

Land Scandals Spreading Into Other Counties

CUERO, Tex. (U)—DeWitt County Atty. Wiley Cheatham today said a grand jury probing transactions in the veterans land program had found evidence of questionable deals in eight other counties.

The grand jury Wednesday returned 159 indictments against 6 men, ranging from forgery to giving false notary certificates, in connection with the land sale probe. Cheatham said the inquiry on which the indictments had been returned involved land in DeWitt, Guadalupe, Zavala, Dimmitt, Lee and Webb counties.

He said other information found by the grand jury would be turned over to the district attorneys of Wilson and McCulloch counties. Cheatham said he did not know of any information being forwarded or to be forwarded to the Travis County district attorney.

The six persons named in the indictments Wednesday have made or are in the process of making these bonds:

Cletus Erster, \$27,000, S. Ledbetter, \$10,200, Ted Preusser, \$8,500, W. T. McLarty, Bryan, Tex., \$15,000; T. J. McLarty, Denver, \$26,000, and Henry (Shorty) Robinson, \$9,500.

All are present or former residents of Cuero.

Four state agencies and 13 county grand juries have been probing certain "block" sales in the veterans land program for evidence of fraud.

In Austin, the Austin American said Dist. Atty. Wayne Hartman of Cuero told one of its reporters by telephone that DeWitt County grand jurors instructed that "all information" they had turned up in their veterans land probe was to be turned over to Travis County Dist. Atty. Les Procter.

Hartman was quoted as saying the grand jurors' instructions called for making the information "immediately available."

The Travis County grand jury has also been questioning witnesses in the veterans land program troubles.

Champion Steer Is Sold For \$14,000

SAN ANTONIO (U)—The grand champion steer of the 6th annual San Antonio livestock show was sold today for \$14,000.

The animal was an 815-pound Hereford, raised by 8-year-old Dan Wade Crenshaw, a Fredericksburg 4-H Club boy.

The buyer was the Dumas Milner Chevrolet Co.

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By ELTON C. FAY

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Discuss Nomination

Air Force Secretary Harold Talbot talks with Trevor Gardner, right, before their appearance in Washington at a meeting of the Senate Armed Services Committee. The committee is holding hearings on Gardner's nomination as an Assistant Air Force Secretary. (AP Wirephoto).

Slow Start Made On Coordinated Tax Revaluation

City, county and school authorities held their property revaluation discussion last night, but little progress was made toward setting up

Dumas Man Named On Farm Committee

WASHINGTON (U)—The Agriculture Department announced today the appointment of Robert G. Shrauner, Dumas, Tex., as chairman of the Texas Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

Shrauner, a member of the committee since early 1954, succeeds Claude K. McCann, Victoria, Tex., who resigned from the committee. McCann's place on the committee will be taken by Clarence L. Dankels, Rosenberg, Tex.

The committee helps administer federal farm aid programs.

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Move To Delay German Arming Debate Fails

By BRACK CURRY
BONN, Germany (U)—Parliament today defeated overwhelmingly a new attempt by the Socialists to suspend debate on the Paris treaties to free and rearm West Germany.

It was the second such unsuccessful maneuver by the Socialists since the three-day debate on treaty ratification started yesterday in the Bundestag (lower house).

A spokesman for Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's Christian Democratic party told the deputies that the Saar, whose future "European" status under the Paris pacts touched off a rebellion by two parties of the governing coalition, is "German territory."

The spokesman, Otto Lenz, said it was "regrettable that France has linked the Saar agreement with the Paris treaties." But he said nobody had any better solution for determining the future of the Saar. That industrially rich territory, German before World War II, now is virtually autonomous but tied to France economically.

But he emphasized the Saar will have an opportunity to decide its own political future at a plebiscite. Lenz declared that the Saar government of Premier Johannes Hoffmann has "consistently pursued an anti-German attitude."

Lenz spoke at the Bundestag reached the midway point of the debate on ratification of the Paris pacts. With the debate running behind schedule, the semifinale vote originally set for today may be postponed until tomorrow. The final vote will be held soon thereafter.

Heavily armed and reinforced police numbering 1,300 braced themselves for another day of street demonstrations by Red agitators shouting anti-American slogans. Hundreds of Communists, including 120 imported from the Ruhr for the occasion, tried to cause trouble at key points yesterday. Police cooled their ardor with water cannon which drenched them during a snowstorm. A dozen were arrested.

Some shop windows were broken before downtown squares were cleared after dark.

As two government coalition parties—the Free Democrats (FDP) and the Refugees (BHE)—defied the Chancellor's stand on the Saar, Adenauer marshaled his own Christian Democrats behind the plan. Under it, the Saar, German before World War II and now virtually autonomous but tied to France economically, would be put under a neutral commissioner.

Adenauer was ready to make an impassioned appeal for the Saar plan as the price for freeing West Germany and allying it with the West.

Ask Approval Of Radio Sale At Wichita Falls

WASHINGTON (U)—The Communications Commission was asked yesterday to approve the sale of radio station KFDX, Wichita Falls, Tex., to Grayson Enterprises, a newly formed firm, for \$100,000.

The Wichita Radio and Television Co. made the request saying it wanted to devote full time to its television station KFDX-TV. Grayson Enterprises is headed by Sidney A. Grayson, a 50 per cent stockholder, formerly associated with Wichita Falls stations KFDX, KTRN and KWFT. He is now vice president and general manager of KMDI-TV, Midland, Tex.

The remaining 50 per cent interest is held in equal shares by Nat Levine, in the investment business, Wichita Falls; and Meyer Raben, partner in Lone Star Motor Co., Wichita Falls.

The Grayson group asked permission to change the call of KFDX to KSYD.

Chinese Leave Island, Altering Defense Plan



Infant Has Rare Blood Disease

Fifteen-month-old Peggy Lee Davis of Lisco, Neb., is held by student nurse Patricia Snyder in Presbyterian Hospital where she is scheduled for extensive tests to determine cause and nature of a rare blood disease. Dr. V. F. Vesely, Lewellen, Neb., who has treated the child since birth, explained that blood runs from Peggy's nose for as long as 24 hours at a time for no apparent reason. Dr. Vesely paid traveling expenses to Chicago for Peggy and her mother, Mrs. Joan Davis, 26. The child's father, Alvin, 31, remained at home in Lisco, a ranching community 80 miles east of Scottsbluff, Neb. (AP Wirephoto).

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By MILTON MARMOR

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Action Brings Reds Closer To Formosa Zone

By SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, Formosa (U)—The Nationalists completed today without Red interference a military withdrawal from Nanchishan and reports persisted tonight that the garrison there was taken straight to offshore outposts in the Matsu group.

The Matsus, 100 miles northwest of Formosa, are 20 miles off the Chinese mainland and guard the approaches to Fochow.

The Nationalist Defense Ministry refused to divulge the number of troops involved but the regulars and guerrillas on Nanchishan had been estimated at around 5,000.

A ministry spokesman said the island's fortifications were blown up before the withdrawal and all supplies and equipment were brought to Formosa.

The entire civilian population, a little more than 2,000, chose to leave rather than come under Red rule, the spokesman told a news conference. All arrived safely in Formosa.

"Not a single person remained behind," he said.

Nationalist spokesmen insisted right up to the end that Nanchishan would be defended.

Nanchishan, 140 miles north of Formosa and 23 miles off the Red mainland, was the northern anchor of Chiang Kai-shek's chain of offshore island outposts.

Its loss followed by less than three weeks the evacuation of the Tachens Islands, 200 miles north of Formosa. The Tachens were surrendered without a fight after the Reds stormed and captured Yikiangshan, eight miles to the north.

The evacuation of Nanchishan rolled the civil war front southward to the Matsu complex, 100 miles northwest of Formosa and about 20 miles off the mainland.

Besides the Matsus, the Nationalists hold only Quemoy Island outside the U.S.-protected Formosa defense zone, which includes Formosa and the nearby Pescadores.

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NON-SMOKERS ARE LOUDEST

BOISE, Idaho (U)—Sen. John Raror asked unanimous consent last night that the State Senate relax Rule 24 of the regulations which governs the session. Sen. Raymond L. White objected.

Raror then moved that it be relaxed. Lt. Gov. J. Berkeley Larsen put it to a voice vote, and ruled the "noes" had it.

Raror then demanded a roll call vote. The clerk called the roll, and Raror won, 27-12.

The result: Senators were allowed to smoke at the night session.

The moral: Nonsmokers apparently have the loudest voices.

\$8,750-A-Year Salary Raises Are Assured

By JOE HALL

WASHINGTON (U)—The House today approved without debate a compromise bill boosting the pay of members of congress to \$8,750 a year.

Its action sent the measure to the Senate.

WASHINGTON (U)—Pay raises of \$8,750 a year for members of Congress and \$7,500 to \$10,000 for all federal judges were ready for final action today.

Quick Senate and House approval was predicted for the compromise pay bill worked out yesterday calling for \$23,750 for the lawmakers. This split the difference between \$25,000 voted by the House, \$22,500 by the Senate. The present figure is \$15,000.

The House planned to act first today, with the Senate to follow if it was still in session. If not, the bill may not go to the President until early next week. The President has endorsed the idea of raising congressional pay, without mentioning a figure.

The increases are to take effect next Tuesday.

The \$23,750 finally agreed upon actually will amount to somewhat more than that. It is split into a \$22,500 basic salary and a \$1,250 tax-free expense fund. The tax exemption feature means this allowance actually is worth more than \$1,250.

But this money may be used only to meet "access" office expenses of the members, and will be paid on itemized voucher.

Backers of the bill said the salary fixed for members of Congress would restore their purchasing power to about what it was in 1939 when they got \$10,000.

The over-all cost of the pay increases was estimated at about seven million dollars a year.

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Brand Without Seal Of Approval

Touch of branding iron and rear of protest by sea elephant are simultaneous on shores of Kerguelen Islands, midway between Australia and South Africa. Branding is part of program of French mission studying migratory habits of animal life. Chaplain Maurice Menu holds animal while Dr. Andre Migot applies the hot iron. (AP Wirephoto).

AS A COUNTER-OFFER

Overall Disarming Program Suggested To Reds By West

By SEYMOUR TOPPING
LONDON (U) — The West countered Soviet demands for a nuclear weapons ban today with an overall disarmament proposal calling on Russia and Red China to reduce their armies.

The offer was made known to newsmen as delegates of the United States, Britain, France, Canada and Russia made ready to resume secret disarmament talks that ended in stalemate here last June.

U.S. Delegate Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. was scheduled to meet in London's Lancashire House with Russia's Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko, British Minister of State, Anthony Nutting, France's Jules Moch, and Norman Robertson, Canadian high commissioner.

The five powers are conferring as the U.N. Disarmament Commission subcommittee.

American officials said the United States stood behind the British-French plan for the eventual scrapping of all atomic and hydrogen weapons, but that it tied this in with step-by-step reductions in military manpower as well as conventional weapons.

The U.S. contribution to the program is a blueprint for an international control system with the powers to enforce disarmament measures on both sides of the Iron Curtain. The Russians have bitterly opposed opening their arsenals to outside inspection.

The Western Powers were pictured as agreed that this was the only formula which would allow them to meet the Kremlin's Feb. 18 call for abolition of nuclear weapon stocks.

"For us to throw away our atom-

ic punch without firm agreement on reduction of other armaments," one Western official said, "would expose Europe and Asia to being overwhelmed by the huge Communist armies."

The West's disarmament program stems largely from proposals made last year which the Russians rejected. Informants said Lodge is pessimistic about prospects of the Russians accepting any agreement based on the Western formula. But Lodge was said to be ready to talk over any compromise that would bring about disarmament without endangering the West.

Gromyko is expected to press Soviet demands for a world disarmament conference this year.

Anderson Named Amarillo Coach
AMARILLO, Tex. (U) — Jack Anderson, 30, has been named backfield coach of Amarillo's Palo Duro High School at \$5,000 a year.

Anderson, a graduate of Oklahoma City University and a graduate student at the University of Oklahoma, is the third Oklahoma coach hired for the new school scheduled to open next fall.

Suggs Awarded Snyder School Construction

Suggs Construction Company of Big Spring was the low and successful bidder on the Snyder elementary school project Thursday afternoon.

Contract was awarded to Suggs for additions to the West Side Elementary school, and minor additions to others, on a bid of \$251,991. The second low bid was for \$256,454.

Involved in the construction of 10 classrooms, four small offices, a physical education building addition. Two classrooms will be added to another elementary school.

Contract calls for completion in 200 working days.

Suggs also has contract for the Coke County courthouse at Robert Lee, and work is proceeding rapidly on this \$271,000 job. Excavation has been made for the basement and forming for footings is now in progress.

Work on the Snyder project will proceed as soon as work order is issued, said Suggs.

Injuries Fatal To Fort Worth Child

FORT WORTH (U) — Barbara Ellen Harrell, 3, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pierrepoint Harrell, died last night of injuries which police said she received when she darted in front of a truck.

The girl and a brother, Douglas, were playing while their mother visited friends. The Harrells are former residents of Sherman, Tex.

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Navy Will Honor Congress, If Congress Will Pay Bill

WASHINGTON (U) — The Navy says it wants to name its fifth supercarrier the USS Congress—if it can get Congress to put up the money for it.

The Navy suggested the name yesterday in outlining a program to build the carrier and 33 other warships next year. The \$1,300,000,000 program also calls for converting 6 carriers and 22 other war-craft for modern warfare.

A 4,600-ton nuclear-powered radar picket submarine and two other 2,300-ton atomic subs are among proposed new vessels.

Rep. Cannon (D-Mo), chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, is on record opposing a requested 180 million dollars for the proposed new 60,000-ton Forrestal-type carrier.

How much support Cannon will get is not yet clear.

