

Gov. Dewey Endorses Military Training

Truman Calls For Unity Of Moral Forces

ROME, Aug. 28.—In an exchange of letters made public today, President Truman said the world's moral forces must unite against those who "seek to destroy them," and Pope Pius XII replied that peace was jeopardized by nations which would reduce men to serfdom.

The exchange was made public by the Vatican and the office of Myron Taylor, presidential representative to the Pope. The Pontiff received the President's letter from Taylor in an audience Tuesday and replied the same day.

"I seek to encourage renewed faith in the dignity and worth of the human person in all lands," President Truman wrote. "The times demand faith that is strong enough to struggle, if need be, for the right."

The Pontiff's reply said: "Once the state, to the exclusion of God, makes itself the source of the rights of the human person, man is fourthly reduced to the condition of slave; of a mere civic commodity."

The Pontiff pledged "wholehearted cooperation from God's church" in championing "the individual against despotic rule; the laboring man against oppression; religion against persecution."

Range Conference Is Underway Here

A two-day range conservation conference for SCS employees got underway here this morning. Personnel from eight West Texas cities were in attendance.

H. M. Bell, zone conservationist of the Regional SCS office in Fort Worth, is in charge of the refreshment course and will present new techniques that have been developed by the Regional office by correlating the work of soil conservation districts in the region of Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana.

Among persons here for the sessions are Barney Jefferson, Throckmorton; James Reed, Hottel; A. T. Stratton and Fred Brown, both of Sterling City; Emmett Pittman, Stanton; Doyle Clayton, Midland; John J. Webb, Spear; and Austin E. Khan, Dallas.

Al Jordan and E. J. Hughes represented the local office at the conference.

'Stormy Weather' Is Over

Weatherman Sees 'Blue Skies' Again

Texas can quit singing "Stormy Weather" and start humming "Blue Skies" now, the weather bureau said. The rains and floods are over, and temperatures will climb.

The Trinity river, which rose rapidly to 25 feet after a 9.18 inch record rainfall in Dallas, had dropped to 29.5 feet at 7:30 a. m. this morning and was still falling at Dallas.

It left its banks at some points, and the weather bureau said that lowlands below Dallas as the crest moved on.

The Colorado, first Texas river to flood after the torrential rains following in the wake of a gulf storm, also was falling. It was down at Columbus and Wharton, but was rising at Bay City. No danger was expected.

The bridge at Columbus that had been closed by the flood was reported open today.

The rains over Texas were blighted on the gulf storm which hit Galveston Sunday, and plowed through the state and up into Oklahoma before it died.

The all-time record rainfall that flooded Dallas Tuesday night and yesterday morning caused damage to city and county property alone estimated by county commissioners at \$275,000. The officials, tired and muddied, inspected the county and reported washed out roads, streets and bridges. They said it would take three weeks to repair damages.

In addition, there was heavy damage to private property, particularly to automobiles. Crops also were injured or delayed.

The weather was clear over all but the northeast portion of east

NEW YORK, Aug. 28. (AP)—American Legionnaires filed by the thousands into flag-draped Madison Square Garden today for the opening of their 29th convention as Gov. Thomas E. Dewey unequivocally endorsed universal military training.

Dewey, 1944 Republican presidential candidate and a possible candidate for the nomination again, came out for military training in a speech prepared for delivery before the convention. The Legion has long endorsed universal military training.

"It is our duty," Dewey said, "to provide a program involving participation by all able-bodied young American men under universal military training."

It was the first indication by Dewey of his stand on the controversial subject. Dewey has never announced his 1948 candidacy and has been silent on a number of domestic and foreign issues.

The GOP 1944 standard bearer also said that "for the defense of the peace we must maintain a permanent military establishment adequate to the defense of this country at all times and also sufficient to perform our obligations to the United Nations."

Dewey said that "the hard fact is that genuine peace seems further away than ever" and added that "we are witnessing on the world scene conditions which are hauntingly like those which followed the First World War."

The Republican party's titular leader declared "we must honestly face up to the facts and know where the dangers are. Everyone knows that there is now a movement which is advancing an ambitious, well-organized program to undermine and then overthrow the free societies of the world."

He added that "we have seen nation after nation crumble before it. We see its active revolutionaries in our own hemisphere and here in the United States we find its organs of propaganda and its tightly organized agents, vastly more powerful than their numbers, using fellow travelers in every walk of life."

Dewey said the American Legion "as a group, have long and vigorously fought this menace of communism."

He declared it was possible for the United States to live in peace with any nation but added: "It is fundamental that every nation respect the rights of the people to freedom and self-government. It is also fundamental that no nation has a right to conspire to overthrow the government of any self-governing people."

Three Refugee Ships Return To Gibraltar

GIBRALTAR, Aug. 28.—Three British transports carrying 4,400 Jewish refugees from the S. S. Exodus 1947 put out for Hamburg today with a naval escort, but returned soon after one of the transports, the Ocean Vigor, blew a boiler tube.

The British were moving the Jews to Germany after their refusal to disembark in France, whence they had sailed for Palestine without immigration certificates.

Departure of the convoy was delayed 24 hours, it was announced.

Four Persons Killed In Midnight Crash

KERMIT, Aug. 28.—Four persons were killed at midnight last night when an automobile and pickup truck collided head on and another car plowed into the wreckage a few seconds after the collision.

Two other persons were injured, one critically.

The accident occurred eight miles south of here on the Wink highway.

Dead were Fern Ruth Smith, 17, and Clara Faye Hendricks, 16, both of Kermit; W. C. Green, Jr., 24, Fort Worth, and Nathan Homer Daniels, 24, Lubbock.

Odis G. Turner, Wink, received a broken leg and possible internal injuries. Jacinto Villarreal, 16, a hitchhiker whom Turner had picked up shortly before the accident, was given little chance of recovery by Kermit hospital attendants.

U. N. BUDGET LAKE SUCCESS, Aug. 28.

LAKE SUCCESS, Aug. 28.—A United Nations budgetary committee today recommended that \$4,108,098 be lopped off a suggested 1948 budget of \$39,403,792 for operation of the peace agency.

erating costs that must have priority.

These include principally an increase that will run more than \$25,000 annually to meet the minimum teacher-salary set up by the last legislature in its \$55 per capita apportionment bill.

It has been indicated that Big Spring, like all other schools, must meet this level to hold its state classification. The state minimum is \$2,007 annually base pay, with increments of \$54 annually for 12 years. The local system is well under that level.

To meet such operating costs and hold the district fiscal affairs on a stable basis, trustees determined that \$200,000 should be the maximum bonded indebtedness to be incurred.

Worst congestion facing the school district currently—and it is estimated this condition will persist for several years—is that in

School Bonds Will Be Held To \$200,000 For Ward Units

Bonds to be issued to take care of present classroom expansion of the Big Spring schools, if the voters approve a bond-tax proposal at the polls Sept. 9, will be held to \$200,000, and this money will be used for permanent additions and repairs to the elementary school system.

This was the formal decision voted by the district board of trustees at a special meeting Thursday noon, when all phases of school finances were surveyed again.

In the Sept. 9 election, taxpayers will determine if the school tax rate shall be increased to \$1.50 maximum, and if the board shall be authorized to issue up to \$1,000,000 in bonds.

School officials, at first hopeful that provisions could be made for a new high school plant, find themselves stymied by increased op-

Russia Opposes Anglo-Egyptain Mediation Plan

No Indications Of Possible Veto Are Given

LAKE SUCCESS, Aug. 28. (AP)—Russia today renewed her opposition to a Brazilian proposal for bilateral settlement of the Anglo-Egyptian dispute over British troop dispositions but gave no indication whether she would wield the big-power veto.

Soviet Delegate Andrei A. Gromyko, speaking as a vote approached in the security council on the long-debated case, repeated that British troops should get off Egyptian soil as demanded by the Cairo government.

The Brazilian resolution, calling on Britain and Egypt to resume direct negotiations, was described by Gromyko as a means of side-stepping a decision and allowing the council to "wash its hands" of the case.

United Nations guards were alerted to quash any further spectator demonstrations in the chamber but there were no incidents reported in the early phases of the final round.

Secretary-General Trygve Lie announced emphatically that two Egyptian demonstrators tossed out of the chamber last Friday and again on Tuesday were barred from entering U. N. headquarters. To enforce the order, Security Chief Frank Bogley assigned special guards to all gates and reinforced his details inside the chamber, where the two unprecedented outbursts led to the ouster of Ahmed Kamel Kob and Mustafa Momen.

Tax Hearings Are Underway

Board of Equalization for the city of Big Spring and the Big Spring Independent school district started hearings Thursday morning, with 23 taxpayers registered to enter protests against valuation raises.

The waiting line at the school administrative office was small indeed in contrast to the crowd of a year ago, when the city and school district made a general hike in valuations and heard voluminous protests in return.

This year, the agencies announced, changes in valuations represent only additions or improvements to property, and changes in inventories. It cannot be definitely known the total valuation increase until board hearings are completed.

Sitting as members of equalization group are Jack Roden, Tom Rossion and A. P. Clayton. They will continue hearings through Friday, hope to conclude by then.

Chinese Reds Make Advances

NANKING, Aug. 28.—Communist raiders under one-eyed Gen. Liu Po-Cheng, driven from southwestern Shantung province, have cut a wide swath through the Honan-Anhui border country to reach areas within 150 miles of Hankow, field reports said today.

The official central news agency said defending forces had inflicted severe casualties on Red forces in the mountains along the border, but admitted loss of several towns to the communists.

Reports indicated the lightly burdened Red troops marched more than 200 miles in one week from western Shantung into southern Honan. Liu's forces apparently were bent on doing as much damage as possible before they are forced northward into Red strongholds in Shansi province.

Action Planned On Prison Situation



DIRECTORS OF FARBEN TRUST GO ON TRIAL — Some of the 24 directors of the billion dollar I. G. Farben German chemical trust who went on trial in Nuremberg on charges that they deliberately fostered Hitler's war for their own profit, listen as charges are read. Left to right, front: Carl Krauch, Hermann Schmitz, George Von Schnitzler, Fritz Gajewski, Heinrich Hoerlein and August von Klerlein (head just visible at right). Left to right, rear: Paul Harfliger, Max Ilgner, Friedrich Jaehne, Hans Kuehne and Carl Lautenschlaeger. (AP Wirephoto via radio from Nuremberg).

Final Touches Are Put On Rio Treaty

QUITANDINHA, Brazil, Aug. 28. (AP)—Committees of the Inter-American defense conference worked today to put the treaty of Rio De Janeiro into final shape as delegates looked forward to a visit next week from President Truman.

The United States delegation announced last night that the President, Mrs. Truman and their daughter, Margaret, would arrive in Rio from Washington next Monday. They will fly down in the Presidential DC-6, the Independence.

The President is to address the closing session of the conference here Tuesday morning and witness the signature of a 19-nation hemisphere treaty, its end result, in Rio that afternoon. He will help celebrate the 125th anniversary of Brazilian independence the following Sunday and leave for home next day on the battleship Missouri.

An informed Colombian source said today the Colombian delegation might be asked to invite Mr. Truman to address the 9th International Conference of American states in Bogota, Colombia, next January.

Final committee sessions vied today with cocktail parties and receptions given by various delegations. A full conference meeting is to be held tomorrow for approval of treaty articles as drafted by the three main committees.

A special committee composed of representatives of the United States, Argentina and Chile scheduled a closed meeting with a map-maker of the Brazilian national geographical institute to draft the outlines of a hemisphere pole-to-pole security region for submission to the full committee later in the day.

Papagos May Head Greeks

ATHENS, Aug. 28.—Generalissimo Alexander Papagos, Greece's hero of the Greek-Italian campaign in 1941, was mentioned increasingly today as the most likely candidate to head a "neutral" coalition Greek government and end a cabinet crisis now in its sixth day.

Premiere-Designate Constantinos Tsaldaris, thwarted in his efforts to organize a government, scheduled a meeting today with political leaders who participated in the cabinet of Demetrios Maximos, which fell last Saturday, to examine the possibility of forming a new coalition.

This was interpreted as meaning that he had given up hope of forming a government and had accepted the principle of having a neutral premier named to patch up a broad coalition as the sole means of breaking the long deadlock.

The name of Generalissimo Papagos, now a court chamberlain, was the one most frequently mentioned in informed political quarters.

Labor and industry joined together to submit a resolution to Greek political leaders urging them to make a "sincere effort to form a national government immediately." It urged them to put aside "every other motive" for the good of the nation.

Vandals Take Skull

LONDON, Aug. 28.—The 800-year-old skull of an earl was the only loot taken by vandals who rifled the vaults in the 13th century Church of the Knights Templars last weekend.

The librarian of the middle temple, an ancient "Inn of court" on whose property the blitzed church stands, said today the skull was that of the first Earl of Essex, who was killed in 1144.

State Board Will Study Accusations

Conditions In System Called Unparalleled

AUSTIN, Aug. 28. (AP)—The state prison board today was scheduled to meet here Saturday with Gov. Beauford H. Jester after the seething Texas prison situation, reportedly "unparalleled in 20 years," erupted anew yesterday.

