



EXPLOSION AFTERMATH—Mrs. Angel Sepdo comforts her 5-year-old sister, Valentine Becerra, after the explosion which ripped through the six-room house on the Horace Eiland farm 19 miles northwest of Snyder about 9 o'clock this morning. Valentine was the only member of the family present who was not burned. Neighbors had just extinguished a fire in the bedclothes and taken the mattress outside when Mrs. Sepdo arrived.

Three Persons Hurt In Farmhouse Blast

By GERRY BURTON
Daily News Staff

Three members of the Leonard Becerra family were seriously burned this morning when a blast ripped through their home on the Horace Eiland farm 19 miles northwest of Snyder. Five children had just gone to school when the explosion, believed to have been caused by collected butane gas, occurred.

Vicenta Becerra, 27, is in critical condition at Cogdell Memorial Hospital with third degree burns, over 60 per cent of her body. Her father, Leonard Becerra, and her 16-year-old brother, Frank, were burned about the face and arms.

According to Frank Becerra, the

three were in the kitchen and the explosion occurred as Vicenta opened the ice box door. Doors, windows, screens, and blinds went flying in every direction, some landing as far as 30 feet from the house.

Five-year-old Valentine was untouched by the blast neighbors think because the main force of the explosion seemed to concentrate in the upper half of the rooms.

The nucleus of the damage was in the kitchen and two back rooms, with no evidence other than broken windows in the front part of the house. Neighbors gathered immediately to help as they could.

Mrs. Bunyon Evans and Mrs.

Charlie Bley, talking on the phone about 9:15 first heard of the disaster when their conversation was interrupted by a husky voice saying "we need the phone, we are hurt, we need help."

Being interested parties, they listened as he called for help and immediately dropped everything and rushed for the Eiland farm. Others had listened and were on the way. Almost everyone from a 15 mile radius converged on the place to help. Delbert Hataway bundled Vicenta and Leonard into his car and met the ambulance from Bell Funeral Home on the Fluvanna cut-off from the Lamesa Highway and then rushed back to carry Frank to the hospital.

I. N. Hataway dragged burning bed clothing from the back bedroom and extinguished all flames and embers. Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Charlie Amisworth set about trying to bring order out of chaos. An extremely cold, wet wind whipped through the house as everyone took stock of the damage and tried to reconstruct the order of events leading to the explosion.

Only little Valentine was left and all she would whisper to her sisters was "It was bad, it was bad, it was bad back there," and turn her wide, frightened eyes toward the kitchen.

A newspaper was curled and scorched in one spot and bright and clean next to it. A straw hat was burned on just one side. The month of March was curled from the calendar on the wall, leaving a bright new April. Curtains streamed in the wind as boards, pieces of tin, and cardboard were placed over the windows to protect the belongings still remaining from the threatening rain.

Neighbors stood around the house in dazed awe with but one thought expressed. "Thank goodness it was no worse. It could so easily have killed them all."

Khrushchev Presses For Moscow-Paris Alliance



WINDOWS AND DOORS WENT FLYING when an explosion, apparently from collected butane gas, seriously burned three members of the Becerra family this morning. Vicenta Becerra, 27, is in critical condition at Cogdell Memorial Hospital with third degree burns over a major portion of her body. Here a neighbor, I. N. Hataway, looks at some of the wreckage caused by the blast.

New Violence Flares Today In Africa

By RICHARD KASISCHKE

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP)—New violence flared early today in the big Nyanga Negro settlement near Cape Town. The Africans set up road blocks, built fires in the street and kept out white police patrols for hours.

The Nationalist government and police charged "terrorist agitators" in Nyanga and other Negro settlements were resorting to death threats and assault to enforce a work boycott. Negro leaders ordered after police earlier this week killed about 80 Negroes and wounded more than 200.

A midnight alert sent police patrols rushing to Nyanga. They found the settlement barricaded with oil drums stacked in road blocks and fires burning.

Whites who entered the settlement on foot were ordered out by the Negroes.

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Randall Judge Accused Of Misconduct

By FINIS MOTHERSHEAD

AMARILLO (AP) — Randall County Judge Roy Joe Stephens heard legislative probes formally accuse him today of official misconduct.

They called him to the witness stand in a second day of a hearing on crime in the Amarillo area and its possible links with other officials.

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A former sheriff's captain told how another captain handed him a \$100 bill, seeking to buy protection from gambling raids.

The testimony came from Tommy Petropoulos. He named G. R. Bufkin, now on leave from the sheriff's office, as the man who offered the bribe.

Bufkin is a candidate for sheriff. The testimony came after a fearful estranged wife of a gambler told Wednesday how her husband paid off officers and others.

The witness, Mrs. Golda Marie Davis, about 46, said cash handouts went to sheriff's officers and to an attorney she believed paid off a district attorney. But she said she had no direct knowledge that the district attorney accepted the bribes.

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SNYDER FIRM THRIVES AFTER A MODEST START

Although he had made ample capital to make a better start, one of Snyder's more prominent business men was able to invest in less than a \$2000 inventory when he first started in business here some 17 years ago.

Even with such an inauspicious start, this man today has a business utilizing 15 times his original space, he's paying 10 times its original payroll.

That's another significant progress story which tells the story behind Snyder's amazing "Big Ten" years of progress from 1950 to 1960, to be highlighted in the Futurama issue of the Daily News, coming soon.

This did not stop Khrushchev from replying with a reference to "the presence of the threat of a revenge" and of calling once more on the West to agree to a peace treaty with Germany, clearly on Soviet terms. And he repeated his bid for a French-Soviet alliance first made in his arrival speech.

They smiled pleasantly as they emerged and shook hands on the palace steps. Then Khrushchev drove off through a rain to lunch with Debre.

The first talks were held in a very good atmosphere, an aide to De Gaulle said. A high French source said the initial talk was largely exploratory and that De Gaulle and Khrushchev ranged over several subjects in the first of their series of meetings.

Khrushchev arrived at the palace in a pouring rain for the first business talk of his 11-day visit to France. Scores of policemen lined the Premier's route from the foreign office, where he is staying, but few Parisians were out.

Despite a grueling 18-hour day of activity Wednesday, the 65-year-old Soviet leader seemed little the worse for wear.

