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EYES OF TEXAS

By Bob Weddle
United Press Staff Correspondent
The Democratic primary in July... public officials in Waco...
The ballots, having been kept... destroyed. They will be burn-

elects in a primary election, the judge was a cigar smoker. He and his aides had just finished counting the votes in one of the boxes, and the election judge fired up a stogie.

Then someone smelled smoke. It wasn't cigar smoke either. And, as the ancient adage has it, where there was smoke there was fire—right in the ballot box, where the official had dropped his cigar.

As luck would have it, there was an election contest in McLennan county that year. But the precinct where the ballots had been burned was not involved. Because the votes had already been counted.

And speaking of Waco voting, Mayor J. Ed Hawkins of the central Texas city figures on voting against his own interests. Then he'll probably be mad at himself. The Waco board of aldermen is slated to vote on a new tax rate—probably an increase. Hawkins declared: "I may vote to raise the tax rate. But as a property owner, I'll be mad at myself for doing it."

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Frankie Albert Pacing Attack Of Forty-Niners

BY UNITED PRESS
Little Frankie Albert looked like the biggest player in the All-American conference today as the San Francisco Forty-niners rolled toward a make-or-break clash with the champion Cleveland Browns.

In National Football League exhibition games, the Chicago Cardinals defeated the Pittsburgh Steers, 35 to 14, at Chicago's Wrigley Field, and the Chicago Bears beat the Washington Redskins, 17 to 14, at Baltimore. The AAF's Brooklyn Dodgers, who have failed to win in three league starts, crushed the Charlotte Clippers, an independent pro team, 63 to 7, at Charlotte, N. C.

Cerdan Quarrels Over Fight Terms

NEW YORK, Sept. 20, (UP)—Marcel Cerdan, French Challenger and Promoter Andy Niedreiter were embroiled today in a last-minute controversy over terms for tomorrow night's midweight title fight with champion Tony Zale at Jersey City.

Yesterday's Star — Pitcher Steve Gromek of the Indians, who gave up only three hits, no walks, and struck out one to give the Tribe a 2 to 0 win over the A's in the nightcap of a doubleheader.

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TEXAS DIAMOND DOINGS

By United Press
BIG STATE LEAGUE
The Sherman-Dennison Twins exploded in a flurry of hits at Wichita Falls last night to win, 19 to 12, and move into a commanding lead of 3 games to 1 in the final playoff for the Big State League crown.

The Twins busted out 24 safeties in all, to 17 for the Spudders. Four pitchers paraded to the mound for the twins, with six hurlers taking the chores for Wichita Falls.

The Twins now need only one game to take the league crown. The two teams play again tonight at Wichita Falls.

LONE STAR LEAGUE PLAYOFF
Kilgore jumped in fast in a home game to beat Longview, 11 to 2, and take the first game in the final playoff series in the Lone Star League.

Kilgore, the no.1 team during the regular season, had control of the game from the start, scoring three runs in the last of the initial inning. Longview scored its two runs in the seventh.

Kilgore out-hit Longview in the tilt, 14 safeties to 7. Longview helped the winning team by committing three errors afield.

The teams will meet again tonight at Kilgore.

WEST TEXAS—NEW MEXICO PLAYOFF
In a wild and woolly contest, Amarillo strengthened its chances of the West Texas-New Mexico League crown by beating Pampa yesterday, 16 to 12, and took the lead in the final series, two games to one.

Amarillo pounded out 24 hits to 16 for Pampa. The Gold Sox also led in errors, committing four, to three for Pampa. The Gold Sox nailed down the victory in the last three innings, grabbing 4 runs in the seventh, 2 in the eighth, and 3 in the final frame.

The teams meet again tonight at Pampa.

LONGHORN LEAGUE
The fourth-place Vernon Dusters kept their hopes alive today in the final round of their Longhorn League shagnessy playoff series against the Midland Indians.

The Dusters and Indians battled for 11 innings for the second game in a row yesterday with the Dusters eking out a 1-0 victory to square the series at 2-2 as the teams prepared to conclude their present stand at Vernon tonight.

The final game or games will be played in Midland.

TEXAS LEAGUE
Thanks to the mighty fielding of shortstop Walter Fiala, the Ft. Worth Cats were in the winner's circle today in the first round of the Texas League Shagnessy playoffs, victorious over the hustling Sports of Shreveport, four

TEXAS VS. N. CAROLINA HEADS SOUTHWEST CARD

By United Press
The whole Southwest Conference football field swings into action this week, but two games will hog the spotlight—Texas vs. North Carolina and Southern Methodist vs. Pittsburgh.

