old widow, filed a petition for letters of administration yesterday. Bong left no will. He had a \$80,000 life insurance policy.

# Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS  
1. Ancient Irish  
4. Black  
8. Mink  
12. Exile  
13. Italian seaside resort  
14. Duly  
15. Part of shoe  
17. Opposite solo  
18. Article  
19. Christmas amends  
21. Jewel  
22. Unconcealed  
23. Beverage  
25. Under-water worker  
27. Part of a racetrack  
31. Dull  
32. Crisis  
34. Concerning  
35. Wind indicator  
37. Everything

DOWN  
2. Tibetan priest  
3. Metal  
5. Snapping beetle  
6. Chief Norse god  
7. Not any  
8. Mountain in Alaska  
9. Whitewash  
10. City in Pennsylvania  
11. Enlarge an opening  
15. Headland  
16. Arrow  
17. Kill  
18. Not so much  
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20. Silly  
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22. California burfish  
23. Fatty part of  
24. Shrub fence  
25. Revolutionary hero  
26. Ireland  
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42. English river  
43. Beverage

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# Washington Merry-Go-Round—Draw Pearson

# No Treaty Better Than Poor Treaty

PARIS—It is always easy to give advice from the sidelines and if the newsmen now coaching the American secretary of state, James F. Byrnes, were really running the conference of Paris, it would probably accomplish even less. However, this observer—having attended many international parleys from the Washington arms conference of 1921 to the present—humbly offers two suggestions:

1.—The United States has become so confused trying to straighten out the back alleys of Trieste that we have lost sight of the guiding stars for which we fought—the Four Freedoms and the Atlantic Charter.

2.—Any treaty signed at Paris will be a mere scrap of paper unless there is good will between peoples to guarantee that its terms are carried out.

state department has made polite overtures, it is true, but no high official has ever stood up publicly and told the Kremlin that it is time for a showdown as to whether Russia wants peace and understanding between the Russian and American people.

I can think of no better place to call for such a showdown than at a conference convened for the purpose of establishing peace. Furthermore I am certain that nine-tenths of the delegates present, plus most of the people of the world, would applaud so vigorously a stand on our part that even the hard-boiled, thick-skinned Molotov would be impressed.

the problems we want settled. Austria can't be discussed. Therefore, Russian troops can still remain in Austria, can still send reinforcements to Yugoslavia and Yugoslavia, backed by the Red Army, can find an excuse to move into Trieste the day after the US-British troops move out. In other words, whatever treaty is signed here means nothing unless it is based on the firm foundation of good will between peoples.

The United States and Great Britain will never fight each other because the bond between their peoples is too strong. They understand each other and they would impeach overnight any President or prime minister who proposed war between them.

# U. S. Has Lost World Leadership

However, the unfortunate but inescapable fact is that the United States has lost its world leadership. Our diplomats have been led through so many Venezia Giulia labyrinths and up so many Trieste blind alleys with Slav diplomats yapping at their heels that they are weary and confused. They have partly lost their bearings. The great goal of a peace based on the Four Freedoms seems very dim, very blurred, and very far away.

# Byrnes' Big Obstacle

But friendship between the Russian and American people, while anxious to sprout, has no soil in which to grow. The leaders in Moscow will not permit it. Briefly, that is the big, obstacle before he can bring home anything which even remotely bears resemblance to a treaty of peace.

Until we re-emphasize the lofty goals for which we fought this war, any peace treaty signed at Paris will be a mere mockery. It would be far better to sign nothing than to come away from the conference with a piece of paper supposed to fulfill the great hopes for which men fought but which actually mean so little.

# No Hodgepodge Treaty Wanted

Some old-school diplomats have the idea that if Secretary Byrnes should return from Paris without a treaty, it would be a defeat for American diplomacy and a setback to world peace. On the contrary, it might be extremely healthy to end this conference without a treaty, especially if that treaty is a hodgepodge which adds to the unrest of the world while simultaneously lulling the American people to sleep.

# Good Will Between Peoples Needed

The small remnant of a treaty we are now called upon to sign means almost nothing. Molotov has whittled it down until it chiefly settles a few points he wants settled and almost none of

# Story On Tax 'Equalization'

Over in Clinch county, Georgia Iverson Huxford, a young editor, informed his readers that further purchase of timberland were being made by corporations. Already half the county's timberland was held by non-resident corporations. Value of the land was listed at \$1.50 (down from the \$4 an acre of 10 years ago) and far off the accepted value of \$18 to \$25 an acre.

This and other exposure gained intervention from state authorities on the grounds that failure of the timberland interests to be properly taxed meant a disproportionate share of government on other local property

holders. As a result, valuations were finally raised to \$2.05 an acre.

The payoff was when Editor Huxford was notified by the tax board that his newspaper's assessment was raised 400 per cent, or to a level of about 100 per cent on current, inflated values. Several others who had supported the move had similar raises on the ground of "letting those who favored high taxes pay high taxes."

But before you shed crocodile tears for poor Georgia, take an honest look around you and see what you think about equal values. Our tax house may not be of glass, but it's got too many windows.

# The Nation Today—James Marlow

# Congress Abandons Committees

WASHINGTON, (AP) — Needed by years of criticism that it was getting top-heavy and out-of-date, Congress voted to reorganize itself along simpler lines.

One of the main things it did was to reduce the number of Senate committees from 48 to 19 and House committees from 35 to 15. This may seem simple to do. It wasn't. Before they voted, congressmen had to wrestle with their ego and their heart's desire.

They all want to serve on committees. The bigger the committee, the bigger their prestige. It's the committees which make investigations, have hearings, quiz witnesses and prepare legislation for the whole congress to vote upon.

When they're appointed to committees, congressmen hang on. They finally become chairmen if all those ahead of them die or quit.

Through the years congress added new committees, piling one on top of another.

Where the work of a number of committees was duplicated, the

committees were combined into one.

That's the sore spot, or the spot that's likely to be sore.

This elimination of committees was done by the present congress, the 79th.

But the 79th congress winds up today.

The 80th will have the job of creating the new committees. But—

Who goes on what committee? Who becomes chairman of what committee?

In each house of congress the two political parties—democratic and republican—have what is called an assignment committee.

