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President Truman makes his first stop in Pittsburgh, Pa., on his tour of the United States. — (NEA Telephoto.)

BRANSFORD WELL CONSIDERED AS MARKING NEW POOL IN THIS AREA

The sight, rare in these days, of a well flowing out of control was witnessed in Eastland County as the outstanding development of the past week. The well, owned by A. L. Andree of Wichita Falls, on the Bransford, was brought under control after flowing for about 40 minutes.

The well is regarded as highly important, in fact it is considered as marking the finding of a

new pool, only five and a half miles southwest of Eastland. Nearly 30 years ago, during the big boom, a well was drilled on the Gray, rated at 200 barrels a day, but had trouble and was abandoned. Production of that quantity was regarded as small in those days when many gushers came in for from 1,000 to 5,000 barrels a day and so the area has been undisturbed until the Bransford well.

Andree is bringing the activity even closer to Eastland by moving in a rig for a well on the Johnny Aaron, a mile east and slightly north of the Bransford well and it is expected that the area will witness other operations soon.

Jesse McKee, well known oil operator of Fort Worth, has opened an office in Eastland and is highly optimistic about the possibilities of this section.

Couple Admit Discarding Blood Stained Clothes

A man and woman being held in Fort Worth for Kermit police have admitted having discarded the blood-stained clothing found near Dathan Thursday night and reported to Sheriff J. B. Williams who investigated. The pair is wanted at Kermit for questioning in connection with a robbery and stabbing there early Thursday morning.

The couple was picked up by Fort Worth police after the woman reported to a Fort Worth hospital for treatment of knife wounds. Her companion was found sitting in a dump truck cab a short way from the hospital.

G. W. Spivey of Comanche, a dump truck driver, is in a Kermit hospital in a serious condition from stab wounds and knife cuts which he sustained about 5 a. m. Thursday in a robbery.

When the woman reported at the hospital she had 120 on her person.

Vacation Bible School Be Held At Olden Church

The daily vacation Bible school to be held at the Olden Baptist church begins Monday, June 7 and will continue through Wednesday, June 16.

All children between age of 4 to 16 are invited to attend.

Father Of Aubrey Van Hoy Died Of Burns, Friday

Aubrey Van Hoy received word late Friday night that his father in Oklahoma had died. Mr. Van Hoy, Sr. died from burns received when his home burned. The funeral will be held at Durant, Oklahoma. The time has not been decided.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Hoy left early Saturday morning for Oklahoma.



Rev. Loyd M. Chapman, above, Pastor of the Eastland Baptist church, will deliver a series of special sermons (two each Sunday) at his church during the month of June.

Baptist Pastor To Preach Series Of Special Sermons

Rev. Loyd M. Chapman, pastor of the First Baptist church of Eastland, announces the following sermon subjects for the month of June.

Rev. Mr. Chapman is to preach a series of sermons on "The Church of the Apocalypse." These sermons are based on Revelations 1 to 3.

Following is the schedule:

June 6, A. M. "Christ In The Midst Of The Churches."

June 6, P. M. "The Orthodox Church."

June 13, A. M. "The Poor But Rich Church."

June 13, P. M. "The Compromising Church."

June 20, A. M. "The Lax Church."

June 20, P. M. "The Dead Church."

June 27, A. M. "The Obedient Church."

June 27, P. M. "The Lukewarm Church."

These sermons are in keeping with the emphasis on church membership for June.

June 20 is "Roll Call Day" at the Baptist church and members are asked to be present to answer roll call.

Mavs, Play DeLeon Here This P. M. At 4:00 O'Clock

The Eastland Mavericks will play DeLeon team of the Brazos League here Sunday, June 6 with lar of that League. By beating lar of hat league. By beating Dublin last Sunday, they pulled them into a tie for last place. A win tomorrow would almost certainly put them out of the basement.

This is Eastland's first rear to field a baseball team, and it has taken some time for the players, most of whom play softball to become accustomed to the difference between the two. Bad luck with pitchers, having to put in substitutes at the last minute, has hurt the club's chances too.

However, the pitching worries seem to be over, especially if things work out as planned. Paul Campbell, who was with the San Angelo club of the Class D Longhorn League, quit because he felt he was getting insufficient pay. He says he is looking for a steady job, and may come to roost in Eastland. At least he is working the game Sunday. He has a 3-2 record with San Angelo, a second division club, which is pretty good.

In all, we'd say that the Mavericks have a very good chance to field a winning ball club the rest of this season, and in coming years.

Due to the funeral of Don Hill, Jr. the game will be called at 4:00 o'clock instead of 3:00 p. m.

Telegram's Carrier Boys Enjoy Picnic

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Dick entertained the carrier boys of the Eastland Telegram with a weiner roast at Lake Cisco Friday evening.

The boys also enjoyed miniature golf and skating.

Those attending were: Lonnie Young, Calvin Maxwell, Elbert Rains, Don Martin, Harrell Maxwell, Robert Harbin, Jimmie Martin, Glen Maxwell, Gale Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Dick, and their daughter Barbara.

