

**ONLY A FEW OF STATE  
CANDIDATES REMAIN  
IN AUGUST PRIMARY**

**By United Press**  
DALLAS, July 25.—Candidates for minor offices in Texas began runoff campaigns today, with the unusual situation of being without gubernatorial fight to stimulate public interest. The runoff will be Aug. 27.

The nomination of W. Lee O'Daniel in the first democratic primary Saturday, took the governorship race out of the runoff. With more than 870,000 votes counted the election bureau's tabulation gave him a majority of more than 26,000.

The official count will be made by the state canvassing board in Austin Saturday.

Election bureau tabulations gave O'Daniel 448,267 votes; Ernest O. Thompson had 173,517 and Attorney General William McCraw 123,072.

Pierce Brooks of Dallas led in the race for lieutenant governor and will meet Coke Stevenson in the runoff.

George Sheppard of Sweetwater easily won a majority for re-nomination as state comptroller. State Treasurer Charley Leckart also was re-nominated.

Railroad Commissioner C. V. Terrell, seeking re-election, led the ticket, but was forced into a runoff by Jerry Sadler.

William H. McDonald, asking re-election as land commissioner, went into a runoff with Bascom Giles.

L. A. Woods, state school superintendent, received a majority. He did J. E. McDonald, state agricultural commissioner.

Justice Richard Critz and W. H. Davidson were high in the race for supreme court. Harry Graves, placed on the court of criminal appeals by appointment, went into the runoff with James Stephens.

Maury Maverick, fiery new deal advocate in the national house of representatives, was defeated in his campaign for re-election by Paul Kilday of San Antonio.

Indirectly Maverick's defeat was a slap at the new deal as Maverick was one of three candidates whom President Roosevelt gave a verbal pat on the back. Another of the trio the president sought to aid by mentioning during his Texas tour, also trailed in his district, but will have a chance in the runoff. He was Rep. W. D. McFarlane of Graham. Returns gave McFarlane 20,147 votes, while Ed Gossett of Wichita Falls led with 22,786.

Only one other of the state's 21 representatives failed to get a majority. A tabulation showed Rep. Morgan Sanders was third in a field of five in the third district. It gave Lindley Beckworth 15,339 votes, Brady County 13,500, and Sanders 13,305.

**Three Convicts  
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Farms of State**

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HUNTSVILLE, Texas, July 25.—Three Texas convicts fled before prison guards and officers today and another lay dead of gunshot wounds after breaks at three farms of the state prison system.

Noble Guthrie, 29, serving 20 years for robbery from Armstrong county, died of wounds in the head, suffered at Eastham prison farm in Houston county last night.

Those who made good their escape were J. W. Stevens from Central prison farm near Sugarland and Tighman Van Acker and Johnnie Bowman, trustees from Wynne farm near Huntsville.

**Havoc Is Created By San Saba's Worst Flood**



Havoc was created by San Saba's worst flood in history when the San Saba River went out of its banks over the week-end, following heavy rains on the watersheds of the San Saba, Brady Creek and Concho River. Water swirled through the town, reaching almost to second story windows in the residential section, as shown above, while the flood crept into the business section of the town.

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**Attempt Made On  
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**By United Press**  
SAN JUAN, P. R., July 25.—An attempt was made to assassinate Gov. Blanton Winship today, but he was unharmed.

Radio reports said that a Colonel Irizarri died of his wounds and that eight persons were in a hospital, including an officer from the U. S. Airplane Carrier Enterprise.

The attempt was attributed to the nationalists who are conducting a campaign to complete Porto Rican independence. The attempt occurred at P. rce, during celebration of the 40th anniversary of occupation during the Spanish-American War.

Little change in results was apparent Monday as Oscar Lyerla, county Democratic executive committee chairman, announced that incomplete unofficial returns from Saturday's first primary were in from all but the Kokomo box.

All present county commissioners were leaders in their races.

In commissioner's precinct No. 2 N. C. Crawley was ahead with 627 votes. Second was Arthur Bennett with 433. Others placed as follows: Walter W. Martin, 88; Noah Young, 22, and W. B. Hooker, 99.

In commissioner's precinct No. 3 A. N. Sneathly had the largest number of votes. His was 305. Others in the race were as follows: J. W. Tune, 105; Ed Anderson, 250; Oscar Schaeffer, 26, and Fred Siekman, 272.

In precinct No. 4 Arch Birt was returned to office with 1,065 votes. J. W. Noble polled 544.

Henry L. Davenport was re-elected with a majority in the commissioner's precinct No. 1 election. He led the ticket with 1,565 votes. A. L. Stiles had 972 votes and J. D. Barton was third with 505 votes.

