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Along The Waterfront

P. E. Shaylor and his brothers, L. A. and F. W., launched their new shrimping boat Monday afternoon. They built this thirty-four foot boat themselves in their spare time during the past four months. She has a Buick eight motor which they estimate will have about 80 horsepower in the water. They fixed up the inside of the cabin so well with plywood that it looks more like a pleasure boat than a shrimper; however, they insisted that she would be used for the hard work of bringing in shrimp.

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Henry Ballou took Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Boswell and party out last Tuesday and they brought in 141 trout.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Faulkner and party, of San Antonio, went out with Shorty Townsend Sunday and caught 105 nice trout and redfish.

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Alvin Linn has just bought the "Christi Lou" from Lee Miller of San Antonio and plans to go into the party fishing business with Shorty Townsend just as soon as he can obtain his operators license. He has been doing some work on the "Christi Lou" and has painted her white with a pale blue trim on top and around the sides. She has a Gray 91 horsepower motor.

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George and Gerald Adolphus have gone into business with Shorty Townsend taking out fishing parties. Their boat is the "Mary Martha."

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Charles Porter of Fulton launched his new shrimping boat Monday afternoon. She will shrimp for the Casterline Fish Company of Fulton. Porter has not decided on a name for her as yet. She is a thirty footer and has a Gray marine motor.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. Wyatt of Waelder, Texas, went out with Henry Ballou Sunday and caught 100 nice trout.

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Charles Gerza and Oscar Hans, of San Antonio, went out on Shorty Townsend's boat, the "Snooks," Tuesday and landed 39 trout and one gaff top. The size of the fish made up for the small number caught.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Schlom, and Mrs. Michael Brunner, of Houston, went out with Fred Christilles Monday and caught 107 nice trout.

Pilot Larger; More Features And Pictures

Recently the Pilot started bringing to this community a newspaper with more pages, more news, more features and pictures than it has offered before. This expansion is made possible through an arrangement with Western Newspaper Union, one of the oldest and largest newspaper syndicates in the world. WNU Features are used in some form or other by more than 4,000 of the nation's newspapers.

Through the purchase of WNU Features in printed syndicate service form, The Pilot now has at its command all the editorial resources of WNU, which has branches in 35 key cities, including Washington, New York, and Chicago. WNU columnists, foreign correspondents, feature and fiction writers, camera men, experts in agriculture and women's interests, as well as cartoonists and artists, are now a part of the staff of this paper.

Many of the names appearing on WNU Features will be recognized at once, for they are nationally-known in the journalistic world. Some are correspondents for city dailies and large magazines, while others are heard over radio networks.

The Pilot will continue to provide its full quota of local and regional news, but the addition of WNU Features brings departments which should prove of wide interest to people of this community.

Every dog may not have his day, and every cat may not have his night; but we firmly believe that every road hog has his Sunday afternoon.

Coach Ramseur Lists Other Members of the Football Roster

Coach John Ramseur still feels pretty good about the prospects of his boys this season, however, he is still carrying his horse shoe and four leaf clover around with him so that he won't get over-optimistic about them.

Ramseur says that he will issue uniforms to all the boys next Sunday morning about nine o'clock and asks that all boys who are interested in playing this season to be present at that time at the high school.

Here are some further comments he made about other men on the team:

LEON BRUNDETT: "Leon will be playing his first year with Rockport High School, since he moved here only this summer, but he is eligible because he played with a school last year that had a six man football squad. He is fifteen years of age, weighs about 165 pounds and is six feet, one inch tall. He is a junior and will have another year of eligibility after this season. He will play a tackle position."

GENE LASSITER: "Gene is seventen years old, weighs about 160 pounds and is about six feet, one inch in height. He will play at the end position. This will be his second year to letter." Gene is a senior and should graduate in May.

PETE SPRINKLE: "Pete is playing his first year of football so I don't know just what he will be able to do, but in Spring practice he showed up mighty well. He is sixteen years of age, weighs about 170 pounds and is about six feet, four inches in height. He will play the center position." Sprinkle is a junior and will have another year of eligibility after this.

BOBBY HEWITT: "Bobby is another letterman from last year and I am expecting some mighty good ball playing from him. He is about six feet tall, weighs about 155 pounds and is seventeen years of age." Hewitt is a senior and will be playing his last year of high school football.

JOHN CHUPE: "John did not letter last year because he only started playing at mid-season. He played real football last year, and is a mighty good sport, so I think he will be a real asset to Rockport this year. He is a senior, is seventeen years of age, is five feet and ten inches in height, and weighs about 150 pounds. He will play an end position."

BOBBY LANDRUM: "Bobby is a sophomore and is playing his second year of football, he lettered last year as a back and, of course, I expect him to turn in just as good a performance again this year. He is five feet and eleven inches in height, is fifteen years of age and will weigh about 150 pounds. He will play the halfback position."

SQUAD MEN FROM LAST YEAR: "With their training and experience from last year, I expect to see them give us some mighty fine performances this season." Senior: Bert Haney; Juniors: Robert Franklin and Billy Joe Hunt; Sophomores: Qlynn Gwynn and Jimmy Hayden.

FRESHMEN WHO ARE MAKING THEIR FIRST YEAR: John Cron, weight 90 pounds, Woody Hunt, weight 85 pounds; Bobby Dean, weight 130; J. C. Gurley, weight 130; Travis Smith, weight 95; Gene Smith, weight 95; Vincenti Corpus, weight 150; Johnny Rowe, weight 135; Jim Morrison, weight 130; Loriano Falcon, weight 130; and Camilo Delgado, weight 125 pounds.

School Annuals Are At Pilot Office For Distribution

The 1946 edition of The Pirate, Rockport High School's annual arrived last Saturday. The majority of these annuals have been called for. However, there are still quite a few that the owners have failed to call for. The Pilot will appreciate if the persons who have ordered these books come by the newspaper office and get their copy.

Houston Scientist Spends Week Here Collecting Shells

Nolan Sanford, editorial writer for the Houston Chronicle and Trustee and Curator of Conchology at the Houston Museum of Natural History is spending a week here in Rockport collecting shells for the museum.

ROCKPORT PIRATES 1946 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Team	Where Played
Sept. 6	Aransas Pass	at Aransas Pass
Sept. 13	Calallen	at Rockport
Sept. 20	Odem	at Rockport
Sept. 27	Refugio	at Rockport
Oct. 4	Woodsboro	at Woodsboro
Oct. 11	Ingleside	at Rockport
Oct. 18	Sundeen	at Rockport
Oct. 25	Flour Bluff	at Flour Bluff
Nov. 1	Gregory	at Gregory
Nov. 8	Bishop	at Bishop

Sorenson's Station Given Face Lifting

J. W. Sorenson's Service tation has recently been repainted in red and white, two new gasoline pumps installed, and the ice box doubled in size.

Sorenson and his employees spent most of last week enlarging his ice box and painting the station. Then he had two new pumps set up in concrete bases.

He says that he intends rebuilding his station entirely just as soon as the materials are available and thus put up a really modern plant that will cover the entire property.

Rockport Cubs Receive Awards

Pack 49 of the Rockport Cubs met at the high school Wednesday night at 8:00 p.m. J. B. Thomas, district scoutmaster from Corpus Christi, introduced T. Houston Foster, the new Cub Master for Rockport.

The pack sang three songs and had a quiz program which was enjoyed by the audience as well as the cubs. Thomas acted as master of ceremonies.

The boys receiving awards were: J. D. Spencer and Leon Barber received the Wolf Badge; Allen McLester received the Wolf Badge and Gold Arrow; Charles H. Smith received the Bear Badge, Gold Arrow and Silver Arrow; Tommie Cron received the Lion Badge, Gold Arrow and the Webelo Badge. Tommie is the first cub in Rockport to receive the Webelo Badge, which is the highest badge in Cub Scouting. All of these boys also received the Service Star for one year's service in the Cubs, along with Gary Smith, Culley Roberts, Cloyce Hayden, Pat Smith, Joe Herring, Oscar Stelzig, Gerald Huffman, and Joe Earl Hunt.

Darrah's Beauty Shop In Fulton Opens Wednesday

Mrs. Leslie Darrah opened her beauty shop Wednesday in Fulton which is located one block west of the Fulton School. Mrs. Darrah is formerly from Fort Worth and says she will have a complete beauty service with all new equipment.

Changes In Staff For Rockport Schools

Mrs. Golda James has resigned as teacher of the sixth grade and will be succeeded by Mrs. Theodore Dupnik. Mrs. Falba Brown will teach the third and fourth grades of the Latin-American School. John Bowen has resigned as science teacher in high school. John Ramseur will teach physics, Houston Foster will teach general science, and Morgan C. Wheeler will teach biology.

Official Returns of Democratic Primary

	Fulton	Court H.	Fire Sta.	Lamar	Estes	Totals
Governor:						
Jester	24	111	136	21	29	321
Rainey	26	82	96	6	44	254
Lt. Gov.:						
Shivers	34	161	169	22	39	415
House	12	26	41	5	24	108
Com. of Agriculture:						
J E McD	26	113	121	16	19	295
RE McD	16	56	76	8	41	197
Judge Court Crim. Appls:						
Beauch'p	29	106	95	15	21	266
Owens	15	64	97	10	37	223
County Com. Prec. 1:						
Allen	---	---	171	---	25	196
Townsend	---	---	74	---	48	122

Masonic Meeting to Be Held In Edinburg Friday, Sept. 12

Masons throughout Texas will converge on Edinburg Friday evening September 12 for the largest Masonic meeting ever held in South Texas according to Chas. T. Machen, Worshipful Master of the Edinburg Masonic Lodge. The meeting which will be featured by a huge barbecue will honor the Grand Master of all Texas Masons, Pat M. Neff of Waco, President of Baylor University and former governor of the state.

Machen has been advised that promiment Masons from various sections of Texas are planning to attend the meeting. In addition to Grand Master Neff, Bruce Brannon, the Deputy Grand Master, Horace Jackson, the Grand Senior Warden and Geo. H. Belew, the Grand Secretary, will come to Edinburg for the big regional meeting.

The barbecue will be held at the high school athletic field at 6:00 p.m. and a tiled meeting will be opened at the junior college auditorium at 8:00 p.m. it was announced, with the principal address of the evening being delivered by Grand Master Neff, generally recognized as one of the outstanding orators in the nation it was said.

All Master Masons are invited to attend, Machen stated.

Educational Exhibit Started By Game Commission

Plans have been completed at the central office of the Game Commission in Austin for an extensive traveling educational exhibit under the direction of Roger Busfield who is also editor of Texas Game and Fish, the Commission's magazine.

This exhibit will be shown first at the Denton State Fair on September 24; at Beaumont October 10 to 21 and at Harlingen sometime during the last part of November. It will endeavor to show the various phases of the department's work and will have live animals, fishes, birds, and plants on which the game animals and birds of the state subsist.

The exhibition will also carry mounted specimens of many of the fishes and animals that sportsmen of the state are interested in. It will have its own movie projector and public address system and will show films made by the department's photographer covering all phases of Texas outdoor life. Films on sail fishing, duck hunting, and the other sports in Texas will be included.

J. L. Baughman says "The Department firmly believes that by means of such an exhibit it will be able to bring home to the people of Texas the things that it is necessary for them to know in order that these resources may be conserved for them and their children ,and their children's children. This is a policy formulated by H. D. Dodgen, executive secretary of the Commission, and one that the Commission hopes to be able to carry out in such a fashion that it will redound to the benefit of the people of the State of Texas."

Rockport Is Visited By Famous Scientist From Chicago Museum

Dr. Karl Patterson Schmidt, author of numerous books on snakes and several children's books, and Curator of Biology at the Chicago Museum of Natural History was in town Saturday when he stopped in to see the biologists at the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission.

Dr. Schmidt is an internationally famous scientist and is now on a three month's collecting tour of the Southwestern and Western parts of the United States.

Athletic Council Selected For Rockport

The Rockport Schools will have an Athletic Council this year which will be composed of seven men and its purpose is to sponsor a closer affiliation between the community and the athletic system of the schools.

The council will have charge of all monies collected at the games and will see that the amusement taxes are paid and will distribute the money according to the needs of the athletic system and the schools.

The Athletic Council will be composed of the following men: Fred M. Hunt, Roy Rogero, DeWilton Jeffries, Joe Johnson Sr., Charlie Ankele, Hugh Morrison, and Charlie Roe. The council will hold its first meeting next Friday, August 30, at 6:30 p.m. at the high school.

LEASE FOR MARINE LAB APPROVED

The lease on the tract of land for the Marine Laboratory has been approved by all necessary agencies and payment has been made to the Navigation Commission for a thirty year period.

The plans are now in the office of the Game Commission in Rockport for construction of the new laboratory which will be a building forty feet by sixty feet with a ten by twenty foot pent house. The laboratory will be esuipped for all phases of marine biology, weather, and meteriological observation and probably will support a staff of about ten people, several of whom will be biologists.

Aransas County Emergency Corps Founded In 1938 Has Record For Fine Achievements

The Aransas County Emergency Corps which was organized on June 14, 1938, has done a really good job of protecting life and property in Aransas County since that time, and has a particularly good record of work done in the storms the county has had since that time.

The functions of the Corps, as defined in its constitution, "shall be the protection of life and property in Aransas County during time of emergency. This shall include fire prevention and fire fighting, hurricane patrol, beach patrol, ambulance squad and any other situation where organized emergency workers are needed."

The first unit to be organized by the Corps was the Rockport Volunteer Fire Department with officers to be elected each year. The department holds regular drill sessions each Thursday night. The organization has a fine record and is unique in that it is supported almost entirely through revenue from benefits started by the members. It has acquired a great deal of equipment through these benefits.

Among other things it has done, the Fire Department bought and paid for the lot where the City Hall and Fire Station is located and donated it to the City of Rockport. The department also built the building which houses the City Hall and Fire Station entirely by volunteer labor.

To become a member of this department an applicant must be nominated by a member and approved by the examination committee and the members of the department as a group.

The Corps must be composed of not less than twenty able bodied male citizens of Aransas County and prospective members must present a health certificate from a recognized physician, this is required by the State Fire Insurance Commission. Any person of good character and standing shall be eligible to membership.

Duties of the members include the payment of a one dollar initiation fee and dues of fifty cents per month; they shall obey all rules and regulations of the organizations and shall be prompt at all meetings. No member will be excused from attending regular meetings except on grounds of illness, absence from town or absolute necessity.