No formal agenda was announced for the Khrushchev-De Gaulle talks, but the Soviet Premier made his objectives clear Wednesday in three public statements. These are his aims:

1. To woo France from her ties with West Germany and replace the Paris-Bonn alliance with a close French-Soviet understanding.

2. To plug for a German peace treaty on Soviet lines.

3. To hammer away for disarmament on Soviet terms.

4. To weaken the North Atlantic Treaty Organization and the Western European Union, to both of which West Germany belongs.

What headway he may make is highly problematical. De Gaulle maintained a courteous reserve throughout the opening day of the visit but showed no sympathy with Khrushchev's talk of new danger from Germany.

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Road Project May Start Here Soon

A contract for construction of the first segment of U.S. Highway 84 improvements in Scurry County may be awarded within a few weeks.

This was the outlook following action by the State Highway Commission yesterday earmarking additional funds for the area project.

The Highway Commission indicated that \$1,425,000 would be included in its 1960-61 program for the U.S. 84 segment from a point four miles southeast of Snyder to the railroad underpass north of town.

However, first actual construction on the U.S. 84 improvements in this county will be on a 10-mile strip from the Scurry-Mitchell County line to the point four miles southeast of Snyder. Approximately \$1 million was allocated for this segment in the 1959-60 program of the Texas Highway Department.

County Judge J. Ray Martin said the county already has acquired some 90 parcels of right-of-way, and that only seven more pieces of right-of-way remain to be purchased before the Highway Department will be in a position to let the first contract.

The county is acquiring the right-of-way through its special purchasing agent, M. L. Andrews.

Yesterday's action by the Texas Highway Commission increases the amount already committed by the state to the Scurry project to approximately \$2½ million. This figure does not include right-of-way purchases, which the state shares with the county on a 50-50 basis.

U. S. 84 will become a divided highway when the construction project is completed, with the main artery following a course along the east edge of Snyder.

supervise their exercise of their rights.

The Senate, which may get the bill today, faces continued determined efforts by Southern Democrats to delay it, fatally if possible. If the Senate changes the bill in any way, Southerners in the House will have another chance to pass blocks in its path.

Various courses of Senate action are open, and both Democratic and Republican leaders declined to tip their hand in advance.

Reports cropped up late Wednesday that the leadership may move to send the House bill to the Senate Judiciary Committee with instructions that it be reported back within a fixed number of days.

This would be designed to counter objections to bypassing committee consideration of the legislation.

Or, following what generally has been expected heretofore, a motion may be made to substitute the House bill for the broader administration measure under consideration in the Senate.

Depending on what develops, it may not be possible to move in either direction before Friday.

See Richard B. Russell (D-Ga.), leader of the Southern senators leading the civil rights legislation, said they will attempt to modify the House measure.

He indicated that, whether or not they were an all-out filibuster against it will depend on how successful they are in amending the bill.

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While prisoners who had been out on a work detail stood around, waiting to get in for a meal, officers finally managed to break in with the help of a ice pick and crowbar.

Snyderite's Mother Dies In San Angelo

Mrs. A. E. Lock, mother of Mrs. Jack Patrick of Snyder, died Wednesday in the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. A resident of San Angelo for several years, she was 81.

Funeral services will be held in the Park Heights Baptist Church, in San Angelo Friday morning.

Survivors include her husband, A. E. Lock of San Angelo; three daughters, Mrs. Patrick, Mrs. A. G. West and Mrs. C. C. Townsend, both of San Angelo; three sons, Richard of San Saba, Roy of Groves and J. D. of San Angelo; and

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Mrs. Short Rites Held

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By Grace Lutheran

A Victory Pot Luck Supper will be shared by the members of the Grace Lutheran Church and their guests in the West Elementary School Friday night beginning at 7:00 p.m.

The congregation will hear a report on the result of the recent building fund pledging campaign by the church's campaign director, Calvin Lange. The pledging effort just completed was the last pledging effort prior to the construction of the first unit. Ground-breaking for the first unit, which will consist of a chapel and Sunday School wing, and fellowship facilities, will be in mid-summer.

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both of Snyder, and Mrs. Tom Horn of Houston; five brothers, Eldon Clement of Houston, Marion Clement of Snyder, Wilburn Clement of Sweetwater, Cecil Clement of Bonham and Buford Clement of Fort Worth. Also surviving are 21 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral rites were held at the Floyd Baptist Church, of which Mrs. Short was a member, with the Rev. W. F. Smith officiating. Burial was in Portales Cemetery.

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A FOREIGN MISSIONS FESTIVAL was held Wednesday evening at the First Christian Church with approximately 100 persons attending. A pot luck supper was held at 7 o'clock starting the evening activities. Nine table settings depicting Africa, India, Puerto Rico, Philippines, Japan, Mexico, Paraguay, South America and China were displayed by women of the church, with the South America setting taking first place. It is pictured above, and Mrs. Joe Vincent headed the committee on its preparation.

Mrs. Redwine Hostess To Church Group

The United Presbyterian Women's Organization met Tuesday evening at the church, with Mrs. Harry Redwine, hostess.

The meeting opened with a reading of missionaries and a devotion by Mrs. Charley Meyer.

Mrs. W. R. Everett had charge of the program and showed a film titled "The Longest Stride" explaining what the World Church Service is doing in helping refugees from countries in Europe and overseas to find homes in free countries. It pointed up the fact of what the group is doing, but more help is urgently needed. It was a timely topic as next Sunday is "One Great Hour of Sharing". At the close of the film Mrs. Everett read scriptures emphasizing the responsibilities the people must live up to.

During the business meeting the group was reminded of the Presbytery meeting in Plainview April 19-20, with Mrs. Grace Salsbury as speaker.

Refreshments were served to 15 members and one guest.

Elementary 4-H Girls Meeting

The Snyder Elementary 4-H Club met March 22. The president, Linda England called the meeting to order.

The group discussed the Easter hunt for the next meeting on April 12, and elected a recreation committee to complete plans. They are: Helen Ward, Glenna Furnace, and Sue Camel. Glenna English volunteered to brighten the refreshments.

Linda England gave an electric demonstration on meringues. Miss Butts talked about team demonstration. The group played electricity on two new members, they are Elizabeth Richie and Ruby Hirst.

