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Air Force Checks Possible Red Jamming Of Radio Beams

BERLIN—(AP)—U. S. Air Force officers said Friday they are investigating possible Soviet interference with the radio beam used by American pilots flying food to blockaded Berlin.

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Woman Is Bludgeoned To Death Three Others Are Savagely Beaten In Similar Attacks



Bathing Bustle The name of this creation of Paris designer Jacques Heim is Tra-La-La. It's a big bustle, of checked cotton, which the ladies attach to their brief trunks and top off with a halter bra.

Midland Bank Deposits Near \$30,000,000

Bank deposits in Midland have increased \$7,491,568.59 during the last 12 months to a record total of \$29,895,951.31, reports of the two banks showed Friday.

'Big Steel' Turns Down Coal Pact

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Eighteen steel and coal companies refused Friday to sign the new coal mining contract and filed charges of unfair labor practices against John L. Lewis and the United Mine Workers.

Democrats Boost Ike, Talk Recall Of 80th Congress

By The Associated Press By convention resolution, Georgia Democrats Friday asked their party to draft Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower for its presidential nomination.

TGT To Get Trans-Arabian Steel Pipe

HOUSTON—(AP)—Officials of the Tennessee Gas Transmission Company Friday said steel pipe originally assigned to construction of the Trans-Arabian pipe line has been released to the Houston company.

Series Of Half-Day Industrial Strikes Launched In Italy

ROME—(AP)—A series of nationwide industrial strikes began in Italy at noon Friday. They were called by the Communist-led General Confederation of Labor.

Regan's Campaign For Reelection Is Launched By Friends

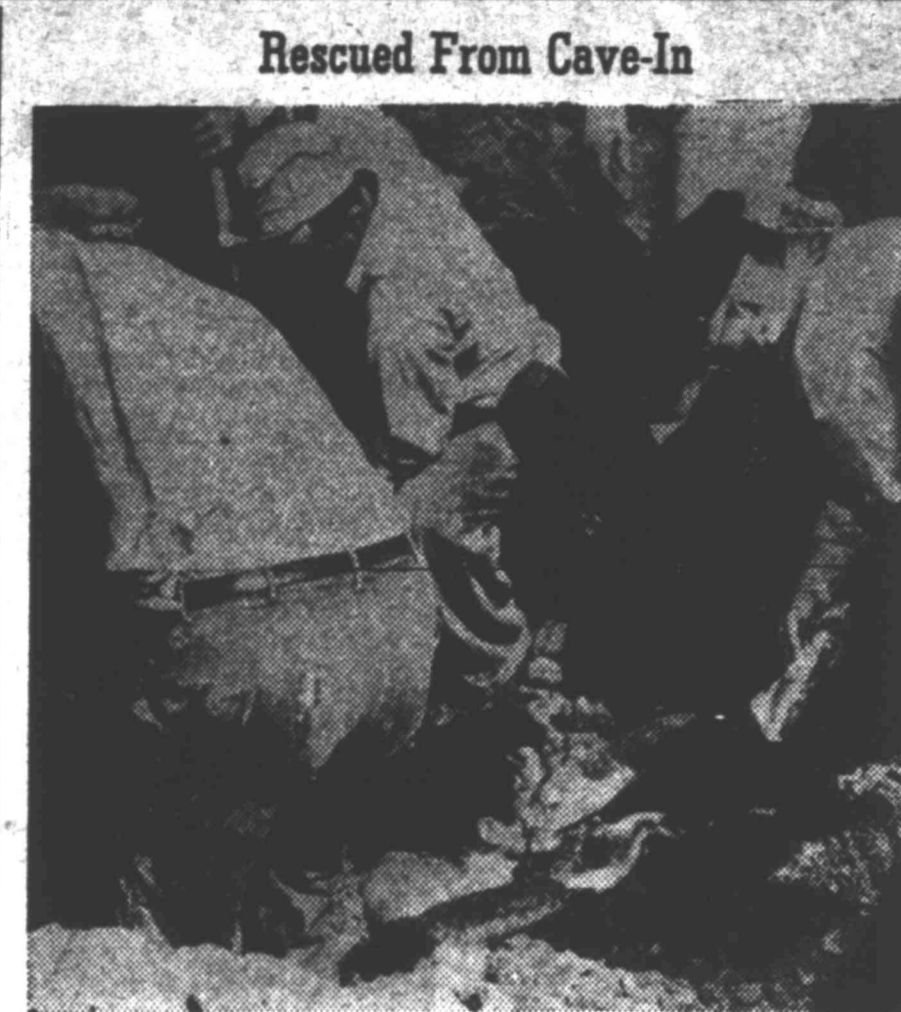
Congressman Ken Regan of the 16th Texas District Friday formally announced his candidacy for reelection, subject to the Democratic Primary.

Bernadotte To Meet Arabs In Effort To Salvage Peace Plans

CAIRO—(AP)—Count Folke Bernadotte is expected in Cairo Saturday to try to salvage his Palestine peace plans in the face of threatened Arab rejection.

Free Fireworks To Be Seen At 9 P.M. Monday

The Chamber of Commerce free fireworks display at Midland Airport Monday night will begin promptly at 9 p. m., Dabert Downing, C. of C. announced Friday.



Rescued From Cave-In Workmen dig frantically to release Donald Cooper, 22, as Capt. Arthur Moran of the Omaha Fire Department rescue squad puts splints on Cooper's broken finger.

Heavy Downpour Produces Local Flood At Hondo

A local flood following five inches of rain chased some 200 residents of Hondo from their homes late Thursday, while most other parts of Texas were enjoying ideal summer weather.

Citizens Are Urged To Cooperate With Garbage Department

City Engineer T. G. Jenkins Friday asked all residents of Midland to cooperate with the City's Garbage Department so the collections of trash and garbage may be expedited in the residential areas.



Ken Regan

be able to return to his district before the Democratic Primary. Mrs. Regan opened the campaign in the Permian Basin area with a radio address Thursday over KORS, and Jess Lochausen opened the campaign in the El Paso area with a broadcast.

Marshall Mum On Blockade

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Soviet Refusal To Return Ships Revealed Friday

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The United States demanded in January, it was disclosed Friday, that Russia return immediately 28 Naval frigates and three ice breakers "lend-leased" to the Soviet during the war.

Yugoslavs Ask Stalin To Revoke Charges At Tito

LONDON—(AP)—Yugoslav Communists appealed directly to Prime Minister Stalin Friday to repudiate the Cominform charges against Premier Marshal Tito and his leadership.

★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Army appealed Friday to employers to help in the national defense program by giving leaves of absence to men for training or periods of active duty with reserve organizations.

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### Escape From Russian Zone



Two German girls who have succeeded in crossing illegally from the Russian zone in Berlin to the British zone are given a helping hand by a German policeman, who's getting their baggage through the barbed wire beside the road at a British check.

### Infantile Paralysis Cases In Nation Run Ahead Of 1946 Figures

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Health authorities say infantile paralysis cases this year already exceed the total for a comparable period in 1946 but it's still too early to say whether 1946 will rank as a major epidemic year.

The year 1946 was the second worst polio year on record.

This year the Public Health Service has reported "unusual incidence" in Texas, North Carolina and California. It said those three accounted for 64 per cent of the nation's total of 2,007 cases up to June 25.

There were 1,123 cases for the same period in 1947 and 1,529 in 1946.

The total number of cases for the year 1946 was 25,247. That was second only to 1916 when about 30,000 were reported. Health authorities had no figures on what the situation was at this time of year in 1916.

Texas had had 579 cases to June 25; North Carolina 270, and California 281. Health officials reported 616 cases for the same period of the year 1946.

Cats cannot see in absolute darkness. Their vision, however, is unusually acute in the dusk.

### Lions Club Officers Installed At Picnic At Cloverdale Park

New officers and directors of the Midland Lions Club were installed Thursday night at a picnic in Cloverdale Park, where some 150 persons including Lions, their families and guests were present.

Entertainment was furnished by the Lions Club Band, which will leave here July 23 for New York to represent the Midland club at the international convention.

Shelley Riley, Big Spring, District 2-T-2 governor-elect, formally installed the new officers after being introduced by Jim Daugherty, past president of the club here. Congratulating Daugherty on his record as head of the largest and most active Lions Club in the district, Riley installed, as new officers, the following:

The Rev. Clyde Lindsley, pastor of the First Christian Church, president; Mayor R. H. (Rusty) Gifford, lion tamer; Duke Jimerson, tail wistler; and Roy Minear, C. E. Pritchard and J. P. Carson, Jr., vice president. L. V. Basham, Carl Herndon and W. G. Keeler were installed as new two-year-term directors, and E. L. Stevens was installed to fill the unexpired term of Carson as director.

Daugherty, in addition to receiving plaudits for having led the club through a successful year, was presented with a handsome past president's pin and an expensive belt and buckle set. Also, Riley announced he had named him deputy governor of District 2-T-2.

### Senatorial Hopefuls Cross Trails Twice In Friday's Campaigning

By The Associated Press

Two Texas senatorial candidates cross campaign trails twice Friday, and may even meet face to face.

They are former Gov. Coke Stevenson and Rep. Lyndon Johnson. Both were scheduled to appear at the 18th annual Texas Cowboy Reunion at Stamford.

Their paths cross again later in the day at Abilene.

George Pedy, who is also seeking the job of U. S. senator, went on the air Thursday night at Sulphur Springs. Efforts to create interest "with a flying windmill" have been a failure for one of his opponents, he said.

In Houston attending the ninth annual convention of the State Bar of Texas is Casio March, candidate for governor. From Houston he goes to San Antonio by the way of Columbus and Schulenburg. In a radio talk at Houston, March said lack of redistricting is particularly unfair to South Texas areas.

Roger Q. Evans said in a radio speech at San Antonio that 85 per cent of the money needed to pay bonuses to Texas veterans could come from taxation of natural resources going outside of the state.

New Tax For Jester

Holmes May, running for governor, put a new tag on incumbent Beauford Jester. Holmes in a speech at Brady called the present chief executive "No Comment Jester."

James D. Griffin, candidate for state commissioner of agriculture, was in Dallas and Fort Worth Friday telling voters he advocates a five-man council to advise the commissioner on problems of farmers.

Every Texan has a pocketbook interest in the Railroad Campaign. That's the slogan campaign of Railroad Commissioner William J. Murray. Murray, seeking election to fill the remainder of an unexpired term. He plans to make his first campaign broadcast July 6.

Also in Houston Thursday for the State Bar meeting was Gov. Beauford Jester. In a speech the governor said state ownership of tidelands is necessary "if we are to close the door to nationalization of a vital resource and concentration of power in the federal government at the expense of city halls, court-houses and state capitals."

First oil-fired locomotives appeared in 1887.

### Wins by a Lap



The National Secretaries Convention in Hollywood, Calif., named this gentleman "The Man We'd Most Like to Take Dictation From." He's orchestra leader Frank DeVol, and Hollywood secretary Betty Bigelow is the lapful.

### Dr. Chen Li-Fu Has New Ideology

By DeWITT MACKENZIE

AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

China has the biggest population of any nation—more than one-fifth the people of the whole globe. She also carries the greatest burden of tribulation.

She is torn with terrible civil war involving Communism. She is afflicted with an economic crisis which presents a seemingly bottomless pit. Millions are dying of starvation.

Conditions are so bad they have baffled not only the home government but all expert efforts at repair by America. It is intriguing to find top Chinese officials turning to a final resort to moral rehabilitation for a solution. They figure they can get further on the basis of brother cooperation than by hostilities and the exploitation of one group by another.

I'm recording an extraordinary development which I encountered the other day when I met Dr. Chen Li-Fu, vice president of the Chinese Parliament and one of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's right-hand men.

Doctor Chen has been attending the World Assembly for Moral Re-Armament in California as a representative of the Chinese government. This means that Generalissimo Chiang also subscribes to the idea.

Statesman-Philosopher

The 40-year-old Chen is a striking personality. A former educator, philosopher and noted author, Chen during 1919-23 took a mining course in Peking University and followed this with a degree of master of science at Pittsburgh University. Then he joined the miners' union and worked underground for more than a year.

The doctor has expressed the belief that a durable world peace is possible if the moral principles of mutual trust, mutual respect and mutual assistance could be accepted by all peoples of the world as the guiding principle of international relations.

"I see in moral re-arming the meeting point of East and West, China and America," he remarked. "MRA deals with fundamental things—morality, sound home life, national and international peace, a national and international scale. Here I see a dynamic force already in motion, giving a pattern and a pace for a new era of understanding. On this level we Chinese and you Americans talk the same language."

