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No. 287

Jews Winning In Battle For Jerusalem

Well...
I Dunno,
But...

Yeh, we've been telling you. So if you missed that style show last night, it's your own fault and you missed one of the prettiest affairs ever staged in Ranger.

"That Store In Dallas," as Boyce House labels the fashion center of the southwest, has nothing on Rager's Hamill's Inc. And we'd have been right proud to have had a representative of "that store" at the style show last night.

Dr. A. K. Wier was chiding us this morning about the lack of moisture in our "rain barrel."

Sunpin' to get a kick out of we'd say. Fighting in Jerusalem reached a new high today while the UN and big powers talked of truces and peace.

Here's good news for the fishermen and fisherwomen. On of the state fish hatcheries has dumped a heap of fish into Lake Haganah.

Fishing rights in Lake Haganah are controlled by the Ranger Country Club and permits to fish there may be secured at the Vaughn Home and Auto Store.

Mrs. Gailey Dies At Thurber Home

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. L. R. Gailey, a long time resident of Thurber.

Alameda Cemetery Working Saturday

A working of the cemetery at Alameda will be conducted Saturday with work starting in the morning and continuing through the day.

Meeting For Next Of Kin On Return Of Honor Dead

An Army officer of the Fort Worth Quartermaster Depot and Mr. Shag Flooe, also of the Fort Worth Quartermaster Depot will be in the following cities to hold meetings for next of kin or anyone interested in the returning of the remains of those who gave their lives in World War II regardless of race, color or creed.

It is hoped that all interested parties in surrounding counties will attend these meetings.

Albany, Monday, May 3, 9:30 A. M., Legion Hall; Breckenridge, Monday, May 3, 2:30 P. M., City Hall; Baird, Tuesday, May 4, 9:30 A. M., County Court Room; Ballinger, Tuesday, May 4, 2:30 P. M., District Court Room; Anson, Wednesday, May 5, 9:30 A. M., County Court Room; Abilene, Wednesday, May 5, 2:30 P. M., Legion Hall; Brownwood, Thursday, May 6, 9:30 A. M., District Court Room; Coleman, Thursday, May 6, 2:30 P. M., Court House; Comanche, Friday, May 7, 9:30 A. M., County Court House; Eastland, Friday, May 7, 2:30 P. M., 85th Dis. Court Room; Mineral Wells, Saturday, May 8, 9:30 A. M., Community Center; Weatherford, Saturday, May 8, 2:30 P. M., District Court Room.

Hold Precinct Conventions 2 P. M. Saturday

Tomorrow (Saturday May 1) is the date for holding Democratic precinct conventions. These conventions will be held at precinct voting boxes and any one qualified to vote is qualified to take part in the conventions.

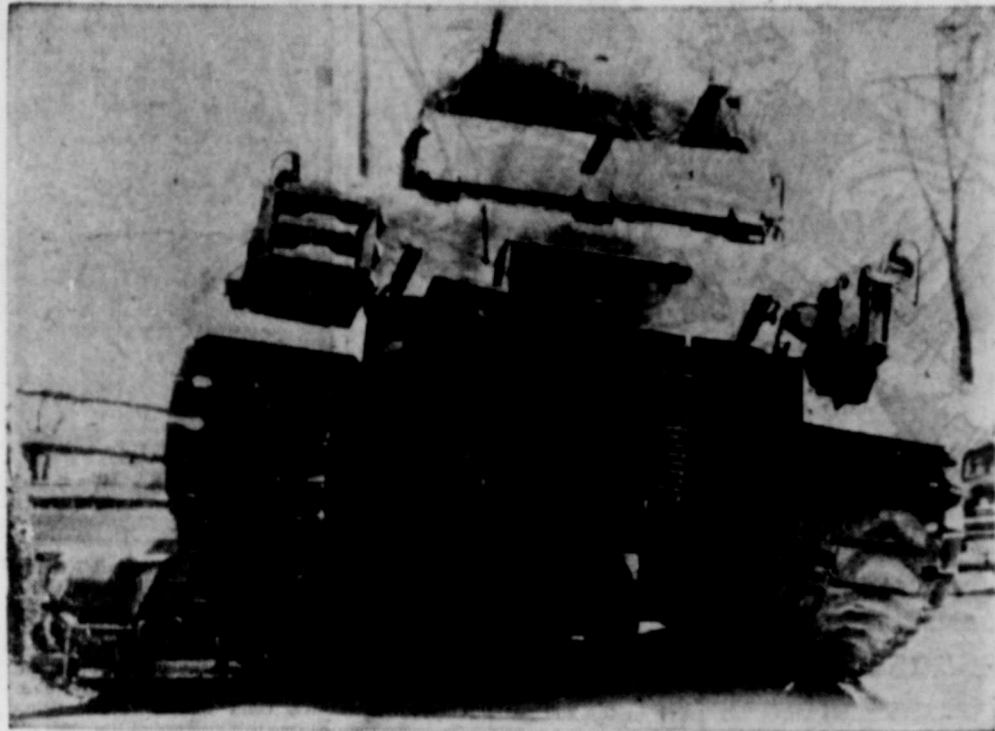
Animal life in the Grand Canyon includes about 180 species of birds, 60 species of mammals, 25 reptiles and five amphibians.

