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Well...
I Dunno,
But...

Count Bernadotte Assassinated In Jerusalem

UN MEDIATOR REPORTED SLAIN BY STERN GANG

Miss Ranger Cafe To Be Reopened For Business

It was announced today that the Miss Ranger Cafe which has been closed since the fire here Monday night will re-open for business as soon as pending insurance settlements can be made.

The cafe will undergo necessary repairs and re-decoration before re-opening according to Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bachis, owners and operators of the cafe.

Mrs. W. D. Conway, who owns the building and Mr. and Mrs. Bachis today expressed their appreciation to the Ranger and Eastland fire departments and the many volunteers who fought the blaze valiantly. They stated that they felt that this was the thing that prevented greater damage to the building and contents.

So far as has been determined the greatest damage to the building was from smoke and water but this was extensive. The building not only houses the cafe but has living quarters in the second story.

Mrs. Conway stated that she carried insurance on the property and is awaiting a meeting with the adjuster before beginning any kind of repair and re-decorating program.

Bank To Be In New Temporary Location Monday

Officials of the Commercial State Bank announced today that the bank will be moved temporarily to the building formerly occupied by Strong's Flower Show, 204 Main Street.

The move is being made in order that the home of the bank may be completely renovated and re-decorated. It was stated that banking business will be transacted at the new location for about six months.

Moving will take place Saturday night and Sunday and the bank will open for business at the regular time Monday in the new location.

Woman No Billed In Man's Death

FORT WORTH, Sept. 17. (UP)—The Tarrant County Grand Jury no billed Mrs. Kado Reeves Lovett, 49, Fort Worth beauty operator charged with slaying her former husband, Moses E. Smith, 41.

Smith was shot to death at the doorstep of his former wife's home, where he had accompanied her in a taxi cab. Mrs. Smith said she was afraid of him.

Man Dies Of Fall On Well Near Cisco

CISCO, Tex., Sept. 17. (UP)—Funeral arrangements were being made today for Charles H. Rabbe, Jr., 28, of Hamilton, who died in the hospital here yesterday of injuries received in an oil rig fall.

Rabbe fell eight feet Wednesday night while working on a rig 25 miles north of here. Witnesses said he climbed up on the derrick to place a new light bulb in a socket and suffered a shock, freezing to the socket. When the current was turned off, he fell and landed on his head on the derrick floor.

SMITH TO FOREGO UN MEETING BECAUSE OF BERLIN CRISIS

MOSCOW, Sept. 17. (UP)—Ambassador W. Bedell Smith was reported today to have canceled plans to attend the opening of the United Nations meeting in Paris next week because of the lack of a four-power decision on the Berlin crisis.

Smith was understood to be prepared to stick it out here until the situation was clear, one way or another.

American, British and French quarters did not conceal their disappointment over the results of the talks of the Big Four military governors in Berlin. But the western envoys were going on in hope that something positive might still result.

Revival Of Oil Activities Here Attract Many

The revival of oil activities in Eastland County is attracting well known operators from all parts of the state, among them Myer Nathan of Dallas, who is interested in a well drilling below Carbon. Nathan is reported to have sold 176 acres with four wells in Hockley County recently for \$420,000. With him on his visit to Eastland was Arthur Heeman of Fort Worth.

Also in Eastland was Robert W. McKissick, of Abilene, who has had a spectacular success in oil after having been county attorney at Sweetwater and assistant Attorney General. He formerly lived in Eastland County, attending Randolph College of which his father was president.

McKissick and Rep. Harley Sadler, the celebrated West Texas showman, are associated in the oil business. They put down the discovery well of the Kirk pool, along the Eastland-Comanche boundary and have drilled eight producers with a substantial interest in 11 others.

"Bob" as his many friends call the genial McKissick, is a clever speaker. He served in World War II with Gov. Storm Thurnend, State Rights candidate for President.

McKissick & Sadler are drilling on the Sealy-Smith, in Coleman County, in the North Novice pool, which they discovered and where they have two gasers and an oil well, are deepening a well on the Eubanks, where they have drilled producers, in Scurry County, to test the 3,800-foot level and with Clarence Norworthy of Dallas, they are drilling an Ellenburger test on the R. L. Mims ranch in Coke County.

Gorman Pool Continues To Expand Area

The Kirk pool, along the Eastland-Comanche border, continues its steady pace with three new producers and three locations announced during the week.

Best of the new wells is Coast Oil Corporation's No. 5 Della Graham, which gauged 290 barrels in 24 hours through 16-64ths choke. The No. 1 Millington of Kirk, Man & Griffin gauged 241 barrels and J. W. Baldwin's No. 1 J. N. Watson, 35 barrels.

