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UN Lashes U. S. Aid To Greece, Turkey

Well... I Dunno, But...

My, My, what a fine banquet the Lions and Rotarians had Tuesday night.

Honored guest was Fred Wemple of Midland, recently appointed to the state highway commission.

And we're sure glad that he brought Delbert Downing along to "do the driving" for he's a fine speaker.

Most speakers can get by with making their audiences laugh because they can laugh with them.

Not being one with the so called "green fingers" we have the greatest admiration in the world for people that can make flowers grow and bigger and better.

Yes sir, there's a knack to growing flowers and Mrs. Strong sure has it.

Like they always say, there're two sides to every question.

We heard much talk about sales people and those who serve the public being given courses in how to treat the customers.

Some people seem to think that because they have the money with which to pay for what they want that that gives them a free ticket to being discourteous to sales people and others that serve them.

And we've never known of a person that was actually harmed for being courteous and it sure is a precious item that can be dealt out free of cost to the giver.

Some of the local politicians are saying that there'll be a day of reckoning before long and the coffee buying will be going the other way.

Getting a little tired of being ganged each morning for free coffee, they are reminding the voters that the day will come when the seeking of favors works the other way.

Large sugar maples produce up to 49 gallons of sap in a season.

That makes about one gallon of syrup.

President Truman Confers With Diplomats



President Truman confers with two top diplomatic leaders, U. S. Delegate to the UN, Warren R. Austin, center, and acting Secretary of State, Dean Acheson, right, in a meeting which led to the announcement that Austin will go before the UN Security Council Friday to make a statement on the Greek and Turkish situation. (NEA Telephoto).

TAX CUT BILL AMENDMENTS ARE BARRED

WASHINGTON — The Republican bill to cut personal income taxes 20 to 30 per cent cleared its first hurdle today when the House adopted a "gag" rule barring any amendment to the measure.

The House then began six hours of scheduled debate on the bill, which is expected to be passed and sent to the Senate tomorrow.

The bill would be retroactive to Jan. 1 a 30 per cent reduction on incomes of \$1000 after exemptions and deductions, and 20 per cent for most other taxpayers.

House Republicans said the reduction would cost the government \$3,840,000,000 a year in revenue and still leave enough to reduce the public debt by \$2,000,000,000 to \$3,000,000,000 after Congress gets through paring down President Truman's \$37,500,000,000 budget for fiscal 1948.

But Sen. Robert A. Taft, R., O., said the retroactive provision would mean that the house bill would cost the government about \$5,700,000,000 in the next fiscal year because of refunds that would have to be made.

A new type of match, developed for the War Department by the Diamond Match Co., has ended the problem of getting a light in the rain. The matches light even after four hours under water.

WEMPLE PLEDGES MORE HIGHWAYS FOR THE MONEY

Fred Wemple of Midland, member of the state highway commission, was the guest of honor at a joint banquet for Lions, Rotarians, their ladies and guests, Tuesday night at the Gholson Hotel.

Wemple, introduced by Mayor J. J. Kelly, in a brief talk stated that the highway department intends to see that more highways for the dollar are built in Texas and the program will be one to build all of the highways that appropriations will permit.

Delbert Downing, manager of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, was introduced by G. B. Rush, a former Midland resident, and kept the audience in an uproar of laughter, before turning to the more serious side of his talk with the question "What are you doing for the children that are being born today?"

With this question he launched into the importance of planning for the future and the necessity of dependence on others and a supreme being.

Dr. C. L. Jackson, president of the Rotary Club, presided at the banquet which was opened with the singing of America led by Bruce Harris, Lions Club song leader, accompanied at the piano by Miss Helen McAnelly, Rotary pianist.

The invocation was offered by Rev. H. B. Johnson and visitors were recognized by J. A. Knox, president of Lions Club. O. C. Cox gave two vocal solos accompanied by Miss Ruth Hightower.

Other out-of-town guests accompanying Wemple and Downing here were Judge E. H. Barrow, for 14 years county judge at Midland, C. B. Downing, superintendent of schools at Albany and brother of Delbert Downing and Tom Downing of Caddo, uncle of the Downings.

About 125 guests attended the banquet.

Coleman Men Here To Inspect Jaycee Arena

A group of business men from Coleman were in Ranger today consulting with the Junior Chamber of Commerce and Jaycee engineers relative to plans for the Coleman rodeo arena.

The men represent the Coleman Rodeo Association which is planning to build the arena. For the past 12 years the rodeos at Coleman have been held at the ball park and funds contributed to the athletic fund.

The group of Coleman men have been inspecting arenas all over the country but have decided that the Jaycee arena is the one after which they wish to pattern their structure.

Men here today were J. R. Duncan, John Grammer, Harold Kinney, C. R. Jeanes and Bob O'Hara.

Mark Huff, Jr. Hurt In Auto, Motorbike Crash

Mark Huff, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. Mark E. Huff, was confined to his home today with a concussion and bruises following an accident at the intersection of Highway 80 and Blackwell road, Tuesday night about 10:00 o'clock.

According to reports of the accident, young Huff was returning from the picture show on his motorbike when struck by an automobile on the highway.

His injuries are not considered serious, though he will be confined for several days.

The Avery oak at Dedham, Mass., is reported to be older than the town itself, which was first settled in 1635.

C. MILLER DIES FUNERAL TO BE THURSDAY

C. Miller, a resident of Ranger for the past 28 years, died in the Ranger General Hospital this morning following an illness of several weeks.

Funeral services will be held at the Morris Funeral Chapel Thursday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock with Rev. H. B. Johnson officiating. Interment will be in the Evergreen cemetery.

Mr. Miller was born in Springfield, Illinois, November 23, 1871. When he came to Ranger he engaged in the contracting business and had contracts to assist in the building of the Gholson Hotel, Lake Hagaman, Ranger General Hospital and a number of other buildings and projects. For the past several years he had engaged in the grocery business. He was a member of the Lutheran church.

Survivors are four sons, Horace Miller of Hobbs, New Mexico, John Miller of Longview, Verbie Miller of Dallas and Orville Miller of Hobbs; five daughters, Mrs. Gordon Alexander of Brownfield, Mrs. J. R. Watson of Brownfield, Mrs. H. J. Watson of Wink, Miss Bernice Miller of Dallas and Mrs. O. J. Bratcher of Dallas, and fifteen grandchildren.