Newspaper Photographer Attacked



A Philadelphia newspaperman was attacked as he was photographing the arrival of James F. Smith and David Almeida from New Orleans. The men were in the custody of police and were being returned to stand trial for the slaying of Patrolman Cecil Ingling. The photographer was attacked by members of the Smith family.

Monster Runs Wild



A thirty-six ton General Sherman tank from Fort Collins, Colorado went out of control and completely crushed a 1941 auto bile left; that was parked on the street.

Edinburg Asks Aid To Combat Paralysis Fight

BOSTON, April 30 (UP)—Children's Hospital officials announced today that they had been asked by the National Paralysis Foundation in New York to send a team of specialists to Edinburg, Tex., to aid in combating a serious outbreak of infantile paralysis.

The hospital announcement said the specialists including Dr. Thomas Gucker III who will fly to the Texas community later today. Another doctor, two physiotherapists and a nurse also will make the trip.

A Children's Hospital spokesman said 26 cases of infantile paralysis have been reported in Edinburg (population about 10,000) within the past three weeks, including eight within the last 24 hours.

Dr. Gucker, who once suffered from infantile paralysis, went to Berlin, Germany, last September to halt an outbreak of the disease. The hospital said the request for aid was telephoned to the polio foundation by the health officer of Edinburg.

Edinburg is in the southern tip of Texas, close to the Mexican border.

Ranger Defeats Lone Star By 10 To 4 Score

Ranger's softball team batted its way to a 10 to 4 victory Thursday night when they upset the heretofore undefeated Lone Star team of Eastland.

In the game which was played on the Ranger field, the Lone Star boys led Ranger 4 to 3 through the fourth inning but in the fifth inning, Heathington of Ranger took over as pitcher and the score picked up. Littlefield pitched the first four innings.

Leonard Arterburn and Wesley Poyner scored the only home runs of the game. Walter Arterburn made three errors. Joe Daskevich two errors. Junior Arterburn one error, and D. C. Arterburn one error.

Poyner threw out two men on bases and Ranger made a double play with all bases loaded.

It was stated this morning that anyone who is interested in playing on the team should contact A. L. Wood or E. F. Arterburn.

Fort Worth Livestock

Cattle 350. Steady. Medium and good slaughter yearlings 23-28. Common and medium cows 18-21.50. Sausage bulls 16-22. Calves 100. Steady. Common and medium and good slaughter calves 18-27. Culls 15-17. Hogs 400. Active. Good and choice 150-175 lbs. 19-21.25. Sows 15-16. Few around 140 lb pigs to 19.

CAPACITY CROWD SEES STYLE SHOW THURSDAY

A capacity crowd packed the Recreation building Thursday night to witness the style show staged by Hamill's, Inc., for the benefit of the Ranger Civic League.

Staged in an elaborate setting designed as a garden with decorations by Strong's Flower Shop, the show was opened with a vocal duet by Mr. and Mrs. Coy Sims and a welcome address by J. J. Kelly who also made the appeal to the audience before a free will offering was taken.

Miss Dorothy Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henry and speech major at Texas Christian University, was commentator for the show and introduced the models.

Lions See Films At Meet Thursday

A cartoon film and newsreel were offered as the program at the regular meeting of the Lions Club Thursday at noon at the Gholsen hotel with Nicol Crawford and Price Crawley in charge.

During the meeting, Joe N. Graham who is on the finance committee to raise funds for the Ranger School Band Uniforms, made an appeal to the club to purchase one of the uniforms. Action was turned over to the finance committee of the club.

James Pepper On NTSC Honor Roll

DENTON, Tex. (SPL) April 30 — James Pepper of Ranger, junior student at North Texas State College, has been named among junior and senior students on the Dean's honor list with a "B" average for the spring semester. Students on the list are exempt from the usual penalties for class absences and may claim special stack permits for the library.

