

American Officials Ready New Diplomatic Moves

WASHINGTON (AP)—American officials are readying new diplomatic moves today in a determined effort to settle the Berlin crisis short of war.

These moves, including a new note to Moscow, grow out of a new, three-point policy for dealing with the extremely dangerous situation in the Russian-blockaded German capital.

Authorities familiar with the latest developments say the policy covers an absolute determination "not to be kicked out of Berlin."

But, they add, it also embraces equally strong decisions (a) to seek a peaceful solution to the crisis and (b) to use caution and restraint in both action and words so that the Soviets will be given no possible excuse for making the situation worse.

The nature of the basic policy decisions became known here shortly after officials disclosed that American authorities in Germany had been ordered home for a quick series of talks.

Scheduled to reach Washington within the next 24 hours are Gen. Lucius D. Clay, the American occupation commander; Ambassador Robert Murphy, Clay's top-ranking political adviser; and a representative of Lt. Gen. Curtis E. Lemay, chief of the U. S. Air Force in Europe.

At the moment, ranking officials here are still hopeful that the Berlin crisis can be settled before it reaches the point of open fighting.

They do not, however, disguise their concern that it might lead to war.

Then, determination is that if there is to be showing the blame must rest upon Russia and not upon the Western powers.

As one informant put it: "If the Russians want a war at this time they can get it, but they will have to bring it about themselves."

One of the dangers which top Washington officials hope to avoid as the developments of the next few weeks unfold is a growth of hysteria in the West over the possibility of an open conflict with Russia.

These authorities declare that the United States must reject two extremes of action—appeasement on the one hand and excessive belligerence on the other.

Both President Truman and Secretary of State Marshall have repeatedly called in the past for the American people to keep cool.

One extreme step which has been widely speculated upon is the dispatch of an armored convoy from Western Germany with orders to drive through the Soviet Zone to the blocked capital.

In the light of present Washington policy, it appears certain that no such move will be undertaken until and unless all other means have failed.

But there appears to be no disposition to relax the military alert. Officials insist that if Russia tries to use force to gain its ends, this country and the other Western powers will be ready to resist with force.

The military information Clay presumably is bringing back for policy-making officials probably deals with the deployment of American forces and a last-minute arrest of the reports on Russian troop dispositions in Germany.

United States ground forces there consist of only 96,000 troops. Of these, something less than

24,000 are combat troops, although the slightly larger constabulary force also is thoroughly trained in field combat.

The picture the Air Force representative can present is something like this:

On the scene in Europe three groups of B-29 bombers, a total of 90 aircraft; one group of World War II F-4 fighters, a total of 75 planes; two troop carrier groups, totaling 96 airplanes of the twin-engine C-47 type; fifty-four big four-engine transports.

Due in Europe—16 F-80 jet fighters, also the 38th Fighter Wing, equipped with 75 F-80 jets.

The mobility striking force in this country which the Army might call for help in an emergency is only 54,000 men, of whom 10,000 are service troops.

The Air Force is better off. It has, counting the three groups

Sovies Plan New Squeeze Measure

BERLIN (AP)—The British-licensed press said today the Russians are preparing to pull switches and signal equipment on the railroad to Berlin if the Western Allies try to force their way through the Soviet blockade.

Meanwhile the Russians, who already have offered to feed all Berlin, hinted through their controlled press that they may offer electric power for the entire city, including the Soviet-blockaded Western sectors.

The British-controlled newspaper Telegraph said German railway officials have received orders to prepare detailed plans to rail lines running to the Western borders of the Russian Zone.

The British-licensed German News Agency said the closed Helmsdorf line to Berlin was in good shape and needed no repairs as the Russians have claimed.

German press reports also said the Russians are strengthening border barricades on the frontiers with the American Zone to forestall German interzonal travel.

In London, a British Foreign Office spokesman announced Britain "has no plans for the present" of abandoning the air lift, whether or not Russian food becomes available to the western part of the city.

Gen. Lucius D. Clay, American military governor in Germany, and his political adviser, Robert Murphy, are enroute to Washington to report on the growing Berlin crisis. Clay is expected to return to Berlin Sunday.

The sudden summons of Clay to Washington appeared to foreshadow the planning of new steps to end the blockade.

The five member nations of the Western European Union reportedly have agreed to oppose any show of force against the Russians in Germany. The members, who have been meeting in The Hague, are Britain, France, Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg.

The U. S. Air Force still is managing to surmount the blockade with their air lift. Yesterday the shuttle set a new record in hauling supplies to some 2,000,000 beleaguered Berliners.

The Communist press is endeavoring to picture the Russians with their food offer as coming to the rescue of Western Berliners who are described as victims of "blind policy" of the Western Allies.

The German press in Western Berlin called the Russian proposal to feed all the city a "big bluff" and a crude propaganda maneuver.

More Funds Needed for Road Project

Additional funds are needed to complete fencing right-of-way and to complete digging water wells on Highway 70 north from Pampa, the Pampa-Perryton Highway Committee announced this morning.

The \$50,000 fund that was raised two years ago to purchase right-of-way for completing Highway 70—the old Highway 18—from Pampa north to Perryton—has been found insufficient to meet the costs involved. After studying various cost estimates, the committee stated an additional \$15,000 will be needed to complete transactions already begun.

All rights-of-way have been secured by the committee. The additional funds are needed to dig water wells and build fence along the route.

Floyd Imel was appointed head of a committee to raise the funds needed. He is in the middle of this project now, and we can't back out," he said.

Jake Garman headed the original drive and collected the \$50,000 in about two weeks. It is hoped this present drive can be finished as quickly, the committee said.

Work has already begun on 4.8 miles of road construction north of Pampa, and contracts for 15 miles of road on the north end are expected to be let this month.

Precincts to Pick County Delegates

While voters go to the polls Saturday to cast their ballots in the Democratic Primary in Gray County, precinct chairmen will preside at Precinct Conventions held in their respective polling places.

Purpose of the precinct conventions is to elect delegates to the County Convention to be held July 31, where delegates to the State Convention, to be held Sept. 17, will be named. The State Convention will choose presidential electors for the November elections. The place for the State Convention has not yet been announced.

The precinct, county, and state conventions held several weeks ago for choosing delegates to the National Convention to pick the party's presidential nominee.

Man John V. Andrews presided at the official polling places for the Democratic primaries along with the election judges for each. They are:

Precinct 1, Lefors School, D. M. Jones, judge; Precinct 2, Baker School, J. W. Andrews, judge; Precinct 3, Grandview School, J. M. McCracken, judge.

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Price Fixing Is Charged

PITTSBURGH, Pa. (AP)—Firms which make nearly half the nation's paints, varnishes and lacquers, and the men who run them were under indictment today charged with a conspiracy to fix the prices of their products.

A federal grand jury acting on complaints of the U. S. government, handed down the indictments in U. S. District Court yesterday, naming 14 major paint companies and 20 officials.

These companies, and their officials, said, handled more than 45 percent of the nation's billion-dollar yearly paint business.

Attorney General Tom Clark said the cases were part of the government's anti-trust program aimed at "illegal conspiracies" in the housing field.

The indictment listed these firms as producers of paints, varnishes, enamels and lacquers: Sherwin-Williams Co., Cleveland; American Marietta Co., Chicago; Cook Paint and Varnish Co., Kansas City, Mo.; Devos and Reynolds Co., Inc., New York; E. I. DuPont de Nemours and Co., and the job will be completed before the start of the Top of the Rodeo and Horse Show on Aug. 3.

The commission passed a preliminary ordinance for the second reading that will require all itinerant and transient business houses to have a city permit before they can conduct door-to-door solicitation.

The ordinance does not affect regular traveling salesmen who have an established route of customers, nor does it affect local house-to-house sales in such lines as cosmetics or kitchen supplies.

The proposed ordinance is part of the development of an adequate water supply for the city, located south of town, and the expansion of the present water system was discussed at its meeting next Tuesday, the commission plans to announce the date for the bond election and the names of the election judges.

Parts of the proposed 1948-49 budget were discussed by the commissioners. "Parts of the budget will have to be cut," City Manager Steve Matthews said today, "and other sections will have to be revised." If the revisions can be completed by next Tuesday, the commission will set a date for a public hearing on next year's budget.



QUIET RETURNS TO PALESTINE—A frightened Jewish youngster, clutching his baby brother, emerges from the darkness of an air raid shelter into the quiet sunshine of afternoon. Peace has returned the Holy Land.

Andre Marie Will Try to Form French Government

Candidates Are Asked to Cease Electioneering

To conform with practices of the past few elections, candidates this year are again being asked to refrain from electioneering on election day.

A petition to the effect has been drawn up and placed in the Sheriff's Office for the signatures of all candidates.

The practice was instituted several years ago when candidates over the county attempted "one last" grand push for votes by passing out cards and asking for support on election day.

The petition asks that all candidates cease campaigning and soliciting on Saturday and that they do not have any other person electioneer for them.

In the meantime the deadline for absentee balloting passed with a total of 254 votes cast in the county clerk's office.

RED MURDERED

PRAGUE (AP)—The Czechoslovak Ministry of National Defense said underground groups in the United States Zone of Germany murdered one Communist official in Czechoslovakia and attempted to kill Gen. Ludvik Svoboda, the defense minister.

Food-Poisoning Cases Reported

Four food-poisoning cases occurred in Pampa yesterday morning. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cain and their two children were taken to Pampa Hospital in serious condition. They live about two miles west of Pampa.

The Cains thought they had been poisoned by meat they had bought in Pampa yesterday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Cain had eaten a sample of the milk this morning and discovered bacteria of all types present.

