



Engineers Complete Bridge

An emergency pontoon bridge, built by Fourth Army engineers, has been put into operation between Laredo, Tex., and Nuevo Laredo, Mex. An engineer radio communications tent in the foreground has a sign in Spanish warning motorists to drive slowly across the temporary span bridging the Rio Grande. The International Bridge connecting the two cities was washed away last week by a record flood. (AP Wirephoto).

IN SURPRISE VISIT

Mexican President Sees Flood Damage

The President of Mexico was a surprise visitor Thursday along the flood-ravaged Rio Grande border country. Without advance notice, president Ruiz Cortines flew to the border Wednesday. He conferred first with Mexican officials at Piedras Negras, across the river from Eagle Pass, Tex., and then went to Nuevo Laredo, sister city of Laredo, Tex. The presidential plane was expected to show up at other Mexican border cities Thursday and Friday. The American Red Cross sent its national director of disaster services, R. T. Schaeffer, flying from Washington to the Texas border country Thursday. Schaeffer, who disclosed the Red Cross expects the cost of its relief work in Texas and Mexico will total 1 1/2 million dollars, was to

confer with spokesmen for border cities during the day. He said the 1 1/2 million dollar figure was a preliminary estimate and that his conferences this week on what further help is needed may produce a more exact figure. Meanwhile traffic and communications between border cities was being restored. Del Rio, Tex., got its first normal mail delivery since flood waters stopped Southern Pacific train service on June 26. Railroad service through Del Rio was restored and foot traffic across the Rio Grande started again. At Laredo, vehicles began making their cautious way across the one-lane pontoon bridge built by U.S. Army engineers. Thousands of pedestrians made the long, hot walk. The Red Cross' central office at Del Rio said it had received 1,778 applications for assistance from families at Laredo, Eagle Pass, Orma and Del Rio. The greatest number was from Laredo, where 1,219 applications were made. The Red Cross said 650 homes were destroyed at Laredo, 722 had major flood damage and 1,064 minor damage. Laredo meanwhile asked the Federal Civil Defense Administration for \$670,000 for temporary repairs of flood damage. Col. E. V. Hardwick, officer in charge of the FCDA task force at Laredo, said the city asked \$404,000 for rehabilitating its water plant, \$21,000 for roads, bridges and abutments but not including the International Bridge, and the remainder for a sewer plant, insect control, and sanitation work. State Disaster Relief Headquarters disclosed it has cleared the first application for a Rio Grande flood disaster relief project. The Maverick County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 asked \$161,800 for restoration and repair of a canal which had furnished water for 1,200 families and livestock in the area.

Five More Duval Indictments In

SAN DIEGO, Tex. (AP)—The Duval County grand jury went ahead with its investigations today after the State Supreme Court cleared the way for trial of indictments the jury has returned. The state's highest court yesterday refused a petition by Asst. Dist. Atty. John G. Gonzales seeking to force his reinstatement as prosecutor in the pending South Texas cases. The court also dissolved an order that had stayed action in the cases. Among the cases that have been delayed is an assault to murder trial of South Texas political leader George Parr. The grand jury yesterday returned five more indictments, all against the same person and all charging felony theft over \$50.00. Identity of the person indicted was not disclosed. It was expected to day after the person's arrest. Bond was set at \$2,000 on each indictment. As soon as he knew of the court's action yesterday, acting Dist. Judge A. S. Broadfoot of the 79th Judicial District set for Monday the criminal indictments that had been tied up by the litigation. Besides Parr, others involved in previously announced indictments were former County Auditor C. T. Stansell Jr., D. C. Chapa and Oscar Carrillo, former Benavides Independent School District officials; and R. L. Adame, County School Superintendent. They were charged with forgery or theft by conversion of public money.

Pilgrim Heir Fired As Red
WAYLAND, Mass. (AP)—Miss Anne Hale Jr., 46, who claims she is a descendant of Pilgrim John Alden, has been fired as a public school teacher for having held membership in the Communist party. The School Committee voted 2-1 to fire her last night. The dissenting vote was cast by Chairman William A. Waldron, who immediately announced his resignation as chairman until after the town elections next March. The second-grade teacher, under suspension since last spring, was charged with being unfit to teach, conduct unbecomingly as a schoolteacher and membership in the Communist party. Miss Hale admitted she was a Communist from 1945 to the latter part of 1950 but said she never advocated the overthrow of the government by force and violence. There are half a million miles of long distance pipelines in the United States.