Knowing Chen as a Confucianist and not a Christian, I remarked that I supposed he based his statement on the fact that Confucianism and Christianity run parallel on many questions. He nodded, and said that because of the similarities it would be easy for the Chinese people to accept the moral teachings of the West.

Maybe Chen has hold of an idea.

### New Statutes Ban GI Fun

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Uncle Sam is banning courses of training or education for veterans who want them just for the fun of it.

If you're a veteran it might be a good idea to get an idea of what you can and can't do from now on. Start from the beginning.

Under the GI Bill of Rights, veterans have been able to take all kinds of courses and training.

They include not only college educations but things like dancing, photography, bartending, personality development, banjo playing, singing, public speaking.

About 11 months ago the U. S. Budget Bureau started an investigation of "avocational" training courses.

The bureau made a report which said some schools were offering courses purely for "recreational, social and leisure-time pursuits."

The bureau made its report to President Truman. And in his budget message to Congress, Truman said this fun-training was costing the taxpayers a lot of money.

Congress Made Changes

Congress made some changes. It said the Veterans Administration should not pay for any GI training which the VA decides is avocational or recreational.

Veterans who enrolled for such courses before June 30 can finish them, but no new ones can be undertaken.

But the problem is: What's avocational or recreational? For example:

One man may want to learn dancing just to be a social lion; another may want to learn it so he can make a living teaching it.

One man may want to learn photography as a hobby; another may want to make a living at it.

Where is the line drawn there? The Veterans Administration will have to do the deciding in each case when a veteran applies for such training.

If you're a veteran and want to take up something that is listed as avocational or recreational but you really want to use it in connection with your work, you'll have to convince the VA that.

### Crane News

CRANE—A. E. Galloway, Gulf employe, suffered a loss of two fingers of his left hand Wednesday. Galloway is a candidate for sheriff.

Mrs. J. G. Cochrum and daughter visited Mrs. Cochrum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Yates of Rankin, recently. Mr. and Mrs. Yates returned home with the Cochrum's.

New Crane residents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Brister and children. Brister is business manager of Crane Memorial Hospital. He recently held a similar position in Haskell.

The Chicago symphony orchestra has had only four conductors in its continuous 58 years of history.

### GIRL INDICTED IN DEATH OF EX-SAILOR

CORSICANA, TEXAS. — (AP) — Marie Michael, 18, of Richland, is wanted for murder here in the death of an ex-sailor, Johnny Leon Grimes.

Sheriff David Castles said the girl was indicted here Saturday by the Navarro County Grand Jury for murder in Grimes' death last January 25. The indictment says Grimes was beaten and kicked to death.

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### Relic From North Sea Sets Off Plane Search

SOUTH BEND, IND. — (AP) — A tiny war relic from the North Sea has prompted an unusual search on two continents. The relic is a small brass name plate from an airplane carburetor. It was found recently caught in one of the nets of the fishing-trawler Rance when the boat docked at Grimsby, England.

A fisherman sent the plate to its manufacturer, the Bendix Aviation Corporation here. Serial numbers showed it had come from a carburetor built during the war for a Rolls-Royce engine destined for a British bomber.

That started the company to wondering about the plane and its crew. It now hopes to learn the plane's fate through a search of technical war records in the United States and England.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

San Paul Ballew and Toka Marie Elma, and Roy Walter Thompson and Mary D. Gerald have received marriage licenses from the county clerk's office here.

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A special Fourth of July story, "The Parade," will be read by Mrs. W. C. Cartwright at the regular Children's Story Hour at 10:30 a. m. Saturday in the Children's Room of the Midland County Library.

She will also read "Bambino the Clown" and an installment of "The Wizard of Oz."

**Social Situation**

**SITUATION:** By mistake you accept two invitations for the same evening, and are wondering what you should do about the matter.

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**RIGHT WAY:** Get in touch with the hostess who was the second one to invite you and explain that you had previously accepted an invitation when you accepted hers.

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**WSCS Discusses  
Alcoholism Problems**

"The Christian, Alcohol, and Public Health" was the topic discussed at the meeting of the WSCS of the First Methodist Church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. W. F. Frothingham had charge of the program, lead the devotional and opening prayer.

Mrs. E. F. Haag discussed "The Christian Woman's Interest in Alcoholism" and Mrs. Tanner Laine spoke on "Alcoholism in the Home and Among Acquaintances."

After the program, the monthly business meeting was held, with Mrs. J. L. Tidwell, president, presiding.

Members of the Mary Scharbauer group were hostesses at the tea hour.

Members present were Mrs. G. P. Bradbury, Mrs. Bill Kinney, Mrs. Ralph Smith, Mrs. Laine, Mrs. George Thompson, Mrs. J. W. Thorne, Mrs. Frothingham, Mrs. L. C. Stevenson, Mrs. Haag, Mrs. J. L. Barber, Mrs. R. R. Russell, Mrs. Ray Godfrey, Mrs. R. D. Myers, Mrs. W. A. Black, Mrs. Mary Lou Snodgrass, Mrs. Minnie Crumley, Mrs. E. D. Messersmith, Mrs. E. J. Voliva, Mrs. Mollie McCormick, Mrs. O. F. Hedrick, Mrs. Velma Smith and Mrs. Tidwell.

**McCamey News**

**McCAMEY** — Mrs. Robert N. Clark and son Roy John of Denver City are visiting per parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Helms.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur M. Harris, O. F. Woodard and sons, Tommy, Curtis and Billy, will attend a Woodard family reunion in Brady Saturday.

J. W. C. Hayes of the Hayes Bakery plans to leave Monday on a vacation to the East and to Denver, Colo. He also plans to buy some new equipment while away.

Two recent fires reported to the McCamey Fire Department were a gasoline stove explosion in the negro district and a burned-out motor at a cleaning establishment. Neither fire was serious.

The McCamey Garden Club will meet with Mrs. Don Smith in the TF Camp for a club breakfast Wednesday at 9 a. m.

The Southern Union Gas Company sponsored an all-gas cooking school in the Grand Theater Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bailey of Okinawa have returned from a two weeks vacation, spent in New Mexico and Colorado. On their return they stopped in Aspermont, Texas for a family reunion with Mrs. Bailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baker.

**McCamey Girls Attend  
Piasano Encampment**

**McCAMEY** — Girls and leaders of the McCamey Baptist Junior Auxiliary attended a recent encampment at Piasano in the Davis Mountains between Marfa and Alpine.

McCamey girls honored for their work in the organization were Tommie Jo Hudson, Helen Coppen, Norma Jean Hudson, Elaine Harrison, Doris Faye Roberts, Rhonda Beth Gibson and Anna Eal Tompkins.

This group plans a trip soon to Baptist institutions in Dallas, Fort Worth and other cities to observe them first-hand.

**Daughters Feted By  
Mother On Birthday**

**CRANE** — Mrs. Jack Lewis honored her two daughters, Melody and Christine, with a birthday party Wednesday. Melody is six and Christine is three. Each honoree had an individual three-tiered cake.

Present were Gary Cook, Joan, Jean and Jane Woodberry, Nan and Ann Crittenden, Mary Ann Huffman, Larry Don Cheney, James Robert Whetstone, Ronnie Lightfoot, Jane Smith, Jane Moody, Linda Cook, Joe Alderice, Gary Huffman, Sandra Garrett, Billie Ed Howell, Gary Lou Chaney, Pennie Dulin, Norma Sue Smith, Mrs. Hugo Huffman and Mrs. Don Chaney.

**Midlanders Are  
Entertained In Odessa**

**ODESSA** — The OES Past Worthy Matrons and Patrons Club met Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Alcorn here.

Mrs. Mabel Hargrove, president, opened the meeting with the collection. After a short business meeting, the members played "42." Watermelon was served.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Collier, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Floyd, Mrs. Cleo Liddridge, Mrs. J. O. Hyde, Mrs. Denny Stephen, Mrs. Hargrove, Mrs. Vera M. McCreary, Mrs. Mary Ray and the host and hostess. All except the host and hostess are residents of Midland.

**Young Musician  
Entertains Lions Club**

**McCAMEY** — Eight-year-old David Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harris, entertained the Lions Club with a piano program Monday night.

The young musician has been performing for the public since he was three years old.

**WeTheWomen**

By ALICIA HART  
NEA Staff Writer

Every once in a while a young girl shows by her behavior that she is almost completely self-centered.

Whether she knows it or not, she is put down as "selfish" by her gang, which is a personality stigma. If a selfish girl is extremely pretty, or talented, or well-to-do, her selfishness may be tolerated by her pals. But the chances are, unless she rids herself of this trait, that she will never win any real friends.

The time for a girl to curb any tendency toward selfishness is when she is young. Here are some typical traits which should be scotched. One is a lack of thoughtfulness of people. Another is an unwillingness to make generous overtures to others. A refusal to go out of one's way to help people, of course, is another glaring indication of selfishness.

Even if unselfish behavior must be worked at, the effort should be made. What is certain to happen, even if the effort is forced, is that the emotional satisfaction which comes from being generous to other people will be so rewarding that soon unselfish impulses are apt to replace the usual self-centered reactions.

James Rolfe, husband of Pocahontas, is credited with being the first civilized tobacco grower.

**Society**

**Mrs. J. D. McClure  
Honored At Coffee  
In McMillian Home**

Mrs. J. Duval McClure was honored Thursday morning with a coffee given by Mrs. J. Guy McMillian, Mrs. Edwin F. Alstrin and Mrs. Eugene H. Davidson at the McMillian home, 1201 West Illinois Street.

Mrs. McClure will leave July 15 for Tulsa, where she will make her home.

White gladioli and asters centered the table, which was covered with an Italian cut-lace cloth. The coffee service was silver.

**Gifts To Honoree**

White gladioli and daisies outline the entertaining rooms. The honoree and members of the house party wore pastel sweetpea corsages, and Mrs. McClure received the maroon leather guest book.

Members of the house party were Mrs. E. L. York, Mrs. Glad Steadberger, Mrs. E. A. Culbertson, Mrs. William Kerr, Mrs. Frank A. Ashby, Mrs. Leland Davidson, Mrs. W. P. Knight, Mrs. M. C. Ulmer, Miss Susan Alstrin, and Miss Helen Giffert and Mrs. George W. Giffert of Tulsa, Okla.



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The guests' fortunes were printed on their place cards.

Present were Miss Flynt, Chancellor, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Flynt, the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hubbard, her aunt and uncle, Bob Chancellor, Vic Chancellor, Bob Holt, Miss Norma Jean Hubbard, Howard Chancellor, Miss Phyllis Chancellor, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chancellor, Jr., and the host and hostess.

**McCamey BTU Honored  
With Chicken Fry**

**McCAMEY**—The Young People's of First Baptist Training Union were given a chicken fry by leaders, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker at the Roadside Park at the intersection of Highway 67 and the Old Spanish Trail Tuesday evening.

Supper was cooked on the barbecue pit and served on the stone and concrete tables under the arbors in the park. The menu consisted of fried chicken, potato salad, fried onions and potatoes, frijoles and ice cream.

Those present were Yvonne and Dale Williamson, Bobbie Hightower, Gwen Acuff, Dorothy Plumlee, Dolores Collins, Billie Curtis and Tommy Woodard, Betty and Weldon Moore, Perdon Todd, Bill Wilson of Odessa, Anna Lou Wade, Bob Rubie, Ann Nicholson of Brownfield, Dennis Stephens, Allene House, Helen Sharp, Patsy Coplen, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lee and children, Margaret and Edwin, Mrs. Marion Crow, Mrs. N. C. House, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur M. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Woodard and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Murray.

**McCamey Baptist Class  
Holds Monthly Meeting**

**McCAMEY**—The Althean Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church held its monthly coffee and business meeting in the Pease Valley Camp home of Mrs. C. O. Holt Monday.

Plans were discussed for a larger class room and a family picnic.

Group captains selected for the coming quarter are Mrs. Jack Bolts, Mrs. W. B. Reid, Mrs. Noel Joyce and Mrs. Ray Isles.

Present were Mrs. Bolts, Mrs. Reid, Mrs. Joyce, Mrs. Isles, Mrs. Holt, Mrs. W. A. Sharp, Mrs. Wilbur M. Harris, Mrs. J. M. Pirkle, Mrs. H. H. Sultan, Mrs. J. R. Turner, Mrs. Homer Hagerst, Mrs. A. Andrews, Mrs. J. M. Johnson, Mrs. Ray Duncan and Mrs. Clint Acuff.

**Stanton WSCS Meets  
With Mrs. J. Jones**

**STANTON**—The Methodist WSCS met in the home of Mrs. James Jones Monday for a business meeting.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. J. B. Stewart, Miss Lela Hamilton, Mrs. Merket, Mrs. Ray Simpson, Mrs. Jess Burnet, Mrs. Phil Berry, Mrs. Howard McReynolds, Mrs. O. B. Bryan and Mrs. Hazel Kennedy of New Mexico.