Poisonous Gas Balks Efforts To Reach Miners

CENTRALIA, Ill.—Poisonous carbon monoxide gas balked rescue crews today in attempts to reach 115 miners entombed and believed dead in the Centralia Coal Company Mine.

Twenty hours after an explosion rolled through the mine tunnels 340 feet underground at 3:30 p. m. yesterday, only one body had been recovered. Of the 143 men in the mine when the blast occurred, 28 were saved.

Mine officials and federal mine inspectors feared the rest were dead.

Club To Handle Lake Hagaman Fishing Permits

Bob Earnest, president of the Ranger Country Club, announced today that the club will again handle the fishing rights at Lake Hagaman and sale of permits will begin on April 1.

Licenses for fishing will be \$5.00 for the year around and holders will be entitled to all fishing rights in the Hagaman Lake.

Fishing permits may be purchased at the Vaughn Home and Auto Store.

SENATE GROUP MAY VOTE ON PLAN THURS.

WASHINGTON—Senate Democratic Leader Alben W. Barkley, Ky., said today the Senate foreign relations committee may vote tomorrow on President Truman's \$400,000,000 program to help Greece and Turkey combat Communism.

Barkley predicted that the Senate would approve President Truman's plan to quarantine Communism in the Middle East when a final vote is reached.

A short time previously, at his news conference, Mr. Truman had expressed hope that Congress would approve his full program so promptly that no stopgap measures would be necessary.

Chairman Charles Easton of the House foreign affairs committee had proposed a \$100,000,000 RFC loan to tide Greece over her economic crisis if the entire plan is not passed in two or three weeks.

No one in Congress had any hope of meeting the original March 31 deadline for passage of the bill.

Chairman Arthur H. Vandenberg of the Senate foreign relations committee told reporters that he would attempt to conclude hearings of scheduled witnesses on the Greek-Turkish aid program late today.

Oakland Promotes Factory Expansion

OAKLAND, Cal. (UP)—Alameda County plans to zone 2,000 acres 12 miles south of Oakland to be used for factory sites for companies requiring extensive land which no longer can be found inside Oakland.

Don Follette, industrial manager for the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, said his city now has the "no room" sign out because only two sites more than five acres in area still exist for factories inside the city.

Follette is anything but pessimistic. He pointed out that plenty of land still exists in the southern part of Alameda County which will be ideal for industrial use and already many firms are considering locating there.

Judge Convinced That There Is A Santa Claus

NACOGDOCHES, Tex. (UP)—Don't tell Nacogdoches County Judge Jack Varner there's no Santa Claus.

Judge Varner has received a letter from an unknown citizen saying "some few years ago the commissioners court of Nacogdoches county paid me \$150 too much out of the road and bridge fund of precinct 1. So I am sending you double the amount to put in the bank for the county."

The unsigned letter contained \$300 in cash which was turned over to the county treasurer, Varner, said.

Mother Of Mrs. Leslie Hagaman Reported Worse

Mrs. Leslie Hagaman was called back to Waco this morning because of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Howdeshell.

Mrs. Hagaman had been in Waco earlier in the week but had returned home. This morning she received a message that her mother was worse and she left immediately for Waco.

Communist Leader Incensed At Being Given Subpena

WASHINGTON—Eugene Dennis, general secretary of the American Communist party, today angrily tossed to the floor a subpoena which the House Un-American Activities Committee attempted to serve him.

The subpoena was issued when he refused to state what investigators said was his real name.

Good Attendance Record At Big Revival Meeting

There has been good attendance at the Second Baptist Church as the Revival services continue twice daily this week, at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. according to Rev. J. C. Massee, pastor.

The increased attendance Tuesday night gave abundant evidence of the extent of interest in the meeting.

Evangelistic singer James Peck is directing the musical program at each service. He and Mrs. Peck are experienced and efficient religious workers. They are from Lafayette, Louisiana.

Mr. Peck leads the Junior Choir each night which meets at 6:45. A picnic is planned for the juniors next Saturday morning. Mrs. Peck is leading the fellowship hour for the young people, also meeting at 6:45. A fellowship hour with games and a sing inspiration will be held following the Wednesday evening service.

The revival is only for one week.

Monday night, Rev. Massee spoke to the congregation on "Christ is the Answer for our homes." Tuesday night, "Christ, the Answer for the Churches." Tonight, he will discuss "Christ the Answer in Modern Education." "Christ must be the foundation for all learning," Rev. Massee said. The public is invited to attend.

Molotov Accepts Marshall's Plan To Deal On China

MOSCOW—V. M. Molotov of Russia today reluctantly abandoned his proposal for an informal Big Three conference here on China and accepted Gen. George C. Marshall's suggestion that the Big Three only exchange information on China before April 1.

Molotov gave his decision to Marshall in a letter dated Monday and made public after the secretary of state conferred with Ernest Bevin of Britain on undisclosed subjects.

Says Stalin Could Stop Greek Chaos

NEW YORK—Former President Herbert Hoover said last night that one man—Soviet Premier Josef Stalin—could end the present chaos in Greece.

"It is within his power to stop the aggressive war in the form of guerrilla raids.

Rescues Her Mother

Dorothy Klopfer, 4, holds hands with her mother, Mrs. Margareite Klopfer, in their home in New York City after the child saved her life when the mother attempted suicide by gas in the hopes of leaving Dorothy \$5,000.

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ARMY YET TO DEFEAT ENEMY FROST

TROY, N.Y. (UP)—The U. S. Army still faces one undefeated enemy—cold weather, says Prof. G. Reed Shaw of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.

Important modifications and improvements must be made, Shaw believes, if the Army is to use existing equipment under extreme weather conditions.

Returning from Camp McCoy, Wis., where he observed tests of the Army's Task Force Frost, Shaw said:

"Among other things, the tests showed need of modification of important scientific instruments so that they can be more easily manipulated with heavy gloves or mittens, and of special oils for lubrication.

"Temperatures from 50 to 72 degrees below zero were recorded in Alaska this winter. At such temperatures, vehicles cannot be started and planes cannot take off. Whenever men move an ice fog is created through which one cannot see more than 15 or 20 feet. Most activity ceases."

The Task Force tests also deal with new-type tents and stoves and the dangers of carbon monoxide and excessive lead resulting from use of gasoline stoves, he said.

Memorial Service For FDR To Be At Hyde Park

NEW YORK—Memorial services will be held at Hyde Park April 12 on the second anniversary of the death of Franklin D. Roosevelt, it was announced today.

