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Governors Talking Together Indicates All's Not Well Between Federal And State

Gov. Shivers Complains Of Supreme Court

By Lyle C. Wilson
WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. Va., June 20 (UP)—What the Governors are saying here in their 42nd annual conference shows that all is not well between the federal government and the states.

From the Northeast come complaints of high federal taxes and deficit spending, some of it to finance great flood control, irrigation and related projects.

From the South come complaints of direct federal invasions of state's rights.

Those on the receiving end of large federal loans or grants seem to feel that things are about right as they are. But there is some strong and bitter feeling against what some governors regard as federal invasions of state rights by means of taxation, court decisions and legislation.

Gov. Alfred E. Driscoll, New Jersey Republican, fired the dispute yesterday with complaints against bigtime federal public works spending. He said such projects should be financed by the states which could float bonds more cheaply than Washington.

"In New Jersey we can't afford to take federal funds," Driscoll said. "We don't want federal funds."

Neither did Gov. J. Bracken Lee, Utah Republican. He said the states should do all the tax collecting and be assessed annually for their per capita share of the national budget.

Other Western governors opened fire on Driscoll.

Gov. Earl Warren, California Republican, who became their spokesman, said the federal government must help develop the West.

He said California was unable to finance the great Central Valley reclamation and irrigation project when the depression hit and "we asked the federal government to take over and it did."

Spokesmen for the Columbia and Missouri river basins uniformly challenged Driscoll and Lee. But even they shied away from any duplication in their areas of federal power such as is represented by the South's Tennessee Valley authority.

"We are frankly skeptical," said Republican Gov. Val Peterson, Nebraska.

Gov. Gordon Browning, Tennessee Democrat, stood almost alone for the TVA set up. He said it had been a blessing for his area and for the United States.

The loudest voice for big federal public works spending came from Democratic Gov. Fuller Warren of Florida. He said the government was putting up \$170,000,000 of \$280,000,000 needed to provide 18 Southern Florida counties with flood protection.

"We do not resent, we welcome that money," he said. "We would be glad if the federal government would pay for all of it."

The bitterest complaint of all came from Gov. Allan Shivers, Texas Democrat. He blasted the Supreme court decision giving the federal government ownership of oil bearing tidelands along the Gulf coast.

"I earnestly urge you to study this trend toward the centralization of government in this country," he said, "and to try to determine, before it is too late, whether this is the entering wedge of socialization of our basic political power and the nationalization of our resources."

Democrats Present Case

AUSTIN, June 20 (UP)—Truman-loyal Democratic leaders told the state Supreme court today it's too late for J. E. McDonald to recant his past infidelities to the party and urged that the purge of the agriculture commissioner should stand.

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UP TO HIS NOSE—A fireman hands down an oxygen mask to Henry M. Randall, Elkhart, Ind., after the well he was digging caved in and buried him up to his nose. His wife who was watching him dig the 14-foot well summoned help who dug him out of the earth slide after two hours. (NEA Telephoto).

WEATHER

By United Press
No relief was in sight today from temperatures that climbed to the middle 80's by mid-morning, but a few Texas farms can expect thunder showers by tonight.

Moderate to locally fresh Southeast winds from the Gulf will brush the coast today, the U. S. Weather Bureau said.

The forecast called for a few scattered thundershowers in the East portion of East Texas tonight or Wednesday.

West Texas can expect scattered rain tonight and cloudy weather through Wednesday.

Yesterday's high—92.
Last night's low—63.
At 8 a. m. today—75.

Guthrie Shot To Death With Own .38 Pistol

AUSTIN, June 20 (UP)—T. R. Guthrie, whose nude, bullet-riddled body was found on a bed in his home, was shot to death with a gun he had purchased only a week before, Sheriff Ernest Best said today.

"I'm sure it's Guthrie's gun," Best said after returning to Austin from Dallas where he recovered a .38-caliber pistol. "I've checked the serial numbers."