Westminster Abbey Gets Suds Treatment

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The Gardeners Corner

By EARL ARONSON
AP Newsfeatures

WHETHER YOU HAVE a large or small garden, there are shrubs, trees and other plants that do double duty, providing fruit as well as attractive flowers.

Let's consider the luscious strawberry. A few years ago nurseries offered plants growing out of holes in barrels as a novelty. Now you can buy berries that, you are promised, will climb to six feet on fences, walls, posts or trellises.

Then there is the threepart pyramid garden of strawberries with a built-in sprinkler system, and the hanging basket with tantalizing fruit challenging you to pop one into your mouth.

Both the climber and the pyramid offer ever-bearing varieties, such as Red Rich or Sonjane, that will bear throughout the summer and provide decorative berries and rich green foliage.

For the pyramid-style garden you can get a plastic cover to guard against early and late frost and a netting to prevent the birds from robbing you.

Expansive fruit trees are another of the attractive fruitbearers with which you can dress up your house wall.

How about a border of highbush blueberries, with their delicate blossoms and subsequent berries and shining green leaves? Highbush cranberries make an equally attractive screening border. Then there is a grape vine for a fence, trellis, arbor or stake in your backyard. One vine will produce many pounds of fruit.

Dwarf fruit trees don't require much space and are beautiful in blossom. Flowering crab apple trees decorate many lawns. The Almey has brilliant red blossoms that transform the tree into a blazing spring-time mass. The Hopsa is rosy-pink and the small fruit is good for jelly. Bechtel is a double-flowered pink with a delicate perfume and Irene, suited for the small yard, is bright red.

Van Elstine has double rose pink blossoms. Dolgo, very ornamental, has a red apple excellent for canning.

These trees, three to five feet tall, generally sell for \$2-\$3 or a bit more.

Incidentally, the University of Minnesota has developed two new a size between the standard eating apple and the crab. The Chestnut crab is red-dish bronze, crisp and juicy, good for eating, for sauce or pies. The Centennial is a hybrid of a wealthy apple and a Dolgo crab. It produces an abundance of fruit late in August.

Plum trees also offer a combination of flowering attractiveness and delicious fruit. We have one on our front lawn.

Not difficult to grow on rough, rocky terrain are herbs. They provide color, fragrance and flavor. Suggestions: summer savory, lavender, chives, rosemary, sweet marjoram, parsley, thyme, sage, lemon balm, sweet basil.

ONION WITH EGGS

Like onion? Cook thin strips of it in butter and add to eggs you are going to scramble. Go further and add some diced cooked ham and some minced green pepper and you'll have the filling for a Western Sandwich.

Mrs. F. Hess Hostess To Pyron H-D

The Pyron Home Demonstration Club met Thursday at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Forest Hess with nine members. Miss Butts and two visitors answering roll call with "My favorite Shrub or Tree".

The council report was given by Mrs. Buford Light, after the president, Mrs. Jack Hudgins, called the meeting to order. Mrs. Light reported that the District II meeting will be held in Littlefield in April.

Recommendations were read from the county committees and were approved.

Miss Butts gave a demonstration on using shrubs in an attractive and convenient landscape plan.

The hostess gift was won by Mrs. Herman Stahl.

Members present were: Mrs. Buford Light, Mrs. Pat Sandefur, Mrs. Ernest Schattel, Mrs. C. H. Stahl, Mrs. Dale Hess, Mrs. Arthur Lee Pieper, Mrs. Forest Hess, Mrs. Jack Hudgins and Mrs. Orval Hess. Visitors were Miss Butts and Mrs. W. L. Jackson.

Research

James Bryant Conant, longtime president of Harvard University, now doing intensive research into the public school system, showed his intellectual curiosity early.

As a schoolboy, Dr. Conant's hobby was chemically analyzing his mother's laundry soap!

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Texas Heritage Topic Of 20th Century Club Meeting

Our Texas Heritage was the topic of discussion at the Twentieth Century Club meeting this week. Mrs. H. W. Cargile, who was in charge of the program, introduced the subject by discussing the signing of the Texas Declaration of Independence in 1836. She then named the seven locations of the capital of the Texas government, and gave a brief description of the present capitol building.

Mrs. John Hamblen gave an interesting discussion of Coronado's Route in his search for the city of gold. "In our Texas heritage, this is probably the oldest historical event, as it took place in 1541, which was 177 years before the Alamo was built, and only 49 years after Columbus discovered America."

Coronado failed to find gold, but he did find something infinitely more important—our Great Plains, which has contributed so much to the welfare and economy of our state.

On a map Mrs. Hamblen traced three possible routes Coronado followed in his quest for Quivira; city of riches. These routes were recorded by three different writers who attempted to interpret the original Spanish accounts of Coronado's journey.

"More recently another historian has printed his views in an entirely different manner. He is J. W. Williams of Wichita Falls, who believes he can trace Coronado's route in Texas, the one sure place on which all historians agree would be on Highway 84 near Muleshoe."

Mrs. Cargile then presented poems and word sketches from the book "Texas Wild Flowers" by Gussie Mae Birdsong of Tyler. Mrs. Birdsong, who is a school teacher as well as being interested in golf, music, art and flowers, has made quite a detailed study of the wild flowers of Texas.

Among those she described were the black-eyed Susan, blue bell, the bluebonnet which is the state flower and whose name means friendship. Also the butterfly weed and dandelion, both of which are used for medicinal purposes. The dandelion, dragonhead or lions heart, goldenrod and horsetail were also mentioned.

Refreshments were served to 18 members by the hostess, Mrs. Fred Beatty.

WOMEN'S CALENDAR

THURSDAY
Gamma Upsilon Chapter of ESEA begins rush season at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Billie Springer, 2003 Avenue X.

FRIDAY
The El Feliz Club meets at 3 p.m. at Mary Lynn's Tea Room with Mrs. Joe Caton as hostess.

Union Baptist
Girls Visit At Temple Baptist

The Junior High School Girls Auxiliary of the Union Baptist Church attended Sunday school and church services at Temple Baptist Sunday morning.

Bro. Valdez, pastor of Temple Baptist asked the girls to tell about their GA work and sing their GA song. Miss Belinda Davis was accompanist.

Following the services the girls and their sponsor had lunch at Stars in Snyder.

Those attending were: Misses Judy Hall, Janice Fowler, Cheryl Reid, Johnette Richardson, Belinda Sue Davis, Doris Rhode and Mrs. J. A. Martin, counselor.

