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British Decry Turning Over of French Fleet

PARTY PLANKS MAY HARK BACK TO 1916 TO WEIGH FACTS THAT ARE SIMILAR

PHILADELPHIA, June 25.—Republican and Democratic policy makers, seeking to draft foreign affairs platform planks that will win votes of both isolationists and those who advocate all possible aid "short of war" to the Allies, may look back to the party platforms of 1916 for help in their difficult task.

That situation was faced by Republican groups meeting here today to draft a platform.

Then, as now, a World War was raging in Europe.

Then, as now, most Americans were determined that this nation should not become involved in the conflict. It probably was true then, as public opinion polls indicate now, that the majority of U. S. citizens were sympathetic to the Allied cause.

As in 1916, the Republicans met first in 1916—on June 7 in Chicago and nominated Charles Evans Hughes for president and Charles W. Fairbanks of Indiana for Vice President—and adopted a platform which said:

"We declare that we believe in and will enforce the protection of every American citizen in all the rights secured to him by the Constitution, treaties, and the law of nations, at home and abroad, by land and by sea. These rights, which, in violation of the specific promise of their party made at Baltimore, 1912, the Democratic president and the Democratic Congress have failed to defend, we will unflinchingly maintain.

"We desire peace, the peace of justice and right, and believe in maintaining a straight and honest neutrality between the belligerents in the great war in Europe. We must perform all our duties and insist upon all our rights as neutrals without fear and without favor. We believe that peace and neutrality, as well as the dignity and influence of the United States cannot be preserved by shifty expedients, by phrase-making, or by performances in language, or by attitudes ever changing in an effort to secure votes or voters.

"The present administration has destroyed our influence abroad and humiliated us in our own eyes. The Republican party believes that a firm, consistent and courageous foreign policy, always maintained by Republican Presidents in accordance with American traditions, is the best, as it is the only true way to preserve our peace and restore us to our rightful place among nations. We believe in the peaceful settlement of international disputes and favor the establishment of a world court for that purpose."

President Woodrow Wilson was renominated by acclamation by the Democrats who convened in St. Louis one week later, and the President himself wrote the platform which carried him to a narrow 277 to 254 electoral vote victory in the following election.

Wilson's popular vote totaled 9,129,606 to Hughes' 8,538,221, but it was California which kept Wilson in the White House and the popular vote margin for that state's 13 decisive electoral votes was only 3,806.

"He kept us out of war," the Democratic platform proclaimed in 1916, and the authoritative "A History of the Presidency from 1897 to 1916," by Dr. Edward Stanwood of Bowdoin College de-

clared that this slogan added thousands of votes to Wilson's standard.

One month and two days after Wilson was inaugurated for his second term, he asked Congress to declare war on Germany. Democrats and Republicans approved his call to arms.

On foreign affairs, the Democratic platform of 1916 said in part:

"The people of the United States love peace. They respect the rights and covet the friendship of all other nations.

"The Democratic administration has throughout the present war scrupulously and successfully held to the old paths of neutrality and of peaceful pursuit of the legitimate objects of our national life, which statesmen of all parties and creeds have prescribed for themselves in America since the beginning of our history. But the circumstances of the last two years have revealed necessities of international action which no former generation can have foreseen.

"We believe that every people has not only to make itself safe at home, but also to make secure its just interest throughout the world, and the United States to use its power, both for this end and in the interests of humanity to assist the world in securing settled peace and justice.

"We believe that every people has the right to choose the sovereignty under which it shall live; that the small states of the world have a right to enjoy from other nations the same respect for their sovereignty and for their territorial integrity that great and powerful nations expect and insist upon; and that the world has a right to be free from every disturbance of its peace that has its origin in aggression or disregard of the rights of peoples and nations; and we believe that the time has come when it is the duty of the United States to join the other nations of the world in any feasible association that will effectively serve these principles, to maintain inviolate the complete security of the highways of the seas for the common and unhindered use of all nations."

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Two Netherlands Princesses Bask in Canadian Sun



Completely oblivious of the fate that overtook the country she may still some day rule, nine-months-old Princess Irene of the Netherlands basks in the sun at Quebec's Seigniorial Club. Kneeling informally next to her is her mother, Crown Princess Juliana, who recently sought Canadian refuge for her two young daughters, Princesses Irene and Beatrix, aged 2½.

POOL OPENING PLANS BEING RUSHED TODAY

Preparations for the grand opening of the Ranger swimming pool were rushed today, with plans being furthered for the opening and bathing venue which will be staged Tuesday night, July 2.

The bathing venue committee, composed of C. J. Moore, chairman; B. E. Garner, A. N. Larson and Elton Jennings, reported today that between 20 and 25 entries had been received, and that more were expected.

