

Plane Breaks Own Record

Bullet-Like Navy Jet Streaks To Speed Mark

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

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

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

Rio Delegates Have Solved Controversies

Early Finish Is Expected On New Treaty

QUITANDINHA, Brazil, Aug. 26. (AP)—Inter-American conference delegates were in virtual agreement today on all controversial questions, promising a swift completion on an historic treaty for mutual defense of the Western Hemisphere.

Formal agreement by a five-nation subcommittee on measures to be taken against aggression and Argentina's acceptance of the two-thirds majority rule in invoking those measures came in quick succession yesterday and reports immediately began circulating that the 20-nation conference would finish writing the treaty by the weekend.

Unconfirmed reports were current in conference circles that President Truman might advance the date of his visit here, now scheduled for Sept. 5. He is scheduled to close the conference formally.

A drafting subcommittee—composed of delegates from the United States, Brazil, Mexico, Peru and Bolivia—concluded four days of work last night in full agreement on 12 main clauses on aggression, which one delegate called "the very heart of the treaty."

The text of these clauses was to be presented to the parent subcommittee today. Foreign Minister Ricardo J. Alfaro of Panama, who served as ex-officio chairman of the sub-committee, said the draft included: 1. The branding of aggression as such "wherever it occurs." 2. Collective measures to be taken against aggression.

Alfaro said the controversial question of whether distinction should be drawn between aggression from without and from within was settled by the following compromise formula: 1. Collective armed action may be taken immediately against an attack from outside the hemisphere.

2. In the event of aggression stemming from within the hemisphere, the attacked nation may take up arms immediately in self defense "and such other nations as desire may come to her aid." 3. However, before organized collective armed action may be taken by American nations to halt aggression from within, "all Pacific measures must first be exhausted."

These measures include arbitration, conciliation and recourse to the international court of justice.

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

Greek Situation Causes Concern

U. S. Efforts Fail To Solve Cabinet Crisis

Liberal Leader Refuses Any Compromise

ATHENS, Aug. 26. (AP)—American efforts to mediate the deadlock in the Greek governmental crisis failed today when Themistokles Sophoulis, leader of the main branch of the Liberal Party, insisted that he become premier.

Constantin Tsaldaris, premier-designate, had been trying for three days to form a new government. Sophoulis, 86, had been one of the main obstacles to success because of his steadfast refusal to enter a coalition cabinet to solve the current crisis.

U. S. Ambassador Lincoln MacVeagh had conferred with Sophoulis during the morning. Tsaldaris said after leaving the 90-minute mediation conference that he had proposed a neutral politician for premier, but that Sophoulis rejected the idea, proposing instead that he (Sophoulis) assume leadership of the state and that his party take the portfolios of war, justice and public order.

School Program Will Be Aired

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

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

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

Both a high school building and expansion of the elementary school plant have been under study by the board, as well as requirements for school operations that might include additional tax money derived from the projected rate increase.

The entire school program is expected to be clarified after tonight's conference.

Refugee Ships Stop At Gibraltar

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

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

The British intercepted them off the Holy Land coast and carried them back to France, from which they had embarked, but they refused to disembark at Port De Bouc and after three weeks the British gave them a final chance to disembark or be taken to Germany.

School Teacher Is Killed In Collision

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

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

Police said Mrs. Touchstone was driving. Also injured were Raymond Curtis Ross, 21, Arlington, Va., driver of the second car, and his companion, Miss Nancy Gluscevic, 18, Washington.



RIOT WRECKAGE IN LAHORE — Religious rioting in Lahore, city in the West Punjab section of the new dominion of Pakistan, left this shambles in a shopping district last week. Continued warfare between religious communities in the India and Pakistan areas of partitioned Punjab was reported. (AP Wirephoto via radio from London).

Jester Says Race Laws Are Adequate

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

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

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

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

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

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

Knights Of Pythias Will Meet Tonight

All members of the Knights of Pythias lodge are urged to attend a meeting tonight, to be held in the old Woodman hall beginning at 8:30.

Reorganization plans will be discussed, and groundwork laid for reviving lodge activities, it was announced. Assistance of all local KP's is asked in formulating the new plans.

RAM SALE

SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 26. (AP)—The tempo of bidding was expected to pick up today at the national ram sale after first day's purchases yesterday totaled \$47,299.50 for 564 head of Rambouillet and Hampshires.

West Texas Is Against Plan

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

Expert Fears World War III May Be Coming

Says Reds Must Not Dominate Stricken Nation

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26. (AP)—Chairman Eaton (R-NJ) of the House Foreign Affairs committee declared today that Greece may be the powder box that explodes into World War III.

Taking a gloomy view of world conditions, the House member who helped draft the United Nations charter, told reporters the United States "cannot afford" to permit Russia to dominate Greece.

Such a Soviet conquest, Eaton said, would be the beginning of a drive on Turkey and other countries bordering the Mediterranean.

"From there, they could go on to an attempt to conquer the world," he asserted. Eaton was a leading proponent of the administration's \$400,000,000 Greek-Turkish aid program designed to keep those two nations from falling prey to communist pressures.

During House debate on that measure last spring, the white haired lawmaker called upon his colleagues to accept in what he termed the most important piece of legislation to reach Congress in 100 years.

"We are right down to bedrock in Greece," Eaton said today. "Both sides have served notice they will back their position to the limit. If neither backs down the consequences will be disastrous."

"The situation is as bad as primordial chaos could be. Nowhere is there a spirit of cooperation bringing the nations together to solve the common problems of all humanity."

Describing the policy of the United States as based on a genuine desire to maintain world peace, Eaton said Russia on the other hand is pressing a philosophy "utterly alien to our way of thinking."

"They would not mind seeing the world in rubble because then they could rule over the rubble," he added.

"The Greek situation contains all the elements for touching off a major war. Perhaps we will be able to surmount the crisis. If we can surmount enough crises, perhaps some day we will even have a permanent and stable peace."

Law Searches For Escapees

HOUSTON, Aug. 26. (AP)—Heavily armed police patrols early today scoured the Brazos river bottoms for 26 escaped convicts.

Chief deputy sheriff Jack Colca said "They've been lying low somewhere in the Brazos river bottoms, but they'll probably make a break for it."

Joining in the search for the felons were Texas Rangers, state highway patrolmen and deputy sheriffs.

Sheriff J. W. Marshall of Brazoria county said the escapees, all but two of whom were Negroes, were desperate criminals and were serving terms of from nine years to life.

AAF Buildings May Be Used For Local Exhibits

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

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

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

Plans under consideration include space for the annual 4-H club livestock show, exhibits of registered cattle, liberal space for booths to be used in field crop exhibits, educational exhibits and industrial shows.

Some members of the association are confident that more interest could be developed among both farmers and Big Spring business men by converting the warehouses into such facilities. Doubtless, a full-fledged county fair would occupy a top spot on the calendar of such a program. The fair would include exhibits and displays of all types, with farmers, stockmen, 4-H club members, schools, civic clubs, merchants and industrial firms occupying various sections.

