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McClain Grocery Sold After 40 Years Operation

One of Childress' oldest business houses passed out of existence this week when J. M. McClain sold his grocery store, located at 309 Main Street to J. H. 'Jake' Gallagher.

The firm was born in July, 1909 when McClain formed a partnership with C. S. 'Charley' Rigby and opened a grocery and general merchandise store at 305 Main Street.

After operating there for a few years, the partners moved to the 100 block of Main Street, near the present site of Allen's Grocery, and did business there for seven or eight years.

"Got tired of paying rent," McClain said, so the men erected their own building at 309 Main Street in 1924 or 1925.

The partnership continued for 38 years, when Rigby sold his interest because of failing health, although he did help in the store occasionally.

Although the firm handled general merchandise and light hardware in the early years of its existence, Rigby said no attempt was made to keep these items in stock during the past few years.

The store remained a popular spot with their old customers who took their patronage there despite the alluring appeareances of the more modern stores in the city.

Ribgy 69, at home at 407 Avenue D, Northwest, said he had no immediate plans for the future, except to take it easy until his health improved.

McClain is now 76. He has reported no plans for the future.

Gallagher is well known among local grocerymen. He was formerly associated with Joe Pitman at the Piggly Wiggly Store, and later operated his own store on Avenue F, Northeast, before selling out to Holland and Mink.

He was in Dallas on business today while the store here is being remodeled.

LOCAL NEWS

WEATHER FORECASTS

By United Press

WEST TEXAS — Generally fair this afternoon, tonight and Thursday. Not much change in temperature.

LOOK WHO'S HERE

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Spraggins of Chillicothe, Miss., announce the birth of a daughter weighing 5 pounds and 15 ounces. She was born August 13 and was named Sandra Juanita.

Mr. and Mrs. Opal Harris have a daughter born today in the Childress General Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith of Wichita Falls announce the birth of a 6 pound daughter. She was named Nancy Diane. Mrs. Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Gibson of Childress.

HERE AND THERE

Vernon Eubanks is in Amarillo today to be with Tom Roberson who was to undergo an operation at 8 this morning.

Jean McMillin returned early this morning from an extended vacation which included a visit to Galveston, Austin and Houston.

Mary Lou Watts went to Vernon today wtih Mary Baker with whom she will visit a few days.

Mrs. J. O. Hix has returned from Borger where she has been with her sister, Mrs. Lona Shawver who suffered a stroke and heart attack. She is much improved, Mrs. Hix said today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas of Happy visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hix and family yesterday.

Nelson Harty of Quanah visited in Childress with friends yesterday.

Cecil McCollum of Memphis visited yesterday and Monday in Childress.

Roma Stephenson and cousin Virginia Hix left for Amarillo yesterday where they will spend the remainder of the week.

Mrs. Jim Fields and daughters Barbara and Joy have returned from Fort Worth where they visited with friends and relatives.

Maynett Stiner is in Kansas City, Mo., this week on vacation.

Miss Kathryn Montgomery of Dallas visited her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Montgomery, early this week.

Mrs. Bob Glenn and Mrs. E. Wilkerson of Wellington shopped and visited here today.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jackson of Lubbock visited early this week

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ORGANIZED NATIONAL STRIKES AGAINST MEAT ARE UNDERWAY

By United Press

The first move was underway today to organize strikes against high price of meat on a national basis.

Fifty San Francisco women announced that they had formed the nucleus of a "Mama's OPA" which they hoped to spread across the country by contacting women in other cities.

Experts in the meat industry warned, however, that prices probably will climb even higher before the year is out. Officials of the major food chains at Dallas said that reduced receipts at the country's big markets will force prices upward again, especially on the better cuts of meat.

Prices generally were steady to strong at markets throughout the Midwest and Southwest and there were no reports of lower retail prices.

Some small slaughterhouses reported that they were having trouble staying in business. A number of independent packinghouses were up for sale at Philadelphia.

Five large Denver supermarkets sold steaks "below cost" at 59 cents a pound after running a newspaper advertisement: "Congratulations, Mrs. Housewife, on your refusal to pay exhorbitant prices for meat."

They said the price reductions—good for only three days—were intended to "take the edge" off a buyers strike that started yesterday.

At Chicago, meanwhile, clothing manufacturers warned that increased prices on fabrics will push the price of men's regular weight suits up $1.50 to $5 next year.

Bertram J. Cahn, president of B. Kuppenheimer & Co., said tropical worsted suits will go up $3 to $5 by next spring.

He blamed the price boosts on decreased wool production, world fabric demands, and government purchases for military and European relief. He said it was impossible for manufacturers and dealers to absorb the increased costs.

Candidates For U. S. Senate Let Fly Haymakers

By United Pres

Coke Stevenson and Lyndon Johnson swung their verbal haymakers today as each sought for a knockout senatorial punch in the coming August 28 primary.

Johnson was scheduled to spend tonight at Paris. Tomorrow calls for handshaking at Dallas and Fort Worth.

Stevenson was devoting the day to a tour of the Tri-cities, Pelv, Goose Creek and Baytown. His schedule for tomorrow will see him working northward from the Houston-Pasadena area to Austin.

The former governor stepped up his sparring with a statement last night at Conroe charging that his opponent—if elected to the U. S. Senate—will be an "errand boy for a favored few."

Johnson, he said, will be "a senator for the 10th congressional district," the district that Johnson now represents in Congress.

However, Johnson countered with a claim that he was picking up popular support with every stop on his campaign tour.

"One of the most remarkable things about this campaign," he said, "is the fact that the number of men and women actively working for us over the state has increased—in many areas doubled—since the first primary."

"Our supporters," he said, "are determined to win and that will be the big difference when the votes are counted on August 28."

Army Recruiting Office Open Here Two Week Days

Although the local U. S. Army and Air Force Recuriting Office has been moved to Quanah, the old office located in the Employment Office in Childress is still open and local recruiters Cpl Carl D. Bishop and M/Sgt. Joe Patterson are in the Childress office each Tuesday and Wednesday.

Last month, for achieving 186 per cent of their quota for the month, Bishop and Patterson were awarded a certificate. For the month of June, Cpl. Bishop, working out of the Childress sub-station, also was awarded a certificate for outstanding work in the Childress area.

The Quanah office, located in the Quanah Hotel, is open every day except Sunday. On Monday, Friday and Saturdays, a representative from the recruiting office is in Vernon. On Thursday a representative is in Paducah. Offices in both places are located in the Court House.

American Legion Increases Dues

At a regular meeting of the American Legion last night it was voted to raise the membership dues from $3.50 to $5. The increase in dues is to be effective with the 1949 membership.

Under the new increase, the local post will receive $2.60 of each membership and the state $2.40. under the old fee the post only received $1.10.

It was felt that this increase should be made to off set higher cost of maintenance and to replenish the fund. For the past several months this fund has been exhausted and has only been maintained through funds allotted to it from other funds.

The Legion voted to send flowers to Pope Taylor in the Lamesa General Hospital.

A joint Legion and Auxiliary social was set for August 31.

Teachers Chosen To Take Classes At Highpoint

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bryan of Oklahoma have accepted the teaching assignment at the Highpoint schools for the coming year, Joe Gibson, superintendent of the Childress Independent School District, announced today.

Highpoint is a member of the Childress district since the annexation election held in June.

The two teachers will handle the estimated 50 to 60 students studying from the first to sixth grades inclusive, Gibson said. Mr. Bryan will be the principal and teacher of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades. Mrs. Bryan will teach the first, second and third grades.

The Bryans will arrive here next week from Weleta, Okla., where they taught last year, Gibson said. They will live at Highpoint.

They have one girl, who will attend high school, and a boy who will enter junior high school, Gibson added.

Farmer-Merchant Get-Together Will Be Held Aug. 27

A farmer-merchant get-together has been called for 7:30 p. m. Friday, August 27, Dr. Raymond Hander, chairman of the agriculture committee of the Chamber of Commerce, announced this morning.

A specialist on insecticides, Harry Igo of Plainview, will make a short address, Hander said. Igo formerly was with the extension service.

"We have 6100 pounds of water melon already on cold storage for the affair." Dr. Hander said. "We invite every farmer in the county and all Childress merchants to attend."

Mayor L. W. McClendon will give the address of welcome. Councilmen and members of the service organizations also will attend, Hander added.

Remodeling Of Presbyterian Church Continues

Plastering of the two large side aisles, a part of remodeling at the Presbyterian Church, will probably be completed within the next two weeks, L. I. Saunders, contractor, said yesterday.

B. J. Hoover of Memphis is doing the plaster work on the aisles and a part of the front of the auditorium.

The scratch coat has also been laid on the new clock room at the front entrance.

Since July 12, frame work has been completed on the ceiling and on the chancel which is enlarged to 25 feet across and 16 feet deep. a new oak floor will be laid in the chancel.

Asphalt tile floors will be inlaid for the auditorium, aisles and vestibules, Saunders said.

Andy Hudson Undergoes Minor Operation Today

Andy Hudson, who suffered a broken arm last Wednesday, will undergo an operation today in the Methodist Hospital in Fort Worth, Mrs. Hudson said this morning.

Hudson fell from a ladder while working, and his arm was broken in two places. Mrs. Hudson accompanied him to Fort Worth.

Wright Morrow Answers Charge From Maverick

HOUSTON, Aug. 18 (UP)—Wright Morrow, key figure in a current Dixiecrat-Democratic Loyalist controversy, charged today that a love of publicity was prompting some Democrats purposely to misinterpret his position.

The national Democratic committeeman from Texas singled out Maury Maverick of San Antonio as one of those who "pretend not to understand the position I have taken . . . " He expressed the opinion that "I think they do understand and just act like they don't to see their names in the newspapers."

At a Democratic Loyalist meeting at Austin Sunday, Maverick introduced a resolution which would bar Morrow from the September state Democratic convention if the national committeeman declines to pledge his vote to the Truman-Barkley ticket.

Maverick, riding a wave of applause from enthusiastic Democrats, shouted to the meeting, "I say to Wright Morrow or anyone on earth, if they aren't going to support the party nominees, to hell with them."

A few minutes later, the delegates to the meeting were read a letter from Morrow in which he said he had no intention of "abandoning the Democratic Party."

And Maverick answered the letter by calling out:

"Read us that part where he says he will vote for Truman."

"Men like Maverick," Morrow said, are impossible to satisfy.

Morrow, at odds with Gov. Beauford Jester over his stand on the Dixiecrat call for a popular referendum at the August 28 primary, said he did not criticize the recent action of the state executive committee.

The committee turned down the Dixiecrat request for a referendum, but Morrow said he did not "criticize its action."

Fair Skies And Mild Weather Is Seen For Texas

By United Press

Generally fair skies with comparatively mild temperatures continued to prevail over most of Texas today with little or no change expected within the next 36 hours.

The U. S. weather bureau said today that increasingly longer nights provided more time for cooling radiation from the ground to take effect and that cooler nights and mornings and continued hot afternoons would be the general trend.

Minimum readings this morning ranged from 59 at Lubbock to 79 at Laredo with North and West points generally in the 60's.