Jester called the meeting upon receipt of a telegram from Austin H. McCormick, executive director of the Osborne Association, Inc., of New York, who in 1943 made a survey of the Texas prison system at the direction of the prison board.

McCormick's message read: "Reports I have received from reputable sources indicate situation on Texas prison farms has reached a condition unparalleled in the last 20 years in any other prison system in the country. I hope prison board will take effective action. Cure does not lie in continued brutality but in better personnel."

Jester said he communicated the text of McCormick's message to all nine members of the board and sent a night letter to McCormick asking for the basis of his complaint.

It was a new climax to a situation which for months has brought almost continuous criticism, particularly in the last session of the legislature, alleging perversion, killings, self-maimings and other evils among prisoners "treated worse than animals."

"I have had the feeling for a long time that our prison system is perhaps antiquated and needs revising," the Governor commented. "We all know that the guards are underpaid, even though they got a little raise this year. The kind of job that is, their salary isn't much pay."

McCormick told the 50th Legislature's joint committee on penitentiaries last March that a minimum salary of \$150 should be paid prison guards.

The appropriation by the 50th Legislature as finally passed provided no salary for prison guards to exceed \$135.

McCormick told the legislative committee that Texas' physical prison setup and parole system needed an overhauling if present corrupt practices are to be abolished.

"Every form of perversion is practiced all the time... the prison board knows and admits this goes on," he declared.

Later in the session Rep. Sam Sellers of Waco, member of the joint legislative committee, handed a report to Speaker W. O. Reed charging "rampant brutality" at certain prison farms and calling for the discharge of two prison farm managers. The report was never read to the House nor any official action taken. A later resolution asking further investigation however, was passed by the House but died in the Senate.

Sellers' communication to Reed claimed that some inmates were "treated worse than animals" and described sodomy and self mutilation as "regular and consistent" in the system.

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Norwegian Plane Crash Kills 35

OSLO, Norway, Aug. 28.—A Norwegian airlines flying boat crashed in the Lofoten mountains today, killing all 35 persons aboard, the company announced.

The Sandringham flying boat carried 27 passengers and a crew of eight. It was en route to Stavanger from Tromsoe when the crash occurred at 9:30 a. m., Greenwich mean time (3:30 a. m. CST).

The chief pilot, a Capt. Buer, was a distinguished Norwegian aviator. Among the victims was the company's chief inspector, Jarle Ebbesen.

The big plane burned for several hours after it crashed. Eyewitnesses said they heard an explosion echoing through the mountains as the plane plummeted through the fog and rain.

The airline said one American citizen identified so far only as Mrs. Jess, was among those killed.

Two Czech journalists, Jan Reinis of the newspaper Svobodne Vovini and Tatjana Selingerova of the Narana Boroda, and a Dane, G. Heine, also were among the dead. The others were all Norwegians.

National Survival Necessity?

Steelman Urges More Scientific Research

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Presidential Assistant John R. Steelman declared today "national survival" demands that the United States sharply increase its spending for scientific research.

In his first report as chairman of the President's scientific research board, Steelman said "no responsible person can fail to recognize the uneasy character of the present peace."

And a nation which falls behind in fundamental scientific knowledge, he advised Mr. Truman, "would be severely handicapped in any future war."

Steelman proposed that by 1957 public and private outlays for

advancing research should be at the rate of 1 per cent of the national income, or an estimated \$2,000,000,000 a year.

This would be twice the present rate, but Steelman's report said it would be a bare minimum "if we are to remain a bulwark of democracy in the world."

Mr. Truman released the report along with a statement of his own saying:

"We must constantly enlarge the boundaries of scientific knowledge in order to continue to provide the benefits of full production and full employment, and in order to protect our democracy from the dangers it faces in an uneasy world."

Prisons

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offenses among prisoners on three farms. Jester told the Associated Press yesterday that he has been receiving carbon copies of the monthly prison reports made by prison system General Manager J. W. Stokes.

"There are some self-maimings reported every month, and there was one killing last month," the Governor related. Jester promised that "improvement in the physical establishment and administrative organization of the prison system could be anticipated during the next two years," noting that the appropriation for running the system during the next fiscal year provides a \$727,406 increase over the current fiscal year.

"This increase will include one-half million dollars for new buildings and improvements and over \$200,000 for increases in salaries of administrative personnel, guards and picket men," he said.

The Governor said he had no objection to Saturday's meeting being "open to the public" if that met with the board's satisfaction.

DAWES' IS 82

CHICAGO, Aug. 28. (AP) — Gen. Charles G. Dawes, former Vice president of the United States, one-time ambassador to Great Britain and a Nobel prize winner, observed his 82nd birthday yesterday by working as usual in his La Salle street office.



DRIVER ESCAPED DEATH IN FLAMES — Fire envelops an automobile jammed against the side of a long island railroad train after it had skidded through the gates at Rockville Center, Long Island, N. Y., during a rain storm. The driver of the car, Jerome Slotnick, 22, leaped clear a second before the car was struck. He was uninjured. The crash caused the gasoline tank of the car to explode. (AP Wirephoto).

Boy Scouts To Present Show

Big Spring Boy Scouts and members of several visiting troops from other points in the Buffalo Trail Council will present the weekly program Friday night at the City park amphitheatre. The show will get underway at 8:30 p. m.

A flag raising ceremony will open the event, after which a fire building demonstration by both the flint and steel and the friction methods, will follow.

Other features will include knot tying exhibitions, under direction of Bill Post of Colorado City, pyramid building by Cub Scouts, a water purification demonstration by troop five, archery demonstration by troop 37 of Roscoe.

Two Scout awards will be presented in formal ceremonies. Charles Willbanks of troop two is to receive the Eagle award, and Donald Williams will be presented the Life Saving Honor certificate.

Troop five will be in charge of stage decorations for the program. Music will be furnished by the troop two "Gulley Jumpers" composed of Murph Thorp, Bernie Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Turney and Duke Daniels. H. D. Norris, local Scout field executive, will be master of ceremonies.

Housing Probe Is Continued

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—A federal grand jury which already has indicted two real estate organizations on anti-trust charges was called back into session today to dig deeper into the national housing price situation.

The national association of real estate boards and the Washington real estate board were accused in indictments returned yesterday of conspiring to fix commission rates on property deals in the district of Columbia.

Word that the investigation is far broader, however, came from H. Clifford Bangs, former president of the Washington board. After appearing before the grand jury as a witness, he said transactions in such places as Chicago and California also are under study.

The grand jury investigation began after Attorney General Clark ordered his anti-trust division to act against any conspiracies to boost housing, clothing and food prices. Commenting on the first indictments, Clark said in a statement:

"Our inquiry into the housing field indicates that artificial restraints on competition, such as those involved in this matter, bear a definite relation to present high housing costs."

The indictment charges the national association's code of ethics requires members of local boards to charge commissions set by the local. It alleges that since February, 1943, brokers' commissions on sales of houses here have gone up uniformly 25 to 50 per cent, depending on the price classification.

Big Springer Gets Surplus Vehicle

Rayford H. Gilliam, Box 1381, Big Spring was one of the World War II veterans purchasing an automotive vehicle from the War Assets Administration in the regionwide sale held this week at the Grand Prairie warehouse. Gilliam purchased his vehicle for \$477 and by a drawing for a position to buy was one of 400 purchasers out of 8,000 to turn out for the sale.

One hundred sixty additional vehicles, all in need of repairs, will be sold on a high bid basis at Grand Prairie Thursday and Friday, September 4 and 5 to veterans and other buyers.

Air Highway Survey Group To Stop Here

Members of a survey party for "Skyway No. 1" a proposed trans-continental air line for private planes and non-scheduled flights are due to arrive in Big Spring at 10 a. m. on Sept. 9 for a one-hour stop.

The route has been designated between Los Angeles and Washington, D. C., and C. A. Beebe, president of the Los Angeles chamber of commerce, and John A. Reilly, president of the Washington Board of Trade, will head the survey party.

The local chamber of commerce aviation department, city officials and other civic leaders are making plans for a conference with the survey group to be conducted at the Municipal airport.

The Skyway route has been approved by the Civil Aeronautics Administration as a safety facility for planes on non-scheduled flights. Ground markings and other aviation aids will be installed liberally along the 40-mile wide lane from coast to coast.

Public Records

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Sammy Seale and Francis Marion Sted, Big Spring.
Garland P. Robinson and Mayrill Lucille Hoese, Stanton.
C. E. McDaniel et ux to E. J. McDaniel et ux, East 30' Lot 2 Blk 28 Coils and Strayhorn add. 390.
William E. Darby et ux to Glenn Smith et ux, N 50' Lot 2 Blk 80 Oriental, 87,500.
E. R. Thompson et ux to H. C. Wallin, Lots 13, 14, 15, 16, Sanders add. Coalsoma, 82,500.
New Vehicles
O. B. Hull, Ford sedan.
L. Z. Shafter, Ford sedan.
J. O. Fennell, Buick sedan.
J. L. Smith, Knott, Plymouth sedan.

Minors, Held Here, Returned To El Paso

Pablo Canales and Ricardo Carrasco, Latin-American minors who allegedly stole a bicycle here last week and attempted to sell it in Stanton, have been returned to El Paso by local authorities.

Members of the sheriff's office bought them bus-fare and sent them on their way.

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Red Cross Wants Permanent Home

Representatives of the Howard-Glasscock chapter of the American Red Cross started search Thursday for possible sites for a home for the agency, after a meeting Wednesday evening at which it was decided permanent quarters should be a goal.

A general moving of county agencies may result in demand by the county for the Red Cross quarters on Fourth street, and members of the chapter expressed the view that if a move is necessary, the ARC should endeavor to locate a site under a long-lease or purditchal quarters soon for the exchange arrangement.

The county is due to provide ad-advanced staff of the state highway patrol here, and officials plan on locating this office where the county library is now located. This would necessitate moving the library, and the Red Cross office has been considered for that avenue.

No definite decision has been made, County Judge Walton Morrison has announced, but arrangements must be completed by early next month.

Public assistance in locating headquarters was asked by the Red Cross, and anyone with helpful suggestions is asked to call A. V. Karcher, chairman of the chapter.

J. M. Choates Are Grandparents

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Choate were informed recently of the birth of a son to their daughter, Mrs. H. R. Haywood of Grand Prairie, Tex. The newcomer, ushered into the world Aug. 23, has been named Ray. He weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces at birth.

Lodged In Jail

Gerano Hernandez, 21, one of three Latin-Americans picked up here Wednesday on charges of theft, has been lodged in the county jail pending fixture of bail. The others, one 12 years of age and the other nine, were released to the custody of their parents. The minors allegedly stole a quantity of wire from Charley Morris earlier in the week. Hernandez took it away from them later and sold it, police said.

LOCAL VACATIONERS

County Judge and Mrs. Walton Morrison left this morning on a vacation trip that was to carry them to parts of New Mexico. Morrison intended to get his fill of fishing before returning.

NEWSPAPER CLOSED

BUENOS AIRES, Aug. 28.—The municipal administration closed the printing plant of the socialist weekly La Vanguardia today. It charged the newspaper with unloading newsprint on a heavily traveled street in violation of regulations and with lacking first aid facilities.

Markets

WALL STREET
NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—A few stock market leaders edged forward today, although many issues continued to suffer from lack of worthwhile bids. The approach of the lengthy holiday inspired caution. Doubts regarding international problems, exports and domestic business persisted as selling arguments. Some buying again was based on the idea that the list was in technical shape to negotiate a good fall rally. Another batch of plebeian dividends buoyed scattered stocks but was ignored by others concerned.

Dealings slackened after a fairly active opening and mild irregularity rule near midday. Bonds were narrow and cotton futures uneven.

LIVESTOCK
PORT WORTH, Aug. 28.—Cattle market leaders edged forward today, although many issues continued to suffer from lack of worthwhile bids. The approach of the lengthy holiday inspired caution. Doubts regarding international problems, exports and domestic business persisted as selling arguments. Some buying again was based on the idea that the list was in technical shape to negotiate a good fall rally. Another batch of plebeian dividends buoyed scattered stocks but was ignored by others concerned.

COTTON
NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Cotton futures at noon were 15 to 65 cents a bale higher than the previous close, Oct. 31.54, Dec. 31.25 and March 31.13.

William Weatherly Aboard Destroyer

William J. Weatherly, fireman, first class, son of Dee E. Weatherly of 1215 West Third St., is serving aboard the destroyer USS Fox, which is operating in the Okinawa area on air-sea rescue missions. The duties of Fox, while engaged in rescue work, consist of aiding the survivors of airplane crashes, ship wrecks, and other forms of disasters at sea.

RELEASED ON BOND
Frank Miller, Negro, has been released on \$250 bond by the county after he had been charged with passing a worthless check.

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Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau
BIG SPRING AND VICINITY—Partly cloudy today, tonight and Friday. Not much change in temperature. Expected high today 92, low tonight 67. High Friday 92.
EAST TEXAS—Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Friday. A few widely scattered afternoon thundershowers, mostly in north and west portions. No important temperature changes. Gentle to moderate southerly winds on the coast.
WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Friday. A few widely scattered afternoon thundershowers, except in Panhandle and South Plains. No important temperature changes.