A farmer outside the city limits, not in the milk business, had given the Cains the milk.

In a much improved condition this morning, the Cains were released from the hospital.

RELATIONS BROKEN

BUCHAREST, Rumania (AP)—The Rumanian government has annulled an agreement providing for relations with the Vatican, it was announced. It was explained that this was necessary to give effect to this country's Constitutional guarantee of complete religious freedom.

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Shortage of Cement Delays Paving Plan

The cement contractor who was to have supplied the bulk of the cement for Pampa's 1948 paving program will not be able to supply all the cement needed to complete the program, the city engineer's office announced this morning.

This will mean that only about half the 50 blocks originally scheduled for asphalt paving will be fully completed this summer.

As long as the contractor can continue to supply cement, even though he cannot supply it as rapidly as the contract calls for, the City Street Department will continue to lay the hard surface, all weather, soft mix base on the remaining blocks of new paving, Dick Pepin, city engineer, said today.

Base has been laid on approximately 20 blocks so far. The paving contractor hired by the city will begin laying asphalt paving on these streets in the next few weeks, and, if cement arrives in time, seven or eight more blocks of base can be laid in time to be topped with asphalt this year.

The City Commission contacted eight cement companies at the first of the year to get the 28,000 sacks of cement needed for the 50 blocks of paving. The commission received commitments from two companies, Ash Grove Lime and Portland Cement Company of Chanute, Kans., delivered 6,000 sacks, according to its contract. The Trinity Portland Cement Company of Dallas agreed to furnish the remaining 22,000 sacks, start delivered by the first of the year, Feb. 25, to July 12. The company was to have sent two carloads a week in order to have it all delivered by July 12.

To date only 8,500 sacks have been delivered by the Trinity Portland Cement Company. It regrets not being able to furnish the cement as rapidly as planned, but is unable to get the additional cement immediately.

Trinity will be able to send two cars a month instead of eight as planned for the first two months. After Sept. 1, the company (See PAVING, Page 12)

Six Communist Leaders Under Federal Indictment Post Bond

NEW YORK (AP)—Bail of \$5,000 each was posted today for six top Communist leaders under indictment on charges of advocating the violent overthrow of the U. S. government.

The six, headed by Communist Party Chairman William Z. Foster, were arrested last night shortly after a federal grand jury indicted 12 of the party's high command.

The \$30,000 bail for the six was posted in U. S. Treasury bonds by Robert W. Dunn, treasurer of the Civil Rights Congress, when they appeared before Federal Judge Vincent L. Leitch.

Fred of bald besides Foster were Eugene Dennis, general secretary of the Communist Party; John Williamson, national labor secretary; Jacob Stachel, chairman of the party's Department of Agriculture; and Edmond Byrne, New York City Councilman Benjamin J. Davis, chairman of the party's Legislative Committee; and Henry Winston, organizational secretary.

A seventh, Carl Winters, chairman of the Michigan State Council of the party, was seized in New York City last night. The other five are being sought.

The arrests, one of the sharpest blows yet struck against organized communism in this country, brought an immediate, strongly worded protest from national headquarters of the party.

It described the indictments as a "monstrous frame-up" and said the arrests were part of a plan to "President Truman to embarrass the New Party of Henry A. Wallace.

The seven under arrest were arraigned last night on the charges and all pleaded innocent.

All those indicted by the grand jury, which had been investigating for about a year, were identified as:

Irving Potash, manager of the CIO Furriers Joint Council of New York City; John Gates, labor leader since July, 1947; The Daily Worker, official organ of the U. S. Communist Party; Robert G. Thompson, chairman of the New York State Communist Party; Gilbert Green, of Chicago, Ill., district chairman for the Communist Party of the United States; and Hall, of Cleveland, Ohio, chairman of the Ohio Communist Party.

Separate indictments returned against all 12 men charged them with holding membership in the Communist Party, "knowing well that said Communist Party was a society or assembly of persons teaching the overthrow of the United States by force and violence."

The indictments which named the 12 charged them with illegal activities dating back to April 1, 1945.

Federal officials said the maximum penalty upon conviction is 10 years imprisonment and a fine of \$10,000 for each charge. Those arraigned were indicted on two charges each.

CIO Political Committee Gets In State 'Act' by Back Door

The Texas State CIO's Political Action Committee is going underground and preparing to take over the Democratic Party.

This was revealed recently by a directive sent from J. J. Hickman, Texas State Political Action Committee, in Austin.

The orders took up two and two-thirds sheets of legal sized paper, single spaced and, in short, told local Political Action Committee chairmen to "produce."

The long directive stressed, in its last paragraph, to "transmit all information concerning the program by word of mouth in group meetings." Personal-to-person contacts and confidential first class mail is also to be used. To keep the public blinded, the State Political Action Committee directed its local units to disguise their activity and said "keep your program out of the newspapers. Don't brag about your activity or boast of your success in the newspapers." The paragraph added: "Widespread publicity of our activity will not only stimulate the opposition to greater action, but will also alienate cooperation from other groups." The directive's final sentence concluded with the advice to "muzzle" those members or leaders who can't resist the urge to blow off steam in the newspapers.

That was the sum and substance of the PAC's first move to put on a big push through the whispering campaign idea.

Just before reminding all PAC members to get out the vote at precinct meetings on Friday, the directive instructed its members to dig out the records and platforms of each candidate and to "clearly set out in each local legislative and Congressional race the candidates' records and those in the past." All of this information is to be passed on to local unions and to the State Political Action Committee.

Most important was the "underground" advice, which was discussed in another paragraph of the directive, where special attention was to be given precinct chairmen who didn't deliver, or whose precincts were "weak" in the May conventions. The pros and cons of the program were thrown forcefully into the last sentence of the paragraph, saying:

"Strengthen the organization in these precincts or replace it with people who will work."

All of these were listed under

Unions Avoid Wallace Meet

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—With the CIO and AFL coldly staying away, Henry Wallace's third party began hearing suggestions for a peace with Russia" platform today.

Two days of public hearings on the platform started today but the first tentative draft of the document was written ahead of time, yesterday.

It says according to Dr. Rexford Guy Tugwell, the platform chairman that "capitalist America and Communist Russia can and must live together in the same world."

It says the party "pledges through negotiations and discussion with the Soviet Union, in good faith, to find areas of agreement in all aspects of U. S. foreign policy. It accuses the Republicans and Democrats of rejecting the United Nations and obeying 'the dictates of big business.'"

Services Call For Volunteers

WASHINGTON (AP)—The armed forces opened their ranks today for 161,000 American 18-year-olds to volunteer for a special one-year hitch and thus avoid a two-year draft later.

The volunteers may, up to a point, pick the branch of service they wish to join. But the new draft law limits the annual total of the special enlistments to 110,000 for the Army, 36,000 for the Navy, including 6,000 for the Marines, and 15,000 for the Air Force.

Enlistments will be conducted by regular recruiting offices and qualified youths will be accepted in the order in which they apply.

After their one year's service to be confined to the continental United States, the 18-year-olds must spend from four to six years in an organized reserve unit.

Seal Coating on 55 Blocks Starts

Bryan and Hoffman, contractors of Berger and Plannewitz, began seal coating approximately 55 blocks of existing asphalt paving in Pampa this morning.

After completing the present job, the contractors will put asphalt topping on approximately 20 blocks of new paving, which now have a soil-cement base.

Curb and gutter construction has begun on W. Brown from the ball park to Howard in preparation for the Highway 70 project. It is an agreement to widen this highway street to 60 feet.

City Paints Rodeo Park

The State organization has shown away from a activity in support of (See POLITICS, Page 12)

Local Red Cross Appoints Officers

Officers of the Pampa Chapter of the American Red Cross were elected last week at the annual chapter board meeting.

Sherman White was appointed to a two-year office as chairman of the board. Other officers include Fred Neslage, vice chairman; Joe Rufe Jordan, secretary; and Joe Fisher, treasurer.

Two new board members named were Irvin Cole and Dr. Douglas Nelson. They will serve two-year terms.

Chairmen for the various Red Cross committees will be appointed by Judge White.

Other directors serving are Fletcher Kennedy, J. R. Sparkman and Neslage, for three-year terms; Evelyn Laveock, Frank Smith and Fisher, for one remaining year; and Mrs. Jordan for two remaining years.

All of the offices are honorary positions. Persons having a red cross problem should contact a Paul Hill, executive secretary of the Pampa Chapter.

U. S. Weather Bureau

PAMPA and VICINITY: Partly cloudy with occasional showers this afternoon, tonight and Thursday. Continued warm.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Thursday with widely scattered afternoon and evening showers. Not much change in temperatures.

OKLAHOMA: Partly cloudy today tonight and Thursday with few showers. Northeast this morning mostly in north portion tonight. No important temperature changes.

6:30 a. m. today 77 to 90 a. m. ... 85
6:30 a. m. ... 76 to 86 a. m. ... 83
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9:30 a. m. ... 87 to 97 a. m. ... 95

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We Saw . . .

Chief of Police Louie Allen being an accomplice to a crime at the opening of Lion Park Monday night. He ducked when a baseball was coming straight at his head . . . and it went through the windshield of the car behind Louie.

DANNY BRISTER of McLean, first-place winner of the Group 2 Kid Pony Show last year, will be an entry in the Kid Pony Show this year.

Only Seven State Clemencies Revoked

AUSTIN —(AP)— Only seven of the 452 convicts who received clemency during the past 30 months have had their clemency revoked and been returned to prison, Gov. Beauford H. Jester has reported.

made by the Board of Pardons and Paroles, Jester approved 452 for release of men from the penitentiary for the first time. He refused 72.

