



SHIPPING HEIRESS AND HUSBAND CHARGED WITH BEATING HER — The former Andrea Luckenbach, shipping heiress, and her husband, Frederick O. Hammer, N. Y. and Palm Beach social figure, are shown in a happy mood in Palm Beach, Fla., on criminal information filed in West Palm Beach, accusing him of severely beating his wife with a flashlight aboard their yacht. (AP Wirephoto).

Germany Gets Constitution For New Republic

Russian Zone Can Join State If Free Elections Are Held

BONN, Germany, May 9. (AP)—The Germans at last have the constitution for a new West German republic—democratic, unarmed and pledged to peace.

Today it is being rushed to West zone military governors for final approval. The 11 West German states' legislatures must ratify it yet, too.

Despite opposition from states righters, some centrists and the Communists, the German constitutional convention approved it, 53 to 12, last night.

The constitution leaves the door open for the Russian zone to join the new state—if free elections take place in Soviet-controlled East Germany.

The four-power council of foreign ministers will discuss the German question generally in Paris May 23. However, at present German Communists say they are proceeding with an "all-German government" in the Russian zone.

Not mentioned in the final constitution were the reservations which the U. S., British and French made at Washington April 8th when they agreed to the proposed republic.

These are believed to include control over basic relations between Germany and the outside world as well as security against a revival of German militarism.

Each of the three Western Powers would terminate military government and appoint a civil commissioner. The three high commissioners would be the top authority in Germany.

The fundamental law of West Germany, as set up by the new constitution, marks an historic changeover to democracy, however it is.

1. Calls for a democratic federal republic to govern the Western zones' 46 million inhabitants until a general election can be formed for all Germany.

2. Favors the way for general parliamentary elections in the three western zones.

3. Makes the plotting of aggressive war a punishable offense.

4. A 1/3 of rights guarantees racial, lingual and religious equality. Freedom of press, religion and assembly is pledged. Censorship is forbidden.

5. The death penalty is forbidden.

6. Disbursements and ending balances were: July 1, 1948, \$3,381; road and bridge \$27,106 and \$24,545; general \$3,657 (excluding the transfer) and \$32,394; permanent improvement \$607 and \$7,961; special road bond none and \$4,418; viaduct warrant none and \$984.44; road bond 1945 series none and \$20,306; library \$1,176 and \$5,862; road machinery warrants \$4,126 and \$5,981; total \$43,612 and \$196,589.

During the morning the court instructed Engineer Bill Couch and Road Supt. Pete Thomas to repair two serious washouts in the northeast part of the county.

They also received bills from the Cap Rock Electric Cooperative for moving poles back in county right-of-way and, although no formal action was taken, reiterated a minute by which the county gave the Co-operative easement for the poles.



NAMED CATHOLIC MOTHER OF THE YEAR — Mrs. Catherine T. Loeffler, Weymouth, Mass., mother of 12, was named Catholic mother of the year by the National Catholic Conference on family life. Of Mrs. Loeffler's 10 children now living, six are in religious life. Three of her five priest-sons are foreign missionaries. (AP Wirephoto).

Dixie Demos To Back Extension Of Trade Plan

WASHINGTON, May 9 (AP)—Southern Democrats today promised to go down the line for one of President Truman's campaign pledges—extension of the trade agreements program in its original form.

Sen. George (D-Ga.), who will lead the administration battle in the Senate, told a reporter he expects to win approval of the trade program in about 10 days.

Sen. Byrd (D-Va.) and Sparkman (D-Ala.) said they will support (D-Aia.)

But Senate Republicans, with promised help of some northern Democrats, are planning another presidential upset.

The situation is this: The reciprocal trade program permits the President to cut import duties when other countries reduce their tariffs for our goods.

Sen. Millikin (R-Colo.) has been fighting the administration plan for more than a month and he confided "there will be much to say before we reach a vote."

Millikin, with solid backing of GOP Leaders Taft of Ohio and Wherry of Nebraska, wants to reinstate existing restrictions upon the presidential authority to cut this country's import duties.

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Red Drive Only 17 Miles From Seaport

Commander U. S. Trucks In Shanghai

SHANGHAI, May 9. (AP)—Fighting around Kaiting brought the Chinese civil war to an area 17 miles northwest of the heart of Shanghai today.

Far to the southwest, Communist armies pressed a twin-pronged offensive along an irregular 230-mile front. This operation extended from the seaport of Hangchow on the east to Lake Poyang on the west. At some places the Red drive had carried 200 miles south of Yangtze.

A Shanghai garrison command communique seemed to indicate the fighting closest to Shanghai was on a small scale.

Inside this largest Asian city, the Nationalist garrison ordered Chinese and foreign business firms and some government agencies to turn over 950 trucks for "military purposes."

Many American and British firms were hard hit by the order. Some were engaged in essential activities.

The garrison did not give details of the gigantic Communist operations southwest of Shanghai but said the Communists were continuing their drive in Kiangsi and Chekiang provinces.

One drive was toward Nanchang, Kiangsi provincial capital 380 air miles southwest of Shanghai. The other was pointed for Fukien Province on the southeast coast just below Chekiang.

(At Canton, Acting President Li Tsung-jen appeared to be taking over the government again.

American Ships Set To Leave Tsingtao

TOKYO, May 9. (AP)—Vice Adm. Russell S. Berkey, commander of U. S. Naval forces in the Far East, said today American ships in Tsingtao, China, are keeping up steam to pull out the minute the Communists show up.

He returned here from Tsingtao yesterday.

Berkey said the U. S. Naval draft would remain in the harbor until Tsingtao is occupied. As far as is known, he said, all Americans in the Tsingtao area who desire to leave have been evacuated.

The admiral added the Navy is prepared to take out any of the 30 odd remaining Americans who decide to leave at the last moment. All shore stations in Tsingtao have been abandoned by the Navy.

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That ruling was given two years ago, but disputes over it are still unsettled.

PATTERSON SAYS ATLANTIC PACT WOULD BE GUARANTEE OF PEACE

WASHINGTON, May 9. (AP)—Former Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson said today the case for the Atlantic treaty is simple: It would preserve peace because Russia would not dare go to war against the combined strength of the pact nations.

Patterson testified before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. It is holding hearings on the question whether the Senate should ratify the treaty of mutual aid against aggression, signed here April 4 by the United States and 11 other nations.

The treaty will not be binding on this country until it is approved by a two-thirds vote of the Senate.

Patterson told the committee that Russia's "guilt" in starting World War II in 1939 "was second only to that of Hitler."

This was an obvious reference to the Berlin-Moscow agreement which preceded the Nazis' march into Poland.

Calling Russia "an ambitious and power hungry dictatorship that has never had any scruples against launching a war," Patterson said the Soviets understand only force.

What the pact does, Patterson added in a prepared statement, is to bring together strength "far in excess of any that Moscow could muster."

He ticked off these estimates of western strength: (1) Manpower at least equal to Russia's; (2) steel-making capacity 10 times greater; (3) petroleum production six times greater; (4) a lead in science, invention and industrial skill "that cannot be measured in tons or cubic feet."

"In the presence of that combined strength in the resources it takes to wage war," Patterson said, "the autocrats in the Kremlin will see no prospect of victory and will not give their soldiers the word to march."

And he added: "The case for ratification of the North Atlantic Pact, I submit, is as simple as that. It is a pact to preserve peace."

LOSS MAY EXCEED \$250,000

Overcast skies returned to this area Monday as farmers surveyed results of their first general bad break by weather during the week-end.

Some observers were quoting agricultural damage toward a quarter of a million dollars, but it was yet too early to accurately assess losses from washing and hail Saturday night.

It was agreed generally, however, that a considerable portion of the acreage in the north half of the county would have to be replanted. Most of the cotton was just beginning to break through and was covered as water surged down the middles.