Best said six empty cartridges were in the gun. A check with a sporting goods store indicated Guthrie had bought the gun little more than a week before he was killed last Thursday. Best said ballistic tests would be made.

Two women were charged with murder in Guthrie's death, but Best indicated the charge against Helen Goodrow, 17, would not be pressed.

She was released under a \$2,000 bond to her father, a Huntsville carpenter, Sunday after making a "full statement." Best said he did not think authorities would seek an indictment against the Goodrow girl.

Anna Pearl Wheeler, 21, Dallas, also charged with murder, was freed under \$10,000 bond posted at Dallas.

City Commission To Meet

The city commission is scheduled to meet at the city hall tonight.

BULLETIN

Drilling on the Deep Rock well southeast of Ranger was continuing.

One driller had his clothes blown off when the well tapped approximately 10 million cubic feet of gas yesterday.

Death Drums Play As Francisco Sways Pole That Snaps Him To Death On Tanker-Covered Arena

PUEBLO, Colo., June 20 (UP)—The ringmaster cracked his whip and announced that "The Great Francisco, king of the air," would perform his death-defying act, swaying through space at the tip of an 80-foot pole.

Searchlights played on the slim figure of Francisco, whose real name was Franz Heinzmann, and the drums rolled as he began climbing the hollow steel pole, three inches in diameter.

He climbed 40 feet on a ladder, then shinned to a tiny platform at the top.

The 1,800 spectators at the Polack Bros. circus performance,

sponsored by the Shrine, watched in silence as Heinzmann shifted his weight and set the pole swaying through a vast arc over their heads.

Heinzmann was swinging through the climax of his act, a 12-foot away, when there was a "sound like a pistol shot."

The slender pole snapped, whipping Heinzmann to the tanker-covered arena like a stone flung from a sling shot. He was killed instantly.

A few spectators screamed but most watched numbly as the band struck up a lively march and the show went on while attendants carried Heinzmann's body away.

"It was terrible," said Lloyd Selleck, director of the Shrine who was acting as an usher.

"I was talking to a friend, telling him I thought the act was very dangerous. My friend told me not to worry, that Heinzmann knew what he was doing and the pole was checked regularly and was safe."

"Then I heard a loud crack like a pistol and saw Heinzmann falling."

"I heard women and children screaming, and over on the other side a woman fainted. Attendants and a doctor carried Heinzmann away. The circus announced he was seriously injured and that the show would go on after a short intermission."

"There was no panic and most people stayed for the rest of the show. But there was very little enthusiasm."

Heinzmann's wife, and their seven-year-old twin boys and 11-month-old baby were on the fairgrounds where the circus was held, but did not see the tragedy. Today, Mrs. Heinzmann made arrangements to return her husband's body to their home at Rochester, N. Y.

Royal Neighbors Hold Annual Meet

SAN ANTONIO, June 20 (UP)—The national convention of the Royal Neighbors of America got underway here today with a personal enjoiner from President Truman "to continue the faithful service rendered through so long a period."

"As one who has cherished his membership at Grandview, Mo., for nearly 40 years I am proud of the all constructive achievements of our fraternity," the President said in a message sent to the convention of the fraternal benefit society.

Bill Dies In State Senate

BATON ROUGE, La., June 20 (UP)—A bill that would have required newspapers to print replies from persons they criticize was dead today, by a 13-9 vote in the Louisiana state senate.

Six Nations Meet To Form Economic Bloc

French Minister Calls For Swift Pooling Of Coal, Steel Industries

By Joseph W. Grigg
PARIS, June 20 (UP)—Foreign Minister Robert Schuman called on six nations of Western Europe today for a swift pooling of their coal and steel industries in an unprecedented union against Communism.

Schuman opened a conference aimed at putting his pooling plan into effect. Great Britain was absent. She refused to commit herself in advance on the scheme.