Amarillo and Junction reported 61 degrees, Marfa 62, Fredericksburg 63, Pampa 64, Midland 65, Big Spring 66, Dallas 68, and Childress 65.

Maximums yesterday generally were in the mid-90's, but Laredo had 103, Crystal City 102, Presidio 101, Bryan 100 and Galveston and Marfa 88, Childress had 93.

The only rainfall noted was .22 inches at Alice.

JOHN GARNER'S WIFE DIES AT UVALDE HOME

UVALDE, Aug. 18 (UP)—Funeral services will be held late this afternoon for Mrs. John Nance Garner, wife of the former Vice President.

Mrs. Garner died yesterday afternoon at the family home, after an illness of several years.

She had been in a coma since early Monday. Her son, Tully, said she died in her sleep.

At the bedside were her husband, her son, two nurses and a maid.

Mrs. Mariette Elizabeth Garner was born in the 1870s, the daughter of Peter J. and Mary Elizabeth Rheiner. Her childhood home was a log house on a ranch 22 miles from Uvalde.

In the Uvalde County judgeship campaign of 1895, she showed her first interest in politics.

In that campaign, young "Cactus Jack" Garner was a candidate for the judgeship. Miss Rheiner took the stump to campaign against him, charging he was a gambler.

But Garner won the election anyway. Shortly after, a friend introduced him to Miss Rheiner, and a romance developed. Five months later, on November 25, 1895, they were married. Their only child, Tully, was born in September, 1896.

Mrs. Garner always was her husband's secretary. Is Washington she opened an office in a small boarding house. The Garners seldom got into the Washington society whirl, usually retiring early and getting up before dawn.

"Miss Etty," as the Vice President called his wife, remained his secretary until 1940, when Garner retired from politics.

Boy Scouts Thank Rotary Club For Sponsoring Trip

Three Boy Scouts appeared before the Rotary Club at noon today to thank the organization for making it possible for them to attend the 30-day Philmont Scout Encampment at Cimarron, N. M.

The boys were Jarvis Michie and Herbert Morris of Childress and Jewett Scarbrough of Kirkland. The boys were chosen to make this trip because of their outstanding accomplishments as scouters.

They were assisted by A. V. McFarland, scoutmaster of Childress Troop 61, and J. L. Chism, scoutmaster of Kirkland Troop 97.

Clarence Darter and Dan W. Davis were in charge of the program.

Guests were Charles D. McDonald and W. H. Chambers of Wellington, and Taylor Carter of Lawrence, Kan.

Grid Officials To Discuss Rules

New football rules will be discussed when the Greenbelt Association of football officials meet at the Childress Hotel Sunday afternoon.

Garland Terrell, president of the group, said the public is invited. The meeting will begin at 2 p. m.

Another meeting will be held in September, with Bill Brown, southwest conference official.

"Major Break" Seen In Spy Investigation

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18 (U.P.)—House Investigators said today the admission of Alger Hiss, former State Department official, that he knew reformed Communist Whittaker Chambers is a "major break" in their spy inquiry.

The break came last night in a New York hotel room where Hiss and Chambers confronted each other for the first time since the investigation began.

The story of the confrontation was told to reporters today by Robert Stripling, clerk and chief investigator for the committee.

Stripling said the two agreed that their families had even lived together for a short period.

"I can't be certain but I believe the period was three days," he said.

Hiss told reporters in New York he had sublet his apartment to "Crosley."

Hiss was brought into the room first. Chambers then came in and sat down on the right of Hiss.

Hiss asked that Chambers talk, and the Time editor read a few paragraphs.

Hiss said he would not be able to identify Chambers until he checked with the ex-Red's dentist

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Barracks To Be Used By Schools And State Fair

Six army barracks, purchased by the Childress schools, have been moved from the Childress Airfield to lots purchased by the city one block east of the Fair Park main entrance.

Primarily to be used by high school classes, the barracks are now being readied to house exhibits for the Childress State Fair, September 23, 24 and 25, O. B. O'Dell, secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development, said this morning.

O'Dell guaranteed the merchants that the buildings would be in excellent condition and dry. Merchants, he said, will be allotted 4000 square feet of space for their exhibits.

Another 5400 square feet will be utilized by the Livestock exhibits, and 2000 feet for various other exhibits.

A fence will be built around the area, O'Dell reported. The cost is to be shared equally by the fair board, the City of Childress, and the Childress Independent School District.

During the regular school year, the barracks will be utilized by the vocational agriculture classes of the high school. Students will possibly keep hogs or other animals in specially-built bins or stalls, Joe Gibson, school superintendent, said, while other experiments such as seed germination, plant growth, etc., will also be carried out.

During the fair each year, the school will move whatever equipment and animals they have in the barracks to make room for exhibitors, Gibson added.

The D. S. Dudley shows have been contracted to provide the carnival during the fair, O'Dell said.

Atomic-Powered Airplanes Are Their Goal



Scientists at Oak Ridge, Tenn., are working on the problem of harnessing atomic power to propel aircraft. If it can be done, planes will have a virtually "limitless" range—they'll be able to fly around the world at high speeds, powered by fuel weighing almost nothing. Andrew Kalitinsky, wearing glasses, 34, is chief engineer of the project, assisted by, left to right, Edward S. Bettis, 38; Asa N. Kitchen, 27; and Jerome B. Ruble, 36.

KOSENKINA IS PRISONER, 'RED' CONSUL SAYS

NEW YORK, Aug. 18 (U.P.)—The Soviet Consulate charged today that Mrs. Oksana S. Kosenkina, the Russian school teacher who refused to go home, was a police prisoner at Roosevelt Hospital and demanded free access to her.

The 52-year-old teacher, who suffered a broken pelvis and internal injuries in her leap to freedom from the consulate last Thursday, was reported "resting comfortably" although still on the critical list following several transfusions.

A new Soviet statement released at the consulate last night—the second such statement in two days—charged that the remarks made by the teacher "obviously were talked into her" by the police and by White Russians.

Mrs. Kosenkina had told police she did not wish to see any consular officials because "I fear them." She has been kept under heavy police guard ever since her admission to the hospital.

"It is understood," the Soviet statement said, "that Mrs. Kosenkina, deprived of visits from the Soviet representatives and remaining entirely in the hands of police and White Guard, is not in a position to express freely her wishes. She is subjected to constant questioning, is frightened and is forced to utter phrases which she has been made to say. Under these circumstances she is liable to say anything."

The Soviet Consulate's statement retreated somewhat from the demands that Mrs. Kosenkina be returned to Russian custody.

New Teacher Increases Staff At CHS To 20

With the addition of E. A. Sanders as a social studies teacher, the Childress High School faculty is now complete, Joe Gibson, superintendent of schools, said yesterday.

The 20-teacher staff will be one more than taught last year.

Sanders, formerly Quanah school superintendent, recently headed the Tipton Orphanage in Oklahoma. He received his AB degree from Abilene Christian College, Gibson said, and his masters from the University of Texas.

He is married and has one son and one daughter. The son is studying dentistry, Gibson said.

Sanders owns some farm land near Kirkland, and plans to devote part of his time to this work.

Aldrich To Show Movies At Game Tomorrow

Ki Aldrich, former TCU grid star, here to assist Don Ezell in opening workouts for the Childress high school football team, will show movies of the 1938 Rice Institute-Texas Christian University football game at the softball field tomorrow night.

The show is sponsored by the Childress Quarterback Club.

DEGREE WORK TO BE HELD BY MASONS TOMORROW

Chapter degree work will be held at 8 p. m. Thursday at the Masonic Hall. All Royal Arch and Knights Templar members are asked to attend.

Soviet Teachers Greatly Concern U. S.--Marshall

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18 (U.P.)—Secretary of State George C. Marshall said today that the United States is seriously concerned over charges made against it by the Soviet Union in the case of the three Soviet school teachers.

Marshall volunteered the comment at his weekly news conferences.

He added that evidence reported to the State Department so far does not sustain allegations made by the Soviets in the cases of Mrs. Oksana S. Kosenkina and Mr. and Mrs. Mikhail I. Samarin.

Marshall added that Mrs. Kosenkina's actions refute the Soviet charges.

He would not comment when asked if the United States might request the recall of some Soviet representatives. Marshall and the reporter who asked the question had in mind Soviet Ambassador Alexander S. Panyushkin and Soviet Consul General Jacob Lomakin in New York.

Marshall guessed that the United States reply to Soviet notes regarding the incidents might be delivered to the Soviet Embassy here within 24 hours.

He said he did not know whether the three Soviet school teachers had formally requested asylum in the United States. Their right to stay here has been virtually assured, however.

Meanwhile, authoritative government sources said that "hundreds of thousands" of Russians—like the three Soviet school teachers in New York—have gone into voluntary exile.

U. S. Officer Stands Trial On Criminal Charges

VIENNA, Aug. 18 (UP)—Lt. Col. Walter G. Rischel of New Iberia, La., former air attache of the now defunct American military mission in Hungary, was brought to trial on criminal charges before a U. S. army court martial here today.

The proceedings were classified as secret and spectators were not allowed in the courtroom.

Army officials said the charges against him included alleged forgery of currency, black marketeering and conversion of government aircraft and vehicles to his own use.

Rischel's arraignment was postponed temporarily this morning while U. S. Army headquarters screened the case for possible security leaks should the trial be conducted in public.

It was not revealed whether any other members of the mission were involved.

Rischel was a member of the U. S. element of the Allied commission in Hungary from its inception in 1945 until shortly before it was dissolved after ratification of the Hungarian treaty.

Among other things, he handled U. S. air communications in and out of Hungary.

GOPS AND DEMOCRATS ARGUE OVER MERITS OF LAST CONGRESS

BY JOSEPH NOLAN
United Press Staff Correspondent

Republican and Democratic spokesmen argued today whetner the GOI controlled 80th Congress was a model or a menace.

House Republican Leader Charles A. Halleck praised it for having "liberated the people from 76,000 rules, regulations, directives and orders . . . with resulting all-time highs in employment, production, profits and wages."

Sen. Alben W. Barkley, Democratic vice presidential nominee, denounced it as a stooge of the real estate lobby. One of its most notable accomplishments, he said, was its adjustment.

These conflicting estimates were published in today's Congressional Record and were certain to provide ammunition for scores of campaign speeches on a topic which President Truman has proclaimed a major political issue.

Halleck claimed the Republicans cut Mr. Truman's "padded budgets more than six billion dollars," despite the fact that the administration "fought economy every step of the way."

Barkley countered with figures which he said showed the Republicans forced the government to spend 500 million dollars more than the President had estimated would be necessary.

The President, said Halleck, is trying to belittle the record of Congress because it stood in the way of his "disastrous program of regimentation and reckless bureaucratic spending." He characterized Mr. Truman as a "confused, bewildered, perplexed man." He said the President "stoked the boilers of inflation" by gearing his postwar program for a depression.

Barkley assailed congressional leaders for snubbing the President's anti-inflation and housing proposals at the recent extra session.

"This (GOP housing) measure," he said, "met every demand of the real estate lobby but failed to appropriate one cent for slum clearance or to provide low-cost rental housing for low-income families whose need for housing is most critical."

