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WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A hundred highly controversial postwar puzzles dealing with the future life of every U. S. citizen face the returning Congress.

If the record of past Congresses is any indication, there will be much jawing, a great deal of oratory about the atomic bomb and our brave boys, but there will be very little action for many weeks.

While private industry appears to be going ahead as fast as it can under existing laws and regulations, plenty of postwar plans are hanging fire—waiting to see what peacetime policies Congress lays down for reconversion.

Trying to take care of everything at one swoop is impossible. If Congress in the next 100 working days is going to do the job, it will make out a high priority list and then, taking up one issue at a time, handle it and check it off.

THERE will, of course, be many times 100 bills presented by well-meaning congressmen who believe their pet projects offer solution for all that ails the country. But, putting all these to one side, if Congress concentrates on its 25 top priority issues it will have to knock off one every three or four days, or two a week, to get the country on a firm peace foundation.

The problems of business and labor deserve first consideration. Shall the government try to attain and support full employment? Shall unemployment insurance rates be raised to \$25 for 26 weeks in all the states? How shall labor disputes be settled—through some such compulsory legislation as the Ball-Burton-Hatch bill, or voluntarily through a government-labor-business conference?

What shall postwar tax rates be? Shall wartime government controls on prices and rationing, normally expiring June 30, 1946, be lifted sooner?

Reorganization of the government itself must be considered as an aid to the reconversion process.

THE shooting war may be over, but peacetime military policies demand immediate attention. Shall Army and Navy be united in single Department of National Defense? Shall the United States adopt compulsory military service for its young men?

Agriculture is pretty well taken care of, with guarantees of parity prices on farm products for two years after Jan. 1, 1946.

Unless repealed sooner by Congress, daylight saving stays till "six months after the termination of the war," whenever that is. But with no rationing on petroleum products, there is no restriction on Congress burning the midnight oil to get some of these items wrapped up and in the mail before Christmas.

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON NEA Sports Editor

THERE were two schools of thought on Sgt. Frank Parker as the one-time Milwaukee ball boy walked off with the national singles championship for the second straight year following a record-breaking first set of 26 games with William F. Talbert.

Talbert couldn't get a year ago, when Parker checked in with absolutely no competitive preparation. This time he was so sharp and superbly conditioned by South Pacific matches with Don Hodge, Bobby Riggs and Wayne Babin that he did not lose a set in his march to the crown.

Parker insists he plays his forehand precisely as he did when it was so severely criticized, but adds that he now has more confidence.

This enabled Parker to maintain his record of never having lost to a player with a lower ranking. It is this record that makes you think that he has been an under-rated player.

Parker intends to resume his work as a special effects artist in pictures when discharged from the Army.

He will be available for the 1946 Davis Cup team, for he wisely has no intention of turning professional.

With Ted Schroeder, Jack Kramer, Frank Parker and a two-legged Bill Talbert, the Australians had better be good.

Winning 10 consecutive tournaments, Bill Talbert demonstrated that he had come along tremendously. It was too bad that he pulled a tendon in his left knee against Francisco Segura the day

previous, but experts doubt that even a whole Delbert could have successfully coped with the sustained Parker.

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Leading Jap Daily Suspended By MacArthur

TOKYO (UP)—Gen. Douglas MacArthur today suspended the newspaper Asahi, one of Tokyo's two leading dailies, for 48 hours effective with its Wednesday morning edition.

Army Promises Quick Release Of More Doctors

WASHINGTON (UP)—The Army promised today to return more than 17,000 doctors to civilian life by Jan. 1.

BARREL STAVE MILLS MAKING COMEBACK

HARRISBURG, Ill. (UP)—The old wooden barrel is making a comeback to meet recent shipping needs and the southern Illinois stave mill industry is doing its biggest business in years.

This Curious World

THE HEADS OF U. S. PRESIDENTS CARVED ON MT. RUSHMORE, IN SOUTH DAKOTA, ARE LARGE ENOUGH TO ACCOMMODATE A HUMAN FIGURE 465 FEET IN HEIGHT.

Out Our Way

By J. R. Williams



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ANSWER: Fetlock. NEXT: What is a trilobite?