The first officers of the Emergency Corps were: P. C. Sorenson, president; Ernest Silberisen, vice president; and Albert Collier, fire chief. The officers are elected by the membership of the Corps with the exception of the Fire Chief who is appointed by the City Council with the approval of the membership of the department. The present officers of the Corps are: Robert Key, president; Dick Fox, 1st vice president; Leonard LaBlanc, 2nd vice president; Lloyd Lassiter, fire chief; A. C. Shivers, assistant fire chief, and Charles Ankele, assistant fire chief.

The Corps was organized by the following citizens of Aransas County who became the first members of the Corps: Edward Barnard, Travis Bailey Jr., James Sorenson Jr., Dick Picton, Bill Grey, Charles Garrett, Gerald Adolphus, Albert Collier, Francis Smith, Norvell Jackson, Ernest Silberisen, P. C. Sorenson, Oscar Dye, and Iris Sorenson, secretary-treasurer.

Oldest Dog In America: Is It to Be Found Here?

In the hope that it may be found in this locality, the Rockport Pilot has been asked to aid in the Gaines Dog Research Center's search for the oldest dog in America.

The dog is wanted so that it —and its owner or owners can be duly honored during the forthcoming observance of National Dog Week, September 22 to 28.

Persons owning or knowing of extremely aged dogs are urged to send complete data and pictures immediately to Harry Miller, executive secretary, Gaines Dog Research Center, 250 Park Avenue, New York 7, N. Y. In the case of a purebred, a copy of the registration papers should accompany the communication, while in the case of a crossbred, an affidavit from the owner accompanied by sworn statements from persons acquainted with the dog since birth should be sent. The final selection will not be made until the leading candidates have been seen and investigated, according to Mr. Miller, who adds that any documentary papers submitted will be returned after National Dog Week is over.

Miss Bonnie Gwynn Resigns from Game Commission to Teach

Miss Bonnie Gwynn resigned from the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission this week in order to accept a position as teacher with the Fulton School.

She will be replaced by Mrs. LaVerne Farrell.

Pump In Water System Worn Out; Water Cut Off Part of Time

Rockport's water supply has been running pretty low the past few weeks and reached a point this week where it had to be cut off during parts of the day all week when one of the pumps was discovered to be worn out.

The City Council had the Layne-Texas Company send some men over to check on the wells and they pulled one pump to find that it was worn out. It had to be sent to Houston for overhauling. When they started to put it back they found that some of the casing needed replacing. This caused the water supply to be much less than usual, therefore, it had to be cut off except at meal times which was considered to be the most necessary times for water for the citizens.

The pumps should be ready to work in a few days, but in the meantime, the water will be cut off during parts of the day in order to conserve it. Also, there has to be some water held in reserve for fire protection, according to Mayor Albert Collier. He said that the City Council certainly appreciates the cooperation they have received from the people of Rockport during this problem.

Kaufman Has Annual Back to School Sale Friday

Kaufman's Department Store is holding its annual Back to School Sale beginning Friday, August 30, and will last through Saturday, September 7. At the same time, Kaufman's will be holding its annual store-wide summer clearance sale.

Fire Department Starting Series Of Drills

The Fire Department will start a series of drills tonight and will continue to have a drill every Thursday night to comply with the State Fire Insurance Commission's regulations.

Chief Lassiter has requested that all members be present at the meeting which will start at 7:30 tonight at the Fire Station. The drill will start at 8:00 o'clock sharp and will last for two hours.

C. of C. Directors To Hold Meeting Tuesday Night

The Directors of the Chamber of Commerce will hold a meeting next Tuesday night at 8:00 p.m. at the Fire Station, to discuss several matters to be brought before the membership at the next meeting of the full body on Wednesday night.

The directors are studying the possibility of working with the Veterans of Foreign Wars to employ a typist to fill out all veterans forms for them and to act as a stenographer for the Chamber of Commerce. They will also discuss the possibility of having the ladies attend the regular monthly dinner and business meeting. They are to decide on a location for a downtown office.

Executive Board of P.T.A. Elects Officers

The Executive Board of the Parent-Teachers Association elected Mrs. Julius Malcher social chairman and Mrs. Lloyd Smith, second vice president in its regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Morgan C. Wheeler.

The board also approved the yearbook for next year. Those present— were Mrs. Albert Collier, Mrs. Mayme Hooper, Mrs. Clyde Hayden, Mrs. Tom Shults, Mrs. Clyde Townsend, Mrs. James Herring, Mr. Julius Malcher, Mrs. Floyd Smith, and Mrs. Morgan C. Wheeler.

Grass and Brush Fires Have Been Numerous Lately

The Fire Dpartment reports that it has been called out quite a number of times to extinguish grass and brush fires the past week. There were two grass fires Thursday; three fires on Friday, two of which were grass and one brush; and one grass fire Sunday.

The members of the Fire Department have requested that persons wishing to burn trash, dead brush, or grass notify them in order that they may be prepared to put them out in case they get beyond the control of the person burning trash or brush. They also have requested that all people be very careful to see that their cigarettes and matches are not burning when thrown away.

Families of Deceased Veterans Now Qualified For Security Payments

Many survivors of World War II veterans who have died since leaving the armed forces will benefit from one of the provisions of the Social Security Act Amendments of 1946, H. M. Cleveland, manager of the Corpus Christi Office of the Social Security Administration said today.

Cleveland explained that the new section of the act provides for the payment of monthly benefits to qualified survivors of veterans who died within 3 years of their discharge and whose dependents are not eligible to receive compensation or pensions from the Veterans Administration. National Service Life Insurance is not considered as compensation or a pension.

In the case of veterans who died before the enactment of the new amendment, the measure provides for monthly benefits retroactive to the date of the veteran's death if the survivors file their benefit claims with the Social Security Administration before midnight February 1st, 1947. Of course, monthly benefits other than retroactive are payable on claims filed at any time by qualified persons.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

WAR CONTRACTS INQUIRY COULD GET OUT OF HAND

WASHINGTON. — The politicians are chuckling at the political implication behind the May scandal case.

The inside story is that Mr. May, chairman of the house military affairs committee, walked into the difficulties with the Mead investigating committee, and that the investigation was not inspired otherwise. As May is a conservative Democrat, and Senator Mead of New York has aspirations for the governorship, certain political authorities had circulated the report that the case against May was worked up for purposes of widening the split within Democratic ranks by the liberal side for the purposes of punishing a conservative Southerner. If it did not originate in such purposes, it certainly had that political effect.

However logical this report may sound to some, the inside story is that the Mead committee membership was making a routine check into the complicated financial set-up in the Garsson companies. Some suspicions about the May transaction were uncovered but not made public. Then May brought Dr. Henry Garsson to see Mead to complain about the companies being "persecuted" by a meddling investigation, which, they contended, was holding up reconversion to peacetime activities.

MEAD HAD TO ACT.

The committeemen claim other efforts were made to get them to desist, but they will not identify these efforts beyond the point of saying these came from within the Democratic party.

Despite the imminence of the coming congressional election, the Republicans co-operated with the Democratic members in all ways. The Republican Sen. Homer Ferguson of Michigan (who does not run again until 1949) has been termed the "bird dog" of the committee. Ferguson and his Republican colleagues were in a position to force Mead to act if he tried to cover up. Perhaps they may have been gleeful at the prospect of roasting a Democrat on the eve of departure for home and election.

Another inner political sidelight is that the Garssons hired as their counsel for the inquiry Wayne Johnson, a well-known New York City Democrat.

The evidence carried odors reaching to high heaven, but did not prove conclusively that May ever received any money directly, although it produced testimony indicating money was sent. The committeemen have been authorized to look over the income tax returns of May to supply the missing links, and while these cannot be used as evidence or made public in any way, the committee may get some leads to the links. The law permits President Truman to authorize such looks at the returns.

All in all, the newsmen who sat at the press table throughout the inquiry thought the whole case could be put down as a scandal so plainly marked with evidence that no one could cover it on any side, Democratic, Republican, PAC, or any other.

REP. COFFEE INVOLVED.

But lo and behold, the case produced a political tail larger than the dog. The Coffee case, following immediately thereafter, concerned a left-leaning Democrat, Rep. John M. Coffee, who received $2,500 from a war contractor for services. He votes mostly on the leftish side.

Thus the scandals came out even in Democratic ranks between the two conflicting factions, and the Republicans gained the most ground from the entire transaction. At least no one showed they claimed to have or were seling any influence. It was Senator Brewster, Republican of Maine, who told the committee of the Coffee matter, which first was mentioned in a mayoralty campaign in Tacoma, Wash., by Republicans.

I think the sum total of the scandal matter is this: If anyone started turning over every war contract, at this particular time of world crisis and difficult peace, even to gain ground in an election, the ultimate outcome would be difficult to foretell. At any rate, the Mead committee went to work on some presumably minor cases on the Pacific coast.

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CAN'T GUARANTEE FREEDOMS

The Paris gathering of 21 nations to consider the Big Four peace deal started off under unique circumstances. The 170 mimeographed pages comprising the proposed texts are considered by experts to have been very poorly drafted from a technical standpoint of expression. This was charged to the difficulties of translation. As to the meanings of the agreements and guarantees, few thought them any stronger than the governments which would operate them.

Revival of Two-party System Sought

Truman Purge Aimed at Restoring Party Machinery

By BAUKHAGE

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WASHINGTON, D. C.—Before the Paris Peace conference even got underway we learned that the rules committee, which heard so much heated oratory, was as powerful as the powerful rules committee of the house of representatives.



It wasn't until after the primary returns were in, and Representative (Truman - hater) Slaughter of Missouri, a member of the rules committee, was defeated, that most laymen realized the importance of that battle, and why the President stuck his neck out as far as he did in helping to beat him.

I can see the President now as he looked up with that pert, birdlike glance he has—just enough of a smile to make you try to listen sympathetically — and say that if Slaughter was right, he (the President) was wrong.

Think what Slaughter could have said if he had been elected!

But he was defeated — and the day after the primary, the real significance of the battle became clear.

Never in American history has any administration been up against the situation which developed when the Roosevelt honeymoon ended. I am not arguing how or why that situation came about. But the fact is we have had a situation where party lines meant little, and the age-old principle of majority rule, the theory on which congress, as a working body, is organized, has been violated.

Outstanding example was the rules committee. There were five southerners — anti-administration Democrats—on that committee, and with Slaughter's help, they could tie up the vote and tie up any legislation Truman asked for.

Now maybe the fact that the administration couldn't get its legislation before congress, or couldn't get it passed when it did, was a good thing. I am not discussing that. I merely say that what happened is not a good thing for the two-party system. And as the situation grew more acute, congress wasn't a working body.

Let's take the testimony of a thoroughly loyal Republican member of the committee and acting minority leader, Representative Michener of Michigan. If the Democrats retain control of the house, Michener said, the absence of Representative Slaughter will permit the rules committee to function the way it was intended to function; namely, the legislation of the party in power will be sent to the floor.

That didn't mean Michener wanted the rival party's legislation passed. It simply meant he knew that Slaughter, teaming up with the anti-administration Democrats and the Republicans, was able to tie the vote and stymie action.

And that isn't two-party government.

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Air Power Is Big Killer in War

This has been an aviation year.

The first peacetime year that America has been acknowledged as mistress of the air as well as of the sea and the land. It has been a time of reminiscence, of recapitulation, as well as forecast and foreshadowing.

I remember the interview I had with a certain army official during the war. His impatience, smashing the ordinary rules of censorship, had revealed the secret of the bazooka kept "confidential" long after it was in use, and the details of which Germans had long since learned to their sorrow. (The bazooka functions on the rocket principle.)

The officer pointed to an old print on his wall. It was a picture of American soldiers discharging a rocket projectile in the War of 1812.

Why, then, if the rocket principle was known to us in those early days, did we not develop it as the Germans did, I asked.

The reason the rocket was neglected in the Civil war period, I was told, was because ordnance experts were concentrating on the development of the breech-loading firearm, and the perfection of rifling — the making of spiralled grooves inside the barrel which gave the bullet or projectile a twisting movement, and kept it from tumbling "head over heels." This increased range and accuracy.

The emphasis was still on the rifleman rather than the artillery, and such statistics as we have indicate that the infantry in the Franco - Prussian war of 1870 wounded 10 times as many men as the artillery did. Undoubtedly the bayonet claimed many.

By 1914-15, however, artillery produced one-half the wounded, showing the rapid advance which, in part, made experts forget the rocket again.

Artillery, according to the old definition, is "group-served, mounted firearms of caliber greater than that of small arms." This definition could easily be made to include the firearms, shells, or bombs carried by planes, or contained in the war-head of a rocket.

I mention the effectiveness of "artillery" in the latter sense, not to belittle the doughboy who is really the "ultimo ratio," but because the projectile, either carried in a plane or by propulsion in a rocket, is what might be called the definitive weapon.

The point is we did not develop the rocket in the Civil war because we felt we had something better (breech-loading rifled artillery and small arms). And again the rocket was set aside by a decision arrived at before we engaged actively in World War II when our experts, both in the army and out of it, including the great industrialists who could gauge our production capacity, felt the airplane was a superior weapon.

We did not entirely neglect study and experimentation on the rocket during the war, however, and now we are probably farther advanced in this type of "artillery" than any other nation. We also have learned to project our "artillery" by means of the "drone" (pilotless airplane).

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Is This the Army, Mr. Jones?

In World War I when YMCA and Red Cross canteens were established right up into the zone of the advance, and even nearer the front, some of the "old timers" of those days wrote to the editors insisting that the Civil war was won on "salt horse and likker" (I recall that phrase in one of the letters) and we were just softening the boys.

Well, it didn't soften them too soft for Chateau Thierry and the Argonne.

Then came World War II, and some of the veterans of the earlier war raised their eyebrows at the USO, turkey dinners at the front on Thanksgiving, ice cream (instead of beans, salmon, corn willy or nothing).

But, soldier, you ain't heard nuttin!

When they say "This is the army, Mr. Jones," to you future G.I.s, you'll hardly believe it.

Did you hear what Field Marshal (blood, sand, and green for the Normandy hedges) Montgomery had to say? He believes enlisted men in the British army ought to live like other folks. Bedrooms, not barracks.