In other political developments:

Truman — President Truman's advisers said he is considering a trip through the South late in October.

Dewey — GOP presidential candidate Thomas E. Dewey indicated that he's ready to debate the issue of high prices if Mr. Truman wants it that way. Asked to comment on the President's denunciation of the Republican anti-inflation bill, Dewey replied that he had nothing to say. Then he added thoughtfully: "Not yet."

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PHILIP M. SLATES

McMurray Gets New Addition To Music Faculty

Philip M. Slates, pianist, organist and composer and a graduate of the Eastman School of Music, has been added to the Fine Arts faculty of McMurray College, Dr. Thomas S. Williams, dean of the fine arts department, announced this week.

Slates, who holds both the bachelor of music and master of music degrees from Eastman, succeeds Victor Wolfram who resigned recently.

He has studied with Percy Grainger, noted pianist, Arthur Reginald, of the Philadelphia conservatory, Dr. Howard Hanson, and other recognized figures in the music world, according to Dr. Williams.

"The securing of Slates to our faculty is in line with our program of presenting courses of music study comparable to the finest schools of music in America," Dr. Williams stated, "and we feel that it is indeed fortunate for McMurray College to have such a promising young man with us for the coming year."

Mrs. F. T. Black Teaches Book At Circle Meet

Mrs. Fay Tom Black, a guest, conducted a study of the book, "A Winning Witness," at the Dozier Circle meeting at the Mission Baptist Church yesterday afternoon.

The women presented a gift to a member who is to be admitted to a hospital soon.

The teacher opened the meeting with a prayer and each woman offered a prayer at the close of the meeting.

Others present were Mmes. Tom Fisher, V. E. Sterling, L. D. Portwood and W. H. Free.

SAN ANGELO COUPLE IS MARRIED BY REV. REA

Miss Sylvia Holcomb and J. L. Walls were married at 12 last night in the home of the officiating pastor, Rev. T. J. Rea.

The couple returned to San Angelo where they will make their home.

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MRS. REEVES IS APPOINTED AS COUNTY THDA CHAIRMAN

Mrs. Newman Reeves has been elected Childress County Texas Home Demonstration Association chairman for the next two years, members of the Union Flat Home Demonstration Club were informed yesterday at the all-day meeting.

The club met in the school building with Mrs. W. E. Rule and Eddie Trammell as hostesses.

Plans for decoration of the club float to take part in the Fair parade were discussed and a decorating committee formed. Mrs. Rule was elected chairman. Others who volunteered to serve on the committee were Mmes. Trammell, H. W. Epps, C. M. Denny, N. D. Rogers, Reeves, Ben H. Weatherly, Joe Williams, Otis Stamps and Fred Hall. A report of the last council meeting was given at this time by Mrs. Reeves.

During the morning hours, a quilt was begun for Mrs. Rule and quilt blocks made for Mrs. Trammell. A covered-dish lunch was served at noon. At the close of the meeting the hostesses served fruit jello topped with whipped cream and cake.

The next meeting will be in the afternoon, September 7, at the school building with Mrs. Ben Shubert as hostess.

Two new members at the meeting were Mmes. Leonard White, and J. C. Terrell. Others present were Mmes. Clarence Darter, P. B. Snider, Otis Stamps, Iley Compton, W. T. Goodson, J. H. Waters, Sam Denny, Marvin Moates, J. W. Kitchens, O. H. Philpott, S. G. Trammell, Fred West and one visitor, Miss Oleta Snider.

MRS. GLEASON GIVES TALK AT CIRCLE MEETS

Mrs. C. E. Gleason presented a discussion of "A Lasting Peace" from the church newspaper, "World Call," at the joint meeting yesterday afternon of the Nora Preston and Brown-Carradine Circles of the Central Christian Church at which she was in charge.

The meeting was in the home of the hostess, Mrs. W. M. Stiner, who was assisted during the social hour by Mrs. Miles Clapp.

The group heard a talk by Mrs. C. C. Badget of her visit to one of the larger churches while on vacation in California recently.

At the close of the meeting, the women went in a body to the City Hall to have free chest X-rays made.

Refreshments of ice cream, cookies and home-made candy were enjoyed by members following the program and short business meeting.

Others present were Mmes. Perry R. Jeter, T. C. Jones, C. M. Bacon, Edwin Woody and Robert Kilgore.

Next week at the regular time the circles will meet at the church to work on a quilt to be sent to an orphans home.

Former Childress Girl Is Married In Fort Worth

Miss Alma Byrd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Byrd of Childress, became the bride of Hal Ellington of Fort Worth in a ceremony read there Saturday.

They were visitors in the Byrd home Monday night, enroute to North Ben, Ore., where they will establish residence. He will manage the Bay Flying Service there.

Mrs. Ellington is a 1938 graduate of Childress High School, and prior to her marriage was employed as secretary of field operations for the Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corporation for six years.

Mr. Ellington was test pilot for corporation.

Former Resident Of Wellington Is Recent Bride

Announcement was made this week of the marriage of Miss Geraldine Graham of Fort Worth, former Wellington resident, and John D. Hoy, Jr., also of Fort Worth, in rites read recently in the Broadway Baptist Church in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Graham, parents of the bride, made announcements.

The bride is a graduate of Wellington High School and was employed with the United Gas Corporation in Wellington before moving to Fort Worth where she was employed with the Lone Star Gas Company.

Mr. Hoy is the son of John D. Hoy of Texarkana and Mrs. Vera Wilson of Denison. He is now an employe of Consolidated Aircraft in Fort Worth.

Carol June Cates Gives 'Tacky Party' For Friends

Carol June Cates entertained a group of friends with a "Tacky Party" yesterday evening in the home of Mrs. W. A. Cates.

Kenneth West was chosen as "tackiest" by the judges. After playing games, the group enjoyed ice cold watermelon.

Guests were Linda Sue Johnson, Jimmy Lowe, Joyce Jackson, Sandra Taylor, Bobby Jackson, Bobby Arruda, Dowell Wayne Conner, Donna Baker, Jimmy Maddison, Willard Jackson, Billy Cates, and Bobby Gibbs.

Social Calendar

THURSDAY

The Business and Professional Women's Club will hold its last summer picnic for this year at 7 p. m. at Fair Park.

Buy Savings Bonds

EYES OF TEXAS

By Bob Weddle
United Press Staff Correspondent

The political pot still is boiling in Texas, with more than two weeks yet to go before the second Democratic primary. And as long as there is an election for candidates to campaign for, you'll find stories like this one on the loose:

In Athans a woman candidate succeeded it pasting one of her own campaign stickers on the rear glass of her male opponent's car.

Driving through the countryside, the male candidate noticed that an unsual number of persons hailed him but with typical political confidence, he interpreted the salutations as a sign of his growing strength.

Finally, someone got around to asking him whose sticker he had on the back of his car.

"Why, my own, of course," he replied.

"Then," retorted the ctizen, "you'd better re-arrange your hair-do."

All candidates don't find it as easy to win votes as one particular office seeker in McLennan County. He went into a rural store near Waco and handed the storekeeper one of his cards.

The store-keeper studied the card assiduously, then remarked casually: "yes, I'll vote for you.

The candidate was surprised at the ready commital, but the store-keeper continued: "And I'll tell you why I'll vote for you You're the first candidate in your race to hand me a card and ask for a vote.

I just decided the first one in each race that gives me a card is the one I'll vote for. It's as good a way as any."

Few offices, be they elective or private, are ever entirely free of visitors who outlive their welcome--the "office pest" type--according to the Tyler Morning Telegraph.

A. Robinson of Quitman finally came up an answer to the question of what to do about it. In the Wood County Democrat, he he ran the following announcement:

"I pay rent on office space for business and must insist that the boys and men who want to loaf find them another place, as I need my office space to use to make a living for my wife . . . I love all you boys, but love my wife more. I must insist that you leave your political arguments at home.

Maybe the United Nations oughta hear what's going on in the animal world.

Maybe, for instance, somebody oughta tell Messrs. Gromyko, Molotov and Stalin about Riley Wu.

Riley Wu is a cat belonging to Mrs. R. T. Malone of Dallas. She is the mother of four. But aside from adequately mothering her own brood, she has an adopted child--an orphaned peacock. And she devotes all the motherly love and care to the young pea fowl as she does to her own kittens.

Than there's a San Antonio cat named Snooky. The feline pet of Mrs. Bert Stowe's household goes even futher than Riley Wu. She is mother to an ugly duckling, known around the neighborhood as ducky walky.

Ducky walky, too, is an orphan. And Snooky nurses the duckling as if it were a kitten.

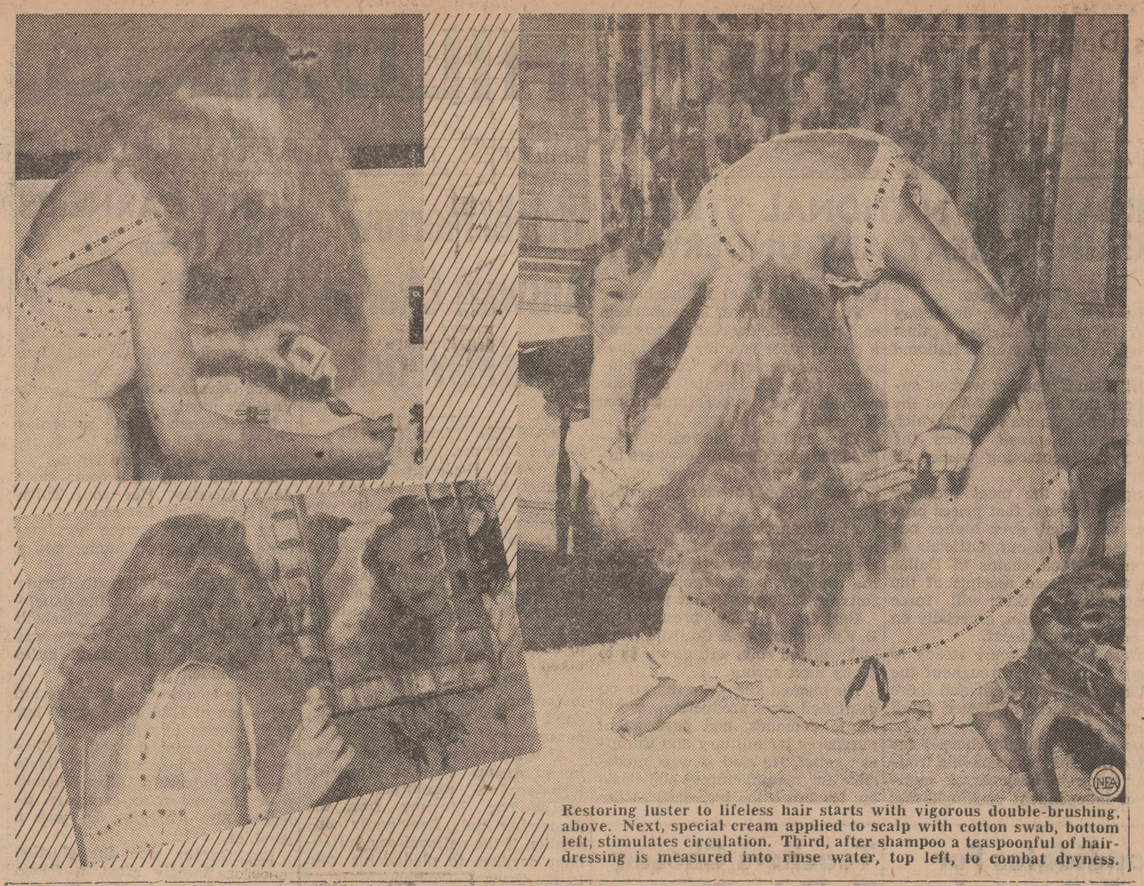
Also in San Antonio is Tiffa, a female dog owned by Mrs. M. Schiwetz. Tiffa's motherly intinct has been thwarted. During the 10 years of her life she has borne only one pup.

