

Communists Reject UN Proposal

RIDGWAY DEMANDS TROOPS BE MOVED FROM KAESONG

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UN ADVANCE BASE BELOW
KAESONG, Korea, July 13 (UP)—The Communists rejected tonight the United Nations' ultimatum which broke off Korean cease-fire talks until the Communists permit newsmen to enter the conference city of Kaesong.

A Peiping radio broadcast at 7:40 p.m. (5:40 a.m. EDT) announced the Red rejection of the UN protest and said that the Communists had invited the Allied armistice team to resume talks at 9 a.m. today (7 p.m. Thursday EDT) but were "ignored."

The rejection statement was by North Korean Gen. Nam Il, chief of the Red armistice delegation. Peiping radio said his message was sent to Vice Admiral C. Turner Joy, top UN negotiator this morning.

There was no indication whether Joy had received the Communist message but the UN team did not show any signs of preparing to resume negotiations until word comes agreeing the latest UN demand listing the conditions necessary before the talks reopen.

Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway, UN supreme commander, demanded earlier today in a broadcast to the Communist generals that all Red troops be pulled out of Kaesong and that "unreasonable" restrictions on UN parties be lifted before armistice talks can resume.

Ridgway's statement, which threw all blame for the breakdown of the talks in the Communist laps, superseded Joy's protest of Thursday. But at the hour that Nam Il's reply to Joy was broadcast, no word had yet come from the Reds in answer to the UN commander.

Nam Il's rejection of Joy's protest and the Communist silence on Ridgway's demands seemed to shove hopes for a quick resumption of the negotiations a step backward.

"Nam Il's statement told Joy that 'coverage by newsmen of the conference will not be permitted until a mutual agreement is reached.'"

Joy said Thursday, after a UN convoy including 20 newsmen was turned back from Kaesong, that his armistice team would not return to the conference until the correspondents were admitted to the city.

Nam Il's message added: "I propose that the conference be resumed at 9 a.m. Pyongyang time on the 13th."

The message was broadcast by Peiping radio and then carried twice by Pyongyang radio starting at 5 p.m. today.

Nam Il's refusal to permit the western press to enter "neutral" Kaesong—which the UN has admitted officially—is really a Communist-held city—was put in almost exactly the same words with which he turned down earlier UN demands for free press coverage of the conference.

Ridgway's seven-minute broadcast to the Communists today had declared:

"The extension of the present recess is only due to the unreasonable and unnecessary restrictions against which my representatives repeatedly protested."

The broadcast statement was delivered "in person" in English to the Communist outpost below Kaesong shortly after it was beamed north in English, Chinese and Korean on all allied radio stations. Col. Andrew J. Kinney, Atlanta, Ga., one of the preliminary negotiators, delivered the message.

Although the Peiping radio broadcast indicated that Nam Il's message had been sent to Joy at least 11 hours before the Communists disclosed its text, there had been no word at the UN camp of any Red reply since the talks broke off yesterday.

FFA Members End Meet At Houston

HOUSTON, July 13 (UP)—Delegates to the Texas Chapter of the Future Farmers of America close their convention tonight with an election of officers and the selection of a sweetheart from among 24 candidates.

Gov. Allan Shivers, who was scheduled to address the group, will not be present, it was announced.

The some 3,000 delegates yesterday discussed such subjects as price supports, farm loans, soil conservation, production and democracy.

The delegate heard one of their number—16-year-old Al Murdock of Grapevine—say that "we are under-age today, but tomorrow we will be men and the training we get now will direct our future."

He was promptly chosen the Texas Future Farmers' speech contest winner from among four semi-finalists. He will vie with the Oklahoma and Louisiana winners for tri-state honors.

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Toad Derby Entries Come In Strongly

Entries for the annual Old Rip Horned Toad Derby are pouring in as usual from all parts of the nation, H. J. Tanner, manager of the Eastland chamber of commerce, has announced.

More than 70 entries have been received and it is believed that the final total of toads entered in the derby this time will exceed the 430 some odd which participated in last year's affair.

This year's affair will be the third derby to be held. Two years ago only 149 entries were received. The number increased to 435 last year and is expected to be larger still this time.