Old Texas Custom

FRANK M. WARD, Texas-born assistant manager of the Westchester airport, donned his sombrero, tucked his pistol in his belt and went to the bank to get the airport's weekly payroll. A few minutes later in the bank, he was surrounded by seven deputy sheriffs called by a passerby who saw Ward's pistol and took him for a bandit.

Predicts Truman Nomination And Re-Election

OKLAHOMA City, April 30 (UP)—Sen. Alben W. Barkley, D. Ky., said he didn't come to Oklahoma to discuss the presidential race last night, but just the same he predicted President Truman will be renominated and re-elected.

Barkley, who addressed more than 2,000 Democrats at the state Jefferson-Jackson day dinner, here, backed up his praise of Mr. Truman by scolding the Republican-controlled Congress. The Democrats, he said, have a good chance to gain control of both branches of the government this year.

"Mr. Truman was catapulted unexpectedly into the hardest job any man ever inherited," the senator said. "No man ever confronted such a problem."

"He has made mistakes as all men do, but on the whole he has done a good job of administering the government."

"Naturally, I think Mr. Truman will be elected," Barkley told newsmen. "Certainly he will be nominated. The Republicans are having a lot of trouble finding out who their nominee will be."

UN Told Truce Impossibility

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., April 30 (UP)—The Arabs of Palestine told the United Nations today that conditions raised by the Jews appeared to have torpedoed the scheme for a truce in the ancient walled city of Jerusalem.

Jamal El Hesseini, vice chairman of the Arab higher committee, made the statement after Moshe Shertok, political chief of the Jewish agency, reported to the UN Trusteeship Council of the UN General Assembly that the Jews would seal the truce on condition that unarmed Jews be guaranteed freedom to enter and leave the old city.

Shertok said many Jews in the old city had jobs in the modern municipal section, and that freedom of access also was needed for food procurement, garbage disposal and burials.

Husseini said he had understood conditions would be worked out after agreement on a hold-fire and added that Shertok's conditions appeared to have "blown up" the truce plan.

Five Move To Set Up United Military Front

LONDON, April 30 (UP)—Five centuries of Western Europe, United in a bloc against Communism, took the first steps today toward building a united military front against any Soviet attack in Europe.

Defense ministers and chiefs of staff of Great Britain, France, Belgium, Holland and Luxembourg met in the official residence of Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin.

It was the biggest and probably the most momentous military conference in eastern Europe since the war. Close secrecy shrouded the meeting. Two Royal Marine guards in dress uniform carefully examined the credentials of even the gold braided generals, admirals and air marshals.

The program was not disclosed. The first business was believed to be the appointment of a permanent military committee, a sort of super-general staff, to unify the armed forces of the five nations and deal with all threats to the western union.

Chrysler Strike Date Is May 12

DETROIT, April 30 (UP)—The top policy committee of the CIO United Auto Workers today set May 12 as the date for a strike by 75,000 Chrysler Corporation employees if no wage settlement is reached by that time.

The date was announced at a special meeting of eight members of the policy group to back up demands for a 30-cent hourly wage increase in a third round pay drive being waged by the union.

Norman Matthews, regional director for the Chrysler department, named the date and won approval of seven other policy committee members, including acting President Emil Mazet.

Matthews said the walkout would be called unless the company and union broke a pay deadlock and reached an agreement. He was expected to take the committee's decision to the company at a negotiating session this afternoon.

Previously, a national conference of Chrysler employees and the 22-man international UAW executive board had authorized a walkout if necessary and placed the strike weapon in Matthews' hands.

Rail Strike Postponed



At a conference in Washington, Frank P. Douglass, right, Oklahoma City, Okla., Chairman of the National Mediation Board, announced that new negotiations between the unions and the railroads had been reached in an effort to head off a railroad strike. Late a spokesman for 2 of the unions announced that because of a "change in plans" no date for the scheduled strike will be made now. With Douglass are other members of the Mediation Board, John Thad Scott, Jr., Houston, Tex. left, and Francis A. O'Neill Jr., of New York City, (NEA Telephoto.)

FORCE ARABS TO ASK FOR TRUCE IN ONE BATTLE AREA

JERUSALEM, April 30 (UP)

The showdown battle of Jerusalem blazed up today, and the Jewish militia Haganah scored sharp successes in the first round.

Haganah forces seized the Jerusalem general postoffice building, which controls the center of the city. They forced the Arab defenders of the Katamon quarter to sue for a truce to evacuate their dead and wounded after bloody fighting throughout the night.

Still other Jewish and Arab forces were locked in battle around the Mah Millah cemetery in the heart of the city, and the Jews struck in force against an Arab stronghold on Mt. Zion.

