

15 KILLED IN INDIA RIOTING

18 Defiant, Singing Jews Sentenced To Death For Bombing Haifa Rail Shops In Night Attack

Nation Tense As Non-Cooperation Strike Scheduled

Two Ships Reportedly Sneaked Immigrants In

JERUSALEM — (P)—Eighteen defiant and singing young Jews were sentenced to death Friday for bombing the Haifa railroad shops in a night attack. Four Jewish women were given life terms.

The sentences were passed soon after the outlawed Irgun Zvai Leumi had exhorted the Jews to a general revolt and the Vaad Leumi, the national council for Palestine Jews, asked the Jews in this strife-ridden land to begin a non-cooperation strike Sunday.

The country still was tense over the issue of British deportation of illegal Jewish immigrants to Cyprus. Two small ships were reported to have brought 200 to 300 illegal immigrants to the coast before dawn without being spotted.

The 22 Jews were tried in absentia after they were ousted from the courtroom for singing and causing other disturbances during proceedings.

The trial lasted four days. At the start, the Jews demanded treatment as "prisoners of war" and challenged the right of the military court to try them.

All 22 were captured at a road block which troops established a few minutes after the raid at Haifa, several weeks ago. The defendants were accused of belonging to the outlawed Stern gang, violent Jewish underground group.

8 Bridges Blasted
The workshops were bombed during a week of terror in which eight bridges were blasted, a train was wrecked and five British officers were kidnapped in Tel Aviv.

The British army, meanwhile, stood by in full alert to meet the possibility of a general revolt of Jews as urged by the Jewish underground organization, and military informants described the situation throughout Palestine as in a state of "dreadful hush."

There was much disappointment in Jewish quarters as reports circulated that President Truman had declined to approve U. S. participation in a plan to divide Palestine into federal zones.

One qualified Jewish leader said the American President's position, if correctly stated, was a "shameful breach of faith and failure to discharge a moral obligation."

An Arab spokesman, on the other hand, commented: "It's high time America realized she is not required to pull Britain's chestnuts out of the fire."

Wildcats staked In S-C Winkler, N-E McCulloch

By JAMES C. WATSON
Oil Editor

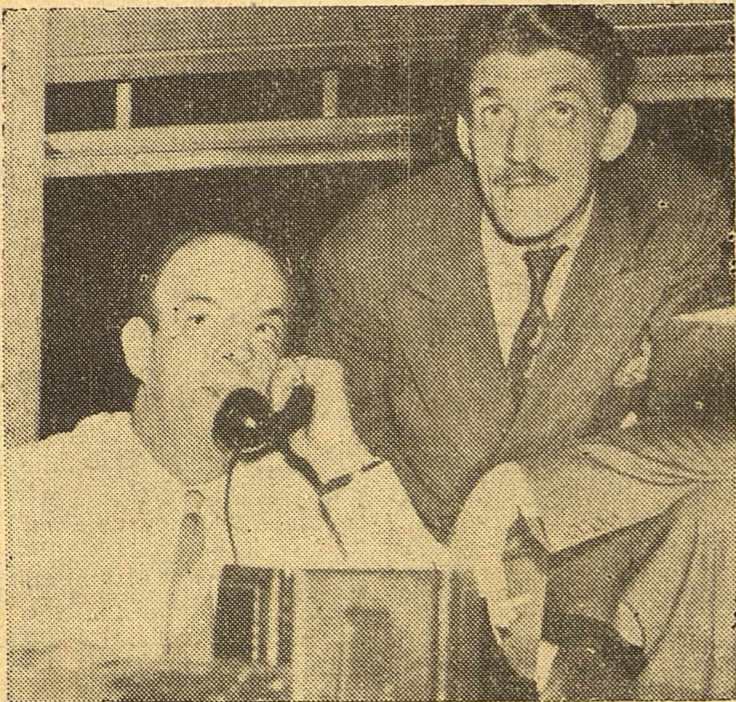
Locations have been reported for wildcats in South-Central Winkler County and in Northeast McCulloch County.

Dunigan Brothers and Branahy have staked location for their No. 1 Sealy-Smith to be 660 feet from north and east lines of northeast quarter of section 86, block A, G&MMB&A survey. It is to drill to 6,500 feet, and will start soon.

The project is on a farm owned by Stanhold Oil & Gas Company. Included in the deal are the west half of section 74, east half of section 75 and the east half of section 86, all in block A, G&MMB&A survey, all in South-Central Winkler County.

The farm was taken by D. C. DeVito and associates of Midland, and turned to Dunigan Brothers and Branahy of Brownwood, will drill from south and 3,840 feet from east lines of lease in section 929. It (Continued on Page 2)

Maritime Strike Begins



NEA Telephoto.

In Washington, Joseph Curran, left, president of the National Maritime Union, advises his office by phone that the strike against 15 Great Lakes shipping companies is on. The crippling strike settled over the nation's greatest inland waterway as the deadline was passed with negotiations still deadlocked for the settlement of the wage-hour dispute. With Curran is Jack Lawrenson, New York City, vice president of the NMU.

New OPA Price Boosts To Cost Americans 150 Millions Yearly

WASHINGTON — (P)—OPA has a price-hike tag of "well over \$150,000,000 a year" on radios, stoves, washers and many another household item Friday—and ground out still more bad news for consumers.

On top of price boosts ranging from 3 to 12 per cent on 20 groups of mainly home essentials, the agency announced:

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Dallas Reports Seven New Cases Of Polio

DALLAS — (P)—Seven new polio cases have been reported in Dallas during the last four days, the Health Department said Friday, making the total for the year 64. There have been three deaths.

In Dallas County, not including the city, there have been 25 polio cases reported, including two deaths.

OFFICIALS TO INTERVIEW YANKS HELD BY SLAVS

BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA — (P)—Two U. S. officials proceeded to Ljubljana Friday to interview Americans forced down in an Army transport plane and held incommunicado for a week. The Tito government lifted the silence ban Thursday.

LATE NEWS FLASHES

PEIPING — (AP)—Chinese dispatches Friday reported that U. S. repatriation officers had reached an agreement with Chinese Communists at Harbin for the repatriation of Japanese civilians and prisoners of war from Communist-held territory in Central and Northern Manchuria.

SHANGHAI — (AP)—Howard C. Petersen, assistant secretary of war, Thomas B. McCabe, foreign liquidation commissioner, and their party arrived Thursday for a 10-day mission connected with surplus property disposal.

TOKYO — (AP)—The Japanese committee for investigating causes of the Pacific war was dissolved without explanation Friday by the Japanese government.

LITTLE ROCK — (AP)—Two Sapulpa, Okla., youths charged with kidnapping and robbing State Policeman Add Schug have been connected with a dozen auto thefts in Texas and Oklahoma, State Police Lt. Alan Templeton disclosed Friday. The youths are Jack Rheurk, 22, and Hubert Jones, 21.

Army Declares Midland's Municipal Airport 'Excess'

The Army Air Forces Friday declared the Midland Municipal Airport "excess to its needs," and city officials immediately began making plans to develop the port into the finest in West Texas.

The City Council recently asked the Army to release the airport to the City of Midland, which owns the land. A telegram to Bill Collins, Chamber of Commerce manager, from the office of Congressman R. E. Thomason brought the news to Midland. It was signed by Kate George, the congressman's secretary.

Col. Leo F. Post, commanding officer for the Air Transport Command detachment at the airport, said he had not received the order and business is continuing as usual at the airport.

Major E. G. Shelton, acting commanding officer at the Midland Army Air Field, one of the major training fields of the Army Air Forces, said he also has received no word and didn't expect any, as the order would not concern his field which is under the AAF Training Command.

"West Texas' finest municipal airport will be developed at the field, two miles north of the city," Mayor Fred Egan said on hearing the news. The city had not yet received the official notice from the AAF.

The port, one of the finest in the South, with large runways, adequate drainage, and excellent lighting, is well known to military and civilian fliers. Every modern facility for an airport is installed at the field.

It was activated by the ATC, Nov. 1, 1943, by the 8th Ferrying Service Detachment, with four officers and five enlisted men. Major Sam H. Lane, Jr., was the first commanding officer. The field developed rapidly, and on many days more than 500 aircraft were serviced at the port.

A Navy detachment was installed on the field in January, 1944, to handle Navy planes, which landed there, and it remained on the job until several months ago. Since then, the Army has been servicing Army, Navy and Marine ships. Private and commercial planes, including Continental Air Lines, also use the port.

Almost all types of aircraft in the United States, military and civilian, have visited the field. It was listed as one of the busiest and most efficient ports in the nation during the war.

Major Clarence Norsworthy was the second commanding officer. Like Major Lane, he left the port for overseas service in China. The third commanding officer was Major W. L. Burrall, who was in command when the war ended.

After the Army Training Command took over the Midland Army Air Field, the City of Midland in December, 1941, purchased the site for the Midland Municipal Airport. It was built during 1942 and 1943 by the Civil Aeronautics Administration and promptly taken over by the Army which signed a lease on it Oct. 21, 1943.

If the city retains control of the airfield, which it owns, military supplies may continue to land there for service, purchasing gasoline and oil from the city, which hopes to have full control of operations in the future.

Absentee Voting Opens In County

Absentee voting for the August 24 primary opened Friday with three ballots cast in person. Twenty-eight ballots were mailed out.

Ballots are obtainable at the county clerk's office.

Absentee voting continues to August 20 in person and to August 21 by mail.

Ex-Wife Shoots Vet Who Was To Marry Texan

CHICAGO — (P)—Charles Lucas, 28-year-old war veteran, whose marriage to a Texas girl was planned for Saturday, lay critically wounded Friday and police held without charge Lucas' former wife, Lillian, 26, who Detective John Clemes said confessed shooting him. Clemes said Mrs. Lucas told him she shot Lucas because she learned he intended to place two of their four children for adoption. The detective quoted Mrs. Lucas as saying she agreed to give her former husband custody of their four children when they were divorced last month on his promise never to part with them.

Lucas' fiancée, Miss Dorothy McDonald, 24, of Wichita Falls, Texas, was in the Lucas home during the shooting but did not witness it.

SEVEN NEGROES KILLED WHEN HIT BY TRUCK

DURHAM, N. C. — (P)—Seven negro sawmill workers were reported killed and at least six others injured seriously near here Friday when a large transport truck plowed through the group after they had been dumped into the highway by the overturning of their own truck.

Weather

Fair and warmer Saturday. Maximum temperature Thursday was 98 degrees, minimum 76 degrees.

First German Girl Married To American



—NEA Telephoto

Mrs. Margaret Roth is reported to be the first German girl to marry an American in Germany legally since the Army ban on such marriages. Mrs. Roth is longingly looking at a picture of her husband, Joseph C. Roth of Philadelphia, Penn., a former GI.

President May Ask Congress For Law To Permit Refugees To Enter U. S.

WASHINGTON — (P)—President Truman announced Friday he is considering asking Congress for special legislation to permit entry of European refugees, including Jews, into the United States.

A White House statement said that the United States government "has not presented any plan of its own for the solution of the problem of Palestine," although the President has been exchanging views with Prime Minister Attlee of Britain on the question.

The statement said it was clear no settlement of the Palestine problem could be worked out that would be "fully satisfactory" to all parties concerned.