The prize committee, composed of D. M. Cooper, C. L. Crews, P. E. Moore, Jack Mooney and Dr. P. M. Kuykendall, reported, after two meetings, one Monday afternoon and the other today, that three cash prizes would be offered for the three top ranking beauties as selected by the judges.

Prizes being offered are \$50 in cash for first place, \$30 in cash for second place and \$20 in cash for third prize.

The contest is open to everyone, with several entries having already been registered from out of town, and many being sponsored by Ranger merchants.

A huge awning, which will cover a good portion of the pool and which will make ideal swimming conditions throughout the day and at night, has been ordered. It will be erected as soon as it is received and it was believed today that it could be installed in time for the opening July 2.

Bleacher seats, which will accommodate most of the big crowd that is expected, are to be erected along both sides and one end of the pool, and stone seats are to be constructed around the bath houses and filtration plant.

Doors and other wooden fixtures used in the construction of the pool have been built in the NYA wood shop.

Legionnaires and Families Will Be Guests of Revival

The members of the American Legion and their families will be the guests of the First Baptist Revival tonight at 8:15.

The revival will continue through Sunday night. The morning services during the week will be climaxed Friday morning with a service for the older people. A good number in attendance and a manifest interest mark the revival.

The public is invited to attend every service.

Tonight the pastor will speak on the subject "Proper Way for Us to Confess Our Sins."

LICENSES ISSUED
I. V. Clark, Killean, Texas, and Evelyn Marie Payne, Rising Star.

O. M. Reed, Eastland, and Doris Baker Bridgeport.

Baron Smith



A Red Cross Life Saving Instructor and Examiner, Baron Smith will direct water activities at Camp Billy Gibbons, Boy Scout camp of the Comanche Trail Council, on Brady Creek at the San Saba River near Richland Springs. The camp dates are July 9 - 16, July 16 - 23.

Old Settlers Of Eastland County To Meet July 4th

The Eastland County Old Settlers reunion, which 30 and 40 years ago, was an annual event to which citizens of Eastland county looked forward, is to be revived this year, through doubtless on somewhat smaller scale than in the days past.

Last year the Butler family, which was among the old settlers of the county, held a reunion during the Eastland Fourth of July celebration, and this year it has been decided to make this affair one for all old settlers and to tie it in with the July Fourth celebration.

The Old Settlers organization of which Ben Cunningham of Stephens county is president and Mrs. Will Van Geem of Eastland is secretary, has sent out hundreds of invitations all over the county and is expecting a large crowd. A basket lunch, each person bringing his or her own lunch, will be a feature of the reunion which is to be held at the Eastland City Park on July 4.

Expense Reports Of All Candidates To Be Filed July 1

Oscar E. Lyeria, Democratic county chairman, advises that all candidates paid their full fees before the time limit for payment.

He also advises that June 27 to July 1, inclusive, is the time on which all candidates must make first statement of campaign expenses. This report must be made to the county clerk.

Blanton Starts Campaign July 1

ABILENE, June 25.—Former Congressman Thomas L. Blanton will begin his campaign for a congressional seat in Abilene Monday evening, July 1, on the Federal lawn, beginning at 8:30 o'clock, he has announced here.

"My platform was published April 25," Judge Blanton stated in announcing the opening of his campaign. "Great Britain now is heroically battling to save all that is best of the civilization of Europe."

"I approve wholeheartedly President Roosevelt's timely policy of adequately preparing our home defense with all speed possible; also furnishing immediately to Great Britain all of the materials we can spare. We are least likely to be involved in war by making the United States strong enough to repel invasion and to defend this continent. I have always fought for a strong modern mechanized army and navy and an air force better than the best. I invite everyone to read my defense of Major General Johnson Hagood in the House of Representatives on February 24, 1936, and of the testimony given before my Sub-committee by him, General Paul Malone, Commander of the West Coast Corps Area, General Hugh Drum, Commander of Hawaii, and General Lyman Brown, Commander of Panama. I helped to persuade President Roosevelt to reinstate General Hagood, after he had been removed from his command for criticizing conditions in our military establishment. Had their advice been followed then, as I wanted it to be, our situation now would be much stronger, and much less dangerous."

The investigating committee, it was stated, has been in close contact with investigators in the state and are prepared to meet any time on short notice.

Duke and Duchess In Doubt About Future

MADRID, Spain, June 25.—The Duke and Duchess of Windsor said today that they did not know where they would go from here, but that they definitely did not plan a trip to the United States.

German sources had reported that the duke would be arrested immediately upon his arrival in Great Britain, but British sources declined to affirm the statement. Later reports said that the duke and duchess were attempting to secure passage on a Clipper plane to the United States.

American Refugees At Spanish Border

MADRID, Spain, June 25.—The first American total of refugees crossing the French frontier into Spain, was listed today at 400, with more on the way.

Three Frenchmen, who said they were former secretaries of French premiers, were held when they attempted to cross the border carrying secret documents and a fortune in French gold.