But Tiffa recently remedied the situation. She adopted a litter of motherless kittens.

In Fort Worth, two dogs go for the price of one. A litter of orphan kitties in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Brench almost caused a family row between the Brench's two dogs. A female dog named Mickey first mothered the kitten's But patty too had to have a share in it.

Patty stole all the kittens from the other dog. Then the kittens were shuffled back and forth between canine mothers so often they didn't know which dog was their foster parent.

Finally Patty won out, and the young cats are adequately fed from her milk supply.



Restoring luster to lifeless hair starts with vigorous double-brushing, above. Next, special cream applied to scalp with cotton swab, bottom left, stimulates circulation. Third, after shampoo a teaspoonful of hairdressing is measured into rinse water, top left, to combat dryness.

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Lie down on a mat on your back with arms held straight beside you. For the first exercise that gives the muscles of the abdomen a good workout, fold arms over chest and pull up to a sitting position, keeping your heels glued to the floor. Go down and come up again without moving your leg positinon.

For the second exercise of this routine, pull your back up from the floor, raise legs and grasp them as close to the feet as you can with your hands. Holding this position lower legs to the floor and then rock back to your semi-sitting position. Raise and lower legs alternately as many times as you can without strain.

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FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Aug. 18 (U.P.)—(USDA)—Livestock:

Cattle: 4000. Slaughter cattle very slow, bids and sales weak to 50 lower. Stockers and feeders unchanged. Medium and good slaughter steers, yearlings and heifers 24.50-31.00, cutter and common grades 15.00-24.00. One load good beef cows 23.00. Most common, medium and good grades 16.00-21.00, canners and cutters 10.00-16.00. Sausage bulls 15.00-22.00. Stocker steers and yearlings 18.00-28.00. Stocker cows 19.00 down.

Calves: 1300. Slaughter calves dull, weak to 50 lower. Good and choice slaughter grades 25.00-27.-50, few heavies 28.00. Common and medium 16.50-23.50. Cull 14.00-16.50. Stocker steer calves 28.00 downward.

Hogs: 1000. Strong to 25 higher than Tuesday's average. Good and choice 190-240 lbs, mostly 29.25, top 29.50, few 250-325 lbs and 150-180 lbs 26.50-29.00. Most sows 21.00-24.00, few head to 24.50. Most feeder pigs 26.00 down. Some heavyweights to 26.50.

Sheep: 4700. Most classes unevenly steady to 50 lower. Medium and good slaughter spring lambs 24.50-26.50, cull and common 15.-00-23.00. Cull to medium shorn yearlings 15.00-20.00, medium and good 20.00-21.50. Cull to medium shorn aged sheep 9.00-10.00, very few good ewes to 10.50. Most stocker spring lambs 18.00-23.00, stocker yearlings around 17.00 down.

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The highest temperature for the past 24 hours was 95 degrees at 1 p. m. today. The lowest was 65 degrees at approximately 5:30 this morning.

Temperatures follow:

Noon Tuesday		Midnight Tuesday	
1	90	1	72
2	93	2	70
3	93	3	69
4	92	4	67
5	92	5	66
6	90	6	66
7	83	7	72
8	81	8	77
9	79	9	82
10	76	10	85
11	73	11	90
12	73	12	92

'Reds' Send Red Roses To Injured Teacher

NEW YORK, Aug. 18 (UP)—Zot I Chepurnykh, Soviet vice consul, reported last night that the consulate had sent flowers to Mrs. Oksana Kosenkina, the injured Russian schoolteacher in Roosevelt Hospital.

"What kind?" reporters asked.

"Roses," Chepurnykh answered.

"Red Roses?"

"What do you expect? White?" the Rusian official laughed.

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25 Pounds Lost
"When I started taking Barcentrate, I weighed 195 pounds. I now weigh 170. I certainly praise Barcentrate."—G. W. Miller, Weatherford, Texas.

NICHOLS IN WASHINGTON

BY HARMAN W. NICHOLS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18 (U.P.)—
was during the depression when
man could barely buy sowbelly
id shoe leather on what he made
atching old cars.

Something happened—by acci-
ent—and Verne Starling, a mech-
ic, out in Perry, Ia., thought he
uld do better by making real
oney.

"I didn't want to get rich," he
ter told the U. S. secret service.
just wanted to make a decent
ving."

Like all easy-money guys, Star-
ng made a mistake now and
en. One of them—a phony half-
ollar—is now on exhibit in the
reasury Building. How it got
ere is an interesting story I dug
om the fat files of white-haired
iendly James J. Maloney, chief
the secret service. Mechanic
tarling, in his confession, told
is own story:

Once in 1933, he was fiddling
round with an acetylene torch,
ixing to weld a truck axle. He
eached in his pants pocket for a
igaret and out tumbled a nickel,
which came to rest between a
pring and a railroad iron on the
loor.

A light went on in Starling's ac-
ive brain. He forgot about the
roken axle and placed the nickel
n the railroad iron and applied
is torch to the flat piece of spring.
When it sizzled cherry-red he
ook his tongs and put the spring
n top of the nickel and let fly
with a heavy sledge.

A perfect imprint of a nickel!
And from where Starling stood in
front of his forge, the garage bus-
iness looked pretty dull.

So he began to study up on dies
and knurling wheels. The things
that make the ridges around some
coins. It took a lot of time, but he
was a perfectionist.

At length he came up with a
near-perfect duplicate of the 1912
Columbia star half dollar, although
it took almost four years.

To look at the official record
you'd think Starling was out of his
head. He put 22 cents worth of
silver in each coin at a time when
the government was putting only
18 cents worth in each.

"But at that, they guy made
dough," Jim Malony said. "A
couple or three cents worth of
copper, iron and tin pitched in as
allows and he had a nice profit.
And he also had us humpin' for
a long time."

The coins looked and acted like
the real thing to most people. But
they showed up bad under the
eyes of examiners at the federal
reserve banks.

He finally was traced, as most
coin counterfeiters are, through his
purchases of silver. That, plus ask-
ing neighborhood kids to help him
steal silver around Perry. He even
suggested raiding the trophy cases
in nearby high schools for loving
cups that Iowa athletes had won
in basketball games and track
meets.

One rainy night in May, 1938,
the law, federal, county and lo-
cal, moved in.

The culprit said in his state-
ment that he was a lone worker.
He'd go into dime stores, grocer-
ies and cigar stores around Iowa,
spending a nickel and getting 45
cent change. In a closet in his
home the agents found sacks of
Bull Durham, squares of eating
tobacco and gum. Starling said
he turned out no more than 300
half buck pieces a month—value
$150, minus expenses.

But, as the man said, crime
doesn't pay. The government chop-
ped Starling's elaborate equipment
to junk and sold it by the pound
at auction—for $2.60. And he died
in jail while awaiting trial.

World Trade Slumps Despite High Production

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., Aug. 17 (U.P.)—Trading between nations began to slump in 1948 despite increasing industrial production, the United Nations warned its 58 members today.

The downward trend in world trade was disclosed in a UN progress report on the global economy for 1947 and the first part of 1948—before Marshall Plan aid began flowing to the 16 western European nations.

The 53 pages of statistics on world production, trade and financial structure disclosed that while the world was turning out 35 per cent more goods than in the base year 1938, trade fell 7 per cent below the 1938 level in the first quarter of this year. By the end of 1947 world trade had equalled the 1938 level.

Even the United States, whose booming economy was responsible for most of the improvement in production noted by the UN report, suffered a sharp drop in world trade during the past 12 months.

In the first half of 1947, the U. S. according to the UN survey, did world business at a monthly profit of 781 million dollars. In the first quarter of 1948, this figure slumped to 509 million dollars. The UN survey sketched a bleak picture of the world financial picture before the U. S. gave it a hopeful shot in the arm with its billions in foreign aid.

Fort Worth Phone Employees Meet To Discuss Strike

FORT WORTH, Aug. 17 (U.P.)—The city's 1500 Southwestern Bell Telephone employes were invited to a mass meeting tonight which a strike vote may be taken.

P. C. Davenport, chairman of the central Fort Worth council of the Communications Workers of America local, said Southwestern Bell was depriving its employes of wage increases by refusing to reclassify the city.

Such reclassification, which would carry wage increases, should have been made last week when the 100,000th telephone was put into operation here, Davenport charged.

POTATO BUGS DROPPED ON GERMAN SOIL

FRANKFURT, 18 Aug. (UP) The newspaper Neue Presse reported today that rubber bags full of potato bugs had been dropped from an unidentified airplane in the north German provinces of Lower Saxony and North Rhine, Westphalia.

The newspaper said the sacks had been found intact by farmers who reported their discovery to economic and agricultural officals.

Barkley Charges GOP Is Scuttling Nation's Farmer

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 18 (U.P.)—Sen. Alben W. Barkley, Democratic candidate for Vice President, charged the Republican Party today with trying to scuttle Democratic efforts to aid the American farmer.

In a speech at the Illinois state fair, Barkley declared that the greatest contributions to agriculture have been made under Democratic Presidents.

He cited the farm credit law, farmer cooperative, farm loan, agriculture adjustment, price support, soil conservation, rural electrification and other laws as proof of the benefits Democratic administrations have brought the U. S. farmer.

By way of contrast, he charged the Republican controlled 80th Congress with trying "to curtail this program of electrifying our farms."

The Republicans also sought, he said, to "hold an investigation on the question of withdrawing from cooperatives the tax exemption which are allowed. He charged that the investigation stemmed "from an original purpose to destroy them altogether."

"The Republican Congress was in too big a hurry to adjourn and get home to devote any time to the ratification of the wheat agreement," which the Truman administration and farmers supported, he said.

Barkley, who said he used to be a farmer back in Kentucky, said farmers should vote Democratic in November because the Democratic Party has done more for them than any other party in history.

"If the Democratic tree has been fruitful," he said, "it is entitled to the expression of your confidence. If the Republican tree has been barren, you owe it to yourselves to cast it out."

KIRKLAND NEWS

By Miss Zona Beth Clements

Mr. and Mrse. Raymond West and family returned Friday after a visit with relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. Oscar Pryor returned home Thursday after a visit in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sledge and family visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Coats.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Jones of Childress spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Owens.

