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Hurricane Whips Tampico; Center Is 60 Miles East

Cotton In Valley Hit By Storm

(By The Associated Press)

Heavy showers off the northern fringe of a hurricane in the Gulf of Mexico swept into the lush Rio Grande Valley today.

Crop experts said they probably will deal a death blow to a big cotton crop, still unpicked in the fields—an estimated 200,000 to 300,000 bales.

The weather bureau at Brownsville recorded 2.55 inches of rain between 6 and 9 a.m. The showers continued.

In the northern part of Texas heavy rains set off by a cool front moving in fell overnight. Temperatures dropped and the weather bureau said the heat wave is broken.

In the lower Rio Grande Valley the rain had not reached Harlingen or San Benito by 9 a.m. The general squall line lay just south of San Benito then.

MORE RAIN PREDICTED

But the forecast predicted showers would move across the entire lower valley area.

Winds at Brownsville about 9 a.m. were 10 to 20 miles an hour. The forecast called for strong easterly winds occasionally reaching 35 to 40 miles an hour.

The Naval Air Station at Corpus Christi had boarded up all planes in hangars and cancelled all liberties for personnel as a precautionary measure.

Tides at Padre Island were near normal today, but more high tides were expected late today and tonight. Corpus Christi weather was partly cloudy with an easterly wind 15 miles an hour. Scattered showers and a 95-degree maximum were forecast.

LONG COOL FRONT

Early today the cool front in North Texas stretched from Tyler through Waco and out to San Angelo and the Big Bend Country.

Rainfall in the 24-hour period ending at 6:30 a.m. included 2.53 of an inch at Crosbyton, 1.57 at Lamesa, 1.42 at Quanah, 1.27 at Seymour, 1.76 at Spur, .70 at Sherman, .64 at Plainview and .59 at Snyder.

The big storm worked with the cool front to lower temperatures.

"It's already pulled the cool front down to affect most of the state,"

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Deep Wildcat Scheduled In DawsonCounty

R. B. and W. A. Moncrief, Jr., of Fort Worth are to start operations at once at their No. 1 Cobden Estate, which is to be a 9,000 - foot wildcat to try for production in the Pennsylvanian lime in Central - West Dawson County.

Location is 660 feet from south and west lines of section 92-M-EL&RR survey. That makes it 15 miles northwest of Lamesa.

The new exploration is one and one-half miles south and three-quarters of a mile west of the same operator's No. 1-91 Scanlon estate, a 5,500 - foot wildcat which is now making hole below 4,530 feet in lime and shale. It has not yet logged any indications of possible production.

The No. 1-91 Scanlon is 660 feet from north and east lines of the southeast quarter of section 91-M-EL&RR.

FISHING

Lion Oil Co. No. 1 C. O. Helms, Northeast Scurry wildcat, is at total depth of 7,038 feet and fishing for junk.

FISHER COUNTY

Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 Bessie McCleaskey, exploration nine miles northeast of Rotan, is drilling below 1,508 feet in shale. It is to dig to 6,800 feet to seek Strawn sand production.

IN KENT

Texaco No. 1 Swenson, Northwest Kent County wildcat, is drilling in chert below 7,575 feet.

Sun Oil Co. No. 2 D. G. Sampson, south of the Clairemont-Lower Pennsylvanian field, is coring in lime below 6,736 feet. Sun No. 1-D Bilby Wallace, stepout to the same field, is drilling below 3,939 feet in shale and lime.

DEMONSTRATORS NEAR EMBASSY

Sign-carrying anti-communist marchers dmeonstrate a block away from the Russian embassy on 16th street in Washington, D. C. The American-Hungarian Federatiion, which sponsored the demonstration, said it was designed to call attention to Moscow's "inhuman deportation" of Hungarians. A city ordinance prohibiits demonstrations directly in front of an embassy.

Navy To Build First Atom-Powered Sub

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22. (AP)—The Navy has let a contract for the first atomic-powered submarine — a craft described by a congressional authority as having "immense military implications."

Announcing Tuesday the award of a contract to the Electric Boat Company of Groton, Conn., the Navy gave no details. Nor would officials elaborate on the 26-word announcement.

But semi-official sources have said an atomic-powered submarine would have a vast underwater range, and speculation as to its possible speed has ranged as high as 50 to 60 miles an hour — more than twice that of conventional undersea craft.

The Navy's announcement, first open step into an atomic-powered submarine, came somewhat earlier than the time which had previously been guardedly expressed.

In March, the Navy hoped to start its first nuclear- -powered submarine by the end of this year. Tuesday's announcement indicated an approaching solution of major problems in the way of ship propulsion by controlled splitting of atoms — done in devices the scientists call reactors.

The craft to be constructed at Groton, it is believed, will be a 2,500-ton vessel, somewhat larger than the Navy's present fleet submarines.

Neither the Navy nor the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) is likely to give any hints about its performance — assuming it is successful — until it has met its real test on and under the seas.

Vice Admiral Charles A. Lockwood, retired officer who commanded U. S. sub forces in the Pacific in World War II, has predicted it would "outrun, outfight and outmaneuver the most advanced snorkel types that Russia is building behind the Iron Curtain or is likely to build."

AEC and the Air Force are also at work on an atomic engine to power aircraft, and there have been indications of progress in that direction. AEC announced last March a contract with the General Electric Company "for the further development of a nuclear reactor for aircraft."

Mac Not To Speak To San Francisco Meet

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21. (AP)—Gen. Douglas MacArthur is reported to have turned down a government invitation to address the Japanese peace treaty conference on the ground it might put him in the light of representing the Truman administration.

An aide in New York quoted MacArthur as saying he would not attend the conference opened in San Francisco Sept. 4 "short of a direct invitation" by the conference itself.

A Washington official, declining to be quoted by name, said President Truman had approved a U. S. government invitation to MacArthur to speak during the time alloted this country but MacArthur had declined. The general's aide, Col. Lawrence Bunker, said MacArthur had received no invitation.

John Foster Dulles, Republican adviser to the State Department and a key figure in the forthcoming conference, was said to have approached MacArthur, also a Republican, last week. At that time, MacArthur was reported to have first accepted, then turned down, a proposal to attend.

Season Ticket Sale to Begin

Season tickets for all Snyder high school football games at home will go on sale at 9 o'clock Friday in the office of Forrest Beavers, county school superintendent, in the courthouse.

Season tickets will be $6.50, entitling the holder to attend all five home games at a saving of $1 over the cost of five individual tickets. Individual reserved seat tickets will be $1.50 for adults and $1 for students. General admission tickets purchased at the box office will be $1 for adults and 50 cents for students. Prices were set at a meeting of school officials from District 5-AA last week.

Dawson County Gives $1,000 on First Bale

LAMESA, Aug. 22. (AP)—Jack Grigg, Dawson County tenant farmer, got $1,000 extra for producing the first cotton of the season in the county. His bale was ginned Tuesday. The premium was made up by Dawson County cotton men.

Congress Is Cool to Truman Controls Fight

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22. (AP)—The White House said today President Truman has decided definitely to ask Congress for stronger price control powers and hopes to send a message to the Capitol by the week-end.

Word that Mr. Truman was considering reopening this issue — only three weeks after Congress passed a bill he didn't like—got a cool reception from some key legislators.

Joseph Short, presidential press secretary, said Mr. Truman had decided to send a special message to the legislators on the subject.

He said the President and his aides are working on the message with the aim of completing it before Saturday.

Two Senators voiced displeasure in the Senate yesterday at the report then that Mr. Truman might reopen his fight for stronger controls.

Senator Maybank (D-SC) said government officials who administer the new Economic Controls Law which became effective Aug. 1 are criticizing it "even before the ink is dry." He said it is "only fair" to give the present law a fair trial.

Senator Capehart (R-Ind) said "some people" evidently favor a "Marxist philosophy, a Socialist philosophy", and he told the Senate:

"I challenge the President of the United States to send down his ideas of (any new) legislation. Let's have this thing out, once and for all."

Capehart defended the new price control law as "a good law that will prevent runaway inflation" if properly administered.

He is the senior Republican and Maybank is the chairman of the Senate Banking Committee, which handles economic controls legislation. Maybank said he will be willing to listen to any administratien proposals.

Infiltration In Government Circles Feared

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22. (AP)—Maj. Gen. Charles A. Willoughby, former Army intelligence chief in the Far East, said today he believes the same kind of Communist spying and intrigue disclosed in Japan is going on now in the United States.

Willoughby testified before the House Un-American Activities Committee about the famous "Sorge Ring," a Soviet spy network which reached into high up Japanese government circles.

A Senate subcommittee also was digging into subversive activities with Louis Budenze, ex-Communist editor, in its witness chair. Budenz told the Senators that when he was in the party (he left it six years ago), the Institute of Pacific Relations was "completely under control" and the Communists. He spoke of it as "the little red school house."

Budenz is a former editor of the "Daily Worker," Communist publication. He broke publicly with the party in 1945 and is now on the faculty of Fordham University.

The one-time Communist leader testified before the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee. The Senators are inquiring into whether there have been subversive influences on U. S. Far Eastern policy.

Chairman McCarran (D-Nev) contends the IPR has influenced official policy.

Budenz told the Senators that he attended Communist politburo meetings at which IPR officials received orders from the then Communist leader Earl Browder.

Within IPR ranks, he said, was "a joint Communist cell with Amerasia." Amerasia was a magazine dealing with Asian affairs, but was not officially connected with IPR. It no longer is published.

Budenz said he knew from "official communications within the conspiracy" that Owen Lattimore, one-time editor of IPR publications, was a Communist and that so was the millionaire New York leftist, Frederick Vanderbilt Field, a former IPR official.

Lattimore, a Johns Hopkins University professor, denied last year he was or ever had been a Communist. Field once refused to answer questions as to whether he had held Communist connections.

Even as Budenz was testifying before the Senators, the House Unamerican Committee called in Gen. Douglas MacArthur's former intelligence chief for questioning about a Soviet spymaster who operated in the Far East before World War II.

Maj. Gen. Charles A. Willoughby had related some parts of this story to the Senators earlier in their hearings. The House committee sought more details on operations of Richard Sorge, the alleged Soviet spy executed by the Japanese in 1944.

Britain Extends Iranian Deadline

TEHRAN, Iran, Aug. 22. (AP) — Parliament gave a vote of confidence today to Premier Mohammed Mossadegh on his stand rejecting the latest British proposals for settlement of the Anglo-Iranian oil dispute. But the lower house urged him to continue the oil crisis negotiations which are threatening to break down.

The vote in the Majlis (lower house) was 72 to nothing. Earlier the senate had approved the Nationalistic premier's uncompromising policies by a vote of 33 in favor with three abstentions.

This new parliamentary move came an hour after the original deadline set by Britain's chief negotiator Richard Stokes, who Tuesday said he would return to London unless Mossadegh abandons his stonewall stand against the British proposals.

DEADLINE EXTENDED

A British spokesman said Stokes extended his ultimatum deadline to 3 o'clock this afternoon local time (6:30 a.m., CST) in view of the fact that parliament appeared to want to keep the talks from breaking down.

There was little debate in the public session of the Majlis when Mossadegh appealed for support. But in a preceding private session an informed source said deputies made it clear they wanted to try to avoid a breakdown.

One deputy was reported in the private session to have told Mossadegh he must resign if he cannot find a solution to the dispute with Britain over nationalization of the British-owned Anglo-Iranian Oil Company's vast installations in Iran.

TO CONTINUE TALKS

Majlis speaker Sardar Reza Hekmat announced: "This vote of confidence is for Mossadegh to continue the discussions."

Stokes had made his ultimatum after announcing he had withdrawn the British priposal for placing the much needed British technicans and experts of the Anglo - Iranian Oil Company under a British manager who would work for the nationalized Iranian company.

Mossadegh Tuesday night tried to delay Stokes' ultimatum by asking for "more details" on the proposals for keeping the British technicians working.

But Stokes replied in a letter this morning that he already had explained everything "quite clearly."

Believe Reds Will Sign Jap Peace Treaty

TOKYO, Aug. 22. (AP)—There is a growing belief in this country that Russia will do the unexpected and sign the Japanese peace treaty in San Francisco next month.

Reliable, but unofficial, Japanese circles express the view that the Russians will sign after putting up a strong fight for inclusion of one major provision.

They say the Reds will agree to keep an American military establishment in Japan — but will demand a definite date for departure. They are opposed to a unilateral treaty between Japan and the United States.

This view was expressed despite the Chinese Reds' Peiping radio that Japan's acceptance of a peace treaty not approved by both Red China and Russia would be considered an act of war.

Red China wasn't invited to the peace treaty conference. Soviet Russia accepted after considerable delay.

The feeling around Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway's Allied headquarters had been that the Soviet delegates en route to San Francisco are carrying brief cases loaded with monkey wrenches.

But Japanese sources predict the Russians will sign the treaty if they can thus prevent a separate treaty between the United States and Japan.

This unilateral treaty would provide for the stationing of American troops — between two and four divisions of ground troops plus an air force and a navy — in Japan until Japan is able to defend herself.

Force Vote On European Aid

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22. (AP)—Senator Lodge (R-Mass) called for a test committee vote today on providing a full $5,293,000,000 in military aid to Europe in the $7,499,000,000 foreign assistance bill.

Lodge told a reporter he is asking the Senate Foreign Relations and Armed Services Committees to vote quickly on his motion to increase the fund authorization. The House cut $265 million from President Truman's request for European military funds.

"It would be the worst kind of false economy to reduce our military aid to Europe in the face of present world conditions," Lodge declared.

He said he also favors full military outlays for Formosa and Indochina. The House reduced the requested $555 million for Asia and the Pacific to $530 million.

Meanwhile the Senate had before it a recommendation by its Appropriations Committee to slash funds for the "Voice of America" program from the $85 million voted by the House to $64 million for the year ending next June 30.

Farm Bureau Will Fete 4-H, Future Farmers

All members of the county 4-H clubs and Future Farmers of America, with their fathers, will be guests of the Scurry County Farm Bureau unit at a wiener roast set for 5:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at Wolf Park, with Ross Williams, bureau president, acting as master of ceremonies.

A feature of the gathering will be the awarding of plaques to the outstanding member of the two organizations.

"This is not a public affair, but by invitations only," said O. M. Fowler, county agent.

William W. Remington

Court Reversal In Remington Perjury Trial

NEW YORK, Aug. 22. (AP)—The U. S. Court of Appeals reversed today the conviction of William W. Remington, former government economist, on charges of perjury in denying he had ever been a member of the Communist Party.

The decision, written by Chief Judge Thomas W. Swan, was unanimous. The case was returned to the district court for a new trial.

Remington, 33, was found guilty Feb. 7. Federal Judge Gregory F. Noonam imposed the maximum sentence of five years and a $2,000 fine.

The reversal was based in large part on technical grounds. Swan agreed with the defense that the definition of membership in the Communist Party, contained in the charge to the jury, was to "vague and indefinite."

Concurring were former chief Judge Learned Hand and Judge Augustus N. Hand.

Taft Accuses President On Political Tour

ROCKLAND, Me., Aug. 22. (AP) — Senator Robert A. Taft accused President Truman today of "attempting to dismiss charges of Communist influences and corruption in the administration with shouts of "liar."

The Ohio Republican — named by Mr. Truman as his favorite for the GOP presidential nomination in 1952 — told a party rally in this old fishing port:

"The fact that the President of the United States can so blithely dismiss the proved charges, in many cases brought out and substantiated by Democratic committees, is evidence of the low standard he accepts himself and hopes will be accepted by the people."

Taft challenged the President to follow up denunciation of "scandal mongers" by being specific.

"I suggest," declared Taft, "the President point out the lies instead of shouting 'liar.'"

