

Revised Labor Measure Before House Today

See Quick Action On Compromise Bill With T-H Features

WASHINGTON, May 3. (AP)—An importantly revised democratic labor bill carrying several Taft Hartley features went before the House today for perhaps quick action.

The compromise was far different from the simple repealer which labor unions have been seeking to wipe out the T-H Law. For one thing, it would continue to permit the use of 80-day injunctions—bitterly fought by unions—to deal with national emergency strikes.

Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex) and Democratic Floor Leader McCormack (D-Mass) were scheduled to speak for the new proposal. A House vote was possible before tonight.

The parliamentary situation was such that, before getting to the Labor Committee's Lesinski bill the House would have to vote on the Wood measure, a union-opposed bill that would re-enact most of the Taft-Hartley Law. The Wood bill has pulled up strength among Republicans and southern Democrats. The new democratic measure consists of the administration's original bill to repeal the Taft-Hartley Law with five compromise amendments inserted and a new section tacked on at the end.

Perryton Man Faces Trial In Shooting Of Father And Son

PERRYTON, May 3. (AP)—Selection of a jury for the murder trial of W. A. Cronister was scheduled to begin here today. Last evening the court denied a state motion for a change of venue.

Dist. Atty. Bob Galloway asked that site of the trial be moved on grounds a jury without prejudice could not be obtained in Ochiltree County. The court heard testimony from both state and defense witnesses most of yesterday afternoon.

Cronister is charged with the double slaying last May of C. W. Barker and his son, W. H. Barker. The charge is murder with malice. The Barkers were shot to death on a Southeast Ochiltree county road. The Barkers and Cronister had had a dispute over stock tanks and other movable property involved in a sale of land by Cronister to Barker.

A special venire of 175 men was called for the trial. He court dismissed 28 of these.

Remains Of Former Big Springer Due Here For Interment

Mr. and Mrs. John Whitten, Arlington, were enroute here Tuesday to complete arrangements for burial of her brother, Barney L. Russell, who was found dead of heart attack in his home at Los Angeles, Calif. Monday.

The body was due to arrive here by airliner, possibly Wednesday. No time for services has been fixed, the Eberley Funeral home announced.

Russell was graduated from the Big Spring high school and worked for various business establishments here for a number of years before he moved to California about 25 years ago.

Burial was to be in the L.O.O.F. cemetery beside the graves of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Russell.

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In Big Spring Traffic

LUNG PUMP OPERATED BY HAND

Mate's Love Saves Woman

ITHACA, N. Y., May 3. (AP)—A pretty, young mother stricken with polio ended a cross-country trip today in an iron lung—alive because of her husband's deft use of a beer-can opener.

Death rode over the Union Pacific Flyer that brought Mrs. Shirley Palmer, 24, across the Western Plains yesterday.

But her war pilot-husband was beside her when the electric motor operating the air pump of the portable iron lung burned out.

Because he crunched there and operated the lung pump by hand for more than 10 hours, the enterprising Big Springs Memorial Hospital today for treatment.

The lovely beer-can opener?



THIS WAS THEIR HOME — S-Sgt. and Mrs. Leland Shumake stand in the second story apartment of a barracks which was their home on the University of Oklahoma airport, Norman, Okla., before last Saturday's tornado. They were not at home when the storm hit. Shumake is an instructor in the 185th fighter squadron of the Oklahoma Air National Guard. (AP Wirephoto).

FAR SHORT OF \$40,000 GOAL

'Y' Fund Campaign At Crucial Point

The YMCA building fund campaign is at its crucial point. This was emphasized by directors of the effort today as they surveyed results to date and made plans for a broadening of solicitation deemed necessary if a permanent home is to be provided for the youth agency.

A total of \$40,000 is required to purchase the First Christian church property at Fourth and Scurry, and of this sum, a little more than half has been accounted for in cash and pledges.

It's the "last half" that represents the challenge, said Cliff Wiley, campaign chairman, and he emphasized that if the building program is to be accomplished "without dragging along all summer," a greater percentage of larger subscriptions must be had.

Actually, the drive has progressed nicely to date," said Wiley. "We had an original list of 460 cards, and of this number there were only 40 definite turn-downs. Pledges or donations have been received from 250 cards, leaving only 170 for further work.

"From this number we must obtain larger pledges, and we are making a special appeal to those people who have the means to meet this challenge for community betterment."

R. T. Piner, chairman of a special gifts division, joined Wiley in the statement that there had been already a generous subscription from a number on the special list. Subscriptions running \$500 and more have included:

- Costen Petroleum Corp. \$2,000
- R. B. G. Cowper 1,000
- C. D. Wiley 1,000
- Empire Southern Gas 1,000
- L. Weiner 1,000
- L. S. McDowell, Jr. 1,000
- Robt. T. Piner 1,000
- E. O. Ellington 500
- T. S. Currie 500
- Doris Chaik Cole 500
- J. D. Jones 500
- J. B. Mull 500

"We are most hopeful that these subscriptions will be matched by others who have not yet taken action," the campaign leaders said.

Wiley continued: "We realize this is a big task for Big Spring and Howard County, but we have covered half the distance and there is no reason why we can't go on to the goal. The people who want to see this community's youth program stabilized and the community improved as a result must decide that they must help meet the community obligation."

No Masks In Atlanta

ATLANTA, May 3. (AP)—No longer will this capital of the Ku Klux Klan allow the hooded order to wear masks in public. The city council voted unanimously yesterday to outlaw masks except for holiday celebrations such as Hal-

Colorado City Man Found Dead In Automobile

COLORADO CITY, May 3.—A frantic all-night search for Charles B. Ezzell, 49, well-known Colorado City contractor, ended at daylight here today with discovery of his body in his car at Ruddick Park.

Ezzell's body was slumped in his car with a .45 calibre automatic, said Sheriff Nick Narrell and Police Chief Dick Hickman. The officers said that a bullet had entered his right temple and that the gun belonged to Ezzell. Justice of Peace L. A. Costin said he would enter a formal verdict today, indicating he had no evidence to indicate foul play.

A search was instituted late Monday when the contractor's wife became worried when he failed to return home. She enlisted the aid of his brothers, Grady Ezzell and Vernon Ezzell, and together with officers they began a survey of the area. Ezzell had left his work at 4 p. m.

The police chief and sheriff placed death at sometime Monday evening, probably before midnight. Two California tourists, who had parked nearby at 2:30 a. m. today told officers the Ezzell car was there when they arrived.

At first robbery was feared when jewelry, valued at \$6,000, was not found on the contractor's person. It was located at his home, however. Officers quoted the contractor's wife as saying that he had been ill and extremely nervous for six months.

Arrangements were pending at noon Tuesday and announcements were to be made from Kiker & Sons funeral home.

Ezzell had been a resident of Colorado City for 33 years and during that time had constructed several hundred new homes. He was a partner in a new residential development underway near the hospital.

Surviving are his widow; one daughter, Mrs. Anita Merket; two sons, Kenneth and Charles Ezzell; his mother, Mrs. Wm. H. Ezzell; and his two brothers, all of Colorado City.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ruby Smith; one son, Arthur Smith; one daughter, Dorothy J. Smith; his mother, Mrs. C. G. Smith, Amarillo; two step-sons, Billy Shaw and Richard Shaw, both in the Army; one step-daughter, Peggy Shaw, Big Spring; three brothers, Clyde Smith, Tennessee; L. W. Plainview, and A. H. Smith, Fort Worth; three sisters, Mrs. J. R. Black and Mrs. E. E. White-worth, Plainview, and Mrs. W. D. Vaughn, Amarillo. His father-in-law, G. W. Mo., Lubbock, and three brothers-in-law, Marvin Monk, Abernathy, Jeff Monk, Seagraves, and Dick Monk, El Paso are here for the rites.

Woods Lauds New Rent Regulations

NEW YORK, May 3. (AP)—Housing interests were highly critical of the new policy. The strike threat came from Rep. Vito Marcantonio, chairman of the American Labor Party.

The new law, Woods said, "goes right down the middle, protecting landlords against rents that would deny them a fair profit, and protecting tenants against being charged a higher rent than the fair new operating income adjustment allows."

First reactions of New York landlords and tenants to details of the new "fair rent" formula, announced last night by Woods, were confusion and anger.

Realty interests said the new provisions offered little financial relief. Spokesmen for tenants' groups said they gave the landlords too much relief.

Woods said the law not only gives landlords and tenants fair treatment rent-wise but allows them an equal right to appeal from decisions by the expeditor.

The landlords' net operating income as "increased substantially above the pre-war level," the expeditor said.

Before the housing shortage, Woods said, landlords counted on losses from vacancies and non-payment of rents. These losses have almost disappeared.

Acheson Says Start Of ERP Turning Point

Western World Is Cautioned Not To Relax Its Efforts

WASHINGTON, May 3. (AP)—Secretary of State Acheson said today the start of the European Recovery Program marked the turning point in the cold war. But he cautioned that the Western World should not rest upon "the success achieved thus far."

"We must press forward vigorously to the realization of our immediate objectives," Acheson told a meeting of the United States Chamber of Commerce here.

"We must go further and devise means for consolidating the gains now being made and for extending them into the future."

Acheson spoke after the business leaders heard from the chamber's president, Earl O. Shreve, that a "recession from postwar peaks" of business is inevitable. This, Shreve said, will bring "overdue relief to millions of consumers."

Of the general world political situation, Acheson drew the picture: "I think the forces of freedom and democracy are entitled to draw encouragement from the recent trend of events in western Europe. Since the beginning of the European Recovery Program, totalitarianism in western Europe has made no advance."

"Increased production and financial stability have stimulated the renewed hope and confidence in the future."

Shreve predicted the business recession in his keynote address. He said: "When the current readjustment has run its course, and buying for inventory replacement revives, business should find itself on a sounder and infinitely more satisfactory basis."