Chairman Vinson (D-Ga) says the House Armed Services Committee will open hearings, probably next week, to review the effectiveness of the giant flattops.

Air Force generals sharply attacked their value in bitter congressional hearings in 1949, while advocating all-out production of intercontinental bombers.

The Navy proposal to name the new carrier the Congress was inserted without explanation in a new bill calling for construction to start during the year ending in mid-1956 on 13 destroyers, a guided missile submarine and 4 conventional submarines, 9 minesweepers and other small craft.

In addition to the carriers, the Navy said it wants to modernize one heavy and one light cruiser and other craft.

Austin End Inks Hamilton Contract

HAMILTON (U) — Coach Carl Voyles of the Hamilton Tigercats said last night he has signed Franklin Bons, 190-pound end from Austin College, Texas, for the 1955 Big Four Football League season.

Voyles also confirmed reports that Ticea have acquired Austin quarterback Don Watson, bringing to four the number of players from the Texas College signed by Hamilton. The others are center Jack Taylor and tackle Ken Durham.

Grid Pact Could Serve As Model

WASHINGTON (U) — A pioneer "no-raid" agreement between the Washington Redskins and Calgary Stampedeers pointed the way today toward an end to the feud between professional football clubs in Canada and the United States.

Commissioner Bert Bell of the National Football League hailed the agreement as "a step in the right direction." He called on other clubs on both sides of the border to follow the lead and end the player raids.

Attorneys for the two clubs signed the agreement Thursday night, at the same time settling a \$50,000 damage suit brought by the Redskins against Stampeder Coach Jack Hennemer for luring away two Redskins tackles.



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CLUES DOWN:

- Wind is best. Find a watch and the implication is that it belongs to somebody else, in which case it is no great concern of yours whether it goes or not.
- Greek is best. If for some special occasion, a woman dresses up in a Greek costume, she may well look particularly attractive. Without other attributes, the mere color of a costume is insufficient to make the wearer look particularly attractive, especially if she happens to appear habitually in Green.
- Police is best. You certainly expect courtesy from the Police who are paid to be so. Until you have spoken to other men, you may not know whether they are Polite or not, and won't know what to expect.
- Lees is best. The dictionary defines Lees as "sediment or dregs that settle at the bottom of liquor". Thus Lees suggests that a settlement has taken place. Fees or Bets while terms suggesting a payment do not necessarily suggest that a settlement has taken place or that they have been paid. This also applies to Cess which furthermore is ruled out because the word Cess is singular and the verb Suggest is plural.
- Bullet is best. The phrase "in a manner of speaking" suggests an unusual usage of words, but it is perfectly natural to speak of a stage production, such as a Ballet making a hit. You wouldn't normally say: "a Ballet can make a hit", but it might be said to do so "in a manner of speaking".
- Star is best. A performer needs to be good to Star in pictures; but many a "typed" player stays on for years in small parts calling for no great ability.
- Sore is best. A man who feels Sore about something will very likely argue, no matter how wrong he may be. A man who feels Sure may quite likely avoid argument, from tact, or other reasons.

EXPLANATION OF MORE DIFFICULT CLUES

CLUES ACROSS:

- The Trainer can best give you this idea but you will not gain much idea of a star's acting performance as a whole from the few disjointed shots that make up a Trailer.
- Head is best. The word "accurately" is important because it is superfluous to the phrase "draw a head", which already implies accuracy.
- Serial is best. A good Serial makes for better listening. "Reception", rather than "listening", would be more apt as applied to the technical advantage of a superior Aerial.
- Tested is best. Tasting is merely one way of testing, thus Tested is preferred since it embraces Tasted.
- Bear is best. Unless preceded by a word such as "tame", Bear as it stands means one in its natural state, and there is no question of keeping it anywhere.
- Class is the more comprehensive answer. Mother will not be careless when dusting good Class ornaments, including any that happen to be made of Glass.
- Ratio is best. You'll probably get nowhere trying to explain Ratio. You'll certainly get nowhere trying to explain Radio. There is no "probably" about it.
- Bitter is best. You may still feel Bitter about it, but time is a great healer and you'll certainly feel Better than you did at the time. There is no "may" about it.

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A Bible Thought For Today

And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name Jesus: for he shall save his people from their sins. (Matthew 1:21).

Editorial

Ike Talks Sharply Of Tax Cut

With some asperity President Eisenhower has blasted the Democratic proposal to whack \$20 off the income tax of individuals, plus a like sum for each dependent, as a new something-or-other in tax manipulation for political purposes.

Mr. Eisenhower found particular fault with the form in which the \$20 deduction came out of the Ways and Means Committee, on a 15-10 vote. It is incorporated as an integral part of the over-all tax bill, and the President charged in effect the Democrats lacked the courage to bring it out as a separate measure, in which case killing it would be easy.

Not all Democrats see eye to eye with the Ways and Means majority on this proposal. Senators Byrd and George have announced against it.

Basically, of course, it is a struggle for votes in the 1956 election. Mr. Eisenhower has said it should be possible to make some tax reductions in 1956, at a time it would be calculated to help GOP chances. The Democrats would like to do it in 1955, so it would enhance their chances at the polls. But under terms of the bill as approved by committee, the \$20 deduction would not be effective this year, but on wages earned in 1956.

Obviously, the proposed across-the-board cut would have a powerful appeal to House members, all of whom must face the electorate in '56, less so to senators, only a third of whom are up for re-election then. So if it is killed it will almost have to be done in the Senate, where Democratic sentiment is divided on the issue.

Dodging The Real Issue

Sometimes by battling windmills off to the side, it is possible to avoid coming to grips with the real issues.

Such is the course taken by the Texas House of Representatives thus far in plugging the loopholes in Texas insurance laws. Last summer there was a lot of talk about the necessity of reforms in the insurance statutes, mostly because investors in some insurance securities had been shown by manipulators and promoters. To get at one of the main roots of trouble, it was proposed that the sale of insurance stocks and bonds be made subject to the regulations and requirements of the Texas Securities Commission. When this matter came on for consideration in the House, that body passed a measure which puts the sale of insurance stocks under the Insurance Commission. Were this a cohesive unit, there might be a modicum of merit; but the commission is

divided as to major classes of coverage. But the Insurance Commission is not set up to pass on the validity of stocks, the solidarity of assets behind them.

Under terms of the Texas Security Act, the securities division was created for the purpose of policing stock sales to safeguard the investors of Texas. Although grossly undermanned, it has done a reasonably sound job riding herd. It could have done and would do an even better job if the state did not take away about 93 per cent of the fees it collected and shunted them into the general fund.

Securities, regardless of character, should all be subjected to the same stringent requirements. There is no reason why insurance stocks should be excepted than thus subjected to the danger of an official glossing over of unsoundness. The people are entitled to better protection than this.

J. A. Livingston

What Became Of J. P. Morgan's Midget?

J. P. Morgan, the midget, and Fulbright

... Bank earnings — a bank's expose

... Strikes, past and future ...

Frank Braden, who was press agent for Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus when the midget sat in J. P. Morgan's lap during the 1933 Senate investigation of Wall Street, still remembers it as if it were yesterday. What brings it up, of course, is the forthcoming study of the stock market by the Senate Banking and Currency Committee. Chairman J. W. Fulbright has scheduled hearings to start March 3.

But Braden doesn't know what happened to Miss Lya Graf, the 24-year-old German lass, who scored the "picture beat" of the year. She came into the hearing room "to shake hands with the richest man in the world." Photographers had been primed beforehand. All of a sudden, somebody popped Lya into Morgan's lap. Morgan smiled and said: "I have a little granddaughter just your age." The financier might have known balance sheets at a glance, but not midgets.

Anyway, the next year Lya returned to Germany and, as far as Braden knows, hasn't been heard about in this country since. But her picture and the Morgan story are in all the newspaper libraries in the United States.

It's most unlikely that any American bank will haul the Girard Trust Corn Exchange Bank of Philadelphia before a constable on charges of indecent exposure.

Potomac Fever

WASHINGTON — Treasury Secretary Humphrey opposes the Democratic plan to cut everybody's taxes \$20. Humphrey thinks this is reckless and irresponsible—and besides the Republicans may want to do it themselves next year.

Ike holds a big conference on his highway program. The country needs more express highways so you can get back faster from all the other places where you can't park either.

One Congressman says that in voting to raise his own salary, he may have voted against his better judgment—but not against his better half.

Adm. Carney, Navy boss, defends the aircraft carrier. If it weren't for the carriers, Navy pilots would have to land at Air Force bases—where the food is notably inferior.

The Hoover Commission says the Government's paper work takes 25 billion pieces of paper a year. Bureaucrats: "Miss Jones, this excess of paper is intolerable. Order 1,000 more paperweights at once!"

Republican Sen. Goldwater warns that Republicans may lose Senate seats next year. It isn't that the voters like Democrats better. It's just that they aren't accustomed to going broke with strangers.

The State Department favors statehood for Alaska, but Defense and Interior Departments oppose it. One thing about this Eisenhower team. Once they get the ball, they know how to run into each other with it.

—FLETCHER KNEBEL

But there are grounds — for an especially sensitive banker.

Girard's 1954 annual report reveals that bank accounting is as flexible. Girard puts its own earnings at \$4.96, or 24 cents above 1953, but shows that by a few flips of ledger sheets the earnings could be \$6.94, or \$6.42, \$7.01, or \$4.44. And other numbers are possible. Some bankers would consider such frank disclosure as indecent exposure.

Here's how Girard could have raised earnings by \$1.98: By changing 21 cents a share of loan reserves to undivided profits instead of operations; by crediting income tax credits of 68 cents a share against current taxes; by adding 64 cents in security profits directly to earnings; by not applying write-offs of assets, amounting to 45 cents a share, to operations.

But then, earnings could have been reduced 32 cents a share if the employees' profit-sharing fund and pension fund payments applicable to prior years had been treated as a current operating expense. On these points, Girard reasoned:

1. A profit-sharing fund can only come after profits are realized — not before. It's a deduction from undivided profits—just like dividends. 2. When the pension system was set up, some employees got credit for service for prior years. Had the plan been in effect, the contributions would have been a charge against then current earnings, or, in effect, today's undivided profits. But all pension costs for current service are charged against operating earnings. So that could have cut earnings to \$4.44, not allowing the aforementioned credits.

Nor is that all. The bank notes that purchases of furniture and equipment, which were treated as operating expense, could have been capitalized. This would have added 59 cents a share to earnings. All this suggests that earnings, like a woman's face, can be adjusted — within limits, of course. Girard has taken its make-up off in public.

Ranch Demonstration

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (U-P)—Texas Ranger Zeno Smith tells of a wealthy rancher picked up as a drunk in Fort Worth. To establish his identity, the man asked police to telephone the sheriff of his home county. "Will you ask the subject to come to the phone and bray over it?" the sheriff requested. The rancher went to the telephone and brayed like a donkey. "He's telling the truth," the sheriff said. "There ain't nobody in this county that can go like a jackass like him."

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Another Russ Invention

James Marlow

President's School Aid Plan Getting Nowhere

WASHINGTON (U-P)—President Eisenhower's school aid plan, 17 days after he offered it to Congress, already looks like a wreck. He produced it Feb. 8. He said 300,000 classrooms are needed and unless the federal government helps the states, the emergency will continue.

He suggested a three-year plan under which the government would give states and local communities 200 million dollars as a gift and 920 millions in loans.

In Congress, Democrats and some Republicans jumped on the plan. So did one educator after another. Summed up, this was the criticism:

The 200-million-dollar gift was far too small for school needs. And by the interest on its loans, the government would be making money at states' expense.

Under the plan, states would have to set up special agencies to handle the loans. But some states' constitutions forbid such an arrangement. The three-year plan would be too brief for some of those constitutions to be changed.

Some states would have to pass special legislation to get in on the program. Some other states right now don't know whether they could participate. About eight are in position to take advantage of the loan arrangement right now.

Powerful Democrats, particularly Sen. Hill of Alabama, are for dumping Eisenhower's proposal and substituting one which would give states the 200-million-dollar gift suggested by the President over three years but one billion in two years.

And the segregation question was raised. Since the Supreme Court has banned segregation in public schools, should the government give any state money for new schools unless segregation in them is forbidden?

Then yesterday another development was leaked out but not by anyone in the Eisenhower administration. This was it:

In 1953, at Eisenhower's request, Congress set up a 25-man commission to study federal-state problems. To do the spade work, the commission set up 14 committees, including one on education.

That committee has 15 members, including Dr. Samuel M. Brownell, commissioner of the United States Office of Education in the Department of Health, Education and Welfare under Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby.

She has testified in favor of Eisenhower's plan, which almost certainly was drawn up in Brownell's office or somewhere in Mrs. Hobby's department.

Mr. Breger



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Hal Boyle

No Sweat In Breaking Barrier

By HAL BOYLE
FARMINGDALE, N.Y. (U-P)—Would you be afraid to ride in a jet airplane as it broke through the sound barrier?

The public generally pictures this as a frightening physical ordeal in a plane vibrating like a sparrow caught in a tornado.

Oscar P. ("Bud") Hass, a veteran test pilot who won his wings at 17 and now is 47 and a grandfather, says this is only one of many misconceptions about the work of the elite fliers who test the nation's war planes.

"In most airplanes today if you didn't have a speed indicator you wouldn't know you'd gone through the sound barrier," he said. "You usually don't even know when it happens."

Hass, director of flight operations at Republic Aviation Corp., supervises a crew of 16 pilots who test the new F84 Thunderstreak fighter bombers. The planes can exceed 650 miles an hour and carry an atomic bomb.

Bud estimates there are perhaps no more than 600 jet test pilots in America.

"It's a pretty new field," he said. "Hardly anyone in it deliberately set out to be a jet test pilot. Most of them are former armed forces fliers with combat records. There is no other place for them to get the experience."

