

Activity On Coast Indicates Hitler Has Another Surprise Ready

By LOUIS F. LOCHNER

WITH THE GERMAN ARMY ON THE FRENCH COAST, Aug. 17 (AP)—What I saw in three days with German troops on this coastline opposite England indicates Adolf Hitler has another surprise ready.

On the surface there is little that meets the eye to suggest the imminence of an attempt to invade England. Although most people believe invasion of the island kingdom is Hitler's aim, and German newspapers make no secret of it, German camouflage in this coastal region is so clever an untrained observer would imagine nothing of the sort was afoot.

But I am familiar with German camouflage methods, and what I saw was more than enough to convince me that Hitler, if and when Der Tag comes, will once again surprise the world.

And if it is all being done so methodically and with such precision that he can set the zero hour as he chooses, irrespective of wind and weather and season.

English fliers do what they can by night to disturb the preparations but by day the English channel—once one of the most crowded sea-lanes in the world—seems a picture of desolation.

In three days I motored up and down the coast between Ostend and Boulogne. Although I stood on high promontories commanding superb views of the channel, including the chalk cliffs of Dover, I saw not one British convoy, nor any good-sized ship.

Two German mine-sweepers and a fishing smack were all I could discern moving over the desolate waterway. There were plenty of motionless funnels showing above the waters of harbors I visited—all reminders of the battles of Ostend, Calais, Dunker-

que—and plenty of stranded ships on beaches and reefs.

The air above the channel, however, was full of activity; in fact, planes were roaring over our heads nearly all the time.

Spectators on the sidelines of the battle for England, we watched speedy Messerschmitt pursuit planes rocketing to giddy heights and darting across the channel, saw heavily-armed combat craft roaring toward England, saw squadrons of Germany's heaviest bombers droning ominously westward with loads of death and destruction.

Such was the picture we saw day after day. Sometimes they passed in tiny groups of nine; then flights of 18 and 27; sometimes great swarms of 50 or more. Disappearing in the fleecy clouds they reappeared some time later like silvery fish crossing the deep blue sky—coming back for another load of bombs.

We could not see where the Germans dropped their bombs, and all we could hear was a series of heavy detonations, interspersed with the thud-thud and boom-boom of British anti-aircraft batteries. After half an hour the Germans would return, sometimes in perfect formation, sometimes more irregularly.

Occasionally a mad chase would develop, with a British pursuit plane screaming after the bombers. There would be a quick, furious exchange of firing and then a sudden about-face by German fighters stabbing back at the Englishman.

In a few minutes it would be all over. Our inspection of the coast-line left no doubt that the Germans had fortified it heavily against a possible counter-attack from England.

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Willkie Asks Debates With Roosevelt

Throgs Hear GOP Acceptance Speech; New Deal Flayed

ELWOOD, Ind., Aug. 17 (AP)—Formally accepting the republican presidential nomination before a wildly cheering crowd in a circus-day setting, Wendell L. Willkie proposed in "dead earnest" today that President Roosevelt meet him in a series of public debates on major campaign issues.

A scorching crowd, estimated at 15,000 to 250,000, packed Callaway park—once a cow pasture in which Willkie played as a boy—for the ceremonies and interrupted the perspiring nominee repeatedly with shouts, whistles and handclapping.

Willkie said he favored some form of selective military service as "the only democratic way in which to secure the trained and competent manpower we need for national defense."

He criticized the administration's foreign policy and asserted that the president "has courted a war for which the country is hopelessly unprepared and which it emphatically does not want."

His listeners, many of whom had slept in Callaway park overnight in order to obtain choice seats, were scattered through clumps of trees. But the burning Indiana sun brought perspiration to every brow.

Willkie made it plain he believes that the United States is "not isolated from those suffering people of Europe."

"No man can guarantee peace," he continued. "Peace is not something that a nation can achieve by itself. It also depends upon what some other country does."

Although saying that "the president's attacks on foreign powers have been useless and dangerous," Willkie added that "I trust I have made it plain that in the defense of our American liberties, I should not hesitate to stand for war."

"But, like a great many other Americans, I saw service at first hand in 1917. I know what war can do to demoralize civil liberties at home. And I believe it to be the first duty of a president to try to maintain peace."

Willkie received formal notification of his nomination from Rep. Joseph W. Martin, Jr., of Massachusetts, chairman of the republican national committee. Martin said the Indianan's nomination had been dictated by the people, not by a clique of politicians.

In his debate challenge to the president, Willkie proposed "that during the next two and a half

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Nazi Blockade Menaces US Ship



GERMAN BOMB SMASHES SUBURBAN HOME—This picture, sent from London to New York by cable, shows, according to British censor-approved caption, a dwelling smashed by a German bomb which was dropped in southwest suburban London during the mass raid Friday. Firemen and air raid precautions men view the wreckage.

No Guarantee Vessel Won't Be Attacked

New Total Blockade Put Into Effect Around England

BERLIN, Aug. 17 (AP)—The German government washed its hands of responsibility tonight for the safety of the U. S. Ship American Legion, carrying American home from Petsamo, Finland.

It said the United States government had declined to heed a German warning to keep the American Legion out of British waters mined today under a new, formally proclaimed total blockade of the sea around Britain.

Conceivably, under the Germans own announced terms for the blockade, the American Legion might be subject to a bombing attack as soon as she appeared in British waters.

The blockade communique said specifically that "airplanes will attack every ship" and that "every ship which sails in this area in the future exposes itself to the danger of destruction."

Before the blockade was proclaimed, however, the government had said that as an army ship of a neutral, the American Legion would not be molested by Germany.

An article by DNB, official German news agency, outlining the American Legion situation, was headed "Indiscreet Venture." This was the first expression of press reaction.

If the ship, with nearly 900 American refugees from Europe aboard, pursues its outlined course—between the British island of Rona and Cape Wrath—it will do so at its own risk, Germany advised the United States orally through the U. S. embassy here.

The American Legion sailed from Petsamo Friday night.

While not specifically mentioned, it was believed by authorities here that the ship would go without escort and without specific directions from Germany if it attempts to crash the gates of the mine blockade.

The announced course of the American Legion, a U. S. army transport on the special refugee repatriation mission, will take it close to the northwest coast of Scotland.

The course from Petsamo, on Finland's Arctic shore, to Cape Wrath is about 1,700 miles, requires more than two days' steaming time.

This, it was pointed out, leaves See U. S. SHIP, Page 12, Column 6

Prior Assurances Expected To Hold, Washington Says

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17 (AP)—The United States government announced tonight that it would hold Germany and Europe's other warring nations to prior assurances that they would not attack the army transport American Legion, which is bringing nearly 900 Americans home from Petsamo, Finland.

The announcement came from the state department after the German government had advised the United States embassy in Berlin that if the transport followed its proposed route between the British island of Rona and Cape Wrath, it would do so at its own risk.

Reporters at the state department were told that every belligerent government in Europe, including Germany, had previously given assurances that precautionary measures had been taken to prevent their armed forces from attacking the American Legion during her journey on a specified course from Petsamo to New York.

This government notified the belligerent nations on August 9 of the plan for the transport to sail from Petsamo yesterday.

Heads Of States Map Defense For Canada, America

OGDENBURG, N. Y., Aug. 17 (AP)—The President of the United States and the Prime Minister of Canada, isolated behind the drawn blinds of a private railway car, talked over tonight a specific course of Canadian-American action for defense of the western hemisphere.

It was a conference which President Roosevelt had admitted in advance might result in stronger ties with the Dominion than ever before.

It coincided, furthermore, with a clear-cut indication from the chief executive of continued American adherence to a policy of coming against any attack from overseas.

W. L. Mackenzie King, the prime minister, motored down from Ottawa with Jay Pierrepont Moffatt, American minister to Canada, and began his parley with Mr. Roosevelt within a stone's throw of the unfortified border.

They dined alone, and then the president's train was moved from Ogdenburg to the nearby, quiet village of Heuvelton.

At a press conference preceding the conference with Mackenzie King, Mr. Roosevelt was asked whether the prospects of stronger ties with Canada meant that "We'll defend Canada." He referred to a statement made two years ago to the day, that the United States would not stand idly by if the dominion were threatened and said his words still were good today.

That declaration was made originally, in the presence of the prime minister, at the dedication of an international bridge at Kingston. The conference tonight was See CANADIAN, Page 12, Column 5

Italy Claims Full Victory

ROME, Aug. 17 (AP)—The battle for British Somaliland has been won, the Italian high command claimed tonight, as fascist spokesmen warned pro-British Greece that she must now recognize Italian demands "or suffer the consequences."

The fighting in Somaliland—a British protectorate along the Gulf of Aden which adjoins the fascist East African empire—was declared substantially over. A military communique announced that the defenders had been encircled, both by wings driven in, and had abandoned to a lost battlefield "hundreds" of Rhodesian and native Indian dead.

Many prisoners were taken, the communique added, as well as great stores of war materials and food, and British warships anchored in the Port of Berbera, Somaliland, were "badly" damaged by aerial attack.

The main ground fighting, which had raged for five days, was at Jeralo Pass, in the vicinity of Adaleh, some 35 miles from Berbera, the capital and chief port, and the high command reported fascist troops were "infinitely" continuing the march on that key town, to which it was said the defenders had retreated.

It was acknowledged that the British had bombed the Italian aviation camp at Bessa and it was said, too, that they had raided houses in Jijiga "without any results."

Small Chance Of Getting Cotton Classing Office

Possibility of a cotton classing office for Big Spring appeared doomed for this year at least according to information received Saturday from Rep. George Mahon.

The congressman advised the chamber of commerce that no provision had been made for increasing the 24 classing offices in the cottonbelt and that the existing service or the community classing units were unable to provide more. Nearest classing offices are located at Abilene and Lubbock.

Bombardment Of England Is Renewed

Nazis Return After A 'Holiday,' Spurred By RAF Attacks On Bases

LONDON, Aug. 18 (Sunday)—German warbirds, as if roused from their roost by British attacks on France, bombarded southwest England early today and roared over the Midlands following a mysterious all-day "holiday" Saturday.

The Royal Air Force, capitalizing on this intermission, visited the German positions on the French coast late last night, and staged a brilliant fireworks show of their own.

Rumbling explosions reverberated across the channel, and watchers on England's bomb-pocked shore saw the sheet-lighting of bomb bursts on the continent, along with the flare of neat "flaming-olion" anti-aircraft projectiles and the raptier thrusts of searchlights.

The Germans, who had laid off Britain from dawn past dark Saturday, sent a few planes over late last night, and returned to the attack on an undisclosed scale today.

There was no explanation why the Nazis sent over only scouting planes during the daylight Saturday after six consecutive days of heavy attack which continued up to dawn Saturday.

But the British navy and air force joined in counter-blows

Man Sues For Overtime Pay

A case, unique in local court annals, has been filed in 70th district court here for recovery of overtime funds allegedly owed under terms of the fair labor standards act of 1938.

Howard A. Reid brought suit against Owen W. Murray, oil operator, asking that he be paid the prescribed time and a half for 543 hours over-time he claimed to have worked for the company during 19 months. For this he asked \$602.73, plus a similar amount he contended was due him under provisions of the act, and also for attorney's fees. The entire amount was \$1,805.56.

The phase of the suit which made it peculiar was that it arose out of a federal law regulating commerce, but delegated to state courts for enforcement.

Reid was employed as a driller, assistant and roughneck in the East Howard pool. His petition was built on the assumption that his occupation placed him in a business which, because of interstate traffic of oil and oil products, was interstate in nature and therefore brought him under provisions of the fair labor standards act.

Windsors Get Big Welcome

NASSAU, Bahamas, Aug. 17 (AP)—Amid the greatest welcome ever given a governor of the Bahamas Islands, the Duke of Windsor pledged his efforts today to help the colony meet its war-time problems.

Thousands turned out in the tropical heat to cheer Edward and his American-born duchess—for whom he gave up the English throne—as they stepped off the camouflaged vessel that brought them from Bermuda.

The first real smile lighted the duke's perspiring face when the several scores of privileged persons jamming the legislative council chambers for the induction ceremony gave a spontaneous cheer led by W. C. B. Johnson, speaker of the assembly.

There was a tremendous ovation as the duke and duchess stepped out on a balcony of the council to acknowledge the acclaim of those who waited in the square outside while the new governor pledged his allegiance to the brother who succeeded him on the English throne.

FRENCH INDUSTRY CONTROLS ABOLISHED

VICHY, France, Aug. 17 (AP)—In a far-reaching step to end the liberal economy in France and establish solid state control, the Vichy government approved today a law authorizing the disbandment of "superimposed" directing groups that for many years have controlled French industry.

The biggest and best known of such groups is the Comite des Forges, a powerful metals and armaments combine frequently attacked in the leftist press in pre-war days.

The new law affects all branches of industry.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE REQUIRED OF STATE COLLEGE TEACHERS

AUSTIN, Aug. 17 (AP)—Employed students and staff members of state teachers colleges refusing to take an oath of allegiance to the United States government were barred from the schools in a resolution adopted by the institutions' board of regents today.

Board President J. G. Ulmer of Tyler said the regents, in regular meeting, made the resolution applicable also to aliens, excepting those intending to become citizens.

Another resolution provided that places of teachers drafted into government service would be filled only temporarily and would be awaiting the instructors on their return from service.

AMERICAN PILOT DIES OF INJURIES

LONDON, Aug. 17 (AP)—Pilot Officer William Mead Lindsey Fluke, 29, son of William Fluke, a New York banker, died today of injuries suffered in a fight with a German bomber yesterday.

Fluke, serving in a fighter squadron, had been in a number of combats before yesterday and was reported to have destroyed several enemy aircraft. He joined the Royal Air Force just after the outbreak of the war.

WHOZIT?



There being only 24 hours in a day, this Mr. Whozit can't find time for a hobby, but if he gets a spare moment, he loves to get in the saddle and brush up on cowboy tricks he learned as a youth. Born in Abilene, he came with his parents when but three years old to settle on a ranch near Vincent in 1906. He got his schooling there and at Big Spring when his father purchased a ranch from Bud Brown just west of town. Thirteen years ago he got into the tire business with John Price and Jack Ellis and has been in it ever since. Besides directing his own business now, he manages to keep occupied operating two farms, residing on one near town. Once a year he takes time off to serve as a rodeo director. See more of Mr. Whozit and his employees in The Herald's Get-Acquainted page later.

Here's a Mr. Whozit who was born in Howard county—Arkansas. The town was Nashville, but he finished his schooling at Dierks, Ark., a lumbering town. He attended Draughon's business college and is a graduate of the International Accounting Society. Texas captured his fancy and he came to Abilene in 1927 and after stays at Amarillo and Otsey he settled on Big Spring as an accountant in 1934. Mr. Whozit also opened an insurance business, and could hardly tell which was his sideline. Now he has abandoned the former for automobile and general insurance. In addition, he operates a local automobile loan company. He is a past president of the American Business club, a Mason, president of the safety council and active in chamber of commerce work. Right now golf is his hobby. See more of him and his associates later in The Herald Get-Acquainted page.