The South American country of Colombia was once known as New Granada.



JOHN ED FRY of Pampa, first-place winner of the Group 1 Kid Pony Show in 1947, plans to be a participant in the fourth annual Top of Texas Rodeo and Horse Show Kid Pony Show.

State's Rights Leaders Have Eyes on 127 Electoral Votes

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. —(AP)— States' rights leaders say they can pick up as many as 127 electoral votes—perhaps more—in the November election.

Here is a state-by-state survey, based on the way delegates talked at the anti-Truman conference of Southern Democrats:

Alabama—11 electoral votes already pledged against Truman.

Mississippi—9 votes, also committed to vote for someone besides Truman.

Louisiana—10 votes not committed, but former Gov. Sam Jones says State Democratic Committee can instruct electors.

Tennessee—12 electors chosen in convention, states' righters say a convention has power to remove electors; therefore can make them vote any way it wants.

Georgia—12 votes. Electors still to be named in primary election.

Florida—8 electors already chosen in primary. No way to instruct them. States' righters concede, if they want to support Truman.

Texas—33 votes. Electors will be chosen by Democratic Convention and can be instructed.

Arkansas—9 electors to be named in convention and can be pledged against Truman.

Virginia—11 representatives in electoral college. Already chosen by convention and pledged for Truman, but anti-Truman forces contend party can instruct them otherwise.

South Carolina—8 electors to be chosen by State Democratic Executive Committee. Electors will be pledged against Truman by state convention resolution, but subject to change because of court ruling that the Democratic Party is open to everybody. They may result in a new convention and widespread changes.

North Carolina—14 electors. Chosen in convention and not pledged but can be.

In addition, the states' righters hope to win support in Oklahoma, which has 10 votes, and Maryland, with 8, and plan to enter anti-Truman elector candidates in Missouri and Kentucky, home states of Mr. Truman and his running mate, Senator Alben Barkley.

A victory in Missouri would give the states' righters 15 electoral votes, and Kentucky could add another 11.

U.S. Grocers Are 'Doing All Right'

NEW YORK —(AP)— The grocers are doing all right. Three dollars bloom in the cash till for every one in the mid-thirties. A about half of that is due to sky-high prices. The rest is because he is selling more.

The grocer has his troubles, of course, over supplies, costs and wholesale prices.

Each time the price screw is tightened another thread, a few more customers switch from steak to stew meat, from butter to oleo. Even the people keep right on coming in, and going out with big bundles. And every week they leave more dollars behind than they did at the same time last year.

Why people can go on eating more and better than before the way, although paying twice as much for food, is shown in a Federal Reserve report on the growth in family income, taken in conjunction with the Census Bureau's estimates on the growth in population. There are more people and, even more important, they have more money.

The bankers' report shows why nine families out of ten have been able to change their eating habits in the last 10 years.

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Families with less than \$1,000 a year can't buy all the staple food they want or need. Only 14 percent are in that unfortunate fix today, while 53 percent were in 1935-36.

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Man and Wife Together Again After Separation of Twenty-Seven Years

NEW YORK —(AP)— The gray-haired, white-faced woman, her eyes covered with dark glasses, was led gingerly from the plane. She stamped onto the field. From a bench in the La Guardia Field rotunda, Leonard Uren, now white at temples, jumped up and hurried towards the woman. He put his arms around her and kissed her.

The man paused and said softly: "Never more, lass, never more, till death." Annie, now 60, and Leonard Uren, 53, were reunited. Twenty-seven years ago, in June, five days after their wedding, Annie and Leonard Uren of Redruth, England, parted. He was going to America to get a job and make a home for her. He went to Ironwood, Mich., where he now works for the Oliver Iron Mining Company. The money didn't come in as fast as he thought it would and Annie's trip was put off.

"You're tired?" "No, Leonard, I slept a good part of the way."

"You're glad to be here, lass?" The woman nodded: "Yes, now I am. We were a long time parted, Len."

She had become blind. She had lost her sight as the result of working in munition plants in World War One.

Annie Uren smiled: "I'd never know you by your voice, Len. You're a real Yankee brogue, now."

Afghanistan, after a singularly backward history, is hiring American engineers to aid irrigation, power, and industrial projects.

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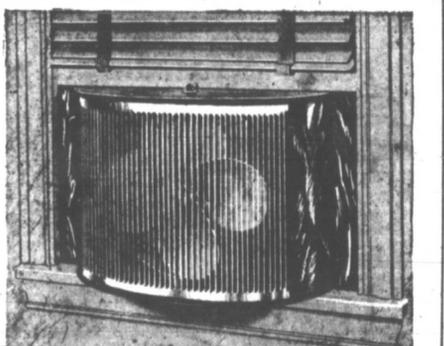
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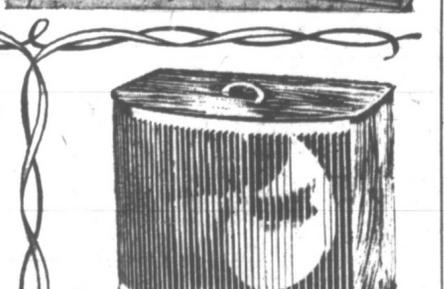
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Mainly About People

Mrs. A. R. Harvey of 1512 Oklahoma has returned from Watts, Okla., where she visited her mother, Mrs. C. V. Moddrell, and sister, Mrs. George Long.

Ice Cold Melons, sliced, half or whole, Caldwell's Drive-Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Keys have just returned from Oklahoma City where Mr. Keys went on business for Pampa Supply Company.

Ice Cold Melons, sliced, half or whole, Caldwell's Drive-Inn.

The Exaltian Class of the First Baptist Church will have a luncheon in the Courthouse Cafe at 1 p.m. on Thursday, July 22. It has been announced that all members are invited to attend.

Ice Cold Melons, sliced, half or whole, Caldwell's Drive-Inn.

Mrs. R. M. Jullard, 1308 Charles, underwent major surgery at the Worley Hospital last night for an acute appendix. Although her condition was reported satisfactory.

(Political Advertisement)

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Holmes who live south of Pampa are the parents of a 7-pound 6-ounce daughter, Connie Lynn, born July 20 in Worley Hospital. Mrs. Nancy Holmes is the baby's paternal grandmother. The maternal grandparents are Clarence Moore of Pampa and Mrs. George Glass of Oklahoma City.

Free barbecue chicken and beer. Open house 8 p.m. Thursday. All Veterans welcome. Legion-VFW Club.

The latest moves by the Russians indicate that they are trying to put on the final pressure to drive us out of Berlin. This could not be accomplished by any action short of war.

—Gen. Lucius D. Clay, American military governor in Germany.



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Legal Records

Really Transfers
J. C. Bassett to James C. Pitts; one-half interest in Plot 175, suburbs of Pampa.

Eva Sue Frazier and husband to Minnie O. Johnson; Lot 6, Block 27, Talley.

Eva Sue Frazier and husband to Verlie Johnson; Lot 7, Block 27, Talley.

Eva Sue Frazier and husband to Floyd N. Johnson; Lot 9, Block 27, Talley.

Suits Filed
The following suits in divorce were filed yesterday in the office of District Clerk Dee Patterson:

Effie Irene Wedgeworth versus Charles H. Wedgeworth.

Dorothy E. Swafford versus Charles R. Swafford.

Texas Today

By WILLIAM C. BARNARD
Associated Press Staff

Here's the way you get your news of the Texas Primary campaign, now heating up like a Philadelphia delegate.

First of all, please remember that each newspaper covers the news in its own way. Space for politics, business, sports, oil, crime, society, personals and all other kinds of news is decided on by the newspaper itself, its editors and its publisher.

Political news comes mainly from:

1. Candidates themselves.
2. The candidates' press agents.
3. The candidates' friends and supporters.
4. Reporters accompanying the candidates.

These reporters may be members of the newspapers own staff or staff correspondents of a news association or agency. The reporters write what they see and hear and telephone or wire it to their editors.

This week a dozen experienced political reporters, representing newspapers and news organizations, are with the major candidates, winding up the campaign.

Here are the campaign setups for the major candidates in the U. S. Senate race:

Lyndon Johnson's State Headquarters is an 18-room, two-story white house in Austin three blocks west of Congress Avenue. John Connally heads the Johnson campaign with Claude C. Wild and Charles Herring his assistants. Roy Wade is head press agent. Paul Bolton helps write speeches. Horace Busby accompanies the candidate to handle press matters. Busby telegraphs spot stories to news centers. Mrs. Johnson is at campaign headquarters most of the time. Mrs. R. M. Brooks heads the women's division. Total permanent personnel: seven men and a couple of part time messenger boys, 10 women (seven of whom are stenographers, typists and file clerks). Advance publicity in mimeograph form goes out by mail. This publicity includes features, news stories, speech advances, releases to radio stations and pictures.

Coke Stevenson's Headquarters is in two rooms at the Driskill Hotel in Austin. The office manager is Amelia Mallory Buchanan. Two other women stenographers work in the headquarters. Several typists are used, as occasion requires. Morris Roberts, editor of the Victoria Advocate, is Stevenson's campaign manager. The Dallas firm of Mooney and Cullinan handles the publicity, with Booth Mooney looking after the publicity at Austin. Byron Utecht, long a Texas newspaperman, travels with Stevenson, wiring stories



HERMAN WATKINS of Pampa plans to enter the Kid Pony Show at the fourth annual Top o' Texas Rodeo and Horse Show. He was first-place winner in Group 3 of the Kid Pony Show in 1947.