In town an intense shower, accompanied by violent electrical displays, was gauged at .58 of an inch, falling within the space of half an hour. There was some washing on streets, but no serious damage.

The city came near losing curbing on N. Gregg and the Lamesa highway but luckily escaped.

Soft hail pecked away at fruit, but by and large, except in isolated areas, intensity was not great enough to inflict serious loss.

Elsewhere, the rain was as heavy or heavier. At Midway and Coahoma the Friday and Saturday total was figured at three and a quarter inches against 1.05 in town.

Earl Hull said he measured .45 of an inch Saturday evening, bringing his total to 1.15 for the week-end. Most crops in that area were covered and will require replanting, he thought. North and east of that point he said rains were substantially heavier.

Walter Long reported two and a half inches at his place near Knott and said that the showers appeared more intense to the north and northeast. It appeared Monday that most crops from Fairview north would have to be replanted.

Considerable stockwater was put out by the dashing showers, which fell with such vigor that even an extraordinarily heavy turf could not absorb the run-off. Small grains continued to grow as if by magic.

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# Congress Violating Law In Ignoring Budget Provision

One of the forgotten statutes is the legislative reorganization act of 1906, which, among other things, confined a provision which required the submission of a legislative budget annually by Feb. 15.

Philosophy of this was to provide Congress with a perspective on the nation's income and outgo as a whole, and the hope that Congress would then seek to control expenditures to stay within that framework.

# Compulsory Health Insurance Is An Inroad On Our Freedom

The plight of many, particularly in the low income brackets, in facing the problem of adequate medical care is disturbing. It is folly to contend that the problem does not exist or that it is in the process of being happily solved.

The danger that matters most is not that there would be a temptation and probability to inferior grade of treatment, but that it might prove a malignant threat to freedom. It is not well enough understood that loss of freedom is a progressive thing.

# Today And Tomorrow-Walter Lippmann

## House Vote On Labor Bill Shows Strong Distrust Of Big Unions

After the vote in the House it is clear that for the present the Taft-Hartley Act can be amended and given a new name, but it cannot be repealed. This Congress at this session will not go back to the Wagner Act.

The large mass of the unemployed were not absorbed until war production got under way. But when they were absorbed, when full and even over-full employment prevailed, the bargaining power of the unions, which had been too low in 1935, became too great.

This means that despite Mr. Truman's election and the popular dislike of the record of the Eightieth Congress on domestic issues, there is still a majority in Congress, and presumably among the voters, who are convinced that the bargaining power of the big unions is too strong.

Then the reaction against the Wagner Act set in. It was exploited and envenomed by very reactionary elements. But Mr. Truman and the leaders of the big unions are deceiving themselves if they do not recognize that the Wagner Act with ten million unemployed and the Wagner Act with full employment are two altogether different things.

The Wagner Act, deliberately weighted against the employers, was, under the conditions of 1935, a form of rough justice to equalize power.

So Mr. Truman is not trying to restore to the union the position which Roosevelt won for them. As long as full employment is maintained, he is trying to give the unions more power than they ever in fact had under the New Deal.

# Affairs Of The World-DeWitt MacKenzie

## Yo-Yo Solves Pressing Problem Of What To Do With The Hand

NEW YORK, MAY 9.—WHAT TO DO with the human hand is civilization's biggest unsolved problem. You probably never thought of your hands as being much of a problem to you. But they are. Hands are a problem to everybody.

grub for food, fight his enemy and court his lady friend. HE LEARNED THROUGH HIS SENSE of touch. Watch any toddling child today. It still has the ape memory in its hands. It wants to seize or touch everything in reach. Every finger is alive with curiosity.

# Today's Birthday

HENRY JOHN KAISER, born May 9, 1882, at Canajoharie, N. Y., son of poor parents. He left school when 11 and became an errand boy, then a photographer. Falling in love with one of his customers, he was told by her father to get a better business. He became a salesman for a paving firm and soon was a paving contractor in the early days of auto roads.

WELL, WHOLE INDUSTRIES HAVE risen to try to solve the frustration of civilized people who have no natural way to keep their hands busy. Among them are the liquor industry, the tobacco industry, the crossword puzzle industry, and the 1,000-page historical novel industry.

I'LL SHOW YA WHO'S DOING THE DRIVING!



# Merry-Go-Round-Drew Pearson

## Ex-German Ambassador To Russia May Be Behind Kremlin's Change Of Tactics

WASHINGTON—Biggest question mark in the minds of every diplomat is whether the Russians have merely got soft temporarily or have made a major policy shift toward long-term cooperation with the rest of the world.

No diplomat, to date, dares venture a definite answer. However, uncensored reports from Germany give one significant clue which may reveal part of the answer.

Recently the Russians have been getting advice from Rudolf Nadolny, former German ambassador to Russia. Nadolny is not a Communist, is a German of Hungarian extraction, and a disciple of Bismarck, who always favored close co-operation between Germany and Russia.

connection with the building of real-estate business. This is a "grass roots campaign" to look for laborers, white-collar workers, veterans, housewives, small-shop keepers—people in the middle- and lower-income brackets.

GERMAN-RUSSIAN ALLIANCE In addition, Nadolny also met with German leaders last month and gave them significant advice that Germany's future lay with Russia.

HOLLYWOOD—Here is one method of a film on a Negro theme who expects no trouble from its showing in the south. He is film veteran Clarence Brown, who directed "The Yearling," "National Velvet," "The Human Comedy," "Idiot's Delight," and many of the Garbo pictures.

If there is peace, Russia can give far more to Germany than the allies for two reasons: 1. She controls Silesia and can return it.

NEGRO FILM EXPECTED TO CAUSE NO RIOT IN DIXIE

Watch any toddling child today. It still has the ape memory in its hands. It wants to seize or touch everything in reach. Every finger is alive with curiosity. The monkey has a simple solution. If there is nothing else for him to do with his hands, he just sits and scratches himself thoughtfully. He is happy and completely at ease.

about this method. "I was ready to retire from pictures," he said, "but this picture has given me a terrific lift. I'd like to shoot all my pictures this way. If I had my way, my studio would be four trucks of equipment. I'd shoot nothing inside a studio's walls."

PHONY TELEGRAM LOBBY Not since the holding-company fight of 1935, when the private utility lobby bombarded Congress with telegrams signed with names taken from a telephone directory, has Capitol Hill been deluged with so many phony telegrams and letters as in the current drive against public housing.

WORD-A-DAY By BACH

One of the lobby's most ingenious schemes is being worked on California congressmen by an organization with the high-sounding name, "Committee for Home Protection." Congressmen may not realize it, but this is merely a front for the powerful national Association of Home Builders.

FECUND (fe'kund) n. FRUITFUL IN OFFSPRING OR VEGETATION; PROLIFIC; ALSO, FIGURATIVELY, RICH IN INVENTION

# Around The Rim-The Herald Staff

## Luckless 'Geek' Is Pariah Among His Fellows Of Carnival World

Carnival gentry, persons who make their way traveling with the show, will tell you the individual with the most degrading job in their business is the "geek" the party who paints himself to look like a savage from inner Africa or some remote isle.

some journeyman we were occasioned to run onto in a tour of carnival's above grounds not so many years ago.

The front men would have you believe he was captured by intrepid stalkers, probably at some loss of life in their own ranks. The wild one lives up to his role in a whacky way, sometimes by hitting heads off lizards, chickens, perhaps by eating light bulbs or razor blades.

This untamed and wild-manned one took particular delight in making faces at all the youngsters, adding to the effect by baring his teeth and uttering the most horrendous sounds.

Hollywood undertook to portray the life and habits of the creatures in a recent movie, casting one of its most glamorous males in an unflattering role and openly suggested that liquor and the evils associated with it greased the skids for his exit into the man-made Hades.