Nice work if you can get it. The pay is good—in the \$10,000 a year class. The hours are good—an average of 35 hours a month in the air, compared to 85 for a commercial transport pilot. The fliers check in at 7 a.m., and check out at 3 p.m.

There is also plenty of fresh oxygen and exercise on the job. The test pilot really starts his main chores at an altitude of 40,000 feet.

But no daredevils need apply. No manufacturer wants to put a hot rod flier in the cockpit of a

\$400,000 airplane. The test pilot is an intensely serious young man, who must serve both as a scientist and a highly paid bookkeeper as he puts a plane through its final performance check before it is turned over to the Air Force.

"When I flew my first plane, an OX5 standard, a plane similar to the old Jenny," recalled Bud, "all I had to worry about was the ignition switch and three instruments. They showed the oil pressure, the water temperature and the engine speed. No compass. No radio."

"We had a dip stick to tell us how much gas we had left, and we filled her up with five-gallon cans from the nearest auto filling station. She burned four gallons an hour, and flew at 60 miles an hour. "A jet fighter-bomber today burns more than 1,000 gallons of fuel an hour at sea level, and the cockpit has more than 200 switches and instruments."

To Take Bids For Garden City Gym

Bids will be received until 7:30 p.m. on March 1 for the construction of a gymnasium building for the Garden City schools.

Proposals will be received at the office of W. A. Wilson, superintendent. Plans may be secured from Pierce, Norris, McCutchan, Pace and Associates of Midland.

Kasch Gets Contract On Odessa School

A. P. Kasch and Sons have been awarded contract for construction of the Sam Houston Elementary School addition in Odessa.

The low bid of \$122,512 for the project, Kasch & Sons also were second low for the Cameron and Burleson elementary schools in Odessa. These were part of a total program costing \$476,832 for construction of elementary school facilities in Odessa.

Famous Words OF FAMOUS PEOPLE



Around The Rim

Farmers Need Help On Cotton Acreage

They told me Wednesday over at Colorado City on the need for additional cotton acreage allotments in this area.

And by they, I don't mean the farmers. I mean a group of businessmen and merchants of this area who took the trouble to look into the farmers' problems.

Their look-see resulted in some unusual revelations, and they were so alarmed that a general meeting of Chamber of Commerce people was called in Colorado City to discuss the situation.

And the situation, as outlined, is that this area has been mighty hard hit by the drought. As one man put it, this vicinity has been more drastically affected by the drought than any other in Texas and possibly the nation.

They dry land farmer hereabouts is unusual if he is not in debt, it was revealed, and cotton acreage allotments set for this year will bring only a very few out of the red if the yield is good.

For the past three years, when the rest of the nation was producing cotton hand over fist, this area has been producing next to nothing. Other farmers were raking it in, but farmers in this vicinity were taking it on the chin.

Average yield per acre in this area during the 1951-53 period was less than one quarter of the yield average for the normal years of 1948 and 1950. Yield in some counties, including Howard, got as low as eight pounds of lint cotton per acre.

This could be a good year for yield, possibly. But with cotton acreage allotments as they are now, the cotton farmers in this area may be forced to take it on the chin again.

The only hope is that some change can be made in the allotments to increase the local share.

Area farmers do not want to discriminate against other farmers of other areas, but as was outlined in the Colorado City meeting, there is a very real emergency here.

Consequently it is felt that some type of amendment should be made to the present law whereby some areas could be declared emergency areas and as a result get more acreage allotments. The emergency area would be here now, but it might be anywhere tomorrow.

If the same situation developed in East Texas, or Georgia for that matter, then farmers in that area should be given consideration, too. They should be given a chance to recoup their losses made during hard years.

I noticed that bankers were prominent among the people who gathered in Colorado City, and they were particularly interested in the problem. They realize that cotton is the area's cash crop and that there is a bread and butter problem here—not just for the farmer, but for all.

The problem now is to sell Washington on the idea that small farmers in this area need aid. Two more meetings are scheduled in Colorado City to map strategy on the "selling" campaign, and farmers are asked to express their views.

It seems that the movement for needed help is starting a little late for an acreage allotment change this year, but the problem brought to the attention of proper parties could get immediate results.

Besides, the present campaign might mean relief for farmers in emergency areas next year. And who can tell, we might need increased cotton acreage allotments then too.

—CLIFTON LAWHORNE

Political Playback

Court Decisions Of Wide Significance

The court decisions which take on permanent significance somehow seem to slip in with little attention at first.

Texas has had many examples.

There was one decision a few years ago which knocked out unknown hundreds of local and special laws, and laid down the yardstick by which future laws would be valid or no good. That dealt with the "bracket" principle of local and special laws.

Many laws, designed to affect one county or one city alone, had been passed, based on population brackets as narrow as 10. They referred to the "1940" or the "1950" census. The decision said a bracket had to be wide enough to affect a substantial class or counties or cities; must have some relation to common needs; and must be "open," in that it applied to the

last census, and thus that other counties or cities could grow into the classification bracket.

Another historic decision was that relating to the prior right given to the landowner in possession to pay for excess surveys of land, ahead of "vacancy jumpers."

One of the modern landmark decisions, whose importance will develop for a long time, was that when the Texas Supreme Court in 1954 changed its mind about federal "pre-emption," and declared that state labor laws were again in effect, after earlier opinions that most of them had been nullified by federal court rulings on the federal law. That decision was in an El Paso case, yet its first major impact was in the showdown Port Arthur mass strike, 900 miles away.

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Marquis Childs

Crisis Returns To Western Europe

WASHINGTON — While Secretary of State John Foster Dulles is in Asia working to firm up the Southeast Asia Treaty Organization, which has thus far been largely a paper pact, the Western alliance in Europe is once again gravely threatened. With a prolonged governmental crisis in France and a rising tide of neutralism in West Germany, the underpinning of the structure at the base of American foreign policy is deteriorating.

One reason is the widespread doubt in both Paris and London over America's Formosa policy. In Bangkok, where the Southeast Asia powers are meeting, Sir Anthony Eden, British Foreign Secretary, will try to impress on Dulles the grave doubts that beset not only Laborites in Britain but many Conservatives as well over the prospect of armed conflict touched off by defense of Quemoy and Matsu.

In France there is being widely repeated a report of American responsibility for the fall of the government of former Premier Pierre Mendes-France. According to this report, which State Department officials here decline to verify, the former Premier on his visit to Washington last November had one major request to make in connection with the Western European Union agreement signed in Paris giving sovereignty and rearmament to West Germany.

He asked that the allocation and distribution of American arms for the six nations in the pact be carried out through a centralized agency rather than on an individual nation-to-nation basis. This was in order to allay deep-seated fears in France that the United States intended to build up a German military force as the predominant power on the continent. Ever since the defeat of 1940 and the four-year occupation that followed this has been the French nightmare.

This request of Mendes-France was refused, according to his admirers who say that the refusal was a principal factor in the former Premier's downfall. When he came back without that promise, he lost approximately 40 votes at the center.

The loss contributed to this downfall by a vote of 319 to 275 three weeks ago. The vote was on the issue of Mendes-France's North African policy but the opposition represented a combination of the forces

that have brought down other Premiers in the past.

Mendes-France said nothing of his request or its refusal, for fear that public knowledge of it would help the opposition and particularly the Communists who have taken the propaganda line that America intends to build up Germany at the expense of France. Nevertheless, it appears to be a more or less open secret in Paris today that when Mendes-France returned from Washington without the assurance he had sought, his government was bound to fall in a relatively short time.

Coming on the eve of the Congressional elections here, the Western European accord was injected into the campaign at the televised Cabinet meeting. Such a gloss of success was put on it that it was scarcely realized here that the accord, when once ratified, would bring a German national army into being as part of a coalition force. This was in sharp contrast to the supra-national army called for under the European Defense Community treaty which was rejected by the French National Assembly at the end of August.

In West Germany it has become increasingly evident that there is widespread opposition to such a national army. This has augmented the neutralism of the Socialists and others who have continued to advocate further negotiation with Soviet Russia in an effort to reunite West and East Germany. It has revived the fears of domination by a military caste along with the dread that Germany would be an atomic battleground in another war.

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Mrs. Read Tells Club Of Work Of UNESCO

"We as club women should support the United Nations," members of the Altus Club were told at their weekly luncheon Thursday at the Settles Hotel.

Mrs. Norman Read spoke on the division of U.N. named UNESCO, which deals with the educational, scientific and cultural agencies of the organization. She told her listeners that we should keep ourselves better informed on the work of the U.N. rather than criticize it.

In telling the history of the U.N., Mrs. Read brought out the fact that there are 200 million children in the United States who have never

had a day of schooling, with fifty-five per cent of the world illiterate.

Mrs. John Freeman, chairman of International Relations Committee, introduced the speaker. During the business meeting, members of the election committee were announced as follows: Mrs. Houston Cowden, Mrs. Ernest Brindley and Mrs. Morgan Martin.

Boss's Day, at which time the members of the club will be guests at a luncheon, was set for March 24. About 35 attended the meeting.

Roses Are Easily Grown In Most Parts Of Country

Roses are so widely planted in all parts of the country that it seems no one wants to be without a few plants at least, according to the American Association of Nurserymen. United States rose growers have the most efficient system of testing new rose plants of any country in the world.

Through a series of test gardens established in every climatic area of the country new roses are grown and scored by leading horticulturists in various cities and at various colleges. The best varieties are then placed on the market. One of the reasons why the rose has become so popular is because leading growers have taken such pains to offer only outstanding varieties to the public.

Roses are tested for form, hardiness, foliage, color, characteristics, fragrance and numerous other attributes. The rose is universally grown by home owners everywhere, offering cut flowers to decorate the home, as well as striking landscape effects. The foliage also offers interesting contrasts between different varieties, and with the foliage of other plants.

There are six principal types of roses:

1. Hybrid tea—offering the most perfectly formed flowers, though somewhat fewer in number. They are excellent for cut flowers.
2. Floribunda—offering many flowers on each plant, sometimes a hundred or more. These are also good for cut flowers and they give striking landscape effects. They are widely used as hedges or borders.
3. Climbing roses—offering striking landscape effects. They make excellent plants for growing on a trellis, or trained on the side of a garage, back porch, or elsewhere on the property. They are beautiful when trained along a fence.
4. Grandiflora—this newest type offers large flowers of excellent form, color and fragrance. Plants are large and fairly tall, their uses similar to floribunda.
5. Tree roses are growing in popularity. They are used as accent plants in landscaping and along driveways where a taller plant (around four to five feet) is desired. More popular in the warmer areas of the country, their use is spreading rapidly to other areas also.
6. Miniature roses—offering unusually attractive borders for flower beds. The small flowers are ideal to supply boutonnières, and for feminine wear, besides providing variety of cut flowers for the home.

Mrs. Nichols Feted At Birthday Party

Mrs. Corrie Nichols, head supervisor of attendants at the State Hospital, was the birthday honoree at a party given Wednesday in the home of Mrs. J. R. Overton, night supervisor of attendants.

Members of the Secret Pal Club of Night Attendants were hostesses for the party. Guests were Mrs. Fay Bishop, Mrs. Eva Bishop, Mrs. Lucy Camp, Mrs. Bernice Rhyne, Mrs. Vera Trantham, Mrs. Dorothy Trantham and Mrs. Delmar Graham.

At a short business session before the party, the club voted to charge a fine of 10 cents for non-attendance at meetings without a valid reason.

Indoor Sports Club Plans Anniversary

The Indoor Sports Club made plans Thursday evening for the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the organization. The group met for a regular meeting at the Girl Scout Little House. Date of the anniversary is April 23.

The program was given by the three fifth grades of the Washington Place School under the direction of Mrs. John Hardy. Mrs. Bill Griese was the accompanist, and Martha Alice Hardy was mistress of ceremonies. Refreshments were served following the program.



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Miami Beach Styles Stress Femininity

No matter what bizarre beach styles are dreamed up by French and Italian couturiers, fashion designers of Florida believe in the inalienable right of the American woman to look pretty while taking the sun and surf.

New styles unveiled at the Miami summer fashion showings go in heavily for feminine detail such as all-over embroidery, bow trimmings and other frivolous flatterers in both sun dresses and swim suits. The shapelier look introduced by some of the more extreme fashion moguls of Europe finds little acceptance among the Florida style creators.

And since they have daily opportunity to observe the favorite beach fashions of vacationing Americans, these designers should know their subject.

Home Decorators Play With Dolls

Costume dolls are the newest arrivals in the field of home decoration.

Borrowing an idea from the nursery set, decorators are using groups of colorfully costumed period dolls to add color accents to home interiors. The dolls also may establish the period of the room's furnishings, since they are available in many garbs, from French Empire to Victorian, and from Spanish bullfighters to American cowboys.

The most popular decorator dolls are hand-made of felt or fabric.

Don't Be Vain

It's foolish to strain your eyes when you need glasses. And once you've tried the new eye-glasses you may find they are flattering.

Turtle Club

Mary Hass and Mrs. L. D. Jenkins were hostesses for the Turtle Club at St. Thomas Church hall Thursday night. Games were played.

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Whatcha Doin'?

This question, when asked by Joe, a mynah bird who "owns" Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Cheredes, sounds so natural that you catch yourself beginning to tell him just what you are doing! Joe doesn't like to tell people goodbye, but when his visitor leaves, he makes a little sound very much like the whimper of a small baby.

You'll Have To Hear Joe To Believe It!

By ANNE LEFEVER

If you want to have the time of your life, interview a mynah bird! Just a minute, now; that's not as impossible as it sounds!

Joe, a hill mynah bird from India, lives with Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Cheredes, 432 Hillside, and is a never-ending source of entertainment to them and their friends. In fact, when Joe is the center of attraction, it's hard to tell who is enjoying it the most — he or the observer.