New Drugs May Prove Polio Aids

MONTE RIO, Calif., (AP)—Two new drugs which may be of value against infantile paralysis are being tried for the first time on patients in the Texas epidemic, Dr. Chauncey Leake, dean of the University of Texas Medical School, said.

Initial results indicate "the advisability of making an intensive clinical study" of their worth against the disease, Dr. Leake said.

The drugs are aureomycin, a relative of streptomycin, and thiazolyl, a relative of vitamin B-1. They were developed by a drug manufacturing firm (Lederle Laboratories) only recently and were sent to Texas when the outbreak there offered the first opportunity for an actual test.

Just how the drugs work is not known yet.

Dr. Leake reported that Dr. Murray Sanders of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, obtained encouraging results with thiazolyl against polio in mice and monkeys. This resulted in the setting up of a plan to carry the test to humans. The plan was conceived by the College of Physicians and Surgeons and the Neurological Institute of New York City.

Sixty patients have been treated with the new drugs at the Jefferson Davis Hospital in Houston and 31 at the University of Texas Hospital in Galveston, Dr.

Leake said. He added it was too early to give an opinion on the value of the drugs.

The first oriental rug known to history is one called the Spring of Chosroes, which now would be valued at \$2,000,000.

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And if elected will serve the people of Precinct 2, County Barn with personal service. (Political Advertisement) and make office at the

WHO Does Gray County Want To Send To The Legislature

A BRIGHT YOUNG COLLEGE BOY OR 30-YEAR-OLD BUSINESS MAN?

There are two splendid young men making the race for State Representative this year. One of them, **GRAINGER McILHANY OF WHEELER, TEXAS**, is 30 years old, holds degrees from the University of Texas in Law and Business, worked 3 1/2 years as an accountant before the war (part of the time in Pampa, served in the Army 4 years, and is now engaged in the Dry Goods Business at Wheeler.

The other candidate is a likeable youngster from Clarendon, who is studying to be a lawyer at Austin. If elected, it would be necessary for him to divide his time between the University and the Legislature—studying law part of the time and writing laws for the State of Texas the rest of the time.

DON'T YOU THINK RUNNING OUR STATE IS A GROWN MAN'S JOB

The Legislature, as you know, is the "board of directors" of the State of Texas which is the biggest business in the state. The Legislature decides where and how to levy millions of dollars in taxes. The Legislature exacts our criminal and civil statutes which regulates our daily lives. **DON'T YOU THINK WE NEED A MAN OF MATURE JUDGMENT AND BUSINESS EXPERIENCE TO REPRESENT US ON THIS ALL-IMPORTANT BODY?**

IF YOU WANT A MAN WITH HIS FEET ON THE GROUND VOTE FOR McILHANY OF WHEELER COUNTY

This message paid for by Dr. H. E. Nicholson of WHEELER, TEXAS who has been a life-long friend of GRAINGER McILHANY.

Coming Up!... More Telephones for Pampa

NEW TELEPHONE CABLE GOING IN...

Skilled workmen are adding a large amount of new cable to Pampa's telephone system, so that people waiting can get service. The new cable contains approximately 5,300 miles of wire needed to connect new instruments in homes and businesses to the switchboard at the telephone office here. It will help us furnish service to many people who now are on the waiting list.

We've installed a lot of telephones here since the end of the war—more than 1,400. Pampa now has 5,215 in service, almost double the number in 1941. But more people here have wanted telephones than ever before. New orders for service have poured in faster than we can connect them. As a result, although we have added 1,400 telephones here since V-J Day, the waiting list has grown from 592 at that time to 865 today!

That's why we're hard at work putting in more cable here... as much as we can get, as speedily as possible. Each new cable makes possible more telephones. There'll be no let-up until everyone in Pampa who wants a telephone has one.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

The Woman's Page

ampa News, Wednesday, July 21, 1948 PAGE 5

Women Lose Reputation For Apathy in Texas Politics

By MARTHA COLE
Associated Press Staff
The women of Texas will vote in droves Saturday. Trying to make a family budget, buck high prices and keep their husbands and sons away from another world war got them interested.

CHANGE of LIFE?

Are you going through the functional "middle age" period peculiar to women (35 to 55 yrs.)? Does this make you suffer from hot flashes, feel so nervous, high-strung, tired? Then go try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. Pinkham's Compound also has what Doctors call a stomachic tonic effect!

They've been out helping their husbands run for office, running campaign headquarters and working on programs to arouse more interest in state government. "I've stopped making speeches about apathetic women," said Mrs. Martin Row, president of the Texas League of Women Voters. "It just isn't true any more."



for that honeymoon look...

They've been a tradition—Daniel Green slippers for brides—since 1882! For they're beautiful, and built to "stay in shape", to keep their beauty for a long, long time after the honeymoon!

Trousseau slippers by

Daniel Green

Daniel Green has Skinner's famous rayon satin and the American Polo Company's fine wool felt.

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Powder Puff Toppers



Coat fashions for fall owe their appeal to high-style design and bright-hued fleecy fabrics. Amber fleecy topper, left, sets the trend for Empire-styling with its rippling back fullness, undefined waistline. 'Tailsipin' silhouette is introduced in the long, fitted coat, right, which has huge slot pockets. Coat is red with black seal scarf.

who generally has a smile, said she was new to politics except "in 1922 when George was a write-in candidate for the Senate and I would get mad whenever I saw the newspapers say anything against him."

Lyndon Johnson has a statewide women's organization headquartered in Austin, with branches in each Congressional district, and these groups provide volunteer workers to get out literature and letters and make personal solicitations.

Stevenson said in a speech: "I find that the women of Texas are right out in the forefront in this campaign." He said he re-

By EPSIE KINARD
NEA Fashion Editor
NEW YORK —(NEA)—Dye a fleecy powder puff fireman's red, golden amber or any other vivid autumn color, and you'll have a sample of the furry softness of this fall's outstanding coat fabric.

That's the super-fleece which combines alpaca and wool chulana to make the importantly-styled coats seen in New York collections. This "fabulous fleecy" also seems to attract as companions the most dashing fur pieces, such as convertible scarves and pert berets that set smack on the head.

Designer Ben Reig uses red fleecy to make the tailsipin silhouette coat which is starred in his collection along with black seal fur pieces. The tailsipin silhouette is featured in a long, fitted coat with huge slot pockets and a back fullness that unfolds like a fan.

This topper of fingertip length floats out rippling back fullness from an undetermined waistline. A deep round collar, able to rise to the occasion, when the mercury dips, is reminiscent of the one in which Napoleon ducked his chin.

Can't Sit!

PIN-WORMS CAUSE FIDGETING AND THAT AWFUL ITCH

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The Social Calendar

THURSDAY
12:00 Order of Eastern Star Past Matrons Gavel Club covered dish luncheon in Montic Temple. All past matrons invited.
7:30 Rebekah Lodge in IOOF Hall.
8:00 Kit Kat Club swimming party at Municipal Pool.

FRIDAY
9:30-11:00 Ruth Class of First Baptist Church coffee in home of Mrs. Harold McMurry, 814 N. Somerville. All members and members in service invited. Group 1 is hostess committee.
7:00 Faithful Workers Class of First Baptist Church family picnic in park near bus barn. Each member is asked to bring basket lunch for family. Drinks will be furnished.
8:00 VFW Auxiliary in VFW-American Legion Hall.

MONDAY
Elizabeth Rhos YWA of Lefors Baptist Church member party in church. Mission book will be given. All unmarried girls age 16 to 25 are invited.

TUESDAY
2:00 Skelly-Kingsmill Club in home of Virginia Mitchell.
7:30 Theta Rho Girls Club in IOOF Hall.

Equador supplies Chinchona bark, rubber, and light balsa wood necessary in the manufacture of airplanes.

ceived letters every day from housewives interested in his discussion of the high cost of living.

In Austin also is Mrs. William Murray, helping her husband run for railroad commissioner. Mrs. Murray is making a hand-shaking campaign herself. She goes into the beauty parlors, too, for there she said, the women under the hair dryers have to sit and listen.

Another woman familiar in the political scene is Miss Alla Clary, secretary to Sam Rayburn for many years. Brisk and efficient, she is helping him with his reelection race in his district this year.

RE-ELECT



JESSE JAMES
State Treasurer
Qualified By Experience
Subject to Democratic Primary

Tired Boy Pitches Tent on Railroad

LONG BEACH, Calif. — (AP)—Thirteen-year-old George McKenna of Tyler, Tex., was tired and sleepy when he pitched his tent.

George, one of several Tyler boys here on a summer tour, was sound asleep as soon as he hit end of the tent on the electric's sack. He was still at it at right of way.

6:50 a. m.
That was the moment a Pacific electric train came whizzing down the track enroute to Newport Beach. When George awoke he had a gash in his head. But otherwise he was all right.

It was then he discovered that in the darkness, he had tied one end of the tent on the electric's

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And remember... electric service is cheaper than ever before.

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BOYS' SPORT SHIRTS

Values as high as \$1.98, choose from solid color, plaids and all-over designs... in sizes from 4 to 16—

ANNIVERSARY SALE
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(Downstairs Store)

LEVINE'S
28TH ANNIVERSARY SALE

ANNIVERSARY SELL-EBRATION

Sale Starts
Thurs. Morn. 9am

CLEARANCE! Finer Piece Goods

Our piece goods department will really hum when you see these values. Look at the fabrics listed below and you'll see what we mean! Here's your chance to make those dresses you've wanted... at big savings.