In addition, the exclusive livestock shows and various industrial shows could serve to balance the calendar through the seasons.

On Aug. 12, the Big Spring city commission offered to sell the warehouses to the Fair Association, and gave the organization 90 days to study the proposition and arrange for financing the project. Favorable reports have been submitted by most inspection parties, and plans probably will be launched soon for financing the deal.

Flood-Expected On Colorado River

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

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

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

Petition Placed For Pullman Charge Boost

CHICAGO, Aug. 26. (AP)—C. R. Harding, president of the Pullman Company, said application for increased sleeping car charges throughout the country was filed Monday with the interstate commerce commission.

The proposed increases, Harding said, are figured on a scale of percentages, with the greatest advances asked for short trips and no additional charges sought for trips on which the present lower berth charge exceeds \$17.55.

U. N. Kills Move For World Court Ruling

LAKE SUCCESS, Aug. 26. (AP)—The security council today rejected a Dutch-supported Belgian proposal that the council act in the competence of the United Nations to act in the Indonesian conflict. Only the United States, Belgium, France and Britain backed the move.

Poland voted against the proposal. Russia, which had fought it hardest, joined with China, Colombia, Brazil, Syria and Australia in abstaining.

The ballot was interpreted as a test of the continued Dutch contention that Indonesian hostilities were an internal affair and the council had no business intervening.

The vote came after the Indonesian Republic officially informed the U. N. that it accepted council decisions calling for consular reports from Batavia and an offer of the council's good offices in the East Indies dispute.

The Dutch had not officially replied. The consuls would report on hostilities since the council's Aug. 1 call for cease-fire and the good offices would be used to bring the disputants together for further negotiations.

Sutan Sjahrir, former premier representing the republic here, said he had asked his government in Jogjakarta, Java, for instructions regarding the Indonesian selection of one nation for the mediation group.

The Indonesian announcement came as the council went back into session in the wake of a surprise French veto which killed a Russian proposal for a 11-nation commission to investigate violations of the U. N.'s Aug. 1 cease-fire order.

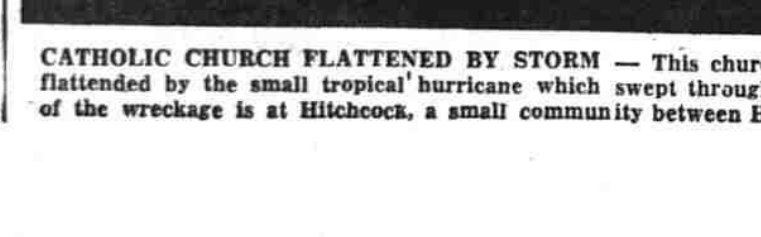
THE LEGION IS COMING

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

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

ANTI-AGRARIAN BILL

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Aug. 26. (AP)—A bill to dissolve the Agrarian party, chief opposition to the communist-dominated fatherland front government, was introduced today in parliament. The party is headed by Nikola Petkov, now under sentence of death on charges of plotting against the government.



CATHOLIC CHURCH FLATTENED BY STORM — This church, which was almost completed, was flattened by the small tropical hurricane which swept through a portion of the Texas coast. Scene of the wreckage is at Hitchcock, a small community between Houston and Galveston. (AP Wirephoto)

The Household And Hubby's Job

Electric Linemen Must Leave The Comforts Of Home In Bad Weather

(Third in a series of six articles in which wives give a tongue-in-cheek sketch of the influence their husbands' occupa-

tions have over the household—Ed. Note).

By Laetice Ross

THE LINEMAN

Mrs. Steve Baker discovers a third party in any plans she and Steve might be thinking of. The weather.

For many years the Bakers have spent weekends at home in deference to a cloudy sky that might mean trouble for the electric power. And whenever they go out evenings, the station must be called and told where Steve is going and when he will return. Very often he leaves a movie or a dance in the middle of an evening.

At home a lineman is in and out of the house every few minutes to inspect the skies as long as he can see for himself. Then before he retires, he calls and checks the weather with the station—just in case. If there is a sudden gust of wind or rain he is out of the sack and scanning the skies in an instant.

Mrs. Baker never knows when Steve will leave for work, when he might return or even where he is at any time. At one time she cooked regular meals, but found them discouragingly cold and unattractive by the time Steve got in. Steve can spot an offending line

by just looking at it, and Mrs. Baker finds that when they are out driving it is not the scenery but the wires atop telephone poles that keep her husband's attention. Linemen never talk of the dangers of their work, though these exist. Mrs. Baker no longer worries for safety devices are now such that line work can be as safe as any other occupation.

Steve, like others in his profession, caters to indoor recreation, probably because he is out so much on his job. A golf fan for years ago, he has traded his game for bridge. His work is very strenuous—a workman's gear weighs 60 pounds—and he is appreciative of quiet evenings. Also typical of linemen, he is calm and reserved.

Steve is very interested in electricity and has taken several correspondence courses on phases of the work. Mrs. Baker is fascinated by the workings of an electric system and astonishes one with her talk of the subject. She has studied with her husband on the nature of her affairs. Mrs. Baker finds no fault with electricity at all.

Tomorrow: THE BONE-CRUSHER. Mrs. Pat O'Dowdy has a few words.

Events

OF THE COMING WEEK

Wednesday
PARK METHODIST STUDY CLUB will meet at the church at 8 p. m.
HAPPY STITCHERS will meet with Mrs. Fanning Morton at 2 p. m.
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHORUS meets at the church at 7:30 p. m.
FIRST METHODIST CHURCH CHORUS will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.
THE 42 CLUB will meet at the home of Mrs. Homer Pettit, 707 N. Green, at 7:30 p. m.
NITE OUT BRIDGE CLUB will meet with Mrs. Garrett Patton, 1109 E. 14th Street at 8 p. m.
SWEETHEARTS OF THE First Baptist Church will meet at the church at 10 a. m.
FIRST BAPTIST CHORUS meets at the church at 7:30 p. m.
SEW AND CHATTER CLUB will meet with Mrs. Herbert Johnson, 601 East 14th, at 2 p. m.
Thursday
LITTLE MOON YWCA will meet at the Little Moon YWCA at 8:30 p. m.
AUXILIARY of the First Baptist Church will meet at the church at 10 a. m.
EAGER BEAVER CLUB will meet with Mrs. Felton Johnson, 702 Douglas, at 2 p. m.
DOUBLE POUR BRIDGE CLUB will meet with Mrs. Howard Lester, Washington Street at 8:30 p. m.
Friday
THE VARIETY SEWING CLUB will meet with Mrs. Wayne Morris, 304 W. 16th at 2:30 p. m.
The First Baptist Church of the First Baptist Church will have a barbecue at the Kent Morgan ranch. They will meet at 10:30 a. m.
EAGER BEAVER CLUB will meet with Mrs. M. E. Harland, 1110 Main, at 2 p. m.
THE HOMEMAKER'S CLASS of the First Baptist Church will meet at the W. O. W. hall at 8 p. m.
Saturday
THE WOODMAN CIRCLE will meet at the W. O. W. hall at 8 p. m.
BETA SIGMA PHI DANCE will be held at Hotel Settles ballroom at 9 p. m.

