

Taft Strengthens Control Over GOP

By JACK BELL.
CHICAGO (U.P.)—Sen. Robert A. Taft has tightened control over Republican convention machinery with the apparent intention of fighting vigorously for the seating of Southern delegates favorable to him.

The top arrangement committee's choice yesterday of Gen. Douglas MacArthur as keynote, and the selection of Taft backers to fill other major convention posts, was dictated down the line by the Ohioan's camp.

The action served notice on supporters of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Taft's chief rival for the GOP presidential nomination, that there will be no quarter in the battle over disputed southern votes which may go a long way toward determining the winner.

The keynote assignment for MacArthur, who has publicly backed Taft and has criticized Eisenhower indirectly, emphasized the no-compromise mood of the Ohioan's backers.

MacArthur accepted quickly in a telegram to National Chairman Guy G. Gabrielson, expressing surprise that he had been picked for the job.

"I am fully conscious of the high honor and distinction involved but equally aware of its deep obligation," MacArthur told Gabrielson. "I frankly have grave doubts of my ability to fulfill its demands."

"However, in view of my selection, I accept with a real sense of grateful appreciation."

Although there had been some question about the legality of the five-star general's addressing a party convention because of Army regulations, the Pentagon said it would raise no issue on this point. Friends said MacArthur would speak in civilian clothes.

While MacArthur is expected to make a party-rallying speech without reference to any particular candidate, some other convention officers selected by the arrangements group are in a position to make vital rulings.

One of these is Walter Hallanan of West Virginia, a Taft supporter chosen as temporary chairman when that post was divorced from the keynote's job in order not to burden MacArthur with gavel-pounding chores.

Hallanan already has made it plain he intends to enforce the 1948 convention rules until the time this year's convention is permanently organized and he turns the gavel over to Rep. Joseph Martin of Massachusetts, named permanent chairman.

Court Reverses Conviction Of Alabama Officer

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (U.P.)—The Alabama Court of Appeals yesterday reversed a conviction against Birmingham Police Commissioner Eugene Connor by declaring unconstitutional the ordinance under which he was fined for occupying a hotel room with his secretary.

Judge Robert B. Harwood, in writing the decision, noted the ordinance was too broad. He said it covered many lawful and innocent acts as well as illegal and immoral conduct.

Connor was fined \$25 for illegally occupying a hotel room with his 24-year-old secretary, Miss Christina Brown.

Connor, denying any immoral intent or actions said he had been trapped.

He and Miss Brown were arrested Dec. 21. A grand jury recommended he be removed from office.

A Circuit Court jury could not agree on a verdict after impeachment proceedings were started against the veteran city official and onetime candidate for governor. The case was reset for October.

Harriman Says Republican Party Captured By Weepers

PHOENIX, Ariz. (U.P.)—W. Averell Harriman said today the Republican party "has been captured by the weepers and wallers" who have made GOP mean "grim old pessimists."

Campaigning here for the Democratic presidential nomination, Harriman said the Republican party has no positive program for progress at home or abroad.

On the other hand, he declared, "the positive policy of the Democratic party" has given the people of the West their greatest prosperity in history.

"In the last 20 years," Harriman said in a prepared address, "the Western states have really come into their own—despite the stubborn opposition of old guard Republicans in the East who have fought development of the West every step of the way."

Harriman's Phoenix program included, besides his outdoor speech, a news conference and meetings with Democratic leaders and delegates to the party's presidential-nominating convention.

Harriman, who is Mutual Security administrator, said an expanded economy at home is dependent on an expanded economy abroad.

He added: "To keep the free nations of the world prosperous and strong, we must go forward with our Mutual Security program. We must not permit this program, which is paying dividends to the American people in protecting them from aggressive Communism, to be sabotaged by the shortsighted men in Congress."

Harriman said, "one wing of the Republican party offers disaster through defeatism in Europe and belligerency in Asia. The other wing of the Republican party offers disaster through a failure to realize that a national policy cannot be sustained except by maintaining a progressive policy at home."

More Hot, Humid Weather Expected

By The Associated Press.
More hot and humid weather was the outlook Wednesday for most of the southern half of the country. But some cooling was in prospect for most of the Midwest, and Eastern and Far Western states.

Showers and thunderstorms, with strong winds from 30 to 40 miles an hour, spread from the Dakotas eastward to Minnesota and Western Wisconsin early Wednesday. Showers were forecast for most of the North Central region.

The cooler air over the Great Lakes Region and New England spread southward along the Atlantic Coast as far south as Washington. It also was on the cool side from the Northern Rockies to the Pacific Coast. Elsewhere temperatures were around normal levels. There were showers along the Oregon and Northern California Coast.

Three Generals Are Promoted In Korea

TOKYO, June 11 (U.P.)—Three U. S. major generals in Korea today were promoted to lieutenant general—the rank called for by their present commands.

They are Glen O. Barcus, commander of the Fifth Air Force; Williston B. Palmer, commander of the 10th Corps, and Willard B. Wyman, commander of the Ninth Corps.

Population Noted

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Red Police Tighten Forces For Security

FRANKFURT, Germany, June 11 (U.P.)—Jack-booted Communist VOPOS (People's Police), apparently under orders to shoot first and ask questions later, tightened Red security crews all along the Iron Curtain in Germany from the Baltic to Bavaria today.

What was once a stream of refugees from the East Zone dwindled

to a mere trickle. West German police said the whole border area seemed deserted, except for prowling patrols of the Communist Volkspolizei and their watchdogs.