- Shantung!
- Crepe Prints!
- Gabardines!
- Rayon Jersey!
- Bembergs!
- Luannas!

66c Yd.

Formerly Priced to \$1.59
(Downstairs Store)

Children's Scramble Table

Hundreds of bargains that will go fast. Playalls, shirts, swim trunks, sun suits... loads of better clothes for boys and girls. Odds and ends. PRICED ONLY—

78c Each

(Downstairs Store)

USE LEVINE'S LAYAWAY PLAN!

Anniversary Sale! Piece Goods

Here are the fabrics you'll get for only 44¢ a yard: Feather printed silks, lovely washable woven chamois and plaid gingham, striped poplin, solid color slaters in a wide variety of shades. Remember these sold for a high as \$1.19 a yard... Out they go at—
SPECIAL! 44c
Finer Fabric!
36 Inches Wide!

LOOK! 24 Piece Set! Silver Plated Ware!

Here's what you get: 6 knives with Silver-Plate, 6 forks, 6 tablespoons, 6 teaspoons... each piece all-over plated to wear and wear. Lovely chased pattern as illustrated. A marvelous value specially priced for the Ann!

\$2.98 Set
Worth \$6.98



Heavy Tufted! Multicolor! CHENILLE SPREADS

Heavy chenille in rose, blue, tan, peach and other good colors. These are priced so low... be here early for your selection

Levine's Full Size **\$3.99**
Special Price... (Downstairs Store)

Womens Casuals!

Hundreds of smart play and casual shoes to pick from in every size. Whites and a variety of good colors in just the right styles for RIGHT NOW! Every pair is worth much more than \$1.94 so buy several pairs to take you through summer. All from regular stock!

Broken Lots From Regular Stock! \$1.94



Whites! Colors! Big Selections! Reduced for the Sell-Ebration

BEGINS THURSDAY JULY 22nd

Boys' Assorted T-Shirts

White and pastel colors, slightly irregular, of famous Lov-Knit quality. Reg. to 88c each.

3 for \$1
(Downstairs Store)

BOYS' Fancy Knit

SPORT SHIRTS

Buy Now For School Wear
Quality knit shirts in colorful blezer stripes. They're 98c values
68c
(Downstairs Store)



LEVINE'S SELL-EBRATOR



NYLONS
Gotham Gold Stripe

... priced so low, you'll buy them by the dozen. Defects are so slight, you can hardly find them. Another Anniversary value!

New Shades 8 1/2 to 10 1/2

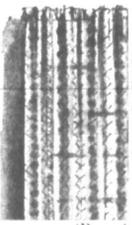
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If Perfect \$1.95

Shop NOW AND SAVE!

LEVINE'S SELL-EBRATOR

Clopay Window Drapes

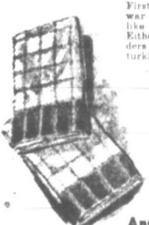


Assorted patterns and floral prints. Regular 98c pair.

2 pair \$1

(Downstairs Store)

Lovely Turkish TOWELS



First time since before the war that you can buy towels like these for only 19c. Either colored or white borders in thirty-gust-size Turkish towels. Buy plenty!

Guest Size! First Quality

19c

Anniversary Price!

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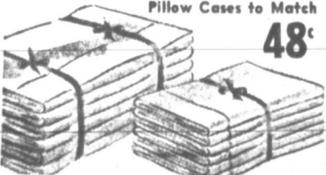
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Type 128
Wonderful bleached sheets that will make your bedrooms sparkle. Priced way down to bedrock for this event only. Nationally advertised brand we can't mention because of the low price.

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Various Sizes!

Pillow Cases to Match **48c**



Look at This Special 18x29 Printed

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EACH 19c

Little Boys

PLAY-ALLS

Sanforized woven dyed prints. Sizes for little fellows only—

ANNIVERSARY SALE

66c

(Downstairs Store)



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Gayle DIAPERS
Full 27x27 size. First quality Birdseye. Quantity limited. Dozen **\$1.88**
(Downstairs Store)

Terry Wash Cloths
Assorted Sizes and Colors Slightly Irregular, each... **7c**
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Single or Doublebreasted!
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Men's WASH PANTS

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Each **\$1⁹⁴**

Boys' Blue Chambray WORK SHIRTS

Ideal for wear now and back to school.

Sanforized shrunk, full cut. **98^c**
Strictly first quality
(Downstairs Store)

MEN'S FANCY STRIPE 'T' SHIRTS



Ribbed neck, hemmed bottom and sleeves. Colors blue and maize, maroon and grey, tan and wine.

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Men's Grey Covert
WORK SHIRTS **98^c**
All Sizes. A great value for
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Two Big Floors
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Beautiful spring and summer styles that sold for \$2.98 before this event. Light shades and darks to go with any outfit—white, white combinations, black, red, green and navy.

NOW 99^c
PLUS TAX
Actual 2.98 Values



MOVIELAND Half Slips

Full elastic waist, lace trim bottom, white and pastel colors. Sizes s - m - l. Regular \$1.98—

Special **94^c**



SALE! LINGERIE

Ladies' Cotton
SLIPS **98^c**
Built-up slips, Regular and Extra sizes
Extra Large Size Rayon
PANTIES **79^c**
Flare leg panties for women who wear outsize

BRASSIERES **33^c**
Large Group New Styles
Ladies' Two-Way Street
Panty and step in styles
GIRDLES **\$1⁰⁰**
Priced at wholesale cost.

Beautiful gowns that would ordinarily sell for \$3.98 to \$4.98.
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New long length tailored style. Priced at less than wholesale cost.
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Beautiful lace-trimmed bed jackets. Priced at wholesale cost.
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Crinkle Crepe and White Muslin. Out they go

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Small, medium and large. Teal, rose and white. Regular 59^c values.

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Multi-color floral designs. 2 large pockets. Sizes 12 to 20.

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A DRESS SALE THAT WILL MAKE VALUE HISTORY! HUNDREDS OF BRAND NEW

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Choose from hundreds of pretty patterns and colors in this season's newest styles. Dresses for home wear, street or office wear.

**DRESSES THAT
ORDINARILY
SELL FOR 4.98-5.98**

\$1⁹⁹



Sale! Dresses! In Two Big Groups!

Group One! \$3⁹⁴

Play dresses as well as dressy styles are in this group. Don't confuse these with dresses that ordinarily sell at \$3.94 . . . these are worth so much more, you'll snap all you can afford during this sale. Hurry for these.

AMAZING SAVINGS!

Group Two! \$5⁹⁴

Our finer frocks are in this group . . . that means you can buy some of our very best dresses at a price you'd normally pay for a good house dress. Wonderful fabrics, fine makes, all the features you want are in these bargains.

HUGE REDUCTIONS!

Every Dress Priced To Clear!

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All sizes including extra sizes

Men's Zelan **HATS** **88^c** Heavyweight Canvas **GLOVES** pair **19^c**
Dark colors.

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White, colored, stripes, patterns, French cuffs, button cuffs. All sizes and sleeve lengths.

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Short Sleeves—All Sizes

A splendid value for thrifty-minded men. **\$1⁸⁸**
Buy several



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OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



I NEVER SAW SUCH GAMBOLING AS THAT-- THE FRONT END IS GAMBOLIN' ALL RIGHT, BUT THE OTHER END LOOKS LIKE IT'S EXPECTIN' A KICK!

TH' DUMB END IS GAMBOLIN' BUT TH' OTHER END SEEMS TO REMEMBER THERE'S BEES IN CLOVER!

THE CLOVER WALTZ 7-21



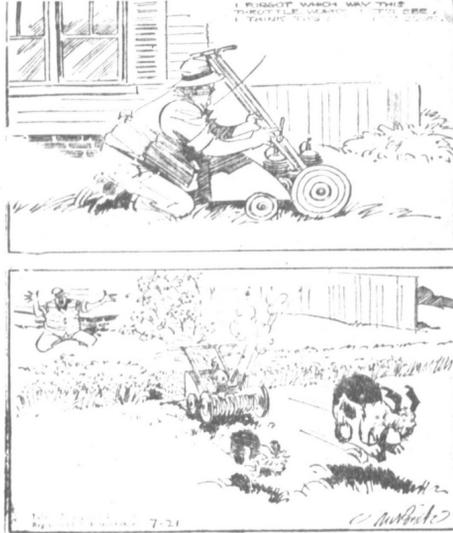
OH, UM, AH-- BACKFIRE-- NOTHING! I'VE TRACED IT TO THAT CREAMED TUNA AT DINNER-- ODD, TOO-- MY DIGESTION IS IRON-CLAD!

YOU'RE CREAKIN' LIKE A WICKER SETTEE, SON-- YOU'LL BE THE NEXT ONE THAT FAINTS!

I CAN'T FAINT-- WITH THIS CARLOAD OF WAX DUMMIES!

7-21
FLAT TIRE IS CUE FOR EVERYBODY TO STRIKE A MUSEUM POSE

NAPOLEON



I WISH I KNEW WHY THE HORSE REARS UP-- I'VE SEEN IT DO IT A FEW TIMES!

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SIDE GANCES BY GALBRAITH



YOU KNOW I THOUGHT THERE WAS SOMETHING FAMILIAR ABOUT HIS LOOKS.

WELL, IF HE IS OLD HU, THERE'S APT. BE THE TROUBLE HERE-- ABOUTS PRETTY QUICK!

7-21

"John says we'll have to quit buying things if we want to bring prices down--he's always kidding like that!"

CARNIVAL BY DICK TURNER



HOW'D YOU LIKE A NICE PAYIN' JOB SO YOU CAN PAY YOUR SALOON BILL, POP?