President Truman will take part in the services in a nationwide broadcast from the White House, and Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt will follow with a broadcast from Hyde Park.

LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH—Cattle 1,500. Fairly active, mostly steady. Good beef steers and yearlings 21.00-23.50. Medium and good beef cows 12.50-15.00.

Calves 500. Active, fully steady. Good and choice fat calves and weaners 18.00-22.00.

Hogs 1,100. Fairly active and steady. Top 26.00 paid by shippers and city butchers. Good and choice 180-300 lbs. 25.75-26.00.

Concern On High Prices Expressed By President

WASHINGTON—President Truman today expressed concern over high prices and advised business to make reductions wherever possible.

Mr. Truman told a news conference he hoped prices would not continue to rise, lest a serious inflationary spiral set in.

The President added that he hoped business would see the handwriting on the wall "so this spiral did not take place."

He pointed out that some major industries already have cut the prices of their products. He expressed the hope that other businesses would follow suit.

Laborite Flays British Papers

LONDON—Laborite Will Nally charged in Commons today that newspapers published by Lord Beaverbrook bribed members of Parliament to supply reports of private and confidential meetings.

Nally spoke after Prime Minister Clement Attlee had announced the formation of a royal commission to investigate the control, ownership and management of the British press.

LIE SAYS UN CAN SUCCEED ONLY THROUGH COOPERATION

LAKE SUCCESS—Russia boycotted the opening session of the United Nations trusteeship council today as UN Secretary-General Trygve Lie launched the meeting with an indirect slap at the United States Greek-Turkish aid program.

Lie said the UN could grow into an effective world peace organization only if all countries showed "a readiness to resort to the United Nations even when the most vital national interests are at stake."

There was no doubt among his listeners that Lie was referring in diplomatic manner to the United States' proposal to funnel \$400,000,000 aid into Greece and Turkey without consulting the work organization, American Delegate Warren Austin will explain the American decision to the UN Security Council Friday.

Soviet Russia's permanent seat on the council was empty as Lie launched the new UN agency on its job of supervising millions of the world's dependent peoples.

Gibson Given Job Of Averting Phone Strike

WASHINGTON—Government hopes for labor peace in the telephone industry rested today with one of its ace trouble shooters, Assistant Secretary of Labor John W. Gibson.

Gibson arrived in New York for conferences with top officials of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co., after the National Federation of Telephone Workers, Ind. served notice again that it would negotiate its demands only on an industrywide basis.

The union has scheduled a nationwide walkout of 325,000 telephone workers for April 7 if its demands for a \$12 weekly pay boost and improved working conditions are not met.

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EDITORIAL

by James Thrasher

BEHIND THE GREEK CRISIS

Not since Pearl Harbor has an international crisis burst upon the American public as unexpectedly as the present Greek emergency. The explosive elements had been at hand for some time. Their nature had been made known piecemeal and off the record by government officials to correspondents for what are known as "dope stories."

Between this time and Mr. Truman's message to Congress some quick adjustments in thinking had to be made by the legislators and by the public. Perhaps, it might have been better to start the public explanations earlier and make haste more slowly. But since this wasn't done it is necessary to face up to the situation in a hurry.

The plight of Greece and of Britain affects this country in a number of ways. Not the least importance is its bearing on the national budget and on the military appropriations.

The military subcommittees have heard testimony from representatives of the various branches of national defense. Since they have been meeting in closed session their line of thinking is a secret. But certain events have taken place since the hearings began which are bound to alter that thinking.

One of the most important of these events is the drastic cut in Britain's armed forces. Both the army and the RAF are being reduced more than half—the army from 2,950,000 in 1946-47 to 1,210,000 in 1947-48; the RAF from 760,000 officers and men in 1946-47 to 370,000 in 1947-48.

The main reason for this seems to be the continuing manpower shortage. The Attlee government apparently had the choice of releasing men from the armed forces or resuming the unpopular wartime practice of drafting labor.

At the same time estimates of Russia's military budget and strength are available. Considering fluctuations of the ruble's value and other factors, military expenditures are figured at about \$15,000,000,000 as against perhaps \$10,000,000,000 by the United States.

Furthermore, Russia's standing army, though sharply reduced, is still expected to number about 3,000,000 this year, or more than the combined American and British armies, according to present plans for fiscal 1948.

It must be clear to our congressional spenders that, as things stand today, a cut in British military strength approximates a cut in our own. We think it would be well if Congress would make known its understanding of the situation consistent with security, to a people who have shown themselves willing to spend money for national defense as well as eager for an economical operation of the government.

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

MIAMI, Fla.—(NEA)—Earle Combs looks mighty strange in the livery of the Browns. Combs spent 20 of his 23 baseball years with the Yankees—12 as an accomplished center fielder, eight as a coach. During that stretch the New York Americans won 11 pennants and bagged eight World Series.

The graceful colonel returning to organized baseball with the St. Louis club after three years down on the farm further stresses to what extent the Yankee empire has been broken up, with not one of the many athletes who contributed so much toward it rated by Harry MacPhail as capable of managing the parent organization. That is one of the more unusual baseball stories.

Combs decided to stick to his Kentucky cattle, tobacco, wheat, and corn acres during the war, stayed out throughout 1944-45-46. "Any old ballplayer will tell you the first year is the toughest to sit out," says the graceful colonel. "But only those excused from the armed forces were there in 1944, and I wouldn't have known many anyway, so it wasn't so difficult. It was different, however, when the old gang returned last year. I got the urge to see and be with them again."