Do you know what Lawrence Welk's bubble machine uses soap not champagne?

Mrs. Leo Beaver Hostess To El Catorce Club

The El Catorce Bridge Club of Fluvanna met in the home of Mrs. Leo Beaver Tuesday afternoon. Three tables were in play with Mrs. Lloyd Alenworth taking high, and Mrs. Bob Warren, second.

Refreshments of angel food cake, lime sherbert, punch and coffee was served.

The next meeting will be held on April 12, in the home of Mrs. Beril Belew.

Tota Psi Has Social Meeting

The Tota Psi chapter of ESEA met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Shirley Bowers, 3726 Highland Drive for their regular monthly social.

Names of prospective rushers were submitted for the coming rush season which will start at the next meeting. The group played canasta the remainder of the evening.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to: Margaret Wood, Ann Kimbro, Anna Stephens, Rita Johnston, Jean Robinson, Wanda Adams and Agnel Corbell.

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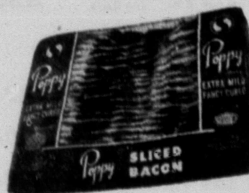
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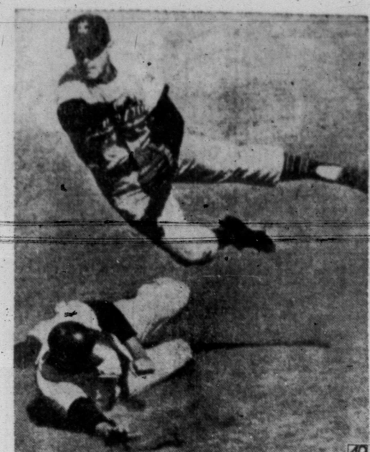
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KIDS HIGH TO COMPLETE DOUBLE PLAY—Ken Hamlin, Kansas City A's shortstop, goes high to avoid the spikes of Detroit Tigers Al Kaline as he completes the throw for a double play during an exhibition game at Lakeland, Florida. Kaline was forced as Charlie Maxwell grounded to second baseman Jerry Lumpe who flipped the ball to Hamlin for the forceout. (AP Wirephoto)

PHILLIES FALL FLAT

Yank Rookies In No-Hit Contest

By JIM KENSIL
Associated Press Sports Writer
A couple of rookie right-handers—Johnny James and Bill Bethel—pitched a no-hitter for the New York Yankees against the Philadelphia Phillies Wednesday and just missed a perfect game in chalking up a 4-0 shutout.

A base on balls to Johnny Callison in the first inning gave the Phillies their only base runner. The walk came on a 3-1 pitch by James who worked the first five innings and fanned three. Bethel struck out five in his 4-inning stint. James was with Richmond of the International League last year and Bethel with Omaha of the American Assn.

The no-hitter was the second of the exhibition season. Bennie Daniels and Jim Umbricht shared a Pittsburgh no-hitter against Detroit a week ago.

In both Florida and Arizona, the pitchers were really in form Wednesday.

Carl Wiley, Milwaukee right-hander, threw seven shutout innings as the Braves beat Kansas City 2-0 at Bradenton.

Daniels also went seven for Pittsburgh, but the right-hander

gave up four hits and three runs in the Pirates' 6-4 victory over St. Louis at Fort Myers.

Left-handers Johnny Podres of Los Angeles and Joe Nuxhall of Cincinnati turned in solid six-inning tricks.

Podres held Baltimore runless as the world champions stopped the Orioles 3-1 at Vero Beach, and Nuxhall checked Washington with two runs in the Red's 4-3 triumph at Orlando.

And the rookie pitchers also had their innings.

A new left-hander, Jake Striker, limited Detroit to one run and four hits in the first five innings as the Chicago White Sox tripped the Tigers 7-3 at Sarasota.

Wynn Hawkins, a rookie right-hander, blanked San Francisco on one hit for the opening four innings at Tucson where Cleveland won 6-4.

Billy Monbouquette didn't get the start, but he turned in a spectacular relief job for the Boston Red Sox. The flashy right-hander faced 13 Chicago Cubs, retired 12 of them and struck out six, including five in succession.

He also received credit for the 5-2 victory at Mesa.

Both Vic Power and Johnny Temple can hit 300 and John Romano potentially is a good power hitter," surmises the pilot.

The infield should line up with Power at first, ex-National League Temple at second, either Held or veteran Gorge Strickland at shortstop and Bubba Phillips at third.

Gordon looks over a big bunch of pitchers this spring trying to decide which to keep on the varsity. Heading the youthful list might be Gary Bell and Jim Perry who won 16 and 12 in 1959. Both are 22-year-old right-handers.

Left-hander Herb Score could make a big difference if he can regain his winning form. He started great last campaign but lost his effectiveness to finish at 9-11.

Palmer Favored In DeSoto Lakes Open
BRADENTON, Fla. (AP)—Arnold Palmer was a fairly solid favorite as the \$40,000 DeSoto Lakes Open Golf Tournament started today over the long, beautiful, but very tough new DeSoto Lakes course.

The 6,900-yard, par 35-36-71 yard layout is in excellent condition. There were very few trees, and a minimum of rough, but the length of the course put a premium on long, accurate driving, and that's where the husky pro from Ligonier, Pa., excels.

Abilene Meet To Feature Top Stars

ABILENE (AP)—Olympic hopefuls will headline a quadrangular track and field meet among Texas, Michigan, Abilene Christian and Ohio State here Saturday. But the fight for first place in team competition will vie for interest.

Michigan may be too strong for Texas and Abilene Christian, but the race should be close. Texas has won every big meet entered this season—the Border Olympics and the San Angelo Relays. Abilene Christian won the Southwest Recreation Meet when Texas wasn't contesting.

Bobby Morrow and Bill Woodhouse, the former Abilene Christian sprint stars: Eddie Southern, versatile Texas trackster, Jimmy Weaver, former North Texas State quarter-mile now concentrating on the sprints; and Glenn Davis, the Ohio State great, will appear in special events.

Morrow, sprint champion of the Olympics; Davis, 400-meter hurdles king of the Olympics and holder of the world's 440-yard record; Southern, runner-up to Davis in the Olympics and NCAA 440-yard champion; Weaver, who beat Morrow and Southern last week at San Angelo, and Woodhouse, will run a special 100-meter. Dennis Richardson and Bud White, Abilene Christian freshmen, also will compete.