Swinging down East in a political pulse-taking tour of Northern New England, Taft insisted he has not yet made up his mind about running for President — but admitted he might be "forced" to make a decision early next year.

Taft frankly conceded he is thinking about the early presidential primaries — the first in the nation being in New Hampshire in March.

And a group of Portland Republicans whom Taft addressed Tuesday night wondered if he had spilled the beans about his plans.

Urging hard organizational work in '52, Taft said:

"If Republicans get out there isn't any doubt of my election."

When the applause and laughter died down, Taft added:

"I mean there's no doubt in my mind we can win."

The Ohio Senator opened his five-day junket with a swing through New Hampshire, where he met party leaders — and was told privately that the sentiment there has not yet crystalized.

While swinging out with both fists in his denunciation of the Truman administration's policies — at home and abroad — Taft brushed aside attempts to feel him out on General Dwight Eisenhower as a potential presidential candidate.

Refugees Are Evacuated To High Ground

TAMPICO, Mex., Aug. 22. (AP)—A fearfully - awaited hurricane hit Tampico with wild fury today. Houses were wrecked. Fifteen persons were reported injured by flying roofs.

Electric power was cut off to prevent fallen wires from killing people in the streets.

Firemen rescued 25 families from the wreckage of their homes. The only casualties reported up to 10:30 a.m., CST, were the 15 hurt by flying roofs.

The terrific storm hit about 8:30 a.m. in the midst of a deluge of rain. The weather bureau estimated the winds' force at 78 miles an hour. The greatest force of 130 miles an hour at the hurricane's center passed only about 60 miles east of Tampico.

The storm's fury was such that AP Correspondent Robert Allen, on his way to the city, was unable to drive his car across the Tamesi River, on the mainland side of the peninsula on which Tampico stands.

WORST IN YEARS

Veteran Tampico newsmen described it as the worst storm to hit the city in 15 years. Many lives were lost and the city badly wrecked in the last big hurricane of 1936.

The power company pulled all switches shortly after today's hurricane hit. That left Tampico without lights, stopped street cars, silenced radio stations, cut communications.

Panic stricken refugees ran into schools and public buildings, where hundreds had already taken refuge. Many drenched and frightened townspeople crowded into churches to pray as the winds screamed.

Firemen said they had "uncountable" reports of houses blown down. They kept a record only of those from which they had to pull families out of the wreckage.

Port authorities feared for the safety of the Mexican tanker Veracruz which had sheltered behind a point on the coast south of Tampico. Her radio was silent after the storm started. Another tanker, the "18 de Marzo," wirelessed she was riding out fierce winds and high seas in the shelter of Lobos Island, also south of the port.

SUBURBS FLOODED

City trucks drove as far as they could into the flooded districts, bringing out refugees. The heavy rain and rising waters of the Panuco river which curves on two sides of Tampico had already flooded many low-lying suburbs. The center of the city, on high ground, was safe from the flood but exposed to the full blast of the gale.

The people had spent a tense, sleepless, prayerful night. Hundreds sought shelter in school houses and other buildings stronger than their own homes.

Mountainous waves, ten feet higher than normal, pounded the coast during the night as the hurricane rushed at the city after whirling around in the Gulf for half a day.

Waters from the suddenly swollen Panuco River and two lagoons, the Chairel and Carpintero, overflowed, flooding the lowlands.

Soldiers throughout the night patrolled the streets, many strewn with cars caught in the fierce showers.

Ambulances stood ready to pick up those injured when the storm struck.

Dozens of railroad cars were kept in the station for a possible evacuation. The storm struck before they could get away.

Farmers of the area feared for the loss of their 75,000-ton corn crop, the biggest in years.

Two members of a fishing trawler crew were drowned Tuesday night in the Gulf of Mexico, east of Brownsville, when high winds off the hurricane swamped their boat. Brownsville is some 270 miles north of Tampico. They were Willis Trahan, 28, and the trawler's master, Roy Fontenau, both of Brownsville.

Engineers, County Judge Work on Right Of Way for Roads

Judge Edgar Taylor said today he was assisting Hassle & Green, Lubbock engineers, in their work to obtain the necessary right of way on about 77 miles of roads of the county's 157 mile road project.

The judge said he has written several letters to property owners in connection with the right of way.

Equipment for the construction of 26½ miles of the first phase of the county road project has been moved in by W. O. Pelphrey of Fort Worth, whose bid of $414,995 was accepted by the commissioners court.

There were several changes made in the contract before it was awarded to Pelphrey. Construction costs will average $15,691 per mile, which was a little higher than the original estimate of $14,000 per mile.

Third Escapee From City Jail Captured

Three of the four men who escapted from the city jail the night of Aug. 12 have been apprehended with the arrest yesterday in Sweetwater of the third escapee.

Two of the four men who left the jail through a hole in the roof were recaptured near the jail soon after the jailbreak.

One of the men is still free. All were being held on misdemeanor intoxication charges when the jail break occurred.

No Progress In Talks; Accuse Reds of Acting In Bad Faith

MUNSAN, Korea, Aug. 22. (AP) — The Allies accused the Communists today of making "a universal symbol of bad faith" out of Kaesong, site of Koren War truce talks.

The charge was broadcast after a shirt-sleeved subcommittee held its sixth session in Kaesong without sign of breaking the deadlock over where to draw an armistice line across Korea.

The subcommittee scheduled another try for Thursday.

Armistice negotiations were complicated by a dispute over latest Red charges that United Nations forces violated the Kaesong neutrality zone.

The "Voice of the United Nations Command," broadcast from Tokyo to Korea, said the "Communist charges border on the ridiculous."

The broadcast asked:

"Why are the United Nations delegates assigned to an armistice mission constantly forced to divert their attention to the question of armed personnel in the conference area?"

The broadcast traced the history within the neutral zone and answered its own question:

"It is now quite obvious that Kaesong was picked (by the Communists as a negotiating site) in order to intimidate the UNC (United Nations Command) delegates by a show of force.

"That failing, the conferences could be stalemated with a series of side issues blocking the main discussions."

There was no suggestion from any quarter that progress had been made toward settling the main issue.

Both sides were depicted as still holding out for their original demands on where to create a buffer zone. The U.N. wants it along the battle line; the Reds along the 38th Parallel. Most of the front is north of 38.

It was authoritatively reported that Vice Adm. C. Turner Joy, chief U.N. delegate, received no new instructions from U.N. Commander Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway during a flying visit to Tokyo. Joy returned to Munsan Tuesday.

Reponsible quarters said the U.N. position remained unchanged.

A release from U.N. command advance headquarters pictured the Reds as "obdurate in their politically tainted demands" and "inscrutable in presenting them." It said the Communists were "immune" to the "military logic" of the Allied command.

Two-day Rain Total of 1.24 Here, More at Fluvanna, Pyron

Scurry County got more rain last night from the long - awaited cool front. The official total for rain during the past two days now stands at 1.24 inches, although widely varying amounts have been reported from various sections of the county.

Rain during the 24-hour period ending at 7:30 this morning, totaled .59 of an inch in Snyder, Mrs. D. P. Strayhorn, official weather observer, said. Rain during the 24-hour period ending at 7:30 yesterday morning was .65 of an inch.

FLUVANNA, PYRON

Heaviest of last night's rain was reported near Pyron and Fluvanna. Pyron had about three inches of rain with hail which was said to have caused considerable damage. Fluvanna received three and one-half inches of rain falling slowly during the night. The creek west of Fluvanna was running some water this morning. Reports reaching O. M. Fowler, county agent, indicated rain southwest of Fluvanna Monday night and Tuesday varied from two to three inches.

Hermleigh, which received only a light shower Monday night, got about an inch and a quarter last night. Dunn reported another half inch, about the same amount which fell Monday night.

Gail, where rain was heavy Monday night, received about .6 of an inch last night. Most of the farmers and ranchers in that area reported much heavier rain than was received in most of Scurry County Monday night, some as much as four and one-half inches. Others reported from two and one-half to three inches Monday night. Last night's fall was up to .75 in some sections near Gail.

Total precipitation for the year in Snyder now stands at 7.15 inches, including moisture from snows early this year. This figure is far below the 16.99 received by the end of August last year, and also below the yearly average of almost 15 inches for the first eight months of the year. Monday night's rain was the first measureable amount which had fallen in Snyder in more than a month.

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Considerable cloudiness Thursday with scattered thundershowers east of Pecos Valley. Warmer in Panhandle and South Plains Thursday.

EAST TEXAS: Considerable cloudiness with scattered thundershowers tonight and Thursday. Squally weather in extreme south portion.

Equalization Board Hears 40 Requests for Tax Adjustments

About 40 persons, mostly owners of residences located on commercial streets, attended the public hearing held by the city tax equalization board last night.

Heard first by the board were H. W. Cargile and George E. Frazier, vice presidents and cashiers of the West Texas State Bank and the Snyder National Bank respectively.

ADJUST TAX

The board agreed to an adjustment in the banks' assessed properties. Under the old set up the banks had been assessed on their capital stock, surpluses, and undivided profits.

The board agreed to exempting the surpluses from the bank assessments—but left the other taxable valuations as they were, to be assessed at 60 per cent of the fair market value.

Snyder National Bank agreed to an assessment of $84,600 for this year.

West Texas State Bank agreed to an assessment of $68,660.

Following the bankers in the hearings were four persons who own residences on Avenue S located in a section where the board had set blanket commercial land valuations. The residents were: Miss Desie McFarland and Miss Clare McFarland, Mrs. Inez Brown and J. E. Pierce. The four live on Avenue S between Seventeenth Street and Twentieth Street.

The board this year lowered land valuations on that section of Avenue S from last year's $100 per front foot valuation to $75 per front foot, but the group appearing before the equalization board stated the valuation was still too high.

The board took no action on the group's request, but later last night indicated that some adjustment was due residential owners who live on streets now largely occupied by businesses.

Garland Armstrong appeared in behalf of Roswell Rigsby, owner of the Travelers Inn, a tourist court on the East Highway.

Armstrong said that the board had set "arbitrary" values on commercial properties located along the main traffic arteries leading into Snyder. He stated the opinion that this means of setting values amounted to zoning the town. He added that the city does not have a charter with provisions for zoning and that this means of arriving at land values may, therefore, be illegal.

Armstrong claimed specifically that the $75 per front foot land valuation set by the board was not equitable because the same valuation was placed on the property on which the Pal-O-Mar Cortel is located about two blocks west of Rigsby's property.

The equalization board's position was that the actual land values are about equal, but that the improvements were different and were assessed differently.

No action was taken either on Armstrong's request for an adjustment in the land valuation settings or on his later request for another hearing. Armstrong asked that he be permitted to bring tax experts before the board in the subsequent hearing.

D. N. Denson stated that the board was about to tax him out of business, and added that one business on his property located on the East Highway had failed.

The board made no adjustment on the Denson property.

After Denson a succession of residential property owners appeared before the board, all of whom live on streets valued by the board on a commercial basis.

About 25 persons were in this category.

Although the board took no action last night on the residential property owners requests it promised to study the matter and call a later meeting at which time such property owners would be heard again.

"We believe that property used as a home by its owner should not be taxed the same as a piece of property used as a business even if they are located on the same streets," members of the board said.

Snyder Lawyer Ordered To Duty in Japan; His Family Will Live Here

Lieut. G. C. Whitworth, formerly of the law firm of Brice and Whitworth, who was recalled to service last fall, has been ordered to duty in Japan according to Clyde Godwin, 3790 Avenue V.

Lieut. Whitworth and family were week end guest of the Godwins. The lieutenant has been stationed at Fort Bliss, El Paso. During his overseas tour of duty, his wife and daughters will reside at 3794 Avenue V here.

CASUALTY LIST

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22 (AP)—The Defense Department today identified 99 additional casualties of the Korean War. A new casualty list (No. 382) reported 13 killed, 74 wounded, 3 injured and 9 missing in action.

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Revenuers Describe Filth Of Texas Bootleg Whisky Stills

PALESTINE, Aug. 22 (AP)—Bootleg corn whisky from East Texas stills is no better than it used to be. And that's not very good.

Take the word of Clifford M. McMaster and Boyd Uzzell. They are veteran investigators for the Treasury Department's alcohol tax unit.

While in Palestine "on business," McMaster and Boyd Uzzell said East Texas bootleg corn whisky:

1. Is made in old oil drums, or other similar containers.

2. Is often full of impurities, ranging from manure (put there deliberately) to rats, accidentally drowned.

Texas doesn't rate high in the matter of stills seized. In Georgia last year, revenuers knocked over 31,926 stills. In Texas, it was only 81. But most of them were in East Texas.

DEAD RATS

"If the public knew the whole story about bootleg whisky, there would be less business for the bootleggers," said Uzzell.

Stills in East Texas, they said, are almost always located in the woods, or in barns or corn cribs.

"People ought to see them."

"Sometimes it makes us downright sick to taste the mash in a barrel that has a dead rat floating in it. But we have to taste the stuff to find out when it's going to be ready to cook. So, since we have to taste it, we taste it, rat or not."

The agents are expert tasters. They know from experience the flavor of freshly-mixed corn mash and that which is ready to distill. They know how soon operators of a still will show up to run out their batch of illicit whisky.

INFERIOR STILLS

Stills in East Texas are of a poor type, the agents say. They are usually out in the open, where all manner of bugs and vermin fall in and die. Sometimes they are hidden in barns. There rats and mice frequently drown in the brew.

"One barrel of mash had a dead 'possum in it," one agent recalled. "I hated to taste that one."

Bootleggers have a lot of tricks of their trade to hasten mash fermentation. The two men said many throw manure into the mash to start the brew working. Others, they said, use urine.

"We never find a clean still," said the revenuers.

Utility Connections Reflect City's Growth

Telephone connections in Snyder have more than doubled in the past 18 months, an item in the monthly Chamber of Commerce Newsletter, says.

"In January 1950 there were 1,468 telephones here compared to 3,372 on June 30, 1951, the Newsletter states.

For the first seven months of this year water connections were increased from 2,466 on Jan. 1, to 2,782 on August 1.

Light connections for the Texas Electric service area which includes connections outside the Snyder city limits as well as ones inside the limits were increased from 4,386 on Jan. 1, to 4,513 on Aug. 1.

Gas connection were increased from 2,550 on Jan. 1 to 2,730 on Aug. 1.

Closed Discussion In Civic Improvement Unit

COLORADO CITY, Aug. 22 — Colorado City's Civic Improvement League met last night for a discussion of current issues but took no definite action. The meeting was closed to non-members and reporters.

Mac Carnohan, temporary chairman of the steering committee, said two members were out of town. He also said the group talked about Leonard Henderson's eligibility to hold the jobs of city councilman and fire chief simultaneously. Carnohan gave no other specific reference to the business discussed.

Cotton

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said a weather bureau forecaster. "The heat wave is broken.

"The drouth is another thing. You just don't break a drouth in one or two days."

The southwestern and southern drylands in the South Plains had good rains Tuesday. The section had been missed by earlier rains, and the moisture was welcome.

Rains amounted to as much as two inches. They were the first good falls in Dawson and Lynn Counties in more than a month.

"They probably saved thousands of acres of cotton which were on the verge of drying up," the Lubbock Avalanche Journal said.

HARLINGEN ON EDGE

Rough seas off Port Isabel (at the southeastern tip of Texas); a one foot rise in tide at Corpus Christi, and heavy swells and a tight undertow at Galveston were effects Tuesday night of the hurricane on the Middle and Lower Texas Coast.

Small craft were warned to port and for the most part hugged shelter. Edgy residents of the Harlingen area boarded up houses. Lumber yards at Harlingen reported an unusual demand for boards.

Navy hurricane hunter planes shuttled into the storm from Corpus Christi and Miami.

