

Evatt Named U.N. Assembly Head At Paris

PARIS, Sept. 21. (AP)—The United Nations Assembly convened today for the first time on the European continent and named Australian Herbert B. Evatt to guide the session along a course beset by tension.

With the East-West cold war and the imminence of renewed shooting war in Palestine as an ominous backdrop, the 58 nations were urged by their temporary president, Juan A. Bramuglia of Argentina, to banish force from the world.

Marshall Backs Bernadotte's Peace Proposal

PARIS, Sept. 21. (AP)—Secretary of State Marshall today urged United Nations adoption of the report of the late Count Folke Bernadotte as "a generally fair basis for settlement of the Palestine question."

"My government is of the opinion that the conclusions are sound and strongly urges the parties and the General Assembly to accept them in their entirety as the best possible basis for bringing peace to a distracted land," Marshall said in a written statement.

Marshall said the assassinated Bernadotte worked for a solution of the Palestine question "energetically, courageously and with a spirit of complete fairness."

He gave his life to this effort," Marshall said. Arab resentment is rising over Bernadotte's last report to the United Nations, in which he declared that Israel as a state is "a living, solidly entrenched and vigorous reality."

The report said there were no sound reasons for assuming that Israel would not continue to exist as a state. It proposed that the boundaries be fixed finally either by formal agreement between the Jews and the Arab nations or by the United Nations.

If the task should fall to the United Nations, Bernadotte had proposed that Western Galilee be given to the Jewish state and that the southern Negev area be given to the Arabs, a reversal of one phase of the original partition plan.

The Arab proposal for a unitary Arab state in all Palestine was "unrealistic" in the light of developments in the Holy Land, Bernadotte's report said.

Warren Warming To Task At Hand

EN ROUTE WITH WARREN TO ST. LOUIS, Sept. 21. (AP)—Gov. Earl Warren invaded President Truman's home state of Missouri today amid indications that the Warren campaign axe was about to swing with increased vigor on democratic party leadership.

A whooping audience in Tulsa, Okla., last night heard the Republican vice presidential candidate take his first full-fledged swipe at the President.

Talking at Tulsa Coliseum, the Californian lambasted Mr. Truman for "intemperance" and "belligerent threats," and charged they proved only the incumbent administration had become a "shambles."

Warren took Mr. Truman to task for his campaign-opening remark, "I am going to give them hell."

Gas And Oil Official Succumbs In Boston

AMARILLO, Sept. 21. (AP)—Ralph E. Wertz, 71, former president of the Amarillo Gas Co., Amarillo Oil Co. and West Texas Gas Co., died Monday in Boston, Mass.

He was board chairman of the West Texas Gas Co. at the time of his death.



BOTTLE FATIGUE — These three cocker spaniel puppies, left motherless by a dog poisoner, catch a nap between sips from milk bottles. The pup at right, waking, reaches for the bottle. They're owned by Mrs. Marie Michael of Spokane, Wash.



A NEW COLLEGE PRESIDENT REPORTS FOR WORK — Harold E. Stassen, former Minnesota governor, pauses on the steps of College Hall in Philadelphia, as he reported for duties as the new president of the University of Pennsylvania. (AP Wirephoto).

Dewey Pledges Land, Water Development

ENROUTE TO DENVER WITH DEWEY, Sept. 21. (AP)—Western water and land development was pledged today by Governor Thomas E. Dewey in answer to President Truman's charge that the Republicans plan "sabotage of the west."

Following Mr. Truman into Denver, the Republican presidential nominee prepared in his second major speech of the campaign there tonight to talk about "our land as the basic resource of our country's material strength."

The quotes were those of Paul Lockwood, the New York governor's secretary, who told reporters: "The governor will discuss the need to conserve our natural resources and to develop our country for the future. He will pledge an administration that understands our land and water problems and that will keep our country strong as it works earnestly for peace in the world."

This added up to a direct reply to Mr. Truman's assertion that if the Republicans win in November they will "try to turn back the clock to the day when the west was an economic colony of Wall St."

Republicans were visibly disappointed that rain spoiled their plans for an open air meeting in Des Moines last night when the Republican nominee called in his first formal speech of the campaign for "a foreign policy based on the belief that we can have peace."

But a howling, whistling crowd estimated at 8,000 persons gave Dewey a rousing send-off in the jammed Drake University Field House.

After his speech, the governor drove in an open car around the Drake Stadium where an overflow of several thousand persons listened to his talk over a public address system.

Yesterday he told Colorado voters the Democrats were "servants of the people" and the Republicans were "puppets of big business."

He declared at Denver that his administration had inherited "an almost impossible situation out of the war." He said he took over conditions "much more difficult to handle" than when there was wartime unity.

"It's hard to understand how we could continue to make the government run," Mr. Truman said. "But it did run. We had no riots, no bloodshed, no Ku Klux Klan. . . . We succeeded in putting 61 million people to work. We succeeded in creating the greatest national income in the history of the world."

The President agreed to follow his physician's advice in swabbing his throat after his voice, hoarse from constant campaigning, temporarily sputtered out in a rear platform talk last night.

Arabs Reject Plan

CAIRO, Sept. 21. (AP)—The newspaper Al Misri today quoted Abdel Rahman Azzam Pasha as saying the Arab states will reject Count Folke Bernadotte's report to the United Nations on Palestine.

No word has been received here about arrangements so friends presumed that Brown had been buried in El Centro. He had lived here for many years and worked in various capacities before going to California.

Australian government lifted price ceilings yesterday on about 30,000 items. These are some of today's reactions in Sydney:

Used cars sold at 20 per cent over the pegged prices, but at less than black market prices.

Land prices went up to twice the former fixed prices and even higher than black market prices.

Shrimps rose from a fixed price of 10 pence (16 cents) a pound to three shillings 10 pence (76 cents).

ALL IS QUIET IN ROONEY HOUSE

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 21. (AP)—Bad tonsils have silenced Mickey Rooney temporarily.

The ebullient actor was confined to his home yesterday with a throat abscess and high fever resulting, said Dr. Stanley Imerman, from neglected tonsils.

The actor was forced to cancel a benefit appearance last night. His father, Joe Yule, flew out from New York, to take his place.

Hurricane Smashes Across Key West

Storm 175 Miles South Of Miami

MIAMI, Fla., Sept. 21. (AP)—Winds of 125 miles sustained velocity and 140 miles in gusts smashed across Key West as a hurricane passed over the island city 175 miles south of Miami today.

The report of the storm's intensity was made by radio by the Navy to the weather bureau here. Communications to Key West were out.

"Hurricane very intense," the Navy stated. "Instruments blown away. Estimated winds 140 miles per hour."

Tides were inundating some of the Florida Keys, reported Weather Observer Ed Lowe at Tavernier, an island about 100 miles north of Key West.

The overseas highway was closed. A roadblock was set up at Matecumbe to halt traffic southward into the storm.

Key West was isolated except for radio communications. Winds of hurricane force were felt along the entire chain of islands which form the Florida Keys.

Anxious rescue officials readied two trains at Fort Pierce to send them at a moment's notice into the Everglades around Lake Okechobee to vacate some 2,000 persons from that rich growing area.

At Miami, 2,000 persons huddled in Red Cross shelters. The storm has enlarged and hurricane winds and strong gales now cover an area about 300 miles in diameter, the weather bureau reported.

The slow movement of the storm will keep the center over South Florida for a longer period and delay the arrival of hurricane winds somewhat, forecasters said.

The storm grew rapidly in size after crossing Cuba, said Chief Forecaster Gaby Norton.

Winds of hurricane force — 75 miles an hour and higher—will begin to sweep Miami between 4 p.m. and midnight, it was predicted.

A freakish development was reported by weather Observer Lowe at Tavernier, who said a five-minute dead calm suddenly interrupted 80-mile-an-hour winds there about 9 a.m. The wind sprang up again at about half that velocity.

Norton said the storm may have developed a secondary center 100 miles north of the true center as the storm grew.

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NO AUTHORITY?

Reds Say U. N. Cannot Deal With Berlin

BERLIN, Sept. 21. (AP)—German Communists said today the United Nations General Assembly has no authority to debate the Berlin crisis.

Obviously mirroring Moscow's views, the Communists said the blockade and allied German problems can be settled only by the four occupying powers—the United States, Britain, France and Russia.

Neues Deutschland, official newspaper of the Soviet-sponsored and Communist-controlled Socialist Unity Party, discussed reported American plans to bring the Berlin issue before the UN in Paris.

"The chief problem of our times—the German question—can only be settled by the great powers which are occupying our country," Neues Deutschland said. "It is the task of the United Nations to uphold peace and security among nations. But to construct a peace for Germany is the task only of the foreign ministers' council. So it was decided at Potsdam."

The Russian-controlled Berlin press claimed that bringing the Berlin question before the UN would result in the "torpedoing" of the prolonged big four conferences in Moscow on East-West differences.

The Russians also charged that Germans are being groomed for the role of mercenary soldiers in a future war against the Soviet Union.

Teagliche Rundschau, official publication of the Soviet military administration, said the "criminal policy" supported by Gen. Lucius D. Clay, the American military governor, "will provoke a new war."

Terrorist Groups Outlawed By Israel

TEL AVIV, Sept. 21. (AP)—Terrorist groups were outlawed today by the state of Israel.

Premier David Ben. Gurion signed a law yesterday making organized terrorism illegal. The measure, retroactive to May 15, was put into effect four days after the assassination in Jerusalem of Count Folke Bernadotte.

Another answer for filling as the case opened was that of Secretary of State Paul Brown. A restraining order obtained by Stevenson prohibited Brown, the Tarrant County election board, and all other election boards of the state from placing Johnson's name on the general election ballot.

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PRIME MINISTER — Ahmed Hilmy Pasha (above), military governor of Arab-held section of Jerusalem, has been appointed minister of the newly-formed Arab government for Palestine. (AP Wirephoto).

British Navy Is Refitting 100 Warships

LONDON, Sept. 21. (AP)—Britain considers the international situation so grave that it suspended commercial work in the royal dockyards today in order to refit about 100 warships for service.

An official navy announcement said the ships are to be made ready for duty before April. An admiralty spokesman said, however, the work can be done very quickly — perhaps within two months.

The announcement of the big naval preparedness move came soon after the government slowed down demobilization of the armed forces, stepped up recruiting of new troops, began doubling the production of jet fighter planes and started readying civilian defenses.

The overhaul and refitting of the naval vessels will involve smaller ships chiefly. The Royal Navy's big battleships, cruisers and aircraft carriers, though not all in use at any one time, are kept in a comparative state of readiness.

TESTIMONY OFFERED

Stevenson Claims Wells Box Stuffed

FORT WORTH, Sept. 21. (AP)—An attorney for Coke Stevenson told federal district court today he was prepared to present testimony that in one Jim Wells County precinct "a ballot box was stuffed and additional votes added."

He was former Gov. Dan Moody, first to appear after Judge T. Whitfield Davidson opened a hearing on an injunction suit by Stevenson seeking to keep Lyndon Johnson's name off the general election ballot as U. S. senatorial nominee.

Davidson called for a presentation of the general order of the evidence and facts pertaining to the case.

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The shifting of strategic importance from the Pacific to the Atlantic has made imperative the establishment of such a base. Vice Adm. John D. Price, deputy chief of naval operations for air, said.

Demand Grows For Placement Of Farm Hands

Demand for cotton pickers was beginning to mount in this area Tuesday as the Texas Employment Commission geared to place harvest hands in the field.