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**WEDNESDAY**

**Prise Can Be  
Guide To Charm**

By ALICIA HART  
NEA Staff Writer

Study the compliments paid you for clues that will help you to make more of your personal charm. Frequently we are pleased and flattered by compliments but we accept them complacently and fail to take proper advantage of this objective appraisal.

If, for example, you are complimented on how lovely you look, try analyzing the reasons that prompted the praise. Perhaps the line or cut of the dress you are wearing is more flattering than your other clothes or the color sets off your eyes or your hair more effectively. Use either or both clues as a valuable guide to future clothes purchases.

Perhaps you have tried out a new hair-do. A compliment paid to your appearance will serve as a guide to other tricks which you will want to try out. If, however, a new hair-do passes unnoticed or if comments are reserved you may have chosen an unflattering style.

**WEDNESDAY**

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Reports Don't Jibe

Economists for the Construction Industry Information Committee report that 86 out of every 100 single-family houses built since the war could be afforded by families with annual incomes between \$1,000 and \$5,000.

That does not jibe with what hundreds of thousands of desperate home-seekers have been reporting. It does not square with logic, on the basis of prices quoted by brokers.

The old rule of thumb is that a family can afford to spend one week's income each month for rent—or, if it owns, for the interest, taxes, maintenance, repairs, insurance that the landlord of a rented house charges against rent.

On that basis a \$3,000-a-year family could spend \$58 a month for rent or its equivalent. A 5,000-a-year family could spend \$96 a month. How much of a house this would carry depends on the local tax burden, but even more on the amount of savings the buyer can toss into his down payment.

It would push the average \$5,000-or-under family hard to put up more than 20 per cent on a house, at present prices. And by the time Dad shelled out to the bank, to the tax collector, to the insurance man, to the repair man and the decorator, the water department and the fuel dealer, it would be a mighty thrifty family that supported the "rent" on a house with \$96 a month.

The exact picture varies, of course. In some parts of the country, climatic conditions reduce construction and operation cost. In some localities a crude shell is described as a house.

Before the war the average worker family around a city considered a \$5,000 to \$6,000 house about as low-cost as it could wisely go. The prewar \$6,000 house, including land, cost \$11,625 last January and would cost more now. The Dow Service, authority for the January figure, figured on a story-and-a-half brick veneer structure on a 40 by 100-foot lot costing \$1,000.

Thinking on a county-wide basis that could be tackled as a high-cost big city big house. So let's take this one from the records:

In a Vermont non-industrial village of 600 inhabitants, on a 400 lot, a salesman built a six-room bungalow of native run-of-the-mill lumber. He used semi-skilled labor and did a lot himself. He bought nothing on the black market. When he moved in last year, with a porch still to be built and the lot graded and seeded, he had \$8,000 invested.

These are typical of the experience of those who are getting homes that they can't afford but, in desperation, are paying for by going without other desirable things. Possibly the builder cannot sell for less and make his own living. That is not the point, for the moment. The point is that houses today cost more than the average worker can afford to pay, either to purchase or to rent. And unless the construction industry's economists can prove what nobody else believes, they are doing their clients a disservice by claiming otherwise.

It Can't Happen Here

Often it takes many years to train a civil servant thoroughly in the art of bureaucracy, but once in a while one comes along who catches on fast. Such was the junior clerk in the British Ministry of Civil Aviation who sent out seven printed sheets of specifications, description, regulations, bidding forms and the like, inviting offers for a surplus property item. The offering consisted of eight dozen screws valued at 18 cents. Of course, such a thing couldn't happen in this country.

What some people need is less yearning and more earning capacity.

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

New U. S. Timetable Needed To Allay Political Confusion

By PETER EDSON  
NEA Washington Correspondent  
WASHINGTON—Compounded confusion of the last two weeks' rush in Congress, followed immediately by the Republican Convention in Philadelphia, bring out the fact that what this country may need most is a new timetable.

The one which the U. S. has been running on has been revised only once in recent years. That was when Inauguration Day was changed from March 4 to January 20, for Roosevelt's second term.

Under the present system, Roosevelt in 1936 got only 90 per cent of the popular vote, but he got 98 per cent of the electoral vote. Three times in U. S. history this system has resulted in election of a President who did not receive a majority of the popular vote.

Senator Lodge was co-author, with Congressman Clarence Brown of Ohio, of last year's resolution which set up the commission under ex-President Herbert Hoover to study reorganization of the federal government.

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A—Three: Manhattan, Staten and Long Island.

Q—How can a legislative day differ from a calendar day?  
A—A legislative day can be made while the legislative body wants to make it by turning back the clock in its chamber.

Q—What is the title of the statue by Errant Baker which depicts a young woman walking along, her small son beside her?  
A—It is called "The Pioneer Mother."

Q—How do our battleships and cruisers get their names?  
A—Battleships are named for states; cruisers for cities.

Q—Where is the Folger Shakespeare Library?  
A—Washington, D. C. It was given to the government by Henry Clay Folger to house his collection of Shakespeares.

Q—P. F. Erving, entomologist who conducted the tests at Waco, said the new insecticides, although possessing some superior qualities over the old, should not be considered as miraculous cure-alls.

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Four-Year-Old Girl, Lost From Truck, Is Reunited With Mother

PRESCOTT, ARK.—(AP)—Marylin Ford is a winsome little four-year-old Texas girl who tumbled unnoticed from a moving truck, fell on a highway in the darkness of night and lived to tell about it—with a smile.

She was dazed by the fall. Her teeth were knocked out and her gums bleeding. Her body was bruised. And like almost anyone else, child or adult, she was scared and trembling.

She didn't know it, but she was on U. S. Highway 67, south of Prescott, Ark. She was at the end of the world for all she knew.

One car after another whizzed by on the busy highway. Finally a truck driver saw her and stopped. The little girl could hardly talk through her swollen lips, but she made driver M. H. Wakefield of Dallas understand her mother was "in a truck."

Wakefield got somebody to take the girl into Prescott to a hospital. The incident was reported to Arkansas State Police.

They made a broadcast. At Mount Pleasant, Texas, the truck from which the little girl had fallen pulled up hours later. The child's mother, Mrs. J. W. Ford, Jr., got out of the cab where she had been riding with her father-in-law, J. W. Ford of Fort Worth.

She walked to the back of the truck where a son and two daughters, including Marylin, were supposed to be riding. Marylin was gone.

Panic-stricken, the child's mother went to police at Mount Pleasant for help. The police had heard the Arkansas State Police broadcast. The truck was turned about. It headed back toward Prescott.

There the little girl was reunited with her mother. Marylin's father is a soldier stationed at Fort Sill, Okla.

Chinese Nationals Kill 2,000 Communists

NANKING—(AP)—A government military spokesman reported Friday 2,000 Chinese Communists were killed in a Central China battle between Chihshien and Suhshien, 40 miles southeast of Kaifeng, Honan Province capital.

In adjacent Shantung Province, the situation at Teyang (Yenchow) was declared unchanged. The government garrison is defending the city against attacks by Gen Chen Yi's Communist forces.

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The DOCTOR Says

Food Poisoning, Seldom Fatal Causes Patient Much Distress

By EDWIN F. JORDAN, M. D. Written for NEA Service

Outbreaks of illness due to food poisoning continue to occur from time to time. They are more common, of course, in countries with poor sanitary conditions, but they happen here, as well.

Most outbreaks of so-called food poisoning are not caused by the foods themselves, but by germs or poisons which have gotten into the food. A good example is an outbreak recently reported from New Haven, Conn., in which 64 persons developed nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea.

Any time an outbreak of this sort develops, an effort should be made to trace the source of the difficulty. In this particular case the people attacked had eaten in a single dining room. Although the germ responsible for the outbreak could not be discovered, investigation led to the conclusion that the disease was spread by contaminated eating utensils.

Germs known as staphylococci are one of the most common causes of food poisoning. These germs are usually present on the normal skin and on many objects. When they get into food on which they can grow and multiply and are then swallowed, acute food poisoning is likely to result.

The symptoms of staphylococcal food poisoning usually begin to appear within three or four hours of the time of eating. Early signs include nausea, vomiting, cramps in the abdomen, and diarrhea. Most people who have this kind of food poisoning are extremely distressed and prostrated for a while, but they almost always get well.

Although there are many kinds of food poisoning, almost all of them could be eliminated if proper care is used in the handling of food, dishes are properly washed, and food is thoroughly cooked. Although most cases of food poisoning do not end fatally, a severe attack is the source of great misery to those afflicted.

JESTER BELIEVES EISENHOWER COULD WIN

HOUSTON—(AP)—Gov. Beauford Jester thinks Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower "is the man for the job of president."

Jester told reporters at the ninth annual convention of the State Bar of Texas here: "I believe he is the man who could win on either ticket."

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Legion Ball—

# Junior Tribe Vs. Odessa

The Midland Junior Indians play their first home district baseball game at 8:30 p. m. Friday in Indian Park.

Opposition is Odessa. The Junior Indians are Midland's representative in American Legion Baseball. The young Tribe lost its first district encounter at Lamesa 8-2.

In two practice games this season, Midland has split with Odessa. Fans are urged to come out and support the youngsters, who have a better than fair ball club.

Sponsors of the Junior Indians is the American Legion post of Midland. Manager is Joe Stahl. Coach is Joe Robertson. Murray Young Motors, Ford firm, furnished uniforms and is financially supporting the team.

Texas League—

# Tulsa Oilers Snap Kittens' Streak At 11

By The Associated Press

Port Worth's winning streak that carried it from third place to the top in 10 days of Texas League play ended Thursday night — but without dislodging the Cats.

Port Worth had taken 11 straight when the Tulsa Oilers halted the surge with a 5-3 decision. The Cats lost only a half-game over second-place Houston, however, because the Oilers were idle at San Antonio on account of rain. Port Worth still has a half-game margin over the Oilers.

Dallas and Shreveport advanced on fourth-place San Antonio as the Rebels licked Oklahoma City 5-4 and Shreveport sacked up Beaumont 8-1. Dallas now is one game back of San Antonio, Shreveport two.

Parkowski Does It

Left-hander Harry Parkowski was the difference in Tulsa's victory over Port Worth. He scattered six Cat hits and drove in three runs with a homer.

The pitchers paraded and the sluggers had fun in Dallas' win over Oklahoma City. The Rebels pounded 11 hits and Oklahoma City 12. Les Burge of Dallas drove in two tallies with a homer in the third.

Warren Hacker turned in his tenth pitching victory as Shreveport strangled Beaumont. He twirled shut-out ball until the ninth.

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# Sports

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WEBB MEN TRAVEL—

# Tribe Takes Rubber Tilt

The Midland Indians took to the road Friday. They are scheduled in Vernon Friday, Saturday and Sunday. A double-header will be played on one of the three occasions.

From Vernon the Indians go to Big Spring for a double-header Monday and a single game Tuesday. Then the Tribe hops to Sweetwater for a trio of games next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights.

The Webbsmen return to Midland Saturday, July 10, to open a three-game series.

By TANNER LAINE

A hard-hitting Tribe of Midland Indians took the "sugar" game of a three-game series with the Ballinger Cats winning 15-1 Thursday night in Indian Park with a bat-booming attack. Midland won the first game. The Cats took the second in 11 innings.

# Texan Remains In National Collegiate Golf Semi-Finals

PALO ALTO, CALIF.—(AP)—Defending champion Dave Barclay of Michigan was still in there firing his best shots as quarter-finals of the National Collegiate Golf Tournament began Friday morning. But the going was getting rougher.

One of the favorites, Lou Stafford of Oregon, was in the running and he faced a whopping test to stay in the running.

Barclay teed off against Tom Lambie of Stanford University to lead the quarter-finals parade over the Stanford course.

The top billing for Friday morning belonged to Stanford, picked by many to outlast the entire field, and Edwin Hopkins of the University of Texas. Hopkins upset a strong choice Thursday when he defeated Charles Coe of Oklahoma 3 and 2 in the third round.

The Texas Texan, longest hitter in the tournament, proved he could hit the low scoring brackets by winning from Coe in sub-par golf. The Oklahoma, a semi-finalist last year, couldn't match Hopkins' one-under-par 35 and was three down at the turn.

# Americans Trail In British Open Tourney

MURFIELD, SCOTLAND.—(AP)—Britain's veteran campaigner, Henry Cotton, held a four-stroke lead and America's challengers appeared hopelessly beaten Friday as 38 survivors teed off for the final 36 holes of the British Open golf tournament.

While United States representatives faltered badly, Cotton added a record-breaking 66 to his previous 71 for a halfway mark of 137.

