

SOUTH PRIMARY TEST

Civil Rights Battle Waging In Alabama

By LEROY SIMMS
BIRMINGHAM, April 13 (AP)—Whether Alabama will return to its traditional place in regular Democratic ranks is the major issue in the party primary to be held May 2.

The other group says the most effective fighting can be done within the Democratic Party framework. In 1948, Alabama's Democratic Presidential electors were nominated in a primary election.

Patrol To Take Testimony In Border Incident

EDINBURG, April 13 (AP)—An investigator from the San Antonio immigration office was to begin taking testimony today regarding reported border patrol shootings.



FAMOUS NAME REVIVED—A new concept of automotive safety, driving comfort and performance is claimed for the Nash Rambler convertible, a new model which goes on display Friday.

ON DISPLAY FRIDAY

Nash Shows New Convertible Model

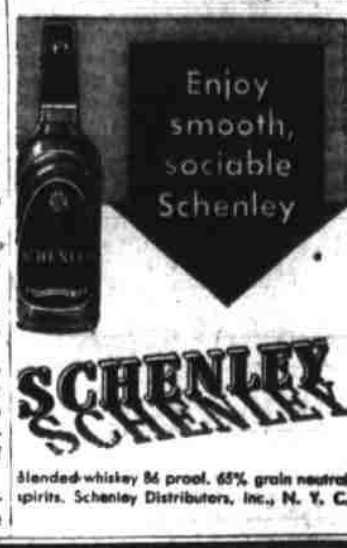
Nash Motors Friday will unveil its new "Rambler" automobile, and the local dealer, Nash-Big Spring, joins in the nationwide showing.

MARKETS
WALL STREET
NEW YORK, April 13 (AP)—A surge of buying at the opening of trade swept the 1949-50 bull market into new high ground today.

BEAUTY NOT IN LOVE

Asks To Stay Here Instead Of Marriage

TULSA, Okla., April 13 (AP)—A Bolivian beauty who fears marriage to a man "I can never love" begged immigration officer for permission to stay in the United States.



Mediators Try To Ward Off Ship Strike

NEW YORK, April 13 (AP)—With a strike deadline just two days off, federal mediators today pushed a last-hour effort to smooth out differences between East and Gulf Coast shippers and the AFL-Masters, Matos and Pilots were called into a special session with four government peacekeepers.

McNeill has been accusing Hill of only lukewarm opposition to the civil rights measures. The same issues, but in lesser degree, affect other races.

Matt Harrington Is Cancer Crusade County Chairman

Matt Harrington, Big Spring insurance underwriter, has been announced as county chairman of the 1950 Cancer Crusade.

Local Recruiters To Assume Jurisdiction Of New Mexico Area

The Big Spring Army and Air Force Recruiting area will spread over a portion of New Mexico Saturday when the local Main station assumes jurisdiction of the recruiting station at Hobbs.

CORONER'S JURY FINDS Charge Negligence In Sanatorium Fire

NORRISTOWN, Pa., April 13 (AP)—A coroner's jury has found that "negligence" existed at the Belle Vista Sanatorium where a fire killed 10 patients March 29.

Four of the 10 who died were strapped to beds, powerless to save themselves. Fifteen of the 82 patients who survived also were strapped to beds.

Final Rites Held For Austin Pioneer

AUSTIN, April 13 (AP)—A. F. Martin, 93, pioneer Austin business man, died yesterday at his home.

Son Murders Family, Then Tries Suicide

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., April 13 (AP)—A couple and their 10-year-old daughter were slain with hammer and knife early today and their home set afire.

Prayer Meeting To Highlight Party Of 102-Year-Old Lady

LANCASTER, Pa., April 13 (AP)—A prayer meeting will highlight the 102nd birthday Sunday of Annie Heibek of nearby Strasburg.

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LEADS ALL STATES Texas Farm Income Rises 72 Percent

By DILLON GRAHAM
AP Staff

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Texas boosted its farm income in January and February by 72 per cent over the first two months of 1949 to lead all states in percentage of increase.

The Lone Star state's cash receipts from marketings for this year's first two months totaled \$296,440,000, as compared with \$173,012,000 during the same 1949 period, the Agriculture Department said today.

The department also reported that 11 other states showed larger cash receipts. Florida farmers' and growers' revenues jumped about 60 per cent, \$85,405,000 to \$91,632,000.

Top place in total income, however, went to Iowa, with \$377,078,000 as against \$389,907,000 for the 1949 period. The Hawkeye farmers' big bundle of cash was roughly \$80 million more than was pocketed by Texans.