The shift to a "more solid and orderly pattern of prosperity" will be blocked or delayed, Shreve said, if the government raises taxes and lays down economic controls—as proposed by President Truman—or embarks on a policy of in-the-red financing.

Condition Of White Is Critical After Swallowing Poison

Little hope was held out today for John F. White, local laundry operator, who swallowed poison in a field between Ellis Homes and the old Bombardier field fence Monday afternoon.

White, described as being in his 50's, apparently took the poison, which he purchased at a local drug store earlier in the day, around 1:30 p. m.

The victim described in detail his reason for the act and his reaction to the liquid by writing in ink across the front of some 28 checks of a local bank.

In a scrawled hand to decipher at times, White related his "life has been a complete failure." He also gave instructions on how to find his wife, who lives here, and revealed he had a small insurance policy which would go to his family.

He was found in an agonized position by passersby and rushed to a local hospital, where attendants fought to save his life.

White reportedly had been an Eastland county official for a number of years. Before going into the laundry business here, he had worked in the oil fields to the south and west of Big Spring.

Red Radio Claims 80,000 Captured

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3. (AP)—Communist radio broadcast from Peking today asserted "more than 80,000" Chinese Nationalist troops have been captured in the Shanghai-Nanking-Hangchow triangle.

The radio said the action ended on April 29 and "full details are being ascertained."

The broadcast said "12 more towns" have been captured south of the Yangtze. Communist troops were said to be as far south as East Kiangsi Province, southwest of Canton. Red guerrillas aided in the capture of the towns, the radio said.

Americans Warned To Leave South China

HONG KONG, May 3. (AP)—The American Consulate here today issued a warning to Americans to get out of South China interior points.

The consulate said conditions anticipated in its first warning had "become reality" since the Communist crossing of the Yangtze.

Huk Attack Repulsed

MANILA, May 3. (AP)—Four hundred Hukbala guerrillas attacked Cabanatuan last night but were driven off by constabulary troops.

Red 'Plot' Said To Be Reason Big Three Ships Left Shanghai



NEW UNDERSECRETARY OF DEFENSE — Steve Early (left) re-enacts taking the oath as Undersecretary of Defense in Washington from Secretary of Defense Louis Johnson (right). Among witnesses are Mrs. Early and Adm. Louis Denfeld (second from right, rear), chief of naval operations. No pictures were permitted of the actual oath-taking. (AP Wirephoto)

WILL PROPOSE DATES

West Completing Blockade Statement

NEW YORK, May 3. (AP)—The three big Western Powers were reported today to be completing a joint declaration of policy on the Berlin blockade to lay before Russia within 24 hours.

Speculation in some quarters was that this would call for lifting the blockade as early as next week.

A State Department spokesman indicated there was a possibility the envoys of the United States, Britain, France and Russia would meet some time today.

But Philip C. Jessup, U. S. ambassador-at-large, denied reports that a four-power meeting had been scheduled.

The joint declaration will propose dates both for lifting the blockade and convening the council of foreign ministers for a discussion of the whole German question, it was understood.

Officially Jessup and the British and French representatives—Sir Alexander Cadogan and Jean Chauvel—maintained the secrecy which has surrounded the 10 weeks of talks since Jessup first talked to Russia's Jakob A. Malik on the subject.

Usually well informed quarters, however, said it would be safe to speculate on these dates in connection with the western position—May 11 for ending the blockade and May 25 for the council of foreign ministers.

Russia's two top representatives here, Malik and Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko, spent the morning at Lake Success where they were delegates to the United Nations Assembly.

Apprehend Man In Car Mishap Here

A man who was allegedly involved in a hit and run traffic mishap was apprehended Monday afternoon in Colorado City. Big Spring police reported this morning.

Six local officers said Mrs. Leon West 610 East Third street, notified the police department that her daughter, Janace West, 9, was hit by a car shortly after 4 p. m. and that the vehicle did not stop. The child suffered bruises, police said.

The arrest was made in Colorado City after Big Spring police contacted authorities there.

Reported Plan To Sink Vessel Is Disclosed

U. S. Navy Denies It 'Ran Out' On Threatened City

SHANGHAI, May 3. (AP)—United States, British and French naval craft left the Shanghai waterfront because of a reported Communist plot to block their passage to the sea, a U. S. Navy spokesman said today.

The spokesman, from the staff of U. S. Vice Adm. Oscar C. Badger, said "reliable sources" told the United States Navy that Communists planned to scuttle a ship near Whooching, the Chinese Nationalist garrison, that would have blocked the larger ships from the sea.

The spokesman evidently disclosed this "plot" to offset accusations that the U. S. Navy had "run out" on Communist threatened Shanghai.

Details of the "plot" came from the same source which had previously tipped the Navy the Communists had a similar plan to block the up naval vessels in Tientsin earlier this year, the spokesman said.

The Navy evacuated numerous persons from Tientsin shortly before the city fell and the route to the sea was cut.

The Navy spokesman said the Woonung "plot" was "nipped in the bud." He declined to give details saying it was a Chinese matter.

He said after the plot was "nipped" the American President Lines Liner President Wilson came up to the Shanghai waterfront past the Woonung garrison. The Wilson tied up at a bund pier and evacuated 800 persons after an overnight stay.

Area Recruiting Stations Will Be Consolidated Here

Area U. S. Army and Air Force recruiting stations are being consolidated with Big Spring as headquarters, Capt. Harold Sandford, local commander, said today.

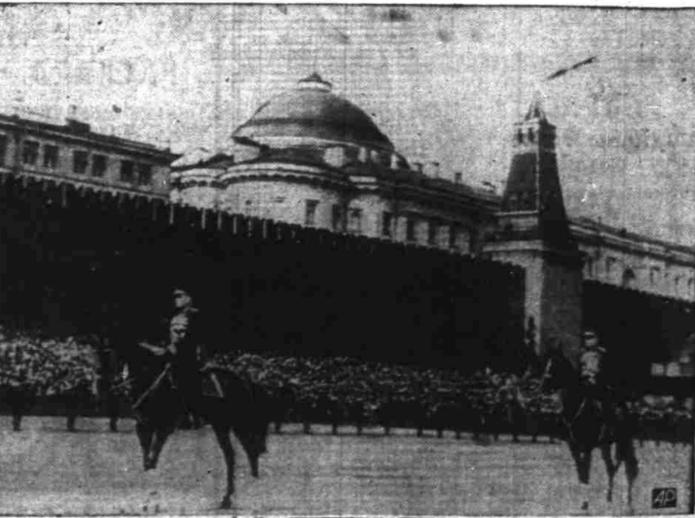
The Big Spring sub-district area will include 48 counties in West Texas, extending from Lubbock to Eagle Pass and from Van Horn to Abilene. The area contains approximately 70,000 square miles and an estimated population of 350,000.

The move to consolidate the recruiting sections was due to economy reasons, Capt. Sandford stated.

All applicants recruited within the sub-district will henceforth be given mental and physical examinations here and will be sworn into the Army or Air Force at the local station. In the past, the recruits have been forwarded to Lubbock for that purpose.

The Big Spring office will maintain sub-stations at Midland, Odessa, Pecos, Lamesa, Snyder, San Angelo, Del Rio and Marfa.

It is contemplated, Capt. Sandford said, that the regional office will move to the fifth floor of the Petroleum building. However, the recruiting station will remain in its present location in the basement of the post office building.



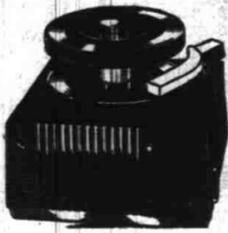
VASILEVSKY SALUTES RED TROOPS — Marshal of the Soviet Union A. Vasilevsky, Minister of the Armed Forces of the U.S.S.R., salutes as he rides through Red Square, Moscow, just prior to the parade of Red Army troops in the Soviet May Day celebration. At right is Marshal of the Soviet Union K. Meretskov, commander of the parade. (AP Wirephoto via radio from Moscow).



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Believe it or not, but playing time lost in changing one to another of 10 records on the new RCA world's fastest—is less than it has taken you to read this sentence. That's how fast the compact, unique, and even uncanny instrument functions. In one and one-third seconds, the switch is made from one record to another. The best nearest rivals can do is four to six seconds.

But this is but one of many virtues of the RCA record changer offered by the Radio Lab, 502 1/2 Gregg. Because it employs the principle of only 45 revolutions per minute, and because the pick-up arm and its improved silent sapphire permanent point jewel rides with only five grams (or about one



RCA-45 RPM Record Changer

sixth of an ounce) of pressure, the tone is superb. This means longer wear on records, too.

The record changer, which can be had complete with amplifier (\$39.95) or as attachment for any radio (\$24.95), employs the newest thing in records—transparent, thin and virtually unbreakable. They are only slightly more than six inches in diameter. So compact are they that require only a fraction of the shelf space. In fact, 100 weigh only seven pounds as compared to a four 75 pounds for conventional platters.

All you have to do is to put 10 records on the player, settle down to almost one hour of virtually continuous distortion-free music from a unit that is so compact it's hard to believe that it is possible.

Precision Repairs

Virtually all garage men and auto repair specialists in this area are familiar with the precision work that is featured at automotive machine shop operated by the Walker Auto Parts, 409 East 3rd street. The shop, which is the largest of its kind in Big Spring, specializes in crankshaft grinding, piston grinding and other similar types of work.

Curling, played on natural or artificial ice, resembles lawn bowling and deck shuffleboard.

New Variety Air Conditioning In Handy Units

The "Moustainaire," an entirely new type of air conditioning equipment, has been added to the list of commodities handled by Runyan Plumbing Co., located at 505 East 6th street in Big Spring.