The closest American to him was Arthur Clark, a little-known professional of Huntington, W. Va., who was eight strokes back.

EIGHT STATES ACCEPT THIRD PARTY TICKET

NEW YORK.—(AP)—The third Party ticket of Presidential Candidate Henry A. Wallace and his running mate, Sen. Glen H. Taylor, has been accepted to appear on ballots in eight of 16 states in which the deadline for filing has passed.

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Longhorn League—

# Loop Scramble Unchanged As Top Teams Win

By The Associated Press

It was status quo in the Longhorn League Thursday night as the three top clubs won their games.

Leading Big Spring beat Vernon 5-1, second-place Midland defeated Ballinger 15-1 and third-place Odessa licked hapless Del Rio 8-2.

Sweetwater beat San Angelo 7-6 in the other game of the night.

# DOWN SPORTS LANE

with TANNER LAINE

Sometime when you have say a year or so of time off—figure out all the possibilities of what could have happened when Eddie Melillo hit into that double play the other night in the 10th inning when the bases were loaded and there was one out.

Let's get into it, fundamentally and fantastically: Eddie could have hit (that's a nice home thought) a single, a double or a triple, or a home run. He could have sacrificed the runner on third in home. He could have been hit by a pitched ball, walked, or been interfered with. The pitcher could have balked or the runner home could have substituted.

Eddie could have struck out, filed out, grounded out, fouled out—with or without advance of the runners. He could have been ejected by the ump. He could have started an argument that the ump was prone to hear until past the league time limit.

Oh yeah, and it could suddenly have come a storm or rain forcing call of the game. Or Eddie could have been hurt and a pinch hitter substituted.

He could have erred on base or he could have hit a fielder's choice. He could have struck out and the catcher dropped the ball and Eddie been safe at first as the runners advanced.

He could have batted in one or two of the runners and they have failed to touch the respective bases needed. Or they could have been advanced and then one or two of them ran out of the base line and be out.

Or he could have hit a ball that a fielder threw a glove at, stopped the ball, threw Eddie out at first, but he would be entitled to a triple and the run would count. He could have hit a ball so slow that the ump ran out to see what happened to it and the ball deflect away from the ump. He could have hit and the runners advancing passed each other in such fashion as to make two outs and no run.

Oh yeah, and he could have hit the ball into the base ump's pocket. He could have hit a ball which hit a runner off base and that would have been two outs. Or he could have hit a ball which hit a runner on base which bounced off and hit two runners off base—two outs.

Oh my goodness, at the things which might have happened.

He could have hit a ball which hit a base runner off base and which bounced and hit another base runner off base.

He could have hit a ground ball which he himself stepped on. Or he could have been hit with the ball on a throw to a base.

He could have hit a ground ball which was caught by a fielder then thrown and caught by the first baseman but the first baseman got mad and threw the ball at the ground before the end of the play.

The Midland third base coach, while Melillo was batting, might have pulled an unheard of gag on the pitcher and got that pitcher to throw the ball to him to let him "see it" and then dodged it as the ball rolled away and the runners scurried along in advancement on the pitcher's error.

There are many more "possibilities," any of which could have been more pleasing to us Midland fans than hitting into a double play.

ROUNDIN' UP THE STRAYS... Clyde (Big Bill) Perry sure bluffed Stu Williams out of a triple in Thursday night's game... Williams hit a long ball out into right field far from Nipp but as Williams grounded second toward third, Perry leaped high as if taking a relay throw from the outfield and Williams held up at second... Much later the ball came in from right field... They call the guessing game about where Townsend will go to college "The Townsend Play" over at Odessa... Odessa has just organized its Knot Hole Gang... Midland had a KHG last year thanks to the Kiwanis Club and Tex Carleton... And this year's gang is functioning... George Johnson of the Training office (Baseball Association) was in the prebox Thursday night... He is on a tour watching how the umpires work... He was an umpire over 20 years and worked more than 6,000 ball games... He got a chance to confer back... Grover Selts calls a strike... Johnson complimented Harold Webb's Indian plant... R. A. Doran of Midland recently was up in Utah and saw Claude Gray and Hank Ramsdell... Doran says the ex-Midlanders would welcome a chance to confer back... The Odessa Oilers have a new catcher by the "title" of Salcher... Big Spring reports two offers from other clubs in the Longhorn League for Jake McClain, second baseman, but he is not for sale... Midland wasn't one of the offers... Grover Selts of Pampa (South); Hazel Martin of Albuquerque (North) will be West Texas-New Mexico League All-Star skippers... Selts will be working his sixth season... Martin won his post after a runoff vote against Buck Fennell of Amarillo... 30 for strays, cow ponies don't need no boss bags.

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Ballinger	3	2	.600
Vernon	3	2	.600
San Angelo	3	2	.600
Sweetwater	3	2	.600
Del Rio	1	5	.222
West Texas-New Mexico League			
Albuquerque	4	2	.667
Pampa	3	2	.600
Lubbock	3	2	.600
Amarillo	3	2	.600
Borger	3	2	.600
Lamesa	3	2	.600
Ablene	3	2	.600
Glovio	3	2	.600
Texas League			
Fort Worth	4	3	.577
Houston	4	3	.577
Tulsa	4	3	.577
San Antonio	3	3	.500
Dallas	3	3	.500
Shreveport	3	3	.500
Oklahoma City	3	3	.500
Beaumont	3	3	.500
National League			
Boston	3	2	.600
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FRIDAY'S SCHEDULE  
Longhorn League  
MIDLAND at VERNON  
Big Spring at Ballinger  
San Angelo at Odessa  
Del Rio at Sweetwater.

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# Old Heads Make Strong Bid In Motor City Golf

DETROIT.—(AP)—It was a fight of age against youth Friday as the \$15,000 Motor City Open golf championship moved into the second round.

While the four-day, 72-hole stroke chase nearing the halfway mark, galleries were carried back 25 years as 51-year-old Joe Kirkwood, Sr., the Philadelphia trick shot star, and 46-year-old Gene Sarazen, who has kept knickers in style all this time, showed their heels to most of the youngsters.

Kirkwood, whose last major tournament victories came in the Canadian Open and North and South Open in 1935, lashed out with an amazing 34-35-35 in Thursday's first round to share a first place tie, three strokes under Meadowbrook Country Club's par of 35-35-71.

Sarazen was just a stroke back with 34-35-69.

Yoda Parade—99

Leading the parade of youths were 24-year-old Gene Dahlender of Atlanta, Ga., the Southern Amateur champion, 29-year-old Johnny Palmer, the Western Open champion from Badin, N. C., and 30-year-old Harry Furgol, slender blond whose home is in North Hollywood, Calif. All three were deadlocked with Kirkwood for the first round lead with sparkling 66 over Meadowbrook's hilly 6,516-yard layout.

Ben Hogan, National Open and PGA champ who rules as the man to beat, had a first round 35-35-70.

# The STANDINGS

THURSDAY'S RESULTS

Longhorn League  
MIDLAND 15, BALLINGER 1  
Big Spring 5, Vernon 1  
Odessa 3, Del Rio 2  
Sweetwater 7, San Angelo 6

West Texas-New Mexico League  
Albuquerque 11, Lamesa 3  
Amarillo 12, Abilene 2  
Lubbock 7, Clovis 4  
Pampa 10, Borger 6

Texas League  
Dallas 5, Port Worth 3  
Tulsa 5, Oklahoma City 4  
Shreveport 8, Beaumont 1  
Houston at San Antonio, rain

National League  
Boston 4, New York 1  
Chicago 4, St. Louis 3  
Pittsburgh 5, Cincinnati 2  
Philadelphia 4, Brooklyn 2  
Philadelphia 3, Washington 2  
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Inside Stuff



Stable pal Spots feed box information from High Trend at Monmouth Park, N. J.

# MAJOR LEAGUES— Boston's Sain Heads Toward Third Year To Win 20 Games

By RALPH RODEN

Associated Press Sports Writer

Johnny Sain, Boston Braves right-hander, has reached the halfway mark in his bid to become the first National League pitcher since Mort Cooper to win 20 games three years in a row.

Sain, a native of Belleville, Ark., pitched the league leading Braves to a 4-1 victory over the New York Giants Thursday for his 10th victory. He's the first senior circuit flogger to win 10 this season and now has a 10-5 record.

The 29-year-old hurler has won seven of his last eight starts.

The Boston ace held the Giants to four singles Thursday.

The victory enabled the Braves to increase their lead over the Cardinals to two and a half games. The Cards dropped a 4-3 decision to the Cubs in Chicago. Andy Pafko drove in all of Chicago's runs.

The third-place Pittsburgh Pirates knocked off the Reds 5-2 in Cincinnati and jumped within a half game of St. Louis. Agnes Fritts Ostermuller throttled the Reds on six blows.

The Philadelphia Phillies pulled within one percentage point of the fourth-place Giants by beating the Dodgers 4-2 behind Schoolboy Rowe, who limited the Dodgers to eight hits.

In the American League, the Philadelphia Athletics closed in on the league-leading Cleveland Indians by taking a 3-2 night game from the Washington Senators while the Indians were beaten 9-5 by the Tigers in Detroit. Philadelphia now trails by half a game.

The A's scored all of their runs in the last of the ninth with Ferris Fain knocking in two with a double and Elmer Valo singling home Fain with the winning run.

The third-place New York Yankees kept creeping within a game of the Indians with a 10-7 triumph over the Boston Red Sox in Yankee Stadium. A seven-run first inning rally against Mickey Harris enabled the Yankees to win.

In a night game at St. Louis, the Browns scored three runs in the eighth inning to snap a 6-8 tie and beat the Chicago White Sox 8-5.

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# Zanesville's 'Huck Finn' Makes Good In Fight Out Of Silence

WICHITA, KAN.—(NEA)—This report for Aerie No. 302, Fraternal Order of Eagles, Zanesville, Ohio, but other folks can listen in if they want because the news is heart-warming and good.

Davey Hook of Zanesville has just passed a milestone out here at the Institute for Logopedics in his fight out of the world of silence and into the world of speech.

For an average seven-year-old, that might not be much. But this boy you Eagles sent out for speech training under Dr. Martin P. Palmer had been so handicapped he had to spend two years in the first grade because his speech was unintelligible.

Institute authorities are doubly pleased by Davey's progress, first because he's such a swell boy and second because his success demonstrates the possibilities for 4,000,000 dumb and youngsters in the U. S. who are similarly handicapped.

Since the institute has no facilities for boarding trainees, Davey is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William McCullon, who have three children of their own.

Healthy breakfast Davey's day begins at 7:30 a. m. when he arises and gets ready for a day of classes at the institute.

After luncheon Davey spends a couple of hours in the institute's workshop, which is operated by the Junior League of Wichita as a voluntary philanthropic project.

Particular fact One of his particular pals in the workshop is Donnie Austin, a 13-year-old cerebral palsy case who has made remarkable strides toward making himself independent since becoming a trainee at the institute.

Another of Davey's compatriots for speech correction at the institute is TRAFFIC DISRUPTED

TUXTLA GUTIERREZ, MEXICO

—(P)—Floods in Southern Mexico have partially disrupted railway communication with Central America, the local National Railways Office said.

## New AMA Head

Dr. R. L. Sorenson, above, is the new president of the American Medical Association. The South Bend, Ind., physician succeeded Dr. Edward L. Bortz of Philadelphia, who retired.

seven-year-old Johnny, who not only had no speech when he was taken to Doctor Palmer for examination but did not understand what speech was for. Patiently, his instructor aroused his interest as to why we speak. From then on, he made rapid progress.

Of Davey's progress, Doctor Palmer says, "We are confident that his speech defect can be corrected and that he can be equipped to lead a normal constructive life, growing up to be a fine and useful citizen. He is one of the brightest youngsters we ever have had at the institute."

# News Columnist Says Communism Cannot Endure

By DEWITT MACKENZIE AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Can Communism endure—that is, the Russian brand of Bolshevism which has small relation to the lam as originally conceived generations ago?

Communism is likely to blow up in due course. I believe this because the lam is an evil thing which deprives man of his bill of rights and rules of terrorism. Nothing so bad can endure indefinitely.

that the slaves often have battled for freedom.

When Hitler's forces invaded Russian territory they found many people not hostile but welcoming them as deliverers. A lot of folk actually offered their services to the Germans to expedite the defeat of the Communist overlords.

Had Other Ideas Had the Nazi Fuehrer taken advantage of this situation, there is no telling how far he might have gone in his conquest.

However, the Nazi barbarian had other ideas. He issued instructions to his amazed and uneasy general staff that the invaded countries were to be subjugated. His plan was to use the natives as slaves.

carried on much further had the Fuehrer not made a bad mistake in judgment.