L. O. Connally, manager of the Big Spring district TEC office, said that so far farm placements in Howard, Mitchell and Scurry counties have amounted to only 700 so far. Most of these have been in Howard county.

But this week the demand curve has turned up sharply, he said. Approximately 125 were put in the fields at Colorado City Monday.

Connally said that Pasqual H. Villareal had been assigned by TEC to Colorado City and that special farm placement men would be here Wednesday, one for assignment to the labor camp in northwest Big Spring, and the other for assignment at Snyder.

In addition, Connally said Otto Havins of the Big Spring office had been put on farm placement work and that Leon Kenney and either V. G. Ashby or his replacement (Ashby is ill) would devote at least part of their time to assisting in putting harvest workers in touch with producers. Connally will give part of his time to field placement work.

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### Methodists Plan For Crusade Event Today

Part of the First Methodist church of Big Spring and its mem-

#### Woman's Auxiliary To Attend Meeting

Members of St. Mary's Episcopal Women's Auxiliary will attend the regional auxiliary meeting in Midland, Oct. 6, according to plans made Monday evening.

On Monday, Sept. 27, the group will bring clothing to prepare a box for sending to Japan.

Attending were Mrs. Oble Bristow, Mrs. John Hodges, Mrs. B. O. Jones, Mrs. Jack Warfield, Mrs. Lee Hanson, Mrs. Helen Sanders, Mrs. T. C. Thomas, Mrs. D. M. McKinney and Mrs. Shine Phillips.

#### Philathea Class To Have Silver Coffee Thursday

The Philathea Class of the First Methodist church will hold a silver coffee from 9:30 to 11 a. m. Thursday at the home of Mrs. C. L. Rowe, 1300 Johnson.

Members and friends are invited to attend.

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#### October Wedding Date

### Informal Tea Monday Evening Discloses Meador-Smith Betrothal

An informal tea Monday evening in the Rupert Jennings, home served to announce the engagement of Miss Ann Meador, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Meador, to Gene Smith, son of Mrs. Lois O'Barr Smith of Forsan.

Green match folders opened to disclose the betrothal. Miss Meador and Smith are to be married on Oct. 15, in informal rites at the First Methodist church. The ceremony will be solemnized by the Rev. Alsie Carleton.

A green and white color scheme featured an arrangement of white gladioli, astors and baby mums interspersed with greenery for the tea table. Appointments were in crystal and green candles in matching candelabra stood at either side of the bouquet.

At the refreshment table were Evva Smith, Jean Meador and Jeanne Slaughter. Jean Cornelison registered guests.

The entertaining rooms were decorated with bouquets of cut garden flowers. Composing the houseparty were Mrs. Howard Stevens, Mrs. N. R. Smith, Mrs. Cecil Nabors, Mrs. Albert Smith and Mrs. Al. E. Meador.

The bride-to-be, attired in a scarlet frock and wearing a white carnation corsage, received guests with her mother, Mrs. A. D. Meador, the future bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Lois O'Barr Smith; and Mrs. Jennings.

Receiving hours were 7 to 9 p. m., and 86 persons called.

### Past OES Heads Are Recognized At Annual Banquet

Honoring past matrons and past patrons of the Big Spring chapter, No. 67, of the Order of the Eastern Star entertained with a banquet at the First Methodist church Monday evening, an annual affair.

Durwood Lewter, associate worthy patron, gave the welcome address, and Mrs. Francis Fisher responded. Invocation was said by Mrs. Agnes V. Young.

Mrs. Veda Carter, associate matron, was toastmistress for the affair. The banquet table, in carrying out a "Down on the Farm" theme, featured pastoral scenes all along the center. At the head table was a floral centerpiece flanked by miniature picket fences, twined in greenery, trailing among the plates.

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## Events OF THE COMING WEEK

**TUESDAY**  
BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S club meets for dinner at Hotel Settles at 11:30 p. m. and will attend Friends of Howard County Library book review in ballroom.

**WEDNESDAY**  
ORDERS OF THE EASTERN STAR meets at Masonic hall at 8 p. m.  
JOHN A. KEES BEREAVEMENT meets in Room 1 at the Settles hotel at 8 p. m.  
BIG SPRING REBEKAH lodge will meet in EOPF hall at 7:30 p. m.  
BLANCHE GROVES JUNIOR GIRLS auxiliary of First Baptist church convenes at the church at 8 p. m.  
HITE OUT BRIDGE club will meet with Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Jr., 708 Lancaster, at 7:30 p. m.

**THURSDAY**  
WMOU OF EAST FOURTH STREET Baptist church meets in circles: Circle One and Two with Mrs. Eimer Balsley, 610 Virginia; Circle Three with Mrs. Sam Barnett, 604 Alford; Circle Four at the church; Circle Five with Mrs. Monroe Gafford; Circle Six at the church.

**LADIES HOME LEAGUE** of Salvation Army will meet with Mrs. Ovey Sheppard, 615 West Fourth st., at 5 p. m.  
HARMONY BRIDGE club meets with Mrs. H. L. Bohannon, 1190 11th Place, at 7:30 p. m.  
BIG SPRING GARDEN CLUB will meet at St. Mary's Episcopal parish house at 2:30 p. m.

**NEW AND CHATTER CLUB** meets with Mrs. H. V. Crocker, 1707 Boston, at 7:30 p. m.  
**DOUBLE DECK BRIDGE CLUB** meets with Mrs. M. T. Peters, 309 East Park at 7:30 p. m.  
**FIRST BAPTIST CHORUS** meets at 8:30 p. m.  
**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHORUS** meets at 7:30 p. m.  
**FIRST METHODIST CHORUS** meets at 7:30 p. m.

## Speaker Stresses Power Of Unity At First Banquet Of Federation

"When any woman's club can do a thing alone—think what they can all do together!" Mrs. J. Howard Hodge of Midland told nearly 150 women Monday evening on the occasion of the first annual formal banquet of the Big Spring Federation of Women's clubs at the Hotel Settles ballroom.

#### Library Assn. Presents Review At 8 P. M. Today

Highlighting the opening of the autumn season in arts appreciation, the Friends of the Howard County Library association will present Mrs. B. L. LeFever in a book review at 8 p. m. today at the Settles.

The affair is a free public service of the association and given in appreciation of interest by the membership. Mrs. T. C. Thomas, president of the association, urged all members to hear the review, and encouraged them to bring guests.

"We are anxious that any person who is interested share this evening's program with us as our guests," said Mrs. Thomas.

Mrs. LeFever, who is known widely in this area for her reviews, is to use Betty Smith's "Tomorrow Will Be Better" for the program. Those who arrive a few minutes in advance of the beginning of the program will be treated to a delightful offering of introductory piano music as played by Mrs. Omar Pitman and Mrs. Harry Hurt, two of the outstanding pianists of Big Spring. They are particularly well known for their "duet interpretations. Music will start shortly after 7:45 p. m.

Mrs. Thomas will preside at the meeting, which is the first of two affairs planned by the Friends of the Library for the autumn. An art exhibit, featuring outstanding works of Texas artists, is scheduled for late in November.

Mrs. C. S. Kyle Speaks To Ladies Bible Class  
Mrs. C. S. Kyle taught the Bible lesson, with a discussion from Acts 6-7, at the Monday afternoon meeting of the Ladies Bible Class of the Church of Christ. Approximately 22 members attended.

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An elaborate floral centerpiece for the speakers' table was given through the courtesy of Adrian's Flower shop.

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### VFW Luncheon Meet Is Postponed Monday

Announcement was made at the VFW Auxiliary meeting Monday evening that the covered dish luncheon previously planned for September 17 will be postponed until October.

Gertrude McCann was appointed honor roll chairman. Following the business session, a social hour was held. Those attending were Louise Horton, Laboma O'Brien, Jessie Brown, Bessie Powell, Gertrude McCann and Ethel Knapp.

**TEEN-AGE DANCE**  
Teen-age dances will be resumed Friday evening, September 24, when the American Legion Auxiliary honors the freshman class of Big Spring High at 9 p. m. in the Legion hall. All teen-agers of the city are cordially invited to attend.

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# Questions and Answers about the Telephone Company's Request for Higher Rates in Big Spring

**Q. Why is the telephone company asking for higher rates in Big Spring?**  
A. Because Big Spring's rates are too low to bring in enough revenue to pay all costs of furnishing the service and allow a reasonable return on our investment here.

**Q. What is the telephone company's return on its operation here?**  
A. With the Big Spring telephone system operating at maximum capacity and with more than 1,000 families and business concerns on the waiting list, the company, during the last six months of 1947, earned only \$8,372 on its investment of more than \$390,000 here. With costs continuing to rise and with the investment increasing rapidly as new equipment is added here the telephone company's earnings this year will be much less than ever before.

**Q. How about telephone costs? Are they up much?**  
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**Q. Have telephone wages increased?**  
A. Yes, telephone wages, like wages in other industries, have increased sharply in recent years. The monthly telephone payroll here is more than four times as high as in 1941. This is due to more employees needed to handle Big Spring's increasing volume of calls and to higher wage rates that telephone people are receiving today.

**Q. How long have Big Spring's telephone rates been in effect?**  
A. Present rates for telephone service in Big Spring were established in 1928. At that time Big Spring had 1,570 telephones, as compared with 4,300 today.

**Q. With so much more business, isn't the telephone company's revenue much higher than it was a few years ago?**  
A. Telephone revenues have increased, to be sure, but expenses have increased much faster. Expenses are 170 per cent higher than in 1929, while telephone revenues are up only 153 per cent.

**Q. What are the proposed new telephone rates for Big Spring?**  
A. The proposed new business rate is \$6.50 a month, while residence service will cost \$3 a month for private lines, \$2.50 for two-party lines and \$2.25 for four-party lines. The price of extensions and other auxiliary telephone service will be adjusted in relation to today's higher costs of furnishing these services.

**Q. Are rate increases being sought in other cities?**  
A. Yes. Telephone rate increases have been granted in 26 states. Increases to help meet post-war operating costs have been authorized in more than 40 Texas cities served by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company and 110 cities whose service is furnished by independent telephone companies.

**Deny Gift Report**

HOUSTON, Sept. 21. (AP)—There is not a word of truth in a report that H. R. Cullen, Houston oilman, has contributed \$100,000 to the States Rights presidential campaign, Judge Merritt Gibson, director of the Thurmond-Wright campaign, declared.

**'Salute To Youth' In Full Swing Today**

Fresh from a successful start Sunday when more than a dozen young people aligned with local churches, Salute to Youth Week swings into full stride today.

At 4:30 p. m. over KBST, the first round of the Youth speakers' contest is to be heard, and at the same time Wednesday and Thursday other contestants will speak. Moved back to 6 p. m., the first round eliminations in the bicycle races will be unrolled on Aylford street, south from Fourth today.

Capt. Olvy Sheppard, head of the sponsoring Salvation Army, said that five youngsters had entered. He expected that a final total of 50 would be reached. Plans call for six to 12 years of age to race in five separate sections today and Wednesday at the same hour. Finals are set for Thursday.

The doll style show, sponsored by the High Heel Slipper club, is to be staged Thursday at the Settles from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m., and on Friday the youth of the city take over operation of the municipal government. At 5:30 p. m. on Friday also, the Boy Scouts will sponsor a bicycle parade open to all bike riders. Runnels street will be set aside for this event.