When I walked into the room where Joe "reigns," I exclaimed, "Oh, isn't he pretty!" I was immediately answered with the words, "I know."

Mrs. Cheredes explained that he hears that quite often and has begun to believe it — he really is quite vain. And he has reason to be. About the size of a stream-lined pigeon, he is an iridescent black, very glossy. His feet and legs are yellow and he has a yellow band about halfway around his neck, beginning underneath his

eyes. His strong inch-long bill is orange.

At first sight of Joe, you might think he is a member of the crow family, but the dictionary says he is a member of the starling tribe. When you talk to him, you'll decide that he belongs on the human side of the ledger.

Besides agreeing with the opinion concerning his looks, Joe gives a wolf whistle that would turn the head of any girl within hearing distance. This is sometimes followed by "Oh, boy," in a deep masculine voice.

By the way, he has two voices. One very low in the bass register, the other in a high falsetto, which he uses to "call the kitty-cat," "miao" in answer to his call, and inquire what his listener is doing. He could probably make a neurotic of a dog which was exposed to his barking for any length of time.

As a decoy in duck-hunting, he would be perfect! He can quack better than a duck, and he'd probably be able to tell you where the ducks were besides! When the

telephone rings, Joe gives the appropriate, "Hello," and if the caller is Dr. Cheredes, the receiver is sometimes held close enough for them to hear each other. Joe's response in this case is "Hi, Doc."

The couple bought the bird in a pet shop in San Francisco about a year ago when he was about six months old, and he had to be fed by hand. He soon learned to open his — is it mouth or beak? — each time he was offered food. His diet has a lot to do with his plumage and health, as he eats apples, pears, grapes and avocados, all of which have to be free of any kind of spray. Baby food is given to him, too, as well as ground meat.

Joe feels that he must bathe every day. If the bath is not ready at his time, he spatters his drinking water all over the cage, dunks all his toys in the water cup and follows this with the contents of his food cup.

At one time, life was made miserable for two parakeets belonging to Dr. and Mrs. Cheredes, when Joe learned that by biting a small rubber bulb and putting it in the water, he could fill it with water. Then, in his bill, this became as good as a garden hose for giving each of his neighbors a shower bath! He has a rubber mouse which he shakes at if it were alive, and then into the drinking water it goes.

Instead of sleeping on a perch as most birds do, Joe has a paste-board box for his bedroom. This has to be replaced every so often, since he tears it into little pieces when the notion strikes him.

When Dr. and Mrs. Cheredes started the trip from San Francisco, their former home, to Texas, they were afraid that Joe would be a problem. He turned out to be an excellent traveler, however, and quite interested in people and sights along the way.

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Two quilts were made by members of the First Church of God LMS at their workday in the home of Mrs. Truett Thomas Wednesday. They will be sent to the Mexican orphanage at Pharr.

Eleven were present for the all-day session, with a covered dish luncheon served at noon. Mrs. J. D. Jenkins gave a devotion on "Mountain Top," and prayers were offered by Mrs. Rexie Caudle and Mrs. Ethel Hickson. Mrs. R. E. Hickson gave the lesson study from "Under Three Flags."

The next meeting will be at 9 a.m. at the church next Wednesday.

Go To Music Meeting

Mrs. Bill Griese and Mrs. Jack Everett, music coordinators in the elementary schools, will attend an all-day workshop for elementary music teachers in Kermit Saturday. Clinician for this regional meeting will be Dorothy Smith of the Dallas Public Schools and Southern Methodist University.

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Vincent HD Club Meets In Barr Home

A report of \$45 made at a tea recently held for the polo fund was given to the Vincent Home Demonstration Club at the meeting in the home of Mrs. Leslie Barr. Roll call was answered with a Bible verse.

Mrs. Alfred Cate read the Scripture selection and led members in a prayer. During the business meeting, plans were made for members to start work on copper planters. The next meeting was announced for the home of Mrs. Claude Hodnett. Refreshments were served to seven members and one guest, Mrs. Jack Barr.

Mrs. Bradford Is Hostess To Circle

"Our Responsibility As Parents" was the topic for a talk made by Mrs. Gaylon Cothran Wednesday for members of the First Baptist Maybelle Taylor Circle.

The women met in the home of Mrs. L. G. Bradford for a covered dish luncheon. The buffet table was laid in an ecrú linen cloth, which the hostess had brought from Czechoslovakia. Brass candlesticks holding yellow candles were used to flank a bowl of fruit.

Sixteen members, with one guest, Mrs. Oscan Tarnover, attended the luncheon.

Libby Jones Honored

COLUMBIA, Missouri — Libby Jones, was honored at Christian College recently when her election to Sigma Phi Gamma, honorary language organization, was announced. Miss Jones is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Jones, 1204 Douglas. Students become eligible for membership in Sigma Phi Gamma by having an "S" (superior) average in French, Spanish, or German and an "M" average in other subjects.

Desk, Derrick Club

Members of the Desk and Derrick Club will have a field trip Saturday afternoon, with transportation furnished to Reef Fields. The meeting place is the parking lot at the back of the Permian Building and the starting time is 1:15 p.m. All members are urged to go on the trip.

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Tree Planting Is HD Club Program

Knot Home Demonstration Club members planted a tree as part of the program on planting shade trees when they met in the home of Mrs. P. P. Coker.

Mrs. W. A. Burchell gave the program and Mrs. Coker gave a devotion on "Faith." Mrs. O. B. Gaskins directed recreation. Eight attended. The next meeting will be March 5 in the home of Mrs. Joe Mac Gaskins.

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Big Spring To Tell TASC Candidacy

Local high school students attending the meeting of the West Texas Forum, Texas Association of Student Councils, in Midland Saturday will announce Big Spring's candidacy for TASC president and request support from attending schools.

The president will be elected at the state convention March 24-25 in Denton.

Don I. Wood of San Antonio, executive secretary of the TASC, will be present at the Midland meeting.

Attending from Big Spring will be Sue Barnes, Lou Ann White, Lewis Porter, Peggy Hogan, Lynn Rogers, Bettie Anderson, Nancy Smith, Gary Tidwell, Sue Boykin and Nanette Farquhar, and sponsors, Mrs. Betty Lou Ratliff and Don Green.

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Special Training Sessions Slated In Three Local Churches Sunday

Special training sessions will be held for members of three churches Sunday. A five-week school of missions will begin at the First Christian Church for all age groups. Dr. Marshall C. Denby, executive secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Christian Education, will lead a Leadership Conference at the First Presbyterian Church. Sunday school teachers from St. Paul's Lutheran Church will meet in Midland.

Services Sunday include the following:

BAPTIST
Dr. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will speak on "Sin Is A Disease" (Matt. 9:12) at the morning service. A baptismal service will close the evening worship at which Dr. O'Brien will use "The Three Crosses" (Mark 15:27) as his topic.

Services at the Baptist Temple will be at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The Rev. A. R. Posey, pastor, will preach.

Dr. Harvey Springer will conduct the 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. services at Trinity Baptist Church.

CATHOLIC
The Rev. William J. Moore, OMI, will say Mass at 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. at St. Thomas Catholic Church. Confessions will be heard from 4:30 - 5 p.m. and from 7-8 p.m. Saturday. Services during Lent include: Rosary, meditation and Benediction, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.; Stations of the Cross and Benediction, Friday at 7:30 p.m.; Rosary and Benediction, Sunday at 5 p.m.

The Rev. Edward Bastien, OMI, will say Mass at Sacred Heart Church (Spanish-speaking) at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Services during Lent include: Rosary and Stations of the Cross, Wednesday and Friday at 7 p.m.; Holy Hour, Thursday at 7 p.m.

CHRISTIAN
"Hands of God" (I John 3:17) will be the Rev. Clyde Nichols' topic at the First Christian Church morning worship. The choir will sing "Worship the Lord" by Nolte. A School of Missions for all age groups will be held from 7:30-9 p.m. in place of the evening worship.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
The need for proofs rather than

mere professions of Christian power will be stressed in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Christ Jesus" to be read at the Christian Science Society.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Lyle Price will answer the question, "What Am I?" at the morning worship at the Main St. Church of Christ. His evening topic will be "Reaching the Masses."

CHURCH OF GOD
The Rev. Hal Hooker, pastor of the Church of God, will take "Ye Must Be Born Again" for his sermon at the 10:50 a.m. service. A film entitled "Mr. Texas" will be shown at the evening service.

The Rev. W. E. Mitchell, pastor of the Galveston St. Church of God will preach on "The Open Door" (Rev. 3:21) at the morning worship and on "The World Crisis" at the evening worship.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
Services at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints will include a priesthood meeting at 9 a.m. and a sacrament meeting at

7:30 p.m. Services will be held at the Girl Scout Little House, 1407 Lancaster.

EPISCOPAL
Services at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 305 Russell, will be a celebration of Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Family worship service will be at 9:30 a.m. and morning worship and sermon by the rector, the Rev. William D. Boyd, will be at 11. The Young People's Fellowship will meet at the Parish House at 3:30 p.m. and instruction class at 7 p.m. in the rector's office. Services during Lent include: evening prayer and sermon, Thursday at 7:30 p.m.; Holy Communion, Tuesday and Thursday at 10 a.m.

LUTHERAN
"That I May Be His Own" will be the Rev. A. H. Hoyer's topic at the 11 a.m. service at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. Sunday school and Bible class will be at 10 a.m. Sunday school teachers will meet at 2:30 p.m. in Midland. A Building for Christ meeting for all members will be at 6 p.m. in Midland. Rev. Hoyer's sermon topic for Wednesday evening, Lenten services will be "With Jesus in the Garden of Sorrows" at 7:30 p.m.

METHODIST
Wayne Graves will be guest speaker at the Wesley Memorial Methodist Church morning worship. His topic will be "Stewardship." A fellowship supper will precede the 7:30 p.m. service, at which a motion picture will be shown.

The Rev. Jesse Young, pastor of the Park Methodist Church will lead "Four Reasons Why I Am a Christian" (Acts 11:26) for the morning worship. Bible study at 7 p.m. will be followed by a sermon.

PRESBYTERIAN
Dr. R. Gage Lloyd will speak on "The Glory of the Cross" (Eph. 3:18) at the morning service at the First Presbyterian Church. Dr. Marshall C. Denby, executive secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Christian Education with headquarters in Richmond Va., will lead the Leadership Education conference at 3 p.m. He will preach at the evening service.

TEMPLE ISRAEL
Regular Friday evening services of Temple Israel will be held in Room 303 of the Settles Hotel at 8 o'clock.

BUSINESSMEN'S BIBLE CLASS
The Businessmen's Bible Class will meet at 9:15 a.m. Sunday in the ballroom of the Settles Hotel.

BUILDERS' BIBLE CLASS
The Builders' Bible Class will meet at 8:30 a.m. Sunday in Carpenter's Hall. Coffee and doughnuts will be served prior to the lesson.

WEBB AIR FORCE BASE
The Rev. William J. Moore will say Mass at 9 a.m. at the Webb Air Force Base chapel. Confessions will be heard at 8:30 a.m. Chaplain Charles J. Fin, sermon topic for the 11 a.m. general Protestant worship will be "The Day for Preparation." Sunday school will be at 11 a.m. in the chapel annex.

TOPEKA WARMS UP AS GAS TURNED ON
TOPEKA, Kan. (AP)—There was a decided temperature change in Topeka today—both indoors and outside.

Gas was restored to this state capital and seven nearby communities after a pipeline break Wednesday left the majority of homes in the area without heat. The natural gas began flowing into home furnaces yesterday afternoon.

To avoid any hazard workmen had to turn off some 32,000 meters then go back and turn them all on before pressure could be restored. Temperatures rose today from yesterday's 11 degrees.

Baby Perishes As Fire Sweeps Home
LAKEWOOD, Colo. (AP)—A 15-month-old boy, left alone in his high chair, burned to death yesterday when flames swept the home of Mrs. Dolores Watson.

The mother was at a neighbor's, trying to free an auto from a snowdrift, when a daughter, Mickey, 4, called in distress.

Nether Mrs. Watson, whose husband is a Rocky Mountain Arsenal employe, nor firemen could enter the blazing structure to rescue her son Mickey.

Fire Chief Gerald Ecker said the blaze probably started from a kerosene stove.

Draws Penalty For Killing Of Baby
OKLAHOMA CITY (AP)—An 18-year-old baby sitter, jointly accused with a half-brother of killing a baby boy last September, was convicted yesterday of first degree manslaughter.

A District Court jury fixed sentence at 20 years imprisonment. Bennie Westley McGrew and his half-brother Kenneth James Brewer, 16, were charged with beating, whipping and squeezing 18-month-old Thomas Harris between their knees into unconsciousness Sept. 24. The child was left in their charge.

Kenneth James is under mental observation.

Red Cross Month
WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower has designated March as Red Cross Month.

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Even the smallest children can understand the joy of telling glad news to others. A new baby has come to the home; a friend who has been ill is better; a happy time is looked forward to and will be shared with friends.

So these friends of Jesus wanted to share their knowledge of Him to all the world, not only because Christ had told them to do so, but because they wanted to spread the glad tidings.

After Jesus' ascension the Holy Ghost fell upon the disciples, as you remember from a recent lesson, and they began to speak in strange tongues. They were Galileans, but were speaking like

nations—the Parthians, Medes, etc. Some sneered that the disciples had partaken of too much wine.