Of interest was the floral race in which Omar Burkett was reported unofficially leading Wayne Sellers, second; T. S. Ross and E. M. Curry. Callahan county had not been reported officially but it was said Burkett was leading Sellers there by 200 votes. The incomplete Eastland county returns on the race were Ross, 1,108; Sellers, 1,927; Curry, 663; Burkett, 2,084.

Unofficial returns on other contested county and district contests were as follows:  
Representative, 106th—P. L. Crossley, 3,549; Cecil Lotief, 2,387.  
District Clerk—John White, 3,210; Claude (Curley) Maynard, 2,158; Euell D. Bond, 1,700.  
Sheriff—Loss Woods, 4,432; Virge Foster, 1,569.  
Superintendent—T. C. Williams, 3,615; C. S. Eldridge, 3,192.  
Treasurer—Gariand Branton, 2,169; Dick Weekes, 1,035; Mrs. Frances Holbrook Cooper, 1,667.  
In the Eastland constable race Hugh Carleton, incumbent, was leading with 869 votes. W. A. (Buck) Hall had 143 votes, Guy Robertson 252, T. Z. Short 48 and Ben Pryor 443.

Results on contested state races, according to Eastland county returns, was as follows:  
Governor—McCraw, 796; Self, 201; Crowley, 192; Miller, 8; McCoy, 3; Ferguson, 14; Renfro, 8; Hunter, 974; O'Daniel, 4,337; King, 1; Brogdon, 1; Farmer, 88; Thompson, 1,125.  
Lt. Governor—Smith, 1,120; Nelson, 796; Stevenson, 444; Davison, 2,904; Mead, 97; Brooks, 1,325.  
Attorney General—Calvert, 869; Mann, 3,025; Woodul, 1,523; Goodrich, 258; Yarborough 2,504.  
Supreme Court—Davidson, 2,504; Critz, 3,162; Smiley, 1,327.  
R. R. Commission—Wood, 1,278; Stuart, 765; Morris, 268; Sadler, 1,349; Christie, 114; Terrell, 1,753.  
Comptroller—Sheppard, 3,992; Terrell, 804; Biffle, 718.  
Land Commr.—McDonald, 4,463; Mills, 796; Browning, 630; Giles, 1,199.  
Treasurer—Foster, 1,627; Barnes, 627; Lockhart, 3,451.  
Supt.—Woods, 4,141; Barnes, 1,491; LeMay, 1,471.  
Agriculture Commr.—McDonald, 2,788; Allen, 750; Westfall, 2,061.

**More Farmers In  
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WASHINGTON, July 25.—Harry L. Hopkins announced that 200,000 persons would be added to WPA rolls in the rural South to help meet what Roosevelt calls the Nation's economic problem No. 1.

Announcing that WPA rolls in the rural South would be increased immediately to supplement inadequate incomes, Hopkins said: "The income of the South needs to be raised now and one way to help raise the income of the region as a whole is to get wages into the hands of those who need to spend it. The normal and American way for a man to meet the need of his family and himself is through work."

Rolls would be increased, aid said, in Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas and Tennessee. The job quotas will be raised, Hopkins explained, in rural areas where the harvest has not yet begun. When the crop gathering season arrives, he continued, the workers will be released for the duration of the harvest and then reassigned to WPA work.

Hopkins expressed the opinion the additions would raise total WPA employment in the 11 States to about the previous peak, which he thought was 650,000.

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**Damage Suit Case  
Goes Before Court**

Case of Alice C. Clark, an action for damages, against the City of Eastland was in progress Monday in the 88th district court with Judge B. W. Patterson presiding.

The plaintiff alleges that dumping ground operated near her home constituted a nuisance and small damages are asked.

**San Saba County  
Has Many Relics**

**By United Press**  
SAN SABA, Texas.—San Saba county, settled nearly 85 years ago, is home today of many persons whose ancestors were early statesmen, physicians, ministers and others prominent in national or world affairs.

A number of early day relics and antiques are found in the homes of the children and grandchildren of pioneers. Many of the valuable date back hundreds of years.

W. H. Kimbrough, Sr., owns a dish which belonged to Martha Custis Washington, wife of George Washington. Mr. Kimbrough's mother formerly owned a complete set of the dishes, but they were divided among relatives.

Mrs. Amelia Cowan, business manager of the San Saba Star, owns a lamp which antique dealers have estimated was in use soon after the time of Christ.

The grease lamp was brought from Germany by Mrs. Cowan's father, Simon Honig, who settled in Llano county in 1853. The lamp has a hook by which its ancient owners lighted their ways for night travel by carrying it from a chain slung over their shoulders.