JEWIS SEIZE STRATEGIC ARAB TOWN

TEL AVIV, June 5 (UP)—Jewish commandos seized ancient Yibna, strategic Arab town on a night in the coastal plain 15 miles south of Tel Aviv, in a lightning assault before dawn today.

The Israeli swoop on Yibna, center of Jewish learning in olden times, checkmated an Arab threat to Tel Aviv from the south. Egyptian forces ending up the coastal plain had threatened a march on the Israeli capital.

At the same time the Arabs claimed they had forced the surrender of a Haganah holdout band under an 18-day siege at the Hebrew University and Hadassah hospital atop Mount Scopus on the northern fringe of Jerusalem.

Arab sources in Amman reported that the defenders of the isolated outposts on the approaches to Jerusalem had run up the white flag, and details of the surrender were being worked out.

Both sides were pressing their campaigns while the search for a workable truce formula went on. Count Folke Bernadotte, United Nations Mediator, said in Cairo that he had worked out an interpretation of the Security Council truce proposal. But he added that he did not know yet whether it would be acceptable to the Arabs and Jews.

Rev. J. M. Bond Succeeds Gordon As Local Pastor

Rev. E. R. Gordon pastor of the Eastland Methodist Church for the past year, was transferred by the Central Methodist Conference meeting in Fort Worth last week, to the pastorate of the Methodist Church at Mexia and is making his plans to move so soon as possible.

Rev. J. M. Bond, formerly at Riverside Methodist Church in Fort Worth, is being sent by the Conference to be pastor of the Eastland church.

V.F.W. Auxiliary Met Friday; Next Meeting June 18th

The V. F. W. Auxiliary met Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock in the V. F. W. Hall on the east side of the Square. After the business meeting was closed, refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to a large crowd, and a pleasant social hour was enjoyed by everyone.

The next meeting will be held June 18 in the V. F. W. Hall. All veteran's wives, sisters, or mothers are invited to attend.

TRUMAN MAKES APPEAL TO WEST FOR VOTES

OMAHA, June 5 (UP)—President Truman arrived in the heart of the nation's grain belt today for the second major address of his western tour, after ripping the "non-political" tag from his trip by a direct appeal to voters for support.

He arrived at union station here four minutes ahead of schedule, after an overnight trip from Chicago.

The President will spend most of the day at the 22nd annual reunion of the 35th division, the outfit with which he served as captain in World War I. He will march in a 1 1/2 mile long parade, step out of line and review the parade, dedicate a memorial park to the dead of World War II, visit boy's town, and deliver a major speech at 9 p. m. CST, at the Ak-Sar-Ben Coliseum tonight.

In Chicago, he spoke to 18,000 persons who jammed the Chicago Stadium to hear his appeal for displaced persons legislation. He also hinted in his speech of a possible veto of the House-approved Mundt-Nixon Communist Control Bill.

Blevins Defeats Lone Star By Score Of 8-3

Although they committed four errors, Blevins Motors beat the Lone Star Producers by a score of 8 to 3, in the first official league game of the season. The game was nip-and-tuck until the fifth inning, when Blevins scored three runs on two hits and some topsy-turvy playing. They also scored three runs in the sixth to take a five-run lead that they never relinquished.

The two teams went into the top of the fourth inning tied up two-all. Each scored once in the second and third innings. Lone Star took a brief lead in the fourth inning, when they counted one marker. This, however, ended their scoring for the night.

Batteries for the game were, for Lone Star, Crosby and Callerman; for Blevins, Maynard and Trout.

Funeral Rites For Don Hill, Jr. 3:00 This P. M.

Funeral services for Don Hill, Jr., 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Hill, Sr., of Eastland, who was killed Thursday morning in a car-truck collision near Amarillo, will be held this afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the Eastland First Methodist Church with Rev. E. R. Gordon officiating.

Palbearers will be Charlie Joe Owen, Hugh Joe Meheny, Sam Gamble, T. R. Atwood, Jim Golden, Jack Collins.

Interment with Hamner's of Eastland in charge, will be in the Eastland cemetery.

Condition Of Douglas King Is Unchanged

The condition of Douglas King, who is in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo suffering from injuries sustained in a car-truck collision Thursday morning near Amarillo, was reported Saturday morning as little if any changed from that of the previous day.

His condition had been reported as very critical.

Young King was injured in the accident which took the life of Don Hill, Jr.

Brotherhood To Meet At Baptist Church Mon. "Nite"

Baptist Brotherhood will meet Monday night at 8 at the church for a pie supper to see the film "Healing of the Nobleman's Son."

VANDENBERG AGAINST CUTS IN AID MONEY

WASHINGTON, June 5 (UP)—Senate President Arthur H. Vandenberg today served notice he will fight the deep House cuts in the administrations foreign spending program.

Vandenberg told reporters he is asking "the earliest possible opportunity to appear before the Senate appropriations committee."

The House last night trimmed the equivalent of \$2,160,000,000 or about 26 per cent, from the European Recovery Program and other foreign assistance measures.

Direct House cuts totaled \$553,000,000—mainly in the European Recovery Program. But, by spreading the money over 15 months instead of 12 months, the House actually reduced administration foreign spending from a proposed \$8,140,710,288 to \$5,980,170,228.