Jews claimed to have seized control of the telephone exchange, the last department of the postal service still working in Jerusalem. The other services had broken down as most of the British pulled out of the city and left it to the warring Jews and Arabs.

The outbreak of fighting at the scattered strategic quarters of Jerusalem convinced most of the jittery population that this was the long-awaited fight for the richest prize in the war of Palestine.

Talk of a truce was lost in the din of battle.

The first big victory went to the Jews when after a night of bloody fighting for the Katamon area of southwest Jerusalem the Arabs at midday sued for a truce.

An official announcement of the Arab request said they made it in order to take their dead and wounded from the field. Preliminary reports said 30 Arabs were killed and the Jews suffered heavy casualties at Katamon.

After the Haganah forces had encircled the quarter, the Arabs tried to get a counter-attack going at midnight. Three houses were blown up. It was a futile gesture, and a little later the Arabs asked for the truce.

Methodists Urge Backing Of UN

BOSTON, April 30 (UP)—The United Nations must be strengthened to avoid a third world war, a report by the Methodist Commission on Peace recommended today to delegates at the quadrennial general conference of Methodists.

"American-Soviet tensions threaten the future peace of the world," the report said, and settlement of this issue through a stronger United Nations is "crucial for the peace-making of our generation."

Iowa scored 193 points against the University of Chicago in a basketball game in 1944. That total is a record for the Western Conference.

APOLGY
The publisher of this newspaper regrets that Friday's edition was late in appearing on the streets due to press trouble.
Just at press time an accident broke one of the parts of the press and publication was delayed while it was being repaired.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy.
Temperature at 1:30 p.m. today.
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WASHINGTON COLUMN

Proposed 70-Group Air Force Would Outnumber Russia's

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent



WASHINGTON—(NEA)—There's an awful lot of prop wash coming from the eager beavers who argue this 55- vs. 70-group Air Force issue.

The idea that the U. S. needs a 70-group peacetime Air Force is not new. It was planned that way long before the last war was over. The trouble was that the Air Force couldn't keep a 70-group Air Force at full strength with the money allowed it by Congress.

Instead of keeping the 70-group organization on paper, reducing the strength of each unit as the Army and Navy have always done in peacetime, the Air Force arbitrarily decided to cut down to 55 full-strength groups.

Nobody complained about this policy in 1946 and 1947. But now all these planes are rapidly becoming obsolete.

The heat for a 70-group Air Force was first turned on by the so-called Finletter report from the President's Air Policy Commission last January. The Brewster-Hinshaw Congressional Air Policy Committee seconded the motion in March.

Today Congress is rarin' to give the Air Force 70 groups, in spite of the fact that Defense Secretary James V. Forrestal, backed up by President Truman, doesn't seem to want it.

THERE is a lot of confusion over what the 70-group program calls for. The Finletter report says it means 6800 first-line aircraft. There is some inclination to believe this isn't enough to compete with the 25,000-plane Russian air force.

But that isn't the complete picture. In addition to the 6800 regular U. S. Air Force planes, there would be 27 National Guard groups, with 3200 planes, and a 34-group Air Reserve with at least 3000. Total, 13,000 planes, plus 3000 planes in storage.

To these must be added 3800 first-line planes and 5100 support planes in naval aviation. The grand total is almost 32,000 planes.

The 70-group active Air Force plan lines up like this:

Heavy and medium bombers—21 groups, 30 to each three-squadron group, 630 planes in all, mostly B-29 and B-50. These two models will be considered medium bombers and will be retired when the Air Force gets all the new B-36 heavy bombers it wants. The line-up will then be 21 groups, 18 to the group, 368 in all.

Light bombers—Five groups, 48 to group, 240 planes, all jets.

Fighters—22 groups, 75 to the group, 1650 planes, mostly jets.

All-weather fighters—Three groups, 36 to group, 108 planes.

Tactical reconnaissance—Four groups, 54 to group, 216 planes.

Long-range reconnaissance—Five groups, 36 to group, 180 planes.

Troop carriers—Ten groups, 36 heavies or 48 mediums to group, approximately 420 planes.

This totals a little over 3400 planes. In addition, there would be 22 separate squadrons, for special purposes and trainers.

SECRETARY FORRESTAL'S objections to the 70-group plan are, first, that the country can't afford it and, second, that if the Air Force are enlarged, the Army and Navy must be enlarged, too.

Forrestal estimates that it will mean increasing the defense budget not from \$11,000,000,000 to \$15,000,000,000, as he now plans, but ultimately to \$29,000,000,000.