It added that a spirit of conciliation must be used if the problem is to be solved "in a manner which will bring peace and prosperity to Palestine."

The text of Truman's statement: "Although the President has been exchanging views with Mr. Attlee on the subject, this government has not presented any plan of its own for the solution of the problem of Palestine."

"It is the sincere hope of the President, however, that as a result of the proposed conversations between the British government and Jewish and Arab representatives a fair solution of the problem of Palestine can be found and immediate steps can be taken to alleviate the situation of the displaced Jews in Europe.

It is clear that no settlement of the Palestine problem can be achieved which will be fully satisfactory to all the parties concerned and that if this problem is to be solved in a manner which will bring peace and prosperity to Palestine, it is essential that the United States should be able to help them when their car broke down.

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The House Committee investigating surplus war goods sales has cited for contempt of Congress Benjamin F. Fields, public relations expert for the Garson munitions combine and dealer in surplus war goods. At right is Fields' only memorandum on the resale of bronze-wire screening which the House committee ruled insufficient evidence, showing three sets of brokerage fees and net profit. At left is Emanuel Eschwege, associate committee counsel, locked out of Fields' office as he tried to procure the complete records.

250 Hurt In Inter-Party Street Fight

Moslems Protest British Independence Proposal

CALCUTTA — (P)—Fifteen persons were killed and 250 injured Friday in riots between Moslems and Hindus during a Moslem League "direct action day" protest to the British plan for independence.

The Moslem League, second largest political party in India, called a nationwide strike for Friday to start its "direct action" program. Shops and markets closed.

The casualties resulted from clashes in various parts of Calcutta. Of the injured, 100 were taken to hospitals by noon. Pedestrians were reported assaulted and some stores were looted.

The Moslem League, which claims to speak for India's 90,000,000 Moslems, recently rejected the British independence plan after first indicating acceptance. The Moslems have insisted on Pakistan, or partition of India's predominantly Moslem areas from the rest of the subcontinent.

Jawaharlal Nehru, president of the predominantly Hindu Congress Party, largest in India, met Thursday night in Bombay with Mahomed Ali Jinnah, president of the Moslem League, but made no progress toward agreement.

Nehru said the Congress Party would go ahead with formation of an interim Indian government, with or without the Moslem League.

Commenting on the Moslem League's "direct action" plans, Nehru said:

"The casualties in Calcutta resulted despite efforts of leaders of the Congress Party, the Moslem League and the Communist Party to maintain order."

The Manicktoia district, a center of previous Calcutta riots, witnessed a pitched clash between League sympathizers and opponents. Two shops were reported looted there.

Industrial and commercial activities were paralyzed in Calcutta.

U. S. Ready To Grant Soviet Some Dardanelle Rights

WASHINGTON — (P)—The United States reportedly is ready Friday to advocate some special transit rights for Russia through the Dardanelles.

But this country is said to oppose outright current Soviet demands for a hand in the military control of that strategic waterway.

Diplomatic officials suggest that a possible step toward trying to work out the developing controversy may be a Turkish-called conference of the nations now parties to the Montreux treaty governing the straits.

At the State Department officials said there is no reason to believe there has been any change in United States policy as previously announced by Secretary of State Byrnes. The principal point of this policy in relation to Russia is that the straits should be open at all times to the transit of warships of Black Sea powers. Under the Montreux convention Turkey has the right to close the straits in time of war or other danger.

The question of how far this government should go in backing Turkey's declared opposition to Russia's demands is known to be a matter of considerable concern to top officials here.

But some express belief privately that the Russians are dead set on obtaining military bases in the Dardanelles and may be extremely reluctant to compromise on anything less.

There was diplomatic speculation that the question of America's attitude may have been the subject of an extraordinary White House conference late Thursday.

St. Louis Hit By Eight Inch Rain

ST. LOUIS — (P)—Torrential rains continued in this area Thursday night and early Friday, flooding streets and homes and causing widespread property damage.

Nearly eight inches of rain fell here during the last 24 hours, bringing the total for the month to 14.92 inches, an all-time record for August.

Two boys were reported drowned when they were sucked into an open manhole while swimming in a flooded street.

Numerous houses and buildings were struck by lightning.

McNarney Says German Reds Plan To Destroy Capitalism

BERLIN (AP)—Gen. Joseph T. McNarney, commander of U. S. occupation forces in Germany, said in a report Friday that the ultimate objective of the German Communist Party is "to destroy the capitalist system and establish a Socialist State with a classless society."

McNarney attributed the same objective to the Russian-sponsored Socialist Unity Party, which was formed in the Soviet occupation zone by a merger of the Communists and Social Democrats. He added that the Communist program "contains a threat to revolutionary means if the Capitalistic class forsakes the ground of Democracy."

This official American assessment of what the Communists—and their satellites—want to make of post-war Germany was contained in a report which stated that because of the long-standing four-power stalemate over wiping out zonal boundaries and treating Germany as an economic whole, the Americans and British had agreed to an economic merger of their zones in the west.

The American commander's estimate of the Communists was included in the "political activity" section of his report, which also surveyed the programs of the three other principal parties in Germany.

McNarney said that the Social Democrats (outside Soviet-occupied territory) stood for "parliamentary Democracy of the Western type" and opposed combination or close cooperation with the Communist or Socialist Unity parties.

Democrats Oppose Socialism

He said that the Christian Democrats "sharply reject Marxian Socialism." He added that the Liberal Democrats "stress the sanctity of private property and private enterprise."

Thus was delineated the cleavage between Western and Eastern political philosophies in Germany.

Of the Communists and their blueprint for post-war Germany, McNarney's report said: "The program of the Communist Party of Germany (Socialist Unity Party in the Soviet zone) consists of winning of political power in post-war Germany by the working classes (represented by the Communist and Socialist Unity parties), while the Maximum program will be enacted subsequent to the attainment of political power by this party."

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Wildcats staked

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will be drilled to around 1,250 feet with cable tools.

Cooper Gas Company No. 2-A Koy, one quarter of a mile west of the first real producer in the Page area of Schleicher County, and located 1,965 feet from south and west lines of section 38, block L, GHSSA survey, had drilled to 5,995 feet in lime.

A string of 5 1/2-inch casing had been cemented at 5,990 feet with 250 sacks, and it was to be perforated at 5,570-5,618 feet, and at 5,634-64 feet, with six shots to the foot.

After the perforation is finished, Stanfield Oil & Gas Company No. 1-GG University, Northeast Crockett County wildcat, about 12 miles southeast of the Barnhart field, tested at 8,207-46 feet, in the Ellenburger.

Recovery was 40 feet of drilling mud, with no shows of oil or gas. The project is to drill ahead.

Emperor-Holt Area

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company No. 3 Brown & Altman, on the southeast side of the Emperor-Holt field, in South-Central Winkler County, about six miles south of Kermit, has been completed for a 24-hour flowing potential of 182 barrels of oil.

The production is from open hole between 4,785 feet and the plugged back total depth of 4,805 feet. Operator did not report any water being produced with the oil.

Pacific Western Oil Company

No. 1 Cowden, on the northwest side of the Dollar Hide area in extreme Southwest Andrews County, and three-quarters of a mile northwest of the nearest Devonian producer in that field, had progressed below 6,676 feet, in lime. Top of the Clorietta was called at 5,137 feet, on an elevation of 3,157 feet. It is to drill to around 8,200 feet to explore the Devonian.

Water Developed

Ersted, Hyer and Hedberg No. 1 Henderson, South Ector County wildcat, in southwest corner of section 6, block 43, TP survey, T-3-S, and one mile south of Douro, ran a one-hour drillstem test at 5,640-5,720 feet, in middle Permian lime. Sulphur water. No signs of oil or gas were reported. The project is shut-down for orders.

Reporter-Telegram To Play League All-Stars

A softball practice game has been scheduled for 8 p. m. Friday between The Reporter-Telegram and a group of City League All-Stars captained by Ted Thompson of the JayCees team.

The public is invited.

Hill Argues Against Cut In Allowables

AUSTIN (AP)—Joe Hill, vice president of American Liberty Oil Company, lambasted prognostications of governmental agencies of all kinds as he argued against reduction of oil allowables in September at the Railroad Commission's state prorator here Friday.

The former state senator brought laughter from Commissioners Ernest O. Thompson and Beauford Jester and oil company representatives when he referred to "those Washington boys who rub crystal balls and shift out boards," in predicting unemployment, production figures, inflation.

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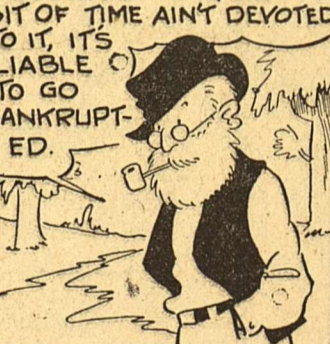
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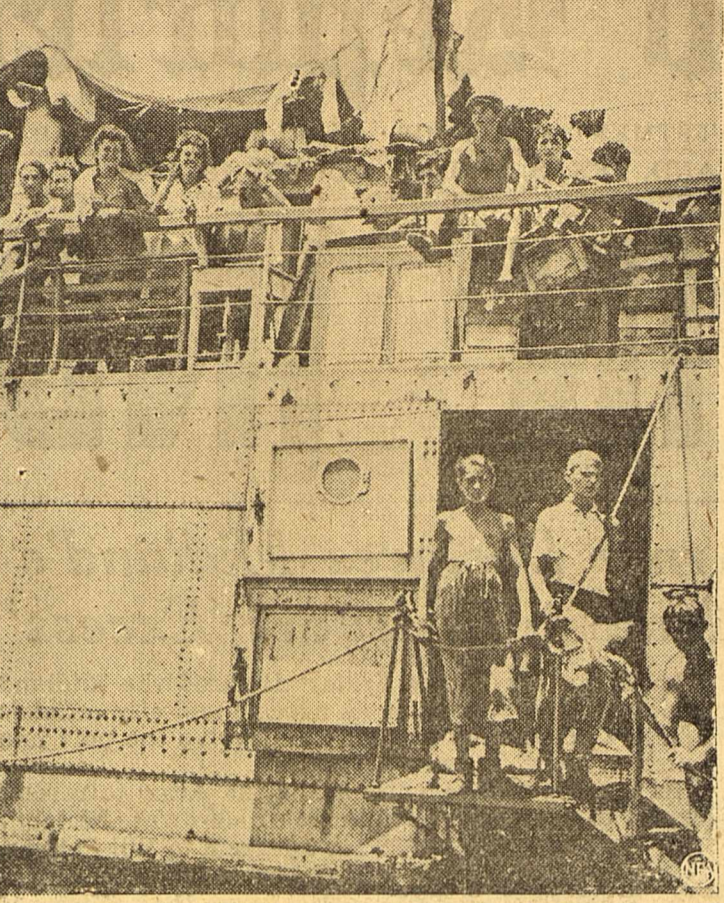
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Jews Seek Entry Into Palestine



Thousands of Jewish refugees are living aboard ships and small boats in the harbor of Haifa, Palestine, detained there by British authorities seeking to prevent further illegal entry of Jews. Photo above shows typical refugees aboard one of the ships, its decks crowded with their possessions.