Vandenberg also is chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations committee. As such, he played a key role in putting the Marshall Plan—this country's major "cold war" weapon—through Congress.

Vandenberg announced intention to fight the House cuts came as Senate bipartisan forces girded for a showdown fight to override the House action.

Against Bill On Reciprocal Trade

WASHINGTON, June 5, (UP)—Former Undersecretary of State William L. Clayton said today a House-approved bill will "practically scuttle" the administration's reciprocal trade program.

He told the Senate finance committee that it would be impossible to negotiate any agreement of "significance"—and probably any at all—under the proposed changes in the reciprocal trade law.

The House bill would extend the reciprocal trade law for one year. But it would limit the powers of the president to cut tariffs.

Predicts Halt In Palestine War

LAKE SUCCESS, June 5, (UP)—An Israeli spokesman predicted a quick halt in the Palestine war today despite the announcement that the question of Jewish immigration into the Holy Land was holding up a cease-fire agreement.

The Israeli representative said he thought the key immigration issue could be worked out in on-the-spot negotiations among the disputants and United Nations Mediator Count Folke Bernadotte.

Colored Choir To Sing At Church Of The Nazarene

The choir from the Colored Methodist Church under the direction of the leader will present a program of songs Sunday morning at 9:30 at the Church of the Nazarene, located at the corner of Main and Connelley St. William C. Emberton, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene says, "We urge one and all to be sure to make their plans to come at this time and hear these singers. They will sing for about fifteen minutes and we are sure that you will enjoy hearing them."

Harlan D. Price of Brownsville, who teaches in the Brownsville school system, and his mother, Mrs. D. Price of Lingleville, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Price of 409 S. Seaman Friday afternoon.

Harlan Price is going to Austin Sunday for a special three-weeks course in agriculture. He visits his mother until August 1, when he will resume his teaching duties in Brownsville.

EASTLAND VISITOR



JAMES P. HART

Associate Justice James P. Hart, above, of the Texas Supreme Court, visited Eastland Friday in the interest of his candidacy for election to the post he now holds by appointment.

Associate Justice James P. Hart Is Eastland Visitor

James P. Hart, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, visited in Eastland Friday in the interest of his candidacy. Judge Hart, a native of Travis County, is seeking his first elective term on the Court. He was appointed last year to fill a vacancy.

Because of Court duties at Austin, Judge Hart said, he has not been able to devote full time to campaigning. However, he is attempting to meet as many people as he can before the July 24 Democratic Primary.

This is his first race for a State office. Judge Hart said he is basing his candidacy on his 20 years of legal experience as a practicing attorney, district attorney, special district judge, assistant attorney general and Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.

Although he has no political platform, Judge Hart said he is stressing these points in his campaign: complete impartiality; sincere devotion to one State and Federal Constitutions; proper respect for all branches of the government; a determination to make the law conform to "simple justice and common sense"; proper dignity, courtesy and fairness toward all who appear before the Court in any capacity; the willingness to work as long and as hard as is necessary to solve correctly any complex legal problem.

Sun Plays Prank WORCHESTER, Mass. (UP)—The sun, shining through a goldfish bowl, set fire to a chair in Earl Lind's home. Two companies of firemen were needed to quell the blaze.

It's A Wonderful World



Holding a marriage license, Pfc. Graydon Morfitt, Houston, Tex., kisses his bride, former Georgette Bartuad of France, after the wedding ceremony in New York City. Benefactor James Mont, watches the tender scene. Mont provided a \$500 bond to release Georgette from Ellis Island and also provided for the wedding and lent an apartment for a two-day honeymoon.—(NEA Telephoto.)

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BY HAL COCHRAN
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The latest returns from the snake bite front shows that bourbon is getting as many votes as faith.

Another jolt for one of our standing armies: New York's transit fare jumped from a nickel to a dime.

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In Israel Cabinet



Mrs. Goldie Myerson, who was formerly a school teacher in Milwaukee, Wis., is now administrator of Jerusalem and deputy foreign minister of the new state of Israel. The only woman member of Israel's cabinet, Mrs. Myerson is now in the United States, making a first-hand report on the new nation's struggle to a special conference of the United Jewish Appeal.

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When I was on the staff of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, the lady who was bookkeeper had a birthday. A girl who worked in the classified advertising department said, "So today is your birthday! I hope I'm as well preserved as you are when I'm 35!"

My mother's favorite story was about a woman who wouldn't tell her age. It was her boast that she

had kept it a secret since she was 20. A man said, "But someday you'll accidentally reveal it." "No one woman replied; when a woman has kept a secret for 18 years she'll never reveal it."

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The pair, now 33, started out eight years ago with one combine. Every year Willis followed the harvest from southern Oklahoma into northern Nebraska and also farmed near Alfalfa. Now the family has seven combines.

The Willis' new ranch-style home has 12 rooms, three-and-a-half baths, servan quarters and a garage. It is air conditioned and equipped with every modern convenience, including an electric kitchen and laundry and a recreation room.