Thundershowers played in the Dallas and Fort Worth areas and near Mineral Wells, Lubbock, Wink and El Paso.

Snyder Soldier Lands

SEATTLE, Aug. 22 (AP) — Cpl. Ross C. Martin, route No. 2, Snyder, is among the 63 Texans aboard the transport Gen. Simon B. Buckner due to dock in Seattle today. A total of 1,214 men from combat divisions in Korea are aboard the transport being sent home on rotation.

Sen. Douglas Is Popular With Voters Who Know His Record

By GEORGE GALLUP
Director, American Institute of Public Opinion

PRINCETON, N.J., Aug. 21 — Paul Douglas, the battling Democratic Senator from Illinois, is often mentioned as a presidential second choice by Democrats if Mr. Truman should decline to run, and even as a possible contender for the Democratic nomination against the President himself.

A survey to find out what the nation's voters think of Senator Douglas has just been completed by the Institute and it shows the following:

1. —His chief handicap as a possible candidate is that comparatively few voters know who he is at the present time. Approximately half of all the persons questioned in the survey say they don't know about him.

2 —However, Senator Douglas stands high in the esteem of those voters who are familiar with his record. Among persons with an opinion about the Senator, the vote is favorable toward him by the overwhelming ratio of 6-to-1.

3. —Moreover—and this is of vital interest politically —Republicans who know him have just as high an opinion of him as Democrats have. His appeal, in short, is of a bi-partisan nature.

Each person in the survey was asked:

"Do you have an opinion about Sen. Paul Douglas of Illinois?"

A total of 11 per cent said they had formed an opinion about the Illinois Senator, who is serving his first term in the Senate, while 43 per cent said they had not yet formed any opinion and 46 per cent said they do not know him.

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HIGH FAVORABLE RATIO

The 11 per cent who said they had formed an opinion were asked:

"What is your opinion of Senator Douglas?"

Unfavorable	1½
Favorable	9½
	11

Republicans, Democrats and Independents all look favorably upon Senator Douglas by heavy margins.

The comments on Senator Douglas's career included such statements as these:

"He's made a name for himself as a progressive senator."

"He's a very brainy man, one of the best in the Democratic party. A good man for president."

"He's a high class man with good judgment."

"He's slightly radical, but he stands on his own two feet."

"He's an excellent man but he's committing political suicide by opposing the Truman administration"

Senator Douglas was for many years a professor of economics at the University of Chicago.

In the second World War he enlisted as a private in the Marine Corps and rose to the rank of major. He was wounded on Okinawa and was awarded a bronze star for heroism.

In the Senate he has been an individualist, sometimes supporting the Administration, sometimes opposing it. He achieved national publicity recently when he opposed two of President Truman's appointees to the Federal bench in Illinois.

Senator Douglas has said that he is not a candidate for President, and last week asked that his name be withheld from the Democratic primary in Oregon. However, liberal forces in the Democratic party regard him as an excellent possibility for the presidency.

Horse Loses Race With Car

GLADEWATER, Aug. 22. (AP)—A Cadillac redeemed itself late Tuesday.

The car beat Pete McGrede, a quarter horse owned by Ernest McGrede of Longview in the final race of the fourth annual East Texas Quarter Horse Association shows and races.

The car's time on the 220-yard run from a standing start was 11.4 seconds. The horse's time was 11.6 seconds.

In a similar race Monday the horse beat the Cadillac by one second.

Talley Man, owned by Dave Talley of Tyler, won the Gold Trophy for the most points in the show. He was judged the grand champion stallion.

Jessie James, owned by B. D. Fussell of Eagle Lake was judged first in the senior cutting class. He was grand champion at the Kansas City horse show this year.

The top race horse was Chico, a 16-year-old horse owned by Charlie Wampler, Jr., of Longview. His time for 220 yards was 12.85 seconds.

Labor Day Will Be Observed as Holiday

Labor Day is the next holiday which will be observed by Snyder businesses.

That day, Sept. 3, was one of the days which the merchants committee of the chamber voted to observe as a holiday.

Only three holidays remain on this year's calendar.

They are: Labor Day; Thanksgiving, Nov. 22; and Christmas.

The Chamber of Commerce requests that all merchants cooperate in observing these holidays.

Franco on Vacation

SAN SEBASTIAN, Spain, Aug. 22. (AP)—Francisco Franco, chief of the Spanish state, left today aboard his yacht for Coruna for a three weeks stay at the resort.

Chamber of Commerce Starts Newsletter To Keep Members Informed

Volume No. 1 and issue No. 1 of a new monthly Scurry County Chamber of Commerce newsletter has just been published and mailed to members of the chamber.

"We will endeavor to keep the membership informed as to the activities of the Chamber of Commerce through this publication," the Newsletter says.

Items that members desire published in the Newsletter should be submitted to the chamber before the twentieth day of the month.

Assault Charge Filed By Woman Following Fight at Night Club

A charge of aggravated assault was filed in county court this morning against a 30-year-old Snyder woman following a fight which deputy sheriffs said began shortly after midnight at a night club here and ended in Ira.

The complainant, 21-year-old Jessie Pearl Watson of Big Spring, alleges she was stabbed on the leg above the knee in the fight. She is employed as a bookkeeper in Big Spring.

O. O. Dever, deputy sheriff, said he was called to quell the disturbance at the night club, which involved several persons.

Following the fracas at the night club, the Big Spring group asked for a police escort. Dever followed their car toward Ira, where it was believed that the Snyder woman and a friend intended to continue the disturbance. Both Dever and the Big Spring group stopped at Ira and the Snyder woman and a friend appeared shortly afterward. However, the presence of the officer prevented further violence.

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TALK OF THE TOWN

By FRANCES BROOKS

Mail orders for "Guys & Dolls," the Broadway hit, are now being accepted by the Star Fair of Texas, P. O. Box 7755, Dallas. Eight matinee performances during the fair, Oct. 6 through Oct. 21, will be shown Thursdays, Saturdays, and Sundays in that period of time ... As you've probably read, the stars who will perform in the sensational musical, are Allan Jones, Jan Clayton, Pamela Britton, Julie Oshins, and Maxie Rosenbloom.

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The State of Washington is sending out literature about their ripening Bartlett pears ... They suggest, among multiple tasty sounding recipes, that you use food coloring to achieve a blush - pink color in the pears, cinnimon flavor them, and use them as a different meat accompaniment or a delightful base for a salad.

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Taking "home economics' in college is outmoded now, explain to your favorite coed. That time-honored department at the Texas State College for Women, Denton, has now become the College of Houshold Arts and Sciences, moving into a well - equipped building. Dr. Pauline Beery Mack, new dean of the would-be homemakers, is a consultant for McCall's magazine, among other national achievements. Her belief is that the girl's big residential school should be able to answer the increasing cry for women in household arts and science ... "With "worlds of private financial sources," the girls down there plan extensive research, also ... They may come up with a better cherry pie.

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Speaking of pies, upon cleaning out a drawer in my desk, a warm weather icebox pie recipe popped up. Mrs. LESTER P. SCHRAUB of the Texas - New Mexico Pipeline Co., is the author:

Ingredients:
1 small can evaporated milk
2 eggs
1-3 cup fresh lemon juice
1 tablespoon grated lemon peel
½ cup sugar
graham cracker crumbs

1. Pour milk into ice cube tray and chill until crystals start to form.
2. Separate eggs. Mix yolks with sugar, lemon juice, and grated peel.
3. Beat egg whites stiff, then lightly mix in yolk mixture.
4. Turn chilled milk into bowl, beat stiff, and carefully fold into egg mixture.
5. Pour into ice cube tray lined with graham cracker crust.
6. Swirl top, decorate with lemon peel twists, and freeze. Serves 6 to 8.

Graham cracker crust will use approximately 1½ cup crumbs, mixed with ¼ cup melted butter and ¼ cup evaporated milk. Mix until all crumbs are wet, then press on bottom and sides of ice cube tray with spoon. Do not bake but put in icebox until ready to put filling in.

This is an ideal party dessert, as it should be prepared the day before in order to be completely frozen.

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Mrs. OSCAR FARRAR, route No. 3 last week attended a gift reception given their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hines in Conaway. Mrs. Hines, a recent bride, is the former Miss HONTAS FARRAR, a graduate of Snyder high school. Mr. Hines is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Witt Hines of Conaway.

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The J. D. SCOTTS entertained Sunday night with a barbecued chicken supper. Attending were Dr. and Mrs. Hamilton Ford and daughter, Laura Ford, from Galveston; Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McLaughlin, Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Cockrell, Susan Cockrell, Chuck Cockrell, Barbara Cockrell, and Joan Cockrell, and eight collie puppies about three weeks old, making ten dogs in all, counting the mom and pop dog.

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It would seem to be vacation-time at Humble Oil Camp... District Civil Engineer G. B. RANDOLPH and Mrs. Randolph are away on their annual vacation; The W. N. REESES are away, too, visiting in Houston. Mr. Reese is in the clerical department at Humble: Just home from a Mississippi tour are Mr. and Mrs. JIM CHERRY, who took leave from the engineering department; and the ABE PHILLIPS left for a Gulf Coast vacation this week.

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The JOE M. McLAUGHLIN'S, Magnolia Production Co., Lamesa highway, are in for a surprise when they return after two week's vacation, which they are spending in parts of Oklahoma. During his absence, Mr. McLaughlin, who has been here only a short while as production foreman for the oil firm, was promoted to assistant district superintendent. This will mean a Sept. 1 move to Brownfield for the family. They have one son, JOE McLAUGHLIN, Jr.

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For clubwomen who are spending hot afternoons poring over yearbook plans for the busy study club season ahead, here's a tip. The University of Texas Division of Extension offers its package loan library for just such purposes. This service includes programs from the fields of literature, foreign affairs, economics and labor problems, art and music, biography, education, psychology and sociology, and history and government. A note to this department will bring full information on the loan of program material.

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EVENTS OF WEEK

WEDNESDAY

Wedding Band Class barbecued chicken supper, 7:30 p.m., Fellowship Hall, Methodist Church.

THURSDAY

Couples Sunday School class, First Baptist Church, picnic, 6 p.m., meet at church.

Homemakers Sunday School Class, First Baptist Church, picnic with Mrs. Lyle Alexander, seven miles north on the Clairemont Highway, at 7:30 p.m.

Newcomers Bridge Club, 1:30 p.m. with Mrs. J. E. Bucy, Lion Oil Camp.

SATURDAY

Saturday Night Bridge Club, 8 p.m., with Mr. and Mrs. Armor McFarland, 2234 Sunset Avenue.

Guests in Home Of Mrs. A. D. Erwin

Mrs. A. D. Erwin, 2801 Avenue W, has as her guests this week her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Todar of Waco, Tex. Other guests that visited with Mrs. Erwin Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Monte Bowron of Lubbock and Mrs. Boyd Griffith and Mrs. Bud Moorehead of Abernathy, Tex.

Two College Women Visit Miss Garner

Miss Winnie Garner had as weekend guests Miss Bobby Bilderbach and Miss Mariwyn Wren, both from the Texas State College for Women, Denton.

Miss Bilderbach will teach in the schools here this fall. Miss Wren has just returned from a trip through the East, attending a two week's Baptist encampment in North Carolina.

Special Training For Recruits Being Tried At National Guard Camp

CAMP POLK, La., Aug. 22. (AP) — Texas' 36th National Guard Division began a training program Tuesday that might help solve a problem of summer field training.

The program is aimed at helping recruits "catch up" with training, by putting them in a special training battalion apart from more experienced men.

Top combat officers, including Capt. Audie Murphy, have been assigned to instructional posts. Murphy became the nation's most decorated soldier before he returned to the States from the war to become a film star.

Another instructor of the special battalion is Lt. Col. M. B. Etheredge, Jr., former state representative from Huntsville and holder of three Silver Stars for gallantry in action.

The recruits include all types of man from youngsters barely out of high school to practicing attorneys and business men.

VFW Auxiliary Holds Supper at Club Site

The VFW auxiliary held a box supper Monday night on the clubhouse lawn.

About fifteen couples attended.

Several unusual boxes were auctioned off. One box was covered to represent the flag, and another was on the patriotic theme, covered with small flags. Another was with a variety of flowers which covered the fried chicken dinner.

PERSONALS

Miss Marianne Randals and Miss Rosie Erwin, 2801 Avenue W, left Tuesday for a few days visit with Miss Mary Margaret Webb in Seagraves, Tex.

Bob Herd, 3411 Avenue T, who has been in the Colorado City Hospital since last Thursday, came home Tuesday and is reported much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rose, Post highway, are the parents of a daughter born in Snyder Hospital Monday night.

ASK MILDRED

Send your questions to "Ask Mildred", Snyder Daily News, or to County Home Demonstration Agent, Courthouse.

Dear Mildred: Please tell me where I can get a calorie chart. Mrs. O.S.

One calorie chart is available in the County Health Nurse's Office, titled Nutrition and Dental Health, Texas Dept. of Public Health. There is also a good book which may be borrowed from the University of Texas, Extension library, titled, Diet and Personality by Bogert, 1947.

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Where can I find a jar lifter for canning? Mrs. F. O.

I could not locate one in Snyder. They can be ordered from mail order houses. There is an extra lifter in my office in the courthouse that you are welcome to borrow until you can get one of your own.

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We are going to build a new home and one thing that is giving trouble is the decision of whether to have a garage or car port. Which is better in this climate? M.D.

Two important factors are to be considered - geographical location and the type of house that is being built. Here, where temperature dips low in the winter it might be well to have a garage. However if your home will be of a very modern design, the car port is more fitting with the design. If I were you I would look at pictures of various homes and study the problem thoroughly.

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Would you give me the method for attaching waist to skirt. Mine never looks just right. J.A.B.

Study the construction guide with pattern for method of particular garment. With patterns of simple design, no unusual features at waistline, use plain seam methods. (1) Place right sides together, blouse inside skirt, seamlines together, (2) Match and pin at side seams, center front, center back and any other markings, adjust just as pattern indicates. (3) stitch from side opening around waist (first baisting if necessary). (4) Turn waist seam allowance down on skirt, top stitch on or near seam line on skirt side.

Tea at Country Club In Honor of Janelle Darby

Miss Janelle Darby, who Friday night will become the bride of R. L. Beasley in a ceremony to be performed in the Church of Christ, was honored Monday at a bridal tea given at the Country Club.

Hostesses for the party were Mrs. LeRoy Spires, Jr., Mrs. W. E. Holcomb, Mrs. John Keller, and Mrs. J. D. Scott. Assisting them in serving guests were Miss Dean Shepherd. Mrs. Junior Corbell, Miss Hope Thompson, and Miss Islasu Balkely. Mrs. G. D. Darby presided at the [illegible] and Miss Charlene Stewart was in charge of the guest book.

The hostesses had planned a color scheme of pink and white, the service table covered with a white satin cloth, pink satin ribbons trimming it. A centerpiece of pink asters and daisies formed double hearts.

Individual cakes were served with decorative punch floating with orange blossoms. Pink napkins were engraved with the bride's and bridegroom's names. Jan Johnston passed favors.

Others who assisted at the tea were Mrs. Frank Darby, Mrs. W. H. McGuire, Miss Nona Darby, Mrs. Ralph Johnston, Mrs. George Darby, and Mrs. G. L. Hastley.

Miss Nancy Teague sang three romantic selections, accompanied by Miss Marianne Randals, and Miss Connie Lobigbotham danced, Mrs. Jack Phillips played the accompaniment.

Mrs. Earl Louder of Seagraves gave two musical readings, Miss Randals playing intermittent tea music throughout the reminder of the time.