When once he had concentrated on an extremely young fellow near at hand by getting within a bare foot of him and allowing his eerie voice to run the scale, he obviously couldn't help but feel he had more than earned his money on that particular day.

Fact that the luckless individual is regarded as an outcast to show people isn't the only thing that makes his life an unenviable one. His existence is filled with occupational hazards, unless his bite is worse than his bark.

The youngster took to his heels, screaming at the top of his lungs, was well out of range but the ugly one caused a shiver to run up my spine.

One of his tricks is lunging at people, particularly the small fry, and scaring them half out of their wits.

The wild one's act, it was to develop, succeeded all too well. The strapping soon re-appeared, leading his big brother who didn't frighten so easily. The kinemen was a nimble Goliath, spilling for a brawl.

That's all right, up to a certain point, but even a "wild man" can go too far. We have in mind a party billed as "the original wild man from Borneo," an unhand-

I noticed later that part of the show closed for the remainder of the week. I've often wondered what business the untamed one went into.—TOMMY HART

# Nation Today-James Marlow

## Confusion Marks Congressional Scuffling With New Labor Bill

WASHINGTON, (AP)—LET'S GET CONFUSED together. Just read this. There was plenty of confusion in the galleries this week when Congress scuffled with the labor bill. This story will spread the confusion.

again. So then the House had to vote all over again on what it had just approved while it was the committee of the whole.

All the House members can be sitting there, doing business as the House. Nobody leaves. They're all still there but—

4. So the question was: Should the House adopt the Wood amendment which it had just adopted while it was the committee of the whole? It did, by a vote of 217 to 203. This was a bad setback for the Trumanites.

Suddenly the House members decide they'll stop doing business as the House and start doing business as the committee of the whole. Why?

5. THIS WASN'T ALL. THE HOUSE AS THE House had only passed the Wood amendment to the Lesinski bill. Now the question was: Should it pass the Lesinski bill as amended?

Because, under the House rules, they can do business faster as the committee of the whole than they can as the House.

6. Howya doing?

But when they get through doing business as the committee of the whole they have to start doing business as the House again, or it doesn't count.

7. Just at that point—before the House could vote on the Lesinski bill as amended—this would have been the final vote—Rep. Marcantonio of New York, only member of the American Labor Party in Congress, got up. He asked that the House be furnished with an "engrossed copy" of the bill before the final vote.

And whatever they approve while they're the committee of the whole they have to re-approve when they become the House again, or it doesn't count.

8. Came the next day. The House had the "engrossed" copy. It was ready for the final vote on the Lesinski bill as amended. Nothing could stop that vote except one thing: If someone stood up and asked for a vote on sending the bill back to the House Labor Committee for further consideration. Rep. Welch, California Republican who didn't like the Wood bill, got up.

IF YOU'RE NOT WELL BOXED-UP AT this point, just wait till we get on with this story about what happened to the labor bill.

9. He asked the question. So the House had to vote, not on passage of the Lesinski bill as amended by the Wood bill, but on whether the whole business should be sent back to the Labor Committee. The vote was 212 to 207 for sending it back to the labor committee.

There were really two labor bills, one offered by Rep. Lesinski, Michigan Democrat, and the other offered by Rep. Wood, Georgia Democrat.

This was a victory for the Trumanites because by sending the bill back to the Labor Committee the House voted not to let itself vote on passage of the Lesinski bill as amended.

President Truman, his lieutenants and organized labor wanted the Lesinski bill passed. It would have wiped out the Taft-Hartley Act. They were against the Wood bill, which would have kept much of T-H.

What the House really did was knock itself out of any labor bill at all.

Last week the House—as the House—decided to consider the Lesinski bill. But then to save time it turned itself into the committee of the whole. Then this happened:

1. The enemies of the Lesinski bill offered the Wood bill as an amendment to the Lesinski bill. If it were adopted, the Lesinski bill would have kept the name Lesinski but it really would have been the Wood bill. Because the Wood bill would have changed the Lesinski bill entirely.

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3. Then the House ceased being the committee of the whole and became the House again.

4. The House voted on the Lesinski bill as amended by the Wood bill. The vote was 217 to 203.

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# Notebook-Hal Boyle

## Nationalist China Needs To Be Assured Of U. S. Moral Backing

YOUR COLUMNIST HAS ENCOUNTERED an unusual analysis of China's crisis, by an interesting personality—Dr. Hu Shih, Chinese philosopher, educator and diplomat who was ambassador to Washington in 1938-42.

er-creasing gestures of his very expressive hands. He is a vivid personality who talks as much with his hands as he does with his tongue. He should go far as a pantomimist.

The distinguished Dr. Hu has just arrived in New York from his homeland on a tour to study the world situation, and I had a chat with him in his apartment over a cup of tea which he himself brewed. I asked him what he thought of the testimony before the Senate Armed Services Committee by General Claire Chennault who said America still could save China (and Asia) from Communist control by assistance costing about \$1,000,000 a day.

"As I see it, our position is no worse today than was that of say France and Belgium after they were invaded by the Germans in the late war. Both those countries were overrun by the enemy. Their positions were as desperate as could be."

"I'M NOT A MILITARY EXPERT," replied Dr. Hu, "and am not qualified to pass judgment on that estimate. Of course material aid is needed but I don't believe the exact amount of help matters nearly so much as would the moral support of America."

"That's the great thing—the assurance that the United States is with us."

"The greatest weakness of Nationalist China now is lowered morale due to the belief that she has lost American support. I can tell you now that the collapse of the Nanking government resulted from the reports that the United States could do nothing more for China."

"Such news spreads rapidly in my country. You mustn't forget that at least 50,000 of our intellectuals were educated in the United States. (Dr. Hu himself is a graduate of Cornell and has honorary degrees from many American universities). Naturally they keep in close touch with the United States and any reaction here towards China is quickly recognized and the news spreads."

The doctor emphasized all this with never-

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# Navy Giving Aircraft Carrier Excursions For Congressmen

By Tex Easley  
AP Special Washington Service  
WASHINGTON, May 9. (U)—The Navy has been conducting aircraft carrier excursions for congressmen on weekends to give the lawmakers a insight into their operations. . . and, of course, to sell them on the importance of the naval air arm.

A naval lieutenant from Texas helps arrange the trips. Lieut. (jg) George York of Corpus Christi usually accompanies the congressmen on one of the two special transport planes that leave here Saturday mornings for Norfolk, Va. The congressmen are met by a marine band and admirals, then escorted aboard a carrier. On one week-end they go out on the USS Franklin D. Roosevelt, on the next week-end the USS Midway. These, with the USS Coral Sea, are the three largest carriers afloat.

A letter came to Senator Connally (D-Tex) from Alex D. Krieger, research archaeologist at the University. Krieger asked the senator to support a move to restore \$180,000, eliminated by the House from the Interior Department bill, for studies of lands which are to be flooded when dams are finished and water begins to back up behind them.

"The most significant matter of all," he wrote, "is that current researches in archaeology enable us to date the past climatic phenomena more accurately than before, and we find major changes occurring in a matter of centuries rather than the very long periods previously assumed."

A group of journalism students from Southwestern University at Georgetown visited Rep. Homer Thornberry of Austin last week and looked in on Congress. In the group were J. B. Galloway, Georgetown; Reuben W. Strickland, Marshall; Clifton E. Anderson, Austin; Harper McGee, Corpus Christi; and Robert J. Lucas, Austin. Accompanying them was their teacher, Miss Mary Elizabeth Fox.

The Rev. James W. Morgan, Georgetown pastor, was here last week for a meeting of Methodist ministers.

Mrs. Lloyd Bentsen, attractive wife of the McAllen congressman, was driving the family car in nearby Maryland when another car came out of a side street and plowed into her fender.