The Congressional Air Force Committee estimates the cost at from \$18,000,000,000 to \$25,000,000,000 a year by 1953.

Congressional Armed Services and Appropriations Committees don't seem to be bothered by any of these figures. Secretary Forrestal has not produced complete justification for his figures. Best information available is that the figures come from a General Staff study on what it would cost to mobilize, fully equip and maintain an effective M-day force, ready for war.

Air Force experts say these figures are based on World War II strategy and estimates which are now out of date.

THE SCOREBOARD



Sheldon Jones May Give Giants Another Hill Winner

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—The four-hit shutout Sheldon Jones turned in against Bob Feller and the Indians just before the season opened was the biggest thing that has happened to the Giants since Carl Hubbell was punched out as a meal ticket.

Until Jonesy came through the Polo Grounds presented the strange spectacle of a major league club returning from spring training with just one dependable pitcher, Larry Jansen.

The New York Nationals going on slapping their way to nowhere seemed a shame. Here was the most powerful outfit in the business, one that splattered a record 221 home runs last season. Paced by the exceptionally fast Bobby Thompson and Whitley Lockman, it had sufficient speed.

With the lone exception of Jansen, however, it had not a single pitcher who could go more than a short take without experiencing a bad inning. So the 26-year-old, six-foot, 180-pound Jones is indeed a lifesaver.

No club in memory figured to score as many runs as does this edition of Jints, so all Mel Ott asks is some degree of steadiness on the part of his slim staff. All his pitchers have to do is prevent the other side from having a big inning.

So once more the Giants and their murderers' row set out to demonstrate that pitching isn't from 75 to 90 per cent of baseball, as the sages contend.

MANAGER OTT professes to believe the Giants can do this with Jansen, Jones, Post, Koslo and the ancient and honorable Newsum and Lee, backed up by Hartung, Trinkle and Heggs.

Jansen is particularly adapted to the Giants. Given two or three runs, the big Oregonian can win 'em, as he demonstrated in 1947.

Jones yielded just two runs in 40 innings on the training trip by keeping a fast ball under the batters' fists. He is a strutter, and it is pleasing to have a young one to match Old Bobo Newsum at the Polo Grounds.

Ray Post only has to pick up where he left off last fall to be helpful.

Dave Koslo is a run-o'-mine left-hander who at his stickiest figures to lose as many as he wins, and there is no percentage in that.

Clint Hartung developed a nervous disorder trying to absorb too much pitching knowledge at once, with the result that he lost the one thing he had to go with his straight fast ball—control.

But Old Bobo Newsum worked with the Senators throughout the training grind confident the Giants would send for him.

"They need me something terrible," says Old Bobo.

The cleverest of analyzers couldn't tell the story of the Giants' pitching any better if he wrote a book.

Killjoy Is Here!



How to Live Long

SCRANTON, Pa. (UP) Drinking is bad for the liver, dancing is hard on the heart and singing weakens the lungs, says Mrs. Mamie Francione, who believes probably the reason she has lived to 100 is that she refrained from all three.

She Didn't Win



It's hard to believe, but Norma Genevieve didn't win the title, "Miss Surf Girl," at Sydney, Australia. But there was a good reason. An anonymous male revealed that the pretty brunette was secretly married. Since a Mrs. can't win a "Miss" title, Norma dropped out of the contest.

Hungary Taking Over Industries

BUDAPEST, Hungary (UP)—Five hundred industrial plants will be nationalized when the present nationalization bill goes into effect. It means that 80 to 100 per cent of every major industry in the country will be state-owned.

The bill provides compensation for the present owners. All industrial plants employing 100 or more workers will be government-owned.

be treated as follows:

1. Where the minority of the shares is in foreign hands, the state takes over the management, but leaves the rights of the minority unaffected.

2. Where the majority of the shares is in foreign hands, the plant will be exempt from nationalization. But it will remain subject to investment and production rules set by the three-year plan.

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OUT OUR WAY By J. R. Williams



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There's Still a Kick in Pepper



Pepper Martin is 44, but intends to place-kick for the Brooklyn Dodgers of the All-America Conference. Demonstrating that he is serious, Martin practices while running a recruits' training camp in Ponca City, Okla., for the baseball Dodgers. The Cardinal's Old Wild Hoss of the Osage made a local reputation as a halfback for an oil company in Oklahoma in the early 1920s, but insists there is still a kick in him. Lefty Settemeyer is holding.