TAFT GROWING AS POSSIBLE G.O.P. NOMINEE

PHILADELPHIA, June 25.—Senator Robert Taft of Ohio, moved into first position as the Republican National Convention entered into its second day of a red hot presidential nominating fight.

Joseph W. Martin, permanent chairman, called upon the convention to fight a one-man rule and to repel absolutism at home and abroad, and to pick a leader to end the new deal's failures.

Martin pointed out the record of the new deal, which he said had made many mistakes and had broken its promises to the people of the United States. He stressed a policy of national defense, which he warned would be costly but said that the administration had expended huge sums of the taxpayers' money for which it had gotten nothing in return.

Meanwhile Wendell Willkie's delegates made personal raids on delegations, seeking their support, and Willkie, himself, was in evidence among the delegations. Their boom had all candidates jumpy, but many picked Taft as the beneficiary of both the "stop Willkie" drive and Thomas E. Dewey's lagging pace.

Plank drafters said that the platform would not be ready until tomorrow, although it was scheduled for a vote tonight, with an isolationist plank receiving much attention. The Wagner act was also receiving attention, but the Labor Relations Board was not under attack.

Former President Herbert Hoover was scheduled to address the convention tonight, and his talk was expected by some to be the start of a boom that might place him as a possible dark horse candidate.

Collie To Attend Committee Session In State Capital

Senator W. B. Collie of Eastland, chairman of the State Senate Investigating Committee, has called the committee to meet Tuesday morning in Austin. Collie left Eastland today for the state capital.

Interviewed prior to calling the committee to meet, Senator Collie stated that, if he was requested to do so, he would go to Austin while members of the Dies Committee, which convenes there Wednesday, was in session.

"I am watching the situation closely," Collie stated in the interview prior to calling the committee meeting, "and while I am at this time busy in my campaign for re-election, that is a secondary matter. If I am convinced that I can be of service in Austin I will not hesitate to go down there."

The investigating committee, it was stated, has been in close contact with investigators in the state and are prepared to meet any time on short notice.

Fire Damages Home In Eastland Today

The residence on South Bassett Street, Eastland, known as the Frank Judkins home, was badly damaged by fire in the early hours of the morning. The fire department, upon receiving the call quickly arrived upon the scene and soon had the blaze under control.

It is understood that a daughter of Frank Judkins, deceased, had notified the occupants of the building to vacate as it was desired to remodel the building beginning about July 1, and that they had done so with the exception of a few of their household goods.

The extent of the loss to the building and contents is not known.

Chicago Witness Is Detained By Police

CHICAGO, June 25.—Police sought today to postpone extradition of witnesses in the Green Dragon Case to Fort Worth, in an effort to solve the murder of Gerald Siegel, who was shot 24 hours after offering to turn government witness and reveal evidence.

Lessons From World War II

(Editor's Note: This is the second of two articles by Dr. C. E. Ayres, University of Texas economist, giving the economic background of World War II, and attempting to answer the question: "After the War—What?" Dr. Ayres is an authority on economic theory as it relates to the new industrialism.

What Are the Democracies Fighting For?

What are the Democracies fighting for? We know what they are fighting against. They are fighting against "Hitler"; that is to say, against martial law, secret police, concentration camps, and the whole paraphernalia of Nazi tyranny.

Conversely, the Democracies are fighting for freedom. But whose freedom? What freedom? The freedom of the individual from secret arrest, court martial, torture, and from the arbitrary seizure and confiscation of his goods. But does this mean freedom to maintain patent monopolies, freedom to curtail production, freedom to commit industrial nuisances?

The Germans have suppressed all freedom. But if we think they have done so merely because they hate freedom, because they are savages, we are making a sad mistake. The Nazis found the German people prostrate and they have revived the nation by organizing it for war. They have done so because organization for war is a simple idea, one which anybody can understand, even a former house-painter. In organization for war all other social values are sacrificed to one clear end.

This effort has been successful because it is clear and simple, but also because the other peoples have been suffering from the same confusions and frustrations by which Germany was laid low. In the crisis they have found themselves all tangled up in special interests and established prerogatives of monopolies and cartels and patent owners which impeded the national effort.

Peace is more complex than war. It is much harder to say what is in the public interest in peace than in war. We are likely to think that this is only because peace and war are opposites. But is that the whole story? Is peace—Is Democracy—necessarily inefficient? Are the Democracies fighting to preserve all the confusions and frustrations of the past? Is it to preserve vested interests that they are fighting? The Germans say so. How shall the Democracies answer them?

The immediate answer is contained in organization for defense. In France and England, and in our own program of preparedness, the discovery is being made that many private interests have to be sacrificed to the public good. Are these private interests sacred in all cases?