Bavarian police said they have been notified they can claim the body of a West German farmer shot and killed Monday night by the East police.

West German authorities grappled with the problem of feeding and housing refugees who made the last big run to freedom before the Red security belt was laid down.

In East Germany, the Communists stepped up their militaristic gestures aimed at whipping up sentiment against West Germany's association with the defense of Europe.

In West Berlin, an island deep in the Soviet Zone, new developments included the kidnapping of three West Berliners by a Russian-led police patrol which invaded the British Sector.

Last night in Berlin, the Soviet commander for East Germany, Gen. Vasily Chuikov, brusquely rejected an Allied protest against his ban on Allied military patrols from the superhighway between Berlin and West Germany.

Russian troops again turned back patrols today.

Chapman May Ask To Lease Offshore Land

WASHINGTON (U.P.)—Secretary of the Interior Chapman has indicated he may ask President Truman for permission to lease oil and gas deposits in offshore lands.

Chapman said yesterday he apparently has such power under the Federal Surplus Property Act, provided the President amends a 1949 executive order. This order placed submerged lands under administration of the Interior Department pending enactment of legislation dealing with them.

Truman recently vetoed a bill passed by Congress to give the states control over oil-rich offshore lands. The veto may be overridden in the House but the outcome is uncertain in the Senate.

Chapman made his comments in letters to Sen. O'Mahoney (D-Wyo.) and Sen. Holland (D-Fla.). The secretary said he is exploring every possibility of bringing the submerged lands into oil production in support of the defense effort.

Chapman said the controversy over whether the federal or state governments control the lands has delayed development of areas in the Gulf of Mexico. On the other hand, California offshore lands had considerable development before the federal suit seeking title to the areas, Chapman added.

Holland had criticized Chapman in a Senate speech for going ahead with oil and gas leases in the offshore lands. Congress alone has the power to dispose of and regulate these lands, Holland said.

Two Hurt In Auto Mishaps

COLORADO CITY—Two, one-car accidents—only minutes apart—sent two persons to the hospital in Colorado City Tuesday during the noon hour.

Mrs. Alvin G. Gelger, driving along a country lane toward Lake Colorado City, lost control of her automobile and struck a hackberry tree. She was taken to the hospital by Luther Harrison, a passerby. She was being treated for a slight concussion. The accident occurred at 12:45 p.m. five miles northwest of Colorado City.

At 12:47 a.m. Robert P. Grogan, Weatherford stock farmer, lost control of his 1951 Chevrolet as he dropped off the pavement on the north shoulder of US 80, 17 miles west of Colorado City. The car swerved across the road and struck a railway embankment, flipped over the rails, and came to rest against a telephone pole, according to Dub Lieb, ambulance driver.

Grogan and a passenger, Edna White of Mineral Wells, were rushed to the Root Memorial Hospital in a Kiker and Son ambulance, where Miss White was given emergency treatment and released and Grogan was treated for bruises and lacerations. Neither was seriously injured.

Moral Re-Armament Assembly Is Over

MACKINAC ISLAND, Mich. (U.P.)—Delegates to the world assembly for Moral Re-Armament (MRA) ended their 12-day meeting yesterday and prepared to carry their doctrines to the far corners of the earth.

The assembly drew 1,379 delegates from 34 countries to the Grand Hotel on this swank resort island.

A panel on air line labor relations and the effect of moral rearmament on them featured the final day's session. John Halliburton, operations manager of Eastern Airlines, said the result has been "little short of miraculous."

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Methodists Study Budget Proposal

HOUSTON, June 11 (U.P.)—A four-year budget which will total some four million dollars is in the mill for approval by the Texas Methodist Conference before it adjourns Friday.

Delegates will probably get the record-breaking budget tomorrow. They considered today a four-year request for improvements at Lakeview Assembly, near Palestine, which is expected to run \$500,000 over that period. The money would go for expansion of facilities at the camp site.

Hubert Johnson, director of the Methodist Children's Home, Waco, reported yesterday that the Texas Conference has contributed \$100,000 to the home in the past year.

Ordination services will be held tonight for 62 young ministers.

Indians Fear They Will Lose Ballot

DURANT, Okla., June 11 (U.P.)—The principal chief of the Choctaws, Harry J. W. Belvin of Durant said yesterday he feared the tribe might "lose one of its precious heritages—the right to cast a ballot at a free election."

Belvin referred to a report that the U. S. Bureau of Indian Affairs may not call for a nominating vote for the principal chief.

Actual appointment of the principal chief is made by the President of the United States from the tribe's recommendations through the referendum.

Belvin's four years as chief expire Aug. 15. A dozen tribesmen are believed aspiring for the post.