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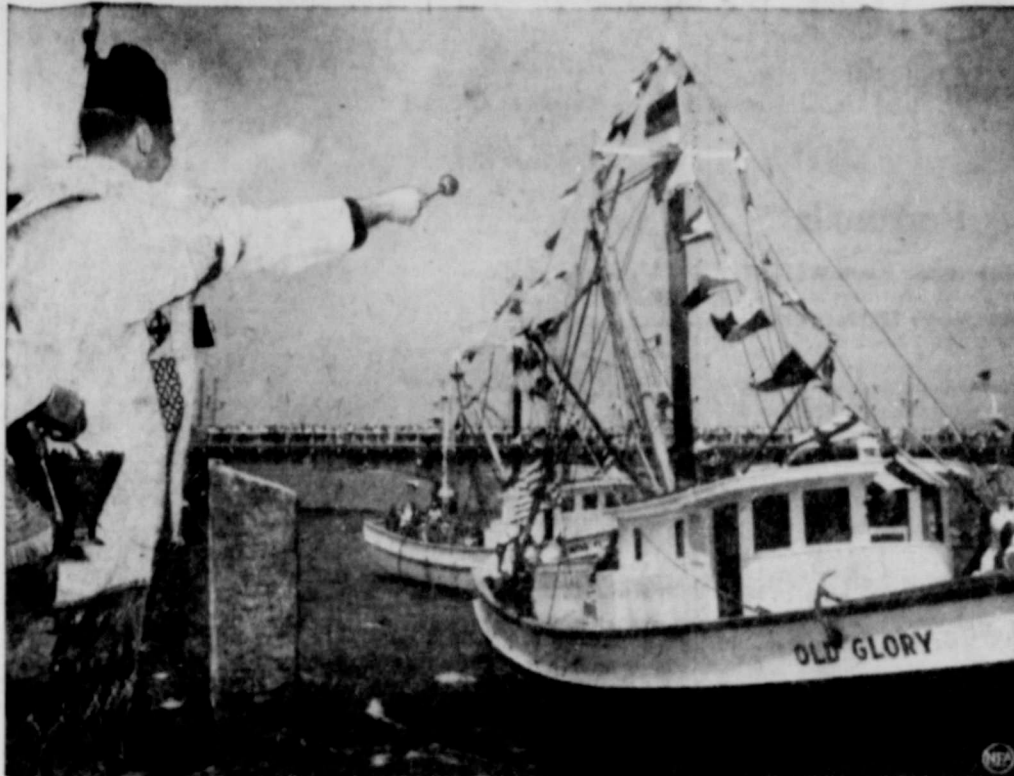
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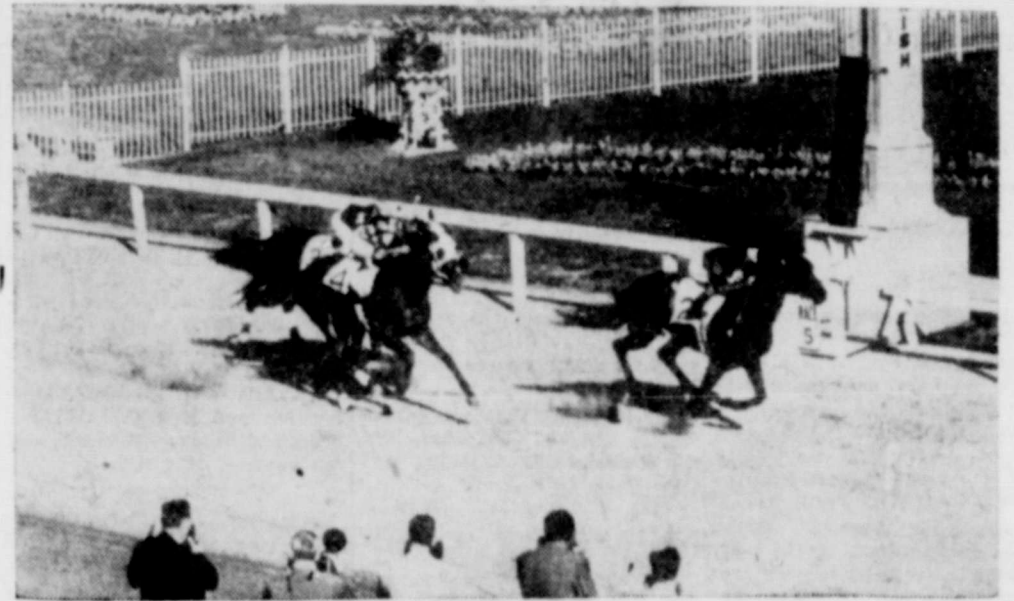
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Church Blesses Florida Shrimp Fleet



Heading back to the shrimping grounds, approximately 100 boats of Florida's shrimp fleet pass before the Rev. Father John W. Love to receive the blessing of the Catholic Church. Father Love is pastor of the St. Augustine, Fla., Cathedral.