That is the question nobody has answered yet, not even the Germans, since they have not yet faced the problem of organization for peace. Can we make peace work, as anybody can make war work? The world is at war because it has failed to do so, in Germany and also elsewhere. Can we be free and also be efficient? Can we have liberty and justice?

We shall have peace—real peace; permanent peace—only when we have discovered how to organize in peace as effectively as we know how to organize for war, such a victory is never won on a battlefield, but perhaps organization for war may point toward the solution of the problem of peace.

Interest Grows In South Carbon 234-Barrel Well

Interest was quickened in the South Carbon pool when the Dobbs Oil Corporation's No. 1 Thomasson, N. W. corner S. H. Key survey of Eastland county lands flowed 234 barrels in 24 hours from the line at 2,570-2,658 feet total depth after a shot with 100 quarts of nitro. The oil is reported to be of 41 gravity.

The above completion is rated as one of the best in Eastland county in recent years. The discovery firm reports that it holds 747 acres in the pool area.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Fair in north, cloudy in south portion with showers tonight. Wednesday fair. Warmer in north portion tonight and south portion Wednesday.

CHURCHILL IS BITTER IN HIS TALK IN HOUSE

Some Quarters Hope That
Part of the Fleet Might
Yet Be Retained By
Great Britain.

Great Britain charged France today with surrendering her fleet, in violation of pledges she had given to Britain, but called upon the French Empire to fight on for the rescue of the motherland and from bondage.

Prime Minister Winston Churchill told the house of commons it was with grief that he had learned of the terms of the armistice France had signed with Germany, which provided for turning over the French navy to Germany and Italy, but he did not state definitely that the fleet had fallen into the hands of the two dictators.

Churchill told Commons that on June 13 he had met with Premier Paul Reynaud at Tours, and at that time Reynaud had asked to be relieved of the promises to Britain that the French would not sign a separate armistice with Germany. Churchill said that he had persuaded Reynaud to apply for greater aid from the United States, but that on June 16 Reynaud had notified him that the efforts of the United States in behalf of France were not sufficient, and that France could not hold out longer.

The hope was reflected in the House of Lords that Britain still hoped to get a part of the French fleet, despite terms of the armistice, but Prime Minister Churchill's attitude indicated that there was little hope of preventing the bulk of it from falling into the hands of Germany and Italy.

The axis powers, sitting in the coastal regions, will break their pledge not to use the French fleet in an offensive against Britain Churchill said.

Meanwhile Germany indicated that less than two thirds of France was occupied and said the terms of the armistice were hard, but not humiliating. Italy, expecting to take over the Mediterranean Coast, said that the fight against Great Britain would go on to victory.

A war communique from Rome said that the French had ceased fighting in all territories, but that British planes had raided Tripoli, Sardinia and Sicily.

Adolf Hitler, in Berlin, described the French campaign as "an uncomparable victory of German arms" over a brave enemy, and proclaimed a 10 day celebration in Germany.

In France it was officially declared a day of mourning, with flags, draped in black, flying at half mast, as the French population sought to adjust their lives and their business with the occupation by German armed forces.

Republican Act Is Termed a Comfort To Nazi Germany

WASHINGTON, June 25.—The White House charged today that the Republican party's action in virtually reading Col. Frank Knox, Chicago publisher, and Henry L. Stimson, former republican member of the cabinet, out of the party, gave comfort to Germany.

Defense Tax Bill Is Signed Today

WASHINGTON, June 25.—President Roosevelt today signed a special \$1,000,000,000 a year tax bill to help defray the expense of the increased national defense program.

Ranger Fire Loss Tuesday Is Small

The Ranger Fire Department answered an alarm Tuesday afternoon when an outhouse at a residence on Strawn Road burned. Firemen who answered the alarm stated that though the outhouse was destroyed the loss was small.

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Fighting Hitlerism

By Edward J. Meeman, Editor, Memphis Press-Scimitar.

Hitler wants to conquer the world by force of arms and force of ideas. He wants to bring the world to his way of thinking and doing. Let us not yield to him.

Hitler says democracy must fail because people can't rule themselves and won't work together and sacrifice for each other voluntarily. Let's prove him wrong—let's pull together, one for all and all for each. Let's share our worldly goods with each other and with our government. Let's pay taxes to make this nation sound and safe from collapse within or attack from without.

Hitler oppresses religion. Let us respect the right of every man to believe what his conscience dictates.

Hitler punishes men who say what they think. Let us speak our opinions boldly and respect the right of our neighbor to speak his.

Hitler will not let people assemble to state their views or voice their grievances. Let us protect freedom of assembly and the right of petition.

Hitler controls the press and lets the people hear one side of the story—his side. Let us keep the press free and hear all sides.

Hitler believes that one man is competent to decide what is best for a country. Let us know that through the contribution of many minds and the expression of different opinions we find the best way on which we can agree.

