

Liquor Control Bill Defended By Its Author

Local Option Cited As Only One Provision

AUSTIN, June 10. (AP)—Rep. Augustine Celaya of Brownsville today named 96 counties which he said can not have wet cities or precincts until they approve legal alcoholic sales on a county-wide basis.

The new legislative measure which permits local liquor option in incorporated cities or precincts in a dry county does not apply to any county in the state which was dry when state repeal went into effect and has never subsequently voted itself wet.

The constitution provides that such counties which have never been voted wet can be so voted only on a county-wide basis.

Celaya said 96 counties have been dry from 20 to 80 years and "it is highly unlikely they will ever vote wet on a county-wide basis to permit them to take advantage of provisions of the proposed law." Celaya's bill, originally designed solely to strengthen state liquor control laws, was amended in the Senate to include the local option in dry territories provision.

Approved in the House after considerable opposition, the measure is now on Gov. Beauford H. Jester's desk. The governor said yesterday he was receiving more mail on this bill than he received on the teachers pay bills during the recent legislative session.

Celaya said today that opponents of the bill are overlooking its real value.

"Opponents of the bill are making misleading statements about its provisions by trying to stress the wet and dry issue rather than the law enforcement merits," the Brownsville legislator said in a prepared statement.

He said that the bill does these things to help strengthen the present liquor control act:

1. Permits cancellation of package store permits on conviction of the permittee of a felony.
2. Permits cancellation of package store permits when breach of the peace occurs on or near premises due to negligence of permittee.
3. Forbids sale or delivery of liquor during any permit suspension period.
4. More definitely defines "sale," which will aid in tax stamp collections.
5. Forbids employment of minors by local and general distributors.
6. Forbids local and general distributors to sell to minors.
7. Forbids consumption of any alcoholic beverages by minors on any licensed premises.
8. Gives the state liquor control act administrator authority to deny package store permits to applicants or at locations that are undesirable, this being new authority and similar to that which a county judge now has on beer applications.

Chief US Red Is Convicted

WASHINGTON, June 10. (AP)—Gerhart Eisler, alleged No. 1 Communist leader in this country, was convicted today of contempt of congress.

The federal court jury deliberated only 20 minutes before returning the verdict, which carries a maximum penalty of a \$1,000 fine and four months to a year imprisonment.

Judge Alexander Holtzoff set June 27 for sentencing.

Eisler was indicted on contempt charges for allegedly refusing to be sworn in for testimony before the House Committee on Un-American Activities. He contended the committee refused to let him read a prepared statement before administering the oath.

French Railroads Still Strike-Bound

PARIS, June 10. (AP)—Union leaders refused again today to order the 700,000 striking workers of the Socialized French Railroads back to work. The deadlock remained complete.

Premier Paul Ramadier was reported by some sources to be considering a state of siege. He wrote the powerful, Communist-dominated General Confederation of Labor asking it to state its position regarding the five-day rail strike and the spreading shutdown of gas and electric plants.

SMALL FIRE DAMAGE

Small damage resulted at the G. W. Hall home at 1606 Scurry at 10 a.m. Tuesday when gas from a disconnected stove connection ignited. Fire Chief H. V. Crocker said flames were brought under control quickly.

MARSHALL FAVORS 'U. S. OF EUROPE'

WASHINGTON, June 10. (AP)—Secretary of State Marshall has expressed general approval of a resolution to put Congress on record as favoring creation of a United States of Europe within the framework of the United Nations.

"Of course the United States wants a Europe which is not divided against itself, a Europe which is better than that it replaces," Marshall said. "Only as we can inspire hope of that can we expect men to endure what must be endured and make the great efforts which must be made if wars are to be avoided and civilization is to survive in Europe."

"But we should make clear that it is not our purpose to impose upon the peoples of Europe any particular form of political or economic association. The future organization of Europe must be determined by the peoples of Europe."

Marshall wrote Chairman Vandenberg (R-Mich) of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, in response to a request for his views on the resolution sponsored by Senators Fulbright (D-Ark) and Thomas (D-Utah).

A similar resolution has been introduced in the House by Rep. Boggs (D-La.).

Call For Probe Of Occupation Money

WASHINGTON, June 10. (AP)—Three Republican Senators called today for a full-scale investigation into reports that the United States has redeemed millions of dollars worth of German occupation money printed by Russian authorities.

The three lawmakers—Bridges of New Hampshire, Ferguson of Michigan and Knowland of California—told a reporter in separate interviews that they understand the plates to print the German marks were given to the Russians by American officials.

Among other uses for the occupation money was to pay allied troops.

Earlier reports have said that the Russian soldiers—drawing large amounts of back pay—paid fabulous black market prices to American GI's for such items as wrist watches and trinkets.

The GI's, in turn, converted the occupation marks into dollars. The trade became so brisk that American authorities resorted to several methods for discouraging the marks-to-dollars conversion. Finally a script system was devised to replace the occupation currency.

A War Department statement on April 21, prompted by reports that the loss to the treasury on these black market dealings might exceed \$500,000,000, acknowledged that the army has accumulated a surplus of German currency.

"The present holdings do not, however, exceed future contemplated expenditures," the statement said, adding:

"A complete report on the acquisition and disposal of these holdings is presently being prepared for the information of the appropriate committees of Congress." No such report has come to light on Capitol Hill.

Bridges, chairman of the Senate appropriations committee, said "my information is that between \$400,000,000 and \$900,000,000 worth of this money has been, or is being, redeemed with American dollars."

"I have been told that this redemption is being carried as a hidden deficit and some Senate committee certainly must look into this," he added.

Ferguson, a member of the Senate's special war investigating committee, said he had been unable to get all the facts regarding this from either the war department or the treasury.

"We did learn that the plates to print this invasion money were turned over to the Russians," Ferguson said, "but we have not been able to learn how much money was made, how it was distributed and how much is to be redeemed."

Forsan Lambs Top Market

FORSAN, June 10. (AP)—L. W. Longshore, ranching west of Forsan, topped the Fort Worth market Tuesday with a truckload of crossbred Suffolk - Rambouillet lambs.

He did not receive his weights but estimated that the lambs would average around 70 pounds. They brought \$25.75 cwt. across the board.

Longshore said there were nearly 200 in the lot and that he planned to send another truckload to market immediately. The lambs were born in February and have made rapid progress.

