

## Leaders Want Two Million Men In Service

### High Command Thinks More Might Arouse Fears

WASHINGTON, April 29. (AP) — The high command, working with foreign policy framers, thinks two million men are enough for defense — that more might be viewed abroad as a move toward aggressive war.

The joint chiefs of staff, it was learned today, used such a diplomatic yardstick to help it measure the size of the recommended peacetime military establishment.

The joint chiefs' organization is composed of the military heads of the Army, Navy and Air Force, plus Adm. William D. Leahy, the chief of staff to the President. They constitute an advisory group to Secretary of Defense Forrestal.

The overall military-diplomatic policy is shaped by the National Security Council which includes President Truman, Secretary of State Marshall, Forrestal and the civilian secretaries of the armed forces. The military planning this is designed to be geared to the diplomatic thinking by the council.

Forrestal himself disclosed cryptically that factors other than cost and manpower availability were involved in the military's recommendations. In a New York City address last week he said that an armed force larger than the one recommended "might justifiably be viewed as preparation for war."

The joint chiefs, accordingly, made their recommendations for the fighting services within the framework of political as well as military objectives.

Here is what they want for a peacetime defensive force (present manpower figures in parentheses):

An Army of 837,000 men (540,000) in the regular establishment, 650,000 (260,000) in the National Guard. The Regular Army would be organized into 12 divisions, plus 50 battalions of anti-aircraft defense.

A Navy of 536,000 regulars (350,000) 220,000 (166,000) organized reserves. They would man about 390 combatant ships including about 26 carriers and 32 air groups.

An Air Force of 502,000 men (325,000).

## Wall Street Strike Ends

NEW YORK, April 29. (AP) — United Financial Employees (AFL) today voted to return to work at the New York Stock Exchange and four brokerage houses and end their month-long strike.

The union acted at a special meeting after Mayor William O. Dwyer requested them to resume work at wage increases offered by the exchange pending city investigation of the wage issue.

There was no immediate announcement of when the strikers would return to their jobs.

The strike against the stock exchange and the New York Club Exchange started March 29. Later it was extended to four brokerage houses.

## Two Thefts Are Reported In City

Two thefts were reported in the city late Wednesday, police said this morning.

Several slabs of sheetrock were reported missing from 802 Rosemont, where a dwelling is under construction. The material belongs to the Langley-Hall Lumber Co.

A window glass in an automobile was smashed at 201 Nolan street at about 6:30 p. m. and articles were taken from the car. Owner of the vehicle was not identified.

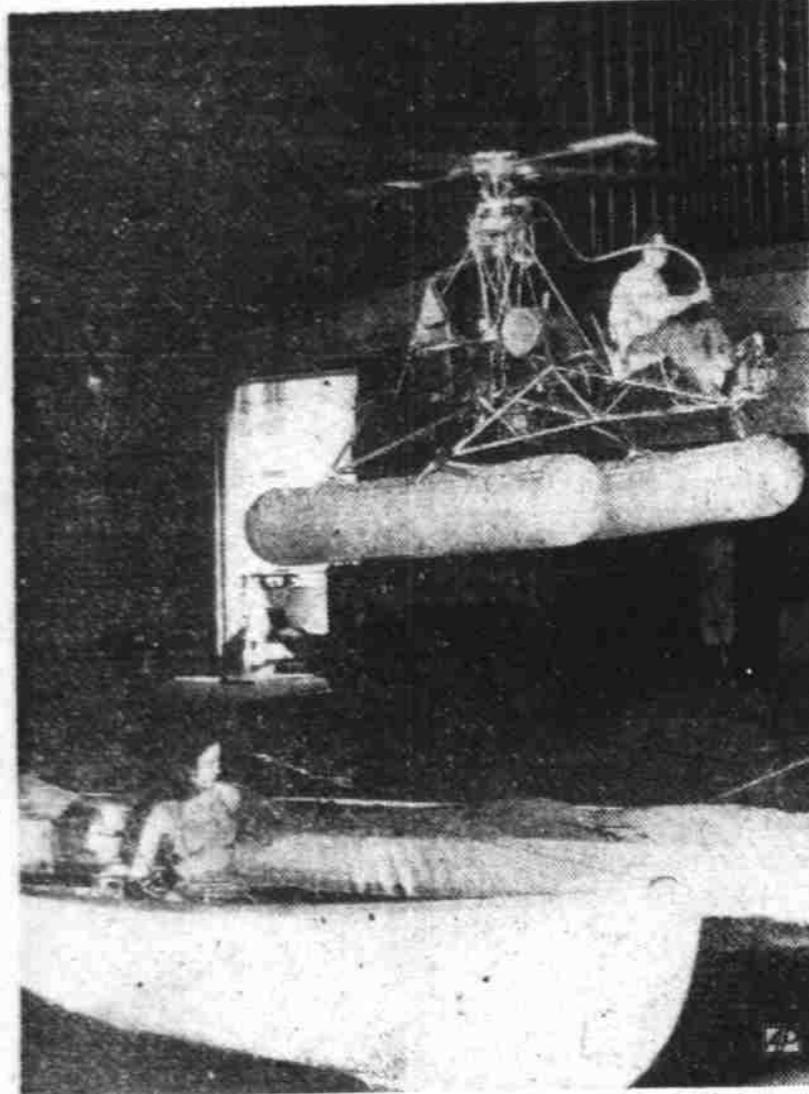
## West Europe Snubs Plans For May Day

LONDON, April 29. (AP) — The Communists will have to celebrate May Day on their own this year in most of Western Europe's democratic capitals.

Socialists and moderate labor groups are giving the Communists the cold shoulder as never before in planning for the traditional labor celebration Saturday.

May Day was established as an international labor holiday in 1890 at a Socialist congress in Paris. In most countries it has become Labor Day. The Russians have made it a national holiday, and this year they plan one of their biggest celebrations in Moscow.

Huge pictures of Lenin, Stalin and other Bolshevik leaders have been placed on buildings, and the city is going all-out in decorations. The Russians are combining celebrations, since May 1 is the third anniversary of the entrance of Russian troops into Berlin.



HELICOPTER FLIES INSIDE BUILDING — This helicopter piloted by Jay Demming hovers above an artificial pool inside Civic Auditorium in San Francisco in a demonstration at a sportsman's show as to how the craft might be used to reach fishing streams. Jerry Kinney, in boat, watches the craft. (AP Wire-photo).

## Final Effort Made To Avert Rail Strike

Federal mediators made a last-ditch effort today to head off a nationwide railroad strike set for May 11.

Elsewhere on the labor front there were these major developments:

Representatives of the CIO United Auto Workers and management resumed wage talks in Detroit in an attempt to avert a threatened strike of 75,000 Chrysler Corp. workers. The union will set a strike date Friday. The UAW seeks a 30-cent hourly wage boost and other benefits. The company has withdrawn its offer for an increase of six cents an hour.

The paper work necessary in getting the coal miners \$100 a month pension checks started in Washington. John L. Lewis said it will be "several weeks" before the first checks actually are mailed. Operator Ezra Van Horn of Cleveland objected to the preparations but was vetoed by Lewis and Senator Bridges (R-NH), neutral member of the three-man board of trustees. Van Horn has started court action to block payments.

In Washington, Senator O'Mahoney (D-Wyo) asserted that price policies of the steel industry were controlled by the U. S. Steel Corp. He said price increases last fall and cuts announced recently were made at about the same time by the major steel companies. Congress, he said, should investigate. Conciliation efforts in the railroad dispute got under way at Chicago. Attending the conference were two members of the National Railway Mediation Board and representatives of the railroads and three operating unions.

The official strike notice was announced yesterday by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers and the Switchman's Union of America.

The third union seeking a 30 per cent wage hike with a minimum increase of \$3 a day—the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers—did not join in the strike call. A spokesman for the engineers said the union has "not made up its mind when and if a strike date will be set."

However, a strike by the other two unions alone could cripple the nation's rail transportation system.

## Good Will Visit

BERGEN, Norway, April 29. (AP) — A U. S. Navy task force headed by the carrier Valley Forge reached Bergen today on a goodwill visit to Norway.

Norwegian military and civilian officials met the ship's officers.

Mr. Wolcott leaves his wife; one daughter, Helen Wolcott; one son, John Wolcott, all of Big Spring; three sisters, Mrs. S. O. Golladay, Midland, Mrs. C. L. Golladay, Aaga Dulce, Texas, and Mrs. W. P. Sims, Waxahachie; two brothers, W. R. Wolcott, San Antonio, and Ben Wolcott, Harvey, Calif.

Knights Templars E. R. Watts, R. W. Currie, Frank Hodnett, R. B. Reeder, J. H. Lees, L. E. Christian, John Davis and W. H. Battle will serve as pallbearers and S. A. Davis, W. B. Sullivan, W. S. Morrison and M. A. Loudamy will be escorts.