TEMPERATURES

CITY	Max	Min
Arlington	89	72
Amarillo	89	62
BIG SPRING	91	67
Chicago	88	67
Denver	91	57
El Paso	87	70
Fort Worth	91	78
Galveston	88	78
New York	73	86
St. Louis	92	67

Local sunset today 7:18 p. m.; sunrise Friday 6:19 a. m.

It is estimated that there were 8,609,000 acres devoted to rubber plantations in 1938.

Byron Nelson On KBST At 6:35 P. M.

Byron Nelson, who was to appear in a golf exhibition this afternoon at the Big Spring Municipal course will be featured on a sports broadcast at 6:35 p. m. today over station KBST. Nelson will be later-viewed by Lloyd Hawkins KBST program director.

Bogus Check Rash Breaks Out Again

The effects of another rash of bogus checks are being felt in local law enforcement agencies today. Warrants were issued by the county attorney against four persons charged with obtaining things of value with worthless checks and several others were due to be filed.

LOCAL VISITOR

Charles L. Klapproth, an attorney-at-law in Midland, was a business visitor here this morning.

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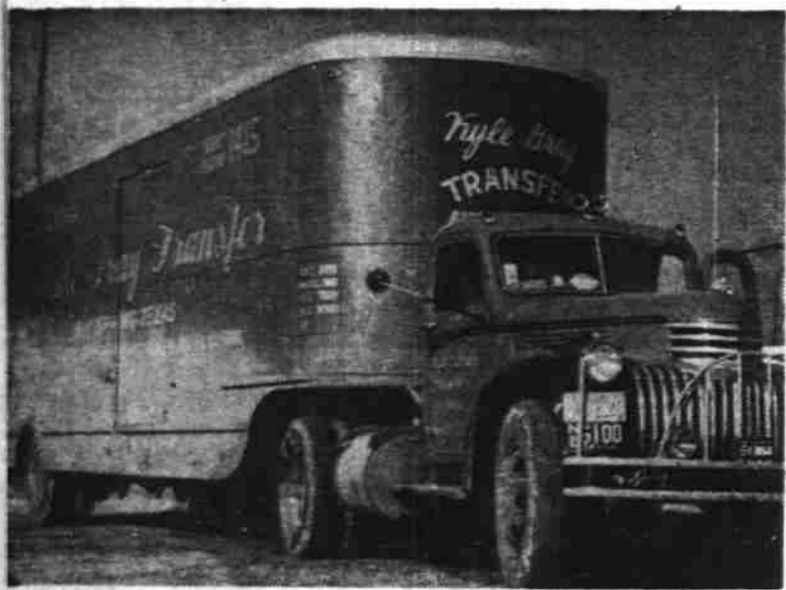


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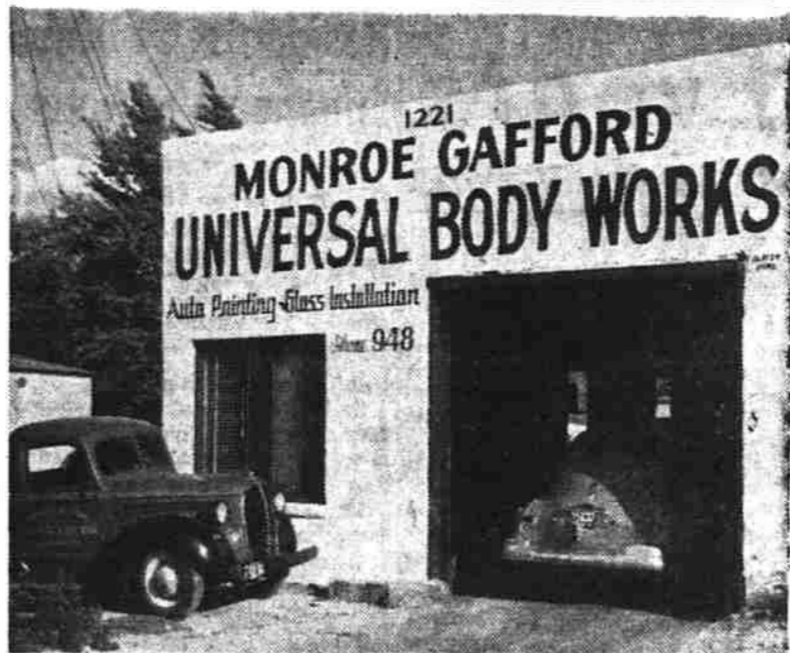
It's not too early, D. Weatherly and O. B. Kirby, co-owners of the plant, point out, to be thinking in terms of fall clothing. Of course such thoughts may send some persons on slopping trips in quest of new items, but there always is a large number of articles on hand in every home that can be conditioned for another season by a first class cleaning and pressing establishment.

W&K Cleaners offer expert alteration service, and dyeing is a specialty.

The firm has its equipment in top condition for the fall season, which also means that it will be in a position to take care of problems created by the opening of school.

Weatherly and Kirby are now laying plans for celebrating their first anniversary as a Big Spring business establishment. They opened the W&K shop on Sept. 12, 1946, and since that date they have seen their list of regular patrons grow steadily, which indicates that the firm has definitely been accepted as a successful and satisfactory business concern.

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The Wooten Produce Co., 401 East Second street, which actually includes three complete retail units, is currently handling a heavy volume of eggs and poultry, according to Harvey Wooten, owner and manager.

The firm is keeping a number of eating establishments in Big Spring and vicinity supplied with eggs, and at the same time it is able to ship a few supplies to other points. Wooten has several regular customers in other cities and towns.

At present the produce department is handling approximately 15,000 dozen eggs each week, and Wooten estimates that at least 60 per cent of the volume is consumed locally.

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By Leatrice Ross

THE NEWSPAPERMAN

A pronounced example of the husband who never gets away from his work is the newspaperman, who after plodding pavements and beating a typewriter all day, comes straight into the house and retreats behind the pages of the evening paper.

Mrs. Wacil McNair has contacted her husband's fear of errors on the news sheet and can no longer read the paper for information alone. Nor can she expect a calm ordinary evening out—finding herself sometimes following leads after fire engines and police cars.

A newspaper reporter has regular hours every day, but often must "cover" an event after hours. This Mrs. McNair never finds disagreeable, for she often gains gratis entrance to the finest seat in the house along with her husband. Too, a person associated with the newspaper is well acquainted with many people. Mrs. McNair never finds herself lonely whenever they go out.

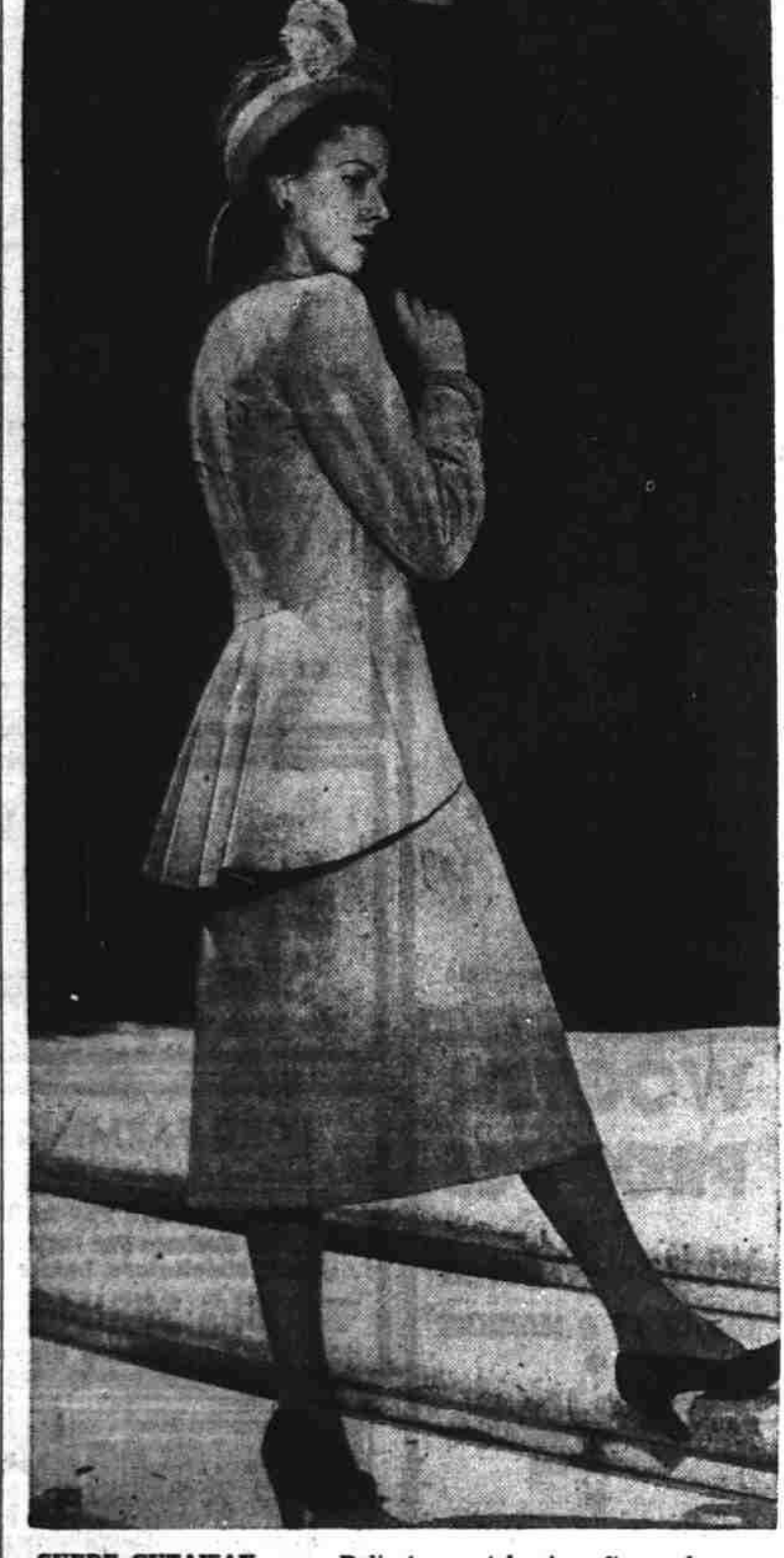
"Mac," like all others in his profession, reads a great many different newspapers. He is familiar with all major events of the nation and world, and he is an avid sports fan. Few newspaper men go in for athletics, but they understand and appreciate practically every sport.

A staggered routine keeps the reporter from becoming exhausted

after his day's work, and his countless contacts keep him for the most part in an agreeable mood.

To Mrs. McNair being married

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Events

OF THE COMING WEEK

- Friday**
 THE VARIETY SEWING CLUB will meet with Mrs. Wayne Morris, 304 W. 18th at 2:30 p. m.
 THE BLUEBONNET CLASS of the First Baptist Church will have a barbecue at the Kent Moran ranch. They will meet at the South side of the rodeo grounds at 7 p. m.
 THE HOMEMAKER'S CLASS of the First Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. M. E. Harland, 1110 Main, at 3 p. m.
 THE WOODMAN CIRCLE will meet at the WOW hall at 8 p. m.
 THE PHILATHEA CLASS of the First Methodist Church will have a coffee at the home of Mrs. Roy Reeder, 604 Bell, from 9:30 to 12 noon.
- Saturday**
 BETA SIGMA PHI DANCE will be held at Hotel Settles ballroom at 9 p. m.

Forsan Residents Are Late Summer Visitors, Guests

FORSAN, Aug. 28, (Sp1)—Mrs. E. N. Baker is improving after an operation in a Dallas hospital last Friday.

Jan Livingston has returned home from a few weeks visit in Denver City.

Mrs. Troy Frazier and children of San Angelo were recent visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Ralston and Mr. and Mrs. John Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Griffith and Cathy of Colorado City spent the week-end here with their parents and families.

Mrs. A. D. Smith Sr. of Abilene was a week-end guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. V. Hedgpath and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Cunningham have returned to their home in Springfield, Mo. after a visit here with Mrs. Idella Alexander.

Fred Green has been dismissed as a patient in the Big Spring hospital. He is convalescing from severe burns received about a month ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Parker and daughter of Westbrook have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Fairchild and family.

Kenneth Baker has returned from visiting relatives in Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Carmichael of Roswell, N. M. were guests of the Kent Morgans recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Long's recent visitors were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Taylor, Dwan Callis and Gwen Callis of Los Angeles, Calif.

Mrs. Dora Roberts was visiting on her ranch the first of the week.

Mrs. Mary Huevel of Houston is a guest in the home of her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Huevel.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Adams and children of Wichita Falls, who have been visiting in the H. L. Tienarand home, left Tuesday.

Mrs. Adams is a sister of Mrs. Tienarand.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hamilton of Iran were here for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Perry and Maurice have moved to Oklahoma City, Okla. Perry is the former superintendent here for the Sunroy Oil Company.

Residents Of Knott Have Late Summer Vaations And Visitors

KNOTT Aug. 27, (Sp1)—Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brown visited last week with relatives in Waco, Fort Worth, Dallas, and Temple.