Hitler says war is better than peace. Let us know that war is hell and resort to it only to enforce and preserve peace.

Hitler dispises all nations and races but his own. Let us know that "God . . . hath made of one blood all nations of men."

Hitler wants to conquer our souls—to drag us down to his pagan level. Let's not wallow in the mire with him. Let's us not take Adolf Hitler for a pattern. Let us not admire him by imitating his foul ways.

Let us look to our own noble patterns—Washington and Jefferson, Lincoln and Lee. Let us think nothing and do nothing that they wouldn't do.

We must arm against the possibility that Hitler may cross the Atlantic. But Hitlerism can enter only through our hearts, by our own consent.

Let's keep Hitlerism over there—3000 miles away.

Heavyweight rassling matches are adding more and more proof that the wrong people are getting Academy Awards for fine acting.

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5.00-19	9.40	6.58*	11.55	8.09*
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5.50-17	11.52	8.06*	12.80	8.96*
6.00-16	12.55	8.79*	13.95	9.77*
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Summer "Stock-Up" SALE!

New Dress Shirts

Men's 1.19 Quality! **84c**

Enjoy the luxury of fine shirts—at a price you usually pay for ordinary shirts! Sanforized (99% shrink-proof) fabrics. Colorfast patterns. Wiltproof collars.

Price Slashed! Save More!

Sale! \$1 Wash Slacks 84c

While They Last

Biggest sportswear scoop of the season! Dozens of swell new patterns—all vat-dyed. Full-cut sizes; well-tailored. Sanforized—99% shrink-proof. Hurry—Save Now!

SAVE MORE NOW!



"PERMAFIT" SWIM TRUNKS 98c

Actual 1.19 Values!

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"Permafit" Trunks for Boys 98c
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Hurry for these bargains!

Play Suits! Slack Suits! 84c

Regularly 98c, Now Reduced to

Colorful, carefree "fun clothes"—everything from gentleman-tailored slacks to full-skirted prints! Reduced now, with months of wear ahead! Rayons, cottons.

Have your fun and save, too!

Sale! Fabric Play Shoes 84c

They're regular 99c values!

Bargains at regular price, now here they are on SALE! Made of cool, breeze-enticing fabric—light as a feather on your feet. Rubber soles! White or 2-tones.

Smart New In-and-Outers!

Sale! 79c Sport Shirts 68c

While They Last

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Buy a Summer's Supply!

Sale! 59c Rayon Slips 47c

Drastically Reduced!

Imagine—such quality features as double-stitched seams, deep shadow panels! Crisp rayon taffetas in 4-gore tailored or lacy styles. Tealose or white; 32 to 44.

SALE! Boys' In-and-Outers Sport Shirts

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Get him this swell coat model shirt! Nothing's cooler, neater or more practical for summer.

"Get n" on this Sale!
Men's 10c Socks 8c

Reduced 20%!

Buy a whole Summer's supply NOW! Colorful blazers! New patterns in cotton-and-rayon!

Styled by Brandon!

Sale! Men's Slack Suits 266

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The best summer shades in this extra value—Worth 19c per yd.—NOW

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Practical and sturdy in high vivid colors so much in demand—19c Quality to clear for

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In plain colors or printed patterns—25c values! NOW

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Comparable to 15c Print anywhere! Priced for this July 4th event

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Envelope styles or bails—Grain or smooth leathers—38c values for

Women's Sun Hats—18c

Ideal for gardening or that "Fourth" outing . . . 25c Values

Women's Swim Suits—

One piece or dress maker styles in knit or satin finish LASTEX

\$1.98 Values \$1.19
 \$1.59 Values \$1.19
 \$2.98 Values \$2.19

Curtain SPECIAL 66c

One special group of odds and ends. Come early and get your choice of these wonderful values. Values to \$1.49—

TREASURE CHEST! Sheets 87c

Ward's best and heaviest muslin sheet. Laundry test ad. Now—

MEN'S DRESS Straws 78c

Sailors and Snap brims—
 \$1.49 Val. . . \$1.23
 \$1.00 Val. . . 78c

Women's White Shoe Special 44c

Odds and ends—broken sizes but a treat for lucky size feet. Values to \$2.98—

Children's Summer Shoes \$1.19

(8 1/2 to 2 1/2)
 All \$1.00 quality straps and oxfords (white only) . . 78c
 All \$1.39 and \$1.49 styles (white only)

PATENT Sandals 1.68

"T" and ankle straps—(some gabardine ties and patent pumps included in this group)—

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DELUXE REFRIGERATOR

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Each piece .54 **1.58**

Metal Bed with decorated end panels and baked enamel finish. Soft, "Fluff Center" 50-lb. mattress. 90-coil Premier Wire Spring.