An hour later Davis, Southern and Morrow will hook up in a special 440-yard dash.

Michigan, indoor champion of the Big Ten, will present a strong array and appears capable of winning over Texas and Abilene Christian.

Texas and Abilene Christian are due to dominate the relays. They finished in a dead heat in 3:12 in the mile relay last week. Abilene Christian's 40.3 in the 440-yard relay last week was the best time for the event in the month of March by any team ever.

Indian Infield Better As Is Stick Power

By JACK STEVENSON
Associated Press Sports Writer
TUCSON, Ariz. (AP)—"Our club has the potential to score a lot of runs and our infield defense is improved 100 per cent."

That's the appraisal of Jay Gordon, returning as manager of the Cleveland Indians that finished second in the American League last year.

In the power department for the Tribe this season, Gordon feels Rocky Colavito has the potential to hit 40 to 50 home runs, not a bad prediction since he clubbed 41 in 1958 and 42 last year. Also, Joe Judge, Tito Francona, who hit 363 last year with 20 homers should hit 20 to 25 this campaign and Woodie Held add another 25 to 35.

Both Vic Power and Johnny Temple can hit 300 and John Romano potentially is a good power hitter," surmises the pilot.

The infield should line up with Power at first, ex-National League Temple at second, either Held or veteran Gorge Strickland at shortstop and Bubba Phillips at third.

Gordon looks over a big bunch of pitchers this spring trying to decide which to keep on the varsity. Heading the youthful list might be Gary Bell and Jim Perry who won 16 and 12 in 1959. Both are 22-year-old right-handers.

Left-hander Herb Score could make a big difference if he can regain his winning form. He started great last campaign but lost his effectiveness to finish at 9-11.

Palmer Favored In DeSoto Lakes Open
BRADENTON, Fla. (AP)—Arnold Palmer was a fairly solid favorite as the \$40,000 DeSoto Lakes Open Golf Tournament started today over the long, beautiful, but very tough new DeSoto Lakes course.

The 6,900-yard, par 35-36-71 yard layout is in excellent condition. There were very few trees, and a minimum of rough, but the length of the course put a premium on long, accurate driving, and that's where the husky pro from Ligonier, Pa., excels.

Others mentioned as strong contenders were Ken Venturi of Palo Alto, Calif.; George Bayan of Leominster, Mass.; and Dave Ragan of Orlando, Fla.

And there always is the unpredictable Sam Snead, who has not been playing much tournament golf lately.

The field of 150 is gunning for \$5,000 top money in the 72-hole tournament.

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SPORTS

The Snyder (Texas) Daily News, Thurs., March 24, 1960



SPENCER DYER
Whiz Kid At Short

Tigers Tackle Steers Here

Big Spring's Steers come to town today and will be attempting to dethrone the high-flying Snyder Tiger Express which has rolled to four wins in its last five outings.

Tiger manager Speedy Moffett has posted a starting lineup at right hander Charlie Fricker for today's contest, which will be played at the Towle Park field beginning at 4:15. Gladson, who is back in the saddle again following a siege of back trouble, is 6-1 for the season, the only decision in which he has figured being a 2-0 loss to Lubbock Monterey. He went the route that came, but fell victim to a no-hit effort on the part of Monterey in absorbing the defeat.

Jay LeFevre is the likely pitching choice for the Steers, and is a classy, well-hunged chunker. In the Bengals' first brush with Big Spring this year, he went 3 innings and pitched perfect ball, giving up no runs, hits, nor bases on balls while fanning four Tigers.

Snyder has had the Steers' "number" in the three games involving the two teams to date. Three different hurlers have given up a total of only one run and 12 hits to the Longhorns, as Norm Gladson won the first contest by 4-1 on a four-hitter. Freddy Miller took the second 8-0, relinquishing 6 hits in the process, while Ronnie Jones shut them out in their latest meeting by 9-0 on a sparkling 2-hitter.

Leading the Tiger hitters is shortstop Spencer Dyer, who will be the only starter who is currently topping .300 for the team. His .310 is tops, while in addition he is a grade-A fielder who has come up with several put-outs in the past several games on balls tagged for hits.

Moffett is planning to start the following lineup: Ronnie Wiley, catcher (.217); Gladson, pitcher (.250); Bennie Greenfield, first base (.176); Dyer, shortstop (.310); Steve Free, second base (.229); Bubba Fleming, third base (.267); Jerry Guthrie, left field (.154); Mike Moffett, center field (.222); Snyder has had the Steers' "number" in the three games involving the two teams to date. Three different hurlers have given up a total of only one run and 12 hits to the Longhorns, as Norm Gladson won the first contest by 4-1 on a four-hitter. Freddy Miller took the second 8-0, relinquishing 6 hits in the process, while Ronnie Jones shut them out in their latest meeting by 9-0 on a sparkling 2-hitter.

Expected to gain the starting nod for Big Spring are Jimmy Rogers, catcher; LeFevre, pitcher; Donnie Everett, first base; Coy Mitchell or Ben Appleton, second base; Jimmy Kinman, shortstop; Jerry Dunlap, third; Gene Trassa, left field; Bob Andrews, center field; and Al Cobb, right field.

The Tigers now stand 6-2-1 for the season, while Big Spring will go into the contest with a 3-6 mark.

Will In Shape Again As Playoff Resumes

By The Associated Press
The Boston Celtics, mindful that Philadelphia's Wilt (The Stilt) Chamberlain is no longer a crippling buckle down to the business of trying to win their fourth straight National Basketball Assn.'s Eastern Division playoffs tonight. The teams square off at Philadelphia in the sixth game of the best-of-seven series.

And the St. Louis Hawks, whose coach, Ed Macauley, faces the possibility of losing his job if they are eliminated, try to lay off the Minneapolis Lakers, who lead 3-2 in the Western finals.

The Celts, also holding a 3-2 lead, won all of their games while Chamberlain was hampered with a badly bruised hand incurred last Friday night in a fight with Boston's Tom Heinsohn. But Will returned to full-time action Tuesday night in St. Louis, as happened a year ago, and now hope to repeat with the clinching victory before the home folks — also like last year.