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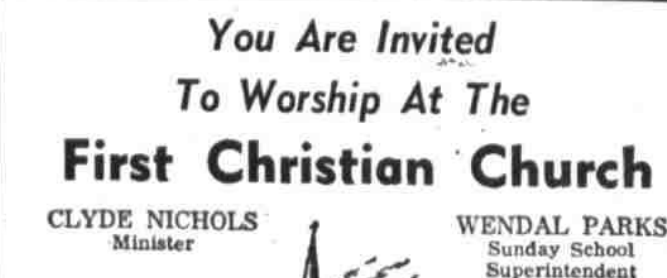


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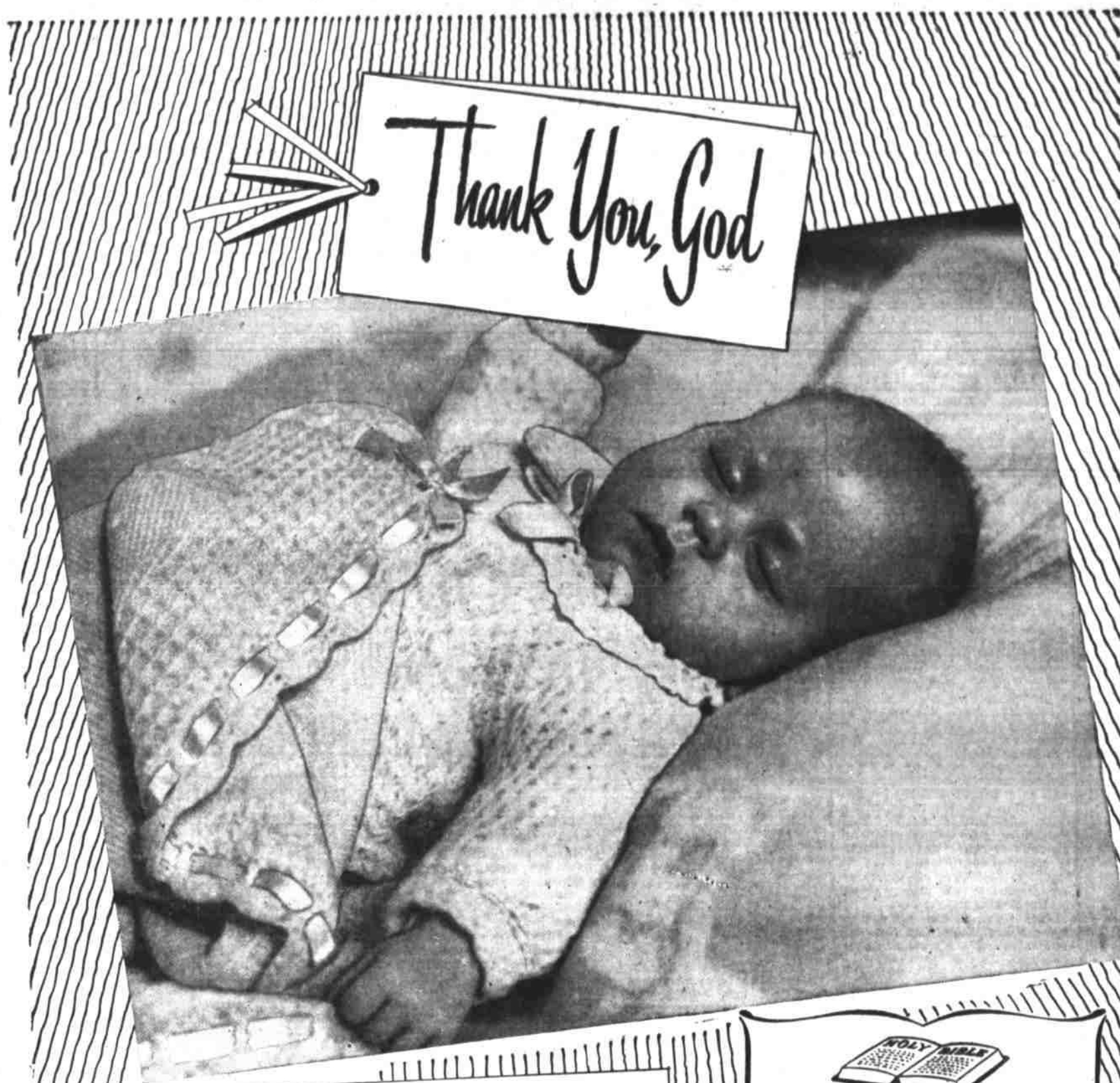
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Thank you, God, for my baby... and help me to be worthy of him. He is such a blessed little bit of humanity... so innocent... untouched by the many evils of the world.

There is so much to teach him, and You have chosen me to be his teacher. You have placed a soul in my clumsy hands, and I am humble before your gift.

How well I realize that in my wonderful task I need the help of the greatest Teacher... Your help. My constant prayer will be for guidance... so that I may teach my son what is right... so that I may set his tiny feet in the right direction on the path of life, and guide his dear little mind into the right channels.

And when the time comes, my son will go to Church... because the Church is Your home on earth, and there in Your presence all that I have tried to show him will have true meaning to him, and he will believe.

THE CHURCH FOR ALL... ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake, (2) For his children's sake, (3) For the sake of his community and nation, (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Psalms	66	1-13
Monday	Ruth	1	1-18
Tuesday	Proverbs	32	1-12
Wednesday	Matthew	11	25-30
Thursday	Luke	9	44-50
Friday	1 Corinthians	13	1-13
Saturday	Psalms	104	1-13

THE CHURCHES OF BIG SPRING

Assembly Of God

First Assembly of God
310 W. 4th
Latin-American
Assembly of God
1005 N.W. 2nd
Bethel Assembly of God
15th and Dixie

Baptist

Phillips Memorial Baptist
Corner 5th and State
Baptist Temple
401 E. 4th
First Baptist
511 Main
Hillcrest Baptist
2105 Lancaster
Mexican Baptist
701 N.W. 5th
Mt. Pleasant Baptist
632 N.W. 4th
Mt. Zion Baptist
516 N.E. 10th
North Side Baptist
204 N.W. 10th
Prairie View Baptist
North of City

Primitive Baptist
301 Willa
State Street Baptist
1010 E. 13th
Trinity Baptist
810 11th Place
West Side Baptist
1200 W. 4th

Catholic

Sacred Heart of N. Aylford
N.W. 5th
St. Thomas
605 N. Main

Christian

First Christian
911 Goliad

Christian Science

Christian Science
1209 Gregg

Churches Of Christ

Church of Christ
1000 N.W. 3rd
Church of Christ
N.E. 6th and Runnels
Church of Christ
1401 Main

Church of Christ
1308 W. 4th
East Fourth Church of Christ
E. 4th and Benton
Ellis Homes
Church of Christ

Church Of God

Church of God
1008 W. 4th
First Church of God
911 Main

Episcopal

St. Mary's Episcopal
501 Runnels

Lutheran

St. Paul's Lutheran
810 Scurry

Methodist

First Methodist
400 Scurry
Methodist Colored
505 Trade Ave.
Mission Methodist
624 N.W. 4th
Park Methodist Church
1400 W. 4th

Wesley Memorial Methodist
1206 Owens

Nazarene

Church of the Nazarene
404 Austin

Presbyterian

First Presbyterian
703 Runnels
St. Paul's Presbyterian
810 Birdwell

Seventh-Day Adventist

Seventh-Day Adventist
1111 Runnels

Others

Apostolic Faith
911 N. Lancaster
Colored Sanctified
910 N.W. 1st
Kingdom Hall
Jehovah's Witnesses
217½ Main
Pentecostal
403 Young
The Salvation Army
600 W. 4th

K&T Electric Co.
400 E. 3rd Phone 4-5081

King's Grocery
800 11th Place Phone 4-8051

Radio Station KBST

Louisiana Fish and Oyster Market
1009 W. 3rd Phone 4-6091

Madewell Service Station
411 W. 3rd Phone 4-9312

Malone and Hogan
Clinic and Hospital

Martin Distributing Company
106 E. 1st Phone 4-8651

Mayo Ranch Motel
1202 E. 3rd Phone 4-2581

Mead's Auto Supply
5th and Main Phone 4-5245

Medical Arts Clinic Hospital

McCrary Garage
305 W. 3rd Phone 4-6631

McEwen Finance Co.
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K. H. McGibbon
Phillips 66

Quality Body Co.
Lamesa Highway Phone 4-8741

Reeder Insurance and Loan Agency
302-304 Scurry Phone 4-8266

Ross Pit Bar-B-Q
904 E. 3rd Phone 4-8541

Tom Rosson Agency
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Settles Hotel and Coffee Shop
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Continental Oil Co.
301 E. 1st Phone 3-2181

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Witness Says Giles Traveled With Veterans Land Appraiser

By BO BYERS

AUSTIN (AP)—The special House committee investigating the veterans land program was told yesterday that former Land Commissioner Bascom Giles traveled in South Texas with a state appraiser once or twice.

The testimony came from T. B. Sullivan, head of the Veterans Land Board legal section. He also said he believes 75 per cent of the "block deals" in South Texas received priority treatment.

Sullivan said it was his understanding that H. Lee Richey, who recently resigned as South Texas appraiser for the board, "made one or two trips with Mr. Giles in that Winter Garden section."

Richey was the appraiser in a number of block deals—those involving several veterans as purchasers—in which the state received an allegation of fraud.

Giles resigned as land commissioner Jan. 1. In that capacity, he had served as chairman of the Veterans Land Board, on which the other members are the governor and attorney general.

Sullivan, who said some deals were closed over his protest, said it was his "opinion" that Richey "got instructions from Mr. Giles and Mr. Lawrence C. Jackson" on making appraisals for block deals.

Jackson resigned last month as executive secretary of the Veterans Land Board.

Sullivan was one of four witnesses called yesterday. Others will be heard when the committee resumes its inquiry at 2:30 p.m. today.

J. Paul Little of Crystal City declined to testify yesterday and also refused to turn over part of his records on land transactions.

Now a defendant in several of the state's recovery suits, Little invoked his constitutional right not to give testimony which might tend to incriminate him.

Little called attention to "some five or six civil suits involving sales under the veterans land program" in which he has been cited. His connection to many of them is "trivial," he said.

Little previously had answered questions of the Senate investigating committee in an executive session but said he feels that "I cannot now under the circum-

stances that have developed volunteer any additional information which might be used against me."

He said he anticipates additional suits being filed against him.

Sullivan and Bill Ennis, a clerk for the Veterans Land Board, testified Richey was one of the appraisers who was in the state office in Austin much of the time.

Ennis said he had been told many times to give priority to deals that were "distinctly out of chronological order."

He identified Lawrence C. Jackson and Jack Jackson, no kin, as the men who told him to expedite certain applications. Jack Jackson was an administrative assistant to Giles.

The fourth witness was John W. Wofford, 70, Cuero, an appraiser for the Veterans Land Board from 1949 to August of last year.

Under questioning by Rep. Joe Burckett of Kerrville, he confirmed that he never tried to find out what other nearby land was selling for before he made appraisals.

He said he took the word of a Seguin real estate man, Chesley Batey, that a grass lease on some Guadalupe County land was bringing \$2 an acre. On that basis, Wofford testified, he figured the value of the land at \$15 an acre in appraising it for sale to some 24 veterans by T. J. McLarty.

McLarty is now under indictment on 21 counts in connection with land sales.

Ennis said either Lawrence or Jack Jackson might come in and tell him "this has to go out; let's get it out."

"Incidentally, we're still doing the same thing to a certain extent," Ennis continued, adding by way of explanation: "It's hard to tell what the order (of priority) is anymore. Some of them (the applications) have been in there a terrifically long period of time."

"Disorder is the order?" asked Burckett.

"It's a perfect state of disorder," Ennis answered.

He said one deal involving applications of 12 veterans to buy land in Dallas County had been pending a long time with appraisals on four of the tracts in hand but the other eight never returned.

Ennis said the eight applications had been sitting in a file unacted upon when John Osorio, an administrative assistant to Gov. Allan Shivers, came over after the 1954 Christmas holidays and "asked me what the score was."

Ennis said that after the applications were found, Osorio "asked us to go the appraisals on them—but he didn't ask us to rush them."

"We sent them out, and they're still not back," he testified.

Final Staging Of Minstrel Tonight

Final performance of the eighth annual Lions Minstrel goes on at the City Auditorium at 8 o'clock tonight.

Louis Carothers, director and general chairman, said that he anticipated an increase over Thursday's fair crowd because many families wanted to come on other than a school night.

The show got good response Thursday evening and the audience warmed up as proceedings went along, particularly when the pure minstrel section came on.

However, there were several parts on the first act which got a rousing reception, including a "fairy dance" which followed the ballet by the Farrar pupils. "Libel-race" also made a surprise appearance and drew a big hand from the audience along with "brother George."

There were songs by Nancy Milford and by Dell Phillips, as well as a quartet followed by Dennis Phillips, Dell Phillips, R. B. Hall and James Smith. Leon Sparkman was well received in his firebird dance, done colorfully in appropriate costume. Jack Y. Smith, especially in his timely re-appearance as an angel, scored as Uncle Hiram.

Little Lynn Green, with her mother, Mrs. Leslie Green as accompanist, got a big round of applause.

As the second half, with the Howard County Junior College choir singing and the end men cavorting to the questions of Gil Jones as Mr. Interlocutor, the audience was wowed even more. There were specialties including a tap by Betty Farrar and a Gypsy dance by Mrs. Ruth Clayton, vocals by Dennis Phillips and Mrs. Pat Adams. And at the end there was a surprise package opened on the stage. End men were B. M. Keese, Dr. C. W. Deats, Joe Pickle, Avery Falkner, John Gregory and E. L. Bouillon Jr.

The traditional "candy" sale moved along smoothly with about half of the prizes claimed.

Mrs. Omar Pittman, Mrs. Green and Jack Hendrix were accompanists for the program.

New Air Force Academy Won't Turn Out Pilots

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP)—Lt. Gen. Hubert R. Harmon, head of the Air Force Academy which will open this summer at Colorado Springs, Colo., said last night no pilots will graduate from the new military school.