Designed to provide perfect comfort all summer long, the "Moustainaire" operates on a new principle which lifts cool air and reduces humidity. The base of the stainless steel apparatus holds water which is controlled by an automatic float valve to a three-inch level. An aspen excelsior-covered drum rotates in the water at the rate of four revolutions per minute, thereby eliminating any dry spots on the pad.

Air is drawn through the openings at the end of the drum, passing through the pad where it is cooled by evaporation. As the air is lifted by the action of the blower, gravity causes the excess moisture to drop, allowing cool air with less humidity to pass through the ducts.

The cabinet is attractive in design, and is made of stainless steel which will not rust or corrode. The heavy duty all-steel blower is compact and mounted to rubber shock mounts to eliminate vibration.

One of the principal features, however, is the Leland Loadstar motor with thermocut control. It requires less electricity to operate and the thermal protectors reduce the fire hazard by automatically stopping the motor, should it become overheated. The reaction is the same, regardless of whether the overheating is caused by overloading or a drop in voltage. When the motor has cooled sufficiently, it is automatically turned on again.

The Runyan Plumbing Co. is inviting patrons to stop by the shop at 505 East 6th to see the new "Moustainaire" or else call 535 and ask for details of installation plans.



CRAFTSMAN'S TOUCH — Henry Thames, K&T Electric head, puts a skilled touch into a motor rewinding touch at his shop at 400 East 3rd street. The shop long has been the place where many in this area go for prompt and expert service for electrical needs, because of the combination of best materials, modern equipment and skilled workmanship. (Jack M. Haynes Photo).

Tractor Problem
Repairs to farm implements and tractors are no problem this spring for patrons of the Big Spring Tractor Co., located on the Lamesa highway. The local Ford Tractor dealers have a bountiful supply of parts, and the repair shop is operated by expert personnel who are thoroughly familiar with various implements and tractors.

Portable Radio Has Three-Way Reception

A Globe Trotter isn't world traveler anymore—not after RCA put that tag on its modern three-way reception portable radio. Smartly styled in maroon plastic and weatherized aluminum, the Glob Trotter is easy to handle. A lift of the dial cover clicks the set on, and volume with golden-throat tone is ample for outdoor gatherings. The set plays anywhere by plugging it into an AC or DC outlet — or on its self-contained, long life battery. Radio Lab, 502 Gregg, is dealer for the handy portable in Big Spring.

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ONLY 'FEW ADJUSTMENTS' NEEDED

Auto Workers Say Walkout Can Be Averted By Ford Co.

DETROIT, May 3. (AP)—The CIO United Auto Workers said today only "a few adjustments" in production rates were necessary to forestall a threatened strike of 60,000 Ford employees.

Ford has slowed down its Rouge plant production and removed the chief cause of a speed-up dispute, the union said.

The company, which has denied union charges of a speedup, had no comment.

Another meeting of union and company officials is scheduled for tomorrow. At that time Ford is expected to answer a union request for a written agreement covering production rates.

The parties met yesterday after a union investigating committee had checked operations at the big Rouge plant where UAW Local 600 charged a speed-up.

The local's request for strike authorization was set aside last Thursday by the UAW International Executive Board pending the inquiry.

Emil Mazey, UAW secretary-treasurer and head of the union investigating committee, said the dispute could be settled if production were continued "with a few adjustments," on the basis of the company's operations yesterday.

A settlement at Rouge, some sources said, might help to head off a walkout Thursday of 3,500 workers at Ford's Lincoln-Mercury plant. A strike there has been approved by the UAW board.

If Rouge's 60,000 walked out, almost all Ford's nationwide operations would be hit.

Ford was asked for a written agreement insuring that assembly lines in the Rouge "B" Building would be kept at "the present ratio of manpower to speed of the lines," Mazey said.

"The company informed the union, he said, that it would take our proposal under advisement and give us an answer on Wednesday."

Meanwhile, 25,000 Hudson Motor Car Co. workers faced a layoff today due to a shortage of brakes in the Bendix strike. The company said it hoped to resume production early next week.

Hudson is preparing to make its own brakes from dies obtained Saturday from Bendix.

At one time prior to today's scheduled Hudson's layoff, there had been a total of 27,000 idle in the auto industry—all attributed to the Bendix strike.

Yesterday, however, Kaiser-Frazer called back 7,000 employees. K-F removed its brake parts and dies from the Bendix Plant Saturday.

Nash at Kenosha and Milwaukee, Wis., has laid off 12,000 men and Packard in Detroit 8,000.

Gen. Vandenberg Warns Against Cutting Air Force To 48 Groups

INDIANAPOLIS, May 3. (AP)—Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg told 500 members of the American Legion Sunday night that a 48-group Air Force "can guarantee no more than prevention of early defeat and hope of eventual victory in event of war."

The Air Force chief of staff referred to President Truman's budget recommendations for the 1950 fiscal year, under which the Air Force must cut its strength from 39 groups to 48 by July 1.

"The cheapest defense force is the one that can achieve the cheapest victory," Gen. Vandenberg said. "No victory today could be really cheap, either in lives or treasure."

He added "we hope and trust the 48-group Air Force will be a sufficient deterrent to prevent a conflict which most certainly would prove costly to us all."

Before the President made his budget recommendations, Air Force leaders said they considered

a 70-group Air Force an absolute minimum for safety and strength.

Gen. Vandenberg told the legionnaires that the Air Force was looking to the future, and said plans already are under way for "the first replacement" for giant B-36 six-engine bombers.

"Some day," the Air Force chief asserted, "all airplanes like the B-36 may be outmoded by long range uninhabited missiles. Long before that time, however, the B-36 will be replaced by a better airplane, perhaps by a series of better airplanes."

Gen. Vandenberg criticized what he termed a "Magnet Line psychology" regarding power of long-range bombing attacks. He said "air power alone and unassisted is scarcely capable of winning a complete victory."

"More than two-thirds of the regular Air Force groups are trained and equipped primarily for air defense and support of land and sea operations," the chief of staff told the national Legion meeting.

He was the principal speaker at the Legion's 13th annual aerial roundup, at which posts from over the nation flew in with membership cards and dues for 1949.

Legion officials reported that a tabulation of roundup cards raised the organization's rolls to 2,795,684 members.

Cattle Association President Opposes New Farm Program

WASHINGTON, May 3. (AP)—Texas and southwestern cattle raisers are bitterly opposed to at least some phases of the new administration farm program, their associate president, Bryant Edwards told the House Agriculture Committee today.

They are especially against the idea of subsidies, Edwards said yesterday, terming the payments "repugnant."

The plan, proposed by Secretary of Agriculture Brannan, also is impractical from an administrative standpoint, he said.

Edwards declared: "At no time in the history of this nation has our industry ever sought governmental support of prices. Nor has our industry ever been subjected to any character of program even resembling such a plan."

He continued: "It was stated that subsidies would be paid according to grades of the cattle.

"Who would grade these cattle? Where would they be graded? What would be done with reference to the substantial numbers of cattle sold for small town slaughter? Who would grade or count them? "Would the government attempt to follow every animal from the range to track? If so, the task would be gigantic and the employees in this industry alone would outnumber the armed forces."

Three Film Stars Safe In Flood In Morocco Sector

CASABLANCA, French Morocco, May 3. (AP)—Film stars Tyrone Power, Orson Welles and Linda Christian are safe today in flood-ravaged Morocco.

But Cecile Aubry, 17-year-old French film actress, was missing and at least eight persons were dead in the flood area, which includes Algeria.

Miss Aubry, appearing with Power and Welles in "The Black Rose," failed to return from a sightseeing tour Friday.

Wells flew to Casablanca from Marrakech this morning.

A 20th Century-Fox spokesman expressed hope that Miss Aubry might have taken refuge in an Arab home.

She was with her mother. A chauffeur accompanied them.

Pelting rains sent flash floods racing down out of the Atlas Mountains. Many of South Morocco's few bridges and long sections of roads were destroyed.

Death Gun Fished From Milwaukee River By Police

MILWAUKEE, May 3. (AP)—The gun which brought death to 16-year-old Pat Birmingham was fished from the mud of the Milwaukee River yesterday.

Milton Babich, 19, had told Dist. Atty. William J. McCauley that he dumped the body and the .22 calibre target revolver into the river at that point last Feb. 10. He claims Patricia died by accident that day when the gun discharged twice as she picked it up by the barrel and he grabbed for the handle.

He said he hoped to frighten her so she would tell that her sister, Kathleen, was pregnant.

Babich, who eloped with Kathleen two days before the West Allis High School girl's body was found March 20, has been charged with first degree murder. He faces preliminary hearing on that charge tomorrow.

McCauley said last night that the gun taken from the river had been identified by the operator of a West Milwaukee sporting goods store as one he sold to a youth who gave the name of Victor Babich.

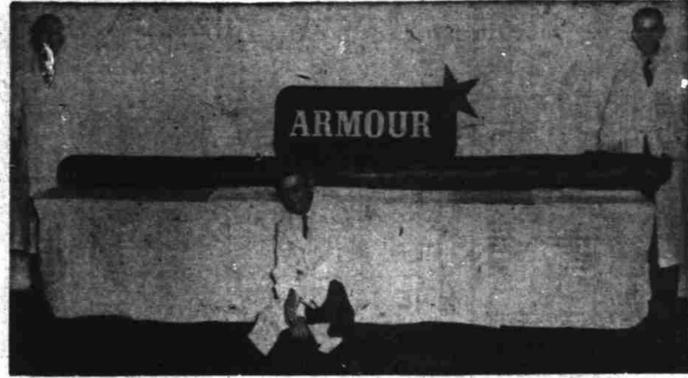
McCauley previously had quoted Milton Babich as saying he purchased the death gun at that store, giving the name of his elder brother, Victor.

McCauley evaded all questions on whether any finger prints were found on the weapon, stating only that it would be sent to the state crime laboratory at Madison for "tests."