Joe Pickle Reviews The Big Spring Week

The rodeo has come and gone, and most everyone who had anything to do with it is glad that like Christmas, it only comes once a year. That doesn't mean the show washed out—far from it. All things considered, it was very successful.

Latest figures indicate that it will come close to breaking even, which is quite remarkable for a show promoted and organized on such short notice. Next year there may be some reworking with a bigger,

better, faster and more entertaining affair resulting. An interesting sidelight at the county budget hearing Saturday—there were two citizens attending—was the statement by Judge Sullivan that actually the county is only \$54,000 in debt. He explained that the bonded indebtedness is \$182,000, that the state is pledged See THE WEEK, Page 18, Col. 8

Friday's Mr. Whozit—John C. Smith and Carl Strom.

Lamesa's Expansion In Past Few Years Has Reached Almost Boom Proportions; Building Still Is Active

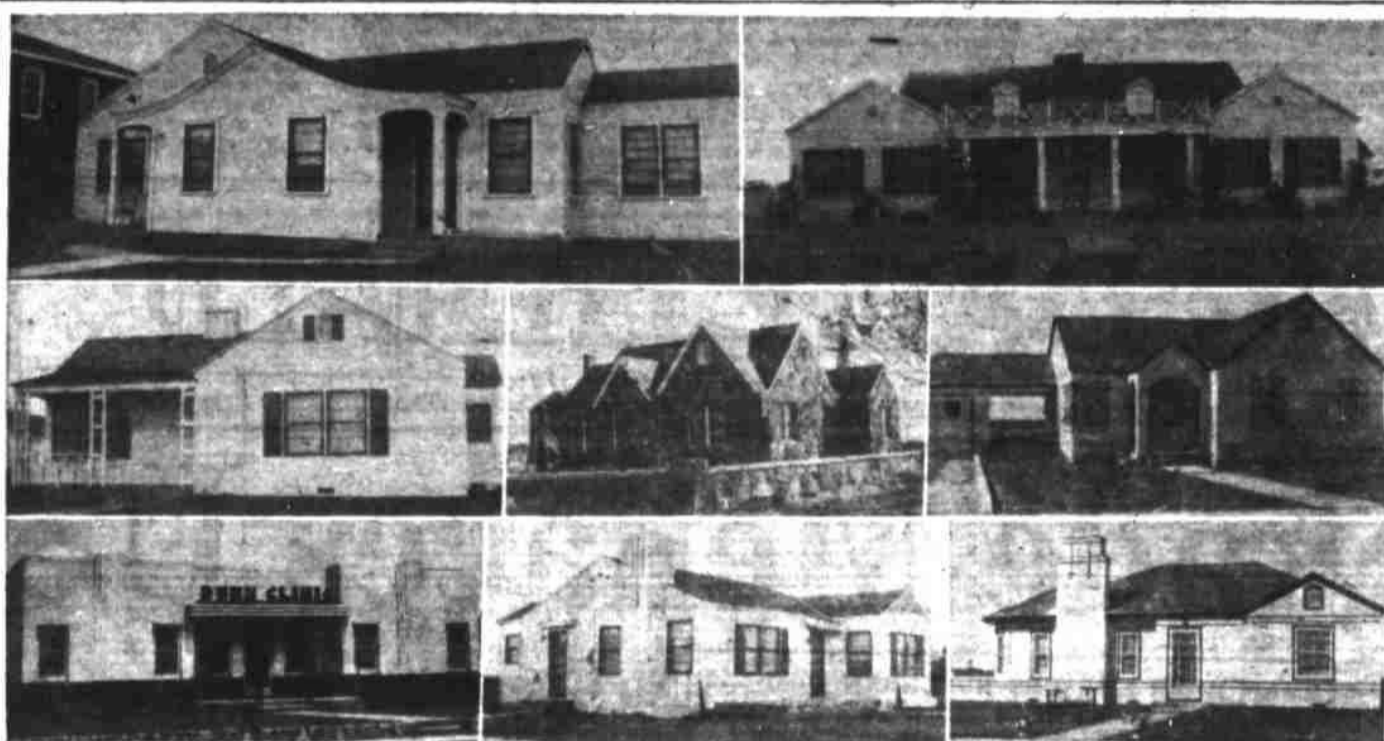
Population Up 70 Percent In Past Decade

LAMESA, Aug. 17 (Sp)—Thirty-five years have seen many things happen to a bald prairie that became Dawson county and a site for Lamesa.

Although the county was created back in 1855 out of Bexar county, it never existed independently until 1905. Likewise, there was nothing of note about Lamesa until that time. But things have changed rapidly since then, and particularly within the last decade.

Within the past four years there has been a residential and business building program almost of boom proportions. The peak came in 1937 with building permits in excess of half a million dollars. From July 1, 1939 to the same date this year permits passed \$300,000.

This does not include the cost of the many homes built just outside the city limits or industrial structures similarly located. During the space of a year, there have been more than 100 new residences raised and some other notable



LAMESA IS GROWING, and nothing furnishes a better example of building than the scores of new residences, of which those shown above are typical. Pictured are, top left to right, the homes of Victory Crawley and Koscoe Holton; center row, Clarence E. Parks, F. R. Hodge, and Lester Gregg; bottom, Dunn Clinic, Dr. J. M. Harrington and Mickey Tinsley.

buildings such as the \$180,000 primary school building and gymnasium, the Dunn Clinic costing \$12,500, the Nix Motor Co building costing \$11,000, and others.

Population Gain

Imposing is the population gain, for since the last decennial census the figures for the city have jumped from 3,526 to 6,019—an increase of 70.6 per cent. In contrast to the one drug store, a grocery and dry goods concern, a cafe, wagon yard, barber shop and blacksmith shop in 1905, there are now 215 retail, wholesale and manufacturing enterprises in Lamesa.

It was in 1906 that 150 citizens of Dawson county, then attached to

Howard for judicial purposes, presented a petition to commissioners of the latter county asking that an election for locating the county seat of Dawson county be set.

At that time there were two thriving communities, both near the center of the county and named Lamesa and Chicago. Just before the election was held March 20, 1905 the Chicago postoffice was changed to Stimson. There ensued a lively campaign with votes about evenly divided. Chicago, being the older town, had support of such men as J. E. O'Quin, Otto Dunlop, W. B. McWhorter, and Elsie Burleson. Backing Lamesa were such men as J. J. Lindsey, M. C. Lindsey, Frank Conner and J. F. Barron.

Both made lavish claims about being the geographical center, but Lamesa gave away a few more town lots in the spirited bidding and won out by five votes.

Community Spirit

On the morning after the election, a committee was appointed at a mass meeting to go to Chicago (Stimson) and invite people of that community to move to the new county seat where they would be given town lots. Enroute on the mission, the committee met Chicago citizens coming to Lamesa, determined to have a hand in building one good town. Such was and has continued to be the spirit back of Lamesa. First officials of the county were M. C. Lindsey, C. D. Crowley, C. D. McSpadden, Jesse Evans, H. G. Donaldson, John Nor-

ton, J. D. Garner, C. O. Hart, J. P. Simmons and J. L. Coffee.

The original frame courthouse building still stands today at N. 2nd and Austin streets as a rooming house operated by D. W. Adams. In 1910 the railroad came to Lamesa and in 1916, during the administration of Judge George W. Foster and his commissioners the present courthouse was built.

Lamesa and Dawson county had their tribulations, and they expressed appreciation for help toward county officers gave the initial Dawson officials when the county was first organized. A. L. Wasson, now of Big Spring, suggested the name of Lamesa (la-mesa—Spanish for the table, or the table land).

But the county seat, with all its fine new residences, paved streets, businesses, industries, schools and churches, has become a strong little city in its own right. Signifying this, in the next month of so the citizenry will vote on a home rule charter. Meanwhile, it goes on building.

Big Bend Park Facilities Are Overtaxed

FORT WORTH, Aug. 17 (SP)—Demands for tourist accommodations in the Big Bend National park area are in excess of the facilities now being developed, according to a report received Saturday by the Texas Big Bend Park association, headed by Aron Carter.

Approximately 2,000 visitors, including 680 in July, have registered at the temporary Big Bend Park Museum in the Chisos mountain basin, Kirk H. Scott, project superintendent of the National Park Service, advised the association.

"Work on six tourist cottages has been started and we hope to have these completed by Jan 1," Scott wrote. "We have just completed the drilling of a well in the basin area which gives all indications of furnishing an adequate water supply for further development."

LET'S GET PERSONAL

Mrs. E. V. Spence returned Friday from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wright, at Alice, where she has been for the past two or three weeks.

E. D. Broadhead of Texas Public Utilities of Dallas is a business visitor in town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brooks and son, James Edward, returned Friday from Waxahachie, Italy and Chico where they visited friends. Lorena Brooks joined her family in Farmersville where she had been visiting friends and accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Berry and family were to leave today for a two weeks' vacation trip to Moran, Cicoo, Abilene, Fort Worth and other points.

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Market Steadier As War Tension Eases Up Some

NEW YORK, Aug. 17 (SP)—War tension lessened a trifle in today's stock market and leading issues steadied after a week of generally sharp declines.

While a handful of favorites managed to get up a point or so, recoveries were limited to minor fractions in most cases and, at the close, declines were almost as plentiful as gains. Numerous stocks finished at their final levels of Friday.

The Associated Press average of

80 shares was up 1 of a point at 41.1, but on the week showed a net drop of 1.9 points, largest weekly decrease in nearly three months. Narrowness of the day's proceedings was exemplified by the fact that of 1,238 listed issues, only 384 appeared on the ticker tape. Of these 120 were up, 93 down and 121 unchanged.

The turnover for the two hours of 106,700 shares compared with 180,260 last Saturday and with the exception of July 27, was the lowest aggregate for any session since Aug. 3, 1918. The volume in the bond department was the smallest since 1917.

LATTIMORE ENDORSED BY HIS FORMER OPPONENTS

They Say:

Dallas County: "I shall vote for Judge H. S. Lattimore because of his record as a Judge and as a man. He is a superb lawyer and an experienced and learned Judge who works hard and writes clearly and forcibly. His life as a man proves him to be a good citizen who upholds the ideals of Texas."
—Richard B. Humphrey, of Dallas.

Harris County: "I am voting for Judge H. S. Lattimore because as a man, a lawyer and a jurist I believe him to be the better equipped man in the race for the high position of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court."
—John O. Douglas, of Houston.

Hidalgo County: "There are four particular reasons which determine my course in supporting Judge Lattimore." (The first three deal with Judge Lattimore's opponent). Fourth: "Your vote came primarily from the intelligent, responsible, uncontrolled, independent voters of the State. I find upon investigation among a great many of the men and women who voted for me, that most of them favor you over your opponent."
—Gordon Griffin, of McAllen.

Travis County: "The State Supreme Court needs a lawyer with democratic ideals, naturally endowed to be Chief Justice, and H. S. Lattimore is that in full."
—Jefferson G. Smith, of Austin. (His friends filed his name but he withdrew it before election date.)

Judge Lattimore Led First Primary 52,000 Votes Over Five Opponents
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LEGION CONCLAVE OPENS IN LAREDO

LAREDO, Aug. 17 (SP)—Ed Riedel of San Angelo was the only announced candidate for state commander tonight on the eve of the formal opening here of the Texas American Legion convention.

As Legionnaires swarmed to join the record crowd of 1500 who broke the ice today with the traditional meeting of forty and eight, the Riedel camp claimed pledges from several divisions, and predicted quick nomination.

Delegations from Beaumont, El Paso, and Fort Worth were deep in campaigns for selection as the next convention site.

From pre-convention sentiment it appeared Texas Legionnaires would endorse Brigadier George Gilks of Dallas, Salvation Army official, for national chaplain.

BODY IDENTIFIED IN IDAHO AS THAT OF O'DONNELL MAN

WEISER, Idaho, Aug. 17 (SP)—The body of a man found beside a railroad track near Weiser Aug. 11 has been identified as that of C. E. Payne of O'Donnell, Texas, Sheriff Arthur Caviness reported today.

The man appeared about 30. A skull fracture, caused by a blow on the forehead apparently inflicted by a blunt instrument, caused death.

Sheriff Vaince said he was investigating a theory Payne had been murdered in a robbery and thrown from a freight train.

FUND APPROVED FOR MIDLAND AIRPORT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17 (SP)—The war department has notified Representative Thompson (D-Tex.) that it had approved an application for a \$56,525 works projects administration allocation to improve the Midland, Texas, airport for national defense purposes.

The application has been sent back to WPA officials, Thomson said, and must yet be approved finally by that agency before funds can be allocated.

Thomson said he did not know just what work was planned with the funds, but that the airport would be improved to make it more desirable for use of army planes.

Public Records

Marriage License
Josea Jultirez and Marie Rosales, both of Big Spring.

In the County Court
J. B. Collins versus Grady Martin, suit on chattel mortgage.

New Cars
E. E. Fabrenkamp, DeSoto sedan.
R. R. McCarty, Buick sedan.
J. A. Ellsard, Chevrolet sedan.

Flies To Dallas

W. D. (Scotty) Scott left Saturday night for Dallas to meet his brother. He went by American Airlines and will return Sunday.

Mrs. Joyce Taylor, Houston, is visiting here with her sisters, Mrs. Jake Bishop and Mrs. C. E. Shive.

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Angeloan In Line For High Legion Post

SAN ANGELO, Aug. 17—Standing six feet, one and a half inches tall and carrying his 206 pounds well, big, bluff, jovial Ed Riedel of San Angelo looks the part of a state American Legion commander.

(Looks like he'd be one, too, for his election at the state convention opening in Laredo Sunday seems practically a "cinch." Almost every district and division convention throughout Texas endorsed him for the post.)

Ed—that's all his friends know him by—is 41 years old and the father of a husky 13-year-old son, Charles. He's been fooling with figures most of his life and for a hobby, well, he'll just take more mathematics. Ed was invited out to San Angelo in December, 1928, to take over the duties of city auditor and he's been at it ever since—nearly 12 years now.

In those 12 years, almost, something like \$7,000,000 in city funds has passed across his desk and been tallied in his ledgers. That in itself is no minor feat. Alger story for a lad who started to work when he was 12 years old and has come up the "hard way"—without the benefit of education or "pull."

Ed was born in Yorktown, Ill., Jan. 31, 1898. His father worked for Armour & Co. and was transferred to Fort Worth about 1905 or 1906. That was when Ed was eight years old. He's been a Texan ever since.