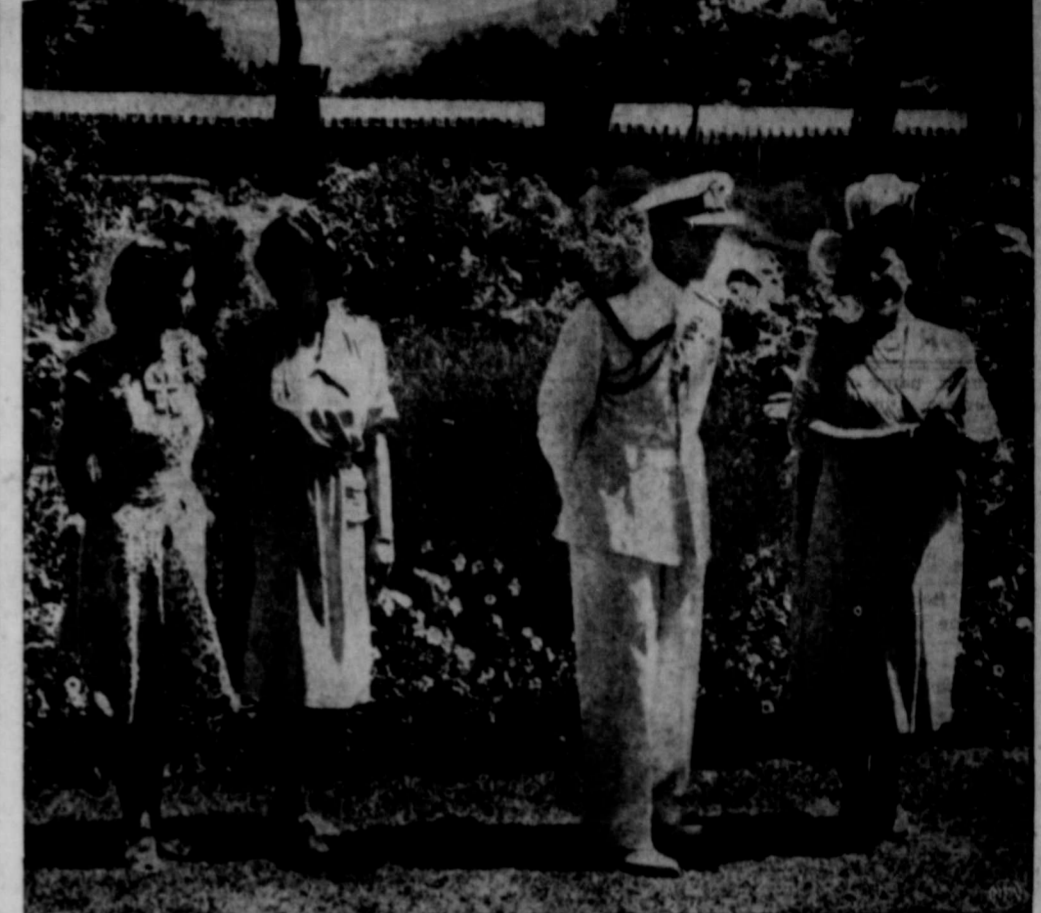
Combs kept his hand in baseball by coaching a couple of high school teams and managing a semi-professional outfit at Richmond, Ky., 24 miles south of Lexington, where he also has a frozen fruit business. Running a semi-pro club in a small town keeps you busy. You're the grounds-

keeper and everything else. There wasn't a Sunday during the spring, summer and fall that he was home with the family, so he decided he might just as well be paid for it. Muddy Ruel was in the American League all the time I was in it. I always liked the little fellow, so when he called "I came," he explains. When Combs elected to go with the Browns, the sponsor of the semi-pro team at Richmond, Ky., warned him that he was stepping down—from manager to coach. The gentlemanly Combs played with the Yankee flag-winners of 1926-27-28-29, the latter three straight after old Grover Cleveland Alexander struck out young Tony Lazzeri with the bases full to give the Cardinals the edge in the seventh and final game in '26. Combs covered center field like the sprinkler system between Long Bob Meusel and Babe Ruth. Ben Chapman was the left fielder in '32. Combs was one of the great center fielders despite the fact that his arm was none too strong. Combs agrees with those who contend the '27 club was the best, calls it the finest he ever saw, let alone played with or coached.

Japanese Schoolboy



Summertime Down South, Africa That Is



In summer togs, the British royal family enjoys warm weather of Capetown, South Africa, as they visit gardens of government house.

Nagoya, Japan, is like "beating your head against the wall," says Robert Peterson, who is publishing a weekly, four-page tabloid for the air force there. "All type is set by hand by shop men who can't read, write or understand English," he wrote to friends here. "They look at a letter on the copy, then look all over their case to find one like it. If they find something similar first, they put it in. Consequently, the first proof looks worse than a proof-reading problem for journalism students." Getting material is "comparatively easy," Peterson wrote. "It's the printing that drives us mad."

WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(NEA)—Understanding the deep subject of nuclear physics is going to be a lot simpler, thanks to the Senate debate on confirmation of David E. Lillenthal to be chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission.

Such scientific terms as chain reaction, atomic fission, critical mass, gaseous diffusion, isotope, cyclotron, and so on should all become crystal clear and common as mud by the time the Senate gets through with this issue.

Take this atomic fission expedition which the Senate set out on to see if there was an atom of truth in any of the positive and negative charges which were being hurled about with the speed of light in the Senate cyclotron, doing all kinds of damage and creating many new "isotopes."

In splitting an atom of truth or anything else, of course, the first thing to do is separate some material in which the atoms will split. For the bomb, this is what they did at Oak Ridge. In the Senate they just referred the material to the Atomic Energy Committee.

There are two main separation processes—thermal diffusion and gaseous diffusion. In the Senate they used both—thermal diffusion when the members got mad at each other and diffused a lot of heat, gaseous diffusion when they bored each other to unconsciousness by diffusing a lot of gas.

Once separated, an atom of truth or other material is the smallest particle of anything that can exist and still be anything. If you hold an atom in one hand and an apple in the other, and you then enlarge both at the same rate till the apple is as big as the earth, why you still won't be able to see the atom.

The atom of truth which the Senate was trying to get at was how much communism there was in T. V. A. while Lillenthal was there. An effort was made to magnify this to the size of the earth, but it still couldn't be seen.

Experiments with single atoms are performed in an apparatus known as a cyclotron. Electric charges are fed into the cyclotron and kept going round and round till they hit an atom and it flies apart. The Senate Atomic Energy Committee room was a good bit like a cyclotron.

When an atom is split, a terrific amount of energy is released. It kept the Senate Committee going five weeks. And when an atom is split, its charges of electricity go shooting off in all directions with the speed of light, till they bump into other atoms, which also split, and so on. When this happens there is set up what is known as a chain reaction.

There is a constant chain reaction going on in Congress all the time. Somebody makes some charges, and they go charging off at terrific speeds to hit and cause some other at... somebody else to split all apart thus making some other charges, and so on and so on and so on.

Of course, these charges travel so fast they have to be slowed down. So they are put in a carbon grid. The Senate Atomic Energy Committee provided the carbon grid in this Lillenthal case. It slowed down the charges so much that what should have been a one day's proceeding took over a month.