Those games are expected to answer some big questions which hang over the two highly-touted Southwest grid machines making bids for national honors.

Baylor and Rice, along with SMU, will be making their season's debut, while the other four clubs will go into this week's fray with one game under their belts.

Baylor tackles a weaker-than-usual Tulsa Hurricane; Rice plays host to lowly Sam Houston State; Texas A. & M., which lost a 34-14 verdict to Villanova Saturday, meets Texas Tech at San Antonio; Arkansas, which romped to a 40-6 win over hapless Abilene Christian College, takes on another breather in East Texas State at Fayetteville, and Texas Christian which nosed out Kansas 14-13, will have its hands full at Stillwater, Okla., against the Oklahoma Aggies.

Nominally, that 33-0 pasting Texas handed Louisiana State last Saturday at Austin would have answered any questions Longhorn supporters may have had about the Bobby Layne-less Orange and White team. But the LSU Tigers were not supposed to be up to their old-time strength.

This week the Texans will make the long trek to Chapel Hill to meet a club that's known to pack plenty of power and savvy. Coach Carl Shavelly's tarheels in addition to having Charley (choo-choo) Justice and a wealth of material also have the incentive of revenge for the 34-0 humiliation handed them by Texas at Austin last fall.

If Texas can overcome those games to two.

The Cats won yesterday in a day game at Fort Worth, 6 to 3, for their fourth victory in the initial playoff round. Pitcher Dwain Sloat left two men on base with one out in the ninth and was derailed in favor of George Brown, who promptly walked the batter to fill the bases.

Fiala then pulled two successive spectacular plays. He snagged a foul fly from the bat of Nick Gregory and then made a nearly impossible stop and a difficult throw to first on a near-hit over second base by Hal Simpson.

At Houston, Harry Perkowski demonstrated his talent for fine hurling by easing the Houston Buffs to a shutout, giving up only three hits, as the Tulsa Oilers won 1 to 0, in a day game. The victory enabled the Oilers to take a 3-2 lead in games over the Buffs.

The Oilers snagged both their runs in the eighth inning and tallied 9 safeties in all. It was an airtight contest with neither team committing an error afield.

The teams meet Tulsa tonight.

Robin Doesn't Mind

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP) — B.C. Joyer told his work crew not to disturb the mama robin, who built her nest and hatched her young on a water pipe in a building under construction. The robin keeps to her noisy home unmindful of carpenters, plumbers and other workmen.

"All Clear" Sounded

SPARTA, Ill. (UP)—Dive-bombing tactics by a mother blue jay had residents on South Market street here on the alert. One woman "casualty" exhibited a small scar on her forehead as evidence of the bird's accuracy. The "all clear" was sounded when the mother's fledglings learned to fly.

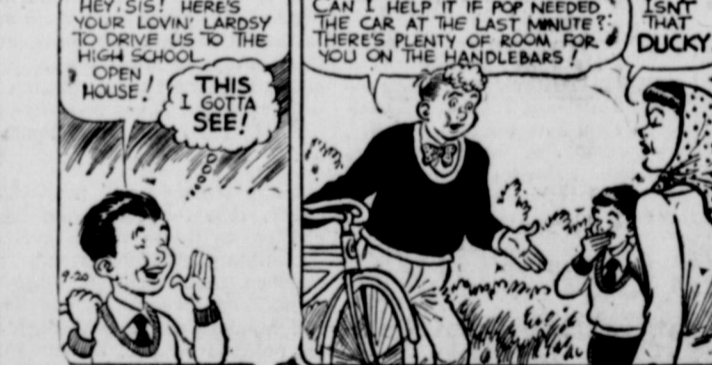
The most valuable soil crop in Nebraska is grass, including wild and tame hay, alfalfa, and clover.

4-2 victory over the Red legs it was their 12th victory in their last 13 games.

The Dodgers stayed in second place with an 8-1 win over Chicago while the Pirates dropped two to the Phillies, 9-6 and 5-3.

The Cards moved into a tie for the second spot by nipping the Giants twice. A two run homer by Country Slaughter won the opener, 4-3 and the "Man" Musial hit a fourrunner to earn the nightcap, 3-1.

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Indonesia Turns Heat On Reds

BATAVIA, Sept. 20 (UP)—The Young Republic of Indonesia abandoned its constitutional guarantees and rounded up Communists on a mass basis today in an effort to crush a revolt that has led to re-establishment of an independent government on the Island of Java.