Priorities For UN, UNRRA Cause Row At Hearing

WASHINGTON (AP)—The War Assets Administration acknowledged Friday that international organizations had been given priorities over American businessmen in obtaining surplus property, but denied that this was due to "pressure" by the State and Commerce Departments.

Edgar A. Stansfield, acting counsel for WAA, told the House Surplus Property Committee that the decision had been made in "a normal way." Chairman Slaughter ("D-Mo.") contended it constituted "a clear-cut violation of the law."

Stansfield conceded that the priority for the international organizations—among them UNRRA and UN—had been established without a written legal opinion, drawing from Slaughter a declaration of "pretty sloppy work."

Stansfield contended that authority for favoring the international organizations was contained in a section of the law which permits disposal of surplus property "in the public interest."

"They (the international organizations) are necessarily clothed with public interest," he said.

"We hope," injected Slaughter. Stansfield conceded that the effect of the ruling "is to put international organizations ahead of American business." In response to questions, however, he said there was "no exchange of any character," adding that the question of selling surplus property first arose in correspondence with the Commerce Department.

"Mr. Henry Wallace?" asked Slaughter.

"No, sir," responded Stansfield. Slaughter maintained that at the time the Surplus Property Act was

Navy Veteran Shoots Estranged Wife And Then Kills Himself

COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.—(AP)—A 21-year-old Navy veteran fired four bullets into his 17-year-old estranged wife Thursday night. Detective Sgt. Hugh Y. Higgins said, and then ran from the house and killed himself.

Higgins identified the ex-pharmacist mate as John E. Reid, an orderly at a hospital here. His wife, Marjorie, was in a critical condition from wounds in the chest, shoulder and arm.

Higgins gave this story of the double shooting:

Reid came to the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lemus Lane, and asked to see his wife who came downstairs.

They were talking in a front room when Mrs. Lane passed the door and looked in. Reid pulled a pistol from his pocket and ordered her to "keep your mouth out of this."

A few minutes later she heard four shots and her daughter's screams. As she reached the door, Reid ran from the house and half a block down the street where he put a bullet through his forehead.

Reid was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Reid of Dallas, Texas. The couple was married at Orange, Texas, Dec. 21, 1945.

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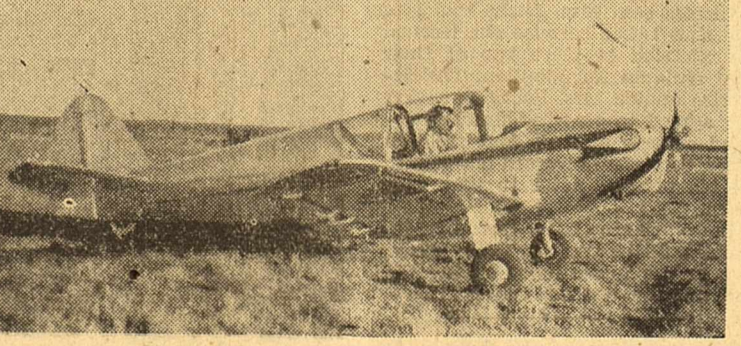
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Auto Workers To Reopen Pay Talks With Chrysler

WASHINGTON (AP)—The CIO United Auto Workers' executive board announced Friday it will reopen its wage agreement October 16 at Chrysler Corporation and any other companies where contract provisions permit.

UAW President Walter P. Reuther told a news conference after a session of the executive board that the intervening 60 days will be used to evaluate government efforts to hold back inflation, and on the basis of that study the extent of wage demands, if any, will depend.

Reuther explained this does not mean a wave of wage demands. He expressed the hope that such a development will not be necessary and that the government, instead, could control the situation.

Reuther said that 50 to 60 percent of the Auto Workers' 850,000 members are under contracts which could be reopened on 30 to 60 days' notice.

"The continued failure of government to roll prices back and hold them down compels us to exercise our option to reopen our wage contracts in order to protect our living standards," the executive board said in a statement.

Reuther explained that the executive board's move had been taken after consultation with other CIO leaders and "does not conflict with CIO policy."

Reuther pointed out that some other CIO unions, such as the Fackhouse Workers and Rubber Workers, have taken steps toward wage negotiations.

JayCees Addressed By Midland Attorney

John Perkins, Midland attorney and former Army colonel, told JayCees at their luncheon meeting Friday at the Scharbauer Hotel "the open-door policy we have for oppressed nations caused the war with Japan."

Perkins traced the "open-door policy" from the American Revolution to Pearl Harbor. He said it was up "to you young men and your sons to determine that America and the world have a great era of peace."

Joe Seymour, program chairman, introduced Perkins. A committee of Ted Thompson, Henry Brooks and Keith Stewart was appointed for a special event pertaining to concessions at the World Championship Golf Roping Contest in Midland September 2.

JayCees made plans to handle the City League softball playoff games and city championship series.

Midland delegates will attend regional conventions at Plainview next weekend and at Sweetwater August 31.

A roster of the members of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce were distributed to each member.

President—

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estine, it must be approached in a spirit of conciliation.

"It is also evident that the solution of the Palestine question will not in itself solve the broader problem of the hundreds of thousands of displaced persons in Europe. The President has been giving this problem his special attention and hopes that arrangements can be entered into which will make it possible for various countries, including the United States, to admit many of these persons as permanent residents.

"The President on his part is contemplating seeking the approval of Congress for special legislation authorizing the entry into the United States of a fixed number of these persons, including Jews."

Ordinarily a request for such legislation would be held off until after next January 20, when a new Congress convenes. There had been some speculation before the 70th Congress adjourned that Truman might summon it back for a special session, primarily on domestic problems.

UN Notes Examined

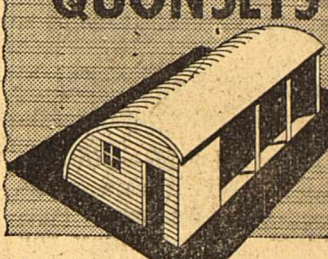
NEW YORK (AP)—Albania's explanatory memorandum supporting her application for membership in the United Nations was under examination by the Security Council's membership committee Friday amid indications that Great Britain and the United States may reject as unsatisfactory the Albanian replies to questions they raised.

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He worked in Waco during the first world war and was in Wichita Falls during its oil boom. Thorne has been in Midland the past five years.

'Patrick Was His Name' Is Title Of Story For Children's Hour

Mrs. Paul Klatt will tell the story "Patrick Was His Name" by Ester Brann at the Children's Story Hour to be held at 10:30 a. m. Saturday on the courthouse lawn.

This story centers around a small, skinny dog with a spaggy coat much too large, whiskers like a Billy goat, bushy eyebrows and a big tail. Bobbie and Donnie, twin brothers, and masters of the dog, did not care, for to them Patrick was the most wonderful dog in all the world.

Bobbie and Donnie entered Patrick in a dog show and after that he was very happy because he won not one, but two prizes in the big event.

Children of Midland County are invited to attend.

LULA BRUNSON CLASS ENTERTAINS WITH CHICKEN BARBECUE

Members of the Lula Brunson Class of the First Baptist Church entertained with a chicken barbecue honoring their husbands Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Ernest Neill, 1603 West Kentucky.

Informal entertainment was enjoyed during the evening.

Those present were Messrs. and Mrs. Clint Dunagan, Charles Robinson and son, Robby, Tommy Henderson, Russell Howard, H. N. Layhorn, Vernon Yearby, Gus Peters, Van D. Meisenheimer, Donald Elliott, M. F. McDaniels, Frank Monroe, Jack Jones, G. D. Fuller, T. A. Cole, and Mrs. Joe Roberson, Billy Gilbert, Paul Smith, E. R. Powell, and W. C. Wilcox.

Richard Wagner was born in Leipzig in 1813.

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Brilliantine Used For Waterproof Coiffure



MYRNA DELL: Waterproofs hair-do

By ALICIA HART
NEA Staff Writer

There are swim-proof hair-dos that can take a half-gainer or an Australian crawl without a bathing cap. What's more, they'll come to shore looking as neat as though they had just had a hair-dresser's final pat.

The trick of water-proofing — after building a sleek, tight hair-do — is to coat the finished job lightly with pomade, brilliantine, or lacquer.

What hair-do stays hitched? There are three, says Myrna ("Lady Luck") Dell, who wears the first one described: two plaits

crossed and pinned snugly to the top of her head.

If your hair is THAT long, you can also try her other aquatic coif. That's a pigtail peruke. For that, she braids her hair into a single back plait, and ties it twice with a ribbon — once at the end and again after looping it and bringing it back up to the nape of her neck.

If your hair is short, try the roll which Myrna sees her close-cropped friends tethering into a head-band. First, part hair at center or sides and brush it down all around your head. Now, the ribbon or scarf snugly around your head, knot it in front, and stuff ends of hair into the tethering band.

Howell Says Students Failing To Register

Less than 200 students—about half the number expected—had registered at Midland High School Friday, Harlan Howell, principal, said. He urged the seniors and juniors who failed to register this week to come to the principal's office Monday, which previously had been set aside for juniors whose last names begin with Q through Z.

"Some of the students may be on vacation, but students in town should register on schedule," Howell said.

Sophomores will register Tuesday and Wednesday and freshmen Thursday and Friday.

Registration hours are from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

The schedule follows:
Monday: remainder of seniors and juniors.
Tuesday: sophomores A through H.
Wednesday: sophomores I through Z.
Thursday: freshmen A through H.
Friday: freshmen I through Z.

FLORAL FRAGRANCE USED WITH COTTONS



(Photo from Skilton, Inc.)
JOAN CONNELL: Sweet.

By ALICIA HART
NEA Staff Writer

Cloying perfume and crisp cottons are so incompatible that they should have been divorced long ago. At the beginning of summer, as a matter of fact, when girls started assembling their heat-defying wardrobes.

Best companions for those are the delicate florals or bouquets which are as appealing as early-morning whiffs from a summer garden; as suited to cottons as the starch that stiffens and glosses them up.

For new ways to use your summer come-hither, so that you can get a longer lease on its evanescent sweetness, listen to Joan Connell, Conover model.

Use cologne, she says, as a fragrant rinse for a washable hair net and lingerie. A scented pellet of cotton used to clean up your hairline after make-up repairs will, according to Joan, rout powder and give a lift to your spirits. A brush sprinkled with cologne and run through your hair has as freshening an effect on you as it does on a wilted coif, she says.

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A window-peeper on East Tennessee Street was reported to police Thursday night but had fled when officers arrived.

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New Zealand Blasts Russians For Delays At Paris Conference

PARIS—(AP)—The Russian delegation tossed the makings of a new fight between Western and Eastern powers into the peace conference Friday and the New Zealand delegate, W. J. Jordan, in an outburst of temper, denounced the Russians for "this blasted old rot."

"Let's do something," Jordan shouted in exasperation at long speeches, and delays after listening to an argument by Soviet Delegate Andrei Vishinsky. "Here we sit listening to quack, quack, quack, hour after hour. We are sick of it."

Vishinsky insisted in an organizational meeting of the political and territorial commission on Romania that only nations actually at war with the former enemy states should vote in the commissions drafting recommendations for the five peace treaties. The vote of France thus would be eliminated from the commission on Romania.

In a meeting of the commission on Finland, Soviet Delegate N. V. Novikov raised the same point, which would eliminate the votes of the United States and France.