Mrs. Cowan also possesses a Confession of Faith of the Presbyterian church laws of Scotland as given by the House of Parliament through the 16th and 17th centuries. Mentioned quite frequently is the name of Joseph Boyd, an ancestor of her husband, the late W. D. Cowan. Joseph Boyd died in Scotland more than 150 years ago.

Mrs. R. W. Bursleson, granddaughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Rogan who settled the town of San Saba in 1856, has many early day relics.

Among the antiques in the possession of M. W. Trussell, editor of the San Saba News, are included the hand-etched portrait of his great-grandfather, Major Custis B. Windsor of Virginia, and a crude forps used by another of his great-grandfathers, Thomas W. Hendry, for extracting aching teeth of slaves on his Virginia plantation before the Civil War.

When Miss Mary Belle Fagg, a great-great-granddaughter of the founder of the town of Campbelltown, Texas, goes to dances, she sometimes wears hand-knitted gloves worn by her great-grandmother.

**Colorado Flood Is  
Nearing Austin**

**By United Press**  
AUSTIN, July 25.—The biggest flood in history was reported today in the Colorado river basin.

The river at Austin reached 32 feet and was expected to reach 34 feet and was expected to reach 32 feet. In 1935 the river reached 32 feet. At Marble Falls today the river was reported at 36 feet and rising four or five inches an hour.

**McCraw to Return  
To Law Practice**

**By United Press**  
AUSTIN, July 25.—Still smiling, Attorney General William McCraw sent a message to W. Lee O'Daniel today and announced he will return to Dallas to re-enter law practice on Jan. 1.

"I have no alibis, no excuses and no explanations," McCraw said. "This was a race in which only one man ran. The rest of us were in a slow walk."

**Maverick Not to  
Demand a Recount**

**By United Press**  
SAN ANTONIO, July 25.—Rep. Maury Maverick, 20th district congressman, said today he did not plan to request a recount of ballots that nominated Paul Kilday to succeed him by the majority of only 465 votes.

**Army Plane Crash  
Is Fatal for 37**

**By United Press**  
BOGOTA, Colombia, July 25.—An army plane that crashed into a crowd missing President Alfonso Lopez and his party by 65 feet, killed 37 persons and injured more than 100, it was estimated today.

The plane was piloted by Lt. Cesar Estrelos, who previously had been suspended for six months for recklessness. He was stunting at 200 feet over a crowd of 20,000. The plane struck the aerial of the portable radio station and burst into flames.

**Pick-a-Back Plane  
Is Off for England**

**By United Press**  
MONTREAL, Canada, July 25.—The British Imperial Airways' pick-a-back plane Mercury took off at 11:50 a. m. EDT for Newfoundland on the 744-mile second leg of this 4,550-mile flight from Port Washington, N. Y. to Southampton, England.

**Methodists Protest  
Merger of Churches**

**By United Press**  
COLUMBIA, S. C., July 25.—South Carolina Methodist laymen organized today to "pull the purse strings" to block a merger of the three branches of the Methodist church in the United States.

**Tomatoes Praised  
By Food Expert**

**By United Press**  
COLLEGE STATION, Texas.—Miss Grace I. Neely, Texas A. & M. College extension specialist in food preservation, took exception today to claims that food values were low in tomatoes.

"Tomatoes, both fresh and canned, are known as an excellent source of vitamin C, as well as being rich in vitamins A, B and G," Miss Neely said. "They contain acids—correctives for the stomach and intestines. They are tonics, conditioners and natural blood purifiers. They are effective in preventing pellagra."

**Fight Breaks Out In  
UAW Headquarters**

**By United Press**  
DETROIT, Mich., July 25.—A free-for-all fight broke out today in the United Automobile Workers Union headquarters, where four suspended vice presidents were on trial before the union's executive board.

The fight occurred when about 15 members of a Toledo local smashed through locked doors into a room where the trial was being conducted.

**Employment and  
Payrolls Are Up**

AUSTIN.—Employment in Texas industry and trade during June was moderately above that of the preceding month but substantially below that of June, 1937, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. Payrolls were down considerably both in comparison with May and June a year ago.

Reports from 2,791 Texas establishments show total employment up 0.2 per cent from May but down 8 per cent from June of last year; while pay rolls were down 2.2 per cent from May and 5.8 per cent from June a year ago, the bureau's statement said.

Employment in 679 manufacturing establishments was up 0.6 per cent from May but down 11.5 per cent from June last year; while pay rolls in these establishments were down 2.9 per cent from May and 8.4 per cent from June a year ago.