Arrests Made In 'Murder By Mail'

GENOA, Italy, June 10. (AP)—Italian police, aided by British agents, arrested 12 persons in the harbor and slum areas here today in a reported search for suspects involved in the "Murder by Mail" plot in which several prominent Britons received "letter bombs" from Italy last week.

Italian and British authorities were also said to be watching Jewish displaced persons camps here and at nearby Bogliasso, in what one source said was an attempt to thwart a suspected embarkation of Jewish refugees for Palestine.

Tax Evasion Drive Brings In Funds

WASHINGTON, June 10. (AP)—The Treasury's drive against tax evaders is now bringing in \$180,000,000 a month extra revenue and officials said today they hoped to boost that to more than \$200,000,000.

Thousands of suspected income tax evasion cases are under investigation. Many date back to wartime, and clamps are still being applied to numbers of persons suspected of black marketing activities.

Anti-Communist Purge Underway In Hungary

High Officials' Status Coming Under Scrutiny

LONDON, June 10. (AP) Dispatches from Budapest suggested today that the communist-dominated Hungarian government was widening its purge against dissident elements on several fronts.

The Communist newspaper Szabadseg said the "assistance certificates" of nearly 200 persons, including government and church officials, would be reviewed by a special committee under the prime minister's office.

Among those facing loss of these certificates—which indicate that the holders opposed the Germans during the war—were Dezo Suljok, head of the Freedom Party whose newspaper recently was banned;

BUDAPEST, June 10. (AP)—A leading Hungarian communist said today that a letter had been found from Dean Acheson, former U.S. under secretary of state, "promising support" to former Premier Ferenc Nagy, whom the communists have accused of plotting to overthrow the republic.

Assembly Speaker Bela Varga, a member of the Smallholders Party, and Josef Cardinal Mindszenty, Roman Catholic primate of Hungary.

Others facing possible loss of their lands if the committee should decide they did not work against the Nazis, Szabadseg said, were Lajos Shvoy, Catholic bishop of Sekesfervar; Count Geza Teleki, former minister of education; and Bela Pedanyi-Gulyas, head of the Smallholder Party's political committee.

At the same time, the Hungarian People's Court announced that 43 "intellectuals"—including doctors, lawyers and professors—would go on trial late this month on charges of conspiring to overthrow the Hungarian Republic.

The newspaper Vilag said Albert Szent-Gyorgi, a Nobel Prize winner for vitamin C research, had recommended the expulsion of 12 scientists from the Hungarian Academy of Science on the ground they were "reactionaries."

Vilag also quoted Istvan Rics, the minister of justice, as saying that a new election law was being written to govern the national election "scheduled for the first half of September" under which "enemies of the state, and their relatives, would be disfranchised."

Kidnaped Britons Are Released

JERUSALEM, June 10. (AP)—Two British officers kidnaped yesterday by extremists were found unharmed today at Kirian Shaul as a British military cordon prepared to search for Jewish colonies.

A government announcement said the two men walked toward the British troops after the cordon had been thrown around the colony, which is near the all-Jewish city of Tel Aviv.

The search of the area went on as scheduled.

Military patrols had been scouring the area since the two were seized at a crowded swimming pool at Ramat Gan.

Nagana, a moderate Jewish underground organization, publicly appealed to Palestine Jewry to help in tracing the victims.

Three Children Burned To Death

SAN ANTONIO, June 10. (AP)—Three children were burned to death here today when fire destroyed a two-room dwelling in south San Antonio.

The victims, children of Mr. and Mrs. Julio Carrillo, were Tony, 10 months; Julio Jr., 3, and Lupe two and a half years old.

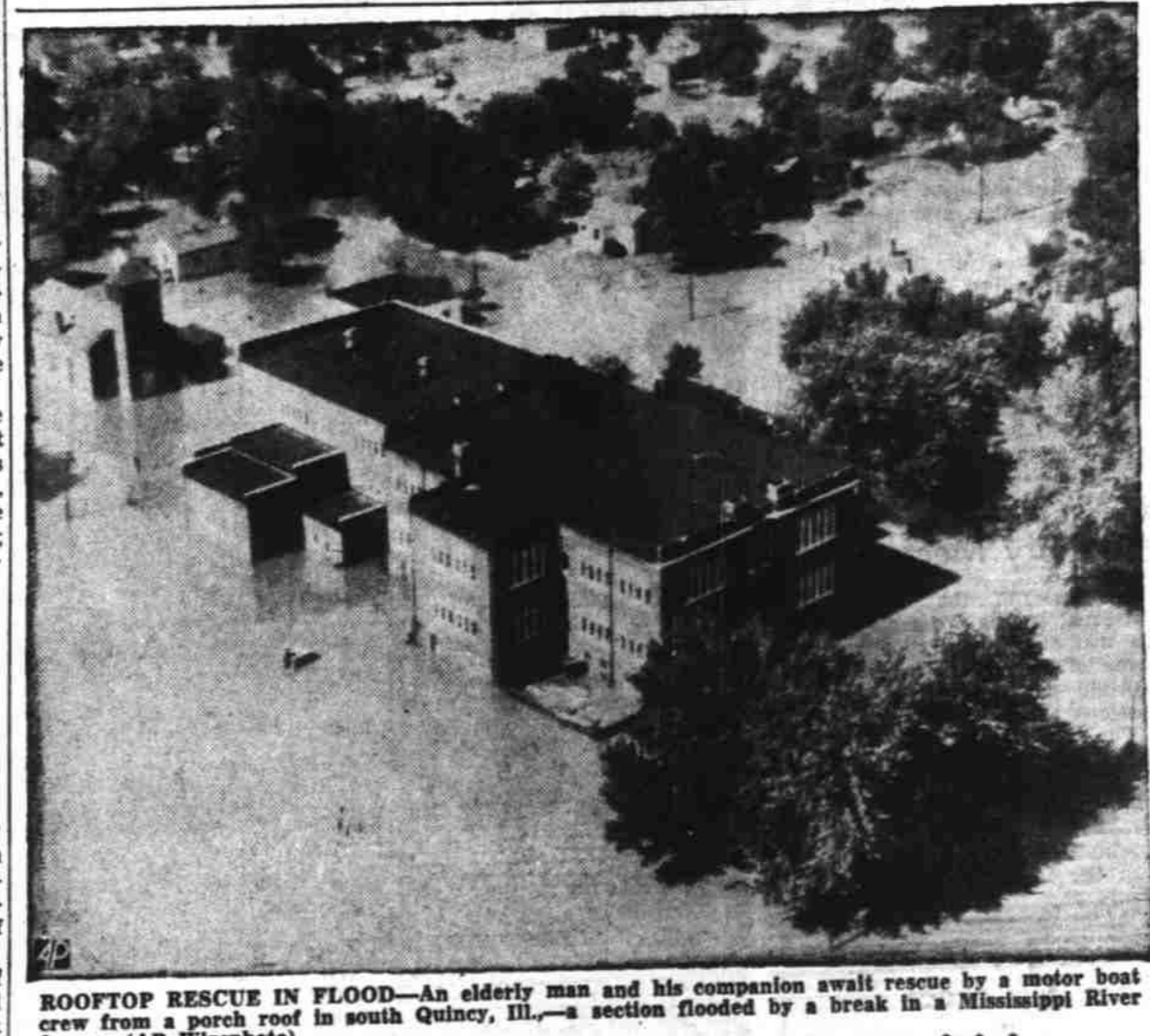
Carrillo was at work and Mrs. Carrillo was at a store when the tragedy occurred. She said that she left the children playing in the yard.