Sickness kept him from school when he was young and he went to work at 12—so he just never did get much "book learning."

Ed's first job was in the mailing room of the Livestock Reporter in Fort Worth after a couple of years he went to work for Armour as messenger boy. By the time war was declared, he had risen from messenger boy to paymaster for the meat-packing firm.

Ed enlisted in the regular army May 6, 1917—just a month to the day after the United States declared war on Germany. He was assigned to Fort Crockett, Galveston, as sergeant with the Coast Artillery Corps. Later he was transferred to Fort Morgan, Ala.

Then Ed did a "stretch" of about six months on detached service with a mine layer—planting mines in the Gulf of Mexico. Toward the end of the war an anti-aircraft unit was organized for overseas service and Ed was appointed first sergeant of the headquarters battery. The armistice was signed, however, before the unit got off for France.

Ed was discharged from the army Dec. 31, 1918, and went back to his old job as paymaster. Then in 1921 Pierce Oil Corp. hired him as traveling auditor.

Ed got married while working for the oil firm—and that's a story in itself. He was pitcher on the Pierce baseball team and was on the mound that eventful April 30, 1921. He won the ball game, but that luck faded into insignificance when he found a \$20 bill on the diamond and decided to get married.



ED RIEDEL

ried. The preacher got half of the \$20. The rest went for a honeymoon.

In 1924 Ed was hired as assistant city auditor in Fort Worth. Four years later the San Angelo City Commission invited him to come to San Angelo for a conference. After a talk, the commission offered him a job as city auditor. He returned to Fort Worth, talked it over with his wife, and accepted.

He's held the same job since. Ed hadn't paid much attention to American Legion work until he moved to San Angelo. Then he got interested and has been a "live wire" in the organization ever since. He served two elected terms and was appointed to fill another unexpired term as commander of the James J. Goodfellow, Jr., Post here. Then he "graduated" to Fifth Division commander and is now destined for the highest Legion post in Texas.

Expansions Stepped Up For Defense

NEW YORK, Aug. 17 (AP)—Expanding war industry assumed a larger place in the nation's business picture today as plans for new factories to make aircraft, powder, tanks and other fighting equipment moved out of the blue-print stage.

Announcements of several big projects the last few days were hailed in financial circles as indication plant enlargement under the \$10,000,000,000 defense program really was getting started.

Included were \$20,000,000 for a new Douglas aircraft factory in Southern California, a \$20,000,000 tank factory in the Detroit area and a \$25,000,000 powder plant near Radford, Va.

Expenditures of hundreds of millions of dollars for new plants, both with RFC and private funds, promise to give stout support to business generally during the autumn and winter months, analysts said.

Acceleration of defense spending, some argued, may save industry from a severe set-back in event the German aerial assault on England and attempted sea blockade curtails trade with the British Isles.

VETERAN OF TWO WARS SUCCUMBS

HILLSBORO, Aug. 17 (AP)—General Will E. Jackson, 66, commander of the 141st infantry in the World War, who was decorated for bravery in action by the American and French governments, died here today.

He was also a veteran of the Spanish-American war and was a pioneer cotton exporter and head of a well-known cotton firm. Burris Jackson, cotton man and postmaster of Hillsboro, was his son. His widow and three other children, Nancy Jane of Hillsboro and Kirby and Randolph of Dallas, were survivors.

Mrs. J. L. Terry has returned from an extended stay at Bangs with her parents. She was accompanied home by her father, J. H. Sheffield, and her daughter, Mrs. Neal Stanley of Baird, who will spend the weekend here.

Hospital Notes

Big Spring Hospital
Mrs. K. G. Hall is confined to the hospital for medical attention.
Mrs. A. D. Fuller of Midland underwent tonsillectomy Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Biscoford of Stanton are the parents of a 7 pound and 1 ounce son born Friday.

Mrs. H. E. Goodwin of Colorado City returned to her home Friday. Pete Johnson and Mrs. A. F. Davernport of Ackerly were dismissed from the hospital Friday.

T. A. Ayers Family, Unharmed During Charleston Storm, Write Of Damage Caused By Wind And Tides

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Ayers, who reside in Charleston, S. C., have written a vivid account of the hurricane which struck that city last Sunday and raged into Monday with heavy loss of life and property.
They reported that they and their son, Charles Ray Ayers, had weathered the experience well. The Ayers are former Big Spring residents and are related to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ayers and Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Cross of this city.

In an account to The Herald, they told how the storm struck Charleston Sunday morning and increased in fury until at times the wind velocity rose to 100 miles per hour. Beaches were destroyed, 33 cottages on Folly Beach meeting destruction and 100 the same fate on Edisto Beach.
Bridges, parks, highways were ruined, farms inundated, sea walls battered, ships lashed and buffeted, some being swept out to sea.

Communications to Parris Island went out and in Charleston there was no power after nightfall. Across at St. Helena Island, near Beaufort, S. C., 28 negroes were reported drowned. The situation was such that Gov. Maybank of South Carolina rushed to the scene to help direct relief activities.
The Ayers live near the battery where flood water was deep enough for boating and swimming in front of their house. Near the seawall, water was in the second story of some homes.
Rehabilitation work is now well underway, they reported after giving a dramatic account of the storm. News pictures of the destruction wrought by the hurricane were enclosed.

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Cleveland Held To 5 Blows, Winning Streak Snapped

CLEVELAND, Aug. 17 (AP)—Johnny Niggeling, a fugitive from the National league, held the Cleveland Indians to five hits today and St. Louis snapped out a 2 to 1 decision which snapped the league leaders' victory streak at five games.

The setback didn't cost the Indians any of their three-game lead over the Detroit Tigers, who were beaten by Chicago, but it did take from pitcher Mel Harder what normally would have been an easy triumph.

George Saxe, Browns' catcher, was the man who spelled trouble for Harder. The Cleveland right-hander was breezing along in fine fettle when he suddenly lost control in the fourth inning.

He filled the bases with walks to Haroldo Cliff, Roy Cullenbine and Johnny Berardino, and then hit Saxe to force Cliff across with the first run.

Cleveland tied the count in the last half when outfielder Roy Weatherly drove out his seventh homer of the season. But Saxe wasn't done. Cliff singled in the eighth, advanced on an infield out and dashed home on Saxe's single with what proved the winning run.

Box score for Cleveland vs St. Louis, showing runs, hits, errors, and individual player statistics.

St. Louis—AB R H O A: Heffner, 2b, 4 0 1 1 0; Grace, rf, 4 0 0 3 0; Radcliff, lf, 5 0 4 4 0; Leash, cf, 0 0 0 1 0; Judnich, cf, 5 0 0 3 0; Cliff, 3b, 3 2 1 1 5; Cullenbine, 1b, 2 0 0 8 0; McQuinn, 1b, 0 0 0 2 0; Ferrandino, ss, 3 0 0 1 1; Saxe, c, 5 0 1 2 2; Niggeling, p, 4 0 0 1 2.

Cleveland—AB R H O A: Chapman, lf, 4 0 0 6 0; Weatherly, cf, 4 1 1 2 0; Eodreau, ss, 3 0 1 4 6; Trosky, 1b, 3 0 2 13 1; Bell, rf, 4 0 0 1 0; Keltner, 3b, 4 0 0 0 4; Mack, 2b, 3 0 0 3 4; Bemsley, c, 3 0 1 3 0; Harder, p, 2 0 0 1 3; Heath, s, 4 0 0 1 2; Eisenstat, p, 0 0 0 0 0.

Chicubs Down Pirates, 6-5 In 13 Innings

CHICAGO, Aug. 17 (AP)—Stan Hack's single with runners on second and third in the 13th inning gave the Cubs a 6 to 5 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates today after the Chicago team had overcome a five run lead to tie the score in the ninth.

Chicago 000 000 131 000—6-5 14 1; Pittsburgh—010 220 000 000—5-14 1.



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Bolton Blasts Two Homers As Midland Wins

LAMESA, Aug. 17—Two booming homers by Bolton—one in the first with three ahead of him, the other in the fifth with two on—contributed to Midland's 9-5 victory over the Lamesa WT-NM crew Friday night. Each team got 10 hits, but the visitors' came when they did the most good.

A third homer of the game was Naranjo's in the sixth, and Patterson blasted one for Lamesa, with Brown on, in the same frame.

Box score for Bolton vs Lamesa, showing runs, hits, errors, and individual player statistics.

Chicago 401 003 001—9 15 2; Detroit 001 100 102—6 10 0. BOSTON, Aug. 17 (AP)—The Boston Red Sox punted Emil Leonard for 15 hits in seven innings and Alex Carrasquel for three today to beat the Washington Senators 12 to 9.

Jimmy Foss hit his 32nd home run of the season, Dom Di Maggio his third in major league baseball while Joe Cronin got his 19th, equalling his last season's record.

Washington 300 021 030—9 11 0; Boston 212 000 52x—12 18 1.

Sneed Plays M'Spaden For Canada Title

TORONTO, Aug. 17 (AP)—Sam Sneed's golf game collapsed today after two sensational rounds and a West Virginia clouter tied with Harold J. McSpaden, the defending champion, for the Canadian Open golf championship.

Each finished the regulation 72 holes with a total of 281. Sneed, who played from Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa., was five strokes ahead of the field at the halfway mark with 133. He took a 75 on this morning's round then finished with a 73.

McSpaden, in third place at the halfway mark, still trailed by four strokes after a morning 73 but he finished with a 69, two under par to tie Sneed this afternoon, then pulled his game together and came home in 34, one under regulation figures.

Sneed and McSpaden will play off Monday for the title over 18 holes. Ray Mangrum of Oakmont, Pa., turned in creditable rounds of 74-71 today to take third place, two strokes behind the leaders.

KAMRATH GOES INTO NET FINALS

TYLER, Aug. 17 (AP)—Bob Kamrath of Austin entered the finals of the T.A.A.F. state tennis tournament here today with a fast men's singles victory over James Kroesen of Tyler, 6-1, 7-5.

For the title tomorrow the Austin ace will meet the winner of tonight's battle between Lefty Brown of Waco and Smith Dodson of Dallas.

Moe Brown and Kamrath, an Austin combination, battled fiercely to move through Fred Higginbotham and Dodson, both of Dallas, into the semi-finals of men's doubles tomorrow against Lefty Brown and Lewis Hilley of Waco.

Well-Rounded Team Is Murphy's Aim; Training To Start On September 1st

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The Sports Parade

By Hank Hart

(H. F. Malone, Recreation Supervisor, picks up the play today for Hank Hart, who is on vacation.)

The Standard Oilers, local softball champions, will compete for the state title in the American Softball Association's State tournament at Abilene opening August 26. L. D. Cunningham has been added to the Standard roster to assist Bobby Savage with the pitching assignments.

The Softball league banquet for all local sponsors, managers, officials and players will be held sometime the latter part of the week. Plans and arrangements are to be made at a meeting of team managers at the City Hall Monday night, August 19. Definite announcements about the banquet will be made after that meeting.

Local tennis players made a good showing in the District T.A.A.F. tournament at San Angelo last weekend. Joe Elrod reached the finals in men's singles, but was forced to default to George Ritchey when rain forced postponement of the match.

Local croquet players made a good showing in the District T.A.A.F. tournament at San Angelo last weekend. Joe Elrod reached the finals in men's singles, but was forced to default to George Ritchey when rain forced postponement of the match.

Croquet has been a popular sport at the city park courts and on all recreation playgrounds during the summer. Ten croquet sets purchased by the Recreation Department have been almost worn out during this period.

A fishing carnival will be conducted at the A.B.C. park September 3, at 4 o'clock, as a culminating summer water pool activity. A number of small perch will be placed in the pool and all boys and girls are invited to bring their hooks, lines and bait, and compete for the award to be offered for the biggest catch.

Play the game hard, but fair, and in defeat be a good loser. For when the one Great Scorer comes to write your name, He writes not that you won or lost, but how you played the game.

Local Poloists To Clash Today With Lamesa Outfit

Local polo players get the acid test today when they tangle with the experienced Lamesa Blacks at 4 p. m. on Bennett field at the southeast edge of the airport.

Besides their experience, the Lamesans are noted as being one of the best mounted teams in this section of the state. The Blacks are a complement to the Whites, hard riding aggregation that has dished out beating after beating to all crack polo squads venturing this way.

Ready to have a try at checking the Lamesa winning ways are M. H. Bennett, Lewis Rix, Pat Patterson, Lloyd Wasson and other local poloists. Last week, bolstered by Gus White, Sr., Gus White, Jr., and R. B. Fulkerson of Lamesa, the Big Spring team swept a three-game series at El Paso.

All-Stars Stress Passing For Game Against Packers; Cordill Injured, Won't Be Able To Play

EVANSTON, Ill., Aug. 17 (AP)—Here's a tip to the Green Bay Packers: Polish up your pass defense for the game with the college all-stars in Soldier Field, August 29.

The all-stars accepted their first week of practice today with emphasis still on aerials, forwards and laterals.

Head Coach Eddie Anderson of Iowa told his 69 stars at the start that "we have only one purpose here, and that's to beat the Packers."

Both the Packers, who are drilling at their home stadium, and the all-stars plan several scrimmages next week. The collegians will hold only one session tomorrow instead of two, which will permit the squad to attend the Chicago Cubs and Pittsburgh Pirates baseball game.

Graduation Gave Steers Hard Blow

Boasting as fine a playing field as any in this area, the Big Spring high school Steers are itching for the bars to go down Sept. 1 so they can be about the business of developing a football machine to go with the fine stadium and turf.

Although graduation riddled the ranks, the Steers look to be in a fair way to turn out a smoothly clicking unit come Sept. 13 when they open the season here with Mineral Wells.

Pat Murphy, coach, has a sprinkling of seasoned men returning together with some promising squad material and some good-looking ivory from the junior team.

He has no brilliant individual performers, but his roster is crammed with lads who have proven their mettle under fire and who work well with the team. Some of them were bulwarks last season.

At The Ends Around the terminals, he has Ralph Stewart, who is being shifted from center, Lem Nations, who may be brought in from the backfield, Peppy Blount, a rangy youngster of much promise, C. E. South, and possibly Jack Graves, if his arm, injured in an automobile crash, comes around in time. This, however, is doubtful.

Matters look better at tackle. There is a good possibility that the eye trouble which kept Winnett Nance out last season has been overcome. Winnett is big, aggressive and showed a world of possibility at the close of the season two years ago.

Clifton Patton, who lettered at the position last year in back and with his experience, should strengthen a spot that has been weak at times in recent years. Others counted on at the post are Eugene Rush, Wofford Hardy, Jr., and Billy "Two Ton Tony" Shaw.

Hal Battle's presence at guard will mean much. He was one of the scrappiest members of the team last year and played a big part in the defense. Frank Barton, heavier and faster than ever, is being groomed for heavy duty.