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Reports of Indians Leaving Reservations

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Its field secretary, the Rev. G. E. Lindquist, told the 50-member society he had visited 23 Indian tribes in 24 states and had addressed nearly 9,000 persons in 176 appearances.

He said Indians were leaving their reservations to work in cities at jobs they learned during World War II.

The society was organized in 1787 and held its first meeting on Dec. 7 that year at the old State House. Judge Oliver Wendell was the first president and his grandson, Oliver Wendell Holmes, late Supreme Court Chief Justice, was later a society member.

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MACMILLEN ARTIC BOUND ON 27TH EXPLORATION

Famous Veteran and Wife Expect to Sail Within 11 Degrees of Pole

By ALAN WADE
United Press Staff Correspondent
BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Me. (UP)—The little schooner Bowdoin is being loaded here for a new venture within the Arctic Circle. It will be Commander Donald B. MacMillan's 27th exploration voyage. The Bowdoin sails June 19.

The 73-year-old veteran of Arctic work plans an 8,000-mile trip that will carry him within 11 degrees of the North Pole.

With him will be his young wife, Miriam, and 14 crewmen and scientists. In the far north they hope to gather new bird, mineral and plant specimens.

MacMillan, who in 1909 helped Adm. Robert E. Peary on the expedition that climaxed discovery of the North Pole, said he also hoped to gather specimens for the soon-to-be-established Arctic museum at Bowdoin College.

He plans to bring his tiny ship

back to port on Sept. 15 after cruising as far north as the Kane Basin.

He Sixth Trip
"This will be Miriam's sixth trip north," MacMillan said. "She has now traveled about 33,000 miles on voyages to the Arctic."

When the Bowdoin casts off for the Arctic, she will carry with her tons of fresh food and supplies, much of it in huge frozen food lockers.

After a stop in Nova Scotia, the ship will head for the coast of Labrador and a "lonely two months" of exploration work. The expedition is being made under the auspices of the Cleveland Museum of Natural History and Bowdoin College.

Aboard, besides the MacMillans, will be Barney Turner of Little Current, Ont.; James F. Wiles of Norway, Me.; Clayton Hodgdon of East Boothbay; Bruce Neison of Lakewood, O.; Nathan Crning of Cleveland, O.; Peter Rand of St. Louis, Mo.; Stanton Cook of Berkeley, Cal.; Paul Eitel of Wilmette, Ill.; Clifford Ives of Wilmette, Ill.; Albert Barnes of New York; John Snyder of Lansing, Mich.; plus a doctor, radio operator and taxidermist.

UT Finds Few Ropin,' Ridin' Cowpokes Left

AUSTIN, Texas, May — Who said Texas is full of cowboys? The University of Texas Student Employment Bureau, which has been trying to fill wrangler jobs for western dude ranches, has decided there aren't many roping and hard-riding cowpokes left.

When the Bureau announced

New Orleans Protests Tax Cut



Part of the New Orleans, Louisiana delegation which "marched" on the State Capitol at Baton Rouge to protest a cut in city's sales tax. Despite the demonstration, House committee voted favorably on the bill. (NEA Telephoto)

dude-ranch job openings, there were many applications, but investigation proved most of the boys knew only how to ride a horse and didn't know one end of a branding iron from the other.

After considerable looking around, the Bureau found cowboys who had lived and worked on Texas ranches and could brand and rope.

Western dude ranches try to get Texas cowboys, preferably those who can play a guitar, piano or accordion as well as rope a doggie, because they feel that a lanky Texas cowboy adds atmosphere to their ranch, says Director Charles T. Clark.

This type of summer job and most of the others handled by the Bureau are now wifed, although a few local stenography and yard jobs are still available, Clark says.



Mrs. Roy A. Knight of Millsap, is shown above, receiving the congratulations of Fourth Army Commander, General Thomas T. Handy after having received the first Gold Star Button for the State of Texas. Presentation was made during a Memorial Day Ceremony at Mineral Wells attended by army and civil dignitaries.

Facing left to right are Lt. Col. C. A. Sanford, General Handy's Aide, Mr. J. D. Scott, Chairman of the ceremony with Mr. and Mrs. Knight.

Fourth Army officials stated that relatives eligible to receive the Gold Star may obtain it by submitting application direct to the Adjutant General, Department of the Army, Washington, D. C. This applies to both Army and Air Force next of kin. Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard next of kin should apply direct to Chief, Bureau of Naval Personnel, Navy Department, Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Knight are parents of Lt. Jack L. Knight who was awarded the Medal of Honor, posthumously.

Says Germans Face Divided Future

SANTA BARBARA, Cal. (UP)—Germany's future is as a divided country with one part absorbed in the Russian Sphere and the other tied to the western culture.

That is the conviction of Henry Gustav Dittmar, former German writer, newspaper correspondent and a student of history, who came to America last month and is staying at Ojai near here.

Eastern Germany, he said, always has looked to the east and western Germany to the west.

Dittmar, 35, was born in Cologne, the son of a German diplomat and an American mother.

He feels that the Russians have done a far better job of rehabilitation in their zone of Germany because they have followed a carefully laid out plan and have obtained good results. The Germans know how to stand with the Russians and what to expect, said.