An inquest was to be held.

PARADE OPENS RODEO

GLADEWATER, June 10. (AP)—A parade with all the trimmings of the golden west will move down the streets of this East Texas city today to open Gladewater's tenth annual round-up rodeo.

Truman In Canada As 'Good Neighbor'



ROOFTOP RESCUE IN FLOOD—An elderly man and his companion await rescue by a motor boat crew from a porch roof in south Quincy, Ill., a section flooded by a break in a Mississippi River levee. (AP Wirephoto).

High Officials Welcome Him At The Border

Will Address Parliament Wednesday

Abroad President Truman's Special Train Enroute To Ottawa, June 10. (AP)—President Truman crossed the northern border today on his good will mission to Canada.

L. S. St. Laurent, secretary of state for external affairs, and other notables, extended an official welcome as the United States Chief Executive arrived at Rouses Point, N.Y., at 9:20 a.m., aboard an 11-car special train.

St. Laurent was accompanied by Ray Atherton, United States ambassador; W. H. Measures, chief of protocol for Canada; and three honorary aides-de-camp to the President, Commodore F. L. Houghton of the Royal Canadian Navy; Brig. S. F. Clark of the Canadian Army and Air Commodore D. M. Smith of the Royal Canadian Air Force. They boarded the train for the trip on to Ottawa.

The Governor General and Lady Alexander and Prime Minister W. L. MacKenzie King head the welcoming party for President Truman in Ottawa.

The President, smiling, came out on the rear platform of his private car when the train came to a halt about 800 yards from the Canadian border at Rouses Point.

A microphone was held up by a radio man.

"Will you say hello to Canada?" he asked.

Speaking into the microphone, the President said:

"I'm saying hello to Canada right now. I'm very, very happy to."

Some one called for Mrs. Truman. The President explained that she did not plan to come out on the platform, but finally he persuaded her to.

"Hey, is Margaret there?" asked a small boy.

The President's daughter, smiling, too, joined her parents on the platform.

Laurent told the President as he boarded Mr. Truman's private car. "I extend you a warm welcome to Canada."

The President, at the behest of photographers, shook hands with one of the four Royal Canadian Mounted Police who drew up in front of his car.

He took his wife and daughter along for a three-day visit in Ottawa where he will address the Canadian Parliament at 11:45 a.m. (Eastern Daylight Time) tomorrow.

The United States Chief Executive was in the best of spirits as he boarded this 11-car special train in Washington last night.

He left until after his return to Washington Friday a decision on a four-billion dollar tax reduction and new curbs for labor unions. Bills embodying these changes were sent up to the White House by a Republican-controlled Congress last week.

He concentrated instead on plans to set another example to the world of how the peoples of the western hemisphere live together in peace and harmony, negotiating differences if any arise.

The flight of the President to Mexico in March set a pattern for this visit to the northern neighbor of the United States.

Mr. Truman hopes to work in a visit to South America before the end of the year.

Mongolians Invade Chinese Province

NANKING, June 10. (AP)—The official Central News Agency today said government military sources confirmed reports that Outer Mongolian troops, supported by four Soviet warplanes, invaded Sinkiang Province Thursday.

The agency said the Mongols had penetrated to a depth of more than 200 miles and now were fighting Chinese defense troops 200 miles northeast of Thiu.

The official report followed closely a similar report by semi-official sources. Until today the ministry of national defense had suppressed a stream of excited cables to local newspapers by their Chinese correspondents in Sinkiang reporting details.

More Miners Quitting Jobs As A Protest

UNIONTOWN, Pa., June 10. (AP)—Work stoppages among soft coal miners protesting labor legislation before Congress spread to 22 mines employing 14,800 men today as AFL-United Mine Workers officials pondered their strategy in the idleness they termed "unauthorized."

The stoppages were scattered through the three counties that comprise the heart of an extremely rich southwestern Pennsylvania bituminous section—Fayette, Greene and Washington.

Two mines voted to resume work after being idle over the weekend. They were the Gates mine of the H. C. Frick Coke Co., employing 400, and the Kyle Mine of the same company, employing 600.

The account for a combined daily production of 5,600 tons.

Among the closed mines was the world's largest, the famed Robena Mine of the Frick Company which employs 1,800 miners and has a normal daily production of 10,000 tons. Some of the other larger pits affected range from 2,000 tons to 7,000 tons in output.

Without exception, all of the larger mines are "captive" pits—those mines whose production goes to steel plants and never sees the open market.

The US Steel Corp., one of the steelmakers involved, reported it was losing 25,000 tons of coal daily, 5,000 tons short of the total used each 24 hours at the Clairton Coke Works, which supplies 80 per cent of the coke used by the company's Pittsburgh district plants.

'BUG BLITZ' Planned

HARLINGEN, June 10. (AP)—A "bug blitz" is planned over nine square miles of this city today in an effort to get rid of flies and mosquitoes which cause summer diseases.