If other materials are introduced in a pile they absorb radio-activity and are said to be poisoned. Most of the evidence introduced in the Senate was poisoned that way.

An element of truth or other material which becomes poisoned in a pile is known as an isotope. An isotope behaves just like other particles of the same material, except that they're radio-active, or poisoned, and can be traced wherever they go.

An isotope senator, for instance, is a senator who behaves like all other senators in most respects, except that he is poison. He is then known as a tracer, and you can tell him wherever he goes. Like Senator—well, never mind.

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



BARBS

BY HAL COCHRAN

TIME saved by crashing traffic lights is often lost waiting for an ambulance.

Why does the tax collector with his hand in our pocket always have to roll up his sleeve?

Soon folks will be tramping haphazard over hill and dale. No wonder the spring flowers are wild!

Folks in a southern town want to stop milk deliveries in the wee morning hours. Who's going to help father find the key-hole?

New styles will give young men a chance to really tog out this spring. And the women will run

GI In Japan Explains Why Editors Go Nuts

NORMAN, Okla. (UP)—Getting out a weekly newspaper in

Faces Gambling Charges



The Brooklyn Dodgers road secretary, Harold Parratt, left, and Manager Leo Durocher enjoy a laugh as they wait to testify in a hearing before Baseball Commissioner A. B. Chandler at Sarasota, Fla., on gambling charges brought against the Dodgers by Col. Larry MacPhail of the New York Yankees. (NEA Telephoto).

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BY MERRILL BLOSSER



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The Marquee of the Lowe's Theater collapsed under the pressure of a 60-mile-an-hour gale that roared through Indianapolis, Ind., dropping the Marquee within five-feet of the sidewalk. (NEA Telephoto).

NEWS FROM LONG BRANCH

LONG BRANCH, March 25 — Mrs. H. E. Reed attended the Woman's Worker's Conference Thursday at Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stephens of Sweetwater were recent visitors in the home of their niece, Mrs. P. C. Mitchell and Mrs. A. R. Hastings and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Johnson stopped in Cisco Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poe and

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Cozart and Mr. and Mrs. George Alford of Okra attended church here Sunday night.

Among those from Pleasant Hill, who attended Sunday night church services at Long Branch, were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hagerman, Bobbie Jean Hagerman, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Mangum and children, Donald, Doris Jean and Robert Lee.

Elvis Vaughn of Carbon, Jimmy Grant and Neal Maples of Romney, were at Church at Long Branch Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Simpson and son, Romney Ray, drove over from Romney for Sunday night church services.

Several families from Long Branch attended the funeral of N. A. Kinard at Cisco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson and Mrs. Eddie Hastings were in Cisco Wednesday where the two women attended a Parent-Teachers-Association meeting.

Ace Howard and G. W. Stowe transacted business Saturday in Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Reynolds from Wichita Falls visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reed a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Poe were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poe Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fate Brown and daughter, Erlene, from Center Point, attended church here Sunday evening.

Larry Gregg of Cisco has been visiting in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Marsh.

Finds Fossilized Calamites In Brownwood Area

BROWNWOOD, Tex., (UP) — Dr. T. R. Havins of Howard Payne College says he has found fossilized

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ed calamites (flowering rushes) believed to be at least 200 million years old. Dr. Havins says he found the specimens in the Pennsylvania age formation eight miles north of Bange, Brown county. They will be divided between the National Museum of Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C., (the University of Texas (his alma mater) and Howard Payne College.

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Intra-Coastal Canal Work To Be Continued

McALLEN, Tex. (UP)—The light has been given by Washington officials for continuance of work on the incomplete portion of the intra-coastal canal from Corpus Christi to Brownsville within the next 60 days.

Dale Miller, Washington representative of the Intra-Coastal Canal Association of Louisiana and Texas, also said that work on the Port Isabel turning basin would be started.

A presidential order against public works last summer put a stop to construction between the two cities.

APPLIED LOGIC

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (UP)—A Hoosier tavern owner has asked his state senator to vote for local option "so I can be a bootlegger and make six times more money than I do now."

Sen. Samuel Johnson, R, read the following telegram to his fellow senators:

"Request you support dry bill. Being a tavern operator, I can resort to bootlegging with six times the present profit, free of state taxes and licenses and no restrictions to abide by."

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SOCIETY

Young P.-T.A. Elects Officers For Next Year

The Young School Parent-Teacher Association met Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the school for its regular business meeting and program.

J. E. Meroney presented an interesting discussion on fire prevention and the clean-up campaign. The second grade pupils gave the room program after which Rev. D. C. Ham spoke on The Home and Community Are Challenged.

During the business session the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. M. E. Huff; vice-president, Mrs. Finas King; secretary, Mrs. R. V. Robinson; treasurer, Mrs. Arthur Deffebach. Delegates elected to go to the conference in Cleburne April 15-17 were Mrs. M. E. Huff and Mrs. Finas King, and alternate delegates, Mrs. Abe Anderson, and Mrs. R. V. Robinson.

J. E. Meroney Speaks At P. T.-A. Meeting

The regular meeting of the Hodges Oak Park Parents-Teachers Association was held Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at which time J. E. Meroney was the guests speaker and spoke on fire prevention.

Following the talk, a business session was held and officers for the next year elected. Those chosen for office were, president, Mrs. G. E. Harper; vice-president, Mrs. C. M. Deal, Jr.; secretary, Mrs. O. D. Hill and treasurer, Mrs. G. B. Rush.

Mrs. Harper was named delegate to the district convention which will be held in Cleburne on April 15-17.

Forty mothers were present at the session Tuesday afternoon.

MISS WYMER, MR. HARBIN TO BE MARRIED EASTER

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wymer have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Bobby Wymer, to Mr. Melvin Harbin son of Mr. and Mrs. Till Harbin.

The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride's parents on Easter Sunday, April 6, with Miss Wymer's uncle, Rev. C. H. Harris officiating.

ESTHER CLASS TO HAVE LUNCHEON

The Easter Sunday School Class of the First Baptist church will entertain with a luncheon Thursday at 12:30 at the church. All members and associate members are invited to attend.

PERSONALS

C. M. Deal, Jr., has returned from a business trip to Austin.

Harry Henry who is a patient in the John Sealy Hospital in Galveston is reported to be much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Weems were in Ft. Worth Tuesday where Mr. Weems transacted business.