After Texas, came Illinois, California and Minnesota to form the customary first five. Illinois farmers' income added up to \$273,576,000 as against \$228,790,000 in January-February last year, California's was \$220,009,600 down from \$267,087,000 and Minnesota's \$189,644,000 up from \$186,613,000.

Cotton brought the big hike to Texas farmers.

Ernest Grove of the Agriculture Department told a reporter: "The 1949 cotton crop was larger than the 1948 crop and a larger than usual portion of the crop was marketed in January and February."

The U. N. Food and Agriculture Organization says Australia, New Zealand, Argentina, Denmark, Ireland and the U. S. are the six best fed nations, in that order.

Videla Continues Official Visits

WASHINGTON, April 13. — President Gabriel Gonzalez Videla of Chile, champion of "friendship and solidarity with the United States," continued his round of official visits here today.

The schedule for his second day as a state guest included visits to Mount Vernon, the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier and a dinner as guest of Secretary of State Acheson and Mrs. Acheson.

Flying Bixbys Finally Reach San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, April 13. — The flying Bixbys completed their globe girdling flight today—10 days behind schedule.

They landed here, their April 1 takeoff point, at 3:06 o'clock this morning.

They had hoped to shatter the late Bill Odom's world circling record of 73 hours, five minutes, 11 seconds. But engine trouble near Calcutta smashed that dream. Magneto trouble at Tokyo forced a second delay.

Asked if they planned to try again for the record, the Bixbys replied "no comment."

Rail Agency Okays

AUSTIN, April 13. — The Railroad Commission today reported approval of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Co.'s request to discontinue its agency at Rochelle.

The company will hereafter operate Rochelle as a pre-pay station.

GOP TO TAKE STAND

Republicans To Decide Soon On Bipartisan Foreign Policy

WASHINGTON, April 13. — The Senate Republican Policy Committee may clarify some of the GOP position on the bipartisan foreign policy.

Sen. Taft (R-Ohio) said today it

Bauer Sisters Quit Amateurs

NEW YORK, April 13. — The famous Bauer girls today had a price tag on their golfing ability.

Marlene and Alice's father, Dave, used a swank hotel cocktail party as a site for the announcement his daughters were going to try and parlay it into cash.

The girls will be under the guidance of Fred Corcoran, tournament director for the Ladies Professional Golf Association.

Corcoran said they would play at Chicago May 6-7, at Cleveland May 13-14, and White Plains, N. Y., May 20-21. They'll also appear in exhibitions and conduct clinics at schools and colleges.

Marlene is 16, Alice 20. Marlene last year was voted woman athlete of the year in the annual Associated Press poll. She was also Golf's woman golfer of the year.

No member of the United States Golf Association attended the announcement party. It was the USGA which admitted last month it was investigating the amateur standing of the two pretty girls.

Joe Day, executive secretary of the USGA, however, said the girls had the best wishes of the organization in their new field because "they are a nice family."

The Bauers have been registering at various tournaments from the Midland Country Club.

They will play their first tournament as professionals at Pebble Beach, Calif., April 29-30.

is discussing the possibility of a new statement on this question next week.

His disclosure came after Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York suggested that President Truman set up a "genuine" bipartisan foreign policy and had told his own fellow Republicans not to rock the boat.

Taft, who heads the policy group, said the foreign affairs discussion was spurred by a proposal of Sen. Ives (R-N.Y.) that the committee take some official action to restore full two-party co-operation on international problems.

The move comes at a time when the Senate is getting ready to consider the administration's foreign aid bill.

Ives told a reporter he suggested at yesterday's meeting of the group that some arrangement be made which selected Republicans—either from the foreign relations committee or the policy group or both—could sit in on the formulation of policies.

"These Republicans should be given a voice at the inception of policies and should not be just in the position of being asked to approve and ratify something which the administration has worked out on its own," Ives said.

Ives said that Republican Former Sens. John Foster Dulles and John Sherman Cooper, named as advisers to Secretary of State Acheson, can act as liaison for the Re-

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Man May Be Charged Under New Sex Laws

AUSTIN, April 13. — The Travis County Grand Jury was to investigate today a sex crime charge which may be the first one filed under harsher laws passed by the 51st Legislature in February.

Joe U. Arellano, 20, of San Antonio was charged yesterday in Peace Justice Travis Blakeslee's court with indecent exposure to a female under 14 years of age. Blakeslee sent the felony charge to the grand jury.

Conviction under the new law—one of five sex crime laws enacted at the special legislative session—would make Arellano subject to a two-year jail sentence or a fine up to \$2,000, or both, or a penitentiary sentence up to 15 years.