The meeting in the Oratoire Clock Salon of the French Foreign Office was attended by delegations from France, Belgium, The Netherlands, Luxembourg, Western Germany and Italy.

The conference opened under the shadow of a threat by French and East German Communists to do everything they could to wreck the Schuman plan.

A joint statement issued last night in Berlin by representatives of the Communist-controlled French General Confederation of Labor and the Free German Trade Union Federation denounced the plan as "a new attempt by American imperialists to accentuate their preparations for war."

It called on heavy industry workers in both countries to block the plan.

Schuman outlined these objectives of the conference:

1. To draft a treaty, to be ratified by the parliaments of the six participating countries, setting up a supra-national high authority to administer the pool.

2. To examine the technical details of the pool which later will be incorporated in a series of separate agreements after the treaty has been ratified.

"Never has a system resembling that which we have in view been attempted," Schuman said. "But we feel that we are not allowed to fail or give up without result."

He emphasized that Britain would be kept informed throughout the talks and expressed hope that she might join the pool later.

"We earnestly would have liked Great Britain to be present at our discussions," he said. "We can not deceive Europe without her. We know, we are reassured by this, that the British government desires the success of our labors."

He said one outstanding result of the pool plan would be to eliminate future wars between France and Germany, traditional enemies.

"We are determined to associate in a joint and permanent task of peace these two nations that for centuries have been opposed in bloody competition," he said.

Rampaging Oil Well Continues Out Of Control

SNYDER, June 20 (UP)—A rampaging oil well went into its 10th day of burning out of control today as drillers started a safety-measure relief well to reduce gas pressure in the pool should fire fighters be unsuccessful in extinguishing the roaring blaze.

The new well was being drilled at an angle about 1,000 feet from the one that is burning.

Once the new well, the Pan American Holly number one is completed, peanut hulls and other residue will be pumped into the gas pocket to stop the flow of gas into the casing of the burning well.

Meanwhile, a fire fighting team headed by M. M. Kenley, Houston, were scheduled to make another attempt at extinguishing the blaze today.

Efforts of the team so far have been hampered by pools of burning oil that have surrounded the well since an army team Saturday fired two bursts of anti-tank shells at the well, severing the five and one-half inch steel casing.

Late last night, flames from the well were still reported visible as far as 35 miles away.

The well blew out June 10 killing a geologist. It has burned out of control since that date.

Strikers Picket Santa Fe
FORT WORTH, June 20 (UP)—Striking pickets walked in front of the Santa Fe Trail Transportation Company today as a National Labor Relations board field examiner began an investigation of union charges.

Mystery Explosion Destroys English Explosives Carrier

73 Believed Killed In Freighter Blown Up Last Night In Red Sea

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, June 20 (UP)—The British freighter Indian Enterprise blew up in the Red Sea last night and only one of the 74 crewmen was known to have survived.

The 7,319-ton ship carrying 580 tons of commercial type explosives and other cargo was blown to bits 300 miles south of the Suez canal. Unofficial reports said the main parts of the wreckage sank immediately.

Agents for the ship said 71 of the crew members were Indian and three were British.

Maritime officials said they could confirm only that the Nor-

wegian tanker M. Westfall Larsen, bound for Britain, picked up one survivor.

Hope that a few other crewmen also survived was buoyed by a radio message from the Canadian freighter Lake Chilliwack. It said:

"Survivors alive but burned on hands and back and still screaming."

But the message made no mention of a rescue.

It was the Lake Chilliwack which radioed the first word of the explosion. The message said: "British steamer Indian Enterprise exploded. Am proceeding to scene. All ships in vicinity keep sharp lookout for survivors."

Agents for the Indian Enterprise, owned by the Indian Steamship company of Calcutta but registered as British and operating out of a British port, said the ship left London June 3 for Calcutta. The commercial type explosives were destined for the government of India, they said.

The agents did not know what caused the blast.

The ship, one of a fleet of eight such vessels, passed through the Suez canal Sunday.