Sunday the Salvation Army reported addition of 22 young people to its Sunday School and 12 to the church by conversion. Capt. Sheppard said this was the results of a season of evangelism in tourist courts and also special emphasis on Youth Week. The First Baptist church had two lads ask for membership by baptism Sunday morning.

**Loan Rate Is Set For Grain At \$2.27 Cwt.**

Loan rate for the 1948 grain sorghum crop in Howard county has been fixed at \$2.27 cwt for No. 2 milo.

Previously it had been estimated the rate would be \$2.28 cwt at this point, but official announcements from the Commodity Credit Corporation the figure at \$2.27. Tom Green county also has the same rate. In Martin county it is \$2.26, Midland \$2.25, Reeves \$2.24 and in Lynn, Terry and Concho counties it is pegged at \$2.28.

Quotations are based on the terminal loan rate at Galveston. Meanwhile, the first three applications for loans in Howard county have been posted. Leonard Smith was the first producer to apply here, followed by J. E. Thompson of Ackerly. Monday Ralph Smith of Luther shovels 11,000 pounds into the loan.

The county AAA office is handling the loan application forms here, either for storage in approved warehouse (Tucker & McKinley have approved storage here) or on the farm. It also services purchase agreements whereby producers pay a one-cent cwt charge on the amount of grain they wish to sell next spring.

**Cooler Weather Covers Midwest**

CHICAGO, Sept. 21. (AP)—Showers brought cooler weather to a wide section of the Midwest today after several days of midsummer temperatures.

The rain extended from the Eastern Dakotas southward and eastward as far as Kentucky. The heaviest falls were in Southeastern Iowa, Northeastern Missouri, Northern Illinois and Western Indiana. The mercury dropped to below freezing during the early morning at Land O' Lakes, Wis.

Generally fair weather was reported elsewhere across the country except for the rains accompanying the hurricane in Southern Florida.

**Wheat For Europe**

ENID, Okla., Sept. 21. (AP)—Twenty-four railroad box cars loaded with wheat being sent to Europe by the people of Oklahoma and Texas left here last night for Galveston.

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**HAS LONGING FOR OLD LOOK**

LONDON, Sept. 21. (AP)—In rationed England, widower Philip Edwards would feast himself in his declining years upon the sight of a wife who wears the old look of the days when Britain was a land of plenty.

And thus did he advertise today for a bride—with specifications: 'A very stout, stout partner, 14 stone (196 pounds) or over.'

"There don't seem to be any stout ladies left," mourned Edwards, 54. "But I won't take a pound under 14 stone."

**Stephenville Man Re-Elected Head On Singers' Group**

STEPHENVILLE, Sept. 21. (AP)—The Texas State Singers Assn. Sunday re-elected Ernest Rippetoe of Stephenville as president and decided to hold its next state convention here in April in conjunction with the Central Texas District Singers Assn.

S. E. Clark of Abilene was elected secretary-treasurer and Carl McClinty of Waco was named to serve a three-year term on the executive committee.

**President To Get Garner Breakfast**

UVALDE, Sept. 21. (AP)—John Nance Garner received word Monday that President and Mrs. Harry S. Truman and their daughter Margaret would be happy to have breakfast with him Sunday morning.

"We'll give them a typical Garner breakfast," the former vice president said. He added that he probably would serve some sort of wild game.

Breakfast is Garner's main meal of the day. Sunday it will be served at 7 o'clock at Garner's home. About 10 persons, including the President and his family, Garner and friends will be there.

**Test Pilot Who Cracked Sonic Barrier Dies**

VAN NUYS, Calif., Sept. 21. (AP)—Air Force Capt. James P. Fitzgerald, 28, one of the few men to fly faster than the speed of sound, is dead.

Injuries suffered when his TF-80 jet plane crashed Sept. 9 near Van Nuys airport on a flight from Muroc, Calif. Air Base caused his death yesterday at Birmingham Veterans Hospital. He had been unconscious since the crash.

Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg of the Air Force said last June that Capt. Fitzgerald and four others had penetrated the sonic barrier during test flights of the XS-1, experimental rocket plane.

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# Only Common Denominator Around Globe Is Confusion

For those who love confusion, the international picture offers some pretty good fare these days.

American, British and French foreign ministers are conferring on their next move in the Berlin crisis. In the meantime, Russia is keeping the heat on, resorting to the old riot technique to give the picture of internal disturbance and popular demand for a Red regime. While this is going on, the Soviets maintain the phony blockade which has resulted in the heroic but costly airlift. So far the shuffling of essential supplies by air has succeeded; whether it can prove sufficient during the winter is debatable, and Russia may be gambling that we may be thus starved out of the picture.

Assassination of Count Folke Bernadotte, the U. N. mediator, has aggravated the crisis to dangerous points in Palestine. In the wake of this the Israeli government has taken steps to smash the extremist Stern gang, accused of the assassination, and Trygve Lie, secretary-

general of the U. N., has called for a constabulary to maintain order in disturbed areas.

Suddenly, on the heels of this, Russia announces that it will withdraw its troops from Korea, unconditionally, starting in October so that they may be cleared out by the first of the new year. In making the announcement the withdrawal was said to be conditional on a similar withdrawal by the U. S., which Russia had proposed unsuccessfully a year ago.

France is still shaken by internal difficulties brought on by successive cabinet crises. The question of disposition of the Italian colonies is being argued. Greece is still far from out of the woods, and China is in the convulsions of civil strife. Even behind the Iron Curtain all is not serene. Tito has stiffened in Yugoslavia; Czechoslovakia and Poland are grumbling. About the only common denominator around the globe is exhausting uncertainty.

# Those Who Earn The Right To Drive May Protect It Better

The drivers license division of the highway patrol is experiencing a mild rush of youngsters who want operators licenses in order to use their motor scooters.

Whether any of the applicants fail to make the grade remains to be seen. So far only a few have qualified, principally because the parents or guardians did not accompany them when they came to apply for licenses. Should some be found unsuited for licenses, for one reason or another, such failure may be a blessing in disguise. One of the purposes of the local regulation is to ascertain and fix responsibility on the young operators.

Certainly if tests prove them to be psychologically constituted so that they cannot react to emergency situations, or that they are not mature enough to ab-

sorb and use the various regulations; or that they are not yet mentally responsible enough to know the difference between safe and unsafe driving, then denial of a license would be in the interest of personal and public good.

Authorities have no desire to deprive any youngster of the privilege of driving a motor bike or motor scooter. Having in mind several mishaps (which fortunately did not result in critical injury), city commissioners have moved to help protect our youngsters. Surely those who go before an examiner and satisfy the requirements will be more impressed about the responsibility of operating one of these contrivances. Having earned the right to drive, perhaps they will be more zealous to protect it.

Nation Today — James Marlow

# Dewey Isn't Taking Victory Over Truman For Granted

WASHINGTON — THE TWO BIG presidential candidates, President Truman and Governor Dewey, have begun their campaign trips.

Although the President apparently is facing an uphill fight, the New York governor doesn't seem to be taking victory for himself for granted. He is now following the President over much of the same campaign territory.

Mr. Truman started Friday in a special train of 17 cars. The governor started Sunday in a special train of 17 cars.

Mr. Truman made his first big talk near Des Moines, Iowa, Saturday. Governor Dewey made his first big talk at Des Moines last night.

On this trip the President will speak in 18 states, the governor in 11. They'll speak in other states on other trips.

Most of their campaigning on this trip will be in states west of the Mississippi.

IN DOING THIS, THEY ARE FOLLOWING the campaign tactics of other presidential candidates before them:

1. Open the campaign in the West where the population and, therefore, the vote totals are small.
2. Then later, as the November election gets closer, concentrate on the eastern states where the population is greater and there are many more votes.

The President will get back to Washington from this trip on Oct. 2, one month before the November voting.

He will stop here a few days and then set out on other trips. His schedule is tough but so is the road to the presidency.

In 1944 President Roosevelt had a lot easier time when he campaigned for a fourth term against the same Governor Dewey.

Broadway — Jack O'Brian

# Being Faced By Elegant Exercise Can Be Problem

NEW YORK — This summer I have been confronted with elegant exercise. And I can't say I've enjoyed it. For some reason week end invitations to this or that friend's summer place haven't entailed the usual simple sitting down, tall cool drinks and calm conversation.

Sidney Kingsley, the playwright, chops down trees when he isn't winning Pulitzer prizes and dashing off \$100,000 film scripts for Hollywood. And what's more,

he refuses to chop them alone. Sidney says only a baritone can correctly tip over a tree, and Sidney is a tenor. Mrs. Kingsley, the former Madge Evans of stage and screen, is a soprano, and in Sidney's book can't even cut down a blade of grass. I therefore found myself with axe in hand, tree in mind and soreness in muscle starting me in the bleats.

Then there is Billy Rose. Naturally, being married to an Olympic swimming champ, Eleanor Holm, a swimming pool is standard equipment at Billy's bucolic acreage. That alone is enough to get my breath coming in short pants, standard costume for swimming. But having finished a swim, there is tennis. Having further winded myself, off for a tramp in the woods. I began to look like a tramp in the woods. Then off for a session of skeet shooting. Back to the house. There we found horses. I murmured something faintly about sitting down, but I was lifted to the saddle of a high, gray charger. And me—a guy who finds it tough sitting in my aisle chair on some first nights! Finally, Eleanor decided to ride through the woods. She abandoned the riding ring, where I intended to stay. My horse, without consulting me or my reins, followed Eleanor. The horse went out the gate. And I went over my head in the dandiest somersault over seen out of a circus. That ended my exercise for the year.

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# "ALICE WAITED... HALF EXPECTING TO SEE IT AGAIN"



Washington Merry-Go-Round — Drew Pearson

# Stalin Gets 'Sick' When Western Delegates Ask For New Conference

WASHINGTON — Today the toddling United Nations tugs up its diapers and starts an uneasy session in Paris. The scene of the sessions is Jewel-like Chaillet Palace overlooking the Eiffel Tower.

Eight years ago, Adolf Hitler did a jig in Chaillet Palace after the Nazi army captured Paris. And if by some remote chance Hitler is alive today, he's probably doing another gleeful jig because his former enemies have been split and divided beyond the Fuehrer's wildest dreams.

Hitler's No. 1 tactic was "divide and conquer." Part one of his basic precept has already been accomplished. World War III would finish off his hopes, and the fear of World War III will be weighing heavily on the shoulders of the young United Nations as it opens in Paris today.

FINAL CRIES TO throw the Berlin crisis into the UN have been made after the Western envoys met in the Kremlin with Molotov last Tuesday. The Western powers had hoped that a final talk with Stalin might break the Berlin deadlock. That deadlock centered on Marshal Sokolovsky's flat refusal to permit four-power control over Berlin currency. He insisted that Russia must rule Berlin's economies — which also meant Russian control of customs, including all goods arriving via the airlift.

Sokolovsky's obduracy undoubtedly was on orders from Moscow. Yet in Moscow Stalin had previously agreed to the principle of four-power control. So to settle this Stalin-Sokolovsky buck-passing, the Western envoys walked into Molotov's office last Tuesday and asked for another audience with Stalin.

Aloud and grim, hammer-headed Molotov replied that Stalin was sick. He had been taking treatments for the past ten days outside Moscow. Molotov explained, and there was no telling when he would return.

That ended it, in short, the answer from the Kremlin to the appeal for compromise was a large and definite "No."