The honoree wore a strapless ice green formal gown of ballerina length, the fitted bodice fashioned from taffeta with a skirt of net over taffeta. Her corsage was of pink rosebuds outlined with pink net.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Beard and son, Billy, 3605 Avenue U, have recently returned from a two weeks' vacation in Los Angeles with Mr. Beard's sister. Before returning they went to the Grand Canyon and Boulder Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Bentley Baize and sons, Von Roeder addition, spent Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Baize of Stamford, Tex. Jerry Ann Baize returned home with the family and spent the week end here.

Mrs. Guy Stoker, northwest of town, has as her guest this week, Mrs. Janice Long of Rosebud, Tex. She plans to be there two weeks. Mrs. Stoker and Mrs. Long were roommates at Mary Hardin-Baylor and have continued their friendship throughout the years.

F. J. Chapman Jr. is visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Chapman, Arah, route. He is in the air force, stationed in Houston.

Mrs. R. C. Bryant and son, Jimmy, 2511 Avenue C, and Mrs. W K. Teague and children, 2008 Avenue L, attended the Collier reunion in Sweetwater Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bramley and daughter, Jackie, Lone Star camp, went to Sweetwater Monday night for a picnic supper.

Jerry and Bobby Beard, 3605 Avenue U, visited two weeks in the home of Mrs. Will Young of Bowie, Tex.

Judy Griffin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Griffin, 3607 Avenue U, is in the Colorado City Hospital with a throat infection.

Mrs. R. J. Russell, Jr., of College Station, Tex., is visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. Dan Barton, 406 East Twenty - ninth Street, and plans to be in Snyder for another week.

Mrs. B. M. Stone, 2008 Avenue R, Mrs. T. T. Withers, 2010 Avenue R, and Mrs. W. S Cumble, 2606 Avenue K, spent Saturday afternoon in Sweetwater shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Lewis of the Humble Camp were in Crane, Tex., Saturday. Mr. Lewis attended the Hilltop Masonic meeting there Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hardee and children, Jo and Dicky, 1406 Thirtieth Street, and Jerry Lynn Hardee of Ira, have just returned from a week's vacation in New Mexico, Mexico, and Colorado.

Mrs. W. M. Robertson of Lorenzo, Tex., is spending this week in the home of Mrs. G. L. Autry, 1903 Avenue M.

Mrs. R. C. Miller, 2608 Avenue U, and Mrs. B. L. McKinley, 3304 Avenue U, are visiting with Mrs. Melvin Stoker in Abilene this week.

Mrs. J. B. Coleman, 2801 Avenue W, returned Sunday after visiting last week with her daughter in Waco, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brewer of the Magnolia Petroleum Co., Lamesa highway, expect to move from Snyder Sept. 1, Mr. Brewer having been transferred to the Midland area. Production foreman here for more than a year, Mr. Brewer will hold the same position in the Midland area.

Picnic for Junior Chamber and Wives

Junior Chamber of Commerce members and their wives held a barbecue Monday night in Dermott Park, with 50 persons attending.

A committee of three, headed by Jack Ready, steered the party, with a business meeting following the picnic.

Court Battle On Maid's Tax Is Shaping Up

MARSHALL, Aug. 22. (AP)—The Marshall wives who abhor deducting taxes from the pay of domestic servants have started a fight to get back money seized from them recently by the Internal Revenue Department.

Twelve women filed a claim Tuesday for a tax refund, covering the unpaid taxes, penalties and interest seized from their bank accounts by federal tax agents.

If the refund is refused, the women said, a suit will be filed against the government.

Former Rep. Martin Dies of Lufkin, retained by the women as an attorney, said he would take the case to the Supreme Court if necessary.

The women contend an amendment to the social security law requiring wives to withhold servant's social security taxes is unconstitutional.

The claim for the refund was mailed to the Dallas office of the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

Gen. Eisenhower Back From German Vacation

PARIS, Aug. 22. (AP)—Gen. Eisenhower and his wife returned today from a vacation in Germany and immediately went about moving into their new villa.

The 14-room two-story house has been completely refurnished by the Ffench government for the commander of the Allied Forces in Europe.

MAN FURIOUS, DISCOVERS OIL

CORSICANA, Aug. 22. (AP)—John Bryant got angry because he struck oil in his back yard Monday. He wanted water.

He was trying to dig a water well when oil showed at 35 feet. Three to four barrels daily output was believed possible.

"I can't handle this oil," said the retired laborer who lives in a three room house here. "It's a dangerous thing."

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Dr. and Mrs. William M. Smith, formerly of 402 Twenty - ninth Street, have moved to their new home in Highland Park. Their address is 2249 Sunset Avenue.

The Smiths have recently returned from a visit in Austin with their son, Bud Smith, who is enrolled in Texas University. They also visited with their daughter, Mrs. Jane Roche, of San Antonio.

Before returning home, they went to Abilene to the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Faustgen for a short visit.

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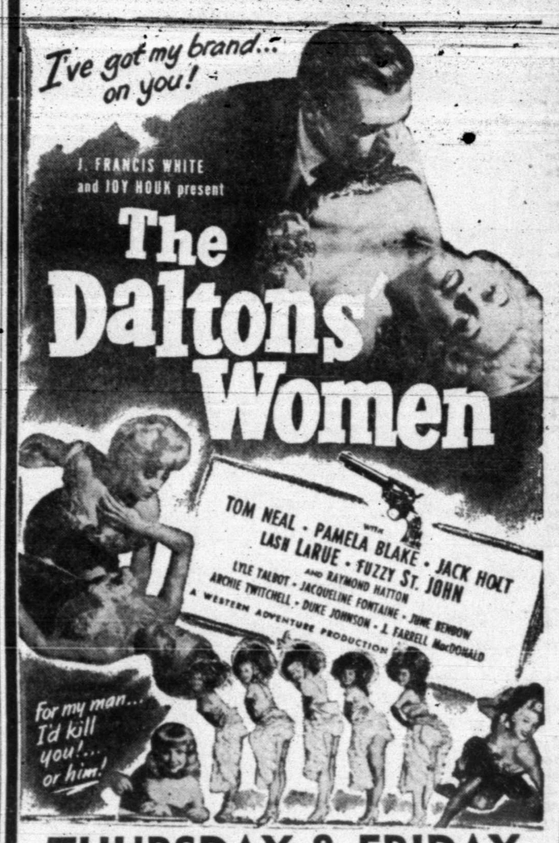

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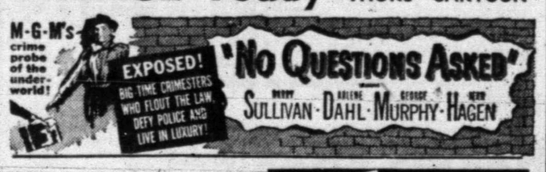

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22. Catalogued
23. Mathematics: abbr.
24. Tremble
26. Rubber tree
27. American politician
28. German city
31. Plugged
32. Samoan seaport
33. Require
36. Economizing
38. Put forth
39. Yield
40. Draft animal
41. Heavenly body
42. Danish money
44. Probabilities
45. Church dignitary
46. Light brown
47. Fix permanently
48. City in Iowa
49. Olden times: poet.

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1. Monkey
2. Sundry
3. Church official
4. Social division
5. Type character meaning "and"
6. Shirt
7. Purpose
8. Humble
9. Be
10. Corner
11. Place
19. Ember
20. Kind of fish
21. Australian bird
22. Scene
25. Hurry
27. Breathe quickly
28. Green translucent mineral
29. Neither animal nor vegetable
30. Droop
31. Pet
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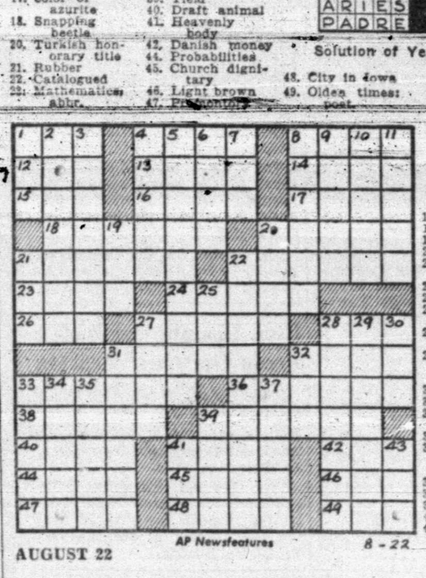

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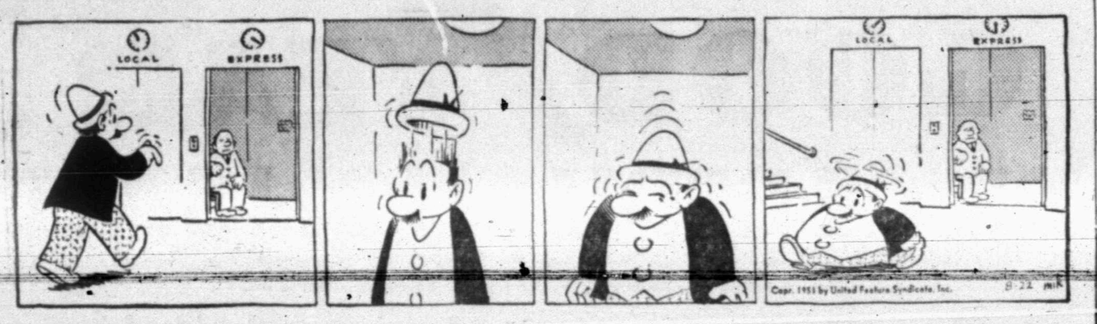

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Bob Feller Majors' First 20-Game Winner With 6-0 Shutout

BY RALPH RODEN
AP Sports Writer

Bobby Feller has reached the second of three goals set before the start of the 1951 season.

The 32-year-old righthander of the Cleveland Indians set 20 victories, a World Series triumph and a no-hitter as his prime targets for the season. He got his no-hitter against Detroit on July 1.

Feller realized his second ambition Tuesday night as he became the major's first 20-game winner, and the way the Indians are traveling these days he stands a good chance of attaining the other.

GETS 20TH WITH SHUTOUT

The no-hit master pitched the Indians to a 6-0 triumph over the Washington Senators and preserved Cleveland's one-game edge over the runner-up New York Yankees. The Yanks hammered the Detroit Tigers, 11-4, while the St. Louis Browns upset the third-place Boston Red Sox, 6-4, and the Chicago White Sox defeated the Philadelphia Athletics, 13-5, in other American League games.

Meanwhile, in the National League, the New York Giants stretched their winning streak to 10 games, beating the Cincinnati Reds, 7-4. The Philadelphia Phils nipped the Chicago Cubs, 3-2, in 12 innings in completing a suspended game of July 22 and then downed the Cubs, 4-1, in the regular scheduled night game. The Boston Braves clipped the Pittsburgh Pirates, 34-1. Rain washed out a game between St. Louis and Brooklyn in the third inning.

ALLOWS SIX HITS

Feller allowed only six singles and was in command throughout. It was Feller's first 20-victory season since 1947 and his sixth in 13 seasons — a feat matched by only five other American League pitchers, Cy Young, Walt Johnson, Lefty Grove, Wes Ferrell and Eddie Plank.

The Giants poled three home runs in the eighth inning and scored six runs to beat the Reds. Homers by Ed Stanky and Whitey Lockman tied the score at 4-4. Wes Westrum followed with a three run blast off Frank Smith to win the game.

SPORTS MIRROR

(By The Associated Press)

Today a year ago — The New York Yankees defeated the Detroit Tigers, 13-6, to cut the Tigers' American League lead to 2½ games.

Five years ago — The St. Louis Cards swept a doubleheader from the Philadelphia Phils to move into a first-place tie with the Brooklyn Dodgers in the National League.

Ten years ago — The teams of Frank Parker and Don McNeill, and Wayne Sabin and Gardnar Mulloy won their quarter-final matches in the National Doubles Tennis championships at Brookline, Mass.

Twenty years ago — Twenty Grand won the Travers Stakes at Saratoga, N. Y.

Maxim's Title Put On Line

NEW YORK, Aug. 22. (AP)—Confident Bob Murphy predicts he will knock out light heavyweight king Joe Maxim and become the new champion about 8:30 CST tonight.

"I'm going to knock him out within seven rounds. And with a left hook to the body," said the husky, hard-hitting San Diego redhead as he awaited the 8 p.m. starting gong for the 15-round title scrap in Madison Square Garden. The bout will be broadcast by CBS.

The bettors lean strongly to Murphy. By fight time, the California southpaw may be favored by 2 to 1 or more.

Baseball STANDINGS

By The Associated Press

AMERICAN LEAGUE

TEAM	W.	L.	PCT.	GB.
Cleveland	76	43	.639	
New York	75	44	.630	1
Boston	70	47	.598	5
Chicago	65	53	.551	10½
Detroit	56	62	.475	19½
Washington	47	70	.402	28
Philadelphia	46	74	.383	30½
St. Louis	37	79	.319	37½

NATIONAL LEAGUE

TEAM	W.	L.	PCT.	GB.
Brooklyn	74	41	.643	
New York	69	51	.474	7½
St. Louis	56	58	.500	17½
Philadelphia	59	69	.496	17
Boston	55	59	.482	18½
Cincinnati	53	64	.452	22
Chicago	51	65	.440	23½
Pittsburgh	49	70	.412	27

BIG STATE LEAGUE

TEAM	W.	L.	PCT.	GB.
Gainesville	77	54	.588	
Temple	77	47	.575	1½
Sherman-Denison	71	61	.538	6½
Austin	69	663	.521	8½
Waco	66	66	.500	11½
Texarkana	65	68	.489	13
Wichita Falls	60	75	.448	19
Tyler	45	87	.341	32½

TEXAS LEAGUE

TEAM	W.	L.	PCT.	GB.
Houston	89	52	.631	
San Antonio	76	65	.539	13
Beaumont	74	66	.529	14½
Dallas	74	68	.529	14½
Fort Worth	71	69	.507	17½
Oklahoma City	63	77	.450	25½
Tulsa	61	80	.433	28
Shreveport	54	87	.383	35

GULF COAST LEAGUE

TEAM	W.	L.	PCT.	GB.
Corpus Christi	86	54	.614	
Harlingen	79	60	.568	6½
Brownsville	60	65	.519	13½
Laredo	66	72	.478	19
Lake Charles	63	74	.460	21½
Galveston	62	77	.446	23½
Port Arthur	62	77	.446	23½

WEST TEXAS-NEW MEXICO

TEAM	W.	L.	PCT.	GB.
Abilene	79	43	.648	
Lamesa	70	52	.574	9
Lubbock	69	54	.561	10½
Albuquerque	67	53	.558	11
Pampa	57	63	.475	21
Amarillo	54	67	.446	24½
Borger	45	75	.375	33
Clovis	44	78	.361	35

LONGHORN LEAGUE

TEAM	W.	L.	PCT.	GB.
San Angelo	81	40	.669	
Big Spring	72	50	.590	11
Odessa	70	53	.569	12
Roswell	69	53	.566	12½
Vernon	59	62	.488	21
Midland	55	66	.455	26
Artesia	41	82	.333	41
Sweetwater	40	81	.331	41

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Selection Of Available Men For Commissioner Down To 3

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.. (AP)—Baseball's new commissioner, who may be named at the major league meeting in Chicago Sept. 20, likely will be either Ford Frick, Warren Giles or Gov. Frank Lausche of Ohio, but the field still is open to a darkhorse.

The club owners narrowed the field of candidates down to these three men Tuesday, the Associated Press learned today. The owners also voted that the executive council call a meeting for Sept. 20 to elect a czar, with increased powers and a larger salary than any of his predecessors.

It was learned on strong authority that two of the five in mind were Douglas MacArthur and Milton Eisenhower, president of Penn State.