Legislator Says Farm Bill Fight Won By Threats

WASHINGTON (AP)—Rep. Abernethy (D-Miss) said today he has been told House Republicans were subjected to "terrific pressures and stringent disciplinary action" to line them up last week for flexible farm price supports. Abernethy is a member of the House Agriculture Committee and a backer of the present system of rigid price supports, which the House refused to extend, voting instead for a flexible plan modified somewhat from administration proposals. "Many Republicans quietly complained that every possible method of disciplinary action was exercised to whip some of their colleagues in line," Abernethy said in a statement. "It was strongly rumored . . . that officials in the office of the Republican National Committee had told members who were inclined to vote for the committee bill that unless they voted with the administration . . . that no money would be made available for their forthcoming campaigns." Abernethy said one Republican who was "very bitter about it" told him Republicans were "subjected to terrific pressures and stringent disciplinary action." He did not name the GOP member. The test came on an amendment, approved 229-170, providing flexible price supports for basic farm crops ranging between 82 1/2 per cent to 90 per cent of parity, a standard said by law to give farmers a fair return in relation to their costs. The Agriculture Committee had recommended rigid supports at 90 per cent of parity. The administration asked for flexible supports ranging from 75 to 90 per cent of parity. Abernethy said the plan finally accepted was a "surprise compromise" offered by Republican leaders. Chinese records indicate that examinations for the selection of officers for public service were given in that country as early as 1115 B. C.

IT HAPPENED

Mascot Unlikely

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP)—A U. S. Army battalion in Germany wants a buffalo for mascot. It probably won't get one, though. In a letter to Gov. Howard Pyle, soldiers with the 510th Heavy Tank Battalion asked for one of Arizona's remaining bison to go with the outfit's buffalo crest. "It would really help morale," one soldier said. Pyle passed the request on to the Arizona Game and Fish Department, where a spokesman said shipping a Buffalo to Germany would be "too expensive."

Reason For Flops

INDIANAPOLIS (AP)—A North Side woman called a garage and complained her car wouldn't run. "The gear shift lever just

flops around," she said. Examination disclosed someone had stolen the transmission and drive shaft assembly.

Too Much Loving

STRASBURG, Va. (AP)—State Trooper William Berry doesn't frown on back-seat romancers in automobiles, as a general rule. But he sometimes makes an exception. Like Tuesday, for instance. Berry arrested the drivers of two cars on reckless driving charges when he saw a girl on the rear seat of one of the cars embracing a fellow on the back seat of the other. The cars were moving side by side at about 40 m.p.h. Due for trial justice court hearings July 16 are drivers Allen C. Hill of Norristown, Pa., and Mrs. Catherine Black of Alexandria, Va. Berry didn't place any charges against the lovebirds, whom he wouldn't identify.

Father Not Able To Save Family As House Blazes

WAUKESHA, Wis. (AP)—Robert Kneuse awakened last night, smelled smoke and rushed into the living room where his wife Madeline had been resting on a couch. He found her covered with flames. He tried to drag her from the house, but failed. Neither could he reach the bedroom where his three small children were sleeping. Driven back by smoke and flames, he ran to summon a neighbor, and he and the neighbor chopped a hole in the wall of the children's bedroom. They brought out two of the children, Mary, 3, and Margaret, 2, but were unable to find Robert Jr., 6. Firemen later recovered the bodies of the 35-year-old mother and her son. The two small girls were dead on arrival at a Milwaukee hospital. Fire Chief Franklin Wirth said the fire apparently started in the couch in the living room. The bearings for propeller shafts of many ships are made of hard, tropical wood.

That Ain't Hay!

NEW BLOOMFIELD, Pa. (AP)—Glenn L. Smith says he probably could find a needle in a haystack. Fifteen days ago, while baling hay, he lost his wallet containing \$490. Tuesday he found the wallet after opening and sorting through 403 bales.

Policeman Charged In Marshall Death

MARSHALL (AP)—Fenwick Ford, 37, was dead and a local policeman, Jack Redfern, was under a charge of murder today following a shooting yesterday at the rear of this East Texas city's post office. Ford, a postal employee and father of three children, was killed as he left the building yesterday to go to lunch. Redfern, a motorcycle patrolman, surrendered at police headquarters a short time later. He was released under bond of \$5,000. Asst. County Atty. Phillip Baldwin said the two men, neighbors in a Marshall suburb until recently, had had what he called "family trouble."

President Wards Off Plan To Take U.S. Out Of U.N.