It was in the spring of 1883 that John Wolcott, then a lad of 14, stepped off the train in Big Spring and looked with fascination upon the waxed mustache of Charlie Read, the station master, and then with equal interest upon the country, so different from his native Ellis county.

With his father, B. F. Wolcott, and two brothers, W. R. and E. R. Wolcott, he had come to latan flay to graze the modest herd the family had saved to purchase. Not long afterwards, they bought out the interest of Jowell Rice in the Lucien Wells ranch in northern Glasscock county and it was here that they put up the first windmills.

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## City Budget Is Adopted After Hearing

### Commissioners Virtually Alone During Forum

Big Spring's \$523,648 budget was formally adopted Tuesday after city commissioners convened for a public hearing that produced no protests.

In fact, commissioners were left virtually to themselves during the hearing, with only two or three visitors remaining after the regular meeting. Mayor G. W. Dabney reviewed the budget proposal briefly and the commission voted unanimously for its adoption.

The hearing followed a regular commission session which was highlighted by a lengthy discussion on future paving prospects. T. S. Currie, Sr. and R. T. Piner, representing local banks, told commissioners they believed the city would find it more economical to finance the municipality's part of additional paving by voting bonds than by issuing warrants. Previously the commission had indicated that a warrant issue not exceeding \$50,000 would be considered if it became necessary to keep the paving program active.

Representatives of several bonding companies were present at the session, and each submitted a tentative bid for warrants. The local banks also named a tentative figure, which Currie and Piner said the commission could consider in case the warrant route was followed.

Commissioners expect to decide upon a definite course this week, and the regular session was recessed until 3 p. m. Friday at which time the discussion will continue.

Final decision hinges upon immediate plans for the contractor. Brown and Root officials have indicated that they would request permission to recess from the local work temporarily after the 27 blocks now under construction is completed. They have an immediate commitment in Monahan which will require an estimated three months. If they should suspend actual operation here temporarily the Big Spring project would be resumed in August or September and they would leave personnel here continuously to proceed with contact work and legal tasks during the summer.

Definite plans, however, probably will not be developed until Friday.

## Dental Survey Causes Concern

Expressing concern over screening results at local elementary schools, Dr. F. E. Sadler, director of the Midland-Ector-Howard county health unit today urged parents to make early arrangements for correcting dental defects of children.

Screening at the West Ward school, which was completed Wednesday, revealed an exceptionally high rate of defects. Dr. Sadler said. Approximately half of the pupils there attending morning classes were found to have defects in permanent teeth, and defects were noted in 90 percent of the pupils in afternoon classes.

Dr. Sadler said he was advising parents to make appointments with their dentists as soon as possible to correct the irregularities.

## MAN-MADE RAIN IN GLASSCOCK?

There were unconfirmed reports here Thursday that a man-made shower had fallen in Glasscock county Wednesday.

At Garden City, H. M. Fitzhugh, county agent, said that an experiment with dry ice and clouds was in the making, but that he had no information that it had been undertaken.

Fred Mahler, San Angelo, had his plane ready and a stock of dry ice on hand, but at last account, was still looking for a likely cloud. Plans were to drop it over the Mahler ranch interest, which is being sub-divided in south-central Glasscock county.

## GRANDMA REGAINS HER POSITION AS AUTHORITY ON BABY HANDLING

AUGUSTA, Ga., April 29. (AP) — Grandma, it turns out, was right about minding the babies.

And now, after all the years, Mama and Papa and the rest of the family are finding it out, says Mrs. L. W. Hughes of Arlington, Tex. Grandma, who—to use Mrs. Hughes' words—used to be "poison" around the kiddies is now as welcome as a lollipop.

Mrs. Hughes is national president of the Congress of Parents and Teachers. She made a speech yesterday to the 700 delegates at the state convention, and here's what she said:

"Grandma used to be poison to parents with young babies and her

# British Strike Jews In Jaffa Section

## Egypt, Iraq Forces Move On Palestine

JERUSALEM, April 29. (AP) — The British struck with artillery and diving planes today at the battered Manshieh quarter of Jaffa, which Irgun Zvai Leumi captured yesterday after four days fighting with the Arabs.

The promised British counterattack developed as officials of Egypt and Iraq said large parts of their armies were moving on Palestine.

Sharp skirmishing occurred in the Jordan River Valley opposite Trans-Jordan.

The Jews claimed capture of Beisan, 15 miles south of the sea of Galilee. Beisan is a way station for Arabs filtering in from the east for the battle over partition.

The Arab Legion informed King Abdullah in Amman it had occupied Geshur, a Jewish collective settlement in the Jordan Valley, and killed hundreds of Jews. The Legion said the fight started Tuesday night when Jews killed a Legion sentry inside Trans-Jordan territory.

Egyptian Communications Minister Dessouki Abaza Pasha said in Cairo large Egyptian army forces had been sent to the southern border of Palestine. Regent Abdull ilah of Iraq said in Amman his country's army has started moving toward Palestine and would pass through Trans-Jordan.

The British rushed in a battalion of Irish fusiliers to support their pledge not to permit the Jews to occupy Jaffa, the Arab port adjoining all-Jewish Tel Aviv. The reinforcements brought the British force available to about 3,000 men.

As far as was known, Irgun appeared determined to try and hold the Arab quarter. Throughout the night, Irgun force dug into defense positions and brought up fresh troops.

British shells fell in the Manshieh quarter. Early damage and casualties were reported small.

## Arabs Reject U. N. Forces

LAKE SUCCESS, April 29. (AP) — The Arabs today rejected a French proposal for an international volunteer police force for Jerusalem.

The Jews agreed to the proposal for a 1,000-man elite force to safeguard Jerusalem's holy places under a proposed truce, but the Arab rejection dashed hopes for its establishment.

Jamal Hussein, vice-chairman of the Arab Higher Committee for Palestine, told the United Nations trusteeship council the Arabs "object to foreign troops being sent to our country." He said the term troops also meant police.

Huseini added that the Arabs would not resist the proposed police force but would never agree to it.

Moshe Shertok, head of the Jewish Agency's political department, said the Jews definitely agreed to setting up a UN force for Jerusalem.

The United States renewed its appeal meanwhile for quick UN approval of the American plan for UN trusteeship over Palestine.

## Law Is Seeking Maine Firebug

LUKE, Md., April 29. (AP) — Police in this mountain area are seeking a firebug who uses explosive powder as his "torch."

At least 12 properties have been damaged by incendiary fires since a supply of explosives disappeared from a mine near here. One blaze caused \$10,000 damage.

Each of the fires started out with the thick, black smoke common to burning powder.

An explosive powder stick was found Sunday in the control room of the local water tower. Two similar sticks were uncovered last Friday on the property of the West Virginia Pulp and Paper company plant here.

## Sawyer Is Approved For Cabinet Post

WASHINGTON, April 29. (AP) — The Senate Commerce Committee approved today the nomination of Charles Sawyer, Cincinnati Democrat, to be secretary of Commerce. The nomination now goes to the Senate for action.

Sawyer, a former ambassador to Belgium, was named by President Truman to succeed W. Averell Harriman, who has resigned to become roving ambassador to the countries being aided by the European Recovery Program.



ARAB EXODUS FROM HAIFA — Arab men, women and children sit among their belongings along the Haifa, Palestine, waterfront awaiting evacuation to the all-Arab city of Acre, 10 miles across the bay. More belongings are being unloaded from truck at left. Homeless Arabs sought refuge in the dock area during Jewish seizure of main parts of the city. British ships and trucks aided the Arabs in their flight from the captured seaport. (AP Wire-photo via radio from London).

## CHICAGO FIRST STOP

# Truman Planning Speaking Tour

Plans were shaping up today for a cross country speaking tour by President Truman only a month ahead of the Democratic national convention.

Unless developments in Washington or abroad intervenes, Mr. Truman is scheduled to open his personal appearance campaign June 7 in Chicago. There he is to address a Swedish immigration celebration.

Two days later he may visit Omaha where his World War I buddies of the 35th Division will hold their annual reunion. From there he is expected to go to the Pacific Northwest before making the commencement address at the University of California on June 12.

Although not openly ticketed as a political junket, the tour's details are being worked out by Democratic National Chairman J. Howard McGrath.

Mr. Truman's search for a running mate could be tied into the transcontinental travels. Gov. Mon Wallgren of Washington has been mentioned as a likely vice presidential choice.

Meanwhile, the President's Republican opponents were off on speaking tours of their own.

Harold E. Stassen, the former Minnesota governor who holds the GOP popularity title to date, was in New Jersey to bid for the state's 35 convention votes.

The New Jersey convention slate already has been chosen and pledged to the favorite son, Gov. Alfred E. Dirscoil. But Stassen had a luncheon date today with the delegates and other leading state Republicans at Trenton.