Eisenhower and MacArthur could still be considered last-minute candidates if either decides to throw his hat into the ring.

Frick is President of the National League. Giles heads the Cincinnati Reds.

Among those eliminated were Gen. Dwight Eisenhower, Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg, commander of the Air Forces; Gen. Clifton B. Cates, commandant of the Marine Corps; Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, assistant chief of staff. All are believed to have declared themselves unavailable.

A club owner said he would make a strong plea to review the candidacy of James Farley, former postmaster general, at the meeting next month. Farley, along with George Trautman, head of the minor league; and others, were eliminated in the club owners' meeting of Aug. 7.

New Names In Women's Golf

ST. PAUL, Aug. 22. (AP)—A hopeful group of 32 women — survivors in the first round of match play Tuesday — moved into the most brutal phase of the Women's International Amateur Golf Tournament today.

For 24 of the group it meant elimination.

If Tuesday's play gave any hint of what may happen, some well known names were due for oblivion as far as this year's meet is concerned.

What might be an omen of the future came with elimination of Grace Lenczyk, Newington, Conn., the 1948 title winner, by Floria Fecht, Los Angeles, 6-5.

In the first match of the day, Carol Diringer of Tiffin, Ohio, comedalist with Barbara Romack of Sacramento, Calif., meets Dorothy Kielty of Long Beach, Calif., long considered a power in women's golf circles, and 1949 runner-up in the event.

Grace DeMoss of Corvallis, Ore., meets Marjorie Lindsay, Decatur, Ill., publisher's daughter, and 1951 Western Amateur champion.

Maureen Orcutt, Haworth, N.J., and 1927 runnerup and another stalwart of the feminine golf world, meets Mrs. Beatrice Altmeyer, who established the single-round qualifying mark of 74 in 1939.

Helen Sigel, Philadelphia restaurant operator and finalist in 1941 and 1949, tangles with Patricia O'Sullivan of Orange, Conn., in another match, while Dorthy Kirby, another two-time finalist, meets Mary Lena Faulk, Thomasville, Fa., in still another.

Mae Murray, who was defeated in last year's event by Beverly Hanson of Pasadena, Calif., plays Mrs. Herman Berg of Minneapolis, stepmother of the noted Patty Berg, former champion and now a professional. Miss Romack, the comedalist, meets Betty Dodd, San Antonio.

Overtime In Texas League

(By The Associated Press)

Texas League clubs are playing extra inning games so regularly the players should ask for overtime.

Tuisa needed 11 innings to shade Beaumont, 2-1. Fort Worth had to go 10 innings to nip San Antonio by the same score.

The Fort Worth victory moved the Cats within three games of Beaumont and Dallas Eagles in fourth place. The Eagles were shut out by Houston, 4-0.

Oklahoma City edged Shreveport, 8-7.

Playoffs For Junior Netters

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 22. (AP)—Semi-finals of the junior boys singles of the Southwest Texas Tennis Tournament today find three of the tourney's top seeded players in playoff spots.

Top-seeded Sammy Giammalva of Houston and second-seeded Allan Graham of Houston meet in one game. Fourth-seeded Courtney Henderson of Dallas plays Carrol Pickett of Victoria in the other match.

Allie Reynolds, who now pitches for the New York Yankees, was a track and football star at Oklahoma A&M.

HAPPY OVER SCORE

Barbara Romack, 18-year-old mite from Sacramento, Calif., smiles happily from atop a ladder as she points to the par 74 that made her co-medalist in the qualifying round of the national women's amateur golf tournament at St. Paul, Minn.

Labor Leader Attacks Bill

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 22. (AP)—President William Green of the American Federation of Labor said Tuesday changes in the new Defense Production Act "make a mockery of price control."

Green, in a speech before the 66th annual convention of the Ohio State Federation of Labor, said "the record of the congressional coalition (of Republicans and States-Righters) in relaxing controls at this critical time constitutes . . . a scandalous indictment."

He added the law, "intended to protect the nation's consumers, contains built-in inflation."

"Just as serious as the threat of a direct attack against us by Soviet Russia, is the danger of collapse of our national economy. If inflation gets entirely out of hand, such a collapse might follow. The Communists are counting on it," said Green.

The AFL president said those hardest hit by inflation are industrial and white-collar workers and people with fixed incomes such as pensions.

"Those facts are known to every schoolboy," he said. "Yet Congress deliberately ignored them when it adopted the new Defense Production Act."

Green urged election of a new liberal majority to Congress next year to deal with the problem.

Tennis Match Finished Today

BROOKLINE, Mass., Aug. 22. (AP)—The twice-postponed all-Australian men's title match could be decided today to wind up the National Doubles Tennis Tournament's program.

It will bring together Davis Cup aces Frank Sedgman and Ken McGregor against Mervyn Rose and Don Candy. Sedgman and McGregor already have won the Australian, French and Wimbledon doubles titles this year. They have defeated Rose and Candy in each of their three previous matches.

Doris Hart of Coral Gables, Fla., and Shirley Fry of Akron, Ohio, became the women's champions by defeating Mrs. Pat Todd of La Jolla, Calif., and Nancy Chaffee of Venura, Calif., 6-4, 6-2.

Sid Adelsein of New York, and Bernard Clinton of Dallas, stripped Wilmber Allison of Austin, Texas, and J. Gil Hall of New York, of their veterans' doubles crowns, 2-6, 6-3, 6-3.

Athlete Is Killed In Wichita Falls Crash

WICHITA FALLS, Aug. 22. (AP)—Billy Jack Christopher, 20, of Wichita Falls, was killed Tuesday when struck by a truck in the business district here.

He was a former Wichita Falls High School football player and a track man at Midwestern University here.

Guard Taken Out Of Oil Bowl Line Up

WICHITA FALLS, Aug. 22. (AP)—The Texas team in the Oil Bowl football game here Friday night will be minus guard Eddie Scheig of Pampa.

Scheig returned home Tuesday after an injury sidelined him indefinitely.

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Ten Persons Killed In Yugoslav Train Crash

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, Aug. 22. (AP)—Ten persons were killed and 30 others injured last night in the crash of a speeding Belgrade passenger train which jumped the tracks en route to the Hungarian border.

The Belgrade newspaper Borba said the engine and five cars left the tracks.

Cool Weather Covers Most Of Nation; Fires Raging On West Coast

(By The Associated Press)

Cool and generally fair weather covered much of the nation today.

The pleasant weather covered the Northern and Central Plains eastward to the Great Lakes region, and was moving southward into the Ohio Valley and eastward into the Northeastern States.

The cooler atmosphere pushed as far south as Northern Texas, ending the prolonged heat wave there at least for the present.

Scattered thundershowers were reported today in Northern Texas and eastward into Louisiana and Mississippi. There also were scattered showers in the Southern Rockies and Eastern New England.

Meanwhile, as a big hurricane hovered over the Gulf of Mexico, big waves beat against the shore as far up as the Texas Gulf Coast as Galveston. In the lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas, cotton growers feared gale winds in the hurrican's outer fringe.

Fires continued to sear the huge timber stands of the West Coast, where many areas began their 101st day without rain.

Barber Shop Quartet Contest in Plainview

PLAINVIEW, Aug. 22 —Invitations have been sent to all barber shop quartets in this area to participate in a quartet contest to be held in conjunction with the Hale County Fair Sept. 14. Plainview's own quartet, Four Sharps and a Natural, has been named host for the contest.

The Fair, first to be held in Hale County for 30 years, is to be at the fair grounds in Plainview. Entries in the contest are asked to register by Sept. 1 by writing E. J. Brock at 629½ Broadway in Plainview.

Farm Bureau Officers Discuss Administration 'Family Farm' Program

Ross Williams and Mel Andress, president and secretary respectively of the Scurry County Farm Bureau, attended a district meeting of the organization at Big Spring yesterday.

Only presidents and secretaries of local units attended, according to Andress.

The question of the national family farm policy program came up for discussion, but no definite action was taken, said Andress. A definite stand on this administration farm program is slated to be taken at the state meeting of the Farm Bureau at Heuston in November, he said.

THOSE BRITISH

LAKELAND, Fla., Aug. 22. (AP)—Lakeland is doubly unhappy over Princess Elizabeth's reply to its invitation to visit here.

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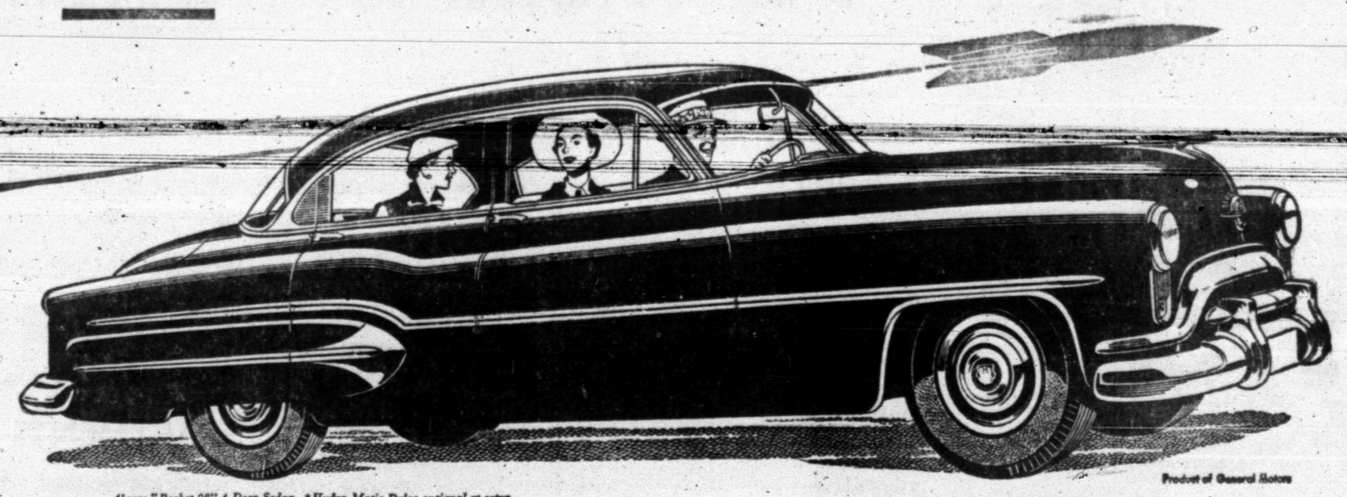

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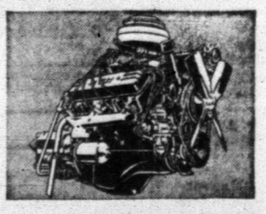

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SEE YOUR NEAREST OLDSMOBILE DEALER
R. B. SEARS MOTOR COMPANY
312 East Highway Phone 34

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Roe's Home & Auto Supply
SELLING THROUGH SERVICE
3-4 Ton Philco Refrigerated Air Conditioner $300 00
2½ Cu. Ft. New Refrigerator $139.50
20 Per Cent and up Trade-In Allowance on Front and Rear Farm Tires
$6.00 Allowance for your old Battery on a new Hot Point Battery
2207 Ave. S Phone 99

ALPHABET BUSINESS SERVICE

Who Sells What & Where Is He?

ADVERTISING—OUTDOOR

—See Quality Sign Co. 512 East Highway for your outdoor advertising. Phone 1442

AIR CONDITIONING

—Expert Service on any Air Conditioning job. Certified Lennox Dealer Snyder Heating Co. Phone 745 2007 26th St. Free estimates.

—King and Brown, 1914 25th Street, offer the best in Frigidaire air conditioning. Phone 18.

—For Philco air conditioning see Roe Home and Auto Supply. Phone 99.

AMBULANCE SERVICE

—Bolger - Barnes Funeral Home offer fast, dependable ambulance service. Phone 84.

AUTO-BODY REPAIRING

—Bickerstaff Motor Co. offer complete service for any make car. Phone 1100.

AUTOMOBILE DEALERS

—Hewitts Used Cars, 2108 Avenue S, have just the car you have been looking for. Phone 892.

—Rollins Used Cars, just below 66 Cafe, have many new and used cars to choose from.

—Ezell Motor Co. See their new used car lot. Call 966 for fast wrecker service.

BUILDERS HARDWARE & MATERIAL

—We have a complete line of lumber and building supplies. Wholesale and retail. Walter Hales Lumber and Supply. Phone 1237.

—Kenner Lumber Co. East Highway, can furnish your every building need. Phone 973.

—From foundation to paint Forrest Builders Supply Co. sells everything you need. Phone 82.

BATTERIES

—For best power performance for auto and farm, look to Reliable Batteries, Bill Ragsdale Tire Co. Phone 333.

BUTANE

—Call Scurry Butane Co. 234 for prompt gas delivery. Sales & Service. Domestic & commercial. Appliances.

CAFE

—The Ranch House offers fine foods. American and Mexican dishes. East Highway.

CONCRETE PRODUCTS

—West Texas Concrete Products Inc. offer quality transit mixed concrete service. Phone 1940.

—E. L. Fikes can give you a good foundation, concrete work of any type, any size, any amount. Phone 404.

ELECTRIC SERVICE

—MOTORS: rewound - repaired - Quick dependable service on any size. Hill Electric Co. Phone 918.

FLOWERS

—Fresh flowers for all occasions. We telegraph flowers anywhere. Bells Flower Shop. Phone 350.

FOOD LOCKERS

—Jones Locker Plant, 2003 25th Street, will cut, wrap, and quick freeze meat for your home locker.

FURNITURE

—Harrow Furniture Co. 2300 25th Street, features Lee's Carpets and Ranch Oak furniture.

—You can save money at Carmichael Furniture Co. 904 26th Street. See the Norge range and refrigerator.

GROCERS

—The B & B Food Market will grant you credit. Out of the high rent district. 2112 Avenue S.

—The D & H Super Market have unexcelled quality food. Come by the friendly store. 1400 25th Street.

—The Whiteway Food Market offer free delivery, 3 blocks south of hospital. Phone 1943.

HARDWARE

—Come to Phillips Bros. Hardware, 2612 Avenue S, for anything in the hardware and Sporting goods line.

INSURANCE

—Hugh Boren & Son are dependable and experienced. Insurance - Real Estate-Loans-Oil. Phone 196.

—If its insurance, leave it to COX. W. Willis Cox Jr., Agency Snyder Drug Bldg. Phone 1319.

—The Delfebach Agency can service any type of Insurance for you. Come in for advice. Phone 719.

—(Tony) Holcomb Insurance Agency, Phone 284, anticipate your insurance needs. Friendly service.

JUNK

—We will buy anything of metal. Scrap iron, dismantled machinery. Snyder Iron & Metal, Old Post road, Phone 1797.

A ANNOUNCEMENTS

A-4 LOST AND FOUND

Lost small Brown dog on Clairmont Road. Last seen at Buffalo Cafe. Reward. Mrs. Hubert Guthrie.

Stray yearling Heifer on my place. Identify at J. N. Richardson's Hermleigh Route 1.

A5 PERSONAL

ALCOHOLIC ANONYMOUS
Regular Meeting Each Tuesday.
If you have an alcoholic problem,
call 9688.
Club at 1919 - 25th Street.

Alcoholics Anonymous; For problem drinkers who want to help themselves Queries strictly confidential. Phone 9697 24 hours day. 1111 - 31st Street.

B AUTOMOBILES

B-2 TRUCKS FOR SALE

Jeep for sale in good, first - class condition. 600 feet ½ inch pipe. 3-½ miles west of Ira. W. R. Sterling, Jr.

B-3 TRAILERS

House trailer for sale. Bath and refrigerator. All in good condition. Phone 800. L. D. Cates.

For sale or trade: 1948 model, 24-foot house trailer. $1,450. or trade for late model car. Will finance $967. Bob McKinney. Snyder Bowling Alley.