If a seventh game is necessary, it will be played in St. Louis Saturday.

Suffolk Downs race track near Boston has a stable accommodations for 1,214 horses.

Retirement Is Still Aim Of Sammy White

BOSTON (AP)—"I'm in the process of retiring. I haven't changed my mind one iota." With those words catcher Sammy White apparently ended a Boston-Cleveland baseball squabble that reached as high as Commissioner Ford Frick.

White, 34, arrived from Florida Wednesday and reaffirmed that he will quit the game.

In Florida, Frick said that if the veteran receiver doesn't play he will void a trade that kicked up the biggest hassle of spring training.

It started March 16 when the Red Sox traded White and infielder Tim Marshall to Cleveland for catcher Russ Nixon. White promptly announced he would retire.

Cleveland General Manager Frank Lane said the deal was off and demanded the return of Nixon. Red Sox General Manager Bucky Harris refused.

Angry words flew until the matter reached Frick.

"If White has retired," Frick said, "it is a simple matter of applying the rule which states that a deal shall be void if a player retires between the date of his assignment and 30 days of the club's regular season."

Olympic Slot Being Sought By All-Stars

By MURRAY ROSE
Associated Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK (AP)—A university all-star basketball team, loaded with four All-Americans and backed by other outstanding players, today was picked by two coaches as the probable winner of the Olympic trials at Denver, March 31-April 2.

Coach George Smith of Cincinnati and Lou Rossini of New York University, after looking over the collection of stars, predicted the squad would beat Ohio State's NCAA champions and six other teams at Denver. The tourney is being run to determine the 12-man squad which will play in the Olympics at Rome, Aug. 25-31.

All-Americans Darrell Imhoff of California, Oscar Robertson of Cincinnati, Jerry West of West Virginia, and Tom Jackson of St. John's (N.Y.) team with such luminaries as Tom Stith of St. Bonaventure, Terry Disinger of Purdue, Roger Kaiser of Georgia Tech and Tom Sanders of NYU. Peter Newell, retiring coach at California, will coach the team.

Five to seven of the winning squad at Denver will be picked for the Olympic team. The remaining players will be selected from the other teams in the tournament.

The other teams competing for the Olympic spot will be two small college outfits representing the NCAA and the NAIA, an all-star armed service team, the Bastilleville Okla. Oilers as winners of the National Industrial League and two other teams to be selected from the AAU tournament in process at Denver.

The next scheduled ladies play will be this coming Tuesday.

Ted Williams has hit 17 home runs with the bases loaded.

Lady Golfers Active At CC

Tuesday's Ladies Day activity at the Snyder Country Club was marked by participation of an even dozen ladies, all of whom were shooting for low gross, low net, and low put honors.

Low gross was made by Ruth Bookout, the low net by Eloise Devers, and low putts went to Boots Shaw.

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TIM ROBERTS
Letter Winner

Roberts Receives Freshman Numeral

LUBBOCK—Nine Texas Tech varsity basketballers and an equal number of freshman cagers have been recommended to the athletic council for letters and numerals, respectively, by Coach Polk Robinson.

Four seniors, a junior and four sophomores make up the varsity letter winners.

Red Raiders nominated for letters include seniors Gene Arrington and Robert Echols of Amarillo, James Wiley of Lubbock, Dale McKeehan of Sweetwater; junior Steve Lee of Cotton Center, sophomore Del Ray Mounts of Perryton, Carlyle Smith of Grand Prairie, Mac Percival of Vernon, and Roger Henning of Mathis.

Gib Weaver of Kilgore will receive a manager's award, and Preston Davis of Lubbock a trainer's award.

Fresh cagers include Tom Patten of Carlsbad, N.M.; Bobby Gindorf of Pampa, Tim Roberts of Snyder, Kenneth White of O'Donnell, Milton Micker of Lockney, Gary Kerrick of Fabens, Tom Clark of Rowell, N.M., Mike Kunstadt of Monahan.

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Junior High Meet Here Tomorrow

Snyder will be the scene of a junior high quadrangular track meet tomorrow, as teams from Sweetwater, Colorado City, Lamesa and host Snyder vie on the Tiger Stadium oval.

The festivities will get underway at 4:30 with the competing teams being made up of 7th and 8th graders from the above schools.

National League umpire Al Barlick, once a coal miner, started umpiring to earn money during a miners' strike.

In the last five years Kansas runners have finished fourth or better in NCAA team competition.

WATCH YOUR STEP



Calorie Count May Be Cause Of Sweet Potato Use Decline

BY INEZ ROBB

Life is real, life is earnest and Uncle Sam has a new worry: You and I aren't eating enough sweet potatoes. That is, we don't eat enough of 'em to satisfy the farmers who grow 'em.

We Americans eat only one-third as many sweet potatoes today as we consumed 25 years ago. Last year, we only tucked away a measly 7.3 pounds per person. It made sweet-potato farmers very unhappy. And if there is one thing Uncle Sam cannot afford, it's an unhappy farmer.

So, the government is about to undertake a campaign to glamorize the yellow spud. At the moment I am bracing myself for a tempest of Federal pamphlets on ways to prepare the sweet potato, just as I am trying to work my way out from under a blizzard of unsolicited pamphlets, courtesy of the U.S. Department of Interior, on how to cook and serve shrimp.

Oh, the Air Force isn't the only segment of government that goes hog-wild once it gets its hands on paper and printer's ink.

Anyway, I have been pondering the plight of the sweet potato. And the sweet potato has become classified in the public mind with such menaces as chocolate fudge sundae and banana cream pie.

If the sweet potato is to be saved, agronomists and horticulturists—would it be biologists?—must get busy and perfect a non-calorie impomoea batatas. This is the first essential step in the resurrection of the golden spud. Prove it's non-fattening, and half the battle is won.

The second step is equally important, perhaps more so, and that is once and forever to divorce

the innocent sweet potato from the marshmallow. It would not surprise me to learn that the decline and fall of the sweet potato began the day that some incompetent cook, with a few left-over marshmallows on hand, decided to use them up by topping a sweet-potato casserole with them.

The result was ruinous both to the sweet potato and the marshmallow. Thier union is as unnatural, say, as that of marble cake topped with mayonnaise and anchovies. And yet I will make a small side bet that the first government pamphlet boosting the sweet potato will include a recipe for a sweet-potato casserole topped with marshmallows.