Speaking before about 500 persons at a celebration of Rotary International's 50th anniversary, Gen. Harmon said the new academy will graduate navigators. "The pilot training will come later," he said.

He said the school would open in July at Lowry Air Force Base, Denver, with about 300 students. He expects to move into permanent buildings at Colorado Springs in 1957. Ground-breaking for the new school will be in April or May, he said.

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP)—Fliers of aviation's old barnstorming and modern jet era joined here in paying homage to the late Bert Acosta, who once flew Adm. Richard Byrd across the Atlantic and who also helped set a world flight endurance mark.

Acosta, a race-car driver as well as a top pilot, died at the Denver Sanatorium of the Jewish Consumptive and Related Diseases last September at 59. He is buried at near-by Burbank.

Several old friends are helping promote a memorial to the aviation pioneer, at the testimonial meeting yesterday it was announced that donations may enable an entire wing of the Denver institution to be set aside for the treatment of tuberculosis and cancer. The wing would be dedicated to Acosta's memory.

Bonds Are Set In Two Check Cases

Charges on which bonds were set yesterday were filed in County Court Nov. 30 and Dec. 16, 1954.

Bail was set at \$500 in each of two cases involving worthless check charges against B. H. Smith Thursday.

Smith posted bond in each of the cases. He also is under \$500 bond in a third check case.

Scattered Cash Is Hard To Find

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio (AP)—Pursued by police after a holdup in Niles that netted \$500 to \$600, two men tossed several hundred dollars in small bills from their speeding pickup truck yesterday.

The patrolmen caught the fleeing pair, but now police say they are looking for motorists who stopped their cars, grabbed up the cash and drove off.

Police identified the pair as Arthur McCann, 27, of Youngstown, and John W. Blair, 26, of Niles, both held on an open charge.

Angelo Businessmen On Good Will Tour

A bus load of San Angelo businessmen canvassed Big Spring for about a half hour this morning on a West Texas "booster" trip.

The trip was sponsored by the San Angelo Board of Development and Chamber of Commerce, and the bus arrived here at 10:15 a.m.

The San Angelo visitors were met at the south city limits by a police escort, and the bus was parked at Third and Main during the short visit. A number of local businessmen met the group.

Swimming Pool Bids Rejected By Forsan Board

FORSAN—All bids for construction of a swimming pool at Forsan School were rejected by trustees of the Forsan Independent School District here Thursday evening.

Trustees felt that proposals ran too high for the project.

The work will be readvertised for March 15, and some alterations will be figured in the new bidding. Trustees are hopeful that this will bring the job well within the money available for the job. Lowest bid submitted Thursday slightly exceeded the \$80,000 voted in bonds last year for school improvements.

Guest Speaker At Pentecostal Church

A guest speaker will conduct services at the United Pentecostal Church Sunday in the absence of the Rev. A. D. Light, who has accepted a pastorate in Llano after serving the local church for one year.

Services will be at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school will be at 10 a.m. and Bible study Wednesday at 7 p.m. A fellowship dinner will follow the morning worship.

MARKETS

WALL STREET — The stock market opened slightly higher today. Activity was brisk but most changes were narrow. Stocks, bonds and futures favored the minus column.

Here were some opening blocks: General Electric 52 1/2 off 1/2 on 2,500 shares; Pennsylvania Railroad 27 1/2 unchanged on 2,000 shares; U. S. Steel 47 1/2 off 1/2 on 1,500 shares; Boeing 82 1/2 off 1/2 on 1,000 shares; Consolidated Edison 44 1/2 off 1/2 on 1,200 shares and American Telephone 180 1/2 off 1/2 on 1,000 shares.

Higher were American Can, Sinclair Oil, Douglas Aircraft, Sears Roebuck and American Cyanamid.

LIVESTOCK — Cattle 200; steady; medium and good slaughter steers 15.00; 22.00; medium and good heifers 13.00; 21.00; beef cows 12.00-13.00; canners and cutters 10.00-11.00; bulls 14.00 down; medium and good slaughter calves 13.00-15.00; 20.00; choice butchers were 17.00; or steady; others asked.

Sheep 40; slaughter lambs and yearlings steady; a few 118 lb lambs 15.50; a few good choice wool slaughter lambs 20.00; medium and good slaughter yearlings 17.00.

COTTON — NEW YORK (AP)—Cotton was 35 cents a bale higher to 19 cents lower at noon today. March 34.50, May 34.75, July 34.25.

Student Travel Advantages Told

NEW YORK (AP)—A student travel expert says visits abroad can be educationally rewarding without being a part of a formal academic curriculum.

John E. Bowman, executive director of the Council on Student Travel, yesterday addressed the National Conference on Exchange of Persons sponsored by the Institute of International Education.

Bowman, discussing "teen-age and summer foreign experience," said the values to be gained by travel abroad "bear examination" from an economic, social and educational viewpoint.

Some 700 foreign student advisers from colleges and universities throughout the nation divided into eight groups headed by past members familiar with various phases of international student or trainee exchanges.

Olaf Olsen, training director of the employ relations department of the Standard-Vacuum Oil Co., urged that all foreign students coming to the United States be subjected to a thorough "industrialization program" to acquaint them with American customs.

The institute is a nonprofit organization administering international exchange programs of students and specialists.

Services Set Today For Mrs. Mullens

Funeral services were set for 4 p.m. today for Mrs. Anna Dora Mullens, 61, who died Thursday morning.

Rev. Jordan Grooms, pastor of the First Methodist Church, will officiate with rites to be conducted in the Eberly-River Funeral Home. Interment will be in the City Cemetery beside the grave of her husband, the late Jack Mullens, who died in 1934.

Palbearers will be Lee Porter, Charles Vines, Lawrence Robinson, Dr. C. W. Deats, H. V. Crocker, Jr., N. Lane, Fred Beckham and Dee Foster.

Big Spring Men Spot Wildcat Three Miles Northwest Of City

Nine new West Texas wildcats, one of them in Howard County, were listed on Railroad Commission records today. A new completion was logged in Howard-Glasscock field, and locations were spotted in the Snyder and Spraberry Deep West fields.

The new Howard County wildcat, Leroy Tidwell and Dr. R. B. G. Cowper's No. 1 J. F. Sellers, is to be drilled about three miles northwest of Big Spring, just off the Andrews Highway.

Royal Oil No. 23 Dora Roberts is the new Howard-Glasscock well. It made the unusually small potential of two barrels of oil in 24 hours on completion test. Lipkin and Devine spotted their Nos. 5, 6, 7 and 8 Susie B. Snyder in the Snyder field, and Seaboard Oil staked its No. 2 Dean in the Spraberry Deep West pool.

Seaboard Oil has filed application to deepen its No. 22 T. J. Good in the Good field of Borden County. It was completed in Pennsylvania time pay above 8,251 feet, but the projected depth is now 8,600 feet for a test of the Ellenburger. Location is 706 from west and 560 from south lines, 36-33-4n, T&P survey.

Magnolia No. 1 York, 660 from south and east lines, 27-97-H&T survey, bored to 6,807 feet in lime and shale.

Choya No. 1 Canon, C NW SW, 47-33-Sn, T&P survey, hit 6,080 feet in lime.

Dawson

Seaboard Oil and Associates No. 2 L. I. Dean, 3,021.7 from south and 2,025.6 from west lines, 38-1-34-Sn, T&P survey, is a location in the Spraberry Deep West (Pennsylvania) field about a half mile south of Midway. It will be drilled to 8,500 feet and a test of the Pennsylvania.

Fisher

General Crude No. 4 Aiken, 660

from south and west lines, 249-3-H&T survey, is a wildcat about 12 1/2 miles west of Longworth in southern Fisher County. It will be drilled to 7,500 feet.

Howard

Tidwell and Cowper of Big Spring staked their No. 1 J. F. Sellers as a wildcat some three miles northwest of Big Spring. It will be drilled to 3,500 feet for a test of the San Andres, and operations are to start at once. Drill site is 330 from south and west lines, north 40 acres, northeast quarter, 23-33-1n, T&P survey. Location is about three-quarters of a mile north of the Andrews Highway.

Royal Oil and Gas Corporation No. 23 Dora Roberts, 990 from west and 920 from north lines, southeast quarter, 136-29-W&NW survey, has been finished for pumping out of two barrels of oil in 24 hours. There was no water. Gravity of oil measured 33 degrees. Total depth is 1,424 feet, the 5 1/2-inch casing goes to 1,424, and pay top is 1,369. Perforations are between 1,369 and 1,430 feet.

Lipkin and Devine of Midland staked four locations in the Snyder field about seven miles south of Coahoma. No. 5 Susie B. Snyder is 990 from south and 330 from east lines, 20-30-1s, T&P survey. No. 6 Snyder is 330 from south and 990 from east lines, and No. 8 Snyder is 990 from south and east lines. All will go to 3,000 feet.

Testimony Near End In Court Martial

The defense was expected to complete the presentation of its evidence this afternoon in the court-martial of Alvin Vincent Price at Webb Air Force Base. Price is accused of murder.

The prosecution rested its case Thursday afternoon, shortly before the overnight recess. Testimony was heard from nine prosecution witnesses Thursday.

Defense attorneys this morning put on one witness and introduced depositions from several others.

The depositions included testimony from the mayor, school authorities and other public officials of Newark, O., Price's hometown. All were to the effect that the defendant enjoyed a good reputation in Newark and that he was of good character.

Price is charged with murder in the death of Robert Knox, another airman, at Webb Air Force Base, Knox died of knife wounds on Dec. 23, 1954.

None of the prosecution witnesses testified that they saw Knox receive injuries. Eight said they were in the area of the base installations building at the base at the time Knox and Price were involved in an argument. The ninth, Maurine Watts, said she worked in Irene's Cafe in Big Spring and that Price was in the establishment on the afternoon of Dec. 23. She said a knife was missing from the cafe afterward.

Other prosecution witnesses were Ssgt. L. L. Woods, Airman George Heights, Robert Carter and M. Martinez, civilian workers at the installation building; A-1c M. Childress, A-1c J. C. Hardnack, A-3c W. Leaks and A-3c V. B. Adams. Heights was called back to the witness stand by the defense for additional testimony this morning.

A seven-member court is hearing the case.

Demo Factions Agree To Talk For 'Harmony'

AUSTIN (AP)—A meeting aimed at restoring "harmony" between Texas conservative Democrats and the national party was arranged here today between Gov. Allan Shivers and Democratic National Chairman Paul M. Butler.

The meeting was announced by John E. McKelvey, Electra attorney, who called himself an "unofficial" self-appointed emissary interested in bringing the two political forces back together.

McKelvey had just returned from Washington where he had talked to Butler about the harmony move.

No specific date was set for the meeting, but McKelvey said he expected it could be arranged "in the next two or three weeks."

He said it would either be during Shivers' next visit to Washington, not yet dated, or when Butler comes to Texas to speak at a meeting of liberal Democrats in Dallas in April.

McKelvey said he thinks there is a good chance that the national Democratic Party might be willing to make concessions to conservative Democrats to win them back to the fold to beat President Eisenhower next year.

"Mr. Butler is in the mood to make party harmony," he said.

Shivers broke with the national party three years ago and left Texas' conservative presidential vote into the Republican column for the second time in the state's history.

McKelvey had just come from a conference with Shivers when he announced arrangement of the Shivers-Butler meeting to newsmen.

"The governor authorized me to say he would be very glad to meet with Mr. Butler. He said he thought it would be in the interests of all concerned and that he feels harmonious views can be worked out," McKelvey said.

Oakies' Mint Plan Now Looks Pretty Dim

WASHINGTON (AP)—Oklahoma's chances of having the U.S. Mint coin two million special half dollars and selling them for \$1 each are thinner than a worn dime.

The Oklahoma Senate on Wednesday passed a resolution urging the step. The idea, not novel one, is to raise a million dollars for the state's 50th birthday in 1957.

If the resolution is laid before Congress, a bill might be passed directing the Mint to turn out the commemorative half dollars.

But the chances that the bill would get by the White House are remote.

The Mint is dead set against the practice. And Eisenhower a year ago vetoed three such bills passed by Congress. They would have ordered coins struck for anniversaries of the Louisiana Purchase and the founding of New York City and Northampton, Mass. Eisenhower said in each of the vetoes he considered it "both wiser and fairer to make known my views on this subject at the outset."

Presidents Hoover, Roosevelt and Truman also vetoed special coinage bills.

The Mint opposes special coins because they break up the uniformity of the nation's coinage and, it says, make counterfeiting easier.

Take Testimony In Conspiracy Trial

LAREDO, Tex. (AP)—Testimony was scheduled to resume before Judges James V. Alford today in Miss Amanda Krueger's conspiracy trial.

The veteran manager of the Laredo Retail Merchants Assn. yesterday waived a jury trial and pleaded innocent.

She is charged with issuing fictitious letters of credit used by aliens to obtain visas to enter the United States.

Sixteen witnesses, including Mexican nationals said to be in this country illegally, testified yesterday. A banker and immigration officials also testified.

Optometrists Have Session In Lamesa

Members of the Plains Optometric Association, with those of the Permian Association as guests, met Thursday evening at Lamesa. This was the regular meeting for the South Plains group, from whom the Permian unit was organized. Thirty-five optometrists from Dimmitt to San Angelo were in attendance. Attending from Big Spring was Dr. Marshall Cauley.

Nolan

A. W. and Blair Cherry No. 1 Oward Everett is a wildcat location about 6 miles northwest of Blackwell. Drillsite is 1,980 from south and 2,234 from west lines, 107-1A-H&T survey, and projected depth is 7,200 feet. A test will be made of the Cambrian.

Schleicher

Gulf No. 1 Mayer, CSE SE, 3-5-GCSH survey, abstract 143, has been staked as a wildcat location 17 miles southwest of El Dorado in Southwest Schleicher. It will be drilled to 8,500 feet for a sample of the Ellenburger.