## Quick Thinking Saves Aircraft

CLEVELAND, April 29. (AP) — A quick-thinking pilot, flying an American Airlines transport plane carrying 48 passengers, dived his ship 3,000 feet yesterday to blow out an engine fire.

The ship, a DC-6 piloted by Capt. E. S. Swanson, was over Toledo at 21,000 feet altitude at the time. It continued to the airport here on the remaining three engines.

Passengers, watching as flames shot out of the engine and trailed back across the wing, remained in their seats.

All available fire apparatus at the airport followed the plane as it landed and poured 200 pounds of carbon dioxide fire extinguisher on the engine and damaged right wing.

Capt. Swanson said a broken propeller blade in the engine's supercharger caused the fire when it flew off its hub and ripped through the housing. This allowed oil to come in contact with the hot exhaust collector ring.

## MANY VISITORS Large Crowd Seen For Roping Events

Indications are that one of the biggest visiting crowds in many months will be in Big Spring Sunday, when followers of western sports will be treated to a deluxe roping program staged by the Howard County Sheriff's posse.

Bringing wild steer roping to this immediate section for the first time, Toots Mansfield, Big Spring's own champion of the rodeo arenas will contest with Everett Shaw of Stonewall, Okla., in a matched event for a \$5,000 purse. Each man is to rope, trip, tie and brand 10 wild steers, with the purse going to the lowest average time.

Shaw already has arrived in Big Spring, and is getting set for the Sunday afternoon event. The Oklahoma rates high as a steer roper, and is expected to make it close for Mansfield, whose specialty has been in the looping of calves.

A calf-roping event is another highlight on the program, with Big Spring's Sonny Edwards—another who has copied many a rodeo purse—competing with Walton Poage of Rankin, another of the top lariat artists. These two will rope six calves each, winner grabbing the money.

The program will start at 2:30 p. m., and is to be unreeled at the Posse's new arena southwest of the airport. The site is reached by turning south off highway 80, just west of the flying field.

Special seating arrangements are being completed, and Possemen have put in many hours in getting the field into shape. They hope to have the dust problem whipped for the occasion.

The sponsors are hoping to put on their show before a crowd of up to 5,000 spectators. Inquiries about the roping matches have come in from such distant points as McCamey and Portales, N. M., and the Posse's advertising program has reached throughout West Texas, the South Plains area, and into southeastern New Mexico.

Posse members have disposed of a number of tickets in advance locally, and are continuing their sales campaign.

# Wolcott's Pioneer Activities Recalled

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In this region. Cattlemen from scores of miles away flocked to see this wonder of the wind harnessed to water.

A year later, Wolcott and his family had sold out to the T&T outfit and migrated to southeastern Midland county on the Queen Sabre spread. By 1887 they had sold out and had returned to Thorpe Springs but John Wolcott was back in three years—never to leave.

He went to work for the Big Spring Grocery company and managed, in four years, to save \$388 out of his meager earnings. Going the note of his friend, R. D. Matthews, he launched on a partnership that lasted 20 years.

Some of their transactions sound fabulous even today in a city that is at least 15 times as large, for Matthews & Wolcott sold and jobbed over a territory that stretched from Lubbock to Hobbs, N. M., Pecos and Stiles. They kept a \$60,000 stock and boasted they could fill any order.

Wolcott was a student of markets, studying commodity quotations intensely, day by day. He also was expert in computing freight rates from Fort Worth, Chicago, etc. Consequently, he knew when salesmen were quoting hot prices. It was this special knowledge that baited one salesman, positive no small country store could handle such an amount, into offering a carload of vinegar at 12 cents a gallon. Wolcott made him ship it—tripling the firm's money. He latched on to a 9-1-4 cent offer on cheese, and with 300 pounds relating into here each week, Matthews Wolcott became the Wisconsin cheese capital of West Texas.

The firm had a standing order of a carload of flour a week from Denison, plus a couple of car loads per month of special flour. Other goods were bought in carload lots, including fancy evaporated fruits. One of the biggest coups the concern made was in salt war when they got a rock bottom price from the railroad to put 300 instead of 130 sacks in a car. They sold this everywhere at 80 cents for the 200-pound sack, driving Canyon merchants reeling from their bid for Lubbock trade and freezing San Angelo out of the Stiles section. The order, which they bought in conjunction with the old J&W Fish-

er Co., was so large (780,000 pounds or 20 cars) that collapsed the warehouse.

After selling out, Wolcott soon found himself in the Stokes-Wolcott Motor company as Ford dealer. In 1923 he sold 123 model T cars. By 1930, however, times had changed; the business had degenerated into "trading for junk" and Wolcott found that trust could be misplaced and that in this new day a man's word was no longer his bond. It was a bewildering experience for a man who had at one time carried \$67,000 on his books without even so much as a note for security.

So Wolcott retired from business—perhaps worse than broke—but wouldn't quit. His own sense of values had not changed and he kept fighting back. In 1934 he was elected to his first of seven successive terms in office—a tribute from his neighbors, one he treasured almost as much as one R. H. Brennand, an early day competitor, volunteered when he sold his business: "You fellows," he said to Matthews and Wolcott, "are the whitest competitors a man ever had." Mr. Wolcott always had mist in his eyes when he recalled the incident.

## Flames Damage Private Garage

A private garage at 109 East 16th street was damaged considerably by fire at about 12:15 p. m. today.

The flames, which started from unknown cause had gained headway when firemen arrived and the roof, rear walls and other inside walls were burned before the fire was brought under control.

Occupants of the house at that time of the fire and the owner was not immediately identified.

## Arthur Schubert Is Reported Better

Condition of Arthur Schubert, former Big Spring resident who suffered a stroke at his home in St. Louis earlier in the week, was reported better this morning.

Mrs. Mamie and Stella Schubert of Big Spring are at his bedside.

## 20-30 Club Has Picnic Wednesday

Members of the 20-30 club entertained Wednesday evening with a picnic at the pavilion at Scenic Drive. Dancing followed.

Approximately 30 couples were present. In charge of arrangements were Bob Hatcher, Bill Van Crunk, Bill Merrick and Bill Beauchamp.

## Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather  
BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy and slightly warmer this afternoon, tonight and Friday.  
High today 96, low tonight 67, high tomorrow 97.

Highest temperature this date, 99 in 1927; lowest this date, 40 in 1922; maximum rainfall this date, 1.38 in 1922.

EAST TEXAS: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Friday. Not much change in temperature. Moderate southeast winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Friday. Not much change in temperature.

CITY	TEMPERATURES	Max	Min
Arlington	.....	91	61
Amarillo	.....	80	50
BIG SPRING	.....	94	66
Chicago	.....	85	40
Denver	.....	76	51
El Paso	.....	92	66
Fort Worth	.....	91	62
Galveston	.....	88	69
New York	.....	80	43
St. Louis	.....	80	43

Sun sets today at 7:25 p. m., rises tomorrow at 6:01 a. m.

## Public Records

Marriage Licenses  
Norman Lee Bass, Missouri, and Ada A. Starnes, Lawton, Okla.  
Clifford Hale, Jr., and Wynelle Frank, Big Spring.  
In 709 District Court  
Audrey McKinney vs Robert E. McKinney, suit for divorce.  
Pearl Stallings vs A. B. Stallings, suit for divorce.

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# Sterling Finals As Campbell To Take Potential

Anderson-Prichard and Vickers No. 1 Foster, south-central Sterling wildcat, has been completed officially for a 24-hour flowing potential of 846 barrels of 26.5 gravity oil.

Flow was through three-quarter inch choke from the Wichita-Albany section 4,252-4,305 feet. This had been treated with 1,000 gallons of acid. Yarborough No. 1 Foster, three and one half miles west of the discovery and in section 10-13, SPRR, was below 2,200 feet after topping the San Andres lime at 1,670. Elevation is 2,493 feet, which makes it a little low to the discovery.

Seaboard No. 1 Dora Campbell, prolific Pennsylvanian development in extreme northern Howard county, was taking official potential test today. It is in section 29-32-3n, T&P.

Atha (and Rouse) No. 1 Mustang, 330 feet from the south and east lines of the northwest quarter of section 9-31-1n, T&P, was reported below 2,000 feet. It was reported 37 feet high on the top of the Yates in comparison to a nearby abandoned test. The test is five miles north east of the city. Humble No. 1-B Ellwood estate, deep test four miles north-north-east of the small Ellenburger discovery, Plymouth No. 1 Frost (which originally had about 15 barrels and a like amount of water daily) in northeastern Sterling county, has drilled to 7,170 feet in shale. Location is C NE NW 56-18, SPRR. In extreme western Sterling county Texaco No. 1-H TXL, 19 miles west of the discovery Anderson-Prichard No. 1 Foster, five miles south of Sterling,

## Markets

**COTTON**  
NEW YORK, April 29 (AP)—Cotton futures at noon were 35 cents a bale higher to 30 cents lower than the previous close. May 37.92, July 37.35 and Oct 33.12.