Mrs. R. H. Unger has returned from a visit with her son, Willie Unger and family in Richmond, Calif., and a sister, Mrs. Curtis Hill in Taft, Calif. In Richmond, Mrs. Unger was joined by another son, Walter, who is stationed in San Diego with the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roman and family are home from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Willie B. Walker in Portland, Ore. In Richmond, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Roman visited the Curtis Hills, and in Taft, they visited the Willie Ungers.

Mrs. Dorothy Peugh has returned home from a visit with relatives in Beckville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gross and family and Mrs. Lee Vaughn, Jr. all of Knott, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gross and family of Big Spring returned from a vacation in Arkansas. They visited C. R. Gross and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Duckworth and family in Watson, Ark. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gross and family in Nashville, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Gross of Texarkana.

Elizabeth Louise Anderson has returned home after spending the summer with relatives in Bastrop and San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McGregor and daughter, Barbara, visited several days with relatives in New Mexico during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pettus and family spend the weekend with his sister, Mrs. H. B. Hood, and Mr. Hood, and Mrs. Robert D. Pettus and family in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee McArthur and family of Spur spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Gist. Weekend guests in the Gist home were a daughter, Mrs. Grady Castle, Mr. Castle and son of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Shortes and family and Leon Riddle attended a Shortes family reunion in Oklahoma last week. Others attending were Mrs. J. C. Allred and Mrs. Meedy Shortes.

Mrs. J. B. Smith and son, John Allen, of Fort Stockton arrived here Sunday for a visit with her father, A. Petty, and her sister, Mrs. S. T. Johnson. N. Petty of May is also a visitor in the Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roman and family are visiting M-Sgt. and Mrs. Jim Rutledge in Milwaukee, Wis. J. E. Pettus of Graham has been visiting his brother, D. W. Pettus and family.

Alden Boyer has returned to his home in Arkansas after spending the past three months visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Martin of Hobbs, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Kingril of Roaring Springs spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Castle.

Gift Tea Honors Mrs. C. Bettie

Mrs. Raymond Dunnagan and Mrs. Fred Beckham entertained Monday evening for Mrs. Clayton Bettie with a gift tea at the Beckham home, 1107 Sycamore.

Receiving guests were Mrs. Bettie, Mrs. Beckham and Mrs. W. M. Gage.

Mrs. Tommy Gage was at the refreshment table which was laid with a white linen cut-work cloth and centered with a blue miniature buggy filled with pink gladioli and white carnations. Crystal holders held lighted white tapers at either side of the centerpiece. Plate favors were miniature plastic stalks. Refreshments and table appointments carried out a pink and blue color scheme.

Arrangements of zinnias and marigolds decorated the entertaining suite. Mrs. R. L. Heath was at the guest registry table where at one end was placed a white leather shoe filled with pink and white carnations.

Mrs. Dunnagan showed gifts. Approximately 35 persons attended.

College Heights PTA Has Meeting

The College Heights Parent Teacher Association had a house to meeting at the school house to elect a new treasurer and appoint some committee chairman.

Mrs. Lambert Ward was elected treasurer. Other officers of the association are Mrs. W. N. Norred, president; Mrs. Stanley Cameron, vice-president; and Mrs. Lucian Jones, secretary.

Chairmen for the year are Mrs. Stanley Cameron, program; Mrs. Relece Jones, membership; Mrs. George White, budget and finance; Mrs. A. G. Allen, Mrs. Allen Higgins and Mrs. Walker Bailey, hospitality; Mrs. G. W. Crown, publicity; Mrs. R. F. Bluhm, room mother; Mrs. Ralph Wyatt, health and summer roundup; Mrs. A. W. Dillion, radio; Mrs. John Freeman, safety; Mrs. K. H. McGibbon, auditor; Mrs. W. D. Lovelace, spiritual and education; Mrs. Haley Haynes; Mrs. Clayton McCarby, goal chairman; Mrs. H. G. Keaton, historian; Mrs. Guess, projects; and Mrs. G. T. Hall, publication.

Mrs. Clifford Hale, the new principal, met with the group.

American Legion Dance

There will be a dance Saturday evening from 9 to 12 at the American Legion Hut at the AAFBS for Legionnaires and their wives and guests.

Music will be provided by juke box.

Visits - Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Byrd are leaving Saturday to attend a Piggy-Wiggly Company Convention in Denver, Colo. They will be gone a week.

Margaret Brown of the Big Spring National Farm Loan Association returned Wednesday from Houston, where she attended a three day meeting at the Federal Land Bank.

Mrs. Loula Daniels is leaving today for Lubbock where she will teach school this year. She has been visiting her mother, Mrs. A. B. Wade for a few days, after spending the summer in school in Denton working toward a masters degree.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Crocker are Mrs. Crocker's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mantooth Showell and children, Jan Judy and Bennett, of Conroe.

Sew and Chatter Club Honors Mrs. Murdock

Mrs. Louis Murdock was entertained on her birthday Wednesday afternoon by members of the Sew and Chatter club at their regular meeting with Mrs. Herbert Johnson.

The hostess served a birthday cake, and gifts were presented to Mrs. Murdock.

Attending were Mrs. Lizzie Campbell, Mrs. Garner McAdams, Mrs. W. M. Gage, Mrs. C. Y. Chabrowski, Mrs. Norman Holcombe, Mrs. C. M. Weaver and Mrs. H. V. Crocker.

Mrs. McAdams will be hostess Sept. 10.

Park Methodist Study Club Meets At Church

The Park Methodist Study Club met at the church Wednesday night for a study of the 103rd Psalm. The Club opened with the singing of "The Haven of Rest", "Land of Cloudless Day", and "Shall We Gather At The River".

The members entered into a sentence prayer and the meeting was closed with the club benediction.

Those attending were Mrs. Joe Dorton, Mrs. Bob Eubanks, Mrs. Abbey Anderson, Mrs. Joe M. Faucett, Mrs. Gould Winn and Mrs. W. A. Laswell.

Country Club Will Hold Open House For Golfers

Open house will be held at the Big Spring Country Club Saturday evening in connection with the Big Spring Invitational Golf Tournament Friday through Monday.

Wives of visiting tournament players will be entertained with bridge parties during the weekend. Shortly after mid-night Sunday registrants for the tourney and their guests will be feted with a German dance. Leonard King and his orchestra will provide music.

G. C. Broughton, Jr. Wins High At 42 Club

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Petty entertained the 42 Club in their home Wednesday night.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Broughton, Sr., G. C. Broughton, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morgan, Mrs. Peter Van Pelt, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ray, Mrs. R. L. Holly, Sr., and Laura Grandstaff.

G. C. Broughton won high, Mrs. Morgan guest high, Mrs. Ray high prize, and Mr. Ray consolation prize.

Charlene Eudy Feted On Tenth Birthday

Charlene Eudy was entertained on her 10th birthday Tuesday afternoon with a party at the city park.

Refreshments were served to Gwen Gafford, Glenna Harmon, Delores Haygood, Melva Norrell, Maxine Stock, Mary Alice Rutherford, Belva Jo Wren, Freeda Eudy, Mary Ann Williams, Mrs. Oscar Martin, Mrs. Mary Frazier and Mrs. J. E. Eudy.

Class To Have Coffee

The Philathea Class of the First Methodist church is to have a coffee at the home of Mrs. Roy Reeder, 604 Bell Street, Friday morning from 9:30 to 12 noon.

Committee Members Meet

Committee members and chairman of the revival team for a meeting which opens at the First Baptist church Sept. 10 are asked to meet Friday at 6:30 p. m. in the office of Ernest Hock at the church.

Monroe Gaffords Host Club Of Eight At Party

The Club of Eight met with Mrs. Monroe Gafford Tuesday night with their husbands as guests. Gifts were exchanged and 42 was entertainment.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lytle, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Page, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. B. Riddle, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Haston, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cloud and the hosts.

Nite Out Bridge Club Meets At Pattons

The Nite Out Bridge Club met in the home of Mrs. Garrett Patton Wednesday night.

Mrs. C. E. Johnson won high and bingedo and Mrs. Arthur Caywood won second high. Mrs. S. W. Agee will be the next hostess.

Others present were Mrs. Durwood McCright, Mrs. Bill Dehlinger, Jr., Mrs. James C. Jones and Mrs. Donald Anderson.

Mrs. Gaston Green Feted At Gift Tea

Mrs. Gaston Green was honored with a gift tea at the home of Mrs. S. F. Sanderson, Members of the Northside Baptist Church Women's Missionary Union were hostesses.

Mrs. G. J. Couch gave a devotional.

Those attending were Mrs. Roy Cook, Mrs. Vernon Smith, Mrs. P. D. Webb, Mrs. George M. Hill, Mrs. G. J. Couch, Mrs. Hipp, Mrs. Masters, Mrs. W. N. Wood, Mrs. R. A. Brown, Mrs. Ray Meyers, Mrs. Henry Rogers, Lois Kinman, Janette Kinman, Betty Dickson, Eleanor McNeely, Sharon Green, Mrs. S. F. Sanderson and the honoree.

Sanders-Sanderson Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sanderson are making their home here after their marriage in Oklahoma City, Okla., Saturday night, Aug. 23.

Mrs. Sanderson is the former Jeroma Dean Sanders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Sanders of Oklahoma City, Okla. Sanderson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Sanderson of Big Spring.

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NEW RECORD HOLDER AND OLD—Standing by the plane in which both flyers made a new world speed record are Marine Major Marion Carl (left), whose new record was 650.6 miles an hour; and Navy Comdr. Turner F. Caldwell, who set the old record of 646.7 miles an hour flying the same plane, a jet-propelled D-558 skystreak on August 26. The tests were made at Muroc Army Air Base in California. (AP Wirephoto).

Feud In Supreme Court May Be Headed For Showdown This Fall

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The supreme court feud between Justices Robert H. Jackson and Hugo Black may be headed for a showdown this fall. Jackson, in his unprecedented statement from Nurnberg, Germany, 14 months ago, took his colleague sharply to task for participating in a 1945 portal-to-portal

Mitchell County 4-H Girls Will Attend A&M Meet

COLORADO CITY, Aug. 28.—Two 15-year-old Mitchell county 4-H club girls will attend the Texas 4-H Roundup at College Station Sept. 4 and 5. Mrs. Mary R. Drummond, county home demonstration agent, has announced. The girls are Jolene Campbell and Winona Springfield. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Raymond McGee, club sponsor for Buford, and by Ronny Fee and Kenneth Dockery, 4-H club boys who will also be delegates. Jolene, a sixth year 4-H'er, began 4-H club work in the 5th grade as garden demonstrator and recreation leader. Since that time she has held office as vice-president, secretary-treasurer, and was this year club president. She has been demonstrator for garden, poultry, sewing, and bedroom improvement projects. She fed and cleared \$65.00 and \$96.00 on her self demonstration. This year she took first place in the county dress revue with a yellow linen suit, a pique hat and bag which she made. Her current main project is clothing. Winona was recently chosen Gold-Star 4-H girl by the H. D. Council. Her selection was based on all-around achievement in all 4-H club work—clothing, gardening, poultry, recreation, camping. She is in her fifth year of 4-H work.



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Johnson May Run For O'Daniel's Post

MALLEN, Aug. 28. (AP)—The visit here of Congressman Lyndon B. Johnson of Austin today led to speculation as to whether he would run for W. Lee O'Daniel's position as U. S. Senator. He said in reply to a question that if he did intend to run, "I won't keep it a secret." Johnson spent two days in the valley, returning yesterday to Austin. While here he said that he considered his appointment to the joint Senate-House atomic energy committee as "the most challenging and the most important thing that has ever happened to me."

Commercial freezing of fish by artificial refrigeration dates back to 1861 in Maine.

Jap General Is Sentenced To Hang

YOKOHAMA, Aug. 28. (AP)—A Japanese general was sentenced to be hanged and seven other Japanese received prison terms today after an eighth army commission found them guilty of responsibility in the beheading of two American fliers. Their defense was that the fliers—1st Lt. Robert M. Hanson of Minneapolis, Kans., and S. Sgt. Algy Stanley Augunas of Bay Shore, N. Y.—participated in "indiscriminate bombings" in the Osaka area. Sentenced to death was Maj. Gen. Kiyotomi Otahara convicted of initiating the "trial" at which the Americans were ordered executed.

McKinney Hospital To Have TB Training

DALLAS, Aug. 28. (AP)—The Veterans Administration here announced yesterday that the veterans hospital at McKinney, has been approved for residency training in tuberculosis by the council on medical education of the American Education Association. The veterans hospital at Temple was approved for residency training in radiology.

Cosden Hearing

AUSTIN, Aug. 28. (AP)—The railroad commission today set hearing for Oct. 7 on the application of the Mackhank Petroleum Company for permitted transfer of allowables in the Cosden, west, field, Bee county.