Bolivia Counts Six Dead After Election

LA PAZ, Bolivia, May 3. (AP)—Bolivia counted at least six dead and 30 wounded today as the result of bloody riots which followed Sunday's parliamentary elections.

The 1949 meeting is Hialeah's 22nd racing season. The track opened in 1925, but did not operate in 1927, 1943, and 1945.



'GIANTS' AT FOOD FAIR — Pictured above are the giant salami sausage and Wisconsin cheddar cheese which will be displayed in Big Spring Tuesday in connection with the Furr Food 45th anniversary celebration. These two "largest in the world" will be at the local Furr store Wednesday, May 4, from 8:30 a. m. to 10:30 a. m. These attractions were built for the Furr Food Fair. The 14-foot sausage was built in Fort Worth, the cheese was made in Wisconsin. Visitors will have chance to win a year's supply of each product (a pound a week for a year) by visiting the truck show when it appears here Wednesday. These awards are a part of the \$50,000 prize program which is a feature of the Furr Food Fair.

Texas Congressmen Feted In Washington

WASHINGTON, May 3. (AP)—Texas congressmen and their wives were guests at a dinner given by a Lone Star delegation which came here for a U. S. Chamber of Commerce meeting.

Joe W. Evans, Houston cotton man and former president of its chamber, presided at the dinner last night.

The East and West Texas Chambers of Commerce and local chambers of Houston, Dallas, Fort Worth, Austin and San Antonio were sponsors.

Representatives from the various chambers attending the dinner included: Hubert Harrison, Longview; John R. Alford, Henderson; W. S. Bellows and W. N. Blanton, Houston; D. A. Hulcy and J. Ben Critz, Dallas; Homer Covey and William Holden, Fort Worth; Fred W. Catterall, Jr., Austin; Walter McAllister and James V. Goodwin, San Antonio.

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Kerr And Thomas Back Lake Texoma Development Plan

DENISON, May 3. (AP)—Oklahoma's Sens. Kerr and Thomas are supporting the \$800,000 full appropriation for development of Lake Texoma.

They notified the chamber of commerce here of their stand by telegrams.

The U. S. Corps of Engineers' original recommendation was slashed to \$425,000 by the budget bureau. The money would be used for an extensive development program at the lake.

Mississippi will play three night football games next fall, against Auburn in Mobile on Sept. 24, Boston College in Boston on Oct.

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Local People Should Take Pride In Trend For Cultural Advance

Big Spring people should take a full measure of pride in the accomplishment of music students in the interscholastic league festival in San Angelo during the past weekend.

The municipal high school band took first division rating in marching and sight-reading, only one step under the maximum of "superior." It also earned a second division rating for concert playing, a grade that might have been raised except for circumstances which precluded use of several key players.

Ensembles and soloists earned 11 first division ratings for their work, seven second division ratings, and a trio of third division ratings. These figures ought to confirm locally held views that the band is making steady and commendable progress.

The girl's high school chorus gained a third division rating, which is not to be frowned upon in view of the comparatively short history of this unit.

It is fitting to note, here in the midst of National Music week, that the art of music seems to be gaining a foothold among our youth, where it will pay the greatest dividends.

Those who have labored long to bring the cultural side of our community life abreast the material developments may take heart from the definite upward trend. Among adults we have a number of outstanding artists; among youth there is every promise that the field will be multiplied. The long struggle is beginning to bear fruits.

Superficial Evidences Not The Real Cause Of Home Weakness

National Family Week, for your information, is ostensibly being observed now for the purpose of focusing attention upon the importance of vital home units.

Perhaps it won't make any difference with most people, but if it serves to direct our meditations upon the necessity of stronger homes, then it will have accomplished a great deal of good.

No little of our confusion today stems from a weakening of the home structure. This is a patent fact; it is a threadbare truth. Under such circumstances, it seems that something could and should be done about it; yet nothing has proven so difficult to contemporary parents as grappling with this problem.

Causes are many, but most of what we

attribute as causes are superficial results rather than causes. The whirlpool tempo, the competitive bid for time, the year for entertainment, boredom in the family circles are examples.

Perhaps the fundamental cause is a parental selfishness and shallowness that has capitulated to substitutionary measures. The tragedy is a failure to recognize that homemaking is the highest and most important of callings, transcending personal pleasure, civic responsibility, and social obligations.

Most of us could well ask if ours are the sort of homes which our parents provided for us. If not, why not? If not, then we are withering on the vine and failing a most solemn duty.

Affairs Of The World—DeWitt MacKenzie

It's Tough On Indian Princes Not To Have Elephant To Name

INDIA IS HAPPY OVER THE HISTORIC agreement which permits her to become a republic and still remain a member of the British Commonwealth of Nations — without acknowledging the sovereignty of the king-emperor.

However, there are a few who are bound to be regretful. Outstanding among them are the hundreds of princes who have lost their thrones since India was granted independence and now see the severing of the last tie with the imperial "glories" of the past.

Since India gained her freedom the native principalities and their rulers have come under control of the New Delhi government.

IT IS WELL THAT THESE PRINCES should go, for they have no place in this age.

The story of the princes forms one of the striking pages of history. The pomp and splendor surrounding them had to be seen to be believed.

Many of the rulers had the power of life and death over their subjects. They paid

homage to only person—the king-emperor.

Back in 1916 I was for a fortnight the guest of the late Maharajah of Gwalior. We were chatting one day about the relationship between the princes and the British government, and he emphasized the importance of the position of the king-emperor in the minds of the rulers. They looked more to the sovereign than to his government.

"LET ME PUT IT THIS WAY," SAID his highness. "The princes are five shillings in the pound for the government and 15 shillings in the pound for his majesty."

And don't let anybody tell you that the British government didn't cultivate this reverence for the crown among the princes. This respect for royalty helped the government rightly in handling the frequently temperamental rulers.

So you see the new agreement, under which India doesn't recognize the sovereignty of the king-emperor, is a tough reminder of bygone days for the Maharajahs, some of whom haven't an elephant left to ride upon.

Nation Today—James Marlow

Congress Presses Toward Goal Of Early Summer Adjournment

WASHINGTON.—IT'S JUST BEGINNING to get good in Congress now. Meaning, there'll be a little more action.

Congress has passed the half-way mark in this year's session, with four months gone and maybe two or three left to go. Don't feel bad if you're an average person who's been reading about Congress for four months and find now you can't remember precisely what's happened here.

The fact is, nothing much has happened. It's been mostly talk, argument and jockeying.

The going has been pretty slow, particularly in the Senate, but the first few months of any session always drag.

That's because those months are always used in getting the big bills ready for debate and a vote in both House and Senate.

THEY'RE PRETTY MUCH TAKEN UP with log committee hearings on the bills, and the brigades of witnesses who make headlines.

About the only action completed by Congress—meaning House and Senate together—was passage of the new rent control law.

Aside from that, everything else has been pretty much up in the air, with action by the House on this, by the Senate on that, but seldom by both houses on any

Today's Birthday

MARY ASTOR, born May 3, 1906, in Quincy, Ill., as Lucille Langhanke. For more than 28 years she has played mother roles in the movies. After attending the Kenwood Loring School in Chicago, she started her screen career at the age of 14 in two-reel silent films. Since the advent of sound she has featured in "The Man With Two Faces," "Dodsworth," "The Maltese Falcon," "Meet Me in St. Louis," and "Cas Timberlane," among many others. Her director from Franklyn Thorpe in 1935 attracted wide attention. In 1937 she was married to Manuel Martinez del Campo of Mexico, from whom she was divorced in 1942. Three years later she was married to Thomas G. Wheelock. She has a son and a daughter.

"YOU'RE JUST A BUREAUCRAT LIVING OFFA THE PUBLIC



Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

American Food Is Being Farben-ized Under Cover Of Official Buck-Passing

WASHINGTON.—The American housewife doesn't know it, but more and more of the food she buys for her family contains the same basic "ersatz" ingredients which I. G. Farben, the notorious Nazi cartel, developed for German troops and civilians in the last war. The German people lived on "ersatz" during most of the war.

The extent of this Farben-izing of American food, unbeknown to the consumer, has been partially investigated by the Food and Drug Administration, which has been holding hearings on the use of synthetic substitutes for milk and shortening in bread.

However, the whole story hasn't been told the public, chiefly because of official buck-passing. Food and drug officials wring their hands and say they have no authority under the law for a full-fledged investigation. They admit, however, that more and more chemical substitutes are being used in various foods and that they do not know what the final result will be on the health of the nation.

Meanwhile Republican Rep. Frank Keefe of Wisconsin, who has been quizzing the food and drug administration, has made some startling disclosures about what goes into many of the things we eat. Keefe charges:

1.—That bread can and is being chemicalized to a point where it has little if any nutritional value; 2.—That non-nutritional chemicals, "mostly the result of the work of I. G. Farben chemists," are being palmed off on the unsuspecting public, in place of milk, fats and eggs in such foods as cake, doughnuts, cereal mixes, peanut butter, ice cream, candy, salad dressing, milk drinks, synthetic whipping cream, pickles and food flavors; 3.—Manufacturers and pharmaceutical houses that produce synthetic foodstuffs have not made adequate research to determine if the substitutes are poisonous. Keefe points out that seven persons died after using a substitute salt prepared for people who cannot use organic salt in their diet.

AHEAD OF NUTRITION
The synthetic ingredient which many bakers now use in bread is a compound of polyoxyethylene glycol and stearic acid, known as polyoxyethylene monostearate. Stearic acid is derived from animal fats, but polyoxyethylene glycol, a substance similar to purified anti-freeze for automobiles, has no nutritional value.

I. G. Farben experimented widely with polyoxyethylene products as a base for "ersatz" German foods during the war. The American compound is produced chiefly by the Atlas Powder Company of Wilmington, Del., and Glyco Products Company of Brooklyn and is distributed in slightly different forms under the trade names "Sta-Soft" and "Myl-45." Both keep bread soft for a long period, so that a housewife who feels a loaf in a grocery store thinks she is getting oven-fresh bread.