The wreckage nearest to the scene was the British Destroyer Chequers, on which Prince Philip, husband of Princess Elizabeth, is first lieutenant. The Chequers messaged:

"Have steam at 24 knots but do not intend to proceed to Indian Enterprise unless ordered."

Earlier messages of uncertain origin had indicated that at least two survivors had been picked up, but maritime officials said there was duplication in the messages.

Rites Pending For Four-Year Old Youngster

Services for four-year-old Joann Bolling were pending today. Joann was bitten by a rattlesnake near her home, six miles north of Ranger, Monday.

She died in a local hospital yesterday afternoon.

She was going to a fishing party with her mother, sisters and grandfather when bitten.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd C. Bolling; a brother, Douglas; two sisters, DeLores and Wanda Sue; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bolling of McGregor; and H. F. Sacks of Ranger.

The Killingsworth Funeral Home will have charge of arrangements.

Services will be at 3 p. m. Wednesday in the Killingsworth Chapel.

Hagaman Files For Precinct Chair

Leslie H. Hagaman, at the request of friends, has filed as candidate for precinct chairman of the county Democratic executive committee for precinct 4 (Young School). Friends, who made the announcement for Hagaman, said that he had served as election judge for a number of years and knew as much of election matters as any one in the precinct.

Butler Slated To Speak

B. A. Butler, Cisco chamber of commerce secretary, was slated to talk at the monthly meeting of the chamber of commerce members, noon today.

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PROTESTS HIDDEN TAXES

Paul D. Abbot, 27, who was lowered beneath the surface of Shafer Lake near Monticello, Ind., last Sunday eats his first meal consisting of a hamburger and a cup of coffee. Abbott is protesting hidden taxes, and says he will stay on the bottom of the lake in a specially constructed tank until Congress does something about them. (NEA Telephoto).

Not Philanthropy

Acheson Says Truman's Point Four Plan Is Powerful Weapon

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS,

W. Va., June 20 (UP)—Secretary of State Dean Acheson said today that President Truman's point four program will be a powerful weapon against Communism, especially in Asia.

In an address prepared for the 42nd annual governors' conference here, he said that, in this way, the program "contributes to our own peace and well-being."

He said the plan for technical aid to backward areas is not philanthropy and warrants bi-partisan support.

Luckily, he said, both Republicans and Democrats generally have accepted the plan so far. The few critics, he added, contradict themselves and attack the program "not on its merits, but on a narrow isolationist basis."

"It is important that the debates shall reflect the intention which we, as a nation, honestly desire to serve in the point four program," Acheson said. "This purpose is to help create a climate in the world in which we and our children will be able to live in peace and well-being."

Ingram Rites Set For 4 P. M. Today, Here

Services for Mrs. Mattie Jane Ingram, 1007 Foch Street, will be held at 4 p. m. today in the Killingsworth Funeral Home chapel.

Mrs. Ingram died at her home Monday. She was born in Coffman County, June 23, 1864. She has lived in or near Ranger for the past 60 years.

Rev. David C. Ham, First Baptist Church minister, and Rev. Claude Harris, Calvary Baptist Church of Mineral Wells minister, will conduct the services. Burial will be in the Bullock cemetery.

Mrs. Ingram was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church at Acker.

Survivors include a son, Jim, of Ranger; a daughter Mrs. Elbert Hill, of Ranger; nine grand children; 14 great-grand children and 4 great-great grandchildren. Pallbearers will be Alvis Ingram, Otis Hill, Floyd Stuart, Lee Hill, Tom Fibun and John Brown.

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FOR SHERIFF
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JOHN C. BARBER
J. F. (Frank) TUCKER

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
C. S. (Clabe) ELDRIDGE
P. L. CROSSLEY, (re-election).
John S. Hart

COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Precinct No. 1
HENRY V. DAVENPORT
T. E. (Ed) CASTLEBERRY
(Re-election).
E. H. (Elvis) MILLS

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H. A. (Hiram) MCANLIS
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11-Year-Old Author Edits Newspaper

WASHINGTON, June 20 (UP) By Harman W. Nichols
—I have a young friend who has great promise of becoming a good journalist.