27-foot 1948 M System house trailer. Electric refrigerator. Extra clean. Will sell or take trade - in for house trailer, auto, pick-up or most anything. Contact Gordon's Drive-In.

Two nice trailers for rent, in private yard. Phone 1769-J. 1504 Avenue S.

For Sale: A 4 x 8 tandom utility trailer. See Mr. French Mechanic for Musselwhite.

BEST TRAILER BUYS IN TOWN
We Buy, Sell or Trade
TERMS
Refrigerators, Stoves, Toilets, Air Conditioners, Overloads, Hitches, Brake Controls.
SNYDER TRAILER SALES
East of Y on Hwy. 84

B-5 AUTO SERVICE

WALTER MORGAN'S
GARAGE
24th Street and Avenue S
One block north of Snyder
National Bank

B-11 Auto Radiators

SNYDER
RADIATOR
SERVICE
RADIATORS
New Cleaned — Rebuilt Repaired
FRANK D. STEPHENSON
"The Radiator Man"
1105 Ave. T — Phone 392

C BUSINESS OPP.

Cleaning and pressing shop for Sale. Big Springs, Texas. See owner at 116 Main Street. Reason for selling: other business in mind. An old established business. Phone 420.

FOR LEASE
Car Lot with store room, office and bath rooms, and car wash rask, lot 75x150 foot. Call 9571.
C. C. YEAGER
Yeager Court, Post Road

D BUSINESS SERVICES

D-2 BUILDING SPECIALISTS

THOMPSON'S CABINET SHOP
All Types Cabinet Work.
806 - 23rd Street
Phone 289-W

Builder of Better Homes
Remodeling a Specialty
Cabinet Work
Phone 1070-R
WALTER ALTEVOGT,
Contractor

D-4 ELEC. SERVICE

Motor Rewinding and Repairing
Magneto Sales and Repairing
Automotive - Starter - Generator Repairing
HILL ELECTRIC COMPANY
2806 25th Street — Phone 918

D-7 FURN. UPHOLSTER

Snyder Drapery Shop has the largest selection of Drapery and upholstery fabrics. Modern and period custom made furniture. 2201 - 25th Street. Phone 1783.

Upholstering: All types fabric and plastic work. Free pick-up and delivery. Howard's Trim Shop, Clairemont Road. Phone 9682.

D-10 HAULING-DELIVERY

Furniture moving, local and long distance. Mayflower Service. Mcalister Transfer & Storage. Phone 1761.

D11 PAINTING-PAPER

Commercial and House Painting
Interior Decorating
12 years in Snyder
W. C. WYATT
2301 Avenue O
Phone 1203-J

D-14 PROFESSIONAL

Pipe Line Construction
* Ditching Machine
* Air Compressor
* Welding Service
* Winch Truck Service
* Road Boring
* Line Stripping and Testing
CONTINENTAL CONSTRUCTION CO.
Big Spring Highway
East of Gordon's Drive-In
Phone 1973

D-15 RADIO SERVICE

CITY RADIO SERVICE
Radio and Speedometer Repair
All Work Guaranteed.
ONE DAY SERVICE
Phone 1331 for Free
Pick-up and Delivery.
1806 - 24th Street

D24 WELDING

For Sale: 3 Corrugated Stinless Steel Culverts, 2-32" Dia. - 13' long, 1-48" dia.- 12' long. May be used for water tanks. All at a bargain prices. 1102 West 3rd. Box258, Big Spring Texas.

E EMPLOYMENT

E1 HELP WANTED, MALE

Drivers wanted. Over 30 preferred. Night and day open. Apply in person. Yellow Cab Company. 699 or 700.

WANTED: 3 men with drivers license and ice experience. Otherwise don't apply. Southland Ice Co., 1512 - 26th Street. Turner, 980-M.

E2 HELP WANTED, FEMALE

Waitress wanted. Must have experience. Apply in person. The Ranch House, East Highway.

Stenographer-Typist wanted. Call 2389 for appointment.

Wanted: Colored maid for house work in a private home. Call Mrs. Pipkin, 1802-W.

Classified Display

FRONTIER MOTEL
1½ Mile on Colorado City Highway
Attractive rates by day or week
Phone 9516
Air Conditioned — Tile Baths

FOR SALE OR LEASE
DEL NORTE COURTS AND DRIVE-IN CAFE
Consider some trade. Apply at office of Court.
GOOD INCOME.
Lubbock Highway

CLASSIFIED RATES

One day	.04 per word
Two days	.07 per word
Three days	.09 per word
Four days	.11 per word
Each day following	.01 increase

15 word minimum rate

Space ads	.84 per inch per insertion

EARNED RATES

Three days	.75 per inch per insertion
Five days and above	.70 per inch per insertion

WORD AD DEADLINES

Weekdays	5 p. m.
For Sundays	12 Saturday

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E3 HELP WANTED, MISC.

Fountain boy or girl not in schoool. Good wages. Nice atmosphere. Call 1724 or apply in person. Gordon's Drive-In.

POSITION WANTED, Female E6

For experienced drafting log plotting, or commercial art. Done at home. Call Mrs.

H WOMAN'S COLUMN

H3 CHILD CARE

For experienced child care in your home call Mrs. Hughes, phone 792, 2100 Avenue G.

Care for children, by the day or week. Mrs. Wisener. Phone 623-J, 2511 Avenue X.

Care for your children, day and night. Mrs. J. C. Beavers, 501 - 25th Street. Phone 337-J.

H5 LAUNDRY SERVICE

WANTED. Washing and ironing. All work guaranteed, 2901 Avenue N. Gertrude Shinn

Ironing done in my home by piece or dozen. Mrs. Nix, 2508 Avenue N.

K MERCHANDISE

K1 BUILDING MATERIAL

Three good used triple windows. Size 24 x 38, with casings and screens, 2901 Avenue S (rear). Phone 453-J.

PAY CASH
And Save!

Asbestos Siding White and Gray....	7.95
2x4 and 2x6 8' through 20'	6.50
1x6 Sheathing dry pine	6.50
Composition Shingles, 210 lb., per square	6.95
1x4 Flooring Good Yellow Pine	10.50
Oak Flooring Premium Grade	12.50
2x4, 6 feet, Each	.20
15 lb. Asphalt Felt 400 ft. Roll	3.25

Veazey Cash
Lumber Co.
1 Mile West On Lamesa Highway
Phone 1573

K4 HOUSEHOLD GOODS

GOREE USED FURNITURE: Buy, Sell, Trade. Extra bargains in refrigerators. Refrigerator service. 501 East Highway. Phone 1994.

Stop! See Snyder Drapery Shop for good values in completely reconditioned used furniture and new custom pieces. 2201 25th Street. Phone 1783.

See us for Reupholstering and Custom Made Furniture. Howard's Trim Shop, Clairemont Road. Phone 9682.

Bargains In
REFRIGERATORS
Priced from $10.00 to $40.00
Also refrigeration service
GOREE'S USED FURNITURE
501 East Highway — Phone 1994

Latest model Electrolux vacuum cleaners and appliances. Phone 1431 for free demonstration.

See Town and Country's Economy Store for used furniture and appliance values. Lamesa Highway.

K11 MISCELLANEOUS

For Sale: Equity in National cash register. See Clyde Reynolds, 1619 - 25th Street. Phone 9539.

PLENTY OF
Water Well Pipe
ALL SIZES
Snyder Pipe & Supply
Post Highway
Phone 1373

SINGER: Sewing Machine Repair - Motors-Lights-New Parts. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 159 Walnut Street, Colorado City, Texas.

LOOK! LOOK! LOOK-
If its pipe of all kinds you want
call
BOB EDWARDS
1098

K14 WANTED TO BUY

BUY, SELL OR TRADE
Furniture, Tools, Air Conditioners. Anything you have to offer. I have buyers for used furniture. Bring yours in.
THORNTON'S
TRADING POST
2100 Avenue S

Giles Swap Shop, 1804½ Avenue S. We buy used furniture. See us for bargains. Phone 1542.

L RENTALS

L1 BEDROOMS

BEDROOM
For one or two men
Twin beds,
air conditioner
Off street parking

Air conditioned rooms for men, in clean, quite, private cottages. 1104 -26th Street.

Room and board for men. 3109 Avenue S.

Reduced rates. Odessa Hotel. Air conditioned. Two in room, $6.00 each. 2401 Avenue U.

Need A Room?
Our new rates are inviting
Our place is close in, clean and quiet.
We rent to men only
H&B ROOMS
2305 26th Street

ANTLERS HOTEL
One block east of Post Office
Air Conditioned — Cool
Rates $6.00 up per week
Phone 9601

Room To Yourself
A New Deal
at $7.50 per week
The Best Hotel
2109 Ave. S
3 Blocks North of Square

L3 FURNISHED APARTMENTS

Furnished apartment for rent. Neat and clean. Air conditioned. All bills paid. $10.00 a week. 611 - 25th Street.

NESBITS MOTEL
Furnished cottage aparttments
Summer comfort, refrigerated air conditioning.
Tile bath, Frigidaire, garage
$3.00 per day.
Weekly and monthly rates.
Lamesa Highway — Phone 1778

APARTMENTS
Two room with private bath, plenty of hot water, tile floor, Servel gas refrigeration, good inerspring beds. Close to shopping center and we pay the bills. See these for $15.00 per week. 306 28th St.

Downtown Motel
Phone 937
2306 Ave. S
Apartments and Rooms
Air Conditioned
Weekly & Monthly Rates
Block and Half From Square

Two 2-room furnished apartments. $45.00 per month. 111 East 26th Street.

SUMMER RATES
Green Hill Apartments
Two rooms with private bath, clean.
~~Electric Refrigerators~~
Gas Apartment Ranges
Hollywood beds with innersprings
Couples $12.50 per week
Families 2 Children $15.00 per week.
1½ Miles North on Clairemont Road. — Phon 9668

Nicely furnished 3 room apartment. Frigidaire, air conditoner. 1-3 mile on Roby Highway, Sandhill Apartments.

SUMMER RATES
Two room apartments with bath and new apartment ranges now $15.00 per week
YEAGER COURTS
Post Highway

For The Very Finest
APARTMENTS
Air Conditioners
Phones Available
2 Bedrooms
Furnished or unfurnished
Laundry Facilities
Garages
Paved Streets
See
THE WAYMAR APARTMENTS
20th and Coleman
Adjacent to Parkway Addition
PHONE 1827

For rent: Furnished apartment. Two large rooms. 1310-19th Street.

Two room furnished apartment. Third house north of the cemetery. Couple only. $60.00. Bills paid.

Canary Cottages
All Bills Paid
Kitchenetts—Unit Heating
Reasonable Rates
1111 26th St. Phone 9664
Clean and Quiet

L RENTALS

L3 FURNISHED APARTMENTS

MODERN ROOMS
LOCHABY MOTEL
Couple, $15.00 week. One man $12.00 week. Suite of rooms, two men, $20.00 week; Three men, $24.00 week; four men, $28.00 week. Trailer houses and small cottages.
ROY CHURCH
Lamesa Highway — Phone 9628

Furnished apartment. All utilities, now renting for $12.50 per week. Call 1705. Merril and Avenue V.

HARMON APPARTMENTS
Clean cool and air conditioned. Refrigeration $15.00 per week. Bills Paid.
West on Lamesa Highway to Rainbow Market No. 2, north one block.

FURNISHED
APARTMENTS
For Rent
$12.50 per week
LEE COURTS
Lubbock Highway

For Rent: Newly furnished apartments. Investigate The Rainbow Courts reasonable rates. East of Y on Sweetwater Highway.

L4 UNFURN. APARTMENTS

Three 3-room unfurnished apartments. Now vacant. Three blocks of school on Avenue L. $40.00 per month. Phone 205.

Three room unfurnished apartment across from school. 1505 - 28th Street.

EFFICIENCY APARTMENTS
Unfurnished with Private Bath
$65.00 per month.
Near school.
4 Blocks Court House
Bills Paid.
1500 - 27th Street — Phone 1971-W

Two unfurnished apartments. Three rooms and private bath. $65.00 per month. Located 2806 Avenue X. Phone 967 or 140-W.

Unfurnished apartment for rent. W. R. Bell. Phone 1571-W.

L-5 FURNISHED HOUSES

Nicely furnished two room house with bath. 601 East 20th Street. Phone 229-J.

Three rooms and bath furnished house. 1911 18th Street. Phone 611-J.

Small house, nicely furnished on school, mail route. Children welcome. Plenty of room for them to play. $12.00 per week. All bills paid. R. H. Bonner, 4 miles east on Roby Highway.

Two room furnished house for rent. Back of Rainbow Market No. 2 Ballinger Apartments.

For Rent: Five room nicely furnished brick house. Vacant September 1 or before. 2002 - 28th Street. Key with Mrs. Carlisle, next door. Call E. M. Deakins, Crawford Hotel, Quanah, Texas.

Small 4 room furnished house. Nice quiet location. Clean, very modern. Lots of closet space. You will have to see inside to appreciate it. Apply 611-27th Street.

For rent: Four room furnished house. 1905 West 23rd St. Call C. C. Yeager. Phone 9571.

HOUSES
Furnished & Unfurnished
BILLS PAID
Avenue O and N
Phone 1056 W

New furnished houses, private bath, electric refrigerator. 3 miles on Lubbock highway. Willinghams.

L6 UNFURNISHED HOUSES

For Rent: Nice 3 room and bath unfurnished house. Modern. Call 1924-W.

For Rent: 2 room and bath unfurnished house. Adults only. 2105 Avenue O.

L9 TRAILER SPACE

TRAILER SPACE
Good Place to Park
Clean Restrooms
Adults, $4.50 Week
801 27th Street

L10 TRAILER FOR RENT

Trailers for rent from $10.00 to $12.50 per week. 1704-17th Street. Call 953-W.

House trailer for rent. Frigidaire, modern. Couple only or 1 small child. 1704 - 17th Street.

M REAL ESTATE

M2 HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE
Three bedroom house
2906 Avenue T
Phone 1465-M

REAL ESTATE M

HOUSES FOR SALE M2

For sale: Five room modern house. 1406 - 21st Street. Terms. Call 1375-J.

For Sale or Lease: Beautiful new ranch type house on more than one acre of terraced land. Southeast part of town just off 37th Street near new elementary school. Central heating and air conditioning. All the water you could want from a deep private well. Three bedrooms, two baths, huge living-dining room, kitchen completely equipped and a closed porch with a run-around. It is a bargain that must be sold or leased by September 1. Call 1359.

Four room home. 605 - 32nd Street. $5,750.00 Fully carpeted. Hotpoint Electric kitchen Lawn. Extra Lot if desired. Must sell. F. W. Bernson. Phone 120 or 1974-J.

For Sale—Equity in 5-room house close to school and bus line. all Mrs. Fred Caudle. Phone 10-J.

2 Bedroom home near three schools. 1104 30th Street.

For sale in Hermleigh. House: 3 rooms and bath. Complete plumbing and bath fixtures. See Shorty Gladson.

SUBURBAN M4

Three choice residential lots, 505, 507 - 33rd Street. Real bargain. Call Frank Bernson, 1974-J, or 120.

ITALIAN WINDJAMMER

The Italian Navy's full-rigged sailing ship Amerigo Vespucci is circled by an Italian escort craft, below, as it reached the Hampton Roads area off the Virginia coast enroute to Annapolis, Md., for an official visit to the U. S. Naval Academy. The Italian ship is a training vessel.

War Danger Clouds Morality Of Youth, Educators Believe

(EDITORS NOTE: This is the second of a five-part series on the young people of America. Succeeding parts will discuss the use of narcotics, the experiences of police officers and criminologists, and their views on the causes for youthful behavior and misbehavior.)