In fact, this deceptive quality—plus a pleasing taste the chemical given to bread—is the chief selling point of its distributors. Vernon C. Usher, Inc., of Chicago, which makes a somewhat similar synthetic compound called "To-Soft," frankly states, in his literature to the baking trade:

"In speaking of higher quality, we mean products that not only look good, but are appealing to the sense of taste as well. . . . bakery goods that are not overburdened with fats and other richness to the point where substantially less is eaten.

"We believe that every person—man, woman or child—eats and drinks only that which appeals to the sense of taste, with little or no thought of nutritive value; so, we emphasize, again, that higher quality bakery goods, in our opinion, are attained by balancing formulas to a point where they are not overburdened with rich substances which, in the end, tend to discourage and decrease consumption."

DEPARTMENT WARNING
One government agency that is carefully watching on this nutritional question is the Department of Agriculture. The department foresees not only higher support prices for surplus dairy products, costing the taxpayers millions, but a serious economic threat to dairy farming if baking chemicals come into wide vogue.

In a confidential report prepared for Agriculture Secretary Charles Brannan, Ralph Triggs, chief of the Production and Marketing Division, points out:

"It is our opinion that the department should object to the approval of chemical softeners as acceptable ingredients in baking formulas, because of the effect on the health of the nation, since evidence indicates that the substitution of chemical softeners for fats, eggs and milk considerably reduces the food value of the product.

If the facts warrant, and if the Food and Drug Administration, because of statutory limitations, is unable to prevent or limit the use of synthetics as substitutes for natural foods in bakery products, we would further suggest that the department request new legislation on this matter."

ON NEW MEXICO
When the President is pleased, his face lights up and two dimples pop into his cheeks. Thus his face gave him away the other day over prospects of returning to old haunts in New Mexico.

He was invited to slip down to Santa Fe, this fall for the 100th anniversary of New Mexico's pioneer paper, the Santa Fe New Mexican, making the plea was General Manager George N. Reynolds, who called at the White House with New Mexico's two senators, Dennis Chavez and Clinton Anderson.

Truman wouldn't make any flat promises to attend, but he recalled with a chuckle his early experiences in the state. He had visited New Mexico in 1909 and again in 1924, he related. Both times he had stopped to rummage through an old curio shop and chat with the owner, the late J. S. Candelario. One prize item Candelario showed off was a trunk which he said had belonged to Lew Wallace, early New Mexico governor and author of "Ben Hur."

Truman recalled how Candelario had told him with a broad wink: "If I sell that one, it will be the ninth one I have sold."

HOLLYWOOD—For most of her life, people have been telling Judy Garland she will lose her voice if she doesn't stop singing so loudly. Today she is still going strong—and as loud as ever. In one of her rare moments of talking about herself for print, Judy reflected on her voice:

"Sometimes it's so loud it surprises me. That's the way I've always sung. I've never strained my voice, possibly because I use the right muscles in my throat. "When I was a kid in vaudeville, people would say I'd lose my voice before I got much older. That alarmed my mother, so she sent me to a vocal coach. "The first lesson had me trying to blow off a piece of paper pasted on my forehead. 'Breath control,' she said. Next she had me singing with a pencil in my teeth. "Poor diction," she said. I told her I didn't usually sing with a pencil in my teeth. "When Judy revolted against such methods, the teacher said, 'You don't want to sing like Kate Smith, do you?' "If I'm lucky, yes," 12-year-old Judy replied.

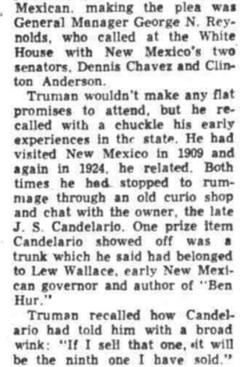
She hasn't had a lesson since. She can't even read music today. Her new songs are played or sung to her and she catches on that way. She never practices between pictures and doesn't sing in the bathtub.

And though she has danced with Fred Astaire and Gene Kel-

ly on the screen, she has never had a dancing lesson. "I think a lot of young talent is dried up by too many lessons," she opined on the "Annie Get Your Gun" set. "If you've got it, it usually comes out anyway."

WORD-A-DAY
By BACH

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Around The Rim—The Herald Staff

Civilian Dog Tag May Be Latest Boon To Humanity In Atomic Age

Looks like we're going back to Army days again. At least, we seem rather willing to pick up some Army traits and make them civilian.

Recently, a New York police surgeon suggested that all civilians carry an identification "dog tag" and from reports issued in a Gallup Poll it looks like a lot of people would be willing to support his program. Some 84 per cent of the people questioned said they thought it would be a good idea to require everyone to carry an identification tag giving his name, residence and blood type to be used in case of accident. Ninety per cent reported that they would be willing to carry the tags.

The advocate of the civilian dog tag is Dr. Carleton Simon of the New York Association of Chiefs of Police and his argument is that such identification can be the means of saving lives in the event of serious accident. We're not too fond of his idea, but we do think it might be helpful to those people who insist on traveling long distances alone and often end up with a

serious accident or illness. Their finders would have a little better idea about what to do next. This would often be as valuable as the blood type indicated on the disk.

Most ex-servicemen seem to feel that identification disks were a nuisance and frequently became discolored, but there are also many reports which state that speed in giving a blood transfusion spelled the difference between recovery and death. The time which it takes to classify an injured person's blood may mean too little time to save a life.

With the interest in blood donors which came during the war, most of us know our blood type, but that doesn't always mean we would be able to give such information at a time when we need a transfusion quickly.

Maybe the 90 per cent of interviewers were smart when they stated they would be willing to wear dog tags. Dog tags might be a good idea, but we fear there will be a revolution if anyone ever has the bright idea that we should all start eating dog biscuits.—MILDRED YOUNG

Notebook—Hal Boyle

Keeping Female Figure Requires A Good Deal Of CBA Figuring

NEW YORK.—IT TAKES A LOT OF figuring to keep the female figure in bounds.

And that watchdog of the womanly bulge, the Corset and Brassiere Association of America, has come up with a few well-rounded statistics.

It has found that no one shape seems to satisfy the girls for long. The only thing about the feminine contour that has remained unchanged since Cleopatra's day is the shoulder. (Eds. note: It is as cold as ever.)

Researchers of the CBA have discovered the American woman of today is no longer the wasp-waisted stringbean of yore. She's more billowy than willow.

PUT IN TERMS OF A MATHEMATICAL formula, the average woman now is 5 feet 3 inches tall and weighs 133 pounds. She has a 35½-inch bust, 29-inch waist and 38-inch hips.

At least these are the typical measure-

ments of the women who buy foundation garments. And 85 per cent of those over 15 years of age do.

The farmer's daughter is shorter and wider at the beam than her city sister. And the rich girl has a scrawnier chassis than the working girl.

One survey showed that only about one out of 15 women has the classic measurement—a "perfect 36."

PERHAPS THIS HELPS EXPLAIN THE Corset and Brassiere Association's contention that 55 million American women figure they have a figure problem—and do something about it.

Some 300 American firms, employing more than 17,000 persons, each year turn out 100 million brassieres, 5 million "falsies" or bust pads, and 41 million girdles and corsets.

Today the industry's best customer is the best-dressed girl in the world—the American working girl. She buys four brassieres and two girdles a year.

Broadway—Mark Barron

Ralph Bellamy Gets Script Of 'Detective Story' Just In Time

NEW YORK—Ralph Bellamy had his luggage half-packed, had closed all his affairs in the East and was prepared to quit Broadway and go back to Hollywood for good when a messenger boy knocked on his door. He handed him the script for Sidney King's hit melodrama, "Detective Story." Bellamy immediately unpacked, changed his mind and happily decided to stay on Broadway.

The tall, blond, broad-shouldered actor recalled that his first play on Broadway, "Town Boy," lasted for only two performances. But it brought him movie offers which kept him in Hollywood for twelve years to play in more than 80 films.

Fran Warren, the thrush who has sung in front of Charlie Barnet's and Claude Thornhill's bands, has a low, throaty voice. But once in a while when she gets a song that needs some good, loud singing she can come through with notes that make the roof quiver.

When asked where she had trained herself for such good, loud warbling, he said: "Why, I started singing with the James Monroe High School in New York City. And when you have to be heard above a high school band, you have to be

louder than the loudest."

Lucy Kelston, the Brooklyn girl, finally made her debut at the La Scala Opera House in Milan, Italy, but it was a rough road. Being a student opera singer and also an American, her only chance at the famed La Scala was to wait in the wings in case one of the regular Italian stars failed to appear.

Several weeks ago she cabled New York friends that she was to go on because a star had suddenly become ill. But a few minutes before curtain time the star had recovered enough to give her performance so young Miss Kelston was sidetracked again.

A few nights ago she got another chance, sang the lead in a Verdi opera and scored a heart warming triumph. And Miss Kelston is the girl whose Brooklyn neighbors used to phone for the police when she would begin practicing her high notes.

Joe Melizier sailed for Europe with a banner bon voyage. He designed the sets for "Death of a Salesman" and "South Pacific," both of which won several major prizes as the best shows of the Broadway season.

Today And Tomorrow—Walter Lippmann

Nationalist China's Fall Leaves U. S. Standing Alone In Orient

Mr. Acheson, like General Marshall before him, is under fairly heavy fire because he does not come forward with a plan of action for China.

Things have gone against us not only in China but in almost the whole Far East. Nothing in our foreign policy, except the defense of the Western Hemisphere, has been so settled and fixed as our friendly interest in China. It was our refusal to surrender China to Japan which made the conflict in the far Pacific irreconcilable and brought about the war with Japan. Yet now we see China passing into the hands of men who regard us as their enemies. And Japan, which we conquered in order to liberate China, has no future—except as a sullen and rebellious dependency which we have to govern, support, and defend if it is cut off from that Chinese mainland which is now controlled by men who are unfriendly to us.