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# Judges Always At Trial

NUERNBERG, Germany — (AP) —Shipwreck Kelly had nothing on the eight judges of the international military tribunal.

Since last November 20, no member of the tribunal has been absent from the courtroom in the case of humanity versus 21 men and a ghost. The ghost is Martin Gorman, Hitler's twilgal deputy, who is believed dead but is being tried in absentia.

The 21 men, of course, are Hermann Goering and a score of other prominent ex-salesmen of the Swastika. Despite their long training in Nazi party bombast they have shown marked lack of endurance in weathering "ne flood of more than 4,000,000 words spoken into the official record since the trial began.

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# Peppy Blount Paces Vets To 9-8 Win At Ackerly

**Locals Lose First Debate To Stanton All-Star, 4 To 2**

ACKERLY, Aug. 2.—R. E. (Peppy) Blount, making his first appearance in the Veterans of Foreign Wars lineup, pitched eight hit ball in 14 innings of play as the Big Springers split a double header here Thursday, losing to Stanton, 2-4, but beating Sparenburg, 9-8, in Ackerly Invitational softball tournament play.

Blount limited the Martin county troupe to five hits in the opener to come out on top in the second go, that and a home run by Blount. Tom Davis and Tommy Elliott also hit four-masters for the Vets.

Peppy returned in the after-piece, however, and rationed out three hits. He struck out Jack Althart, Sparenburg's cleanup hitter, four times during the course of battle.

Great fielding by J. M. Bostick, second sacker, enabled the Big Springers to come out on top in the second go, that and a home run by Blount. Tom Davis and Tommy Elliott also hit four-masters for the Vets.

The victory enabled Stix Wood's gang to qualify for a berth in the semifinals of the meeting. The ex-GI's are booked to play the winner of the O'Donnell-Coahoma battle.

U. S. national forests in Oregon support 123,000 mule deer, 43,000 blacktail deer and 31,000 elk, the Oregon Forestry Department reports.



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## UBW Uprising Tames Clubbers In 7-3 Skirmish

United Body Workers' down-trodden nine exploded with a 7-3 surprise victory over Manhattan Thursday night on the Forsan diamond, and served notice to other City League softball teams that they'll be hard to handle henceforth.

The UBW boys were able to solve the offerings of Jimmy Daylong for only four hits, but two of them were extra base blows by Jimmy Smith and Johnny Hooper. Smith lashed out a double to right center field to bring two runs in the third, when UBW tucked the game away with a four-run outburst. Toby Cunningham set the clubbers down with three hits. Clyde Middleton made his debut as catcher for UBW, and J. Painter, new short-stop, played errorless ball afield.

In another tilt at Forsan, Big Spring motor broke a deadlock in the last of the seventh to edge Forsan 3-2. Both teams collected three safeties, with Chapman driving in the winning run with a base knock in the last stanza.

On the Munny park diamond Docs Redcaps collected nine safeties off Johnny Daylong to subdue Big Spring Hardware 9-5. Red Morris led the Redcap attack with four bingles in five trips to the plate.

Coahoms forfeited a scheduled match to ABC. The Coahoms are short of players, with several team members on vacation.

## Munny League Standings

**LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS**  
UBW 7, Manhattan 3.  
Redcaps 9, BS Hardware 5  
BS Motor 3, Forsan 2  
ABC 7, Coahoma 0 (forfeit)

Team	W	L	PCT.
Cosden	8	1	.889
Redcaps	8	2	.800
BS Motor	7	3	.700
Manhattan	7	4	.636
ABC	5	4	.556
BS Hardware	5	5	.500
VFW	4	5	.444
Coahoma	4	6	.400
Dubs	2	7	.222
UBW	2	9	.182
Forsan	0	6	.000

**TONIGHT'S SCHEDULE**  
ABC vs. Coahoma here 7:30 p. m.  
VFW vs. Cosden, here 9 p. m.

## Ex-Pilot To Keep On Playing Grid Game At U of T

BIG SPRING, Aug. 2. (AP)—Giant R. E. (Peppy) Blount, "clutch" man in the University of Texas' sweep of the Southwest conference football championship last fall, is making another last-half drive. This time it's in politics as Blount, 21-year-old former AAF pilot, enters the run-off primary for a place in the state legislature.

Blount, who caught a 33-yard pass to beat Southern Methodist in the last three minutes and put Texas U. on the title road and who's snagging of a 30-yard throw brought the clinching touchdown against Texas A. and M. on Thanksgiving Day, takes time out from seeking votes to announce that politics will not stop his grid-iron career. He's also passing up a chance for a try-out in the movies.

If he's elected he'll be right in the same town as the university—Austin. The legislature meets in January and all football will be over by then.

Peppy will be a little late reporting for fall practice this year. But he thinks he'll be in good shape anyway. He anticipates his legs and arms will have plenty of exercise before Aug. 24 as he but-tohones the voters from one end of the 91st legislative district to the other.

In the first primary Blount led the ticket with 5,927 votes against 5,864 for the second man, the incumbent, Cecil H. Barnes of San Angelo. The other candidate in the race, R. E. Taylor of San Angelo, polled 1,676.

Campaigning is a new experience for the 210-pound army flier who became a first lieutenant in the war and recently received the Distinguished Flying Cross and Air Medal with two oak leaf clusters for his exploits as a B-25 pilot in low-level bombing and strafing off the Indo-China coast. He crowded 31 combat missions into 3½ months, a record at the time he returned to the States to try for a West Point appointment. But instead Blount entered the university. During the football campaign he was a reserve end. He caught three passes, two of them for touchdowns. After the season ended, Blount was offered a film try-out for the role of Joe Palooka but turned it down.

## Prescott, O'Brien Win First Round Matches At Munny

Dub Prescott continued the steady pace that qualified him the championship flight, by ousting John Malaise 5-4 Thursday in the Munny golf tournament.

In a third flight match, Chester O'Brien went 19 holes to eliminate Clarence Shafer one up in a evenly fought battle.

Only two matches were un-reeled in tournament play Thursday, but there'll be plenty of traffic over the Munny course during the next few days.

Seventy more entries are yet to do battle in match play, and since all first round play must be completed by Wednesday, a heavy week-end is in prospect.