Same For Other Nations

Presumably the Russians planned to raise the same questions in the commissions for Italy, Bulgaria and Hungary.

Despite Jordan's hot retort, Vishinsky insisted upon his point and the matter was left for future action. In the commission on Finland, Novikov drew a quick reply from Hector McNeil of Britain that "my government could not accept the Soviet view on this matter." In the Finnish commission, too, the Soviet declaration was noted in the minutes without further action. Vishinsky said he would ignore "the harsh words" of the "temperamental delegate from New Zealand," but insisted "we shall never submit to angry words."

Jordan was so perturbed that his voice broke as he cried the words "this blasted old rot," following a speech by Soviet Delegate A. Y. Vishinsky arguing that only those countries which actually were at war with Romania should have a vote on the commission.

He begged the temporary chairman to take matters into his hands and force the organization of the committee to proceed.

Decontrol Board To Rule On Food Tuesday

WASHINGTON—(AP)—With a curt warning against trying to guess what it will do about price controls on major foods and feeds, the Decontrol Board promised Friday to announce its verdict Tuesday.

"Any past speculation as to our decision or any speculation between now and next Tuesday is pulled out of thin air," said Chairman Roy L. Thompson in a statement for the three-member board.

During the five days remaining the new independent agency must reach decisions that Congress could not agree upon for weeks as it let OPA die June 30 and then revived it in sharply modified form July 25.

Since June 30 there have been no price ceilings on milk, butter, meats, grains and a long list of foodstuffs for a trial period that ends next Tuesday, August 20.

Unless the panel steps in the old price lids will apply again Wednesday.

JAP NAVAL PRINCE DIES

TOKYO—(AP)—Prince Hiroyasu Fushimi, 79, head of the royal house of Fushimi, died Friday. He was appointed admiral in 1922, a member of the Supreme Military Council in 1925 and chief of the naval staff and fleet admiral in 1932.

OVERDOSE OF SUN DULLS HAIR SHEEN



To avoid dry, streaked locks, limit exposure of hair to sun to a few minutes daily.

By ALICIA HART
NEA Staff Writer

From mid-July on, limit your hair's sun bath to a few glimmings of sun a day. Else you'll wind up with a crowning glory sporting as many colors as Joseph's coat — though not nearly as pretty — plus a texture that looks like a shock of oats.

When you go sunning, take along a handana, head scarf or a towel to wrap around your locks, burnoose-fashion. Uncover hair only for short sun baths, if you want to come through the summer with lustrous locks.

There is as much need for the swimmer to keep her hair protected from salt or chlorine-treated water. If your bathing cap allows in seepage, no matter how well you seal up your hair, wash the sea out of your locks when you emerge.

If your hair is tinted, better go easy on ducking your head in a chemically-treated swimming pool. The chemicals are apt to play pranks on the nice effects which you've achieved.

Rites Set Friday For Snyder Rodeo Director

SNYDER—(AP)—Homer Robison, 46, Scurry County Rodeo Association director, died Wednesday night at his home in northeast Snyder following a brief illness.

Mr. Robison had operated the Robison Feed Store here 12 years and was well known in cattle circles of West Texas. He was chairman of the grounds committee during the tenth annual rodeo, July 17-20.

Funeral services were scheduled at 5 p. m. Friday at Snyder's First Baptist Church. Rev. J. W. Mason, pastor, assisted by Rev. J. W. McGaha will officiate.

Three New Leprosy Cases Are Reported

AUSTIN—(AP)—Three new cases of leprosy have been reported to the State Health Department in the past few weeks.

Noting that leprosy is not a highly contagious disease, the Health Department said Friday in its report for the week ending August 10 that the disease is not a major public health problem in Texas.

Stevenson Proclaims Prisoner Of War Week

AUSTIN—(AP)—Paying tribute to American men who endured privations and suffering as prisoners of war, Gov. Coke R. Stevenson has proclaimed August 22-29 as Prisoner of War Week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lane Whitmore on the birth Wednesday in the Western Clinic Hospital of a daughter, Rita Beth, weighing six pounds and six ounces.

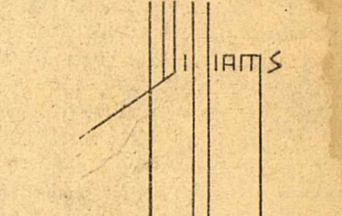
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Our Nationalized Mines

It sometimes seems that public excitement over labor crises is exceeded only by public indifference to the outcome, once the crises are past.

As things stand now Vice Adm. Ben Boreel is the nominal boss of the soft coal industry—though some might give that title to John L. Lewis.

Admiral Moreel seems to be doing a good job in a setup not much different from what it has been.

The only remarkable thing is that the industry has undergone what might be called nationalization by default.

Also, the operators don't seem anxious to take over until they can find out what further recommendations the Bureau of Mines may make under its new safety code, and what they will cost.

A news story the other day reminded readers that bituminous mine managers "thus far have made no public move to get back their mines."

It will be recalled that he presented his generalized demands to the operators and, after some hot and sharp words, walked out.

As far as the operators are concerned, Lewis, though a loud vocal advocate of collective bargaining, has collected without collective bargaining.

Presumably, the operators will wind up making the first move. After all, people with a lot of money invested in a business usually prefer to run it.

So that's about how things look today. This summing-up is simply a reminder that one of the country's biggest and most important industries has been quietly but thoroughly backed into nationalization.

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True Confessions

Sen. Wayne Morse proposes that all members of the Senate be required to file public statements of their total yearly earnings and income, including dealings in securities and commodities and, in the case of lawyers, the names of clients and fees received.

Morse feels that the public, as a consequence of recent investigations, suspects that senators regularly receive income "from such sources as are being discussed these days in the public press."

This proposal unquestionably is of honorable intent, but the psychology of it seems a little bad. Generally a man—even a congressman—is assumed to be innocent until accused of being otherwise.

We doubt that Morse's resolution will get very far. But if it should, then logically similar public declarations should be made by members of the House of Representatives, the President, the Cabinet, Supreme Court and other federal justices, heads of government agencies and of Army and Navy procurement.

By the same logic, there should be public disclosure of the income of every federal, state and city official whose position on the public payroll carries enough power or prestige to enable him to exert influence in behalf of someone doing business with federal, state and city governments.

This would be bothersome, cumbersome, and somewhat insulting to honest public officials and to those who might have legitimate financial dealings with them.

Don't Forget The Big Ones

The investigation into the workings of the Garsson munitions combine has been a major-league sensation, at least as far as the cast of characters is concerned.

Testimony to date has indicated that these hearings may have merely scratched the surface.

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Wainwright To Address 36th 'Lost Battalion'

WICHITA FALLS — (AP) — Gen. Jonathan M. Wainwright was to arrive here Friday from San Antonio to speak at Coyote Stadium memorial services for war dead of the "Lost Battalion" and other war victims.

The service will mark the opening of the second annual reunion of the battalion. The unit was the 131st Field Artillery of the 36th Division and was captured on Java by the Japs in March, 1942.

Some species of insects, including some butterflies, have taste organs in their legs.

JOCKO CLARK WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO CAPITAL CORPUS CHRISTI

Admiral J. J. (Jocco) Clark, chief of the Naval air basic training, including training areas at Corpus Christi and Pensacola, Fla., will leave here September 1 for Washington to become assistant to the deputy chief of naval operations for air.

VISIT IN MITCHELL HOME

James and Charlie Lou Mott of Lufkin are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mitchell and son, Vernon. Mrs. Mitchell is the sister of James and Charlie Lou.

AUSTIN VISITORS

Mrs. Eldred Perry and daughter Joyce, of Austin are visiting Mrs. Perry's mother, Mrs. Amelia Hawkins, and brother, Jack Hawkins.

Winkler County Sets Tax Rate Of \$1.45

KERMIT — Commissioners of Winkler County, in regular session this week, adopted the budget for the coming year, and set a \$1.45 tax rate on the \$30,000,000 valuations of the county. The new rate is an increase of 34 cents over the present \$1.11 rate.

Since the state ad valorem tax has been reduced from 72 cents to 57 cents, taxpayers, despite the increased county rate, will pay a one-cent lower rate next year than is now in effect.

Maritime Strike Spreads Slowly

By The Associated Press With industrial materials still moved across the Great Lakes Friday as the CIO National Maritime Union strike spread slowly.

A union spokesman said "well over 40" of the 400 American-Flag cargo ships operating on the five lakes were strikebound on the second day of the walkout.

Whether iron ore, coal, grain and oil traffic would be halted still was an uncertainty as negotiations in Washington on the union's demand for shorter hours and wage adjustments collapsed.

CIO members and non-striking AFL seamen got into a fist fight on a picket line in Detroit Thursday night, but the NLU claimed AFL support in some ports, especially Milwaukee, where AFL sailors were reported to have walked off a passenger ship.

Meanwhile, a strike threatened on the Southern Pacific Railroad system, and Press Wireless, Inc., submitted a compromise arbitration plan to federal conciliators trying to settle the company's dispute with the American Communications Association (CIO).

Press Wireless proposed that a three-man arbitration panel be set up to decide whether ACA had violated its contract in calling a strike of 300 employees.

ACA officials were not available immediately for comment. A walkout of 8,000 Southern Pacific employees, members of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, has been set for 6 p. m. next Wednesday, but entrance into the dispute of the National Mediation Board brought hope that railway mediation act procedure would be involved to forestall a strike at least 60 days.

Scattered disputes helped ruffle the calm which has prevailed since the first big wave of postwar labor troubles subsided last spring.

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Amos Stagg, Grand Old Man Of Gridiron, 84

STOCKTON, CALIF.—(AP)—Amos Alonzo Stagg, the grand old man of the gridiron, was 84 years old Friday.

The anniversary found him starting his 14th season as head football coach at the College of the Pacific and his 57th year as a coach. His mind is keen, his health excellent and he's feeling pretty good about the outlook for the coming season—which is going to be a tough one.

He takes the optimistic view that his team will be better this season than last.