Young People's Service Tonight

Tonight is young people's night at the Second Baptist Church. The young people's choir will lead in the singing, and there will be a special intermediate ensemble. A fellowship hour for all young people will be held after the service. Plans are being made for a rest period of fun and fellowship under the direction of Mrs. Lloyd Landtroop, Mrs. J. C. Peck, and Mrs. M. H. Alexander.

NEWS FROM CARBON

Carbon, March 24—Capt. and Mrs. Hugh McCall and son have returned to their home in Denver, Colorado, after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed McCall.

Mrs. Lester Nicholas of Eastland was a visitor in the John Nicholas home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lane attended funeral services for her brother, Tom Lasater, Wednesday in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Stanton and daughter, of Stephenville, and Rev. Marcellus Watkins of Dallas, were guests of Rev. and Mrs. Glen Wilson, Sunday. Rev. Watkins will remain through the week conducting the spring revival at the Baptist church.

Mrs. G. D. Hall of Cisco visited relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Trimble had as week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baston of Dallas.

Mrs. Wrather Gilbert of Spur visited relatives here this week. Her mother, Mrs. Lena Stubblefield, returned to her home here after a five weeks visit with Mrs. Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Tyrone and family and Mrs. Bob Murray of Morton Valley visited in Carbon Saturday.

Mrs. H. Hall, Abe Hall, and Mrs. A. M. Calborn and children were in Okra, Sunday visiting Mrs. O. M. Claborn who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Conger of Mineral Wells were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McCreggor.

'Tis Spring In Chisago



Chicago's "unseasonable" Spring weather proved too much for Betty Wildson's umbrella as gale-like winds and wet snow swept the city to snarl traffic and cause several cases of power failure. (NEA Telephoto).

D. S. Reese of Scranton visited his brother, Luther Reese and family, Wednesday.

Mrs. Dick Murray is visiting relatives here while her husband, Rev. Murray, is assisting Rev. Wayne Perry in a revival at Lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil White have bought the tailor shop here formerly owned by Don Rogers. They will open for business this week and invite the public to bring them their tailor work.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mitchell and family of Cisco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holloway, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. "Doc" Blissard of Fort Worth and Mrs. W. J. Fransard and son of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Usery over the week end.

Frank Hall, operator of the Carbon Telephone company, died at his home here Sunday night after an illness of several months duration. The funeral will be at Texarkana, Tuesday.

Miss Mary Lynn Trimble of Eastland spent the past week end with her parents here.

BUY U. S. SAVINGS BONDS

BARBS

BY HAL COCHRAN
FOLKS who learn to do most anything are the ones who were willing to do most anything to learn.

It's strange how many second-hand autos were formerly owned by an old couple who never had it out of the county.

Two inmates who escaped from a Texas jail returned voluntarily. One look at the outside world was probably enough.

More sugar per person is promised, and the good housewife is looking forward to the sweet buy and buy.

More strawberries this year than last, says the Department of Agriculture. For some folks that's a rash promise.

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Easter Frocks

Be Ready For The
EASTER PARADE



Bell's Young
Moderns

Cyanide Gun Taking Toll Of Texas Coyotes

VERNON, Tex. (UP)—The cyanide gun—a device that shoots a pellet of poison into the mouth of a coyote when he takes a crack at the baited trap—is taking a heavy toll of the deadly enemy of ranchers.

Before introduction of the so-called gun, steel traps were used but many of the coyotes chewed off feet and legs to escape the traps and prey again on calves.

The gun, however, has put a stop to that. The coyote bites, the "gun" explodes and shoots a cyanide pellet into his mouth. Within a few feet, the coyote is only a tally on the books of R. E. Morton of the Texas Predatory Animal Control Association.

The "gun" accounted for 114 dead coyotes on a small area of the W. T. Waggoner ranch in January of this year. The bag for 1946 was 517 and 837 for 1945.

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Ranger Merchants Set For Easter Parade

Quality, Quantity Of Stocks Far Superior To Past Years

Merchandise conditions in Ranger are better than they have been in years, according to a survey made Wednesday by the Ranger Daily Times, and if the men who know merchandise are to be the barometer, the Easter Parade of 1947 should be the best dressed in many years.

A member of the Times staff questioning Ranger merchants Wednesday, found without exception, all answered "much, much better" when questioned about current stocks of merchandise and the outlook for the months ahead.

Some particularly stressed the increase in quantities of merchandise, some spoke specifically of improved quantities of merchandise, some spoke specifically of improved qualities, others pointed to the lifting of government regulations relative to limiting the amount of yardage used in garments, thus promising more frills, fullness and deeper hems.

E. L. Martin stated that merchandise is certainly more plentiful and while, in dollars and cents, business is about the same as last year, the quality and quantity of merchandise is definitely improved.

Joe N. Graham of the J. C. Penney Company in Ranger stated that merchandise is "more plentiful than in years" and this is particularly noticeable in women's dresses, coats, suits, blouses and skirts. "Ladies' dresses" he said, "are more plentiful, more beautiful, are longer and have deeper hems than in years. In fact, both quality and quantity are definitely improved in every way in this line." Graham added: "It is his opinion, too, that bags and hats are much prettier and of better quality and design. Coats and suits are generally fairly plentiful, and all cases quality and more merchan-

dis is the rule. He said that while men's furnishings are not adequate, they are more plentiful and the men should be able to join the Easter Parade without chagrin. Shoes generally are more plentiful he said.

C. M. Deal, Jr., manager of Ranger's Montgomery Ward and Company store was very enthusiastic over the outlook not only for Easter but for the days to come. He said that his store has the very best supply of dresses that they have had in years and at least 80 per cent better than last year. "For the first time in a long time an abundance of frills will make the dresses more dressy and the quality of them is far above the past few years," he said. He pointed out that they have a nice stock

of hose and in fact most lines are improved in quality and are in more abundance.

D. Joseph stated that while the quality and quantity of merchandise is improved, there is little promise of cheaper prices. In fact, he stated that some prices will go higher yet. He said that his store is getting more of the standard lines of merchandise and qualities of materials are better.

"It is particularly noticeable," he said, "that our piece goods are not only more plentiful but the quality is decidedly better. The store has received several shipments lately and more is expected.