Part of the program for the event, which will be two days this year, has been arranged. Tanner said that Friday, on which the Queen of the derby will be crowned, will also be WAC and WAF recruiting day in the city, with plans being made by Marene Johnson to have representatives of those groups in the city.

Saturday when the derby will be held, Bewley's Chuck Wagon Gang will play on the square at 4:30 p.m., and will stay to play for the big street square dance which will climax the event, Saturday night according to Tanner.

This year's entire program will be held downtown on the square in contrast to last year's and the year before when activities were centered at the Fireman's Field. It is believed that by holding the events downtown interest will be greater because of the greater convenience to those attending.

Houston Man Murdered In Gang Slaying

HOUSTON, July 13 (UP)—Eloy Garza, 20, was murdered early today by three or four men in an old model car and police said the ambush slaying was "probably a gang killing."

Detective George Chapman said Garza and three other young men had just left a dance and were en route home when an old model car pulled slowly alongside them. He said the car held "three or four men."

Suddenly, one of the men poked a rifle out a window and fired five or six shots in quick succession. One of the bullets hit Garza in the stomach and he died an hour later in the emergency room of Jefferson Davis Hospital.

Prisoner Retaken After Jail Break

HONDO, July 13 (UP)—Four prisoners escaped from the Medina County Jail last night but one of them, Leonard Ray Frazier, 17, of San Antonio, was captured several hours later at San Antonio asleep on a park bench.

The escape was made through a dumb waiter shaft in the jail after one of the prisoners failed to return to his cell when it was opened by automatic equipment. The prisoner went down the shaft and obtained the key to the cells of his companions. Four other prisoners in the jail did not leave.

The jail, a new one, was unguarded because of its automatic equipment theoretically designed to prevent escapes.

Fugitives still at large are James Smith 17, and Charles Reid, 17, both of San Antonio, and Charles E. Shaeffer, 25, whose home town was not learned.

Frazier had a letter from his mother in his possession when captured offering sympathy for his predicament (he is charged with burglary at Hondo) and admonishing him "the good Lord always catches up with you."

Smith and Reid also are charged with burglary and Shaeffer is charged with theft at Crystal City.

Taverns Face License Loss

HOUSTON, July 13 (UP)—Liquor law enforcement officers today were ready to recommend suspension of permits of eight beer taverns in the Pasadena-Seabrook-LaPorte area on charges of selling intoxicants to minors.

Officers said the move to padlock the taverns came after investigation of several alleged violations in which minors said they purchased beer without being questioned about their age.

The investigation was conducted by C. B. Arnold, liquor law enforcement officer at Baytown; H. W. Mann, juvenile officer at Pasadena, and La Porte police chief W. M. Robertson.

McDonald's pick-up truck overturned near here, throwing the boy out. James was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nichols, Houston residents.

Driver Dies Of Crash Injuries

EUFULA, Okla., July 13 (UP)—A Texas truck driver, J. Orville McDonald, 35, of Houston, was in critical condition today from injuries received in the crash which yesterday killed 9-year-old James Nichols, also of Houston.

Three Face Prison Term

FORT WORTH, July 13 (UP)—Three young Austin men faced prison terms up to seven years today following their guilty pleas to armed robbery.

The trio admitted the hijacking of a Fort Worth service station which set off a widespread manhunt in the Grand Prairie area.

Paul Rhodes and Paul S. Schuermack, both ex-convicts, were sentenced to seven year terms. Ollie Chester Wilson was given five years.

Rains Help Valley Cotton

HARLINGEN, July 13 (UP)—The Rio Grande Valley's million-acre cotton crop was more helped than hurt by recent rain showers, according to H. S. Cavitt, federal pink bollworm control expert.

The rains, ranging up to 1.8 inches at Benito, spotted the Valley region during a two-day period. They ruined some bolls of older cotton, Cavitt, but helped mature younger crops.

He said effect of the rain won't be bad unless "a blow" comes along to knock bolls off.

Lynn Completes Well In Briggs Owens Area

The J. J. Lynn No. 1 Noble flowed 36 1-2 barrels of oil in a 24 hour potential completed this week, about miles northwest of Eastland.