TRUMAN CONFIRMS

WASHINGTON, June 10. (AP)—The Senate confirmed today President Truman's nomination of the Greek Aid Program.

It also confirmed, without opposition, these other nominations: Richard F. Allen, vice president of the American Red Cross, to be field director of foreign relief programs.

Norman Armour of New Jersey, career diplomat, to be assistant secretary of state succeeding Spruille Braden.

Emmett O'Neal, former Kentucky congressman, to succeed Paul V. McNutt as American ambassador to the Philippines.

Monnett B. Davis, American consul general in Shanghai, to be American representative to the economic council on Asia and the far east, meeting in Shanghai June 16.

GAS BILL SIGNED

AUSTIN, June 10. (AP)—Gov. Beauford Jester signed into law today a bill permitting the use of sweet, as well as sour, gas in the manufacture of carbon black.

Floods Believed To Be Past Peak

HANNIBAL, Mo., June 10. (AP)—Floodwaters pouring into the Mississippi river, which already have made more than 20,000 homeless and have inundated nearly 50,000 acres of farm land, in eastern Missouri and west-central Illinois, appeared today to have reached a high point.

Rivermen and U.S. engineers expressed belief that only further rains could aggravate the situation, but they also said that several river towns in Illinois and Missouri still faced serious flood conditions, despite the promise of receding waters.

US Army engineers and the Coast Guard had every available worker on the job in the flood area and the American Red Cross had 50 staff workers and about 600 volunteers aiding the homeless.

Water was eight to ten feet deep in the village of Alexandria, Mo., near the Iowa line, the result of a levee break, and all residents have been evacuated.

In Hannibal, a city of 20,000, the water covered nine blocks of the town's main street. Four thousand residents of South Hannibal were partially isolated. No buses were operating and at least a dozen stores were flooded.

At Canton, Mo., 30 miles upstream, the river had reached a stage of 19.92 feet, an all time high. Although half of the town is under water and a third of the 2,200 residents are homeless, relief work was reported well in hand. No trains or buses are operating out of the town and only one highway is open.

A river land district levee, two miles north of Louisiana, broke yesterday, flooding 3,000 acres. Sixty families in Louisiana were evacuated.

At Quincy, Ill., where the Mississippi reached a record stage 23.6 feet, railroad yards on the water-front were flooded, but the town itself, situated on a bluff, was not endangered. Several persons were forced to evacuate homes in South Quincy.

Housing Plan Merger Hit

WASHINGTON, June 10. (AP)—President Truman's plan to merge all the government's loosely-knit housing activities into a single "housing and home finance agency" suffered a setback in congress today.

The House Expenditures Committee voted 11 to 3 to recommend that congress block it. This can be done by House and Senate voting a resolution of disapproval.

They must act within 60 days from May 27 when the president sent the plan to the capital.

It was one of a growing series of differences between the president and the Republican-dominated national legislature. Congress has sent him tax reduction and labor legislation out of line with his expressed views. Republican leaders are turning thumbs down on another of his plans for shifting government agencies—one which would lodge the U. S. Employment Service permanently in the labor department.

\$555,000 Expenditures Proposed City's Budget Hearing Today

Citizens have an opportunity at 5:30 p.m. today to voice their views on the proposed budget for the City of Big Spring, a fiscal document which sets up authorization for \$454,479 in general fund expenditures and \$101,569 in debt management.

In his budget message to the commission, City Manager H. W. Whitney commended that "the city is confronted with the problem of meeting the increased cost of labor and material required to furnish the services demanded by a growing city, without, at the same time, increasing the charges for such services."

His proposals, tentatively adopted by the commission subject to the hearing today, include a continuation of the same tax rate (\$1.70 per \$100 valuation) but with the portion going to debt management pegged at \$1.05.

The budget includes \$87,000 for capital outlay, of which most goes to a new fire station (\$22,900), waterworks improvements (\$25,600), and street paving (\$10,000) for the city's share.

Of the \$101,000 for interest and sinking fund demands, \$85,000 would be for retirements of bonds, \$36,338 for interest and exchange.

This would lower the bond structure to \$1,008,000.

Broadly speaking, the breakdown on general fund disbursements includes: General government \$50,180; protection of life and property \$128,034; streets and alleys \$36,612; water and sewer \$164,547; health and sanitation \$54,860; parks and recreation \$12,900; charity and welfare \$416; miscellaneous \$6,930.

Fifty-two per cent of the general fund total would go for salaries and wages, or a total of \$236,909 (\$81,000 for supervision and clerical hire, \$178,000 for labor).

Reba Mae Stovall and Ted Gross Marry In Candlelight Service Read At Stanton

STANTON, June 10. (Sp)—Reba Mae Stovall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stovall, and Ted Gross, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gross of Big Spring, were married in a candlelight service Saturday evening, June 7, at the First Baptist church of Stanton.

The Rev. T. R. Hawkins read the double ring vows before an altar banked with white asters, red verbenas, ivy and appointed with floor baskets of mixed flowers and tall white candelabra holding white tapers.

Mrs. Paul Jones, pianist, played a composition for "Lohengrin" by Wagner, while the candles were being lighted. Corene Herrington sang "Day by Day" accompanied by Mrs. Jones. Traditional wedding marches were played.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a white crepe dress, designed with a peplum, high round neckline, lace yoke and cap sleeves. She wore an off face white hat and other white accessories. The bride carried a white prayer book which was topped with pink carnations and arranged with a shower of white carnations with white satin streamers tied with split carnations. For something borrowed was the prayer book belonging to Martha Fuquay, and something old was a strand of pearls belonging to her grandmother, Mrs. G. W. Stovall. Completing her ensemble was a blue lace handkerchief.

Dolores Horne of Big Spring, maid of honor, wore a printed crepe dress with pastel blue background. Her accessories were white and she wore a corsage of white carnations.

Dorothy Eubanks and Lavada Davis lighted the candles. Glenda Powell was the flower girl.

Noel Hull of Big Spring served as best man. A. J. Gross, a cousin of the bridegroom, and Robert Hallmark, both of Big Spring, were ushers.

The bride's mother wore a black and white crepe dress, accented

by a corsage of red carnations. Mother of the bridegroom wore a black dress trimmed in white and a red carnation corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony an informal reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The refreshment table was laid with a white linen cloth and a centerpiece of spring flowers flanked a crystal punch service and the three-tiered wedding cake embossed with pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Stovall served the cake Miss Davis, assisted by Miss Herrington and Mary Sue Moffett presided at the punch service. Approximately 35 people attended the reception.