Industries making better than average showing were: Baking goods, beverages, ice manufacturing, meat packing, paper products, public utilities, crude petroleum production, dyeing and cleaning, and laundries.

**How Police Broke Up Chicago Strike With Tear Gas**



This heavy barrage of tear gas proved too much for pickets who demonstrated around the strikebound Chicago Hardware Foundry Company in North Chicago. The pickets, many of them women, are shown retreating, damp handkerchiefs pressed to their faces, as police and deputy sheriffs fired volley after volley of the gas. More than 500 demonstrators supporting a C. I. O. strike were driven from the plant, after which about 100 workers went back to their jobs.

**Barnhart Assists  
In Premium List**

Assistant County Agent Hugh F. Barnhart Monday was preparing the boys' 4-H department premium list in connection with the publication soon of a catalog advertising the annual county fair Sept. 29-30 and Oct. 1 at Eastland.

**O'Daniel Plans a  
Family Vacation**

**By United Press**  
FORT WORTH, July 25.—W. Lee O'Daniel, surprised at his own victory over eleven candidates for governor of Texas, looked at stacks of unanswered correspondence today and decided to take his family away for a vacation, probably tomorrow.

**4-H Members Will  
Purchase 2 Heifers**

Ray Blackwell of Alameda and Kenneth Moore of Desdemona, 4-H club members, this week are to inspect registered Jersey heifers at Dublin with the view to purchase two of the animals for their club work.

The youths are to be accompanied by their fathers, E. E. Blackwell and F. D. Moore.

**Allred Calls For  
Support of O'Daniel**

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AUSTIN, July 25.—Gov. Allred today congratulated W. Lee O'Daniel and urged Texans to cooperate in O'Daniel's program for Texas. Allred had not expected O'Daniel to win without a runoff.

He commended Ernest O. Thompson for a clean race and predicted Texas would hear from him in the future.

**Youths and Agent  
Return From Camp**

Back Monday from a game conservation camp at Rockport were Neil Eaves and Vernon Bennett, Kokomo 4-H club members, and Assistant County Agent Hugh F. Barnhart.

The camp was sponsored by a national cartridge company.

**Transfer Deadline  
Occurs On Aug. 1**

P. B. Bittle, superintendent of public schools at Eastland, reminded Monday that students who want to transfer to local schools should make application at the office of County Supt. C. S. Eldridge by August 1.

Bittle stated that several families since the census was taken in March have moved to Eastland and the students should make an application for transfer by that date.

**Group Selecting  
Tribunal Jurors**

August term juror commissioners Monday morning met at 91st district court to select petit jurors for the tribunal's new term beginning August 1.

The commission was composed of H. H. Pullig of Gorman, Edwin George, Jr., of Ranger and H. J. Tanner of Eastland.







MYSTERY AT THE LAZY R BY CLARKE NEWLON

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CHAPTER IV

THE next day about noon Uncle Jim came driving up to the ranch in his prized station wagon with a gray-suited stranger whom he introduced as Donald Fiske.

Nikki threw a dressing robe over her pajamas and hurried down the steps just as her Uncle Jim came out on the veranda.

Fiske was a smallish man, thin-lipped and narrow-eyed, who nodded pleasantly at the introductions and gave his home as Chicago on the Lazy R's register.

"I was awake and heard it," she answered, not mentioning the figure she had seen darting among the shadows.

The day was rather dispiriting. Nikki wished desperately she would hear from her father and watched unhappily Steve's obvious avoidance. In the afternoon he took a rod and went a quarter of a mile back of the ranch house to the pool that had been formed when Uncle Jim dammed the creek.

There was a light among the cabins now. "That's Fiske's cabin," said Uncle Jim. "I'll go out and see—Nikki, you better stay here," he broke in as she prepared to follow, but just then Fiske stepped out of his door.

A pale, yellow moon rode high in the sky with one guardian star poised brightly watchful. A thin cloud drifted mistily, lazily by, like a wisp of veil discarded by a languid lady.

HE was holding a rifle in one hand and in the other was a little wad of cleaning rags. He walked up to the pair on the porch and said apologetically:

A dog barked shrilly from the corral and then the night was broken by the sharp report of a rifle shot. Nikki started, and then her eyes went to the scattered cabins below her in an effort to trace the sound.

"I'm awfully sorry. I was cleaning my gun and I guess it's another case of just not knowing the thing was loaded. Bullet went through the floor. That's what comes of not handling firearms enough to keep on familiar terms with them."

"There were no lights, but in the interwoven shadows traced by the cabins and the trees, Nikki

Some of the men from the bunkhouse were out by this time, but most of the guests had slept on undisturbed, or else a shot at a ranch in the heart of Wyoming didn't appear startling to them.