Crossword Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Opera Singer, Freckles And His Friends, and Red Ryder.



NEXT: The chimpanzee, light housekeeper.

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NEW AERONAUTICS BODY TO FILL IMPORTANT POST

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)—Texas new Aeronautics Commission is expected to become one of the most important agencies of the state government.

Three business leaders who compose the commission are very interested in the progress of aviation in Texas. All of them—Chairman Al Buchanan, San Antonio; Vice-Chairman Parker Prouty, Lubbock, and Sec. Henry Ayres, Paris—are confident that there are great days ahead for air transportation.

News reporters who attended the recent organization meeting of the commission here were impressed with the commissioners. Not that they are bubbling over with knowledge about aviation or jumping into the job with both feet and hands.

But the commissioners appeared to be sensible level-headed and progressive businessmen willing to give their time and efforts to seeing that the infant agency gets off to a proper start.

Both Ayres and Buchanan are airplane owners. Ayres flies a Stinson and Buchanan owns three planes—one of them a nifty Beech craft. Prouty is an aviation enthusiast from whose talents Lubbock has benefited, and an airline traveler at every opportunity.

Ayres and Prouty flew to the initial commission meeting, while Buchanan drove the short distance from San Antonio to Austin in his car.

None of the commissioners was willing to discuss details of the commission's policies. Nor would they yet go on record as to whether the state should own airport facilities. This is wise at the beginning; for there are many problems to be worked out.

However, Buchanan is a proponent of one thing. He believes that the future will see separate airports for commercial planes and for private pilots.

Recently on flights to Florida and New York his plane was kept circling the port for more than an hour before being permitted to land. He said the facilities were terrifically crowded with both passenger and freight planes.

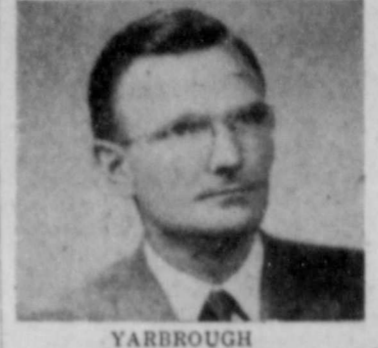
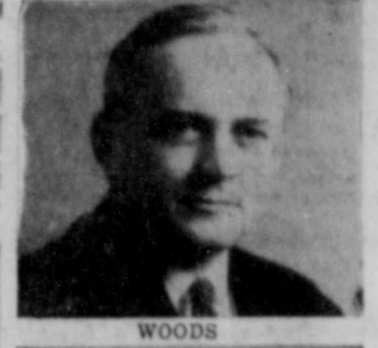
So that owners of the smaller planes will have runways available and at the same time give the commercial planes adequate space, the separate airfields would be of much assistance in the days ahead of increasing air-mindedness.

As presently authorized the commission has no regulatory power. Nor does it have any money to dispense for construction of air facilities.

There are two proposals pending before Congress to provide money for aviation building in the States. The commission is going to look into these bills.

It is likely that in the compromise which will be worked out, the state agency will have a hand in distributing the funds for local purposes. It has power to do this and to advise with the governmental sub-divisions as to air facilities.

Buchanan is particularly con-



ACCIDENTAL DEATHS TO CHILDREN IN TEXAS IN 1944

AGE	TOTAL ACCIDENTS	MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS
5-9	205	64
10-14	209	64
15-19	441	146

DEMAND SAFETY INSTRUCTION IN YOUR SCHOOL

Combining the resources of various state educational agencies to reduce the accidental deaths of school age children in Texas, a new program in safety education has been mapped out for presentation to Texas schools. Dr. L. A. Woods as state superintendent of schools and C. L. Yarbrough as director of safety education in the department of education offer the resources of their departments to prevent loss of child life and injury. Dr. D. K. Brace, professor of physical and health education at the University of Texas, and his staff worked with school teachers of the state in a safety education workshop at the university this summer to compile handbooks for teacher guidance. Dr. Henry J. Otto, Dr. Raymond Fletcher, and C. J. Alderson assisted Dr. Brace in the workshop. Capt. J. O. Musick represents the Department of Public Safety as head of the safety division.