Togo Says Emperor Ordered U. S. War

TOKYO, Aug. 28. (AP)—Japan's war preparations were "defensive" until Emperor Hirohito issued orders for attacks on American, British and Dutch territory, Former Premier Hideki Tojo said in an interrogation read to the international tribunal today. Tojo's statement said the decision to go to war was made at an imperial conference Dec. 1, 1941. Until then, he said, Japanese plans and troop dispositions had been made to "resist attack" from allied nations and to carry on the China war and the movement of troops into French Indo China.

Russians have obtained a nutritious oil from the seeds of snapdragons.

A fish chowder is always well, it, or one using tomatoes and a wide assortment of vegetables, bass, whitefish, cod or haddock. It With the addition of a salad and may be New England style chowder a hearty dessert, one could not ask with onions, potatoes and milk in for a more wholesome meal.

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School Issues Being Clarified

Proposal for the local school system's expansion has been clarified to some extent by recent meetings of the board of trustees and other citizens.

It appears a certainty that the majority of the people of the town want to see adequate budgeting for operation of the schools at the best possible level, including the meeting of state requirements in teacher salaries. There is strong evidence that an increase in the tax rate is acceptable to provide this financing.

Hand in hand with the tax rate proposal which will be voted on Sept. 9 is the proposal for issuing bonds to provide more school housing. Although the ballots call for the issuance of bonds up to \$1,000,000, trustees have determined that the district could not handle that large an issue and at the same time keep on a stable basis of operations.

It is probable that a bond issue would run no more than \$650,000—this to provide classroom space; and whether it goes for high school or elementary schools, the increase in facilities will be adapted to relieve crowded conditions in all schools.

Those familiar with the needs of the schools see this as a reasonable proposition, and have reason to hold confidence in the trustees in carrying out a program that will do the most good for the most money.

The tax increase seems to be a "must." Bonds that are not excessive will also prove sound investments in the future of our town and its children.

Building With Our Own Capital

One can't always keep up with the Joneses, but it's a good idea to keep an eye on the progressive neighbors to see if some of their examples are worth following.

In the matter of commercial building, which most towns lack these days, some other West Texas towns are setting an enviable example. Most of us have been watching the fine development made by the up-and-coming neighbor, Midland. When the need developed, Midland men got together and provided the capital to build an office building, a structure that soon will be finished as a credit to the city. Meanwhile, all interests in Midland have encouraged outside capital to come in with similar construction, and the result is impressive.

And now Abilene has launched a similar local-capital undertaking for the construction of a new office building, with local citizens cooperating on a subscription basis to make possible the commercial facilities needed in that city.

What applies to one town does not necessarily apply to another, but it might be well for Big Spring to examine the projects undertaken elsewhere.

It has been generally admitted that additional commercial and office space is one of the requisites for our continued growth. These buildings naturally represent a heavy capital outlay, and the economic solidity for such an investment has to be demonstrated. Factors include a reasonable return on the investment, plus a confidence in the future strength of the community.

No outsider will ever express that confidence until the residents of the city themselves express it first. A town can encourage outside capital, but it also must be willing to invest some of its own.

Big Spring could exhibit the same enterprise as other West Texas towns if so determined. Perhaps the best minds would reject the idea of a locally-subscribed enterprise for additional building. But we wonder if the best minds have ever been brought together for a thorough study of the situation. It's something to consider, for the future of our town.

Affairs Of The World—DeWitt MacKenzie

Rebellion Against Empires

BY MAX HARRELSON
(For DeWitt MacKenzie)

One of the most spectacular political trends since the end of the war has been the growing rebellion of dependent peoples against the great imperial powers that have ruled them.

The old fashioned brand of imperialism has been taking a terrific beating. But the Colonial powers are still in there swinging. The Dutch struggle to hold Indonesia is a case in point. And it is noteworthy that other nations which own colonies such as Belgium and France, are more than a little inclined to back up the Hollanders in United Nations debates.

It is not without justification that Winston Churchill and other leaders of the nations that won the last war have shown concern over the liquidation of empires. Among the victors no whole empires have been liquidated yet, but some big chunks of territory have been whittled away. Among the losers the Japanese empire is gone, of course, and Italy's chances of retaining much of her overseas possessions are not bright.

British India has just won independence and has been reorganized as two new dominions.

The Philippine Islands previously had been cut loose from the United States and became an independent republic on July 4, 1946.

Indonesia has been promised freedom by the Dutch and the republic of President Soekarno now is demanding that the United Nations force the Dutch to go through with the plan.

Egypt has appealed to the security council to get the British troops out of the Nile Valley and to give her a free hand to take over the British-dominated Sudan.

Burma Ceylon and the Malay states are struggling for freedom and it seems likely they will at least be given a greater degree of autonomy.

France has agreed to the incorporation of the two Indo-Chinese states of Tonkin and Annam into the republic of Viet-Nam within the framework of the French Union.

Important groups in French North Africa and Madagascar are demanding independence.

These changes obviously are important. It may be premature to say that imperialism is dead or even on its way out but certainly it has changed its forms. The imperial powers are revising their tactics in various ways and they are not surrendering without a struggle. It is noted that in almost every instance, the ruling power has succeeded in keeping a finger in the pie.

The two new Indian states, for instance, are dominions of Britain and are being wooed with intentions to keep them in the British Commonwealth. Indonesia would remain under the Dutch crown. Viet-Nam will continue as a free part of the French empire—called a union.

Then also there are millions in Africa who will continue as British, French and Belgian dependents with little or no voice in their own governments. It is to these territories, rich in natural resources, that the colonial powers are expected to turn in the future for major exploitation.

The main hope for the subject African peoples seems to lie in the United Nations trusteeship system. Under the U. N. charter, they are assured that their freedom and self-government is the eventual goal.

It is significant, however, that in the nine trust agreements so far submitted to the U. N. for old League of Nations mandates, not one mentions a specific date for the attainment of self-government.

Al has minted a comfortable living, admittedly on the luxurious side. He has a Manhattan studio, an apartment high above Central Park South and his Stamford estate. And he refuses to retire into a miserly solitude and let his friends go chase themselves.

As a member of the Lambs, whose membership rules insist on good nature as perennial prerequisite, Pach is long on amiability, loves show business and the gleeful sort of Broadway chatter. He also has an acquaintance which around these parts is compared frequently with Jim Farley's, and his major delight is to crowd as many of his friends on the terrace and grounds of his summer home, provide liquid and solid refreshment and let the lads fend for themselves.

With half a hundred of these ebullient gentlemen of the theatre spread about his grounds, Al spent a delighted day dashing from group to group, seeing to it that everyone had an extra saipa-parilla, bathing trunks that fit amiable companionship and generally partook of the fruits of his successful years of making money and friends.

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"WHAT A CURIOUS FEELING!" SAID ALICE. "I MUST BE SHUTTING UP LIKE A TELESCOPE!"



Hal Boyle's Notebook

Nightmare Of A House

BY ARTHUR EDSON
(For Hal Boyle)

WASHINGTON—(P)—So you, too, want to own a little home of your own? You, too, have dreamed of a vine covered cottage. . . . Green Shutters. . . . a fireplace. . . . a well kept dog on a well kept lawn.

A home of your own. That, probably more than anything else, is the American dream.

Well, I, too, have dreamed. Drag up a spare cloud, and I'll tell you about it.

Was it only two and a half years ago that we moved into our own mortgage-splattered dreamhouse, in what some humorist laughingly called a "development"?

Somehow, it seems longer. For now we know that:

1. New houses, like new babies, get the darndest things wrong with them.

2. Once upon a time, when something needed building, or fixing, a man was called in who knew something about building, or fixing. Now, with help hard to find and harder to pay, the alleged man of the house goes grudgingly into action.

Broadway—Jack O'Brian

Cameraman's Party

NEW YORK—Up in Stamford, Conn., the other day I was permitted to pitch into a whale of a good time being had by a bunch of about 50 actors from the Lambs Club in New York, who were guests at the annual bucolic clam bake at the tidy little estate of Al Pach, veteran photographer who has been pointing his talented lenses at the ranking glamour gals ever since Diamond Jim Brady's time.

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The star of such shows as "Very Good Eddie," "Oh, Boy," and a feature of "As Thousands Cheer," his last show, he abandoned any hint of aching old age as he bounced about, the first one to dive into the pool, the first one to perform a Tarzanish leap from a swing into the water, the first one at practically everything, and—the last to go home.

How Country Editor Retires On Fortune

SAN FRANCISCO—(P)—Members of the San Francisco Press Club are wondering who put this story in their weekly club magazine:

"How did you do it?" inquired a reporter of a country editor who had just retired with \$100,000 in savings.

The editor replied that it was because he had run his paper economically, worked early and late, kept away from the San Francisco Press Club domino and gin rummy games, and because an uncle had died and left him \$120,000.

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Washington Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

London Plans New Greek Crisis

BY ROBERT S. ALLEN
(For Drew Pearson)

WASHINGTON.—Another disquieting Greek "crisis" is in the work behind the scenes.

The new hot potato will probably be laid in the U. S. lap soon after the reorganized Greek government takes office. The laying will be done by London.

The Attlee government is quietly preparing to pull out the bulk of its troops from Greece, and thus compel the U. S. to carry the burden of policing the strife-torn country as well as feeding and rebuilding it.

The British have around 12,000 troops in Greece; the U. S. only a few hundred, chiefly specialists.

The Attlee government plans to withdraw all but a token force on the ground of poverty. Under the economy program announced by Exchequer Chancellor Hugh Dalton, the British will demobilize 80,000 men. A large portion of them will come from Greece and Italy.

The British have 30,000 in the latter country. Chief reason for last week's suddenly announced change in U. S. plans to pull out of Italy was warning from Downing Street of intention to withdraw.

Establishment of a considerable U. S. force in Greece will still further increase U. S. expenditures there. This cost, however, will not be charged up to the \$300,000,000 Greek aid-fund voted by Congress. It will appear on war department books.

Note: The British are using the threat to withdraw troops from the European cockpit as a potent cudgel to pressure concessions from the U. S. during the recent negotiations over easing the terms of U. S. loan, the British delegation intimated they may have to withdraw their troops from Germany.

SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE President Truman's list of White House callers last week was significant for its emphasis on Democratic politics. The list included Senators Claude Pepper, Fla., Harley Kilgore, W. Va., ex-Senator James Huffman, O., and Wilson Wyatt, former federal housing expediter.

A leader of the anti-communist, liberal Americans for Democratic action, Wyatt had not seen the President since last winter when the Kentuckian resigned after a row with George Allen, then RFC director, over inadequate Democratic politics.

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quate financial support for Wyatt's housing plans. The President and Wyatt did not discuss housing during the call. They "That was a very fine speech you made in Chicago against a third party," the President complimented. "When you said a third party would help NAM and the communists, you hit it right on the head."

Wyatt remarked he thought Democratic prospects looked promising for 1948.

"Yes," the President nodded in agreement. "I think our candidates have an excellent chance to win."

"From what I've observed," replied Wyatt, quietly, "I would say the outlook is very good for liberal candidates to win."

"MUST READING" A sizzling article in Collier's magazine, published tomorrow, charges loose-talking Army and Navy brasshats with considerable responsibility for the failure of enactment of universal military training. . . . Dr. Henry H. Kessler, former Navy captain and leading U. S. authority on converting the stumps of arm amputees to "muscle motors" to manipulate prostheses, has published an absorbing book on the procedure titled "Cineplasty". . . .

Top on the list of books in demand at the congressional library are "Reilly of the White House" lively, revealing account of life in the White House under the Roosevelts; "Our Fair City," scorching expose of boodlers and misrule in U. S. cities; "The Island War," thrilling history of Marine Corps battles in the Pacific. . . . Louis Sobol, veteran Broadway reporter, will shortly publish a colorful biography under the title "Some Days Were Happy" with a foreword by his fellow-Broadwayite, Gene Fowler.

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Hoffman snapped: "Oh, go on, go on. Better answer it quickly Clarence. It may be from Philadelphia. Joe Pew is probably on the line again with instructions for you. You don't want to keep him waiting."

Note: Joseph N. Pew, multi-millionaire Pennsylvania oilman and shipbuilder, is a power in the Republican party.

"STOP DEWEY" MOVEMENT, Wisconsin backers of Governor Tom Dewey are getting hot under the collar over a "MacArthur for President" boom being vigorously pushed in the state. They are charging the boom is actually a "Stop Dewey" plot.

The badger state's presidential primary next spring is the first in the nation. Because of this, and the fact that Minnesota's hustling Harold Stassen has openly challenged Dewey for the Wisconsin endorsement, the New Yorker is very much on the spot. If he loses the test, he may find himself in Wendell Willkie's unhappy predicament in the 1944 fight.

That year, Dewey challenged Willkie in the Wisconsin primary and won. A week later, Willkie threw in the sponge and quit the GOP race. That eliminated Dewey's only formidable opponent and opened the way for his subsequent easy victory at the Chicago convention.

MacArthur, 67, claims Wisconsin as his home state. He lived there briefly years ago. He has been telling Tokyo visitors that when he retires he plans to take up permanent residence in Milwaukee. The city council has discussed a proposal to present him with an estate.