"You had your breakfast in bed before," goes the warning song, "but you won't have it there any more." Maybe not. But if Monty has his way, British soldiers can read in bed.

And what about those tricky uniforms American soldiers are going to wear?

Blue! (like the boys in blue who said good-bye to Blue Bell). And perhaps "two-note," with a lighter shade for the trousers! And overcoats AND CAPES!

You aren't in the army now, Mr. Jones. You're in grand opera!

And then there is that terminal leave pay bill passed by congress, I suppose, to pacify the fellows who got out of the army without knowing what they were going to miss. Almost three billion dollars dumped into G.I. pockets to even them up with what the officers received for furloughs they hadn't taken.



TOGETHER AGAIN—IN JAPAN . . . One of the most touching meetings when the army transport, Fred C. Ainsworth, brought a contingent of American wives and families to Yokohama, Japan, was this one between Sgt. Delbert Jenkins and his wife, Marietta, both 65. They had not seen each other for four years. Jenkins enlisted at the age of 61 and saw service in the Pacific campaign.

NEWS REVIEW

Dardanelles Row Looms; Nations Ask Soft Peace

DARDANELLES:

Hot Spot

Another major international row appeared in the making with Soviet Russia's demand upon Turkey that she break the Montreux convention of 1936 and share control of the vital Dardanelles straits leading to the Black sea with Moscow.

Under the convention, the Turks have been entrusted with the guardianship of the strategic waterway and, while they have expressed a willingness to maintain the present arrangement, they have informed the U. S. and Britain that they cannot hold out against the Russian proposals alone. By granting Russian demands, the Turks would be forced to permit Red troops to occupy parts of their soil along the straits.

PALESTINE:

Turn on Heat

The illegal Jewish underground organization, Irgun Zvai Leumi, called upon all Jewish resistance movements in Palestine to unite in the fight for attainment of a Jewish national home in the Holy Land even as British officials lambasted zionists for seeking to high pressure the government into acceding to their demands.

Pointing out that it was necessary to press their drive now while the British were being hard put to maintain order in Palestine, Irgun suggested that the two other resistance groups, Haganah and the Stern gang, combine to form the nucleus of an underground government and army.



FREE FOR THE TAKING . . . Plagued by a shortage of labor and an abundance of woodchucks, Autumn Van Den Heuval, West Nyack, N. Y., farmer, has invited all-comers to "come and help themselves" to his 80 acres of sweet corn as well as blackberries and grapes.

PARIS:

Wanted: Softer Terms

Addressing the delegates of 21 Allied nations at the peace conference in Luxembourg palace, representatives of Italy, Romania and Bulgaria pleaded for moderation of terms on the grounds that, as co-belligerents of the victors in the closing stages of the war, they had made substantial sacrifices for victory.

Speaking for Italy, Premier De Gasperi stated that his country had contributed troops, naval power and materials for three years and that the Allies should think twice before internationalizing Italian dominated Trieste and submitting 180,000 Italians in Venezia Guilia to Yugoslav rule. He also asserted that excessive reparations would weigh down the Italian economy and reduction of armaments would imperil the safety of the state.

Foreign Minister Giorgu Tatarescu of Romania followed De Gasperi to the speaker's dais and asserted that no less than 385,000 Romanians had fought on the allied side during the last six months of the war. Furthermore, he said, German and Hungarian forces had inflicted large-scale damage of Romania after she had deserted the axis cause. Tatarescu asked for a larger army and scaling down of heavy reparations.

On behalf of Bulgaria, Foreign Minister George Koulishev claimed that his country had suffered 32,000 casualties during the eight months it fought on the allied side. He charged Greek demands for $750,000,000 in reparations were excessive and asked that Bulgaria be permitted to disarm within reasonable limits. Regulation of traffic on the Danube should be the interest of all the countries bordering the river, including Bulgaria, Koulishev said.

FURLOUGH PAY:

Fast Action

Application forms for vets' unused furlough pay will be available at all post offices by mid-September but disbursement of the five-year bonds will not take place before the end of the month because of time required in printing.

In announcing the procedure to be followed, the war department stated:

1. Applications will be acknowledged when received to assure the vet his claim is on record.

2. Disbursing officers will accept sworn statements of applicants unless there is suspicion of fraud.

3. Army vets unable to determine how much unused furlough pay they have coming, figured on the basis of 2½ days per month, can apply for information to the adjutant general's personnel records branch at St. Louis, Mo.

ANTI-INFLATION WEAPON

Federal Spending Curb Urged

CHICAGO. — Terming a curb in federal governmental expenditures "the nation's most powerful weapon against inflation," William K. Jackson, president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, urged immediate congressional action to slash spending.

Jackson, who addressed business men at the 23rd annual National Institute for Commercial and Trade Organization Executives on the Evanston campus of Northwestern university, urged that congress establish an over-all budget committee to recommend a ceiling on appropriations and to coordinate the total spending with expected revenues.

Return State Powers.

Jackson also urged local governments and business organizations to work for the return to the states of powers and controls usurped by the federal government.

"Several state agencies have developed the enervating habit of looking to Washington as the source of solution for every difficulty," he asserted. "They seem to have forgotten that this seemingly easy treatment becomes a two way narcotic. It is habit forming in Washington as well as in the state capitals."

The chamber of commerce has asked business groups to refrain from seeking special federal appropriations for the benefit of individual states or local communities, he reported.

Hits 'Mob Rule.'

The business men were asked to campaign for legislation to "equalize the responsibilities as well as rights "of labor and management.

"Jurisdictional disputes, boycotts, coercion, intimidation, mass picketing, blocking of public highways by strikers, and prevention of access to private properties do not represent law and order, but mob rule," he asserted.

Walter Winchell

(WNU Service)

Editor's Note: While Winchell is on vacation, Jack Lait is acting as guest columnist.

Unshackled in a Garden of Eden—

Best American Divorce, and fastest, is the decree issued by Federal Judge Moore in St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, U. S. A. . . . It takes eight hours to get to St. Thomas from New York via plane, flying the new nonstop route. . . . By a new regulation, after six weeks' residence, the decree is signed, eliminating long periods of publication and other delays pertinent to Reno or Miami divorces. . . . The Virgin islands are a practically unknown paradise — few tourists, best Scotch on earth at $2.50 a fifth, cigarets 50 cents a carton, shopping for native woven products at prewar prices and your buck worth 100 cents. . . . Two American hotels — Hotel 829 and the government - run Bluebeard's Castle — total accommodations 60 people! . . . The Virgin islands divorce decree is the only one in the country signed by a federal judge, who is appointed by the President. . . . No V. I. divorce has yet been contested by any state. Lawyers feel that the federal character of the decree puts it above protest. . . . In this tropical Capri, the city-harassed American finds new world comforts along with authentic old world atmosphere like the South Sea islands once had. . . . Natives live in tiny huts, the beaches are blue and coral, the water crystal clear, with vast acres wild, awaiting settlement. . . . The government—local and national—is eager to sell at ridiculously low figures. . . . At Caneel bay, on St. John (one of the U. S. Virgin group), the most breath-taking beach on earth rests its spreading white arms in cool tropical splendor — with an average of three bathers a day! Cabanas, furnished by the U. S., are usually empty.

Atlantic City shut up tighter than ever. . . . The cops just sent the sad word around, and the wheels stopped rolling. . . . Jack Lynch, who lost his historic club on Philly's Walton hotel roof when sudden fire regulations closed it, is hunting a new street-floor spot there; meanwhile, he wants to take over the now dark Rainbow room, in Radio City—but the Rockefellers don't seem to need the money.

When George White, whose "Scandals" rivaled Ziegfeld's "Follies," ran into hit-and-run trouble in San Diego, the supposedly hard - hearted Broadway boys called a meeting and chipped in for a defense fund. . . . Buddy de Sylva was the leader. . . . The kitty went to $50,000!

Faye (Mrs. Roosevelt) Emerson returns to the stage at Cape Cod, Mass., August 12, in "Here Today," a warmed-over Ruth Gordon starrer of 1934. . . . It's official—Joan Crawford's next is "Possessed," with Van Heflin, based on a Cosmopolitan magazine novelette, "One Man's Secret," by Rita Weiman. . . .

Civil aeronautics bureau may not know this: When it approved an around - the - world route for TWA linked with Northwest Air-Line, Howard Hughes, who owns TWA, had an option on control of Northwest. . . . TWA is to fly N. Y. to Shanghai, via Europe; Northwest is to pick up there, flying to Alaska and Seattle. . . . Hughes' option was to become effective if, as and when Northwest got government permission to fly the Pacific. . . . So it appears Hughes, who broke the around-the-world air record, has in hand the around-the-world route he laid out on that famous four-day zoom. . . . And, with announcement of the globe-circling license, plus the approval of the Constellations with changes, TWA stock leaped so that Hughes' holdings have been rising at a rate of about $1,000,000 a day—as he lies and listens to his ribs knitting.

Jack Dempsey and Jake Amron, former Hollywood restaurant boss, have made a flossy offer for Henry Lustig's Longchamps tax-tainted restaurant chain. . . . "Tobacco Road" earned a fortune largely because Harry Oshrin doesn't go wild on payday. John Barton will draw $350 a week starring as Jeeter Lester on tour next season, which gives you a rough idea of what the lesser hillbilly performers will rate.

Saratoga bit deeply into New York nightlife. . . . The best and steadiest spenders have flocked to the Spa, which, with all its hopes, didn't anticipate such a gold-rush. . . . The OPA doesn't seem to have penetrated there. . . . Prices were pegged steep for a short season. . . . But when the New York influx fluxed in, the natives took up some notches in the jacks. . . . Now the common man with a $5 bill doesn't know whether to lay it on the favorite to show or buy a hot dog.

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TREASURE OF THE SEA

BY George E. Walsh W.N.U. Release



THE STORY THUS FAR:

The crew of a small sailing vessel in the Caribbean pick up Dick Jordan, adrift on a raft. Dick realizes that he is among men who are virtually pirates. They come upon a drifting schooner, apparently a derelict. When two persons appear on the wallowing ship Tucu, the pirate captain, is disappointed. Demented Captain Bedford invites Tucu and his crew aboard, but his daughter Rose turns them back with her automatic. Dick swims to the schooner and aids Rose in the battle. Tucu withdraws, but Dick fears he will return during the night. They keep watch anxiously. A storm is brewing and it obscures the moon.

CHAPTER V

Dick walked slowly forward again, keeping a more watchful eye in the direction of the lugger, and listening for any strange sound. The lugger was invisible in the gloom, and he knew the Caribs would creep upon them without detection until within a few yards of the schooner. The danger of a surprise was growing with every minute.

Four times he made his circuit and met Rose, who reported everything quiet and peaceful aft. Then on the fifth round, he was delayed a little by a noise in the water that sounded suspicious. He waited to verify it, and then resumed his walk more hurriedly.

When he reached their meeting point, she was not in sight. He waited impatiently for her, but when she did not appear he grew anxious. There was a chance that his own delay had caused the trouble. She had not waited for him. Unwilling to go back until assured of her safety, he lingered until she appeared nearly ten minutes later.

"I missed you," he exclaimed in a whisper, "and couldn't go back until I was sure."

"You shouldn't have done that," she frowned. "Something may have happened forward while you were here."

"I'll hurry back," he replied in relief. "But wait for me on the next trip. I must know you're safe."

She nodded, and Dick hurried to make up for lost time. In his haste he was careless and tripped along with more speed than caution. He was till thinking of the girl when a black shadow rose up to confront him. Startled, and not sure that it wasn't an optical illusion, he paused instead of raising his gun to fire an alarm.

That momentary hesitation was his misfortune. By the time he was convinced a burly Carib was facing him on the deck of the schooner, two other dark forms had sprung out of the gloom back of him. Dick raised his gun to shoot, but a hand knocked it upward, while one of the long, powerful, hairy arms of Black Burley encircled his neck and crushed the wind out of him.

When Dick recovered, and his wits returned to him, the Caribs were in full possession of the schooner. He needed no further verification of this than his own helpless condition. Trussed up securely, he was lying on his back, with his face turned up to the moonless sky. Storm clouds were scurrying over his head, and the treacherous moon was still invisible.

Dick Stalls for Time By Bargaining

A foot prodded him in the ribs, and a black face was thrust into his. Dick recognized the crafty one of Captain Tucu, leering with triumph.

"Ain't dead, I see," the half-breed gloated. "Y'want to be careful next time how y'hit that deck. It ain't a soft pillow."

Dick stared at him.

"Where's Captain Bedford's daughter?" he asked. "Did she get hurt?"

Tucu smiled cruelly, realizing he had another weapon of torture in his hands. "She ain't dead neither," he grinned. "We're keepin' her in th cabin—me an' Black Burley."

The intended significance of the words aroused Dick to fury. "If you hurt her, Tucu," he said slowly, "or insult her you'll pay with your life. This is war between you and me. Leave her out of it."

"What'll y'do if I promise?" he asked, smiling warily.

"Anything you ask."

"Y'll stick to y'bargain, an' show me where them jewels was dropped overboard."

"Yes."

"Y'tried to trick me once," growled the other, "an' ye'll do it again. Y'word ain't wurth nothin'. I'd cut y'throat if I thought—"

"No, I didn't trick you," Dick interrupted. "I interfered only when you began war on a woman. That wasn't part of our bargain."

The half-breed paused, watching his prisoner with doubtful eyes. "I wasn't makin' no war on women," he said finally. "Cap'n Bedford invited me aboard his schooner, an' that—"

"He's crazy, you knew. He wasn't responsible. The schooner was in command of his daughter."

"He ain't so crazy that he don't remember some things," was the retort. "Soon's we can find that treasure he's picked up, we'll leave."

"What treasure?"

Captain Tucu winked and laughed. "Y'don't know nothin' 'bout it, I suppose. 'Tain't likely y'heered him, an' his daughter ain't said nothin' to ye."

Dick was puzzled and mystified. He shook his head finally. "I don't know what you're talking about. If there's any treasure on the schooner, I don't know of it."

Tucu was unconvinced. "Y'lay there an' think about it. Mebbe y'll remember, or we'll find it."

When he walked away in the gloom, Dick had ample opportunity to reflect. There came to his mind a vague remembrance that in his crazy chatter Captain Bedford had made reference to a prize—a treasure—he had found.