He was arrested by Police Lt. Beverly Laws after several persons reported he had exposed himself to a 10-year-old girl on a public street.

Sander Will Learn His Fate Next Week

CONCORD, N. H., April 13. — Dr. Hermann N. Sander may learn within a week whether he can return to his medical practice.

Ever since Dr. Sander's acquittal March 9 of a murder charge in the death of a cancer-plagued patient, Mrs. Abbie C. Borroto, 59, of Manchester, the date of his return to practice has been a matter of conjecture.

The president of the New Hampshire Board of Registration in medicine said yesterday after a three-hour meeting attended by the 41-year-old physician that the answer to the big question may come "in less than a week."

Dr. Paul Dye of Hanover, president of the five-doctor board, said his group will meet again before making public its decision. He did not say when the second meeting will take place.

Dr. Sander appeared rested after his New Jersey vacation. He turned aside all questions by newsmen as he left the board meeting. The group has power to suspend or revoke his right to practice in New Hampshire.

Mickey Rooney Now Has Three Sons

HOLLYWOOD, April 13. — Mickey Rooney now has three sons. His wife, the former Actress Martha Vickers, gave birth to a boy at Valley Hospital last night. Rooney said the boy has been named Ted—"not Theodore," he emphasized.

His two other sons, Mickey, Jr., 5, and Timothy, 3, were born during his marriage to Betty Jane Rose. He and Miss Vickers were married last June 4.

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FUNERAL HOME

2 Czech Employes Of U. S. Go On Trial

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, April 13. (AP) — Two Czech employes of the United States Information Service went on trial before the Prague State Court today on charges of spying and spreading hostile propaganda.

WOMEN CRAVE IT

Doctor Says Dirt Eating Is Common

NEW ORLEANS, La., April 13. (AP) — A doctor and a nutritionist today reported that dirt eating by pregnant women in rural Mississippi is quite common.

Struck By Auto, Woman Escapes Serious Injury

A 35-year-old Negro woman, Willie B. Coker of Big Spring, escaped serious injury when she was struck and felled by an automobile some two miles west of town on Highway 36 at about 9:15 o'clock last night.

Always Ready Class Has Wiener Roast

Members of the Always Ready class of the senior department of the East Fourth Baptist church were entertained with a wiener roast and business meeting at the City park Monday.

New Aerial Maps Of Howard County

The United States Department of Agriculture is preparing to make new aerial maps of Howard county, Gabe Hammock, AAA administrator, said this morning.

THE WEATHER

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY. Mostly cloudy and cooler with showers this afternoon and tonight. Friday partly cloudy and warmer.

FALSE TEETH That Loosen Need Not Embarrass

Many wearers of false teeth have suffered great embarrassment because their teeth drooped, slipped or wobbled as they ate.

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Members of the High School P-T-A will sponsor a pie and cake sale at the Carter Grocery, 408 Gregg, Saturday morning, beginning at 9:30 a.m.

Guilty Pleas Heard In District Court From Indictments

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Several pleas of guilty on indictments returned by the grand jury earlier in the week were being heard in 11th District Court this morning.

North Ward Unit Has Program And Business Session

"Teamwork For Business" was the program theme when Joe Pickle addressed the North Ward P-T-A at a regular meeting held Tuesday afternoon at the school.

AAUW Unit Votes Scholarship Fund

Announcement is made concerning the decision of members of the local branch of the American Association of University Women to present a \$50 tuition scholarship each year to a girl from one of the independent school districts of Howard county to be used at Howard County Junior college.

RAIN

son County, just south of Fort Worth. But they also ranged down to mere traces in many areas which needed rain badly.

Big Spring Girl Plays In Macbeth

ABILENE, April 13 — Frances Bigony of Big Spring, has been selected to play Lady Macbeth in Shakespeare's "Macbeth" at McMurry College next month.

Chamber-Commerce Week Scheduled

Chamber of Commerce Week will be observed here April 24-29. J. H. Greene, local chamber manager, announced this morning.

Game Supervisor Dies

AUSTIN, April 13. (AP) — J. T. Swanson, district game supervisor at Junction, died suddenly today at Cotulla, the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission was informed.

Wedding Shower Given For Couple

Adelyn Marek and Bill Holbert were honored at a wedding shower held at 204 Lexington. Hostesses were Mary Alice Cliney and Bertha Schuchert.