The bride is a spring graduate of the Stanton high school. Gross is a war veteran having served with the Navy in the Pacific.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding included Mrs. G. W. Stovall of Dallas, grandmother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gross and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hull and child, Mr. and Mrs. Britton Hull, all of Big Spring; and Eldon Lee McMillian of Carbon, a cousin of the bride.

After a brief wedding trip, the couple will be at home at 1600 State Street in Big Spring.

St. Mary's Episcopal Auxiliary Meets

Members of the St. Mary's Episcopal church Women's Auxiliary met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Obie Bristow, 854 Hillside drive, for informal discussions and sewing.

The next meeting will be Monday at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. W. K. Edwards, Jr.

Present were Mrs. John Hodges, Mrs. J. F. Warfield, Mrs. Charles Abele, Mrs. C. A. Jones, Mrs. V. Van Gieson, and Mrs. W. K. Edwards, Jr.

Roundelay Dance Club Will Meet

Mr. and Mrs. Don Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ballinger and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Baker will be hosts for a meeting of the Roundelay Dance Club Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. at the scenic pavilion.

Seven couples have been added to the club this month. They are Mr. and Mrs. Bob McEwen, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook, Mr. and Mrs. James Jones, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Boren and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Harmonson.

Ed Hillger and daughters have returned to Hot Springs, N. M., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Schafer of Garden City. The schafers returned with Hillger to visit the Carlsbad Caverns and relatives and friends in Roswell, New Mexico.



MRS. R. L. HEITH

Dolores Gage Marries R. L. Heith In Baptist Double Ring Ceremony

First Christian Church Pastor Reads Service; Couple To Live Here

Dolores Gage, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gage, 1200 Nolan street, was married to R. L. Heith, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Love, 1701 Young street, Monday evening in the First Baptist church.

The double ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Lloyd Thompson, pastor of the First Christian church, before an altar arrangement of white candelabra and baskets of white daisies. The choir loft was banked with fern.

Roberta Gay, organist, played traditional wedding music and accompanied Eddie Lou Haug, who sang "Oh Promise Me," and "Because." "Annie Laurie" was played during the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an old-fashioned styled bridal dress of white satin. The high neckline was trimmed with a pleated ruffle of net. The yoke of the bodice was tucked and sleeves were leg-o-mutton style. The full skirt shaped into a train. Her bridal veil of illusion fell from a sweetheart coronet. She carried a satin muff outlined with illusion. An orchid showered with ribbon and miniature flowers was pinned to the muff. For something old, she wore a gold pin belonging to her grandmother, Mrs. Nancy Campbell; her wedding dress was something new; a handkerchief belonging to Mrs. C. R. Dunagan, was something borrowed and for something blue, she wore a blue ribbon. She wore a penny in her shoe for good luck.

Matron of Honor Mrs. Clayton Bettle, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a pink dress with a taffeta bodice trimmed with a net ruffle and full net skirt. She wore a headress of pink flowers with a short pink veil.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. E. J. Davis, Jr., of Austin, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Bill Gage, of Denton, sister-in-law of the bride. The bridesmaids wore blue dresses styled after that of the matron of honor.

All bridal attendants carried colonial bouquets of pastel flowers. Jimmy Peden served as best man. Ushers were Zack Gray, Tipple Anderson, Billy Clinton and Dee Thomas.

Sue and Marie Love were candlelighters. They wore white dresses.

The mother of the bride wore a grey dress and the bridegroom's mother wore a navy blue and white figured dress.

Following the ceremony a reception was given by the bride's parents in their home. The couple cut the three-tiered wedding cake.

Brown, Mrs. C. R. Dunagan and Mrs. C. M. Shaw.

The couple left on a wedding trip to San Antonio, Austin and New Braunfels. They will return in a week to live at 1701 Young street.

The bride wore a pink dress with black figures, a black and pink straw hat and other accessories of black for traveling. She wore an orchid corsage.

The bride is a graduate of Big Spring high school and attended Howard County Junior college last year where she was school favorite. She is a member of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority.

The bridegroom, a graduate of

Big Spring high school, attended Texas Technological college one year and Howard County Junior college last year. He returned last July from 14 months service in the Navy, part of which was spent in the Pacific Theater. He is now employed by Zale's Jewelers.

Out-of-town guests for the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Davis, Jr. and sons, Jay and Pat of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gage and son, Billy of Denton.

Registration Remains Open For Girl Scout Camp, June 16-19

Registration is still open for girls who wish to attend the Big Spring Girl Scout Day Camp June 16-19, it has been announced by Miss Arach Phillips, day camp chairman.

Girl Scouts are to contact Miss Phillips, Mrs. C. Y. Clinkscales or Mrs. George White.

Approximately 85 girls have registered from Big Spring and 14 from Forsan.

P-TA Recreational Program Gets Underway

The East Ward Summer Recreational School under the sponsorship of the East Ward P-T.A. began Monday with hours from 2 until 5 o'clock each day.

Edythe Wright is supervisor and all those who are interested are asked to enroll this week.

'American Negro' Is Program Subject At WMU Meeting

"The American Negro," was the theme of the royal service program at the meeting of the First Baptist church Women's Missionary Union Monday afternoon in the church.

The program included two discussions "The Negro's Part in the History of America," and "The Problem and Challenge That the American Negro Presents Today," by Mrs. L. E. Hutchins.

Two numbers were presented by members of the Negro Baptist church. Janice Miller sang "Priscilla," accompanied by Mrs. Inez Brown.

Mrs. George O'Brien discussed the lives of two negroes, Mary McLeod Bethune and Dr. Waldo Riley. She also pointed out that there are 400,000,000 negro people in the world. The program was directed by Mrs. Roy Rogan.

The meeting opened with the singing of the Woman's Hymn. Mrs. O'Brien was at the piano. The Bible study lesson, "A Song of Universal Religion," based on the 98th Psalm was conducted by Mrs. Lillian Frances Bivins.

Prayers were given by Mrs. B. Reagan, Mrs. C. T. McDonald and Mrs. R. V. Jones.