Roy Collins and Ray Suggs have shown potentialities and will accept for places. This goes for Jimmie Webb, too, who has shown talent and fight.

Kaech Returning Murphy has few worries at center with Paul Kaech, two year letterman, returning. Paul was forced out after the Odessa game last year with a broken leg, but he is in ship-shape now. When he is not in, Stewart may be transferred from end to Wayne Dearing, who also plays at end and will accept for places. This goes for Jimmie Webb, too, who has shown talent and fight.

Summary—Errors, Beeler, Williams, Richardson 2, Brown, Patrick, Stevens, Greer, Patterson, Miller, Bolton 2, Williams, Riordan, Richardson 2, Carr, Guyne 2; two base hits, Bolton, Pride; three base hits, Naranjo, home runs, Beeler, Stevens, Bolton, Guyne; stolen bases, Naranjo, Brown; sacrifice, Guyne; double play, left on bases, Midland 11, Lamesa 12; base on balls, off Kanagy 6, Miller 6, Patterson 5, struck out, Kanagy 1, Patrick 6, Miller 11, hits, off Kanagy four for nine runs in one inning; hit by pitcher, by Kanagy (Miller and Richardson); wild pitch, Patrick; passed ball, Rudes; losing pitcher, Kanagy; umpires, Schultz and Pate. Time, 2:30.

Borges at Clovis: Borges 000 020 205 0—5 15 1; Clovis 002 200 000 0—4 12 4; Timicy, Franklin and Polanco; Shirley and Toeller.

(First game) Pampa 000 000 200 00—2 8 1; Amarillo 000 002 000 01—3 9 6; Halliburton and Summers; Corder and Rathoff.

(Second game) Pampa 000 003 0—3 6 1; Amarillo 021 010 x—4 7 0; Vannoy and Summers, Dorman and Rathoff.

Odesa 000 002 010—5 7 4; Lubbock 121 412 01x—12 15 0; D. Williams and Muratore; Rain and Castino.

Parker-M'Neill Take Newport Doubles Title

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 17 (AP)—Frank Parker, of Berkeley, Calif., and Don McNeill, of Oklahoma City, the United States tennis doubles champions, added the 24th annual Newport Casino doubles title to their list today.

Charles Matman and Robert Hamner of Los Angeles, 9-7, 6-1, 7-5. Earlier in the day McNeill had captured the tournament singles crown when he displayed complete mastery over Frank Kovacs, of Oakland, Calif., to win 9-7, 6-2, and 6-4.

Parker and McNeill were topped in the doubles play while their final opponents were seeded fourth.

MARY RYAN SMASHES SWIMMING RECORD PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 17 (AP)—Mary Ryan, 15-year-old Louisville, Ky., swimmer, smashed another National AAU women's outdoor swimming record today in winning the 440-yard freestyle race in 1 minute, 50.1 seconds.

Steers Face A Rough Schedule; Six Games On Opponents' Fields

Rough is the word for the 10-game football schedule announced by Pat Murphy, coach of the Big Spring high school Steers, for his charges this autumn.

Six of the games are against conference opposition and the non-district foes include such tough ones as Lubbock, Austin, El Paso, Mineral Wells and Plainview.

Only four of the games will be played at home, but three of them will be against conference teams, Odessa, San Angelo and Abilene being ticketed to appear before the home galleries.

The Steers will abandon their nocturnal ways after the first seven games to play the last three in daylight. These are holiday affairs, Armistice Day and a brace of Thanksgiving Days.

The schedule Date Opponent Place Time: Sept. 13 Mineral Wells Here Night; Sept. 20 Austin (EP) There Night; Sept. 27 Lubbock There Night; Oct. 11 Odessa Here Night; Oct. 15 Lamesa There Night; Oct. 25 Midland There Night; Nov. 1 Plainview There Night; Nov. 11 San Angelo Here Day; Nov. 21 Sweetwater There Day; Nov. 28 Abilene Here Day.

Loboes Hand Midlanders A 14-7 Drubbing

LAMESA, Aug. 17 (Sp)—Faced by Jodie Beeler's big bat and Miller's effective hurling, the Lamesa Loboes apparently recovered here tonight from the loss of three players by drubbing Midland 14-7.

Beeler slammed out a homer in the first frame with the sacks loaded, and Stevens followed him with a circuit smash. Bolton hit for the round trip in the third frame for Midland and Guyne, Lobo shortstop, capped the hitting spree with a four-py knock in the eighth with a mate aboard.

Miller was more than warm, holding the Cowboys to nine hits, and whiffing 11 batters. However, the wisdom of Kanagy, who started on the hill for Midland, was even more a contributing factor in Lamesa's win. He walked six men and hit two batters in the first inning and gave up four hits to give the Loboes nine runs before he was jerked in the second.

Until tonight Lamesa had been feeling the effects of the sudden departure of Happy Spangler, Red Hood and Carl Fore. Richardson, who took Spangler's place at short, appeared shaky in the early rounds, but settled down to turn in a good game.

Midland—AB R H O A: Barnhill 2b, 3 1 0 1 3; Greer, ss, 5 2 2 1 3; Jennings, rf, 5 0 0 1 1; Naranjo, lf, 5 1 2 1 0; Williams, 3b, 5 0 2 1 0; Congour, 1b, 5 0 0 7 0; Rudes, c, 5 0 2 1 1; Kanagy, p, 5 0 0 1 0; Halk, s, 5 0 0 0 0.

Lubbock—AB R H O A: Richardson, ss, 4 2 2 1 3; Carr, lf, 4 1 1 1 0; Guyne, 2b, 2 3 1 0 4; Beeler, 3b, 2 1 2 0 2; Stevens, cf, 3 1 3 0 4; Brown, in, 2 1 1 3 0; Pride, c, 5 3 2 1 0; Riordan, 1b, 5 1 3 9 0; Miller, p, 2 1 1 0 0.

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Finelon Wins At Saratoga

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., Aug. 17 (AP)—With Bimelech not only out of the race but possibly through with racing forever, William Woodward's Finelon today won the 71st running of the Travers Stakes.

Finelon won the \$17,425 major share of the purse in a photo finish with Mrs. G. D. Widener's Your Chance. Asp, an entry mate of the winner from Mrs. H. C. Phipps' Wheatley Stable, was third.

Bimelech was scratched this morning after it was discovered he had a broken bone in his foot, an injury which will keep him out of racing for the remainder of the season and may end his racing career.

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One Week To Go, And Political Interest Is Picking Up Here

Now that the blitzkrieg, Willie and the rodeo have had their innings, local candidates will have the center of the stage for one brief week before the second democratic primary is unveiled here Saturday.

Voters hold in their grip the fate of 20 men seeking two state and eight local offices. What the outcome will be, none but the wild guessers will say.

As the week closed, there was evidence that matters were warming up with the absentee vote to total suddenly spurring to 139. However, it will take nearly 100 votes a day through Wednesday — the deadline to reach the run-off absentee vote record of 305 set two years ago.

Interest was increasing in the state races with Olin Culberson and Pierce Brooks pitted against each other for railroad commissioner and James P. Alexander and H. S. Lattimore running it out for

chief justice of the supreme court. But the thing that will get local voters is eight closely contested county and precinct races.

Headlining this division are the district clerk and sheriff's races—both of them now wide open. Joe B. Harrison and Hugh W. Dunagan are in the clerk's contest and Rowan Settles and Bob Wolf in the sheriff's campaign.

Keeping matters awake over the county are the four county commissionerships with J. E. (Ed) Brown and T. M. Robinson scrapping it out in No. 1, Archie Thompson and H. T. (Thad) Hale in No. 2, R. L. (Pancho) Nall and J. S. Winslow in No. 3, and Ed J. Carpenter and Akin Simpson in No. 4.

Getting its share of the speculation is the justice of peace race with Newton Robinson and Louis A. Coffey facing each other. Likewise, J. F. (Jim) Crenshaw and Carl Mercer are squared off for the race for constable.

The Standings

RESULTS YESTERDAY

American League
Washington 9, Boston 12.
St. Louis 2, Cleveland 1.
Chicago 9, Detroit 5.
New York at Philadelphia, rain.

National League
Philadelphia at New York, rain.
Cincinnati at St. Louis, rain.
Pittsburgh 5, Chicago 6 (13 innings).
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STANDINGS

American League

Team	W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	69	45	.605
Detroit	48	57	.454
Boston	61	52	.540
Chicago	57	52	.523
New York	56	52	.519
Washington	50	62	.446
St. Louis	47	69	.405
Philadelphia	42	66	.389

National League

Team	W	L	Pct.
Cincinnati	69	37	.651
Brooklyn	44	58	.433
New York	55	48	.534
Pittsburgh	54	53	.505
St. Louis	52	53	.495
Chicago	55	57	.491
Boston	42	64	.396
Philadelphia	35	68	.340

GAMES TODAY

American League
New York at Philadelphia (2)—Chandler (7-5) and Russo (9-5) vs. Babich (9-10) and Rosa (5-5).
Washington at Boston — Chase (10-12) vs. Johnson (3-2).
Chicago at Detroit—Lyons (8-6) vs. Rose (11-2).
St. Louis at Cleveland (2)—Kennedy (9-12) and Harris (7-10) vs. Smith (13-5) and Allen (7-4).
National League
Philadelphia at New York (2)—Pearson (2-9) and St. John (2-10) vs. Melton (8-5) and Lohman (9-8).
Boston at Brooklyn (2)—Erickson (8-9) and Tobin (2-0) vs. Wyatt (12-10) and Carleton (4-6).
Pittsburgh at Chicago — Sewell (10-2) vs. French (11-10).
Cincinnati at St. Louis (2) — Walters (16-8) and Thompson (11-7) vs. Cooper (7-8) and Doyle (1-1).

South, West Due To Gain Seats In Congress In Census Increase

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17. (AP)—Early census returns indicated today that wholesale shifting of congressional seats will give the South and far West votes in both the house of representatives and the electoral college.

The figure showed probable losses of representation for the drought-ridden middle west and the depression-hit northeastern states. Reapportionment of the house, however, will not be made before the approaching presidential election, since the final figures will not be available for a few months and congress has the right to dictate how, if at all, the apportionment will be made.

The earliest election at which the new seating may be used will be that of 1942, provided congress takes some action next year. Recently it passed an act providing automatic reapportionment sometime in 1942 if nothing is done at the next session. This act could be repealed, however, and even if used might not provide new seating until 1944.

Twenty-four of the house's 435 seats were shifted about after the 1930 census, and some officials predicted the number might be even larger this time. They assumed that the total number of seats would remain at 435 as it has been since 1910.

Preliminary figures show an average population gain for the nation of about 6.5 per cent. States which, in the last 10 years, increased substantially more than that percentage stand a good chance of getting more seats. Those which failed to gain as much or lost, stand to lose seats.

Of the first states to report preliminary figures, here's how they divided:

Gained more than national average: Colorado, 8 per cent; Delaware, 11 per cent; Mississippi, 8.6 per cent; Nevada, 20.8 per cent; Utah 8 per cent; Maryland 11 per cent; Wyoming 9.4 per cent.

Gained less than national average: Alabama, 6.2 per cent; Maine, 6 per cent; New Hampshire, 2.5 per cent; Rhode Island, 3.5 per cent.

Lost: Nebraska, 4.7 per cent; Oklahoma, 2.6 per cent; South Dakota, 1.6 per cent.

Other probable large gainers included California and Florida, Kansas and North Dakota may be other losers.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Kind of wood
4. City in Florida
8. Incision
12. Huge wave
13. Plant used as soap
14. Unrefined metal
15. Poorly
16. Member of a Mongolian tribe
17. Negligent
18. Charly
20. Put on
21. Young horse
22. Distribute equitably
23. Exist
27. Rumanian coin
28. Massachusetts cape
29. Symbol for molecules
31. Bubber tree
32. Holding Dux
33. Kind of snuk

DOWN
25. Metal
26. Free for payment
27. Sea bird
28. Colonel
29. Roof
41. Aerial railway
42. Goldenrod
43. Dawn
44. Proper
45. That which drives a vessel
46. Stripes
47. Anglo-Saxon money of account
48. Take off
49. Guido's highest note
50. Components of
51. Rubber tree
52. Make into leather

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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DOWN
1. Largest continent
2. Part with for a price
3. Game played with men on a board
4. Make lace
5. Tinder commonly called
6. Small engine
7. Common weed
8. Air comb, form
9. Punctuation mark
10. Russia's mountains
11. Printed matter on a page
12. This piece split off
13. Easy to mind
14. Writing implement
15. Tavern
16. Go up
17. Edible fungus
18. Clothes moth
19. Watchful
20. Slight
21. Drunkard
22. Mistle
23. Measure
24. Old card game
25. Yellow ochre
26. Roman priest
27. Miscellaneous
28. Trick
29. Wear away
30. Course
31. Greek letter
32. Alike
33. Insect
34. Be afraid
35. Exclamation
36. Compass point

Texas Oil Output Below Estimate Of Mines Bureau

AUSTIN, Aug. 17. (AP)—Estimated average daily oil production in Texas the past week was 122,935 barrels below the U. S. Bureau of Mines forecast of market demand in August, Texas railroad commission engineers reported today.

The commission's oil and gas division said daily allowable production averaged 1,234,323, an increase of 33,959 over the previous week. The increase was attributed to exemption of a number of fields from production shutdown days which totaled nine during the month.

Well completions for the week totaled 153, bringing the year's total to 4,850 and giving the state an aggregate of 93,555.

A special order amended rules for the East White Point field of San Patricio county to provide for 960 feet between wells no nearer than 330 feet to property lines. Production units were established at 20 acres.

The commission set Aug. 27 for a hearing on a proposed water pressure project of the H-Y Oil Company, Inc., Larimore lease in Young county.

PLANES SHOT DOWN
LONDON, Aug. 17. (AP)—An admiralty communique tonight said "at least" eleven aircraft were shot down by fighters in an Italian attack on British warships in the Mediterranean today.