**LIVESTOCK**  
FORT WORTH, April 29 (AP)—CATTLE: 900; calves 200; cows active, 600; slaughter steers, yearlings and heifers, and good and choice slaughter and stocker calves mostly steady; medium and low grade calves and yearlings steady to weak; bulls scarce, unchanged, medium and good slaughter steers, yearlings and heifers 22.00-28.00; fat cows 18.00-23.00; canners and cutters 12.00-17.50; bulls 16.00-23.50; good and choice fat calves 25.00-28.00; few fancy heavy calves to 30.00; common and medium calves 18.00-24.00; culled 15.00-17.50; stocker calves, yearlings and steers mostly 18.00-27.00.

**HOGS** 800; mostly steady with Wednesday's average on all weights; top 21.50 paid for good and choice 180-200 lb butchers; few lots held higher; good and choice 270-370 lb and 180-178 lb 18.00-21.25; sows mostly 15.00-16.00; pigs 12.00-18.00.

**SHEEP** 5,800; most sales steady; some medium and low grade shorn lambs steady to weak; good and choice spring lambs 24.00-25.50; to medium 15.00-23.00; medium and good shorn lambs 14.00-17.00; medium to good slaughter ewes 10.90-12.50; cull and common ewes 5.50-10.00; old hinds 7.00-9.00.

**WALL STREET**  
NEW YORK, April 29 (AP)—Oil issues tried to take over leadership of the stock market today. A number of stocks, though, turned out to be balky with the result that small gains balanced closely with equally small losses.

Turnover continued at a fairly rapid rate but the market seemed to be undecided between picking up the thread of the spring advance, muddling along indecisively, or sliding back.

**LOCAL MARKETS**  
No. 2 Milo \$3.35 cwt. FOB Big Spring. No. 2 Kaffir and mixed grains \$3.30 cwt. Beans 14.00-17.00; medium to cash market; cream 85 cents a lb; hens 25 cents lb.



**WINS SCHOLARSHIP** — The first American to win a scholarship to the Royal Academy of Music Department of Piano-forte in London is Don M. Liles, junior student in Abilene Christian College, Abilene, Texas. Liles recorded two piano solos and mailed them, with music to a bolero of his own composition, to the Royal Academy as his entrance in the scholarship contest. A top poet as well as musician, he was named recently as 1948 winner of the annual collegiate Southwestern Poetry contest.

## TB Association Elects Officers

Dr. J. M. Woodall was re-elected president of the Howard County Tuberculosis Association at the annual meeting Tuesday night in the city-county health unit offices.

Other officers named included C. O. Nalley, first vice-president; Ray Griffin, second vice-president; Mrs. Dorothy Wilson, recording secretary; Mrs. Louise Horton, executive secretary; Mrs. James T. Corcoran, treasurer; Mrs. J. T. Corcoran, seal sale chairman.

The new board of directors consists of W. C. Blankenship, Dr. R. B. G. Cowper, Rev. Trinidad Cano, Dr. Clyde Thomas, Jr., H. D. Norris, Mrs. Wilson, H. E. Barnes, Mary Cantrell and Ruth Jeffers.

Named to the medical advisory board were Dr. V. E. Friedewald, Dr. Thomas and Dr. Cowper.

## Jury Is Selected For Civil Suit

A jury was selected shortly before noon today for the civil suit styled National Automobile and Casualty Insurance company vs. R. W. Byrd in 70th district court. Testimony was to begin this afternoon. The case concerned a subrogated claim.

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## Forgery Suspect Is Returned Here

Deputy Sheriff C. E. Kiser returned Wednesday from El Paso with C. H. Rose, wanted here on three counts of forgery.

Rose was turned over to the Howard county officer after he had served six months in jail in that border city.

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# Steeds Seek Second Win In Row Over Sports Here This Evening

## Outlook Improving For Beantown Braves After Disastrous Start

Things are looking up for Billy Southworth and his Boston Braves after a week of disaster. Excellent pitching jobs by Warren Spahn, Red Barrett and Bill Vosselle have lifted the would-be contenders from the cellar gloom.

## Lamesa Retains Lead In WTNM

Lamesa's Lobos clung to a narrow lead today in the West Texas-New Mexico league. And as long as the home runs hold out the Lobos should keep it.

Last night Lamesa used the circuit smash route in beating Berger's Gassers 21-7. Ted Friarito hit two homers and Bob Murphy and Ed Skidgel each slammed one apiece for the Lobos.

## Only One Hoss Hitting .300

Only one regular, Armando Traspuesto, is hitting better than .300 as the Big Spring Broncos complete their first week of play in the Longhorn baseball league.

Table with columns: Player, AB, R, H, E, Pct. Lists players like Ortiz, Schervier, Bert, Shaw, Traspuesto, etc.

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# LOOKING 'EM OVER

With TOMMY HART

Foy Fanning, the Munny pro who is going to have his hands full once the City golf tournament gets underway this weekend, is in Sweetwater where he planned to take part in the pro-amateur tournament today.

Fanning went down Wednesday to get in a few practice shots for show, which is circulated among the member clubs of the West Texas Gold association every month.

Foy was accompanied by Bobby Maxwell, the prep star, who had to get in his qualifying round for the Sweetwater tournament during recess from classes.

Maxwell is Big Spring's best bet to bring home a trophy, especially since the veteran campaigner, Obie Bristow, will not be in the ranks.

ED SHADLE FINISHES IN MONEY IN ABC TOURNAMENT Ed Shadle, the Big Spring bowler, scored a torrid 659 in his three games at the American Bowling Congress tournament in Detroit last week.

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FIGHT PROGRAM SPONSORED BY BSAA, NOT O'DOWDY The fight show being planned by the Big Spring Athletic association will be conducted in Pat O'Dowdy's Sportatorium but is not an O'Dowdy enterprise.

The Irishman simply donated the use of his ring and building to the BSAA.

WISCONSIN ROOTERS EXPECTING POWERFUL GRID 11 Wisconsin university supporters expect the Badger football team this fall to be better than the stellar 1942 contingent but that doesn't mean the Madison troops will win even half its games.

RAMSEY PLANNING CONDITIONING CAMP AT KERRVILLE On the subject of football, San Angelo's Coach, Red Ramsey, is laying plans to take his Bobcats to the hills around Kerrville next Aug. 15 to begin spring workouts.

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# Wright's Stars Hold Attention In Derbytown

## Rodriguez Gets Second Decision

Little Humberto Baez is set to go to the hill tonight in quest of his first pitching victory as the Big Spring Broncos entertain the Sweetwater Sports in the second and final game of their abbreviated set at Steer park.

Baez, the Hosse's most versatile performer, was beaten by the Midland Indians in his only previous try but worked under unfavorable conditions.

Definitely out of their hitting slump, the Cayuses roared through the Sweetwater gang, 14-5, behind the expert elbowing of Gerry Rodriguez Wednesday night at the State street ballpark.

Rodriguez, in registering his second victory of the campaign, was airtight until the seventh inning, at which time the opposition took full advantage of two Bronco misplays and two safeties to score three times.

The locals picked up two runs in the first round, two in the fourth, one in the fifth, two in the sixth and then routed two pitchers in a big seventh and netted seven tallies.

Armando Traspuesto, playing first base for a change, started off the big seventh with a long home run over the left center field fence.

Callen McKipe, Sweetwater's starting flinger, and his successor, Jack Whisenhunt, couldn't get the ball over the plate. Together, they walked three men, hit another.

Three misplays by their mates did not help matters, either.

Manager Pat Stacey of the Big Springers broke a hitting slump with three safeties that accounted for three runs. Outside of Bobby Fernandez, who had two singles, the Irishman was the only Hoss to connect safely more than once.

George Lopez's long two-bagger in the sixth drove home a brace of runs and provided Rodriguez added cushion.

GLEANNINGS - Rodriguez, who has accounted for two of the three Bronco pitching victories to date, had 'full counts' against nine hitters during the long evening.

He lost four on walks... Ace Mender, the Big Spring center fielder, cut loose with a perfect throw from the middle garden after fielding Ed Peacock's hit to catch Mack Dunlap at home plate.

Wayne Ingram received credit for a double in the seventh when Joe Arencibia failed to maneuver under his pop fly half way between home and third.

The breeze caught the ball and blew it out of Joe's reach... Traspuesto's home run in the seventh, second-clouted by a Big Springer this year, was hit on the first pitch.

The blow was one of the longest seen at Steer park in some time.

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# MOUND ACES DUEL Pipeliners Meet Col-Tex Tonight

FORSAN, April 29.—Off to a running start in the Texas Softball league, the Couden Pipeliners mark time tonight in a practice game with the Col-Texas Refinery team at Colorado City at the Forsan athletic field.