Dittmar thinks the shifting American policy has the Germans in that area completely confused.

Just Absent Minded
MILWAUKEE (UP)—Andrew W. Brunhart, attorney, appeared at the police station to report his car had been stolen. The next day he shamefacedly made a retraction. He had forgotten his car was being repaired at a garage.



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AUSTIN, Texas, May — A survey of Texas local service airline development is now in progress by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Undertaken at the request of Pioneer Airlines the survey is being conducted under direction of Jerry W. Martin, assistant professor in the University of Texas College of Business Administration.

The survey was designed to measure the extent of community, local-service, and trade area airline development in Texas, and to appraise the benefits and limitations of such development.

The study, to be completed in July, will analyze the differentials characteristic of the local-service airline and their relation to Congressional requirement of continued air transportation development for the commerce of the United States, the postal service, and the national defense.

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Trees of Lost World Planted in Missouri

ST. LOUIS (UP)—Rare Chinese evergreen trees from the "Lost World" are being grown from seedlings by the Missouri Botanical Gardens.

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Fijians Emulate Hawaii In Asking More Freedom

By Frank H. Bartholomew
United Press Staff Correspondent
SUVA, Fiji. (UP)—Fiji's 250,000 people learned with lively interest that the efforts of Hawaii to obtain statehood had failed of immediate attainment.

Washington's decision with respect to its Pacific territory came on the even of the launching of a similar effort in Fiji, next populated island group to the south. The natives want to diminish the British colonial office's political control and to obtain greater autonomy for the crown colony.

Despite the discouraging precedent in the United States, the Fiji effort will be started at the next meeting of the legislative council by a resolution to amend the constitution, the United Press was told by A. A. Ragg, president of the European Electors Association.

Ragg is one of the six elected members of the legislative council governing body of Fiji's 322 prosperous and populated tropical islands.

The crux of the effort is a plan providing for the election of 15 members of the governing body of 31, with a proportionate decrease in the number of "official" members who receive appointment directly from the governor of the colony, himself appointed by Whitehall.

The coming effort change the colony's constitutional government is regarded by the white population, who are by no means in unanimous agreement as to its desirability, as of prime importance. That is because for the first time in history the numerically domi-

★ WEEKLY BIBLE COMMENT

'But If Not' Holds Key to Faith in God

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.
THE late Dr. Cyrus Townsend Brady, a Protestant Episcopal minister, was probably most widely known for his many books, and especially for his stirring adventure stories. But he was also a very brilliant and powerful preacher. About 30 years ago I heard him preach a sermon in Norfolk, Va., which has remained in my mind as marking the highest point in the Book of Daniel and its message.

The sermon was on the three words in Daniel 3:18, "But if not." The words occur in the answer of Daniel's three companions, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, to King Nebuchadnezzar, who told them they would be cast into the burning fiery furnace if they would not fall down and worship the image he had set up.

Their God, said the three, was able to deliver them, and would deliver them; "but if not," they were nevertheless ready to die for their faith and would not serve other gods or worship Nebuchadnezzar's golden image.

THE dramatic highlights are, of course, the story of the deliverance of the three from the fire, and the deliverance of Daniel from the lions' den. But the highest spiritual point is in that declaration that no matter what hap-

pened to them they were determined to be true to their God. The Book of Daniel, though its story related to the time of Babylonian King Nebuchadnezzar, was among the latest books to be written and included in Old Testament scriptures. And it was written to encourage just that "but-if-not" attitude in faithful Jews, who were suffering the most intense and terrible persecution.

As in the story of Daniel and his companions, these faithful Jews were faced with the purpose of powerful rulers to corrupt and contaminate Jewish worship with pagan elements. The purity and safety of religion was assailed. And the Jews who protested and fought this paganism of their religion did not have the miraculous deliverance that came to Daniel and his companions. Thousands of them died for their faith.

It is a false interpretation of the Book of Daniel to say that God always brings physical safety to the faithful. Many, faithful to God, have suffered and died under persecution. Jesus on the cross, in His human agony, cried that God had forsaken Him.

But, "precious in the sight of God is the death of His saints." Here is a great mystery, but Paul throws a great deal of light upon it in the closing verses of Romans 8.

Speaking Of Eyebrows

ST. LOUIS (UP)—Twenty-third ward Republicans are hoping it was only a joke. The Staessens and the Deweys got their share of votes in a mock presidential election carried on by mail, but there was one ballot that caused raised eyebrows — for John L. Lewis.

Hot Foot Worth \$10,000
SALEM, N. J. (UP)—A jury awarded Clair Scott \$10,000 for injuries he received in 1940 when two men gave him a hot foot as he slept in a Salem cafe.



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Drinking Study By UT Prof In Magazine

AUSTIN, Tex. — New approaches to the study of problem drinking, including a University of Texas professor's biochemical approach, are presented in the June issue of Science Illustrated magazine.

Dr. Roger J. Williams, University chemistry professor and Biochemical Institute director, is studying metabolic machinery of individuals, to determine susceptibility to alcohol.