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Men's Sport Belts—**28c**

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Boys' and Men's Swim Trunks—**1.49**

Shirts of the Stars—**44c**

Women's House Slippers—**59c**

PLAY Shoes—**1.49**

Special Selling

9 x 12 Jute Velvet Rugs

17.88

Compare rugs \$5 more! Long wearing... woven pile fabric! Gay patterns in many colors! See this superb value... you'll want several!

\$3 A MONTH, Down Payment, Carrying Charge

Special Sale Price!

Wardoleum Rugs

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9 x 12 Feet

The longest wearing stand and weight felt base on the market! Easy to Clean... stainproof... waterproof! Gay new patterns and colors!

6 and 9 ft. Wardoleum Yard Goods

100% Pure Pennsylvania!

Quart Cans of Oil!

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Price Slashed!

35c quality oil in handy, easy-to-use 1-quart cans! Your container (quart)... 14c 5-quart sealed can... 79c 8-quart sealed can... 1.19 (add 1c of Fed. tax to all prices)

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Cook with it wherever you go! Has 2 range-size kerosene burners! Oven holds two pies!

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Big family size! **44.88**

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SIZE	SALE PRICE
4.75-19	\$6.45
5.25-18	7.15
5.50-17	7.85

8.45

A pre-holiday opportunity you can't afford to miss! Reduced below the regular list prices! Combines long wear with safety! Warranted without limit as to months or miles!

As Little As \$1.00 Weekly Buys 4 Tires and Tubes

While Quantities Last!

Folding Camp Cots

1.44

Take advantage of this low sale price! Strong canvas, with hardwood frame. Fold-up compactly for carrying.

1-gallon Picnic Jug... **.88c**

THREE Tennis Balls... **.69c**

Reduced for this Sale!

Casting Line

45c

50 yards, 18-lb. test. This price this week only! Pure Japan Silk braided line. Waterproofed. Other tests.

Model 15 Reel... **1.88**

1-pc. Casting Rod... **2.47**

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Steel Boats

Full 14 ft. with round bottom—**47.88**

\$56.95 Value

Flat Bottom Boats—

14-ft. of sturdy steel—**39.88**

\$45.45 Value

Boat Oars—

Full 6 1/2 ft. Length—**1.88**

\$2.19 Value

Artificial Baits—

Grouped to sell for the already low price **1/4 OFF**

Handy Belt Metal BAIT BOX, reduced to clear for 19c

SEWING Machines

Treadle style—simple to operate—easy to pay for with the use of Ward's Easy Payment Plan.

27.88

\$39.95 Value

Gliders

Weatherproofed, water-proof—built for the ultimate in outdoor lounging comfort. Worth \$16.00.

11.88

Now—

METAL LAWN Chairs

Assorted bright outdoor colors. Regular \$1.49 values. Shop early the supply is limited for—

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CAMP Chairs

Keep everyone comfortable whether camping or at home on the lawn. They're 85c values for the extra special price—

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YEP, WE'RE GOING TO ALASKA TO WORK IN A SALMON CANNERY! OUR DADS TALKED US INTO IT!

YES, I BET YOU PUT UP A STIFF ARGUMENT!

IT ALL SOUNDS PERFECTLY WONDERFUL!

WE GOTTA GET OUR OUTFITS TOGETHER—BOOTS, SWEATERS, A COUPLE OF PARKAS, AND STUFF LIKE THAT!

I HAVE ALL THE ITEMS YOU MENTIONED ANYTHING ELSE?

THEY HAVE INDIANS IN JUNEAU, FRECK, AND WE'LL PROBABLY HAVE TO MAKE FRIENDS WITH THEM!

YOU'D BETTER GIVE ME ABOUT THREE DOLLARS WORTH OF WAMPUM!

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Society Notes

Recent Bride Complimented

Honoring Mrs. Glenn Clyatt, the former Miss Jewell Burns, a miscellaneous shower was given Friday evening at the home of Mrs. R. E. Beck.

Spring flowers of gladioli roses and nasturtiums were arranged throughout the attractive home. The table in the dining room was laid with lace, centered with the punch bowl, and was presided over by Mrs. Alton Burns and Mrs. Capp Norton.

Refreshments were served between the hours of seven and ten. Miss Frances Edwards had

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charge of the bride's book.

Those on the guest party list were: Meses. Guy Quinn, Jr., George Wright, W. P. Weatherall, R. S. Lester, Walter Colburn, Lora Woods, Dr. Payne, Phillip Kribbs, M. A. Clyatt, O. J. Battell, Walter Sparra, Frank Kribbs, T. H. Stanton, H. C. Nex, Annie McFadden, M. W. McMinn, Jim Fox, Cecil K. Miller, Juanita Bryant, K. L. Hand, J. L. Brown, Ray Howell, E. M. Simpson, Ben Pryor, O. P. Sides, Dave Vermillion, Johnny Jarrett, Virge Hamilton, S. M. Fowler, Carl Butler, Ida Simer, Guy Hendricks and Misses Marguerite Quinn, Charlene Butler, Ardell Bell Howell, Clara B. Simer, Rebecca Wright, Doris Stanton, Imogene Lester, Mae Edna Ward and Mary Helen Lester.