If Tucu believed there was any treasure hidden on the schooner, he would search for it, spend days overhauling every part of the craft. This would cause further delay, and time was precious. Any hour or day a ship might cross their path, and he might not be able to signal for help.

He concluded finally to favor the idea that there was something of value aboard, and that Captain Bedford had hidden it. By pretending that he and Rose knew of its existence, but couldn't locate it, they would gain time. With two treasures dangled before Tucu's eyes there was a possibility of eventually finding a way out of their troubles.

When Tucu appeared a few hours later, with the first streaks of dawn breaking in the east, Dick's mind was made up. He met the eyes of the old renegade with a look of compliance.

"Tucu," he said, "you've got me in your power, and there's no use



"Then it's a bargain?"

fighting against fate. I'll make a new deal with you. Captain Bedford has enough loot aboard to make those smuggled jewels look like cheap imitations."

"Thought y'said there wasn't none," growled the man, scowling hard at his prisoner.

Dick smiled. "That was before I thought you knew," he replied. "I didn't want you to know of it. I thought I could get away with it. That's why I didn't want you to board the schooner."

"Y'wanted to get the treasure an' the girl?"

"Wasn't any harm in that, was there?" laughed Dick. "You'd do as much if you had the chance."

"Reckon I got 'em," leered the other.

"No," slowly, "you haven't. You've got the girl, but you haven't got the treasure."

"Reck'n one goes with the other. She'll tell when I want her to."

"No, she won't," replied Dick boldly, "for she doesn't know where it is."

"The hell she don't! Y're lyin' to me."

"All right!"—shrugging his shoulders. "Don't believe me. Ask her!"

The half-breed surveyed him quietly a moment, and then became convinced nothing was to be gained by stubbornness.

Threat of a Storm Forces Tucu's Hand

"If she don't know where it is, who does?" he demanded surlily.

"Captain Bedford, of course. He hid it in one of his crazy moments. His daughter knew where it was before that, but now she doesn't know any more than you do. Her father's so crazy we couldn't get the secret from him. We were trying hard when you came aboard. If we found it we intended to escape in the small boat, and leave the schooner to you."

"Y'ain't lyin' to me ag'in!" ejaculated Tucu, eyeing his prisoner suspiciously.

"When did I lie to you before?"

The other growled savagely, and made no reply. After a while, he asked: "What's this new deal y'had in mind? Spit it out."

"I wanted your word you wouldn't hurt Captain Bedford's daughter," replied Dick slowly. "If you promise not to harm her, we'll help you search for the treasure. If you find it we'll let you take it, if you leave the schooner to us. You don't want that. She's no good, and wouldn't be worth towing to port."

"Reck'n she ain't a bad prize," murmured Tucu reflectively. "We could get her to land if another storm didn't come up."

"But another storm is coming," interrupted Dick. "You're sailor enough to know that. Feel the air, and that wind—"

Tucu studied the leaden skies.

"There may be another storm, an' there may be only a little squall," he said. "I ain't sayin' which."

"No, but you know which it is," smiled Dick. "It's a storm."

Tucu glanced uneasily around at the horizon again.

"Y'can't help any in searchin' the schooner," he decided finally. "But y'can lie here an' watch us."

"Then you don't agree to a new deal?"

"If we find the treasure you an' the girl can have the schooner," was the grinning retort. "Mebbe y'can ride out the storm an' to land. I'll leave y'on it."

"Then it's a bargain?"

The half-breed regarded him slowly before replying.

"Yes," he said finally, "after y' show me where them smuggled jewels is. Reck'n that's fair."

"You're not greedy, Captain Tucu, are you?" laughed Dick. "You want the treasure and the smuggled goods. What do I get?"

"The girl and the schooner," leered the other.

"And if the schooner goes down in the storm I lose both."

"No, y'can swim fur it. Two on a raft's more comfortable than one, an' that's the way y'was when we picked y'up."

Dick nodded. He had gained his point. Nothing would happen to him or Rose while they searched the schooner for the mythical treasure. In the meantime, almost anything might happen—a ship appear or a storm break.

"We'll call it a deal," he said finally.

His ready compliance awakened the other's suspicion.

"Y' got to help us in one way," he added. "You an' that girl's got to help us."

"How can we?"

"By wheedlin' it out of the captain. Mebbe he'll listen to his daughter."

"I don't know about that; but I'll promise to do what I can. Let me see her."

Tucu was still suspicious, but as there was no other way he finally decided to grant this request.

The sun was rising in the east when Dick was led by two of the Caribs to the captain's cabin.

His entrance into the cabin brought a little exclamation of delight from a dark corner. Rose Bedford came forward to greet him. "Oh, they didn't kill you!" she exclaimed eagerly. "I was afraid they had."

"No, I got a knock on the head, but it didn't amount to much." He glanced around him. The cabin was empty except for his two captors and a third Carib on watch at the entrance. Tucu hadn't followed them. Dick took advantage of the opportunity to explain the situation to her. The Caribs didn't understand English.

"Rose," he said eagerly, "Tucu believes your father's got some sort of a treasure aboard the schooner, and he's after it. I told him I'd help him find it."

Instead of meeting him with glad eyes, her face darkened. Dick had an uncomfortable feeling that she was searching him with eyes of suspicion.

"I promised," he went on eagerly, "that we would help him search for the treasure."

"You promised that?" she repeated, slowly in a cold voice.

Rose Is Angered at Dick's Agreement

"Yes, to gain time," he continued. "While he's looking for the treasure we may plan some way of escape. Tucu won't leave until he's searched every part of the schooner, and that will take a day or two."

She was quiet a moment, her eyes vaguely restless and uncertain. Dick had the impression that she was worried.

"Why does Captain Tucu think there's any treasure on the schooner?" she asked slowly.

Dick chuckled. "From the ravings of your father. He heard him chatter about the prize he'd picked up."

"And do you think there's any?" she added.

Dick was on the point of answering negatively when a queer expression in her eyes arrested him. He glanced soberly at her, and then instead of putting in a denial he countered with the question:

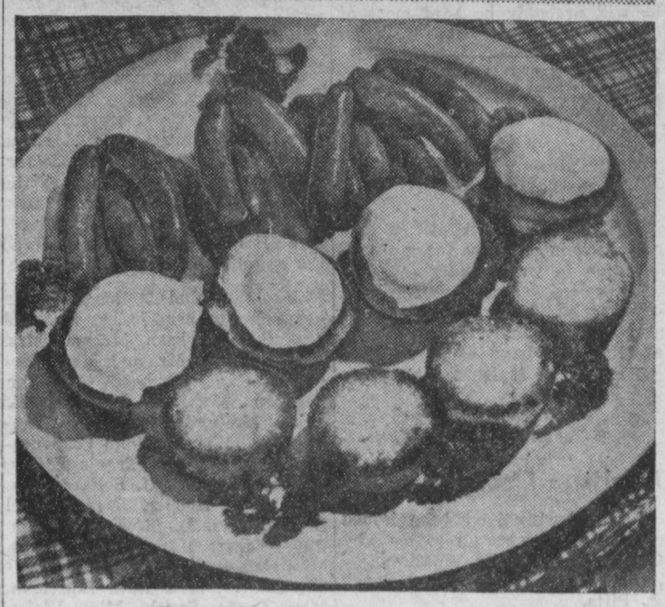
"Do you? Is there any treasure on board?"

She remained noncommittal, glancing from him to the two stalwart Caribs, whose sleepy eyes indicated no interest in the conversation. Dick became suddenly disturbed in mind. If there was any particular sum of money or gold or anything else of special value, he had not improved matters by telling Captain Tucu he would help him in the search for it. In fact, he felt that he had complicated the situation. From the accusing eyes of the girl, he began to feel guilty of having betrayed a secret.

"I didn't know there was anything, Rose," he said penitently. "I supposed your father's chatter was all moonshine. I am sorry if I've—I've blundered."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Eggs Add a Thrifty Note to Menus
(See Recipes Below)

Economy Pointers

When you feel that you want to be economical in the midst of rising living costs, a good idea to follow is to serve an inexpensive main dish every other day. In this way, you won't feel that you are working any hardship on the family, and at the same time, there will be plenty of good eating in the economy dishes.



Eggs are plentiful and economical, so are fresh fruits and vegetables. Fish is also a mighty good food that lends nice variety to the menu.

Vegetables can be combined with other vegetables or with fish and eggs to add color as well as flavor to the food. Consider for example, these egg cutlets that are served with peas:

Egg Cutlets with Creamed Peas.
(Serves 6)

2 tablespoons fat
4 tablespoons flour
1 cup milk
½ teaspoon salt
⅛ teaspoon pepper
6 diced, hard-cooked eggs
1 egg, beaten
½ cup dry bread crumbs
2 cups cooked green peas
2 cups well-seasoned white sauce

Melt fat, add flour, then milk and seasonings. Cook, stirring constantly until thick and smooth. Add hard-cooked eggs and chill thoroughly. Shape into cutlets or patties, dip in egg, then bread crumbs. Brown on both sides in shallow fat. Heat and top each cutlet with green pea sauce.

Stuffed Baked Potatoes.
6 baked potatoes
⅔ cup milk
2 tablespoons butter
¼ cup deviled ham
¼ teaspoon salt

Cut a slice from top of each potato, and scoop out the potato carefully. Mash potatoes free from lumps, then heat milk and salt and add to potatoes. Beat until light and fluffy. Add butter and deviled ham. Beat well. Pile lightly in potato shells, place on a shallow pan and bake in a very hot oven (450 degrees) for 10 minutes or until lightly browned.



Here's an easy dish that can be made with an inexpensive meat and a favorite vegetable:

Meat 'n Corn Cakes.
(Serves 6)

1 pound ground beef
½ cup dry bread crumbs
⅓ cup milk
¾ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon pepper
1 egg, slightly beaten

LYNN SAYS:

Garnish Your Salads: Add to their appeal by making them pretty enough to eat, but always use an edible garnish.

Slice carrots paper thin, roll around your finger and chill in ice water.

Shape cream or cottage cheese in balls, dust lightly with paprika or roll in finely chopped nuts or olives.

Pare a cucumber as you would an apple, in a continuous strip. Chill in ice water.

Slice crisp green peppers and bermuda onions very thin, separate rings and chill in ice water. Toss over vegetable or meat salad.

Cut sweet pickles almost to the stem. Spread apart to look like a fan.

LYNN CHAMBER'S MENUS

*Stuffed Squash Bacon
Cottage Cheese and Fruit Salad
Carrot and Celery Strip
Muffins and Butter
Chocolate Cake Beverage
*Recipe given.

¼ cup diced onion
1 cup canned whole kernel corn
1½ cup tomato soup or tomato sauce

Mix ingredients in order given. Form into patties and fry in two tablespoons of fat until golden brown. Place in a greased casserole and top with tomato soup or sauce. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for 45 minutes.

Sausage and Oyster Loaf.
(Serves 6)

1 pound bulk pork sausage
1 pint oysters ground while raw
2 cups soft bread crumbs
2 eggs, slightly beaten

Mix all ingredients together and place in an ungreased loaf pan. Bake in a slow (325 degree) oven until loaf leaves edges of the pan. Drain excess fat off occasionally. Serve with hot hollandaise sauce and green vegetables.

Before you start using your newly canned vegetables, make sure all the old ones are gone from the shelf. Here is fine supper dish that will use many home-canned vegetables easily:



Country Style Vegetables.
(Serves 6)

½ pound bacon or salt pork
1½ cups onions, sliced
1½ cups canned carrots
1½ cups canned string beans
1½ cups canned kernel corn
1½ cups potatoes, sliced
1 cup medium white sauce
½ cup buttered crumbs

Cook bacon or salt pork slightly, then add onion and cook until crisp and brown. Arrange vegetables in layers in a buttered casserole and sprinkle each layer with bacon or salt pork. Pour white sauce over all. Top with buttered crumbs and add a dash of paprika. Bake in a moderate oven 20 to 25 minutes until casserole is browned.

Cream vegetables — any vegetable that will hold its shape, and serve with bits of diced leftover chicken or ham. This makes a nourishing, week-night supper.

The long yellow squash are delicious when properly prepared. You'll not need any meat with this one:

***Stuffed Cymling Squash.**
(Serves 6)

3 medium sized cymling squash
½ cup thick white sauce
1 tablespoon grated onion
2 tablespoons chopped green pepper
3 chopped hard-cooked eggs
1 cup grated cheese
½ cup buttered crumbs

Boil squash 10 minutes. Drain and scoop out center. Mash pulp, add white sauce, onion, green pepper, cheese and eggs. Fill shells with mixture, sprinkle with crumbs and paprika. Place in a shallow pan containing a little water. Bake in a moderate oven 20 to 25 minutes.

Veal Rice Loaf
(Serves 6)

2 pounds ground veal shoulder
1 pound ground pork
1 cup cooked rice
4 eggs, well beaten
¾ cup milk
¼ cup chopped pimiento
½ teaspoon paprika
Salt and pepper

Have meats ground together. Combine with rice. Season with salt and pepper, paprika and pimiento. Moisten with eggs and milk. Pack into a greased loaf pan or ring mold and bake in 350 degree oven for 1½ hours. Serve with mushroom sauce.