An article in the magazine on the Yale University Plan Clinic "for the world's least understood sick people," cites the fact that an estimated 54,500,000 Americans are classified as "safe" and moderate drinkers. About 3,750,000 are classified as excessive drinkers.

With the latter group, 750,000 or 800,000 are known, on the

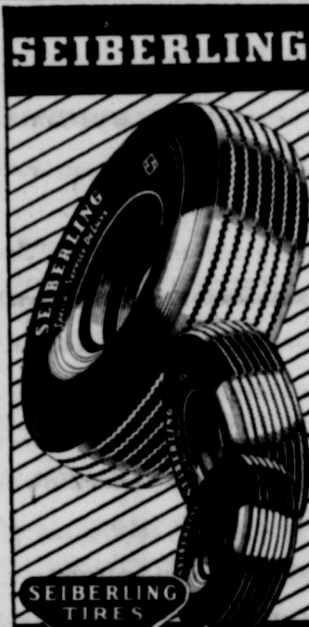
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basis of hospital and court records, to be chronic alcoholics. Of all excessive drinkers, one out of six is a woman.

Plans of attack exist today which utilize all that science,—in medicine, psychiatry, sociology, and allied fields,—knows about alcoholism. Dr. Williams believes, as do other leading researchers, that both hereditary and environmental factors are highly significant and that a "one-sided" approach to the problem is doomed to failure.

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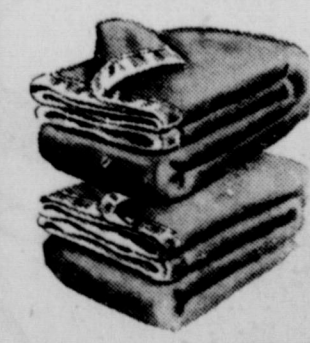
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Engagement Of Doris Mae Harbin, James Watt, Told

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Rev. Lloyd M. Chapman will read the ceremony at 9 A. M., June 20th in the First Baptist Church in Eastland.

The bride-elect will be attended by Miss Maxine Smith. Best man will be Mr. Rod Wyatt, brother of the groom-to-be.

Miss Harbin is a graduate of Morton Valley High School and is now employed by Texas Electric Service Company. Mr. Wyatt is a graduate of Worcester High School, Mass., served six years in the Navy, and is now a student at Hardin-Simmons University. The couple will make their home in Abilene.

An invitation to the wedding is extended to all friends.

Personals

Charles Carothers of Topeka, Kansas, is here on a visit to his brother, Jack Carothers.

Mrs. David Hogan of Tyler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. White, is in Eastland on a visit.

Misses Lou Ida Simmons and Neville Lou Guillory of Orange are guests of Miss Jeanie Howard.

Miss Billie Hunt, student at North Texas State College, came home Wednesday night. She is to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Reagan of Big Spring, announce the arrival of a son, Danny Eugene, born June 3. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. Mitchell of Eastland. Mrs. Reagan will be remembered as the former Bessie Pearl Mitchell of Eastland.

Miss Bettye Pickens is leaving for the Fort Worth Camp Fire Girls' camp, El Tesoro, near Grandberry. She will return home August 1st. While there she is to be and assistant counselor.

Martha Ann Stansell of Glade-water, little grand-daughter of Mrs. R. L. Watson, is making an extended visit with her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brannan and children, Judith Anne and Johnice, of Breckenridge, visited Mrs. Brannan's parents, Mr and Mrs. D. B. Cox of 305 N. Daugherty Friday.

Tommy Smith of Odessa, formerly of Eastland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fisher of 216 South Oak Thursday.

Good News for Junior.
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal. (UP)—Your tooth brush can be a menace to your teeth a local doctor warns. Dr. A. W. Ward said teeth should never be brushed more than twice a day "Injudicious" brushing, the dentist said, can damage tooth structure.

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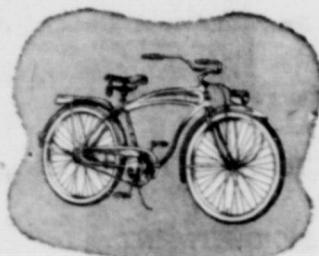
Bounty On Coyotes And Other Pests Doesn't Pan Out

WASHINGTON (UP)—Some people think the state system of paying bounties to get rid of predatory animals just might be perpetuating hunters and animals.

Many states have been paying money for animal carcasses as far back as 250 years. You'd think, fish and wildlife service officials says, that if the system were any good, the animals would be extinct by this time.

For instance, states as far east as Kansas and north as Michigan pay from \$1 to \$10 a head for coyote. Nobody knows exactly how much money it amounts to, the officials say, but one state paid out \$180,000 in 15 months for dead coyotes and bobcats.

Every year, they say, about 75 per cent of the coyote population is killed off. But every year that last 25 per cent includes enough females to build the population right back to where it was before.