## Rusk Plant Leased

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2. (AP)—The McCrossin Engineering company of Rusk, Tex., has leased the Government-owned Iron Ore blast furnace at Rusk in a move for its possible operation by a Canadian Industrial Concern, Rep. Tom Pickett of Palestine said today.



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**PHILLY PACEMAKERS**—Among the players helping the Philadelphia Phillies keep out of the National League cellar are, left to right, Ron Northey, right fielder; Skeeter Newsome, short-stop; Emil Verban, second base, and Jim Tabor, third base. They took out of their dugout before a night game at Ebbets Field, Brooklyn, with the Dodgers.

## Results—Standings

### YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

**WT-NM League**  
Ablene 14, Lamesa 11.  
Clovis 4, Albuquerque 0.  
Lubbock 6, Amarillo 0.  
Pampa 8, Borger 7.

**Texas League**  
Dallas 9, Beaumont 0.  
Tulsa 14, San Antonio 4.  
Shreveport 3, Fort Worth 0.  
Oklahoma City 3, Houston 1.

**American League**  
New York 4, Detroit 2.  
Cleveland 2, Boston 1.  
Chicago 7, Philadelphia 6.  
St. Louis 8, Washington 2.

**National League**  
St. Louis 3, Brooklyn 1.  
Pittsburgh at Boston, rain.  
Cincinnati at Philadelphia, rain.  
(Only games scheduled.)

### STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct.
Ablene	70	28	.714
Pampa	61	38	.616
Amarillo	58	37	.611
Borger	49	43	.533
Lubbock	51	46	.526
Albuquerque	38	59	.392
Clovis	33	63	.344
Lamesa	25	64	.281

Team	W	L	Pct.
Fort Worth	72	40	.643
San Antonio	66	43	.606
Dallas	65	45	.591
Tulsa	61	52	.540
Beaumont	53	46	.486
Shreveport	48	63	.432
Houston	43	70	.381
Oklahoma City	36	75	.324

Team	W	L	Pct.
Boston	70	30	.700
New York	58	41	.588
Detroit	56	41	.577
Washington	50	48	.510
Cleveland	48	52	.480
St. Louis	43	54	.443
Chicago	40	58	.408
Philadelphia	28	69	.289

Team	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	56	38	.600
St. Louis	57	39	.594
Cincinnati	52	43	.547
Boston	47	48	.495
New York	45	49	.479
Philadelphia	43	54	.443
Chicago	40	53	.430
Pittsburgh	37	56	.398

### GAMES TODAY

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Shreveport at Fort Worth.  
Beaumont at Dallas.  
Houston at Oklahoma City.  
San Antonio at Tulsa.

**American League**  
New York at Cleveland (night)  
—Bonham (3-3) vs. Reynolds (7-10).  
Boston at Detroit — Hughson (11-8) vs. Trout (8-10).  
—Washington at Chicago (night)  
—Newcom (7-9) vs. Rigney (3-3).  
Philadelphia at St. Louis (nite)  
—Christopher (5-4) vs. Galehouse (5-7).

**National League**  
Pittsburgh at New York (2) — Sewell (6-7) and Roe (2-7) vs. Koilo (11-10) and Schumacher (3-4).  
Cincinnati at Brooklyn (night) — Heusser (6-7) or Beggs (6-6) vs. Higbe (9-3).  
Chicago at Boston (night) — Wyse (11-9) vs. Spahn (3-1).  
St. Louis at Philadelphia (nite) — Brazle (3-7) vs. Judd (5-9).

## Major League Leaders

By The Associated Press  
**National League**  
Batting — Walker, Brooklyn, .378; Hopp, Boston, .374.  
Home Runs — Mize, New York, 22; Kiner, Pittsburgh, 16.  
**American League**  
Batting — Vernon, Washington, .354; Williams, Boston, .352.  
Runs Batted In—Williams, Boston, 94; York, Boston, 88.  
Home Runs—Williams, Boston, 28; Greenberg, Detroit, 24.

## Bobby Doerr Robs Feller Of All-Time No-Hit Record

By SID FEDER  
(Pinch-Hitting for Hugh Fullerton, Jr.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 2. (AP)—Ike Williams, the NBA's half of the lightweight championship, is hot after Beau Jack to climb into a ring with him. But so far the Beau says no. . . . Coach Paul Brown is slapping a \$25 fine on any player late for a Cleveland (All-America conference) grid Browns practice. . . . Just, he says, by way of "having a good understanding between ourselves from the start." . . . Assault's galloping has made the Texas King Ranch the leading money-winning stable of the year, with just under \$400,000. The Yankees have signed Johnny Hooper, son of Harry of the Red Sox's famous Hooper-Spaker-Lewis outfield.

Notes To You—Has anyone pointed out that if it wasn't for Bobby Doerr Rapid Robert Feller would now be the all-time no-hit king of baseball history? . . . Doerr ruined one for Rapid Robert Wednesday and another in '39. . . . Feller has two half-of-famers to his credit already and the two Doerr "dood" that thing in him would have given him four. . . . One more than old Cy Young's record three.

Love, Honor—and Hurry It Up For days, Catcher Mike Dooley of the Greenview club in the East Texas loop had been walking in the clouds dreaming of his approaching marriage. His teammates gave him the "needles" by the hour, but Mike just laughed them off. Then in one game Mike connected for a long clout, but ambled along—possibly still thinking of the forthcoming nuptials—and was thrown out at third. He tried to avoid Manager Alex Hooks as he slipped back into the dugout, but Alex was waiting. "What," Alex roared, "were you doing—carrying a piano around with you for the wedding march?"

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## LOOKING 'EM OVER

With TOMMY HART

Lloyd Russell and Johnny Morrow, former Southwest conference athletic greats, are playing with the Waco Dons, semi-pro kings of the state, this season.

Russell is a former Baylor university backfield ace. Morrow attended Texas A&M and gave that institution some of its diamond glory. Lefty Lou Janicek, the former Big Spring, was with the Wacoans but since has signed on with the San Antonio Missions of the Texas league. The wronglander should give the Padres some needed color.