UN APPEAL

The United Nations therefore will now become the stage for the next phase of the Battle of Berlin. The State Department, British foreign office and French Quai d'Orsay have kept a careful record on the Berlin crisis, are all set for a white paper to mobilize world opinion.

Meanwhile, the Kremlin is also reported ready for a "gigantic peace and propaganda offensive" in Paris. They'll demand world disarmament, abolition of all atomic bomb, destruction of all bacteriological warfare equipment, withdrawal of all occupation forces from Europe.

It will all sound extremely pretty, but it won't mean a thing.

BARKLEY'S HUMOR

Democratic Vice Presidential Nominee Alben Barkley was asked what he thought about Republican campaign promises to "stabilize" the farmer.

"Well, I'll tell you," drawled the Kentuckian. "That one had me stopped for awhile. I lay awake several nights trying to figure out what the Republicans meant by stabilizing the farmer. Finally it dawned on me.

"What the Republicans are planning to do is take the farm-

er out of his house and put him in the stable."

PARADOXICAL MAINE

The Maine election was one of paradoxes. While the Republicans rolled up a vote, labor, which generally opposes the Republicans, did likewise.

Maine labor leaders succeeded in defeating the Tabb bill which would have outlawed the closed shop. It had been passed by the legislature and came up on a referendum.

Not only was it decisively rejected, but its author, Foster Tabb, a farmer, was defeated for the legislature — despite the fact that Maine is generally considered a state of fishermen and farmers.

MERRY-GO-ROUND

Wisconsin's bachelor Sen. Joe McCarthy spent his vacation in the wheat fields at Lefor, North Dakota, posing as a hired hand. He got ten dollars and five meals a day for operating a combine, lost seven pounds even so. . . . Sen. Elbert Thomas, Utah Democrat, is writing a book on the passing of an era. He will call it "The Rise and Fall of the New Deal." . . . Charged with the unpleasant duty of serving eviction notices, kindly Sheriff Milton Coe's tell of Providence County, R. I., believes in giving hard-pressed families a break. He braves the wrath of landlords,

Hollywood — Bob Thomas

# Gary Cooper Planning To Produce Own Film

By JACK QUIGO For BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD — It was a surprise to hear Gary Cooper say he's planning to produce a picture on his own. He tried it once, in 1944, with "Along Came Jones." The film fared poorly at the box office and Hollywood thought "Coop" would stick to acting after that.

He hasn't settled on a story yet but he wants to do "something romantic—guns, fighting and action. They're more fun to make."

You can bet the lanky actor won't buy a year until he learns more about Ernest Hemingway's newest book. "He won't tell me what it's about," Cooper said on "The Fountainhead" set. "Even Ingrid Bergman couldn't break him down."

Two of the actor's most successful films have been adapted from Hemingway novels. He doesn't know why Hemingway won't talk about his new story. But he hopes to learn when they go hunting together next month.

Walter Lantz creator of that red-headed bird with the hyena laugh, Woody Woodpecker, wants to star Woody in a feature length film. He feels the popularity of Woody's song has made him big boxoffice. Now he's creating a girl-friend for the nine-year-old bird and looking for a long story.

Paulette Goddard has been going to fashion shows after working all day in "Mask of Lucrèce." She leaves for Paris right after the film. "I want to take a California wardrobe," she said. She hopes to make a film there but must be planning a long stay

and the warnings of the court to hold up evictions, even pays for newspaper "ads" to find the ejected family a new home.

UNEASY BOSS CRUMP

Tennessee's refreshing young Cong. Estes Kefauver and beleaguered Boss Ed Crump have reached an uneasy truce in Tennessee.

Kefauver handed the Crump machine a shellacking in the Democratic primaries by out-campaigning and finally outpolling the Crump-backed candidate for the Senate, John Mitchell.

Smarting from the defeat, Crump threatened to throw his support to vinegar-tongued Carroll Reece, former GOP national chairman, now running for the Senate. But the deal never came off.

What happened is that Kefauver promised to vote a Straight Demo ticket, then went to boss Crump, warned him not to oppose Kefauver. Crump thought it over and agreed it might be better politics to stay in the Democratic camp. As a result, he promised not to oppose Kefauver but still won't support him.

Kefauver, who has always stuck by his principles, promised nothing.

Note — It was Carroll Reece, now the Republican candidate for senator, who fought so bitterly against Cordell Hull's reciprocal trade treaties.

anyway. The fashion shows all featured spring styles.

"Lose 30 pounds and you can play the life of Gandhi." That, says J. Carroll Naish, is what the Maharajah of Indore said after looking him over. The Hindu ruler, Naish said, expressed a desire to film Gandhi's life in India. The two met recently in Canada.

# WORD-A-DAY

By BACH

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A PARTICULAR RITUAL OR SYSTEM OF WORSHIP, A DEVOTION TO A PERSON, THING, IDEA, THEORY, OR THE LIKE



Around The Rim — The Herald Staff

# Club Reporter Important To Society Page Success

Reporters for women's clubs must realize the fact that they have a duty to perform and one of the most important factors of that duty is to report a meeting as soon as possible to the newspaper.

A situation is arising in Big Spring whereby reporters expect to be called and it means nothing to them, if after being called, they reply vaguely, "Well, I wasn't here, but Mrs. Frank Jones is the president why don't you call her." Likely as not, Mrs. Jones is not in the house, but outside talking over the back fence to her neighbor, on some such place where telephones do not disturb.

That leaves the newspaper gal out on a limb, so to speak, so she starts all over again with another name, drawn from the proverbial hat. This person, likely as not, has not attended a meeting in months and is unaware of what is going on. After about five or six unsuccessful attempts, someone can remember what happened, but she must think it all up and she'll call back.

Church circle meetings are almost impossible. The First Baptist has five circles, the first Methodist, five, the East Fourth Baptist, six, the First Christian, four, the First Presbyterian, four, and the Wesley Methodist, two. The East Fourth Baptist and the Wesley Methodist meet on Tuesday but get the other four on one Monday afternoon — by simple addition that makes 18 women to call to get four church missionary groups, barring all such casualties as the above mentioned, which in an average day, happens not less than 10 times. That just gets four churches with all the various parties, and other club meetings to be called and written up from 8:30 to 11 a. m. — then some people wonder why such and such a story wasn't in the paper, which they called in five minutes to 11.

Another time killer is the "Events of the Coming Week." In that the society editor attempts to list all clubs, circles, well all of the meetings for the next week. There is a card file to help in this process, but it takes the patience of Job to list them all correctly. The church secretaries are invaluable in that they call the circle meetings; that is, they find out where the circles are to meet the following week.

So many persons gripe about the type being so small (being the same size as classified ads that people pay good money for) that no one will ever see it and "won't you please write me a small story about it!" (After 13 months compiling the calendar, I have not yet made a mistake or left out a meeting in the calendar that was not immediately brought to my attention). The calendar is compiled on Friday and it would help oodles if everyone called that information in, for quite often the place is changed in the week or two week's interval between meetings.

Whoever originated the idea that all big stories must be saved until Sunday is the newspaper's natural enemy. Wherever did the idea come from that more people read the Sunday paper? For cooperation between the clubs and newspapers, the best policy is for the clubs to turn in the news the next day and if they especially want it in the Sunday issue, change the meeting date to Friday or Saturday. The most disheartening thing is to get a story that is real long, but late, for its value has depreciated. The society section can be helped if everyone will remember to turn in visits, parties and club meetings on time.—BILLIE BURRELL

(This is "39" for Miss Burrell, who, although leaving the staff paves the way for her successor as woman's page editor.—Ed)

Notebook — Hal Boyle

# Fine Art Of Quitting Hard Thing For Man To Master

NEW YORK — ONE OF THE HARDEST things in life for any man to master is the fine art of quitting.

This 24-karat truth is pointed up anew by the decision of Joseph Louis, the eminent pugilist, to resume his former calling.

At the ripe old age of 34, having amassed enough wealth to cushion his declining years, Joe announced he was through with his precision fist-fighting. He decided to trade in his gloves on a typewriter and launch a new career as a columnist — commentator for a Harlem newspaper.

Trying a new job was no mental hurdle to Joe. He was a newsboy, shined shoes, ran errands, delivered ice, and worked in an automobile factory before he found how easy he could quintuple his income merely by doubling his fists.

But now Joe has changed his mind again — as have many champions who wanted to quit at the top — and he's going to try one more fight next June, when he'll be 35.

"Just one more, Joe."

IT'S HARD TO RESIST THAT PLEA.

Affairs Of The World — DeWitt MacKenzie

# Surrender Of Nizam May Have Prevented Bloodshed

SURRENDER BY THE NIZAM OF HYDERABAD to the invading forces from the dominion of India may well have saved the Indian subcontinent such a bloodbath as that troubled land never before had experienced.

Certainly a continuation of the short-lived conflict threatened to precipitate wide-spread communal fighting which might have run the length and breadth of the great peninsula. It was the old, old story of Hindu versus Moslem — a story which has been written in blood for generations.

More than three-quarters of Hyderabad's population of 16 million are Hindus, whereas its exalted highness, the Nizam, is a Moslem. The dominion of India is chiefly Hindu and the troops sent into Hyderabad were Hindu. The rival dominion of Pakistan, which is mainly Moslem, has been watching the invasion with a jaundiced eye, and many of its people have been calling for reprisals against the Hindus.

THERE HAS BEEN ENOUGH DYNAMITE in the situation to blow up the whole peninsula.

So the surrender is a godsend. However it presents the dominion of India with some stiff problems, chief of which is what shall be done with the Nizam. His exalted highness is the most powerful and richest of all the hundreds of Indian princes — said to be the richest man in the world, for that matter, with a fortune running into many billions of dollars. His family has ruled Hyderabad since 1712, when the dynasty was founded.

Moreover the disposition of the huge state itself is in question — a delicate matter to handle in view of inflamed feeling. The background of the situation briefly is this:

When Britain granted freedom to the subcontinent Aug. 15, 1947, she advised all the 562 ruling princes to attach themselves either to the dominion of Pakistan (Moslem) or the dominion of India (mainly Hindu) or the rulers have done so with the exception of the Nizam. This 62-year-old, potentate is a proud individual and has declined, declaring that he was retaining independence. Then the dominion demanded that a plebiscite be held in Hyderabad to determine the will of the people.

FINALLY THE DOMINION DECLARED that a state of anarchy existed in Hyderabad, and called on the Nizam to put it down. The lives of Britons and Ameri-

cans in the state were said to be endangered, and they were removed. Then last week the dominion, insisting that the anarchy persisted, invaded Hyderabad in force.

It is interesting and perhaps significant that the invasion was commanded in person by Lt. Gen. Maharajah Shri Rajendra Singh, who himself has princely rank as a close relative of the Maharajah of Newanagar. The point, as I see it, is that the pious Nizam might feel he could surrender to one of his own class without losing face. I suspect that the dominion took that into consideration, with the idea of shortening the Nizam's resistance.

# Today's Birthday—

HENRY L. STIMSON, born Sept. 21, 1887, thrice held U. S. cabinet jobs. Taft made him secretary of war in 1911. Hoover chose him for secretary of state in '29. He was back in the war post under Roosevelt in 1940. He retired in '45 after guiding record Army expansion through World War II. A lawyer in private life, his public work includes service as governor of the Philippines and as peace envoy to Nicaragua.

# Flies Attacked By Bomb

LONDON — The Tsetse fly is being attacked by a bomb. The colonial insecticide committee says that the bomb assault on the fly will be made experimentally on an uninhabited island of Lake Victoria.