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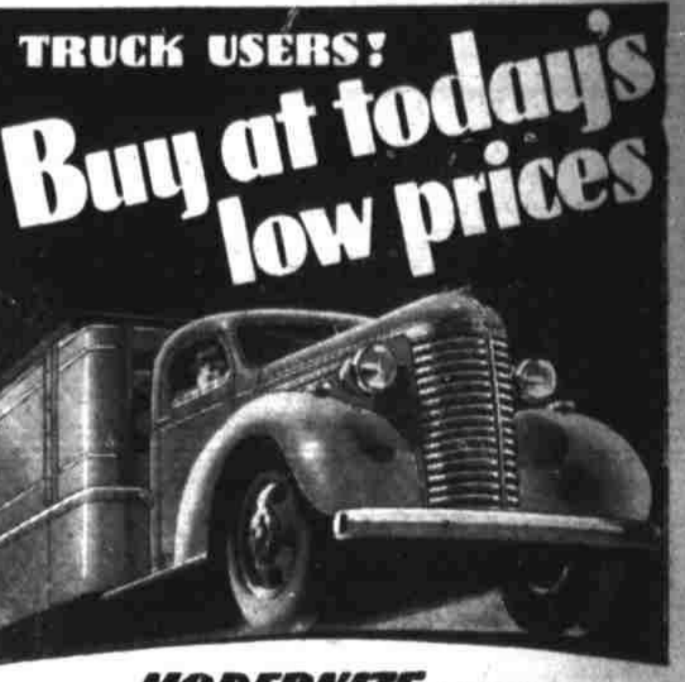
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THE WAR TODAY

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

England's fight for life turns the corner into its third month with the skies raining Nazi bombs upon the tight little isle; but the factors which Winston Churchill described two months ago as favoring English victory are unchanged except in one respect.

That is the element.

When Churchill spoke to parliament June 18 he said: "I do not see how any of these factors can operate to our detriment, on balance, before winter comes."

Winter was then months away. It is only weeks away now so far as flying conditions over England and English waters are concerned, and that is undoubtedly a heartening thought to the British.

The single, dominant question raised by Churchill in that talk to parliament was "can we break Hitler's air weapon?"

The answer is being written now in English skies. The full power of German air attack "has been turned on to break the 'invincible resolve' which Churchill proclaimed to the world on June 18. The crisis may come in this forthcoming week. The strain both on the

material resources and the morale of the contending air forces can only be conjectured.

Despite conflicting German and British reports of enemy air losses in the terrific struggle, which must mask a grim realization on one side or the other that the end is already in sight, it is clear that neither German or British flying warriors can long endure the pace. It is also reasonably certain that both sides are losing or wearing out planes in action faster than they can be produced. Both are probably losing either in action or by continued nerve strain, more skilled pilots, bombers and gunners than they can train immediately.

A true picture of relative losses, both in men and machines, is not to be sifted out of rival accounts inlarded with propaganda any more than a realistic accounting of bomb damage to either military targets or popular morale on either side can be discerned.

A year or nay of terrible import for Europe and the world to Churchill's grim question—"Can we break Hitler's air weapon?"—is in the making, perhaps already written; but the facts are known only to the innermost official circles in London or Berlin.

Other factors of the Churchill "balance" of two months ago remain little changed. British naval power, the essence of empire, has been little impaired in two months. England behind her sea ramparts seems still secure from starvation, although Adolf Hitler has warned the world that she is under complete blockade. The spectre of starvation stalks instead in all Nazi conquered nations on the European continent, to verify Churchill's two month old prediction that "winter will impose a strain upon the Nazi regime, with half Europe starving under its heel which, for all their ruthlessness, will run them very hard."

Does that account for the Nazi air blitzkrieg over England; for a Nazi invasion with all its risk, if it comes?

ROUND THE COFFEE POT

By Newton Robinson

Big Spring's seventh annual rodeo and reunion proved to be quite a success this year by attracting a good crowd for most performances and putting on a fast paced show that rated high as a real western thrill-ride. The show was "wide open" and winners had to work fast to top their class. Miss Christine Northcutt of Colorado City continued a winning streak started in earlier rodeos by taking first in the sponsors contest. The prize—a saddle.

Crop conditions in Howard county, perked up by recent rains, looked extra good after a quick survey of prospects gleaned from farmers in different sections of the county. South, in the Elbow and Lomax section cotton is now up knee high and is heavily loaded. Around Knott most cotton was planted late and is not so promising, but most farmers hope to produce a fair crop. In the vicinity of Luther a rain now would help conditions immensely but closer in toward town prospects are very good. In general, a crop that will exceed last year's cotton production is expected for the county. There is an exceptionally heavy feed crop in most sections and quite a bit of it has been harvested.

Fletcher Sneed, north of Big Spring, began digging a trench this week for 300 feet of pipe that will bring water from his well to his home. Fletcher had a little trouble finding water near the house but finally succeeded in getting a nice well.

Lem Joiner, south of Vincent, said Saturday that his part of the country needs a rain. Although the ranges are in fair shape, crops are suffering from lack of moisture.

An attraction not seen in the Big Spring rodeo, but one that attracted quite a bit of attention in the parade Wednesday is a trick horse owned and trained by Mack Tate, local groceryman. The little mare has a bag of tricks that will equal that of any trained pony in this section of the country. Saturday "Sweetheart" put on a back lot performance

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Thank you,
ODESSA CRENSHAW
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for this correspondent that included a variety of tricks from telling her age (6 years) to hugging her trainer. Wednesday Sweetheart pushed a baby buggy loaded with a crying young colored boy the entire length of the parade. The pony can untie her hooves, pick up articles such as her owner's hat, roll barrels, lie on her back, and perform many other tricks. She responds to her trainer's commands quickly and intelligently. Mr. Tate said that he has never used a whip in training the pony.

E. M. Newton, near Moore, said Saturday that his crop is in fine condition. Mr. Newton has some early cotton that he estimates has a half bale on now. His later cotton is well loaded and so far indications of leaf worms is slight. This section of the county has had plenty of rain recently.

Four-H club boys in this county have been very lucky this year in securing calves for their demonstrations. Boys of other counties have not been so fortunate because the spring drought in most sections produced a calf crop that is not so good to start with and there has been nothing to carry them. Thirteen boys in this county have 23 calves now and fifteen more club demonstrators are in need of 20 more calves. Ranchers have been just a little bit shy about letting the boys have the pick of their calves.

Club boys who have animals in the show here this spring will find a little different but a more practical arrangement in marketing their calves. The showing will be mostly dry lot calves and little or no prize money will be posted. However, the boys will have the experience of seeing their stock judged and marketed at Fort Worth. Plans are for the boys to accompany the shipment to Fort Worth and while they are there they will visit the stock yards and packing companies.

Katie Jenkins, wife of Lar-rapin Lou Jenkins, champion lightweight fighter of Sweetwater, in a conversation here Wednesday said that Lou had purchased a pony named "Little Sheriff." As yet Lou hasn't bought the ranch that he has been figuring on since he hit the big time fight circuit, but the couple are still planning on eventually settling down on a place of their own.

L. C. Matthias, south of Knott said Saturday that his place is in good shape after getting several good rains lately. Mr. Matthias expects to harvest a good feed crop and he has some maize that is heading now. His feed is in five different stages of growth and his late cotton is looking very good.

Bert and Marshall Matthias have secured a calf each for their 4-H club demonstration from the O'Daniel ranch near Coahoma.

Shirley Fryar of Highway reports that his crop is looking good and promises to harvest a good yield.

Party Held For Bride-Elect

A miscellaneous shower honored Henry Etta Bolling Friday evening in the garden of Mr. and Mrs. Martelle McDonald with Mrs. Wayne Matthews as co-hostess.

Orchid and gold were the chosen colors and announcement cards containing the date August 22nd, told of the forthcoming marriage of Miss Bolling and James Williams.

The cards were decorated with bachelor buttons and marigolds and tied with gold and orchid ribbons.

The table was lace-laid and centered with orchid sweet peas and marigolds. Gold tapers in holders flanked the bouquet. Punch and cookies were served by Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. Vernon Logan. Sally Keller presided at the bride's book.

The gifts were presented by four of the guests who gave readings in rhyme directing the honoree to the gifts. Giving the readings were Mrs. Chester O'Brien, Mrs. Horace Reagan, Mrs. Tracy Smith and Miss Keller.

Present were Mrs. Rowe Verschoyle, Mrs. H. A. Stegner, Mrs. J. A. Coffey, Mary L. Coffey of Sulphur Springs, Mrs. D. S. Walton, Dorothy Sain, Mrs. Gene Crittenden, Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. C. C. Kienert, Mrs. Lonnie Coker, Mrs. J. B. Harrison, Mrs. Roy Corbillion, Mrs. Ora Johnson, Mrs. K. S. Beckett, Mrs. Chester O'Brien, Mrs. Cal J. Watt, Mrs. W. W. McCormick, Mrs. H. C. Jenkins, Mrs. Roy Odem, Mrs. W. R. Douglas, Mrs. Bruce Frazier.

Connie Douglas, Cornelia Frazier, Lorena Brooks, Vera Jo Stephens, Mary Frances Price. Sending gifts were Mrs. Rex Gomillion, Mrs. H. R. Hayden, Mrs. Merle Creighton, Mrs. Imogene Barnett, Mrs. J. C. Loper, Mrs. Joe Chee, Mrs. S. M. Smith, Mrs. Harry Billington, Mrs. Theo Fuller, Mrs. Henry Covert, Mrs. H. H. Squires, Mrs. Larson Lloyd, Mrs. R. V. Jones, Charlene Estes, Mrs. Dannie Walton.



MRS. LOYD WOOTEN (Photo by Kelsey)

Weds, Here Saturday Evening

In a ceremony read at 9:30 o'clock Saturday night at the parsonage of the First Methodist church, Margarette Alderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Alderson of Odessa, became the bride of Loyd Wooten, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Wooten of Normandy Texas.

The Rev. J. O. Haymes, pastor, performed the double ring ceremony. The bride wore a black tailored pin stripe suit made with large white pockets in the jacket. Her dress was of plucked white satin and her hat, purse and gloves were black suede. She wore a gardenia sash and corsage.

Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Craigs and Mrs. Greenes also wore a black tailored suit with a gardenia corsage. The couple will make their home after the first of the year in Odessa where he is employed by Badger-Herring company. Mrs. Wooten is employed at Albert Fisher's company.

Wooten was educated in Mt. Vernon and Mrs. Wooten was graduated from Big Spring high school where she was a member of the Latin Club and Commercial club. She attended T. S. C. W. at Denton for two years where she was a member of the Longview club. The bride is president of Beta Sigma Phi sorority chapter here.

Following the ceremony the wedding party was entertained with a dinner at the Steak House.

Jannie Gilmore Becomes Bride Of H. Brimberry

Jannie Gilmore and Hiram Brimberry were married at 8:30 o'clock Thursday evening in the home of Melvin J. Wise, minister of Church of Christ, who read the single ring ceremony.

The bride is a niece of Mrs. Ora Blankenship. Following the ceremony the couple left for a two week trip to New Mexico and on their return will be at home on the East Highway.

Mrs. Brimberry was graduated from Big Spring high school in 1938 where she was a member of the Pep Squad. Brimberry is part owner of the Roadway Transport company. The bride is employed by the telephone company. Mrs. Brimberry wore a black pin stripe suit with white accessories.

Trainmen Ladies Have Business Session At W. O. W. Hall

Trainmen Ladies met Friday for a business session at the W. O. W. hall with Myrtle Stamps and Mrs. L. Y. Moore in charge of the social hour.

Mrs. W. W. McCormick presided and cake and coffee were served to members.

Present were Mrs. M. C. Knowles, Mrs. W. E. Davis, Mrs. Albert Smith, Mrs. E. Frazier, Mrs. H. W. McCanness, Mrs. E. N. Ralph, Mrs. J. T. Allen, Mrs. Herbert Fox, Mrs. W. O. Wasson.

Mrs. L. D. Jenkins, Mrs. J. P. Meador, Mrs. C. A. Schull, Mrs. Frank Powell, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cain, Mary Alice Cain.

Connie Edwards Has Tonsils Removed

Connie Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Edwards, had tonsillectomy Saturday morning at Mulone and Hogan Clinic Hospital.

Luncheon Given In Honor Of Miss Merrill

A 12 o'clock luncheon was given Friday noon for Evelyn Merrill of Dallas by her mother, Mrs. E. D. Merrill. Miss Merrill, who is working in Dallas, is home to spend her vacation with her parents.

The table was centered with a bowl of vari-colored sinlins and the flowers were used throughout the house.

Bridge was played during the afternoon and high score went to Mrs. Ray McMaben and low to Mrs. H. W. Duragan. Mrs. Joe Pickle was presented with a gift on her birthday anniversary. Others present were Mrs. Harold Lytle, Mrs. Kelly Burns, Mrs. Cecil McDonald, Mrs. James Henry Covert.

Two Guests Meet With Kongenial Klub For Session Of Bridge

Two guests met with the Kongenial Klub Friday when Mrs. Bert Shive entertained in her home in Coahoma golfed. Visitors were Mrs. C. E. Shive, who won guest high score, and Jean Beahel.

Mrs. Gerald Liberty won club high score and Mrs. Bill Gage was second high. Bingo award went to Mrs. Escel Compton. A salad course was served and others playing were Mrs. H. J. Mitchell, Mrs. Elmer Dyer and Mrs. Bert Shive. Mrs. Jack Smith is to be next hostess.

CALENDAR Of Tomorrow's Events

MONDAY FIRST CHRISTIAN Council will meet at 3 o'clock at the church.

WESLEY MEMORIAL Methodist W. M. S. will meet at 2:30 o'clock at the church.

EAST 4TH BAPTIST W. M. U. will meet at 3:30 o'clock following the revival meeting at the church.

FIRST METHODIST W. M. S. will meet at 3 o'clock in circles. Circle One and the Young Woman's Circle will meet at the church parlor; Circle Two will meet with Mrs. Iva Huneycutt, 211 W. 13th St.; Circle Three will meet with Mrs. Clyde Thomas, 1608 Gregg; Circle Five will meet in the Susanah Wesley classroom at the church.

FIRST BAPTIST Neale Young Y. W. A. will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the evening with Dorothy Sain, 705 Gregg.

PRESBYTERIAN Auxiliary will meet at 4 o'clock for an inspirational meeting at the church. Ruth Circle will be in charge.

Marriage Of Couple On August 10th Is Announced

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Mrs. Katherine Smith and William D. Gillespie on August 10th in the home of the Rev. J. O. Haymes, pastor of the First Methodist church.

Mrs. Gillespie, who has resided in Big Spring for the past 14 years, is employed at Martin Linsen Supply company. Her son, Dale B. Smith, who was graduated from Big Spring high school is employed by the Martin Linsen Supply company of Abilene. Gillespie owns a rooming house and the couple will make their home at 207 Runnels.

Art Teacher, Student Houseguests Of The V. Van Giesons

Grace Miller of El Paso and Dorothy Johnson, art teacher at the University of Chicago and art teacher of Miss Miller, are weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. Van Gieson and Mrs. J. B. Young.

Miss Miller, who is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Felix P. Miller of El Paso, is a niece of Mrs. Van Gieson.

Miss Miller with a group of other pupils of Miss Johnson have been making pictures in Arizona and New Mexico this summer. Miss Johnson's father, who is art director of the International Harvester Company, spent last summer in Paris painting pictures.