Aaron Robinson of the Yankees, the Red Sox's Bobby Doerr and Roy Cullenbine of the Detroiters are the only baseballers to ever get two home runs in a game off Bobby Feller. Only Robinson and Joe DiMaggio have hit grand slam circuit smashes off the Cleveland ace. . . .

The Philadelphia Phillies have given up on Bob Nussbaumer of Michigan university, whom they signed for a conditional \$15,000 bonus. Robin was released from the Philly farm club, Utica, a day or so before the first part of the bonus came due. . . .

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## Cards Knock Over Dodgers Again; Mel Harder Stops Red Sox March

By The Associated Press

The St. Louis Cardinals old flag system of knocking down their chief rivals appears to be paying rich dividends as the Redbirds find themselves only a game and a half out of first place today.

In 15 engagements with the National league leading Brooklyn Dodgers, the Redbirds have captured 11 including two out of three in their most recent "crucial" series which ended yesterday with a 3-1 Cardinal triumph. The Cards also hold a 7-4 edge over the third place Cubs.

As for the Dodgers, yesterday was a day they do not care to remember in any shape, form or manner. Not only did they drop the game and the series to their arch-rivals, but lost the services of Pete Reiser temporarily.

The brilliant outfielder suffered a "mild concussion" after banging his head against the left field concrete wall in a vain attempt to snare a drive by Whitey Kurovski in the fifth inning.

The New York Yankees moved back into second place in the American league by defeating the Detroit Tigers 4-2 to forge nine percentage points ahead of the Bengals.

Cleveland made it two in a row over the front running Boston Red Sox by edging out Joe Cronin's crew 2-1. Mel Harder gained credit for the victory although he needed help from Jittery Joe Berry in the ninth.

With Jack Kramer letting Washington down with four hits for his 11th win, the St. Louis Browns lashed out an 8-2 triumph to sweep the three-game series with the Senators.

Despite a grand slam homer by Philadelphia's Pete Suder, the Chicago White Sox outslugged the Athletics 7-6 to capture the series, two games to one.

A scheduled twin bill between Cincinnati and Philadelphia and a single encounter between Boston

and Pittsburgh in the National league were postponed because of rain. The New York Giants and Chicago Cubs were not scheduled.

## Joyce-Kapilow "Go" On KBST Tonight



"Will o' the Wisp" Willie Joyce of Gary, Ind., and Brooklyn's driving Danny Kapilow (above) clash in a return welterweight bout at Madison Square Garden tonight.

Last March, Kapilow, very much the underdog, surprised the fancy by outboxing and outpunching the wily, seasoned Joyce in the early stanzas of a relentless brawl. But a fighting heart and a sizzling rally in the last two rounds carried Joyce to a draw.

Kapilow is an excellent boxer with plenty of authority in his punches, his best weapon being a left hook to the body. The Gary flash, however, carries knockout lightning in a left that he manipulates in the form of a hook or a jab with equal facility.

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**John F. Wolcott**  
TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR  
(Paid Pol. Adv.)

**E. J. Miller**  
Nominee for Associate Justice  
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PHONE your orders in - Sonny's Delivery Service. W. L. Zubee Phone 9666; night phone 733-J.

RADIOS Serviced and Repaired. Kinard Radio Service 1110 W. 4th St. Big Spring, Texas

ROCK Concrete and carpenter work. See L. L. Madry at 410 Benton St.

Announcements Business Service TERMITES WELLS EXTERMINATING CO. Free Inspection Phone 23

SAFE WORK ELECTRICIAN Compare estimates—and also compare workmanship and materials—and the Electrical Contract is ours.

CARTER ELECTRIC 304 Gregg Phone 1541

WET wash and rough dry; individual bundle work guaranteed. Phone 1671-W.

FURNITURE repaired; completely reupholstered and unholstered; 200 yards pastel floral tapestry for sale by yard; reasonable; all work guaranteed. Mrs. Upchurch, 2104 Nolan.

LUZIER'S fine cosmetics and perfumes. Beatrice Vierlegge, Phone 847-W.

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

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

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Help Wanted - Male EXPERIENCED and versatile bookkeeper or accountant; must be capable, have good background in experience or training; good personality; state salary requirement, references. Good opportunity. Full particulars, Box 630, Herald.

Help Wanted - Male AN opening for an experienced automotive mechanic. Shroyer Motor Co., 424 East 3rd.

Help Wanted - Female If you are energetic we have a permanent position to offer you; either in Big Spring or Odessa, Texas; experience unnecessary. Apply Room 609 Petroleum Bldg. Rio Grande Nat'l Life Insurance Co., J. N. Malone, Supt.

Help Wanted - Female WANTED: White woman to do housework and care for small child. Salary, room and board. 510 Rannels.

Financial Money To Loan AUTO FURNITURE \$10.00 To \$150.00 THIS ADD WORTH \$1.00 TO YOU WHEN YOU OPEN YOUR FIRST ACCOUNT.

PEOPLES FINANCE AND TRUST CO. INC. 406 Petroleum Building Phone 721

LOANS \$5.00 to \$1000.00 PERSONAL LOANS - To steadily employed up to \$50.00. No red tape, no co-signer required.

Announcements Woman's Column EXPERT alterations done. Mrs. J. L. Haynes, 601 Main, Phone 1826-J.

A Definition: THE WHAT NOT SHOP The place to find a variety of unusual gifts; large and small; useful home accessories. Greeting cards, ladies underwear, lovely handkerchiefs, bags, costume jewelry, etc.

Lina Flewellen 210 E. Park St. I KEEP children 25c per hour or \$1.25 per day or night; extra good care. 1002 W. 6th St.

Day and Night Nursery Mrs. Forseth at 606 11th Place. Keeps children all hours. Phone 2010.

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Financial Money To Loan J. P. DUGGAN PERSONAL LOANS No Indorsement... No Security Your Signature Gets The Money FINANCE SERVICE CO. 105 Main Phone 1591 Across St. from Packing House Market

For Sale AUTHORIZED DEALER Served Electrolux Butane gas refrigerator; Butane gas Magic Chef Ranges; Whirlpool Washing Machines; Payne law furnaces; central heating plants. For sales service call 1683.

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

FOUR rooms of furniture for sale. 801 E. 2nd.