Citation Wins Derby Trial



Citation, with Eddie Arcaro up, wins the Derby Trial at Louisville, Kentucky, Escadru placed second and Eagle Look came in third. (NEA Telephoto.)

lection is the "heaviest single acquisition" to be placed on the market to his knowledge.

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Moonshiners Revel When Moon Bright In Japan

By Peter Kalischer
United Press Staff Correspondent
TOKYO (UP)—They are brewing doboroku by the light of the Honshu moon these nights. The life of a revenuer isn't worth a plugged yen.

Doboroku is a Japanese illicitly distilled rice wine. Ever since local hill billys killed a government agent at Kawasaki the men with badges travel in groups.

It took 300 police in 20 prowls cars to raid the moonshine center of Fukuroda, 100 miles northeast of Tokyo, last month. They could not take away all the evidence—there was too much of it. So agents smashed 100 stills and turned the village streets into rivers of untaxed wine.

The Tokyo financial affairs bureau, which is revenue agency for most of Honshu island, estimates there are at least 200 moonshine camps in nine prefectures around and including Tokyo. Each camp has one to three stills. A still costs about 50,000 yen, or \$250 black market, which is the only rate moonshiners go by.

In fact, a Japanese moonshine mill breaks twice as many laws as its American counterpart. Unlike plentiful corn in the United States rice and malt used to make the native brew is bought on the black market as well as illegally sold as a finished product.

The average illegal distillery—which usually operates in the open—turns out three gallons of moon-

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Jimmy Robinson Honored Thursday

Mrs. Lee Mitchell entertained Thursday afternoon at her home with a birthday party complimenting her grandson, Jimmy Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Robinson, on his fifth birthday.

Various games were played and gifts were opened by the honoree.

Refreshments were served to the following children: Ardie Back, Leslie Thomas, Johnny Bob King, Tommy Aishman, Junie Herweck, Richard Herweck, Sterling Price Crawley, Sue Blackwell, Donna and Karla Kirk, Mary Ann Herweck, Mary Catherine Rush, Glenda Rains, Phyllis Jane Hale, Ann Robinson, and the honoree, Jimmy Robinson.

Films Shown At P.T.A. Meeting

Under the direction of Mrs. A. W. Branda, two films were shown at a meeting of the Hodges Oak Park Parent-Teachers Association Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

The films gave vital instructions on immunization and tuberculosis.

An entertaining program on 'The Growth of Music in America' was given by the pupils of Miss Mildred Balch, with Bill Branda acting as reader. Mrs. Glenn Simon was leader of the program.

A short business session was held with the president, Mrs. G. E. Harper, presiding. The next meeting will be held on the evening of May 11.

Mrs. Crawley Is Hostess To Circle

Mrs. Price Carley was hostess to the Susannah Wesley Circle of the Methodist church when it met this week in the home of Mrs. A. N. Larson.

The program on "Christian Highway to Japan" was given by Mrs. Arthur DeFebach, J. B. Raffield and B. A. Tunnell.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. S. B. Baker, DeFebach, Rayfield, Tunnell, A. J. Ratliff, James Ratliff, S. V. Brown, J. A. Knox, C. E. May, R. S. Balch, and the hostess.

Esther Class Has Business Meeting

The Esther Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Clem with Mrs. E. T. Eubank assisting the hostess.

Mrs. George Robinson, class president, presided over the business meeting, and Mrs. Tony Lewis gave the devotional.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Ross Hodges, O. R. Gafner, A. A. Daniels, Lewis, J. B. Houghton, O. K. Gray, Joe Graham, Tex Hargrave, Gorman Morton, C. B. Pruet, Tom Williams, W. L. Jackson, Robinson, and the hostesses.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deal had as their guests Thursday, Mrs. Deal's brother, Jessie Lockhart, and Mrs. Lockhart of Sweetwater.

Miss Anne Matthews and Miss Dorothy Guynes of El Paso will arrive tonight for a week-end visit with Miss Matthew's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Matthews. Both girls are students at Hockaday School in Dallas.

Boby Leonard Woods returned Thursday from a tip to Midland and Odessa. He visited his aunt, Mrs. John Hamilton, in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lauderdale of Morenci, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Belknap and Delphia of Breckenridge, and Mrs. Jack Akers and Billy of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Geknap and family Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Lauderdale also visited Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Burch while here.