Billie Yvonne Norris-Alvin Mize Approaching Marriage Revealed

Announcement is being made of the approaching marriage Sunday afternoon of Billie Yvonne Norris, daughter of Mrs. Dolly Stephens of Fresno, Calif., to Alvin C. Mize, informal double ring ceremony to son of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Mize. The couple will be united in an elaborate ceremony at 2:30 p. m. in the Church of the Nazarene by the Rev. H. C. Thomas, pastor. The bride-elect will be attended by Mrs. Bill Hood, matron of honor, and attending the bridegroom-elect will be his brother, Herman Mize. Miss Norris is a 1947 graduate of Big Spring high school, where she was a member of the GAA and the Volley Ball team. Mize, a 1945 graduate of the local high school, was captain of the Steer basketball team and lettered in football. He served two years with the Army air corps and 15 months with the occupation forces in Germany. At present he is employed by the Grapefruit bottling company in San Angelo. Following their marriage the couple will make their home in Big Spring.

Betty June Henry Becomes Bride Of E. L. Jones In Sterling City

In a double ring ceremony solemnized Saturday evening in the Presbyterian church in Sterling City, Betty June Henry, daughter of Mrs. E. R. Brown, became the bride of E. L. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burk Jones. The bride was attended by Pat Monsey, who was attired in an aqua gabardine suit and wore a corsage of sweetpeas. Archie Smith served as best man. The bride selected for her wedding ensemble a peacock blue gabardine suit with which she wore black accessories. Her shoulder corsage was an arrangement of gardenias. In carrying out the bridal tradition, she wore an heirloom ring belonging to her mother, and a bracelet borrowed from a niece, Patsy Wilson. She carried a penny in her shoe. The bride attended Big Spring high school where she was a member of the GAA and HE organizations and a member of the Volley Ball team. The bridegroom, a graduate of Temple high school, served three years with the Navy. At present he is employed by the Texas and Pacific railway. Following a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Jones will reside in Big Spring.

WMU Meets In Circles

Circles of the Women's Missionary Union of the East Fourth street Baptist church met separately Monday afternoon. Circle One was entertained by Mrs. W. W. Bennett. Circle Two met with Mrs. J. B. Riddle. Circles Three and Four met jointly at the church and Circle Five was hosted by Mrs. V. O. Cross. Mrs. Dick Lytle brought the concluding lesson from the mission study book, "Shining Like the Stars," at the meeting of Circle One. Attending were Mrs. H. Reeves, Mrs. F. J. Hill and Mrs. Paul Floyd. A nomination committee was appointed to name new officers for the coming year during the business meeting of Circle Two. The group worked on their community mission project and those present were Mrs. J. B. Riddle, Mrs. L. M. Bond, Mrs. O. R. Smith, Mrs. Elmer Rainey, Mrs. Cleve Reece and Mrs. A. W. Page.

Visits-Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Clovin and son, Al, have returned from a week's visit in Rudoso, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gilliland of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Gilliland of Stanton visited in the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Willmot of Phoenix, Ariz. are expected to visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Glaser. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Graddy have returned from a three weeks vacation in Florida. They visited with Graddy's mother Mrs. W. E. Graddy, and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graddy. Nancy Bivings has returned from a visit in Albuquerque, N. M. Lydia Carr of Victoria is to arrive today for a week's visit with Mary Jo Thurman. Col. Elbert Helton of Austin will come on Wednesday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Thurman. Mrs. Irene Gay is visiting in Ashtown, Ark., Texarkana and DeKalb this week. C. C. Roark of Alamosa, Colo. visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McNabb. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Underhill and sons, Tommy and Bill, who have been visiting in Modesto, Calif., will return this weekend. Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Conley have had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Petty of Ft. Stockton and Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor and Margaret of Carlsbad, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Deannie Joe Chapman and children Joe Bob and Gloria Jean, went to Ft. Worth Friday for the wedding of his brother, L. B. Chapman.

Eastern Star Will Have Picnic Thursday Night

The order of the Eastern Star will have an annual picnic honoring the founder, Robert Morris, Thursday, Aug. 28, at the City park at 6:30 p. m. All members of the Eastern Star and their families are invited to attend.

Senator Pleads For Admission Of DP's To U. S.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26. (AP)—Senator Downey (D-Calif.) said Monday the United States faced a "serious menace of race suicide." Hence, the California lawmaker told a reporter, he is "very sympathetic" to President Truman's proposal to admit some 400,000 of Europe's displaced persons. Senator Revercomb (R-W.Va.) declared in a separate interview, however, that efforts are underway to "break down" this country's immigration barriers and "this must not happen." Revercomb is chairman of a special Senate committee which plans to investigate Mr. Truman's proposal and other immigration problems. He said his group will have specific recommendations ready for Congress after "we get all the facts" by means of public hearings to the occupied countries of Europe. The Senate authorized the committee inquiry in lieu of acting immediately on a bill to authorize the admission of 100,000 European refugees a year over a four-year period. A \$50,000 fund was made available for the study.

Legion Auxiliary Backs Training Plan

NEW YORK, Aug. 26. (AP)—Mrs. Norton H. Pearl, president of the American Legion Auxiliary, said Monday the auxiliary's 950,000 members were "solidly behind" a movement to have Congress called into special session to enact universal military training. Auxiliary members should "hedge" Congress into passing such legislation, she said at a news conference after arriving with the vanguard of auxiliary and legion members for the 29th annual convention opening Thursday. Mrs. Pearl, a resident of Detroit, said she "had visited every state in the union, as well as Alaska, Hawaii and Puerto Rico, and I talked to the women, and I know they are in favor of this act."

Eleven UT Faculty Members Resign

AUSTIN, Aug. 26. (AP)—Eleven University of Texas faculty members have resigned during the summer session, the Summer Texan, student newspaper, has reported. Two more resignations are reported certain before the fall semester begins, yesterday's edition of the paper said. Resignations included those of Dr. E. W. Hamlin of the college of engineering, Dr. David D. Klein of the department of psychology, and Dr. William N. Peach of the department of economics.

Sterling-Robt. Lee Highway Discussed

State Highway Commissioner Fred Wemple is scheduled to meet with representatives of Sterling and Coke counties at Midland Sept. 2, on suggestions for a surfaced road connection between Sterling and Robert Lee. The area is currently the center of active oil development, and both towns are calling for action to get a good road connection. The two towns are about 45 miles apart by present roads.

Jaques Power Saw Co. Gets Chinese Order

DENISON, Aug. 26. (AP)—The Jaques Power Saw Company today began production of 1,000 midget tractors and 1,000 power saws for the Chinese government, it was announced by J. C. Jaques, president. He returned yesterday from New York where the company set up a distribution program for South America. The company recently completed negotiations with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for a \$600,000 loan for an expansion program.