BATH room fixtures for sale; tub, lavatory, commode and 20 gallon hot water heater complete with taps and faucets. Box J.M.L., 2 Herald.

WHITE enamel 50 lb. ice box for sale; good condition. Apply 403 Temperance St.

LIVING room suite; bedroom suite; 1942 Frigidair; breakfast set; odd tables and chairs; Simons twin bed and mattress. 106 W. 23rd.

BABY buggy; play pen; bathnet; car seat; baby scales and toilet seat; all good quality; good condition. Price for lot, \$25.00. 615 Dallas.

LIVING room suite; good mattress; bath heater; two rockers. 510 Nolan.

LIVING room suite, makes bed; breakfast set; baby bed with innerspring mattress; automatic gas water heater; occasional table; coffee table. 104 Washington Blvd.

ELECTRIC refrigerator for sale. 1211 Main.

Office & Store Equipment NEW Remington Rand Standard Typewriter for sale; 1946 desk model; ceiling price. 104 Algerita St.

Poultry & Supplies LARGE fryers for sale; for orders, call 91.

FRYERS for sale on foot or dressed. Call 1303 Coahoma for week-end deliveries or see Jack Roberts, 1 1/2 blocks south Adam's Garage, Coahoma.

Livestock REGISTERED Hereford bull and milk cow with baby calf for sale. See J. D. Wright, 2 miles west of town on Highway 80.

Building Materials TWO windows for sale; size 24 x 24; complete with frames; 14 rolls of 90 lb. slate roofing. 1409 Settles.

Miscellaneous HAND tooled leather purses, belts, billfolds; also repair work; saddle repair. Dove Leathercraft, 115 Rannels.

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

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

MOTORCYCLES rebuilt; parts; LAWN MOWERS sharpened. Cecil Thixton Motorcycle & Bicycle Shop, 903 West 3rd, Phone 2093.

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

JUST received large shipment of Oldsmobile crank shafts for 6 and 8 cylinder; 1937 to 1946 model. Shroyer Motor Co.

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

For Sale Miscellaneous PEACHES! PEACHES! Just received truck load Frank Alberta Peaches from Comanche County. Pete's Fruits and Vegetables 801 W. 3rd

1946 Harley Davidson Motorcycle and side car for sale; size 61; will sell or trade for car; less than 500 miles. 1610 W. 3rd.

NOTICE VACATIONISTS Thermos jugs, seat covers for General Motor cars, hydraulic bumper jacks.

SHROYER MOTOR CO. 424 East 3rd. Phone 37

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

BIG SPRING FUEL CO. C. F. Morris

NEW D&H electric welder for sale; 300 A.M.P.; driven by 6 cylinder Continental motor; sell at cost. Phone R. E. 858.

HARRISON and Richardson 23 Revolver; 6" bbl., 9 shot with holster; excellent condition. See at rear apartment, 506 Nolan after 5 P. M.

GOOD tomatoes for sale; \$1.50 bushel; \$5.00 bu.; no baskets furnished; also much melons. 5 miles west of Sterling City on Garden City road.

Wanted To Buy Household Goods FURNITURE wanted. We need used furniture. Give us a chance before you sell. Get our prices before you buy. W. L. McCollister, 1001 W. 4th, Phone 1291.

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

Miscellaneous WANT TO BUY Ford Tractors and equipment; give model; condition and price. Write Box H.N., 2 Herald.

WANT to buy good used piano. Call Mrs. Ann Houser, Phone 551.

WANT to buy farm tractors and equipment. Call or write O. E. Davis, Angelo Equipment and Supply Co., Box 1213, San Angelo, Texas. Phone 7233-3.

WANTED: Clean cotton rags. Shroyer Motor Co., Phone 37.

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

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

NICE large bedroom for rent at 806 Johnson.

BEDROOMS for rent; kitchen facilities; suitable for men, ladies or couple. 808 Main.

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

ROOM and BOARD under new management. Mattie & Lucy 311 N. Scurry Arrington Hotel

Two room vacant house for rent. 1100 Main.

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

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

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

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

3-Real good grocery store; good location; can be bought very reasonable for next few days.

4. Nice 7-room house, 2 baths, nice location; corner lot; can be bought right.

5-Nice growing business; Stag's Appliance Store; Authorized Philco Dealer; good location; real good buy for next few days.

6. Very pretty brick home on Washington Blvd.; 6 large rooms; beautiful floors; lots of closets; beautiful yard; call for appointment.

7. Very modern brick home, five rooms and bath; southeast part of town; lots of closets; electric pump; beautiful yard; very good buy.

8. Beautiful 5-room home and bath; nice small house on rear of lot; one of the best locations; near High School for a real nice home call for appointment.

9. Very modern 4-room and bath on Johnson St. immediate possession; very good buy.

10-Choice place just outside city limits; very modern four room house; good barn; good well and windmill; 60 acres land.

11. Good stock farm, 3 miles of Big Spring; lots of good water at a good price.

12. A real section farm; the very best; be glad to show you this place.

13. Have some choice business lots; also a number of residence lots on 11th Place; Edwards Heights; Washington Place. Now when you are interested in buying or selling your home, will be glad to help you. Phone 1822 or call at 501 E. 15th.

W. M. JONES, Real Estate

GOOD modern 6-room house near high school for sale; reasonable price. J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217.

FIVE acres good land on highway with good home; 2 miles town; possession one month.

50 foot lot located on Highway 80; business location.

Five room stucco home with 14 acres located Highway 80. All city utilities and conveniences. Home furnished. Possession.

FIVE room rock home, furnished; close in on pavement; possession one month.

VERY nice 5 room brick home; east front; south part of town; possession in 2 weeks.

RUBE S. MARTIN Office No. 422 First National Bank Bldg. Phone No. 642

TO MR. AND MRS. HOMEBUYER A good modern 6-room house and bath on Rannels St. Near High School; this is a good piece of property in good location. J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217.

Real Estate Houses For Sale ATTRACTIVE 5-room air conditioned house for sale; completely furnished; has hardwood floors; nice bath; ample closet space; large lot with pecan, fig and peach trees; and grape vines; furnitures including washing machine and vacuum cleaner; located in Park Hill addition. Immediate possession. 805 W. 18th St.