Scientists believe that a chemical bomb dropped by a helicopter will release an insecticidal smoke which will be kept close to the ground by jungle foliage. The insecticidal smoke may not only annihilate the fly which is a major problem to the livestock industry, but other insects as well. And some of them are beneficial to man. A problem is to make the smoke selective. An uninhabited region was chosen for the experiments to minimize injury if the plan is not feasible.

# MISERIES STARTED AFTER EVERY MEAL; RETONGA GAVE RELIEF

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"I feel so much better I just had to tell you so," states Mr. John A. Tilary, highly respected citizen and home-owner of 1010 S. 17th St., Waco, Texas. Mr. Tilary was born and raised in Lamar County, Texas, but has lived in Waco for the past 16 years. He gratefully states:

"Just as soon as I ate a meal, my troubles started. I would suffer the worst kind of distress from acid indigestion. Food seemed to lodge in my chest and I would spit up much that I ate. Gas on my stomach seemed to build up so that at times I thought the pressure would cut off my breath. I just had to quit eating supper at all, because I would suffer so much during the night that I couldn't seem to get any sleep. I was beginning to think I was at my row's end.

"The relief Retonga brought me makes me awfully glad I gave it a trial. I eat three square meals a day now and don't suffer as I did. I can sleep good and restfully at night now and I'm feeling more like my real self again. I believe that anyone suffering as I did will be as grateful as I am for Retonga



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## The CHIROPRACTOR and You

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WHAT IS CHIROPRACTIC? The Chiropractor teaches that the brain and nervous system is the root of health. From the brain, nerve energy is distributed through the nervous system to control all parts of the body. When this nerve energy is shut off even slightly between brain and body (by bone displacement in the spine), one or more body functions are interfered with and ill health results. By X-ray, analysis and spinal adjustment the Chiropractor is able to relieve nerve interference and restore normalcy to the affected part. No drugs. No surgery. Nature is the healer.

CASE HISTORY No. 303. A child of eight years who had never walked since birth. Both legs were paralyzed. The case had been described as "hopeless" Chiropractic analysis revealed nerve pressure which was interfering with the flow of nerve force to the limbs. A series of specific adjustments relieved the pressure. Today the children can walk normally.

CASE HISTORY No. 741. — This patient had been involved in a motorcycle accident. No serious injury was apparent. However

head pains developed and became so violent that sleep was impossible, and falling health forced the patient to give up his job. Prolonged treatment for "nerves" had failed to achieve improvement, and finally, in desperation, Chiropractic aid was sought. X-ray analysis indicated a displacement of the top vertebrae. Adjustment was given and within two days the head pains (continuous for ten months) ceased completely and within two weeks the patient was anticipating returning to work.

CASE HISTORY No. 279. A youngster who had begun to take epileptic seizures when 2 1/2 years old. At the age of 3 he was taking as many as 30 to 40 spells a day, at which time he was brought to a Chiropractor. Within a few days after analysis and spinal adjustment the spells began to decrease. After two months they had seemingly ceased. However, 10 months later he took one more spell, a further adjustment was given, and since that time this boy has enjoyed a normal healthy life.

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## TWO PILOTS KILLED

# Blast Shatters All-Jet Bomber

TULARE, Calif., Sept. 21. (AP) — One of the nation's first all-jet bombers lies in shattered wreckage strewn over Central California farmland today, the two civilian test pilots aboard it dead.  
An explosion heard for miles blew the North American B-45, four-jet, 500-mile-an-hour plane to pieces yesterday while it was flying 8,000 to 10,000 feet over Alpaugh, Calif., 20 miles south of here.  
Parts of the plane—big as the wartime B-17 Flying Fortress—fell over an area four miles square. The B-45 was on a flight from Murco, Calif., Air Base.  
North American Aviation, Inc., which has Air Force orders for 190

of the planes, first of its type, identified the dead as:  
George W. Krebs, 30, Los Angeles, project pilot at the controls, first man to fly a multiple jet bomber.  
Nicholas G. Pickard, 31, Manhattan Beach, Calif., test pilot.  
An eyewitness, William McAfee, former Air Force pilot who was at an airfield 10 miles away, said he noticed the plane's peculiar motor sound and trailing grey smoke.  
"It was making pretty good time with the smoke getting thicker. I lost it in the sun, then I heard a terrific roar," McAfee said. "I saw parts of the plane disintegrate. I watched the parts float downward, then seconds later there was another loud explosion."

## Few Clues Are Discovered In Brutal Killing Of Couple

GLEN BURNIE, Md., Sept. 21. (AP) — Police had only a thin trail of clues to work on today in the "brutal" murder of a young Glen Burnie couple who went on a date Friday and died.  
Police Chief John H. Souers admitted he had no suspects and

very few clues considered important at the moment.  
He hoped autopsies on the bodies of John H. Mahlan, 25, and Miss Mary C. Kline, 18, today would give police some new leads. Their battered and bruised bodies were found in a clearing in the woods near here yesterday.  
Souers reported that the young man had been shot in the head and he believed he had been killed while trying to fight off the assailant. The chief said it was impossible to determine whether Miss Kline was beaten or shot to death.  
Mahlan's car was found in a clump of bushes Saturday with two bullet holes in it and blood stains on front and rear seats. That started an intensive search of the surrounding area by national guardsmen, police, firemen, civil air patrolmen and many volunteers from this and nearby communities.  
The bodies were found, however, by George Asquith, a 53-year-old county road employee who stumbled on them by chance. The bodies were only a few feet apart. Miss Kline's nude from the waist down.

## Eleven Onion Field Workers Die In Wreck

LAPORTE, Ind., Sept. 21. (AP) — Eleven onion field workers were killed and six others were injured yesterday when an open truck in which they were riding collided with a semi-trailer during a heavy rain storm.  
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The freight-carrying semi. driven by Robert Tweedie, 35, of Logansport, Ind., went off the highway into a farm yard. Tweedie was taken to Fairview Hospital in Laporte suffering chest injuries.

## Chinese General Deserts His Army At Critical Stage

NANKING, Sept. 21. (AP) — Desertion of a Chinese general—at a critical point in the Red siege of strategic Tsinan—was reported today by the defense ministry.  
A special government communique said Gen. Wu Ha-Wen and 2,000 of his 84th Division troops deserted to the Communists during an investigation of a revolt plot among nationalist soldiers at Chang-Ching, 20 miles southwest of the Shantung provincial capital.  
Tsinan, its population swollen to more than 500,000 by refugees, has been under siege by the Chinese Reds for months. Its vital rail connection with government supply bases to the south was cut two months ago. Yesterday, Tsinan's governor, Wang Yao-Wu, called for help.

## Mediation Board To Open Meetings On Rail Dispute

CHICAGO, Sept. 21. (AP) — The National Mediation Board planned first meetings here Thursday in an attempt to settle a wage dispute between 16 non-operating railroad unions and the nation's carriers.  
A strike vote of the 1 million members of the rail brotherhoods now is being taken and will require about a month. The vote was authorized after a breakdown in negotiations between the unions and the carriers.  
However, under the Railway Labor Act, the mediation board stepped in to attempt to reach settlement. The railway labor act also provides for a presidential emergency board to investigate the dispute and a 60-day cooling off period before a walkout is legal.  
The unions had demanded a wage hike of 25 cents an hour, reduction in hours from 48 to 40 a week without reduction in pay, time and a half for Saturday work and double time for Sundays and holidays.

## Credit Curbs Return Today

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21. (AP) — Federal control of installment buying returned yesterday after a 11-month absence.  
During that time the volume of time buying mounted to a record of nearly \$7 1/2 billion.  
Some auto dealers and finance men predicted the generally stiffer terms will put the skids under the premium prices for used cars and put late models beyond the reach of many families.  
They reasoned: To buy a car selling for \$1,800 the purchaser must pay down \$600 and \$80 a month for 18 months. Monthly payments alone take a fourth of the income of a \$3,840 a year family. And it costs money to operate a car.  
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## Stiff Fine Assessed In County Court For Attempt To Run Beer

Frank Galindo, San Angelo, Monday faced one of the stiffest fines assessed in county court here. He was fined \$500 and costs by W. S. Morrison, county judge, after

he entered a plea of guilty to possession of intoxicating beverages without a permit. Galindo had 67 cases of war surplus beer in his automobile and told liquor control board agents he was attempting to run it from San Angelo to Tahoka when he was accosted. The beer was seized and confiscated.

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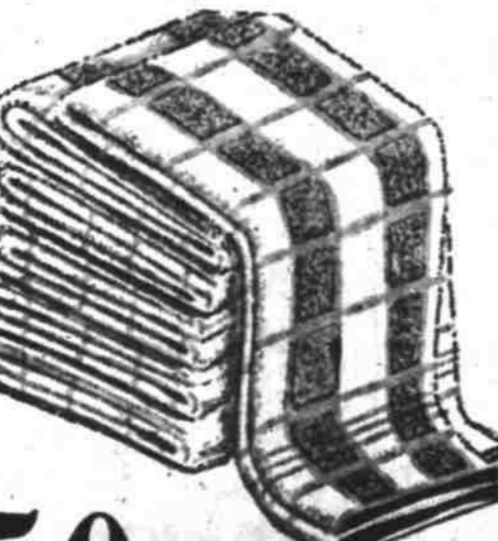


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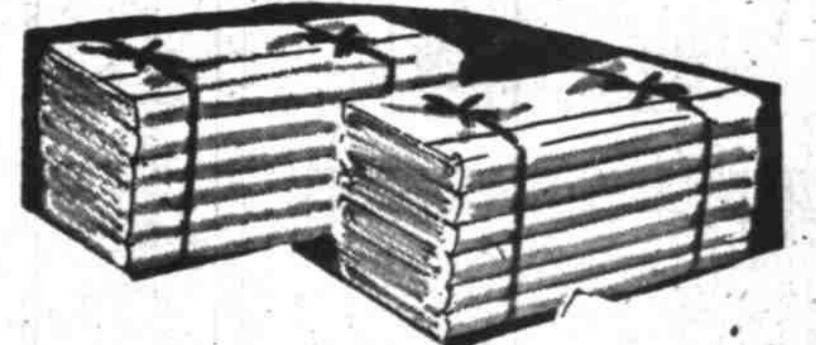
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SINGLES CHAMPS AND OPPONENTS — Mrs. Margaret Osborne DuPont (left) of Wilmington, Del., and Richard (Pancho) Gonzalez (right) of Los Angeles, Calif., respective winners of the women's and men's national single tennis championships pose with their opponents, defending champion Louise Brough of Beverly Hills, Calif., and Eric Sturges of Johannesburg, South Africa. Winners are holding trophies awarded following matches.

### S'West Squads Survey First Week Injuries

Injuries — minor and major — were reported at nearly all Southwest Conference football camps. At the University of Texas Co-Captains Dick Harris and Tom Landry were principal Longhorn casualties. Harris, All-America tackle switched to center this year, wrenched a knee in Texas' 33-0 victory over Louisiana State last week. Fullback Landry turned up with a "charley horse" in his leg. There was some doubt that Harris would be able to play against North Carolina this week.

Outside of this, there was plenty of joy around the Longhorn camp. Coach Blair Cherry was "extremely well pleased with the work of the line" in the LSU game. The Tigers gained only 38 yards on the ground. Coach Jess Neely said Tackle Woodrow Wilson may be out of the rest of the year with a knee injury. Halfback Huey Keeny has a bad ankle. Others on the ailing list are Billy Taylor and George Miner, ends, and Backs Harold Riley, John Kelly and Van Ballard.