Margaret Taylor Feted With Party

Margaret Taylor of Carlsbad, N. M. was named honoree of a party given in the D. W. Conley home Saturday night. Jean Conley and Rebecca Rogers were hostesses. Games and a scavenger hunt were entertainment. Refreshments were served to Roy Smith, Billy Bob Watson, Vavagene Apple, J. W. King, Jr., Rolly Sewall, Doris Jean Clay, Lois Reagan, Dorothy Pursler, Mary Louise Porter, Mary Davis, Tommy Hubbard, D. A. Miller, Revis McKeenan, Gerald Harris, Terry Wilson, Bill Montgomery, Thelma Lou Tucker, Pat McCormick, Reba Roberts, Donnie Rowland, Bill Wozenrath, Mrs. J. C. Rogers, the honoree and hostesses.

Elmer Rainey Honored At Party In Ewing Home

Employees of the Furr Food Store honored Elmer Rainey with a farewell party at the home of Mrs. L. P. Wing Monday night. As entertainment, the guests played 42. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Beaty, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Bryan, Gay Nvinger, Lolo Cruz, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Chrane, and daughter, Carol, Holly Bird, Tommy Shirley, the hostess and daughters, Lornell and Emmadell, and the honoree and Mrs. Rainey.

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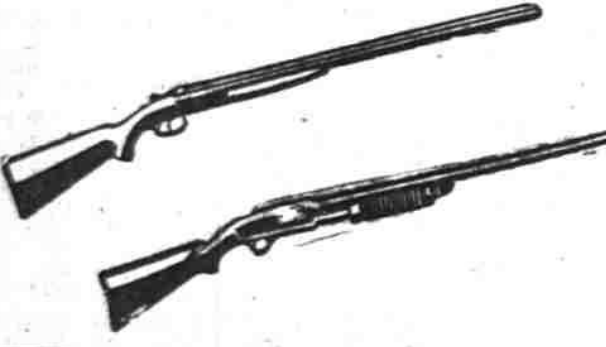
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Mrs. Drake Hosts WSCS At Her Home

Mrs. H. D. Drake was hostess to the Wesley Methodist Church WSCS at her home Monday afternoon. Mrs. W. W. Coleman opened the meeting with prayer. Mrs. H. C. Penikett gave the devotional which was the twelfth chapter of Romans. Mrs. Cecil Nabors conducted a short business meeting. Present were Mrs. J. E. Duggan, Alice Wooten, Mrs. Arthur Pickle, Mrs. W. B. Ayers, Mrs. J. K. King, Mrs. Tommy Lovelace, Mrs. J. T. Morgan, Mrs. E. R. Cawthron and Mrs. W. D. Lovelace.

Omar Pitman Jr. Has Birthday Party

Omar Pitman, Jr., celebrated his birthday anniversary with a party at scenic drive on Monday night. Those present were Charles Rainwater, Luan Creighton, Marilyn Guitar, Janelle Beane, Mary Elizabeth Martin, Patricia Lloyd, Martha Ann Johnson, Larry Evans, Tommy Porter, Clarence Long, Richard Laswell, Wayne Horn, Sue Caroline Wasson, Donald Wren, Woody Woods and Nancy Bivings.

First Methodist WSCS Meets At Church

Mrs. H. G. Keaton presided at the meeting of the First Methodist WSCS at the church Monday afternoon which was opened by a song led by Mrs. W. A. Laswell. The scripture was read in unison. Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Sr. lead in prayer and the meeting was closed with the club benediction. Those present were Mrs. Frank Powell, Mrs. Schull, Mrs. W. A. Laswell, Mrs. S. R. Nobles, Mrs. H. M. Rowe, Mrs. Whittington, Mrs. Roy Satterwhite, Mrs. Salisbury, Mrs. Clyde Johnson and Mrs. G. W. Chown.

Kill Kare Klub Meets With Dorothy Driver

Dorothy Driver entertained the Kill Kare Klub in the home of Mrs. Curtis Driver, Monday night. Mrs. D. Carol and Mrs. Johnny Ray Dillard were guests. Mrs. Robert Satterwhite won high score. Mrs. Elvis McCrary won second; and Mrs. Watson Hammond won bingo score. Others present were Mrs. Carl Madison, and Mrs. Roy Lassiter. Mrs. Roy Tidwell will be the next hostess.

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Crisis Can Wait, England Will Relax

By The Associated Press
LONDON, Aug. 26. (AP)—A letter from America: "What's it like, living in England nowadays? We read about the crisis, about the food cuts, about direction of labor and all that. But what's the effect on everyday life? How is the little man taking it?"

Well, as of today, friend, he's taking it on his back in a deck chair, with the sun beating down and the tide lapping at his feet, if he can possibly arrange it. This is vacation time, and for millions of people the jolly old crisis can just wait until the traditional two weeks at the seashore are over.

"It has been a most gentlemanly crisis," observed the London Sunday Observer.

Most cabinet ministers have joined the working man and his wife at the beach, although they were on call for "emergency" meetings. They were tired after a tough year. So were most people. Besides, the weather was gorgeous. There hasn't been a good, dripping English rainfall for nigh onto three weeks.

"After the holidays," said Deputy Prime Minister Herbert Morrison, "the government must press for everyone to do that extra bit."

Meanwhile the Punch and Judy shows are packing 'em in at Brighton and Blackpool, the weekend holiday trains are jammed to the windows and the papers are full of bathing beauty pictures to inspire the harvesters and others

who have to stay on the job and grumble "what holidays?"

Next winter may bring cold houses and half-empty dinner plates, but today? Sir Alan Herment, put it in four lines in the Sunday Graphic:

"The sun is over Britain. The kids are in the sea; And if our doom is written It shan't disturb our tea."



DIES — Mrs. Mina Miller Edison (above), 82, widow of inventor Thomas A. Edison, died at Harkness Pavilion of the Columbia University Medical Center in New York. (AP Wirephoto).

Texas Records 129 Oil Completions

AUSTIN, Aug. 26. (AP)—There were 129 oil well completions and 22 gas well completions in Texas during the week ending Aug. 23, the railroad commission reported yesterday.

The commission report said two wildcat oil wells and five wildcat gas wells were drilled during the week.

Total average calendar day crude allowable as of Aug. 23 was reported as 2,513,385 barrels, an increase of 8,683 barrels over the allowable the preceding week.

Drivers Must Obey Signal Law After Sept. 5

AUSTIN, Aug. 26. (AP)—Any motorist who turns, slows down or stops a vehicle without giving a proper signal after Sept. 5 will be violating the new uniform traffic code, Texas Department of Public Safety Director Homer Garrison said today.

The new traffic law requires drivers to signal 100 feet before turning or stopping.

"Drivers who get half way across an intersection before they decide to turn and others who swoop into parking places all of a sudden will not only be liable to arrest but will be legally responsible for any collision damage that results from such irresponsible driving," Garrison warned.

He noted that the law allows signalling by electrical or mechanical devices or by use of the driver's hand and arm, adding:

"Most drivers will use hand-and-arm signals, and I don't mean fingertip signals."

The safety director emphasized that the hand and arm must be extended to give a signal—out and up for a right turn; straight out to the left for a left turn; out and down toward the street for slow or stop.