Mrs. E. L. Clements and son Ronald Lee visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Charles McNeal of Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Riley and daughter, Melony of Culver City, Calif., and Mrs. Charles Holcomb, Jr., and daughter, Kerri Lynn, of Houston are visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. Alja Williamson. Mrs. Holcomb is returning to her home in Houston after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Riley.

Mrs. Grace Cartlidge and Mrs. Charlene Clements were Quanah visitors Monday.

Mary Ann and Sue Cartlidge are visiting with Lawayne and Jimmy Holeman of Carey.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hardin and son Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Holeman and sons, Ronald, Curtis and Jerry spent several days fishing at Lake Pauline last week.

C. O. Hill returned Saturday from a vacation in California.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Payne visited Monday in Childress with her daughter, Mrs. Charlsie Kincannon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nath White and daughter Linda of Abilene visited Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duke Biggs and also attended the funeral services for H. H. Biggerstaff.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Parsons and daughter Effie and Mrs. J. O. Bayles of Elmer, Okla., attended church services in Kirkland Sunday. They visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Miller and daughter Robbie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clements and daughter Zona Beth, Murray Cartlidge and Mrs. Elvia Baird were Childress visitors Monday.

Mrs. Gertrude Griffin and Mrs. Ura Landrum of Childress attended the funeral of H. H. Biggerstaff Friday afternoon.

Mrs. H. H. Biggerstaff returned home with her daughter, Mrs. Ina Mae Campbell of Littlefield Tuesday.

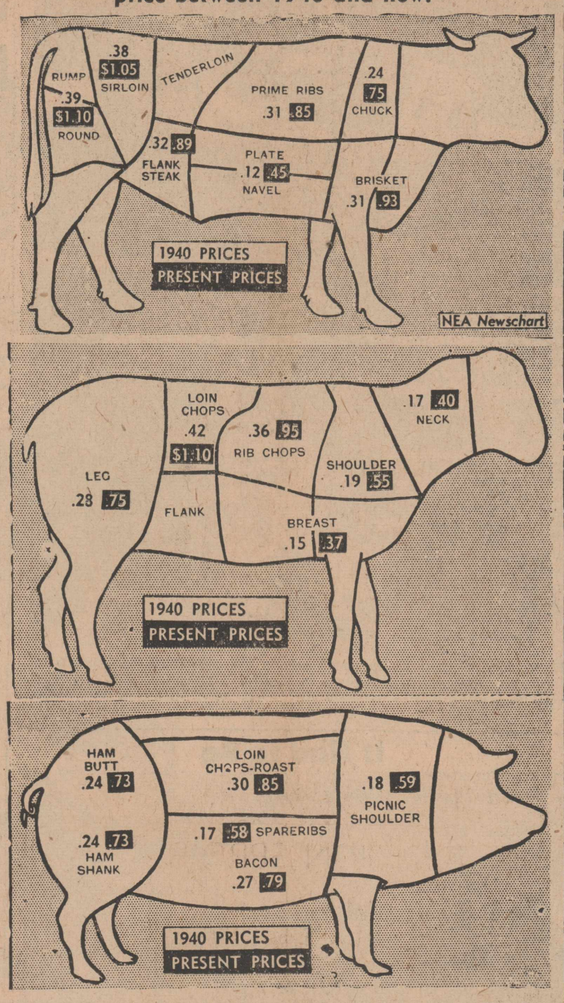
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nippert and children of El Paso visited his mother, Mrs. W. O. Nippert and other relatives this week end.

Bill Reeves of Abilene visited with Elder Pat Abbananto and family Monday. Mr. Reeves is holding a meeting in Goodlett this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clements and children of Childress visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clements and family Saturday.

REASON FOR REBELLION

The "petticoat rebellion" against the high price of meat is sweeping the country. Here's why. Cut by cut, and chop by chop, these charts show the changes in price between 1940 and now.



The three butchers' charts above compare the normal retail prices of 1940 with the latest available. The figures are from the New York City Department of Markets. Most prices have just about trebled. While food experts predict they'll go up still further, the nation-wide buyers' strikes hope to bring them down.

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF TEXAS,
TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF CHILDRESS COUNTY—GREETING:

A. G. Woods, administrator of the estate of Mary Kennedy, deceased, having filed in our County Court his final account of the condition of the estate of Mary Kennedy, deceased, together with an application to be discharged from said administration, you are hereby commanded that by publication of this writ once in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Childress, and the said publication shall be not less than ten days before the return day hereof, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account or final settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, in said court on or before Monday, the 30th day of August, A. D. 1948 when said account and application will be considered by said court.

Witnesseth James A. Leslie, Clerk of the County Court of Childress County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at my office in the Courthouse of Childress County Texas, this 16 day of August, A. D., 1948.

(SEAL) J. A. Leslie, Clerk of the County Court, Childress County, Texas.

THIS CASE WASN'T EVEN "AN EYE FOR AN EYE . . ."

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18 (UP) —Charles Young, 46, admitted that he slapped his 27-year-old wife, Mary, because she served him warmed over stew and left-over sausage.

But Judge Armond Scott dismissed the assault charge when he found out that Mary retaliated by bashing her husband with a chair.

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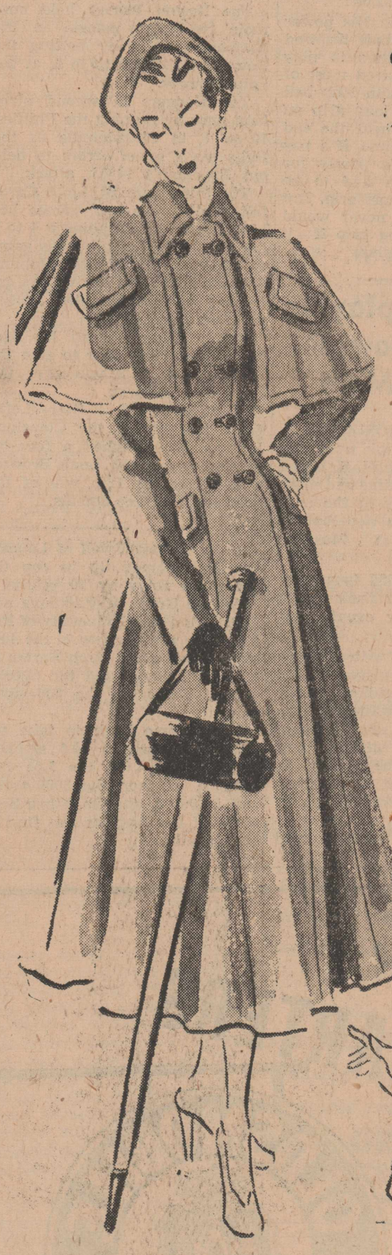
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Dimaggio Says Ruth Was His Inspiration

By Jack Cuddy

NEW YORK, Aug. 18 (UP)—Joe DiMaggio was confident today that baseball would erect a fitting memorial to Babe Ruth.

DiMag, greatest Yankee slugger since Ruth, felt certain also that the Yankee club would provide some sort of lasting tribute at the stadium.

"Memorials would not be needed to keep alive memories of Ruth," Joe admitted, "for the man was a legend—an immortal—long before he died. That would not be their purpose.

"Instead, those memorials would express baseball's appreciation of the debt it owed him for his inspiration to youngsters all over the country."

No one appreciates the value of Ruth's inspiration more than Jolting Joe from San Francisco. He told of the Ruthian influence upon his career as he sat glumly in the visitors' dressing room at the Polo Grounds.

The slender, dark-haired, thin-faced outfielder leaned back in his chair, away from the window, to answer questions.

"No, I never saw the Babe play," he said. "And that was one of my biggest disappointments when I was a high-school kid in San Francisco. You can't imagine how I worshipped Ruth at that time. I thought he was the greatest guy in the world. I read everything about him I could get my hands on. And when I tell you I dreamed about him, I ain't kiddin'.

"My big dissapointment came when Ruth arrived in town to play an exhibition. I couldn't scrape up the dough to buy a ticket. We were a poor family living in the North Beach section. There was my mother and father and nine of us kids. It took every cent we could get to keep eating and wearing some kind of clothes. I sold papers after school downtown. But I couldn't hold out enough for a ticket to the exhibition. The fight against poverty was a lot more important to my folks at that time than the luxury of a baseball game."

Joe figured it must have been about 1937—in his second season with the Yanks—when he finally met Ruth. The 'Bam" visited the stadium one day and came into the dressing room with pitcher Lefty Gomez.

Lefty was just about to introduce them when Ruth reached out his hand and said "Hello, Joe!"

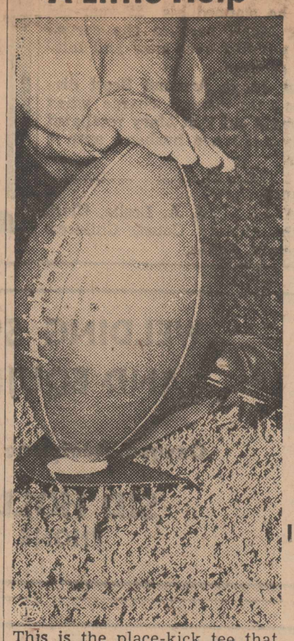
After Ruth walked out, Gomez hurried back and said to DiMaggio, "Jeez! Imagine that! The Bam never sees you before, but right away he calls you by your name. Why, I played with him five years and he ain't never remembered my name yet. Always calls me 'Keed', like he does everybody else."

DiMaggio told the reporters, "when Ruth shook hand and called me by my name, I was so dumbfounded I just stood there like a dope, with my mouth open. I couldn't say a word."

Did Joe believe Ruth had the same inspirational effect on other youngsters of the nation?

"Yes—on thousands. His power in hitting the long ball inspired thousands of youngsters to play baseball. And it inspired most of them to try to become long-ball hitters—to take the long grip on the bat. You know, near the end of the handle. Of course, if a boy just didn't have the power for long-ball hitting, he had to be satisfied with the short grip. But a lot of youngsters never would have tried the long grip if it hadn't been for Ruth."

A Little Help



This is the place-kick tee that the University of Toledo will use this fall. Developed by head coach Skip Stahley, the tee provides a hard, dry, flat corrugated surface for any kind of weather and provides the kicker with a straight, line-of-sight approach to the ball, Stahley says. The one-inch stand has been approved by the National Collegiate Association.

Rookie Bearden Paces Cleveland Indian Hurlers

By John Griffin

NEW YORK, Aug. 18 (UP)—Quickly now, who is the hottest pitcher on the staff of the league-leading Cleveland Indians?

Bob Lemon? Nope. Bobby Feller? Tsk, Tsk.

It's Rookie Gene Bearden, The Arkansas sauthpaw who enjoys the distinction of being the only real Indian on the Indians. When he packed up a four-hit, 8 to 0 win over the St. Louis Browns under the lights in Cleveland last night, it was his 12th win against only three losses.

It was also his fourth shutout. And his fourth straight winning start.

It made Bearden a man of distinction on the Tribe staff. Feller, who has also won 12 games, has lost 13. Lemon, top-winner with 16 games, has lost 10.