Sterling

Superior No. 1-116 H. M. Knight, new wildcat in Northeast Sterling County, has changed locations because of surface land conditions. Location is now 335 from north and 660 from east lines, 116-2-H&T survey, about 12 miles northeast of Sterling City.

Tom Green

Paul C. Hess No. 1 Brown, 1,999 from south and 3,092 from east lines, Donovan survey No. 65, will be a 6,500-foot prospect about a mile and three quarters southeast of the disco field. It will test the Ellenburger.

Winkler

Texas Company No. 1-1 J. L. Desmond block will be a prospector staked for a test of the Lower Permian time about eight miles north of Kermit. Drillsite will be CNE NE, 24-74-PS survey, in Northwest Winkler County.

Yoakum

Union Oil No. 1 Claywater et al. C NW NW, 472-D-Gibson survey, will be drilled seven miles southeast of Plains as a 5,500-foot San Andres wildcat.

Police Investigate Two Minor Mishaps

Two minor accidents, apparently without injury, were reported to police here Thursday.

Theresa Storey Wilson, 1709 N. Monticello, and Ena Mae Cook Derrick, Route 1, were drivers of cars which collided at 12:45 p.m. at the intersection of Marijo and Eleventh Place.

Ernest Raymond Blankenship, Forsan, and Roy Leon Jones, Webb Air Force Base, were drivers of cars which were in an accident at Third and San Jacinto about 4:10 p.m.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Considerable cloudiness warmer in Panhandle, South Plains and Big Bend areas. Light rain in Big Bend area. Light rain in Del Rio-Eagle Pass area.

NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS: Considerable cloudiness this afternoon, tonight and Saturday. Warmth tonight and Saturday. Some light rain, mostly in southeast portion Saturday.

SOUTH CENTRAL TEXAS: Mostly cloudy with mild temperatures tonight and Saturday. Windy with some light rain. Moderate northwesterly winds from the coast, becoming fresh southeast Saturday.

CITY	TEMPERATURE	MAX.	MIN.
Abilene		40	33
Albany		40	33
BIG SPRING		48	25
Brewster		47	26
Chico		41	23
Devon		39	23
El Paso		54	40
Galveston		57	38
Houston		60	45
New York		60	32
San Antonio		62	42
St. Louis		47	23
Bull. said today at 4:41 p.m., 12:00 a.m. today at 7:17 a.m.			

Something Special About Today, As Nation Observes Prayer Day

By GEORGE W. CORNELL

NEW YORK (AP)—Today may seem no different than the rest. The same sounds and movements in the streets, the same routines in offices, homes and workshops. But something special will be going on.

It may be unseen, soundless and hidden in men's thoughts. Or it may be whispered, or spoken aloud before crowds. But whatever the form, millions of people around the earth today are making a great, concerted prayer.

This is the World Day of Prayer, and Christians in nearly every country—130 of them—and in most towns and cities in the United States—more than 20,000 of them—are joining in.

At various hours of the day, in

various settings—in churches, hospitals, colleges and factories—groups will gather to bow their heads, to kneel, to give voice to the worldless, universal language. The praying began at daybreak in the Fiji and Tonga islands, just beyond the International dateline.

In the United States, special proclamations were issued by many mayors and governors, calling attention to the observance. It is sponsored nationally by the 10-million-member United Church Women.

While one minute at high noon had been set aside as a time for a minute of concerted prayer to God, central observance of World Day of Prayer was set up for 3 p.m.

Friday in the First Presbyterian Church.

The program is under sponsorship of the United Council of Church Women.

Included were songs by the high school choir under the direction of Orlando Henderson and accompanied by Jack Hendrix, a dramatic skit, "Fruit of the Vine," presented by junior high pupils under direction of Zolzie Mae Hawkins.

Saturday at 10 a.m. in the Wesley Methodist Church there will be a program for children.

The day was set aside here in a proclamation by Mayor G. W. Dabney who urged Big Spring to join in a petition that they be given the wisdom and courage to meet the problems of today.

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FRIDAY EVENING

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Insane Criminals Stage Riots At State Hospital

CROWNSVILLE, Md. (AP)—Insane criminals tore up their maximum security ward last night at Crownsville State Hospital for Negroes, where riots are becoming a harbinger of spring.

The melee was the third in the same building in three years—all of them about this same time. Two attendants were hurt, but only slightly. Two others were trapped in the second-floor ward by the screaming patients but were later released unharmed.

Leo Jolin, supervisor of night shift attendants in C Building, which houses criminal patients, was beaten about the head by the rioters. Anthony Moles was stabbed with a splinter of wood.

The riot at the hospital eight miles north of Annapolis broke out about supper time. It ended two hours later when 60 Anne Arundel County policemen talked their way into the barricaded ward. About 15 state troopers also were on hand.

Iraq In West Lineup With Turkish Pact

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP)—Iraq took up a post in the Western defense lineup today after signing a mutual defense pact with Turkey. She was the first Arab state to forsake a neutral role in the East-West cold war.

In Cairo, a high government spokesman promptly declared Egypt would call a meeting of all Arab League nations except Iraq and demand the expulsion of the Baghdad government and revision of the league agreement.

If the demand is not heeded, he added, Egypt will either withdraw from the eight-nation group or renounce any commitment to defend Iraq. The Arab League is a collective security alliance. Egypt, generally acknowledged as its leader, has insisted the Arabs should stick to their neutralist position and depend on themselves for defense.

Defying Egyptian threats, Iraqi Premier Nuri Said signed the agreement with Turkey last night after six hours of almost continuous discussions with Turkish Premier Adnan Menderes. Menderes flew here Wednesday for the ceremony.

Turkey is a member of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Her pact with Iraq is the first to link an Arab state specifically for defense against any Communist aggression in the Middle East.

The other Arab League members are Egypt, Syria, Lebanon, Jordan, Saudi Arabia, Yemen and Libya.

The two premiers and their advisers worked out last-minute revisions of the pact, some believed aimed at meeting objections voiced by other Arab states.

An informed source said one clause provided that no other country could join the alliance without the agreement of both original signers.

er the "new" were off, the girls realized there was no common ground on which to build.

Boys may think the dating world is run only by them, but the feminine gender whisper their yeases and no's and woe be unto the man who tries to forget it.

(For a personal answer from Beverly Brandow, write her in care of The Herald, enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope.)

Dulles Has Birthday
BANGKOK (AP)—U.S. Secretary of State Dulles observed his 67th birthday today. Members of the U.S. delegation to the Manila Pact and a silver cigarette case and embassy employes sang "Happy Birthday."

"He was a sloppy dresser and I was ashamed to be seen with him," was the reason some gave. "He came to see me in blue jeans and a dirty, loose-hanging shirt, like I didn't matter and wasn't worth trying to impress."

"He didn't know what was expected of him as a date," others complained. "He was at a loss to know what to do. He didn't know when to stand and when to sit or how to change partners at a dance, or on which side of me to sit. He tumbled around and made me nervous."

Other reasons were immaturity. In that the boys either could not or would not discuss anything more serious than the local movie, and jealousy. Today's girls have an independent spirit and won't stand for a date who tells them who not to talk with and who not to dance with.

"He liked too many girls" or "He kept me guessing too much" others said. "He thought I was his and should be cheerful and uplifting to his spirits and willing to pet with him, and equally willing to let him drop out of my life for weeks, only to take him back with no questions asked."

A large number claimed, "He was too conceited. He implied once too often I was lucky to have a date with him."

The majority were dropped because of boredom. The girls said, "He lacked imagination, and his idea of a date was always a movie."

Many boys who were dated only a few times and dropped over to a difference in backgrounds. After

Work On Labor Merger Plans

WASHINGTON (AP)—The heads of the AFL and CIO meet today to start drafting a constitution for a merger of the two major labor organizations.

President Walter Reuther of the CIO announced his plans to meet with AFL President George Meany after the merger agreement won strong approval from the CIO Executive Board yesterday.

Only the CIO Transport Workers Union opposed the merger, contending the agreement contained "absolutely no guarantee to prevent cannibalism when we get into the AFL."

The new constitution, when it is completed, must be approved by the executive boards of the two union groups, then by separate conventions, and finally by a joint convention of the two.

Accused Slayer To Be Hospitalized

WICHITA FALLS (AP)—The Sheppard Air Force Base civilian instructor who is charged with murder in the slaying of a colonel may be hospitalized today.

The accused man, William F. Sink, has eaten nothing and has taken only one glass of water since he was jailed Wednesday, police said last night.

Sheriff Weldon Bailey said Sink has shown a complete lack of interest since being jailed after the shooting of Lt. Col. Carl G. Carlson, 43, of Spokane, Wash., and Capt. Marvin J. Marchesi, 34, of Los Angeles.

Carlson was killed and Marchesi remained in critical condition last night in the base hospital. The latter underwent brain surgery Wednesday night.

Sink's wife and attorneys visited him yesterday, but the prisoner showed no recognition or interest in their presence, the sheriff said.

Tibet Leaders Host To Commie Chiefs

TOKYO (AP)—The Dalai Lama and Panchen Lama of Tibet were hosts yesterday to Mao Tse-tung and other Chinese Communist leaders in Peking, the Red radio said today. Mao, who is suspected of holding the Dalai Lama in Peking while the Communists solidify their control of Tibet, drank a toast to his hosts. The occasion was the Tibetan New Year.

UNCLE RAY'S CORNER



A pantographer at work.

There was a time when it cost a large sum for a woman to buy a cotton dress with pretty pictures or designs on the cloth. The work was done by hand for each dress.

Nowadays we have art work in the dress industry, but it is common for girls and women to buy "print dresses." Such dresses have patterns which were placed on the cloth by printing presses of a special kind.

Some cloth is "engraved" instead of being printed. There are several methods of engraving, and one popular way is to use the pantograph. A feature of the pantograph method is the fact that sev-

eral colors can be placed on the cloth in an accurate manner.

Let us suppose that an expert in this field gets ready to engrave with red, green, blue and yellow. Working from a master design, he places all red parts on the "red roller." In the same way he transfers the blue parts on the design to another roller, and the green and yellow parts to two others.

The printing press then transfers the red, yellow, blue and green parts of the design from the four rollers to the cloth. The final result is a design which matches the original closely.

Several other methods of cloth printing are used. These include hand-block printing. Also hand printing through silk screens.

During the past 200 years, a big increase has taken place in the world's population. At the same time there has been a mighty upward climb in industry. Thanks to large scale production, people now obtain more cloth with less effort than was the case in centuries past.

Millions of workers carry on the work of spinning and weaving in the United States, the British Isles, India, Japan and other lands.

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by EDITH G. NEISSER, author of the award-winning book, "Brothers and Sisters"

One of the ironies of parenthood is that the better a mother and father are at it, the more lost they feel when their children grow up. Yet this is the ideal time for parents to acquire new interests, to go places and do things they were unable to do when the children were still young. In this thoughtful article, you'll learn how to make the most of this "second chance for parents."

..... PLUS

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Fashions: "Miracles of Spring" by Allyn Rice

Do-It-Yourself: "How to Find a Shoe Closet" by Charles Bollinger

The Family Weekly Cookbook:

"Tuna: Economical, Nutritious, Flavorful"

Bring Your Home up-to-date: "Table Lamps in a New Light"

by Ruth W. Lee

And for the youngsters: "The Junior Treasure Chest" edited by Majorie Burrows

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DIXIE DUGAN
NANCY
LIT ABNER
BLONDIE
ANNIE ROONEY
SNUFFY SMITH
GRANDMA
DONALD DUCK

BUZ SAWYER
OVER THE ARCTIC, PLANE CIRCLE TO MAKE A SIMULATED ATTACK ON THE TASK FORCE.
BUZ TAKES OFF TO MAKE A ROUTINE INTERCEPTION. THE WEATHER'S COLD—40 BELOW—AND CLEAR.
GREAT SCOTT! RECALL THE PLANES IMMEDIATELY.
WHEN SUDDENLY AND WITHOUT WARNING THE SWEEP'S IN TO BLOT OUT THE TASK FORCE.

DIXIE DUGAN
WHAT ON EARTH IS YOUR PA GOING TO DO WITH A GATTLE?
I SUPPOSE—
CRAZY! I DON'T THINK IT'S SO CRAZY. I ADMIRE DAVE'S SPIRIT.
I'M SORT OF ANXIOUS TO SEE WHERE MY EARLY ANCESTORS LIVED.
OH, DIXIE! IT'S YOUR PA.

NANCY
I JUST SAW A WONDERFUL NEW MOVIE
WHO'S IN IT?
IT'S FULL OF NEW STARS—
AND THEY DON'T TALK—MUST BE THE LATEST THING OUT
NOW SHOWING
FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN
WILLIAM S. HART
PEARL WHITE
FATTY ARBUCKLE
BEN TURPIN
MABEL NORMAND
RUDOLPH VALENTINO

LIT ABNER
IT'S FREEZING IN HERE!
NATURALLY, SURE! THAT MOUNTAIN OF ICE, OUTSIDE, LOWERS THE TEMPERATURE FASTER THAN WE CAN RAISE THE HEAT!
WHAT MOUNTAIN OF ICE?—E-GAD!!
YOU SOLD US THIS SLOB-ICE, BUT THESE SLOBBOVIAN CAME WITH IT! TAKE IT BACK!
I'LL DUMP MINE HERE!
DUMP ME GENTLY PLIZZ! I BRUISE IZZLY!
WELL—IF EVERYBODY RETURNS THEIR SLOB-ICE, BULLMOOSE WILL BE SURROUNDED BY ALL SLOBBOVIA—AND WHAT'S WORSE, ALL SLOBBOVIANST!