Ice Cream Sales Drop

AUSTIN, Aug. 26. (AP)—Texas dairy manufacturing in July dropped below July, 1946 figures, the University of Texas bureau of business research reported Monday.

Milk consumption showed a 3 percent drop for the month. Creamery butter manufacture was down 2 percent. Ice cream slid 17 percent.

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Funds Cut For Farm Tenant Purchase Plan

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26. (AP)—The farmers home administration figures Texans, enjoying a good share of agriculture's economic prosperity, don't need so much money now for the farm tenant purchase program.

This is apparent in a table released by the FHA's budget division, disclosing allocations it will make during the current fiscal year ending June 30, 1948.

Reductions are listed not only for Texas but for all states, reflecting the attitude of Congress, but the Texas cuts are much deeper than the average. The lawmakers appropriated only \$15,000,000 for the farm tenant purchase operations in the 1947-48 period, as compared with \$45,467,807 in the 1947 fiscal year ended last June 30.

The FHA farm tenant loan obligations to Texans wanting to buy the land they have been working as non-owners amounted to \$6,318,047 in the last fiscal year. The contemplated 1948 distribution in Texas for the same program is only \$945,187.

While cutting down on the appropriations, Congress did for the first time authorize the FHA to insure private farm purchase loans up to 90 percent of the property's appraised value if the purchaser met the requirements of a direct loan.

To obtain a direct loan, the borrower must be an experienced farmer, an American citizen and have the recommendation of three persons, including two farmers. He may repay the loan in 40 years, with 3 percent interest.

Contemplated allocations also were announced for two other programs administered by the FHA.

For water utilization loans in the state in the 1948 fiscal year the budget allocated \$250,000, as compared with loans made last year aggregating \$295,390.

The water facilities loan is primarily for drilling new wells, constructing small local reservoirs or stock watering ponds and similar uses.

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Pope Receives Myron Taylor Today

ROME, Aug. 26. (AP)—Pope Pius XII today received Myron Taylor, who returned Sunday to his post as President Truman's personal

representative at the Vatican, and talked with him for more than half an hour.

The audience took place at the pontifical residence at Castel Gandolfo, where the Pope is spending the summer months.

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Cost Of County Govt. Going Up

Increased taxation is something none of us likes to have to consider, but the cost of maintaining local agencies, down to the lowest district, continues to climb, and more money must be had to foot the bill. Howard county is a case in point. Budget requirements have been elevated by some \$87,000, and this requires not only increased valuations for tax purposes, but also is bringing a marked increase in the tax rate.

Increase in salaries, averaging around 10 per cent, and the income of officers is being put to state limits. If public officials' pay has been lagging behind living costs, as it undoubtedly has, it's pretty difficult to argue against provisions to meet the advanced costs.

Advances Food Price And Exports

High food prices are not primarily due to the huge shipments of American foodstuffs abroad, Dr. John D. Black, internationally known farm economist of Harvard University, points out. Though the United States sent 18,000,000 tons of food to Europe last year and is continuing to ship food, these exports make up only 5 per cent of America's food supply, Dr. Black reports.

As the problem is analyzed by farm economists, food prices have been pushed up mainly by the highest employment levels on record, which created exceptional purchasing power and buyer demand. Accompanying this was the Government's policy of emphasizing price supports and abandoning ceiling prices and consumer rationing. Such a price program would have been justified only if farm and food prices were low and dropping.

Affairs Of The World—DeWitt MacKenzie

Reds Are Distorting U. S. Motives

American motives in trying to help Europe back on her feet are being distorted in a propaganda campaign whose intensity is hard to realize in a land where a free press and fair play are traditional. Reminders bob up in news Pravda and Izvestia on some current turn of events, but only from time to time. In the meanwhile the campaign is being pressed relentlessly, day and night, in two score or more languages.

western Europe." Moscow in Danish to Europe—"It is no longer any secret that the U. S. food exports to Europe constitute one of the main items of the American economic mass attack against the European nations. Uncle Sam will take great care not to lend one farthing if it should cross the interests of the U. S. monopolists and exporters."

"SOMEHOW I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE DIFFERENT"



Hal Boyle's Notebook

Uninvited Guests

NEW YORK (AP)—Our candidate today for the honor of being the harried American housewife's favorite "pinup boy" is Henry Paynter. His distinction? "It happens to be the only man ever annoyed enough to really solve the problem of uninvited guests," said Paynter modestly. His household is no longer troubled by unexpected out-of-town visitors since he bought a mountain, built a home on it and booby-trapped the approachers.

Washington Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

AFL May Like Schwelienbach Again

By ROBERT S. ALLEN (For Drew Pearson) WASHINGTON. — Inner labor circles are watching with keen curiosity what the AFL does on inviting Labor Secretary Lewis Schwelienbach to address the forthcoming AFL convention in San Francisco. Last year he was pointedly omitted from the guest-speaker list.

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AN ENGLISHMAN TALKS.

Unhappiest newsmen in Washington are the British correspondents who covered the negotiations over the easing of the U. S. loan. The Englishmen took the proceedings very hard; as if they were an indignity on them personally. Illustrative of their viewpoint was the outburst one gave vent to following Treasury Secretary John Snyder's press conference, in which he explained the U. S. plan to bail Britain out of its latest fiscal difficulty.

Those tentatively scheduled to make the tour are representatives Roy Clippinger, (R.), Ill., George A. Dondero, (R.), Mich., Clifford Davis, (D.), Tenn., George H. Fallon, (D), Md., J. Harvey McGregor, (R.), O., Edward C. Rohrbough, (R.), W. Va., and John A. Blatnik, (D.), Minn.

TEXAS TODAY—Jack Rutledge

Educational Stuff About Melons

Watermelon eating time is in full swing, but it's far from over. The fields of East Texas, for example, still have tens of thousands of melons just waiting to be picked. In fact, some are burning in the fields, open invitations to kids and wild hogs.

BROADWAY—Jack O'Brian

Disc Jockey Prize

NEW YORK — Since the "name band" business is a multimillion dollar trade, the folks who play and sing the nation's ditties have become a matter of intensely serious moment not only to music publishers and composers, but to the listeners who buy sheet music and recordings.

Radio Programs

Table with 3 columns: Station (WBAP-WFFA, KRLD, KBST), Time (TUESDAY EVENING, WEDNESDAY MORNING, WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON), and Program Name.

The Nation Today—James Marlow

Story Of British Money Troubles

we wanted other countries to have dollars to spend here too. We wanted to do business with many nations, not just Britain. When the convertibility clause went into effect some of the countries receiving pounds from Britain rushed to trade them in for dollars. They could spend the dollars. They had trouble spending the pounds, because Britain did not have much to sell.

Britain spent about \$700,000,000 of the loan money—more than one fifth of the \$3,350,000,000 she has spent so far. Finally, their supply of dollars dangerously low, the British came to us for help. We decided the loan agreement would permit the British to do this:

In Hollywood—Bob Thomas

Film Production Hits Low Point

HOLLYWOOD, (AP)—Film production in Hollywood this week hit the lowest point in many years as studios weighed developments in the British tax situation before going ahead with future plans.

eron is enthused about making films in Buenos Aires. He says he saw a \$45,000 film from there that compared favorably with Hollywood product. And a \$6,000 set that couldn't be built here under \$100,000.