If you've wondered how women would dress in a man-less world, here's your answer. These three students at women's colleges are wearing the campus costumes they like best. A red flannel shirt, rolled-up dungarees, rolled-down boots for Peggy Davey, Smith, '41. Ann Gay Koegner, same college and class, wears dark red wool slacks, and long, manish jacket. Note the pigtail. Edith Nussbaum, Vassar, '45, chose a bare-knee flannel shirt, a hip-long sweater, a kerchief for her head. All costumes from Franklin Simon's, except dungarees and boots, from Times Square Army-Navy store.

Choose Your College And Select Your Clothes, Girls And It Does Make A Difference In Budget And Style

Co-Ed Or Girls Schools Make Their Fashions

By AMY PORTER AP Fashion Writer

College girls have more fun with clothes than anybody. They dress as they please, look cute in anything.

At strictly girls' schools they wear clothes dedicated to comfort, color and whimsy. They like red flannel shirts, pigtails, dungarees, flatboat shoes, bare knees, no make-up.

At co-ed places they dress mostly for glamor and for the benefit of the boy who sits across the aisle, but every now and again they tire of high-heeled glamor and revert to little girl sloppiness.

Latest Fashion Trends in the outside world mean little to them. Very, Very Man-ish College shops opening this month have matched their stocks to college girl whims, and the result is the brightest bunch of collegiate fashions ever offered.

Manish clothes are newest for campus wear, especially in Eastern women's colleges. Long jackets in tweeds or plaids, styled exactly like a man's, even to the left-to-right openings. No dressmaker touches.

A round robin letter was sent to Mrs. C. E. Lancaster, who is in San Sabo for her health, from the class. Others present were Mrs. Earl Lassiter, Mrs. C. C. Mason, Mrs. E. R. Stephens, Mrs. T. E. Bryant, Mrs. Louie Grau, Mrs. L. M. Gary, Mrs. H. H. Squires.

Boxy toppers, fingertip length, with zipped-in wool linings, and kick-pleat skirts matching the linings. Reversible rain-proofed coats, Teddy bear coats, and pork pie hats. Dungarees and black rubber boots (they used to buy these at the Army-Navy stores but college shops have them now). Gumy shoes with inch-thick rubber soles. And, always and forever, saddle oxfords.

Sweaters & Skirts Back Sweaters and skirts hold their own in colleges from coast to coast. Long sweaters with pushed up sleeves, generally worn with pearls.

Co-eds like soft wool plaid dresses, or corduroy pinafores for classroom wear. Their Eastern girls' college sisters wouldn't have such slazy campus outfits.

For dates, collegiennes everywhere agree on flattering velvets or slinky black crepes sparkling with great jewelry. To the slim silhouette, college girls say no thanks. They prefer their skirts flared, and flared they are.

Miss Farrar And Jake Stringer Marry Here

Miss Mary Farrar, daughter of Mrs. Amelia Farrar, and Jake Stringer of Odessa, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Stringer of Monahans, were married at 8 o'clock Saturday evening in the home of the Rev. C. E. Lancaster, pastor of the First Baptist church, who read the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a navy blue suit trimmed with white eyelet batiste and her accessories were navy blue. She wore a shoulder corsage of gardenias.

Mrs. Stringer attended Colbert, Okla., high school and Southeastern State Teachers college in Durant, Okla., for a year where she was a member of the choral club. Stringer was graduated from Baird high school and is employed by the Burton Lingo Lumber company in Odessa where the couple will make their home. Attending the wedding were Mrs. Amelia Farrar and Miss Betty Farrar.

Return From Ruidoso

Mrs. Harry Stalcup and Mrs. Shine Phillips returned Saturday from Ruidoso, N. M., where they accompanied eight Sub Deb club members on a five-day vacation.

Mrs. J. P. Dodge To Head T. E. L. Class This Year

New officers were elected by the First Baptist T. E. L. Class Friday when members met at the church with Mrs. J. H. Greene presiding.

Mrs. J. P. Dodge was elected president and Mrs. J. W. Cain was made membership vice chairman. Mrs. Greene is to be social chairman and Mrs. Bennett Story is class ministries chairman.

Other chairmen are Mrs. R. F. Jones, stewardship; Mrs. J. E. Monteligh, secretary; Mrs. S. Womack, treasurer.

Group captains are to be appointed by the incoming president and officers will be installed the first of October.

A yearbook committee composed of Mrs. J. P. Dodge, chairman, Mrs. K. S. Beckett and Mrs. Greene was appointed and Red Cross knitting was discussed. The devotional was given by Mrs. Charles Lozano and Mrs. Story had the prayer.

Mrs. H. C. Hooser, who is in San Sabo for her health, from the class. Others present were Mrs. Earl Lassiter, Mrs. C. C. Mason, Mrs. E. R. Stephens, Mrs. T. E. Bryant, Mrs. Louie Grau, Mrs. L. M. Gary, Mrs. H. H. Squires.

Mrs. H. C. Hooser Is Improving At Hospital

Mrs. H. C. Hooser, who under went major surgery Tuesday at Cowper Clinic, is reported to be improving.

To Be Honored On 94th Birthday By First Methodist Church



MRS. M. E. ZINN

A dinner at 7 o'clock on the First Methodist church lawn will be held Monday night in honor of Mrs. M. E. Zinn who will observe that day her 94th birthday anniversary. A program will follow the dinner and members of the church are invited to attend. Mrs. Zinn is the only surviving charter member of the First Methodist church and has been ably honored for the past few years on her birthday anniversary by the congregation.

Church Women To Give Style Show Thursday

Models have been named and plans are going forward for the style show to be held August 22nd at 3 o'clock at the Settles ballroom sponsored by Circle One and the Young Woman's Circle of the First Methodist Woman's Missionary society.

The affair is open to the public and funds will be used to pay for the rug in the church. Mrs. Ray Lawrence will give the commentary on the ensembles and Mrs. Pat Kenney will furnish the music.

New fall dresses, hats and shoes will be featured in the show. Those to act as hostesses are Mrs. J. O. Haymes, Mrs. K. J. Hagler, Mrs. H. N. Robinson, Mrs. H. E. Howie, Mrs. S. H. Newberg, Mrs. Bernard Lamun and Mrs. Pat Harrison.

Models will be Mrs. Morris Dempsey, Mrs. J. C. Walters, Mrs. G. H. Wood, Mrs. W. S. Satterwhite, Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. V. H. Flewellen, Mrs. M. E. Cooley, Mrs. Charles Watson, Mrs. Preston R. Sanders, Mrs. Shine Phillips, Mrs. Pat Sullivan.

Marie Dunham, Emily Stalcup, Nell Rae McCarty, Margaret Sawdy, Nancy Jo Haymes, Gloria Conley, Nancy Phillips, De Alva McAlister.

The ensembles will be from Le Mode.

Has Tonsillectomy

J. B. Bruton underwent tonsillectomy Saturday at the Cowper Clinic.



Co-eds, mindful of a masculine audience, might wear these dresses to class. The dark red velvet is modeled by Edith Nussbaum. Peggy Davey wears the beige crepe with jeweled belt. Note high heels, conventional hair styles. Costumes by Franklin Simon.

News And Views Of Big Spring Folk On Their Vacation Trips

Locals About Visitors And Travelers

Connie and Annie Eleanor Douglas, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Douglas, returned Friday from a 15-day visit at Ruidoso, N. M., with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Stephens and son have returned from Lake Brownwood where they spent a week vacationing.

Mrs. B. F. Willis has her daughters, Mrs. Charles G. Scharf of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Vera Willis Knight and son, Donald, of Chew-chilla, Calif., as her house guests for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Younger of Roscoe are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guy Combs and his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Younger, here for a few days.

Mrs. Charles Davis left Friday for Fort Worth for a few days stay.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Coffey and Mary of Sulphur Springs are visiting their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Coffey.

Nancy Phillips is spending the weekend in Dallas.

Agnes Currie, who has been gone on a vacation all summer, has just returned to Seattle from Alaska and is now in Canada.

Guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Theo Andrews are Mrs. E. B. Daniels, Jr., and children, Joan and Eddy, of Pecos, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Casey and son, Charles, of Monahans.

Stella Robinson and Dolly Bell Fermin of Sweetwater left Saturday for a two week vacation at McKinney and Dallas.

Mrs. M. N. Addison returned Friday from a weeks visit to San Angelo, Mineral Wells and Dallas.

Miss Nettie Essary, who has been seriously ill at her home, 604 Security, is reported to be improved.

Betty Lee Eddy is spending a few days in Odessa with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Thomas and guest, Marie Penn, are visiting relatives in Lubbock this weekend.

J. C. Douglass returned Friday from Ruidoso, N. M., where he has been spending the summer.

Clarinda Mary Sanders, Sue Cole and J. C. Douglass, Jr., left Saturday for Ruidoso, N. M., to join Mrs. J. C. Douglass and spend the weekend.

Doris Bankson is spending the weekend in Abilene. She is accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Criswell and daughter, Doris, of Ackerly.

Marie Griffin has as her guest this week, Rosa Lee Wilson of Abilene.

Mrs. Cec. Long becomes New Member Of Triple Four Sewing Club

Mrs. Cecil Long became a new member of the Triple Four club as it met Friday in the home of Mrs. E. V. McMillan. Mrs. F. E. McGowan was included as a guest.

The group sewed and Mrs. T. B. McGowan was named new reporter. Watermelon was served on the lawn and others present were Mrs. E. C. Casey, Mrs. Buel Fox, Mrs. Bart Wilkerson, Mrs. Alfred Moody.

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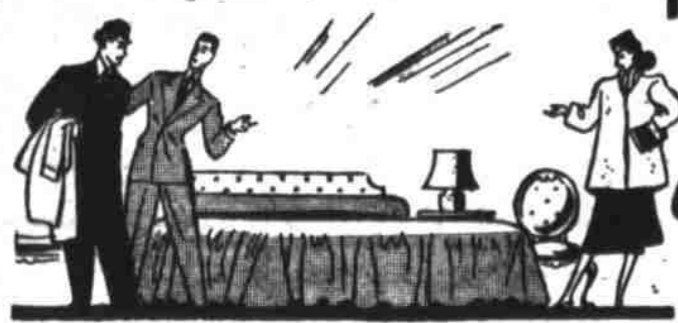
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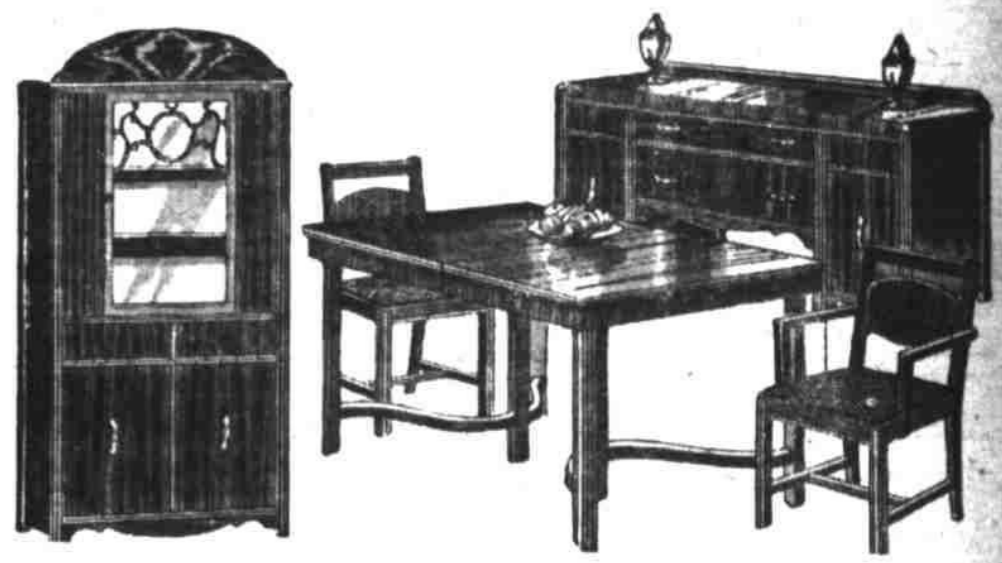
It's a "Wise Dollar" that goes to market in August—for right now prices are lower—complete stocks invite shopping, and you can buy all the furniture you need at tremendously important savings! We are determined to make August our BANNER MONTH in volume, and we've set new lower prices on our whole stock in order to get your business! Bright new furniture, suites and single pieces, lamps and rugs, chairs and tables—all newly repriced! Summer goods are marked way down for speedy disposal! Don't fail to attend this sale!



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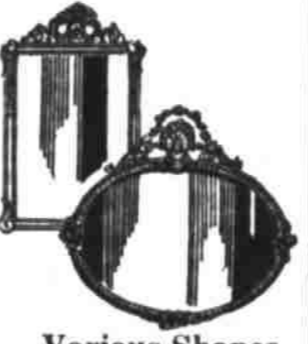


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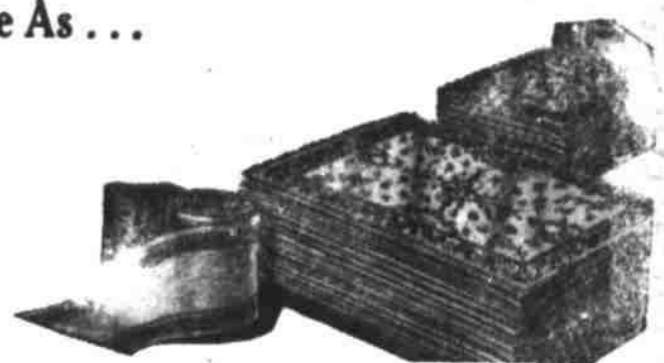
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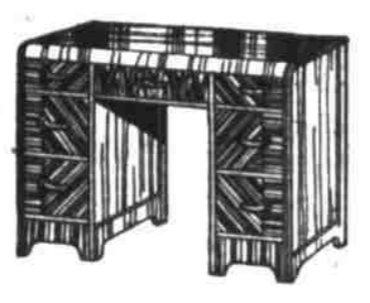
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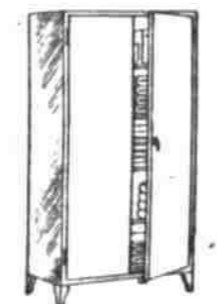


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Saga Of Colorful Outlaw Renewed In 'The Return Of Frank James,' At Ritz

Henry Fonda Has Same Role As In Earlier Picture

Filmed in technicolor, the exciting and stirring climax to the daring exploits of the world's most famous outlaws comes to the screen of the Ritz theatre today and Monday in the 20th Century-Fox production, "The Return of Frank James."

The moviegoers who thrilled to last year's "Jesse James" will find this new Darryl F. Zanuck production even more colorful and action-packed. These fans will also find many familiar faces in the cast, for "Jesse James" players fill most of the important roles.