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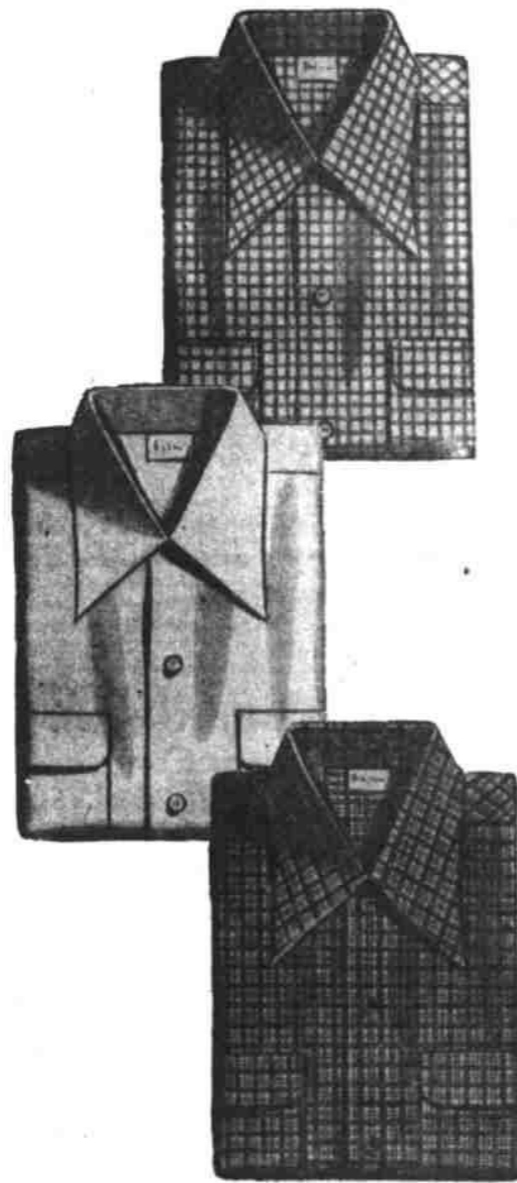
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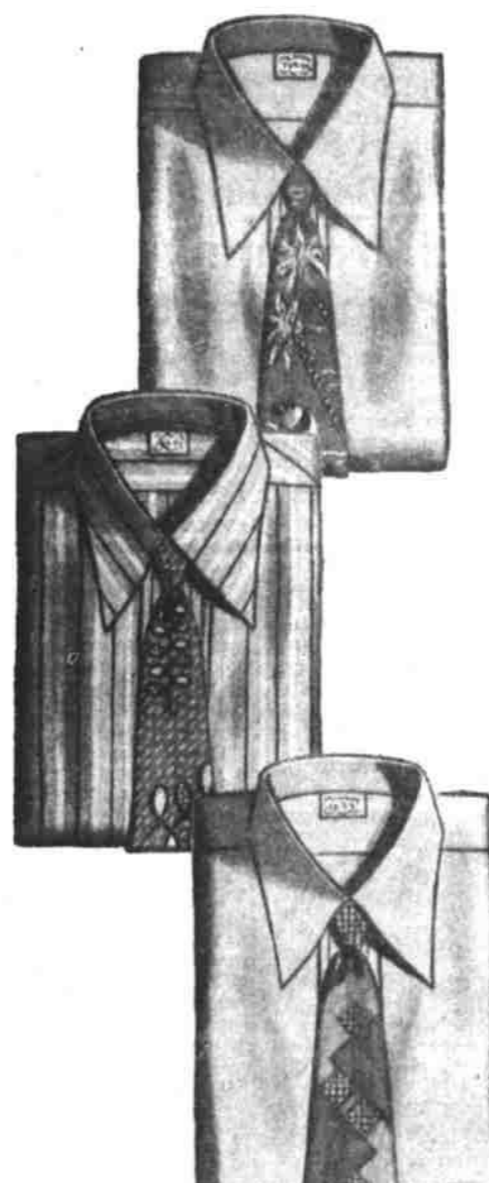
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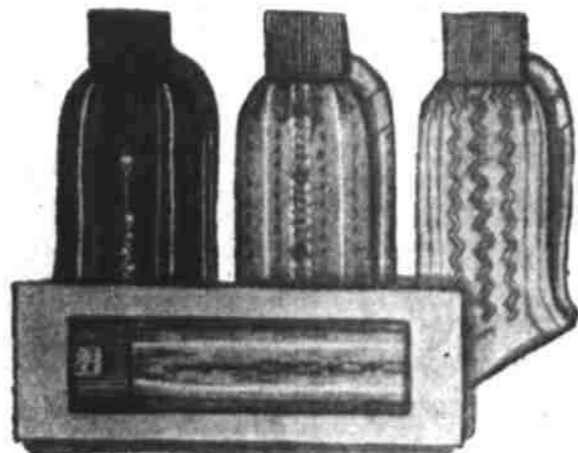
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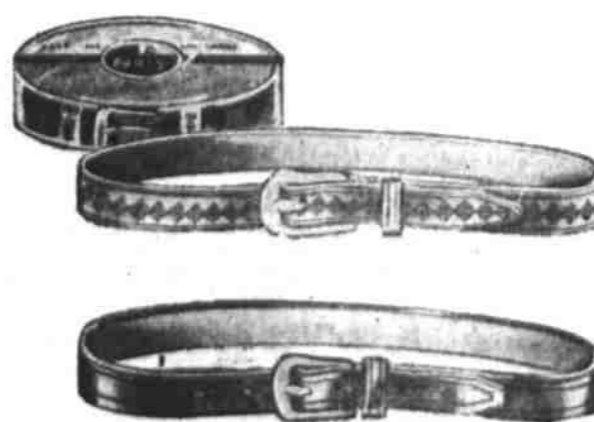
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Martin County Politics Begins To Warm Up As 22 Seek Offices

STANTON, (SC)—County politics is rapidly becoming the chief topic of conversation in this county, stirring up as much comment as the drought, with 22 candidates seeking the Democratic nominations for eight county offices.