W. S. C. S. A. ends

Caddo Meeting
Women of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church were in Caddo Monday afternoon to attend the Friendship program by the society of the Methodist church of Caddo.

Political Announcements

This newspaper is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For Congress, 17th District:
OTIS (OAT) MILLER
of Jones County
THOS. L. BLANTON
C. L. (CLYDE) GARRETT
Re-election.
SAM RUSSELL

For Representative 10th District:
OMAR BURKETT
For Assessor-Collector:
CLYDE S. KARKALITS

For County Clerk:
E. V. (RIP) GALLOWAY
WALTER GRAY

For Sheriff:
LOSS WOODS
WALTER EVANS
W. J. (PETE) PETERS
For Criminal District Attorney:
EARL CONNER, JR.

For County Judge:
W. S. ADAMSON
R. L. RUST
C. S. ELDRIDGE

For County Treasurer:
GARLAND BRANTON
For District Clerk:
JOHN WHITE

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
HENRY V. DAVENPORT
L. J. LAMBERT
JOE TOW
Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2:
J. N. McFATTER
R. H. (BOB) HANSFORD

Guests for the occasion were the women from the Ranger society, the Breckenridge society and women from all the churches of Caddo. The principal speaker for the program was Mrs. Gid J. Bryan, conference president of the society.

Those from Ranger who attended the meeting were: Meses. R. S. Balch, J. A. Johnson, A. N. Larson, J. T. Killingsworth, A. J. Ratliff, G. O. Strong, J. L. Turner, J. F. Warren, W. O. Walker, Jr., I. N. Griffin, and Mary Black Griffin.

Intermediate Young People Leave for Encampment

A group from the Intermediate department of the First Methodist Sunday school left Monday to attend the summer encampment for that department of the Central Texas Conference, being held this week at Glenn Lake, Glenrose.

The boys and girls who were accompanied to Glenrose by Mrs. A. E. Crawley are as follows: Amelia Walker, Billie Jean Crawley, Martha Joe Oyler, Mace Oyler, Billie Bob Boon, David Smith and Wesley Walker.

Auxiliary Meets

With Mrs. Schooley
The American Legion Auxiliary met at 8 o'clock Monday evening in the home of Mrs. H. T. Schooley to begin work in connection with the Red Cross. The group has planned and started a quilt to be contributed to the Red Cross. Those attending Monday's meeting were Meses. Schooley, Carrie Brady, Con Hazard, Joe Todd, Lee Dockery, Bob Hansford, Burton, and A. H. Powell.

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7—SPECIAL NOTICES

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11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT
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FOR SALE—Several used automobiles. Bargains. W. F. Creager.

W. M. U. Has Royal

Service Program
The Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met at the church Monday afternoon at 8 o'clock for a Royal Service Program under the direction of the Christina Donath circle, with Mrs. R. A. Duncan as chairman. The subject for study was "Holding Fast to Africa."

Mrs. David M. Phillips led the devotion followed by a prayer offered by Mrs. J. B. Houghton beseeching God's direction for the work in Africa. Mrs. Bob Hodges spoke on "Consider the Country" and Mrs. Lee Mitchell led a prayer of thanks for the heroism of the missionaries in Africa.

Mrs. Chester Rogers discussed the "Progress in Nigeria," and Mrs. R. A. Steele told of "Some Nigerians We Would Like to Know."

An interesting talk was given by Ranger's Mexican missionary and the closing prayer was offered by Mrs. Phillips.

Ladies Bible Class

Hears W. L. Mason
W. L. Mason, father of Mrs. O. G. Lanier conducted the study hour when the Ladies Bible Class of the Church of Christ met Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church. Mr. Mason discussed the finances of the church and then led a round-table discussion on the subject with members taking part.

In the business meeting plans for the revival meeting which will open Sunday were discussed and visiting reports made.

Training Union Holds Study Course at Desdemona

The Young People's Training Union of the First Baptist church sponsored by Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Jackson conducted a study course for the Union at Desdemona during the past week.

The teaching group met with excellent response and 60 awards were made at the close of the session.

Training Union Meets Sunday Evening

The Young People's Training Union of the First Baptist church met at the church Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. In the general assembly the session was opened with sentence prayers for the revival meeting and a short devotional was given by Bill Cox.

Charles Denham spoke briefly to the group and also sang a solo. Interesting programs for the separate unions were held following the general assembly.

Just a Bit Personal...

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown of Abilene spent Monday visiting relatives and friends in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Sloan spent Sunday in Abilene.