LARGE 6-room house; nearly 3 acres land; gas, lights, water; just outside corporate limits of Big Spring in nice locality; fine place for chicken ranch. J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217.

FOUR-room furnished house and bath for quick sale; newly decorated; possession at once. Price \$3,850. 208 W. 22nd.

Poultry farm; located close to Big Spring; 5-room brick home; all brooder houses; metal nests; incubator in A-1 condition; completely stocked. A going business and home; priced to sell; shown by appointment only.

Six lots close to Veterans Hospital site on old highway, 200x300; to be sold to order. Call for appointment.

LARGE four room stucco on 60 acres; barn; windmill and barbecue pit; located south of town in Silver Hills Addition; house only 3 years old. PEELER - COLLINS Real Estate 202 Rannels Phone 925 or 926

PRE-FABRICATED HOUSES are available again; single units 16 x 16; double units 16 x 32; made; delivered; quickly erected; no waiting and no red tape; this type house can be seen at the Ranch Inn. For appointment, Call 9521.

FOUR room house and bath for sale; 110 11th Place; newly decorated; across from High School; \$5500.

TWO room house for sale; very reasonable. See Mrs. Lulu Nix at 8500 1st street. This is the reason you should be a member of Your Exchange. Your listing will be broadcast as follows:

KRST, Big Spring, Texas-7 a. m. KXOX, Sweetwater, Texas-12:15 p. m. and 1:00 p. m. KRBC, Abilene, Texas-6:45 a. m. KFYO, Lubbock, Texas-4:00 p. m. KVOP, Plainview, Texas - 4:00 p. m. KWB, Brownwood, Texas. State Office-8:15 a. m.

Two (2) nice 6 room homes - close in on Gregg. Priced to sell. Nice 6 room brick on 2 1/2 lots located in Edwards Heights; a real buy.

A very nice 6 room on 2 lots; close in on Main St.

Attractive 3 room and bath; complete in every way; in ideal location. New stucco and furnished duplex on same lot. A nice home on a sound investment.

A nice 4 room and bath. Newly decorated; going at a bargain.

Attractive 3 room and bath on 50 x 150 ft. lot. Hardwood floors; in nice residential district. Priced right.

A very nice 5 room and bath. At a good bargain.

3 room and bath; close in and priced to sell quickly.

Attractive 5 room and bath - good location in desirable place and a good buy.

Very nice 4 room and bath in good residential district. Completely furnished, 23 cabin tourist court. In West Texas city and ideal location.

Three (3) nice buildings; located close in 50 x 140 ft. Sold separately. Call together. Going to a sound investor.

An attractive 11 Cabin Tourist Court with 3 room apt. and office. Brings in a good income. A popular cafe and ser. sta. in a nice location doing a big business right now.

A fully equipped Beauty Shop with 4 room living qtrs. Furnished. Close in on corner lot. Business already established.

160 ac. mixed sandy land; 115 in. cut, with a good yield average. Has 5 room and bath. Good tractor and all equipment going at a bargain.

160 ac. of mixed sandy land. 120 in. cut. Fully improved. Has a crop on it right now. Really priced to sell.

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
H. J. R. No. 10  
**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**  
proposing an amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto Section 62, providing a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the State; limiting the amount contributed by the State to such Fund; providing for investment of Fund with certain exceptions; prohibiting recipients of benefits hereunder from receiving other direct aid from the State; authorizing counties to provide and administer such Fund for appointive county officers and employees after favorable vote in a county election for such purpose; limiting the amount contributed by the county to such Fund; providing for investment of Fund with certain exceptions; prohibiting recipients of benefits from said Fund from receiving other direct aid from the State; any form of ballot, and publication on the question of adoption of this Amendment.

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
H. J. R. No. 49  
**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**  
proposing an amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section to be known as "Section 7-a"; providing that subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction all revenues derived from the taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants and motor vehicle registration fees shall be used for the sole purposes of acquiring rights-of-way for and constructing and maintaining public roadways; for the administration of laws pertaining to traffic and safety; and for the payment of principal and interest on county road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945; providing that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; providing and insuring that each county shall never derive less revenue from motor registration fees than the maximum amounts and percentages of such fees allowed to be retained by each county under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945; negatively interpreting this amendment as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; and providing for the proclamation of the election and the publication thereof.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Section 62, which shall read as follows:  
"Sec. 62. (a). The Legislature shall have the right to levy taxes to provide a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the State; provided that the amount contributed by the State to such Fund shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed the sum of one hundred and eighty dollars (\$180) for any such person."  
"All funds provided from the compensation of such person, or by the State of Texas, for such Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund, as are received by any agency of the State of Texas, shall be invested in bonds of the United States, the State of Texas, or counties or cities of this State, or in bonds issued by any agency of the United States Government, the payment of the principal of and interest on which is guaranteed by the United States; provided that a sufficient amount of said funds shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payment of the amount likely to become due each year out of said Fund, such amount of funds to be kept on hand to be determined by the agency which may be provided by law to administer said Fund; and provided that the recipients of benefits from said Fund shall not be eligible for any other pension retirement funds or direct aid from the State of Texas, unless the Fund, the creation of which is provided for herein, contributed by the State, is released to the State of Texas as a condition to receiving such other pension aid."  
(b). Each county shall have the right to provide for and administer a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the county; provided a majority vote of the qualified voters of such county and after such election has been advertised by being published in at least one newspaper of general circulation in said county once each week for four consecutive weeks; provided that the amount contributed by the county to such Fund shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed at any time five per centum (5%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the county, and shall in no way exceed the sum of One Hundred and Eighty Dollars (\$180) for any such person."  
"All funds provided from the compensation of each such person, or by the county, for such Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund, as are received by the county, shall be invested in bonds of the United States, the State of Texas, or counties or cities of this State, or in bonds issued by any agency of the United States Government, the payment of the principal of and interest on which is guaranteed by the United States; provided that a sufficient amount of said funds shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payment of the amount likely to become due each year out of said Fund, such amount of funds to be kept on hand to be determined by the agency which may be provided by law to administer said Fund; and provided that the recipients of benefits from said Fund shall not be eligible for any other pension retirement funds or direct aid from the State of Texas, unless the Fund, the creation of which is provided for herein, contributed by the county, is released to the State of Texas as a condition to receiving such other pension aid."  
Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at an election to be held throughout the State in November, 1946, (being the fifth day thereof) at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:  
"FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PROVIDE A RETIREMENT, DISABILITY AND DEATH COMPENSATION SYSTEM FOR THE APPOINTIVE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE STATE OF TEXAS;" and  
"AGAINST THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PROVIDE A RETIREMENT, DISABILITY AND DEATH COMPENSATION SYSTEM FOR THE APPOINTIVE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE STATE OF TEXAS;"