Gas oil ratio was 1685 to 1. Total depth was 3315.

Bankline Oil Company was in the top of the Caddo Friday morning and expected to reach the Lake Saturday in their No. 1 Ted Hale in the same general area.

Bert Fields was through the Caddo and expected to top the Lake Friday night on his Smith location.

Also in the area Lynn's No. 1 Arnold was awaiting perforation, after being cemented.

First Assessment Payment Is Made

The first payments of the special assessment of \$1 per month on each water meter in the city for a period of three years were made Thursday when Ben Hamner paid in advance for three meters.

Hamner paid a total of \$108 for his three meters, which covers the three year period provided in the ordinance. The money will go to the Eastland hospital fund.

The ordinance goes into effect with July's water bill. Those who do not wish to have the extra \$1 added onto their bill may pay \$36 in advance for their meter for the three year period, or may pay in advance annually or quarterly.



RECORD FLOODS HIT KANSAS—These autos are parked on one of the few stretches of highway 50 between Strong City and Peabody, Kansas. As record flood waters spread over a wide area of Kansas. The Cottonwood River at this spot near Elmdale, Kansas, covered most of the highway. (NEA Telephoto).

Air Force Sends Aid To Isolated Thousands In Kansas Flood

TOPEKA, Kan., July 13 (UP)—The U. S. Air Force rushed serum, food and liferafts by cargo plane, helicopter and paratroop rescue team today to the dozens of flood-isolated cities and towns of Kansas.

The state is a huge lake. All authorities agree that it is the worst disaster in history to hit the area—worse than the damaging dust storms of the '30s or the legendary floods of 1903.

Weeks of heavy rains have sent streams and rivers bursting and overflowing dikes. More rain fell today.

More than 60,000 persons have been driven from their homes. Hundreds more flee every hour. Twelve persons have died as a result of the storms and floods.

Five trains loaded with 1,500 passengers are marooned in and near Emporia. Six persons who were ill were rescued by light plane from the Santa Fe Streamliner El Capitan, stranded near Cedar Point. A convoy of buses was trying to get near enough to the El Capitan to transfer the other 34 passengers by boat.

Here is a city-by-city summary of some of the worst hit places:

Topeka—The Kansas River surged four feet over the dikes. All of the north part of the city, 300 blocks, flooded with 10,000 persons homeless. One hundred

Marion—Water flowing across house tops in center of town. 2,000 residents moved to neighboring cities. No organized relief action.

Abilene—One-third of town's 6,000 residents forced to leave homes with Saline River out of banks.

Brig. Gen. D. W. Hutchinson, commander of the Forbes Air Force Base here, put through an emergency call for planes to assist in flying food, serum and life saving equipment to the disaster areas.

Air Rescue Service planes from Massachusetts, California, Texas, Colorado and Washington flew to the area. Six were amphibians loaded with cases of emergency rations, medical supplies, first aid equipment and rescue teams equipped with parachutes.

Twenty-two rescue planes landed here. One was a C-124, large cargo plane in operation, which carried a helicopter. Within two hours after the helicopter arrived it had picked up seven marooned persons.

Lawrence—Kansas River 200 feet over dikes with water rising. 2,000 persons evacuated from north part of city, taken to Haskell Indian Institute. After days of sandbagging the dikes, the dikes now are all under water.

Kansas City, Kan.—Kansas River spilling over dikes, threatening 200-block area including city's meat packing industry, one of the nation's largest. 10,000 fleeing homes.

Salina—City of 26,000 is three-fourths under water of Saline River. 18,000 persons evacuated. Red Cross opened four shelters in churches and schools on high ground.

Ottawa—Entire town of 10,000 persons under water of Marais Des Cygne River which rose to 18 feet over bankful. Red Cross unable to contact its workers here to determine how evacuees being cared for.

TRUMAN CLAIMS HE IS READY TO TAKE ON ALL COMERS--

WASHINGTON, July 13 (UP)—President Truman was ready today to take on any comers in a race—a foot race that is—but let's not talk about a political race.

He still isn't ready to tell whether he will be a candidate for re-election. He is having too much fun keeping newsmen, the public and possible presidential aspirants guessing.