Although the accident was not her fault, she ended up paying an \$8 fine for having let her Texas driver's license expire.

Texans in Washington

The House tussle over the labor bill saw numerous freshman congressmen get a chance to demonstrate their ability.

The 28-year old Bentsen came through with flying colors in an effort to amend the Wood Bill. The Rio Grande Valley legislator achieved one of those rare victories for a new comer when he got the house to adopt his amendment which he said was designed to protect both labor and management.

It would require the general counsel of the national labor relations board to make an investigation and issue a formal complaint before he could seek a temporary injunction against a union or employer in a labor dispute.

The Bentsen amendment was adopted 166 to 117.



BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION FOR THE PRESIDENT — President Truman smiles as he prepares to light a birthday cake in the White House offices in Washington. On his desk are bundles of greetings for the Chief Executive. Mr. Truman was 65 on May 8. This cake came from William Simmons, White House door keeper. (AP Wirephoto.)

## Harry Never Had Enough Time To Get Into Mischief

WASHINGTON, May 9. (U)—President Truman has his own explanation for feeling so healthy at age 65: "I've had to work so hard all my life I've never had time to get into mischief."

The presidential quote was given yesterday to Dr. Edward Hughes Pruden, pastor of the First Baptist Church. It was Mr. Truman's response to Dr. Pruden's expressed hope that "I will be as full of vim and vigor as you are when I reach my 65th birthday."

Yesterday was an especially big day for Mr. Truman. It was Mother's Day, his own birthday and the fourth anniversary of his formal announcement of the end of the war in Europe.

However, aside from attending church, Mr. Truman made no particular occasion of the day. Some of the flowers in the church were in memory of Mr. Truman's mother, who died in 1947.

## Gasoline Plant To Be Dedicated Saturday

SUNDOWN, May 9. (U)—The Slaughter gasoline plant will be dedicated here Saturday with William J. Murray, Jr., chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission as principal speaker.

Olin Culberson and Ernest O. Thompson, other members of the commission, also will attend. The Slaughter plant is one of several being built in West Texas to conserve the state's natural resources.

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# Brannan Calls For Farmer Protection

LUBBOCK, May 9. (U)—Secretary of Agriculture Brannan said Saturday night "the only answer" to the problem of keeping farmers prosperous is "some form of price and income protection."

This protection, he said in remarks prepared for a 10-a-plate Jefferson-Jackson Day barbecue here, should "enable commodities in temporary surplus to fall to the level met by supply and demand."

There had been some doubt that Brannan would be able to get here for the third fund raising dinner staged this year by Texas Democrats. The Lubbock airfield was flooded by heavy rains.

But Brannan made it, arriving in an Air Force plane during the afternoon from Waco where he also had discussed the administration's new farm program in a speech Friday.

He paid his respects to the party gathering: "It is a real privilege to join the people of the largest state in the union in honoring memories of two great Democrats."

He paid his respects to Texas: "Your state was one of those that came in mighty handy last November."

And he said the administration farm program he presented to Congress recently would do these things:

for industry—and thus provide jobs. "Give farmers incentive to produce abundantly—and that's good news for city people, many of whom need still more milk, meat, fruits and vegetables."

The Brannan farm plan would introduce a new method of supporting farmer income on perishables. He would give the farmers "production payments" when market prices failed to give them the support return. Under the present plan the government's chief device for assuring support prices is removal of the price-depressing part of the supply from the market by means of government purchase.

Critics of the plan say that it would mean more control of the farmer. Brannan says it would not, that there are no regulations on the farmer in the new proposal not already in law.

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# Felix Gomez Leads Cayuses To 7-5 Victory Over Cats

The Big Spring Broncs protected their slim half-game lead at the head of the Longhorn baseball league by winning a nerve-racking 7-5 decision from the Ballinger Cats before some 1,200 fans here Sunday afternoon.

It took some elegant relief tossing from Pablo Molina, new right-hander, and some lusty hitting by Felix Gomez to turn the trick. Molina reported for duty with one down and three on in the ninth. He gave up one run in forcing a runner at second base, then fanned Ted Squillante with a high, hard one to wind up the proceedings.

Gomez was a one-man wrecking crew. He drove in five tallies while collecting a home run, two doubles and a single. The Broncs left fielder powered home two runs in the midst of a four run outbreak in the fourth, then lifted one out of the park in the sixth with Ray Vasquez and Al Valdes on the base paths.

The round tripper served to offset a four-baser by Stu Williams of the guests, which had come in the top half of the frame.

Gil Guerra, Broncs' starting pitcher, weakened badly in the late frame but received credit for his second triumph of the season. The Cats got to him for 12 assorted hits, including Williams' home run.

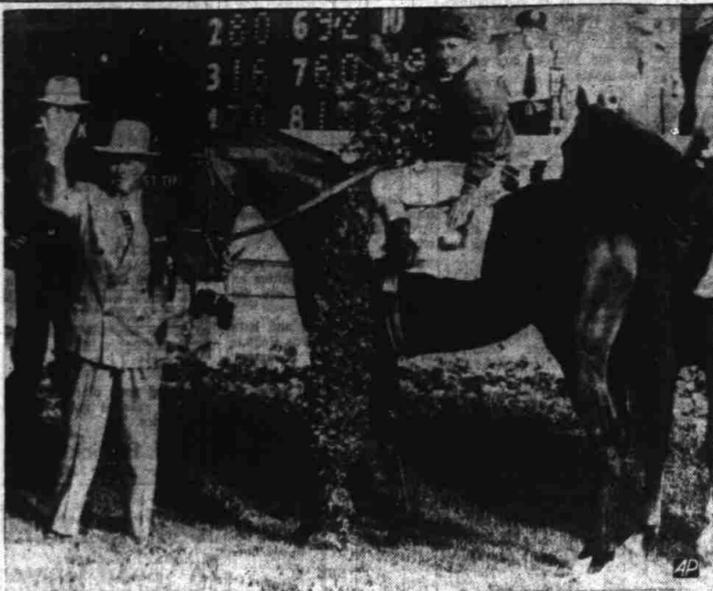
A great leg by Pat Stacey in the seventh frame gave Guerra a reprieve. With the sacks jammed, Johnny Jones singled into right field to score P. Burlison but ancient George Miltstead, relief tresser, tried to make it from second base and Stacey nipped him at the plate to retire the side.

**DIAMOND DUST**—Felix Gomez, Broncs left fielder, reached first every time he went to bat. His double in the first left along the line in right field half way between first and the fence. Potato Pascual, Broncs third sacker, made a sensational stop of Ted Squillante's sizzler in the fourth and Ed Ramirez made an equally sensational catch of his throw across the infield to catch Squillante a couple of steps from the bag. Umpire Bruce Averill caused a major uproar in the first when he called out Ace Mendez in the third. Fans claimed First Backer Pinky Higgins, who made the putout, was no where near the bag. Gomez made three bases on a wild throw by Luke Bisher after singling in the fourth. Ray Vasquez, Big Spring short stop, didn't get his first fielding chance until the sixth. The game was played in perfect weather but the management had to burn gasoline on the field to dry it out. The starting time was moved back 30 minutes to 4 o'clock for that reason.