Broadway—Jack O'Brian

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It Happened Back In—

FIVE YEARS AGO County roads heavily damaged in downpour here; James Underwood, with the Army air corps, writes home that he has landed in Northern Ireland; Homer Eddy, son of Mrs. E. L. Eddy, graduates from officers candidate school, Fort Knox.

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WORD-A-DAY By BACH

URBANITY (ur-ban-i-ti) NOUN COURTESY; POLITENESS; SUAVITY; BLANDNESS

MR. SMALTZ'S ATTITUDE TOWARD HIS CUSTOMERS HAS CHANGED SINCE HE BECAME PLentiful? AM?

Radio Programs schedule for WBAP-WFFA, KRLD, and KBST stations, including Tuesday Evening, Wednesday Morning, and Wednesday Afternoon programs.

Hosses Return Home To Face Sweetwater In 8:15 Debate

Bob Crues Hits 51st Home Run

By The Associated Press
Bob Crues hit three home runs for Amarillo last night but the feat only cut into Borger's 11-7 victory. They did bring his total to 51 so far this year in the West Texas-New Mexico league.

Temple Gridders Lose Even Though They Might Win

DALLAS, Aug. 26. (AP)—One hundred and four teams will be in the Texas Interscholastic League Class AA division this fall with 102 of them battling for district championships. The other two will be playing for the exercise and one of them may ruin the chances of some other team in its district.

We have the unusual situation at Temple playing in the league but ineligible for the district 10 title even if it won all its games. But, and here's the story that may be on the sad side for somebody: Any game Temple wins will count on that other team's record.

The most pleasant ending of the thing would be for Temple to lose to everybody. Then, there would be no kick-back. Temple, however, wouldn't be expected to co-operate in such a happy solution. Fact of the matter is that Temple is likely to lick most everybody.

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SEPTEMBER	5—Buffalo at Cleveland • 7—Brooklyn at Cleveland Los Angeles at San Fran. • 12—Cleveland at Brooklyn N. Y. at Los Angeles • 14—Baltimore at San Fran. Chicago at Buffalo	DECEMBER	3—Brooklyn at Chicago • 5—Buffalo at Los Angeles New York at Cleveland San Fran. at Baltimore
OCTOBER	12—Baltimore at Buffalo Brooklyn at New York Chicago at San Francisco Los Angeles at Cleveland • 17—Buffalo at Brooklyn • 19—Chicago at Cleveland Los Angeles at Baltimore • 24—New York at Chicago • 26—Baltimore at Los Angeles Brooklyn at Buffalo Cleveland at San Fran. • 31—Chicago at Brooklyn •	FRIDAY NIGHT GAMES	7—Buffalo at San Francisco Chicago at Los Angeles Cleveland at Baltimore New York at Brooklyn • 14—Championship game, winner of Eastern vs. winner of Western division.

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With TOMMY HART
Pat Stasey and Claude McAden, brain trust of the local professional baseball team, are already 'counting their chickens' for the 1948 season, which—contrary to the ancient and revered adage—is good baseball.

Joe Cambria, the Washington scout, has promised them ample help again next year—and one thing certain—the lads he dispatches this way will be in shape by the time they get here. Principal reason the Broncos hopped into an early lead this season and managed to keep it was the Cuban youngsters had been playing winter baseball in their native land and were far ahead of athletes of the other teams in their conditioning.

Marion "T-Bone" Varona will quite probably open at first base for the Hosses. The mammoth Cuban will work on his hitting all winter and expects to be able to tattoo the stitched grape by the time he returns here. Leamon Bostick, the custodian of the gateway station at the moment, will probably hang up his spikes after this year because his feet keep him in agony. Walking can be an ordeal for the popular Leamon.

Jake McClain will not be back at second base. The club has received a cash offer for him and of course, want to see him get his chance in higher company. In his place will be a Cuban rookie by the name of Vargas, who has played more baseball, but in non-professional circles, than many limited service men in the Longhorn league.

Andy Viamonte, injured in May of this year, will get an opportunity to win back his old short stop spot. That does not mean Gaspar Del Toro is out of the picture yet, though Gaspar may be sold. Still another rookie from Havana will get a chance to win the regular short field berth.

Stasey and Company have hopes of getting Orlando Moreno the popular third sacker, back next year. Orrie has been professed a better job in baseball but may elect to get further seasoning under Stasey's wing. His return would be welcomed by all local fans.

The Hoss outfield will have to be made over but Stasey has the boys in mind he thinks will do the job. Pepper Martin will probably move up the ladder. Since Varona is moving into the inner cordon, that means two positions will be open.

A rookie by the name of Mendez will come in from Cuba to hold down one of the posts while Bill Stephens, a Clarkville youth signed by Cambria himself, will try for the other position.

Getting the straw boss has hopes of bringing Norman St. George back. If so, his catching worries will be eased more than somewhat. St. George is a light hitter but is considered a valuable man in the field. Armando Traspueso is moving on to a better job but Cambria is sending in a rookie to replace him.

If Jose Cindan gets to return, Stasey has the nucleus for a strong mound staff. Jose will try and learn to bend his curve ball a bit more during the winter months. He'll report to Havana next spring and, if he doesn't make the grade, will be here in April or May.

Joe Traspueso, who underwent an arm operation, will be back. Good-natured Jole was considered the best of the pitchers sent here last spring. Gerry Rodriguez will be back and the lefthander, Jim-

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Varona Pitches Locals To Win

Assured of a one-two finish in Longhorn league standings, the Big Spring Broncos return home tonight to do battle with the Sweetwater Sports in an 8:15 o'clock battle at Steer park.

The Sports will be here for three nights and, although they have all but clinched a spot in the circuit's Shaughnessy playoff, will be out to nip the Hosses in the season's series as well as hammer down their fourth-place position.

To date, the Big Springers have won 12 games in 23 starts against Joe Dotlich's gang but the last time the Sweetwater troops showed here they swept a three game set. Jimmy Perez will probably see the rubber against the invaders tonight while either Calien McPike or Lefty Jones will twirl for the guests.

The Hosses remain at home through Monday.

ODESSA, Aug. 26. —Despite the fact that he was in constant hot water, Mario "T-Bone" Varona tamed the Odessa Oilers as he paced Big Spring to a 3-1 victory in a makeup Longhorn baseball league game here Monday night.

Varona walked 12 men but struck out seven and left no less than 14 men stranded on the base paths. He was always at his best when the blue chips were showing. His mates could do little about Ernie Faccio's slants until the eighth round and found themselves trailing until Orlando Moreno led off with a blow in the heat. Then Gaspar Del Toro drove Orrie home and the Steeds were off to the races.

Del Toro later scored what proved to be the winning run on a passed ball. Jake McClain accounted for the other run in the ninth when he hit behind Norman St. George.