By JACK BELL
WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower appeared today to have warded off an early Senate action to put Congress on record with formal notice of American withdrawal if the United Nations admits Red China. Sen. George of Georgia, senior Democrat on the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, said in an interview he does not now expect such a proposal to be offered. If one is, he said, he will oppose it because any such move "might deprive us of freedom of action at a critical time." He said he "fully agrees" with Sen. Knowland of California, the GOP floor leader, that this country must do everything possible to keep the Chinese Communists out of the U.N. But he said he doesn't want the United States cast in advance in the role of "being willing to preside at the liquidation of the United Nations." Knowland himself has been cooling on his proposal to give advance notice of American withdrawal.

George's opposition indicated the Republican leader would lack the necessary Democratic votes to get it approved in a closely divided Senate. Sen. H. Alexander Smith (R-N.J.), acting chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, said he agrees the proposal won't be offered. Eisenhower told a White House news conference yesterday he is "completely and unalterably opposed under the present situation to the admission of Red China into the United Nations." The White House gave added emphasis to his remarks by authorizing direct quotation, ordinarily not permitted. Eisenhower added, however, that if American opposition should be

overridden "the question of whether we would accomplish more good in the world, whether we could advance the cause of peace and democracy better by going out than staying in—that is something that would have to be decided."

He said he doubted that any plan for automatic U.S. withdrawal was being seriously considered in Congress.

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Mrs. T. C. Thomas's Second Book Is Out

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Mary L. Hoot, James Parker United In Home Ceremony

In an informal ceremony in the home of the bride's parents, on July 3, Mary Louise Hoot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hoot, became the bride of James Cecil Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Parker of Shepherd. The Rev. A. D. Light, pastor of the United Pentecostal Church, officiated. The bride wore a pink linen suit with white accessories. Her flow-



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Card Party Held At Country Club

FORSAN—Five hostesses entertained with a bridge and canasta party Tuesday evening at the Country Club. They were Mrs. O. W. Scudday, Mrs. G. F. Duncan, Mrs. Bill Conger, Mrs. J. T. Holaday, and Mrs. Walter Gressett. Seven tables of guests played. High bridge score was won by Mrs. Luther Moore, and Mrs. Jack Wise was low. Mrs. Jess Buchanan won high in canasta, and low score was won by Mrs. T. T. Henry. Mixed garden flowers were placed in vases at vantage points of the large entertaining room and a salad plate and iced tea were served. Out-of-town guests included Mrs. W. K. Scudday of Rankin, Mrs. M. V. Scudday of Breckenridge, Mrs. Lois Isler of Big Spring, and Mrs. W. E. Stockton of Hyman.

Luther People Have Guests And Visit

LUTHER—Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Smith Sr. visited Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Smith Jr. and Randy in Lubbock, recently. Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Choate and children have been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kilpatrick. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lockhart and children attended the Lockhart family reunion at the Big Spring City Park. Howard Smith of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Smith the first part of the week. Susan and Roy Parker of Eastland of Amarillo have been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Anderson. Melissa Simpson of Big Spring has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Simpson.

Spaders Club Has Talk By Mrs. Benson

"Be an artist, using the grass as a canvas, and make a picture of your yard with careful landscaping," Mrs. J. D. Benson told the Spaders Garden Club Wednesday afternoon at the meeting in the home of Mrs. Zack Gray. Mrs. Benson reviewed the first chapter of "The Southwest Gardener" which deals with landscaping, and she also told of her own experiences with gardening. Pecans, mimosa, redbud and various fruit trees were said to be the best trees for this climate. Shrubs which she recommended were Forsythia, Ligustrum, crepe myrtle, pyracantha and floribunda roses. A discussion and a question period were held following the talk by Mrs. Benson. Mrs. Mack Rodgers was introduced as a new member and refreshments were served to 13. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. H. B. Perry, 1402 E. 14th.

Mrs. Duncan Leads Methodist Study

The Maude Morris Circle of the First Methodist Church met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. A. C. Bass. Mrs. Clyde Thomas led the devotion, and the study, "From Within These Borders," was led by Mrs. Hugh Duncan. A collection was taken for the study and for the Texas Mission Home and Training School. Mrs. W. A. Laswell led the closing prayer. Refreshments were served to eight members.



Getting Ready For The Dress Revue

Margaret Doris Box enlists the help of Jane Bilsard to pin the hem in her nearly-completed dress. Miss Box, a member of the Elbow Senior 4-H Club, will model her red sateen dress in the tailored dress division. Miss Bilsard of the Lomax 4-H Club, is making a frock to model in the best-dressed division.