Only two of the candidates are without opposition. They are Pauline Cook, candidate for county treasurer, and I. E. Welch, candidate for re-election as county commissioner in Precinct No. 3.

Most of the sidewalk comment just now is centering around the fact that on May 27, it was suddenly discovered by his opponents that Ed Robnett, president of the Stanton School Board and president-elect of the Stanton Lions Club, was a qualified candidate for county judge against James McMorris, incumbent, and Ed Haynes, who had announced earlier.

Robnett said yesterday that he qualified as a candidate before the May 5th deadline with Morgan Hall, Democratic county chairman, but that since he didn't then want to immediately enter in upon an active campaign, he didn't publicly announce his candidacy. Hall confirmed his statement.

McMorris said that he and Haynes thought they were running against each other until Robnett filed an expense account on May 27. This was the first official word he had that Robnett was in the race, he said.

Immediately after the statement was filed a rumor was started that Robnett did not intend to run the race out, but would withdraw.

Yesterday Robnett, who was a vocational agriculture teacher in the Big Spring School for a year, said: "I have never had any intention of withdrawing. From the day I made up my mind about filing as a candidate I have never had any idea but that I would run the race out. I am in it to stay. I have a good business here in Stanton, but I am interested in schools, having been a teacher myself in the Martin County schools for two years. I enjoy working with people, and I believe I can be of service to the people of Martin County. You can

say that I have never had any idea of doing anything except to run this race out."

At present Robnett is one of the partners in the Blocker-Robnett Motor and Implement Co. He formerly operated the Stanton Agricultural Supply. He is a native of Delta County, but while a student, and before his graduation at Texas Tech he married a Martin County girl, Miss Dorlene Flangan, daughter of Mrs. Lila Flangan, and the late Webb Flangan. The Robnetts have two children, Nancy, 6, and Butch, 3. While at Tech he was an all-conference football player in 1949 and played professional football with the San Francisco '49ers.

"My declaration as candidate was filed with the county chairman," Robnett explains, "and was therefore a public record. I suppose nobody went to Mr. Hall and asked him to let them see the records. If they had they would have learned that I was a candidate."

There are five candidates for the Democratic nomination for sheriff. The incumbent, Kyle Shoemaker, is not a candidate for re-election, but one of his deputies, Bill Pinkston, is seeking the place. He is opposed by Noah Koonce, Dan

Saunders, George Burns and A. L. Frith.

Mrs. Nobye Hamilton, candidate to succeed herself as county and district clerk, has one opponent, Mrs. Doris Stephenson.

Ralph Caton has announced as a candidate for county attorney against Tom Adams, who now holds that post.

In Precinct No. 1 Over Vaughn, county commissioner, is being opposed by Melvin Graves. In Precinct No. 2, Ed Bloomer, who seeks re-election as commissioner, has two opponents, Mike Anderson and Stanley Lewis, and in Precinct No. 4 Joe Froman, the present commissioner who is asking another term, has drawn Melvyn Brown and Conrad F. Stokes for opposition.



Fire Sweeps Warehouse

Firemen pour water into a six story warehouse enveloped in smoke during a four alarm fire at India Wharf in Boston. The warehouse housed fire equipment companies. In right background may be seen the Custom House tower. (AP Wirephoto).

Texas Congressmen Against Seizures

WASHINGTON, June 11 (AP)—Most Texans in Congress spoke out against giving President Truman power to seize the strike-bound steel industry even before the Senate voted down his proposal yesterday.

Sens. Tom Connally and Lyndon Johnson split on both Senate roll calls, however.

Connally voted for and Johnson against an amendment to the controls law designed to give the President temporary seizure powers. Johnson voted for and Connally against the amendment which was adopted requesting Truman to invoke the Taft-Hartley Act immediately.

None of the House members who could be reached was wholeheartedly behind the President.

Comments included: Rep. Ken Regan—"I think the President, instead of making a political speech, should have gone ahead and used the Taft-Hartley law."

Rep. Tom Pickett—"The President is as arrogant in his demand that we legislatively ratify at this late date his seizure action of April 8 as he was in flaunting sound constitutional principles when he seized the industry. Let him use the laws Congress has already passed."

Rep. George Mahon—"I'm not in favor at this time of passing seizure legislation. You never know when industry which has been taken over by government will be restored to its private owners. The President should further explore the possible use of the Taft-Hartley law."

Rep. Olin Teague—"We've got to have steel, but I don't know if steel seizure legislation is the answer."

Rep. J. Frank Wilson—"The President is always recommending that we pass another law or create another bureau. He's had the Taft-Hartley law which is thoroughly reasonable and workable and will serve the purpose. I see no reason to give him any new authority until he has exhausted that already given him. The Taft-Hartley law should be strengthened to abolish industry-wide bargaining and provide that the President must use it when a strike occurs which threatens the national defense."

Rep. Omar Burleson—"I'm not willing to turn over operation of the steel industry to the executive

branch of the government. Much more than steel is involved.

"I would be willing only to vote for a short-cut in the procedure so the President could obtain an injunction blocking the strike for 90 days under the Taft-Hartley law without setting up a special board to review the situation."

Rep. Wingate Lucas—"The President got us into a hell of a hole and now wants us to get the country out of it."

Rep. Wright Patman—"I favor doing whatever is the most effective way to get steel production going again at the earliest possible minute. We should consider all possible means of achieving this end and take action after thorough consideration of all phases of the problem."