As a matter of fact, my pal is already in the newspaper business.

Patsy Kirby divides her time between putting out a newspaper, going to school—in season—and playing with her dolls. Patsy is all of 11 years old.

Her daddy, Edward W. Kirby, used to be a newspaperman himself and now is a public relations man about town. He claims he did not push or pull his little girl into the publishing business. She thought it up herself.

Patsy has come a long way already. She has been hunting-picking a typewriter since she was four and she can out-type this humble one and most other newsmen I know.

The little girl puts out one of today's strangest publications. There is but a single typed copy and her news-stand is the coffee table at home.

The family passes it around after supper on publication day. It comes out whenever the spirit moves Patsy, which is often.

She does the whole thing herself, even to writing all the headlines. A recent issue had this bannerline:

"M. Kirby Buys New Wardrobe, Accessories, Etc."

(All of the words spelled correctly.)

"M. Kirby" is Marjorie Kirby, her mother. The item read:

"M. Kirby is a blossoming model. In the short course of a week, she has accumulated a pair of red shoes, 3 new dresses, a red handbag and a bottle of perfume. Next week there will be other dresses, which have been altered. Next time she walks down the street—"

At this point, young editor Kirby pencil-wrote some musical notes, hinting that the boys might give her mother the old wolf whistle.

Under this item was another having to do with the family wardrobe. It was about E. W. Kirby, her old man.

"E. W. Kirby," it said, "is also getting a new outfit. A tan suit, a blue suit, etc. There is one thing left on his shopping list; something to grow hair."

Patsy doesn't leave herself out. She had one headed: "P. Kirby may be a prize winner." It told about the young lady placing an entry in a contest—the first prize a trip to Alaska.

The little "paper" is sectionalized, after a fashion. For instance,

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BASEBALL CALENDAR

By United Press
TEXAS LEAGUE

Beaumont 8, Dallas 0.
Tulsa 6, San Antonio 2.
Oklahoma City 7, Houston 4.
Fort Worth 11, Shreveport 8.
BIG STATE LEAGUE

Austin 7, Greenville 6.
Temple 10, Sherman-Denison 7.
Texarkana 7-10, Wichita Falls 0-1.

Gainesville 7, Waco 5.
GULF COAST LEAGUE

Crowley 4, Lufkin 2.
Galveston 10, Lake Charles 7.
Jacksonville 6, Port Arthur 3.
EAST TEXAS LEAGUE

Henderson 7, Tyler 6.
Longview 5, Paris 1.
Gladewater 5, Marshall 2.
Bryan 6, Kilgore 4.
WEST TEXAS - NEW MEXICO LEAGUE

Lubbock 5, Borger 4.
Ablene 9, Clovis 3.
Pampa 20, Amarillo 0.
Lamesa 9, Albuquerque 8.
RIO GRANDE VALLEY LEAGUE

Corpus Christi 11, Harlingen 6.
Laredo 9, Del Rio 6.
Brownsville 12, McAllen 3.
LONGHORN LEAGUE

Vernon 3-2, Odessa 0-0.
Roswell 12-8, Sweetwater 4-4.
Midland 16, San Angelo 5.

on one side of the paper she had a column called "Spell Our Authors" with some of the words spelled correctly and some not. Down at the bottom of the next column are the wrong ones spelled right.