The 67-year-old president served flat notice on his news conference late yesterday, however, that he doesn't expect age or infirmity to take him out of the picture.

It came during a good-natured exchange which also brought up the question of whether Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, a potential presidential nominee, is a Democrat or a Republican and whether the famed general foresees the presidency only for 1948 or for always.

Some of the president's replies led reporters to believe he will seek re-election and wouldn't be too surprised if Eisenhower was a candidate this time too.

The matter of Mr. Truman's physical condition was brought up by George Landry, a visiting reporter from the Magon, Ga., Telegraph who commented that this was his first presidential news

conference and he found that a chief executive looking younger than he expected.

He wanted to know whether Mr. Truman's condition was good too. Amidst much laughter, Mr. Truman said he certainly was in good condition—better than ever before in his life and is still young enough to make a good race—a foot race.

But, he parried all efforts to get him to announce whether it means he will be a candidate in 1952. Truman said he will make that announcement when he gets ready. He said reporters could say "when" or "if"—he didn't care.

Some reporters read significance in the president's remarks that he does not intend to appoint a Negro to his staff in place of David K. Niles, resigned expert on minority affairs, because he expects Niles to return to his job. Niles' skill with minority groups would be helpful in a re-election campaign.

As for Eisenhower's political prospects, Mr. Truman was not as positive as he was less than two years ago.

The President said he doesn't know whether Eisenhower is a Democrat or a Republican because he never has discussed it with the General.

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL Orchids To

The following is the first of a series to cite persons of the city for special interest and sacrifice shown in working toward a hospital, Eastland's Memorial Hospital. The Telegram office will be glad to receive names of persons who are deserving of notice and their deeds.

Memorial Hospital orchids are in order today to T. H. Landon, county surveyor.

When told that a preliminary survey needs to be made on the hospital site before other operations can be started, Landon volunteered to undertake the task, donating his own labor and also providing for the helpers which will be needed in the survey.

What is more, Landon said that he does not have a water meter, but that he will donate \$36 to the hospital fund.

Bombing Attempt Of Home Fails

DALLAS, July 13 (UP)—South Dallas terrorists attempted to bomb another Negro residence last night but were detected before the dynamite they tossed at the home exploded.

The attempted bombing, in the South Dallas fringe area in which 12 previous bomb blasts have occurred, was broken up by the alert homeowner and a special police squad patrolling the area.

Mrs. Birdie Mae Sharp, owner of the residence, said she heard a car stop near her home and a "thud" as something fell into shrubbery in the back yard. She told police she grabbed a pistol and fired several times at the late model automobile as it sped away.

Officers rushing toward the sound of the shots found the bomb and extinguished it with water. The home-made torpedo was made from a two-pound stick of dynamite and 3 1/2 foot fuse, police said.

Officer Stavie Ellis, one of 8 special police teams patrolling the troubled area, dumped water on the fuse and dynamite when he found it after a hurried search.

The incident followed by a few hours an appeal by Dallas mayor J. B. Adoue for help from the citizenry in solving the bombings.

Target of all the explosions has been Negro homes, some of them in the South Dallas fringe area where both Negroes and whites reside, and others in a nearby Negro residential development.

Texas Rangers joined Dallas Police in investigation of the cases last week and Don O. McElveen, r.j., a builder in the area, appealed for FBI aid.

Witnesses to last night's attempt said they could not tell make or model of the car, or how many persons were in it.

Goat Raisers Meeting At Rock Springs

ROCK SPRINGS, (Edwards County) Tex., July 13 (UP)—The annual Texas Angora Goat Raisers Association meeting will be held here Aug. 2-3-4 with Arthur Leech, manager of the Texas Grange, the featured speaker on Aug. 2.

The annual sale will be held on Aug. 4. The national farm and home four program is scheduled to be broadcast from here Aug. 4 in connection with the annual meeting.

Shivers Grants McMurrin Stay

AUSTIN, July 13 (UP)—Richard S. McMurrin, sentenced to die for rape, found Friday the 13th a "good news" day. The condemned Galveston man learned that Gov. Allan Shivers had granted him a 30-day stay of execution. The reprieve moved the date from Aug. 6 to Sept. 5.