Rep. Walter Rogers—"I think we should pass legislation setting up procedure to place such controversies in the hands of the courts. A person could be appointed by the courts, somewhat like a receiver in a bankruptcy case, to study all sides and make recommendations for court action which would be binding on all parties involved."

Rep. J. M. Combs—"I would support seizure legislation only if it kept steel mills going and at the same time fully protected the interest of management and labor alike."

Rep. Clark Thompson—"I think we should consider the problem with an open mind and thoroughly examine all angles before taking action."

Rep. John Lyle—"The seizure would not be consistent with the best interests of the country. I will vote for legislation to prevent nationwide strikes regarding the national defense industries."

Navy Test Pilot Killed When Jet Crashes In Lake

DALLAS, June 11 (AP)—A Navy test pilot was killed in the crash of a jet fighter plane into a lake at the Dallas Naval Air Station yesterday.

Lt. Comdr. B. F. Hendrickson, attached to the Naval Air Test Center at Patuxent River, Md., was taking off in a F7U-3 twin-jet Cutlass.

The plane bounced down the runway and dived into Mountain Creek Lake.

Hendrickson is survived by his widow and four children of Patuxent and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hendrickson of McCamey, Tex.

The body was recovered by a fisherman.

The 29-year-old flier had arrived here Monday.

His sister, Mrs. Tom Warren of Abilene, arrived in Dallas Monday night and met him. Yesterday his parents arrived and talked to him by telephone. But they never got to see him. A little over an hour later he was dead.

PLAN IS MIXED

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—The government has directed the Philadelphia Phillies to drop a plan to sell all star game tickets only at special windows in Shibe Park.

Stanton's Polio Victims Improved

STANTON, (SC)—The conditions of Stanton's only two polio victims of the year, have been reported as greatly improved and encouraging, but neither patient is considered to be wholly out of danger yet.

The two are Nancy Robnett, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Robnett, who is in a Midland hospital, and Jimmy Hamilton, president of the fifth grade in the Stanton schools, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hamilton. He is a patient in the Polio Center at Plainview.

Both children were stricken early last week. Their illnesses caused the city wide clean up campaign to be launched earlier than had been originally planned.

Cooking School Set At Stanton

STANTON, (SC)—A special electric free cooking school will be held at the Texas Theatre here between 9 and 11 a.m. Thursday, and the public is invited.

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Work Despite Handicap

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Handicapped Workers Do Top-Flight Job At Webb

Physically handicapped workers have proved they can perform their duties as well, if not better, than unimpaired personnel in the same fields of endeavor.

The Air Force first utilized the talents of handicapped persons extensively in World War II when a critical manpower shortage created a tight labor market.

When the pool of qualified personnel returned to a more normal status in the post war years, the Air Force continued to make every effort in placing qualified though physically handicapped workers in gainful employment.

In a recent check at Webb Air Force Base, it was discovered that of the 411 civilian workers employed there, 75 have definite physical handicaps. Handicapped workers represent 18.2 per cent of civilian personnel at the West Texas center, a much higher ratio than at other bases in the Air Training Command.

The list of physically handicapped includes 22 disabled veterans. Five amputees perform regular every day duties at Webb, according to W. A. Farrow, Civilian Personnel director. Two of these, Donald Davies and Cecil L. Fannin, are disabled vets. Davies works in the Air Installations section, while

Says Ingrid Bergman Daughter Does Not Want To See Mother

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Ingrid Bergman's 13-year-old daughter, Jenny Ann, doesn't want to visit her in Italy this summer, says a psychiatrist who examined the child.

The psychiatrist, Dr. Charles O. Sturdevant, testified yesterday at the trial of Miss Bergman's suit for summer custody of the child. The suit is opposed by the father, Dr. Peter Lindstrom, who divorced Miss Bergman after she bore a child out of wedlock to Italian movie director Roberto Rossellini.

Keyserling Blasts Foreign Aid Critics

BALTIMORE (AP)—The President's top economic adviser said last night that some of the most vocal critics of defense spending and foreign aid are really a new type of isolationist.

Leon Keyserling, chairman of the President's Council of Economic Advisers, said in a speech the new kind is "more dangerous and much more skillful" than the old.

Their line, said Keyserling, is that the tax burden could be lightened if the government cut its defense aid to foreign countries.

Defenses Tested

NAPLES, June 11 (AP)—Warships of five NATO nations—France, Greece, Italy, Britain and the United States—at midnight unleashed the biggest test of Island Malta's defenses since World War II.

Red Leaders In California Won't Contest

LOS ANGELES (AP)—In a surprise move, 19 of 4 California Communist leaders being tried on conspiracy charges have declined to contest the government's case against them.

All the defendants are charged with conspiring to teach and advocate overthrow of the U.S. government by force and violence.

The action came yesterday after Federal Judge William C. Mathes denied a defense motion for a directed verdict of acquittal.

A statement, issued by all the defendants, said in part:

"The 14 defendants consider themselves equally innocent of the charges. The only difference between the 10 who have rested and the four who have not is there is not even a shadow of evidence against the 10—in fact, no evidence, at all beyond that of membership in the Communist party."

The 10 who declined to testify or present evidence in their own behalf are: Philip M. Conely and his wife, Dorothy; Ernest Otto Fox, Carl Lamber, Ben Dobbs, Henry Steinberg, Albert Lima, Rose Kusnitz, Al Richmond and Frank Spector.