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
Section 1. That Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as 7-a and to read as follows:  
"Section 7-a. Subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction, all net revenues remaining after payment of all refunds allowed by law and expenses of collection derived from motor vehicle registration fees, and all taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, on motor fuels and lubricants used to propel motor vehicles over public roadways, shall be used for the sole purpose of acquiring rights-of-way, constructing, maintaining, and policing such public roadways, and for the administration of such laws as may be prescribed by the Legislature pertaining to the supervision of traffic and safety on such roads; and for the payment of the principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945, provided, however, that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; and, provided, however, that the net revenue from motor vehicle registration fees shall never be less than the maximum amounts allowed to be retained by each county and the percentage allowed to be retained by each County under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945. Nothing contained herein shall be construed as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose."  
The foregoing Amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the General Election to be held in November, 1946, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the following words:  
"FOR THE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE PROVIDING THAT SUBJECT TO LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATION, ALLOCATION AND DIRECTION ALL NET REVENUES DERIVED FROM THE TAXES, EXCEPT GROSS PRODUCTION AND AD VALOREM TAXES, LEVIED ON MOTOR FUELS AND LUBRICANTS AND MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION FEES SHALL BE USED FOR THE SOLE PURPOSE OF ACQUIRING RIGHTS-OF-WAY FOR AND CONSTRUCTING AND MAINTAINING PUBLIC ROADWAYS; FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS PERTAINING TO TRAFFIC AND SAFETY; AND FOR THE PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST ON COUNTY AND ROAD DISTRICT BONDS OR WARRANTS VOTED OR ISSUED PRIOR TO JANUARY 2, 1939, AND DECLARED ELIGIBLE FOR DEBT SERVICE PRIOR TO JANUARY 2, 1945; PROVIDING THAT ONE-FOURTH (1/4) OF SUCH NET REVENUE FROM THE MOTOR FUEL TAX SHALL BE ALLOCATED TO THE AVAILABLE SCHOOL FUND; PROVIDING AND INSURING THAT EACH COUNTY SHALL NEVER DERIVE LESS REVENUE FROM MOTOR REGISTRATION FEES THAN THE MAXIMUM AMOUNTS AND PERCENTAGES OF SUCH FEES ALLOWED TO BE RETAINED BY EACH COUNTY UNDER THE LAWS IN EFFECT JANUARY 1, 1945; AND NEGATIVELY INTERPRETING THIS AMENDMENT AS AUTHORIZING THE PLEDGING OF THE STATE'S CREDIT FOR ANY PURPOSE."  
"AGAINST THE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF TEXAS PROVIDING THAT SUBJECT TO LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATION, ALLOCATION AND DIRECTION ALL NET REVENUES DERIVED FROM THE TAXES, EXCEPT GROSS PRODUCTION AND AD VALOREM TAXES, LEVIED ON MOTOR FUELS AND LUBRICANTS AND MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION FEES SHALL BE USED FOR THE SOLE PURPOSE OF ACQUIRING RIGHTS-OF-WAY FOR AND CONSTRUCTING AND MAINTAINING PUBLIC ROADWAYS; FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF LAWS PERTAINING TO TRAFFIC AND SAFETY; AND FOR THE PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST ON COUNTY AND ROAD DISTRICT BONDS OR WARRANTS VOTED OR ISSUED PRIOR TO JANUARY 2, 1939, AND DECLARED ELIGIBLE FOR DEBT SERVICE PRIOR TO JANUARY 2, 1945; PROVIDING THAT ONE-FOURTH (1/4) OF SUCH NET REVENUE FROM THE MOTOR FUEL TAX SHALL BE ALLOCATED TO THE AVAILABLE SCHOOL FUND; PROVIDING AND INSURING THAT EACH COUNTY SHALL NEVER DERIVE LESS REVENUE FROM MOTOR REGISTRATION FEES THAN THE MAXIMUM AMOUNTS AND PERCENTAGES OF SUCH FEES ALLOWED TO BE RETAINED BY EACH COUNTY UNDER THE LAWS IN EFFECT JANUARY 1, 1945; AND NEGATIVELY INTERPRETING THIS AMENDMENT AS AUTHORIZING THE PLEDGING OF THE STATE'S CREDIT FOR ANY PURPOSE."



"We will now open our discussion period—if you don't know what you're talking about please be as brief as possible!"



**Real Estate**  
**Farms & Ranches**

**Shreveport Ace Tames Felines, Santone Loses**  
267-ACRE farm five miles of Big Spring; improved; well and windmill; half in cultivation; half mineral; electrically and gas available; price \$37,500 per acre. Contact: J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217.

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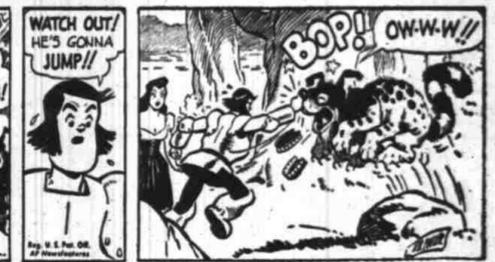
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Grover Blissard

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**A JOINT RESOLUTION**  
S. J. R. No. 5  
proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to appropriate Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural College for the construction of a building on the campus of such college pursuant to deficiency authorization of Governor of Texas on August 31, 1937.  
**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new section, as follows:  
"The Legislature is authorized to appropriate so much money as may be necessary, not to exceed Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000.00) Dollars, to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural College for the construction of a building on the campus of such college pursuant to deficiency authorization by the Governor of Texas on August 31, 1937."  
Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A.D., 1946, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:  
"FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PAY FOR BUILDING CONSTRUCTION FOR JOHN TARLETON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE;" and  
"AGAINST THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PAY FOR BUILDING CONSTRUCTION FOR JOHN TARLETON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE."  
Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.  
Sec. 3. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of the state, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of this publication and election.