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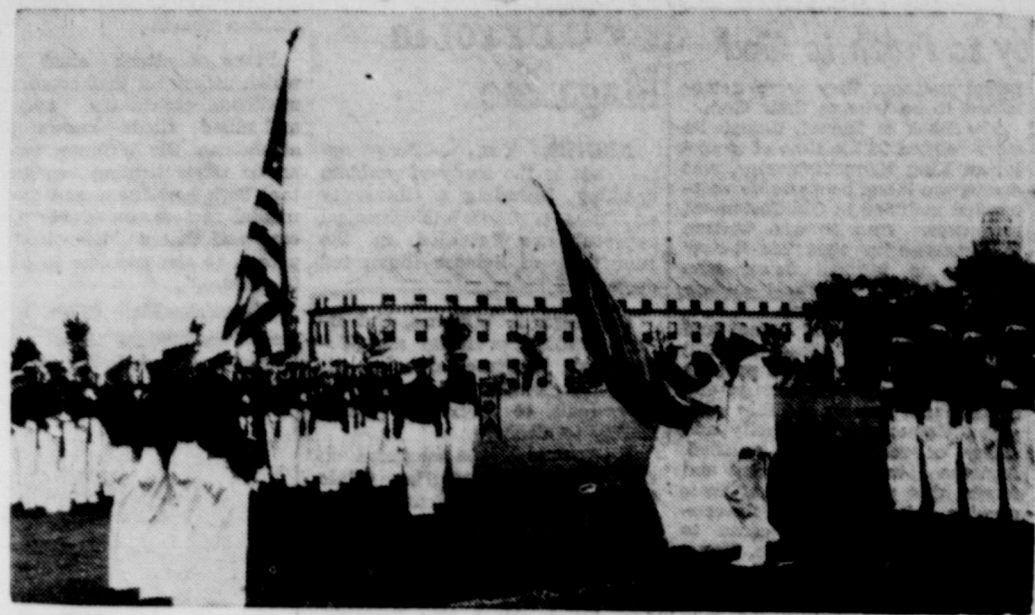
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Millions In Sunken Gold Await Treasure Seekers On Coast

It is much the same with the other animals.

The fish and wildlife service once hired a hunter who was accused of letting female animals go free. It was something he learned, he said, when he was a bounty hunter.

Bounty hunters are made up of stockmen, sportsmen and young boys with guns and free week ends. The officials say, bounties or not, such people would be out to kill coyotes, mountain lions, bobcats, wolves and foxes.

It isn't that coyotes won't die, the officials say. In Texas, 30,000 square miles of sheep and goat land have been cleared of prairie dogs. But Texas pays no bounties. The work is done by professional hunters whose salaries are paid jointly by the federal, state and local governments.

Sometimes the dead coyotes turn out to be something else again. The service once uncovered a group of "hunters" who made \$75,000 in coyote bounties one year. They had done their

WASHINGTON (UP)— There is gold in the sand. From Nantucket to Tristan da Cunha, from Coos to Hispaniola, from Nova Scotia to Vigo Bay, treasure is to be found.

"It is a matter of record," the National Geographic Society says, "that treasure worth countless millions lies in hundreds of sunken ships only a few fathoms down, all along the world's coasts."

The recent discovery near Sandy Hook, N. J., of gold coins two centuries old may inspire "a mild rage of beachcombing" among vacationists this summer, the society said.

It may also lead to "better-equipped salvage expeditions" and

hunting in St. Louis, buying the carcasses from a furrier of sorts for 25 cents apiece.

Once the service received a shipment of skins from Montana for examination. When the lamp black and grease was washed off, the coyotes turned out to be ground squirrels.

An enthusiastic private citizen recently asked the service to offer a bounty for dead rats. The citizen thought it would be a grand way to promote the current rat control program. The fish and wildlife service doesn't think so.

"could even produce a popular-price diving rod for shore cottagers' use."

Forecasting that "the new look at coast resorts this summer will be the downward look," the society supplied a few tips for treasure hunters:

1. The British frigate Hussar in 1780 sank in New York's East River 30 miles north of Sandy Hook after hitting a rock. It went down with \$4,000,000 — possibly much more—in pay for British Redcoats. The treasure has never been recovered.

2. Also in 1780 the British frigate Lexington, carrying gold and silver bullion from Vera Cruz, Mexico, sank in the Hell Gate passage not far from the Hussar went down. The gold and silver are still there.

3. In 1789 the warsloop De Brak sank in a storm a mile off Lewes, Del., with \$15,000,000 worth of precious metals. Repeated salvage efforts have failed.

4. In 1909 the British liner Republic foundered off Nantucket with \$3,000,000 in American "gold

Giving the Sergeant the Bare Facts



Two-year-old Gary Olsen, "captured" by Chicago police on a charge of "escape from baby-sitter," gives Sgt. John Rochford the bare facts of the case. "Arresting" officers Leo Matrose and Tom Burke stand by. Gary was sentenced to two glasses of milk, a bag of potato chips and a trip home.

egles" and two years later the liner Merida went down off Cape Charles, Va., with \$5,000,000 in coins, bullions and Mexican jewels.

Those, however, were "small change" losses. In 1702 British and Dutch fleets sank 16 Spanish galleons in Vigr Bay, Spain. The totaled \$150,000,000 worth of loot they were bring back from Caribbean raids. Only a small part has been recovered.