The other four are William Schneiderman, reputed national head of the party after its leaders were convicted in a New York trial; Oleta Yates, Loretta Stack and Frank Carlsson.

"These four defendants," the defense statement said, "desire a chance to refute (prosecution witness) fabrications, as well as to spike the libels and slanders against the Communist party that have poured forth from the parade of prosecution informers. That is why they will present a full dress defense."

Trial of the 14, generally known as the Communists' "second string" since the New York trial, began Feb. 10.

Plan To Prosecute Gen. Clark's Critic

MONTEREY, Calif. (AP)—The Army is going to prosecute a veteran sergeant who wrote Gen. Mark Clark that his handling of a Koje war prison camp incident was "repugnant and disgraceful."

Sgt. C. Dean Chase, 34, Salt Lake City, was charged yesterday with disrespect to a superior officer and ordered court martial. Maximum penalty if convicted is six months in prison and a bad conduct discharge.

Chase commented "I knew exactly what I was doing" but expected only a reprimand from Clark.

The general instead sent Chase's letter to Sixth Army headquarters

Hired Hands Work Less Than Farm Boss

WASHINGTON (AP)—The hired man on the farm works about two hours less each day than his farmer boss.

The Agriculture Department reporting this today, said hired hands average 9 1/2 hours work a day.

Farm employment continues to decline, the department said, reflecting loss of workers to the armed forces and to urban industries as well as a rise in the use of machinery and labor saving practices.

The department said farm employment totals 10,863,000 a decrease of 150,000 from a year ago.

In San Francisco, for "appropriate action."

Specifically, Chase criticized Clark for repudiating promises made by Brig. Gen. (now Col.) Charles Colson, then Koje commander, to win the release of Brig. Gen. (now Col.) Francis Dodd, held hostage 78 hours by Communist prisoners of war on Koje Island, Korea, Clark, Far East commander, labeled Colson's promises "blackmail" extorted by the Reds.

Chase made his letter public. He wrote in part:

"When an officer in the military service proclaims himself God and inveighs an amoral privilege of renegeing on the sworn word of someone else, the state of the union and the state of the world is indeed precarious.

"You must already know to what I refer: Koje."

Crosby TV Debut Is Set; To Appear With Hope For Charity

NEW YORK (AP)—Crooner Bing Crosby will make his television debut on Saturday, June 21, with comedian Bob Hope in a marathon fund-raising appearance for the American Olympic Committee.

The Columbia Broadcasting System announced yesterday that it and the National Broadcasting Company would offer the 1 1/2-hour program on their national networks starting at 10 p.m. (EST).

Public Views Surgery On TV

CHICAGO (AP)—Major surgery on a human patient—heretofore televised nationally only for doctors—was viewed for the first time by laymen on a national network last night.

The program—part of an operation on a 60-year-old man—was telecast over a 40-station network of the National Broadcasting Company.

The telecast was in connection with the annual meeting here of the American Medical Association and was sponsored by the Smith, Kline and French Laboratories of Philadelphia.

The operation for removal of most of the unidentified patient's ulcer-damaged stomach was on the program for about six minutes. Video viewers saw surgeons begin sewing up the incision over the patient's stomach. The purpose was to show the manipulation of clamps thread and needles used by the doctors.

Novelist Succumbs

NEW YORK (AP)—Mrs. Katharine Brush, 49, novelist and short story writer, died yesterday at St. Luke's Hospital after an illness of several months.

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Grandfather, Age 65, Is A Phi Beta Kappa

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Col. Desmond K. Laub, 65, veteran of two wars and a grandfather, made Phi Beta Kappa today.

Laub, who enrolled at the University of Southern California under the G.I. bill of rights after he tired of retirement, is due to graduate Saturday after only three years of study.

He was a newspaperman for 25 years, chiefly with the Detroit News, and a publicist for five years. He was an intelligence officer in World War II.

"I think more men and women my age ought to go to college," Laub said. "It will keep them young."

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Dick Foran Sued For A Divorce

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Cowboy actor Dick Foran has been sued for divorce by Susanne Rosser Foran, 28, his third wife. She is a former actress.

She alleged in her suit yesterday that Foran, 42, a former Princeton football player, forced her out of their Van Nuys home last Monday without allowing her to take her clothing or other belongings. She said he had threatened to disfigure her and take her life.

Mrs. Foran asked \$750 monthly alimony and estimated Foran's worth at \$250,000 and his income at more than \$50,000 a year.

Patrice Munsel Weds

MANHASSET, N.Y. (AP)—Metropolitan opera star Patrice Munsel, 26, and television director Robert Charles Carroll Schuler, 31, were married here yesterday at St. Mary's Catholic Church. The wedding was the first for each.

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Homes In Area Near Airport Due Scrutiny By VA Before Loans

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Veterans Administration has decided to be wary in approving home loans for veterans within four miles of an airport.