To Sponsor Sale

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HUNGARY REPLIES

Rejects U. S. Protest Of Treaty Violations

BUDAPEST, Hungary, April 13. (AP) — Hungary has rejected a U. S. note accusing of violating American-Hungarian treaties by failing to pay adequate compensation for nationalized American-owned property.

County TB Group Votes X-Ray Survey

Members of the Howard county Tuberculosis association voted Wednesday to sponsor the mass chest x-ray survey here again this summer, subject to the sanction of the local medical association.

Crash Injures Man Near Garden City

GARDEN CITY, April 13 — A man identified here only as a "Mr. Moore of California," was injured, perhaps seriously, in a car mishap 15 miles east.

Scout Summer Camp Opening Delayed Due To Training Conflict

Regular summer camp for the Buffalo Trail Boy Scout council has been delayed by two weeks, council officials announced today.

Ford Pickup Stolen

A Ford pickup, belonging to J. D. McGregg of Knot, was reported stolen about 3 p. m. yesterday, police said. The vehicle was parked on the south side of the courthouse when the theft occurred.

STANDING

Table with columns for League, Team, W, L, Pct. Includes Longhorn League, Texas League, and Gulf Coast League.

GAMES TODAY

Table listing games for today with columns for teams and locations.

Yesterday's Results

Table listing results from yesterday's games.

Long String Set In Good Pool

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Long string has been set in the Condon No. 128 in the Good pool of southwest Borden county.

Loss Of Freedom Only Welfare State Hitch, Declares DA

Loss of freedom is the "only hitch" in a welfare state, declared District Attorney Elton Gilliland in a speech at the Big Spring Kiwanis club Thursday.

Harlingen Tops Valley Circuit

By The Associated Press The Rio Grande League finished its second round of games as a Class C league and Harlingen emerged as the sole possessor of first place.

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EVACUEES REPORT

Shanghai Cluttered By Arriving Soviets

By FRED HAMPSON AP Staff HONG KONG, April 13. — Russians are streaming into Shanghai, 25 foreigners just arrived from Communist China said today.

Fair Deal Is Socialistic, Byrd Asserts

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. Va., April 13. (AP) — Sen. Byrd (D-Va.) contends President Truman's "Fair Deal" program would "commit us irrevocably to a socialistic state from which there can be no retreat."

Three Gift Samplers

These colorful samplers are embroidered in cross stitch which is so easy to do. Hot Iron transfer pattern No. E-398 contains 3 motifs, two 7 1/2 by 7 1/2 and one 9 1/2 by 14 inches with complete instructions.

Hudson Ready

REIDSVILLE, N. C., April 13. (AP) — Pitcher Sid Hudson apparently will be ready for the start of the season next week. The Washington Senator pitcher, who hurt his arm March 28, showed signs of recovery yesterday at Durham. In six innings he yielded seven hits, but did not issue a walk. He struck out six and gave up two runs.

Good Rainfall General Over Glasscock Co.

GARDEN CITY, April 13.—Glasscock county was blanketed with half to one and a half inches of rain last night.

ANNIE ROONEY



Farm Labor Shortage In Texas Is Forecast

BROWNSVILLE, April 13 (AP)—A dream for farmers: an inexhaustible supply of field hands at less than 30 cents an hour, present when needed and with no claims on the farmer after crops are gathered.

That was no dream. It was reality in many Texas areas in past years.

But it may be just a dream this year. It appears that farmers are not going to find anywhere enough workers for seasonal crops. And when they find laborers, the wages will be doubled or trebled over previous seasons. Texas employment experts say it may flare into violence when Texas farmers fight to keep workers from going to other states.

This almost happened once before. Several years ago, Texas officers threw roadblocks across highways traveled by migratory workers and turned the laborers back. This was done on the legal grounds that the workers have been recruited by eastern and northern farmers and their agents who had not paid the stiff Texas Employment Agency fees.

Reason for the expected shortage of laborers this year is based on two situations:

1. The U. S. Immigration Service is deporting thousands of field hands daily to Mexico. These are the "wetbacks"—Mexicans who crossed the Rio Grande illegally.
2. Field workers whose homes are in Texas will leave for northern and eastern jobs because of promises of higher pay and better working conditions.

The situation was thoroughly outlined recently in a series of articles written by Bill King, staff writer of the Brownsville Herald. In many ways, his valley survey applies to all Texas.

King says no one can say accurately how many wetbacks will be needed to harvest Rio Grande Valley cotton and vegetable crops this season. But from various indications, he comes up with a rough estimate of nearly 100,000 wetbacks employed last year, about 80,000 in picking cotton.