RESULTS YESTERDAY American League Chicago 0-8, New York 2-3. St. Louis 4-1, Washington 2-11. Detroit 7-7, Philadelphia 6-3. Cleveland at Boston, rain.

Nikki wanted to inquire if he usually cleaned his guns in total darkness, for she could have sworn there wasn't a light in the cabin before the shot sounded. But she remained silent and watched while her uncle accompanied Fiske back to his cabin and the men returned to the bunkhouse.

National League TEAM— W. L. Pet. Pittsburgh . . . . . 53 30 .639 New York . . . . . 51 36 .586 Chicago . . . . . 49 37 .570 Cincinnati . . . . . 47 38 .553 Brooklyn . . . . . 40 46 .465 Boston . . . . . 36 44 .450 St. Louis . . . . . 35 48 .422 Philadelphia . . . . . 25 57 .305

Then she glanced at the cabin occupied by Bancroft and Sarto. It was dark and quiet and all too peaceful looking.

National League New York 4, Chicago 4, (15 innings). St. Louis 5-2, Brooklyn 4-3. Boston 4-2, Pittsburgh 5-4 (first game 15 innings. Second game called after sixth, Sunday law).

Games Today Texas League Fort Worth at Shreveport. Dallas at Houston. Tulsa at Beaumont. Oklahoma City at San Antonio.

Retail Sales Show Moderate Decline AUSTIN.—Sales of Texas department stores, measured in dollars, during June showed less than the seasonal decline which normally occurs from May to June and there was only a moderate

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"OUT OUR WAY" By Williams



FARM CHAMPIONS GIVE HELPFUL SUGGESTIONS IN NEW BOOKLET



Just off the press—the new 7x10 72-page book entitled "26 Interviews with Champion Farmers," issued by The Firestone Tire and Rubber Company, Akron, Ohio; Memphis, Tennessee; and Los Angeles, California.

This book contains success stories of twenty-six champion farmers of America, on as many different farming subjects, including potatoes, corn, wheat, live stock, cotton, alfalfa, molasses, silage, soy beans, fruit, lespedeza, terracing, and many other interesting subjects. The book is being distributed by Farm Implement Dealers, Firestone Tire Dealers, and Firestone Auto Supply and Service Stores to farmers throughout the United States. The information contained in the book is invaluable to progressive farmers wanting authentic information on better farming practices.

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THE two best crews in the country didn't row at Poughkeepsie. That is the opinion of many competent critics, and they mean Harvard and Yale.

IT develops that Seabiscuit's injury before he was scratched from the Massachusetts Handicap, where he was to keep his long delayed appointment with War Admiral, was not worthy of the name.

Dairy Products Decline Seasonally AUSTIN.—Manufacture of creamery butter and cheese in Texas during June declined seasonally from the preceding month but was well above June, 1937.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

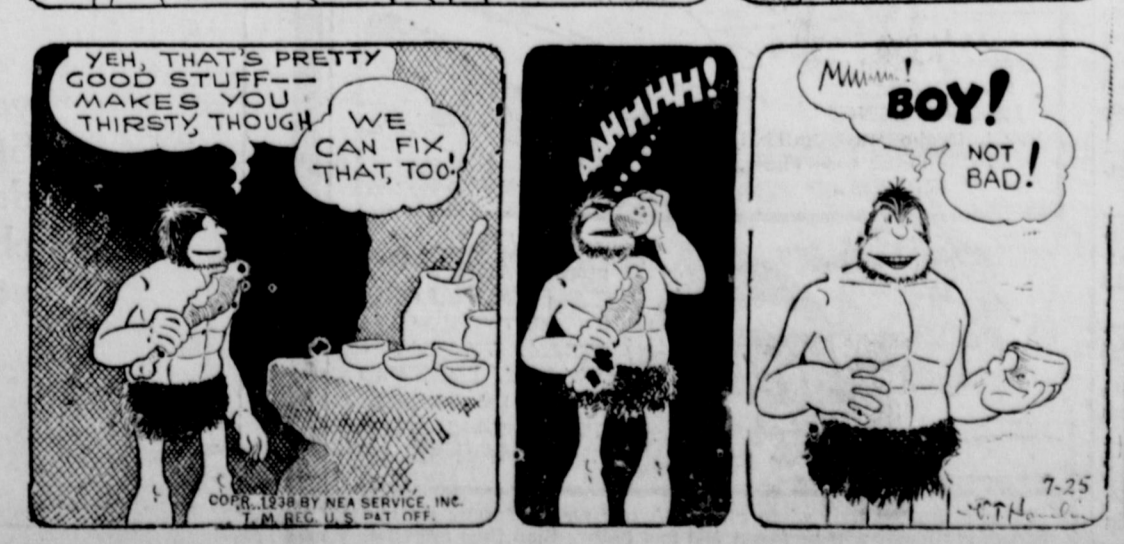
LEAGUE STANDINGS

Table with columns for League, Team, W, L, Pet. Includes Texas League and American League standings.

MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse -- By Thompson and Coll



ALLEY OOP -- By Hamlin



Thanks--

I am deeply grateful for the overwhelming vote of confidence you showed in your ballots Saturday. I shall continue to serve you to the best of my ability.

AGAIN I SAY THANK YOU!

LOSS WOODS

Sheriff, Eastland County (Pol. Adv.)

TO THE PEOPLE OF EASTLAND AND EASTLAND COUNTY

Words cannot express my deep gratitude to you for the generous support given me in the election Saturday, July 23. I hope that you will never have reason to regret your attitude.

Yours very sincerely, T. C. WILLIAMS (Pol. Adv.)



### SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox  
NEA Service Staff Writer

**ROAST CHICKEN** is our national bird. We like mushrooms, too. Canned pineapple as well as bananas have also come to belong in the American dinner scene. So let's compose a national dinner anthem for a mid-summer feast.

As for roasting the chicken, there is a north and a south to that question. Some people insist on spreading thin slices of bacon over the chicken the last 20 minutes of roasting, or hanging links of pork sausage over it during the last 40 minutes of roasting.

When it comes to the matter of the temperature, one school of hungry thought advises placing the chicken in an uncovered pan in an oven of 300 degrees to 350 degrees F., and maintaining that constant temperature, basting it every 20 minutes with melted butter. The other school, equally hungry, believes in the hot oven at first and the 300 degrees F. afterward.

#### Roast Chicken with Mushroom Stuffing

Dress and clean a nice young roasting chicken. Stuff with regular dressing which has already been mixed with sauteed, chopped mushrooms (2 cups stuffing to 1 cup mushrooms). Truss chicken, then rub entire surface with flour mixed with salt and pepper. Dot generously with butter.

Place chicken in an open roasting pan in hot oven (450 degrees F.), turning it frequently until brown. Then reduce heat to 300 degrees F., baste frequently with 1-4 cup butter melted in 2-3 cup boiling water and then with gravy from pan. When breast

#### Tomorrow's Menu

**BREAKFAST:** Fresh currant juice, dry cereal, fluffy omelet, toast, coffee, milk.

**LUNCHEON:** Creamed cauliflower au gratin, buttered toast, fresh plums, tea, milk.

**PARTY DINNER:** Roast chicken, mushroom stuffing, glazed pineapple rings with bananas, parsley potatoes, spinach timbales, blackberry shortcake, coffee, milk.

meat and leg are tender, bird is done. A 4-pound chicken requires from 1 1/2 to 2 hours roasting. Make a gravy to go with chicken from liquor in pan.

#### Glazed Pineapple Ring with Bananas

Six slices canned pineapple, 1-2 cup pineapple juice, 2 tablespoons granulated sugar, mixed with 1-4 tablespoon grated orange rind, 1 1/2 bananas, 1 1/2 teaspoons lemon juice, 1-2 cup granulated sugar, soft butter—not melted.

Place the pineapple rings in a flat pan. Peel bananas and split each in half lengthwise and cut each piece in two crosswise, making 4 quarters. Place a banana quarter, flat side down, on top of each pineapple ring. Sprinkle each piece of banana with 1-4 teaspoon lemon juice and 1 rounded teaspoon sugar and orange rind mixture.

Place under broiler and baste frequently. Just before bananas are done, sprinkle with remaining sugar and spread 1-2 teaspoon soft butter over each. Again place under broiler to brown lightly and glaze.

### Here's Another Kidnaping



All the heroic adventure, stirring romance and endless excitement of the story Robert Louis Stevenson always considered his best is packed into 20th Century-Fox's production of "Kidnaped," with Warner Baxter and Freddie Bartholomew in the leading roles. "Kidnaped" comes to the Lyric for two days starting tomorrow.

would tend to raise prices in these outlets. "But more important, the farmer knows that the chains perform highly useful functions in taking surpluses of agricultural products off the market. Unlike the independents, who always try to carry a complete and well-rounded line of merchandise, the chains seek products that can be featured from a price standpoint.

"Organized labor is also becoming more vociferous in showing opposition to anything that tends to raise retail prices, except, of course, when higher wage rates are the issue," the report continues. "Labor unions have been

able to make progress in organizing workers in the chains whereas they have had little success with the independents and have encountered violent opposition from that source.