The Western areas of the Soviet Union resumed their place in the Communist police state. But while they now had a bitter hatred for the Germans, they didn't like Red police rule any more than they did before the war. They accepted it because they had to.

Then came the Muscovite conquest in Eastern Europe. Country after country was taken over by strong-arm methods and "communized." That is, Communist dominated governments were established, but the people by and large weren't communized.

Close observers believe that one of these days the Red lid is going to be blown off somewhere.

## MOSCOW PLANS MONUMENT TO LEADER AND WRITER

MOSCOW — (P)— Three new monuments to outstanding Russians have been approved by the Committee on Art for erection in Moscow. A monument to Sergei Kirov, politbureau member and Communist leader who was assassinated in the 1930s, will go up at the Pavletski Station Square.

A monument to A. P. Chekhov, famous short-story writer and dramatist, will be erected on Naryshkin Square. The great general of the war of 1812, Kutunov, will be commemorated by a monument at the Kiev Station.

## Paintings Increase In Value In 100 Years

PARIS—(P)—Towards the end of his life, a South Sea Island ceme-tery keeper turned down a painting Paul Gauguin offered him for two and a half francs (then about half a dollar.)

Recently in this centennial year of Gauguin's birth, one of his minor early works brought 462,350 francs (\$1,640) at the Hotel Drouot, Paris auction center.

## ATLANTIC WORKERS GET WAGE INCREASE

PHILADELPHIA — (P)— The Atlantic Employers Union (Independent) and the Atlantic Refining Company Thursday signed a new contract providing for a general wage increase of \$6.40 per 40-hour week for 11,500 employes of the company in 19 states.

CANADA OPENS CONSULATE SAN FRANCISCO — (P)— The first Canadian consulate on the West Coast opens here Friday. A staff of 10 at the new office will handle affairs formerly directed to the British Consulate.

Of the 600,000 Jewish settlers now in Israel, about 3,000 came originally from the United States.

# Church Calendar

**TERMINAL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Building T-1, Air Terminal  
Rev. Curtis Rogers, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School  
11:00 a. m.: Church Service  
6:30 p. m.: Training Union  
7:30 p. m.: Evening Worship  
Wednesday  
7:30 p. m.: Prayer Meeting

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Loraine and Illinois Streets  
Rev. Clyde Lindsey, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School  
11:00 a. m.: Morning Worship  
with a special Fourth of July service. The pastor will speak on "The Great American Dream."  
7:00 p. m.: Evening Worship with sermon by the pastor on "God's Way for the American People."

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. C. A. Holt  
West Pennsylvania and Loraine  
Saturday Services:  
10:00 a. m.: Sabbath School  
11:00 a. m.: Morning service meeting.

**GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Wall and J Streets  
Rev. G. Becker, Pastor  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School and Adult Bible Class  
11:00 a. m. Divine service and sermon by the pastor.

**THE HOLINESS MISSION**  
East Pennsylvania and South Terrell  
L. S. Jones Pastor  
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School  
11:00 a. m.: Preaching  
7:45 p. m.: Evening service.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
518 South Baird Street  
Rev. Earl Rice, Pastor  
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School  
11:00 a. m.: Preaching service  
6:15 p. m.: Christ's Ambassadors  
7:30 p. m.: Evangelistic services.  
Wednesday  
7:30 p. m.: Midweek services.

**SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
719 South Baird Street  
J. V. Davis, Minister  
8:45 a. m. KORS radio broadcast  
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship  
7:30 p. m. Young People's Study  
8:00 p. m. Evening Worship  
Wednesday  
8:00 p. m. Bible Study  
Thursday  
7:30 p. m. Ladies' Bible Class

**FIRST FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
1000 South Lincoln Street  
Rev. E. E. Gunn, Pastor  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School  
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship  
8:00 p. m. Evening Service  
Wednesday  
8:00 p. m. Prayer Meeting

**MEXICAN BAPTIST MISSION**  
Washington and Midland Streets  
Rev. S. Lara, Pastor  
11:00 a. m.: Sunday School  
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School  
11:00 a. m.: Communion Meditation service, when the pastor's topic will be, "The Believer's Benefit."  
8:00 p. m.: Presbyterian Youth Fellowship and Presbyterian Junior Fellowship  
7:30 p. m.: Evening Worship with a sermon by the pastor, "Should the Jews Rebuild the Temple?"

**PENECOSTAL HOLINESS TABERNACLE**  
600 South Colorado Street  
O. W. Roberts, Pastor  
11:00 a. m.: Preaching  
7:45 p. m.: Preaching  
Wednesday  
8:00 p. m.: Bible Study  
Thursday  
8:00 p. m.: Preaching

**ST. GEORGE'S CATHOLIC**  
Father Frank Triggs, Pastor  
Rev. Raymond Miller, O.M.I., Associate Pastor  
8:30 a. m.: Mass conducted in English  
9:00 a. m.: Mass conducted for all children  
10:00 a. m.: Mass conducted in Spanish  
11:00 a. m.: Mass conducted in English  
7:30 p. m.: Rosary and Novena

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Cameo North A and Tennessee  
J. Woodie Holden, Evangelist  
Sunday service  
10:00 a. m.: Bible Study  
10:30 a. m.: Preaching and Communion  
6:45 p. m.: Young People's Service  
7:30 p. m.: Preaching  
Monday  
7:30 p. m.: Men's Meeting  
Tuesday  
8:00 p. m.: Ladies' Bible Class  
Wednesday  
7:30 p. m.: Midweek prayer service.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
Hildman and Big Spring Streets  
Rev. F. W. Rogers, Pastor  
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School  
11:00 a. m.: Morning Worship  
7:30 p. m.: Training Union  
Wednesday  
8:00 p. m.: Midweek prayer service.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
280 South Dallas Street  
Rev. E. D. Ashcraft, Minister  
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**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
1001 South Main Street  
Rev. A. L. Teaff, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School  
11:00 a. m.: Morning Worship with a sermon by Bill Arnold, Youth Revival preacher.  
7:00 p. m.: Training Union  
8:00 p. m.: Evening Worship with a sermon by Bill Hogue, Youth Revival preacher.

**TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Fort Worth and Tennessee  
Rev. C. B. Hedges, Pastor  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School  
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship  
7:30 p. m. Evening Worship.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Main Street and Illinois  
Rev. Vernon Yearby, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School  
10:55 a. m.: Morning Worship with sermon by the pastor, "Sanctification."  
6:45 p. m.: Training Unions meet.  
8:00 p. m.: A special Fourth of July service. The pastor will speak on, "The Nation Whose Lord is God."

**ASBURY METHODIST CHURCH**  
106 West Dakota Street  
Rev. J. Lennel Hester, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School  
10:50 a. m.: Morning Worship  
7:00 p. m.: M.Y.F.  
8:00 p. m.: Evening Worship.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
300 North Main Street  
Rev. Howard H. Hollowell, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School  
11:00 a. m.: Morning Worship  
7:00 p. m.: M.Y.F.  
8:00 p. m.: Evening Worship.

**BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
712 East Colorado Street  
Ernest Sweatman, Minister  
10:00 a. m.: Bible School  
11:00 a. m.: Morning Worship  
4:00 p. m.: Radio program  
7:30 p. m.: Evening Worship.

**TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
H and Illinois Streets  
Rev. E. J. Snell, Rector  
7:30 a. m.: Holy Communion  
9:30 a. m.: Church School  
11:00 a. m.: Morning prayer and sermon.

**COTTON PLAT BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rankin Highway  
Rev. Bob Campbell, Pastor  
10:30 a. m.: Sunday School  
11:30 a. m.: Morning Service  
7:30 p. m.: Evening Service.

**PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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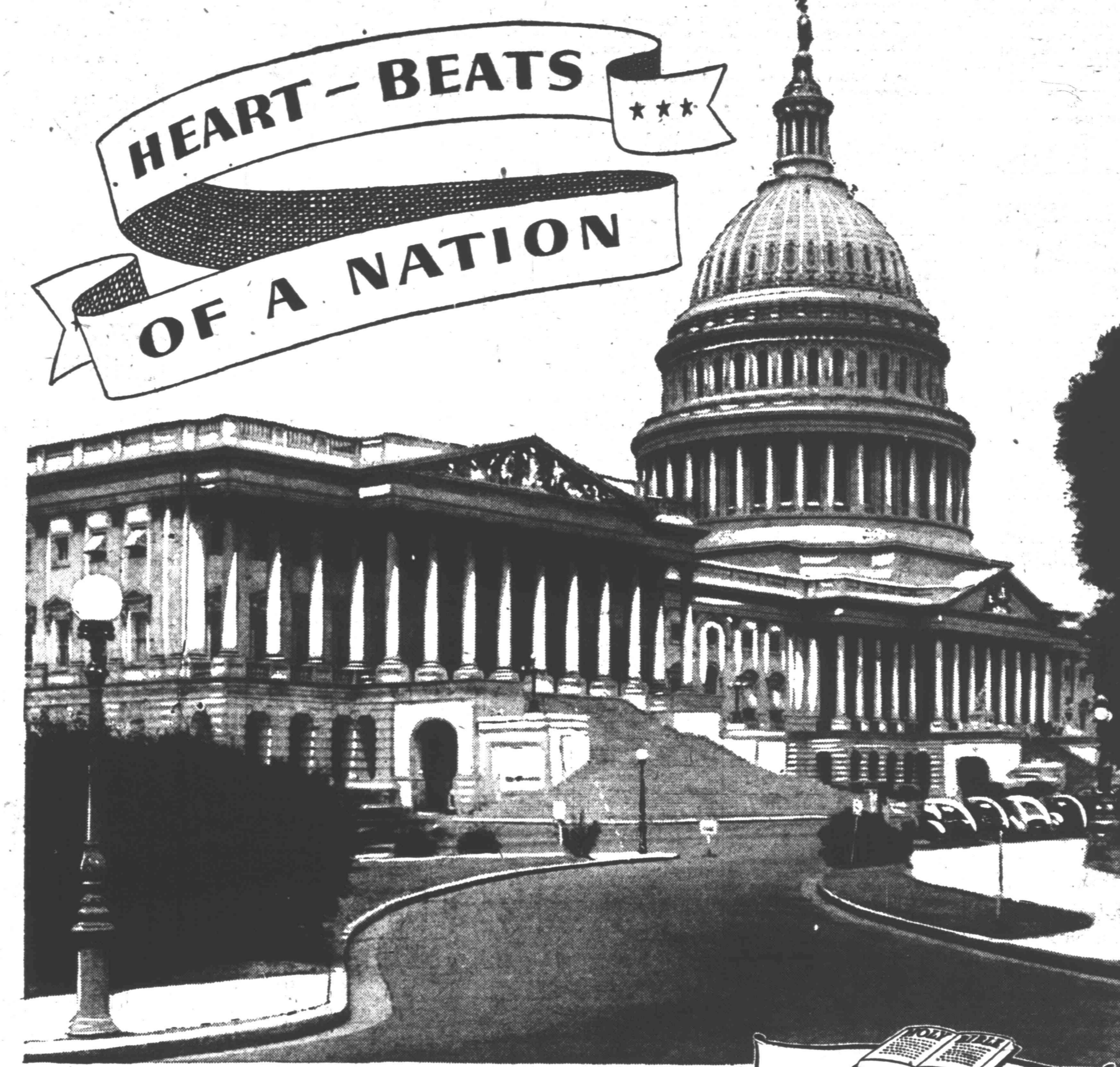
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Rev. Lee Bailey, Pastor  
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# HEART - BEATS OF A NATION

The architectural beauty and stateliness of the Capitol at Washington are widely acclaimed as the eyes of nations are focused upon it in this period of world tribulation.

The Capitol is far more than the materials that went into its construction. It is far more than the design of the architects or the skill of the artisans that lifted its proud dome into the heavens.

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# Bitter Reprieve

By Drexel Drake

THE STORY: Harry Stedman Sterling owes Harry Stedman a gambling debt of \$10,000 he cannot pay. His wealthy wife, Miriam, has refused him the money. He comes home late after drinking himself into a stupor. He is out of his mind and he will be over as 11 to collect. Miriam is desperate. Miriam comes in, wearing her fabulous diamond necklace. In order to get her out of the house before Miriam notices, Stedman gives her a dose of druggist. Miriam, wounded, takes her drink to her room. At 11 on the dot, Stedman shows up. He demands the money under threat. Miriam, terrified, says she will see him.

himself that she was asleep. . . . He moved around the foot of the bed, treading lightly on his toes. He swept the beam of his small flashlight quickly across the top of the dressing table. He saw the drink Miriam had brought up with her. Fully two-thirds of it was still in the glass. The discovery unnerved him momentarily. . . . Miriam might not be safely asleep. Then he made another discovery that was frightening. Beside the glass was the small bottle with the ominous red label. He had left it far back among other bottles. That meant Miriam had handled it after coming up. . . .