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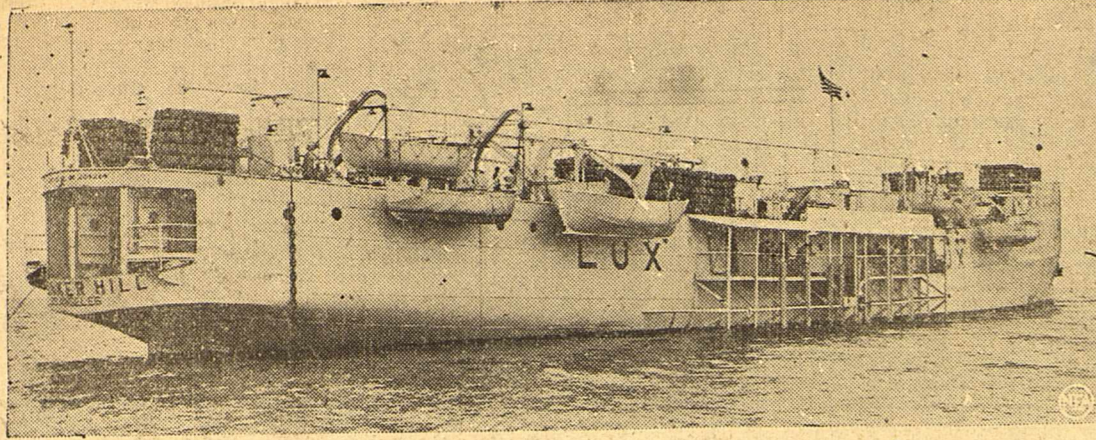
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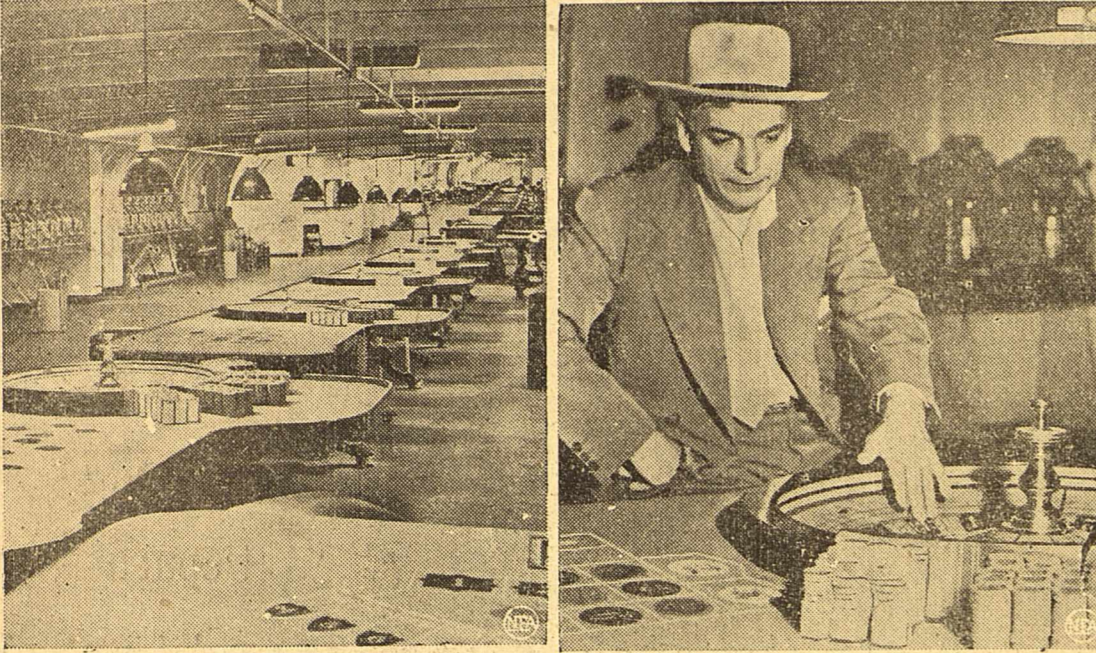
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Floating Gambling Casino Poses Legal Puzzle



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"Admiral" Tony Stralla personally checks roulette wheel. Note row of slot machines in background.

California legal minds are puzzled over what to do about the floating gambling ship "Lux," built by "Admiral" Tony Cornero Stralla, gambling king. A converted minesweeper, the ship is anchored in the Pacific, five miles off Long Beach, Calif., well outside the three-mile territorial limit of the U. S. The main gambling room of the ship, about "as big as a football field" contains every kind of gambling facility, from crap tables and roulette wheels to slot machines. For thirsty patrons there is a flashy cocktail lounge and a 100-foot bar; a night club offers entertainment for those seeking respite from courting Lady Luck. Recently authorities have tied up a fleet of water taxis plying between shore and the ship. The judge at Long Beach so far has refused to grant a temporary restraining order forcing authorities to release the taxis.

Justice Officials Study Complaints On Price Fixing

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Justice Department disclosed Friday that it is studying complaints of price fixing and artificial shortages in meat.

An official fully acquainted with the study said that since OPA price controls on meat lapsed July 1 the department has received numerous reports on various illegal trade tactics from many sections of the country.

In addition to reports of artificially created shortages and price-fixing agreements, the official said other complaints being received include:

1. Attempts to coerce retail meat dealers into making "tie-in purchases." Some dealers have said they are being forced to buy unwanted products in order to get fresh meat.
2. The assertedly large scale entry of some meat wholesalers and packers into the retail business. The Antitrust Division is studying to what extent this threatens the survival of independent meat retailers.

Charge Hides Withheld

3. Withholding of hides from the market in an attempt to get higher prices. A Civilian Production Administration drive also is underway in this field in an effort to avert a threatened shutdown of shoe production.

In addition to the meat and hides inquires, the Justice Department official said the agency is receiving "a very large number" of complaints of private price fixing agreements involving other industries producing commodities no longer controlled by price ceilings. He declined to name these industries.

Meat and livestock products were among several items which Congress, in reviving OPA last month, decreed should be left free of price control until at least August 20. Final say on restoring ceilings was left up to the new decontrol board which, concluded four days of public hearings on the subject Thursday.

Jester And Rainey Answer Charges

By The Associated Press

Beauford H. Jester and Homer P. Rainey were answering each other's charges Thursday night.

Jester, continuing his Central Texas tour, charged that Rainey had made "false statements" regarding the railroad commissioner's stand on repeal of the \$35,000,000 ceiling on old age pensions.

Rainey, completing his two-day swing through Northeast Texas, attacked Jester's assertion that Rainey's oil and gas tax plan is unconstitutional.

"My stand on lifting the ceiling on old age pensions," Jester told a Taylor audience Thursday night, "has been repeatedly published and broadcast."

"From the beginning of my campaign, I have advocated lifting the \$35,000,000 ceiling, and I expect to be able to raise payments to the aged to \$45 monthly under the terms of the new federal social security bill," he asserted.

Rainey said that at first Jester would not tell why he was opposed to the former university president's proposal for an increase of two cents additional on natural gas.

"Now he says that Homer Rainey's tax plan is unconstitutional," Rainey said. "That's the same argument made by attorneys for Standard Oil Corporation against a tax of 11 cents a barrel on Louisiana oil. But the Supreme Court of the United States held that the tax on Louisiana oil was constitutional."

Midland JayCees Are Invited To Convention

Midland JayCees have been invited to attend a bi-regional conventional of Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce regions 3 and 4 at Sweetwater, August 31.

Registration is from 10 a. m. to 12 noon at the Bluebonnet Hotel. The luncheon will be held from 12:15 to 1:30 p. m. in the Sky Room at the Bluebonnet. John Ben Shepard of Gladewater will be principal speaker.

A business session in the afternoon is under direction of A. C. (Ske) Sides of Abilene.

Boating, swimming, fishing, golfing, and a barbecue are promised for entertainment.

Sweetwater JayCee-Ettes will entertain wives and sweethearts from 2 to 5 p. m. in the afternoon.

A dance closes the day.

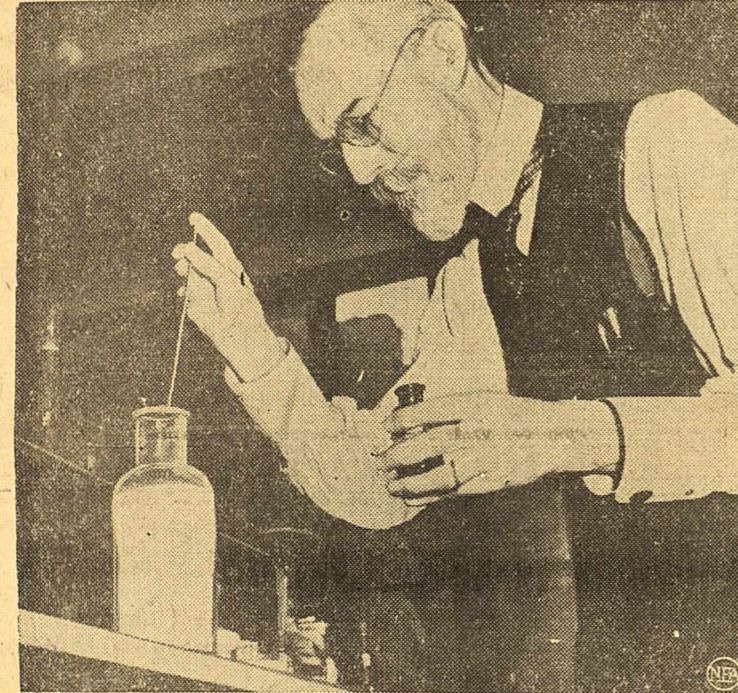
RESIDENCE BURNS

A residence on North Mineola Street in the Latin-American section was damaged by fire Thursday.

RETURN FROM VACATION

J. A. Richardson and family of Midland returned Friday from a two weeks vacation in Eastern Oklahoma. Richardson reports good fishing every day.

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Connally Sails On Queen Mary For Paris

NEW YORK—(AP)—Declaring that Russia has "maintained an unreasonable position" at the Paris peace conference, Sen. Tom Connally (D-Texas), chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, boarded the liner Queen Mary Friday to sail for France to assist Secretary of State James F. Byrnes at the conference.

The senator talked to reporters aboard the liner and ended his conference by saying: "We cannot settle international difficulties like a bunch of fussy schoolboys."

Senator Connally gave this statement to reporters in his cabin: "We are more or less disappointed that the conference has not made more headway on the treaties themselves. We have simply got to make peace. We cannot leave the international situation in mid-air."

Kermit Firm Starts Office Construction

KERMIT—The first part of a large expansion program was started this week when the Key Insurance Agency began construction of a small office building on two downtown business lots which recently were purchased from the American Legion Post.

James E. Key, owner of the agency, has not announced what plans are being made for use of the property.

Announcement has been made that Webb D. Jenkins, of Monahans, has become a partner in the company, and is to manage the Kermit office. Mrs. Elizabeth Welch, who has been the company's representative here, will work with Jenkins.