Nearly as much treasure was lost in 1643 when a West Indian hurricane drove 16 Spanish ships on the shoals north of Hispaniola. A small part of their cargo of gold silver and jewels was salvaged.

In 1715 another hurricane sank 14 Spanish ships and \$65,000,000 Pirates, among them Black-in treasure off Long Cay, Fla.

Would Admit 400,000

NEW YORK (UP)—Delegates to the annual convention of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of New York endorsed a resolution calling for the admittance of 400,000 displaced persons into the United States.

The Rural Electrification Administration in North Dakota distributed more than 21,167,000 kilowatt hours of electricity to consumers during the 1946 fiscal year compared to 2,693,000 kilowatt hours in fiscal 1941.

beard and Captain Kidd, are supposed to have buried treasure in Nova Scotia, Cape Cod, Block Island, and Long Island.

Billy Bowlegs and Jean Lafitte cached rich loot farther south along the Atlantic Coast.

Food Keeps O. K. In Opened Cans

SCHENECTADY, N. Y. (UP) —It is not necessary to transfer food from an opened can to a dish before storing it in the refrigerator, scientists of the General Electric research laboratory point out.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture says:

"It is just as safe to keep canned food in the can it comes in—if the can is cool and covered—as it is to empty the food into another container. . . . A few acid foods may dissolve a little iron from the can, but that is not harmful, not dangerous to health.

"Cans and foods are sterilized in the processing, but the dish into which the food is emptied is for from sterile. In other words it is likely to have on it bacteria that cause food to spoil."

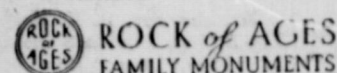
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His Luck Still Holds But He's Wondering

BOSTON (UP)—Mike Sobolewski, a window cleaner, is afraid his luck will run out some day.

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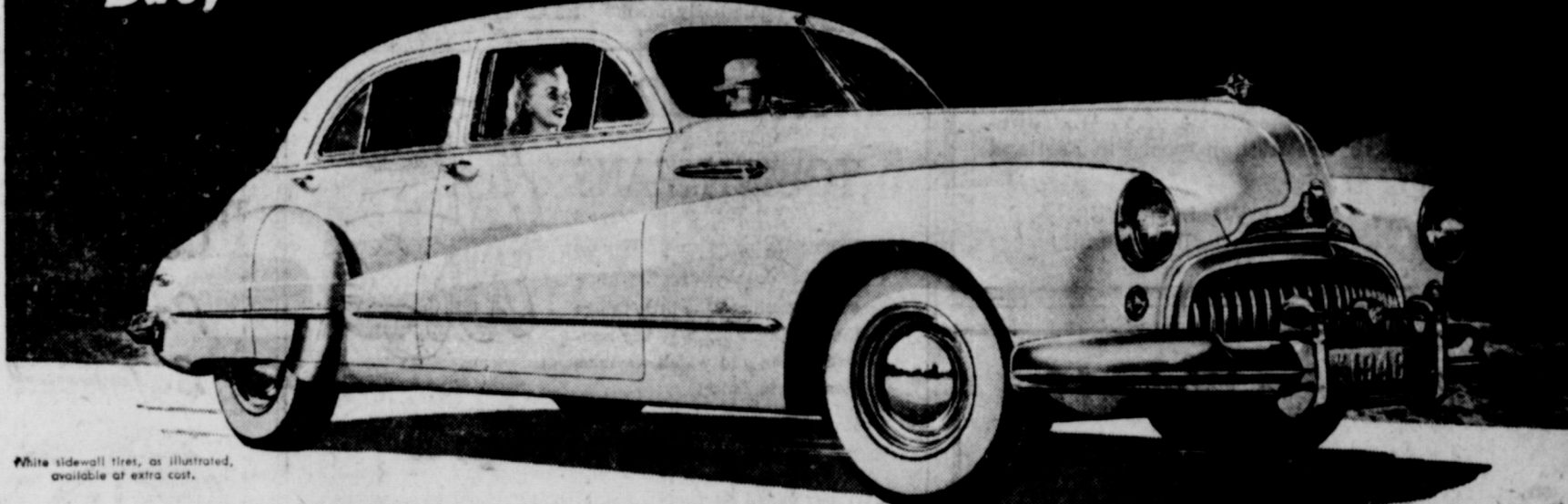
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White sidewall tires, as illustrated, available at extra cost.

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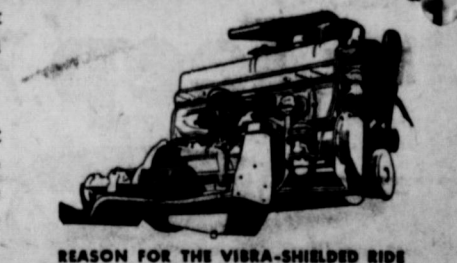
And it comes in special measure from a brand-new engineering gem we call Vibra-Shielding which banishes vibration build-up.

Here for the first time you're freed from the motoring fatigue brought on by tiny tremors piling up into bigger ones. Here your miles are made moss-smooth and quiet — long journeys become mere jaunts.

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