Mrs. P. D. McBrien, president, announced that a tea will be held on the fifth Monday with the program to be on Old Ministerial Relief. The Mabelle Taylor circle will be in charge.

Others present were Mrs. W. E. Mann, Mrs. E. G. Mann, Mrs. A. A. Chapman, Mrs. Marie Haynes, Mrs. H. E. Choate, Jr., Mrs. C. E. Richardson, Mrs. J. A. Coffey, Mrs. H. E. Choate, Sr., Mrs. J. G. Lane, Mrs. A. L. Hobbs, Mrs. J. P. Dodge, Mrs. Troy Odom, Mrs. C. T. Clay, and Mrs. Della K. Agnell.

Gleaners Class Has Covered Dish Lunch

A covered dish luncheon in the home of Mrs. R. I. Raley was entertainment for the Gleaners class of the East Fourth Baptist church Monday noon.

Mrs. Elmer Rainey gave the devotional and Mrs. J. D. Williams offered prayer. Visitation was discussed during the business meeting.

Other members present were Mrs. Walter Grice, Mrs. Ross Hill, Mrs. A. F. Gilliland, Mrs. Nannie Wilson, Mrs. L. M. Bond, Mrs. Vera Perkins and Mrs. S. J. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Crownover of Norman, Okla., were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. D. Burrell and family. Mrs. Crownover and Mrs. Burrell are sisters.

East Fourth Baptist Church WMU Meets

East Fourth Baptist church Women's Missionary Union members had a royal service program Monday afternoon on "Meet the American Negro."

Those taking part on the program were Mrs. J. W. Croan, Mrs. T. B. Clifton, Mrs. Garland Sanders, Mrs. Curtis Reynolds and Mrs. C. D. Lawson.

Circle 3 was in charge of the meeting.

The opening prayer was given by Mrs. George McLean. Mrs. Sam Bennett gave the devotional and Mrs. Curtis Reynolds led a hymn, "Love Divine."

Mrs. Garland Sanders gave the closing prayer.

Mrs. McLean, president of the WMU, directed a business meeting. Each circle took a community mission on which to work. Circle 3 took nursery, circle 5, kitchen and circles 2 and 4, loan chest.

Clothing which has been made by the WMU for the Buckner's Orphans Home, was exhibited.

Others present were Mrs. A. W. Page, Mrs. L. F. Brothers, Mrs. J. B. King, Mrs. J. C. Harmon, Mrs. W. F. Harrell, Mrs. Ed Stringfellow, Mrs. J. B. Riddle, Mrs. LeRoy Menchew, Mrs. Elmer Rainey, Mrs. V. A. Cross, Mrs. Earnest Richter, Mrs. H. Reeves, Mrs. L. M. Bond, Mrs. O. R. Smith, Mrs. J. J. Porter, Mrs. W. W. Bennett, Mrs. T. F. Hill, Mrs. Lee Nuckles, Mrs. Paul Floyd, Mrs. A. F. Gilliland, Mrs. H. A. Hilburn, and Mrs. Keats Watts.

The WMU will meet in circles next Monday for mission study programs.

Edythe Wright has returned from a two week vacation in Roscoe. Miss Wright is the director of the East Ward recreational school.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Adams have returned from a visit in El Dorado, Ark., Monroe, La., and Tyler.

Two Presbyterian Circles Entertained By Three Hostesses

Mrs. P. Marion Simms, Mrs. D. Davis and Mrs. George Neill were hostesses for a joint meeting of the King's Daughters and Ruth Circles Monday afternoon at the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Neill Hilliard presided and Mrs. D. T. Evans opened the session with a prayer. Mrs. A. B. Brown led the group in singing "Light Up The World For Jesus."

The lesson brought by Mrs. S. L. Baker was closed with a question and answer program. A survey article, "Seeking a Sound Strategy" was presented by Mrs. Evans.

Each circle conducted a separate business session which was followed by a social hour.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. A. B. Brown, Mrs. J. T. Brooks, Mrs. E. L. Barriek, Mrs. P. Marion Simms, Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Jr., Mrs. Anna Rührup, Mrs. Raymond Dunningan, Mrs. George Neill, Mrs. Robert Middleton, Mrs. D. Davis, Mrs. Anna Whiting, Mrs. J. G. Potter, Mrs. T. T. Boatler, Mrs. Cecil Wasson and those taking part on the program.

Nancy Dawes of Dallas is visiting her brother, W. R. Dawes and family, 805 West 17th street. Miss Dawes, a public school music teacher in Dallas, will leave Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. W. R. Dawes, Sr. and sister, Mrs. Tyree Hardy of Sonora.

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Secy. Marshall Urges Funds For Broadcasts

WASHINGTON, June 10. (AP)—Secretary Marshall told Senators today it is "essential to the conduct of our foreign relations" that the state department have funds and freedom to make foreign language broadcasts and conduct a world-wide information program.

Mercury To 109 At Presidio

The hottest Texas temperature of 1947 — 109 degrees — was repeated at Presidio yesterday as sweltering summer weather swept the state. Presidio had reported 109 degrees once before this year, June 6.

Enrollments Still Accepted For Red Cross Water Classes

With Robert H. Lucey, field representative of the American National Red Cross water safety, now on hand, the Red Cross swimming and life saving courses began to swing into stride Monday.

Mrs. Jones Dies At Her Home Here

Funeral for Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, 67, who died at her home at 805 Benton street at 4:10 p. m. Monday, has been set for 5 p. m. Wednesday at the Nalley chapel.

Lutheran Ladies Have Study Program

A mission study program was presented at the meeting of the Ladies Aid of the St. Paul Lutheran church, Sunday in the church.

Cotton Thriving In Ackerly Area

ACKERLY, June 10. — The major percentage of land in this area is planted to cotton and most of the crop is up to a good stand and growing fast.

Gas Company Heads Visitors In City

James A. Davis, Fort Worth, president of Empire Southern Gas company, was in Big Spring Monday on a routine business trip, and Pat Kenney, vice-president for operations, accompanied him here to remain during the week.

Flag Day Program Being Arranged

The Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion are joining in arranging a Flag Day ceremony for 7:15 p. m. Saturday.

Wednesday Meet Set For Rodeo Committee

A meeting of the rodeo committee of the chamber of commerce has been called for 4 p. m. Wednesday in room No. 2 at the Settles, Charles Creighton, chairman, has announced.