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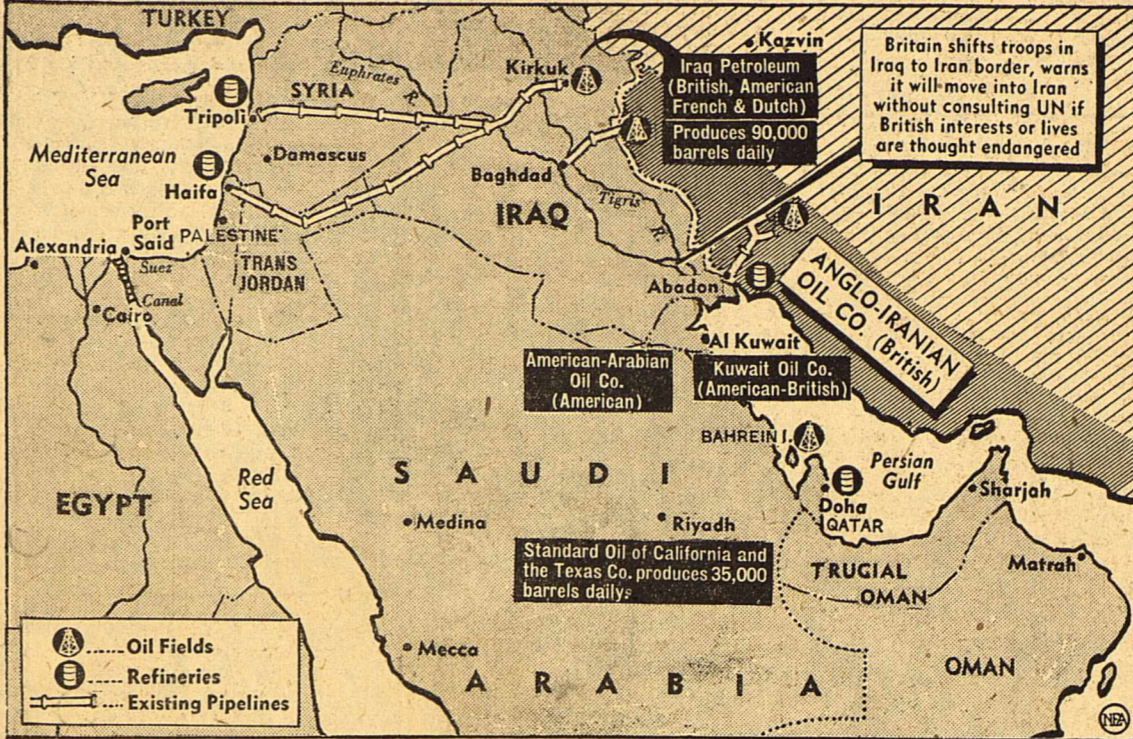
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British Set to Act Over Iranian Oil Field Strikes



Domestic unrest in Iran, highlighted by two strikes of 50,000 workers which paralyzed vital British-held oil fields for weeks, may compel Great Britain to move armed forces into Iran. The British government owns over half of the Anglo-Iranian oil company, whose Khuzistan wells are the largest in the Middle East, producing 17,000,000 tons in 1945. Iran has protested recent dispatch of British troops from India to southern Iraq and has demanded withdrawal of British forces now concentrated on Iran-Iraq border.

Al Fresco Shopping in Berlin



Many Berlin merchants, bombed out of their stores and unable to rebuild since the war ended, have set up shop on the sidewalks. In photo above, potential customers look over the stock of a sidewalk hardware "store."

Texan Attorney Leaves For Crown Jewel Trials

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Roy C. Carlton, Kilgore, Texas, veteran, and his attorney, Fred Erisman, Longview, Texas, left by plane Friday for Frankfurt, Germany, where Carlton will testify in the Hesse crown jewel case.

Carlton and Erisman, acting under War Department instructions, declined to disclose what testimony Carlton will give.

The War Department said June 13 that Carlton had submitted voluntarily to questioning and had been cleared of complicity in the removal to this country of \$1,500,000 worth of Hesse crown jewels taken from Kronberg castle.

WAC Capt. Kathleen Nash Durant; her husband, Col. Jack Durant; and Maj. David F. Watson, are being held. Carlton will testify at the trials of one or more of them.

Allred To Speak At San Angelo

AUSTIN—(AP)—Former Governor James V. Allred will make his first stump speech in behalf of the candidacy for governor of Homer P. Rainey Friday night at San Angelo.

Allred has made one radio speech for Rainey.

Rainey headquarters said the San Angelo meeting would be a five-county Rainey-for-governor rally.

Receives Injuries In Truck-Auto Collision

Earl Kemp received minor leg injuries in an automobile-truck collision in Midland Thursday on West Kentucky Street.

Police said the truck was driven by Ciro Sanchez and the automobile by Richard Vaughn. Kemp, who was riding in the truck, was treated at a hospital.

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Man Captured In Texas Sentenced For Fraud

SEATTLE—(AP)—Charles Jones, 49, who was arrested in Galveston, Texas, June 28 after a nationwide three-year search, drew a three-year sentence Friday in Federal Court on a long-standing mail fraud charge.

U. S. District Attorney J. Charles Dennis accused him of having obtained hundreds of dollars in Seattle by assurances of big profits in shipping foodstuffs to black market of Axis-dominated countries of Europe.



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Daughter Of Mine

By R. Louise Emery

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XXIII
CECILY made it official the next day that she had told Steve they were not right for each other. Steve took it hard. That afternoon he dropped in at the playground to see Robert.

"Cecily is right," Robert told Steve, and Steve's protests stilled against the quiet authority of his words. "She's still in a state of flux—and you've always had things too easy. Steve. You can't help her over the next five years. Val can. He's been through the mill."
Steve couldn't accept defeat. "It's love Cecily needs. I love her."

"Yes," Robert said gently, "but she doesn't love you, Steve. It would have been Val from the beginning if Della hadn't stymied it. You know that, don't you?"

Corinna had been in the next office, pretending to file Robert's correspondence, listening shamelessly to every word through the crack in the door that had widened—not by accident—two minutes after Steve entered.

When he rose to leave, still grim and unhappy, Corinna swung the door back.
"Steve!" she halted him. "Wait a minute. You're coming home with us to dinner."

He started to refuse, but Corinna stepped into a slant of late afternoon sunshine and it sprayed her long curling bob with gold. Corinna is earthy and gay and sometimes she is beautiful. This was one of those moments. There was compassion in the blue eyes beneath gold-tipped lashes but it was not that which called to Steve; it was something else, indefinable, teasing, which stirred him. He glanced sharply at Corinna, seeing in the slimmest and vital of that young body—

"Thanks," he said, and cleared his throat. "I'm not very hungry—but I guess I'd like to have dinner at your house, anyhow."

"But Cecily wants some remem-

brance from her put on her mother's grave," Robert went on. "She left money with me—I'm to ask your assistance in the matter—"

I FELT myself turn to chalk. Robert gave his attention to his hands as if seeing me were painful to him.
"But I've often thought," he said, "What a strange story it would be if Cecily's mother had not died after all—if, after signing these adoption papers she unexpectedly recovered—"

My lips formed a denial but it would not pass the stricture in my throat.
"Undoubtedly," Robert said as if he had not been aware of my attempt, "that would have meant complications. If Della and Thorne had cared for the baby at their own expense during the mother's months of convalescence she would be bound by gratitude not to jeopardize Thorne's life at a critical period by demanding that the adoption be set aside. She might have made an agreement with Della to wait, hoping for Thorne's recovery, until she saw, too late, that he would never be well. And Della, of course, considers anything hers which has cost her money. But the only logical conclusion now is that she insists on withholding the mother's name because she is alive. Cecily might turn to her."

The thunder of judgment was upon me. I struck out blindly to find the doorknob. "What difference does it make? Della doesn't want it told—she usually has her way, doesn't she?"

"She won't have it this time," Robert said. "It's gone too far. Neither of you can hold it back much longer. Cecily will know."

I tried to laugh. I tried to steer Robert away from his proximity to the truth. "It isn't possible for her to find out. She can't stumble onto anything—"

"Except perhaps the same mirror where Corinna is trying on a hat," Robert said.
"Corinna!" I exclaimed, aghast. And then as the full magnitude of that prophecy swept over me I moaned, "No!"

(To Be Concluded)

Nine Anarchists Executed in Greece

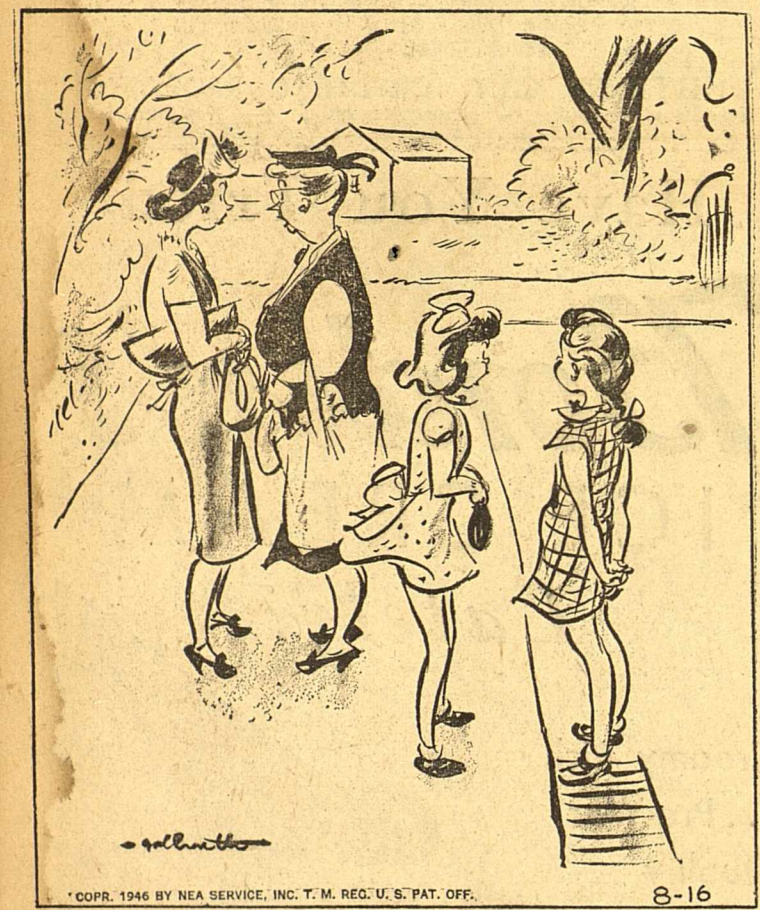
ATHENS—(AP)—Five soldiers and four civilians, members of an Anarchist band condemned to death last week by a military court for participating in an attack on a military camp at Pontokerasia, near Kilkis, were executed Friday by a firing squad at Kilkis.
More than 20 officers and 20 soldiers were slain in the attack on the camp.

Argentina Denies Invitation To Poles

BUENOS AIRES—(AP)—Santiago M. Peralta, Argentine director of immigration, said Friday he knew nothing about reports published abroad that he had announced Argentina would receive 200,000 members of the exiled Polish army of Lt. Gen. Wladislaw Anders and 1,000 Norwegians as immigrants.

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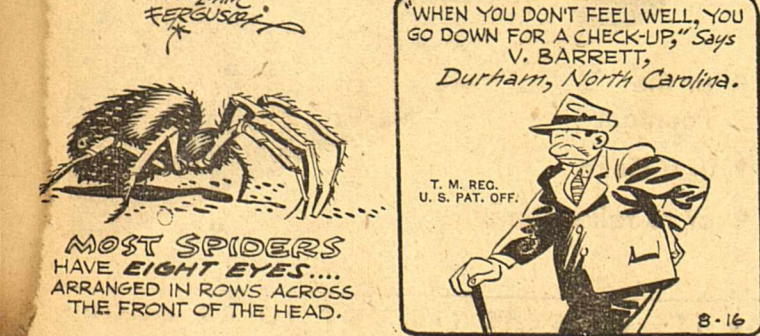
"When my mother says somebody is intelligent, you know what that means, don't you? Well, it really means she's not much on looks!"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY
America's Card Authority

At every tournament discussions come up regarding the way certain combinations of cards should be played. There is a trump combination in today's hand that we are often confronted with.

Should we lead to the ace and back to the queen-ten?
Most experts agree that the proper play is to lead the queen toward the ace, hoping to find the honors split and thus lose only one trick. However, when West doubled the four heart contract on today's hand, Milton Vernoff of Miami Beach, Fla., who was the declarer, decided to play the doubler for all of the missing trumps.