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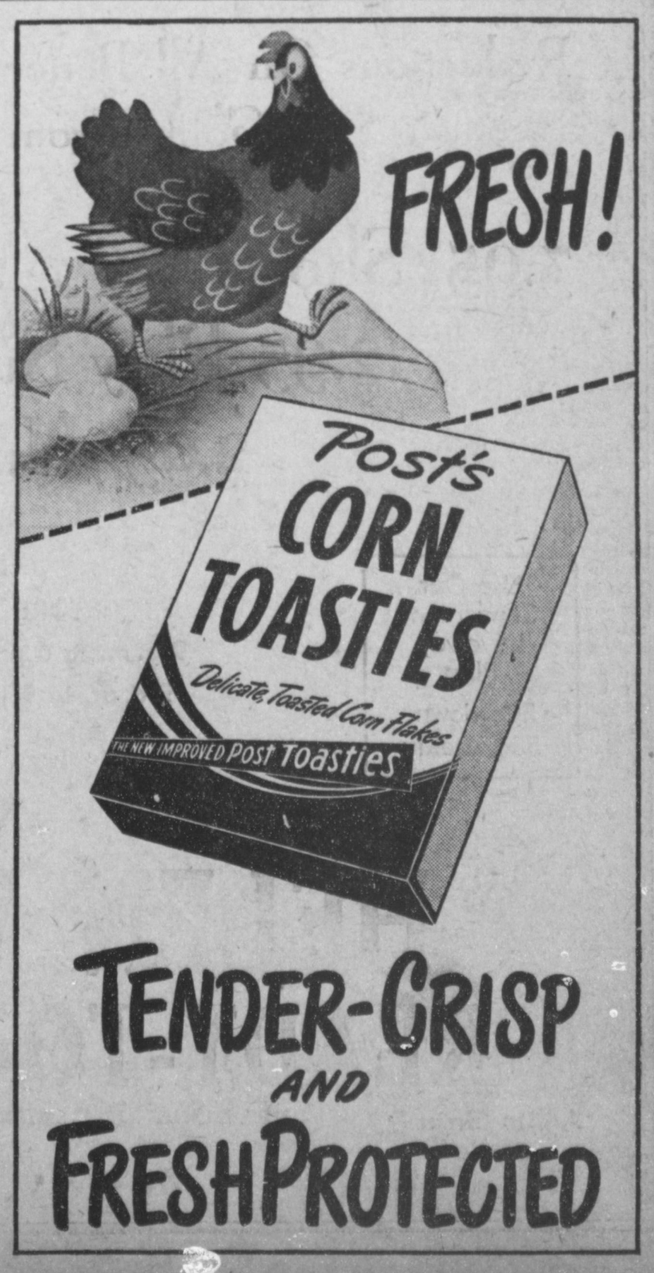
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The Pilot CONGRATULATES—

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fox upon the arrival of a daughter, Tuesday, August 27, 1946, at the Spohn Hospital in Corpus Christi. The young lady has been named Julia Katherine.

Dr. Carline to Build Resort for Colored People On Copano Bay

Dr. Carline and Garvase Leathers, of Corpus Christi, have purchased a tract of land about 17 miles from Rockport, along Copano Bay, for the purpose of constructing a resort center for colored people.

The land consists of about 162 acres out of the William Steel Survey Number 2, L. W. 840 in Aransas County. The purchasers plan to build a number of cabins, improve the beach for swimming, and to provide fishing facilities for the colored people of Texas. Dr. Carline stated that the project will cost about ten thousand dollars by the time it is completed. He wants to have a really nice vacation spot for colored people.

Francis (Little Monte) Roquette is recuperating from an operation performed last Tuesday, Aug. 27, at the Fred Roberts Hospital in Corpus Christi.

Dr. Mileau to Build Home In Rockport

Dr. Alexander Mileau, Jr., has purchased a tract of land in Rockport from Harry Traylor for the purpose of constructing a home on the beach here.

Dr. Mileau has been for many years at the head of the staff of the Robert Green Hospital in San Antonio. He plans to spend quite a lot of time in Rockport and says he will probably be here most of the time now.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR . . .

Aransas Pass, Texas

The Rockport Pilot,
Rockport, Texas.

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed you will please find my check in payment for my subscription to your paper.

I have enjoyed reading The Pilot very much and do not want to miss a copy. I especially enjoy the new addition you have added to your paper. All of it is so interesting and helpful.

Yours truly,
(Miss) Lou E. Riggs.

Marriage Licenses—

The following have been issued marriage licenses recently by County Clerk J. M. Sparks:

Eugene V. Thornton and Sarah E. Pitts.

John G. Lee and Ellen O. Branch.

Steve Truitt and Ima Jean Harris.

William David Hawes and Inez C. Wikstom.

Sammie B. Riley and W. Faye Bryant.

Roy N. Mullinax and Joyce L. Evans.

Noble C. Gray and Evelyn B. Milam.

Bruce Gordon Davis and Mary Virginia Jackson.

Mary Virginia Jackson Given Reception By Mrs. Fred A. Bracht

Mrs. Fred A. Bracht and Miss Mary Jo Bracht entertained with an informal reception Sunday afternoon honoring Miss Mary Virginia Jackson, whose marriage to Bruce Davis will be solemnized Saturday night. Mrs. Bracht, the honoree and her fiance greeted the guests at the door and Miss Willeen Schmidt of Taft was in charge of the register.

Flower arrangements were in the reception room and dining room and the lace covered table was centered with pink blossoms in a crystal bowl on a reflector. Embossed white napkins bore the names "Mary and Bruce." Miss Bracht presided at the punch bowl and Miss Shirley Johnson served the angel food squares.

Guests included, besides the honoree and her fiance, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bruhl, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bailey, Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Pollard, Mrs. James G. Hooper, Mrs. Mabel Bryant, Mrs. L. M. Bracht, Mrs. Pat Hooper, Miss Mabel Bracht, Miss Genevieve Bracht, Miss Marilyn Brower, Miss Ruth Lipscomb, Miss Grace Smith, Miss Vivien Picton, Miss Velma Picton, Miss Iris Sorenson, Miss Verona Klaeser, Miss Carolyn Ada Hooper, Mrs. Clare Louise Schmeling, Miss Shirley Johnson, Fred Bracht, Fred Bracht Jr., Clarke Bailey, Marvin Pollard, Harris Pollard, James Bracht, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Schmidt, Miss Willeen Schmidt and Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Abrahams of Taft and Mr. and Mrs. Evans Corbin of Ingleside.

Reception Will Be Held Honoring High School Faculty Friday Night

Friends of the school and teachers are invited to a reception honoring the faculty of Rockport Schools Friday evening, August 30 from 8 to 9 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan C. Wheeler.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

IN THE MATTER OF THE CONDEMNATION BY ARANASS COUNTY NAVIGATION DISTRICT NO. 1 OF CERTAIN PROPERTIES BELONGING TO PAULA REUSS ET AL FOR BREAKWATER, HARBOR IMPROVEMENT AND NAVIGATION PURPOSES IN FRONT OF THE TOWNSITE OF FULTON, ARANSAS COUNTY, TEXAS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO THE ARANSAS COUNTY NAVIGATION DISTRICT NO. 1, PETITIONER, AND TO THE HEREINAFTER NAMED PERSONS, COMPANIES, CORPORATIONS AND OWNERS, TO-WIT:

Paula S. Reuss, Emilie Nunnemacher, Katherine Schoelkopf, Mrs. Fannie Edrington, Mrs. Bessie Sandidge, Mrs. Mary Morton, Mrs. Willie Collins, Nana Holden, Harriet Holden and Mrs. Frank Rieber, a feme sole, DEFENDANTS, and if any of the above owners be dead, their heirs, devisees, grantees, creditors, assignees and/or legal representatives; and all unknown owners, lienors, and/or claimants, having or claiming any right, title, estate, equity or interest or lien, and/or occupants, lessees, licenses, users, and holders, and owners or claimants to easements in, on, over, across and through, and all persons, companies, and corporations, claiming any title or interest in the following described tract of land, to-wit:

All of that certain tract of Water Front Reserve lying East of the Townsite of Fulton, Aransas County, Texas, from the South line of Palmetto Street to the North line of Cactus Street, according to the official map or plat of record in Volume E, pages 540-541 of the Deed Records of Aransas County, Texas, SAVE AND EXCEPT 150 ft. of Water Front Reserve lying East of Lots Nos. Six (6), Seven (7) and Eight (8), Block One (1) of the said Townsite.

You are hereby notified that on the 14th day of October, 1946 at 10:00 o'clock A. M. and at the Court House in Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, the undersigned Special Commissioners appointed by the Judge of the County Court of said County to assess damages occasioned by the condemnation of the hereinbefore described tracts and parcels of land for the purposes of a breakwater, harbor improvement and navigation purposes in front of the Townsite of Fulton, Aransas County, Texas, all of which is more fully set out in a certain written statement filed by the said Aransas County Navigation District No. 1 with B. S. Fox, County Judge of Aransas County, Texas, on the 28th day of August 1946, to which a reference is here made for all purposes, having heretofore duly selected such time and place for the hearing as required by law, will proceed to hear said parties and said written statement and to act thereon in the manner directed by law.

WITNESS our hands this 28th day of August, 1946.

M. G. TAYLOR
CARROLL SANDERS
W. M. FERRIS
Special Commissioners.

THE OFFICER executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law and make due return as the law directs.

ISSUED and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Rockport, Texas, this the 28th day of August, 1946.

ATTEST:
J. M. SPARKS, Clerk of the County Court,
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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing on a proposed budget for Aransas County for the calendar year 1947 will be held in the regular meeting place of the Commissioners' Court in the County Courthouse at Rockport, Texas, at 10 a.m., September 13th, 1946.

c21 B. S. FOX,
County Judge.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the voters of Aransas County for their loyal support in my race for County Commissioner.

p19 C. E. TOWNSEND.

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Gillette Hill, of Houston, a member of St. Charles Bay Club, fractured his left foot in an accident caused by jumping from the pier down at the swimming beach.

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Miss Martha Anne Bauer and Theresa Bauer of Refugio, were guests of Miss Dolly Lee Hart, Friday.

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Charles Marvin Davis, son of Mrs. Mollye Davis, will leave Sunday to enter the San Antonio Military Academy. Mrs. Davis will accompany him and then go to Dallas where she will attend the wedding of her niece Miss Mollye Marie Sabo.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Kight, of La Feria, are vacationing here this week.

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Mrs. Oscar Stinson and daughter, Nina, of Farmersville and Mrs. Wesley Bissett, of San Antonio, are spending a week's vacation here.

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Mrs. Lydia Brundett is spending a week as guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Sorenson, of Palacios, and will also spend a week in Texas City as guest of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Brundett and family.

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Mrs. Frank Allen and daughters of Brownsville are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Winslow and Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Bracht.

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Mrs. Bill Kell and children, of Ingleside, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith and family Wednesday. Other guests in the Smith home included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mires and family, of Taft.

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Pat Smith has just returned home from Dilley, Texas, where he spent three weeks visiting with Alfred and Almon Brundrett.

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Mrs. Frank Casterline Given Birthday Party By Daughters

Mrs. L. E. Casterline, Mrs. Cecil Casterline, and Mrs. Raymond Owens honored their mother, Mrs. Frank Casterline, with a surprise birthday party last Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Casterline.

The birthday cake was decorated with sugar-spun roses and the word "Mother" was inscribed on it. Cake and punch were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Casterline, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Casterline, Mr. and Mrs. Elva Mullinax and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edric Deason and children, Mrs. Marvin Davis and children, Mrs. Annie Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Weber, Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Johnson, Mrs. John Weber, Miss Hettie Weber, Mrs. Ruth Weber, Elwood Weber, Frank Casterline, Raymond Owens and son, Cecil Casterline and children, L. E. Casterline and son, and Mrs. Will Madden.

ROCKPORT . . . Five Years Ago

In a pretty ceremony in the First Presbyterian Church tonight Miss Verna Brundrett became the bride of John Haseman of Woodsboro. Dr. Davis, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Aransas Pass officiated.

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Miss Jewel Werham and Ernest Clinton of Rockport were married Saturday evening, at the Ingleside Church of Christ.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Barber became proud parents of a 6¼ pound daughter August 22.

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Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jones became proud parents of an 8½ pound son August 23.

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A ten pound baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Miles Aug. 20.

Singing Convention Will Meet at Fulton Church Sunday, Sept. 1

The Aransas County Singing Convention meets at the Fulton Church on Sunday, September 1.

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by the addition of a new Section to be known as Section 49-b, creating a Veteran's Land Board and establishing a Veteran's Land Fund; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as Section 49-b which shall read as follows:

"Section 49-b. There is hereby created a Board to be known as the Veteran's Land Board, which shall be composed of the Governor, the Attorney General, and the Commissioner of the General Land Office. The Legislature shall provide by law for the issuance by said Board of not to exceed Twenty-five Million Dollars ($25,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the purpose of creating a fund to be known as the Veteran's Land Fund. Such bonds shall be executed by said Board as an obligation of the State of Texas in such form, denominations, and upon such terms as shall be prescribed by law, provided, however, that said bonds shall bear a rate of interest not to exceed three per cent (3%) per annum.

"In the sale of any such bonds a preferential right of purchase shall be given to the administrators of the various teacher retirement funds, the Permanent University Funds, and the Permanent Free School Funds; such bonds to be issued only as needed, in the opinion of the Veteran's Land Board under legislative authorization.

"The Veteran's Land Fund shall be used by the Board for the sole purpose of purchasing lands suitable for the purpose hereinafter stated, situated in this State (a) owned by the United States, or any governmental agency thereof; (b) owned by the Texas Prison System, or any other governmental agency of the State of Texas; or (c) owned by any person, firm, or corporation.

"All lands thus purchased shall be acquired at the lowest price obtainable, be paid for in cash, and shall be a part of the Veteran's Land Fund.

"The lands of the Veteran's Land Fund shall be sold by the State to Texas Veterans of the present war or wars, commonly known as World War II, in such quantities, and on such terms, and at such prices and such rates of interest, and under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by law; provided, however, that any such lands remaining unsold at the expiration of eight (8) years after the effective date of this Amendment may be sold to anyone as shall be prescribed by law.

"All moneys received and which have been received and which have not been used for repurchase of land as provided herein by the Veteran's Land Board from the sale of lands and for interest on deferred payments shall be credited to the Veteran's Land Fund for use in purchasing additional lands to be sold to Texas Veterans of World War II, in like manner as shall be provided for the sale of lands purchased with the proceeds from the sales of the bonds, provided for herein, for a period of eight (8)years from the effective date of this Amendment; provided, however, that so much of such moneys as may be necessary to pay interest on the bonds herein provided for shall be set aside for that purpose. After eight (8) years from the effective date of this Amendment, all moneys received by the Veteran's Land Board from the sale of the lands and interest on deferred payments, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be set aside for the retirement of said bonds and to pay interest thereon, and any of such moneys not so needed shall be deposited to the credit of the General Revenue Fund to be appropriated to such purposes as may be prescribed by law."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the first Thursday in November, 1946, at which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"FOR the Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding Section 49-b creating a Veteran's Land Fund for the purchase of lands in Texas to be sold to Texas Veterans of World War II."

Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"AGAINST the Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding Section 49-b creating a Veteran's Land Fund for the purchase of lands in Texas to be sold to Texas Veterans of World War II."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast were in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution and be effective from the date of the determination of such results and the Governor's proclamation thereof.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election. 14c19

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

You are hereby notified to appear before the honorable Commissioners' Court of Aransas County, Texas, sitting as a Board of Equalization, at the court house in Rockport, Texas, on the 5th, 6th, and 7th days of September, 1946, to show cause, if any, why the value of your property assessed for taxes for the year 1946 should not be raised as said Board of Equalization desires the same assessed.

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Sportlight

by GRANTLAND RICE

IT ALWAYS has been our belief that the time to compare athletes is at the end of their careers. For example, why try to compare Ted Williams, after five seasons, with Ty Cobb's 24 seasons?



Ty Cobb

Why try to compare Bobby Jones, retired for 16 years after winning 13 national and international championships, with Byron Nelson who so far has won 3? And don't forget that Jones ran 1-2 in the U. S. Open eight out of nine years.

Ted Williams and Byron Nelson have many years left in which they may rise to even greater heights, or for one reason or another suddenly fall away.

I recall just about the outbreak of the war when more than a few were placing Joe DiMaggio above Tris Speaker as an all-around outfield star. DiMaggio was and still is a great ball player. But even Joe's most vehement supporters today wouldn't place him above the flight of the Gray Eagle, the class of all outfielders in the air or along the ground, who could also hit from .350 to .386 in his better seasons through a long stretch of time.

Take Ty Cobb and Ted Williams. Few pitchers could. Ted Williams is the longer, harder hitter. But how many remember that Ty Cobb led the American league nine years in a row — that he led the American league in 12 out of 13 consecutive seasons. Think that one over.

What hitters were in Cobb's road? What was their class? Practically no one except Shoeless Joe Jackson, Napoleon Lajoie, Tris Speaker, Babe Ruth, Wahoo Sam Crawford, Bobby Beach and a few of that ash-tinted ilk.

I see they are now comparing Bob Feller and Walter Johnson, certainly two of the greatest. No one can tell me that Bob Feller or anyone else had Johnson's speed. Feller has a greater variety. But Johnson's speed was enough. They usually beat him 1 to 0 or 2 to 1 and even working with a weak-hitting outfit, he still could win more than 30 games a year pitching against some of the great hitters of all time. But none of these great hitters was on Old Barney's side. The idea is that Johnson has already turned in his 20-year record. Feller still has many years to go.

Feller isn't working with much of a ball club, either. He is to a certain extent in Johnson's spot. Johnson, pitching for the Athletics in those days, could have won 40 games more than once. Feller, working with the Red Sox, could be another 40-game winner. There will be time enough later on to rank Johnson and Feller.

'Old Pete' Alexander

If you talk to hitters who faced him and who have been around, they won't nominate Walter Johnson or Bob Feller as the top master of the pitching tribe. They won't give you Cy Young who won 510 or Christy Mathewson. Their nominee is an entry known as Grover Cleveland Alexander, also known as "Old Pete."

Working with the lowly Phillies, Alexander won 31 games in 1915, 33 games in 1916 and 30 games in 1917, a total of 94 games in three consecutive years with a ball club that never belonged — outside of Alexander.

In 1916 he pitched 16 shutout games, most of them in the Phillies' bandbox park. Through six years, he had an earned run average under two runs per game. As a rookie in 1911 he won 28 games with the lowly Phillies.

Alexander was a stretcher bearer with the army in 1918, one of the tough jobs of any war. He then had been pitching seven years. On his return to the Cubs in 1919 and 1920, he allowed 1.72 and 1.91 earned runs per game, an incredible performance. Through his career Old Pete had no interest in any form of training. He happened to be an eccentric genius, a great artist, which so few are. He knew exactly where the ball should go to certain hitters, and he could put it there too.

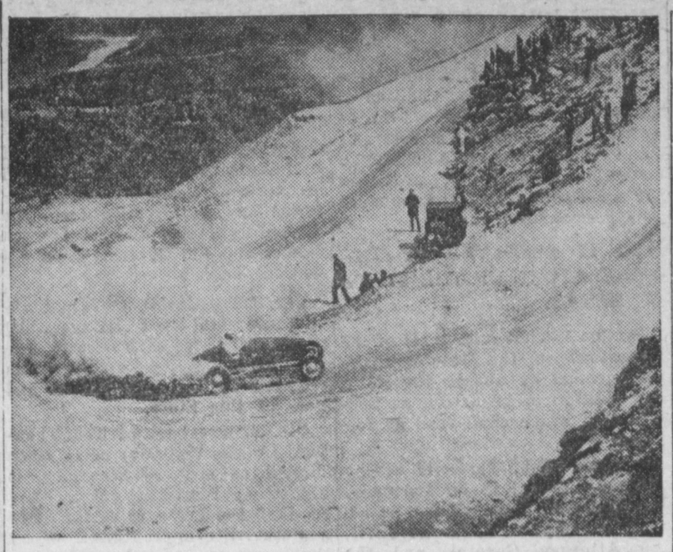
Johnny Evers, who had batted against the best, once told me that Alexander was the only pitcher he ever faced who made him feel like throwing his bat away. "I knew how useless it was," Evers said.

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Cardinal Class

Overlooking the boisterous and heartfelt boos from Brooklyn, the Cardinals have been the class of the league from the start. They have had no better ball players than Dixie Walker and Pete Reiser and Pewee Reese.

But no sane baseball follower can tell you that the hustling Dodgers have the class to match Stan Musial, Marty Marion, Country Slaughter, Red Schoendienst, Terry Moore and Whitey Kurowski.



ROARING UP MOUNTAINSIDE . . . Racer in the annual Labor Day classic is shown negotiating one of the breath-taking hairpin curves, bordered by rock walls, which mark the treacherous ascent to 14,110-foot Pikes Peak. In the background can be glimpsed a panorama of the mighty Rockies.

'DADDY OF 'EM ALL'

Spectacular Pikes Peak Speed Classic Revived

By WNU Features

COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.—Nature and man have contrived to provide the world's most spectacular and grueling testing grounds for an automobile on Pikes Peak, one of America's most famous mountains, where the annual Labor Day auto races will be revived this year after a wartime lapse.

A record field of big-time drivers is expected to vie for $7,500 in prize money posted for the race against time up the famous Pikes Peak highway, William H. Geisler of the Pikes Peak information bureau reports.

Rise of 6,000 Feet.

The highway, known as the "world's most wonderful motor road," is a double track boulevard, 20 to 50 feet wide for the entire distance, and as smooth and even as pavement. Breath-taking hairpin curves mark the entire course, which is noted for the sensational rise of more than 6,000 feet in approximately 12½ miles.

From many points on the course, visitors may look downward thousands of feet to the starting point and watch the speed demons climb the rock-walled sides of the giant peak to the snow-clad summit above the clouds.

Equally thrilling is the magnificent view, heralded as the most spectacular ever beheld from an automobile. A vast, 300-mile panorama of the mighty Rockies can be viewed from the New Mexico border line on the south, through the entire state of Colorado, to Wyoming on the north. Eastward, the billowy ocean of plains rolls far into Kansas while spread out below like a huge black carpet is the Pike national forest.

Started in 1916.

This year's renewal of the race, the first since 1941, will be on the 30th anniversary of the first race. The Pikes Peak auto hill climb was inaugurated in 1916 by the late Spencer Penrose, millionaire philanthropist of Colorado Springs and the Pikes Peak region.

Since that time, every famous race driver has competed on the famous serpentine course. The annual race classic has grown in popularity and importance until today it ranks with the Memorial Day race at Indianapolis.

Often dubbed the "daddy of 'em all" in the realm of hill climbs, the Pikes Peak race assumes proportions of an international event with cars and drivers entered from foreign countries as well as the United States.

Undergo Severe Strain.

As the racers roar up the steep slopes of Pikes Peak, their vehicles undergo terrific tests which are used by manufacturers as the basis for new car improvements. From the tires to the spark plugs, the test of strength and stamina is more intensive than any required of a regular passenger car.

The graveled roadbed with its hairpin curves and steep grades is a severe test for tires. The climb of 6,000 feet in a short distance demands expert performance for carburetion, cooling, ignition, spark plugs, wiring and other parts of the motor, as well as a real test of oil and gas.

Thorne to Compete.

Among the big-time drivers scheduled to compete in this year's classic are Joel Thorne, wealthy California racing enthusiast whose car won the Indianapolis Memorial day race; George Berringer, famous Indianapolis racer; Louis Unser, six times winner of the Pikes Peak race, who set the race record of 15 minutes, 34⅘ seconds in 1941; Rene LeBeque and Jean Treveaux, well-known French racers; Al Rogers and Johnny Morrow.

Of the total prize money of $7,500, first place winner will receive $3,000. Six prizes are posted, $2,000 going to second, $1,000 to third, $750 to fourth, $500 to fifth and $250 to sixth.



ISLANDER TENDS U. S. GRAVES . . . A Solomon islander, wearing the traditional ceremonial hibiscus in his hair, cuts the tropical greens and weeds in the U. S. cemetery on Guadalcanal. Now it is a quiet scene, with stately palms and their fronds rustling in the breeze overlooking the same terrain where the marines pushed forward on their historic landing four years ago.

Ceremony Marks Centennial of Flag-raising

MONTEREY, CALIF. — To commemorate the 100th anniversary of first hoisting of the United States flag over California soil, an historic flag-raising ceremony was held here. The Stars and Stripes were first flown by Com. John D. Sloat at Monterey 100 years ago.

The flag was broken out on an exact replica of the pole of Monterey pine put up by Sloat's forces, and it was erected in the same rock cairn that supported the original one. Remains of that staff and cairn recently were discovered in excavations at the old Customs House.

A 40-year-old tree from the Del Monte forest was selected to correspond with the measurements provided by Col. Roger S. Fitch, president of Monterey History and Art association, and Dr. D. T. MacDougal of Carmel, retired director of Carnegie institution and authority on history.

IN THESE UNITED STATES

'Ham' Show Is Instrumental In Revamping Georgia Town

By E. L. KIRKPATRICK
WNU Features

Thirty years amidst hams and eggs is the reward of Otis S. Oneal, Negro extension worker at Fort Valley, Ga. Annually, Oneal guides the farmers around Fort Valley, county seat town of 5,000, in staging a food show at which 500 to 600 cured hams are exhibited. This is in addition to more than 300 pieces of other cured meats and 250 dozen eggs packed in fancy cartons.

These topnotch hams come from hind quarters of peanut-fed or other well-nurtured hogs. They are the products of thrifty farm families in central Georgia who started out to lick the boll weevil through increased emphasis on diversified farming. Festooned around the stage, they make a show that smells as good as it looks; in fact, the aroma permeates the entire school auditorium where the exhibit is held, while visitors look and talk and smell.

Present Program.

Among main events of Ham and Egg Show week, usually held in the spring, are a demonstration program on foods for housewives, roundtable discussion on ham and egg production, home-written and produced pageant in which "The Hog, Hen and Mule Speak," and joint barbecue and folk music festival. Each number draws its share of the 1,000 or more visitors but laurels go to the afternoon and evening festival of secular music where players of banjoes, guitars, mouth harps and many improvised instruments attract the attention of regional and national musicians. W. H. Handy, composer of "St. Louis Blues," has become a constant attendant at the show.

Interspersed between the various major events are quartet and choir selections of old spirituals and secular folk ballads. All are preceded by a curtain riser of Negro folk songs by the school children, "Chula-hu," "Just From the Country" or "Old Dinah's Dad."

Boosts Community.

In fostering this show during the past 30 years, Oneal and his coworkers practically have remade the town and its trade area. There's a Community Fair on the downtown streets each fall. Fat cattle, corn, vegetables and fruits have taken on more significance on farms and in gardens through the entire community.

The idea grew out of Oneal's efforts to improve living conditions among Negro farmers. He had found that some families raised plenty of table food, others none. He had asked some who had to let him bring in those who had not "to see how it's done." Refused by one who didn't "want to be bothered with those triflin' neighbors," he hit on the Ham show idea and started in, taking three years "to get going." Since then, Fort Valleyites and many visitors, even from outside Georgia, have seen, heard, smelled, tasted and felt the Ham show.



LIFE BEGINS IN 'BABY TOWN' . . . Located in the salt bush country of Australia, Whyalla is the No. 1 baby town of the commonwealth. It has the highest birth rate, with some 300 babies coming into the world there annually. For every death in Whyalla in the past six years, 100 babies have been born. The present population of 7,500 consists of 5,000 adults and 2,500 babies or children under 14. Nurse Forrest is shown here giving a brand new arrival his first dunking.

Hospital Diagnoses Patient's Ailment As 'Broken Heart'

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Hospital treatment for a broken heart was requested—and received—by a sad patient entering the accident ward of Atlantic City hospital.

Wesley Mingo, 30, New York railroad worker, at first complained only of acute "chest pains." After denying any previous history of heart or lung ailments, the patient said the pain might emanate from a broken heart.

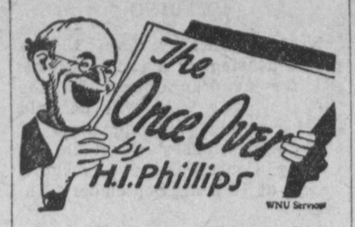
He explained that he came to the resort city to marry a girl, but they quarreled and parted. The physician prescribed a mild sedative, and Mingo left for the boardwalk, his broken heart apparently improved.

Marine Insists War 'Chow' Is Appreciated

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.—Two inseparable marine buddies have returned to Salt Lake City.

When William F. Simons, former private first class, returned to civilian life, he was accompanied by "McGregor," combination chow and police dog which was dubbed a "sergeant" in the marines.

The dog served as a night sentry at Bremerton, Wash., marine base. His former master was killed.



Oscar Purkey to Trygve Lie

"Mr. Trygve Lie, secretary-general of the United Nations, says U.N. has not succeeded in capturing the imagination and harnessing the enthusiasm of the people of the world."—News item.

Dear Trygve:

Me being a G.I. in the recent globul shindig and having high hopes about the U. N. making breach of the peace unpopular, I am interested in your coming right out and admitting that it ain't so hot so far. The U. N. has not only not captured no imaginations, it has not even made contact with them.

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And as a harnesser of enthusiasms it looks like most of the time it could not tell a horse collar from a fly net. And what is the trouble? I will tell you, Mr. Lie. There is no color, no ziperoo, no showmanship and no wallop in the routine. This U. N. has got the biggest chance in the world, it has got the center of the stage and extra spotlights and it is duller than another musical comedy interpretive ballet.