Mrs. Fred Yonker of Hamill's, Inc., is particularly pleased with the cottons that they are receiving. Such lines as Pat Tremo from California are arriving and are showing a marked improvement in quality of materials, workmanship and trimmings. The latter, having been on of the most difficult items to obtain during the war, are beginning to be more plentiful and far more attractive.

She stated that in their Miss Los Angeles coats and suits, one of the sure signs of better times are the crepe linings that are being used again. In these items as well as in the cottons there is a marked improvement in workmanship and materials.

Mrs. Yonker said that it will be the policy of the store now, as in the past, to give the best possible merchandise at the lowest possible prices.

Saul Perlestein of the Globe says that improved conditions are reflected in the fact that his store is getting more pajamas, hats, shirts and suits and that the qual-

ity of all is better. In fact, he said that the quality of merchandise is almost back to pre-war standards.

Thursday morning he received a big shipment of Dobbs, Stetson, Lea and Champ hats and also had word this morning that early in April he can expect a shipment of Borsalino hats. This will be the first Borsalino hats to come into Ranger since before the war. In the letter this morning it was stated that the hats had been delayed because of unusual weather conditions in Europe. The hats come from Italy. The better lines of shoes are beginning to be more plentiful, he said.

Bell's Young Moderns is advertising plenty of snappy things for the youngsters at Easter and with prices held to the lowest possible levels.

In other lines of merchandise, John Tibbels of the Western Auto Store, stated that some items are beginning to be more plentiful and that right now he is getting more lawnmowers and sprays. These items are in demand now.

H. H. Vaughn of the Home and Auto Store says more plentiful supplies of radios, tires and batteries are coming through. Radios have been almost impossible to get he stated and it is satisfying to be able to fill some of the demands for them.

A. G. Koenig of the Modern Home Supply Store says that he is especially pleased with the B. F. Goodrich products that he is now receiving. He said that such items as mixers, Preston cookers which have been scarce are now coming in. He expects to have a plentiful supply of Goodrich refrigerators and radios soon. All merchandise he said is beginning to show improved quality.

J. Floyd Killingsworth of Killingsworth's said that qualities are improving and in some lines merchandise is more plentiful. He said that shelf hardware is noticeably more plentiful.

The grocery stores seem to be harder hit than other lines with prices still out of sight and some items still scarce. Homer Weisen of the A&P store stated that he is getting more canned goods and more of the A&P brand of coffee. Flour and shortening are almost out of sight he stated.

Archie Carver of the H&C Super Market said that there are few items that are missing now and most of those that are are such items as use sugar. He said that he will have plenty of Easter hams and meat generally is very plentiful. He expects to see fruits and vegetables more plentiful and cheaper within the next few weeks.

California Lush Wines Taboo In Pacific Grove

PACIFIC GROVE, Pa. (UP)—In the midst of California's alcoholic plenty, Pacific Grove remains bone dry in accordance with the wishes of its religious founders.

Pacific Grove, a thriving community on the Monterey peninsula, was founded as a religious retreat of the Methodist church. The original deed of the land to the city contained a clause to stop any possible future sale of alcoholic beverages in Pacific Grove.

Thirty residents of Pacific Grove have recourse to numerous

Tired Kidneys Often Bring Sleepless Nights

When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may cause nagging headache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up night, swelling, stiffness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or scanty urination with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder. Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, a stimulant diuretic, used successfully by millions for over 60 years. Doan's give happy relief and will help the 12 million of kidney troubles flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.

liquor establishments in nearby air service, and that size airport is Monterey and Carmel Pacific Grove is the west coast counterpart of Ocean Grove, N.J., on the Atlantic coast adjoining Asbury Park, which is "wet."

BUS SERVICE MAY HALT
OKLAHOMA CITY—Union leaders hinted today that bus service in six southwestern states including Texas might be disrupted as a result of a labor dispute involving 100 drivers for Oklahoma Transportation Co.

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Little Joe--The Champ?



Joseph Ryan weighs 33 pounds at six months. Joe weighed 11 pounds when he was born and was up to 35, but he lost a little weight after an antitoxin injection. Mother, Mrs. Helen Ryan of Philadelphia, checks the scales.

100-TON ATOM SMASHER TO WORK FOR INDUSTRY

PITTSBURGH (UP)—Theoretical nuclear physics will take a back seat when the University of Pittsburgh puts its new 100-ton atom smasher to work. The school's corps of engineers and scientists will use their squat cyclotron in industrial research, especially in relation to steel and glass. Ultimately, these specialists hope to provide Mr. Citizen with a better automobile, a better light bulb, or steam-proof windows and glasses. Dr. Alexander J. Allen, who developed the 20,000,000-volt machine, said that through the use of radioactive materials, scientists will be able to follow the process of steel-making and glass manufacture "right through the furnace." The professor of engineering said they intend to get an atom-by-atom account of what happens to the "very soul" of a piece of steel or a sheet of glass. After that, he said, impurities could be eliminated. He hoped to see steel harder, more pliable and more heat-resistant. And he hoped to make glass less brittle, more "clear" and "scratch proof." If these atomic-induced possibilities are realized, whole new industries might spring up overnight. Pitt's 47-inch instrument still is being "tuned and formal unveiling is several weeks away. It will be inspected by a group of nuclear physicists, who developed the first cyclotron and built the super atom-smasher at the University of California. The instrument at Pitt, built at a cost of \$85,000 plus donated materials from six companies, is at present the third largest in the world. However, it will be dwarfed soon by one five times as large at the Carnegie Institute of Technology. While Pitt will stress industrial research, Carnegie Tech probably will devote its machine largely to pure nuclear research. However, Dr. Allen said that doesn't mean Pitt will neglect the inner mysteries of the atomic nucleus. He said the tremendous forces locked in the atom are still unknown. "This is virtually uncharted territory. It holds potentialities for new knowledge that may far outrival the original discovery of nuclear fission. A new type of match, developed for the War Department by the Diamond Match Co., has ended the problem of getting a light in the rain. The matches light even after four hours under water.

Legless Vet In Friendship House

BUTLER, Pa. (UP)—Robert Palmer, a legless war veteran, lives in a house that friendship built. The entire city banded together to build the house when the veteran broke two artificial legs while climbing steps to a small, third-floor apartment. Palmer lost both limbs during the battle of Germany. He couldn't rent another place because of the housing shortage. Prices were too high for him to build a house of his own. Palmer's friends suggested the idea of building the house. Business men gave free advice and materials. A plot of ground three miles outside Butler was purchased. An excavator dug a basement in record time. Then 25 carpenters, offering their services free, swarmed over the site and raised the framework in eight hours. Plumbers, electricians and plasterers added their talents. Decorators laid linoleum and directed preliminary landscaping. Persons who couldn't donate material, chipped in to pay on the mortgage. Almost \$4,000 was collected.