West was foolish to double just because he held four trumps, and

to make matters worse, his opening lead was unfortunate. Vernoff (South) won the diamond opening with the jack and led the nine of hearts. When West played the deuce, declarer let it ride, playing the three from dummy. Then he cashed the king and ace of spades, and led the three of spades. West decided to let go a club, so Vernoff trumped in dummy with the seven of hearts, returned to his hand with a diamond and led another spade. Again West discarded a club, declarer trumped with dummy's eight of hearts and came back to his hand with a diamond. All Vernoff had to concede was two hearts and the ace of clubs.

Sound doubles should be backed by high tricks. Do not depend on your trump holding to set a contract. Some good players will not double a ten trick contract unless they are pretty sure of taking five tricks, one more than necessary to defeat the contract.

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South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠ Pass
2 ♥ Pass 3 ♥ Pass
4 ♣ Double Pass
Opening—♦ 4 16

♠ K 5
♥ A 8 7 3
♦ 8 6 2
♣ K J 6 4

♠ Q J 7 2
♥ 4
♦ 9 5
♣ A Q 10 7 5 2

Dealer
Vernoff
♠ A 9 8 6 3
♥ Q 10 9 5
♦ A K J
♣ A 3

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Political Announcements

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS —By Merrill Blosser



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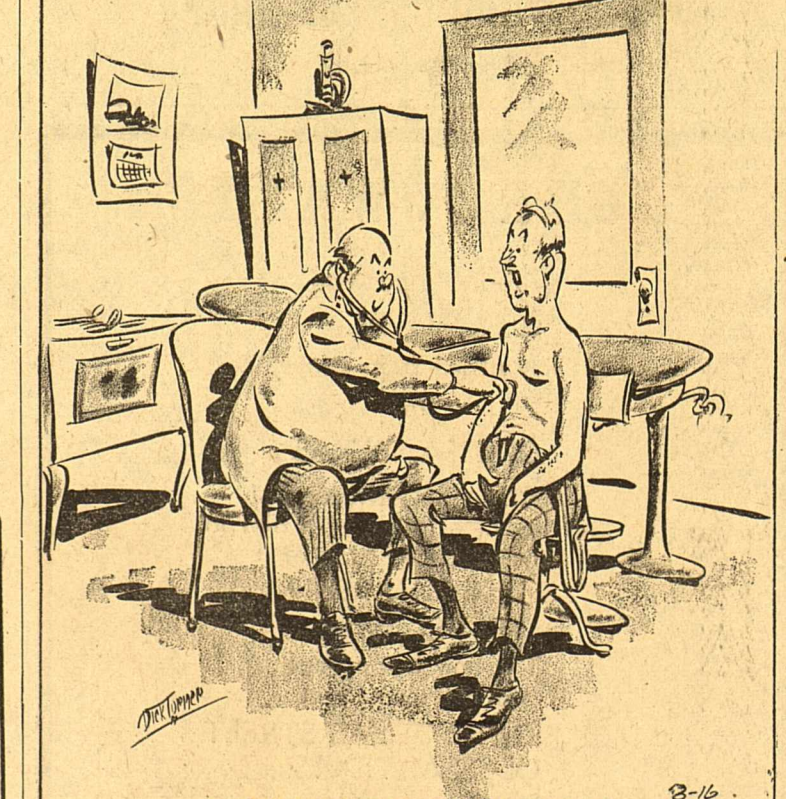
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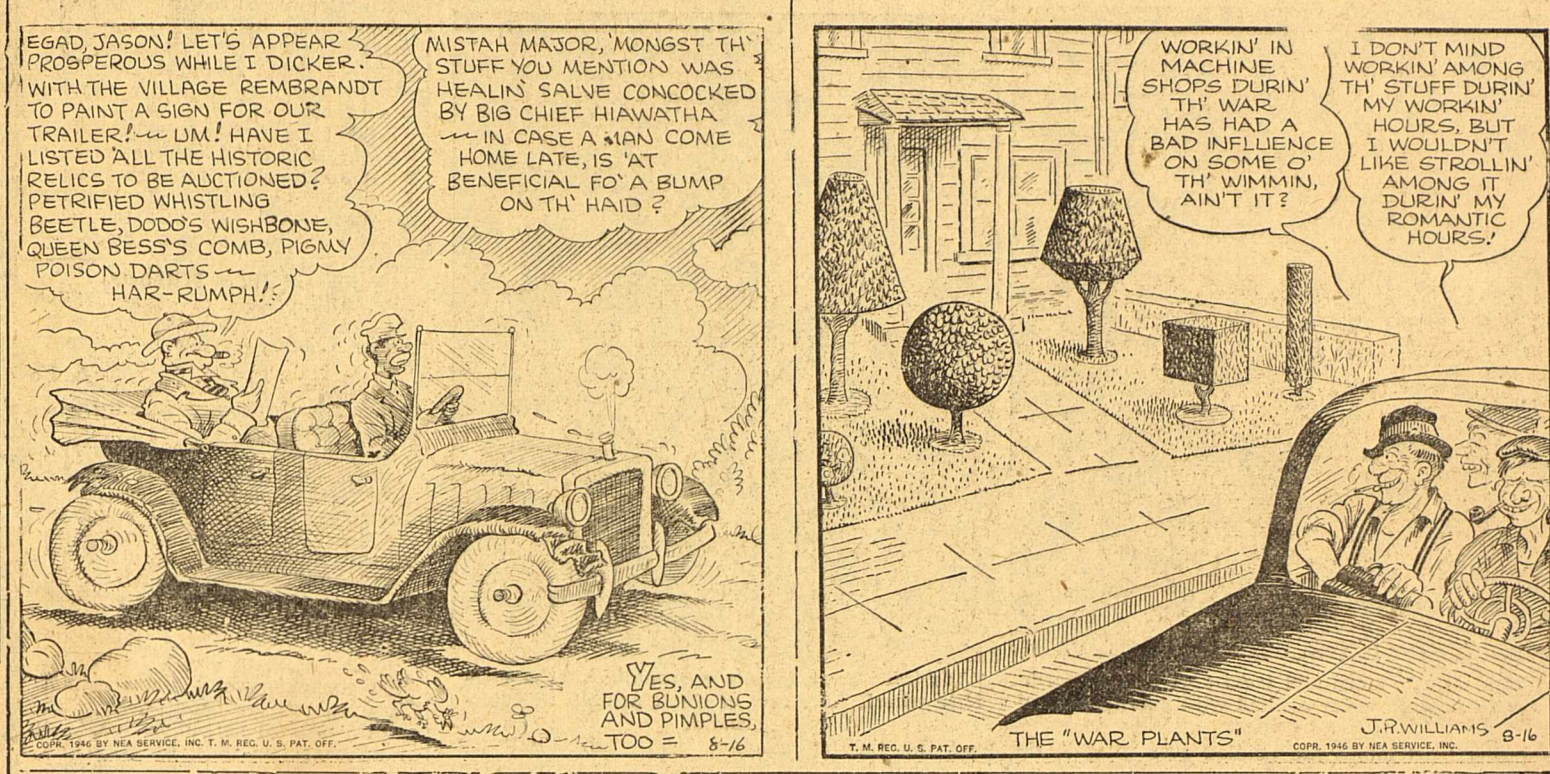
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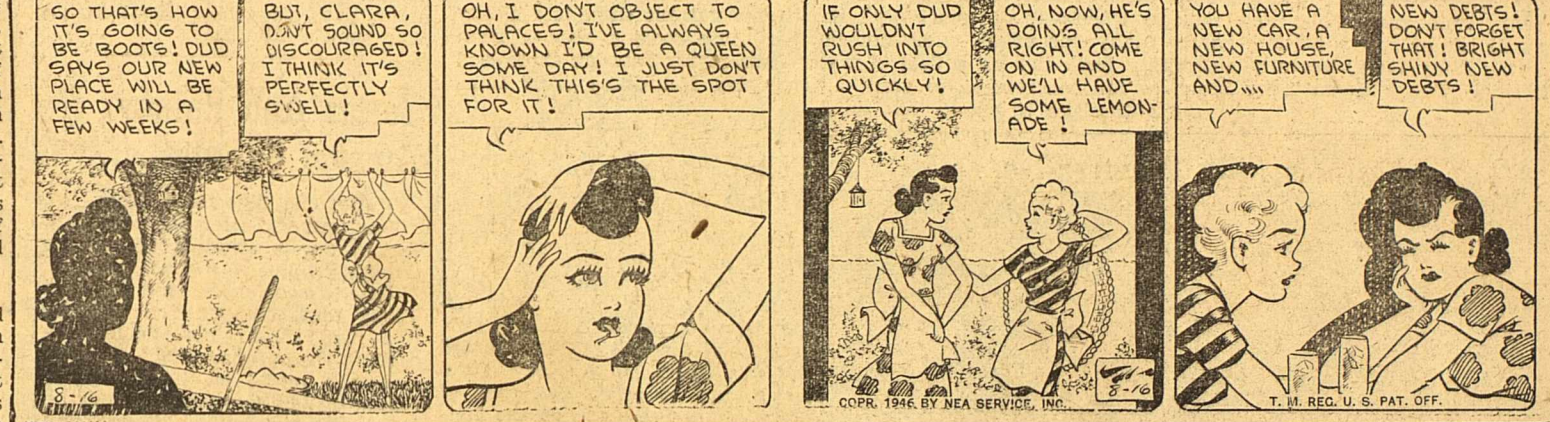
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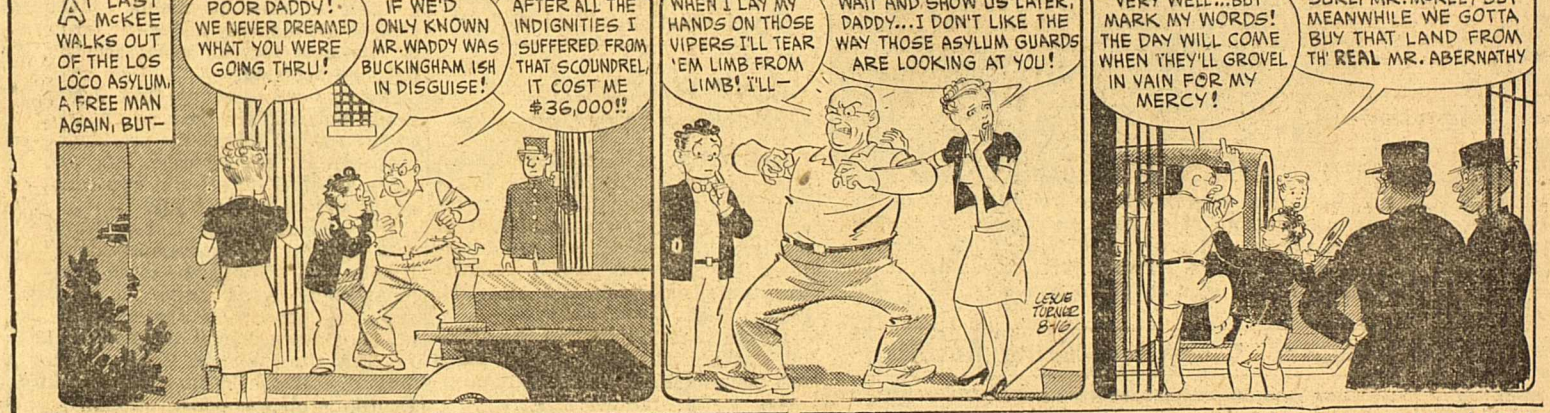
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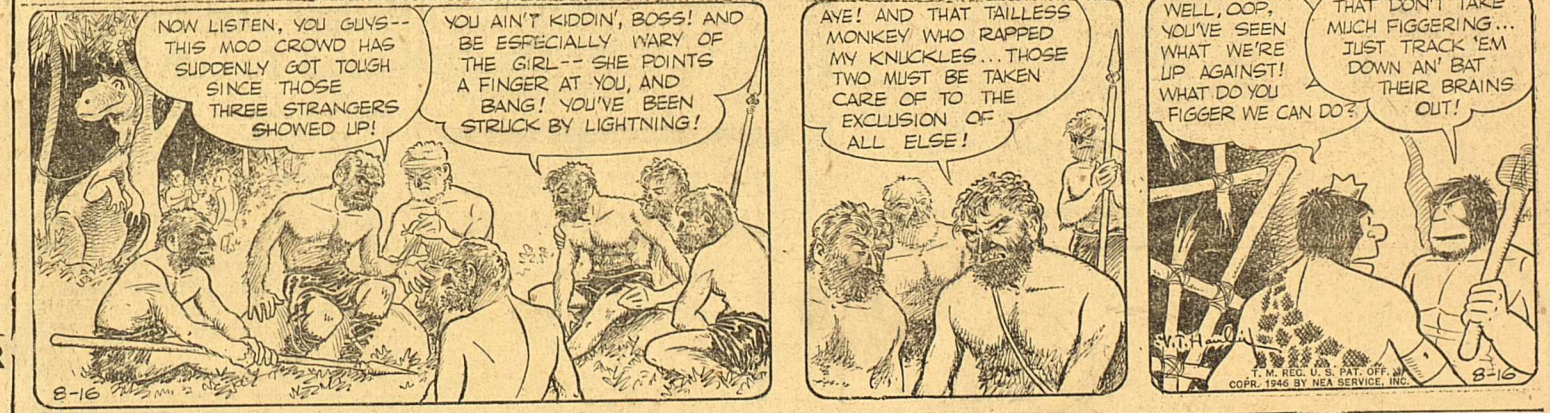
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Down on the Farm