Considerably fewer workers will be needed this year: Cotton acreage allotments will cut back the amount planted; sandstorms have damaged early plants; many vegetables are being plowed up because the market price is too low to justify harvesting.

But the labor situation has been still worse farther north in Texas. The shortage is so bad on the

South Plains and Panhandle that farmers increasingly have turned to mechanized cotton pickers and strippers. Surveys made by the Texas Extension Service show these machines eventually should pay for themselves, but a drawback is high purchase prices.

But what of the many thousands of field workers who are United States citizens and who live in Texas? King says they already are leaving the state for northern and eastern jobs. After talking with these workers, he lists these reasons for their migration:

1. They don't like to compete with wetbacks.
2. Pay out of the state is low, but is better than in the Valley.
3. Living and working conditions are better in other states.
4. Farmers in other states attempt to tide their migratory workers over between jobs.

In 1949 out-of-state labor recruiters took 10,000 workers out of Texas. A lot of others, illegally recruited, undoubtedly slipped out of the state, traveling in trucks at night and off the main highways.

Cleve Tandy of Los Fresnos estimated that the 10,000 who were recruited legally last year would be sufficient alone to harvest the entire Valley vegetable crop.

What are these so-called low wages?

A well-informed Cameron County farmer is quoted by King as wetbacks is \$2.50 for 8 to 10 hours, saying the prevailing day wage for wetbacks is \$2.50 for 8 to 10 hours. This figure is about 25 cents an hour, compared to the 75 cents an hour minimum wage the federal

government has set for firms engaged in Interstate Commerce.

This 25 cents is 12 cents less than the wage floor set by the U. S. Employment Service for legally imported braceros brought from Mexico.

Wetbacks who can operate a tractor generally receive \$3.50 to \$4.50 daily.

Those working on a piece basis make more if they are fast workers. In the Valley last year they received \$1.50 a hundred pounds for picking cotton. But King says Oklahoma farmers paid double that in some instances.

The low wage rates were justified by one Valley farmer who said the wetbacks were only about 40 per cent efficient and foremen must be hired to train them, causing more expense.

That the shortage of wetbacks already is being felt is shown by a Texas Employment Commission report saying the agency lately has been receiving requests for workers at 60 cents per hour. But some of the workers are demanding 75 cents. The TEC said rates for piece work have doubled in some instances.

Farmers have been speculating on the cause of the recent crack-down on wetbacks. One group believes the United States Immigration Service is merely keeping a U. S. bargain with Mexico. Charles Adrean, manager of the TEC office at Brownsville, points out a clause in the Mexican-U. S. labor treaty specifying that wetbacks shall be sent back to Mexico. The Mexican foreign office has applauded the current drive.

Too, Mexico needs workers near the border. Along the Rio Grande, Mexico has 700,000 acres of cotton, about double the acreage in the comparable area just north of the river.

King says that a prevalent but harder to verify report is that organized labor instigated the crack-down. Unionization of workers in the Valley had been going slowly mainly because of the almost limitless supply of wetbacks.

There's no doubt that Texas farmers will have to get along with fewer wetbacks this season.

TEC experts and King have offered three solutions:

1. Improve pay and working conditions for resident workers to keep them from going to other states.
2. Find new sources of United States workers.
3. Make bracero contracts for legally importing laborers.

The TEC has some other suggestions for easing the situation. It recommends that more out of state recruiting be done through TEC.

William H. Farmer, TEC administrator, also said recently that Latin American organizations should point out to their members that when they go to other states to work, they usually return with less money than they expected.

Farmer made the statement predicting violence: "When the Texas farmer's crop is ready to harvest and he has no labor and sees recruiters taking the workers that he needs out of the state, he may resort to violence."

Farmer said that for years, 24 or 25 states have depended on Texas to furnish field hands.

King reports that Valley farmers already are finding other sources of labor. Recently a Valley labor contractor brought 35 Negroes from East Texas to meet his commitments.

In parts of California and Arizona, some migratory worker camps are crowded with unemployed laborers. But a question is who would pay their transportation to Texas?

Only 17 Union Blues, 23 Confederate Grays Left

NEW YORK, April 13. (AP)—Forty ancient warriors—together they've lived more than 4,000 years—are completing the final chapter of America's Civil War.

A tally of government and veteran organization rolls gives a total of 17 Union bluecoats and 23 of the gray-clad Confederates scattered across 24 states. It's a decrease of more than one-third in the last year.