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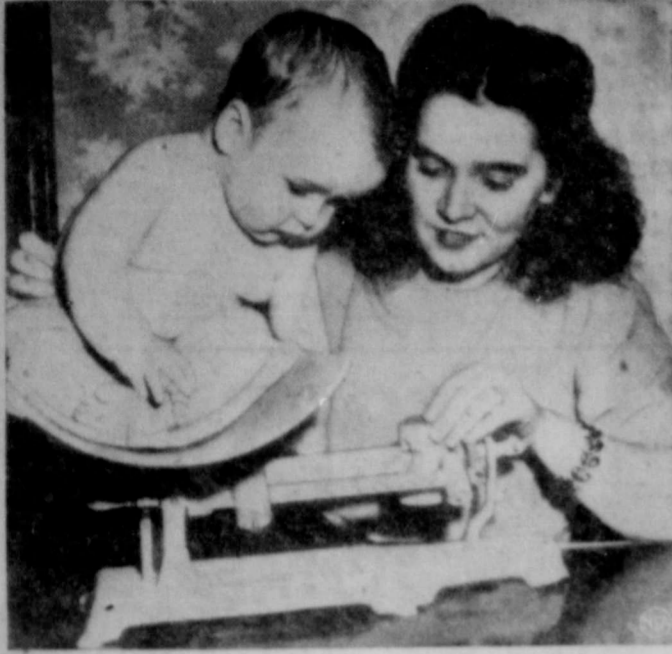
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Ultimately, these specialists hope to provide Mr. Citizen with a better automobile, a better light bulb, or steam-proof windows and glasses.

Dr. Alexander J. Allen, who developed the 20,000,000-volt machine, said that through the use of radioactive materials, scientists will be able to follow the process of steel-making and glass manufacture "right through the furnace."

The professor of engineering said they intend to get an atom-by-atom account of what happens

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NEW SHOCK METHOD FOUND TO AID GI MENTAL CASES

LOS ANGELES (UP)—Electro-narcosis, a new treatment for victims of mental diseases, has been combined with electro and insulin shock to give patients at the Suttle Veterans Administration hospital a better chance for recovery.

Dr. Richard L. Harris, chief medical officer, said the veterans hospital here was one of two institutions now employing this method.

Two doctors, two nurses and three hospital attendants are necessary in giving the treatment, which consists of passing a carefully regulated flow of electric current through a patient's body for a period of seven to 10 minutes, Harris said. Oxygen is administered at the same time to aid breathing.

On the basis of 15 patients treated, hospital officials said

they could point to statistics proving the value of electro-narcosis over older methods.

Patients who have failed to respond to insulin are now showing "marked improvement" as a result of the new method, Harris said.

Dr. Samuel Reznick, a pioneer in the field, cited the case of a World War II schizophrenic who had been hospitalized six months. Acutely disturbed, the patient heard voices and was violent, irrational and un-cooperative. He failed to respond to either electro or insulin shock.

"Now, after 15 electro-narcosis treatments, he is quiet and rational," Reznick said. "His memory has returned, and, if the present rate of improvement is maintained, in 30 days he will be given a trial visit to his home."

Reznick said a patient undergoing treatment feels no pain or discomfort. Within two minutes after the current has been turned off, he is conscious and able to talk. After resting 10 minutes, he walks to a shower and is able to resume normal activity.

To skin a fish fast, dip it first into boiling water for a few minutes, advises Atlantic Coast Fisheries research laboratories.

Mad? Just Zip



If Adele Mara has to use her "mad money," she'll be prepared. Film starlet demonstrates a sheer nylon stocking equipped with a zipper and pocket.

Surgeons Discover Way To Repair Broken Hip Without Crippling

CLEVELAND (UP)—A new method of repairing broken hips was described here by Drs. James A. Dickson and Royston Miller.

The operation, which won for the doctors the gold medal of the American College of Orthopedic Surgeons, has been found successful in cases in which the hip fracture had failed to unite in months or years.

It combines use of bone grafts to stimulate bone union and cutting the bone to remedy faulty mechanics in the relationship of the upper part of the thigh bone to the hip.

According to the report by the doctors, an orthopedic surgeon has to be "something of a mechanic, cabinet maker and mathematician."

By cutting the bone below the original fracture and altering the relationship of the segments so that the angle of the fracture is reduced to 30 degrees or less, the doctors figured out how they could put the patient in a better position for obtaining a fractioning hip.

Not only that, but as a corollary, the leg was restored to its proper length.

The technique involves the use of a hexagonal marker for insuring a 60-degree rotation, and a blade plate which, after the rotation, is brought into place along the shaft of the femur. After this mechanical correction, a window is made in the upper femur, and a bone graft is placed across the fracture.

NEWS FROM DESEDEMONA

DESEDEMONA, Tex. March 25 —Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Otwell are the proud parents of a 9-pound boy born March 19 at the Go-man Hospital. The young man has been named Dennis Wayne.

George Brazell was a Ranger visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. R. C. Koonce and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Peak were in Ranger Tuesday.

Mrs. Emma Browning of Ranger has moved to Desdemona.

A revival meeting is in progress at the local Baptist church. Rev. Grayson Tension, the pastor, is doing the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rogers visited in DeLeon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Guthery have returned from Goree where they visited her parents.

Good music was enjoyed at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Guthery, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ash of Desdemona were in Ranger, Tuesday.

Mrs. Elva Keith of Big Spring and Mrs. Letha Patterson of DeLeon visited their father, J. N.

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Attempt To Keep Track Of Souvenir Arms

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., (UP)—Federal officials in this Army-supported city are intensifying a campaign aimed at keeping souvenir firearms brought home from the world's battlefronts out of the hands of law breakers.

A federal law, backed up by penalties ranging up to a \$2,000 fine and five years' imprisonment for each violation requires that the weapons be registered with the International Revenue Bureau's alcohol tax unit.

Not all weapons must be registered, however. Only sawed-off shotguns and rifles with barrels less than 18 inches, fully automatic pistols and rifles and machine guns come under the registration classification.

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