Meeting in emergency session, the working committee of the Indonesia Parliament declared that the country "faces a mounting state of danger" as a result of the Communist coup in the industrial of Madies, third largest in the

President Sukarno was given special dictatorial powers by vote of 25 to one.

Telephones, telegraph facilities, radio stations, railroads, sugar and oil industries all were under military control. Strong military guards were stationed in streets and police patrolled the headquarters of the Communist-dominated labor union Sobsi.

Home minister Dr. Sukiman most powerful on the island, urged all party members to back the government in suppressing the Communists and keeping the uprising from spreading.

Hillsboro Man Killed By Shot Aimed At Criminal

WACO, Tex. Sept. 20 (UP)—Ernest Neagle, 31, of Hillsboro, was shot to death last night as he walked into the line of fire of a policeman shooting at a fleeing criminal.

The policeman was Bill Nunn of Waco.

Neagle was hit in the stomach by a single shot and died 30 minutes later.

The man at whom the police was firing was hit twice in the left leg and was hospitalized under guard.

No Bed of Roses

COLUMBUS, O. (UP)—A Cincinnati couple investigated the mattress used by their four-year-old daughter and discovered it was stuffed with milk bottle caps, chewing gum wrappers, nuts, bolt, match boxes, nails, empty cigarette packages and orange peelings. The manufacturer, called to account, told Gov. Thomas J. Herbert that the mattress had been made by disgruntled employees.

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Personals

Harvey E. Basham, who fell and broke his leg in June, received a message from his mother, Mrs. Mill Holen of Hot Springs, Ark. saying she was in the hospital with a broken leg. The accident occurred last week.

Estes Burgamy, wife and three children of Lubbock, have been visiting in his mothers, Mrs. Smith at the Texland Hotel. They were enroute to visit his father, M. B. Burgamy ill at his home at Poynor.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hickman and children spent the week end in Dallas with Mrs. Hickman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fultz.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brogdon of Gorman have been visiting his mother, Mrs. Lucy Brogdon. They are moving to Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Little are the proud parents of a son, Ben Ramsey, born Sunday Sept. 18 in

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the Ranger General Hospital. Weight at birth was eight pounds. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ramsey of Ranger are the maternal grandparents and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Little, 901 Gilmer Street, are the paternal grandparents.

Robert Vaughan has returned from a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vaughan at Victoria.

Hearing On Senate Race Due Tuesday

FORT WORTH, Tex., Sept. 20, (UP) — Coke Stevenson's efforts to keep Lyndon Johnson, the certified nominee of the Democratic party for the U. S. Senate race, from going to the upper chamber will open here tomorrow when Johnson's attorneys will question jurisdiction of federal court to hear the case.

An attorney for Johnson indicated that it would be contended that only the U. S. Senate has that power.

Raymond Buck, Fort Worth attorney representing Johnson, said an answer would be filed to Stevenson's charges, and it would contend that Federal Judge Whitfield Davidson is without authority in the matter.

The hearing tomorrow will be on a temporary injunction granted Stevenson in which the secretary of state is restrained from listing Johnson's name on the Democratic ballot.

READ THE CLASSIFIED ADS

SOUTH FLORIDA ALERTED AS GALE COURSE VEERS

MIAMI, Fla. Sept. 20 (UP) — South Florida was put on a "preliminary precautions" status today as a hurricane whirled out of the Caribbean toward the mainland after sending a British freighter on the rocks off Little Cayman Island in the West Indies.

The southern point of the state and the chain of islands tapering off to Key West were alerted as the storm changed course in mid-morning.

As the new tropical disturbance powered by winds of over 100 miles and hour roared up through the Caribbean, rescue craft stood by the British freighter, Lochmolar, battering itself to pieces on the jagged reefs 500 yds. off Little Cayman, South of Cuba. The 73 men aboard were believed in no immediate peril.

A rescue tug reported that seas were too high to permit an immediate rescue of the seaman.

A 10-45 advisory said the storm was expected to strike the South Cuba coast with its 100 miles per hour winds sometime this afternoon.

The Weather Bureau indicated its slow curve in direction might carry it past the mainland into the Bahamas Islands.

The Weather Bureau extended its area of caution to the Western Bahamas Islands as the storm, which in a north-westerly direction, curved and headed toward the no-north-east.

Installment Curb In Effect

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20 (UP) — Government control on installment buying went into effect today.