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NEWS FROM CARBON

Mr. and Mrs. Halsey Butler and children of Penwell spent a few days last week with his uncle Mr. and Mrs. Ike Butler.

Mrs. E. W. Hays and daughters Nancy, Patsy and son Robert of Crystal City visited in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Fannie Bridges from Thursday until Monday.

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collins were their children, Bob and family of San Angelo, D. M. and Mrs. Collins and family of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bigby and daughter of Colorado City.

Mr. W. W. Martin of Cisco and daughter Mrs. Jack Nutt of Longview were visiting in Carbon Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wilson spent the weekend visiting with her brother J. A. Rasberry and other relatives in Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Trimble of Indianapolis, Ind., are here visiting in the home of his mother Mrs. W. E. Trimble. They all visited with relatives in Lubbock over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce McGaha and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mahan all of Arizona returned home Saturday after visiting with relatives the past two weeks.

Mrs. W. S. Marwell and Mrs. Hoyle Reed visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pierce in Breckenridge last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster McDaniel and daughter of El Paso visited with his mother Mrs. C. N. McDaniel. Buster went back to his base and Mrs. McDaniel and baby remained at home.

Mrs. Dean Turner and children of Gatesville spent the week visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wyatt visited with their son, Lonzo and family of Big Spring who has been seriously ill.

Mrs. E. M. Spence has returned home after visiting in Midland, Dallas and Oklahoma. Her son, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Spence and family of Elphreath, Washington are here spending their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nolen and baby of Rotan visited in the home of his mother Mr. and Mrs. Toy Penney and his grandmother, Mrs. Lon Palmer over the weekend.

Mike Collins and Edwin Robertson left Monday to visit the Methodist youth camp in Glenn Rose. They will return home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eibert Thurman and family of Laredo visited in the home of his father Mr. A. D. Thurman and family last week.

Mr. Buster Jones and Mrs. W. W. McNeese and Mrs. Bess Green attended the funeral of their sister-in-law, Mrs. L. R. Jones of Abilene.

Mrs. Fannie Bridges visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin of Cisco last Friday.

Negro Gunman Tries Holdup

HOUSTON, July 12 (UP)—Toy Smith, 41-year-old manager of one of the Henke and Pilot Stores, said today he would never mutter and swear at another train if it blocked a grade crossing for an hour.

He credited a rumbling freight with thwarting a holdup last night and possibly saving his life.

Smith said that a negro gunman accosted him as he got into his car after closing the store and demanded the combination to the safe in the store.

Then the gunman told Smith to start driving. The bandit held the pistol against the back of the manager's neck and threatened to kill him unless he produced the combination.

At the grade crossing at Lorraine and Carr Streets, a rumbling freight train stopped the car. Smith leaped out and ran. The gunman jumped out and ran also, but in another direction after shouting vainly for Smith to halt.

Two Levees Break Flooding Topeka

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Thousands of other persons were homeless in scores of communities ravaged by floods along the Kansas and other tributaries of the Big Missouri.

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Greater Demand For Texas Crude

AUSTIN, July 12 (UP)—The U.S. Bureau estimates market demand for Texas crude oil in August will be 2,690,000 barrels a day, the State Railroad Commission announced yesterday.

The estimate calls for an increase of 110,000 barrels per day. The Commission said the increase "is undoubtedly an effort on the part of the bureau to conform its estimate to the experience of the daily runs to stills."

Texas fields now are operating on a 24-day producing basis, except for the East Texas Field which is on a 19-day schedule. The average daily allowable as of July 7 was 2,940,055 barrels.

Texan Recognized For His Work

AUSTIN, July 12 (UP)—Development of a new chemical to give synthetic rubber more of the properties of natural rubber has brought recognition to Dr. Kenneth A. Kobe, Chemical Engineering Professor at the University of Texas. The discovery was named one of the 50 foremost scientific advances of 1950 by Laboratory News a magazine.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade White had as their weekend guests their children, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar White, Mr. and Mrs. Bazel White of Odessa. The all spent Sunday with a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Everett and family of Olden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Craddock and family of Colorado City were weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Krueger of Dallas, Sgt. Bill Williams, Pfc. Dale William of Washington, D. C. and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Williams of Valley Mills were weekend guest in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Eugene Krueger.

