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TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

DALLAS, Nov. 23 (UP)—To insure a consolidated labor effort next year, six Dallas AFL members have been deputized to collect poll taxes and four more are expected to apply shortly. W. A. Jobson, deputy tax collector in charge of poll taxes, had announced today.

W. J. Harris, president of the state federation of labor, said the campaign was a statewide one so the organization would be prepared "should the legislature propose any amendments to be voted on next year."

Jobson said the CIO has asked that 67 of its members be deputized to collect poll taxes and that most of them had been.

DALLAS, Nov. 23 (UP)—Edgar P. Haney, general counsel for the United Texas Dries, said today that the organization would study Dallas election laws and state liquor laws to prove the sale of beer in Oak Cliff is illegal.

Haney told the city's zoning board of adjustment that precinct 7, comprising most of Oak Cliff, had voted dry in 1890 and that the law is still in effect.

DALLAS, Nov. 23 (UP)—David R. Williams, Dallas architect, said today that he believed Texas architecture is returning to the simplicity and practicality of the houses built by Texas pioneers.

Williams decried the Texas architectural turn away from the simple stone houses of the early pioneers to imitations of the architecture of foreign countries.

Williams has just returned from designing model farm colonies for 20,000 European refugees in Venezuela, a job he was recommended for by the United Nations.

AUSTIN, Nov. 23 (UP)—Gov.

Beauford Jester today had accepted an invitation to speak at a meeting of the National Association of Attorneys General at Houston Nov. 29.

The governor will deliver the welcoming address.

AUSTIN, Nov. 23 (UP)—Rob William Williford, 46, Fairfield and Wortham attorney, today was the new judge of the 87th district court.

A graduate of the University of Texas law school, Williford was appointed by Gov. Beauford Jester yesterday to succeed Judge Lex Smith of Wortham, who died last week.

Anderson, Freestone, Leon and Limestone counties comprise the 87th judicial district.

AUSTIN, Nov. 23 (UP)—Problems of Texas' Spanish-speaking population were discussed by some 30 persons in the office of University of Texas President T. S. Painter yesterday.

Representatives of various interested state agencies attended the meeting of a state-wide advisory committee conducting a two year study of the state's Spanish-speaking citizens. The project is being financed by a \$41,000 grant from the general education board of New York.

HARLINGEN, Nov. 23 (UP)—Sprightly breezes bothered goose-pimped drum majorettes not at all as they helped get the 21st annual All-Valley Mid-Winter Fair underway here yesterday.

The girls were part of a mile-long parade, featuring bands from most valley towns.

Farmers were getting 53 cents of the consumer's food dollar in July, 1948. Wholesaler, retailers, transportation companies and others shared the remaining 47 cents.

Approximately 75 per cent of the present American Red Cross program is devoted to programs for our armed forces at home and abroad, and for veterans and their families.

Convertibles Come to the Beach



Newest thing in beach togs is the French convertible bathing suit, like the one Betty Alden is wearing at Long Beach, Calif. This one, designed by Ruth Small, adds a dash of the South Sea Islands. The sarong skirt is removable, and can be tucked in, as at left, or taken off for sun-bathing, right.

Rotary Head To Visit In Waco

WACO, Nov. 23 (UP)—The president of Rotary International, Angus S. Mitchell of Melbourne, Australia, will attend the District 131 convention here March 27-29, it was revealed today.

District Governor Oliver Harris of Taylor said Mitchell would attend the meeting in "an unofficial capacity" because it is against Rotary law for the international president to be present at a district convention.

Dr. W. R. White, Baylor University president, said Mitchell would be a guest of the school while in Waco.

Wood is made up of millions of fibrous cells resembling narrow tubes almost as fine as human

Jeep Meets Truck---Truck Meets Waterloo



Battered, but still standing, the jeep stationwagon obviously won the decision from the large truck in this Dayton, O., crash. The driver of the jeep was critically injured, however.

Reveal Ailment Of King George

LONDON, Nov. 23 (UP)—King George VI is suffering from a blood clot which has caused loss of circulation in both legs and raised anxiety concerning his right foot, Buckingham Palace physicians announced today.

As a result, the 53-year-old monarch has cancelled all public engagements for some months ahead and has postponed indefinitely the proposed royal tour to Australia scheduled to start early next year.

The palace announcement said the King's condition became acute a week ago when he lost the sense of feeling in his right leg.

"It would be hazardous for him to embark upon a long journey which might delay his recovery and which might well involve a serious risk to the limb," said a medical bulletin signed by five attending physicians.

The ailment appeared to have cancelled the proposed six-month royal tour to Australia and New Zealand, which the King was scheduled to make with Queen Elizabeth and Princess Margaret Rose.

The palace announcement said there was no reason for concern about the King's general health, including the condition of his heart.

It added, however, that the strain of the King's 12 years on the British throne has appreciably affected his resistance to physical fatigue.

Tojo Appeal Verdict Due Wed.

TOKYO, Nov. 23 (UP)—Japanese Wartime Premier Hideki Tojo and his 24 co-defendants will get Gen. Douglas MacArthur's verdict on their appeals from war crimes sentences tomorrow morning, it was announced today.

The announcement said the general expected to complete tonight his review of the sentences handed down by an International War Crimes Tribunal. They call for death by hanging for Tojo and six others.

A reliable informant said MacArthur was expected to follow the verdicts of the tribunal "pretty much."

A new record was established by air express in the United States in the first nine months of 1948 when 2,969,411 shipments were flown, a gain of 10.4 per cent over the corresponding period of last year, Railway Express reports.

There has been developed a chemically-treated cloth that is said to eliminate fogging of automobile windshields as well as steaming of bathroom mirrors and kitchen windows.

The Brahman, a native of Asia, is becoming one of the more popular breeds of cattle in the American southwest. The Brahman sweats through its skin and is able to withstand hotter weather.

VIC FLINT



BY MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



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BY V. T. HAMLIN



MARY WORTH'S FAMILY



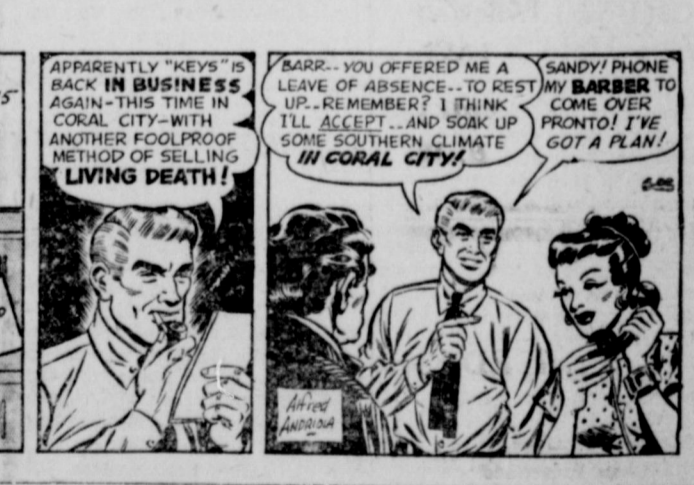
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LEGAL HOLIDAY

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Lettuce Legs



Those trim limbs have given Marie Wilson the title of "Girl With the Billion Dollar Legs," awarded to her by a group of sculptors. Marie is a Hollywood radio and screen star.