Locations made are Commercial Production Company's No. 3 J. A. Hirst, Coasts No. 4 Della Graham, and Wrather, Penn and Walters' No. 3, Mrs. N. E. Dominey.

T. A. Kirk's No. 1 J. W. Moseley has been completed as a gasser in the Caddo lime, making 2,100,000 cubic feet a day.

There are now approximately 65 producers in the Kirk pool, which was discovered last January.

Cardinal Rossi Dies In Italy

VATICAN CITY, Sept. 17. (UP)—Raffaello Cardinal Rossi, 71, secretary of the sacred consistorial congregation, died last night. The Vatican announced today.

The Secretary of state said Cardinal Rossi died in the Little Monastery of Bassano Del Grappa in northern Italy at almost the same hour that Spain's Emmanuele Cardinal Arce Y. Ochotorena, Archbishop of Tarragona, died in Barcelona.

Cardinal Rossi suffered from a circulatory ailment.

He was born in Pisa, Oct. 28, 1876, and ordained in 1901.

A member of the discolored Carmelites, he was made a cardinal by Pope Pius 11th in a consistory of June 30, 1930. He was titular bishop of San Prassede.

Pop Goes The Dane — Dr. Finn Christensen, Copenhagen, Denmark, arrived here as the guest of the Palmer School of Chiropractic. He departed from professional interests long enough to sample every flavor of soda pop sold at Davenport fountains. There is no pop in Denmark, he explained.

Nebraska is the greatest producer of dehydrated alfalfa feed for livestock.

Separation Ended



George Bleecker, Binghamton, N. Y., hugs his daughter, Margaret, age four, as they are reunited in Hibbing, Minnesota, following 17 months separation. Margaret was identified as the missing child after she was rescued from a log cabin fire near Hibbing. The fire killed the woman and seriously injured the man who was taking care of the child. — (NEA Telephoto).

ORDER RESTRAINS BROWN FROM LISTING JOHNSON

FORT WORTH, Tex., Sept. 17.—A restraining order barring Secretary of State Paul Brown from listing the name of Lyndon Johnson on the November general election ballot was filed with the Federal Court Clerk's office here at 9:55 A. M. today.

In the order, Brown is restrained from certifying or reporting to the State's county election boards the name of Johnson as candidate for the Democratic nomination for the U. S. Senate.

The order was filed by Allen B. Conner, Fort Worth attorney representing Coke Stevenson, the other participant in the race.

The development came after the state supreme court had refused permission to Johnson attorneys to file a petition to force the secretary of state to list Johnson's name on the ballot.

The state court, in its brief opinion handed down late yesterday, said:

"The motion for leave to file petition of mandamus is overruled, because the respondent, honorable Paul H. Brown, secretary of state, has notified the court in writing that he has not refused and has no intention to refuse to perform the acts which the petition for mandamus seeks to compel him to perform."

The next step in the legal battle will be Tuesday's hearing in Fort Worth, before Judge Davidson, in which Stevenson will be seeking to have a temporary restraining order made permanent to keep Johnson's name off the ballot as the Democratic nominee.

Johnson won approval of the Democratic State Convention last Tuesday as the nominee, being declared the winning candidate by 87 votes. This was out of the nearly million votes cast in the Aug. 28 runoff primary.

Stevenson's allegations in his petition for the permanent injunction claim fraud in the voting in Zapata and Jim Wells counties, and that a revision from those counties would swing the election to him.

Former Eastland Boy Practicing Law At Abilene

Austin H. Furse, son of the late Austin H. Furse of Eastland attorney in Abilene, associated with Carl Springer, was in Eastland Tuesday trying a case in court. Austin graduated from Yale University in January.

Bobby Furse another son of Mrs. Austin H. Furse of Fort Worth and the late Mr. Furse is a senior in Yale. He married a Breckenridge girl two years ago. His wife is employed in the same city while Bobby attends the University. Austin spend the week-ends here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin H. Furse lived in Eastland on East Valley Street. The late Mr. Furse died while they were living here and Mrs. Furse moved to Fort Worth.

J. M. Robinson Buys Livestock Commission Co.

It was announced today that J. M. Robinson in conjunction with the Ranger Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Senior Chamber of Commerce has purchased the Ranger Livestock Commission Company and will begin at once working toward plans for a sale at the barn on Highway 80 next week.

Completion of details for the purchase of the company and a sales barn was made at a combined meeting of the two chambers of commerce this morning and the transaction was to be completed this afternoon.

The sale was made by George Campbell who has owned and operated the company for more than a year. Campbell offered to make the sale after other business interests demanded his time in West Texas.

Established several years ago, the company has been conducting weekly livestock sales at the company's sales barn and has been doing a very fine business. Sales have run as high as \$65,000 a week and the average sale the year around is about \$40,000.