Miss Bettye Hasting visited over the weekend in San Angelo.

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Police Chief Ray Kerr said "we were mighty lucky."

"We're pretty sure everyone got out," he said. "Most of the people living in North Topeka were out before the dikes started to go."

Mayor Kenneth Wilke issued a warning shortly before the first dike broke.

"This is your last chance to get out of North Topeka to higher ground," he said in a radio broadcast. "Get out now!"

The big dike, built in 1908, was 32 feet high and 40 feet thick. But it was so weakened by the flood's battering that the water cut through it like a knife despite reinforcement by thousands of sandbags.

X-Ray Shows Ump In Wrong

CHARLESTON, W. Va., (UP)—An x-ray picture unofficially reversed an umpire's decision in a Charleston Senator baseball game 24 hours after the game ended.

Roger Wright, who was pitching for the Senators against the Dayton, O. Clippers, claimed he was hit on the wrist by a pitched ball.

The umpire, however, ruled that the ball nicked the bat, although Wright extended a swollen wrist as evidence.

In All Sincerity— we wish to thank our many customers for their patience, consideration and good sportsmanship in going along with us on the delays and many inconveniences you have had in getting your hail claims settled. Similar circumstances in many other West Texas Counties this Spring have overtaxed the capacity of the big adjustment companies to furnish trained men to do the work. We still have many claims to adjust and others are coming in daily. So thanks for your sympathetic understanding of an unavoidable situation. If It's Insurance We Write It. EARL BENDER & COMPANY Eastland (Insurance Since 1924) Texas

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS By Merrill Blosser

Comic strip panels for Freckles and His Friends. Panel 1: "GOODBY, TINY! MY SISTER AND HER DAUGHTER WILL CHECK IN THIS EVENING! GIVE THEM OUR CABIN!" Panel 2: "IF YOU'RE EVER NEAR NEEDHAM, MORTON--" Panel 3: "BY THE WAY, YOU MIGHT WANT TO KNOW WHAT TO EXPECT OF MY SISTER AND HER DAUGHTER! HERE'S A SNAPSHOT!" Panel 4: "WOW! TIM-BER!" Panel 5: "AND FOR YOUR SERVICES, MORTON, HERE'S A TINY FAMILY HEIRLOOM. WE'VE BEEN COLLECTING THESE FOR GENERATIONS!" Panel 6: "YOU CRUMB! CHEER UP! ALL THEY GAVE ME WHEN THEY LEFT WAS A 'FAMILY HEIRLOOM' IN THIS ENVELOPE!" Panel 7: "WOW!"

VIC FLINT By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lane

Comic strip panels for Vic Flint. Panel 1: "PHOOEY! THAT THING'S SOLD AS A ROCK!" Panel 2: "THERE'S SOMETHING INSIDE AND THERE HAS TO BE SOME WAY OF OPENING IT." Panel 3: "LOOK HERE, GROWL!" Panel 4: "THAT'S THE SYMBOL OF THE AZTEC SUN GOD! SO FANT AND SMALL AS TO BE INVISIBLE TO THE NAKED EYE!" Panel 5: "SO WHAT? IT'S JUST A DECORATION!" Panel 6: "A DECORATION THAT YOU CAN ONLY SEE WITH A MAGNIFYING GLASS? OH NO! THAT SYMBOL'S A KEY!" Panel 7: "WHY A SYMBOL OF THE SUN GOD THAT YOU CAN SEE ONLY WITH A MAGNIFYING LENS?" Panel 8: "AH, YES SHERLOCK, WHY NEED?" Panel 9: "SUN GOD--SUN--MAGNIFYING LENS--SUN--" Panel 10: "I'VE GOT IT!" Panel 11: "COME ON! AND BRING THAT HAMMER AND CHISEL!" Panel 12: "DEAN MILLER"

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NEWS FROM OLDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Holt and family of Fort Smith arrived Wednesday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Holt and other relatives in Olden and Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Yielding and Wanda left Friday for a vacation with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crawford and Judy of Ulysses, Kansas. They plan to visit Pike's Peak on the trip.