By RELMAN MORIN

NEW YORK, Aug. 22. (AP)—The American teen-ager and young adult today is a very different person, in many ways, from his parents when they were his age.

He has grown to awareness in a different world.

For example, his future is eminently uncertain. The shadow of another great war is always on his horizon. Even without an actual war he may be drafted. He has been assured that the shores of the United States no longer are secure, that "next time" A-bombs can be expected on his own city.

That fear of the future is not the only factor in making him what he is. There are others — parents, a different moral tone, the examples of misconduct in high places and so on.

COMPOSITE PICTURE

As a result, the people who know him best today draw this composite picture of his main traits. They say —

1. He is impatient for money and quick success.

2. He feels that the world owes him something, that somebody, somewhere, ought to take care of him.

3. He is better informed about most things — including sex — than his parents were at a comparable age.

4. Consciously or otherwise, he is following a be-merry-for-tommorrow-we-may-die philosophy.

These are generalizations, of course, they do not apply wholly to every American boy or girl.

But over and over again, with astonishing unanimity, probation officers and college officials, psychiatrists and businessmen, teachers, policemen and clergymen, come up with the same answers.

One of the most prominent men in America in sports (he asked that his name be withheld) recruits high school athletes for his own college, a small school. He said:

"Formerly, the best inducement was to assure a boy of a chance to get started in his own field after he finished college. But that doesn't interest them today.

"They want cash on the line. Not tuition, or jobs later, or anything else. They want to know exactly how much right now."

Irving W. Halpern, a New York probation officer, has been studying youthful offenders for 41 years. He drew some comparison:

"Crimes of violence and ingenuity used to be committed by older men. Today, kids are in all kinds of crime. The age-scale is going down.

MORAL TONE LOWER

"The reason, as I see it, is a lowered moral tone generally. They're all out to make a quick buck, the quicker the better."

Margaret Spaulding, a department store executive, interviews and trains thousands of college graduates every year. She characterized them as "bright and interested, but terribly restless, impatient for promotion and money."

Army statistics indicate that the young men today are more intelligent than their predecessors in the 1940 draft. They tend to score well above "average" in the aptitude and ability tests. But most professional soldiers say:

"The hardest thing for an American kid to take is discipline. They just don't seem to have met any before."

A number of people noted the somebody - should - take - care - of me attitude. Max E. Hannum, assistant to the president of Franklin and Marshall College, said it is a major characteristic of young men.

SHIFT OF RELIANCE

A widely known psychiatrist, Dr. Robert P. Knight, of the Austin Riggs Foundation, at Stockbridge, Mass., explained it in these words:

"There has been a shift away from reliance on individual competence and individual strength toward the expectancy of being looked after — in this case by the federal government. It is repeating, in maturity and on a national scale, what happened in childhood at home."

None of the men and women who deal with youngsters blame them, alone.

They paint a disturbing picture of Young America, but they say the causes lie more in the world than with the young people.

Russia May Pay Off Debt

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22. (AP)—Russia has indicated it is willing to go higher than its last offer of $240 million in settlement of its lend-lease account with the United States.

The Soviet received $11 billion worth of United States goods during the war, but this government has been willing to settle for $800 million or less, on the basis that most of the total amount of goods had no peacetime value.

The State Department, after settlement talks were resumed Tuesday, said Moscow's negotiators had agreed to up their previous "final offer" but did not say how much. Talks will resume Friday.

The Russians refused, however, to return 670 small naval vessels they got from the United States during the war. They contend the United States welshed on an agreement to sell the ships, and that anyway only 498 of them are left. They did agree to return two icebreakers.

Barkley Reports Some Government Employees Have Been Dismissed

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22. (AP)—Vice President Barkley says the public "would be surprised if they knew the number of employes" dismissed from the government for Communist leanings or the suspicion of such leanings.

Speaking on NBC's television program "Meet the Press" Tuesday night, Barkley said all departments of the government have done a good job in weeding out disloyal persons.

He said "undoubtedly" there have been Communists on the federal payroll.

In recent testimony before a Senate appropriations subcommittee on his agency's request for funds, FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover said the bureau so far has checked the records of more than 43 million federal workers for loyalty.

Of that number, he testified, 304 were dismissed and 2,091 resigned while under investigation.

Six-Year-Old Breaks Bone For 34th Time

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Aug. 22. (AP)—Six-year-old Raymond Kline stretched as he sat watching television Tuesday night.

He put his foot on the floor again, and winced.

His leg was broken.

It was the youngster's 34th fracture. He has a rare bone disease that causes him to break bones turning over in his bed, walking or just raising his hand.

Ray's back at Washington County Hospital, where he has become a familiar patient.

Truman To Receive Gift From Filipinos

MANILA, Aug. 22. (AP)—President Elpidio Quirino will present President Truman with a large pearl from the Sulu Sea when they meet in Washington Aug. 30 to sign the Philippines-U. S. mutual defense pact.

The pearl was brought to Manila by a Moro delegation Tuesday night. They requested that Quirino present it to Mr. Truman as a gift from the Filipino people.

Three former New York Yankee managers — Harry Wolverton, Roger Peckinpaugh and Miller Huggins—were born in Ohio.

Old Navajo Country Contains U. S. Greatest Uranium Mines

PHOENIX, Ariz., Aug. 21. (AP) — A high, bald plateau in the Indian country of the southwest — lying astride the juncture of four states —holds the explosive seed of many atom bombs of the future.

The area, covering some 200 square miles in Arizona, Utah, Colorado and New Mexico, is impregnated with an estimated 80 per cent of the nation's known uranium deposits.

It is already producing about 90 per cent of the strategic mineral in the United States and may become the first major field to bolster our defense effort.

The district is known popularly as the Four Corners area and is almost completely within limits of the sprawling Navajo Indian reservation.

In the past it has been considered a colorful arid wasteland, cut by sharp defiles and treacherous canyons, many of them never explored by white men.

But today it holds the country's hopes for more and more of the dangerous stuff that has helped mold foreign policies and remake the world's alignment of power.

The four corners deposits are both a blessing and an enigma.

Charles H. Dunning, veteran Arizona mining figure and for seven years director of the Arizona department of mineral resources, says there is every indication the present mines operating in the area will be increased many fold.

He thinks the richness of the ore, at present all low grade, will rise steadily, although it will never reach the quality of pitchblende, source of uranium in Canada and the Belgian Congo.

"But how the uranium got there is a mystery," Dunnin said. "There is no universally accepted geological explanation of what made it occur."

The radio-active ore has been found mainly in sand stone, in what geologists call the Grand Canyon sedimentary series. The puzzler is whether the uranium was laid there as the sandstone was forming, was deposited later in some upheaval of the earth's crust, or came in through some fissure in the formation.

"We don't have the answers to these questions," Dunning said, "as we do when uranium occurs in an igneous (volcanic) formation."

With or without answers, however, production and discovery of new deposits is going forward slowly. There are already more than 25 mines sending ore to mills to Monticello, Utah, and Durango, Colo.

The richest find to date will soon be adding to the total. It is located in the Lukachukai mountains of northeastern Arizona. The property will be mined by F. A. Sitton, who is already producing uranium in his home area of Dove Creek, Colo.

Dunning estimates this new discovery will average seven to eight pounds of uranium oxide per ton, compared with four or five for all previous finds.

The Atomic Energy Commission discovered the Lukachukai ore by a new method vastly superior to the prospector's patient search for a visible outcropping of ore.

It sent teams into the field to locate favorable formations, then tested its calculations by drilling. The results were highly satisfactory, Dunning said.

The ore differs from that in most of the mines. It is a uranium copper phosphate. Much of that found in the area in the past has been carnotite (uranium vanadate) which occurs in petrified wood, and some autunite (uranium calcium phosphate).

The future of the Four Corners area is bright. There are no illusions it will ever have mines comparable to the major copper operations that have fathered so many communities of the west. But the time may not be distant when numerous small mines dot Navajo homeland.

It may prove a great boon to the poverty stricken tribesman. The Indians receive a 10 per cent royalty on the production of every mine.

ECA Names Another Information Director

PARIS, Aug. 22. (AP)—The Economic Cooperation Administration today announced it has named Waldemar A. Nielsen as information director in the ECA European headquarters.

Nielsen, who formerly worked in the U. S. Department of Commerce, succeeds Roscoe Drummond, who returns to his former job as chief of the Washington bureau of the Christian Science Monitor.

CONSCIENCE WORKS SLOW

BRISTOL, Eng., Aug. 22. (AP)—The person who found Arthur Coggin's wallet had a conscience. It was just sluggish.

The postman delivered the wallet to Coggins Monday. Still in it were the five one pound notes, it contained when Coggins lost it — on Aug. 20, 1937.

Big Gathering To Honor Peron

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina, Aug. 22. (AP) — Five million members of the government's master labor organization laid down their tools today in a nationwide "strike" to demand that President Juan D. Peron and his blonde wife, Eva, rule Argentina for the next six years.

Hundreds of thousands of workers representing every major city and hamlet began converging on the capital three days ago for a mammoth demonstration today, sponsored by the government-backed General Confederation of Labor (CET) the Peronista Party and Mrs. Peron's Women's Peronista Party.

The giant rally will be staged along the 44-foot wide Avenue Nueve de Julio (Ninth of July), which stretches for a mile through the center of the business district. Hundreds of loudspeakers have been put up and the government-controlled radio stations will broadcast the event throughout the nation.

Peron and his wife are scheduled to speak at the meeting after union leaders urge them to run for president and vice-president in the Nov. 11 elections.

Although the city took on a festive air, there was an undercurrent of tenseness as federal police declared that a plot was afoot to frighten people with reports that trouble may be expected during the demonstration. But opposition leaders said they had given orders to their followers to stay away from the demonstration and to avoid disorders of any kind.

Police are alert for any move on the part of the opposition to capitalize on the rally. Special guards have been placed on all trains bringing workers to Buenos Aires for the demonstration. Others have been stationed at important public

Food Brings End To Strike Of Prisoners

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 22. (AP) —Most of the striking convict labor force at the Oregon State Penitentiary was ready to go back to work this morning.

Some 400 prisoners in one cell block voted Tuesday night to end a week-old sit-down strike. Eight hundred more in other cell blocks will vote today. Deputy Warden Eugene Halley said, "I am sure the rest will follow suit."

The strike was called last Tuesday to protest a guard using a club to break up a fight between two prisoners.

All the men were fed Tuesday night for the first time since Thursday morning when Warden George Alexander stopped meals as a reprisal for the strike.

Party Tonight For Wedding Band Class

The Wedding Band Class at the First Methodist Church will give a barbecued chicken supper at 7:30 tonight at fellowship hall.

There will be a nursery in the church for all who wish to bring their children.

Bob White is the president of the class, and Mrs. Edward Bolger is the teacher.

World Steps Up Flow of Oil To Compensate for Iran Loss

By SAM DAWSON

NEW YORK, Aug. 22. (AP) —American oilmen say the loss of Iran's crude oil has already been licked by stepped up production here and in Venezuela and elsewhere in the Middle East. This has already been done—no matter how today's political crisis over Iranian oil may eventually turn out.

The problem of the loss of Abadan's refining facilities is on the way to being licked. Refining plants are being expanded in Europe and the United States that soon will make up for the loss of Abadan's 45,000 barrel-a-day flow. The big plant has been closed now for weeks.

Spot shortages will be a problem for a while, oilmen admit, but American companies have pooled their resources in oil, tankers, and refining facilities to meet these shortages.

First shortages have been: 1. In Iran, where the United States is being asked to replace the 16,000 tons of lubricants the now nationalized Anglo-Iranian Oil Co. used to furnish for Iran's train axles and airplane engines. 2. In aviation gasoline, with a British Overseas Airway cargo flight from London to Singapore being cancelled Tuesday. 3. In some African and Far Eastern ports, where bunker oil for ships is reported short.

But these problems can be licked —although what will be done about Iran's internal shortage of oil products is a political issue, not an oil industry headache.

In March, U. S. oil wells were producing 6,052,000 barrels of crude oil a day. The first of this month they were producing 6,231,250.

Texas is stepping up September production by 76,861 barrels a day to reach an all-time record of 3,059,367.

Gains in Middle East oil production are even more striking.

Saudi Arabia has increased her flow of oil to Britain by half in July alone. July's flow was 820,110 barrels a day, compared with 639,000 in March.

In Kuwait, production has gone up 77 per cent since March, with July production nearing 650,000 barrels a day. In Iraq, output will increase by 235,000 barrels a day early next year.

Venezuelan oil also has flowed in greater quantity to Europe since the Iran squabble started. July production sent a new record of 1,717,132 barrels a day, compared with 1,678,000 in March.

In Canada, where the oil industry is expanding rapidly, the March figure of 80,000 barrels a day is over-shadowed by a July average of around 170,000 barrels.

The bottleneck is in refinery capacity to handle the increased flow of oil from the ground. Progress is being made both here and abroad, although building refineries is no over-night proposition, and shortages of steel hamper the work.

Refining capacity, however, increases steadily in the United States, where expansion plans were laid well in advance of the Iranian crisis.

Air Factor In Maneuvers

FORT BRAGG, N. C., Aug. 22. (AP)—The simple shift of a pin on a big map today gave United States air supremacy in Exercise Southern Pines for the first time since the big Army-Air Force war games started last week.

The pin was shifted by umpires controlling the 100,000-man maneuver and took away elements of the Ninth Air Forces' 137th Fighter Bomber Wing, of Alexandria, La., and the 140th Fighter Bomber Wing, a former Air National Guard unit from Denver, Colo., and transferred them to United States Forces. Both the 137th, which flies the speedy F-84 jets and the 104th, equipped with conventional type F-51 Mustangs, are now based at Wilmington.

Thus, two United States Army divisions, the 28th and the 43rd, found the tide shifting in their favor after two days of reverses, that forced them to withdraw about 10 miles. The reverses which are still continuing today, enables the two former National Guard units to gain valuable training under realistic battle conditions and without the benefit of a dominating Air Force.

All signs were pointing to a major buildup for the counter-attack by the United States forces and the emphasis was on supply. The broad responsibility for moving the supplies up in time fell on the shoulders of a Korean veteran, Maj. Gen. Crump Garvin. Gen. Garvin is commanding general of the 301st Logistical Command, a former New York City reserve unit that was pulled back into active service last fall.

Stationed at Camp Rucker, Ala., the 301st is a new-type Army outfit that relieves high-ranking field commanders of many headaches of administration and supply.

Michigan State will field a jayvee football team this fall after a year's lapse.

TEXAS BRANDS

JT

By JOHN M. HENDRIX

The JT brand had its foundation laid in 1862 by John and Tom Sloan because it embodied the first letters in the first names of each. They were located on Clear Creek ten miles down the San Saba River from Fort McKavett. Tom kept the JT brand and John Sloan adopted another for his use later.

Between 1897 and 1906 Tom Sloan had more than 5,000 cattle on 36,000 acres. In the '80s Tom Sloan let his brother-in-law, Sam Henderson of Concho County, have a number of cows to run on the shares, and by the expiration of the contract had increased his herd to more than a thousand head. He made a similar contract with Judge W. P. Doty of McCulloch County.

In 1936 the JT brand was being used by the Sloan sisters of San Saba who continued it on a nice herd of Hereford cattle. The sisters are well and favorably known by the cattlemen of Southwestern Texas for the class of cattle they handle as well as their management of the ranch.

Justice Douglas Shrug Off Election Question

NEW DELHI, India, Aug. 22. (AP) Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas gave a noncommittal shrug Tuesday night over reports that friends back in Oregon want to enter his name for the Democratic presidential nomination.

"That is something to think of when I get home," he said.