The bitter truth is that the collapse of nationalist China has for the time being at least left us without strong friends or effective influence in the Far East. We are alone. Our European allies have interests but little power or influence. The British in Malaya, the French in Indo-China, and the Dutch in Indonesia have just about enough strength to hang on where they are in the hope that something can be saved by an orderly retreat.

The Marshall-Acheson policy, which is a policy of non-intervention in the Chinese civil war, is easily open to the criticism that it solves none of our problems. But the critics of this policy, especially the congressional critics, can fairly be asked whether they would in fact wish to involve

this country in a serious effort to turn the tide of the Chinese civil war.

There is, of course, a frivolous fringe who think or pretend to think that another billion dollars or thereabouts given to Chiang Kai Shek would make the difference. But no competent military man, beginning with General Marshall, who is a most competent military man, has ever supported the notion that a victory for nationalist China can be or could have been bought on cheap and easy terms.

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Outstanding Artists To Appear Thursday

The Texas State College for Women Modern Dance Group which will appear here Thursday at 8 p. m. under the sponsorship of the local American Association of University Women Chapter, was organized and is still directed by Dr. Anne Schley Duggan, Professor and Director of the Department of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation. Since 1939, she has been assisted by Jeanette Schlottmann, Mary Campbell, accompanist for the group, is also the composer of the music for many of the compositions. Dr. Duggan is an outstanding authority in dance education. She has served as a specialist in folk and tap dance as well as in modern dance, teaching refresher courses here in the United States at conventions and also in Canada. For five summers (1942-1946) she taught at the University of the Dance, Jacob's Pillow, Lee, Massachusetts, which in 1946 was attended by many members of the group under the G. I. Bill of Rights. Dr. Duggan is the author of numerous books and articles on dance in education. During the past decade, Dr. Duggan has contributed in large measure to the establishment of the modern dance as a vital art in the Southwest. Her vision for the values of dance as a creative, enriching experience for young women has prompted her work in this direction and has inspired them to artistic expression.

Miss Schlottmann has studied dance with Dr. Duggan at the Texas State College for Women and has danced in Master Classes held on the campus conducted by leading dance exponents in America. She has been a member of the Modern Dance Group since its organization and has continued to appear as a solo performer with the group since the completion of her Master's Degree and affiliation with the college as an instructor in the Department of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation. Miss Schlottmann was awarded a full scholarship at the Mattier Farm Studios in New Hampshire for the summer session of 1943. She assisted Dr. Duggan in her teaching at the University of the Dance, Jacob's Pillow, Lee, Massachusetts, during the summers of 1942 and 1943. She collaborated with Dr. Duggan in the production of "The Folk Dance Library" comprising of five volumes which include not only the music and accompaniments for all dances analyzed but background materials pertaining to geography, history, sociology, festivals, and costumes for various regions into which the units of The Folk Dance Library have been divided.

This is Miss Campbell's fifth year with the TSCW Modern Dance Group; she came directly from Ted Shawn's University of the Dance, Jacob's Pillow, Lee, Massachusetts. As a colleague and accompanist for many outstanding dancers of the Twentieth Century, Miss Campbell has been intimately associated with the development of the modern dance in America. A native of New England, Miss Campbell is a graduate of the Faxon Piano School in Boston and studied dance accompaniment at the Wigman-Schule, Dresden, Germany. As a professional accompanist, Miss Campbell was associated with the Bragott-Denishawn School in Boston and accompanied Miss St. Denis and Mr. Shawn on their last tour of the United States. She was accompanist for Shawn on his European solo tour. In 1940, Miss Campbell went to South America as accompanist-composer for Miriam Winslow and Foster Fitz-Simmons, first North American modern dancers to appear in South America. Miss Campbell is keenly interested in Modern Dance in America; her sensitive understanding of movement as a medium of art expression makes her accompaniments a truly integral part of dance composition.

Miss Patti McDaniel, tutor and graduate student in the Department of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation, is appearing again this year with the Texas State College for Women Modern Dance Group as soloist and member of the ensemble.

Marion Nicoll, a senior health, physical education, and recreation student at TSCW, is president of the Modern Dance Group; Peggy Lawler, a junior English student, is secretary. Della Brennen, senior major in the Department of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation, is percussion accompanist of the Modern Dance Group.

Costumes for the Modern Dance Group are under the direction of Mrs. Alois Storrie, accompanist in the Department of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation. Marie Delaney of the Fine Arts Department, an authority in the field of costume design, serves as a consultant in the planning of the costumes.

Members of the Modern Dance Group include Bessie Akagi, Nancy Ball, Edith Breitenbach, Joan Collard, Betty Hill, Ruth Helen Knoepfl, Peggy Lawler, Patti McDaniel, Helen Troy Martin, Marion Nicoll, Lynette Poole, Jeanette Schlottmann, Kathryn Soontag and Claire Williams.

Betsy Cunningham, dramatic soprano and a native of Arlington, Tenn., is a postgraduate voice student of Dr. Stella Owsley, Professor of voice at the Texas State College for Women and an outstanding vocal authority in the Southwest. Miss Cunningham is an attractive young woman gifted with a beautiful soprano voice. She has sung successfully in many concerts and as soloist on tour with the Texas State College for Women Symphony Orchestra and with the Modern Dance Group. During the present tour with the Modern Dance Group, Miss Cunningham will sing the vocal accompaniments for the dances comprising the "Negro Spiritual Suite." In conjunction with the formal concerts, Miss Cunningham will also sing a solo group of songs including "O Patria Mia" from "Aida" by Verdi, "Sheep and Lambs" by Homer, "Auld Daddy Darkness" by Homer, "Little Polly Flinders" by Diack (with apologies to Mozart), and "The Nightingale" by Stephens. When the Modern Dance Group appears in lecture-demonstrations on the high school assembly programs, Miss Cunningham will sing a solo group of songs including: "A Grand Night for Singing" by Rodgers, "Sheep and Lambs" by Homer, "Auld Daddy Darkness" by Homer, "Little Polly Flinders" by Diack (with apologies to Mozart).

Critics of Texas and of the Southwest at large predict a successful future for this young Tennessee girl and feel that in due time she will take her rightful place among the leading singers of today.



TO INVESTIGATE ROMANCE RUMORS — Dr. Peter Lindstrom, husband of actress Ingrid Bergman (both above), went to Italy to investigate rumors of a romance between his wife and Italian film director Roberto Rossellini. John Vernon, her personal representative said in Los Angeles. The couple are shown in Hollywood in October, 1947. (AP Wirephoto).

Ingrid Walks Stromboli's Shore Hunting Design For Happy Living

ROME, May 3 (U)—Like any girl in love, Ingrid Bergman walked Stromboli's sunny shore today hunting a design for happy living.

In her heart was the answer to a question which might have been lifted from one of her Hollywood scripts:

Did she love Roberto Rossellini, storied genius of Italy's film world, as Italian newspapers reported? Or were there more happy years ahead with her doctor-husband, Peter Arn Lindstrom, whose marriage with the actress has for years been about as near an idyl as Hollywood could boast?

Nobody knew the answer—except the 31-year-old film star.

But Robert Conway of the New York Daily News, who talked with her for four hours on Stromboli, said Miss Bergman had "tactfully confirmed" that she is in love with Rossellini.

Conway quoted Ingrid as saying she and Rossellini "wanted to keep it quiet."

She refused to deny that she will divorce Dr. Lindstrom, father of her daughter, Conway cabled his paper.

But Dr. Lindstrom still had to be heard from.

His dramatic half-way-around-the-world flight from Los Angeles resulted in a face-to-face meeting with his wife, film circles said. What the results were no one knew.

Another question mark was whether Rossellini was free to marry. He has been separated from the mother of his children for some time Italian press reports said. But there has been no confirmation of rumors that he received a recent Hungarian divorce.

Rossellini, producer of "Paisan" and "The Open City," and Miss Bergman are making a picture, "Of God's Earth," on Stromboli, a volcanic island between Sicily and Italy.

Some cynics, talking not of the film in the making, still thought the real-life romance might be a publicity stunt. But most reporters seemed to be taking it seriously.

Flower School Is In Progress

Approximately 25 women were attending the flower judging and arrangement school this morning at the Settles Hotel. Others were expected to be in attendance before the first day's session closed late this afternoon.

Mrs. C. E. Beavers was the leader for a study concerning horticulture.

Registration for the second day will be held at 8:30 a. m. Wednesday. Mrs. Inez Adrian Hamilton will be in charge of the second and final day sessions which will deal with flower arrangement.

Mrs. Stella Yates Leads Bible Study

Mrs. Stella Yates led the Bible study Monday for the West Side Baptist W.M.U. at the church.

She took the lesson from I Samuel through the third chapter of I Kings. Mrs. J. C. Madry sang "When I See the Blood"; Mrs. C. L. Kirkland gave the invocation and Mrs. Emma Byers pronounced the benediction. The W.M.U. voted to take an offering Sunday for Baptist hospitals.

Attending were Mrs. Guy Simmons, Mrs. L. C. Gibbs, Mrs. Byers, Mrs. E. O. Sanderson, Mrs. Cecile Rhodes, Mrs. A. J. Lloyd, Mrs. T. E. Sanders, Mrs. Kirkland, Mrs. Vera McCristian, Ruby Rutledge, Mrs. Yates and Mrs. J. R. Phillips.

Girl Scout Leaders Training School Set

Local Girl Scout leaders are being asked to attend an arts and crafts training school to be held in Sweetwater Thursday from 10 a. m. to 12 p. m. and 1 p. m. to 3 p. m. Transportation will be furnished. Those who will furnish transportation are asked to contact Mrs. Ross Boykin.