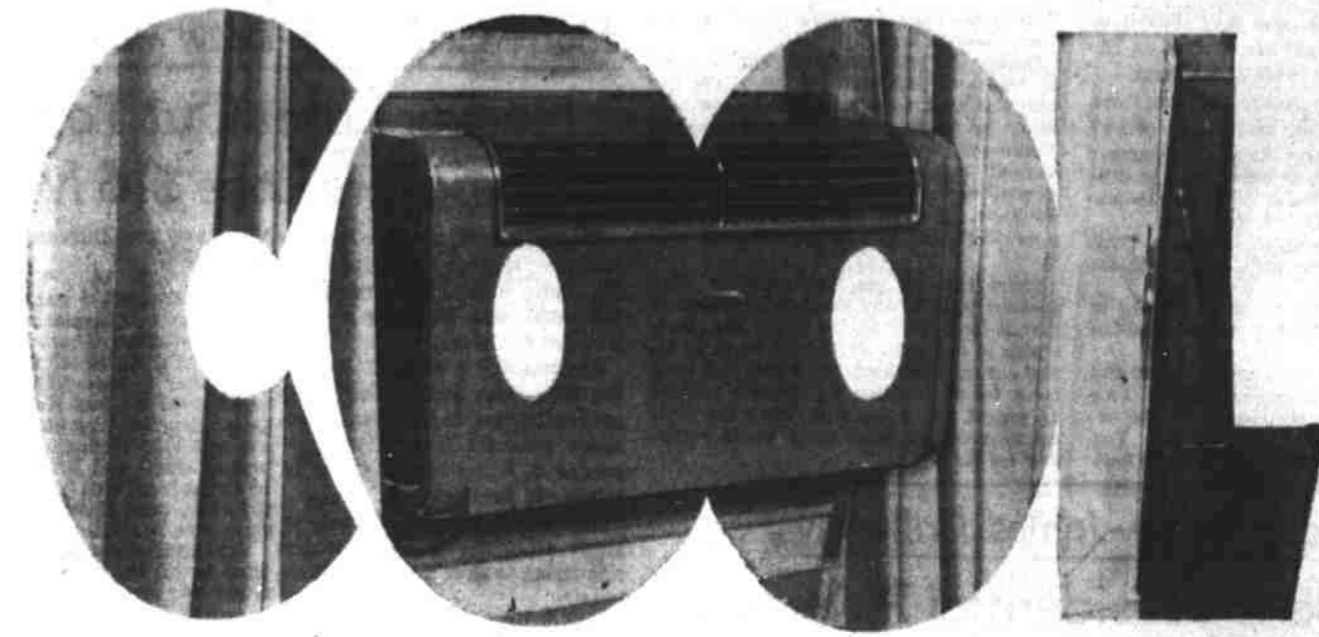
The final decision will be up to headquarters in Washington, the VA said in directing its field offices yesterday to forward all pertinent data on such loan applications.

A VA spokesman said a series of crashes near the Newark, N.J., Airport had brought a fall in land and home values near airports throughout the nation.

The spokesman indicated that funneling of all such applications was merely a temporary measure while a national policy is being devised.

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DARLING, SOMETIMES I WORRY ABOUT YOU—YOUR JOB—THE DANGER.

WHAT DANGER?

WOMEN, FOR EXAMPLE... LIKE THAT MISS BASKINTE. THEY ALWAYS LIKE YOU.

OH, BOSM! SHE MEANT NOTHING TO ME, CHRIS.

BUT YOU WANT SOMETHING TO HER, AND THERE'LL BE OTHERS—DOZENS!

HAVEN'T YOU COURSED ON YET MY BUSY GOOSE? THERE'S ONLY ONE WOMAN IN THIS WORLD FOR ME.

DICKIE DARE

WHERE IS THAT GIRL? BREATH'S USED UP—

GASP—DIDN'T FIND HER—

A SPONGE—FISHING BOAT IN SIGHT, DAN

SHE'S COMING OUR WAY—BECAUSE I HOISTED THE FLAG, UPSIDE DOWN!

SMART THINKING, KID—MEANS I CAN BORROW A SUIT

AND DIVE TO THE BOTTOM OF THIS MYSTERY

NANCY

THESE FLIES ARE AWFUL

LET'S GO INTO MY HOUSE

DO YOU HAVE ANY SCREENS?

NO—

I DON'T NEED 'EM

MEAD'S fine BREAD

LIL' ABNER

AH HAD A HEART-A-KINDA BIZ ONE-LIKE SLOPPY AN' OLD ONE!

IS Y-YO' DISAP-POINTED IN ME P?

WE DONE HURT Y' LIZ FEELIN'S—WAL—NO IS SOMEWHAT MORE EN EXPECTED—BUT WE IS YORE LEGAL PARENTS AN' WE'LL RAISE YO' T'BE A FINE YOUNG MAN!

Y' JEST RUN ALONGS, AN' FIND YORESELF A PLAYMATE

MEANWHILE, WE BETTER RETURN HIS TOYS AN' GIT HIM A SHAVIN' KIT!

WAL, SON! DID YO' FIND YORESELF A FRUITFUL PLAYMATE?

SHO' NUFF! TH' FORMER WIDDER MEET YORE GRAY PAPPY CHILLIN'!

WE DONE GOT MARRIED!

BLONDIE

OH, YES, COOKIE'S A WONDERFUL LITTLE HOUSEKEEPER, MRS. GERTZEL

LAST WEEK SHE BAKED A PIE AND SHE SEWS NICELY TOO

DID YOU HEAR THAT, PLANKTON?