Henry Fonda, who created the part of Frank James, Jesse's gun-oldest brother, is cast in the title role. Others appearing in the production, who were also featured in "Jesse James," include Henry Hull, John Carradine, J. Edward Bromberg, Donald Meek, Ernest Whitman, Charles Tannen and George Chandler.

The cast is completed by Gene Tierney and Jackie Cooper, who are featured, and such popular favorites as Eddie Collins and George Barbier.

The story of "The Return of Frank James" is the story of Frank's determination to avenge the cowardly murder of his brother Jesse, shot in the back by the traitorous Ford brothers. Railroad money paid the Fords, and a gubernatorial pardon set the Fords free after a jury had convicted them, so Frank realizes the only way he can revenge Jesse is to return to outlawry.

Always maintaining a high pitch of excitement the picture then follows Frank over all the lawless West, with tremendously stirring scenes of robbery, murder, gun-fights, man-hunts, train hold-ups, escape and pursuit.

Too, there are scenes of gentle romance. In Denver Frank meets and falls in love with Eleanor Stone, played by Gene Tierney. The girl perceives Frank's real character and attempts to persuade him to give himself up.

The picture's climax is tense and dramatic—as Frank at last comes face to face with Bob Ford. Fritz Lang directed the film, with Kenneth Macgowan associate producer. The screen play was authorized by Sam Hellman.



MORE OUTLAWRY—A sequel to last season's popular "Jesse James" is "The Return of Frank James," which plays today and Monday at the Ritz theatre. Henry Fonda has the title role, the same as in the earlier picture, while the feminine lead is taken by Gene Tierney, the girl who attempts to persuade Frank to give himself up to the law. Others in the cast of the Technicolor production are Henry Hull, John Carradine and J. Edward Bromberg.

Beery Stars In Saga Of The Desert

'20 Mule Team' Is Featured Offering At The Lyric

The pioneer days of Death Valley, when mule trains hauled their loads of borax across 162 miles of blistering desert to the nearest railroad point, Mojave, are relived in "20 Mule Team" which plays today and Monday at the Lyric theatre, with Wallace Beery starred as Mulekinner Bill Bragg, the best driver on the route.

Teamed with Beery are Leo Carrillo, who scored with him in the sensational "Viva Villa" and Marjorie Rameau. Carrillo is seen as Plute Pete, Beery's Indian "swamp-er," and Miss Rameau as Josie Johnson, hotel and saloon owner to whom Beery considers himself engaged but whom he cannot persuade to allow him any more beers on the cuff.

Filmed in the original locale among the sand dunes, sun-baked canyons and salt pools of Death Valley, "20 Mule Team" tells of the fight to find a new "mother lode" of borax and of the efforts of Josie to earn enough to give her daughter, Jean, an education. Jean is played by Anne Baxter, newcomer from the New York stage, who fills the young company paymaster's shoes and tries to slope with a gambler, Stag Ioper. Noah Beery, Jr., joins his uncle for the first time, playing the paymaster, Mitch, while Douglas Fowley is seen as Stag.

Typical western gunfights and desert battles highlight the action which involves such other popular character actors as Clem Bevans, playing the prospector, Chuckawalla; Bertion Churchill as "Jackass" Brown, head of the Desert Borax company; Arthur Hohl, Cleo Bevans, Charles Halton, Minor Watson, Oscar O'Shea and Lloyd Ingraham.

Richard Thorpe, who recently scored an outstanding success with his direction of Robert Montgomery in "The Earl of Chicago," directed "20 Mule Team," while J. Walter Ruben, responsible for the earlier Beery western, "The Bad Man of Brimstone," produced.

PERSONAL ITEMS FROM STANTON

STANTON, Aug. 17. (Spl)—Mr. and Mrs. Scott Robinson and children of Lamesa were the guests Saturday of his mother, Mrs. Ruby Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Eiland left last Sunday for a sightseeing tour and fishing trip into Colorado. They were accompanied by their sons, Guy Merwyn and Walter Page, and two nieces, the Misses Childress of Stanton.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice P. Tixier, Friday, August 10, a daughter, in a Midland hospital. The infant has been named Linda Suzanne, and weighed six pounds and ten ounces at birth.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cox of Lamesa, a son, at a Lamesa hospital, Thursday, August 8. The child has been named William Carl, Jr. He is the first grandson of Mrs. W. H. Cox, of Stanton.

R. L. Parks, Sam Stamps and Ray Louder, left last weekend for a week's fishing trip on the Rio Grande.

Mrs. Poe Woodard had as her houseguests Wednesday her mother, Mrs. George Wilke, of Big Spring, and her grandmother, Mrs. Alice Taylor, of Waco.

Mrs. Bristol Chesser and daughter, Erlene, of Vernon are guests of her mother and sister, Mrs. Y. Sadler, and Mrs. Elizabeth Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hall and children, Jerry and Jo Jo, left this week for a vacation trip to Yellowstone Park and other Northwestern points.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Widner are at Scroggins Wells, near Sweetwater, where he is taking treatment.

Mrs. Jim Tom, Mrs. A. R. Houston, Mrs. Bob Schell, Mrs. Morris Connel, and Mrs. Mamie Tom will leave Sunday morning for Amarillo where they will attend a Retreat for Catholic Women. They will return Thursday.

Mrs. Evelyn Woodward plans to leave Sunday morning for Amarillo, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. W. Harrison and Mr. Harrison. She plans to remain until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Poe Woodard are spending the weekend in Big Spring with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilke.

Mrs. Paula Balch of Dallas is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mashburn.

Homer Johnson of San Antonio is here at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. J. H. T. Johnson, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Bob Hoover and son of Dallas are spending the month of August with her mother, Mrs. B. P. Edson.

Bob Schell left Monday of this week for a trip to Dallas to buy fall merchandise for the Schell Mercantile company.

Miss Corrine Wilson has as her guest, Miss Ann Chamberlain of Dallas. They attend school together at T. B. C. W. in Denton.

Mrs. T. B. Cross, who has been seriously ill in a Big Spring hospital, has been returned to her home and is much improved.

Miss M. Leatherwood Returns To Her Home
Miss Mattie Leatherwood, who has been seriously ill in the Cowper Clinic, was dismissed Saturday afternoon and is at home although unable to see any visitors for the next few days. Mrs. W. C. Campbell of Eastland is with Miss Leatherwood to assist her until she has recovered.

Conservation Work Studied

STANTON, Aug. 17. (Spl)—Members of the board of supervisors of the newly organized Martin-Howard County Soil Conservation district, members of the Land Use Planning committee in the two counties, and other interested parties made a tour of West Texas soil and moisture demonstration projects Friday.

Included in the tour was a visit to two Martin county farms, the COC camp project at Lamesa, and Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Spur. The group left Stanton early Friday morning, and finished their inspection at Spur at 6 o'clock that evening.

The tour was made to determine which of the soil and moisture conservation practices carried out at these places have proven the most successful and which of them would be the most effective and applicable here to the district being formed here.

Among those who made the tour were Joe Poindexter, M. L. Koonce and Gordon Stone, members of the board of supervisors; I. T. Graves, Edgar Standefer, W. D. Howell and W. L. Clements, members of the Land Use Planning committee; B. F. White, Jim McCreless, G. B. Pollock, A. H. Houston, Horace Blocker, J. C. Mott and Lee Castle. Olen Fenner, connected with the Soil Conservation Service at San Angelo, and George Bond, Martin county agent, also made the tour.

Ford Men Given Trip For Beating Factory Quota

Twenty-nine percent over factory anticipated quota set for Big Spring Motor company for the year ending July 31 by Ford Motor company resulted, among other awards, in expense paid trips to entertainments in Dallas and Fort Worth for V. A. Merrick, J. E. Fort, T. J. Wheeler and T. H. McCann. They will return to Big Spring today.

"This quota is set annually for new car sales only," C. R. Johnson, Big Spring Motor sales manager, said, "and reflects another highly successful 12-month period for Ford made cars and this agency."

According to Johnson, the local dealership recorded the largest number of unit sales during July than in any single month since 1937.

On The Air Over KBST

- 8:00 Sunday Morning Music for Sunday.
- 8:30 Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel.
- 9:00 News.
- 9:05 Seven Minute Men.
- 9:15 The Reviewing Stand.
- 9:30 Music From A to Z.
- 10:00 TBA.
- 10:30 Sing A Song Of Safety.
- 10:45 Helen Westbrook, Organ.
- 11:00 First Baptist Church.
- Sunday Afternoon
- 12:00 News.
- 12:15 YPE Church of God.
- 12:30 Drama of Food.
- 12:45 Assembly of God.
- 1:00 Herb Wood Orchestra.
- 1:30 Texas Hall of Fame.
- 2:00 El Paso Troubadours.
- 2:30 Haven of Rest.
- 3:00 TBA.
- 3:30 Dance Orchestra.
- 4:00 Tropical Serenade.
- 4:30 Dance Orchestra.

- Sunday Evening
- 5:00 Rendezvous.
- 5:30 Sigrid Schultz, Berlin.
- 5:40 Musical Interlude.
- 5:45 Dance Orchestra.
- 6:00 American Forum.
- 7:00 Parade of Music.
- 7:30 News.
- 7:45 Anson Weeks Orchestra.
- 8:00 News.
- 8:05 WGN Symphonic Hour.
- 9:00 Two Keyboardists.
- 9:15 TBA.
- 9:30 Evening Meditations.
- 9:45 News.
- 10:00 Goodnight.

- Monday Morning
- 7:00 American Legion Band.
- 7:15 Dream Herders.
- 7:30 Star Reporter.
- 7:45 Morning Devotions.
- 8:00 News.
- 8:05 Piano Moods.
- 8:15 This Rhythmic Age.
- 8:30 Keep Fit To Music.
- 8:45 Choir Loft.
- 9:00 Musical Impressions.
- 9:15 Bill Lewis, Songs.
- 9:30 Backstage Wife.
- 9:45 Easy Aces.
- 10:00 To Be Announced.
- 10:15 Our Gal Sunday.
- 10:30 Wife vs. Secretary.
- 10:45 Songs of Carol Leighton.
- 11:00 News.
- 11:05 Latin Rhythms.
- 11:15 Farm and Ranch.
- 11:30 "11:30" Inc.

- Monday Afternoon
- 12:00 Singin' Sam.
- 12:15 Carleton Reporter.
- 12:30 It's Dance Time.
- 12:45 Cheer Up Gang.
- 1:00 Marriage License Romances.
- 1:15 Just Relax.
- 1:30 Travel America.
- 1:45 Ligon Smith Orchestra.
- 2:00 Hit Parade.
- 2:30 El Paseo Troubadours.
- 2:45 American Family Robinson.
- 3:00 News.
- 3:15 Bob Nichols Hawaiians.
- 3:30 Zuke Manners Gang.
- 4:00 News.
- 4:05 Hugo Monaco Orchestra.
- 4:15 Crime and Death.
- 4:30 Five Men of Fate.
- 4:45 TBA.
- Monday Evening
- 5:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
- 5:15 Lighthouse Noble Orchestra.
- 5:30 Sunset Reveries.

THE WEEK'S PLAYBILL

SUNDAY-MONDAY
RITZ—"The Return Of Frank James," with Henry Fonda, Henry Hull, John Carradine and J. Edward Bromberg.
LYRIC—"20 Mule Team," with Wallace Beery and Marjorie Rameau.

QUEEN—"The Eagle And The Hawk," with Fredric March and Carole Lombard.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY
RITZ—"Private Affairs," with Nancy Kelly and Hugh Herbert.
LYRIC—"Edison The Man," with Spencer Tracy.
QUEEN—"Little Old New York," with Alice Faye and Fred MacMurray.

THURSDAY
RITZ—"Should Wives Work," with James, Lucille and Russell Gleason; also, "Ladies Must Live," with Wayne Morris and Rosemary Lane.
LYRIC—"Ma, He's Making Eyes At Me," with Tom Brown and Constance Moore.
QUEEN—"Flight Angels," with Ralph Bellamy and Virginia Bruce.

FRIDAY-SATURDAY
RITZ—"Too Many Husbands," with Jean Arthur, Fred MacMurray and Melvyn Douglas.
LYRIC—"Wagon Westward," with Chester Morris.
QUEEN—"Rainbow Over The Range," with Tex Ritter.

Tax Cut For Dawson Is Proposed

LAMESA, Aug. 17—County Auditor B. A. Barton recommended at the public hearing on the proposed budget for 1941 that the tax rate for Dawson county be reduced seven cents, making it 76c for the next year. The public hearing was attended by a large number of interested citizens. This reduction in the tax rate was made possible because the state assumed a part of the bonded indebtedness of the county this year when it took over the bonds of 1937 issued for the construction of the Stanton and Brownfield highways.

According to Judge Yates the rate could have been reduced even further. He said, "It was possible to have lowered the rate even more had conditions been normal, but we thought it best to keep the expenditures for the coming year less than the total resources so that we will be able, if called on by the federal government, to aid in the defense program. The county is more than ready to do its part in this time of national emergency."

According to the proposed budget, the expected receipts from ad valorem taxes will be \$58,962.79. Other taxes and revenues will amount to \$58,209, making the total income of the county \$117,171.79. Budget allotments for the same year total \$114,554.80, leaving an estimated reserve of \$12,616.99. The county tax rate of 76c is divided as follows: jury fund 11c, road and bridge 15c, general fund 25c, and courthouse and jail fund 25c. The assessed valuation of the county is \$3,745,000.

Delegates To Club Federation To Have Chartered Bus

PLAINVIEW, Aug. 17. (Spl)—A round-trip ticket to Austin by chartered bus for \$5 a person and a person have been arranged for delegates from the Seventh District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, to the state convention to be held in Austin, Nov. 12-15 inclusive, it was announced here yesterday.

These low rates have been arranged by local persons sponsoring Mrs. J. W. Walker's candidacy for the presidency of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in the hope that every club in the district will be able to send a delegate.

Arrangements have been made with the bus company at Lubbock to the effect that buses will be sent from Plainview, Lubbock and Amarillo, that buses will be routed so they will cover most of the territory in the district and that women may board the bus at any point for \$5 a round-trip.

One of the Amarillo buses will go through Clarendon, another Canyon, Lubbock and Snyder. One from Plainview will go through Matador and Paducah, and one from Lubbock will be routed through Lamesa and Big Spring.

Good buses with reclining chairs and carrying 29 passengers each will stay in Austin with drivers and make regular trips carrying passengers to and from the Federation headquarters.

DEGREE WORK
Staked Plains Lodge will confer the Entered Apprentice degree Monday night at 8 o'clock. All members and visitors urged to attend.

One out of every 105 persons in West Virginia has a fishing license.