Baylor was near top physical shape. Coach Bob Woodruff started his squad tapering off yesterday for this week's game with Tulsa.

Battered A&M planned to give its defense a stiff going over. Coach Harry Stiteler said he doubted whether Backs Ralph Daniel and Preston Smith and Tackles Jim Flowers and Dwayne Tucker would be able to play in the Texas Tech game Saturday.

The Texas Christian University Horned Frogs spent yesterday brushing up on downfield blocking and conditioning drills. Coach Dutch Meyer said Fullback Pete Stout had an injured neck but should be in good shape for the Oklahoma A&M game.

Defense occupied the Southern Methodist Mustangs yesterday. Matty Bell had his first team working against Pittsburgh plays in a dummy scrimmage.

### Oilers, Buffs Resume Series

TULSA, Okla., Sept. 21. — Houston and Tulsa square off here tonight in the sixth game of their Texas League Shughnessy playoff series.

Tulsa holds a three games to two advantage over the Buffs. The winner of the Tulsa-Houston series will meet Fort Worth for the league championship and the right to play the Southern Association winner in the Dixie Series.

Cloyd Boyer is expected to start on the mound for Houston, opposing either Bud Lively or Mike Schütz.

### Longhorns Prep For Odessa Tilt

The Big Spring Steers went through a brisk practice session, working chiefly on plays, Monday afternoon as Coach Mule Stockton launched preparation for an invasion of Odessa's galloping Bronchos.

The Ector county boys are due to pull into town for a night fracas on Oct. 1.

Both aggregations will be participating in their first District 3-AAA conference matches of the season, and, following the normal pattern of recent years, the visitors will rule as top heavy favorites.

Stockton intends to make the most of the two weeks period he has to groom his Longhorns, however, and barring any unforeseen handicaps on the part of the locals they could make the Bronchos realize they have been in quite a ball game before the final whistle sounds.

The Steer mentor elected to forego any real tough contact work Monday after the boys reported back to the practice field, but the tempo is expected to increase and the week moves along.

### Texans Win Titles In Skeet Shooting

LAS VEGAS, Nev., Sept. 21. — Texans counted up an assortment of titles at the National Skeet championships today.

Pete Read, San Angelo, won the Champion of Champions title. He and Ben Di Iorio, Utica, N. Y., tied with perfect scores but Read won the shootoff, 225-224.

George Glass, Jr., Midland, Tex., won the National Junior title, scoring 100. Charles P. Prentiss, Fabens, Tex., shot 96 out of 100 for the sub-junior award.

### ONLY NINE GAMES TO GO

## Schedule Favors Indians In American League Race

The fire wagon chase for the American League pennant has reached the win-or-lose stage and Cleveland has picked this opportune moment to catch fire.

While the League-leading Boston Red Sox and the Third Place New York Yankees are showing signs of faltering, Manager Lou Boudreau's Indians are setting the hottest pace in the league.

The Indians scored their sixth straight victory and the 13th in their last 15 starts last night in beating the Philadelphia Athletics, 6-3. The victory enabled the pennant hungry Tribe to stay a half game behind the Red Sox and a half game ahead of the Yankees.

The Red Sox downed Detroit, 7-2, and the Yankees staggered in an 8-7 triumph over St. Louis in day games.

Boudreau's warriors will rest today before taking on the Red Sox in Cleveland tomorrow night in a game that will go a long way in deciding the flag. The Red Sox tangle with the Tigers again today and a Detroit triumph would enable Cleveland to tie the Sox for the lead.

The pennant outlook is indeed bright for the Indians. In addition to their hot pace, the schedule remains in favor of the Tribe. The Indians have only nine games to play and only three are away from home.

The Red Sox and Yankees have 10 games to go, five of them against each other. Thus while the Sox and Yankees knock off one another, Cleveland could slip into the world series.

Joe Gordon, who helped the Yankees win five pennants, sparked the Indians to victory last night. He drove in three runs on his 29th homer, a double and single and figured in four of the five double-plays pulled off by the Tribe.

The defeat virtually eliminated the Athletics from the pennant fight. The best the A's could do is tie the Red Sox for first place by winning all of their remaining seven games if the Sox dropped all of their 10.

Lefty Mickey Harris, making his first start since Aug. 29, showed no evidence of a sore arm as he pitched the Red Sox to triumph over the Tigers.

Don DiMaggio led the Sox drive with a double and three singles and Vern Stephens chipped in with his 28th homer. Stephens' homer was the 28th yielded by Hutchinsom this year, a new American League record.

The Philadelphia Phillies, paced by Del Ennis, took a day-night doubleheader from the Pittsburgh Pirates, 5-3 and 7-4.

Ennis cracked his 29th and 30th homers, one in each game, and drove in five runs as the Phils extended Pittsburgh's losing streak to six games. The Bucs have won only twice in their last 11 games.

Homers by Frank Gustine and Bob Chernes accounted for all of Pittsburgh's runs in the first game. Round-trippers by Wally Westlake and Pinch-Hitter Ed Stevens resulted in half of Pittsburgh's runs in the finale.

SMOOTH INFIELD DUO HELPS TIGER NINE The Big Spring Tigers, Latin-American independent baseball team, trotted out an infield combination against the Marfa Indians Sunday that probably could have executed an attractive string of double plays in the Longhorn league.

Gasper DDel Toro, who played with the 1947 Broncs and then performed for Abbeville, La. in the Evangeline circuit during the past season, was at short stop, while Wee Bertie Baez, the Bronx all trades, filled in at second base for Tacho Martinez' crew. Several onlookers were impressed with their smooth performance.

Although they dropped a 7-0 decision to the Tigers, the Marfa boys are not weak sisters on the diamond. They were season's champions of a fair semi-pro loop in the Big Bend section.

DEMPSEY IS NO STRANGER IN THE KITCHEN Although he may feel more at home in the ring, it seems that Jack Dempsey is no stranger in the kitchen. He whipped up a salad at Pat O'Dowdy's residence Saturday night that pleased the palates of several sports fans who assembled there for a get-together, immediately after the wrestling matches.

Incidentally, Dempsey must think of West Texas every time he sees a circus. He made a swing through this section in 1941 with the Cole Bros. Show, an organization that offered competition to the wrestling card here Saturday night.

NORTH TEXAN COULD TAKE OFFENSIVE HONORS San Angelo football fans may have seen one of the state's best individual ground gainers of the year during the Bobcat-Denison encounter on Sept. 10. Marvin Vincent, Denison quarterback accounted for 136 yards in 12 tries against the Concho crew, and then last Friday he ambled 112 more strides in a dozen attempts against Wichita Falls, the latter in a game his team lost by 26-13. The Denison team's total gain on the ground against the Coyotes was only 180 yards.

BALLINGER'S FRANCHISE MAY GO TO ROSWELL Talk about the possibility of shifting Ballinger's Longhorn league baseball franchise to Roswell, N. M. has been revived since the season closed. If such a transfer is made Roswell may align itself with the West Texas-New Mexico loop in event tentative plans for bringing Abilene and Lamesa into the Longhorn league develop. At latest reports, Sweetwater interests had not warmed to the idea of building a new park. Unless a new layout is provided there, the Nolan county capital probably will lose its franchise, since high authorities already have condemned present facilities.

If Ballinger fans decide they want to continue the national pastime there, they may bid for the Sweetwater franchise and the league could break the wire next spring with Big Spring, Midland, Odessa, Ballinger, San Angelo, Lamesa, Abilene and Vernon in the fold.

### Amarillo Needs One More Victory

Amarillo needs just one more victory over Pampa to wrap up the West Texas-New Mexico league baseball championship.

The Gold Sox collected sixteen jured Oilers, 12-4, last night to go ahead in the series, three games to one. The fifth game will be played tonight in Pampa.

Pampa played with a makeshift lineup last night, two key men being out with broken bones.

The Gold Sox collected sixteen hits, including home runs by Dick Gentzkow and Buck Fautsch.

Pampa got eleven safeties, including homers by Jack Riley and Dave Teyema.

WILMINGTON, Calif., Sept. 21. — An estimated 30 pickets were arrested yesterday outside Union Oil Co.'s refinery after, police reported, a car loaded with workers was overturned. No injuries were reported. It was the first violence here in the two-week strike of refinery workers.

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### Port Arthur Retains No. 1; Odessa Sixth

DALLAS, Sept. 21. — Port Arthur held its place as the No. 1 team in Texas highschool football this week.

Twenty of twenty-two sports writers participating in the Dallas News poll picked Port Arthur as the top team. Amarillo was second.

Brackenridge of San Antonio, last year's state Champion jumped from eighth to third place in this week's poll.

Kerrville, rated number two last week, Pampa, Lubbock and Baytown tumbled out of the top ten teams.

- The top ten and the number of points received were: 1. Port Arthur (216). 2. Amarillo (141). 3. Brackenridge (135). 4. Waco (113). 5. Wichita Falls (100). 6. Odessa (81). 7. Brownwood (67). 8. Highland Park (66). 9. Corpus Christi (52). 10. Arlington Heights (41).

The second ten: 11. Kerrville; 12. Baytown; 13. San Angelo; 14. Pampa; 15. Gladewater; tie for 16th between Stephen F. Austin (Houston) and Woodrow Wilson (Dallas) tie for 18th between Lubbock, Lamar (Houston), Port Neches and Galveston.

### Zale Is Favored In Bout Tonight

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Sept. 21. — Champion Tony Zale is a solid 2 to 3 favorite to thump Marcel Cerdan, the French challenger, tonight at Roosevelt Stadium in an attractive middleweight title bout that opens the big boxing week of the fall season.

An optimistic estimate from the promoters, the Tournament of Champions, calls for a crowd of 25,000 and a gross gate of \$300,000. About 16,000 and \$250,000 may be closer.

A cool, clear night is predicted.

Due to a last minute cancellation of the heavyweight elimination contest between Gus Lesnevich and Jersey Joe Walcott, the top price of the Jersey extravaganza was sliced from \$40 to \$30.

Zale and Cerdan also signed new contracts, calling for \$120,000 guarantee and a privilege of 40 per cent for the champ and \$40,000 or 20 per cent for Cerdan.

The fight has all the makings of a thriller. Zale, a 34-year-old vet who used to sweat it out in the Gary, Ind., steel mills, flattened Rocky Graziano in the third round to regain his championship at Newark three months ago.

Cerdan, a willing trader with great stamina, is unbeaten in four American starts.

Expert opinion is divided. Zale's legs are the uncertain factor. Many think he will have to get Cerdan early or not at all. Most agree that it will be Cerdan if it goes the full 15 rounds.

In this corner, it looks like Zale by a knockout in five rounds. Anton Raadik, an unheralded Estonian, had Marcel on the deck three times in the last round at Chicago and he has been hit freely in all four U. S. starts. So far, he hasn't been hit by Zale, who has knocked out 16 of 17 opponents.

According to Jersey custom, there will be no judges. The referee, to be named just before the fight, will have the sole vote. In case of a knockdown, an automatic eight-count must be taken. That's an N.B.A. regulation.

### Tribe, Dusters To Midland

The Vernon Dusters, who rebounded to wipe out a 0-2 deficit by taking three in a row on their home diamond, move back into Midland tonight to battle the Indians in the sixth game of their Longhorn league final playoff struggle.