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One of the highlights of the local P-TA Council will take place Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock when new council and unit officers will be installed in the high school gym. A council meeting will be held and there will be a school of instruction for the new officers. This meeting will about wind up activities for the 1948-49 school year. It's been a good year for the organization and we extend our congratulations and best wishes for 1949-50.

"Your School On Air" To Be Heard Wednesday

"Your School On The Air" will be broadcast Wednesday at 3:00 p. m. by the third and sixth grades of the East Ward school under the direction of Mrs. Bill Griesse and Elfa Schrank, radio chairman of the East Ward school. W. C. Blankenship, superintendent of schools, will give a brief talk.

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Family Reunion Is Held At Knott; Many Visits And Visitors Reported

KNOTT, May 3 (Sp)—A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burchell Sunday. Present were Sgt. and Mrs. R. D. Burchell and son, Camp Carson, Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dangel and son, Philadelphia, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burchell and daughter, W. A. Landon, Waldon Burchell, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Curry and Jan, and Mrs. W. M. Hilborn, Big Spring.

Mrs. W. N. Irwin is visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Anders in Dallas. Mrs. L. T. Johnson, Mrs. J. C. Spalding and Mary Ann spent the week end in Sweetwater and attended the T. P. singing convention.

Sunday guests in the C. G. Ditto home were Mrs. M. M. Ditto and Mrs. A. E. Cockrell. Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Hughes, Big Spring, visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Hughes, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Airheart and Nelda Fay Latty visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Elliott and family in Westbrook Sunday.

Attending the funeral of Joe L. Parks in Alpine Friday were: Mrs. James Jeffcoat, Mrs. S. W. Windom and Billy Jo Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Nichols are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Martin in Fredricksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Drayton Hawthorne of Anson visited Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Caffey Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Burks and family were Sunday guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Burks. A group of seniors went to Abilene Saturday to attend Field Day at Hardin-Simmons University. Making the trip were Wanda Lee Robinson, La Rue Tate, Maurine Chapman, Gerald Cockrell, Miss Tompkins, Mrs. T. M. Robinson and Mrs. Fred Roman.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Autry were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lloyd.

Mrs. J. C. Spalding entertained Friday with a Stanley party. Mrs. C. B. Nunley, Big Spring, directed games and contests. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Roy Phillips and Patsy, Big Spring, Mrs. Elsie Smith, Mrs. Oliver Nichols, Mrs. C. A. Burks, Mrs. C. S. Ross, Mrs. Robert Brown, Mrs. Grady Hodnett, Mrs. Frank Hodnett, Mrs. Fred Roman, Mrs. J. B. Sample, Mrs. Richard Thomas and Mrs. Cecil Allred.

Robinson, Wanda Lee, Joyce, Carol and Martha, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roman, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roman, Wanda Jean, Donnie and Judy.

Rev. R. D. Hill of Klondike visited the Fred Romans Sunday afternoon.

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...BUT IT LOOKS LIKE HE'S GOT A BUSINESS ALREADY! HMM!

DICKIE DARE

DIKIE, MIBRE YOU CAN MASQUERADE IN THIS OUTFIT--A DRESS!
BOSH! I'D WEAR MY BVD'S FIRST!
WHY 'T' WE JUST GO AS WE ARE AN BE DIFF' RENT!
THE NIGHT OF THE EXPLORERS COSTUME BALL HAS ARRIVED-- AND SO WITHOUT FAILURE, DO OUR HONORED GUESTS--
BIG--I DWD IN THERE!
LET'S GO BACK TO TH' NICE QUIET JUNGLE!
YEAH!

OAKIE DOAKS

MADAME SHASTA YOU'VE PUT AN EVIL SPELL ON KING CORNY! HE ISN'T THE KIND TO RUSH INTO MARRIAGE!
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KRLD-Benah	KRLD-We The People	KRLD-You and Your Doctor
WBAP-Supper Club	WBAP-Job Hope	WBAP-Life Can Be Beautiful
8:15 KRST-Elmer Davis	KRLD-We The People	10:30 KRST-Odesa-BS Baseball
WBAP-Faistaff Serenade	WBAP-Tob Hope	KRLD-Wrestling Matches
8:30 KRST-Counter Spy	KRLD-Strike R Rich	WBAP-Dream Nocturne
WBAP-Emil Cole Glee Club	WBAP-Fiber McOes	KRLD-Dance Orchestra
9:00 KRST-News	KRLD-Hi the Jackpot	WBAP-Dream Nocturne
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KRLD-Mr. Ace and Jane	WBAP-People are Funny	11:30 KRST-Dance Orchestra
WBAP-Alan Young Show	10:30 KRST-Odesa-BS Baseball	KRLD-CBS Dance Orch.
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WBAP-Alan Young Show		KRLD-CBS Dance Orch.

WEDNESDAY MORNING

6:00 KRST-Midday Time	8:00 KRST-Breakfast Club	10:00 KRST-News
KRLD-Sheley's Almanac	KRLD-News	KRLD-Arthur Godfrey
WBAP-Sons of Pioneers	WBAP-Morning News	WBAP-Life Can Be Beautiful
6:15 KRST-Midday Time	8:15 KRST-Breakfast Club	10:15 KRST-Portals in Melody
KRLD-Sheley's Almanac	KRLD-News	KRLD-Arthur Godfrey
WBAP-News Editor	KRLD-Sentinel Serenade	WBAP-Roads in Melody
WBAP-News	WBAP-Hank Kenne	WBAP-Roads of Life
6:30 KRST-Musical Clock	8:30 KRST-Breakfast Club	10:30 KRST-Ted Malone
KRLD-Stamp's Quartet	KRLD-Music Room	KRLD-Grand Slam
WBAP-News Editor	WBAP-Top Ricers Boys	WBAP-Big Singers
WBAP-News	8:45 KRST-News	10:45 KRST-Melodies of Yesterday
6:45 KRST-Musical Clock	KRLD-News	KRLD-Whispering Willows
KRLD-Newsland Echoes	WBAP-Fascinating Rhythm	WBAP-Lora Layton
WBAP-Sheep Woolley	9:00 KRST-Martin Agronsky	11:00 KRST-Welcome Travelers
6:55 KRST-Martin Agronsky	KRLD-Grade Club	KRLD-Warren & News
KRLD-Morning News	WBAP-News Editor	WBAP-News
WBAP-News & Set Carlton	9:15 KRST-My True Story	11:15 KRST-Welcome Travelers
7:00 KRST-My True Story	KRLD-Musical Album	KRLD-Aunt Jemima
KRLD-Stop for Music	WBAP-Fred Waring	WBAP-Hugh Waddell
WBAP-Early Birds	9:30 KRST-Betty Crocker	11:30 KRST-Chiropractor
7:30 KRST-News	KRLD-Arthur Godfrey	KRLD-Sports Page
WBAP-Early Birds	WBAP-News	11:45 KRST-Hank Kenne
7:45 KRST-Sons of Pioneers	KRLD-Earl Wrighton, Songs	12:00 KRST-Hank Kenne
KRLD-Holland Engle Show	WBAP-Arthur Godfrey	12:15 KRST-Hank Kenne
WBAP-Early Birds	WBAP-The Brighter Day	12:30 KRST-Hank Kenne

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

12:00 KRST-Dechler Talking	3:00 KRST-Talk your way out of it	4:00 KRST-Platter Party
KRLD-Stamp's Quartet	KRLD-David Hartum	KRLD-News & Markets
WBAP-News	WBAP-News and Markets	WBAP-Whip a Guy Married
12:15 KRST-Bing Sings	3:15 KRST-Talk your way out of it	4:15 KRST-Platter Party
KRLD-News	KRLD-Hilltop House	KRLD-Musical Notebook
WBAP-Mary Cox	WBAP-Perkins Cox	WBAP-Portals in Melody
12:30 KRST-News	3:30 KRST-Sports Party	4:30 KRST-Serenade For You
KRLD-Jumper Junction	KRLD-Mum About Town	KRLD-News & Markets
WBAP-Jumper Junction	WBAP-Pepper Young	WBAP-Young Dr. Malone
12:45 KRST-Luncheon Serenade	3:45 KRST-House Party	4:45 KRST-Afternoon Devotion
WBAP-Judy and Jane	KRLD-Mum About Town	KRLD-Pop Quiz
1:00 KRST-Focal Varieties	WBAP-Sign to Happiness	WBAP-Young Dr. Malone
KRLD-Rosemary	3:50 KRST-D-TA	4:50 KRST-Afternoon Devotion
WBAP-Double or Nothing	KRLD-Hunt Hum	WBAP-Young Dr. Malone
1:15 KRST-BS Livestock Auction	WBAP-Backstage Wife	5:00 KRST-Challenge of Tubon
KRLD-Quidding Light	4:00 KRST-Challenge of Tubon	KRLD-News & Markets
WBAP-Double or Nothing	4:15 KRST-Challenge of Tubon	KRLD-News & Markets
1:30 KRST-Bridge and Grooms	4:30 KRST-Edhel and Albert	5:30 KRST-Jack Armstrong
KRLD-News	KRLD-Winner Take All	KRLD-News & Markets
WBAP-Today's Children	WBAP-Lorenzo Jones	WBAP-Perky Maass
1:45 KRST-Bride and Grooms	4:45 KRST-E and A. Roosevelt	5:45 KRST-Jack Armstrong
WBAP-Easy Aces	KRLD-Beat The Clock	KRLD-News & Markets
2:00 KRST-Lights of the World	WBAP-Young Wilder Steve	WBAP-News

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Precious stones
2. Frequent breakfast
3. Insect
12. Wild animal
14. Later comb
15. Smooth
16. Virtue
18. Seraph
20. Grasp
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23. Gained at chance
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26. Vary black
27. Wards off
28. Obliquely
29. Demolish
30. Engrave with acid
31. Perceive
40. Entreat
41. English author
42. Fleet of the also
43. Relating to man
44. Land measure
55. Row
56. Son of Seth
57. Church sitting
58. Bottom of
59. Let it stand

DOWN

1. Festival
2. To such a degree
3. Italian painter
4. Mixed rain and snow
5. Tree
6. Hottentot musical instrument
7. Serpent
8. Tropical cuckoo
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After weeks of informal harmonizing, the alphabetical Barbershoppers (Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America) held their first formal meeting Monday evening.