"Real estate interests have found the chains to be a reliable source of profit, and they have joined the ranks of those opposing chain store taxes," the study stated. "The same holds true for many businesses, and altogether the array now fighting anti-chain measures is becoming quite imposing."

According to Standard Statistics, the peak of legislation adverse to chain stores was in 1933.

### WASHINGTON LETTER

By Rodney Dutcher  
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

**WASHINGTON.**—A successful radio salesman of four, campaigning with a hillbilly band, is leading a field of 14 candidates for the Democratic nomination for governor in the great state of Texas. He is Lee O'Daniel of Fort Worth—a showman who, according to various reports here, is running away with the show as far as the state's July 23 primary is concerned.

O'Daniel draws huge crowds, exudes personality, promises a \$30 monthly pension for every Texan over 65, sings songs of his own composition—especially "Beautiful Texas"—intersperses his speeches with the hill-billy band music, takes up big collections.

Most experienced observers foresee a run-off primary between O'Daniel and Attorney General William McCraw, another colorful campaigner.

Railroad Commissioner Ernest Thompson, backed by big oil money, is likely to run third, and former Postoffice Solicitor Karl Crowley—who left Washington after a testimonial dinner toastmastered by Jim Farley and attended by Cabinet Members Ickes, Cummings, and Hull, as well as Supreme Court Justices Black and Reed—is a likely fourth.

Roosevelt, Vice President Garner, and RFC Chairman Jesse Jones have been neutral. Only possibility of an administration victory or defeat is to be found in the San Antonio congressional district where New Dealer Maury Maverick's renomination is hotly contested by Paul Kilday.

A FEDERAL district judge who does not owe his new job to Senator Harry Byrd or Senator Carter Glass has been appointed in Virginia. One of Senator Pat McCarran's political enemies has been named U. S. district attorney in Nevada. The federal housing administrator for Maryland, who was in Senator Millard Tydings' patronage coop, has been fired.

The four senators, anti-New Deal Democrats, are boiling with indignation at these snubs, which they allege are instances of Roosevelt's retaliation against his foes. Similar instances may become frequent between now and 1940 but these alone call attention to certain significant facts:

Big federal jobs, especially in the states, and including even theoretically sacred judgeships, are traditionally items of political pie and it's practically unheard of to appoint a federal judge or other official without endorsement by the senator or senators belonging to the right party and representing his district.

For five years Democratic senators have had their own men appointed judges, district attorneys, postmasters, marshals, WPA administrators, and so on, and the administration has made little if any effort to discriminate in patronage between New Deal and anti-New Deal senators.

The fact that federal machinery in most states is manned by partisans who owe their jobs to incumbent senators presents a real stumbling block when Roosevelt attempts to defeat Democratic conservatives who have opposed his measures.

### Big Hatchery to Be Built By NYA

AUSTIN.—An additional sponsor's contribution of \$35,000 by the Federal Bureau of Fish Hatcheries has been made in carrying forward the construction of the largest fish hatchery in Texas at the Inks dam under a National Youth Administration resident project, J. C. Kellam, state youth director, announced following an inspection tour of the project with G. C. Leach, chief, Division of Fish Culture, Washington, and John Blaz, superintendent, Bureau of Fish Hatcheries, Texas. Mr. Leach came to Texas at the invitation of Congressman Lyndon

Today, it is pointed out, public opposition is sufficient to result in the shelving of every "discriminatory" chain store tax proposed in state legislatures. By 1939, the report indicates, the opponents of anti-chain taxes will have grown even stronger, and levies of this nature, both state and federal will have slim chances of success.

B. Johnson, who was instrumental in securing his cooperation in locating the hatchery at Inks dam. Mr. Leach stated after viewing the work already done on the construction of the ponds that he was well pleased with the progress made and that the hatchery was "an outstanding example of how the National Youth Administration can assist in conservation work."

One hundred fifty youths are now assigned to the NYA project sponsored by the Lower Colorado River Authority in cooperation with the Federal Bureau of Fish Hatcheries. Fifty of these boys were recently assigned and 50 more will be added in the next 30 days. As a part of their work assignment the youths are employed under the supervision of the Federal Bureau of Fish Hatcheries building ponds for the hatchery on the east side of the river below Inks dam, three miles downstream from Buchanan dam. Youths are also assisting in building a granite administration building near Buchanan dam and in rebuilding the quarters used by the construction crew at Inks dam into per-

manent quarters for NYA resident groups. The NYA boys, selected chiefly from families living in small towns and rural areas, work about half time and during the other half are engaged in a training program in subsistence farming methods and in farm shop work. A tract of arable land adjacent to the fish hatchery site is being cultivated by these boys as a part of the farm training.