**BALLINGER (S)** AB R H PO A  
Dawson 3b 4 0 0 0 0  
Higgins 1b 4 2 1 14 0  
Jones rf 4 0 0 0 0  
St. Williams cf 4 0 0 0 0  
Young 2b 4 0 0 0 0  
Squillante lf 4 0 0 0 0  
Luna c 4 0 0 0 0  
Burlison c 4 0 0 0 0  
Fidler 3b 4 0 0 0 0  
E. Williams p 4 0 0 0 0  
Miltstead p 4 0 0 0 0  
Totals 35 2 2 10 0

**BIG SPRING (T)** AB R H PO A  
Gomez lf 4 2 2 0 0  
Mendez cf 4 1 1 0 0  
Ramirez 1b 4 0 0 0 0  
Pascual 3b 4 1 1 1 1  
Stacey 2b 4 0 0 0 0  
Vasquez ss 4 2 2 1 2  
Valdes c 4 2 2 1 0  
Hernandez 3b 4 0 0 0 0  
Guerra p 4 0 0 0 0  
Molina p 4 0 0 0 0  
Totals 35 7 9 27 8

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**BIG SPRING** 000 000 000—  
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Errors: Dawson 2, Fidler, Gomez, Mendez; runs batted in: Jones, St. Williams, Young, Fidler, Gomez, Vasquez, Valdes; two base hits, Gomez 2, Vasquez 2; home runs, St. Williams, Gomez; stolen bases, Valdes; left on bases, Ballinger 10, Big Spring 4; bases on balls, off Guerra 4, Blake 2, Miltstead 1; struck out, by Guerra 10, Molina 1, Blake 4, Miltstead 2; hits and runs, off Guerra, 13 and 9 in 3-1/2 innings; Blake, 7 and 7 in 5-1/2; L. Williams, none and none in 1-1/2; winning pitcher, Guerra; losing pitcher, Blake; umpires, Cook and Averill; time, 1:37.



**PONDER WEARS THE ROSES**—Trainer Ben Jones (left) holds up in acknowledgement of the ovation as Calumet Farm's Ponder stands in the winner's circle, with Jockey Steve Brooks up, after winning the 75th Kentucky Derby at Churchill Downs in Louisville, Ky. (AP Wirephoto).

## Tigers Decision Grandfalls, 5-1

**GRANDFALLS, May 9.**—The Big Spring Tigers bunched four hits to push across three runs in the sixth and a 5-1 victory over the local Latin-American independent baseball team here Sunday afternoon.

The Grandfalls nine had knotted the count at 1-1 in the fifth. The Tigers added one more tally in the eighth.

M. Subis and Isa Mendoza combined to pitch seven-hit ball for the Tigers while their mates were collecting nine safeties off Willin, the Grandfalls hurler.

**TIGERS** AB R H Grandfalls AB R H  
Arista, cf 4 0 0 Roberto, 2b 4 1 2  
Mendoza, p-3b 4 1 1 Tom, 3b 4 0 0  
Martinez, 1b 4 1 3 Franco, 1b 4 0 1  
Gambon, ss 4 0 0 Raul, ss 4 0 0  
M. Subis, cf 4 0 0 Mendoza, rf 4 0 0  
Ferry, 2b 4 0 0 Subis, cf 4 0 0  
Hernandez, lf 4 0 0 Willin, p 4 0 0  
Castillo, 3b-2b 4 0 0 Subis, cf 4 0 0  
Lara, c 1 0 0 Willin, p 3 0 0  
M. Subis, p 3 0 0 Willin, p 3 0 0  
Totals 38 5 8 Totals 34 1 7

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**GRANDFALLS** 000 000 000—  
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**Lamesa Snaps Borger Streak**

By The Associated Press

The Borger Gassers' lead over Albuquerque in the West Texas-New Mexico League in only one game today, following the snapping of the Gassers' 11-game winning streak by Lamesa.

Lamesa won yesterday, 7 to 2 behind the tight, six-hit pitching of Glenn Seibo. Seibo helped bat his mates to victory with two doubles.

Abilene remains in third place after beating Clovis, N. M., 5 to 1. Wet ground caused the postponement of Amarillo's game at Lubbock and Albuquerque's game at Pampa.

Abilene's Bobby Fernandez hit a homer and two doubles to account for four Blue Sox tallies against Clovis.

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## Looking 'Em Over

by Tommy Hart

According to reports, Manager Dick Gyselman of the Sweetwater Swatters is on the fry both with his fans and some of his players and probably won't last out the month as field chief.

All of which goes to show you that you can't necessarily set the example for your charges when you're running a club. Rather you have to teach them the fundamentals and maintain good public relations at the same time.

Gyselman is one of the top hitters in the Longhorn league at the present time but his club isn't faring so well. Result: His critics are already prepared to throw in the towel and try someone else at his job.

That was quite a send off Stubby Greer, the Abilene Blue Sox pilot and ex-Big Spring, gave Bobby Fernandez, the Broncs' 1948 fly chaser, over the air the other night. Stubby said Roberto was the best outfielder he had ever seen in that class of ball.

**JUSTO AZPIAZU PROMOTED TO CLASS B LEAGUE**

For those who do not yet know the story behind the departure of Justo Azpiazu from the local lineup, the Professor simply got a promotion to Class B ball. The Havana-Cubans of the Florida International League desperately needed a first sacker with experience. Azpiazu filled the bill and young Ed Ramirez didn't. So Ramirez, the rookie, came here and Azpiazu went up.

**MANNY, NOT FREDDY, RODRIGUEZ IN ACTION**

Manny, not Fernando, was the Rodriguez who appeared as relief pitcher for the Big Spring team against Sweetwater in the first game of their series in Sweetwater the other night.

Incidentally, the Steeds now have another hurler in camp, by the name of Pablo Molina. He came here from Abilene.

Commenting to Dick Snider, the Odessa scribe, recently, Les Palmer, the Oilier third sacker, said Freddy Rodriguez was the fastest hurler he had ever been occasioned to face in his career when he first went to bat in the initial round of the Oilier-Bronc game here last week. Les has batted against such operatives as Hal Gregg, who once pitched a no-hit no-run game for Brooklyn, and Monty Stratton in his time.

The new scoreboard at Steer park, which has been painted black against a white background, shows up much better from the grandstand. Needless to relate, the fans approve.

**TWO LAMESA HANDS FARMED OUT TO BALLINGER**

Two Lamesa hands, Larry Williams, a pitcher, and Bart Burlison, have been optioned to Ballinger. There is no chance either will be recalled this season, according to the agreement.

**HARRY WISMER LISTS SIX TOP COLLEGIATE TEAMS**

Harry Wismer, the noted sportscaster, told Oklahomans on his recent visit to the Sooner State his idea of the six strongest collegiate football teams in the country last fall were Oklahoma, Notre Dame, Michigan, Tulane, Southern Methodist and California, and that without trying to rank them.

**HORACE RANKIN MAY ATTEND SUL ROSS COLLEGE**

Horace Rankin, who has starred at basketball for Howard County Junior college the past two seasons, may pop up at Sul Ross college in Alpine next September. He has been proffered a chance to try out both as a grinder and a cager with the Lobos.

## Calumet Looks To Preakness

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 9. (AP)—Crafty Old Ben Jones, the Missourian who showed 'em with Ponder in the Kentucky Derby, got ready to take off for Baltimore today with his latest pride and joy for a crack at the \$75,000-added Preakness.

This second "jewel" in American racing's triple crown is set for Pimlico Saturday, where Ponder is going to have enough equine company to keep things quite interesting as the pace changes from Kentucky to Maryland.

The Calumet Farm Colt trimmed 13 rivals in the Diamond Jubilee Derby, including the heavily favored Olympia. Now the big question is whether the young upstart which never did anything until May 7, 1949, can do it again over the slightly shorter Preakness course.

Four or five other Derby horses are heading Pimlicoward, where several others are waiting for Maryland's biggest race.

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**KNOTT, May 9.**—Raymond Chapman and Bobby Beall combined to pitch the Knott Hill Billies to a 2-0 victory over the Coahoma Bulldogs in a fast Tri-County baseball league game played before a large crowd here Sunday afternoon.

The Billies scored their two runs in the fifth inning. Sonny Ditto driving home Joe Beall for the first tally and then coming home himself on a blow by Pat Gaskins.