Tommy Henrich's grand-slam home run highlighted the New York Yankees' 8 to 1 victory under the lights against the Senators.

The Yank win ruined a testimonial night to Senator owner Clark Griffith. The "Silver Fox" was honored in pre-game ceremonies with President Truman making the key speech in which he called Griffith a "Great American Citizen."

Ted Gray of the Detroit Tigers was the third rookie of the night to win in the American League, getting credit for a 6 to 4 victory over Chicago's White Sox at Detroit, although he was knocked out in the eighth inning. The Tigers won with four runs off chick Pieretti in the sixth.

The Boston Braves held onto their two-game margin in the National League by belting the New York Giants, 10 to 2, at the Polo grounds.

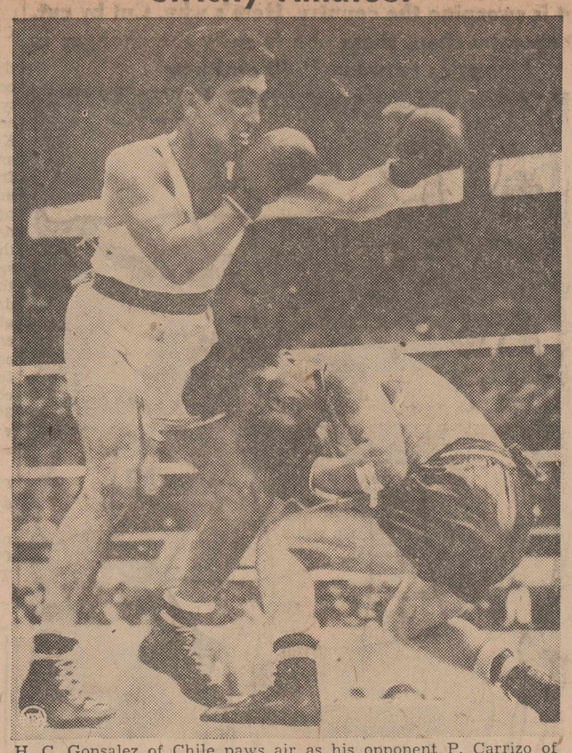
The Dodgers in second place kept pace by rapping the Phillies, 10 to 1, in Philadelphia as the Phils made seven errors to help out Brooklyn's 14-hit attack.

The third-place St. Louis Cards fell three-and-a-half games behind Boston by dropping a 4 to 2 decision to the Cubs in a day game at Chicago. Southpaw Johnny Schmitz held them to five hits, including homers by Stan Musial and Don Lang.

Ralph Kiner blasted his 31st home run of the year to give the Pirates a 4 to 3 win over the Reds in Pittsburgh.

YESTERDAY'S Star--Lefty Gene Bearden of the Cleveland Indians, who pitched a four-hit shutout over the St. Louis Browns, 8 to 0, for his 12th win of the year against three defeats.

Strictly Amateur



H. C. Gonsalez of Chile paws air as his opponent P. Carrizo of Uruguay, dropped to safe level in Empire Stadium bout of Olympic Games. Gonsalez won decision in London match in ring suspended over swimming pool.

It Had to Be



Traditional dunking, with all its ceremony, is given to California coxswain R. K. Purchase in Thames River at Henley, England. The Golden Bears won Olympic eight-oar title.

Thousands View Body Of The Mighty 'Babe'

BY CARL LUNDQUIST

YANKEE STADIUM, New York, Aug. 18 (U.P.)—The great and the small came today to say goodby to Babe Ruth in the temple that the home run king built with his bat.

They filed past the mahogany casket at the rate of 100 a minute, some pausing for a second to stare in silence, some dabbing at a tear. Housewives in cotton dresses lifted their children to see the man who was the hero of America's smallfry for more than 30 years.

Dapper Leo Durocher, manager of the New York Giants and a teammate of Ruth's on the great Yankee team of 1927, reached the casket at 11 a. m. Durocher stood looking down at the white face of the Bambino for a full two minutes, then walked silently on.

Most of this morning's crowd were mothers with their children. Police estimated that between 75,000 and 100,000 persons would pass through the gates of Yankee Stadium before the Bambino leaves "The House that Ruth built" for the last time shortly after 8 p. m.

The body of Ruth, baseball's all-time home run king who died Monday, lay in state in the rotunda of the stadium.

More than 50,000 persons filed by his bier during the seven hours the body was on view last night. Most of them waited patiently in line for two hours, then were hurried by his mahogany, satin-lined casket at one second intervals.

The crowd surrounding the stadium was so huge at 10 p. m. that white-haired Charley McManus, superintendent of the "House that Ruth built," ordered the gates left open.

"We'll keep the stadium open all night if necessary so that everybody waiting can get in," he said.

At midnight, the crowd dwindled and shortly afterward the gates were closed until 10 a. m. today.

The body will lie in state until 7 p. m. today when it will be taken to St. Patrick's Cathedral for funeral services at 11 a. m. tomorrow.

Francis Cardinal Spellman, archbishop of New York, will preside at the solemn requiem mass. The funeral will be open to the public.

G&B, Kirkland Advance Into Softball Finals

Griffin and Butler and Kirkland moved into the finals of the local softball league by defeating FFA and Coats, respectively last night.

G&B outclassed the Farmers, 10-2 in the opener, and Kirkland nipped Coats in the second game, 8 to 5.

J. M. Fisher held FFA to three hits while his mates were collecing 11 off FFA hurler Bill Stephens and Cruse Tamayo.

Eddie Griffin hit three singles for the winners and Alonzo Garvin got a triple and a single.

Almost everyone on the G&B lineup performed effectively at the plate. Singles were marked up by Arvil Patton, Bill Robinson, Tuffy Wrinkle, Ray Mooney and Lindsey Fisher.

The other two men, Mert Grayson and Fisher both scored runs after reaching base on errors.

Bill Blanchard got two singles for FFA, and Billy Don Hall got the only other hit, a single.

In the nightcap, Kirkland took a six run lead in the first inning to romp on to a 8-5 win over Coats.

Lonnie Hall, first man up for Kirkland, reached base on the second baseman's error, Norman Harris singled and both scored on Bob Scott's triple. Jackie Harris, Bucky Harris and Cletus Moore reached base and scored.

Jackie Harris, pitching for Kirkland, didn't allow a free pass to first, while Clarence Darter, hurling for Coats, allowed only three. Darter allowed 11 hits while Coats batters got 10 off Harris.

Kirkland will meet Griffin and Butler at 8 tonight to begin the playoffs for the second half crown. The series will continue tomorrow night, and if necessary, Friday.

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Late Texas Crops Reported Needing Rain By USDA

AUSTIN, Aug. 18 (UP)—Rain is badly needed for late plantings in most of the state, the U. S. Department of Agriculture reported today.

Late plantings of feed cotton, peanuts, and range and pasture grasses were showing the effects of hot, dry weather over most areas except in the Panhandle north of Plainview.

Cotton was maturing, the USDA said, and opening rapidly in North Central, Central and East Texas.

But the Agriculture Department noted some premature opening and considerable shedding, through there was a decrease in insect infestation.

Cotton harvest brought in first bales along the Red River in north-central areas, and the USDA reported the crop was making "excellent progress" there.

Grain sorghums were reported making "excellent growth" in the northern Panhandle area, but late sorghums were suffering for the heat. Early corn matured rapidly in north and northeast sections, but late plantings needed rain, the USDA said.

Commercial vegetable supplies were limited mainly to late watermelons in northern and northeastern counties.

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Yanks Displaying Athletic Prowess At Prague Meet

PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA Aug. 18 (UP)—Olympic track and field forces from the U. S. hoped to pick up more prestige and more championships today in the concluding events of a two-day international meet at Masaryk Stadium.

An estimated 50,000 fans marveled at the overall Yank power in the opening day events yesterday.

The U. S. led off with a sweep of the first three places in the 110-meter high hurdles. Lanky Harrison Dillard of Cleveland the Olympic 100-meter dash champion, won the event with a 14.2 clocking. Craig Dixon of U. C. L. A. took second and Floyd Simmons of the Los Angeles A. C. was third.

Dillard, Dixon, Simmons and Spunky Barney Ewell of Lancaster, Pa., teamed up to cop the 400-meter relay by 20 yeards.

George Guida of Villanova and Jeff Kirk of the University of Pennsylvania ran one-two in the 400-meter race, while Herb Barten of Michigan outsprinted the Czech's Vaclav Winter in the 800-meter run.

Ewell came back to take the 100-meter dash in 10.5 seconds, Bob McMillan of the Los Angeles A. C. won the 3000-meter run in 8:41.6, and Dr. Steve Seymour of Los Angeles was first in the Javelin.

Hot Battle On In Texas League For Playoff Berth

By United Press

The ding-dong battle to capture the Texas League fourth-place berth and a spot in the Shaughnessy playoffs was continuing at a pace the fans loved today.

Last night, the Shreveport Sports annexed the berth, at least temporarily, by nipping the Tulsa Oilers at Shreveport, 5-2. Hank Wyse, the former Chicago Cub, effectively handcuffed the vaunted Tulsa attack, scattering nine bingles. His teammates, meanwhile, collected 11 hits off three Oiler twirlers and exploded for nine big runs in the eighth to ice the game.

The victory moved the Sports a half game ahead of the San Antonio Missions who lost a home game to the league-leading Fort Worth Cats 5-3. Willard Ramsdell went the route for Fort Worth, allowing only five hits. Leftie Andy Sierra was charged with the loss.

Meanwhile, the sixth-place Dallas Rebs kept their faint hopes of a playoff berth alive by defeating Houston, 8-5, at Houston. The Buffs got seven hits off starter Quentin Altizer as he weakened in the latter stages and saw three more hurlers come to the rescue. Buck Frierson was the big gun in the batting attack, collecting three singles and a triple in five appearances for Dallas.

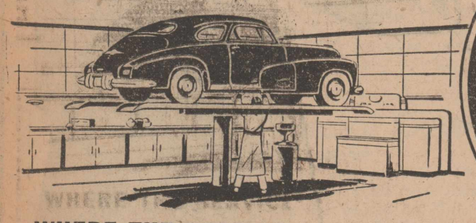
The Rebs today stood five games out of the first division and a half game ahead of the Oklahoma City Indians. But the tribe gave every indication of making a race of it when they collected 22 hits while crushing the Shippers 18-7 at Beaumont last night.

In the first division, the Cats led Tulsa by a full 3½ games, trailed by Houston, 6½ games off the pace.