An active behind-the-scenes leader in the "MacArthur For President" boom is Ex-governor Phil LaFollette, who served on the MacArthur staff in the Pacific. Now practicing law in Madison, Phil is strongly anti-Dewey. Another leader who has indicated interest is Secretary of State Fred Zimmerman. One of the canniest politicians in Wisconsin, Zimmerman backed Dewey in 1944. If he should board the MacArthur wagon, it would be a major blow for Dewey. Zimmerman is noted for his skill in lining up with winners.

Note: Several leading Wisconsin newspapers have caustically assailed the MacArthur boom on the ground it is backed by "reactionary" elements.

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Texas Today—Jack Rutledge

Some Texans Never Grow Old

Almost everyone gets a bad touch of the blues when they hit the age of 40. It's a silly reaction. To coin a phrase, Life Begins at 40.

For example, here are some ladies and gentlemen who are having a good time, and who've enjoyed themselves since 40, and still do.

Mrs. Francisca Escalante De Ontiveros of Yucatan, 80, almost ran her son ragged when she visited him in Corpus Christi. She insisted on plenty of movies and sightseeing trips, and at home entertained them by playing the flute, the piano and the guitar.

George Edward Smith, 67, of Jacksonville, still wields razors and scissors with a steady hand after cutting hair and shaving three generations of his town's families. He's been at it 45 years, he says, whacking away and insisting he's far too busy to think of retiring.

Pop Popplewell of Sherman says he's been helping the public go places for 40 years, says he's piloted enough public conveyances to go around the world twice with enough left over for a start on a trip to the moon. He's still driving a bus and enjoying life.

Tom Bean, 65, a farmer near Gainesville, was young enough to take his first ride in a jeep. Not only that, but he made his first visit to the county seat in the 55 years he's lived in Cooke county.

G. H. Kennerly of Hillsboro hadn't been to a movie in 30 year until recently.

B. P. Abbott of Bovina and Roy Tisdale of Coleman, former

cowhands at the famed XIT ranch, have attended every single one of the annual XIT reunions. Age doesn't make them stay home content with memories.

People do nice things for you, too. Sixty union painters who used to know Ed Howard of Waco pitched in and painted Mrs. Howard's house for her—in four-

teen minutes and 15 seconds. A crowd of neighbors, friends and on-lookers joined to watch as Mrs. Howard just looked on, sort of dazed. After it was over, a man offered to pay her hotel bill until the odor of fresh paint left the place. She said she didn't think the odor would bother her, said: "It's the grandest thing that ever happened."

Radio Programs

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THURSDAY EVENING

6:00 Evening Melodies	6:00 Suspense	6:00 Headline Edition
6:15 News of the World	6:30 Tracer Of Lost Person	6:15 News Time
6:30 Barry Wood Show	6:45 News, Bill Henry	6:30 News
6:45 News	7:00 Lawyer Tucker	6:45 Texas Highlights
7:00 Music Hall	7:30 Crime Photos	6:45 Melody Parade
7:30 Show Stoppers	8:00 Radio Readers'	7:15 Proudly We Hall
8:00 Mystery In The Air	Digest	7:30 Town Meeting
8:30 Music Time	8:30 The Man Called X	8:00 Baseball
9:00 Supper Club	9:15 Dance Orchestra	10:00 News
9:15 Charlie Sotak	9:30 Orchestra	10:15 Memory Lane
9:30 Concert of Nations	10:00 News, Paul Ross	10:30 Gems for Thought
9:45 VPW	10:30 News, Paul Ross	10:35 Breakfast Noble
10:00 News	10:35 Great Star	11:00 News
10:15 Dragon-Lansford	10:35 Hillbilly Hit Parade	11:05 Don McGrath
10:45 Decision Now	11:00 News	11:45 Hotel McGraws Trio
11:00 News & Orchestra	11:00 Hillbilly Hit Parade	12:00 Sign Off
11:15 Didi's Orch	11:30 Tommy Cummings	
11:30 News In The Night	11:30 Orchestra	
	11:55 News	
	12:00 Midnight Matinee	
	12:35 News	
	1:00 Sign Off	

FRIDAY MORNING

6:00 Texas Farm, Home	6:30 Radio Revival	6:00 Musical Clock
6:15 Last Night's Events	6:45 Texas Roundup	7:15 Religion in Life
6:30 Farm Editor	6:15 News, Farm Edition	7:30 News
6:45 Sheb Wooley	6:30 Stamp's Quarterly	7:45 Sons of Pioneers
7:00 News, Rev. Carbyn	6:45 Sports To	8:00 Breakfast Club
7:15 Early Birds	7:00 Morning	9:00 My True Story
8:00 News	7:00 Morning News	9:25 Hymns of Churchmen
8:15 Melody Souvenirs	7:15 Okla. Roundup	10:00 Breakfast Hollywood
8:30 Road of Life	7:30 News, Van Box	10:30 Gales Drake
8:45 Joyce Jordan	7:45 Sing, America.	10:45 Ted Malons
9:00 Fred Warren	8:00 CBS Morning News	11:00 Golden Travelers
9:30 News & Markets	8:15 Dan Ann	11:30 H-M Swain Hall
9:45 Beautiful Show	8:30 Strange Romance	
10:00 Jack Berch	8:45 David Harum	
10:15 Fascinating Ravism	9:00 Lyrics by Lindler	
10:30 Mid-morn Melodies	9:15 News	
11:00 Big Sister	9:20 Miniatures	
11:15 Stella Dallas	9:25 Lullaby Time	
11:30 Star Reporter	9:45 Name It, And	
11:45 Buckaroo Show	10:00 Wendy Warren	
	10:15 Bob and Victoria	
	10:30 Romance of Helen Trent	
	10:45 The Gal Sunday	
	11:00 Aunt Mary	
	11:15 Hal Davis Serenade	
	11:30 Dr. Paul	
	11:45 Maria Mandiland	

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

12:00 News	12:00 Stamp's Quartet	12:00 Riding the Range
12:15 Murray Cox	12:15 News, M. Lowery	12:15 Bing Sines
12:30 Doughboy	12:30 Jumper Junction	12:30 News
12:45 The Red Hawk	12:45 Joy Spreaders	12:45 Songs You Know
1:00 Life Can Be	1:00 Cornbread Matinee	1:15 Walter Korman
1:15 Ma Perkins	1:45 Rose of My Dreams	1:30 Bride and Groom
1:30 Pepper Young	2:00 Hunt Hunt	1:45 Dick Tracy
1:45 Right to Happiness	2:25 News	2:30 Paul Whitman
2:00 Backstage Wife	2:30 Arthur Godfrey Show	3:00 Norman Clatter
2:15 Stella Dallas	3:00 Pop Call	3:45 Afternoon
2:30 Lorenzo Jones	3:15 Markets, News	4:00 Downtown Showper
2:45 Young Wilder	3:30 Hour Fair	4:15 Platter Party
3:00 When Girl Marries	4:00 Platter Party	4:30 Dick Tracy
3:15 Portia Faces Life	4:45 Richard Hatfield	5:00 Terry and Pirates
3:30 Just Plain Bill	News	5:15 Star Kite
3:45 Front Page Farrell	8:00 Robert Lewis	5:30 Jack Armstrong
4:00 Guiding Light	8:15 Yes, Box, Sports	5:45 Harold Repplier
4:15 Woman In White	8:30 News, M. Lowery	6:00 Jack Vandercook
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5:00 Song Shop		
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Plane Breaks Own Record

Bullet-Like Navy Jet Streaks To Speed Mark

MUROE, Calif., Aug. 26. (AP)—The Navy was doubly sure today that it has the fastest aircraft in the world—a snarling, snorting and howling plane that spun itself a 650.6-mile-an-hour new international speed record in four passes over a measured three-kilometer course on this Mojave desert wasteland yesterday.

The blood-red Douglas jet-propelled Skystrak, with a long tubular fuselage and jet wings to keep it in the air, set the new mark with a tall marine pilot, Maj. Marion E. Carl, 31, at the controls in a tiny cockpit which didn't look large enough for a man half his size.

In so doing, the Skystrak broke its own world speed record registered only last Wednesday.

Major Carl, resident of Hubbard, Ore., and Patuxent River, Md., smashed the record set last Wednesday by a Navy flier, Comdr. Turner F. Caldwell, Jr., of Arlington, Va., in the Skystrak here.

In accordance with regulations of the international aeronautical federation, the Skystrak made four runs over the three-kilometer (1.862 miles) course. The times for the four runs in miles per hour were 652.642, 649.358, 652.579 and 648.730.

At that, Caldwell last week made one run faster than Maj. Carl's best mark yesterday. The commander's average was 640.7 mph, but he was clocked on one pass at 653.4.

On each run the Major dived out of the skies, leveled off just before entering the measured course and streaked past the press observation post between 50 to 75 feet off the ground. You could see him coming but if you weren't quick in jerking your head around he'd be out of sight before you realized he had passed.

An uncanny part of the whole thing was that this craft would flash past without apparent audible sound. The noise was trailing it by several hundred yards and the ship would be almost out of sight before you heard the howling, roaring crescendo of its mighty General Electric, Allison-built, TG-180 turbo-jet engines.



TEXAS LEADERS—Blair Cherry, new University of Texas coach, and Co-captain Max Bumgardner, the Longhorns' left end, lead the "T" formation Steer squad in the 1947 season.

AAF Buildings May Be Used For Local Exhibits

Inspections of warehouses at the Army Airlifted by various interested groups during the past few days indicate that the buildings could adequately serve the city and county as valuable exhibit space for at least half a dozen different types of locally-sponsored shows, members of the Howard County Fair Association have reported.

Four buildings have been offered to the association at a price of \$1,250 each, and the inspections have been to determine the potential value the community might derive from the structures. They are part of a 25-building grant to the City of Big Spring.

Although a major objective of the Fair Association is to establish permanent quarters for local livestock show, acquisition of the Army warehouses would lead to a much more flexible program, officials pointed out.

Jester Says Race Laws Are Adequate

AUSTIN, Aug. 26. (AP)—Gov. Beauford H. Jester today said he did not believe any new legislation was needed to solve the problem of discrimination against Latin-Americans.

Rather, said the Governor, the problem could best be solved by a part of Texans toward persons of Latin-American descent.

Wildcat Gridders Planning Toward Different Careers

WATER VALLEY, Aug. 26. —Oscar Dorsey, Dick Miers and Gene Cope, who will represent Water Valley and District Seven in the All-Star six-man football game at Forsan Friday night, have designs on varied careers.

Dorsey, one of the top all-around athletes in Water Valley High school history, will enroll in San Angelo Junior college in September and plans to be a doctor.

Miers will also attend SAJC but has his sights set on being an athletic coach.

Cope will go to Roswell, N. M., in September where he will enroll at New Mexico Military Institute. He will settle for a ranching career.

In connection with this statement, he said he did not plan to appoint any persons of Latin-American descent to the good neighbor commission.

Jester said he had made these same statements to news reporters while in Mexico City when they questioned him concerning recent cases of discrimination.

President Miguel Aleman and the Mexican Secretary of State agreed with him it would be best not to name any persons of Latin-American extraction on the good neighbor commission, Jester added.

Jester said he was recognizing Latin-Americans in Texas by appointment already of one of the veterans affairs commission and would appoint another Aug. 31 on the board of regents of the College of Arts and Industries at Kingsville. This school, he noted, has the largest percentage of Latin-American students of all colleges in the state.

Installation Of Millionth Texas Phone Makes History

HOUSTON, Aug. 26. (AP)—A pretty Luxembourg war bride dialed a number on the shiny black telephone in her Houston home today, said "Hello" into the mouthpiece, and made history.

She was speaking over the millionth telephone to be installed in Texas by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

City and telephone company officials participated in a ceremony which followed the hooking up of the phone in the five-room home of Mrs. and Mrs. Gunter W. Koetter. Jay, blond 14-month-old son of this couple, toddled around, wondering what the excitement was all about.

Stanton Man Is Killed In Road Mishap

STANTON, Aug. 26. —Barney E. Hopper, 45, of Martin county, was killed at approximately 6:30 o'clock this morning on Highway 80 west of here when a bicycle he was riding was struck by an east-bound truck.

The victim, an employee of the Caprock REA of Stanton, was on his way to work. He lived approximately six miles west of Stanton.

Ogle Avery, deputy sheriff of Martin county who made the investigation, said the driver of the truck, a Big Spring man, stated he was looking into the rising sun and had no knowledge Hopper was ahead of him.

Daniel Will Be Asked To Give School Ruling

AUSTIN, Aug. 26. (AP)—Attorney General Price Daniel will be asked to rule on the constitutionality of the loss of accreditation penalty to schools failing to comply with the new \$2,000 minimum teacher salary law, State Superintendent of Public Instruction L. A. Woods has promised.

Submission of the question for a legal ruling was asked here yesterday by a delegation of more than 20 superintendents protesting to Woods against his intention that Negro teachers must be paid on the same salary scales as white teachers under the new law.

"They urged that they be permitted to consider efficiency along with training and tenure," Woods told the delegation that the law has been passed and he intends to comply with it. He said he could not approve any salary setup that showed racial discrimination of its face.