Sewing Workshop To Have Dress Review

Home Demonstration sponsored sewing workshops for County 4-H Club girls will be climaxed at a dress review July 15. Four divisions will be open in the event—best skirt, school dress, best and tailored. Entertainment will be provided and will be presented in skit fashion. The theme has not been decided. Judging will be on construction, fit and selection. To be held at Howard Junior College auditorium, it will begin at 8 p.m. The public may attend. Review judges will be Mrs. G. F. Gideon, seamstress for Singer Sewing Machine Company and sewing classes teacher; Mrs. Edith Hughes, Home Demonstration agent from Borden County; and Mrs. Grover L. Wiley, Big Spring home economics teacher.

Luther Club Meets With Mrs. Zike

LUTHER—Mrs. Jim Zike entertained the Luther HD Club, recently in her home with an all day meeting. Ten members were present. They did craft work and revealed secret pals. Mrs. Dave English and daughter, Debbie, of Premont have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Puckett. Mr. W. A. Rawlings has been visiting his daughter, Iris Rawlings at Austin. Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Henry were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Collins, Billy Rhea, Johnnie, and Ramona Gay from Electra. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Stanley and family recently were: Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Stanley and Dickie of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stanley of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stanley, Nelda Kay of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Koff, Winona Sue and Nickie of Winters, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Sawyer, Stanley of Alpine, Mrs. J. M. Stanley of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Deaton Stanley and children. This same group visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Deaton Stanley Sunday.

Dinner Given For California Guests

LUTHER — Mrs. Ruby Simpson entertained with a supper in her home recently. Those present were: Mrs. R. T. Harris and Judy of Troma, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Luther Poe, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Simpson, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Simpson and son of Big Spring. Linda Gail Painter of Penwell, has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. L. S. Proctor. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lockhart made a trip to San Angelo recently. Mrs. E. T. Turner of Lubbock and grandson, Terry, of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Hamlin recently. Another guest was Mrs. O. E. Hamlin's brother, Kenneth Turner, of Hobbs, N. Mex. Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Allen and Mrs. Jimmy Mothershead and Linda and Mrs. Woodard of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. John Couch Saturday night. Mrs. Roy Williams, Rosetta, Ann and Les have been guests of her sister, Mrs. Jasper Cline, and Mrs. Cline in Vealmoor.



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Mrs. Burks Presented With TV Set

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Guests of the J. B. Coelis and Bill Shockley are Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Dutchof of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Harrison and family of Borger. Becky Harris has returned from a three weeks visit with relatives in Arnet, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Broom of Fort Worth are visiting their parents. Mrs. Alice Herren and Da visited Mrs. Henschel Smith recently. Mrs. A. M. Hoots of Winters is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Rogers. Mrs. R. T. Hale and Barbara of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Chapman recently.

Smiths Feted With Shower At Ackerly

ACKERLY — Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith were surprised with a shower Tuesday night. Sixty-five guests registered for the affair, and many gifts were presented. Bill Williams of Station visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brown and Judy K. recently. Visitors in the home of Mrs. Ira Miles over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Madlen of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Baker and family of Seminole, and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Miles and Stanley of Morton. Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Creswell of Halls visited his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Creswell Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Cox and family of El Paso spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cox. Seen celebrating our Independence with a picnic at the Big Spring City Park were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brown and Judy K., Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Raspberry and family, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Springfield and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Harry and family, and Pete Grigg. Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Seely of Fort Bragg, N. C., are spending their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Seely of Ackerly and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Rhodes of Lamesa. Mrs. Otho Cozart has spent the past week in Cisco with her parents. Her father has been seriously ill. Visitors in the Oren Rhea home recently were Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Fish and Larry of Klamath Falls, Ore., and L. T. Yates and Robert of Dimmitt.