Starting time is 8 o'clock. Manager Blacky Hines will use the contest to get a look at all his players and will probably send three men to the rubber, including the Pipeliners' ace, L. D. Cunningham.

Cunningham will work only long enough to get his arm in shape for Saturday night, at which time the Couden play Ragsdale in San Angelo.

Cotton Mize and Winifred Cunningham will also parade to the rubber for the Pipeliners.

A familiar figure will twirl for Col-Tex. He is Leon Glenn Brademeyer, formerly of Big Spring and now of Colorado City.

No gate admission will be charged but a free will offering will be made immediately prior to the contest. The money derived therefrom will go to a resident of Forsan who has been bedridden for the past several weeks.

# Steers Invade Lamesa Friday

Conn Isaacs and the Big Spring high school baseball Steers go to Lamesa Friday afternoon for the start of their second round of play in 3AA competition.

The Lamesans pounced on Steer pitching for a victory in their previous meeting here. Isaacs' troops weren't in top shape at that time, however.

Either Donnie Carter or Harold Berry will go to the pitching rubber for the Longhorns.

The Steers won only two decisions in six starts during the first half of the season and will be out to improve upon that record.

# League Standings

Table with columns: League, Team, W, L, Pct. Lists Longhorn League and Texas League standings.

# Games Today

LONGHORN LEAGUE: Odessa at Midland, Sweetwater at Big Spring, Vernon at San Angelo, Del Rio at Ballinger.

WEST TEXAS-NEW MEXICO: Abilene at Borger, Lamesa at Amarillo, Sweetwater at Clovis, Lubbock at Albuquerque.

TEXAS LEAGUE: Fort Worth at Houston, Dallas at San Antonio, Tulsa at Beaumont.

NATIONAL LEAGUE: New York at Brooklyn, Cincinnati at Boston, Philadelphia at St. Louis, Pittsburgh at Chicago.

AMERICAN LEAGUE: Washington at New York, St. Louis at Philadelphia, Cleveland at Detroit, Chicago at Boston.

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## Neighbors Help Grieving Farmer

MILLBROOK, Ill., April 29.—Twenty-five tractors chugged into the 300-acre farm of Harlan Bryant on a good-will mission yesterday.

## Illustrator Sued For Divorce

LOS ANGELES, April 29.—Peter Salm, Beverly Hills book store clerk, has sued former Gisel Vandenschen, 23-year-old former Berlin illustrator, for divorce.

## Government Payroll Increases Sharply

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Senator Byrd (D-Va) reported today government payrolls increased nearly 500 persons a day during March.

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## Four Flower Arrangements Named Winners At Garden Club Spring Show

A spring flower show was held Wednesday at the regular meeting of the Garden Club in the St. Mary's Episcopal parish house. Each member was allowed to enter as many arrangements as she chose, but only one arrangement of any particular flower. Those winning first prize ribbons were Mrs. C. D. Wiley, Mrs. J. E. Hogan, Mrs. D. M. Penn and Mrs. Obie Bristol.

Mrs. J. E. Hogan won three second prizes and Mrs. Albert Smith won a second prize with her roses. Third places were won by Mrs. Marvin Sewell, Mrs. D. S. Riley and two third places by Mrs. C. D. Wiley.

Other winners were Mrs. L. E. Phillips, Mrs. R. E. McEwen, Jr., Mrs. C. D. Wiley, Mrs. Tom Coffey, Mrs. Otis Grafe, Mrs. R. E. Satterwhite and Mrs. Obie Bristol.

Mrs. Cliff Wiley was speaker for the afternoon using as the topic, "Iris." She told the members that there are over a thousand different kinds of iris and that iris is a native of Asia Minor and will grow almost anywhere as it does well in a dry climate and requires very little water.

Among the most beautiful, sometimes more so than the orchid, are the William Mohr hybrid iris. The Dutch, Spanish and Japanese iris require more water than most varieties and should be protected from a strong wind.

Iris should be well watered in early spring and should be divided every two or three years. After the blooming season is over in an excellent time to divide them. One tablespoon of bone meal and one tablespoon of super phosphate should be put around each plant in the spring.

Members of the Garden Club voted to join in the formation of a City Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. R. L. Tollett will be hostess to members of the club in May.

**Events OF THE COMING WEEK**

Thursday  
The church will meet at the church at 8 p. m.

Friday  
The church will meet at 7:30 p. m.

Saturday  
The church will meet at 10 a. m.

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## Homemaker's Class Of Forsan Returns From Trip To Carlsbad Caverns

**FORSAN, April 28 (Sp1)**—Students of the Future Homemaker's class and their sponsor Mrs. C. H. McCluskey, have recently returned from a bus trip to the Carlsbad Caverns in Carlsbad, N. M.

Joe F. Holladay served as bus driver and Mrs. W. H. Merworth, Mrs. D. W. Roberson and Laura Whittenburg acted as chaperones. Students making the trip were Dona Belle Ramsey, Pat King, Delores Thorpe, Patsy McAllen, Betty Lynn Oglesby, Marie Petty, Bernice Patton, Billie Sue Sewell, Billy Lou Gandy, Betty Joe Roberson, Nan Holladay, Alma Rose

## Mrs. Lightfoot Is Party Honoree

Mrs. Jack Lightfoot was honored on her birthday anniversary at the meeting of the Sew and Chatter club in the home of Mrs. Herbert Johnson Wednesday afternoon. Members of the club presented Mrs. Lightfoot with a gift for the occasion, prior to the afternoon sewing session.

Arrangements of roses were placed at vantage points throughout the party rooms. Refreshments were served to Mrs. O. A. Clinkscales of Itasca, Mrs. C. Y. Clinkscales, Mrs. R. F. Bligh, Mrs. H. V. Crocker, Mrs. M. A. Cook, Mrs. Ches Anderson, Mrs. C. M. Weaver, Mrs. Louis Murdoch, Mrs. Lizzie Campbell, Mrs. Garner McAdams, Mrs. A. C. Moore and the hostess, Mrs. Johnson.

## Robert Terrell Has Birthday Celebration

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Terrell entertained their son, Robert, on his ninth birthday with a wicker roast at the city park Tuesday evening. Those attending were Pat Flynn, Jimmie Walker, Jerry McMahan, Donnie Anderson, Hershel Stocks, Jan Tally, Billy Moore, Benny Gallagher, Judy and Mary Flynn, Mary Ann Smyrl, Jan Anderson, Billy Terrell, Andrew Parks, Marshall Lee Burrus, and Dickie Cooper.

## Friendship Club Has Luncheon Wednesday

The Friendship club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. A. M. Bowden for a luncheon. Entertainment was 48 and rummage with Mrs. Bowden and Mrs. A. C. Hart winners. The next meeting will be with Mrs. A. C. Hart on the fourth Wednesday in May. Attending were Mrs. C. E. Talbot, Mrs. W. F. Cook, Mrs. H. R. Eddy, Mrs. A. C. Hart, Mrs. R. V. Hart and Mrs. Annie Thompson as a guest.

## Mrs. W. A. Laswell Conducts Lesson

The third lesson on "What Really Matters Most" was given at the Park Methodist study club Wednesday evening by Mrs. W. A. Laswell. A round table discussion was held on the topic following the address by Mrs. Laswell. A series of prayers were given by all members present. The club sang the closing prayer. Those present were Mrs. Gould Winn, Mrs. Dora Moore, Mrs. Joe Dorton, Mrs. J. B. Myrick, Mrs. Abbie Anderson, Mrs. W. A. Laswell, Mrs. G. C. Graves, Mrs. A. W. Avant and Mrs. Joe Faucett.

It has been estimated that during World War II between eight and nine million U. S. men 18 to 38 years old were unfit for military service and that at least half the disqualifying defects could have been prevented or remedied.

**Reba Roberts Is Member Of Gammadion Society**  
DENTON, April 29 (Sp1)—Reba Jean Roberts of Big Spring, freshman student at North Texas State College, has been initiated into the Gammadion society, honorary organization for freshman and sophomore students with a "B" average. A luncheon honoring the new members will be given May 20. Miss Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Roberts, is majoring in chemistry.

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## Activities Of Clubs And Visitors Are Told From Knott Community



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**SHOVEL and HOE**  
A Garden Column by Virginia Scott. Presented by the Big Spring Garden Club.

Activities at the First Baptist church this week include a school of missions and the Women's Missionary Meeting. The school of missions began Monday night with the Rev. Trinidad Cano opening the missionary messages on the work among our Spanish speaking neighbors. Other speakers for the week were Rev. Lee M. Roebuck, Rev. W. A. Barclay, Rev. J. B. Parker and Rev. Presley Hand.