**Calvert In Support Of Jester Campaign**

DALLAS, Aug. 2 (AP) — Robert W. Calvert of Hillsboro, former Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, last night urged supporters of Beauford H. Jester, candidate for Governor, "To attend their county conventions Saturday and see that their names are included in the list of delegates to be sent to the State Convention."  
Calvert makes his appeal in a prepared statement in which he said he was joined by R. L. Holliday of El Paso, member of the State Democratic Executive Committee, and J. K. Brim of Sulphur Springs, former chairman of the committee.





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## The Ocean Is Rising But Not So You'd Notice It

AP News Features  
WASHINGTON — Look out, landlubbers—the seas are coming after you. Observations showing that ocean levels are rising have just been disclosed by the US coast and Geodetic Survey.

Don't let it disturb you, though. The upward trend, as recorded by the survey over the last couple of decades is at "a rate of approximately 1 1/2 feet a century."

A little curbside calculation shows it'll take 3,520 years—until 548 A. D.—to cover up a mile of coastland, which means that people in Kansas City can afford to ignore the matter.

**Bears Watching**

Nevertheless, on the word of survey experts, who go in for the long-range view, "from an engineering and geophysical point of view it is very important to keep track of this movement."

In fact, the survey'll do it for you and let you know how its go-

ing—it claims ability now to predict tides 100 years in advance "if necessary"—because it does some careful checking on the ocean level at least once a year.

Tide-gauge records were checked at Portland, Me.; New York, Baltimore and "as far south as Key West," with the same old result—level rising at the rate of 1 1/2 feet a century.

**Tides at Stake**

The trend may change from up to down at any time, the survey acknowledges, but it observes that "if the rise should continue indefinitely it might well affect tidewater land titles and have an influence on other matters of economic and social importance."

Why is the ocean acting up? That's simple, says the survey. "Gradual receding of the world's great glaciers, which has been going on for a long period," adds a lot of new water from the melted ice.

### Texas Today—

## EL PASO MAN ADOPTS PORCUPINE HE FOUND IN HIS BED ONE DAY

By JACK RUTLEDGE  
Associated Press Staff

What would you do if you woke up some morning and found a live porcupine in your bed?

John Kissick, 70, El Paso, did. He just looked at the porcupine and the porcupine looked right back at him and they've been pals ever since. The El Paso Times says so.

"I wasn't very surprised," Kissick said. "Animals always have been fond of me."

Once, he said, there was a guinea hen that used to follow him around town in La Salle, Colo.

In Amarillo, there was a big rooster that moved in with him. He has named the porcupine Oscar. Oscar has been a perfect companion. He has never ruffled his quills in Kissick's direction. Sometimes he becomes annoyed with strangers and gets his spine in battle formation, but never around Kissick.

Kissick, after living with Oscar, has decided there's nothing to the belief that a porcupine throws its quills.

If he swings the tail at you he gets the job done.

Oscar makes sounds like a grown cat, and at times has a human quality to his voice. Kissick said he often wakes up nights thinking someone is talking to

him, but it's just Oscar talking to himself.

The fully grown porcupine is particular about his eating. He will ignore food given him in daylight, but at night he wades into his milk and fruit and vegetables. He likes apples best.

Kissick thinks Oscar strayed in to his place one night while trying to escape some boys shooting off firecrackers.

Nat Campbell, El Paso poet-philosopher, says it's the first time he's heard of a porcupine in the city limits in 20 years.

In some ways, Oscar is like a possum. He plays dead when strangers are near. If they get too close, though, he becomes very much alive.

## "Little Itchy Itchy" Hero Of Manning's Latest Cartoon Book

Reg Manning, whose cartoons appear daily in The Herald, has qualified as an author again.

"Little Itchy Itchy," a collection of Manning cartoons, principally about the "bearer of the hari-kari sword," has been published by J. J. Augustin of New York.

The first portion of the book deals with a number of Manning cartoons dating back to his prophetic drawing of Hitler's shotgun wedding to the German people in 1934.

Itchy Itchy makes his appearance in the second section and doggedly follows the Jap warlords on the road back to doom. Itchy is always popping up with the suicide sword and the annoying question, "to Jap warlords at least, of 'Now!'"

Manning started to work cartooning for the Arizona Republic in Phoenix, Ariz., shortly after emerging from high school 20 years ago—and he's still there, only his cartoons now appear in three score leading dailies throughout the nation. Until the middle '30's his cartoons were strictly local, but about the time Hitler lifted his head, Manning began swinging at it from the editorial page.

He has authored two other books, "Cartoon Guide of Arizona" and "What Kinds Cactus Is That?"

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## Sheriff Candidate Gets Vote Recount

HOUSTON, Aug. 2 (AP)—A temporary restraining order against certification of Sheriff's votes from two Harris County Precincts where heavy negro votes were cast last Saturday was granted late yesterday by District Judge W. W. Moore.

A hearing was set for Monday for a permanent injunction. The order restrains the county Democratic executive committee from placing the name of M. L. Woolley on the run-off ballot for Sheriff.

Police Capt. J. R. Davidson, who ran a close race with Woolley for the runner-up spot in the primary, filed the suit attacking the legality of boxes 24 and 48. Should the boxes be thrown out, Davidson would replace Woolley and enter the run-off against Sheriff Neal Polk, who seeks re-election.

### Public Records

**Warranty Deeds**

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H. C. Campbell, Jr., et ux to William Cecil Spencer et ux, N4, S4, SE4 Blk. 28, College Hts. add. \$5,000.

James M. Smith et ux to O. L. Grossett et ux, Lot 8, Blk. 16, Boydston's add. \$3,000.

In 70th District Court  
Lura Berry vs. Clarence Berry, suit for divorce.

**New Cars**

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**VOTING HEAVIER**

RIO GRANDE CITY, Aug. 2 (AP)—Official canvass of the Democratic primary vote in Starr county has placed the total vote at 3,733 as compared with a 1,395 for 1944. Oscar Vale, chairman of the County Democratic committee said today.

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