To buy a new or used car from now on, you'll have to lay at least one-third on the line. And the balance must be paid off in 15 months.

For refrigerators, washing machines, radios, television sets, vacuum cleaners, rugs, furniture, sewing machines and many other home furnishings, the minimum down payment is one-fifth of the sales price. Again the limit is 15 months.

The credit restrictions are intended to help fight inflation. They were authorized at the extra session of Congress this summer, and will expire next June 30 unless a new law is passed extending the time.

Chemicals And Flame Fight Forest Fires

SALEM, Ore. (UP) — Newly developed chemicals and flame throwers are being used to wipe out roadside brush in Oregon, eliminating one of the most dangerous forest fire hazards.

Vance L. Morrison, research forester, described the chemicals as "2-4-D-Ammate" and "2-4-D-Esters." He said they have been used successfully on salmonberry bushes in Clatsop County, and now are being used in other areas.

The chemicals are sprayed on the brush under 1,000 pounds of pressure. Morrison said results have been "very satisfactory" with use of flame throwers. The brush is burned under carefully-guarded conditions to prevent the spread of fire.

Television has been extended to those whose electric services happen to be of the DC variety. Turning the trick are special converters, now available.

KANSAS CITY YOUTH KILLS FATHER, ADMITS KILLING

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 20 (UP) — An 18-year-old youth killed his father, a prominent executive, with a pistol given him by his mother because the father had terrorized the family for 10 years, police said today.

Lt. Charles Welch of the homicide squad said David Heidenreich admitted killing his father, John P. Heidenreich, 48, owner of a large tent manufacturing company. Young Heidenreich claimed his father threatened him.

Welch said there was bad blood between the father and son because the latter believed the elder Heidenreich was unfaithful to his wife, who is sick and confined to a hospital.

David told police that he and his mother were mortally afraid of Heidenreich because he had threatened him repeatedly during the past decade.

Some time ago, David said, his mother purchased a pistol to protect the family from her husband. He said his father seemed "to hate me most of all." When she went in the hospital, the mother gave the pistol to David.

Yesterday, the father told young Heidenreich that he had engaged a third nurse for his wife. He said the 24-hour nursing service was proof of his devotion to his wife.

David reported that he had seen his father with another woman only a week ago. Heidenreich became enraged. He told his son to get out of his bedroom, where they were talking.

"It's none of your damn business what I do," he shouted. "Keep your nose out."

David, according to Welch, replied that it was his business since his mother was being hurt. When his father advanced toward him, David pulled the gun from his pocket and emptied it at his father. All five bullets struck Heidenreich and he died instantly.

Mrs. Heidenreich had asked her husband for a divorce or a separation but he had refused both. Police said a week ago she took \$65,000 in bonds and placed them in a safety deposit box for an emergency.

Welch said that family friends told him Heidenreich was an alcoholic and left a hospital after treatment two weeks ago.

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Socialite Mum On Red Questions

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20, (UP) — A wealthy New York socialite today refused — on grounds it might incriminate her — to say whether she has engaged in Communist espionage activities.

She was Louise Bransten, 39-year-old blonde heiress, who reportedly has pumped a large part of her inheritance into the Communist party. She testified at a closed session of a House Un-American activities subcommittee.

Subcommittee chairman John MacDowell, R., Pa., said that Miss Bransten "took a typical Communist position" on all pertinent questions.

He said she cited the constitutional immunity against self-incrimination when asked whether she was a Communist.

"She refused to answer all pertinent questions, even to the point of identifying the income of her husband," he said.

MacDowell said she was asked whether she knew "Arthur Adams," whom the committee believes to have been "one of the most important" of the wartime Soviet agents. She said she pleaded "self-incrimination" and refused to answer the question.

Russia Claims U. S. Interfered In Romance

MOSCOW, Sept. 20, (UP) — The United States government again has been charged in an official Russian newspaper with interfering in an American-Russian romance.

The principals this time are Antonina Tarasova Phillips and her husband, Air Force Sergeant William Phillips of Pen Argy, Pa., now stationed at Bolling Field, Wash.

Mrs. Phillips said in a letter to newspaper Izvestia that friends

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of her husband had told her the soldier could not write to her because it was forbidden by the government. It concluded by saying that she wanted to go to America for a visit but decided on a divorce when he stopped writing.

A spokesman for the American embassy said Phillips was sent home because he violated an Army rule against marriages abroad without knowledge of the commanding officer.

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