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First of all why does it make so much fuss about a permanent home when it should be too busy to be home much anyhow and how does it expect to harness the enthusiasms of people living in one-story bungalows and Quonset huts all over the world when it keeps issuing maps where it would like to have maybe 40 acres of choice real estate including manor houses, mountain views, cross ventilation and swimming rights? I tell you as just another guy getting humpbacked living in a Quonset without even a shower that the U. N. would harness my enthusiasm faster if it could give me the idea it didn't need so much de luxe real estate.

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You and the boys just grab yourself a few Quonsets here and there, do your laundry in the sink and be satisfied with one pot of geraniums for landscaping and you will make a hit with the peoples of the world okay.

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And for the luvvapete put on some counterattraction to crab this Gromyko's act. If you want to capture imaginations do something about Mister Veto even if you have to fix it to bring in some delegates on our side like Frankie Sinatra, Bob Hope, Hedy Lamarr. The world is pretty soft in the head and as all it goes for in a big way now is light stuff and crime you have got to get some big amusement world names in the show.

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Look at the newspapers, the front pages are full of pictures of boy bandits, flagpole brides and 12-year-old gunmolls. Couldn't you fix it to have some of these kid outlaws stick up a meeting of U. N. and maybe have a delegate from Holland marry a delegate from Australia on top of a flagpole over U. N. headquarters so you could get immediate attention by people everywhere?

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You will not capture no imaginations and harness no enthusiasms nowheres unless you do.

Yours with best wishes,
OSCAR PURKEY.

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FORGOTTEN AMERICANISMS

1.—"Official club rate for caddies 75 cents, no tipping."

2.—"I gave you a dollar for that round; where's my change?"

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"Off We Go"

AVIATION NOTES

MANY VETS FLYING

Representing nearly one-third of total airline employment, more than 25,000 employes of United States scheduled airlines are veterans of World War II, figures compiled by the Air Transport association reveal. The veterans are working in a variety of jobs, ranging from flight and ground operations to sales and administrative positions.

While a considerable number of the airlines' war veteran employes are men and women who left the lines to serve with the armed forces and have returned to their old jobs, a much larger number are new employes hired under the policy adopted by the airlines to give preference to servicemen and women.

Several companies have inaugurated courses designed for rehabilitation of the physically handicapped, one concern reporting that it can use regularly as many as 1,000 veterans with amputations.

Courses of instruction also are provided in flight and ground operations, communications, maintenance and general administrative work.

In addition to veterans employed by airlines in this country, ATA member airlines operating in Alaska, Canada and the Caribbean area employ an additional 1,900 World War II veterans.

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UP IN THE AIR

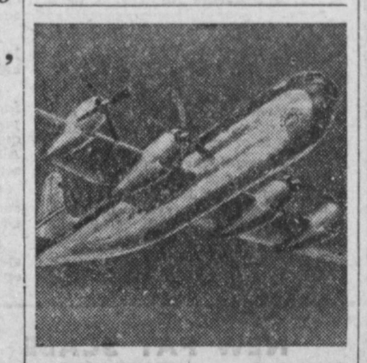
Mrs. Henrietta McGinnis, 72, of Chicago, went "up in the air" over the double wedding of her grandson and granddaughter in Minneapolis. She used the event as an excuse for taking her first plane ride, "something I've wanted to do for years," she added.

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SOARING HIGH

Captured German gliders, including one reputed to be the only "flying wing" model, attracted widespread interest at the 13th annual national soaring contest at Elmira, N. Y. Some of the captured gliders were flown at the meet while others were only on display.

Army gliders of the type used in airborne operations during the war were towed by gallant old Boeing B-17 flying fortresses and tough little Douglas C-47s.



SKY GIANTS . . . A fleet of four-engined double-deck Boeing stratocruisers of the type shown here has been ordered by United Airlines for use on its nation-wide system and newly-authorized route to Hawaii.

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FLYING HAZARD

Add to your list of flying hazards—birds. They are considered a definite danger even with bullet-proof windshields. Airlines pilots reported collisions with birds at the rate of two a day during 1944. Planes frequently encounter flocks of waterfowl, especially in migratory seasons, resulting in considerable damage to equipment. Most feared by pilots is the eagle. Weighing up to 15 pounds, the eagle will swoop down and dive smack through a steel wing.

Ye Olde Cynic

Dear HI—To help starry-eyed teenagers who drape themselves over juke boxes, interpret the songs of undying love to which they are listening, a song writer's calendar is appended:

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2. **"Forever"**—three months.
3. **"Forever and a Day"**—two and a half weeks.
4. **"Through All Eternity"** — five days.
5. **"Until the End of Time"**—48 hours.

Charles H. Morhardt.

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"Forever Amber" will be produced by the movies washed up, dry cleaned and with all the amours, belches, boudoir scenes and rough talk removed. And possibly retitled "Infrequently Amber."

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Frankie Sinatra substituted for Drew Pearson the other night. But we still think those bobbysoxers will hesitate about buying men's hats.

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RINGSIDE

Moscow complains that the United States has the best seats at the Paris peace conference. It still regards it in the same light as an outdoor fight.

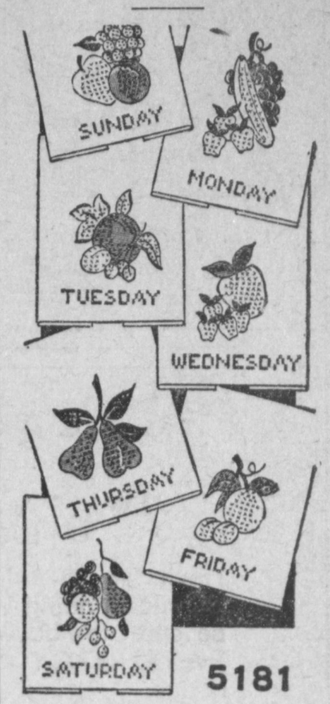
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Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Felkner and three children, of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pyron and two children of Taft, visited Mrs. R. H. McHugh this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Doc Hunt are visiting in Houston this week.

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Mrs. Charlyne Hunt has returned home from Alpine.

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Mrs. Clyde B. Hayden returned Saturday night from Kingsville where she had been doing graduate work the second term of the summer session at A. & I. College. She was accompanied by her daughter, Nancy, who spent the summer there.

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Mrs. Juanita Thesing of Louisville, Mrs. Ernest Garrett of Houston, and Mrs. Charles Garrett of Placedo were guests Tuesday and Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mullinax.

Personals

Mrs. Susan P. Butler returned this week from an all-summer stay in the East. In Baltimore she was the guest of Miss Lois Butler, and attended the summer term of Johns Hopkin. She also visited friends in Washington and New York City. Later she accompanied Miss Butler to Boston, Mass., where Miss Butler will be connected with the New England Conservatory of Music.

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Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bell, director of Motor Transportation, of Austin, Texas, has been staying at the Del Camino Courts for several days.

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Jimmy and Cloyce Hayden returned Wednesday from Wetumka, Okla., where they spent the summer visiting their grandparents and other relatives.

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Elizabeth Francisco has returned from Cimarroncito Ranch Camp, in New Mexico, and will spend the rest of the summer with her grandmother, Mrs. Louis Bailey.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Camp and Miss LaDell of Junction, Joe Billy Camp of A. & M. College, College Station ,are spending the weekend of Labor Day with Mr. and Mrs. Reid Simmons.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. Noah Smith of San Antonio spent several days here recently.

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Mrs. Clyde Armstrong and children have returned from a visit with relatives in Houston.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dunkerly, guests of Triple Oaks are in Goose Creek for a two weeks visit.

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Mrs. F. H. Olviset and children, after a three weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ingersoll, have returned to their home in Houston.

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Albert T. Obertling is in Spohn Hospital, Corpus Christi, recovering from a major operation performed Sunday, August 18. The doctors say that he is doing as well as can be expected.

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Mrs. Oliver P. Echols and daughter, Mary, have returned to Washington, D. C., after visiting her mother, Mrs. Louis Bailey and sister, Mrs. George Francisco.

Miss Vannda Smith returned Sunday from a visit in Texas City as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Brundett.

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Mrs. Katie Bivins and children, Jerry and Nelda Joyce, of Gonzales, will be weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Rogero. Mrs. Bivins, sister of Mrs. Rogero, is connected with the Department of Public Welfare in Gonzales County.

Freddie Hunt Has Lawn Party On Birthday

Freddie Marshall Hunt was entertained with a lawn party at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Hunt, on his fourth birthday.

His cake was white with pink bird candle holders and blue candles. The cake was in the center of the table and was surrounded by fern and queen's wreath. The table cloth had a birthday motif along with the napkins and plates which were inscribed with "Happy Birthday." The pink, white, and blue color scheme was carried out all through the party.

Refreshments were cake and punch and each plate had either a small hoe, rake, or shovel as favors. Mrs. Don Vance helped Vanda Smith serve the guests.

Those present were Nancy Court, Billy Boy Johnson, Charles LaBlanc, Jackie Saunders, Frances LaBlanc, De Jeffries, Carl Kelly, Terry Ankele, Glynn Blackwell, Jimmy Ankele, Mary Lucille Jackson, Verna Ann Haseman, Linda Mills, Mike Johnson, Richard Fox, Tommy Key, Randy Ramseur, Tommy Key, Ricky Ramseur, and Don Allen Vance.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Thompson and Miss LaVerne were in Corpus Christi Monday.

Davis-Jackson Nuptials To Be Saturday

Miss Mary Virginia Jackson will become the bride of Bruce Davis when the nuptials are solemnized next Saturday, August 31, at 8:00 p. m. at the First Presbyterian Church. All their friends are invited to attend.

Sunday guests in the Reid Simmons home were: Mr. and Mrs. Lester Newell and son, Jimmy, Mrs. Bertha Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Atwood of Robstown, Mr. and Mrs. Bennet Killen, Betty Sue and Jimmy of Corpus Christi, and M. J. Rachal of San Antonio.

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Mrs. Ruth Janecek and family of Corpus Christi have been spending the week with the A. L. Bracht family.

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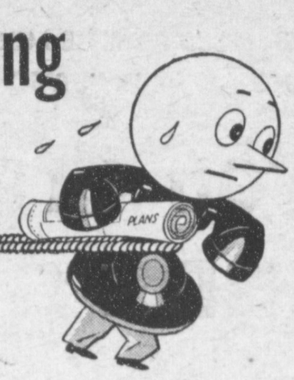
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SIX top cinema stars will shine on the Hollywood Players programs, beginning September 3 — Tuesdays at 9:30 p. m., EDST, and continuing for 38 Tuesdays thereafter. They are Claudette Colbert, who'll launch the series, Bette Davis, Paulette Goddard, Joan Fontaine, John Garfield and Gregory Peck—radio's greatest list of stars as program regulars. Each will be heard several times during



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the 39 weeks; they'll select their own vehicles, choosing hit movies, stage successes, best-seller novels and short stories in which they've appeared or wanted to appear. They'll be given the greatest possible leeway in selecting their material. What a set-up!

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With practically all movie stars yearning to try their luck on the stage, via summer theaters, Jeff Donnell received a bid that others longed for. The highly successful Playhouse at Ogunquit, Me., asked her to guest-star in a play of her own choosing, with her husband, Dialogue-Director Bill Anderson, directing it. And she had to turn it down because she's playing the second feminine lead in Columbia's "Mr. District Attorney," now shooting. She's asked for a rain check for next year.

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Stuart Erwin (star of the CBS "Phone Again Finnegan") and his wife, June Collyer, recently celebrated their 16th wedding anniversary by entertaining Allan Jones and Irene Hervey, whose 10th anniversary came that same week.

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The scenic Roosevelt highway along California's Malibu coast, near Los Angeles, is the setting for much of the action of RKO's forthcoming "Step by Step." Anne Jeffreys and Lawrence Tierney have the top roles.

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James Melton will replace Raymond Massey beginning October 6 as star and master of ceremonies of the "Harvest of Stars." The program's format will change with more emphasis placed on music than formerly, though a dramatic story of American contemporary life or a historical highlight will be included in each broadcast. Melton's contract is for five years.

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It sounds wonderful—Bob Hope replacing Clayton Collyer as radio's "Superman," with Paulette Goddard supporting him as "Lois Lane," the girl reporter. But the general public won't hear it. It's a burlesque program recorded for "Command Performance"; the show will be used for transmission to our armed forces overseas and for veterans in hospitals.

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Barbara Hale and Bill Williams, RKO contract players who did so well they were elevated to stardom, are back in Hollywood after a cross-country honeymoon during which they travelled 7,400 miles—6,000 by automobile, the rest by air.

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Harry Carey Jr., son of the veteran actor, has been assigned a key role in "Pursued," United States Pictures' drama of the early southwest. It will be filmed in technicolor near Gallup, N. M., with Teresa Wright, Judith Anderson and Robert Mitchum.

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Though Benny Goodman is terrifically popular, that new air show will be called "The Victor Borge Show, starring Benny Goodman," not the other way around. Well, no matter who gets top billing, it's bound to be a good program.

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ODDS AND ENDS—Eleanor Parker did so well as "Mildred" in the remake of "Of Human Bondage" that Warner Bros. have given her the leading role in "Love and Learn." . . . Irene Dunne's figure hasn't changed more than half an inch in all the years she's been making pictures. . . . Business women will have their inning on the air Labor Day, when one of them will be chosen Business Girl "Queen for a Day." . . . We've had "Whistling in Brooklyn," "A Tree Grows in Brooklyn" and "The Kid From Brooklyn"; now Metro's starring Frank Sinatra, Kathryn Grayson and Jimmy Durante in "It Happened in Brooklyn"!

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Anniversary of Sound Movies Recalls Early Panic of Stars

Public, Press Unenthused at 'Talkie' Advent

Sound came to motion pictures just 20 years ago yet most of the excitement over the invention that today makes movies one of America's chief industries didn't come from the press or public, but from stars who were panicked by the realization that their voices might not be pitched for recording.

Despite an unenthusiastic public, and skeptical producers of the first talkies, "The Jazz Singer" starring May McAvoy and Al Jolson, was released in 1927. From then on a star's voice was recordable or he was through.

John Barrymore and Conrad Nagel made the transition from silence to sound without a hitch. Nagel, who was under contract to MGM at the time and receiving $2,500, was loaned to every other company in Hollywood and in the first two years of talkies, he made 31 films.