Mrs. Ethel Rouch visited her son, Buddy, and family in Lincoln, Neb., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thompson visited in Irdale the Fourth.

Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Nelson and children visited in Cross Cut the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hilliard and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Parks in Desdemona last Tuesday.

Mrs. Stella Jarrett and Mrs. Henry Gibbs spent the Fourth visiting in Barstow.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis and son of Norfolk, Virginia have been visiting his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Faircloth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Everett entertained a group of people with a lawn party at their home last Thursday night.

Mrs. Edd Winchell of Odessa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hunt, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stacy and children of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Langdon last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Overton are home after being away on a job.

Red Hall is home after spending several months in Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Upton and children of Vanderbilt visited her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Hamilton, Friday.

Mrs. Ruth Chancellor has returned from a two weeks visit with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Le Kelly of Houston for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Jarrett



WAR DOESN'T STOP SCOUTS—Despite the war that has devastated their country, Korean Boy Scouts are carrying on in good shape, as a Navy combat photographer learned when he encountered this Cub patrol in Pusan. After some persuasion, they posed for this picture, with their three-star leader in the center.

visited in Olden this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McGuire are on a vacation trip in San Antonio.

Mrs. Lou Crank spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Daffern.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Osborn and son of Holebrook, Arizona, visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stark have as their visitors Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cook of Ft. Worth.

Mrs. C. J. Renfro visited his parents in Littlefield last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Bryant and children spent a few days in Olden last week.

Mrs. Gladys Yielding and Mrs. Ethel Sharp visited relatives in Odessa, Kermit, Jal and Andrews last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Colthrop and family of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Colthrop last week.

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NEWS FROM Desdemona

Anita Key, daughter of Mrs. Ethel May, has been a patient at the Gorman hospital.

Mrs. Joe Quinn was admitted to the Stephenville hospital, Sunday.

Mrs. Katie May is a patient at a hospital in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Barker of DeLeon and Mr. and Mrs. Scottie Lemaster of Dallas were week-end visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Maltby.

Miss Nell Grimshaw underwent an operation at a Gorman hospital, Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Brown of Gorman visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brown.

Miss Margie Brown of Dallas and her friends Miss Jean Hardie of Kansas and Miss Jane Schroeter of Cleveland, Ohio, were week-

Mrs. Ira Collins and children of St. Louis, Mo. visited their father Mr. A. C. Ellett last week.

Mrs. Katy Barnhill visited her sister in Stephenville, Sunday.

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Mrs. W. E. Koonce and Mrs. May Rooser of Abilene visited part of last week with their sister, Mrs. H. T. Lane and Mr. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Taylor of Odessa and Mrs. Mattie Newton of DeLeon visited Friday with their father, Major Keith.

Mrs. C. M. Guthery and Mrs. Lesley Williams were in Stephenville Monday.

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Woman's Page

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Mr., Mrs. Taylor Tells Of Wedding Of Their Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Ira M. Taylor of Olden have announced the recent marriage of their daughter, Lettie Faye to Mr. Parr Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Johnson of Ranger.

The wedding was solemnized Tuesday, July 8, 1951 in Cameron. The bride graduated from Olden High School in May. She was the high school queen in 1949.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are making their home in Thorndale. Mr. Johnson is employed with the Cagle Brothers Construction Company with headquarters in Austin.

Lonnie Joe Basham Honored On 5th Birthday At Party

Mrs. H. E. Basham entertained a group of children Thursday morning honoring her son, Lonnie Joe on his fifth birthday, at their home, 1416 South Lamar Street. Games were played on the lawn and the children were served ice cream cones with the birthday cake, which was white, decorated with pink rosebuds and candles.

Present were Juha and Dianna Smith, Mike Jones, Rentha Jo Seabourne, Patricia Ann Liles, Mary Ann Manning, Susan Carter, Paul Armstrong, Linda and Norma Butler, Sonny Robertson, Jimmy Wright, Jim Vaughn, Clifton Stedum and the honoree, Lonnie Joe Basham.