Merchants and business people of Ranger have hailed the sales as a major trade drawing event. Though the company has passed through several ownerships, it has maintained a steady flow of livestock to the sales and has drawn buyers from all over Texas and as well as other states.

S. L. Coffman Passes At San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. Gerald Wingate received a message early today that her father, S. L. Coffman, 72, of San Diego, California, had died at 7 A. M.

Funeral arrangements were pending this morning. Mr. Coffman had been ill in a hospital in San Diego for five weeks.

Survivors are the widow, three sons, Derrell Coffman, Tampa; Warren Coffman, South Gate, California; Belvin Coffman, San Diego; two daughters, Mrs. G. L. Wingate, Eastland and Mrs. Fred Harrell of Cresson, four grandchildren, two brothers of near Ranger, Harry and Rob Coffman.

The deceased formerly lived in Ranger and has lived in San Diego about twenty years.

Electra Granted Radio Station

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17. (UP)—The Federal Communications Commission today announced the grant of a new standard broadcasting station to the Oil City Broadcasting Co., Electra, Tex.

The station was authorized to operate with 250 watts power, daytime only on 1050 kilocycles.

Partners in the station are C. C. Elkins, Jr., head of the radio department of the Texas Trade School, Dallas, Tex., and Bill Frank Lindsey, a student in the school.

JESSE JONES OWNED PAPER ENDORSES GOP TICKET

HOUSTON, Tex., Sept. 17. (UP)—The Houston Chronicle, afternoon newspaper owned by former Secretary of Commerce Jesse H. Jones, endorsed the Republican slate for the White House today in a front page editorial.

Branding the federal government under Truman "a stagnant and swollen patchwork of unnecessary agencies and bureaus," the unsigned editorial told its readers Governors Dewey and Warren were "undoubtedly well qualified" to direct the affairs of our national government.

"However well-intentioned President Truman may be," the article continued, "he has not shown the leadership necessary for the successful management of our national and international affairs."

Two brand new church buildings in 14 years is a progressive record in anybody's language and when it comes down to a small congregation accomplishing such a feat, it's something to be proud about.

That's just what the Church of Christ has done in Ranger. In the fall of 1934 they opened their first new church building. Several months ago that building burned and today standing on the same site is a handsome new structure that has been built under the direct supervision of men of the church.

The church is having an open house tonight beginning at 7 o'clock and lasting until 10 for the purpose of giving the public an opportunity to inspect the new edifice. You're not only invited but members insist that you come. And you can take it from us, it's something to be shown with pride.

The church will be officially opened Sunday as the first revival in the church is launched.

Sam Kirkpatrick says that we've been scanning the skies at the wrong time of day. Several days ago we commented that we hadn't noticed any migratory birds flying over Ranger yet.

Well, Sam says that if we'd been peering around about dusk recently we'd have seen the flight of a great flock of golden plover and that it was a sight to see. Forget to ask Sam which way the birds were headed and not being up on our bird lore, we don't know whether they were going north or south.

Leave it to Texas to get in the worst political muddles that the nation ever heard of. And all of this fighting just ain't fittin' and sure isn't going to get Texas anywhere as a political unit.

Notice today that the Republicans got the nod from Jesse Jones, but as we recall Jesse has been swapping backward and forward for a good many years, between the Republicans and Democrats.

But then we guess Texas is somewhat like Vandenberg told the Russians about just how this country stood when it comes to foreign policy. Texans may scrap a lot among themselves and be divided on issues, but just talk about dividing Texas into several states and see where you get.

Anyway, there's a lot of room in Texas for the fighting and if anybody gets too scared, there's plenty of room for running.

We'd sure hate to see any world conflict break out but from the attitude of the Russians, we sure want sleep with a double barreled gun by the bedside and with one eye open.

There can be little doubt of their evasion of issues and their intention of reaching no agreement with the Western Powers on vital issues.

They're playing for time for something and hints are pretty strong that it ain't an agreement that they're looking toward.

Legion Officers Installed Thurs.

At the regular meeting of the Carl Barnes Post No. 69 of the American Legion held Thursday night at the Legion Hall, officers of the legion were installed.

R. H. Hanford was re-installed as commander of the post with L. R. Jacoby, first vice-commander; Mrs. C. F. Hazard, second vice-commander and Electra Pearson, third vice-commander.

D. B. Holmes was installed as adjutant, Lee Dockery as service officers, Rev. Jasper C. Masegosa as chaplain, and Miss Pearson as historian, Finance chairman is Lee Dockery, child welfare chairman is Hansford and T. E. Smith is sergeant-at-arms.

Earl Francis of Eastland served as installation officer and Mrs. Minnie Lyle of Cisco served as installation officer for the installation of the Auxiliary officers.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the Auxiliary.