The Rev. Lee Vaughn discussed two chapters of "Committed Unto Us" at the WMU meeting Friday afternoon. The group sang "Sweet Hour of Prayer" and prayer was offered by Mrs. Hershel Smith. Other present were Mrs. Lee Vaughan, Mrs. Lee Burrow, Mrs. Elsie Smith and Mrs. J. T. Gross.

Mrs. W. K. Scudday of Garden City will install officers for the coming year of the Parent-Teacher Association at the meeting on May 3 at 3:30 p. m. Reports will be made at that time of the various committees and the representatives who attended the district conference will be heard.

A group of high school pupils attended the exhibit and field day at Texas Tech in Lubbock Saturday. Another group attended the track meet in Odessa Saturday and the grade school students played a tournament at Knott Friday and Saturday.

Dr. Charles Barnes and family of Mexico City, Mex. were recent guests of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Barnes and family. Rev. E. G. Newcomer was speaker at the Mount Zion Baptist church in Big Spring Sunday. His wife and children accompanied him and they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roberts and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Gaskin are in Temple where she will undergo medical observation. Mrs. W. A. Burchell has returned home from visiting with her son, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Burchell and family of Colorado Springs, Colo. Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spalding and family were her mother, Mrs. J. W. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gold Shortes, all of Big Spring.

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Mrs. J. S. Walker visited with Mr. and Mrs. Nic McGinnis, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Riley and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Riley all of Arch, N. M. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Burks, who visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Pate also of Arch, and Leonard Burk, who visited his

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In dusting roses, it is well to remember that dusting sulfur, or spray, will injure Viburnums, causing the leaves to blotch and fall. So, if you have Viburnums where dust or spray can drift toward them, use some of the special rose sprays that do not contain sulfur.

Exhibition roses should be disbudded and fertilized at least two weeks before they are to be used. Shrubs that were not cut back when planted, should have that operation at once. Too many gardeners hope to have a tall, thorny plant right away, so fall to prune at planting time. Plants don't always die, when set out at full height, but at most barely exist, and almost never have a good shape. It is useless to try to retain bloom, when a shrub is moved in full blossom, especially without soil, also hard on the plant.

Borers seldom attack a healthy plant. There are several kinds of this pest. They usually have to be dug out of the bark or stems, sometimes plants die from the operation. Newly planted trees can be protected from borers by wrapping with kraft crepe paper.

In 1940 only half the Americans between 15 and 19 years old were in school.

## Exemplar Chapter Has Program On Japan

A paper on the Japanese Abroad entitled, "Story of the West Coast Problem and Its Implications" was given by Marcella Childers as prepared by Evelyn Merrill at the Exemplar chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Tuesday evening in the home of Ann Darrow.

Invitations to the West Texas Association of Beta Sigma Phi in San Angelo on May 23 and to the State Convention in Houston Nov. 20 and 21 were extended to the members. Members voted to join with the other women's clubs of the city to form a city federation, with Ann Darrow and Nell Rhea McCrary as representatives from the sorority. Refreshments were served to Marcella Childers, Ann Darrow, Pat Dobbins, Elizabeth Murdoch and Margarette Wooten.

From 1940 to 1947 the population of U. S. Pacific Coast states increased about 40 per cent.

## Happy Go Lucky Club

Announcement is made that the Happy Go Lucky Sewing club will meet in the home of Mrs. A. J. Allen, 2000 Scurry, at 1 p. m. Friday, April 30, for a covered dish luncheon.

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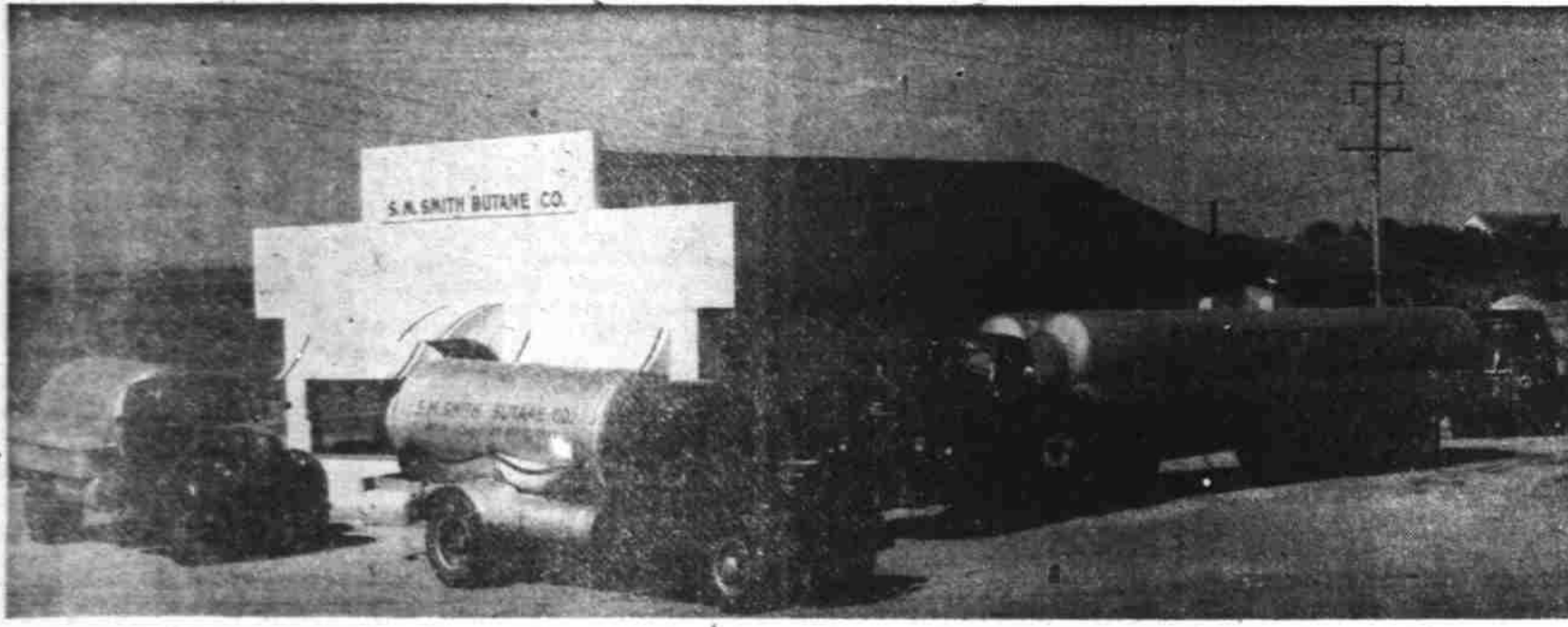
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Another good season for food saving is at hand, and the Big Spring Locker company, as usual, is ready to serve.  
While there is no longer any fixed time for putting up beef and pork, habit tends to make it a little heavier from late autumn to early spring.  
But summer and spring definitely do bring on seasons for other foods which may be processed and conserved with the same fidelity to flavor and freshness as meats.  
While dry weather had held back early garden crops here, an increasing abundance of vegetables is beginning to arrive from the lower Rio Grande valley. Soon prices will begin to stabilize at levels which will permit processing. Certainly as summer comes along, family gardens and irrigated truck patches will produce more material for the tables of local families.  
Those who have not utilized their locker boxes for vegetable storage have missed a treat. Beans, peas, etc. are every bit as tasty and tender as when plucked from the garden. Fruits, which capture the tangy flavors peculiar to this section, may be kept almost indefinitely and still be as delicious when used.  
Another possibility for putting up food is chicken. Of course late spring brings on a new crop of fryers, which are as handy an item as anyone ever put into a locker box. Too, many people find it advisable to cull their flocks and put up non-laying hens for future stewing and baking.  
At any time, Big Spring Locker offers complete custom slaughter and processing to put your beef, pork or lamb in your box and at truly reasonable prices.

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For faithful preservation of flavor body in meats, fruits, vegetables, it is wise to have them put through sharp freezing at the Big Spring Locker company even if you use a home freezer. The freezer will do a good job of keeping the food, but it can be overloaded with raw, unfrozen foods if owners are not extremely cautious. Inexpensive service at Big Spring Locker eliminates any danger of food spoilage through faulty sharp freezing.  
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Driver White Truck company, located at 1600 East Third street, has recently improved its facilities for servicing the road giants and now proffers one-stop service for greasing, washing and changing tires.  
Complete engine overhaul orders are also accepted by Driver's, which is one of West Texas leading distributors for White trucks.  
The establishment boasts the equipment, as well as the personnel, with which to remake truck engines.  
Bob Keheley, who can point to many years of service as an automobile and truck mechanic, serves as shop foreman of the concern. He is assisted by W. B. Johnson, Jimmy Gallia and Burt Pou, all experienced in that line.  
Driver's can also install new truck bodies and will see that the equipment if delivered here from the manufacturer is petitioned.  
The company is also the agency of most leading makes of truck accessories, including batteries and products of the Wagner Electric corporation, including the newly-introduced Tachograph.  
The establishment specializes in White truck but is prepared to tackle work orders on any make of the heavy equipment.  
Business hours of Driver's are from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Business telephone is 1681.