Westerns Take Lead.

Recording sound for Westerns at first seemed impossible but Fox made "In Old Arizona" with Warner Baxter as the star and such film greats as William Boyd, now Hopalong Cassidy, and the late Bill Hart rose to their fame. Westerns now total more box office receipts than any other type of picture.



EARLY IN CAREER . . . Douglas Fairbanks, acclaimed by millions as idol of the screen, is shown with his first camera staff while making one of his early pictures. Actress Bessie Love played opposite the star in above picture, title unknown.

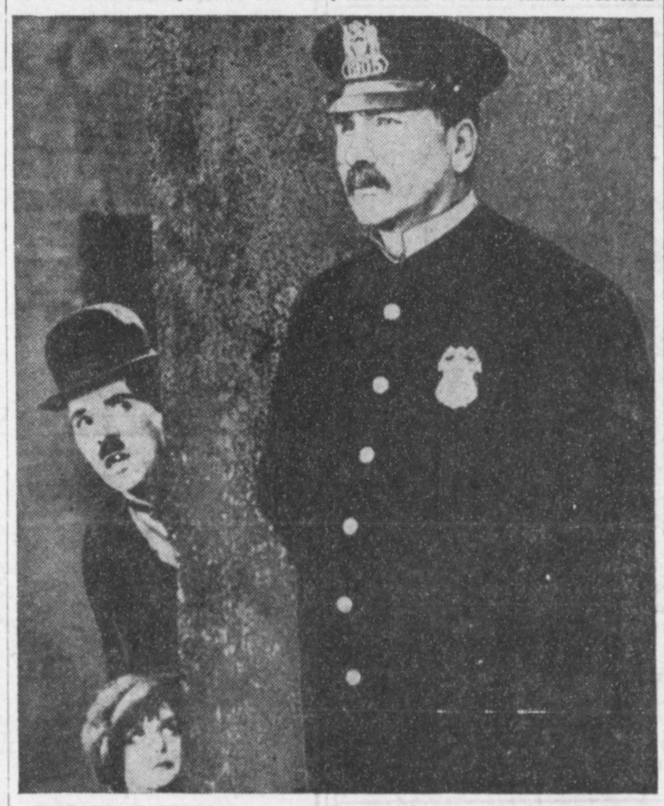
Joan Crawford and Greta Garbo both thought someone was playing a joke on them by substituting men's voices when they first heard recordings of their own voices. Wallace Beery made a talkie for Paramount — his first — promptly was fired and went to MGM. He's been there ever since.

Zazu Pitts of silent days was considered a great dramatic actress. Her voice on the sound track ruined it all and she wisely switched to comedy and made her fortune as a funny girl. Charlie Chaplin, silent and sound comedian of the early days, even now is planning a comeback after six years' of absence.

Started in 1927.

Picture and sound recorded and synchronized on the same piece of film caused little excitement when it first was shown to the public in Schenectady, N. Y., in 1927. So the late Charles A. Hoxie of Schenectady, who developed it in the laboratories of General Electric, carted his Kinemagraphone, as he called it, back to the plant.

It wasn't until a year or so later that the president of the company took it with him to Europe to introduce an educational film. There it was received with such enthusiasm that company officials believed the talking movie was perhaps best suited to educational purposes. Before more educational movies had been produced, however, the movie industry put into general use the Hoxie machine. Today it is used by practically every movie company in the country.



HISTORICAL STARS . . . Among the most famous stars in early days of silent films were Charlie Chaplin and Jackie Coogan, shown here in a scene from "The Kid."

OLD WESTERN STYLE

Farmers Pack Guns to Curb Rustlers

MADISON, WIS. — Defying modern methods of criminal detection, Wood county farmers have banded together in the old-time vigilante system to curb a recent outbreak of cattle rustling here.

An SOS over a rural party telephone line prompted the first concerted manhunt, when 50 farmers, packing guns in old vigilante style, set out on a quest for rustlers. They beat a wooded sector from midnight until dawn but the rustlers had disappeared.

Bernard Kroening, who lives in nearby Rock, saw a car slip up to a woods on his farm, two occupants emerging and entering the woods. He fired three shots, chasing the men deeper into the woods. Meanwhile, his wife got busy on the party line to round up the gang of 50 farmers.

Before their arrival, however, the mysterious car raced off down the road. Kroening gave chase in his car but lost the quarry. Kroening told the vigilantes he believed the two strangers still were in the woods and that the car had been driven by a third party, who had remained in it.

Although hampered by fog, the farmers beat through bushes and thickets for hours without finding the rustlers. Two Marshfield traffic officers and several deputies helped them.

An electric wire which charged a fence on the Kroening farm had been turned off by the thieves, and the farmers theorized that the men had made careful preparations for herding the animals through the fence when a truck arrived later.

In a previous rustling incident, mysterious strangers fired on a farmer who came upon them unexpectedly on his farm near Wisconsin Rapids.

Town Opens Secession Move

WENDOVER, UTAH-NEVADA. —Reminiscent of the Civil war controversy is the move sponsored by 2,000 residents of the Utah part of this little Bonneville salt flats town of 2,500 to secede from Utah so they can join their other 500 townsfolk as residents of Nevada, where a man can do anything he wants—well, almost anything.

"Utah doesn't even seem to know we're in the state and apparently doesn't even care if we're in the Union," bewailed Lester Giffen, spokesman for the secessionists.

Main complaint against Utah is the fact that the Beehive state's laws are too strict.

"A tourist, coming from the East, stops in my place and looks for the slot machines," explained a cafe owner on the Utah side. "I have to tell him we can't have them, so he says 'to heck with you'—and drives across the border to Nevada."

While this same innkeeper can sell only 3.2 beer, his fellow barkeepers across the state line have some of the best-stocked bars in the West.

"In Nevada, if a man wants a drink, he orders one or two, then he's happy—and satisfied," Giffen said. "In Utah, he has to get a permit, go to the state-owned store and buy a quart. Then he feels he has to drink the whole quart. So he doesn't show up for work the next day."

Petitions will be presented to the Utah legislature and, if approved there, must be accepted by the Nevada legislature. Then congress will be asked to alter the Utah-Nevada boundary to include all of Westover in Nevada.

Texas High School Boy Presents Own Program on Radio

MESQUITE, TEXAS. — Although only 17 years old, Dale Berry, Mesquite high school senior, has been booked on a sustaining program over radio station WRR with his own cowboy band. Berry, who secured his own sponsor for the program, formerly played with Bill Boyd's Cowboy Ramblers and was on the Grand Ole Opry program over a Nashville station.

Berry plays the guitar and other members of the band are Robert Jenkins, Cleo Landolt, Benny Willbanks and Matt McGlothern.

Instruction in piano and a few guitar lessons represent Berry's only musical training. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Berry of Mesquite.

House-Hunters Covet Mansion Built to Appease Ghosts

SAN JOSE, CALIF. — Covetous glances from myriad house-hunters during the current housing shortage are being attracted by a mansion here which originally was built to appease ghosts.

Started 37 years before her death by Mrs. Sarah Winchester, wife of the inventor of the Winchester rifle of Civil war fame, the sprawling "crazy quilt" structure soon became an architectural horror.

Constant construction and renovation forced many of the hundreds of windows in the house to open on solid walls. Some of the doors on upper floors open directly on the outside with no stairways provided, though more than 40 stairways, each with 13 steps, are scatttered through the interior. Many of them, like the windows and doors, have no utility value except for ghosts lurking in the maze of secret passages, hidden panels and trap doors.

Following the death of her husband, Mrs. Winchester became conscience-stricken by the lethal role of the rifle in war and peace and built additions to the house to "pacify and entertain the ghosts of gun victims." She continued building additions for many years, each providing a new monstrosity.

Every night for 37 years, servants prepared and served lavish banquet spreads, as Mrs. Winchester chatted with her "guests."



The Home Town Reporter in WASHINGTON

By Walter Shead
WNU Correspondent

WNU Washington Bureau, 1616 Eye St., N. W.

U. N.'s Food Organization Discusses World Problems

FARM leaders, agricultural experts and government officials interested in agriculture are placing great stress on the outcome of the meeting of the food and agricultural organization of United Nations, which opened its fourth session in Copenhagen on September 2. The session likely will last approximately two weeks.

Organized in the United States, the FAO has held three organizational meetings, one in Mexico City, another in South America and the third in Canada. This fourth meeting is in Denmark.

Each of the national farm organizations has one representative at the meeting to press for the production and distribution plans which were the result of the recent international agricultural meeting in London. The state department, as this is written, has not announced names of the American official delegates, but the department of agriculture already has designated several men who will become, along with farm organization leaders, a part of the American advisory group. These include Under - Secretary of Agriculture Dodd, production and marketing administration's Shields, Wells of the bureau of agricultural economics, Bowles (not Chester) of the foreign agricultural relations department, Lambert of agricultural research and Stiebeling of home economics.

This meeting of FAO will hatch the first long range program for world agriculture, based upon a worldwide survey, which has just been completed and which includes 70 countries.

John Orr of Scotland, director general of FAO, will present the proposals for this food program which, if adopted, will be laid before the meeting of United Nations at its scheduled meeting in October.

Many Smaller Meetings

This program is the result of exploration into the reasons for surpluses and shortages in world food supply, and is expected to contain provisions for preventing the recurrence of such conditions. In the meantime, committees of the organization have been holding meetings in various European cities on such questions as diet, a nutritional goal, possible changes in production to meet the goal, a current appraisal of the food situation in all the countries of the world, economics and statistics, forestry and agricultural production and research. Reports on these various phases of the agricultural picture will be presented to the meeting for rejection, adoption or modification.

Farm leaders here are convinced that the future of American agriculture is closely bound with world agriculture, and that never again can the United States draw within her shell with a policy of isolation.

Our own agricultural market is so sensitive that it will be governed largely by world agricultural production, prices and distribution. No longer can our expanded production depend upon the domestic market for consumption.

Seventy countries are now members of the FAO and two new countries, Italy and Switzerland, are expected to apply for membership at the Copenhagen meeting.

In connection with the economics and statistics report, it might be well to consider the recent report of the bureau of economics of the agriculture department, supplemented by findings of the Federal Reserve board, to the effect that some 32 million families in this country still are earning less than $3,000 per year. If that figure is true in this country, and it undoubtedly is, think what the meager income must be of untold millions of families of the rest of the world.

Most People Have Little

Despite the fact that the American people have savings of something like 81 billion dollars in bank deposits, currency and government bonds . . . yet 70 per cent of the American people have little or nothing saved for the inevitable rainy day . . . the saving being concentrated in the upper income brackets . . . the people who take in $10,000 or more a year, and who were well off before the war.

So the war, which poured hundreds of billions of dollars into the pockets of the American people, still left the country with the income divided just about as it was before the war. What then must be the plight of European and Asiatic countries?

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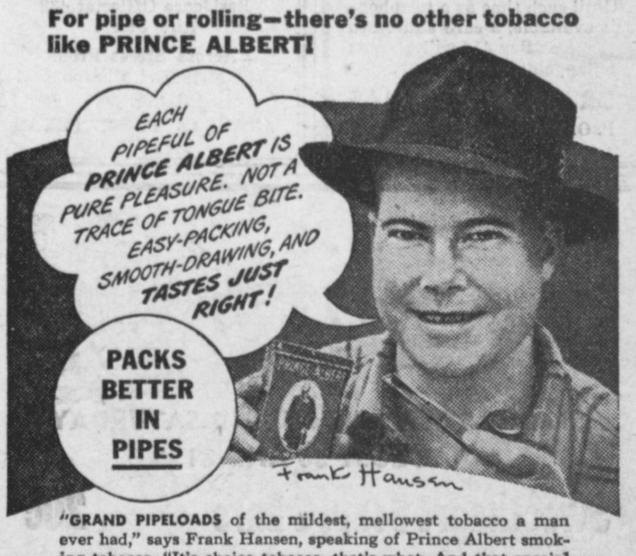
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Rev. J. H. Kelly, Pastor
Rev. W. P. Disney, Ass't
Sunday Masses: 6:00 and 8:00 o'clock a. m.
Weekday Masses: 7:00 and 7:30 o'clock a. m.
Sacred Heart Novena devotions Friday nights at 7:45 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Morning Bible School: 10:00 o'clock.
Morning Worship: 11:00 o'clock.
Evening Worship: 8:00 o'clock

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. T. H. Pollard, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 o'clock.
Morning Worship: 11:00 o'clock.
Evening Worship: 7:30 o'clock.
Young People's Service: Wednesday night, 7:00 o'clock.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. F. A. Banks, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 o'clock.
Worship Service: 11:00 o'clock.
Young People's Service: 6:30 o'clock.
Evening Worship: 7:45 o'clock.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible study, 10:00 a. m. to 10:45 a. m.
Preaching, 10:45 a. m. to 11:45 a. m.
Evening services at 7:45 p. m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Pilot is authorized to announce the following candidates for the respective offices named

For District Attorney:
JOHN H. MILLER

For State Representative:
H. L. ATKINSON

For County Judge:
B. S. FOX

For County Attorney:
JOE CALDWELL

For Sheriff, Tax Collector and Assessor:
A. R. CURRY, re-election

For County-District Clerk:
JAS. CLARK HERRING

For County Treasurer:
J. ED. MOORE

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
W. B. ALLEN

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
J. M. SPARKS, JR.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
J. H. MILLS

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
A. L. (Arthur) DAVIS

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:
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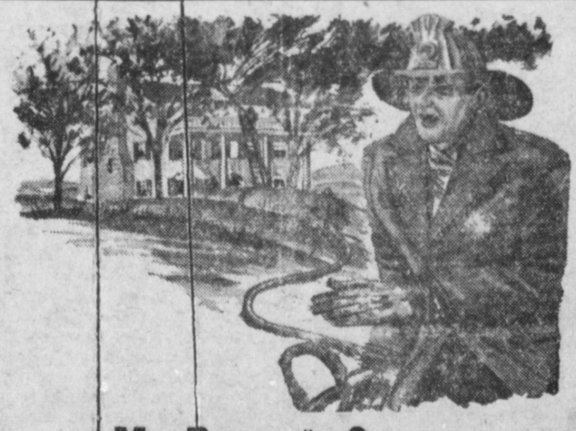
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