Mrs. Peggy Skillern, who has been a patient in the West Texas Hospital, suffering from a broken hip, this morning was removed to the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. L. Phillips.

Breck Oilers Win Two to One Contest From Elks Monday

The Breckenridge Oilers defeated the Elks Club of Ranger Monday evening in a pitching duel between Whitefield of the Oilers and Durham of the Elks.

Whitefield allowed but two hits, walked four men and was credited with 11 strikeouts, while Durham allowed four hits, three of them made by Whitefield, walked three men and marked up eight strikeouts in the nine-inning game.

Whitefield got wild in the early stages, walking the bases full, then settled down and struck out three men in succession to retire the side.

The Oilers scored in the second, and the Elks came right back to tie the score with a run by E. E. Arterburn, in their half of the same inning. Both teams registered goose eggs for five full innings, when the Oilers lucked over another run to go ahead once more, but the Elks were unable to overtake them.

Only three errors were made during the contest, one by the Oilers and two by the Elks.

Commission Meets Tuesday Afternoon

The regular meeting of the Ranger City Commission, scheduled for tonight, was moved forward to 4 o'clock this afternoon, at which time business coming before the body was to be considered.

The announcement was made in order that anyone having business to transact with the commission might know that the regular meeting tonight would not be held.

CAR IS STOLEN

Reports were made to Ranger police today that a 1928 model Chevrolet coupe had been stolen in Ranger Monday afternoon. No trace had been found of the car today.

Heading for the White House?



Charles Linza McNary



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The McNarys of Oregon

This is the seventh of a series presenting the Republican families that may occupy the White House after next January. Democratic presidential possibilities and their wives will be carried later.

At 66 Charles Linza McNary is at last a Republican presidential candidate. Ever since he sponsored the controversial McNary-Haugen farm bill in 1926, agricultural groups have pressed his candidacy.

The soft-spoken Salem, Ore., lawyer-farmer says the only reason he is a candidate is to get a good sound farm plank in the G. O. P. platform.

He has long been an ardent airplane industry man, sponsored big government power and navigation programs. He advocated old-age pensions before the New Deal.

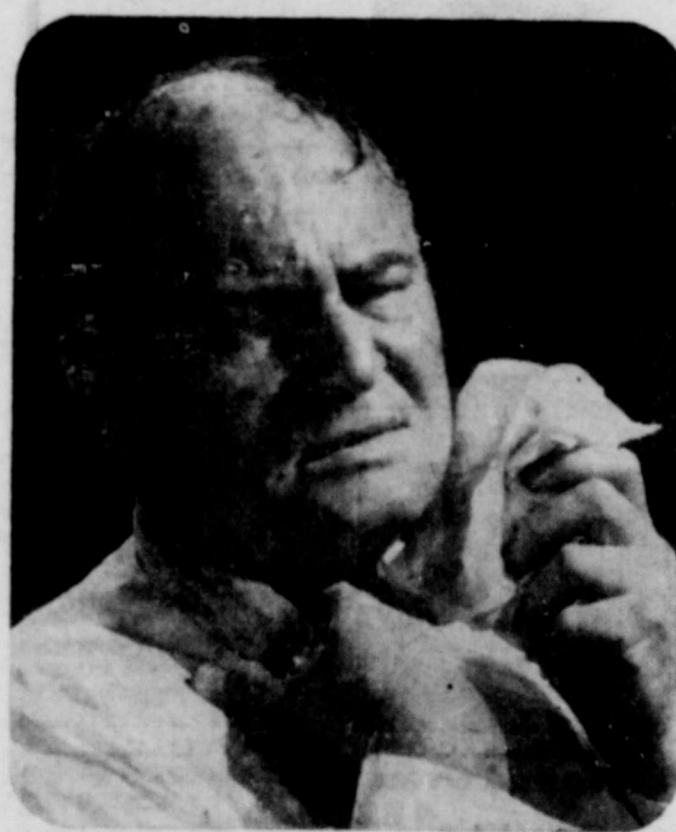
McNary went to the Senate in 1917 for six years has been G. O. P. floor leader. Born of pioneer Oregon stock on an Oregon farm, McNary was graduated from Stanford, served five years as dean of law of Oregon College of Law, Williamette. Later, he was associate justice of the Oregon Supreme Court.

McNary, sometimes called an animated Calvin Coolidge, is a farmer at heart, loves nothing better than to get back to his big Salem farm after Congress.

His first wife was killed in an automobile accident in 1918. Five years later he married Cornelia Morton of Washington, who knows quite a bit about politics herself.

NEXT: The McNiders.

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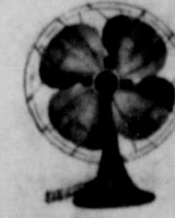
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Cool linen hats that pack and tub miraculously! Smart rollers and visor styles... with "open air" crowns. White, Summer pastels.

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