Commander Hanford stated today that the Legion membership drive is now on and veterans are urged to take out memberships. He stated that the drive slogan is "You need the American Legion and the American Legion needs you."

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17. (UP)—An official dispatch received by the state department confirmed that Count Folke Bernadotte, UN mediator, was assassinated today in Jerusalem, "presumably by the Stern Gang."

A department spokesman said a "preliminary report" confirming Bernadotte's death was received from American officials in Jerusalem at mid-day. There were no details.

American officials were shocked by the report. The mediator was highly regarded by American diplomats.

PARIS, Sept. 17. (UP)—The United Nations Security Council will meet in emergency session tomorrow to consider the Palestine situation in view of the assassination of Count Folke Bernadotte. It was announced tonight.

The official and brief report that Bernadotte had been killed reached the State Department almost simultaneously with press dispatches from Amman, Trans-Jordan.

The press reports said the mediator and a French colonel were killed in the Jewish sector of Jerusalem.

Secretary of State George C. Marshall and other top diplomatic officials were informed immediately of Bernadotte's death.

Just before the UN observers reported the death of Bernadotte, Arab sources said they knew nothing of rumors that he had been killed, and so far as they knew none here could confirm or deny the report.

A few minutes later the observers said the report was correct. The first reports lacked any detail whatever of the reported death of Bernadotte.

A French colonel, assumed to be a member of the UN team supervising the Palestine truce, also was killed, the announcement said.

The Swedish count, best known mediator of his generation, fell on the field where he had struggled long and hard to establish peace. Only last night, fighting on a big scale broke out anew in Jerusalem.

Bernadotte arrived at Calcutta airport here shortly after 10 A. M. today. After visiting some refugee centers he motored to Jerusalem.

At Jerusalem correspondent reported about 4 P. M. that Bernadotte's car had been shot at and hit while crossing a road in the Sheik Jerrah quarter of North Jerusalem.

A bullet believed to have been fired from the Hebrew University of Hadassah Hospital, on the slopes of Mt. Scopus at the north edge of Jerusalem, hit the left rear wheel of Bernadotte's car.

In lieu of any other immediate explanation, observers jumped at the conclusion that he probably had fallen victim of a sudden flaring up of hostilities in Jerusalem.

Both Arab and Jewish sources reported some of the heaviest fighting in Jerusalem since the truce negotiated by Bernadotte went into effect.

Medical Science Wins — FORT WORTH, (UP)—John C. Smith, III fooled doctors by reaching his first birthday. The now husky child, son of M-Sgt. and Mrs. John C. Smith, Jr., was born prematurely and at birth intestines were outside the stomach wall. An operation helped, but doctors said they didn't expect him to reach his first birthday.

BY UNITED PRESS
EAST TEXAS — Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Saturday. Scattered showers in the south portions. Not much change in temperatures. Moderate to fresh northeasterly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS — Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Saturday. Widely scattered showers in the Rio Grande Valley. Not much change in temperatures.
Temperature at 1:30 p.m. today
Maximum 84
Minimum 73
Hour's Reading 82
Temperature for the last 24 hours ending at 8:00 a.m. today
Maximum 89
Minimum 69

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RANGER DAILY TIMES SPORTS

MARVIN GROSS
Sports Editor

GROSS UNDERSTATEMENTS

BY MARVIN GROSS

Cisco Junior College promised plenty of woe for our Rangers in that Oct. 9 game. Although the Wranglers dropped a 14-7 decision to the Hardin-Sims sons freshmen, they led most of the way and flashed a speedy, driving single wing attack.

And it seemed as if the Wranglers had more men on their playing bench than in the stands. We lost count after 45 but there are almost enough for five full teams.

When the Bulldogs invade Eastland for scouting purposes it won't be only the players who hope to pick up some pointers. Team managers J. G. Buan and ve Billy Myles are going to diagram the Albany managers and measure the amount of water spilled.

We're trying to locate a coach who hasn't used up his quota of crying towels. Every mentor we've spoken to usually moans and wails and spills out something like — "They'll outweigh us by a couple of hundred pounds and my little boys are green kids who thought football was a card game before this season. We'll lose by nine touchdowns." And what happens? The green kids go out and win 49-0.

Stubby Warden's boys are working on sleight of hand maneuvers where even the quarterback and coaching staff won't know who finally gets the pigskin. That's all very well but it seems important to make sure that the opposition is left in the dark also.

Coach Yarborough is still twirling his thumbs at home while his boys make ready for the Kilgore tussle. Boone is acting under orders to "take it easy." But by this time Boone is probably seeing Kilgore Rangers dancing all over his wallpaper — a case of coach's D. T.'s.