NEIL G. HILLIARD CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT ANNOUNCES THE REMOVAL OF HIS OFFICES FROM STATE NATIONAL BANK BUILDING TO 802 PETROLEUM BUILDING BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Divorces Granted In District Court

In cases reviewed by Judge Cecil Collins in 70th District court over the weekend, Rachel Polacek, Doris Sue Shipman and Vera Merritt won divorce decrees in their respective suits.

Starts Paying Off For Wild Chase

J. M. Munoz, who late Saturday wrecked his vehicle in a mad chase with police officers in a downtown district, escaped in a foot race along the railroad tracks and later was taken into custody at the city police station, began to pay for his alleged folly Monday afternoon.

70 Enrolled At College

Howard County Junior College summer school enrollment reached 70 on the second day of registration, E. C. Dodd, president, announced Tuesday morning.

Ordinances Slated For Consideration By City Commission

At least three proposed ordinances are due for reading at 5:30 p. m. today at the meeting of the city commission.

Out-Of-Town People Visit Local Museum

Resident of 11 out-of-town communities were among the 300 persons to view the West Texas Memorial Museum at the city park during the weekend, the sponsoring B&PW club announced Monday.

TRAINING CLASS

A special training class for Boy Scout leaders is to have its regular session a 6 p. m. today at the First Methodist church.

One Case Of Polio Reported In City

One case of polio—the only one here this season—is reflected in the communicable disease report released by the city-county health unit for the week ending June 5.

Trial Under Way

Attorneys were to begin arguments this afternoon in the Henry Keller trial, first jury case called for the current term of county court.

Mimeographing

Letters for customers, advertising, or for your particular business. The Better Letter Shop 506 Gregg St. Phone 100

BABE WINS EASILY

GULLANE, Scotland, June 10. (AP)—Mrs. Babe Dirlikson Zaharias, the main US threat for the British Women's golf crown, crushed Mrs. Cosmo Falkner, 6 and 5, in a fourth round match today to gain tomorrow's quarter finals.

Southwestern Investment Company 410 E. Third Phone 2018

Weather Forecast

DEPT. OF COMMERCE WEATHER BUREAU BIG SPRING AND VICINITY—Fair this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday, cooler tonight, somewhat warmer Wednesday.

Markets

WALL STREET NEW YORK, June 10 (AP)—Caution again ruled sentiment in Wall Street today with the stock market drifting uncertainly.



MORE FOOD NEEDS MORE PROTECTION DURING VACATION DAYS

Now that schools are out and children are at home all day every day, electric refrigerators are faced with the tough job of providing more protection for more food.

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TULSA, Okla., June 10. (AP)—The United States' crude oil production averaged 5,077,140 barrels daily during the week ended June 7...

ITALY IGNORES ANNIVERSARY

ROME, June 10. (AP)—Italy's press, concerned with immediate economic problems, virtually passed over without a word today the seventh anniversary of war against France and England.

So many men in World War II were engaged in supply, maintenance, and administration that only one US veteran in eight actually saw combat.

TRANSPORTATION SCHEDULES

Table with columns for destinations (Eastbound, Westbound) and times for various routes like (T&P Terminal), (Union Terminal), (GREYHOUND), (AMERICAN), (AIRLINES), (Continental).



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BUT THE DOCTOR SAID-- I DON'T CARE WHAT THE DOCTOR SAID-- I'LL HAVE MY REVENGE-- I'LL MAKE MRS WHIMPER AND THAT LITTLE BRAT ANNIE ROONEY WISH THEY WERE NEVER BORN-

GEE, ZERO-AINT IT WONDERFUL? -IN JUST A COUPLA DAYS I'LL BE GOIN' TO SCHOOL-- JUST TO THINK 'BOUT IT MAKES ME FEEL GLAD ALL OVER-

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Also "Gem Of Ocean"

Chinese Send Reinforcements Into Mukden

NANKING, June 10. (AP)— Artillery regiments were flown into Mukden today to strengthen the Manchurian city's outer defense as strong communist forces battered Szeepingkai to the north and the Fushun area to the east.

Mukden dispatches to the pro-government newspaper Hsin Min Pao said 500,000 red troops had renewed attacks on Szeepingkai, 50 miles southwest of Changchun on the Mukden - Changchun railway. The same dispatch said severe fighting had developed around government-held Fushun, 20 miles east of Mukden. The report said the communists appeared to be moving troops in to form an arc around Mukden on the north and east.

From Changchun, the official Central News agency reported the arrival of Gen. Sun Li-Jen, American-trained former commander of the government's crack First Army. He left his command because of differences with Manchurian commanders but was recalled when the communist offensive developed.

Motorist Slain, Hitch-Hiker Held

Media, Pa., June 10. (AP)— A 23-year-old motorist was shot to death at the wheel of his fast-moving automobile and a police official declared early today a hitch-hiker would be formally charged with the slaying.

Fred Jack, chief of Delaware county detectives, said that a man he identified as Daniel P. Taranow, 21, New York City, had admitted orally that he shot Francis Devon, 23, of Oxford, Pa., because Devon refused to surrender the car.

Jack said he would charge Taranow with murder sometime during the day.

Devon, a brakeman employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad, served in the army for 38 months and was a brother of Lt. Edward Devon, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's personal airplane pilot.

Jack said that Devon slumped dead in his 1947 sedan as it crashed through a pole a mile east of Media yesterday. The hitch-hiker, Jack added, leaped from the car, rolled down an embankment and fled.

Jap Steel Works, Once Bombed, Now In Operation

YAWATA, Japan, June 10. (AP)— The giant Yawata steel works — reported destroyed during the war — is operating at one-third of capacity and is capable of tripling its present output.

US military government officials who made this disclosure attributed current low production to the official ceiling on output plus critical shortages of power and coal. The plant now manufactures steel for domestic consumption.

The Yawata works was a target for the first B-29 raid on Japan by China-based bombers in June, 1944, and hit in three later Superfort bombings. It also was shelled by US warships shortly before Japan's surrender.

Waco Church Robbed By Noisy Burglars

WACO, June 10. (AP)— Burglars robbed the Seventh and James Baptist Church here of \$880 — but no one thought much of it at the time.