Oldest of the Union survivors is James A. Hard, Rochester, N. Y., who was born July 15, 1842 and who was a private in Company E of the 32nd New York Infantry. The Confederates' current longevity champion is John T. Graves who was born Jan. 1, 1842. Today he lives in a Confederate home at Higginville, Mo., which the state maintains at an annual cost of about \$25,000. His regiment in-

cludes care by two nurses and eight highballs a day.

At the opposite end of the age scale (records aren't complete for some of the ancients) is blue-clad Theodore A. Penland, Vancouver, Wash., born Jan. 23, 1849, and gray-clad John A. Marcum, of Birthe, Ark., who is 96 this year. Penland is the last commander-in-chief for the Grand Army of the Republic.

The GAR held its final encampment last year at Indianapolis. Its veteran opposite, the Sons of Confederate Veterans still meets.

The following are the men still living:

Union—Charles W. Balleys, Baldwin City, Kan.; Robert Barrett, Sr., Princeton, Ky.; John F. Bransman, Topeka, Kan.; Israel A. Broadword, Samuels, Ia.; Daniel Clingaman, Wauseon, O.; Joseph Clovese, Pontiac, Mich.; Hiram R. Gale, Seattle, Wash.; James A. Hard, Rochester, N. Y.; John Hutchinson, Ava, Mo.; James M. Lurvey, Golf Falls, N. H.; William A. Magee, Los Angeles, Calif.; Theodore A. Penland, Vancouver, Wash.; James W. Smith, Lebanon, Ore.; Douglas T. Story, West Los Angeles, Calif.; Michael J. Thralls, Nyssa, Ore.; Lansing A. Wilcox, Cadott, Wis.; and Albert Woolson, Duluth, Minn.

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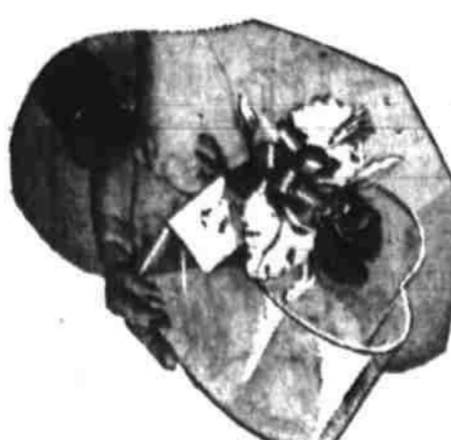
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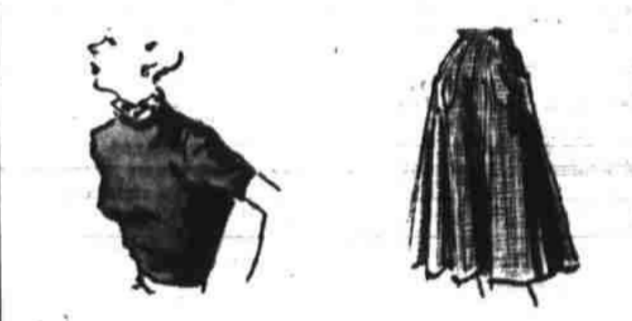
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A Bible Thought For Today -

The gifts that some of us offer to the Infinite, of time and substance are an affront to a great King. After all the business of this life is to prepare for a higher life. "Should I accept this at your hands? saith the Lord." - Mal. 1:14.

Russians Apparently Seeing How Far They Can Go Without War

Joe Stalin's mouthpieces may be proceeding on the premise that a good offense is the best defense. Tuesday Mr. Molotov, apparently indignant almost to the point of distraction, protested what he claimed to have been an attack on a Russian plane. He charged that a U. S. B-29 type of craft had flown over Soviet territory (Latvia) and not only refused to land when signalled to do so, but fired at Russian planes and then tucked tail and flitted away when the fire was returned.

On the basis of developments, the U. S. certainly is to make a stinging rejection of the Russian protest. More likely, if it is established the Russians did shoot down an unarmed U. S. Navy plane, the U. S. will have a serious and vigorous protest of its own to toss in the Soviet's lap. It may be that the Reds anticipated this all along and decided to get in the first word and argue that whatever might have happened was purely defensive or retaliatory.

The Per Capita Debt, Like Other Things Has Come Far In Century

An Associated Press writer in Washington notes that the U. S. per capita debt in 1940 was 21 cents, as compared with \$1,696.06 at the present time. For whatever consolation it may bring you, it was \$1,907.32 in 1946, so we're not as bad off as we were.

called a special session of Congress to consider ways of improving business and financial conditions, so the people's expectation of better times might have been borne out had he lived.