Officials Of Texas Underwriters Group Are Guests Here

Richard N. Lewis and Mortimer Buckley, president and vice-president, respectively, of the Texas Life Underwriters Association were guests at a called meeting of directors from the Big Spring Life Underwriters organization Tuesday morning in the Settles.

WEATHER

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy, continued warm today, tonight and Wednesday. High today 89, low tonight 67, high tomorrow 92.

TEMPERATURES table with columns for City, Max, and Min. Includes cities like Abilene, Amarillo, Big Spring, Chicago, Denver, etc.

MARKETS

COTTON NEW YORK May 3 (AP)—Noon cotton prices were 40 to 80 cents a bale higher than the previous close.

LIVESTOCK MAY 3 (AP)—Cattle 1,200; calves 400; sheep steady; medium and good slaughter steers and yearlings 24.00-24.50.

WALL STREET NEW YORK, May 3 (AP)—Paint downward tendency appeared in the stock market today but the trend—if it was a trend—was not decisive.

PHOTOGRAPHY 1005 Wood Phone 1477

Robber Co. Official To Be In Charge Of Tire Meeting Here



H. J. BOBBITT

H. J. Bobbitt, Dallas, district sales manager for the Seiberling Rubber Co., will be in charge of a meeting for area tire dealers here Wednesday which will bring high officials of the company to Big Spring.

\$79,685 Total For Building Here In April Shown

Estimated costs of construction projects authorized in Big Spring during April totaled \$79,685, according to the monthly summary compiled by F. W. Bette, city building inspector.

Two Corpus Christi Persons Missing

CORPUS CHRISTI, May 3 (AP)—A Corpus Christi teacher and his wife were missing today after going fishing Sunday in Corpus Christi Bay in a 12-foot skiff.

Held In Theft

Charges of theft have been filed against Roy Lee Smith, a Negro arrested by members of the city police force Monday and transferred to the custody of the county.

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Former Resident Of County Is Honored Leland L. Martin, former Howard county school man, has been elected head of a new organization, the Permian Basin School Board and Men's association.

Annual Brown County Reunion Set May 15 Date for the annual reunion of former Brown county residents has been set for May 15, according to Ora Ellis, Plainview, secretary of the organization.

Legislature Waits On Taxation Issue

AUSTIN, May 3 (AP)—The 51st Legislature's course on new taxation today was still "wait and see." With many appropriations bills slowly grinding through the committee mill, the House committee on revenue and taxation last night checked the problem of possible new income to a subcommittee for study.

Spain May Get Loan From U. S. Government

WASHINGTON, May 3 (AP)—The State Department has given Spain permission to negotiate directly with the export-import bank for an American government loan.

Mrs. Clanton Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. Morris Clanton was honored for a pink and blue shower given Saturday in the home of Mrs. J. O. Hayes, 1101 Lancaster.

High Percentage Of Female Jobless Is Indicated Here

Percentage of female unemployed is growing more rapidly than that among males, an incomplete but perhaps indicative survey here shows.

Yesterday's Results

Baseball Calendar table with columns for TEAM, W, L, PCT. Includes teams like San Angelo, Odessa, Big Spring, etc.

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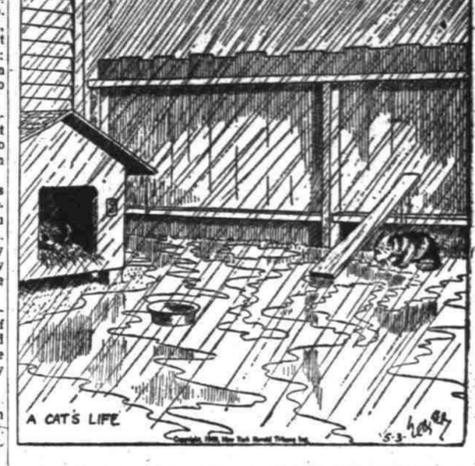
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SAYS LORD WAS HOMOSEXUAL

Hester Once More Changes His Story

CLEBURNE, May 3. (UP)—Arthur Clayton Hester, convicted slayer of Dr. John Lord, twice has changed his trial testimony that Dr. Lord was a homosexual.

Waiting in jail here to be taken to the state prison where he faces a 50-year prison sentence, Hester yesterday said Dr. Lord was a sex pervert. Hours later he reversed and said, "Dr. Lord was a homosexual, just like I said to start with, my statement was untrue. I made it because I thought it would help me."

Hester was convicted last Saturday of the bludgeoning of Dr. Lord, 70, dean of the graduate school at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth. Dr. Lord had taken Hester off the streets and given him a home.

The handsome, evert jaunty youth of 18, appeared voluntarily in the office of Dist. Atty. John A. James yesterday. He had asked Sheriff Houston Walling to take him there so he could "clear some things up."

In an interview with Jack Proctor, Cleburne newspaper man, Hester said, "I wanted to clear the name of Dr. Lord because I really liked the old man."

In his signed statement to James Hester said: "I was afraid Mr. James would prosecute me again if I said I had lied during the trial. Dr. Lord was not a homosexual as I testified to and not at any time did he ever have an unnatural sexual relation with me or conduct himself in any manner that would lead me to believe him a homosexual."

Then he said to Proctor, "My life was at stake; I had to frame it."

Later, after questioning by the district attorney, Hester reversed himself the second time.

During his trial Hester said he beat the educator to death because he failed to keep a promise to lend him the family car if he would submit to an unnatural act.

He indicated these two factors were involved in the slaying on May 8.

Hester was arrested in Los Angeles March 12, after driving and hitch hiking there from the Lord home near Burleson, a short distance south of Fort Worth.

Seven Negroes Given Death On Rape Count

MARTINSVILLE, Va., May 3. (UP)—Death in the electric chair had been decreed today for seven Negro men found guilty of raping a white Martinsville housewife five months ago.

The last two of the seven defendants, James Luther Hairston, 19, and John Clabon Taylor, 20, were convicted last night by a Martinsville circuit court jury.

Hairston and Taylor were tried jointly on motion of their own attorneys. Their conviction climaxed the series of almost identical cases which opened April 18 after a motion for change of venue had been denied by Judge Kennon C. Whittle.

Eleven days of court proceedings were required for the seven to be tried and found guilty of raping Mrs. Ruby Stroud Floyd on the night of Jan. 8 as she walked in the Negro section of East Martinsville.

Identified by Mrs. Floyd as those who raped her "12 to 14 times" on the Danville and Western Railway tracks and in a nearby wood were James Hairston, Taylor, Joe Henry Hampton, 20; Frank Hairston, Jr., 19; Booker T. Miller, 20; Howard Lee Hairston, 19; and Francis Desales Grayson, 37.

State police produced at each of the trials statements of confession which they said the Negro men had signed. Nevertheless all the men pleaded not guilty when they faced the court.

Under Virginia law, the jury determines guilt and fixes the punishment in criminal cases.

Massachusetts Seeks Texan In Alleged Assault

BOSTON, May 3. (UP)—The government is trying again to bring a Texan back here to face federal charges of assaulting his mother-in-law and spiriting away his daughter.

The charged man is Louis Bob Conley, 29, ex-Army sergeant from Amarillo.

Many people in Amarillo, local authorities said they understood, have contributed to a Conley defense fund because they resented a Massachusetts judge's remark that "some southerners would just as soon beat a woman as a horse."

Yesterday the federal government prepared a brief outlining its case for Texas authorities. Court attaches said authorities hoped Conley would be returned by court order or would return here voluntarily in time for the June session.

Conley is under a Plymouth County, Mass., indictment for the second time. The first indictment was found faulty. The indictment alleges Conley assaulted his mother-in-law with a dangerous weapon and took away his daughter, Lynette, 3.

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U. S. Family Doctor's Importance Stressed As Medical Meet Opens

SAN ANTONIO, May 3. (UP)—The president of the state medical association says it is the family doctor, not the specialist, who must look after the nation's health.

Dr. Tate Miller, Dallas, estimates 90 per cent of the ailments of humanity can be treated by the family doctor.

Miller spoke yesterday before the Texas Academy of General Practice, one of 11 medical groups to hold meetings preliminary to today's opening of the eighty-second annual session of the State Medical Assn. of Texas.

"Specialization has been given an undue amount of prominence," he said.

As Miller spoke before the academy, chairman of the association's public relations committee, was one of three doctors to attack the proposed federal legislation of insurance yesterday.

The others were Dr. H. E. Griffin, Graham, chairman of the committee on Medical Economics, and Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer.

New presidents of the medical organizations holding preliminary business sessions yesterday include: Dr. H. T. Jackson, Fort Worth, Texas Academy of General Practice; Dr. C. Hansford Brownless, Aus-



DR. TATE MILLER

tin, Texas Air-Medics Assn. Dr. A. T. Hanretta, Austin, Texas Neuropsychiatric Assn. Dr. Jesse M. White, Amarillo, Texas chapter, American College of Chest Physicians. Dr. Joe R. Gandy, Houston, Texas Society of Anesthesiologists.

HE'S LEARNING HIS JOB EARLY

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., May 3. (UP)—Richard Tabor, first-year medical student at West Virginia University, is learning his obstetrics the hard way.

He delivered his own son yesterday.

Tabor had called a doctor and arranged for a hospital room. But when he returned, the baby was on its way and he completed the delivery. His wife and the baby got to the hospital 30 minutes later. Both are "doing fine."

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