Everyone else does it why not us — predictions. In the Texas-LSU clash, we like the Longhorns by about three touchdowns or more. Paul Campbell will take up where blond Bobby Layne left off — we hope. And in Philadelphia a veteran Villanova Wildcat team should prove too rugged for Texas A. & M. The Wildcat has some classy backfield talent who can roll up a score. Arkansas has too much for Abilene Christian and over in Kansas we think that big T.C.U. line will stop Kansas U. although the Jayhawks will set their coveted attendance mark if that is any aim.

A parting glance at the baseball situation. Going out on a "reaking limb," look for the New York Yankees to shortly overtake the Red Sox and win another pennant. The man who can do it and who will do it is Joe DiMaggio who whether he bats .210 or .410 remains the finest player of the past decade.

Yesterdays Star—Joe DiMaggio of the Yankees who hit his 300th Major League homer and his 36th this season as New York divided a double header with Detroit, losing 2 to 1, then winning 8 to 4.

A varied schedule. The University of Texas goes against representatives of five conferences in the opening five weeks of its 1948 football campaign. In order they are the Southwest (LSU), Southern (North Carolina), Border (New Mexico), Big Seven (Oklahoma) and its own Southwest (Arkansas).

Body of Man Still Unidentified. GALVESTON, ex. Sept. 17 (UP)—Identification still had not been established today for the body of an elderly man found in Dickinson Bayou early yesterday. The sheriff's office reported that the body, fully clad, was believed to have been in the water at least ten days.

Patrolman Pete Ury said the man appeared to be about 60 years old 5 feet 6 inches tall and weighing 140 pounds. Clothing included gray trousers laundry-stamped "Wilbur."

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After the Houston visit, Horne and the Eskimo women were scheduled to make stops in San Antonio and Mission, Texas.

The far-north visitors told reporters they are enjoying their visit to Texas, but considered the adventure "fantastic."

Mrs. Cordia Lambert is in the hospital in Fort Worth. She is reported to be improving.

Mmes. A. N. Bradford and D. Z. Herrington attended the Baptist Association meeting in Cisco, Tuesday.

FOUR SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE TEAMS OPEN SEASON TOMORROW

By United Press. The Southwest Conference grid season gets underway this weekend with the nation's stoutest game among the four scheduled involving conference members on a wide front.

The spotlight will be on Austin tomorrow afternoon where the highly-regarded Texas Longhorns blast the lid with Louisiana State in anything but a "warmup breather."

Texas A. & M. was in Philadelphia for the top eastern game of the day against touted Villanova.

The Texas Christian Horned Frogs journeyed to Lawrence, Kansas for the annual season-opener against a well-liked Kansas University team.

Arkansas takes on the only mid or opposition in playing Abilene Christian College at Little Rock.

The Texas-LSU contest may provide the answers to whether or not the Longhorns are going to live up to advance notices of one of the nation's top teams without the services of blond Bobby Layne.

Packed with experienced help everywhere else, Coach Blair Cherry has pinned his offensive hopes around slender Paul Campbell, who understudied the great Layne briefly last season in the "man-under" role of the Texas T.

The Longhorns will be favored, but LSU always has proved rugged opposition for southwest neighbors and Cherry wasn't taking anything for granted.

Villanova, on the comeback trail after several lean seasons, will be favored to edge the doubtful A&G's, who have several weak spots in the line and backfield.

Kansas hasn't been able to defeat TCU in the past five years and this season doesn't appear to be any different. Arkansas should win handily against ACC.

The Cats, who led the season schedule, broke out of the doldrums with an eight-hit attack that included a pair of homers and a pair of doubles to defeat the Sports 7-1 last night at Shreveport.

Johnny Legros' four-ply wallop launched the winners' scoring in the opening inning.

Came the sixth with the score tied at 1-1 as a result of Nick Gregory's double and Hal Simpson's single for the Sports in the fourth. Winning pitcher Eddie Chandler started a big five-run rally that brought victory with a single and went to third on George Schmess' ground rule double.

Chandler scored as Homer Matney flew out and Schmess came home on Legros' squeeze bunt. Dee Fordy's single and a walk to Irv Noren set the stage for the climaxing blow—a three-run homer by Manager Bob Bragan.

The Cats then kicked Henry Wyse, who had relieved Warren Hacker following Bragan's four-master, for another run in the seventh on Chandler's life on being hit by a pitched ball, another Schmess double and another Maney flyout.

The Tulsa-Houston contest will be tried again tonight in the Gulf Coast city with Bud Iyerly of the Oilers and Pete Mazar of the Buffs scheduled to toil, while Chris Van Cuyk and the Sports Garth Mann will oppose each other at Shreveport.

The Shermas-Denison Twins continued today to display the mastery which won them the full season honors in the Big State League.