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BY THE CARTON

Eastland Group Attend Choir Clinic At Abilene

A group of Eastland people are attending the choir clinic in Abilene being held each day this week at Hardin-Simmons University under the direction of Dr. Williamson of Westminster College. They are Bill Stanley, Misses Gladys Womack, Mary Henderson, Lila Pearl Houston, Jana Weaver, Gay Poe and Edith Cox.



Peggy Grisham, candidate for Queen For A Day representing the Okra Home Demonstration Club, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Grisham of Okra. She is sixteen, a junior in Rising Star High School, will be a member of the third year homemaking class this year, is active in the pep squad, and plays coronet in the RSH band just recently organized. She is active in her church, the Okra Baptist church.

Mrs. H. Lubke Honored At Farewell Party

Members of the Lottie Moon circle of the First Baptist church gathered Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Herbert Lubke for a surprise farewell party. Mrs. Lubke is moving this week with her husband and young son, Fred to Magazine, Ark.

The group presented Mrs. Lubke with a parting gift, and served refreshments brought along for the occasion.

Present were Meses. P. L. Parker, Frank Sayre, Frank Lovett, J. P. Golsen, W. N. Crosby, L. M. Chapman, J. L. Brashear, C. C. Street, A. D. Carroll, Don Daniels, Travis Wheat and Miss Ida Chandler, the honoree and her small son, Fred Lubke and Donie Wheat.

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Sollazzo Pleads Guilty To Charge

NEW YORK, July 13 (UP)—Salvatore Sollazzo, 46, a gambler who bribed college basketball players to fix games, pleaded guilty today to conspiracy and bribery which could be punishable by 27 1/2 years in prison and \$270,000 in fines.

General sessions Judge Saul S. Streit set Oct. 4 for sentencing after Sollazzo decided on advice of counsel and state prosecutors to enter a guilty plea and avoid trial.

Sollazzo was indicted, along with 12 players, on charges of rigging Madison Square Garden games to collect big bets from bookies. The teams involved were Long Island and New York Universities and City College.

He pleaded guilty to 28 counts of the 50-count indictment which accused him of paying players various sums of money to make certain their teams either win or lose on a certain point spread.

Judge Streit also fixed Oct. 3 for pleading by former basketball star Edward Galt of Long Island University, who was named with Sollazzo in the 30-count indictment.

Starting Date Changed In '52

HOUSTON, July 13 (UP)—Texas League baseball will begin four days later in 1952 than this year, according to decision reached by directors in their annual meeting here yesterday.

The starting date for '52 will be April 12 and the closing date Sept. 7. The owners agreed to try for 161 games during that 146-day period, and will settle for no fewer than 154.

Opening games will match Beaumont at Shreveport, Houston at San Antonio, Fort Worth at Oklahoma City and Tulsa at Dallas.

In other action, the directors voted to set up a Dixie Series radio network to broadcast the annual post-season play between the Texas League and Southern Association Champions and to award a trophy in the series.

The trophy would become permanent property of the first team to win the Dixie Series three times.

Noticeably absent from the agenda of the annual meeting was a proposal which would give visiting teams a bigger share of the gate.

Rice Growers Bring Rain-Makers Here

BEAUMONT, July 13 (UP)—A committee of rice growers will confer with an Arizona rain-making firm today on a possible contract for attempts to break the drought over the rice producing area.

Brand Bryant, chairman of the committee will speak for the farmers in the discussions. Only a tenth of an inch of rain has fallen in Jefferson County this month and the rice crop is believed endangered.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Bob White and family of Lake Jackson are coming today to visit in the home of Mr. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. White. The group will go to Monahan, where they will visit with another son and brother, Mack Leon, Mrs. White and little son, Ronald Mack.

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Mrs. Harold Durham has returned to her home here after having taught the first semester in Abilene at Hardin-Simmons University.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Caton and daughter Jeanette and Mrs. Caton's mother, Mrs. I. R. Malone will leave this evening for Los Angeles, Calif., for a vacation trip and to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Malone and Harold Malone, brothers of Mrs. Caton and sons of Mrs. Malone. They plan to be away for two weeks.

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