Capacity Crowd . . .

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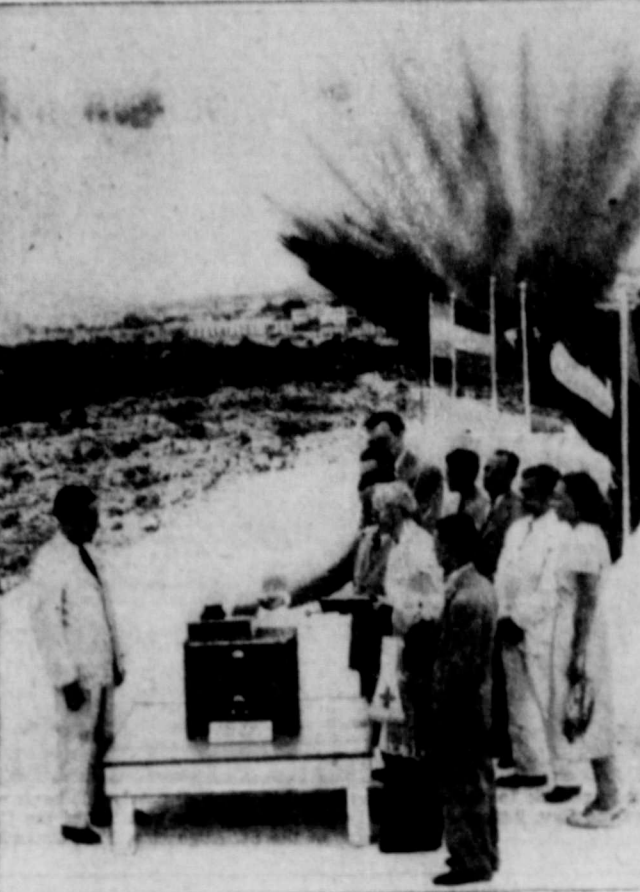
Town and Country Wonderfuls were modeled by Mrs. Deane Crawley, Jo Oyler, Betty Penn, Mrs. Morris Newnam, Mrs. James Ratliff, Mrs. Ira Wolford, Mrs. Price Crawley, and Mrs. W. F. Creager.

After five dresses were worn by May Mourdeau, Jo Ann Deaton, Mrs. F. P. Brasher Jr., Jeane Crawley and Sue Vaughn. Mrs. Jack Reichert modeled a dinner gown.

Climax of the "Around the Clock Fashion Show" was the garden wedding showing imported models in dresses and hats with flowers furnished by Strong's Flower Shop. Carolyn Clarke as the bride wore a slipper satin wedding gown, trimmed with Chantilly lace with finger tip veil and halo of orange blossoms. The full length train was edged with imported lace.

Bridesmaids were Myra Sue Lee, Dorothy George, Meta Ann Scott, and Jo Oyler. They wore identical dresses of pink, yellow, green and orchid marquisette trimmed in Chantilly lace, with matching elbow length mitts and

Peacetime Use for Atomic Power



Nuclear energy, the force that makes the atom bomb work, is used for a peacetime project in Ciudad Trujillo, Dominican Republic. Apparatus constructed by nuclear physicists breaks ground for the \$5,000,000 Columbus Memorial Lighthouse, symbolizing peace in the Western Hemisphere. Scientists and other notables watch Dr. J. M. Troncoso pull the switch.

These Little Piggies Go To Market By Truck

CHICAGO (UP)—A record haul of more than 10,000,000 tons of livestock was shipped to market by truck in 1947.

According to the Corn Belt Farm Dales, a group of publications in the livestock industry, 66 per cent of the total tonnage of cattle, hogs and sheep was shipped to market in trucks.

The farm journals estimated that 3,275,000 truck loads were needed to carry the 49,138,000 live animals from farm to market.

The farm dales said one big advantage to the farmer is that by using trucks he can ship his animals at any time of the day or night to take advantage of favorable market prices and weather.

Few Americans are still traveling about in Model T autos, but most Americans are living and working in buildings constructed under building codes as old as or older than the Model T. Of the more than 16,000 municipalities in the U. S., less than 2,000 have a building code, and most of these are from 15 to 20 years old, according to the National Board of Fire Underwriters.

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THOSE ATTENDING DINNER LISTED

In the story of the dinner honoring Mrs. Cora A. Hill on her 76th birthday which appeared in the Thursday edition of the Times, the names of those present should have read as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Whithead, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Barksley, Cora Ann and Madison Barksley, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Whithead, and Robert Whitehead, and the honoree, Mrs. Hill.

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