The mountain climbing jurist, who has just finished a trek through Himalayan territory, leaves India for home Thursday.

Democrats Called Guilty Of Their Brand of 'McCarthyism'

BY DOROTHY THOMPSON

Character assassination, to which the President referred again in a recent speech, his words directed at Senator McCarthy, is an all-too-common feature of American life and public discussion. It is a habit of trying to win an argument by blackening the reputation of one's opponent, and it reduces debate to mudslinging.

"McCarthyism" may have reached such lengths that people fear to make any criticism of the social order lest they be tabbed Communist or fellow traveler. But there is nothing new about character assassination as a weapon in argument and neither this administration nor its predecessor has been guiltless of using it.

The New Deal accomplished some real reforms. But during its heyday, and until a war crisis demanded reconciliation with industrial leaders, it indulged in the most savage attacks on the personalities of its opponents. The phrase economic royalist was as loosely used against the so-called upper classes as the term Communist is used today against non-communist radicals.

For a long time, to be a conservative or rightiest was anonymous in the vocabulary of the left with being a fascist. This reached preposterous lengths. I recall being assailed as a fascist for advocating the revival of Latin or Greek as a requisite for an A.B. degree!

If, now, there is a swing to another form of witch hunting generally encompassed in condemnation of Leftist, the Leftists themselves have never been conspicuous for tolerance, decorum, or a scrupulous upholding of the right of free opinion. For over a decade Wall Street in the Liberal vocabulary was used with the same connotations given it today by the Communists, and every banker and industralist who failed to support the New Deal was pictured as an enemy of the people. Every trade-union leader was painted as a paragon of noble virtue, every industralist as a skunk, and to have an income in six figures (unless one contributed heavily to the Democratic party) laid one open to congressional investigation.

Even the Suprene court of the United States was not exempt. When they declared certain New Deal measures to be unconsitutional they were called senile. Who does not remember the nine old men?

The Communists, who today are attacking the Nefarious Smith Act, were happy to have it invoked against Trotskyists not so long ago, and eagerly denounced their dissidents under it.

During the war, and for two years thereafter, to raise any questions regarding the reliability of the U.S.S.R. as an ally was made almost tantamount to treason.

If on campuses today Leftist groups are ostracized, what was the atmosphere on the same campuses until four or five years ago? If teachers and students were not blindly swallowing the whole statist philosophy, they were Pariahs, and still, today, few teachers of political science dare asset that the state, par excellence an instrument of coercion, is the perennial enemy of society, is not identical with the people, and never has existed to serve the individual. Yet that is not only sound American doctrine; it is revolutionary doctrine, and the only doctrine which will ever promote a society of free men.

President Truman is as zealous as anyone else to achieve conformity by casting aspersions on the character and motives of his opponents. In short, left and right have created their own witches to fight and in the fighting few holds are barred.

And if public discussion has, in general, sunk to a low level, the party and groups who have been on top for nearly 20 years cannot exonerate themselves. They have contributed their share to the tone and temper of American society.

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Schleicher Test Fails

E. B. Fletcher of Dallas No. 1 Mary O'Harrow Robinson, wildcat in Central North Schleicher County, has been plugged and abandoned as failure on total depth of 6,050 feet in the Ellenburger.

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Senate Tax Writers Turn Down House's Personal Income Boost

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22. (AP)—The tax-writing Senate Finance Committee tentatively has decided on a personal income tax boost $412 million lower than that voted by the House.

The committee threw out the House revenue-boosting plan on individuals Tuesday and adopted a formula of its own which considerably lightens the increase in the upper income brackets.

This formula would raise personal income levies by an estimated $2,435,000,000 a year compared with $2,847,000,000 in the House measure.

The committee continues its closed-door reworking of the House bill today. It has yet to act on the $2,855,000,000 in corporation tax boosts voted by the House or the hikes in many excise taxes.

FIRST VOTE

The tentative vote was the first taken by the senators in their rewriting of the House-passed $7.2 billion measure.

It bore out advance predictions of committee members that the Senate would whittle down the House figure rather than increase it toward the $10 billion asked by President Truman to help balance the budget and hold down inflationary pressures.

The Finance Committee formula would put an added defense tax on that portion of incomes now left after the individual has paid his taxes.

Thus it would hit with progressively less impact in the higher brackets where the present levy consumes a large share of total income.

An unofficial computations indicated that some persons in the $3,000-to-$5,000 brackets would not benefit by the Senate plan.

An example given by Colin Stam, a staff expert, covered the case of a single man with $5,000 gross income. His surtax net income would be $3,900 after exemptions and deductions. His tax under present law would be $818.

To compute his extra defense tax, he would subtract the $818 from his surtax net income, leaving $3,082. On the first $2,000 of this, he would pay three per cent or $60. On the remaining $1,082, he would pay four per cent or $43.28. Thus his additional levy would be $103.28.

But under the House plan his tax would be $102.25, or $1.03 less.

The income tax hike is not expected to affect wage and salary withholding rates before Oct. 1.

War's Densest Barrage Covers South Koreans' Victory Push

U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, Korea, Aug. 22. (AP)—South Korean infantrymen, attacking behind the most concentrated sustained artillery barrage of the Korean War, captured a dominating hill in rugged Eastern Korea today.

From its crest the South Koreans "look down the throats" of Communists on other hills north of Yanggu, Associated Press Correspondent George A. McArthur reported.

South Koreans seized two other hills on the Eastern Front, recapturing one from counterattacking Reds. Communist forces clung to three other eastern ridges they had seized in fierce counterattacks Tuesday.

A briefing officer estimated Reds lost about 2,000 men in five days of fighting north and northwest of Yanggu.

EAST FRONT AFLAME

All heavy fighting was along the Eastern Front. Planes and warships joined United Nations artillery in supporting Republic of Korea (ROK) infantrymen.

The U. S. Cruiser Toledo and destroyer Wedderburn hit "16 large groups of Red soldiers" along the East Coast with 23,000 pounds of high explosives, the Navy reported.

Mustang fighter planes fire-bombed and strafed Red ridges. Most of the 450 sorties flown by Fifth Air Force pilots Tuesday through rain showers and under clouds concentrated on hitting intensified Red efforts to resupply their front lines.

Shooting Star jets and Thunderjets ripped rail lines in Western and Central Korea. B-26 bombers and Marine planes concentrated on highways, where 2,300 trucks were sighted.

HEAVY TRUCK TRAFFIC

It was another day of unusually heavy traffic. The Air Force described it as a "massive motor truck resupply effort."

From the East-Central Front, Correspondent McArthur reported massed Allied guns, supporting ROK infantrymen in a four and one-half day attack, fired 12,000 rounds of high explosives. Mortars and the high velocity guns of tanks added to the barrage.

"No unit ever had that much fire support," the division commander said. "The Reds couldn't evacuate. They couldn't resupply. They couldn't do anything.

The Communists had an estimated 1,000 men in the hill stronghold when the attack started.

BOLD ACT BY HORSE THIEVES

DALLAS, Aug. 22. (AP)—Mrs. H. J. Erback, who lives on the outskirts of Dallas, heard a noise and looked out the door.

She saw two men and two women carrying a bridle. Their car was parked in the driveway behind the house.

They told her their horse had run into her yard and they'd come to get it.

Satisfied, she went back inside.

A few minutes later she saw the people leaving with her own horse.

The four fled when she rushed from the house and wrested the reins from them.

FBI Will Investigate Delinquents in Draft

DALLAS, Aug. 22. (AP)—The FBI has been asked to investigate the cases of some Dallas men who have been called for military service but have not reported. A Dallas draft board official said yesterday more than 100 Dallas County men are delinquents.

Workers Are Killed

TEL AVIV, Israel, Aug. 22. (AP)—Five workers were killed today in a boiler explosion in an edible oils factory here.

Stock Prices Decline

NEW YORK, Aug. 22. (AP)—Prices had a lower tendency today at the opening of the stock market.

The decline went past the dollar mark in the case of one or two higher priced issues. Gains were small and scattered.

On the downside were Anaconda Copper, Bethlehem Steel, International Telephone, American Cyanamid, and U. S. Steel.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Jones, route No. 2, are the parents of a daughter born Monday night in Snyder Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Wilkinson, 1803 Thirtieth Street, are the parents of a son born Tuesday morning in Snyder Hospital.

Mrs. Eula Mae Pwomey, Snyder, was admitted to Snyder Hospital as a medical patient Monday night.

Joe W. Browning, Post highway, was admitted to Snyder Hospital as a medical patient Monday night.

JUST ME AND MY DOG

Earl Fready, 11-year-old cowboy, and his dog Mike hitchhiked from their home in Harlem, Montana, to Azusa, Calif. Earl, dressed in faded blue jeans and cowboy hat, with a junior sheriff's badge pinned to his shirt, told sheriff's deputies he lived on a ranch in the Big Hole Basin and just wanted to see some of the country before school started. He had been on the road five days and had 84 cents left out of $5.00.

Ranchers' Loss Is Set at $600,000

The drouth this year has cost Scurry County ranchers two million pounds of beef, according to Marion Everhart, work unit conservationist of the Upper Colorado Soil Conservation District.

Figured at the rate of 30 cents per pound on the hoof, this loss would amount to $600,000, Everhart said.

"These figures on beef losses are based on the reduced production of grass and the expected cut in livestock numbers, decreased calf crop next year, and lack of winter grasses," Everhart said.

"The drouth has gone so long that a large part of the rainfall is ineffective unless it falls very slowly, because of the high runoff," he said.

Everhart pointed out that the effect of the drouth will be felt for a year or two, even if present rains continue and really break the drouth. The grass is losing vigor and a good per cent will die unless sufficient rains come soon, he added.

"There are 356,489 acres in rangeland in Scurry County, which even in good years produces only 30 per cent on the average of what it would if known remedial measures were put into practice," the soil conservationist said. It would take 10 to 15 years for the rangeland to come into high production, he said.

Everhart continued:

"Chemical sprays look good to control mesquite and other types of brush. This will increase grass growth following the death of the brush. However, on land along creeks and other areas that are practically bare, it is a good practice to put out seed of good grasses to occupy this area before poor grasses or weeds come in."

Cotton Exports to Be Raised To Stabilize Declining Price

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22. (AP)—A delegation of Southern Congressmen reported they were assured by Secretary of Agriculture Brannan yesterday that the government will push the exports of cotton as a major means of stabilizing declining prices.

Senator Russell (D-Ga), spokesman for the group, said after an hour long conference with Brannan that the government expects exports from this year bumper crop to run between 3 million and [illegible] million bales.

This would be upwards of 2 million bales more than were shipped abroad last year under a rigid control program, set up after last year's small crop led to fears of a shortage.

Russell said exports of the size contemplated would reduce reserves to a level which should have a strengthening effect on prices.

GROWER DISSATISFACTION

The delegation called on Brannan to report widespread grower dissatisfaction with the cotton price situation and to appeal for stronger government price support measures.

Cotton has dropped nearly 12 cents a pound from a winter peak of 45 cents, largely under the influence of a crop of about 17,266,000 bales.

The lawmakers said they got no commitment from Brannan to raise the government price support for cotton or for government purchase of cotton for stockpiling purposes.

They said, however, that the Secretary told them the government is exploring the stockpiling suggestion. The lawmakers said they had no doubt about the legal authority of the munitions board to buy and store cotton for future military use.

OPPOSES INCREASED SUPPORT

Russell said Brannan was opposed to raising the price support for cotton because producers of other crops likely would come in and demand similar treatment. Cotton and most other major crops are being supported at 90 per cent of parity. Parity is a standard for measuring farm prices, declared by law to be equally fair to farmers and those who buy their products.

Russell said the Secretary told the group his department is working with the Export-Import Bank on the matter of extending early loans to foreign countries for purchase of cotton. He said an announcement along this line is expected soon.

The cotton supply for the current year is indicated at about 19 million bales. Domestic needs may run about 11 million bales. If exports totalled 6 million bales, the carry over, or reserve at the end of the marketing year [illegible] would be only about 2 million bales.

BRANNAN CONFIDENT

Normal reserves exceed 5 million bales.

Russell said also that Brannan felt confident that farmers would put enough cotton under price support loans averaging about 341.71 cents a pound to help stabilize prices and to make for "orderly marketing" of the crop.

Besides Russell, those attending the conference included Senators George (D-Ga), Maybank (D-SC), Ellender (D-La), McKellar (D-Tenn), and Rep. Brown (D-Ga).

Brannan's aides said they doubted the department had the legal authority to buy cotton with the aim of pushing prices above price-support levels, as the Congressmen want. They said that buying for stockpiling could probably be done only at the direction of the Munitions Board with that agency taking financial responsibility. The lawmakers have suggested responsibility be taken by the department-Commodity Credit Corporation.

No action by the Munitions Board is expected by department officials.

SMITHS GET GIRL

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 22. (AP)—An eight-pound, five-ounce daughter was born here to Mr. and Mrs. Julian Smith — the first girl born into the Smith family in 52 years.

Mrs. J. O. Smith, grandmother of the baby, Juliann, said the last girl born into the family was Mrs. Claud Edwards of Benton, Ark. Mrs. Edwards is a first cousin to the baby's father, an employe of an electrical firm here.

Girls Tourney Opens

[illegible] 22. (AP)—The Texas Amateur Athletic Federation girls softball championship tournament opens here Thursday.

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Crockett County Gets New Location, Failure

Terrell Petroleum Co. of Fort Worth has staked location for a 1,999-foot wildcat in North-Central Crockett County.

It is No. 1 J. F. Todd Estate, in the northwest quarter of section 39-WX-GC&SF survey.

Drillsite is five - eighths of a mile northeast of the C. S. Jones No. 1 University, shallow gas discovery completed from 1,079 to 1,180 feet. It is three and one-half miles south of the Todd Deep field.

In Northeast Crockett County, Gulf Oil Corp. is preparing to plug and abandon its No. 1 Ed Bean, dry wildcat at 8,045 feet.

Operator took a drillstem test from 7,995 to 8,045 feet. Tool was open two hours. Recovery was 617 feet of black drilling mud with a sulphur odor and 1,012 feet of salty sulphur water. The Ellenburger was topped at 7,945 feet.

Location was in section 67-OP-GC&SF, and four and one - half miles southeast of the shallow Vaughn field.

Midland Firm Stakes New Mexico Wildcat

Jackson, Douglas & Richie of Midland have spotted location for an 11,000-foot Pennsylvanian wildcat in Northwest Lea County, N. M.

It is the firm's No. 1 State and will be drilled eight miles northwest of the Bagley field in section 27-10s-32e.

It is to be drilled on a Vickers Petroleum Co. farmout.

Runnels Wildcat Set

Richard King, Jr. of Edinburg has spotted his No. 1 Sara J. Allcorn as a wildcat in Central-East Runnels County.

Location is in section 133, ET survey and three and one-half miles northwest of Talpa. Projected depth is 4,000 feet.

Drillsite is two and one - half miles west of the Odgen - Mabee pool.

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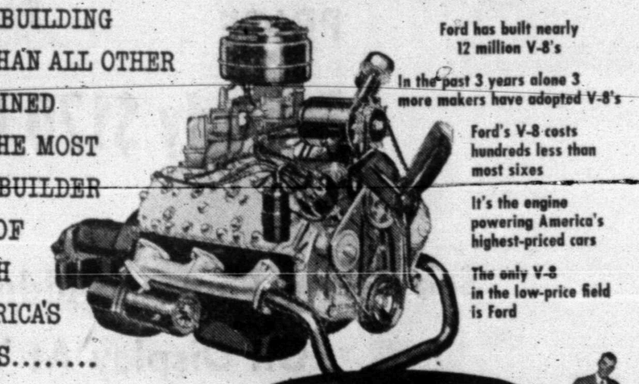

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