Catholic Women In Amarillo For An Annual Retreat

Mrs. W. E. McNallen, Mrs. Max Weisen and Mrs. J. M. Morgan left Sunday for Amarillo accompanied by Miss Bridget Denny of Butler, Pa., to attend the annual retreat of the National Council of Catholic Women being held at St. Mary's Academy from Sunday to Thursday.

JOINS INFANTRY
Lloyd W. Holcombe of 711 East 2nd street, Big Spring, has enlisted in the United States army and assigned to infantry at Fort Sam Houston.

Mrs. J. M. Simmons and sons, Melvin and James Richard, have returned from a six weeks visit to relatives in Alabama.

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Would Take Lease On British Bases, Cancel Part Of Debt

Trade Not Violation Of Neutrality, Wheeler Believes

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17 (AP)—Cancellation of a portion of Great Britain's war debt in exchange for leases on naval base sites in Britain's western hemisphere possessions was advocated today by Senator Wheeler (D-Mont). Wheeler, who at times has been highly critical of administration

efforts to aid Great Britain, said it was his opinion that a deal making naval bases available to the United States in part payment on the war debts could not be regarded as an unequal act since it would involve only the strengthening of American defenses.

He told reporters, however, that he was "glad to see that the president is not considering trading American destroyers for these naval bases and thereby weakening our own defenses."

The president told his press conference yesterday that negotiations were under way with Great Britain for the acquisition of western hemisphere naval and air bases, but cautioned reporters not to speculate that a trade of destroyers was involved.

Despite this, some usually well-informed legislators continued to insist privately that a destroyer deal was "in the mill" and might be consummated in a few days by executive action.

Meanwhile, the national defense commission was reported to have undertaken a survey of widespread proportions, looking toward the location of defense industrial plants in all sections of the country. These plants, it was understood, would manufacture such items as airplane cannon, powder and parts for tanks and planes. The senate marked time for the weekend on conscription legislation, scheduling resumption of debate Monday on the Burke-Wadsworth compulsory military training bill requiring the registration for possible service of all men from 21 through 30 years old.

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Okla. Sheriff And Deputies Are Indicted

DUNCAN, Okla., Aug. 17 (AP)—A Stephens county grand jury today indicted Sheriff Brooks Hervey, Undersheriff Roy B. Waldrip, Deputy Sheriff C. M. Taylor and Duncan Police Chief Jim Skelton. The four officers were charged with obtaining money under false pretenses, a misdemeanor.

The indictment was returned shortly after Hervey resigned as sheriff, effective September 1 or as soon as a successor can be appointed, and withdrew as democratic nominee for sheriff.

Hervey was charged specifically with obtaining falsely \$5,600 in April, 1938, for guard fees and meals while transporting prisoners. Waldrip was accused of obtaining similarly \$5,750 on a trip in April, 1938, and Taylor \$4,800 on a trip December 1, 1939.

Skelton, who was a deputy sheriff at the time, was accused of receiving \$4 for expenses on a trip to Fort Supply in June, 1938, when the money allegedly was unspent. All were released on their own recognizance pending arraignment early next week.

PLANE FACTORY TO BE STARTED SOON AT GRAND PRAIRIE

DALLAS, Aug. 17 (AP)—J. Ben Critz, general manager of the Dallas chamber of commerce, said today North American Aviation, Inc. would begin construction within 30 days of a \$6,500,000 airplane factory between Fort Worth and Dallas near Grand Prairie.

Authority to the company to build the plant was granted by the war department and the national defense advisory council. Critz was informed by J. H. Kindelberger, president of the company.

DOWNTOWN STROLLER

Saw Burke Summers entertaining D. D. Douglas, C. O. Nalley and Pollard Runnels with some tales of his adventures in Havana, Cuba, where he attended the Lions Club convention. Listened closely but couldn't detect a Spanish accent.

Margie Hudson was downtown Saturday with a second lieutenant that we didn't know. Guess those uniforms will be seen more and more from now on.

Ran into Lloyd Brooks and Chester Wiley on the avenue. They are our nomination for the two friendliest and always good natured gentlemen in town.

Mrs. Robert Pyant was hurrying to work when we saw her and she gave us a quick "hello." Wish we had half her pep and energy as we were dragging one foot behind the other about that time. Ah, vacation where did you go?

Talked with Mrs. R. S. Beckett and exchanged views on Carlebad cavern that we recently visited. We proved a disappointment to her as we didn't get to go through McDonald Observatory. The spirit was willing but the pocket book couldn't produce.

Compared notes with Ed Talley on Texas vs. Missouri and decided to call it a tie with both still believing what we started to prove. That's one nice thing about being from the Show Me state, there is never any trouble starting an argument.

NEWS NOTES FROM THE OIL FIELD COMMUNITIES

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conger have had as their guests, Mrs. Harry Brauer and children, Martha Jean and Harry Lee of Stephenville. The Brauers were here to attend the Big Spring rodeo.

Curtis Wood of Colorado City visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Greasett on the Greasett ranch south of Foran this week. Mrs. Greasett and children accompanied him home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson and son visited in Goldthwaite and Brownwood this week.

Mrs. L. D. Wiltmon and Mrs. Lynn Garlington of Bowie, are guests of Mrs. Lillie Mae Johnson.

Dr. and Mrs. Homer P. Rainey and Mr. and Mrs. Brush of Austin were Thursday guests of Dr. Rainey's brother, Guy, and Mrs. Rainey at their home in the Superior camp.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Chatten have as their guest, Mrs. Chattin's mother, Mrs. Steele of Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Abbott of Waco and Betty Louise Stodghill of Mart arrived Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Loper and Chlotilde.

Mrs. Abbott is an aunt of Mr. Loper and Betty Louise a niece.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Blackwell were Stamford visitors this week.

Vard Cowley of Levelland is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cowley on the Superior lease.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bradham have returned from a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McNamey visited relatives in Stamford the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Camp and family returned from a visit in Ft. Worth and Dallas Wednesday.

W. B. Dunn received word that Mrs. Dunn was injured in an automobile accident in Boulder, Colo., this week and is in a hospital there. Although she was not seriously hurt Mr. Dunn and Mrs. Dunn's sister, Miss Elizabeth Caldwell of Sonora left Saturday morning for Colorado. They will return when Mrs. Dunn is able to come also.

Mrs. C. C. Pollard and son of Ft. Stockton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Sawdy of the Pure Oil lease this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Leonard and sons, Bobby and William, left Saturday for Pittsburgh, Pa., to visit relatives.

Mrs. James Payne of Ottu Chalk is ill in a Colorado City hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Coulson of Sterling City were Forsan visitors Thursday.

Betty Baker of Bakersfield is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kubecka and daughter, Coleen, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blackweider of Roscoe Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Campbell and son, Talmadge, went to Clarendon Thursday where Mrs. Campbell and son will join her parents for a trip to Houston to visit her brother and wife. Mr. Campbell returned home Friday.

June Rust has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Lytle in Denver City this week.

Mrs. Harvey Smith and Mrs. Harry Miller were Lubbock visitors recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barton and

Nazi Tactics Employed In Mock War

CAMP BEAUREGARD, La., Aug. 17 (AP)—Seventy thousand national guards and regular army troops in the Red river maneuvers today fought a mock battle under a hurricane-like sun, using the same combination of smashing and flanking tactics that enabled Hitler's shock troops to overrun France.

The four-day battle opened shortly after midnight between the evenly-matched red and blue armies with the object of seasoning 50,000 national guard troops from 13 southern and southwest states to take part, if called, in the national defense.

Lieutenant General Stanley D. Embick of the third army, in supreme command of the maneuvers here, and his staff of high ranking army officers, surveyed the progress of the battle from Camp Beauregard headquarters where a noon communique told of fighting along a 50-mile front.

Actual hostilities broke out after the blue, or east army, advanced across Red river to seize high ground and take possession of Calcasieu river crossings in the vicinity of Hineston.

The communique said initial contact with the red force occurred at 5:15 a. m. when the 6th and 23rd cavalry divisions on reconnaissance, converging the blue advance, encountered the red legions.

The communique stated: "The red troops, securing information that the blue was preparing to advance from its bridgeheads at Boyce and Alexandria, issued orders for a general advance north with the mission of seizing the crossings of the Calcasieu river from Simpson to Hineson for the purpose of control.

"Advance elements of the 1st cavalry division came in contact with the elements of the 16th blue cavalry and 23rd cavalry divisions at 5:15 a. m.

From then on there followed a see-saw smashing and flanking movement that stirred up clouds of dust from the parched terrain with the decision of the day's fighting in doubt.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Martin and family have returned from a vacation trip to Rudisco, Carlebad and Roswell, N. M.

WINS SECOND HEAT IN BOAT RACES

NORTHPORT, N. Y., Aug. 17 (AP)—Sidney Allen in his Hoty Totsy practically clinched the gold cup speed boat championship by winning the second straight 30 mile heat today. Gray Goose finished second and Miss Syndicate third, the only one of the original field of six contestants to complete both heats. One 30 mile heat remained to be run.

Hawaiian Admits Sobotage Attempt

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17 (AP)—J. Edgar Hoover announced today that Keawe Kamakela, 35, a Hawaiian, had confessed in New York to putting sand in the engine bearings and oil of the S.S. West Notus at Port Gamble, Wash., last Sept. 27.

He was a crew member of the vessel at that time, Hoover said. The director of the federal bureau of investigation said that Kamakela was seized on his arrival in New York on another ship yesterday and would be arraigned there in preparation for removal to Seattle, Wash., for trial.

The attempted sabotage the cause of which was not given by the FBI, was traced to Kamakela, Hoover said, by laboratory tests which showed that sand found in the bearings was the same as that taken from beneath the Hawaiian's fingernails. Later, additional evidence linking Kamakela was developed, he added.

The sand was found in the engines before they were started and no damage was done. Two barrels of sand were kept in the engine room for fire prevention purposes. Kamakela was employed on the West Notus.

DESTROYER SUNK

LONDON, Aug. 17 (AP)—Authorities disclosed tonight that the 2,441-ton French destroyer Maillé Bréze sank near a British port last April after a series of violent explosions which killed or injured more than 60 persons.

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Editorial

West Texas is noted for its recuperative powers, and Big Spring, as a part of the great region, is endowed with the same gift. There is no denying that only a short time ago the commercial outlook was none too bright. The oil industry was in the doldrums, drought had farmers and livestock producers all but whipped and the international situation was none too good.

Autumn Prospects

many believe that the national defense requirements in planes and machines will produce a corresponding demand for petroleum products, and that as a result the petroleum industry will experience more activity. Big Spring has the assurance of 25 new citizens with the transfer of Cosden's general offices to the refining plant here. The loss of some 15 families in a consolidation move by the T. & P. makes none here stand up and cheer, but according to the railroad's own figures, the annual payroll from this source still amounts to more than \$800,000.

The Herald's Serial Story

Chapter 37 FURTIVE FIGURE As both the orderly and the chaplain seemed disposed to linger and continue the subject, I took my overnight case and my rejected manuscript and went off down the hall to Felicia's room. But it did strike me as odd that Sandra should have been filling her medicine bottle in the dark. And there was something else the orderly had said that rang the little bell in my mind. Something that for the moment eluded me.

Casual Slaughters

it for the November book. Please clean it up and fire it back. "Nerts," I commented, thrusting the letter back in my bag. He needs new specs. Well, I'm certainly not going to tackle it tonight. I've a notion to send it back without changing a line. She wouldn't mind the difference— they're a daisy lot, these love-pulp editors.

Virginia Hanson

It. If you had only let her talk to you— "It wouldn't have done any good, he said dully. "Sandra could make you think black was white. And she always had made trouble when she didn't get her way. Even when we were kids. God knows what she wanted to marry me for. Not for love. But if it would make her leave Dan alone—

Washington Daybook

WASHINGTON — The state department's question mark, William Christian Bullitt, may or may not be going back to his post as ambassador to France. The feeling around the state department is that he won't. The feeling around the White House is that he may stick around as the president's personal advisor on foreign affairs.

By Jack Stinnett

Bullitt to break with Wilson to denounce the Versailles treaty and the League of Nations, to do more probably to prevent our signing the former or becoming party to the latter than any other man. He also did more than anyone else to persuade the United States to recognize Russia and then, after three years as ambassador there, turned his back on the Soviet in disgust because of its failure to live up to the agreements leading to that recognition.

The Thrill That Comes Once In A Lifetime

Animal At Bay She had started out, but she paused at the door. "I'll be back in a minute. Need any help with your packing?" "No thanks. I just brought a wardrobe suitcase. I can pack it if I ever I got my mental signals

LOCAL FISHERMAN IS ASKED FOR ADVICE



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to him that was probably just an innate remark, but I meant every word of it. I was remembering, with an unpleasant chill feeling under my ribs, that moment in the colonel's library when I had let my red hair get the best of me and had told what those two, Mimi and Jeff, had been willing to sacrifice much to keep. With an effort I brought back my wandering wits. "So what was why you wanted the notebook I said. You thought there might be something in it."

Man About Manhattan

NEW YORK — The Polynesian motif has finally caught up with swing—at least it has on Broadway—and now the Onyx club is following the lead of the Beachcomber, the Hurricane, the Pago Pago club and the Hawaiian room, a tradition that many wouldn't have believed possible a few years ago. Once the cradle of swing, the Onyx first achieved the limelight around Christmas, 1935, when Farley and Riley drove everybody crazy with "The Music Goes Round and Round."

By George Tucker

before he headed west. Seeing him this time was the first time I had thought of him in years. While we were talking he drew out an amazing silver cigarette case, which was slightly smaller than a shoe box, and said, "My friend Charlie Chaplin gave me this." He pulled out a crisp \$100 bill and offered to buy a mineral water. I have note and offered to buy a mineral water. I have note and offered to buy a mineral water.

By Robbin Coons

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Hollywood Sights And Sounds

HOLLYWOOD — Marlene Dietrich, who hit the sandlot trail of gaudy behavior when she came back to the sound stages for "Destry Rides Again," is outdoing herself now. She's making another motion picture, "Seven Sinners," and the "embarassment"—from an almost slightly disdainful star to an interested friendly and regular person—has taken hold. There's been no back-sliding. Slatyer Marlay-nah is definitely in The Fold now, with the rest of the White Sheep.

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Another Irish hero with a background of adventurous reality is black-headed George Brent, who might be an army officer today if he hadn't come to America. Brent, among other things, was a dispatch-bearer for famed Michael Collins during the Irish Rebellion. As a matter of fact, Edward G. Robinson once wanted to manage an art gallery, Frank McHugh banked after Blackstone and a study of the law. Bette Davis swears she has always wanted to be a nurse. So it goes. Flynn the prospector and Brent the dispatch carrier both wound up on the funny studio lots of Hollywood.

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