The Twins made it two in a row over the Wichita Falls Spud-

ders last night in the final round of the Shaughnessy Playoffs as southpaw Rafael Rivas hurled six-hit ball.

The only Spudder run came on an error in the opening inning. The Twins' big bats drove Glen Blackwood from the mound with two out in the sixth after scoring four runs in that frame to go with a single picked up in the second. They got two more off Tommy Finger in the seventh.

The clubs will be idle tonight, but will resume the best four-out-of-seven series tomorrow night in Wichita Falls.

The Pampa Oilers broke in front in the West Texas-New Mexico League's final playoff round today.

The fourth-place Oilers scored in every inning but the third and fifth in outlasting the Amarillo Gold Sox 13-10 last night in the opening game of the best four-out-of-seven series. Parker went the route for the Oilers, although nicked for 15 hits.

There could be plenty of back-seat driving on the Texas Longhorns flight to the North Carolina game on September 25. A number of the Steers—Tom Landry, Peppy Blount, Lewis Holder and Bobby Lee among them—were bomber pilots during the war.

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EYES OF TEXAS

BY BOB WEDDLE

United Press Staff Correspondent. You know the old line of song and verse which says something about it raining violets or daffodils instead of really raining rain.

Well, the recent rains which fell in the Tyler area literally rained roses. Red, white, pink and yellow, roses.

They are the roses which will be seen by hundreds of persons who will come to Tyler September 30th to October 2nd to view the city's 11th annual Texas Rose Festival.

For a while, it looked like this year's show would be a rose festival without roses.

But the rains came, and the festival will live up to its billing as the biggest rose show in the United States, in the Rose Capital of the world.

Aside from bus and automobile tours of the vast rose fields surrounding Tyler, there will be a parade, a football game and coronation of a Rose Queen just as pretty as the roses themselves.

This year she is blonde Miss Mary Ann Nunney.

Before the rains came, Tyler's rose crop had stopped budding.

It looked as though the rose crop would be about one third of the yearly average.

However, rose growers of the area vowed it wouldn't be a rose-less rose festival.

The president of the Texas Rose Festival Association, Clark Kidd, had vowed he would appoint a committee to pray for rain. And that the rain would come and that Tyler roses would be shown again.

And he did. And they did and I did.

LACASA

LACASA H. D. CLUB MEETS

Salads were the subject of the demonstration given Wednesday by Miss Jean Bain, county Home demonstration agent, before the Lacasa Home Demonstration.

The demonstration followed a day of quilting, a business session and a covered dish luncheon at noon. Mmes. G. V. McGowan, J. C. Bradford and A. N. Bradford were hostesses.

A Stanley party and ice cream suppers were planned for Friday evening, September 17. It was also announced that a council meeting will be held September 22 at Brokenidge and a THDA meeting will be held at Temple in October.

Members attending were Mmes. B. N. Bradford, J. C. Bradford, J. B. H. rington, Mary Herrington, A. E. Howton, Vallie Miller, V. G. McEvan, B. C. McNabb, Guess, J. C. Graham, Earl Horton, J. B. D. Roney, and Morris Wood.

Hostesses for the next meeting will be Mmes. A. D. Templeton, C. McNabb and D. M. Stand-

TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

By United Press

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. Sept. 17 (UP)—John E. Lee, vice-president of the Bexar County National Bank, died last night after apparently suffering a heart attack.

The 44-year-old business and civic leader was stricken at Alamo Stadium just a few minutes before a football game was scheduled to begin.

EDINBURG, Tex. Sept. 17 (UP)—DDT-dusting crews of the U. S. Public Health Service are operating here because of 10 cases of typhus fever in the city during August, according to City Manager B. H. Cruce.

EDINBURG, Tex. Sept. 17 (UP)—A 20-year-old Latin-American has been charged here with murder for the Wednesday night slaying of Santana Gutierrez, 36.

Onesino Gonzalez told Dist. Atty. Jack Ross that he had a quarrel with Gutierrez and told him he was going to kill him. He borrowed an old M-1 carbine rifle and shot Gutierrez in the chest. The gunshot victim died instantly.

SLIDELL, Tex. Sept. 17 (UP)—A 23-year-old Navy veteran was killed instantly yesterday when a light plane crashed a half-mile northwest of here. The pilot of the plane was critically injured.

The body of Mack Ashley, the crash victim, was taken to a Sanger funeral home. Louis Hall, 25 the pilot was taken to a Decatur hospital.

Dim Your Lights—Save A Life

Larry, J. T. McClesky, B. F. Dempsey, V. L. Jones and daughter, Kathie, Robinson and baby, and Colbert Dupree and daughter.

Mrs. V. L. Jones and A. G. Ketchersid were hostesses recently at an all-day meeting of the Breckenridge Sewing Club. Two quilts were quilted during the day.