School Budget Rulings Seen

Further rulings on the new state school-aid legislation from the board of education and the attorney general probably will be necessary before decisions can be made on the budgets of some school districts that have been rejected by the state, it was reported by Supt. W. C. Blankenship Tuesday on his return from an Austin conference.

The Big Spring teacher salary schedule was one of a score or so found to have discrepancies. It is at odds with state requirements in the matter of non-degree teachers who are drawing increments here because of number of years of experience. The state ruling is that degree teachers must be brought up to this level or above. The local increment schedule also is based on 10-year experience tables, whereas the state setup calls for 12 years.

Blankenship and other school leaders whose districts were affected had a conference Monday with State Supt. L. A. Woods. They were advised that some of the interpretations of the 853 appropriation requirements will have to go to the attorney general for clarification.

Blankenship said the school representatives are expected to carry their problems to the state board of education when it meets Sept. 8.

Many voices christened the historic phone as the group gathered around it in the front hall.

Mayor Oscar Holcombe spoke to Gov. Beauford Jester in Austin.

K. W. Church, Station installer who had hooked up and tested the phone, called W. L. Prehn, general manager in Dallas, and reported he had just installed Southwestern Bell's millionth telephone in Texas. Congratulations for him and Koetter warmed the wires.

Then came what could be termed a history-making call. Reporters spoke over the millionth phone to David Levell, vice-president and general manager of the Galveston News, where the first telephone in Texas had been installed on March 18, 1878.

The late Col. A. H. Belo, publisher of the Galveston News had installed this first phone in his office and the second one in his home in Galveston.

Among others who participated in the ceremonies were J. B. Patterson, division manager for Southwestern Bell; C. J. Deffert, district manager, and W. H. Rogers, information supervisor at Dallas.

"There's not many times in your life you get a chance to be the millionth in anything," Mrs. Koetter said.

This war bride came to this country about eight months ago. In her native Luxembourg she had met a first lieutenant who was stationed there in the adjutant general's department. She became his secretary. Then they were married.

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The protesting delegation was headed by Supt. H. W. Stilwell of Texarkana.

Colorado City To Boost Rodeo

A group of Colorado City residents are due to visit several points in this area Friday to advertise the 12th annual Colorado City Frontier Roundup and Rodeo, scheduled for Sept. 2-4-5-6.

The visitors are due to arrive in Big Spring at 9:15 a. m. for a half-hour stop. Before visiting here, however, they will make short stops at Westbrook and Coahoma. From Big Spring, they are to proceed to Stanton, with arrival there scheduled for 10:15 a. m. They also will visit Midland, Lamesa and Snyder before returning home.

Southwestern Bell officials said the 500,000 phone mark in Texas was reached in July, 1938.

"During the last nine years half a million telephones have been added in the state—as many as during the first 60 years of telephone history in Texas," Lafferty said.

The first telephone exchange in Texas was opened in Galveston, August 21, 1879.

School Program Will Be Aired

A program to be followed by the Big Spring independent school district in view of a proposed bond issue and tax rate increase will be up for public discussion at a meeting to be held tonight at 8 o'clock in room 305 of the high school building.

The public is invited to attend for an airing of the schools' financial and operating status, and of construction plans to be followed in event a bond issue is approved by the voters.

The board of trustees has called an election for Sept. 9, when voters will approve or disapprove raising the district's tax levy from \$1 to \$1.50 maximum, and issuing bonds up to \$1,000,000 for new plant construction.

Refugee Ships Stop At Gibraltar

GIBRALTAR, Aug. 26. (AP)—Three British transports carrying 4,400 Jewish refugees to Germany arrived at Gibraltar this morning, escorted by a cruiser and two destroyers.

The refugees, who attempted to enter Palestine by running the British blockade last month aboard the "Exodus 1947," were beginning their 46th consecutive day aboard ship.

JayCeas Map Work On Balloon Parade

Final plans for the balloon parade to be held here December 4 under auspices of the Junior Chamber of Commerce were outlined at today's luncheon meeting of the JayCeas at the Crawford hotel.

Lloyd Wooten, president, announced that local business establishments could expect to be called upon by some member or group of members within the next two weeks in behalf of the event. Contributions will be solicited from 125 business houses. Route of the parade was sketched.

Teams will be named at a meeting of the directors in room 2 at the Settles hotel Tuesday, Sept. 2, when new club committees will be filled also.

Arrival of the JayCee clock for the Steer stadium was announced.

Terminal Pay Bonds May Be Cashed Soon

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26. (AP)—The government starts cashing terminal pay bonds one week from yesterday.

Some \$8,000,000 bonds worth about \$1,800,000,000 already have been issued and 5,000,000-odd more veterans still are eligible to apply. They have one year and one week to do so.

Estimates of the number who will turn their bonds into immediate cash range upward from 50 percent.

Flood Expected On Colorado River

AUSTIN, Aug. 26. (AP)—The Austin weather bureau today warned that near-flood conditions are expected on the Colorado River at Smithville and below and urged that all cattle be moved from the lowlands at once.

Weather bureau officials said heavy rains along the Colorado watershed since midnight, caused by remnants of the recent tropical storm which moved inland at Galveston, are causing a swift rise in the river.

The Austin-Houston highway at Columbus is expected to be closed by early afternoon.

School Teacher Is Killed In Collision

BERWYN, Md., Aug. 26. (AP)—Miss Fay Cooper, 27, Petrolia, Tex. school teacher, was killed last night in a two-car collision on the Baltimore Washington boulevard near here.

Her two companions with whom she was touring the east, Mrs. Edith Touchston, 39, Graham, Tex., and Mrs. Gertrude Hughey, 27, Meridian, Miss., were injured. They were taken to Prince Georges general hospital where their condition was said to be fair.

Police said Mrs. Touchstone was driving. Also injured were Raymond Curtis Ross, 21, Arlington, Va., driver of the second car, and his companion, Miss Nancy Gluskevich, 38, Washington.

Pleads Guilty To Parking On Highway

Riley Austin, charged with parking on the highway, entered a plea of guilty in justice court this morning and was fined \$75 plus expenses.

Austin was reportedly asleep at the wheel when the authorities descended upon him. His vehicle had been reported parked squarely in the middle of the thoroughfare by a bus driver.

The accused could not immediately produce the money for his penalty and was still in jail at noon today.

Ernest Buckley Joins Family Here

Ernest L. Buckley arrived Monday from Brookings, S. D. to join his wife and daughter, Betty Lynn, at the home of Mrs. Buckley's mother, Mrs. Mary Diltz. Buckley has just received his Bachelor of Science degree in civil engineering at the South Dakota State college in Brookings.

He and Mrs. Buckley and their daughter plan to leave late this week for Manhattan, Kan., State college and continue work where he will teach at Kansas on his Master's degree.

Three Million Dollar Fire Ravages Port

PORT ALBERNI, B. C., Aug. 26. (AP)—Damage was expected to rise as high as \$3,000,000 here today as firemen continued to play streams of water on the fire-ravaged ruin of the \$1,500,000 government assembly warehouse and wharf, while out in the harbor stream, the S.S. Sampet, 10,000-ton British freighter lay low in the water, almost completely destroyed.

Members of the fire marshal's office still were attempting to uncover the origin of the blaze, which broke out last night and raced through 600 tons of plywood in the warehouse and 1,500,000 board feet piled on the dock preparatory to delivery to lumber-hungry Britain.

Leaders To Meet

YOKOHAMA, Aug. 26. (AP)—Lt. Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger, commander of the U. S. Eighth Army, said today he planned to leave for consultations with war department leaders.

THE LEGION IS COMING

NEW YORK, Aug. 26. (AP)—Baby alligators, hand-operated sirens, coconuts and bugle corps added evidence today that the 29th American Legion convention opening Thursday may combine many of the features of election night, Mardi Gras, a homecoming football game and a political convention.

The sirens (for noise) were brought by early arrivals from Chicago's commonwealth Edison post and proved capable of causing a near traffic jam on Eighth avenue.

BRIDGE EXPERT LIKES GIN RUMMY

CHICAGO, Aug. 26. (AP)—Oswald Jacoby is a bridge expert whose favorite game is gin rummy.

Jacoby, of Dallas, competing in the Illinois state championship bridge tournament, said he preferred gin rummy because "most people take bridge too seriously and make too hard work of it."

"The story that monkeys can play gin as well as men is untrue," he said. "Only about 95 percent of them can."

Midwest Needs Soaking Rains

Farmers in the nation's main corn belt hoped for more rain within the next week as precipitation brought some measure of relief in most sections as cool air moved into the Midwest and broke summer's longest heatwave.

Although the rains which swept across the corn belt checked at least temporarily a 15 million bushel a day loss which corn has suffered during the protracted hot spell, weather bureau officials said soaking rains were needed to retain yesterday's benefits. No general rainfall for the region was predicted immediately.

Temperatures dropped sharply in the Midwest heat belt but the cool air will not extend over the eastern states until tonight. Continued hot weather was forecast for the southeastern states.

San Antonio Man Faces Murder Charge

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 26. (AP)—Master Sgt. George J. Hill, 27, stationed at Randolph Field, today faced a charge of murder in the death of a hotel waitress who leaped from his moving car Sunday night.

The woman, Miss Margie Hancock, was found near death on a country road near here. She died a short time later in a San Antonio hospital.

The sergeant, once a lieutenant, made a statement to investigator Joe Edwards of the sheriff's office.

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Several items of information still are being sought from entrants in the city's Grape Myrtle growing contest, members of the chamber of commerce yard beautification committee reported this morning.

Cards and letters have been mailed to all contestants requesting their respective addresses and location of plants entered, but some eight or 10 have not responded. This information must be obtained to complete plans for the judging, committee members said.

Police Hop On Traffic Violators

Members of the state highway patrol and the city police force are clamping down anew on persons violating the existing traffic statutes.

Three persons have been picked up within the past two days for breaking the speed limit. Another was hailed into court for parking on the highway while several others were charged with driving without operators' licenses.

All are subject to fines.

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NRLB Expresses Apprehension About Labor Law

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28. (AP)—Officials of the National Labor Relations Board voiced frank but private apprehension today over what a union challenge might do to their plans for applying new Taft-Hartley act policy to 3,500 old NLRB cases.

A CIO official disclosed anonymously that some CIO unions are considering asking the courts to rule on the legality of this procedure because:

1. The Taft-Hartley law went into full effect only last Friday while.
2. The cases involve conditions which existed under the Wagner National Labor Relations Act.

In calling for a separate review of each of the old cases, NLRB General Counsel Robert N. Denham has expressed the opinion they can be examined in the light of the Taft-Hartley act and modified if necessary.

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West Texas Is Against Plan

DALLAS, Aug. 26. (AP)—A solid bloc of West Texas counties extending from the Pecos river east to Clay and Jack counties and south to Sutton, McCullough, San Saba and Hamilton counties, voted against the college building amendment in last Saturday's election, tabulations by the Texas election bureau showed today.

These counties centered around West Texas state colleges, some of whose friends were bitterly against the amendment, contending that it favored Texas A. & M. College and the University of Texas.

The election bureau said that by the time all returns are in, there may be more counties giving a majority against the amendment than for it, although the total state vote favored the amendment by a considerable margin.

Returns available to the bureau

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Head College Group

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Army Nurses Still Needed

The War Department's deadline for submission of applications for integration appointments to the new Regular Army Nurse Corps has been extended to Sept. 30 to insure opportunity for all qualified nurses to apply, according to an announcement made here today by Capt. Roy W. Gedeberg, local recruiting officer.

Capt. Gedeberg explained that the peacetime Army Nurse Corps consists both of career officers, who hold permanent commissions in the RA Nurse Corps, and Reserve Officers, commissioned in the Army Nurse Corps section of the Officers' Reserve Corps, who have volunteered for extended active duty.

All Army Nurses now hold commissions which entitle them to all the benefits available to male officers in the Regular Army or Reserve, Capt. Gedeberg said, and every Nurse shares the advantages of the increased pay scales authorized for all Army officers in 1948. Additional benefits include provisions for advancement in grade and for professional training.

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The cost of liquid refreshments ran high for Lem Bain, considering the fact that he never got to sample any of the nine bottles of beer he allegedly stole from the West Texas Recreation center over the weekend.

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Operations Of Black Market In Europe Confuse Food Survey

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28. (AP)—Black market operations make it "difficult, if not impossible," for European nations to survey their food resources accurately, an agriculture department report contends.

The document, bearing a "confidential" label, was prepared for a congressional investigating committee which called for Europe yesterday to make a first-hand study of foreign needs.

A copy of the 97-page report was made available to a reporter. It provides a country-by-country summary of food and agriculture conditions throughout western Europe based on "the latest information available."

The foreword, however, says the report has been classified as confidential because "the production figures x x x for some countries will not agree with the official estimates supplied by the minister of agriculture."

No countries in this category were listed by name. But the report itself says that throughout Europe "government intervention is general, in the production, collection and distribution of most agricultural products."

"This intervention has been linked with a system of compulsory farm collections and fixed prices to farmers x x x."

"Because of the shortages of food, this system of distribution has made it profitable for farmers in most countries to market sur-

MEXICO STRIKE
MEXICO CITY, Aug. 28. (AP)—The federal labor department said last night a strike against Compania Telefonica Mexicana Western Union, which started two weeks ago, was near settlement.