The Nation Today—James Marlow

Various U.S. Medical Programs Cost Taxpayers About \$1 Billion

WASHINGTON, (AP)—THE FEDERAL government is spending about \$1 billion on its various medical programs and hospitals.

care now; and let the government make better use of its medical manpower.

Affairs Of The World—DeWitt MacKenzie

No Time To Lose Our Heads Over U.S.-Soviet Air Incident

THIS IS NO TIME FOR UNCLE SAM'S citizenry to lose tempers and restraint in connection with the mysterious Soviet-American air incident over the Latvian coast.

flight of Soviet fighter planes demanded that the American plane follow it to a nearby airfield. Then:

Chinese Money

Of these backstage McCarthy helpers, most powerful is the Kuomintang or Chiang Kai-Shek lobby, financed by U. S. taxpayers' money supposed to have gone to China for relief.

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The Tale As Vishinsky Unfolds

IT IS THAT LAST Saturday a four engine military plane of the B-29 type, a flying fortress, bearing American identification marks was sighted south of Libau (Lipava), Latvia. When the plane penetrated what Russia claims is Soviet territory, a

"Say, What Ever Happened To Sea-Monsters Anyhow?"



Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson Backstage Interests, Lobbies Are Factors Behind McCarthy

WASHINGTON — No matter which side of the McCarthy-State Department dispute you are on, it's important to know some of the factors behind the energetic senator from Wisconsin. Supported by a conglomeration of backstage interests including one or two government figures, here is a roll call of the men who are giving him ammunition:

NOTE—Money to Chiang might not have gone down the rat-hole if Chiang had followed Gen. Marshall's earlier advice to bring opposing Chinese leaders into a coalition cabinet, or if the U.S.A. had sent a small army of military experts to virtually reorganize the Chinese Army and make sure our munitions were not bought by the Communists.

Broadway—Mark Barron

For Dancers, Flanagan Band Plays Dance Music

NEW YORK—Ralph Flanagan, newest of the young bandleaders to land in the top flight echelon is more than somewhat critical of the musical choices on the hep Broadway supper club floors.

Word-A-Day

By BACH

ABASH (a-bash) v. TO DESTROY THE SELF-POSSESSION; TO CONFUSE OR COMFOUND; DISCONCERT; DISCOMFIT

The implication was obvious. Al was talented. Al was enterprising. He, helpless jerk, I had to buy my screens. Seems other wives broke the news to other husbands. One Sunday morning, the buy-it-already-made husbands met outside.

Around The Rim—The Herald Staff

Small Town Folks Should Not Complain About Small Towns

Some people just don't know how well off they are. Yet, there seem to be many small town folks who continue to say they wish they lived in a big city, like New York, for instance.

in the sink. Poor fellas up there walk around with stubbles on their chins and a hopeful eye at the sky.

Capital Report—Doris Fleeson

Demos Worried Crime Probe Might Take Political Tinge

WASHINGTON — Democrats here are trying to make sure that crime does not pay off in Republican votes next fall.

It includes: Senator Donnell, who is up next fall and would worry Kansas City crime like a dog does a bone; Senator Ferguson, who is a stubborn if not too astute bloodhound; Senator Jenner who, like Senator McCarthy, doesn't care what he says about a Democrat; Senator Wiley, who is also up this fall and badly needs talking points, and Senator Langer, who is—to put it very gently—unpredictable.

Notebook—Hal Boyle

There Is An Art Of Living In A New House, New Neighborhood

NEW YORK, (AP)—THERE IS A KIND of round-robin, self-multiplying lunacy about living in a new house in a neighborhood of other new houses.

Harry can also be annoying. The other night he came over and said: "What're you going to do about the hardware on the windows."

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Cruel Coyote-Dog Preys Over Nation

By VERN HAUGLAND AP Staff

WASHINGTON, April 13 (AP)—A new beast of prey, cunning and cruel, has appeared in the Adirondack Mountains and in some other widely-scattered areas of the United States.

A coyote-dog hybrid, it is swifter than one of its forebears, the dog, and even more wary than the dog, the keenly intelligent coyote, says the fish and wildlife service. And it's more vicious than either.