Following the serving of a covered dish luncheon a Stanley party was held and prizes awarded to Mmes. A. D. Templeton, A. S. Whitley, and C. N. Johnson.

At the close of the games refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Don Bradford, A. G. Ketchersid, C. G. Vard, R. E. Miller, Vallie Jones, B. C. McNabb, J. A. Caraway, A. D. Templeton, M. Graham, A. S. Whitley, Stanford, C. N. Johnson, G. E. Langford, C. W. Johnson, of Ranger, and Mmes. Ming, Lester Blackbebe, Wilkes and Thomas of Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ketchersid recently attended a reunion of Mrs. Ketchersid's family, the Murphy family, at Abilene.

Mrs. Frank Bargley who has been ill for several weeks is reported to be improved.

Jack Pockrus had as visitors last week, his sister and other relatives from Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Murphy were the guests recently of Mr. Murphy's sister, Mrs. A. G. Ketchersid and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Roney and James and Ann spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Roney's mother, Mrs. J. C. Stark of Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ketchersid spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. M. A. Callaway and Mr. Callaway and Kay.

Mrs. Cordia Lambert is in the hospital in Fort Worth. She is reported to be improving.

FIGHT BULLETIN

NEW YORK, Sept. 17 (UP)—Joe Lewis announced today he will defend his heavyweight championship in June against the winner of the Joe Baksi-Ezzard Charles fight if the winner was "impressive."

Yanks Cut Gap To Full Game

The high flying Yanks missed out on a chance to pull into a tie in the American League pennant chase by dividing a twin bill with the Tigers.

While Boston again lost the Yanks were held in check by Freddy Hutchinson dropping a 2-1 count with Joe DiMaggio's 300th big league circuit blow their only tally. But the New Yorkers carved out an 8-4 victory in the finale to move within a single game of the lead.

The Browns up-ended the Sox 3-1 to make things rather hectic for Joe McCarthy.

The Cleveland rookie slugger Larry Doby pounded out a first inning grand slam home to lead the Indians to a 6-3 success over Washington who finished in reverse for the 16th straight time.

Things are comparatively quiet in the senior circuit with the Pirates managed to pick up a half game, defeating the Giants 10-6 with an 18-hit attack. Danny Mearns, Ralph Kiner, and Ed Bockman were the big guns.

And the Dodgers picked up a little ground pasting the Reds 12-6. Marv Rackley got four of the 15 hits while Jackie Robinson batted in four runs with a double and triple. Cincinnati's Hank Sauer hit a grand slam home run to account for four runs.

Lubbock Eliminated In Soft Ball Play

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 17 (UP)—The Tab, Cal., Merchants started a two-day rest today while four other teams in the men's world soft ball tournament scrambled for a place in the finals with the Californians.

The Merchants sewed up their place in the finals, scheduled Sunday by defeating Lubbock, Tex., last night, 5-1. Pat Peoples of T.C. struck out 16 Lubbock batters and had the game under control except for one inning when the enemy scored its only run on three singles. Taft broke a scoreless tie in the sixth with three singles, a wild pitch and four Lubbock bobbles.

Body Of Man Still Unidentified

DALLAS, Tex., Sept. 17 (UP)—L. L. Horne, Texas oilman, said today that he was beginning to collect on his bets totaling \$20,000 that he could bring three Eskimo maidens to the Lone Star State.

But the Dallas millionaire said he was getting a trifle weary of publicity.

His three guests — Miss Two-Big-Front-Teeth, Ungachi, and Nootkeenoun — in English Mrs. Lona B. Welch, 23, Molly Batchford, 26, and Alice Walker, 26 — were in the midst of a tour of Texas sponsored by Horne.

They left by air from Dallas for Houston yesterday, but were forced down by bad weather near Navasota. They returned to Fort Worth for the night, and were scheduled to arrive here early today.

They were accompanied by a chaperone, Mrs. Lorena Gray, also of Alaska.

Each is supposed to receive \$100 per day during their trip in the United States, but Horne indicated he probably would up the ante to \$200.

After the Houston visit, Horne and the Eskimo women were scheduled to make stops in San Antonio and Mission, Texas.

TEXAS DIAMOND DOINGS

TEXAS LEAGUE. The Fort Worth Cats finally found their long-range batting eyes last night to forge ahead of the Shreveport Sports in the opening round of the Texas League Shaughnessy playoff, while rain idled the Tulsa-Houston series.

The Cats, who led the season schedule, broke out of the doldrums with an eight-hit attack that included a pair of homers and a pair of doubles to defeat the Sports 7-1 last night at Shreveport.

Johnny Legros' four-ply wallop launched the winners' scoring in the opening inning.