Although various factors involved in operation of the plant have become substantially more expensive, the Big Spring Mattress Co., 811 West Third street, has never raised its prices for renovating and manufacturing mattresses.  
At present, costs of materials used in all types of work performed by the firm are somewhat higher than they were a year ago. However, the Big Spring Mattress Co. is prepared to manufacture mattresses in practically any price range customers might request. In fact, a customer can, in most cases, determine the amount he wishes to pay, and the local concern will produce a new mattress at the suggested figure.  
The prices, of course, depend to a certain extent upon the grade of materials used. The Big Spring Mattress Co. has on hand now virtually any grade of ticking that a customer might require. A liberal variety of patterns also is available among the fabrics on hand.  
Adequate supplies of springs to meet any demands for new innerspring mattresses are in stock in various coil combinations up to the 240 size. The firm also can furnish some 312 coil sizes.  
Free pick-up and delivery service is maintained for the city and for a wide area of West Texas.

**Summer Conditioning**  
Automobile owners can obtain a complete service designed to put vehicles in excellent condition for summer driving at the H. M. Rowe Garage, 214 East Second street. Rowe not only specializes in all types of mechanical work, ranging from minor repairs to motor overhauling and rebuilding, but also operates a paint and body repair shop.  
**Curiosity Unsafe**  
LINCOLN, Neb. (UP)—Raymond L. Hartman was curious about an accident involving two automobiles. He drove close to the scene of the wreck. Hartman's car collided with another, and he paid a \$15 fine in municipal court for careless driving.

**Household Appliances**  
The Firestone store, situated at 507 East Third street, deals not only in automobile accessories of all kinds but handles the best in household appliances, as well. Such items as electric ice boxes, fans and radios can be purchased at the store.

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**GEORGE MAHON**

For State Senator:

**KILMER B. CORBIN**

(Dawson County)

**STERLING J. PARRISH**

(Lubbock County)

**DUDLEY K. BRUMMETT**

(Lubbock County)

**RALPH BROCK**

(Lubbock County)

For State Representative

**R. E. (Peppy) BLOUNT**

For Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals:

**ALLEN D. DABNEY**

For District Attorney:

**MARTELLE McDONALD**

For District Clerk:

**GEORGE CHOATE**

For County Judge:

**WALTON MORRISON**

For County Attorney:

**GEORGE T. THOMAS**

For County Clerk:

**LEE PORTER**

For County Sheriff:

**TRAVIS REED**

**R. L. (BOB) WOLF**

**JESS SLAUGHTER**

**A. D. BRYAN**

**J. B. (Jake) BRUTON**

For Tax Assessor-Collectors:

**R. B. HOOD**

**B. E. (Bernie) FREEMAN**

For County Treasurer:

**MRS. IDA COLLINS**

For Co. Commissioner Pct. 1:

**W. W. (Walter) LONG**

**H. B. (Happy) HATCH**

**FRANK HODNETT**

For Co. Commissioner Pct. 2:

**G. E. (RED) GILLIAM**

**TOMMY HUTTO**

For Co. Commissioner, Pct. 3:

**R. L. (PANCHE) HALL**

**GROVER BLISSARD**

**NEEL BARNABY**

For Co. Commissioner, Pct. 4:

**WALTER GRICE**

**EARL HULL**

**CECIL (CY) NABORS**

**J. E. (JOHN) NORRIS**

**J. E. UNDERWOOD**

For Justice of Peace, Pct. 1:

**W. O. (OREN) LEONARD**

**A. YATES**

**Wm. E. (Elton) Gilliland**

For Constable, Pct. 1:

**J. T. THORNTON**

**M. F. (Jim) CRENSHAW**

**J. H. (Shorty) GRIMES**

For County Surveyors:

**RALPH BAKER**

**B'SPRING REJECTS IT**

**Most Cities Favor Local Civil Service**

By PAUL BOLTON  
Herald Austin Bureau  
AUSTIN, April 29—Special legislation enacted by the last legislature for the benefit of city firemen and policemen over Texas has resulted in a number of elections, with varied reactions from the electorate. However, a majority of the affected cities showed a vote favoring the adoption of the two issues: Civil service, and minimum pay scales.

According to an unofficial opinion, elections must have been called, or held, in all the affected cities by this time. However, in a very small number of cities—three in the case of civil service and three on minimum pay—no elec-

tion has been held. A summary of these elections, has been made by the Texas League of Municipalities which has headquarters in Austin.

The civil service law requires that all cities of more than 10,000 population hold the election to determine whether a civil service commission shall be set up. As the population guide is the 1940 census, it affected 44 cities. The cities which rejected the plan were: Beaumont, Big Spring, Borger, Brownwood, Bryan, Corsicana, Dallas, Highland Park, Longview, University Park, Pampa and Victoria.

Some of the larger cities already had a city-wide civil service system. One instance was Fort Worth.

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Since the law did not provide an exemption, an election was held in Fort Worth and carried. Subsequently a suit was filed attacking the validity of the law, and that case is now pending in the court of civil appeals at Fort Worth.

Cities which have set up the system after elections (or which have city-wide systems set up under city charters) are Abilene, Amarillo, Brownsville, Cleburne, Corpus Christi, Dallas, Del Rio, Desian El Paso, Fort Worth, Galveston, Greenville, Harlingen, Houston, Lubbock, Marshall, Palestine, Paris, Port Arthur, San Angelo, San Antonio, Sweetwater, Sherman Temple, Terrell, Texasarkana, Tyler, Waco and Wichita Falls.

Austin is in the unique position of having called for an election, April 27, after the supposed deadline.

**Cathy O'Connell Seeking Divorce**

LOS ANGELES, April 29. (AP)—Movie Actress Cathy O'Connell has sued Robert Wyler for divorce. They were married April 10 in Las Vegas, Nev.

She charges that she and the brother of Director William Wyler lived together only four days, that he treated her with extreme cruelty.

During World War II the proportion of U. S. Navy flight surgeons killed was about three times that of other Naval physicians.

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**W. R. Allen, War Hero Is Buried At Ira**

The mortal remains of Capt. Woodrow R. Allen were placed to final rest Wednesday afternoon in his home community of Ira.

Capt. Allen had fallen on the slopes of Monte Castré, France during the Normandy invasion... had fallen while standing his ground against heavy odds and an exhausted ammunition supply.

With the Rev. E. K. Sheppard officiating, brief tributes to the memory and heroism of Capt. Allen, who died in his 31st year. A graduate of Texas A&M, he was Farm Security Administration representative in Comanche until he was called to duty.

Elements of the 90th division were storming ashore on July 11, 1944 when his voice was last heard over a walkie-talkie.

He had led his own infantry company up the slopes, gaining and consolidating new positions and withstanding savage counter-attacks by the picked Germans of the Das Reich division of Storm Troopers. With disregard for his own safety, the citation said, he not only led his own company but assumed command of two others, whose officers had been killed.

Then as his men withstood the counter-attacks, he was informed that a German force double his was crawling forward through the underbrush.

"I've no ammunition to waste," he said wearily. "I'll wait 'til they get within 50 yards."

Capt. H. R. Lee, escort for the body, presented the flag to his daughter, Judith Jay Allen of Comanche.

Survivors are his mother, Mrs. Maggie Allen, Ira; his wife, Mrs. Geraldine Allen, and daughter, Judith, Comanche; brother, T. P. Alieg, Big Spring; one sister, Mrs. O. W. Holladay, Cuthbert; and these half-brothers and sisters, Earl Allen, Rising Star, Ralph Croelin, Los Angeles, Calif., John Croelin, Macca, Calif., Mrs. W. E. Mann, Big Spring, Mrs. Sadie Brizendine, Rising Star, and Mrs. Susie Roach, Amarillo.

**Funeral Is Held For Joe Thigpen**

Funeral for Dr. Joe Thigpen, father of Alvin Thigpen, Big Spring, was held Wednesday in Bay Springs, Miss.

Dr. Thigpen died there Tuesday following a long illness and before his son, accompanied by Mrs. Thigpen, was able to reach his bedside. Thigpen, a past commander of the Legion post here, and Mrs. Thigpen plans to return here this weekend.

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# Movie Shows Bad Telephone Manners

Texas & Pacific employees Tuesday saw examples of bad telephone manners and received tips on how to correct them.

# Sterling Well Flows Heavily, Seaboard Cores

The Anderson-Prichard No. 1 Foster, Sterling discovery, flowed oil at the rate of 1,056 barrels per day after section 4.252-4.305 had been washed with 1,000 gallons of mud acid.

# King And Queen Have Anniversary

LONDON, April 26. (AP)—King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, whose domesticity has endeared them to home-loving Britons, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary today amid empire-wide rejoicing.