PUBLIC RECORDS

Warranted Bonds
C. V. Martin et al vs Robert E. Martin
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Advers Thomas et al vs Roy C. Hogard
et al, Vol. 12, Bk 2, Bayley add. 28,790.
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Build-up Permits
M. Fred Neighbors to remodel resi-
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H. P. Brewer to construct residence
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Marriage Licenses
Mark Gilliland Big Spring, and Mary
Winkenshop Montgomery, Ala.
Ivan Scott Big Spring, and Mrs. Willy
Betts Glasgow.
Sherman Leon Tillery Big Spring, and
Orce Alvin Lindstrom Kansas City.
Roy Franklin Dill San Angelo, and Naida
Merial Smith Big Spring.
Building Permits
E. H. Hartington to move building to
200 W. 7th 1600.
William Cameron & company to erect
building near railroad west of Oregon
Highway.
David E. Elrod to construct residence
at 707 W. 16th, 5600.
J. O. Bortner to construct addition to
building at 709 N. Scurry, 5400.
C. C. Bell to construct residence at
W. E. Bk 18, 5000.
Dave Nelson to move building to 800
N. W. 2nd, 5110.
In 1180 District Court
Katie P. Smith vs John E. Smith, suit
for divorce.
Mary Francis Sullivan vs Thomas J.
Sullivan, suit for divorce.
Gladys Adelle Judd vs Floyd Smith Judd,
suit for divorce.
Vernon A. Key vs Helen Key, suit for
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Civil Rights Delayed For Aid Bill Vote

WASHINGTON, April 13 (AP)—The decision to put a foreign aid bill ahead of a civil rights measure in the Senate may have delayed one quarrel, but it opened another.

Sen. Lucas of Illinois, the Democratic leader announced yesterday that President Truman regarded Marshall Plan legislation as "more important at this time than any other." He said the \$3,372,450,000 aid bill therefore would get priority over an FEPC measure.

Sen. Wherry of Nebraska, the Republican leader, protested that this was a purely political move to stall action on FEPC (Fair Employment Practices Commission) legislation at a time of Democratic primaries in Florida and Alabama.

Wherry said the Democrats were trying to avoid party strife, knowing that a filibuster would be promptly started by southerners if the FEPC legislation were brought up. Lucas flatly denied this was the purpose.

Wherry said legislation is piling up so high now that Senate consideration of FEPC or any other part of the civil rights program would amount to only "a gesture" with no chance for passage.

Fish Taking To The Air

TAMPA, Fla. (AP)—Fish breeder Herbert Woolf has built up a big tropical fish business in the north by using milk delivery methods. He made a big plane with 30,000 little fish twice weekly. His pilots drop off cans of fish at airports along the route and pick up containers left before. The Woolf plane goes once a week to the larger cities in the East and delivers fish to the Middle West on another run.

Woolf has a 40-acre fish farm with 300 outdoor breeding pools. Such little fellows as guppies, swordtails, wagtails are raised in the pools. Temperatures and feeding conditions are checked as carefully as they are at a hospital nursery. The fish are loaded into cans equipped with hundreds of rubber tubes through which air is pumped. Losses are negligible.

Wholesale tropical fish dealers are the largest purchasers of the air-shipped fish. The fish are re-sold to aquariums and retail dealers.

It May Be Fatal, So Ladies Shouldn't Expect Auto Chivalry

LOS ANGELES, April 13 (AP)—Chivalry in an automobile can be fatal, and the ladies shouldn't expect it.

Thus spoke the Automobile Club of Southern California today in a revised "code of manners" for women automobile passengers.

"The motorist has trouble enough just keeping his eyes on the road," said Joseph E. Haverner, public safety manager. "His female companion has no right to take offense when the little considerations normally due her sex are disregarded."

"Isn't a slightly discourteous escort preferable to a gallant corpse?"

Despite Italy Demand Tito Presses Plans For Trieste Voting

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, April 13 (AP)—Despite Italian demands for possession of Trieste, Marshal Tito's "peoples front" pressed ahead today with plans for the first postwar general elections in the Yugoslav-held zone of that free territory.

The Italians have back of them a proposal made two years ago by the United States, Britain and France that the territory be turned over to Italy. This was done to

bolster anti-Communists in the Italian elections but the point has not been pressed by the big three since the Christian Democrats of Premier Alcide de Gasperi won their sweeping victory over the strong Communist threat.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh Gabby Enjoys Going to The Dentist

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Doc comes out and says I'm next. "Wait a minute," I says. (My tooth seemed to have stopped aching.) "How about Gabby—doesn't he have an appointment?" Doc smiles and says, "Gabby? Why, he's got the finest teeth in the county. He just comes up here and reads the magazines whenever he's in town!"

As Doc went to work he told me that he's glad to have Gabby come up and read magazines... they might not all be fresh off the newsstand, but if Gabby—or anyone wants to while away some time who is he to stand in their way?

From where I sit, this "live and let live" spirit helps make America what it is. If I prefer a friendly glass of beer with my supper and you prefer milk—who's to say one's right and the other wrong?

Joe Marsh

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