Away from heat and headaches, Joe McCarthy, who resigned May 24, keeps posted on baseball while taking it easy on Amherst farm, hard by Buffalo.

Boston Could Sew Up American Loop In Yankee Series

By JOE REICHLER
Associated Press Sports Writer
The pennant-bound Boston Red Sox—and even the most conservative Red Sox rooters now feel certain their team will win this year—can all but sew up the American League flag if they are able to sweep the four-game series that opens Friday with the New York Yankees.

The race has reached a point where a mild winning streak by the pace-setters, especially against their closest competitors, will make the Yankees and Detroit Tigers start thinking about next year.

If the Red Sox, now enjoying a 12-game lead, beat the Yankees in all four games and go on to play 500 ball in their remaining 37 contests, the Yankees will be faced with the difficult task of winning 37 of their remaining 39 games in order to steal the pennant.

The Yankees prepared for their Hub invasion Thursday by sweeping a doubleheader from the Washington Senators at the Yankee Stadium 6-1 and 7-2.

Philadelphia Beats Red Sox
Outfielder Sam Chapman ran riot in Philadelphia, hitting three home runs, to lead the Athletics to a 5-3 victory over the Red Sox. Hal Newhouser came through with a splendid 3-0 shutout victory over the Chicago White Sox in Detroit.

In the torrid National League race, the first place Brooklyn Dodgers increased their margin to two games over the runner-up St. Louis Cardinals by trampling the New York Giants 7-1.

The Cincinnati Reds snapped a nine-game losing streak when they defeated the Cubs in Chicago 6-3 in the first game of a doubleheader but reverted to their losing ways when the Cubs beat them 3-2 in the nightcap.

The Boston Braves and Philadelphia Phils divided a twin bill at Boston, the Phils outlasting the Tribesmen 15-11 in a free-hitting first game and the Braves winning the second 3-1.

Aided by Manager Lou Boudreau's two-run triple, the Cleveland Indians pushed over three runs in the fourth inning of their home night game with the St. Louis Browns to win 3-2.

The scheduled night contest between the St. Louis Cardinals and Pittsburgh Pirates was postponed by rain.

HOW THEY STAND

THURSDAY'S RESULTS

Texas League
Houston 9, Tulsa 5.
Fort Worth 4, Beaumont 3.
Shreveport 5-2, Dallas 0-3.
San Antonio 5-0, Okla. City 3-2.

American League
New York 6-7, Washington 1-2.
Detroit 3, Chicago 0.
Philadelphia 5, Boston 3.
Cleveland 3, St. Louis 2.

National League
Brooklyn 7, New York 1.
Philadelphia 15-1, Boston 11-3.
Cincinnati 9-2, Chicago 3-3.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis, ppd. rain.
West Texas-New Mexico League
Lubbock 9, Lamesa 2.
Ablene 5, Amarillo 3.
Pampa 8, Clovis 4.
Borger 8, Albuquerque 2.
City Softball League
JayCees 12, MAAF 1.
Oil Scouts 13, Mackey Motors 12.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

Texas League

Team	W	L	Pct.
Fort Worth	84	43	.661
Dallas	75	53	.586
San Antonio	72	54	.571
Tulsa	69	58	.543
Beaumont	61	66	.480
Shreveport	54	73	.425
Houston	48	79	.378
Oklahoma City	45	82	.354

American League

Team	W	L	Pct.
Boston	79	34	.699
New York	66	45	.595
Detroit	62	47	.569
Washington	55	58	.487
Cleveland	55	59	.482
Chicago	50	62	.446
St. Louis	47	63	.427
Philadelphia	33	79	.295

National League

Team	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	69	42	.622
St. Louis	65	42	.607
Chicago	57	51	.528
Boston	54	53	.505
Cincinnati	49	59	.454
New York	48	62	.436
Philadelphia	46	61	.430
Pittsburgh	43	61	.413

POLICE ARREST ARABS WHO BOMBED U. S. LEGATION
BEYROUT, LEBANON—(AP)—Police announced Thursday the arrest of two Lebanese Arabs, who, they said, confessed to bombing the American legation and the British consulate here last week.

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JayCees Beat MAAF To Earn Place In Red Playoff, Scouts Nip Mackey

The JayCees beat MAAF, 12 to 1, Thursday night in a makeup city league softball game to finish second in the Red circuit and go into the playoff of that unit.

In an exhibition tilt, the Oil Scouts barely got by Mackey Motors, 13 to 12. The Scouts are in the playoff in the Red league, and Mackey in the Blue.

League playoff games begin Monday when The Reporter-Tele-

gram opposes Mackey Motors in the Blue circuit at 8 p. m. and the Oil Scouts play the JayCees in the Red league at 8 p. m. Tuesday.

Wednesday the JayCees and Oil Scouts are scheduled at 7 p. m. and Mackey Motors and The Reporter-Telegram at 9 p. m.

Friday night (if necessary) The Reporter-Telegram will meet Mackey Motors at 7 p. m.; and Oil Scouts will oppose the JayCees at 9 p. m.

Week after next the winners of the league playoff games will meet in the city championship three-out-of-five series. Games are carded on Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights and may lap over to the next Monday.

An admission of 25 cents for adults and 10 cents for children will be charged by the Junior Chamber of Commerce for the playoff games and also the championship series. The JayCees will put the diamond in shape for the games.

Plans call for broadcasting some of these games, including the city championship series, over KCRS. Also loud-speaking equipment is expected for use in giving fans a play-by-play at the diamond.

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Play Starts Friday In Softball Tourney

HOUSTON—(AP)—Nineteen games are scheduled here Friday for the opening round of the Texas Amateur Softball Association's state play-off.

Thirty-five teams are entered in the tournament.

Houston's Slush Pump team, defending champions, have been tendered the favorite's role.

Officials tab other strong entries as being Fort Worth's Lysaght Furniture, San Antonio B-1 Bottlers, Dallas Champay, Lake Jackson All-Stars, Waco Morris Jewellers and the Corpus Christi Jay-Cees.

Monahans Coke and Odessa West Tex Gulf are representing the Midland district. A. T. Pierce, Reporter-Telegram pitcher, has joined the Monahans club for the state tournament.

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Favorites Advance In State Tennis Tourney
TYLER—(AP)—Favorites controlled the opening round of play here Thursday in the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation tennis tournament.

Bernard Clinton of Dallas, seeded Number 2 in men's singles, edged out Gordon Pease of San Antonio, 6-4, 9-7, while Bob Kamrath of Austin, seeded Number 3, defeated Dudley Baskett or Marshall, 6-0, 6-3.

Billy Owens of Tyler and Palestine, the last year's runner-up and seeded Number 1, received a default in his first match.

San Angeloan Loses In Newport Tennis Meet
NEWPORT, R. I.—(AP)—Two Texans, members of doubles teams competing in the Newport Casino tennis meet, met defeat Thursday in first round doubles play.

Clarence Mabry, Alice, Texas, and James Lichtman, New Rochelle, N. Y., were defeated by Alejo Russell and Enrique Morea of Argentina, 6-3, 8-6.

Bernard Bartzan of San Angelo, and Herb Flam of Beverly Hills, Calif., lost to Jack Kramer of Los Angeles and Ted Schroeder, former national singles champion from Los Angeles, 6-3, 5-7, 6-3.

Globe Aircraft Favored In Girls State Tourney
DALLAS—(AP)—The Texas Amateur Athletic Federation's annual girls' softball tournament gets underway here Friday with the Bell Cleaners team of Dallas slight favorites over Globe Aircraft of Fort Worth.

In Friday's competition, St. Joseph Nurses of Fort Worth meet Lyford, Texas; Globe Aircraft will play Austin; and Galveston will meet Bexar Radio of San Angelo.

VACATION IN ST. LOUIS
Mrs. O. W. Wall and Mrs. Dorothy Gates of Midland are spending a two week vacation in St. Louis, Mo.

Finals Set Friday In Boxing Meet
FORT WORTH—(AP)—Six boxers from Dallas, four from Fort Worth, two each from Plainview and Austin and one each from Tyler and Beaumont will fight for Texas Amateur Athletic Federation championships here Friday night in the finals for the 1946 tournament.

The Dallas squad has not lost a fight and is favored to win the team trophy.

DR. JOHNSON RETURNS
Dr. Homer Johnson of the West-cen Clinic staff has returned to the city following a vacation.

CIVIL WAR VET TO FLY TO ENCAMPMENT
LONG BEACH, CALIF.—(AP)—Charles L. Chappel, who says he will be the only member of the California-Nevada G. A. R. Department at the 80th encampment in Indianapolis August 25-30, plans to go by plane.

"Trains are too slow," says 99-year-old Chappel.

LUBBOCK HAS FIRST BALE
LUBBOCK—(AP)—Lubbock county's first bale of cotton was ginned here late Thursday. Grown by L. L. Rucker, tenant farmer, the bale weighed 416 pounds and was ginned three weeks earlier than last year's first bale.