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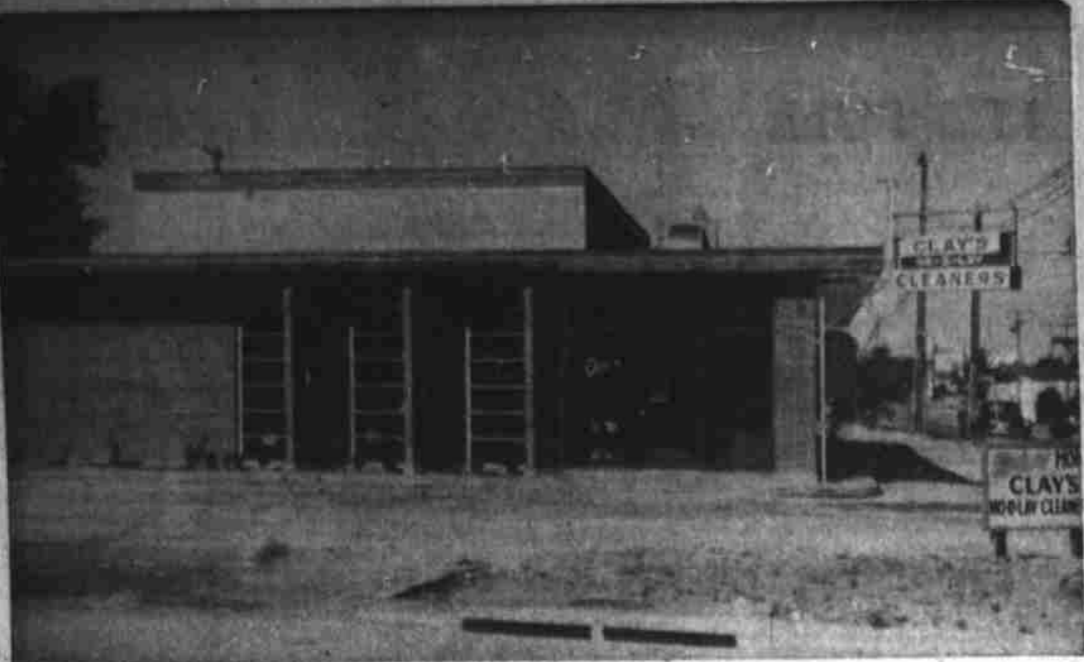
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A staff of 12 persons assists Gibson with repairs. The company also sells most all types of water heaters and plumbing fixtures. All kinds of plumbing are done also, Gibson says. Western Service and Insulating Company has been in operation for 25 years.

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No-Roach is a product of the Gas-ton Johnston Corporation. It is applied with a paint brush. In addition to roaches, it is said to be effective against crawling insects of all kinds, including ants. Used around drain openings it is effective in keeping waterbugs from entering a building through sewer connections.

Johnston says that virtually every home is contaminated by roaches, which enter through the smallest cracks and openings, or which are brought home in grocery sacks. Johnston also points out that once they're in a place, roaches stay in—spreading dirt and contamination as they slither around at night.

But Johnston claims that No-Roach ends the roach plague permanently. The liquid is odorless, stainless and colorless. It is most effective when brushed near cabinets, around sinks and baseboards. Applied to such spots, the No-Roach coating attracts roaches from within the walls and other hiding places. The insects walk across the coating, contact the chlordane it con-

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Air Force To Send Guided Missiles To German Station

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Air Force plans to send to Germany this fall a second squadron of about 800 officers and men equipped with Matador guided missiles. The first piloted bomber squadron went to Germany in March, and is stationed at Bitburg. The Air Force announcement last night did not say where the second will be based. It is the 80th Squadron, commanded by Lt. Col. Richard W. Maffey of Kirksville, Mo., and now is training at Patrick Air Force Base, Fla. The Matador, powered by turbojet engines, has a range of between 500 and 1,000 miles. It is capable of carrying an atomic warhead.

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Texas Cotton Acreage Reported As 8,000,000 Acres On July 1

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Agriculture Department today reported cotton in cultivation in Texas on July 1 at 8,000,000 acres, a decrease of 16 per cent from last year. Cotton in cultivation in the entire nation on July 1 was reported at 13,981,000 acres, a decrease of 21 per cent from last year. The department gave no forecast on production, but at an above-average acre yield of 300 pounds, the crop would be about 11,976,000 bales. Last year's crop was 16,465,000 bales and the ten-year (1942-51) average was 12,216,000. Last year's average acre yield was 312.6 pounds and the 10-year average was 285.5 pounds. This year's cotton is being grown under rigid federal planting allotments and marketing quotas providing loss of government price

support and cash penalties for non-cooperators. The controls were imposed in a move to prevent over-production. The July 1 acreage compares with 21,379,000 allotted growers under the control program. The acreage in cultivation on July 1 last year was 25,244,000 and for the ten-year July 1 average it was 22,940,000. The department has forecast that more than nine million bales will be left over from past crops when this year's crop reaches market. The acreage in cultivation for American-Egyptian type cotton was reported at 33,300 acres compared with 92,600 last year. The July 1 cotton acreages by states and their percentages of last year's July 1 acreages, respectively, included:

Missouri 465,000 acres and 83 per cent of last year's; Virginia 18,000 and 89; North Carolina 585,000 and 75; South Carolina 870,000 and 74; Georgia 1,125,000 and 81; Florida 41,000 and 57; Tennessee 670,000 and 70; Alabama 1,230,000 and 75; Mississippi 1,970,000 and 77; Arkansas 1,735,000 and 82; Louisiana 705,000 and 73; Oklahoma 1,000,000 and 94; Texas 8,000,000 and 84; New Mexico 210,000 and 65; Arizona 416,000 and 60; California 807,000 and 67. The state acreages of American-Egyptian type cotton and their percentages of last year's, respectively, included: Texas 10,000 acres and 33 per cent; New Mexico 7,000 and 35; Arizona 16,000 and 39; California 300 and 60.

Porter Takes Valued Art To His Home

LONDON (AP)—Humble John Nevin, whose tiny dwelling made some of the stately homes of England look like poorly furnished barns, drew three years in prison yesterday for looting a museum of 2,000 exhibits.

Nevin, 58, had been a trusted porter at the Victoria and Albert Museum since 1930. He made 9 pounds (\$25.20) a week. In suburban Chiswick he and his wife Mary lived in an outwardly modest four-room house which rented for 25 shillings (\$3.50) a week.

But the interior, police witnesses said yesterday, was opulent beyond belief. A beautiful piece of old Flemish tapestry was used as a bedspread. The window curtains were made of exquisite lace. The carpets and rugs were princely products of the looms of Persia and India. The tables were rare antiques. Objects of art, jewelry, glassware and pottery stood on every shelf and in every corner.

A garbage can held 21 jeweled sword hilts and a jade figurine. And when 54-year-old Mrs. Nevin washed the dishes, her apron was a piece of 18th-century tapestry.

Lions Hear Jan Baggett

Jan Baggett, who scored a hit with the Lions Club last summer, returned to even greater favor Wednesday.

She played two piano selections and was roundly encored. Miss Baggett is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Baggett and is a piano major and voice minor at Oberlin Conservatory.

Wednesday the club held post-mortems on the first Soap Box Derby and accounted it a success. R. W. Whipkey, representing the Herald, expressed appreciation to the club for furnishing manpower for the event which was a three-way project between the newspaper, club and Tidwell Chevrolet. Roxie Dobbins, general chairman, said there already was talk among the boys about what sort of racers they would have next year.

From both Whipkey and the club went best wishes to Charles Morris, winner of the local event, in his competition in national finals at Akron, Ohio, next month.

Larson Lloyd, first vice president, presided in the absence of Gil Jones, president. Jones has been in New York attending a legal institute and will attend the Lions International convention before returning home.

Three Drown In New Mexico Lake

WAGON MOUND, N.M. (AP)—Two small boys and a man who took them on a fishing trip were drowned yesterday in a small lake about five miles west of here.

They were identified by village marshal W. G. Seedig as Lynn Quirt King, 3; Rocky Roy King, 5; and R. E. Roch Jr., 29, Midland, Tex. The small King brothers were the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Goodman King.

Mr. and Mrs. Roch were visiting the King family on the Diamond A Ranch where King is an employee.

An unidentified boy, about 9 years old, ran for help after Roch leaped in the lake to save Lynn King who slipped and fell into the moss-filled water. Rocky King fell in the water during the excitement.

Australia Remains Against Red China

CANBERRA, Australia (AP)—Prime Minister R. G. Menzies said today there has been no change in Australia's opposition to the admission of Communist China to the United Nations.

Menzies was commenting at a press conference on New Zealand Foreign Minister Clifton Webb's statement that the time has arrived to bring the Chinese Reds into the U.N.

Menzies said there had been no change in the attitude he expressed last September when he said: "I do not discuss recognition of my enemy while I am in the field with him. The problem of Communist China does not arise at this moment."



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King Ranch Chief Answers Criticism

KINGSVILLE (AP)—Robert J. Kleberg Jr., president of the sprawling King Ranch, says the senator who criticized the big ranch for getting government drought-relief cattle feed doesn't "fully understand the situation." Senator Williams (R-Del) called for a probe on how "millionaire ranchers in Texas and other areas" bought feed at drought-

relief prices. He mentioned King Ranch specifically.

"When the government made their stores of cottonseed cake available there was none available from regular sources. And they had to set the price low enough to keep producers from rushing cattle to market—that was what the program was for," Kleberg said and continued:

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