UPSTAIRS, Sterling went directly to his own room, closing the door before flicking on the light. From a dresser drawer he took a pair of fabric gloves and slipped his hands into them. He carefully wiped the keys he had handled. Then he slipped the ring again over one finger. He passed at his desk long enough to take a small pencil flashlight from a drawer. He turned off the light, opened the door quietly, and closed it after stepping into the hall.

IT meant . . . Sterling's pulse stopped at the thought . . . that Miriam had added more of the deadening drops to her drink. The full six, probably. Perhaps the first few swallows of the now heavily doped liquid had knocked her off. That could account for her drinking barely a third of it. Sterling moved on to the dresser, played his light across it. Cautiously he pulled out the top drawer several inches, searched inside with the small beam of light. The trinkets, items of costume jewelry it revealed were of no interest to him.

He found the bag Miriam had been carrying on a chair. He opened it and carefully emptied its contents. He had no thought here of finding anything of interest. He was doing what he thought a burglar would do, if the burglar were looking for keys. His brief survey of the dressing table and dresser had convinced him that his earlier reasoning had been correct: Miriam had needed her keys to lock up her necklace. . . . That was why she had not left her car keys with him before coming upstairs.

Sterling stood again beside the bed, beyond the small table with its tall candlestick, listening, waiting breathlessly. . . . (To Be Continued)

Windows at the end of the room, their shades raised, admitted grayish night light to which his eyes were becoming accustomed. He could make out just vaguely his wife's form beneath the coverlet. One bare arm lay exposed. He saw her face in shadowy profile against the pillow. He satisfied

say the more hazardous part of his prowling venture. He bent over and waited until his vision could define the outline of that expensive watch, the shoulder bare except for the flimsy strap of the sheer gown. Bending closer, Sterling steadied himself with the pencil flashlight pointed at the shoulder, a bare six inches distant. He slipped on the light, let the tiny luminous circle follow the curve of a breast to the V of the gown, let it tarry just briefly on the slender throat, then shut it off. There had been no answering flash of light.

Sterling straightened, trembling from the strain of that brief ordeal. He turned toward the wall beside the head of the bed. He remembered a small teakwood table that stood there, the tall heavy candlestick on it. He reached over that impediment carefully to push aside a framed watercolor, held it aside while he used the flashlight to locate the thin keyhole in the circular embedded safe-door. He slipped in the long flat key on Miriam's key-ring, turned it until he heard a click, then pulled out the compact little door.

Pausing only to glance quickly at the bed, Sterling played his flashlight into the round cavity, to be startled by an answering deluge of dazzling flashes. His wife's necklace lay just inside the opening. Evidently she had put it in the safe hurriedly, not even taking time to put it in its box. Sterling transferred it to a side pocket, still intent upon the inside of the small safe. Also toward the front lay a flat packet, envelope size. Bonds, perhaps, he thought, or possibly currency. He decided that a burglar would take it. He slipped the packet into an inside coat pocket. As an afterthought, he brushed some papers from the safe to the floor.

A sound reached him from the bed. . . . a break in that faint, regular breathing. . . . a choked, incoherent word. Sterling hunched back against the wall, beyond the small table with its tall candlestick, listening, waiting breathlessly. . . . (To Be Continued)

# McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY  
America's Card Authority

The most common mistake made by bridge writers is the presenting of complicated hands. Since Alphonse ("Sonny") Morse, Jr., has taken over the publishing of the monthly magazine, "The Bridge World," it contains interesting articles for the benefit of the average player.

In the May issue there was an article by William Allen Smith, Jr., of Huntington, N. Y., who selected a number of hands and pointed out how easy it was to misplay them. Today's hand is taken from that article.

West won the first trick with the king of hearts and then shifted

♠ Q653					
♥ Q53					
♦ K42					
♣ 765					
♠ A7	N				J98
♥ AK72	W				864
♦ J1085	E				Q86
♣ 3	S				8843
♠ KQ2	Dealer				
♠ AK1042					
♥ J109					
♦ A7					
♣ AJ10					
Tournament—Neither vul.					
South	West	North	East		
1♠	Pass	2♠	Pass		
4♠	Pass	Pass	Pass		
Opening—♥K					

to the jack of diamonds, which declarer won. He picked up the trump, and saying to himself that the king and queen of clubs could not both be in the West hand, he played a club from dummy, finessed the ten-spot and lost to the queen. Another diamond came back, dummy's king won, and another club finesse was taken and lost. Thus declarer lost two hearts and two clubs.

It is quite easy to make this hand. Win the jack of diamonds with the ace, take three rounds of trumps, cash dummy's king of diamonds and ruff a diamond. Then lead the jack of hearts. West will win and exit with a heart, and now you have cleared both the dummy and your own hand of hearts and diamonds. Lead a club from dummy and finesse the ten-spot. West will win and must lead into the ace-jack of clubs, or give you a ruff and a ruff. Although this is a simple hand, you will find it worthwhile to study it carefully, as it is an ideal example of stripping out a hand.

# Russians Breed Yaks For Mountain Dwellers

MOSCOW (AP)—A Soviet experimental and breeding station two miles above sea level in the Kirgiz Mountains is developing new breeds of sheep and also yaks. The yaks are being developed for mountainous regions of the Soviet Union where they are invaluable for transport purposes and also give excellent milk. While ordinary cows at such altitudes as two and three miles above sea level are very short-lived the yaks thrive on the thin mountain air.

# Britain Wages War On Colorado Beetles

LONDON (AP)—Britain has enlisted thousands of agricultural workers, students and volunteers to destroy pests—identified here as Colorado beetles—which have threatened an invasion from France and Belgium. The battle to keep the beetles from Britain is being waged on the beaches, along the roads and in the fields over an area of 30,000 acres from Polkstone, Kent, to Guildford, Surrey, and along the east coast to Hull. A "beetle patrol" is watching for the insects brought into ports in imported vegetables or blown across the Channel by winds from the continent. The Ministry of Agriculture says it considers the "invasion" the worst threat to Britain's potato crop in ten years. Potato fields are being sprayed with lead arsenate and afterwards with DDT, by thirty high-powered machines and thousands of hand sprays. National Fire Service pumps are providing water for the sprayers as they work their way through the fields of Kent, Essex, Suffolk, Norfolk and Lincolnshire.

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LOOK OUT THE WINDOW, YOU WITLESS DOLT! IT'S RAININ'—NO PAINTING TODAY—TRAIL A—AND I HAVE A BULLY IDEA FOR COOLIN' MARTHA'S WRATH! HEH HEH!

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# OUT OUR WAY

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WAIT HERE A MOMENT, LIBBY. I'LL BE RIGHT BACK.

OH, NO YOU DONT! I'M COMING WITH YOU!

MEANWHILE, AWAITING HER OPPORTUNITY, PAULA GALLANTREE SLIPPED OUT OF THE SWISS CHALET.

UM-HUM. DEEP ENOUGH TO COVER MOST OF A MAN'S SINS. WELL, I'D BETTER GO BACK AND GET IT OVER WITH.

HEAVENS, HE'S COMING THIS WAY! I WONDER IF HE SAW ME.

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DUR-H-H... WOT'S DA OLE I ROOSTER HOPPIN' ABOUT CAPTAIN ME, I MUST COMPLAINE!

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A LARGE GANG WOULDN'T IVE PLAYFERED THAT LITTLE COACH, FLO? SOMEBODY KNEW THE CATTLE BUYER WAS ON IT!

SOMEBODY TIPPED OFF THE GANG? THAT BUYER CAME TO THE STAGE DEPOT RIGHT FROM THE TRAIN!

I'VE GOTTA SEE A DOCTOR! MAYBE I'VE GOT BLOOD POISONIN'!

YOU IDIOT! TEN MINUTES AFTER THE DOC SAYS YOU'VE GOT BLOOD POISONIN'!

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# ALLEY OOP

THERE! I FEEL A BIT EASIER NOW STONE HI! TWO HUS MIGHT BE KINDA HARD TO EXPLAIN!

THESE EGYPTIANS MUST THINKA LOT OF OL' MUM, JUDGIN' BY TH' SIFTS THEY BRING ME.

BUT I'D TRADE 'EM A LOT OF 'EM FOR A GOOD CIGAR!

GUESS I'LL HAVE ANOTHER LOOK AT MY MOUNTAIN!

IT'S ONE! ONE! ONE!

IF ONLY OL' GUL COULD SEE ME NOW, BOY! BOY! BOY! HE'D HOT STUFF!

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# BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

PUB. WHAT SORT OF PRESENT WOULD YOU SUGGEST FOR DAVEY'S BIRTHDAY?

WELL, THE WAY I FIGURE IT, A BIRTHDAY IS SOMETHING SPECIAL. I SUGGEST ALL THE I-C-E C-R-E-A-M AND C-A-K-E WE CAN EAT!

WELL, I'LL BE SORT OF FEEL THAT HIS BIRTHDAY PRESENTS O.C. SHOULD HAVE A REAL MEANING. IT SHOULD BE SOMETHING THAT HE'D REMEMBER FOR THE REST OF HIS LIFE!

OHAY! THEN GIVE DAVEY TWICE AS MUCH I-C-E C-R-E-A-M AND C-A-K-E AS HE CAN EAT!

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# FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

GLUG LUGWAGGL!

HOW'S THAT, COOK? YOU'RE MUNGING!

DIDN'T YOUR MOTHER TELL YOU NOT TO TALK WITH YOUR MOUTH FULL?

WHY, NUTTY COOK! IF THE IS YOUR IDEA OF A JOKE, ALL I CAN SAY IS—MUGGLUM!

WHAT GIVES WITH THE ROPE?

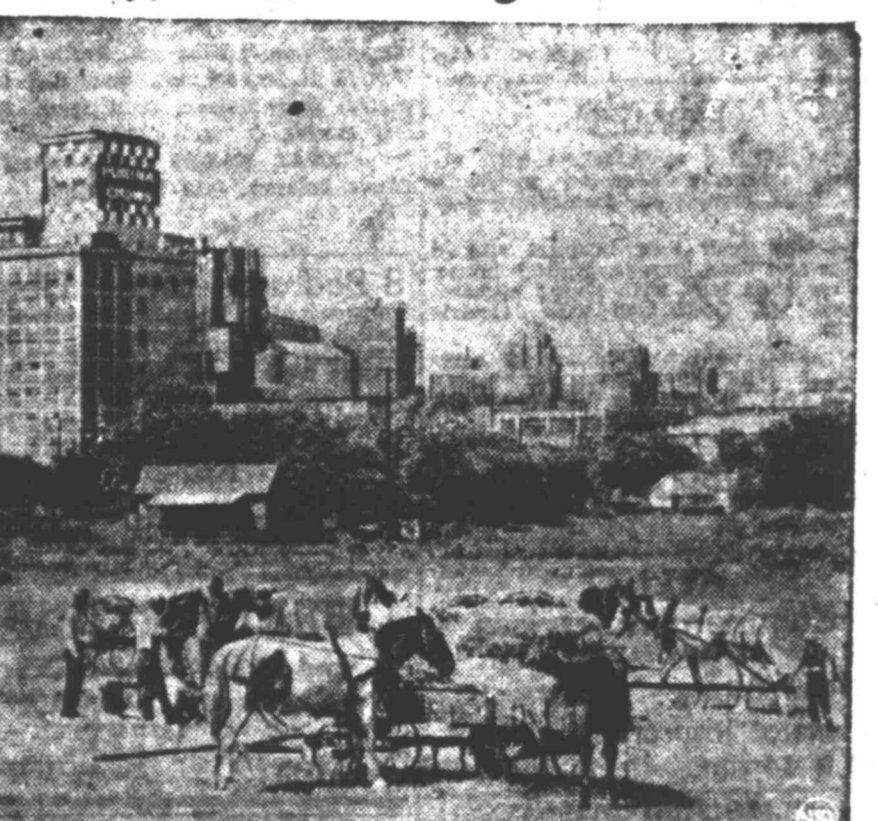
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Baseball Draws Record Crowds In Texas Loops DALLAS—(AP)—For the fourth time in history the 53-year-old Texas League has passed the 1,000,000 mark in attendance. Not only that, but this season is expected to produce the first 2,000,000. The Class AA circuit passed the half-way point, Secretary Milton Price reported that 1,046,792 paid admissions had been recorded. This was 133,097 better than the same period last year. The all-time record was set last season with 1,948,071. The league's first season to go over 1,000,000 was more than 20 years ago. The second time was 1946, when the turnstiles clicked 1,592,567 times. Leading the attendance spurge is Houston with 202,834, which presages a new one-club home record. Houston set the record at 322,275 last year. The average attendance this season has been 5,929 per game. Last year it was 5,352. Lesser Loops Gain Prices figures covered all games through June 26, when the league ended the first half. Attendance is up in all Texas professional baseball. There are 36 clubs in the state, five in the Texas League, six in the Texas-New Mexico League, one in the Texas-Arizona League and eight each in the Big State, Longhorn and Lone Star Leagues. These 36 clubs have totaled 1,681,422 paid admissions this season with the first half not fully accounted for. The Texas League leads with 747,951 for its five clubs. The Class B Big State League is next with 349,650 to 30 games—less than half the season. Last year this loop had 328,200 for the same period. The increase for the entire 36 clubs in Texas over the same period last year is better than 400,000. 135,000 in Louisiana. The Lone Star League is behind last year. This circuit reported 195,541 for the half. Last year the first half drew about 214,000. The Longhorn League reported 155,000 for the half compared to approximately 110,000 last season. The West Texas-New Mexico League showed 273,584 for the first half with 18 games unreported. President Milton Price estimated the total with those games would go over 290,000. Last year the half-way point was 260,000. The six Texas clubs the total this year is about 220,000 compared to approximately 212,000 for the same time last year. El Paso, the only Texas club in the Arizona-Texas League, reported 32,372 attendance for 18 home games. This is almost twice as many as El Paso had for the first half last year.