# Budget Hearing Stated Wednesday

Big Spring's proposed budget for the 1948-49 fiscal year will be presented at a public hearing Wednesday afternoon in the city hall.

# Two Divorces Granted In District Court

Two divorces were granted by Judge Cecil C. Collins in 70th district court Monday afternoon.

# Child Is Admitted To Dallas Hospital

DALLAS, April 27.—Miguel Rincon, year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Miguel Rincon of Big Spring, has been admitted to Texas Scottish Rite hospital for Crippled Children for treatment.

# Speed Flier Hopes To Better Record

HOUSTON, April 27. (AP)—When Speed Flier Paul Mantz flies back to the West Coast either today or tomorrow he hopes to better his own time of 3 hours, 6 minutes and 36 seconds, set yesterday.

# Sam's Hens Wear Spectacles!

Yes, it's a fact! Sam's brood of two dozen hens are wearing spectacles—which he bought from a mail-order house in Capitol City.

# Road Program May Be Held To 12 Miles

Possibility that the 75-25 lateral road program of Howard county and the state would be held to about 12 miles was seen Monday morning.

A letter from D. C. Greer, state highway engineer, was read in court, referring to a previous letter in which he outlined the cooperative program as around eight miles north, probably on the Gail road and four plus miles south from U. S. 80 to Lomax.

# C-C Is Expected To Back Truman's Preparedness Plan

WASHINGTON, April 26. (AP)—A strong endorsement of President Truman's preparedness program appears likely from the United States Chamber of Commerce, opening its 36th annual meeting today.

# Panel Is Called For Petit Jury

A panel of 60 petit jurors has been summoned to report for duty in the current session of 70th district court, which is being resumed at 10 a. m. Thursday.

# U.C. To Construct A New Cyclotron

BERKELEY, Calif., April 27. (AP)—A \$9,000 cyclotron which may be the ultimate tool for solving the mysteries of atomic energy will be built at the University of California with government money.

# Fourteen Attend Scouters' Course

Fourteen men were on hand Monday evening for the first in a series of four Boy Scout leadership training sessions.

# Two Women Held On Forgery Counts

Two women, one 22 years of age and the other 16, have been taken into custody by members of the sheriff's office and charged with forgery.

# Marine Is Buried At Colorado City

COLORADO CITY, April 26.—The body of a Colorado City Marine, John W. (Dub) Hodges, who was killed on Iwo Jima, February 28, 1945, was buried Sunday afternoon beside the grave of his mother, in Colorado City cemetery.

# Frances Weeg's Horses Show Well

Frances Weeg, young Big Spring horse breeder, placed with her four entries in the Sterling City horse show Saturday.

# Students To Visit College

The Rev. Gage Lloyd, pastor of the First Presbyterian church will take seven senior students to Austin College in Sherman for a two day visit of the college Thursday and Friday.

# 'PAINLESS BABY' CAN LAY HAND ON HOT STOVE WITHOUT WINCING

AKRON, O., April 27. (AP)—Year-old Beverly Smith never cries about a fall, a cut or a burn. She never will cry about them, either, because they cause her no pain, say Children's Hospital officials.

Doctors are calling little Beverly the "painless baby." They say she was born indifferent to pain. A pin prick brings a laugh. Bumps and bruises never bother her.

Aside from complete indifference to pain, Beverly is a normal, active child. She cries when hungry or angry, for example.

Right now the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Smith is in Children's Hospital for treatment of anemia. Her 24-year-old mother says they probably will take her home tomorrow. Beverly was one year old Sunday.

Mrs. Smith first noticed Beverly was immune to pain when the child bumped her head on the floor at the age of six months and did not cry.

"Then one day she laid her little hand on the hot stove," Mrs. Smith added. "She didn't cry then, either. She just looked at me and laughed."

After Beverly cut her finger without blinking an eye, Mrs. Smith took her to a doctor; then four doctors. All were as bewildered as Mrs. Smith.

"They said it might be a habit, or something," Mrs. Smith recalled.

When Beverly developed anemia, she was taken to the hospital for a deep hypodermic injection of liver.

"This is usually a very painful process, but Beverly never even yipped," said the resident physician.

It was then the doctors decided her lack of feeling to pain was "a state of indifference to injury of congenital origin." The doctors said they had heard of only four or five similar cases. They said she should never feel any pain.

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She had been ill for more than a year since she had suffered a broken hip. Mrs. Yater died almost to the day eight years after the death of her husband, John Yater, who succumbed on April 24, 1940.

Rites will be said at 3 p. m. Tuesday in the Nalley Chapel with the Rev. Herbert Newman, minister of the Church of Christ, officiating. Mrs. Yater had been a member of the Church of Christ for 58 years.

She and her husband first moved to the Big Spring area 32 years ago. The family had made its home here for the past 18 years.

Survivors include six sons, J. M. Yater, Stanton, former Martin county sheriff; C. H. Yater, Corpus Christi; W. M. Yater, W. H. Yater, L. A. Yater, and L. C. Yater, Big Spring; four daughters, Mrs. Fred Sporer, Dallas; Mrs. J. O. Reece, Mrs. Paul Miller, Mrs. Paul Cunningham, Big Spring; 19 grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

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Two women, one 22 years of age and the other 16, have been taken into custody by members of the sheriff's office and charged with forgery.

One of the parties, who said her home was in Carlsbad, N. M., said the two of them had passed worthless checks in half a dozen Southwestern states but insisted none was distributed in Texas.

The 16-year-old, who calls Wichita, Kansas, home, signed a statement admitting their "take" was something like \$150 in her home town and about \$100 in Enid, Okla.

# Road Conference Efforts Stymied

Efforts to contact S. J. Treadaway, Abilene, district engineer for the state highway department, had not been successful to Tuesday noon, County Judge W. S. Morrison reported.

Morrison is seeking to set a date for a conference between Treadaway and the commissioners court on the proposed 75-25 county-state lateral road program. D. C. Greer, state highway engineer, has indicated that the state will be interested in building approximately 12 miles of road. Matters of right-of-way, routes, etc. need to be settled first, commissioners say.

# Air Force Recalls Three Texas Fields

WASHINGTON, April 27. (AP)—The Air Force has asked the War Assets Administration to withdraw Camp Maxey, near Paris, Tex., and Sheppard Air Force Base at Wichita Falls, Tex., and five other former Army bases from surplus status.

"We asked that the seven be recalled from surplus and we will use them in event of an expanded defense program," an Air Force headquarters official said.

# 1947 Cotton Under Loan To Be Pooled

Cotton farmers of Howard county who have government loans on their 1947 crops are being reminded that all of last year's cotton under loan next Aug. 1 will be pooled by the Commodity Credit Corporation for the producers' accounts.

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# HORRIBLE CRIME DOESN'T PAN OUT

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FORT WORTH, April 27. (AP)—Trial of William Larry Martin, 29, who is charged with robbery of the State National Bank at Big Spring, has been set for May 17 in federal district court in Dallas.

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Forty-eight beef steers, all of which made creditable gains during special feeding tests at the U. S. Experiment Farm here, were en route to Fort Worth today where they will be sold on the open market.

# I. M. Milstead Funeral Set

Funeral for I. M. Milstead, 87, who died at 5:30 a. m. Sunday in Corpus Christi, will be held here Wednesday.

# Morrison School Slates Open House

Kate Morrison elementary school is having open house this evening. Besides viewing samples of the class work, visitors will hear and see a program presented by primary students and have an opportunity to hear Miss Edgar Ellen Wilson, supervisor of elementary education for the state department of education.

# STANGE NAMES FOR GOP MEET

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 26. (AP)—Al Smith, Robert E. Lee and Woodrow Wilson registered as delegates to the state Republican convention here today.

# Rev. Barkley Is Guest Speaker At Airport

The Rev. W. A. Barkley, missionary to the Mormons in Phoenix, Ariz., was guest speaker at the Airport Baptist Women's Missionary Society Monday afternoon at the church.

# Speed Flier Hopes To Better Record

HOUSTON, April 27. (AP)—When Speed Flier Paul Mantz flies back to the West Coast either today or tomorrow he hopes to better his own time of 3 hours, 6 minutes and 36 seconds, set yesterday.

# Sam's Hens Wear Spectacles!

Yes, it's a fact! Sam's brood of two dozen hens are wearing spectacles—which he bought from a mail-order house in Capitol City.

# Two Divorces Granted In District Court

Two divorces were granted by Judge Cecil C. Collins in 70th district court Monday afternoon.

# Child Is Admitted To Dallas Hospital

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To The Editor: I wish to take issue with my good friend Bob Whipkey over the Texas bonus issue. Bob says in Sunday's Big Spring Daily Herald that he personally doesn't think the veterans of World War II should be given a State bonus.

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