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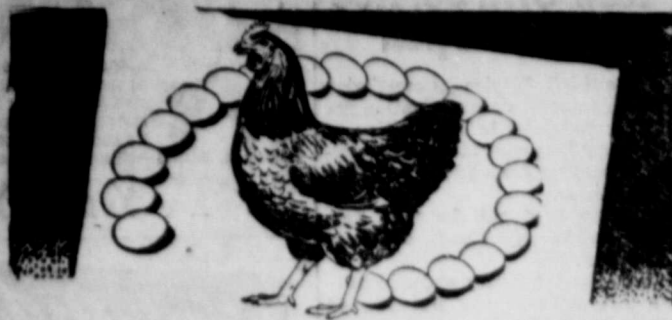
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W.M.S. Has Royal Service Program

Circles of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met at 3 p. m., Monday at the church for a Royal Service, with the Juanita Dixon Circle in charge of the program.

Mrs. Lloyd Clem, circle chairman, presided and the program was opened with the singing of "The Woman's Hymn." Mrs. J. B. Houghton, Jr., led the opening prayer.

The subject of the program was "On The Rock Or On The Rock." Parts on the program were given by Mrs. L. L. Bruce, who spoke on "Building On The Rock," and "Twentieth Century Young

People," Mrs. D. C. Ham, who spoke on "Young People of Your Church," and Mrs. Joe Tullos who spoke on "Responsibility of the American Home."

The devotional was given by Mrs. A. A. Daniels, who chose as her subject, "Arise—Lift the Lad."

Mrs. Bob Hodges led the closing prayer.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Bob Hodges, A. A. Daniels, Lloyd Clem, Joe Tullos, Allen Smith, Lee Cantrell, F. E. Langston, Roy McCleskey, L. L. Bruce, D. C. Ham, Jim Houghton, and J. B. Houghton, Jr.

Scouts, Brownies Cancel Meetings

It was announced today that the Girl Scouts and Brownies will not meet again until further notice.

All members are asked to please take note of this announcement.

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MRS. DAVID MEREDITH

Miss Wilson, Lt. Meredith United In Double Ring Ceremony Saturday

Miss Mary Irene Wilson and Lt. David Meredith exchanged marriage vows at 8 p. m., June 17, 1950, at the First Baptist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Wilson and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Charles D. Meredith of Woodbury, New Jersey.

The Rev. David C. Ham, pastor, read the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with baskets of white gladiolus and English ivy. Two candelabras holding fourteen white cathedral candles flanked each side.

Miss Kay Vaughn lighted the candles and was also Jr. bridesmaid. She wore a blue gown with a pink shoulder corsage.

Miss Carolyn Pruett at the organ, played the pre-nuptial music and accompanied Kenneth Mayhall who sang, "Because," "O Promise Me," and "I Love You Truly."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white Skinner's slipper gown fashioned with a plunging yoke of imported white lace, surrounded with an off-shoulder bertha of white satin, topped the fitted bodice. The long sleeves buttoned with tiny covered buttons at the wrist and extended to points over the hands. Her full gathered skirt extended to form a chapel length train. Her nylon net veil was attached to a coronet headpiece of satin and lace. Her only ornament was a string of pearls. She carried a colonial satin shower bouquet of white carnations centered with a purple throated white orchid.

Mrs. Jeanne Wilson of Fort Worth was matron of honor. She wore a yellow taffeta gown fashioned from the Brides and carried a colonial bouquet of blue carnations.

Mrs. Harry Wilson of Jacksboro, Miss Trudy Magouirk and Miss Imogene Word of McKinney were bridesmaids. They wore blue taffeta gowns identical to the matron of honors and the brides and carried colonial bouquets of yellow carnations.

Lieutenant John Willis of Fort Worth was best man. Usher's were Harry Wilson, of Jacksboro, brother of the bride, Jack Cole and Jerry Page.

Immediately following the wedding a reception was held for the bride couple in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M.

Wilson, Tiffin Road.

Mrs. Harry Wilson registered the guests in the white satin bound bride's book.

A lace cloth covered the bride's table which was decorated with wedding bells surrounding white variations and the three tiered wedding cake which was topped with a miniature bridal couple.