OH, YOU MEAN MY BLENDININE!

PARDON ME, MY GOOD MAN... I'M A TRIPLE INTERESTED IN THAT LIQUID YOU MIX WITH WATER AND USE FOR GASOLINE!

I STILL DABBLE IN CHEMISTRY, AND DISCOVERED IT QUITE BY ACCIDENT! ONE DROP WILL TRANSFORM TWO GALLONS OF WATER INTO A HIGH OCTANE MOTOR FUEL!

HIAM... I SEE, HAVE YOU HAD IT PATENTED?

OH, DEAR NO! THE KINDLY GAS STATION ATTENDANT POINTED OUT THAT A THING LIKE THIS ON THE MARKET WOULD DISRUPT THE ENTIRE PETROLEUM INDUSTRY! I SIMPLY COULDN'T DO THAT!

NO NEED, BUT I'M SURE YOU HAVE NO OBJECTION TO SELLING ME A SMALL BOTTLE?

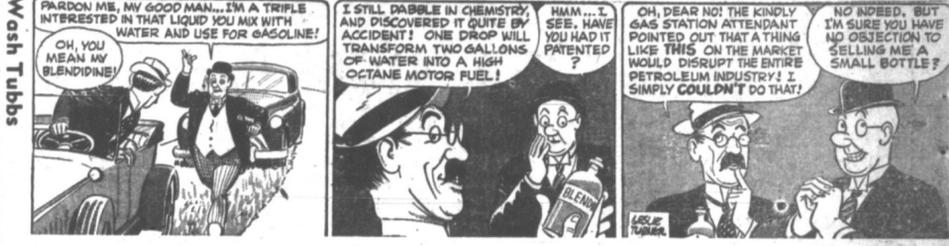
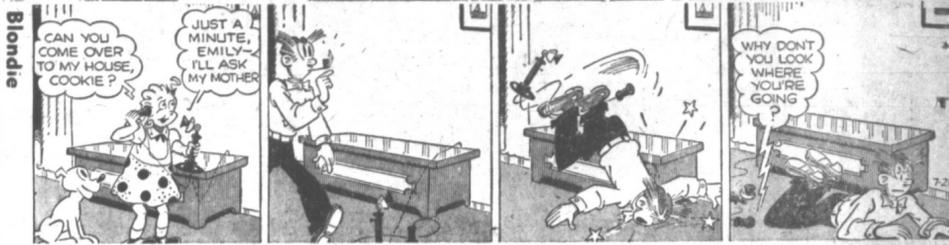
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"Is there some window around here where I could bet on a horse to come in last?"

Parliamentarian

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Answer to Previous Puzzle



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Fair Enough... by Westbrook Pegler

NEW YORK — The Taft-Hartley Law has had very little effect on the unions whose conduct is being regulated by the act. One result, however, has been a surprise even to specialists in union laws and constitutional subtleties. These documents contain many dangerous limitations on the rights of the people which are stated in negative terms or established by a failure to set forth guarantees. It has read the constitutions of 50 unions, many of them more than once. And because there were so many undesignated criminals in the "Hodgson's" and "Common Laborers' Union" of the A. F. of L., I have read that constitution four or five times.

But never, until recently, did I realize that this was not a union of working men at all but a private trust holding the executive offices in the national headquarters, for the collection of fees, fines and dues. Some also collected graft from contractors who gave up easily and simply changed the expense to the principal who was doing the construction. Usually in the last 15 years, that principal, or client, was some branch of the government.

It is stated in the second section of article 1 of the constitution that "this body," meaning the national union, shall consist of the general president and vice-presidents and secretary-treasurer, except during convention time. During the convention the "duly elected delegates" also are included in "this body." However, the constitution provides for no more than once in five years, which happens to be the "elective" term of the president, vice-presidents and secretary-treasurer, who constitute the general executive board. The "Hodgson's" and "Common Laborers' Union" in the American Federation of Labor. In a period of 30 years between the conventions and "elections" of 1911 and 1941, all the original officers but one died or were thrown out in fights for control of the treasury.

The union is a trust. The group elected reliable friends to fill the vacancies. In 1920 the position of third vice president was open and the rest of the boys invited Joe Morenschi of Chicago to take the job. There were many imitations in Chicago and Mike Carozzo, an old hustler in the brothel racket, a talent scout and traffic manager for Jim Colosimo, was coming on to be the regional dictator of the hodgsoniers. He was an intimate colleague in unionism of Joe Morenschi. In 1926, Mike Carozzo, the president, kicked off after a life of parasitic ease and Morenschi got the job in a scramble among the mourning survivors. In 1941, Joe appeared before the "convention" as president and an "election" was held. He had been vice president and - or president for 21 years also he had never been elected to any office by the members.

The constitution says that every fifth year the rank and file may be invited to vote whether there shall be a national convention that year and a roll-call election at the convention. If there is no convention, the mob in power simply re-elects themselves in a private huddle for five years more. The referendum proposal is always accompanied by a rider providing that if there is a convention each member must pay \$2 to meet the traveling expenses and the cost of booze and babes for the delegates. The mob in power, wherever they may decide to take themselves. The rank and file know the dominant element of racketeers will do as they please anyway if they do hold a convention. So they vote against it and the whole thing is over.

With all their power naturally, the national officers have preferred that there be neither conventions nor elections. And the hoods in command of the locals, subject to be removed by the national mob, naturally discouraged the rank and file from voting for them. They are inclined to do so. They could do this by faking the returns of the vote, like Boss Pendergast in Kansas City, by suddenly all the voting themselves off by breaking a few legs in occupational accidents on the job.

Section 1 says that "this body," meaning the international, "is sovereign and independent of its component parts." It does not derive its powers from those whom it governs. Its power is absolute and it gets that power out of a dog-eared little booklet called the "constitution." This thing enjoyed the protection of the law and the Roosevelt regime. It has collected incalculable millions from the poorest laborers and from the taxpayers. It has not been bothered by the Taft-Hartley Law except in the union houses which are decided to make some slick revisions of the constitution not for the protection of the members or the public, but solely to shield themselves from responsibility. It has this strange move which finally called attention to the shocking provisions of the constitution as it existed for half a century.

Success Secrets By ELMER WHEELER. "The most amazing thing in life is not to capitalize your gains," according to William Bolitho. "Any fool can do that. The really important thing is to profit from your losses. This requires intelligence and makes the difference between a man who is a fool and a man of sense and a fool." The Dow Chemical Company became successful because the founder, Herbert H. Dow, capitalized on a "blunder."

Back in 1892 Herbert H. Dow invented a new process for extracting bromine from brine by electrolysis. This was a great discovery because the potassium bromide that Dow made by this new process had so many impurities that few companies would buy it. What had looked like a promising success turned out to be a failure. Dow went broke. But he refused to stay down and soon organized a new company to try to perfect his process. He didn't make much progress until one night a worker, Elzie Cote, pulled a boner.

Cote's job was to watch the kettles to see that they did not boil over. But on that fateful night something went wrong in the engine room. And Cote left his post to see what the trouble was. When he returned he found that the kettles had boiled too long and were full of fused salts. He fully expected to lose his job the morning. But Herbert H. Dow was the sort of man who believed in keeping his eyes open. His first question was not why Cote had derelicted his duty—but "what was the result?" Dow examined samples from the kettles and found that they had a degree of purity they had never been achieved before. From then on all batches were fused.

The subsequent success of the Dow Chemical Company was founded on that "blunder" Elzie Cote—and a man who was curious and open minded enough to look everywhere for what he wanted—even in blunders.

Common Ground By R. C. HOLLES

Changes in Our Constitutional Theory In the last issue I was quoting from the book "Recent Changes in American Constitutional Theory" by the late John W. Burgess. I want to quote further as to how Mr. Burgess explains that our taxing method and our right to conscript soldiers have practically changed our form of government.

He writes there is "a most important thing, to be considered in this connection, and that is whether the exercise of this arbitrary power to tax incomes in the manner and with the purpose manifested in the most recent measures of Congress may not be the result of an unintended and unexpected socialization." He points out that down to the time of the graduated income tax, "practically all the finer institutions of our social civilization, our churches, our universities and colleges, our schools of art, our museums of paintings and sculpture, our academies and halls of music, etc., have been created and sustained on the principle of voluntary socialism, that is, by the free gifts of money and labor and the free cooperation of individuals. The men and women of wealth in the country have voluntarily made these contributions in money and effort and under freely organized responsibility. If Government shall now arbitrarily take from them the half of their incomes, under the justification that the sliding scale of rates is necessary to a proportional adjustment of the burden of taxation, or under any other justification, real or fancied, the Government will have deprived them of the means of doing this great socialistic work voluntarily and also have discouraged them therefrom? Now, what may be the result of this assumption of things? May it not be, will it not be, that we shall either have to go without these higher institutions of social civilization or to enlarge enormously the sphere of Government and therefore under governmental administration? We cannot go without them if we would avoid a return to barbarism. But if we maintain them in the way I have indicated, we will have swept aside our beautiful, peculiarly American distinction between voluntary socialism and compulsory socialism and have enlarged enormously the sphere of compulsory socialism? And what would this be other than the expropriation of Government at the expense of liberty? It would be just that, and it would be that at the point most vital to real progress in the development of our civilization. I would result in governmental control of religion, philosophy, science, thought and artistic feeling, the very spheres in which the highest results can never be attained except through complete individual liberty, modified only by voluntary association.