Choice Secretary Although the National Secretaries Convention named June Dry "Miss Secretary of 1948," the pretty Reading, Pa., girl won't stand a chance in 1949. She's quitting her job, and was offered several screen contracts. June, 19, won the title at the NSA's Hollywood, Calif., convention.

Snyder Says U. S. True Budget Surplus Is Biggest In History WASHINGTON—(AP)—Secretary of Treasury Snyder said Friday the government's "true" budget surplus for the fiscal year 1948 was \$2,419,469,843.81, far the biggest in history. Snyder said the figures represent "the actual excess of receipts over expenditures for the fiscal year," which ended June 30. By congressional reckoning it would be \$3,000,000,000 less. Snyder said, reflecting what he called a "bookkeeping switch" ordered by Congress in its closing moments. Taking either the Administration's "true" \$2,419,000,000 figure or the \$3,419,000,000 figure of Congress, the surplus is the second in a row after deficits for the preceding 18 straight years.

Oil & Gas Log— (Continued from Page 1) was a blow of air throughout the period. Recovery was 300 feet of sulphur water. Chloride content of the water was 30,300 parts per million. There were no shows of oil or gas. Operator is now taking a Schlumberger survey. The exploration is 1,900 feet from northeast and 600 feet from southeast lines of section 26, block 18, SPRR survey.

SCURRY PROSPECT SETS CASING NEAR BOTTOM Sun No. 1 Schattell, seven miles southwest of Snyder, in Southwest Scurry County, was bottomed at 6,829 feet in Canyon lime, and was waiting for cement to cure on 7-1/2 inch casing set, at 6,828 feet. This wildcat, located 1,900 feet from south and west lines of section 18, block 17, E&TC survey, has shown considerable free oil in drillstem tests from 6,818 feet to the current bottom. No formation water was developed. It is expected that after the hole is lower than the previous one, it will core ahead for a way, before stopping to test the 6,818-58 foot section for production. That testing will be through perforations, when it is undertaken.

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Livestock FORT WORTH—(AP)—Cattle 500; calves 150; fairly active in steady clean-up trade; few small lots common to medium steers, yearlings and heifers 17.00-28.00; beef cows 17.00-21.00; canners and cutters 11.00-16.50; bulls mostly 18.00-21.00; good slaughter calves 28.00-28.50; common and medium 17.00-24.00; culls 14.00-16.50; stockers scarce. Hogs 3.00; steady; top 28.25; good and choice 19.00-19.50; medium yearlings 20.00-22.00; medium and good aborn aged sheep 10.00; culls 8.50-9.00; most stocker Spring lambs 30.00 down; stocker yearlings 18.00 down.

COTTON NEW YORK—(AP)—Cotton prices at noon Friday were five to 10 cents a bale lower than the previous close. July 25.23, October 22.52 and December 22.25.

FIRE DESTROYS STORE NEAR COUSCANA COUSCANA, TEXAS—(AP)—Fire Friday destroyed a store at Couscana, seven miles northeast of Corsicana. R. A. Townes, owner, said he found the store's electric motors hot and turned off the current. He then found the attic afire. Amount of the loss was not immediately estimated. Former Solon Dies FORT WORTH—(AP)—Elvis Abner Calvin, 73, former state legislator and member of the Board of Regents of the University of Texas, died at his home here Thursday night. Texas contains 50 counties which are larger than the state of Rhode Island.

Scientists May Try To Breed Atomic Fuel From Other Atomics BY ROBERT E. GEIGER WASHINGTON—(AP)—Atomic scientists are taking more and more about a major atomic project—Operation Bootstrap. In simple words, its goal is to "breed" atomic fuel from other atomic fuel, getting more than the original amount. At the same time heat and electricity would be produced. Thus atomic fuel would be "pulling itself up by its bootstraps." Dr. Robert F. Bacher, the only scientist member of the Atomic Energy Commission, called this project "revolutionary" in a recent speech. He added that it "is certainly an enticing." He says Operation Bootstrap possibly may answer the question whether atomic plants ever will provide a major amount of the world's power. It may answer other questions, too, but this one is of prime importance. Here's why: Even if scientists discover ways to build power plants on a large scale, the basic raw material—uranium—is scarce. Operation of the plants would be limited to the amount of uranium that can be found in the world. Operation Bootstrap is investigating one way to get around this. Atomic bomb and power plants must have a fissionable material as a base. A fissionable material is an element whose atoms will split by chain reaction and give out energy. Produced From Uranium In the atomic bomb project the fissionable material is produced from uranium by the huge atomic installations at enormous cost. Uranium is divided into sister elements, U-235 and U-238. U-235 is fissionable U-238 is not. There are 140 times as much U-238 as U-235. The U-238 can be turned into a fissionable material, plutonium, by the present process used as much U-235 as it creates plutonium out of U-238. So there's no profit in it. Now scientists hope to "breed" fissionable material from U-238 and another element, thorium. The quantity of fissionable material they create would be much greater than the amount consumed in the process, and in addition it would create heat and electricity as a by-product. There are two big advantages of the new method: (1) U-238 is 140 times as abundant as its sister element, U-235. That means the raw product from which they come, uranium, would be made to produce much more fissionable material than by present methods if U-238 can be used efficiently, and (2) it would add a new element, thorium, to the raw materials from which fissionable materials can be produced in quantity. There is estimated to be from three to four times as much thorium in the world. The "breeding" is done this way: The scientists start off with a pile of U-235. They place the other material, called fertile material, "U-238 and thorium, which are radio active but not fissionable" in the pile. This "fertile material" then becomes fissionable and thus is itself an atomic fuel. Permit More Material Success of Operation Bootstrap depends upon how efficient the scientists can make the process. At present most fissionable material has to come from the elaborate atomic plants that have been constructed at a cost of more than two billion dollars. The new process, if successful, would permit more material to be-pass these plants. In a practical way, here's what Operation Bootstrap means: The United States uses about 50 billion kilowatt hours of electricity a year. They estimate it would take 1,000 tons of uranium to produce that much of electricity. But the world's entire production of uranium in 1938—the last year for which figures are available—was only 1,000 tons. How much uranium there is in the world and the rate at which it is being mined are official secrets, but the British say the known figures are significant. They say that on this basis, atomic energy on a great scale, doesn't seem feasible. If Operation Bootstrap is successful, the whole picture is changed, because the supply of "atomic fuel" would be increased many times. Meanwhile this is Bacher's advice: "Don't believe all the wild predictions you hear of atoms. "Some, like nuclear pills to put in your gas tanks, are just plain nonsense," he says.

Says Cool Should Be Used Under Boilers WASHINGTON—(AP)—Use of natural gas in competition with coal for heating boilers should not be permitted, Senator Reed (R-Kan.) said Friday. "I had my way," he said, "not a jot of natural gas would be used under boilers, if adequate coal was available, in order to conserve the gas supplies." The senator told a reporter such a law probably would require new law. He has proposed no such law and does not know that he will suggest it at the next session of Congress, he added.

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WESTINGHOUSE MIKES PRICE MANEFIELD, OHIO—(AP)—Westinghouse Electric Corporation Friday raised price of its electric home appliances from 5.3 to 7.1 percent.

TWO PERSONS DIE WHEN CAR HITS BRIDGE DENISON—(AP)—Two persons were killed two miles north of McKinney Thursday afternoon when a car struck a concrete bridge. The dead were Mrs. Elizabeth Alma Roberson, 52, and her six-month-old daughter, both of Denison. The child was killed instantly and Mrs. Roberson died a short time later in McKinney hospital.

Mrs. McIver Dies At Home In Kermit KERMIT—Mrs. Hattie Ethel McIver, 51, wife of E. O. McIver, died at her home here Thursday after a lingering illness. Funeral services were scheduled Friday in the First Baptist Church here with the pastor, the Rev. Straus Atkinson, officiating. Interment will be in Wingate with the Maples Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. A native of Bell County, Mrs. McIver moved with her parents to Wingate in 1926. She married in Ballinger in 1924 and moved to Kermit in 1924, where she lived until she came to Kermit in 1938. Survivors include her husband and seven children, Charles of Levelland, Kenneth of Kermit, Mrs. Maurine Porter of Kermit, Mrs. Maxine Stone and Mrs. Lella Landley of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Dot Arnold of Sundown and Patsy of Kermit.

Veterans' Dependents To Get Pension Boosts WASHINGTON—(AP)—Widows, children and dependent parents of veterans who died in service are eligible Friday for pension boosts totaling more than \$30,000,000 a year. A bill setting up the increased benefits was signed into law by President Truman Thursday. It also raises payments received by widows and dependents of veterans of the regular military establishment who lost their lives because of disabilities resulting from the war.

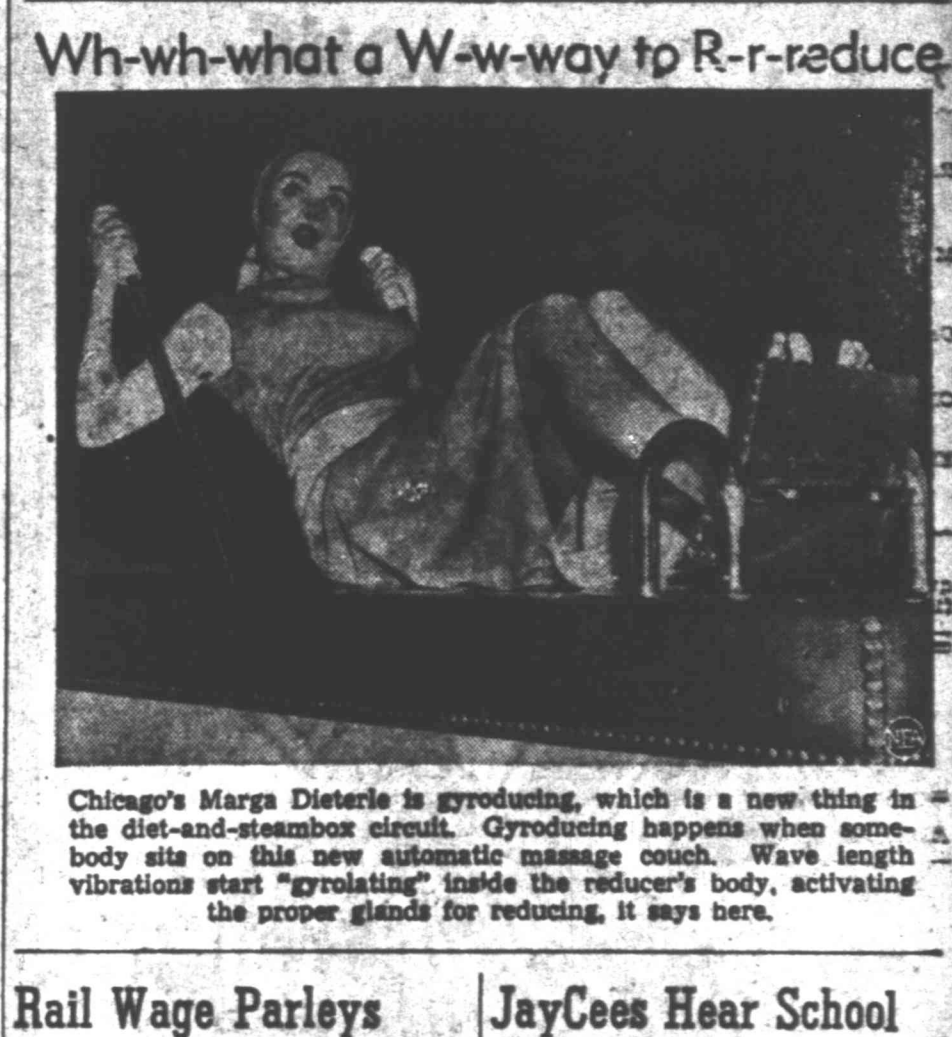
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JayCees Hear School Bond Issue Explained At Luncheon Friday Attorney R. W. Hamilton, Midland Board of Education member discussed Midland school situation, and the July 10 bond election to raise \$150,000 for completion of a school expansion program at the Junior Chamber of Commerce luncheon-meeting in the Scharbau Hotel Friday. The school board hopes a large number of citizens will vote in the election, he said. The bond issue is required to carry out a general school expansion program planned more than a year ago, when a \$1,000,000 issue was approved by voters. By the time plans for new buildings were drawn, advancing construction costs resulted in need for an additional \$450,000 to go ahead with the program, he said. Contractors have given the board guarantees that the buildings will be finished for a total of \$1,450,000. JayCees voted to endorse the additional bond issue and to organize a transportation service to carry voters to polls on election day.