### Politically Minded State Employees Are Asked to Resign

SANTA FE, N. M.—Gov. Clyde L. Tingley asked state employees who planned to "hang onto their jobs for the next six months while directing most of their energies into undercover political activity" to resign immediately.

Tingley said he was opposed to some state employees sneaking back to their work on a pretense of working. "State employees can play the politics they want to openly and with a free conscience, but they ought to do so openly and with a free conscience, it should not interfere with their work."

Comes news of another one those former boy geniuses grows up to be just another adult. Apparently enlightenment never strikes the same pl twice.

### Eastland Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kingle and Mrs. Gorman were visitors here Monday. C. E. May of Ranger business Monday at Eastland.

### Labor, Consumers Oppose the Chain Store Legislation

NEW YORK.—Mounting opposition by consumer, farmer, labor and real estate groups to anti-chain store legislation prevented the passage of any chain store taxes this year and indicates that the "drastic Patman bill to eliminate chain stores" will fail of passage next year.

This is the conclusion reached in the latest survey of public reaction to punitive chain store

legislation by Standard Statistics, Inc., authoritative analysts of American business and industry.

The Patman bill, introduced at the last session of congress, and to which the study refers, would provide for a graduated tax on each chain store, reaching a maximum of \$1,000 per store, multiplied by the number of states in which the chain operates.

"Time is working in favor of the chains and against this bill and all other discriminatory chain store taxation," the survey states. "At one time, it was relatively easy to secure such legislation, but there has been a considerable change in this situation within recent years.

"For one thing, a number of consumer groups now exist and are taking an active voice when any legislation is introduced which might affect the consuming public," the survey points out. "The farmer, of course, has not the slightest sympathy with those who would cripple the chains. Farmers are important customers of large rural chain organizations and are against anything that

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WANTED—50 pairs of men's second hand shoes suitable for repair and resale. Mrs. R. L. Rowe, 112 No. Seaman.

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FOR SALE: 1906 Model Maxwell Roadster; good running condition, owned by J. N. Wright of Beaty, Texas. Will be in Eastland Saturday. Car is at 408 South Walnut Street.

### Guardsmen Halt Labor Warfare



A national guardsman posts a notice on the courthouse declaring the town of Newton, Ia., under martial law after Gov. Nelson Kraschel ordered out troops to restore order to the strike-torn city. The guardsmen halted a wild fight between 1000 demonstrators and non-union workers at the Maytag Washing Machine Company.

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**THANK YOU . . . EVERYBODY**

I am sincerely grateful for your vote and want the people of Eastland County to know that I shall do everything in my power to carry out every promise I made in my campaign and that at all times I shall welcome your suggestions and cooperation in all matters pertaining to the state government.

WITH YOUR HELP — I KNOW I WILL MAKE YOU A WORTHY REPRESENTATIVE!

**P. L. (LEWIS) CROSSLEY**

(Pol. Adv.)

**THIS CURIOUS WORLD** By William Ferguson

SEA LEVELS ARE RISING AT THE RATE OF ONE FOOT EVERY TWELVE YEARS . . . DUE TO MELTING OF THE POLAR ICE.

MANY OF THE SMALLER PACIFIC ISLANDS WILL DISAPPEAR ENTIRELY AS THE WATER RISES.

**SKUNKS EAT HAIRY CATERPILLARS, BUT THEY ROLL THEM ON THE GROUND FIRST IN ORDER TO BREAK OFF THE HAIRS.**

IT is estimated that when all the Arctic and Antarctic ice has melted, sea levels will be about 100 feet higher than they are now. This will be sufficient to submerge completely many of the islands that now exist and destroy shipping harbors.

**It's the little humble things that make a house a HOME**

THOSE careless marks of his baby fingers . . . could any one buy them from you now? The knee-high smudges on the door! The pencil scratches on the wall that showed his growth from two to a little man of six! The nicked nursery bed where you two watched for hours one night until a sprawled, feverish form slipped into healing slumber!

Yes, a home is seasoned with smiles and tears, mellowed by memories and flavored with hopes. Each room has well-loved articles that have grown dearer with the years. And there are new things that you are working and planning for. It may be an occasional table for the living-room. New drapes for the breakfast nook. A summer rug. Porch and lawn furniture.

The advertisements in this newspaper bring you news of furnishings to freshen your home. Study them and save shopping steps and budget dollars. They will help you add to the gracious charm of your home . . . that little world which is your very own!