From whatever point of view I contemplate this unlimited power vested by the sixteenth Amendment to the Constitution in the Government to take what it will from whom it will, cannot otherwise interpret it than as signifying despotism and the extinction of the original constitutional immunity of the individual against governmental power in the realm not only of his property, but also of his culture." (to be continued)

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FUNNY BUSINESS BY HERSHBERGER Bob Cummings is the winner in Oscar Cummings' suit for \$247,000. They now will battle over the \$4700 "surprise" wedding reception Oscar gave him. Bob claims the "surprise" came two years later when he received the bill.

Charles Boyer, in Paris to dub in the French lines of "Arch of Triumph," is reading half a dozen French scripts. If he finds one he likes he'll return to Paris next year to star in the picture.

First "Interference" is the first football film in a long time. Remember one of the first, "The Spirit of Notre Dame"? I'll never forget the scene between J. Farrell MacDonald, as the coach, and a bored substitute sitting on the bench. It was third down, two yards to go on the 10-yard line, with Notre Dame behind 6 to 7. "What would you do behind 6?" MacDonald asked the sub. The sub looked blank for a moment, then said: "Sir, I'd move up on the bench—closer to the play."

Enterprise will give Marie Windsor the suitry aires building at Hazen, Brookline for her role opposite John Garfield in "The Numbered Racket." Marie was under contract to M-G-M for a year.

Okay, Let's Go!



NATIONAL WHIRLIGIG news behind the news

By RAY TUCKER WASHINGTON — The Democrats and Republicans will lock in a "little people" against the "big interests" struggle on the basis of strategy already planned for the 1948 presidential campaign by Truman-Barkley managers, with the President himself as generalissimo.

It will be the nearest approach to the Bryan-McKinley affair of 1896 and the Roosevelt-Hoover conflict of 1932. It will be Truman of Paducah, Ky., against Dewey of New York, Frank Hague of New Jersey and Jake Arvey of Chicago—tends to answer the charge that the protege of Tom Pendergast was still loyal and responsive to machine controls. And, in view of their attitude, he may be more independent if elected, than he has been in the past.

The bitterness shown toward him by the New Deal faction, including the Roosevelt sons, the Hendersons and Mayor Hubert Humphrey, Jr., of Minneapolis, frees Mr. Truman of the influences that he is a "more rabid" radical than FDR himself.

PLANK — The adoption of the stronger civil rights plank should soften up colored people and other racial groups which have thought him to be too weak or too unconcerned to wage a real fight for their enactment by Congress. It is true that the amended plank was forced on the White House, but it is in the platform. So are promises designed to satisfy the Jews, the Poles and the sympathizers with every struggling nation overseas.

Top bob leaders may change their tune, which had been anti-Truman, in view of the platform bids for this important vote. Whether they do or not, it is politically probable that their millions of followers will.

ATTACK — This sort of strategy can work both ways, however, and it will be the task of the Dewey-Warren forces to unveil another side to the political shield. They will attack the opposition ticket as economically and geographically unbalanced, and will denounce the task of the Dewey-Warren formula as an appeal to "prejudices" and "demagoguery" in contrast to the New York Governor's cry for "national unity."

They will scrape the Congressional records of Messrs. Truman and Barkley in an effort to prove their theory that the men from Missouri and Kentucky have shown themselves neglectful of the broader concerns of the country, especially on such problems as industry, railroads, corporations and business interests generally.

APPEAL — They will argue that no nation can remain prosperous, powerful and influential on the world stage by making a political whipping boy of these great institutions. They are hoping that this depiction of the Truman-Barkley combination as a sectional setup will carry a vote-getting appeal in the Northeast, along the Atlantic Seaboard, in the Midwest and in Governor Warren's area—beyond the Rockies.

They do not subscribe to the thesis that a people steaming along under almost total employment, high wages and generally prosperous conditions will respond to the strategy that succeeded in the depression year of 1932, but failed whenever the voters were getting along so well as they are now.

PLEDGES — They will also ask why, in view of Democratic eulogies of the sixteen years of the Roosevelt-Truman regime, with

TOP OF TEXAS NEWS

The Nation's Press

STUPID INTOLERANCE (St. Louis Times-Star) For an illustration of the stupid lengths to which intolerance can be carried, one has but to contemplate the disgusting... at Bessemer, Ala., last week where a band of a hundred robed and masked men descended upon a recreation camp to terrorize two defenseless, white women who were instructors to a group of Negro Girl Scouts.

The ratio of 100 to 2 gives an index, also, of the calibre of men involved in the courage such marauders usually possess. Any man with an ounce of intelligence would have found the matter too revolting to participate in, so it may be assumed that in this case, as usual, intolerance found a roosting place in small brains.

In Alabama, the Red Cross and Girl Scouts, as elsewhere, undertake the task of improving the condition of people ordinarily neglected by other agencies. Two white women were in charge of the Bessemer camp, where their job was to give instruction of the following: usual pattern—ethics, health-building and allied subjects designed to make better women of their charges.

But all the hooded band of Bessemer was concerned with was the rumor that the white women were co-habiting with the Negro girls. If it makes any difference, investigation showed this not to be true. However, it made an impression on the hoodlums. They ordered the white women out of town within 24 hours.

It can all be explained in all truth that such incidents are not typical of America nor even of the South, that they are the product of ignorance and that the vast majority of Alabama citizens view them with horror. Nevertheless, they give to the hostile forces of this democracy another perfect opening for broadcasting to the outside world a picture of American intolerance toward its minority groups.

A chief deputy sheriff has promised his office would investigate the matter thoroughly and vigorously. Without undue cynicism, one may express grave doubts that this will be done. But the people of Alabama and the officials of their state government have been given an opportunity to demonstrate that they do not view with apathy the smearing given their commonwealth by a small moronic group of their citizens.

HENRY AND THE FARMERS (The San Diego Union) One strain on which Candidate Henry Wallace is harping is that the government isn't doing enough for the farmers. The implication is that only Henry himself understands the farmer's needs and is able and willing to succor him. Some farmers, in view of Henry's plowing under and little pig slaughter record may be inclined to be skeptical. Only one man, however, is reminded of one of Henry's outgivings during the "planning" days of the early New Deal, when he proclaimed:

"It may be necessary to make a public utility out of agriculture.... Every plowed field would have its permit sticking up on its post.... It would be necessary to go to Congress to get a very large appropriation as to have a police force of half a million men to keep down racketeering." The Wallace assumption seems to have been that all farmers naturally would indulge in racketeering and evasion of government orders. Also, it appears he took for granted that the government would know more about farming than the farmers.

Thus far, Henry has not said definitely what he would do about the farmers. It is evident from his remarks of a few years ago, however, what he would do to them.

but was lost in the shuffle (except for dates with Clark Gable). ERDS ARE BETTER Ken Murray and George Burton, the bird trainer, are getting together for a sequel to "Bill Schary and Co." Murray would like to play the part of a pair of them, and Hughes, who bears from a reliable source, will turn RKO into a rental lot for independent producers.

He's making the radical change, I hear, because of the forthcoming divorce of film production companies from their distribution setups and theater chains. Hughes will retain RKO's theaters and distributing system, and then finance independent producers for distribution of their pictures thru RKO. That's where the big money is and that's where Hughes will be.

It's a move M-G-M, Fox and Warner Brothers have been talking about behind closed doors. All four of these majors may follow Hughes' lead, retaining their theaters and distributing systems and farming out their pictures to independent producers.

McLean

McLEAN (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Payne returned last week from Austin after visiting for the past few weeks with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Houze and children.

Mrs. Paul Coppock of Kamay and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Christian of Los Angeles, Calif., have been visiting here in the home of their brother, Clarence Hayter.

Theo Heasley and Dick Everett left last week for a vacation trip to New Mexico and Arizona.

Mrs. Johnnie Mertel and daughter, Toni, left last week for Pauls Valley, Okla., where they are visiting with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Burrows.

Miss June Smith has returned to her home in Albuquerque, N. M., after a few weeks visit here in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Paul Mertel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Boyett of Houston visited last Monday with their aunt, Mrs. Willie Boyett.

R. T. Dickinson, C. O. Goodman, Pete Fulbright and Jeff Rallsback fished at Lake Diversion near Vernalis last week.

Mrs. C. S. Rice left last Tuesday for Gainesville to visit with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Tanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dysart and Mrs. Woody Wilkerson made a trip to Amarillo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. Rice and daughter, Cynthia, returned last week from a trip to New Mexico and Colorado.

Miss Maurine Harlan attended the rodeo at Mangum, Okla., last week.

Mrs. Roy Bird of Amarillo visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Ewing and grandsons, Tom and Mike, from Oklahoma visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. M. D. Curry, last week.

Dr. and Mrs. O. M. Rippy and children, Gary and Susan, Stillwater, Okla., have been visiting their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rippy.

Mrs. R. A. Wood and daughter and son, Janet and John, Amarillo, visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sparks, Thursday last week.

M-Sgt. and Mrs. Milton D. Curry and daughters, Peggy and Nancy Zoe, of Fort Worth visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. M. D. Curry, last week.

Leaves From a Correspondent's Life Note Book

By HAL BOYLE NEW YORK (AP)—There must be something that can be done about the great American female face.

The map of Europe is always changing. Why can't women change their maps, too? They're always promising you they will. They get up and say "Excuse me, I want to go and change my face."

But when they bring it back, there it is again—the same old deadpan they took out with them. I like women. Some of my wife's best friends are women. I have hit the saddest trail for the gentler sex many times, admitting that they are more intelligent than men. And more dependable in the pinches, too.