Chapman and Beall limited the scrappy Bulldogs to a pair of safeties. Only Connie Morrison and Nixon hit safely against the slants of the two. Chapman worked the first seven innings before yielding to his freeman.

Noble Walker was on the pitching rubber for Coahoma and, together with Mimms, surrendered only five hits. Two of the blows were authored by Gaskins.

The win was the second of the young season for the Billies.

Coahoma	AB	R	H	Knott	AB	R	H
Dewany 2b	4	0	0	Ditto ss	3	1	0
C. Morrison 1b	4	0	1	Osakins 2b	4	0	0
Nixon 3b	2	0	1	Shaw rf	4	0	1
R. Morrison ss	3	0	0	Johnson 3b	3	0	0
Walker p	2	0	0	Codrill 2b	3	0	1
Mimms p	1	0	0	Jones cf	4	0	0
Evans lf	3	0	0	Robinson rf	3	0	0
Head cf	3	0	0	J. Beall c	1	1	1
Robinson rf	3	0	0	Davis c	2	0	0
Davis c	2	0	0	Thomas c	1	0	0
D. Reed x	1	0	0	R. Chapman p	0	0	0
Totals	29	0	2	R. Beall p	1	0	0
				Totals	33	2	3

**COAHOMA** 000 000 000—  
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**KNOTT** 000 020 000—  
000 020 000—  
Runs batted in: Ditto, Gaskins; bases on balls, off Chapman 1, Walker 1; struck out, by Chapman 4, Beall 2, Walker 4, Mimms; hit by pitcher, J. Beall by Walker, Johnson by Walker; winning pitcher, Chapman; losing pitcher, Walker; double plays, R. Morrison to Dewany to C. Morrison, Dewany to R. Morrison to C. Morrison; time, 1:46.

## Tri-County Tilt Is Postponed

Wet grounds forced postponement of Tri-County baseball league game between Cosden's Refiners and Ackery here Sunday afternoon.

Jake Johnson, Cosden pilot, said the two nines may collide Friday afternoon at Steer park.

## Sports In Brief

By The Associated Press GENERAL

LOS ANGELES—Mel Patton of the University of South California ran the 220 yard dash in 20.2 seconds, one-tenth off the world record. Patton also ran the 100 yard dash in 9.1, but a tail wind disqualified his chances for a record.

## BY 5 TO 0 COUNT

# Shelton Fashions Third Shutout As Forsan Wins

**FORSAN, May 9.**—It's going to get to the point in Tri-County baseball league after while where the team that scores a run off Lefty Shelton and the Forsan Oilers will register a moral victory.

Shelton Sunday fashioned his third successive shutout as the Oilers trounced the Howard County Junior college Jayhawks, 5-0, to protect their unbeaten circuit record.

The wronglander struck out 21 men, walked but one and allowed but six safeties. Dan Lewis, first man to face Shelton in the first inning, worked him for a free pass.

Wes Roberson's Oilers scored twice in the initial round, twice in the seventh and once in the eighth, all on seven hits.

A. J. Cain, Jayhawk lefty,

## BRONCS TO INVADE ODESSA FOR SERIES

The Big Spring Broncs move into Odessa tonight where they open a two-game series with the Oilers.

Manager Pat Stacey expects to have Lefty Julio Ramos ready for mound duty in one of the Odessa games, while the starting assignment for the other had not been made this morning.

The Broncs are scheduled to return to Steer park Wednesday night to entertain the Sweetwater Swatters.

FORSAN (S)	AB	R	H	PO	A
Griffith 2b	4	1	1	0	0
Shultz ss	3	1	0	0	0
Miller lf	4	0	1	0	0
Cunningham	4	1	1	0	0
Asbury 3b	4	0	1	0	1
Barnett rf	4	1	1	0	0
Anderson cf	4	1	1	0	0
McCabe 1b	3	0	1	0	0
Shelton p	3	0	0	0	1
Totals	33	5	7	2	2

pitched well enough to win half a dozen ball games. After Forsan's big first inning, Cain settled down to face only three men an inning until the seventh.

Walks to Burl Griffith and Timmo Shultz started the Oilers on their way in the first canto. Miller followed with a single, scoring Griffith. Winifred Cunningham then lofted a short fly into right that Ariess Davis tried to shoestring but just missed. With the bases loaded and no one out, Cain settled to strike out Bobby Asbury. Lefty Barnett skied to Lewis in center, Shultz scoring after the catch and Anderson popped to Bill Davis at first, ending the threat.

In the seventh, Barnett and Anderson tallied for Forsan with Shelton laying down a bunt to squeeze the second run home.

In the eighth, Cunningham singled with one away and went around on hits by Asbury and Bar-

COAHOMA	AB	R	H	PO	A
McCabe sacrifice	2	0	0	0	0
Davis	3	0	0	0	0
Shelton 1	3	0	0	0	0
Shelton 2	3	0	0	0	0
Cain 3	3	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	0	0	0	0

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McCabe; sacrifice, 2. Davis, Shelton; stolen bases, Griffith, Shultz; left on base, HCJC 7, Forsan 7; bases on balls, off Shelton 1, Cain 2; struck out, by Shelton 20, Cain 4.

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### Former Texas Grid Player Succumbs

WASHINGTON, May 9. (AP)—Mack Saxon, 47, civilian assistant to the head of the Navy's aviation physical training program, died of a heart attack at his home yesterday in Arlington, Va., near here.

### Guerrillas Frozen

ATHENS, May 9. (AP)—Press reports from Patrai said today the bodies of 400 guerrillas, apparently frozen to death during war against the Greek army, have been found.

### Cough Dropper Dies

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 9. (AP)—William H. Lunden, originator of the Menthol Candy cough drop, died yesterday of a heart attack at the age of 90.

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## Boy's Prayers For Return Of Mother Are Answered

LATROBE, Pa., May 9. (AP)—If 10-year-old Andy Tompos, Jr., day dreamed at his school desk today, no one could blame him much.

When a guy's prayers for the return of his mother are answered, readin' writin' and 'rhythmic just don't seem so important for the moment.

You see, Andy had a mother all along, but five years ago she disappeared, leaving the youngster to live with his grandparents. His father vanished before Andy was born.

Four weeks ago Andy thought of the Easter rabbit and—filled with the infinite faith of childhood—wrote a letter to the Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph.

"Everybody who has a mother has good luck," he wrote. "May be my Easter bunny will bring me my mother."

Andy's letter was printed and miled away—in an unnamed city—the little boy's mother read the letter in a newspaper.

"I just went limp all over," she said later. "I've never forgotten the boy. I never could."

She sat down and wrote Andy a letter, telling him he had a new daddy and a baby brother for him. Arrangements were made for Andy to fly to a Mother's Day reunion with her.

He took with him the biggest Mother's Day card he could find and signed it—"I love you, Andy."

And now Andy is back at school.

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## YMCA Home Fund Reaches \$25,500

The YMCA permanent home campaign has progressed to approximately 25,500, it was announced Monday.

This is 63.5 per cent of the objective of \$40,000 with which the Y hopes to acquire the First Christian church property at 5th and Scurry streets to house its expanding membership and to provide a center for its youth program.

Campaign leaders expressed the hope that the special effort could be concluded this week and to that end efforts were to be renewed to complete contacts on scores of outstanding cards.

## Male Delegate Attends State FHA Meetings

DALLAS, May 7.—Robert Mosley, a dark-haired school kid from Corpus Christi, was the only male delegate to the state convention of the Association of Future Homemakers of America held in Dallas this weekend.

Girls pointed to the towel-type sport shirt Robert was wearing and said proudly: "See that shirt—he made it himself." "That's the catch to this whole thing," Robert said with a hint of a blush. "To work into this setup, you've gotta take some sort of homemaking course in school and I took clothes making."