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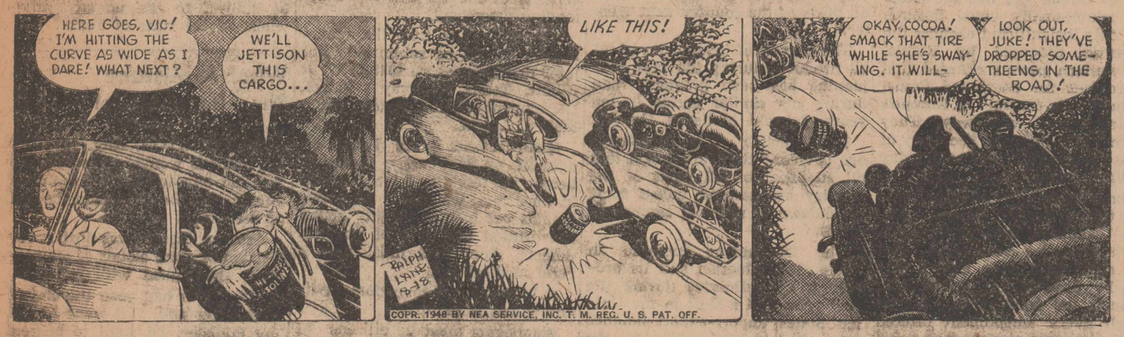
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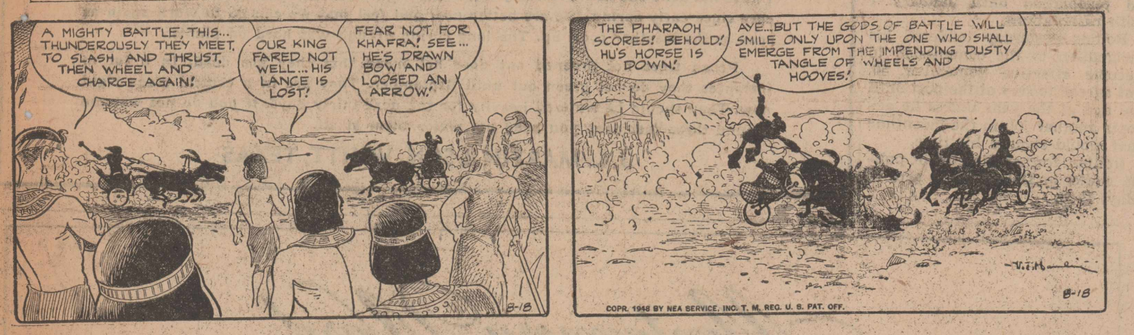
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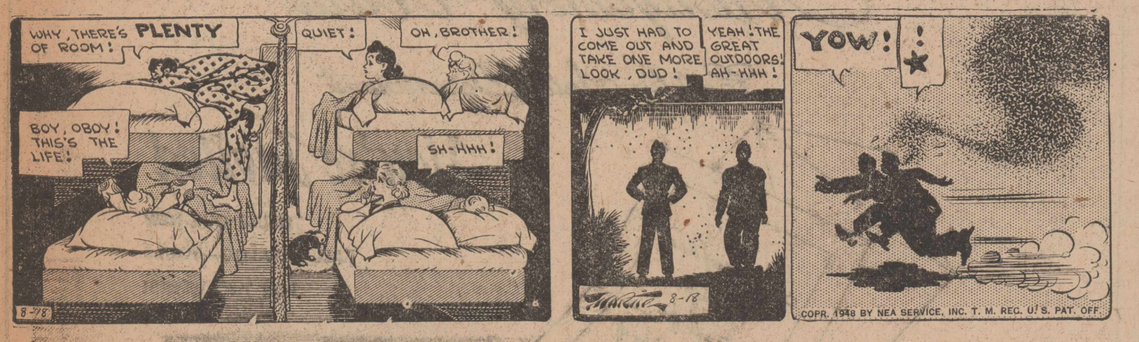


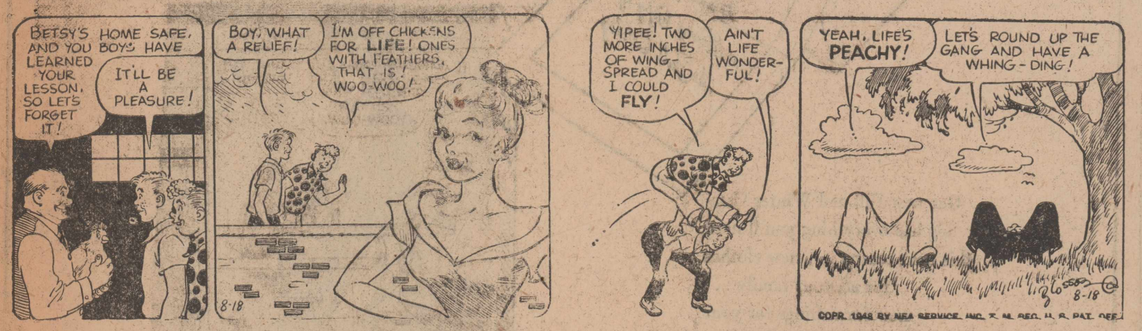


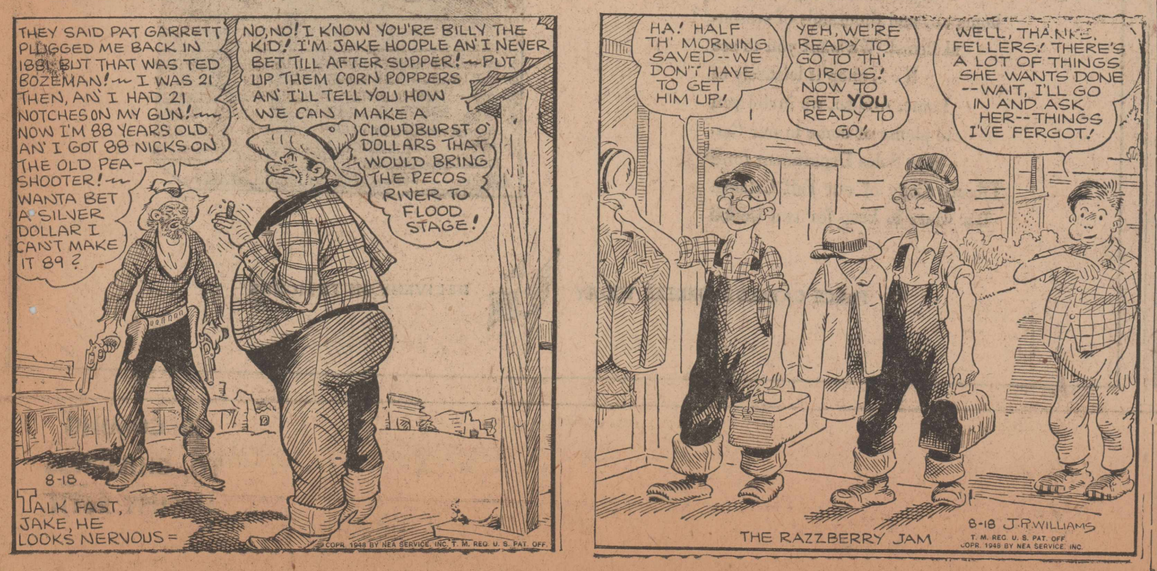












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STATE MUST BUILD MORE SCHOOL FACILITIES OR DROP STANDARDS

AUSTIN, Aug. 18—Texas must adequately prepare for 150,000 more children in its schools in the next decade or lower its educational standards.

Charles H. Tennyson, director of public relations for the Texas State Teachers Association, sounded that warning here today.

The huge increase in the birth rate during the last few years will add to the enrollment in Texas schools by nearly 82,000 pupils four years from now and by 152,000 in 1957, Tennyson said.

"The vastly accelerated birth rate throughout the United States since 1941 has cheered business men, but it is causing great concern among educators," the TSTA official declared.

"Texas is no exception. From figures on the annual birth rate provided by the United States Bureau of Vital Statistics, we know that birth increased 1,549,601 throughout the United States from 2,360,399 in 1940 to 3,910,000 in 1947.

"Enrollment started increasing throughout the country last year. In Texas it was up more than 7000 pupils. The State Department of Education this week estimated an additional 8000 students would enroll this fall.

"That is just the beginning. Enrollment will snowball from then on. The situation will become acute in 1953. An accurate estimate places the hike in enrollment in Texas that year at 81,568 pupils. Nine years from now we will have 152,004 additional students in our schools, or a total of 1,660,004."

Federal and state bureau and insurance company statistics show that nearly 80 per cent of the children born each year reach school age. Those experience figures make accurante estimates of future enrollment possible, Tennyson explained.

"An increase of 80,000 pupils in the short time of four years and 150,000 in nine years does not seem so tremendous until it is realized that we will need 2719 more teachers by '52 and 5066 more classroom instructors by 1957," Tennyson declared.

"It stands to reason we will have to have that many more classrooms.

A recent survey disclosed that about 50 per cent of students in Texas schools are in over-crowded classes. Educators agree that pupils cannot be given adequate instruction when there are more than 30 to 32 pupils in a class.

War Vet Makes Futile Attempt To Phone Stalin

HOUSTON, Aug. 17 (UP) — Willard Lewis, 23-year-old veteran found over the week end that it's not so easy to get in touch with Russian Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov.

While visiting two friends in Austin, Lewis decided to call Molotov "to ask him how long it would be before the cold war in Europe is over."

The call got as far as New York, where the operator advised him that she could not reach anyone in the Kremlin unless his telephone exchange number were known.

Lewis was disappointed that he couldn't get the information he sought.

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GI Flies Home To Halt Wife's Hitchhike Trip

OLD ORCHARD BEACH, ME., Aug. 18 (UP)—Hurying here from San Francisco to keep his wife from hitchhiking across the nation with their infant son, Cpl. Tony Furio reached Boston early today and said the whole family might have to thumb its way to Texas.

Furio was penniless. But that didn't bother him as he waited for a train to Old Orchard Beach. He'd been broke before.

He was out of funds Monday when he learned his wife and 22-month-old son Tony Jr. were enroute from their Bangor home to California in the belief he was headed overseas. Furio then managed to halt the trip with a telephone call financed by a San Francisco newspaper.

His commanding officer granted him a five-day delay enroute to his new post at Fort Bliss, Tex. An airline offered him a free flight to Newark, N. J., but that turned out be illegal. Open-handed Californians beat the restriction by buying his ticket.

When he reached Newark yesterday, he had just enough money left for a railroad ticket to Old Orchard beach.

"We'll figure some way to get to Texas," Furio said. "I don't want my wife hitchhiking all over the country."

He hesitated a moment, wondering how they'd get to Texas.

"Well," he said, "even if we do have to use our thumbs, at least she'll be with me."

Civil Air Patrol Aids Forest Crew In Fighting Fires

LUFKIN, Aug. 18 (U.P.)—The civil air patrol today had come to the aid of the Texas forest service protection division to fight the destructive forest fires which continued to sweep the piney woods of a wide East Texas area.

Lumber companies also sent in crews to save the timber on their own lands.

The Woodville district of the forest service reported 15 fires were buring in a 5000 acre area, while an additional 15 fires were reported near Conroe late yesterday.

Four fires were burning in the Kirbyville district late yesterday, and the Lufkin district had two blazes.

SAP planes were observing the woods from the air near Marshall, Palestine and Conroe. Forest service planes were spotting the remainder of the forest area.

Well-Known Book Designer Named To College Staff

EL PASO, Aug. 18 (UP)—Appointment of Carl Hertzog, nationally known book designer and typographer, to the staff of the College of Mines, University of Texas branch at El Paso, as an assistant professor of journalism and English was announced by Dr. D. M. Wiggins, president, today.