Armed Services Call For More Gasoline WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Armed Services Petroleum Board told the oil industry Friday it urgently needs more motor gasoline and diesel oil for the West Coast and the Gulf-East Coast-Caribbean areas. There is also need for greater quantities of highest-grade aviation gasoline than was estimated last March. The call for aviation gasoline of lower grades has declined, however, so the Air Force fuel need is not critical. Jet fuel is short in the inland and Gulf-East Coast areas, but negotiations are under way to solve this area distribution problem, the board said.

Safety Department Urges Careful Driving "Be alive on the fifth" is the slogan used by the Texas Department of Public Safety in urging motorists to be unusually carefully during the coming weekend. Independence Day celebrants make July 4 one of the most hazardous holidays on the highway. Department spokesmen warn, and the next few days are likely to be particularly dangerous for motorists. Slow, careful driving will prevent loss of life this Independence Day. The department cites figures showing excessive speeding is responsible for two out of every five fatal traffic accidents.



Chicago's Marga Dieterie is producing, which is a new thing in the diet-and-stomach circuit, Gyrodulocid, which happens when some body sits on this new automatic massage couch. Wave length vibrations start "grolating" inside the reducer's body, activating the proper glands for reducing, it says here.

Rail Wage Parleys Resumed After Strike Ban Made Permanent WASHINGTON—(AP)—The White House resumed Friday its efforts to settle the rail wage dispute after the unions were placed under fresh orders against a strike. Justice T. Alan Goldsborough slapped a permanent no-strike order Thursday on three railway unions unhappy about their pay and working conditions. Justice Goldsborough ruled that because of the "extreme situation" which would result from a nationwide strike, he had to make his temporary injunction a permanent one. Presidential assistant John R. Steelman Friday called union leaders into a morning conference and arranged to meet later with management representatives. Whether the two sides will meet jointly, press secretary Charles G. Ross said, depends upon developments at the separate conferences.

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### Air Experts Say Passenger Planes May Never Reach Supersonic Speed



Will tomorrow's air traveler fly with jet engines, like the one giving the P-59 a smoky boost?



Is the propeller here to stay, like the spinning props on the Constellation? It's today's hottest argument in aviation circles.

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—It will probably be "several decades" before the man-in-the-street will be flying with the airlines even close to the speed of sound—760 miles-per-hour at sea level.

And he may never fly faster than the speed of sound in commercial planes.

This is in spite of the fact that

### Man-Made Fogs Fight Disease And Discomfort

NEW YORK—(P)—Man-made fogs are billowing up around the world to battle insects of disease, discomfort and destruction.

The friendly fogs, loaded with DDT or other potent killers, are rolling over beaches, picnic grounds, farm fields, and whole towns. They waft through homes and factories seeking out moths, roaches and silverfish.

In foreign lands, they're combatting insects that spread malaria, dysentery, sleeping sickness and other diseases. Some experts believe the fogs can win complete control of diseases carried by mosquitoes and black flies.

The fogs are spread by peace-time versions of smoke-green generators that protected beachheads and river crossings during the war. With blasts of hot air or steam, they spew out billions of tiny droplets of water or special oils blended with the right insecticide for the job at hand. Each droplet carries enough insecticide to kill a single insect. The fog covers everything and seeps into crevices.

The size of the droplets is controlled for outdoor or indoor work. Bigger, heavier droplets are used outdoors, and the residue may continue to kill some insects for several days. Finer fogs indoors may protect for weeks or months. Prof. Victor K. LeMer of Columbia University and Dr. Seymour Hochberg of the DuPont Company found it necessary to regulate the size of the droplets to thousandths of an inch.

Communities in many states are using the fogs to banish mosquitoes in towns and on beaches.

The fogs are being tried as a possible means of preventing polio epidemics by eliminating flies. Certain flies carry the polio virus, but it isn't known whether the flies give polio to humans. The fog tests may help to answer this question.

Main jobs for the fog machines include riding building gophers and warning on insects at racetracks, golf courses, carnival grounds, country clubs, drive-in-theaters, summer resorts and other public places.

Keeps Cows Contented

Farmers use the fog to keep cows contented, and to free other livestock of pests. Fogs with the right chemicals are employed against grasshoppers, Japanese beetles, and other insects that destroy crops. Weed-killers also are distributed in fogs.

One of the makers of fog generators, the Todd Shipyards Corporation, says the method is being used in many South American cities, in the South Pacific against the malaria-spreading mosquito, in Australia against locusts, and in Sardinia in the anti-malaria program of the Rockefeller Foundation. In Cairo, the fogs were used during the cholera epidemic.

Birds, bees, fish and other forms of animal life are not harmed by the small concentrations of insecticide in the fogs, Doctor LeMer and Doctor Hochberg said.

Read the Classifieds.

WASHINGTON—(P)—The Air Force today is making regular flights between 900 and 1000 miles-per-hour in the famous, X-1 experimental plane. Exactly how fast the X-1 has flown is a military secret. But the Air Force has announced that the plane has flown "far faster" than the speed of sound. And it has also revealed that the present power of the plane is capable of pushing it up to a maximum speed of 1000 miles-per-hour.

The man who claims that close-to-the-speed-of-sound is so far away for the commercial air traveler, and that perhaps faster-than-sound for the airlines will never be, is Carl F. Baker, Chief Engineer, Hamilton Standard Propeller Division, United Aircraft Corp.

Baker first quotes a Douglas Aircraft Company engineer as saying: "Right now it would be possible to build a transport to go five or even six hundred miles-an-hour and in a few years with accumulated knowledge could probably reach the speed of sound with one. But you would pay so much for it that you could not compete with the other aircraft following an orderly trend of development."

Baker then says: "It, therefore, appears conclusive that an appreciable development period, possibly several decades, will elapse before practical flight can be achieved at the upper end of the subsonic speed spectrum (just below the speed of sound)."

The question of whether jet and rocket motors have doomed the airplane propeller to the fate of the horse and buggy is one of the hottest arguments among aviation experts today.

Those who say that the airplane prop is the way out point to such things as the amazing flights of the X-1 which, powered with rockets, has no propeller. And they also point out the fact that approximately three-quarters of all the planes which the Air Force is buying today are jets, without propellers. The only planes which the Air Force is buying with propellers are trainers, cargo carriers and a few bombers.

Seems Obvious

It is Baker's contention that super-high speeds are too expensive today to have a commercial value. He writes: "For a speed increase of 30 per cent from the subsonic, into the supersonic . . . owing to the advent of compressibility shock, the drag increase is tremendous and a power increase of approximately 1/800 is required. Therefore it seems obvious . . . that it is uneconomical to contemplate carrying passengers or cargo through the trans-sonic into the supersonic speed region."

Baker draws these final conclusions on the future of the propeller and on the future of aviation in general: "(1) The majority of all air-borne cargo and personnel will be carried in planes operating in the speed range of from 100 miles-per-hour to sonic velocities. "(2) Regardless of the power-plant, these aircraft will have conventionally designed propellers as their propulsion device. "(3) The propeller will be used because it is inherently a more efficient device in the 100 miles-per-hour to sonic velocity speed range than the jet, offering as it does greater flexibility in its adaptation to either reciprocating engines (standard gasoline engines) or gas-turbine power plants (jet-driven propellers)."

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### WEATHER DELAYS FLYERS

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### Rankin News

RANKIN—The First State Bank on July 1 paid a 10 per cent semi-annual dividend to stockholders of record and paid employees a 10 per cent bonus on salaries for the first six months of the year, as voted in the regular directors meeting of the bank recently. Dunn Lowery is executive vice president.

F. G. Mearns of Big Lake has leased the new drive-in cafe on Highway 87 from W. S. Ellis, owner, and has announced the new eating place will be open for business in about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rodgers left Thursday to spend the weekend holidays with Mr. Rodgers' parents in Hico, Texas.

L. W. Kirkman of the Atlantic geophysical crew is spending the July 4 holidays at his home in Greenville, Texas.

The Hurst grocery and market opened for business in Rankin Wednesday in the new concrete building just completed opposite the post office, and an entire new front is being placed on the Rankin Food Mart building.

Stealing a postage stamp is grand larceny.

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### Communist Caucus



Leading representatives of Communist-dominated countries in Eastern Europe met in Warsaw, Poland, with Russia's foreign minister on eve of Stalin-Tito rift. Left to right: Erik Molnar of Hungary, V. M. Holotov, Zygmunt Modzelewski of Poland, Ana Pauker of Romania, Valdo Clementis of Czechoslovakia and Stanoje Simitch of Yugoslavia.

### Stanton News

STANTON—Otis Davison has returned home after being in a Dallas hospital.

Mrs. Jack Adams of Washington is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Louder.

C. E. Crow has returned home from a Big Spring hospital.

Mrs. George Cornelious and son Wayne have returned from a family reunion at Childress. Her father, W. F. McCain returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Costy and children of Arizona are visiting her mother. Mrs. Alta Henson, who has been visiting in Arizona, returned home with them.

Jane Jones is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Harrison Bickly of Midland.

Mrs. Dick Madison of Kermit is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bland Cross.

Bobby Hedrick and Jack Hill, Stanton residents employed in Midland, visited their parents over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bloomer visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ellger of Garden City recently.

Mrs. W. B. Spinks visited her children in Midland Monday.

### Scientists Say Most Dangerous Bird Of All Was Mesembrionis

CHICAGO—(P)—Most dangerous bird in the world, according to curators of Chicago's Field Museum, was the Mesembrionis. Eating animals, lizards and big snakes, it roamed South America 11 million years ago when there were no carnivorous animals on that continent. Fossil remains of this "Terror Bird" were found in Argentina and now Leon L. Price, taxidermist, has completed a restoration. Built for speed, the Mesembrionis was about five feet high and had short wings, used only to keep its balance while running. It could not fly. But it raced through the prehistoric world on ostrich-like legs, spreading nightmarish terror among animals.

A plant stem which twines from left to right is said to be detritore; from right to left, it's sinistore.

### Now First To See New Born French Baby

BESANCON, FRANCE—(P)—A cow was the first to see a newly born baby in a farm here.

Mme. Madeleine Mesnie, the wife of a farmer, was having a baby in her room, which like most farms in this department was situated underneath the cow's stable.

Suddenly the ceiling collapsed and one cow was found munching near the baby's cot. The mother was covered with plaster and so was the baby, but neither of them had been hurt.

According to the usual social announcement, "the mother, the baby . . . and the cow are all well."

### Policeman Posted In Church To Stop Fights

STOCKHOLM—(P)—In Ivetofa church in Skane, Southern Sweden, a policeman was posted on the organ-loft to prevent fights between the preacher and the woman organist during the divine service.

In a letter to the Church Commissioners the organist complained: "The old preacher is very deaf and the possessor of a thunderous voice. He can not follow the organ but pipes in his own song, sometimes before and sometimes after the music. He is used to make wry faces and laugh derisively at my performance."

Said the Church Commissioners: "The situation is . . . utterly embarrassing."

### Oklahoma Prison Cow Gives Lots Of Milk

MCALISTER, OKLA.—(P)—Stone walls do not a pasture make, nor from bars a pall.

But just the same, No. 15 has a splendid record at the state penitentiary here.

In the last 256 days she has given more than 15,000 pounds of milk. Sometimes, prison dairy workers say, she hits a daily high of 84 pounds.

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