The sweet potato, a member of the morning glory family, doesn't just as I am trying to work my way out from under a blizzard of unsolicited pamphlets, courtesy of the U.S. Department of Interior, on how to cook and serve shrimp.

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potato casserole topped with marshmallows, will write in demanding a written apology, and that group includes my husband. I can't win. Copyright, 1960, by United Feature Syndicate, Inc.

This May Be Happy Period In History

By JAMES MARLOW

Associated Press News Analyst WASHINGTON (AP) — In time the world-if relations between nations turn sour and savage again—may look back wistfully upon these days as the happy period of conversation without progress.

For months now the United States and the Soviet Union have been pretty much soft-pedaling their differences to avoid wrecking ahead of time the summit meeting May 16 between President Eisenhower and Premier Nikita Khrushchev.

Whether they accomplish anything, besides talking, is doubtful. But at least while East and West are talking they're not hissing.

With the summit meeting still almost two months away Secretary of State Christian A. Herter already is trying to prepare the American people against disappointment. He told the Senate Foreign Relations Committee this week.

"I'm very frank to admit that I'm not optimistic that the summit will produce very great results," Sen. Albert Gore (D-Tenn.) said it appears Eisenhower and Herter are going to the summit "without purpose, without plan, without hope of success." And Herter replied: "It's a gamble."

Herter summed up what seems to be the attitude—at this particular moment in history—when he said in a period of pushbutton war like this one it would be too risky not to sit down and talk.

Eisenhower's press secretary, James C. Hagerty, denied Wednesday that Gore was right in complaining the President and Herter were going to the summit without purpose, plan or hope of success.

But unless Eisenhower does go to the Paris meeting with some clear-cut ideas he may get a rude, shock from Khrushchev. The Russian seems to know ahead of time what he wants.

He can turn the summit into a propaganda victory for the Soviet Union if he makes proposals which have broad appeals and all the American government can do is hush and have.

Khrushchev sounds like a man who has no doubts of what he wants at the summit. Within no time at all after arriving in France Wednesday he told President Charles de Gaulle the West must back down and sign a peace treaty with Germany.

Poker Game Reveals True Character

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP)—You never really know your fellow workers in a business firm until you join them in an office poker party.

Poker is a form of insomnia which separates the cards from the characters.

The game is usually played either in a rented hotel room or in the home of an employee whose wife has lost her sense of judgment—or merely wants to be sure, for one evening at least, where her husband really is.

Here are a few familiar types bound to turn up in any office game:

The friendly sandbagger—"It's only a game—I don't care if I win or lose," he says. But make one mistake in judgment, and he'll bet the fillings out of your teeth.

The career innocent—He insists he knows nothing about poker, but a lie detector test would show he majored in it throughout college and the war, has read every book on the subject, and has been barred from Las Vegas because of his skill.

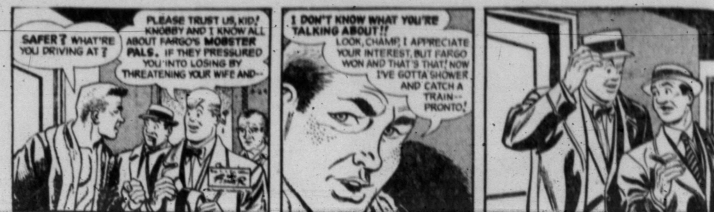
The constant moaner—Win, lose or draw he groans all night like a man undergoing an appendectomy without an anesthetic. He can even find pain in a royal flush.

The butter-fingered tyro—When it's his turn to deal, he spills the cards in everybody's lap. If he loses more than two bits in one pot, he gulps a sedative.

Superstitious Sam — He can't play unless the wind is from the northwest, there's a green ashling on his right, his rabbit foot is in working order, or the deck is replaced every 12 minutes.

The silver-throated cackleguy—"A funny thing happened to me on the way here," he starts—and his mouth never shuts the rest of the evening. He confuses a poker game with a panel discussion at the United Nations. All talk and slow play makes him a dull boy.

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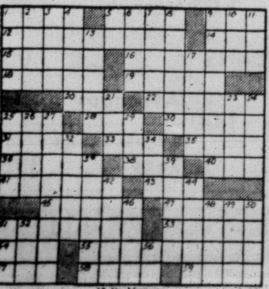


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CAPTURED—Johnnie Dwayne Burrell, 22, escapee from the Arizona State Prison, was pinned down by police after being recognized by veteran police reporter Thurman Johns of the Phoenix Gazette, in downtown Phoenix. Johns, after assisting in the capture, took this picture. Burrell, a two-time loser, was serving a term for grand theft when he escaped. (AP Wirephoto)

Franklin P. Adams, Noted Columnist, Poet Dies At 78

By HENRIETTA LEITH

NEW YORK (AP)—Franklin Pierce Adams, the "F.P.A." whose wit and wisdom delighted millions, died Wednesday night. The 78-year-old newspaper columnist and unabashed poet, one of radio's earliest panel stars on "Information Please," had been confined to a nursing home for the past five years. Death was attributed to hardening of the arteries.

"F.P.A." had not signed those initials to a regular column since 1941. But for a time shortly after World War II he wrote a syndicated daily piece of several paragraphs called "This Little World."

His verse—on subjects ranging from baseball to humorous "translations" of the classics—appeared in many collections as well as in his columns.

In one brief piece he described the newspaper craft to which he devoted nearly 40 years: "Journalism is a shrew and a scold."

"I like her," she makes you sick and she makes you old—"I like her."

Adams not only wrote light verse, but did so without apology. In fact, in an introduction to a 1942 collection of his and others' "Innocent Merriment," he wrote that if he could choose the ability to write either serious or light verse, "I would vote for lightness."

His best-known bit of verse, quoted by thousands who may not have known its source, had to do with an immortal Chicago Cubs infield and was entitled "Baseball's Sad Lexicon":

"These are the saddest of possible words," Tinker, to Evers to Chance, "Tink, to Evers and Chance, 'Tink and Evers and Chance, 'Tink and Evers and Chance, 'Tink and Evers and Chance."

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Conservatives Eye Select Key Races

By DAVE CHEAVENS

AUSTIN (AP)—Conservatives are campaigning in selected key legislative races to ward off what their leaders call a threat of liberal control at the state session. The campaigns are centered mostly in small city or rural areas, not in the big cities.