MAMA

PAPA'S TRYING TO MARRY ME OFF ALREADY

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ANNIE ROONEY

ANNIE'S DREAM OF FINDING HER HOME AND PARENTS WAS JUST A CHILD'S DREAM AND DOES NOT ALTER MY PLAN TO ADOPT HER AS MY OWN LITTLE DAUGHTER—

I CANNOT AGREE WITH YOU

ANY PSYCHOLOGIST WILL TELL YOU DREAMS ARE DEFINITE INDICATIONS OF OUR HOPES AND DESIRES—THE CHILD LONGS FOR A REAL MOTHER—AND A SCRAP OF LEGAL PAPER WILL NEVER—

BOSH! DREAMS ARE A DIME A DOZEN—IF I DREAM I AM AN ALLIGATOR, IT DOESN'T MEAN I'LL WAKE UP AS A TRAVELING BAG—

MY MIND IS MADE UP—

THE CHILD NEEDS SOMEONE TO LOVE AND PROTECT HER UNTIL SHE IS OLD ENOUGH TO PLAN HER OWN FUTURE—AND—

WELL, I WARN YOU—YOU ARE MAKING A GREAT MISTAKE—

SNUFFY SMITH

I SWOW JEDGE! THAT WUZ TH' GOODEST DECISION I EVER HEERED IN ALL MY BORNED DAYS

THANKY SHUFFY!! BUT AN' BUBBLES WUZ BOTH TIED FER MAYOR—I DONE MY DUTY FAIR AN' AN' SQUARE

AUNT LOWEEZY!! YE'LL LAFF YORESE'F BLUE IN TH' FACE WHEN I TELL YE TH' BODACIOUS NEWS!!

SUT TATTERSALL IS TH' NIGHT MAYOR OF HOOTIN' HOLLER

HE NEVER WUZ NOTHIN' ELSE

GRANDMA

MY LAND, THAT LITTLE BABY CHICK I'M KEEPING FOR JUNIOR SURELY IS NOISY!

CHEEP!! CHEEP!! CHEEP!!

GEE, WHAT'S TH' MATTER, YOUNGSTER?

CHEEP!! CHEEP!! CHEEP!!

HECK, BETCHA TH' POOR LITTLE FELLER IS JUST LONESOME!

HERE'S A COUPLE O' YOUR DISTANT COUSINS T' KEEP YOU COMPANY, BUSTER!

SCORCHY SMITH

ASTAR PIRATE YOU SAH! ARREST HIM AT ONCE!! WHERE'D HE COME FROM?

HELP! HURRY! HULL US BACK!!

I GOT 'EM! GIVE 'EM THE OMNIBLAST!

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OF LEMBA! DOOSH-H!

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HAI! ALREADY! FAST WORK, YOUR MAJESTY!

AMAZING!

TUSH! IT'S NOTHING! A KING HAS TO THINK ON HIS THRONE!

WHAT IS YOUR PLAN, YOUR MAJESTY?

IT CAME TO ME LIKE A FLASH!...

I'LL SEND OAKY DOAKS!

POGO

OH, IT'S BUSY BUSY! MAN'S BEST FRIEND IS INDEFATIGABLE AND UNSWERVING IN HIS PASSIONATE REGARD FOR THE CALL OF DUTY.

I SAY, WITH POGO A CANDIDATE, MAN'S BEST FRIEND, THE DOG, IS TIRELESS AND SELF-EFFACING IN HIS PASSIONATE REGARD FOR THE CALL OF DUTY.

YES, (I THOUGHT YOU WEREN'T LISTENING) AND, AS AN OLD HEART OF OAK, I KNOW THE MEANING OF DILECTION!

THAT'S IT! THANKS, MATE

THE RHYME FOR MY CAMPAIGN SONG: "OH, THE MEANING OF DILECTION IN THE SEASON OF ELECTION IS THE REASON FOR AFECTION THAT IS PLEASIN' TO THE... THE... THE... WHAT ELSE RHYMES WITH 'HEKCAN'?"

DONALD DUCK

GUESS WHAT, DONALD? I'VE JOINED THE SPINGERS DO-GOOD CLUB! IT DOES MENDING FOR DESERVING BACHELORS!

SO YOU AND THE BOYS BRING OVER EVERYTHING YOU HAVE THAT NEEDS MENDING!

THAT'S KEEN! WE SURE WILL... RIGHT AWAY, DAD!

R-R-RING... R-RING... R-RING!

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"But, Officer, she signaled she was gonna make a LEFT turn an' then DID!"

Crossword Puzzle

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Greenland
4. Beneficial
8. Lurch
12. Feminine
15. Poker term
17. Golf mound
19. Encountered
20. Family broken
21. Soft grain
22. Blossom
23. Every one
24. Bluff
25. About
26. Sun god
27. Transform
28. Metric land measure
29. Praise

DOWN
1. Unity
2. Mineral spring
3. Those who walk in water
5. Hair
6. Hiccup
7. Wipeout
8. Withdraw
9. Out of the way
10. Portion of a curve
11. Cast side-long glance
12. Expression of disgust
13. Hint of force
14. Remain
16. Beat
18. Famous golfer
20. Mining chisel
21. Along

1. County in New Mexico
2. State whose flower is the peach blossom
3. Dress
4. Slagger
5. One of an ancient race
6. Representative
7. Tactful
8. Female horse
9. Genus of Old World evergreen trees
10. Swamp
11. Fastened with metal cement
12. Back of the neck
13. Animal allied to the raccoon
14. Persistence
15. Short sudden quick pull
16. Throughfare
17. Adversary
18. Water excursions
19. Enfold
20. Queen of the gods
21. About
22. Combined
23. Meadow
24. Uninteresting
25. An insect point

GRIN AND BEAR IT

"I'm afraid Mr. Snodgrass will be tied up for a few months... he's busy negotiating a new labor contract..."