The Odessans collected their only tally in the sixth when Rex Pearce singled Mosse Womack across the plate. The victory was the 18th for the Big Springers in 26 starts against the Oilers this year and increased their Longhorn league lead to two full games over Midland, which was idle.

TEAM	W	L	Pct.
BIG SPRING	18	8	.692
Midland	7	19	.263
Ballinger	6	20	.231
Sweetwater	6	20	.231
Odessa	5	21	.192
Vernon	4	22	.154
WEST TEXAS-NEW MEXICO	4	22	.154
Lubbock	3	23	.115
Amarillo	3	23	.115
Abilene	2	24	.077
Clewis	2	24	.077
TEXAS LEAGUE	2	24	.077
Houston	8	16	.333
Fort Worth	8	16	.333
Dallas	7	17	.294
Tulsa	7	17	.294
San Antonio	6	18	.250
Oklahoma City	6	18	.250
Beaumont	5	19	.208
San Antonio	5	19	.208
NATIONAL LEAGUE	5	19	.208
Brooklyn	7	17	.294
New York	7	17	.294
Boston	6	18	.250
Philadelphia	6	18	.250
Pittsburgh	5	19	.208
Chicago	5	19	.208
St. Louis	4	20	.167
Washington	4	20	.167
Cleveland	4	20	.167
Chicago	3	21	.125
Washington	3	21	.125
St. Louis	3	21	.125

Yesterday's Results

LONGHORN LEAGUE
BIG SPRING 3, Odessa 1. (Only Game Scheduled)
WEST TEXAS-NEW MEXICO
Lubbock 2, Abilene 1.
Amarillo 7, Borger 1.
Abilene 4, Clewis 5.
TEXAS LEAGUE
Beaumont 6-1, Dallas 3-14.
Shreveport 1, Fort Worth 2.
Houston 8, Oklahoma City 3.
San Antonio 3, Tulsa 0.

COLLEGE STATION, Aug. 26. (AP)—Nena Myrtle Robertson, Denton county home demonstration agent since 1938, has been appointed associate clothing specialist on the headquarters staff of the Texas A. and M. College extension service effective Sept. 15.

Major League Leaders

TEAM	W	L	Pct.
BOSTON	18	8	.692
ST. LOUIS	17	9	.654
CHICAGO	16	10	.615
NEW YORK	15	11	.577
BROOKLYN	14	12	.538
PITTSBURGH	13	13	.500
CLEVELAND	12	14	.462
PHILADELPHIA	11	15	.423
DETROIT	10	16	.385
WASHINGTON	9	17	.346
CINCINNATI	8	18	.308
KANSAS CITY	7	19	.270
MINNAPOLIS	6	20	.231
ST. PETERSBURG	5	21	.192
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S'water Plays Tigers Sunday

Big Spring's baseball Tigers will try to revert to winning ways Sunday afternoon when they play Sweetwater's Ponies on the North Ward school diamond.

The Bengals were nudged by Forsan, 8-6, in a crackerjack game at Steer park Sunday afternoon. The South Howard county team enjoyed two big innings—the fourth and fifth—to outlast the Big Springers.

Al Chavez started on the hill for Big Spring but was replaced in the fourth by Isa Mendoza.

TEAM	W	L	Pct.
FORSAN	18	8	.692
Big Spring	12	14	.462

Sports' Chance For Top Berth Fading Fast

Shreveport has a sporting chance to edge into the Texas League's Shaughnessy playoff, but the Sports can't fiddle around.

A 2-1 defeat by Fort Worth dropped Shreveport two games back of fourth place Tulsa last night after the Oilers divided with San Antonio.

San Antonio went 12 innings before taking the first game, 3-0, then Tulsa bounced back to win the nightcap, 4-3.

Dallas fattened its third place margin to three full games over Tulsa on 3-0, 14-1 decisions over Beaumont. Houston climbed back into the win column with an easy 5-3 victory over Oklahoma City.

Claude Horton weakened in the eighth inning and Fort Worth bunched three or five hits for runs in the eighth and ninth to enable Dwain Sloat to win his 16th game.

The seven-inning opener at Tulsa stretched five extra frames before Marc Carrola and Bill Seinoth came through with singles that scored all three runs.

Don Carlsen stretched his streak of scoreless innings to 28 before San Antonio broke loose in the opener—a new Tulsa record. Jack Cassini also pitched his 49th and 50th bases in the sixth inning.

Dallas' home attendance climbed above 300,000 for the first time in history when a crowd of 4,341 turned out for the doubleheader.

Bobby Hogue turned in his 16th shutout of the season and his fifth victory in the opener in a three-hit performance. Quentin Altizer beat Beaumont the sixth time this year in the nightcap.

Dallas shortstop Johnny Creel handled 14 chances in the two games without an error.

A three-run error by shortstop Ray Boone helped Houston to its win.

Roberson Wins On Coin Flip

FORSAN, Aug. 26.—Continental's Oilers won the championship of the Forsan Community softball league without ever having to take the field.

When rain threatened to wash out the first game of the playoff series between Forsan and Continental, the two managers—Blacky Hines of Forsan and Conoco's Wes Roberts met and flipped coin to see who entered the throne room.

The series was called off rather than postponed due to the fact that the playing field must be prepared for the All-Star football game to be played here Friday night.

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District Seven To Depend On Speed In Friday Tilt

Mathis To Have Three Teams

District Seven's six-man football stars, who meet the standouts of District Three in the first annual ABC football game in Forsan Friday night, may be outweighed by their Panhandle foes but will probably make up for the difference in speed.

Most of the youngsters who will take the field for Elvin Mathis, the Water Valley coach handling the All-Stars, hold some sort of speed records in their respective districts.

Perhaps the fastest of the lot is Charley Long, the mercury-footed Forsan senior. Charley can negotiate the 100-yard dash in something like 10.1 seconds. What's more, he knows how to use it on a football field.

Oscar Dorsey, the versatile Water Valley performer who along with Gene Cope and Dick Miers led the Wildcats to the regional championship last fall, can step, too. He covers the hundred in 10.8 seconds. Dorsey is a powerhouse. He also handled the shot put and high jumped in school.

Others on Mathis' squad who can travel places in a hurry are Wayne DeVaney, probably District Seven's best all-around back in 1947, and Bobby Baker and Bobby Wash, both of the Forsan squad.

Mathis will probably field three teams. He plans on using the punt formation with one team, a modified T for another and a single wing for the third, which means that the District Three team must be prepared for anything.

Mathis has had his troops in training since Sunday.

L. S. Salsar, coach of the District Three contingent, will field a team composed almost exclusively of his 1946 Whiteface team. The youngsters will have to do little in the way of training save brush up on their plays.

Walker Bailey, chairman of the ABCU coaching school committee, said he expected between 50 and 60 coaches and officials to attend the second annual clinic, which gets underway here Friday and continues through Saturday.