Neighbors said they heard the burglars inside the church Sunday night. In fact, they reported, the intruders made so much noise nearby resident were aroused from their sleep.

No report was sent into the police because, the neighbors said, they thought the burglars were staff members of the church.

Educational director of the church, P. D. Browne said the loot included Sunday morning's collection plus the Sunday school collection and some money that came in during the week.

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Auto License 'Rackets' Hit By Auditor

AUSTIN, June 10. (AP)— "Rackets" allegedly employed by county officials and car and truck owners to defeat the motor vehicle registration statutes were reported by State Auditor C. H. Cavness.

A study of investigation reports indicated that "many devices have been and still are being used by motor vehicle registrants to defeat the x x x statutes, with consequent losses of large sums annually to the counties and to the state," said the auditor's special examination report.

The report covered a span of nearly seven years since the last audit of the motor vehicle division of the State Highway Department of Texas.

Direct quotations from reports of field investigators and auditors were used to indicate the nature of the rackets. Names of violators were not given.

A report by traveling auditor S. T. Grayson in 1939 dealt with illegal use of out-of-county licenses:

"While in Dallas I called by telephone the * * * finance company and inquired if they would be interested in getting license plates at discount. It was aware from previous investigations this firm had secured out-of-county licenses for the past several years. * * * I offered a twenty-five per cent discount, and to this the party replied that they had been getting a thirty per cent discount from the same men for several years, and could get the same this year. * * * I also called * * * Inc., and the conversation was about the same. Last year these firms secured license plates from Newton County through a Mr. * * * of Dallas or vicinity. It is evident he has begun solicitations in Dallas and possibly Tarrant County for 1939 registrations."

The auditor's report listed Burleson, Cooke, Live Oak, Newton, San Augustine, Somervell, Wilson, Kent and Kendall Counties known not to have complied with the registration laws for the registration year of 1940.

San Augustine County was reported as one of the principal offenders, the auditor said, noting that commissioners court of San Augustine County gave official notice in October, 1945, to the county tax assessor-collector " * * * not to register any motor vehicles except in strict accordance with the law * * *"

To Take Lie Test

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Waco Church Robbed By Noisy Burglars

WACO, June 10. (AP)— Burglars robbed the Seventh and James Baptist Church here of \$880 — but no one thought much of it at the time.

Neighbors said they heard the burglars inside the church Sunday night. In fact, they reported, the intruders made so much noise nearby resident were aroused from their sleep.

No report was sent into the police because, the neighbors said, they thought the burglars were staff members of the church.

Educational director of the church, P. D. Browne said the loot included Sunday morning's collection plus the Sunday school collection and some money that came in during the week.

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Texas GOP Leader Talks With Taft

WASHINGTON, June 10. (AP)— Col R. B. Creager of Brownsville, the head and symbol of the Republican party in Texas, has been in conference here with Ohio's Senator Taft.

The Texan came up from the Rio Grande Valley to talk with Army engineers and others about the Brownsville channel deepening project. He also put in a plug for more funds for the foot and mouth cattle disease control program.

But politics naturally came in for some attention by the man who has served as Texas Republican national committeeman for the past quarter century.

What he discussed with Taft is largely their secret, but a hint of the topic is that fact that Taft is very much a potential candidate for the Republican presidential nomination next year. Creager was Taft's floor manager at the 1940 convention when Wendell Willkie, a dark horse, won.

Whatever Taft's course, you can be certain Creager will be right by the side of his longtime friend. The Texan once held a federal post under appointment of President Taft, the Senator's father.

Incidentally, most members of Texas' solidly Democratic congressional delegation know Creager well personally and are glad to get his support for various things, particularly in these days when Republicans are in the saddle at Capitol Hill.

Creager put in a good word for Rep. Ewing Thomason of El Paso, who has just been confirmed unanimously by the Senate as a federal district judge for West Texas. He and Thomason were roommates at the University of Texas.

The Texas Republican leader joined Rep. Milton West of Brownsville and Judge Joe Montague of Fort Worth, counsel for the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, in urging a \$65,000,000 appropriation to carry on the foot and mouth disease control work in Mexico in the year starting July 1.

Banner Crowds Again Seeing Texas Games

DALLAS, June 10. (AP)— The third season in the 52 years of the Texas League to draw more than 1,000,000 paid attendance is indicated as the campaign rolls to the two-fifths mark.

There also may be an all-time record, surpassing the 1,592,567 of last season.

A survey of the eight cities shows that with a little better than one-third of the playing dates gone 658,186 paid admissions were recorded. The figures are up to date as regards Tulsa, Dallas, Oklahoma City and Fort Worth, which now are on the road. Figures for the others range from June 1 through last Friday.

President George Shepps of the Dallas Club said if the Rebels continued to draw as they have to date Dallas will have more than 350,000 home attendance—an all-time record for one club. Through 29 playing dates the Rebels had packed in 126,692. The all-time home attendance mark for one club was the 295,103 set by San Antonio last year.

Houston also is aiming at the record. The Buffs in 30 home dates, through last Friday night, had brought out 118,444, compared to 72,323 for the same time last season.

Fort Worth, in 28 home dates, drew 90,933. Oklahoma City in 27 registered 81,327 and Tulsa in 26 reported 46,233.

Shreveport in 29 home dates showed 89,784. Beaumont in 32 had 64,593. San Antonio in 26 recorded 40,180.

There have been 80 dates lost because of bad weather which brought postponements. Tulsa, for instance, lost seven and so did Oklahoma City.

An unfinished ball park, inadequate seating facilities and second division play have contributed to San Antonio's slump.

Official attendance figures from the Texas League office, due to be released at the half-way mark, may differ some from those coming from the clubs direct. The league counts attendance differently in some instances. However, every indication is that the final total will not only be above the 1,000,000 mark but should give last year's all-time record a tussle.

Eisenhower Will Visit Vicksburg

VICKSBURG, Miss., June 9. (AP)— State Senator John H. Culin said today that General Dwight D. Eisenhower will be special guest July 4 and 5 at Vicksburg when citizens celebrate the second annual carnival of the confederacy.

Keys made at Johnnie Griffin's—adv.

Loans For Real Estate

WASHINGTON, June 10. (AP)— Loans totalling \$1,144,000 had been granted today by the Rural Electrification Administration to ten borrowers for extension of electrical service to farming areas.

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