The setup he spoke of was the fact that all the girls at the convention were doing their best to wait on him hand and foot. He said he didn't know whether it would be a smart thing to publicize the fact that boys as well as girls are eligible for the Texas Association of Future Homemakers of America.

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To contrast the 1920 version of an evening gown, Jane Degenhart, Mansfield High School junior, modeled a clean-lined aqua evening gown which she made as a school project.

To contrast 1920 and 1949 prices, Mrs. Konecny's dress cost \$9.94. Jane's cost \$15.

Jane is area vice-president for TAFHA. The gown she modeled was on display for the three-day meet.

Senor Roberto de la Rosa, a Mexican troubador on the Friday program captivated his bobby-sox audience the moment he stroked his guitar and broke into a soft folk song.

## EVERYONE LIKES IT THE SAME WAY

FLOYDADA, May 9. (AP)—A dictionary publisher wrote a citizen of Floydada asking how educated and cultivated people here pronounced the name of the town.

The citizen replied: "Educated and cultivated people here pronounce it with first 'A' long and accented."

And he added: "The rest of us do, too."

## Prophyl Alcohol Price Reduced

NEW YORK, May 9. (AP)—The Celanese Corp. of America sharply reduced its price for normal prophyl alcohol today simultaneously with announcement of greatly increased production.

The price cut amounts to 24 per cent or more in tank car quantities. At the same time, the company effected a change in the general pricing system for the straight chain solvent and chemical intermediate.

The purchaser now has a choice between a delivered or an F.O.B. price. For instance, the tank car price formerly was 10 1-2 cents a pound delivered. Now the purchaser has his choice between a price of 8 cents a pound delivered or 8 1-2 cents a pound F.O.B. Bishop, Tex. Similar cuts were made in drum carload prices.

## WEATHER

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday. Not much change in temperature. High today 80, low tonight 60, high tomorrow 84.

Higher temperature this date 102 in 1917, lowest this date 42 in 1939; maximum rainfall this date 2.11 in 1932.

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy scattered thunderstorms in northeast and central portions this afternoon and tonight. And in northwest and west central portions Tuesday. Not much change in temperatures. Moderate to fresh south and southeast winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday. A few scattered thunderstorms in Panhandle and South Plains Tuesday.

TEMPERATURES  
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Clyde 68 53  
Denver 49 41  
El Paso 80 51  
Fort Worth 83 51  
Galveston 83 74  
New York 86 51  
San Antonio 86 70  
St. Louis 71 58  
Sun sets today at 7:33 p. m., rises 5:33 a. m. Precipitation last 24 hours none.

## CAA Meeting To Be Held Here June 16

A Civil Aeronautics Administration conference on aircraft maintenance will be held here on June 16, Sam Monachke, aircraft agent for the district CAA office in Big Spring, announced today.

Principal speaker at the conference will be Ray Matthews of the aeronautical center, Oklahoma City, Okla. Purpose of the conference is to acquaint aircraft mechanics, operators and owners with recent general information pertaining to maintenance.

## Barbecue Set Today

COAHOMA, May 9. — The Coahoma service club is to have a barbecue affair at 7:30 p. m. today, honoring members and their wives.

## MARKETS

NEW YORK, May 9. (AP)—Wool cotton prices were 30 to 40 cents a bale higher than the previous close. May 32.74, July 32.78 and Oct. 32.32.

## UN Assembly In Final Week Of Spring Meet

LAKE SUCCESS, May 9. (AP)—The United Nations General Assembly today began the final scheduled week of its spring meeting.

The 58-nation forum, which convened on April 5, is trying to finish its work and adjourn on Saturday, May 14.

To do this the assembly must take final action on five major items in six days.

One of those items—the Dutch-Indonesian conflict—may be held over for the next regular assembly meeting next fall.

Other issues on which decisions are pending include: Israel's application for UN membership; the disposition of Italy's pre-war African colonies; the Franco regime in Spain; and the treatment of Indians in South Africa.

Israel's bid for membership, strongly opposed by the Arab states, is expected to be ready for consideration by the full assembly within the next two days.

The assembly's special political committee, which is debating the case, decided on Saturday to close its speakers' list and limit debate.

Delegates believe the action paved the way for a vote before Wednesday. Whatever the committee recommends will be passed on to the full assembly for final action.

Committee debate on the Spanish item ended on Saturday. The political committee agreed, by a vote of 25 to 16 with 16 abstentions, to lift a two-year-old ban on full diplomatic relations between UN member nations and Franco Spain. The committee's recommendation now goes to the assembly for final action.

Lucas Fined \$75  
A. B. Lucas entered a plea of guilty to the charge of driving while under the influence of intoxicants and was fined \$75 and costs in county court Saturday morning. His driving privileges were also suspended for six months.

Lucas was apprehended by local authorities Friday evening.

## SOCIALITE FREE ON \$2,000 BOND IN FLASHLIGHT BEATING OF WIFE

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., May 9. (AP)—Frederick O. Hammer, 41, was free under \$2,000 bond today on charges of aggravated assault upon his wife, Mrs. Andrea Luckenbach Hammer, wealthy steamship fortune heiress.

Hammer, well known horseman and prominent in New York and Palm Beach society, was released from jail here Saturday night after posting bond.

The case will be heard in court July 5, according to County Solicitor T. Harold Williams.

Mrs. Hammer signed a two-page affidavit alleging her husband beat her with his fists and a flashlight on April 28 when they boarded their yacht, Hamandy, to leave Palm Beach for New York.

When he took her to a doctor the next day, the affidavit stated, he said the injuries resulted from a fall. "In his presence I was afraid to contradict him," Mrs. Hammer said.

She was kept under "close surveillance" during a trip to Daytona Beach, but when her husband left the yacht for a time she fled to Palm Beach, the affidavit stated.

Hammer was "extremely abusive," had a cold attitude and was under the illusion her family was trying to take her fortune of \$5 million from her, the affidavit continued.

Leave On Vacation  
Chamber of Commerce Manager J. H. Greene and Mrs. Greene left by train this morning on a vacation trip to Long Beach, Calif. They plan to be in Long Beach for several days.

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## Back To The Bible

The word "church" comes from a word that means, "Called Out". The apostle Peter wrote to people who had purified their souls in obeying the truth. Those who had been born again. I Pet. 1:22-25. He referred to them as having been "Called out of Darkness, into His marvelous light." Peter said to them, "Abstain from fleshly lusts that war against the soul." I Pet. 2:9-12. Read it in your Bible.

Paul said to Christians, "Have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather approve them". Eph. 5:1-12. Brother read it. Read Also I Pet. 4:1-19.

To those who claim to be members of the church of our Lord I ask, "Out of what were you called, if you still engage in those things that appeal to the lust of the flesh?" I confidently affirm, The modern dance; The mixed bathing pool; The show in which robbery, gambling, and illicit love affairs are prominent, being to the things referred to in Eph. 5:3-11. Read it, and write me what you think.

What to do, when preachers, elders, and other teachers in the church engage in such, will be considered in our next.

I appreciate your commendations. If you are really interested why not give something besides "lip service" to this work? Five dollars has been received from one elder in a near by church. Address questions, commendations or criticisms to this writer.

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## Sorority Honors Mothers At Tea In Roxie Dobbins' Home Sunday

Members of the Xi Mu Exemplar chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi honored their mothers with a tea in the home of Mrs. Roxie Dobbins, 1008 Sycamore, Sunday.

The reception line was composed of Mrs. Lloyd Wooten, Mrs. Pat Stacey and the hostess, Mrs. Dobbins.

Mrs. T. A. Harris presided at the refreshment table which was laid with an imported linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of pink and purple larkspur. Lighted pink and purple tapers illumined the party rooms. Table appointments were of crystal and silver.