Moving ahead of the Indians last night for the first time in the series, the Dusters need only one victory to take the Shughnessy championship, while the Tribe must capture two in a row to take playoff honors.

Although he found himself on shaky ground on several occasions, Gerald Fahr managed to keep the Tribe at bay Monday night while his mates were pounding out a 7-5 decision at the expense of three Indian chumpkins. Sam Van Hoozer, third baseman to trudge to the hill, entered the game just in time to be charged with the loss.

### U. S. Army Asks Longer Enlistments

GRAFENWOEHR, Germ a n y, Sept. 21. — The U. S. Army appealed to its fighting men in Germany yesterday to extend their enlistments because of the international situation.

The appeal was issued through Lt. Gen. Clarence R. Huebner, commander of U. S. ground forces in Europe.

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**WEALTHY INDUSTRIALIST, MAYOR CARRY RHODE ISLAND GOP HOPES**  
 PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 21. (AP) - Rhode Island Republicans have chosen a wealthy retired industrialist and a veteran mayor to lead them in an attempt to gain political control of this long-time Democratic stronghold in November.  
 Thomas Pierpont Hazard, 55, of Peace Dale, was nominated for U. S. senator and Mayor Albert P. Ruerat, 44, of Warwick for governor in yesterday's GOP primary election—the first in the state's history.  
 Only the Republicans voted. The Democratic primary is Sept. 29.  
 U. S. Sen. Theodore Francis Green, three-time governor and veteran of a dozen years in Congress, and Gov. John O. Pastore are unopposed for Democratic renomination.  
 The Republican state central committee was given an impressive vote of confidence as the GOP rank-and-file swept its entire endorsement slate into office.  
 State Sen. Raul A. Archambault, Jr., 26-year-old former Marine Corps major, had challenged the party leadership in seeking the nomination for governor—but ran almost 12,000 votes behind Ruerat, who had the state committee's endorsement.  
 Hazard, leading the endorsed slate, had an edge of almost three-to-one over former State Atty.-Gen. Louis Jackvony, who was aligned with Archambault.

**Couple Celebrates 70th Wedding Year By Dallas Visit**  
 DALLAS, Sept. 21. (AP) - Mr. and Mrs. Warren J. Rutledge of Mineral Wells came back to Dallas this week to celebrate their 70th wedding anniversary in the town where they were married.  
 Mr. Rutledge is 91 and his wife is 88.  
 They were married Sept. 19, 1878, in Dallas. With the exception of the past three years they have spent most of their married life in or near Dallas.  
 They're staying with a daughter, Mrs. Estelle R. Moore, of Dallas and are being honored this week during parties given by their children and friends. Also here is Mrs. Molly Towers of the Wheatland community who was in their wedding 70 years ago.

**School Request Is Approved By Rotary**  
 Board of directors of the Big Spring Rotary club Monday night approved the Big Spring school board's request for use of a Boy Scout hut for classroom purposes at the College Heights elementary school.  
 The Scout building, a surplus AAF structure located on the College Heights school property, was established there by the Rotary club to be used by the Scout troop sponsored by the club.  
 The school board asked permission to convert the building into a temporary classroom to accommodate an extra fifth-grade section at College Heights.

**Rotarians Hear Group Reports**  
 Reports from several committee chairmen were heard Monday night at a Big Spring Rotary club assembly in the Settles hotel.  
 Dr. Ira Woods, Luffield, district Rotary governor, met with committee heads and officers of the local club. He commended the Big Spring organization for its achievements in several fields and offered suggestions for strengthening some phases of the Rotary program here.  
 Attending the assembly were Lee Milling, W. C. Blankenship, Wyatt Ellison, Stormy Thompson, Dave Duncan, F. W. H. Wehner, Frank Dillan, Grady Downing, Charles White, Bob Kountz, George Grimes, Tom Rossow, W. S. Morrison, Otto Peters, Sr., Fred Keating, H. D. Norris.

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**WALL STREET**  
 NEW YORK, Sept. 21. (AP) - In the face of yesterday's severe reaction, the stock market today moved slightly lower in active trading.  
 Steels and motors set the pace with fractional declines, but leading rail issues without selling pressure and presented an irregular picture of small changes in either direction.  
 Oil and distilling shares were active and lower, while the chemicals were steady. Utilities, trailing on the downside yesterday, held to that favorable position again today.  
 Within the first few minutes of trading, the stock exchange floor was hit with overnight orders that pushed prices lower all along the line before some of the leaders recovered some of their losses.  
**COTTON**  
 NEW YORK, Sept. 21. (AP) - Cotton futures at noon \$1.25; 20 cent fall; lower to 15 cents higher than the previous close. Oct. 21 22 Dec. 26 and March 26.75.  
**LIVESTOCK**  
 PORT WORTH, Sept. 21. (AP) - Cattle 4,500; calves 2,300; slaughter cattle slow and weak; slaughter calves weak to 50 cents or more below Monday; good and choice stocker calves and calves steady to weak; medium grade slaughter steers and yearlings 20.00-25.00; bulcher and beef cows 17.00-21.00; canner and cutter 11.00-17.00; hogs 15.00-21.00; good and choice fat calves 17.00-21.00; culls 14.00-17.00; stocker and feeder calves and yearlings 18.00-27.00.  
 Hogs 900; bulchers opened 25 cents lower; later sales for choice below Monday's averages; sows and stocker pigs unchanged; practical top 30.00; sale sales good and choice 18.00; bulchers 28.50; good and choice 18-18.50; and 250-225 lbs. 22-25.50; sows 24.00-28.50; good 100-140 lb. stocker pigs 23.00-27.00.  
 Sheep 3,000; few slaughter spring lambs around 50-60 lower; slaughter ewes steady to 50 down; feeder lambs weak to 1.00 lower; reported Tuesday was sale late Monday of yearling sheep at prices full 5.00 below earlier prices at 18.00 down; medium and low good slaughter spring lambs Tuesday 22.50-21.50; medium and good slaughter ewes 8.00-8.50; cull and common ewes 7.00-7.50; medium to good feeder lambs 15.00-20.00.

**Weather Forecast**  
 BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Mostly cloudy with scattered thunderstorms this afternoon and tonight, slightly cooler this afternoon.  
 High today 86, low tonight 62, high to-morrow 87.  
 Highest temperature this date, 98 in 1925; lowest this date, 48 in 1932; maximum rainfall this date, 1.22 in 1902.  
 EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy, widely scattered showers in west and extreme south portions this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday. Not much change in temperature. Moderate easterly winds on coast.  
 WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy, widely scattered showers this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday. Not quite so warm in Panhandle this afternoon and tonight.  
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 Wednesday at 6:34 a. m.

**World Must Turn To Christ, Lamesans Told**  
 LAMESA, Sept. 21.—The future of the nation and the world is secure only if the people—as individuals and groups—return to the basic concepts of Christianity, some 250 Lamesans and visitors were told Monday evening.  
 The occasion was the annual membership meeting of the Lamesa chapter of commerce and the speaker was Dr. William H. Alexander, pastor of the First Christian church of Oklahoma City and a noted leader in Christian youth activities.  
 Dr. Alexander, a magnetic platform personality, hammered home the points that God can get along without individuals, without organizations, and even without nations, but that these, in contrast, cannot get along without God. At a most perilous time in the world's history, he said, it is time for every American to answer the challenge of destiny—to meet the task for which he is placed in the world.  
 A. B. Carpenter, president of the Lamesa C-C, presided for the program, held in the high school gymnasium. Preceding the program, a fried-chicken box lunch was served. Music was furnished by the Lamesa high school band and by a quartet composed of Oatus Roberts, Essie Moore, Bob Millikin and Gerald Parsons.  
 A number of neighboring towns had visiting delegations. The group from Big Spring included Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Wasson, J. H. Greene, Cecil C. Collings, Herbert Whitney, K. H. McGibbon, Roy Reeder, R. W. Whipkey, Royce Satterwhite and Robert Stripling.

**Man Is Fined \$100 On Traffic Charge**  
 Francisco Martinez was fined \$100 in corporation court this morning after pleading guilty to a charge of failure to yield right of way. He was cited to court following a traffic mishap Monday at the intersection of North Gregg and Fourth streets.  
 Officers said a truck driven by Martinez was involved in a collision with a car driven by Edward C. Jones. No personal injuries were recorded.  
 Other cases, most of them involving drunkenness charges, ran today's fine assessment total to \$84 in corporation court.

**Guardian Appeal Case In Second Day**  
 Appeal on the application of Gladys Addie Judd for appointment as guardian of Floyd Smith Judd went to trial at the Maybell Taylor circuit court Tuesday.  
 The case was brought upon an appeal by C. H. Powell, contestee, from probate court where Mrs. Judd was named guardian of her husband, who was adjudged non compos mentis. In testimony introduced Monday afternoon, plaintiff sought to impeach integrity of the applicant for guardianship. Powell was a brother-in-law of the ward. The case may continue into Wednesday.

**Public Records**  
 Marriage Licenses: Homer McClinton, Levelland, and Nina Barber, Rowell, N.W.M.  
 W. F. Smoot, Fairburn, and Ms. Etta Smoot, Amarillo.  
 Lois B. Roberts, Coleman and Mrs. Exis Weber, Otchobai.  
 W. R. Dollar, Route B, Lamesa, and Maxine L. King, Lamesa.  
 Warrants: Ora Mae Adams et al vs H. C. Hooser, Lots 2, 3, block 4, Wright's Bldg.  
 Clara D. McDonald et al vs Joe Hamby part of tract 11 out of Wm. B. Currie subdivision of southeast quarter section 43-32-31, T&P \$400.  
 J. B. Wheat, et al vs C. A. Morris, Lots 21, 24, block 16, Edwards Heights, \$10.  
 G. E. Chapman et al vs Clyde Turvey and T. P. Gross, lot 14, block 1, Hayden, \$400.  
 In 30th District Court: Carl Bivins versus Mildred Bivins, suit for divorce.  
 New Vehicles: Roberta Lueck Garcia, Chevrolet truck Cecil Bowles, Plymouth coupe.  
 R. T. Dockery, Colorado City, Ford tudor, Carlton Hull, Stanton, GMC truck.

**First Baptist WMS Meets In Circles**  
 Mrs. W. B. Buchanan hosted members of the Mary Willis Circle of the First Baptist church at their regular meeting Monday afternoon.  
 Mrs. B. Reagan conducted the Bible study, using as her text Acts 5:12-42.  
 Sentence prayers concluded the session.  
 Those attending were Mrs. R. D. Ulrey, Mrs. J. L. Haynes, Mrs. B. Reagan, Mrs. H. H. Cook, Mrs. C. P. Clay, Mrs. J. E. Hardesty and the hostess, Mrs. W. B. Buchanan.

**Thomas Can't Talk On Texas Campus**  
 AUSTIN, Sept. 20. (AP) - Norman Thomas, Socialist Party nominee for president, has been rejected as a speaker on the University of Texas campus. C. William Ladwig, Texas secretary of the Socialist Party, said today.

**Churchill Decries British Position**  
 GLASGOW, Scotland, Sept. 21. (AP) - Winston Churchill declared today that "never in the lifetime of the oldest among us has the name of Britain sunk so low in the world."  
 The former prime minister shot his verbal shaft of the Labor Government in a campaign letter to the conservative candidate in a forthcoming parliamentary by-election.