But why—nay, thrice why—do they cloak their shining personalities and their wondrous hidden ways under the mask of the great American deadpan face? This is the face they wear in public—chin tight, eyes glazed, mouth frosted in faint disdain, nose held high as if it were being pulled from behind by an invisible fishhook.

This grin of glacial, expressionless female forbearance appeals visiting men from other countries. I asked one wise European what he thought of the women here. "Will what I say cause any further cuts in the European Recovery Program funds?" he asked. "Assured it wouldn't," he said. "Frankly, they puzzle me. They try extremely hard to dress differently and individually—but they also seem to go to any length to make their faces look alike. I have difficulty telling them apart except by their clothes."

The girls assemble this frozen face the day they turn from bobby sox to nylons, and disassemble it only in old age, when they let their natural warm humanity show through again. Maybe that's why children and old ladies are so popular.

SO THEY SAY

Individual freedom of thought and conscience, to hold and change beliefs, is an absolute and sacred right. —Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt.

The only formidable and ready deterrent to aggression at this juncture in history lies in the strength and capability of American armed forces. —Gen. Omar N. Bradley, Army chief of staff.

The history of the world shows that socialistic theories which in effect on a large scale cannot be maintained without police-state methods, without dictatorship, without loss of liberty and opportunity and without degradation of the mass of people. —Charles E. Wilson, president, General Motors Corp.

It's Something to Be Thinking About

What makes a free press possible? Private enterprise in every country where freedom of the press is lacking, or curbed, you will find a totalitarian government (a dictatorship). Under such a regime, government owns the basic industries. There is no incentive for constant improvement in order to appeal to the buying public. There is no particular reason for telling the public about all manner of products, such as is commonplace in the United States, in order to build business. The people have to take what the government offers and like it—there is no competition.

Totalitarian governments seek unbridled power. Under such governments, there can be no free press for two very good reasons. First, government controls all the news and all the newspapers. Second, government-owned industries do not have to advertise. They do not have to win the public's business by superior products and salesmanship.

No country in the world has 12,000 rural daily and weekly newspapers, in addition to 20 metropolitan dailies, except the United States. No country in the world has a newspaper in practically every town of a few hundred population. Their income is derived from private enterprise—thousands of competing industries from the great steel mill and public utility to the smallest bakery and laundry. They all advertise to popularize their services or products and win public favor and business.

It has often been charged, for political purposes, that advertising controls the United States. This is not so because competition is so varied that no branch of business is powerful enough to dominate the press. Volume and variety in advertising makes possible a free press.

No group of men and women in the United States is more vitally interested in opposing government ownership of business as a matter of principle, than are newspaper editors. They are the nation's safeguard against the economic teachings of many of our principal colleges and textbooks which openly espouse the superiority of government operation of business as contrasted with private operation, on the phoney "liberal" philosophy that we have outgrown the days of private enterprise.

Industrial leaders and individuals to think about, because the government is already well prepared to extend government ownership of business (socialism) in our country.

Only America stands in the path of a police-state world. Only a strong America can hold back the tide. —Rep. Joseph W. Martin Jr. (R) of Massachusetts.

It is encouraging that Russia, which twice sought to conquer the world, now is ready to talk peace. Perhaps she has found out western Europe is beginning to revive and is not likely to be so fertile a field for further expansion. —Sen. Herbert O'Connor (D) of Maryland.

POTPOURRI

WASHINGTON (NEA)—The 81st Congress that convenes in Washington next January will very definitely have a different flavor. Thirty-three senators will be elected in Louisiana. Senator Overton of Louisiana died. Seven veterans are re-organizing Capper of Kansas, Hawkes of New Jersey, White of Maine, Moore of Dakota, Hatch of New Mexico and Percy O'Daniel of Texas. Four Republicans face tough battles for re-election: Ball of Minnesota, Brooks of Illinois, Cooper of Kentucky, Revercomb of West Virginia. Two Democrats are in the same boat: Johnson of Colorado and Tom Stewart of Tennessee. Senator Unstead of North Carolina has already been defeated in state primary.

AN EXPLANATION by Peter Edson

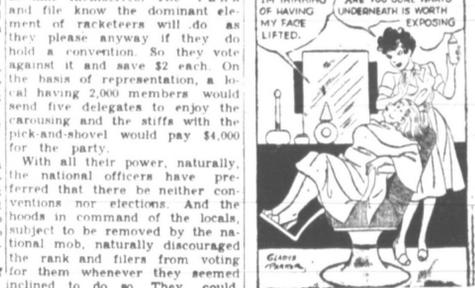
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Colombia, Ecuador and Venezuela have had a joint merchant fleet for many years.

Polish government has indicated to United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization that it would like to borrow \$5,000,000 to help improve Polish diet, as FAO experts have just recommended. One million dollars would be used to modernize Warsaw dairies, another million for refrigeration equipment so that fish caught in Baltic could be moved from coast inland, half a million for spare parts to repair broken-down UNRRA tractors, the rest for equipping food laboratories and experiment stations. While the amount is relatively small, since reconstruction loans, the Poles don't know where they can get the money.

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In Hollywood

by ERSKINE JOHNSON NKA Staff Correspondent HOLLYWOOD (NEA)—Howard Hughes is plotting another new big surprise for the RKO studio—and all of Hollywood—following the resignation of Dore Schary as the RKO vice president in charge of production.

He's making the radical change, I hear, because of the forthcoming divorce of film production companies from their distribution setups and theater chains. Hughes will retain RKO's theaters and distributing system, and then finance independent producers for distribution of their pictures thru RKO. That's where the big money is and that's where Hughes will be.

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Bob Cummings is the winner in Oscar Cummings' suit for \$247,000. They now will battle over the \$4700 "surprise" wedding reception Oscar gave him. Bob claims the "surprise" came two years later when he received the bill.

Charles Boyer, in Paris to dub in the French lines of "Arch of Triumph," is reading half a dozen French scripts. If he finds one he likes he'll return to Paris next year to star in the picture.

QUICKIES By Ken Reynolds

First "Interference" is the first football film in a long time. Remember one of the first, "The Spirit of Notre Dame"? I'll never forget the scene between J. Farrell MacDonald, as the coach, and a bored substitute sitting on the bench. It was third down, two yards to go on the 10-yard line, with Notre Dame behind 6 to 7. "What would you do behind 6?" MacDonald asked the sub. The sub looked blank for a moment, then said: "Sir, I'd move up on the bench—closer to the play."

Enterprise will give Marie Windsor the suitry aires building at Hazen, Brookline for her role opposite John Garfield in "The Numbered Racket." Marie was under contract to M-G-M for a year.

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Sports Round-Up

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
NEW YORK—Whether or not Joe Louis goes for a September title defense instead of retiring, he is planning a big tour (destination unknown) after January first.

Won't these Giants ever stop trying to create sensations? First they fire Ott and hire DiMaggio and only three days later Johnny Mize steals a base. Buddy Myer, the old Washington infielder, is selling real estate in Baton Rouge, La. He probably would tell you it's easier to buy a house than a baseball.

West Defeats East in Tilt Of All-Stars

By the Associated Press
 One big inning was all the city hitters of the "West" needed to hand the "East" a 5-4 licking in the second annual Longhorn League game last night.



MARQUETTA HARLAN of Kellerville, Group 4 first-place winner of the Kid Pony Show in 1947, will enter the Cowgirl Sponsor Contest at this year's Top of Texas Rodeo and Horse Show. Since she is over 16, she is now ineligible to compete in the Kid Pony Show.

DELEGATES

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 Precinct 4, Alanreed, W. J. Ball; Precinct 5, City Hall, McLean, Bob Thomas; Precinct 6, Laketon, John Hornley; Precinct 7, Farrington School, C. C. Stockstill; Precinct 8, Hopkins School, Bill Vandenberg; Precinct 9, Woodrow Wilson School, A. V. "Gus" Green.

POLITICS

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 local offices such as district judge, county judge, sheriff, etc. The statement said, however, all free of the major contestants for U. S. senator were "not worthy of labor's endorsement." On the other hand it hinted a ray of hope existed for making a deal with one of the three when "conditions may change and recommendations are made later."

Boss Lion Will Attend Meeting

Lions Club President H. P. Dosier will represent the Pampa Lions at the Lions International Convention in New York City July 25-29.

Accompanied by his wife, Dosier will leave from St. Louis on the Panhandle Lions Special, a section of the Texas Lions Clubs' special train.

The train will have a seven-hour stop in Washington, D. C., where the Lions and their wives will be escorted on a sight-seeing tour through the Capitol.

After arriving at New York July 24, the Lion delegation will stay at the New Yorker Hotel. On their return trip, starting July 29, they will take a boat tour both ways and unremunerative position of County Democratic Committee chairman.

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DOUBLE WEDLOCK

EAST LANSING, Mich.—(AP)—Two of Michigan State's star football players recently were married on the same day. George Guerra, fleet tailback from Flint, Mich., married Pat Whitmore of Lansing in the latter city, and Pete Fusi, veteran tackle, also from Flint, wed Beatrice Rossie in Flint. Both players will return for regular grid duty in the fall.

POTATO GARNISH

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PAVING

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 pany in the nation that can deliver cement as rapidly as desired, due to the cement shortage, more rapidly.

The Portland Cement Association is interested in the Pampa project since it is opening a new use for cement. The association claims there is no cement comm-

The city will make every effort to lay the soil-cement base on as many blocks as possible up to Nov. 1 to give a hard surface on these streets for the winter.

EXIT INSECTS

Cook books often suggest, in preparing cauliflower, that the whole head be soaked in cold salted water for a half hour or so before cooking. This direction is given because the soaking helps draw out insects.

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