Came the sixth with the score tied at 1-1 as a result of Nick Gregory's double and Hal Simpson's single for the Sports in the fourth. Winning pitcher Eddie Chandler started a big five-run rally that brought victory with a single and went to third on George Schmess' ground rule double.

Chandler scored as Homer Matney flew out and Schmess came home on Legros' squeeze bunt. Dee Fordy's single and a walk to Irv Noren set the stage for the climaxing blow—a three-run homer by Manager Bob Bragan.

The Cats then kicked Henry Wyse, who had relieved Warren Hacker following Bragan's four-master, for another run in the seventh on Chandler's life on being hit by a pitched ball, another Schmess double and another Maney flyout.

The Tulsa-Houston contest will be tried again tonight in the Gulf Coast city with Bud Iyerly of the Oilers and Pete Mazar of the Buffs scheduled to toil, while Chris Van Cuyk and the Sports Garth Mann will oppose each other at Shreveport.

The Shermas-Denison Twins continued today to display the mastery which won them the full season honors in the Big State League.

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Mrs. G. W. Stowe, Cor.

Long Branch, Sept. 15 — Rev. L. R. Lancaster from Brownwood preached at Long Branch Sunday morning and evening. He was accompanied by his son, Milton.

Re. Windle Lee was unable to be here for his regular appointment Sunday, as he is suffering from a smallpox vaccination.

Conference was held at the church in Long Branch Sunday morning when the church called Rev. Windle as pastor for another year. Officers for the church and Sunday school who were elected are: Board member, H. E. Reed; Church clerk, Wayne Wilson, Treasurer, Ace Howard; Sunday School superintendent, Fred Wilson, with A. W. Wright as assistant; Secretary, Mrs. S. E. Carter - Laverne Burnett, Assistant; Men's Bible teacher, Elton Beem, George Stowe, assistant. Women's class, Mrs. Fannie Beem, Mrs. Fred Wilson, assistant; Young People's class, Miss Lucille Furr; Children, Mrs. Lola Dudley. Delegates to the association were Mr. and Mrs. Elzo Beem; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poe; George Stowe with alternates; Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Alford, Miss Lucille Furr, Mrs. Lola Dudley and Mrs. Stowe.

Shoppers at Rising Star Thursday included Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hastings; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stowe, V. G. and James Ghormley; R. C. and Billy Edward Mitchell and Lannie Grace Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Vaughn from Eastland visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wright and attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker and Kay were in Rising Star Saturday.

Dwain Jackson who visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jackson, Carbon during the few days between semesters at Hardin Simmons University, where he is a student, was shaking hands with friends at Long Branch Friday.

Ace Howard has been suffering from an infected thumb.

George Alford and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wright drove to Brownwood Sunday afternoon and visited Mrs. Alford who is under treatment at the Memorial Hospital.

Long Branchans attending the Baptist Association at Cisco Tuesday were Henry Reed, J. T. Poe, G. W. Stowe, Miss Lucille Furr, Mrs. Lola Dudley and Mrs. Stowe. Mrs. J. T. Poe accompanied the crowd, but because of poor health spent a quiet day in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. E. Spencer.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bohannon Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Brown and daughter Earlene from Center Point; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields, DeLeon; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Maness.

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Report Of The Eleventh Court Civil Appeals

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District:

Motions Submitted: Pacific Fire Ins. Co. vs. Mack D. Smith, appellee's motion for extension time to file appellant's brief.

Drew Crain vs. West Texas Utilities Co., agreed motion for extension of time to file appellant's brief.

Beth Lasater, et al, vs. Jack Bagley, appellee's motion for extension of time to file brief.

Motion Overruled: Pacific Fire Ins. Co. vs. Mack D. Smith, appellee's motion for extension of time to file brief.

Cases to be Submitted September 24, Richard Krapf vs. R. L. Lewis. Erath. Fred Faust vs. First National Bank of Granbury, Eastland. Oamo Barnes vs. Floyd Raymer, et ux, Nolan. Pacific Fire Ins. Co. vs. Mack D. Smith, Comanche. J. T. Williams vs. Mercantile Fast Motor Lines, Inc. Shackelford.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McAfee entertained in honor of their son, Terry, with a farewell party Saturday, Terry in going to Abilene where he will enter school to study for the ministry. Ice cream and cake were served to Mr. and Mrs. E. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Caynaugh and family, Rev. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Boss Murray, Rev. Holt and family, Marvin Hays and wife, and Miss Lanham Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hendricks of Dallas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tate, Sunday.

Mrs. C. N. McDaniel visited her son, J. L. McDaniel and family, at Freeport, last week.

W. D. Turner attended the Davis family reunion Sunday at Brownwood.

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Mrs. Archie Jackson and daughters, Betty Jane and Patsy, visited in New Mexico last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ford of Cisco visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ford, Saturday.

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