Hertzog will offer instruction which will cover the historical background of printing as one of the fine arts with the objective of understanding good book design. He will also teach courses in advertising.

Hertzog is well known to collectors of limited editions, especially those specializing in western Americana. Some of the books he has designed and produced have become rarities and are sought by collectors at premium prices. As a laboratory project in his course on bookmaking, he will produce a book with the College of Mines imprint.

Former Yugoslav Chief Of Staff Reported Slain

BELGRADE, Aug. 18 (UP)—The Ministry of the Interior announced today that Col. Gen. Arso Yovanovich, former chief of staff of the Yugoslav army, was shot and killed while trying to flee into Romania.

Yovanovich ranked No. 2 in military importance to Marshall Tito. The communique said he was killed by a border guard while he was trying to flee with two other high-ranking Yugoslav army officers late on the night of August 11.

Yugoslav exile circles in London said Yovannavich probably fleeing Yugoslavia to become commander of a "free Yugoslav army" backing the Cominform in its battle against Marshal Tito.

The Cominform is intent on establishing a Yugoslav shadow government to oppose Tito, these sources said. Yovanovich and Tito were insearable during the war, these sources said, but for the past year Yovanovich has been of Tito's inner circle.

Col. Vlado Dachevich one of the fugitives, succeeded in escaping into Romania, the announcement said. The second, Maj. Gen Branko Petrichevich, was captured a few yeards from the frontier.

A fourth member of the party, identified as Svetolik Arabipac, director of government estates in the frontier area, also was shot and killed.

Woman Attempts World Flight In Light Plane

CAMBRIDGE, England, Aug. 18 (UP)— Mrs. Richard Morrow Tait, beautiful artist's model and mother, took off today in an attempt to become the first woman to circle the globe in a light plane.

"I am full of confidence," she said. "I am taking my lucky penny with me."

She was accompanied by Michael Townsend, 25, a Cambridge University student and bachelor who will serve as navigator.

Mrs. Morrow Tait's husband and 18-months-old daughter Anna waved goodbye as the single engined Percival Proctor plane climbed into the sky for the first leg of the six-weeks flight.

198-Year Cargo Finally Arrives At Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 18 (UP) —A shipment of once modern household articles sent from England to colonial Philadelphia 198 years ago were received today as highly-prized antiques.

Pewter, silver shoe buckles, copper tea kettles and other items were dredged from the Delaware River off South Philadelphia by army engineers yesterday.

The engineers found the hulk of a wooden sailing vessel in 30 feet of water two weeks ago while dredging the river near Fort Mifflin. Because of the condition of the wood, no attempt was made to raise the ship. The cargo which also included locks and keys, pins and two-pronged forks, was sucked through a pipe and dumped ashore.

Dr. Marshall W. S. Swan, curator of the American Swedish Museum, said the vessel probably sank in 1750.

Russia Blocks Ceylon's Bid For UN Membership

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., Aug. 18 (U.P.)—Soviet Russia used her veto for the 27th time today to blackball Ceylon's bid for membership in the United Nations organization.

It was the 12th time the Soviet Union cast its veto to block specifically a membership application.

Jacob A. Malik, Soviet deputy foreign minister, charged that Ceylon, which gained its independenct last February 4 from the British Empire, still was a British colony with "the illusion of independence."

LOCAL NEWS

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with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Custer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Vardy and his parents are on vacation in California where they will visit relatives.

Jimmy Legat has recently taken the position as assistant manager of one of the leading dry goods stores here. He came here from Sayre, Okla. His wife and daughter will join him later.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Mayfield and son of Booneville, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Griffin and family of Quanah visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Griffin early this week.

Tanell Dakil plans to arrive here tonight from Hardin-Simmons where he has completed his summer school session.

Patsy and Billie Rae, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Patterson, became seriously ill yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Alex Saied is visiting with her parents in Sweetwater this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith have returned from a vacation in Florida and other points South.

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in Westminister, Md.

But after about 15 minutes, Stripling said, Hiss made a positive identification. Both men then were subpoenaed to appear at a full committee meeting here next Wednesday.

Hiss, who is now $20,000-a-year president of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, said he then told the committee:

"On the basis of his teeth, his knowledge of my apartment in Washington and his answers to my questions, I am prepared to identify this man as George Crosley."

Chambers was unavailable for comment. Hiss quoted him, however, as denying that he had ever been known as Crosley. Hiss said Chambers told the committee: "Alger, we were Communists together."

"I denied that I was a Communist yesterday, today or ever," Hiss said.

POLITICAL CALENDAR

COUNTY JUDGE:
Leonard White
C. A. Mitchell

COUNTY TREASURER:
Nita Jarrell Levi—Re-election.
Mrs. B. F. Hardy.

COMMISSIONER—Precinct 1
Earl A. Brown—2nd Term
E. J. Groseclose

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U. S. Refuses To Cast Vote At Danube Meet

BELGRADE, Aug. 18 (U.P.)—The Russian-drafted Danube convention was approved, 7 to 0, today after U. S. Ambassador Cavendish Cannon angrily told the Soviet-dominated Danube conference that any resemblance it bore to a normal international meeting was purely coincidental.

The United States, Britain and France abstained from the final vote as Russia and her six satellites triumphantly voted through with only insignificant changes the convention proposed by Russia. The western powers charged that it provides for continued Soviet "monopolistic control" of Europe's greatest inland waterway. They will not sign the pact, Secretary of State George Marshall said today in Washington.

Immediately after the final vote was taken, Russian delegate Andrei Vishinsky, who was presiding at the time, announced that the conference was closed. Vishinsky directed the Soviet bloc through the conference, during which every amendment offered by the western powers was voted down, always 7 to 3, the Russian satellites staying constantly in line.

Prexy-Naming Plan Set At A & I

KINGSVILLE, Aug. 18 (UP)—Directors of Texas A. & I. College are expected to set up procedure for selection of a new president of the institution when they meet August 25, it was learned today.

Board member Frank C. Smith of Houston said that the board probably would not be in a position at that time to name a successor to Dr. E. N. Jones, whose resignation becomes effective August 31.

Dr. Jones, who assumed the post in 1942, will move to Lubbock as vice president in charge of academic administration at Texas Tech.

Tyler Council Requests City Manager To Stay

TYLER, Aug. 18 (UP)—City Manager Guy Rollins has been prevailed upon by the Tyler city commission to delay his announced resignation until January 1 with reservations.

Rollins yesterday tendered his resignation to the commission to become effective September 30, but agreed to stay at the post until the end of the year unless he accepts another job in the meantime that would require his time.

Rollins, former director of public works in Dallas, came here in May, 1946.

Oil, Gas Shortage Licked, According To Trade Journal

TULSA, Aug. 18 (UP)—Oil and gasoline shortages are licked and there will be plenty of heating oil in all parts of the country next winter, the Oil and Gas Journal said today.

From an analysis of industry statistics, the trade publication concluded: "There is plenty of gasoline for the remainder of the touring season and there will be ample supplies of heating oil in all parts of the country next winter."

The growth of inventories of all oil products during the past four months has been greater than during any similar period in ten years, journal statistics showed.

In the article, "The Oil Shortage Is Over," the journal said that oil supplies for all parts of the country are assured unless some breakdown or national emergency arises.

The tremendous increase in crude oil production and its processing by refineries during the past year, and a shift in the United States import-export balance were cited as explanations for the changed outlook.

Army Recruiters Report Vacancies

Vacancies now exist in the first, third, fifth, and sixth army areas according to a report released today by the army and air force recruiting main station in Abilene. Former service men who qualify for one of the vacancies may enlist for direct initial assignment, according to Capt. Wayne Hall commander of the Abilene station.

Clerk-typists, cooks, supply clerks, duty soldiers, and photographers are among the existing vacancies. For details and a complete listing of positions available at these installations, contact Cpl. Carl D. Bishop or M/Sgt. Joe Patterson at the recruiting office located in the employment office at 221, Avenue B, Northwest. A recruiter is in Childress each Tuesday and Wednesday.

TEXAS HIGHWAY PATROL SETS RECRUIT - TRAINING EXAMS

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The Texas Highway Patrol will soon conduct a statewide competitive examination for the procurement of recruits to enter the Texas Highway Patrol Recruit Training School.

Selectees who complete three months of training in the school will receive commissions as Texas highway patrolmen.

Men receive $100 a month while in training.

Veterans are eligible to receive benefits of the GI Bill while attending the school.

Applications to take the examination should be submitted not later than August 25, 1948 to W. J. Elliott, Texas Highway Patrol, Department of Public Safety, Camp Mabry, Austin.

Qualifications were listed as: age, 21 to 35 years, inclusive; height, not less than 5 feet 8 inches in bare feet; weight, at least two pounds per inch of height, sound constitution and free of physical defects. Applicants must pass a rigid medical test.

A high schoool education or its equivalent is required.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States, and a resident of the state of Texas for at least one year. Their character will be subject to investigation as to moral character, habits and veracity.

Commissioned patrolmen receive a base pay of $230 a month and operating expenses. Uniforms, guns and other equipment are furnished.

They will receive two weeks vacation a year, plus two weeks sick leave if needed. The department provides low cost life insurance for members, and reasonable group accident and sickness insurance for members and their dependents.

Highway patrolmen are eligible for the benefits of the State Employes Retirement Plan, as prescribed by state law.

They will work no more than six days per week except in an emergency. A minimum of 20 hours night work per week is required. Successful applicants will be subject to assignment anywhere in the state of Texas.

What A Mistake She Almost Made!

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18 (UP) An anxious woman called up the weather bureau to ask if the wide ring around the sun meant the end of the world.

Assured that it was just a reflection of some clouds of ice crystals, she sighed with relief.

"Well if it had been the end of time," she said, "I'd want to call my minister. I'd want to be real real sure, first, though."

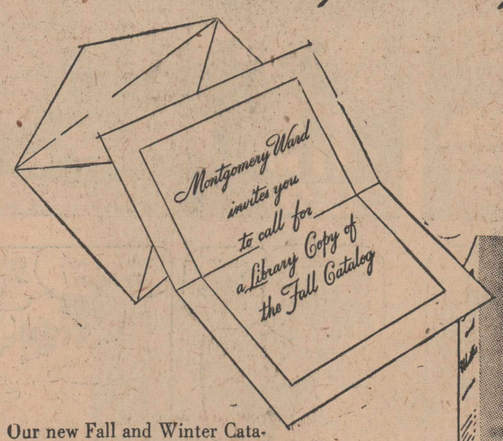
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We aim to be in Childress in September and we will adjust everything with you. I have not done one hours Nursery work in five months. We have been under the Dr's. care since early spring. We are better now and feel that we can go to work again as soon as the weather cools up. The long spring drough was hard on plants.
Pecan trees not greened out does not mean that they are dead. In a lot of instances they do not green out until September. They are in a critical stage right now. They should be watered heavily for the next thirty days. If you do not wet the ground three feet deep you need not water them at all.
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