ROXAS IS HOST
MANILA, Aug. 28. (AP)—President Roxas will be host to American Gen. George C. Kenney, commanding general of the strategic air force, upon his arrival here Saturday on a war department mission.

plus products through black markets. Even the figures submitted to the international emergency food council (IEFC) probably are inaccurate in some cases, the report declares.

Only 200 copies of the report were printed, and each was numbered in an effort to preserve the secrecy.

The study did not cover countries in the so-called Russian sphere of influence and the report itself makes few references to political conditions.

Likes To Go Places

Beauford Jester Is Flyingist Governor

AP Newsfeatures
AUSTIN, Tex.—Texas Governor Beauford H. Jester likes to go places and do things—if he can ride in an airplane.

Jester, the amiable gentleman-farmer and lawyer who took office as governor of the Lone Star state in January flew more than 15,000 miles during his first six months in office.

That probably makes him the flyingest governor in the nation. Certainly he is the flyingest governor Texas ever had.

He even took a helicopter ride to celebrate Army Air Forces day, after flying over the state capitol in an Army transport to swear in a rookie—all the same day.

Jester flew in an Army plane to the national governor's conference at Salt Lake City and he made an air jaunt to Guatemala for his vacation.

If he holds to this rate, he will have flown 60,000 miles before his two-year term is up.

"If something is going on, I like to be there," he explained. "I want to see for myself what the situation is. A governor ought to know first hand what's going on. Texas is so big, the only way to do it and keep my desk at the capitol clear, is to fly."

In April Texas was torn by two major disasters—a tornado in Pan-

handle, and the Texas City explosion. Both times Jester went swiftly to the scene—by air.

A World War I experience gave him confidence in airplanes. He was a company commander in the 90th infantry division and was assigned as a liaison officer between his ground outfit and the 90th air squadron.

He made one traffic study flight in the Biercourt-Verdun region. That was the day after a dinner in which he admits he had said some things about air superiority that rankled the fliers. The same day, a group of grim-looking young pilots asked if he wanted to go for a spin over the German lines.

"All I could say was 'yes,'" Jester related. "They put me in a single-engine Stinson and the pilot was the daredevil of the outfit. We got through the anti-aircraft fire all right, then we spotted three Fokkers coming in fast.

"We took a 2,000 foot steep dive and hedge-hopped home. After we shook the Fokkers, this pilot went back up and put us through every trick in the bag. When we got back to the base, I had decided that airplanes were safe. I still think so."

The Canadian census of 1941 showed 372,000 more males than females in the country.

Youth Can't Stand Brooklyn

NEW YORK, Aug. 28. (AP)—Leonard Giordano, 13, would rather sleep back of a billboard in the Bronx, which reminds him of "the fields and trees in Maryland," than live with his parents in Brooklyn.

Moreover, the boy did just that for more than three weeks, said police who found the runaway last night. He had built a shelter behind a billboard, made a little money running errands, and spent a lot of time in the movies.

"I just want to get out of Brooklyn," young Giordano told police. "I can't get used to it. The only thing I like about it is the Dodgers."

Fred Giordano, Brooklyn carpenter, reported his son missing Aug. 5 and told police he might show up in the Captiol Heights section of Maryland, where the family lived until four years ago.

"Detectives asked the boy if he liked the Bronx.

"It's much nicer than Brooklyn," Leonard said. "But I'd like Maryland better."

Game Wardens Gird For Dove Season

AUSTIN, Aug. 28. (AP)—No extra game wardens will be added during the mourning dove season, which begins next Monday in the North zone, executive secretary Howard Dodgen of the Game Commission said today.

However, wardens will be concentrated in the white dove zone during the three-day season—Sept. 13, 15, and 17—in the Valley country near the border. Dodgen added: "Approximately ten men will probably be shifted in that area to help enforce the 4 p. m. to sunset hunting regulations. This will nearly double the usual number of game wardens in the Valley area, Dodgen said.

He believed there was little need for more wardens in the mourning dove zones because "the hunting seasons there are plenty long to give everybody a chance to get some birds."

MONTGOMERY DOESN'T BELIEVE MODERN NATION NEEDS BIG ARMY

PARIS, Aug. 28. (AP)—Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery chief of Britain's imperial general staff, says he does not believe a modern power needs a big army.

"Many countries believe that the only solution is to have a strong army," Montgomery said at a dinner last night concluding the first day of a visit here as guest of Paris.

"I am not of that advice. It is necessary, in the first place, to develop national character and that is a question of education," Montgomery added.

"If you want to estimate the strength of a nation, it is by the dispersal of its industrial potential that you can evaluate the possibilities of this nation to make war."

Yesterday's Results

LONGHORN LEAGUE
Ballinger at Midland 6 (Called at end of six innings, rain. Second game, postponed.)
Sweetwater 2, BIG SPRING 3.
Odessa 10, Vernon 3.

WEST TEXAS-NEW MEXICO
Pampa 15, Abilene 16.
Lubbock 9, Lamesa 3.
Albuquerque 3, Amarillo 1.
Clovis 6, Borger 5.

TEXAS LEAGUE
Beaumont 6-8, Dallas 6-7.
Shreveport 3--Port Worth 4-3.
Houston 3, Oklahoma City 3.
San Antonio 11, Tulsa 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Pittsburgh 3, Philadelphia 4.
Chicago 6, Brooklyn 3.
St. Louis 4, New York 6.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Chicago 5, Washington 6.
New York 9, St. Louis 6.
Philadelphia 1, Cleveland 2.
Boston 2-5, Detroit 7-4.

The Standings

LONGHORN LEAGUE	W	L	Pct.
BIG SPRING	7	4	.632
Midland	7	5	.583
Sweetwater	6	6	.500
Odessa	5	6	.454
Vernon	3	8	.273
Odessa	1	12	.077
TEXAS LEAGUE			
Houston	8	5	.615
Port Worth	8	5	.615
Tulsa	7	6	.538
Dallas	7	6	.538
San Antonio	6	7	.462
Oklahoma City	5	7	.417
Beaumont	5	7	.417
Cleveland	5	7	.417
WEST TEXAS-NEW MEXICO			
Lubbock	8	3	.727
Abilene	7	4	.636
Lamesa	6	5	.545
Albuquerque	6	5	.545
Clovis	6	5	.545
Borger	5	6	.455
Abilene	5	6	.455
Clovis	5	6	.455
NATIONAL LEAGUE			
St. Louis	7	5	.583
Boston	7	5	.583
New York	6	5	.545
Chicago	6	5	.545
Cincinnati	6	5	.545
Pittsburgh	5	7	.417
Philadelphia	5	7	.417
AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Boston	8	5	.615
New York	7	5	.583
Philadelphia	6	5	.545
Cleveland	6	5	.545
Washington	5	7	.417
St. Louis	5	7	.417

Games Today

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Odessa at Vernon.
Ballinger at Midland.
Sweetwater at BIG SPRING.
WEST TEXAS-NEW MEXICO
Pampa at Abilene.
Lubbock at Lamesa.
Clovis at Borger.
Albuquerque at Amarillo.
TEXAS LEAGUE
Shreveport at Dallas.
Beaumont at Port Worth.
Houston at Tulsa.
San Antonio at Oklahoma City.
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Boston at Detroit—Harris (4-2) vs. Newhouse (13-14).
Chicago at Cleveland (night)—Harney (9-5) vs. Gettel (9-7).
(Only games scheduled.)
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Cincinnati at Boston (2) — Vander Meer (6-13) and Raffensberger (4-3) vs. Sam (17-9) and Johnson (5-7) or Lanfranconi (4-3).
Chicago at Brooklyn — Wyse (5-6) vs. Lombardi (9-8).
St. Louis at New York — Pollett (8-11) vs. Post (10-0).
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia (night) — Singleton (1-1) vs. Rowe (12-9).

Major League Leaders

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Batting—Walker, Philadelphia 347.
Cavarretta, Chicago and Reiser, Brooklyn 316.
Home Runs—Mize, New York 43; Kinler, Pittsburgh 38.
Pitching—Jansen, New York 15-4 .769.
Blackwell, Cincinnati 20-8 .769.
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Batting—Williams, Boston 339; Boudreau, Cleveland 330.
Home Runs—Williams, Boston 26; Gordon, Cleveland 24.
Pitching—Shaw, New York 11-4 .753.
McCahan, Philadelphia 8-3 .727.

Storm Didn't Ruin All Of Rice Crop

GALVESTON, Aug. 28. (AP)—What is left of the rice crop in the Alvin area after suffering heavy storm damage still may be saved if weather favors the harvesting.

Nearly 90,000 acres of rice are in the area and only a small percentage was harvested before Sunday's tropical storm paid the crop a visit, causing thousands of dollars damage.

Farmers said that in all probability rice in the milk stage would be blighted and a complete loss, although many said they were optimistic at prospects of saving the ripened grain knocked down.

Citrus growers said they suffered heavy losses on an already predicted small crop.

TRANSPORTATION SCHEDULES

TRAINS
(All time are for departure)
(T&P Terminal)

Eastbound	Westbound
6:10 a.m.	6:10 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:15 a.m.
10:40 p.m.	11:35 p.m.

BUSES
(Union Terminal, 513 Runnels)

Northbound (T-NR-9)	Southbound (Kerrville)
9:20 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
4:20 p.m.	9:10 a.m.
11:30 p.m.	1:45 p.m.
	11:30 p.m.

(GREYHOUND)

Eastbound	Westbound
4:30 a.m.	1:17 a.m.
4:34 a.m.	3:50 a.m.
8:13 a.m.	4:28 a.m.
8:28 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
12:51 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
1:06 p.m.	4:12 p.m.
4:24 p.m.	4:41 p.m.
8:17 p.m.	9:41 p.m.
11:34 p.m.	

(AMERICAN)
Crawford Hotel Bldg.

Eastbound	Westbound
2:45 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
8:40 a.m.	9:70 a.m.
4:20 p.m.	4:25 a.m.
8:55 p.m.	10:00 p.m.

AIRLINES
Municipal Port American

Eastbound	Westbound
9:20 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
4:14 p.m.	7:40 p.m.

PIONEER

Eastbound	Westbound
8:07 a.m.	10:19 a.m.
7:07 p.m.	9:19 p.m.

CONTINENTAL

Northbound	Southbound
8:30 a.m.	8:21 p.m.

Rainstorm Blamed For Plane Crash

EMORY, Aug. 28. (AP)—A blinding rainstorm was blamed today for the death of two Atlanta, Ga., men who were killed yesterday when their plane crashed in a heavily wooded area nine miles west of here.

The men were identified by Joe Hood, Emory undertaker, as J. R. Banks, Jr., 23, and Wesley Studdard, 24, both employees of the Southern Airways.

Hood said the plane apparently was caught in a wind and rain storm and was hurled into the ground. It was demolished.

The men, returning to Atlanta after a flight to Dallas, were married and each was the father of one child. Their bodies were to be returned to Atlanta.

Hunters Should Guard Against Shooting Poles

With 2500 telephone wires shot out of commission last year, the Southwestern Bell Telephone company today urged hunters to use care in shooting at or near its pole lines in the coming hunting season.

About one-third of all cases of trouble on open wire long distance telephone lines last year was traced to gunshot damage, D. M. Gaither, telephone company manager, said.

"Even good shots miss occasionally," Gaither said, "and a shot at a bird on a telephone line, or flying in front of it, may cut a wire and interrupt telephone service between towns until we can get men out there to repair it. Some important messages could be delayed."

Admitting that it might take a lot of will power to pass up a "fat" shot, Gaither said, "care and thoughtfulness on the part of hunters now will go a long way toward protecting the community's vital telephone service."

San Antonio Man Scales Mexican Peak

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 28. (AP)—The name of Donald Skaggs, San Antonio hotel owner, was on the list today of persons who have scaled the Popocatepetl volcano, 40 miles from here.

The peak is 10,300 feet above the level of Mexico City.

Skaggs, an amateur photographer, said the climb was "one of the most interesting adventures of my life."

Doolittle Raider's Body Is Found

SHANGHAI, Aug. 28. (AP)—The body of Cpl. Leland D. Faktor of Plymouth, Iowa, last of the missing Doolittle Tokyo raiders, has been found by a U. S. graves registration field team nearly 450 miles southwest of Shanghai, Col. Charles F. Kearney announced today.

He said Faktor's body, discovered outside a village, had been brought to Shanghai by sampan and train under a guard of honor. The remains were identified by a gold ring, a silver name bracelet and a crumpled leather glove.

Large Crowd Watches Nelson

A large gallery was expected at the Munny golf course this afternoon for a special exhibition in which Byron Nelson, top money winner in 1945 tournaments, was to be the chief figure.

Nelson was to tee off around 2:30 p. m. in a foursome which also included Billy Maxwell, Abilene, Texas Junior Champion, Foy Fanning, local Munny pro, and Jake Morgan, Big Spring city champion. Morgan was to team with Nelson in the event. The exhibition was booked to precede the annual Big Spring Invitational Tournament, which gets underway tomorrow.

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