Surplus Radio Equipment To Be Sold By 225

CHICAGO (UP)—Between \$3,000,000,000 and \$5,000,000,000 in electronics and radio equipment, produced originally for the armed forces, will be sold by approximately 225 radio manufacturers throughout the nation, according to the Reconstruction Finance Corp.

Included in the equipment, the RFC said, will be thousands of walkie-talkies which will be adaptable for use by police and fire departments.

The manufacturers will also dispose of mobile radio communication-

units, field telephone radar devices, and mine detectors all with reconversion applications for commercial use.

TO STUDY IN INDIA
OPELOUSAS, La. (UP)—Prominent American specialist, C. D. Rackley, is sailing to India to study eye surgery at a privately-owned hospital in Lahore.

ALWAYS INTERESTING
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MERCHANT MARINER STARTS OWN LEGION

New Orleans (UP)—The port of New Orleans, where many men go down to the sea in ships, many become the headquarters of a new nation-wide Legion of Merchant Mariners.

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A covered dish supper will be served after which a social hour with games and fellowship will be conducted.

LOCAL WOMEN ATTEND EASTLAND MEETING

A group of women from Ranger are in Eastland today to attend a seminary for officers of the Women's Societies of Christian Service in the towns in the Cisco District.

Mrs. Gid Bryan of Waxahatchie, formerly of Ranger, and president of the WSCS in the Central Texas conference is attending the meeting and will appear on the program.

Those from Ranger who are attending the meeting are, Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, A. J. Ratliff, B. A. Tunnell, Arthur Deffenbach, John Bates, Lillian Wolfe, G. C. Boswell, J. A. Knox, J. T. Killingsworth, G. O. Strong and C. I. Wolford.

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The Gleaners Class of the First Baptist Church will hold its monthly business and social Friday night at 8 p. m. in the home of president, Mrs. A. L. Siles, 312 Alice Street, with Mrs. Nath Deaton acting as co-hostess. There will be an installation service for the new class officers at this time. We extend a special invitation to all members. Mrs. A. J. Blevins, Sr., is the teacher of the class.

The names of the new officers who will be installed are: Pres., Mrs. W. H. Gay, 1st Vice - President, Mrs. Frank Hicklin, 2nd Vice President Mrs. E. P. Mayfield, 3rd Vice President, Mrs. Joe N. Graham, 4th Vice President, Mrs. W. H. Clark, Birthday Chairman, Mrs. A. W. Warford, Reporter, Mrs. Hugh Smith, Secretary Mrs. O. F. Sides.

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Mrs. Ross Richards and Mrs. E. M. Richards, Jr., have returned from a visit in Long Beach and San Diego, California.

Dairy Program At A&M College Is Announced

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. — An eight-point dairy operational program, recommended by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the Dairy Industry Committee will be a feature attraction at the dairy fieldmen's short course to be held at Texas A. & M. College Oct. 8 and 9, it was announced today.

This program is being put into operation all over the country through state schools similar to Texas A. & M. College.

The program, to be outlined and explained, is the third short course dairy fieldmen to be held here,

- and is as follows.
1. Feed every cow for economical production.
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 3. Retain feeding values by improved hay making and silos.
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Secret Of Lone Star Ordnance Plant Is Told

TEXARKANA, Tex. (UP)—Now, like the hush-hush secrets of other war projects, the story of the Lone Star Ordnance Plant here can be told.

J. C. Herbert, general manager of the Lone Star Defense Corporation, gave an idea recently at a corporation dinner of the hereto-

and the importance the plant plays for unknown capacity production in war work.

Almost 700 train loads of finished ammunition have been shipped from Lone Star during the last three years; 10 million boxes in which to pack explosives were purchased by the plant; and the average weekly payroll during 1944 was \$300,000.

Herbert said that only those who had labored there really understood the scope of the plant's operation and the tremendous job ahead. In fact, rumors as to the extent of plant operations were in direct contrast to the "great job being accomplished."

commenting that 100 per cent efficiency was considered perfect, Herbert said Lone Star's standard was 107 per cent. "Take that figure," Herbert declared, "and the next time some damn Yankee tells you that Southern labor

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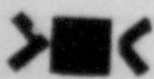
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