"Effective organizational work is being carried on within them outside of this effort," said a letter outlining plans for the drive. It was signed by Preston Weathered, Dallas attorney who has long been identified with conservative political elements.

The legislative drive brings into sharper focus a new fight between liberal and conservative groups, growing rapidly in state political races.

Former Gov. Allan Shivers' return to politics by a call on conservatives to support former state Rep. Jack Cox of Breckenridge under the trend, Cox is Price Daniel's only opponent in the race for governor.

Weathered's letter urged conservatives to work hard to stem the increasing liberal tone of the Legislature.

This, he said, "has prompted us to engage field help to go into grass roots areas for the purpose of gathering together leaders from all business segments for a coordinated campaign on behalf of elected candidates in a number of key races."

The letter said the campaign would not go under any name or banner.

It is linked to a letter also issued earlier this month warning conservatives of increasing liberal political power. In addition to Weathered, this group includes Indus-

Audie Murphy And Wife Separating
HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Actor Audie Murphy and his wife Pamela are separating.

Neither is planning a divorce immediately. They blame the rift on incompatibility of personalities and the pressures of Murphy's movie work. They have been married nine years and have two children, aged 8 and 6.

Murphy a World War II Medal of Honor winner, was married once before, to actress Wanda Hendrix.

Dynamite Plant Is Destroyed By Blast
HERRIN, Ill. (AP)—Fire touched off an explosion which destroyed a dynamite plant in the Orville industrial area seven miles from Herrin Wednesday night. Three men working in the building escaped.

One of the three workmen saw the fire and set off a general alarm. The three in the building and 30 others in buildings within a quarter of a mile took cover and no one was hurt.

The dynamite plant is operated by the Glin Matheson Chemical Corp. There was no immediate estimate of damage. The blast occurred in a 1½ story concrete building.



FINISHES TRAINING—Ronnie Lee Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Price, 2315 Thirty-third Street, recently completed his basic training at Fort Riley, Kan., and is now starting a 13 week course in armored radio maintenance at Fort Knox, Ky.

High Import Duties On Sheep Urged

WASHINGTON (AP)—A spokesman for American sheep raisers urged the Tariff Commission Wednesday for quotas and higher duties to curtail imports of lamb and mutton.

Attorneys for importers cross-examined witnesses in an attempt to disprove their claims that imports from Australia and New Zealand are threatening the domestic industry. Importers were present to give their side of the issue later.

A Texan told of the promotion and advertising efforts of American growers to increase consumption of their products in this country.

Jerry Puckett, Fort Stockton, chairman of the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers Assn., also said the sheep population has increased since the promotion began.

Puckett added: "If the industry can be assured that ruinous import competition will not stifle development, this increase will continue, but the assurance of a healthy domestic market is essential if the American sheep producer is to stay in business."

Lance Sears, Sweetwater, Tex., was among other witnesses urging the commission to recommend that the administration impose quotas or higher duties, or both.

Three Montana Democrats urged the commission in a letter to consider the application of import quotas or maximum tariff rates.

Sen. Mike Mansfield and Rep. Lee Metcalf cosigned a letter written by Sen. James E. Murray, saying: "I know of no agricultural commodities produced in the United States as seriously jeopardized by imports at the present time as sheep, lamb and mutton."

Colony On Moon Seen In 20 Years

DETROIT (AP)—A noted astronomer says your children may live in a self-sustaining colony on the moon.

Dr. I.M. Levitt, director of Franklin Institute's Fels Planetarium in Philadelphia, told the American Rocket Society Wednesday he thinks men will land on the moon within 10 years.

Within 20 years there may be a civilization there, he added. Levitt, who admitted he didn't have the faintest idea what it would cost, said a nuclear reactor could supply the power needed and the moon itself provide everything else, food, water, air, clothing etc.

From rocks, he said, man can extract water, which in turn can be broken up into oxygen for air and hydrogen for fuel.

Food, he said, would be derived from algae (primitive plants). "Once the atmosphere and food situation is taken care of," he continued, "we can begin worrying about clothes, homes, desks, chairs, and other structural materials."

"I propose that these items will be fabricated from the basic elements: oxygen, nitrogen, carbon and so forth."

Levitt thinks man will get to the moon from some sort of space station.

Manned reconnaissance of the moon, which he views as a vital step, will be made from a space station that will have to be assembled in space as a satellite of the earth.

LOS ANGELES (AP)—The scientist known as the father of the hydrogen bomb says the United States would become a secondary power if it accepted an indefinite ban on all nuclear tests now.

Dr. Edward Teller told a Los Angeles audience Wednesday that the nation instead should seek a halt on air, surface and undersea tests. He said the Soviet Union could disregard an overall ban by underground tests that could not be detected.

Teller is director of the University of California's Radiation Laboratory at Livermore.

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Youth Faces Slaying Count

ST. LOUIS (AP)—A 17-year-old suburban Ferguson boy is to be tried as an adult on charges of slaying a neighborhood storekeeper and his wife March 8.

Judge Robert J. Carroll ordered Michael J. Kunkel Jr., who became 17 Saturday, tried in Circuit Court because he was "not a proper subject for the Juvenile Court. Two first degree murder warrants were issued against Kunkel and he was held without bond."

Kunkel was 16 and legally a juvenile at the time of the slayings. He has signed a confession, admitting he stabbed and shot Mr. and Mrs. Leonard J. Seal to death during a robbery that netted \$35.

Kunkel has never displayed any remorse. He said shortly after his arrest that he'd be sent to the State Reformatory because "I'm too young for the gas chamber."

Blind Scout Near Eagle

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP)—Blind and deaf, Richard Joy hopes to become an Eagle Scout this summer.

Richard, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Joy of Van Nuys, Calif., is only one merit badge away from Scouting's highest honor. No other boy in his condition has ever won it.

When Richard was nearly 3, meningitis left him without hearing. He soon lost his sight and speech.

At the California School for the Blind, he was taught to "listen" by placing his fingers on the chin and lower lip of instructors. He also was taught to speak, which he does in thick but distinguishable tones.

Scoutmaster George Budgen recalls that Richard learned all the knots the first night by holding Budgen's hands as Budgen tied the knots.

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