Miss Jeanne Wilson and Miss Trudy Magouirk presided at the punch bowl and Miss Imogene Word at the cake.

After a wedding trip to New Orleans, the couple will make their home in Waco, where the groom will be stationed at Connelley Air Force Base. Mrs. Meredith's traveling costume was a dusty rose gaberdine suit with brown and white accessories and a white orchid corsage.

Mrs. Meredith is a graduate of Ranger High School, Ranger Junior College, Harris College of Nursing at Fort Worth, and post graduate course at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Woodbury High School and Georgia Tech University. He was commissioned in the U. S. Air Force in 1945 and served two years in the South Pacific.

Out of town guests were Mrs. Charles Meredith, mother of the groom, Woodbury, New Jersey, Miss Marian Meredith, sister of the groom, Woodbury, N. J., Miss

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Guidry and Genevieve and Jane Hinman of Baton Rouge, Louisiana visited Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Summers and friends in Ranger, Monday. They are enroute to California.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Culpepper accompanied their daughter, Loretta, to Dallas Saturday, where she caught a plane for Washington and New Jersey, for a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. James Higdon have returned from a fishing trip to Lake Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Jones have had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and daughters, Betty and Larry of Kingsville. Betty and Larry remained for a longer visit with their grandparents.

Mrs. Katia White has returned from a trip to south Texas.

Lee King is at Glen Rose Camp this week.

Mrs. M. L. King and daughter, Sara Beth, left today for a visit with Mrs. Ada King in San Angelo. They will be accompanied home by Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. T. R. Bass of Abilene.

Charles Surbrook, who is a patient in the Veterans Hospital in Dallas, is reported to be improving.

Carl Christian, who is a patient in the Veterans Hospital in Dallas, is reported to be improving.

Mrs. W. E. McNeill of Beaumont visited Mrs. A. W. Warford and Miss Helen Dawley, Monday.

Louise Zhylot, Dr. S. R. Kennamer, Miss Evelyn Partridge, Miss Martha Kashner, Mrs. Martha LaTurner, Dr. Herbert Dozortz, and Dr. and Mrs. George Hartsen all of McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hogan and James Hogan of Fort Worth.

If Girls Can Parade In Pajamas Why Not Men? Expert Questions

By KEY FORD
United Press Staff Correspondent
NEW YORK (U.P.)—If Max Lovell has his way, life will be a continual pajama party.

An expert on such togs, he said it is now socially acceptable for men as well as women to be clad in lounging pajamas instead of street clothes when entering at home.

Lovell came to the conclusion that the pajama has progressed from simply a sleeping attire to the fashionable thing after a nationwide survey on the subject.

Women, who buy almost all the men's pajamas sold, are responsible for this newest trend, he said. Of those interviewed, 84.6 per cent thought it was a good idea.

"Gone are the days when pajamas were used in the bedroom alone," he said. "There's nothing objectionable about this, there's no rule that says you must wear heavy outer garments at home."

Idea Is Comfort
The idea, Lovell said, is to be as cool and as comfortable as possible at cocktail parties and dinables.

Pointing out that women enterers in hostess pajamas, Lovell said "this comfort should be extended to men."

Lovell is horrified at the thought of people sleeping raw. It's unhealthy, he said.

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"Doctors will tell you that you should wear a garment while asleep," he said. "Most summer colds are due to sleeping without pajamas."

Women Disapprove
"The claim that sleeping raw is more comfortable than in pajamas is fallacious. Ask the average woman what she thinks her husband who sleeps raw looks like. You'd be surprised, I have. Most women object," Lovell said.

Women do most of the buying of men's pajamas because the breadwinners haven't the time or inclination, he said.

"It's not that women are better shoppers. Men have a pretty good eye for clothes too."

But he admitted that women's

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tastes such things are more moderate as far as strips and gaudy patterns are concerned.

"Who knows," said Lovell, "this thing may spread until people wear lounging pajamas everywhere at all times."

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