**Victim Of Unique Mishap Is Resting**  
 Victim of a unique mishap, Mrs. R. I. Puckett was resting as well as could be expected Tuesday.  
 She was suffering from concussion and her condition was regarded as serious.  
 Mrs. Puckett fell from an ambulance which was taking her husband, R. I. Puckett, who had suffered a heart attack, to the hospital. Just as the ambulance pulled away from the Puckett home in Settles Heights, Mr. Puckett called for air, said J. C. Pickle, member of the Nalley staff. As he reached for a window crane, Mrs. Puckett did also. She grasped the door handle by mistake and pitched out of the car before it could be halted.

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 Five juveniles, who egged a portion of the audience at the Harley Sadler show Monday evening, had been rounded up Tuesday morning.  
 Deputy Sheriff C. E. Kiser happened to be in the portion of the over-flow crowd which five youngsters twice pelted with rocks. They fled when chased only to return in a jeep (which at one time in the past had been owned by the Herald) to begin pelting the people with eggs.  
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**W. F. Rogers Rites Slated**  
 Services were to be held at 2 p. m. today in the Eberley chapel for William Franklin Rogers, 84, a long-time resident of this area.  
 Mr. Rogers died at 2 a. m. Monday at Abilene at the home of a foster daughter, Mrs. J. B. Dalton. He had made his home with her for the past six years, moving there from Stanton not long after his daughter, Lurline Rogers, died in 1940.  
 The Rev. W. C. Hinds, Plainview, former Methodist pastor here, was to officiate at the services. Burial was to be in the Mount Olive cemetery beside the grave of his wife, Mrs. Wilimut Rogers, who died in October of 1930 and his daughter, Lurline Rogers, who had taught in Big Spring schools for more than a decade.  
 Pallbearers were to be W. E. Fraley and R. L. Parks of Abilene, and Ed Morrow, Dee Rogers, Morgan Hall and Paul Jones of Stanton.

**Tri-County Draft Sign-Up Totals 2-787**  
 Registration totals for the Tri-County Selective Service board stood at 2,787 Tuesday.  
 This was the figure reported by Joyce Sewell, chief clerk, to the state headquarters following conclusion of registration. Of the number, 813 were classed as single, non-veterans and non-fathers, the classification most likely subject to induction.  
 First questionnaire sent out by the board has been returned by Clyde Doyle Stokes, 25, employee of the Dr. Pepper Bottling company.  
 Miss Sewell said that as rapidly as possible questionnaires would be sent to the 813, with Sept. 30 as the deadline. After that date, questionnaires will be sent to the remaining 1,974 registrants.  
 The figure represents the total registration for Howard, Martin and Mitchell counties, and the board does not maintain a breakdown which would show the registration by counties.  
 Registration splashed over until Monday when the press of 18-year-olds on Saturday was so great that not all of them could be accommodated.  
 As youths now attain their 18th birthday, they must register with the board, the offices in Big Spring being at 112 1/2 W. 2nd.

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**'Fun For You' Will Open September 23**  
 The community show, "Fun For You," using a cast of local talent, is set to open a two-night run Sept. 23-24 at the Municipal auditorium under sponsorship of the Beta Omicron chapter of Beta Sigma Phi. "Fun For You" is a program of impersonations of celebrities and a re-enacting of popular radio shows.  
 It is for audience participation similar to stage and radio appearances.  
 Bob Lindley will impersonate Harry Von Zell, handling continuity and introducing each sketch. G. Thompson, J. O. Haywood, S. K. Whaley and Mrs. Condra Long are announced to compose the cast for a setting of the Grand Ole Opry show.  
 In a hill billy and western musical show will be Joe King and his Blue Bonnet Cowboys. Callers for the square dance are Harry King and Lawrence Robinson, and dancers are members of the Chaparral Square Dance club.  
 Dale Puckett will appear in singing commercials from time to time and will do such popular ones as "Chiquita Banana" and "All Purpose Rit."

**Presbyterians Ready For Meet**  
 More than a score of churches will be represented when the El Paso Presbytery convenes in its annual session at 7:30 p. m. today in the First Presbyterian church.  
 Public worship, featuring a sermon by the retiring moderator, the Rev. J. Burton Riddle, Levelland, will begin at 8:15 p. m.  
 Twenty-three ministers in the presbytery and lay delegates from 39 churches are expected to be in attendance as well as a large number from the host church, said its pastor, the Rev. R. Gage Lloyd.  
 The business session begins at 7:30 p. m. with naming of committees. After these have been formulated, the public worship period will get underway.  
 Wednesday morning Dr. Thomas J. Brewster, Fort Stockton, is to bring the doctrinal sermon on "Heaven." Communion for the Presbytery also will be observed at this service. Wednesday evening at the concluding session, Dr. James Hardie, pastor of the Broadway Presbyterian church in Fort Worth will deliver the evangelistic sermon.

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**W. L. Mead Class Holds Wiener Roast**  
 Twenty-one were on hand when members of the W. L. Mead class of the First Baptist Church held a wiener roast and song session at the city park Monday night.  
 Present were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Savage, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pope, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mead, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Soriey, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Nance.  
 Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Nabors, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Vaughan, and H. C. Mobley.

**Suspect Released**  
 Sheriff R. L. Wolf said Tuesday that Lucas Gonzalez, charged with possession of marijuana, had been released under \$1,000 bond. Gonzalez was taken into custody by police last week with a quantity of marijuana allegedly in his possession.

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**Opponent Of Truman Lashes Possible Lobby Indictment**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21. (AP)—A former congressman, whom President Truman helped defeat two years ago, has accused Mr. Truman of "inciting" the Justice Department to seek a lobbying indictment against him.

"Pure politics," snorted former Rep. Roger C. Slaughter, who lost his 1946 re-election bid in Missouri's Democratic primary when the President supported his opponent, Enos Axtell.

Slaughter said that while he has represented grain interests before congressional groups, he served only as their counsel. Therefore, he said, there was no need for him to register with the Justice Department as a lobbyist.

Slaughter issued a statement yesterday after a Minneapolis grain exchange official said a grand jury wants to see all exchange records

having to do with the former congressman. Some newspapers have printed stories that Slaughter might be involved in a "grain lobbying" investigation.

As a representative of grain exchanges and exporters, Slaughter took part in a successful drive to have Congress abolish the Commodity Credit Corporation's power to buy or lease grain elevators.

Mr. Truman said Saturday in Dexter, Iowa, that this action had forced farmers to sell wheat at less than the price guaranteed by the government.

Slaughter denied that, saying farmers had found too little storage space because of unusually large grain crops, not because of the CCC restrictions—which he described as "the first important step to take the government out of business on a big scale."

Commenting that the contract under which he acted for grain interests definitely excluded him from lobbying activity, Slaughter said:

"Mr. Truman's action, in my opinion, is simply a continuation of his personal fight of 1946 in which he and Pendergast succeeded in their purge of vote frauds."

"His indicated action in inciting the Department of Justice to proceed in a misdemeanor case which it knows to be groundless, is only equalled by the inactivity of Mr. Truman's same Justice Department in refusing and failing to prosecute the vote fraud felony cases until the election board vault was blasted and the evidence stolen."

**PEOPLE MAY BE ASKED OPINION**

**Belgian Senators To Decide On Vote For King's Return**

BRUSSELS, Belgium, Sept. 21. (AP)—Forty Belgian senators decide today whether the public will get a chance to vote on the question of King Leopold III's return.

Leopold has been in exile in Switzerland since he was freed from German custody at the end of the war.

If the senators decide the people should be consulted, there is no need for Leopold to start packing. Their report first must go back to parliament to be approved.

Then, when a referendum law has been drafted, the date for a plebiscite must be set.

Actually it is not a plebiscite that is being considered today, but what parliamentarians call a "consultative referendum." In other words, although the Belgian citizen may be asked for his opinion, the majority vote which results will not necessarily be binding on the government.

If the referendum eventually takes place, all Belgian men and women over 21 will be called on to vote. Only known collaborators with the Germans will be barred. Voting will be obligatory and secret, as it is in communal elections. Belgians who don't vote in elections face a fine unless they have a valid excuse.

Leopold himself will be informed in his Swiss exile of the result of the vote, but that will be by no means an invitation to return.

The Senate and chamber of deputies first would have to meet; then a law would have to be passed ending the present regency of Leopold's brother, Prince Charles. For only parliament, which proclaimed the regency, can invite the king's return.

Ever since the end of the war Belgian politicians have debated from the platform for or against the exiled king and his allied relations with the Germans during the country's Nazi occupation.

Belgian displeasure over Leopold's abrupt surrender to Germany and his refusal to leave Bel-

gium when occupation was imminent, have prevented his returning to Belgium.

The 40 senators will represent all the main parties in the present parliament.

The work of the commission is expected to last two or three days. Their decision will be kept secret until discussed in public session of the Senate, probably in mid-October.

**Wisconsin's Election Holds Little Interest**

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 21. (AP)—Wisconsin held its state and county primary elections today, but the contests were expected to draw fewer than half of the state's 1,200,000 registered voters.

At stake were party nominations for governor and state office, county officials, and representatives to Congress and the state legislature. Estimates on the probable total vote ran from 400,000 to 550,000.

Of major interest was the race for the Republican nomination for governor. Gov. Rennebohm, who succeeded to office when the late Gov. Walter Goodland died in March, 1946 is being challenged by Ralph Immell, a former Progressive.

In the primary, Carl W. Thompson, Young Stoughton attorney, is battling William D. Carroll, of Prairie Du Chien for the nomination for governor.

The Socialist and People's Progressive (Wallace) parties have no contests. Former Assembly Walter Uphoff, of Oregon is the Socialist nominee for governor while Henry Berquist, of Rhinelander, carries the Wallace banner.

**Estonian Band Crosses Atlantic Seeking Haven**

WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 21. (AP)—Sixty-nine Estonians, victors in a battle against the Atlantic Ocean, today hoped their luck would hold good against U. S. immigration laws.

The group, which includes 13 children, ended a 60-day crossing of the Atlantic in a small boat here yesterday. They were immediately secluded by immigration officers who refused to let them tell their story because of "security reasons."

They came in a 79-foot auxiliary schooner, the "Prolific" which was taken under Coast Guard escort.

**Poage Warns U. S. About Following Pattern Of France**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21. (AP)—Anyone who is considering voting a third party ticket in the United States should stop, look and listen to what is happening in France, a Texas congressman just back from Europe said yesterday.

Rep. Poage (D-Tex) said lack of a responsible political party in France is to blame for France's governmental strife.

**SICK BOY LONGS FOR ABSENT DAD**

CHICAGO, Sept. 21. (AP)—David Symnkowski, 6, is lonely for his father, away from home for seven months, and is not eating much food.

The lack of food, doctor's say, is making David weaker for an impending major operation to relieve an abnormal heart condition.

Mrs. Lillian Symnkowski, 38, said her son refuses to eat until he can see his father, Edmund, 28, who became separated from her last spring.

Symnkowski does not know David is about to undergo an operation. Mrs. Symnkowski said. She said he may be working as a punch operator in either Fort Wayne or Valparaiso, Ind.

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**CONFEDERATE FLAG IS HAULED DOWN**

BALTIMORE, Sept. 21. (AP)—Maryland State Rights Democrats have hauled down the Confederate flag from in front of their state headquarters.

Maryland Chairman E. Stuart Vaughan explained: "We decided this, after all, was a national movement."

Still on display are an American flag and two Maryland state flags.

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