A gift was presented to each of the mothers.

Those attending were Mrs. T. A. Harris, Mrs. Annie Lea Sanders; Mrs. Roxie Dobbins, Mrs. Isla Davila of Plainview; Mrs. Russell Hoover and Mrs. Beulah Bond; Mrs. Pat Stacey and Mrs. H. G. Hill; Mrs. Travis Carlton, Mrs. C. L. Rowe; Mrs. Frank Phinney, Jr.; Mrs. E. D. Merrill; Mrs. Paul Darrow and Mrs. Harry Zarafonitis; Mrs. Conrad Reeves of Odessa, Mrs. George W. Hall; Mrs. Lloyd Wooten and Mrs. Jane Cloud.

## Odessa Sorority Is Founder's Day Host

ODESSA, May 9. (Sp)—Members of the Beta Kappa chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma, national honorary organization for women teachers, held their annual Founder's Day Banquet in the local school cafeteria Saturday evening.

Following the banquet, initiation and installation ceremonies were held in the high school music room. Initiates were Cora Lee Partridge and Elfa Schrank of Big Spring. Officers installed were Mrs. Mattie Bell Moran, president; Frances Milam, first vice-president; Mrs. Ina Faye Matthews, recording secretary; Ruth Crabtree, corresponding secretary; Elizabeth Berekman, treasurer and Mrs. Grenade Peters, parliamentarian.

Mrs. Ruth Vickers led the program in keeping with the year's theme on "The Teacher's Personal Life." The invocation was given by Ida McGown. Bessie Ames Stewart directed the candle lighting ceremony honoring the club founders. John M. Worrell, accompanied by Mrs. Dorothy Craft played a violin solo, "Allegro Brillante" by Have.

Mrs. Mattie Bell Moran addressed the group on "The Woman Teacher's Contribution to the Civic Life of the Community." Mrs. Moran enumerated the teacher's contacts with the community under three types as professional, citizenship activities and leisure time pursuits.

"Every teacher is potentially a leader because of her profession," stated Mrs. Moran. She explained that leadership did not necessarily mean seeking publicity nor being in the limelight, but lies in the teacher's ability to serve both the children and the community from her personal influence as one who is educated, cultured and public-spirited, and also from the strength of her personal character.

Tables were decorated with red roses and honeysuckle and were arranged by Elizabeth Berekman, local chairman.

In addition to the initiates Hattie Nell Mercer of Odessa was a guest. The guest artist, John M. Worrell was from Colorado City.

Others attending were Dorothy Davis, Martha Hall, Emma Lou Whitaker, Letha Amerson, Zalda Brown, Agnes Currie and Martha

## Visits-Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Miller, 511 Hillside Drive had as their week end guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stevens of Fort Worth. Sunday dinner guests in the Miller home were Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCleskey and Mrs. N. W. McCleskey.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Lacy have returned to their home, 604 Scurry, following a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lacy of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. George Lacy in Fort Worth.

## Announcement

Announcement is made that the Ladies Golf Association will sponsor a benefit bridge at the Country Club, Thursday, May 12 at 8 p.m. Admission price is \$1 per person and tickets may be purchased from Association members or at the door. The public is invited.

Sour cream, flavored with a little sugar, lemon juice, salt and freshly ground pepper, makes an easily prepared dressing for thinly sliced tomatoes. Serve on a bed of shredded lettuce.

## Helen Duley and Leslie E. Green Are Wed In Nuptial Mass At Tyler

Wedding vows were solemnized at nuptial mass at 7 a. m. Monday at the Church of Immaculate Conception in Tyler for Helen Duley and Leslie E. Green.

The Rev. V. H. Wolf, cousin of the bride, performed the ceremony and said the mass. Mrs. Green's aunt, Miss Anne Ward, who was maid of honor at the wedding of the bride's mother, was maid of honor for Mrs. Green.

The altar was decorated with white roses and shasta daisies and the bride carried a gardenia bouquet on her prayer book. The bride wore a street length white silk dress with white accessories. The wedding party wore gardenia corsages. For her wedding trip, Mrs. Green wore a black linen suit with white accessories.

Helen Marie Wolf, cousin of the bride, played wedding music at the organ before the ceremony and played the traditional wedding marches. The Rev. Joseph Nelson, also a cousin of the bride, sang "Pans Angelicus" and "Ave Maria" by Franck, and Monsignor William F. O'Brien was in the sanctuary.

The wedding breakfast was held in the rectory of the Church of Immaculate Conception with the Rev. Vincent J. Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wolf, Helen Marie Wolf, the Rev. Joseph Nelson, Monsignor W. F. O'Brien and the bride and groom attending.

The bride is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Duley and has been a resident of Big Spring since 1932 and associated with Cosden since 1933. Prior to that time she had been associated briefly with the Big Spring high school and chamber of commerce. For the first two years she was with Cosden, she was the sole woman employe here.

She served in various capacities, becoming secretary to two vice-



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## RIBBON RAMBLINGS

By MILDRED YOUNG

So you're going to have your picture taken? The newspaper photographer has made an appointment and you have every confidence that a flattering picture of you and some of your friends will soon appear in the local paper. We have a hint which we think will always be helpful in the making of an attractive picture.

Those who have never had their pictures made by the use of flash cameras seem to dread the flash of the light. We do, too, sometimes, but we'd like to remind those who like to have their pictures made after the picture is taken and not before the picture is made. If you will make a habit of looking in some direction other than directly into the camera your chances of having your eyes shut when the print is made are not as high.

It's not many days until school will be out, and we would like to remind graduating seniors who have not made any definite plans for this summer and fall that it's a pretty good time to start those plans. We know from experience that they can't be made too soon.

If we were giving out advice we would also suggest that the students continue their education. We seem to be coming to a day when at least one degree from college is considered the expected rather than the exceptional. We sometimes wish we had more than one, but seriously doubt that we ever will. Maybe it doesn't effect everyone that way, but when we stepped from school it seemed kind of final. So our advice, such as it is, is to be sure you've gone as far as you want to go before you call it quits.

## Ladies Aid Meets At Lutheran Church

Mrs. Ad H. Hoyer brought the opening prayer and short devotional from St. John 2:5 at the Business and Devotional meeting of Concordia Ladies Aid at St. Paul's Lutheran church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hoyer used as her meditative text, "Whatsoever He saith unto you, do it."

The program topic for the afternoon was presented by Mrs. Harold Wakehouse, who spoke on the subject, "Our Teenagers—A Comparison of the Normal and the Delinquent Child."

A letter of acknowledgement was read from the American Zone in Germany stating that food and clothing had been received there.

Mrs. Albert H. Hoberst, 2010 Runnels, will entertain the Sewing Circle Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. Those attending were Mrs. Elbert Keune, Mrs. W. C. Heckley, Mrs. M. W. Rupp, Mrs. J. W. Radanof, Mrs. Henry Fehler, Mrs. Albert Hoberst, Mrs. Harold H. Wakehouse, Mrs. John Foster, Mrs. Ad H. Hoyer, the Rev. Hoyer and Mrs. W. F. Pachall.

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Jim McGraw of Midland, district youth relationship president, will preside during the meeting. Dinner will be served by the host church.

Local members attending the meeting and participating in the evening service will include Woody Wood, Madalyn Guess, Billy Bob Watson, Billie Jean O'Neal, Joyce Howard and Vevagene Apple.

**Local Methodist Youth To Attend Sweetwater Meet**

Local youth division members of the First Methodist church will preside during the worship hour at the Sweetwater District of the Methodist Youth Fellowship rally in the Highland Heights Methodist church in Sweetwater this evening.

During the meeting, officers for the new year will be elected. Plans will be made for the building of two new churches in China and the presentation of two scholarships to Chinese students, enabling them to attend college in their own country. These two projects are

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