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- Long narrow opening
- Horseback hockey
- Bank of the neck
- Phantom
- Foolish talk
- Roman date
- Turkish decree
- Required
- Coated with metal
- Olfactory organ
- Town in California
- Small rips
- Perfect roof
- Purpose
- Type measure
- State of Ohio
- Swindle; slang
- Article
- More peaceful
- Old Dominion
- State abbr.
- Send out of the country
- Support for a camera
- Book of the Bible
- Staid

DOWN

- Small animal of Palestine
- Mountain ridge
- Negative
- Chevy substance
- Brother of Jacob
- Gathering after a separation
- Slack believe
- Erased
- Sianese colts
- Short for a man's name
- One of the Muses
- Jewish month
- Term of address
- Representatives
- Lifting
- Sine words
- Voiceless consonant
- Is defeated
- Seed covering
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- Goes away
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Installation Of Millionth Texas Phone Makes History

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

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

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

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

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

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

Then came what could be termed a history-making call. Reporters spoke over the millionth phone to David Levell, vice-president and general manager of the Galveston News, where the first

telephone in Texas had been installed on March 18, 1878.

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

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

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

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

Koetter, graduate of Texas A. & M., is an architect and works for a Houston architect.

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

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

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

Stanton Man Is Killed In Road Mishap

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

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

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

Funeral services for the deceased will be conducted at the First Methodist church in Stanton at 3 p. m. Wednesday. Burial will take place here. The remains are being prepared for burial by the Eberly Funeral home of Big Spring.

Survivors include, a son, James B. Hopper of Midland county, and three daughters whose names could not immediately be learned. Hopper's wife died more than ten years ago.

The victim had been a resident of Martin county for many years.

Army Nurses Still Needed

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

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

All Army Nurses now hold commissions which entitle them to all the benefits available to male officers in the Regular Army or Reserve, Capt. Gedeberg said, and every Nurse shares the advantages of the increased pay scales authorized for all Army officers in 1946.

Additional benefits include provisions for advancement in grade and for professional training.

Colorado City To Boost Rodeo

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

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

Ernest Buckley Joins Family Here

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

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

Markets

WALL STREET NEW YORK, Aug. 26. — Leading stocks continued to give ground in today's market although pressure still was lacking.

Further selling again was attributed to skepticism regarding international situation, the cloudy picture and domestic business. A little buying here and there apparently was based on the hope for a fall rally if soldiers' bonus turn favorable.

Dealings, moderately active at the opening, soon tapered but those of fraction to a point or more predominated near midday.

Bonds did virtually nothing. Cotton futures eased.

LIVESTOCK FORT WORTH, Aug. 26. (AP)—Cattle 3,000; calves 2,400; trade very active. 500-100 above last week's close. Cows unevenly higher, other cattle steady to strong good fat steers and yearlings 22.00-25.00; common to medium, kind 13.00-22.00; good fat cows 13.50-17.00; common to medium cows 12.00-14.50; farmers' and cutters 9.00-12.00; bulls 10.00-15.50; good and choice fat calves 18.00-24.00; common to medium calves 13.50-18.50.

HOGS 600; butchers steady to 25 cents below Monday's average; sows weak to 50 cents lower; stocker pigs about steady; good and choice 18.00-27.00; butchers 27.75-28.00; top good and choice 19.00-17.00; 25.50-27.50; good and choice 28.00-35.00; 26.50-27.50; good sows 24.00-24.50; stocker pigs 20.00-24.00.

SHEEP 1,700; fairly active, generally steady; some aged sheep stronger; medium and good slaughter spring lambs 18.00-22.00; few low bred yearlings 16.00; down and slaughter account; medium and good short aged sheep 8.00-9.00; cull and common 6.00-7.25.

COTTON NEW YORK, Aug. 26. —Cotton futures at noon were 5 to 80 cents a bale higher than the previous close. Oct. 31-74, Dec. 31-50 and March 31-40.

Police Hop On Traffic Violators

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

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

All are subject to fines.

JayCees Map Work On Balloon Parade

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

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

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

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

Terminal Pay Bonds May Be Cashed Soon

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

Some 8,900,000 bonds worth about \$1,800,000,000 already have been issued and 5,000,000-odd more veterans still are eligible to apply. They have one year and one week to do so.

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

Scattered Spots Receive Showers

Cloudy weather continued to prevail over the Big Spring area Tuesday, to give hope for added moisture. Scattered showers over the area have varied widely in intensity.

While only a trace has been reported in town, showers in Stanton Monday afternoon amounted to a half-inch, and a similar fall was reported in the Knott sector. Scattered showers also have dampened the oil field area around Fort-

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Funeral Set For John P. West

Funeral services for John Philip West of Ackerly, who died Monday morning of injuries received when a horse stepped on him near his home, were to be conducted at 3 p. m. today at the Ackerly Methodist Church.

The Rev. H. F. Dunn, pastor of the church, was to conduct the last rites.

Pallbearers were to be Pete McKee, Bartlett Hodges, Waymon Eberidge, Bobby Joe Kingston, Dink White, Louie Moore, Gail Batson, Billy Wayne Davis.

Eberly Funeral home was in charge of arrangements, and burial was to be in the Big Spring cemetery.

The youth is survived by the parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Garfield West, two sisters, Melba Lee and Mary Louise, and a number of other relatives.

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Reds Reject Review Of Petkrov Trial

LONDON, Aug. 26. (AP)—Soviet Russia has rejected a British-American request for consultation on the death sentence passed by a Bulgarian court on Nikola Petkov, Bulgarian Agrarian party leader, the foreign office announced today.

Andrej Y. Vishinsky, Russia Deputy foreign minister, said in a note delivered to the British charge d'affaires in Moscow that such a consultation would constitute "interference in internal Bulgarian affairs," a foreign office spokesman said.

This is the same contention advanced in Sofia last Friday by Soviet Lt. Gen. Alexander Chervanov in rejecting a demand of the United States for a review of the death sentence.

Petkov, a top-ranking anti-communist leader, was sentenced 10 days ago to be hanged on conviction of conspiracy against the communist-dominated fatherland front government. He has signed an appeal.

Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau:

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy with scattered showers. Expected high today 84, low 58-60. Wednesday 84.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy with scattered showers. No important temperature changes.

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy to overcast. Scattered showers. The afternoon tonight and Wednesday. Not much to warm extreme northern. In all parts moderate south and central.

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Albany	78	62
Albuquerque	82	62
Big Spring	84	62
Chico	84	62
Clarksburg	84	62
El Paso	84	62
Fort Worth	84	62
Galveston	84	62
New York	84	62
St. Louis	84	62

Local sunset today 7:18 p. m. sunrise Wednesday 6:18 a. m.

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Facts Needed For Crape Myrtle Contest

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

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

Body Of W. R. King Will Arrive Here

Body of Willis R. King of Big Spring and Long Beach, Calif., killed in an automobile accident near Tucson, Ariz., last weekend, will arrive here Wednesday morning via train, the Eberly Funeral home has been advised.

Funeral services for the victim are incomplete pending the arrival of relatives.

Pleads Guilty To Parking On Highway

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

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

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

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BRIDGE EXPERT LIKES GIN RUMMY

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

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

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

San Antonio Man Faces Murder Charge

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

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

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

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