BLONDIE
OH, NOW, JOHNNY, YOU DON'T REALLY THINK I'M BEAUTIFUL DO YOU?
SURE, COOKE, YOU'RE A SLICK CHICK
BLONDIE—QUICK—COME OUT HERE AND LISTEN TO THIS CONVERSATION
WELL, YOU DON'T WANT ME TO BE AN OLD MAID, DO YOU?
OKAY, JOHNNY, THEY'VE GONE

ANNIE ROONEY
NO, MISS CALLIE—NO WORD OF ZERO YET—NO, I HAVEN'T CALLED ANNIE—NO NEED TO ALARM HER—ZERO MAY YET—TURN UP AT PRINCE HALL—
MEANWHILE
SO LONG, GUS—HEY, WAIT—YOU PAID ME FOR EVERYTHING BUT THE FRANKFURTERS—
FRANKFURTERS? YOU DIDN'T BRING ME NO FRANKFURTERS—
I AIN'T GOT TIME TO PLAY GAMES—I LEFT 'EM ON THAT BARREL WHEN I BRUNG IN THE STEAKS!!
IF THEY WAS THERE I'D A-SEEN 'EM—LOOK, MAC—YOU TRIVIN' TO PITCH A CURVE??

SNUFFY SMITH
I'LL SAY ONE THING FER YE, SHERIFF SMIF—YE SHORE SARVE MIGHTY FINE VITTLES
THANKY, SUT
THAT THAR BOWL OF SALAT WUZ EXTRY SPECIAL GOOD
HMPH!!
THAT'S TH' LAST TIME I'LL PURTY UP YORE TRAY WIF NASHTURSHUMS

GRANDMA
GEE, GRANDMA, ARE YOU WRITIN' ANOTHER NOTE T' YOURSELF?
OH, SURE, I DO IT EACH MORNIN', REGULAR!!
TILL YOU GET MY AGE, YA JUST WON'T KNOW...
...HOW EXCITIN' IT IS T' GET A LETTER EVERY DAY!

DONALD DUCK
LOUIE, I WANT YOU TO MEET JUDDY!
HER DADDY HAS THE BAKERY! AND HER...
UNCLE OWNS THAT VACANT LOT THAT THE CIRCUS ALWAYS USES!
...HOW EXCITIN' IT IS T' GET A LETTER EVERY DAY!

JOE PALOOKA
WELL... WE GOT OUT- FITTER PRETTY REASNALE, IT'S SUPPRIN!
I GOT A HOLT A MABEL AN' GOTRUDE, THEY'RE SO HAPPY 'THEAR, WE'RE IN TOWN THEY WANTA TREAT US T'NINNER.
THAT'S AGAINST MY PRINCIPLES! WE'LL TAKE 'EM OUT BUT THEY AIN'T TREATIN'!
I THOT WE GOTTA SAVE DOUGH! YOU AN' VER, PRINCIPLES!
I'M GON' IN TH' BARBER SHOP AN' GET TH' WORKS. SEE YA LATER.
OKAY, KEEB.

SCORCHY SMITH
PROBABLY AN ENEMY FROM EARTH. I WILL WARN THE MOON PEOPLE!
HEY! HE'S HEADING BACK TOWARD THE MOON!
WOULDN'T IT BE JOLLY IF THEY TOOK EXCEPTION TO OUR LANDING?
I'LL SAY IT WOULD! WHY, I'D TEAR 'EM APART!!

OAKY DOAKS
WHO SAID "POOH"?
I DID, MURDOCK!
...I GUESS YOU THINK YOUR MAGIC IS MORE POWERFUL THAN MY GOLDEN TOUCH!
LET'S FIND OUT PRINCESS SADIM!
HA, HA, HA! HE, HE, HE, HE! HA!

POGO
BURNIN' FEATHERS IS THE A. NO. 1 CURE FOR HICCUPS WHERE I COME FROM, WOODRUFF! OPPONENT.
THERE YOU ARE SIR—
NIC-NIC! NIC-NIC!
NIC-NIC! HALP! HALP! NIC-NIC!
DAMNAB! IF WE WAS BACK IN PROVIDENCE WHERE I COME FROM, YOU'D BE CURED.
FIRE! NIC HELP HELD NIC-FIRE-NIC.

DICKIE DARE
IF I AST 'EM THEY WOULDN'T LET ME COME!
BUT BIG DICK'S IN DANGER... THEY WENT INTO THE SHED... NOW'S MY CHANCE!
WE'LL STASH THESE TOOLS.
ALL SET, HUCK?
IN SHE GOES, DICK!
IT'LL BE A TEST, ALL RIGHT! LOOK AT THE SEAS BREAKING OUT THERE!
A TEST FOR SHIP AND CREW, EH, DICK?

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ACROSS
1. Edible tuber
4. Bitter vetch
7. Pressed
12. Chum
13. Burmese hill dweller
14. Poor
15. Ascending
17. Turning machine
18. Part of the ear
19. Deduce
21. Sneak
23. Medieval Dutch scholar
27. Traps
29. Armpit
30. Roundups
33. Formed
35. Milkfish
36. Become dry
37. Freemason
40. Distributes
44. Resume
46. Dismounted
47. Fanatical
50. Large and heavy
52. Amid
53. Seaweed
54. Novel
55. Squander
56. Sleep
57. Worm
DOWN
1. Iridescent
2. Released
3. Obtain
3. Excuse
4. Yale letter
5. Hindu queen
6. Signatory
7. Newly gathered
8. Raised
9. Obtain
10. Angla Saxon letter
11. Stain
12. Meaning
13. Be indebted
14. Stream barrier
15. Regions
16. Shakes
17. Stamp
18. Bring into line
19. Resides
20. Meat dishes
21. Merchant
22. Uncooked
23. Chalice
24. Genus of the cow
25. Collection

The Herald's Entertainment Page Of Top Comics



Tanker Plane Wreckage

Air Force security police guard the burned-out wreckage of a KC-97 air tanker plane which crashed on a farm hedgerow near Windsor, Mo., killing nine of the 11 Air Force men aboard. The plane, out on what the Air Force called a routine refueling training mission, apparently caught fire in the air. Its tremendous tanks exploded when it hit the ground. Two crew members parachuted to safety. (AP Wire-photo).

Communist Youth Called On To Lead Campaign For Corn, American Style

By STANLEY JOHNSON
MOSCOW (U)—The Communist party today called on its youth division to spearhead a vigorous campaign to grow corn in the American style.

This was in line with a speech by party chief Nikita S. Khrushchev last month praising American farming methods, particularly in planting more corn to feed livestock. Failure in the field of agriculture was one of the main reasons cited by Georgi M. Malenkov when he resigned as premier Feb. 8.

The appeal to young farmers was made by the Central Committee of the Young Communist League (Komsomol). It was de-

scribed by Tass and published in all Soviet newspapers. Western observers have expressed skepticism over the ability of Soviet agriculture to copy the American system of corn-hog production, due to climatic conditions in this country. The Komsomol appeal does not admit this difficulty, saying:

"Corn is truly a wonderful plant. It grows excellently in the South of our land and also, under conditions, in the North."

The statement called on Komsomol members and other rural youth "to start actively growing corn in every corner of our country."

The Komsomol statement coin-

cides with the thunder of recent criticism in the Soviet press against the poor performance of agriculture. It said that "growing corn everywhere is the key which opens the door to a storehouse which is rich with milk, meat, and butter." It declared that meat production "is lagging behind" other industries.

"The Communist party is paying first attention to the upsurge of heavy industry, which forms the firm basis of all national economy and the impregnable defensive capacity of our land," the statement added.

The appeal told young farmers to get together with leaders on collective and state farms to follow the best methods for increasing corn production. Among the specific methods advised was sowing corn in square fields to facilitate maximum mechanization. This approximates the American method and differs from the scattered strip method hitherto used widely in Russia.

Famed Statue Moves From China City To Hollywood

LOS ANGELES (U)—Quan Yin is coming up in the world. She's moving to Beverly Hills.

Quan Yin, a five-foot clay statue

of the Chinese goddess of mercy, has stood in Los Angeles' "Old China City" since 1937.

She was ankle deep in the Pond of Promises and in the dreams and wishes of lovers and tourists who threw pennies at her feet.

But today Quan Yin is on the way out. Old China City, with its twisting streets and curio shops, is being torn down.

Frank Martin, one of the owners of the property, said the city will be razed to make room for a parking lot. He intends to put Quan Yin in the back yard of his Beverly Hills home.

Quan Yin stood at the entrance of the tiny walled replica of old China, built when the Union Station crowded many shops out of the older Chinese quarter.

Millions of tourists have walked past the statue and into the crooked streets of the city. They have passed down alleys that smacked of streets off Bubbling Well road in Shanghai, explored shops, taken rickshaw rides. They have eaten the great Irish dish of chop suey, served up with chopsticks at the Fong Fong house.

Today it's a different scene. Walls are coming down. Electric saws whirr through timber. Nails cry as workmen pull them like teeth.

Quan Yin stands alone in the Pond of Promises. A few goldfish undulate past her feet. No pennies splash about her.

But maybe it's all for the best. After all, how long can a girl live on promises?

Lorraine Man's Services Today

COLORADO CITY—Worth Ralston Bruce of Lorraine died in a Sweetwater Hospital early Thursday morning after an illness of several weeks.

Bruce was born Aug. 20, 1899, in Comanche County and had lived in Lorraine since 1907. He was a farmer and a member of the First Methodist Church of Lorraine and had married Pearl Bright in Lorraine, January 14, 1931.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 4:30 p.m. from the First Methodist Church in Lorraine with the Rev. Rufus Kitchens, former pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. Harold Morris, pastor. Burial is to be in the Lorraine Cemetery under the direction of Kiker and Son of Colorado City. The body will lie in state at the church from 1 to 4:30 p.m.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bruce of Lorraine, his wife, three sons, Ralston Bruce of Jayton and Ronald and Byron Bruce of Lorraine; five brothers, Marshall Bruce of Lorraine, Malcolm Bruce of Colorado City, Robert Bruce of Snyder, Rev. Oscar Bruce of Ralls and Rev. Duane Bruce of Phillips; two sisters, Miss Isla Bruce of Washington, D. C. and Mrs. John Mulroy of Vallejo, Calif.

Veterans Benefits Are Not Taxable

WASHINGTON (U)—Veterans were reminded today that any Veterans Administration benefit payments they have received need not be counted in figuring their federal income taxes.

Death benefits to families of deceased veterans also are exempt from federal taxation, said an announcement from the Veterans Administration and Internal Revenue Service.

Bomb Blast Brings Verdict For Damages

BRIDGETON, N.J. (U)—Leon Fralinger installed a homemade bomb to protect his summer cottage on Delaware Bay from trespassers. Frank Gordon, of Spring City, Pa., an ironworker, says he entered the unlocked cottage in 1951 to get warm and set off the bomb. He lost two fingers. Yesterday Fralinger was ordered in Atlantic County Court to pay Gordon \$2,000 damages.

Let 'Em Stack Up

CHICAGO (U)—Edward Hawthorne, 31, a laborer, was fined \$1,225 for 30 traffic tickets, some dating back to 1934.

YOU'RE RIGHT: BE CAREFUL

LINTHICUM HEIGHTS, Md. (U)—State trooper Joseph White lectured to the Linticum Heights Methodist Men's Club last night on the horrors of reckless driving.

He showed the 63 members a safety film and emphasized in his talk that 90 per cent of highway accidents are caused by defective drivers.

Then he left and the club went into its business session. Suddenly the trooper came back.

"This is embarrassing," he told Frederick Lang, "I just knocked a dent in your door."

The safety lecturer had backed his cruiser into the listener's car. White made arrangements for repairs.

Cold Continues In North U.S.

By The Associated Press
Cold weather continued over most of the northern two-thirds of the country today with the northern Midwest getting subzero blasts.

The icy air moderated as it moved into the East but temperatures were 15 to 25 degrees lower than yesterday morning.

The cold center clung to the upper Mississippi Valley with readings in most areas below zero. It was 11 below at Houghton, Mich.

A new, small cold air mass invaded north central Montana and temperatures at Cut Bank dropped to 6 below, 29 degrees colder than temperatures up over the northern Rockies and some of the Western Plains.

The below-freezing was across the northern two-thirds except for coastal areas. In the Southland readings were generally in the 40s, with 50s and 60s along the coast and in most of Florida.

Only light precipitation was reported during the night.

Big Spring (Texas) Herald, Fri., Feb. 25, 1955

Wide Jury Exemptions Voted For Texas Women

AUSTIN (U)—The House approved overwhelmingly yesterday a bill to give women sweeping exemptions from jury service that would otherwise be required by a constitutional amendment adopted last year.

There was no immediate effort to gain final passage.

Other House action included passing and sending to the Senate a compromise uranium leasing bill.

City Of Lewisville Will Be Paid All Of Its Deposits

LEWISVILLE, Tex. (U)—Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. says the city of Lewisville will be repaid the money it had on deposit in the First National Bank here when the bank was closed.

The FDIC ruled that the city's eight accounts in the bank were separate and apart from each other. Therefore, said the government agency, each account was protected by the FDIC's \$10,000 maximum.

Reach Settlement In Clerks' Strike

SAN FRANCISCO (U)—Sixty-nine stores closed in the bay area by a three-week strike of Local 648 of the AFL Grocery Clerks were to open today as result of a settlement last night. The Retail Grocers Assn. ratified a tentative agreement for a 23 weekly general wage increase from the present \$83 scale.

Although Panama is the site of the first Spanish colony on the mainland of the New World, some of its territory has not yet been explored.

after two days of bitter debate. The final vote was 80-42.

The Senate met only 20 minutes, heard introduction of four bills, including one to require all college students to take a course in American history, and then adjourned for the weekend. The House also quit for the weekend.

Rep. DeWitt of Corpus Christi, author of the women jurors bill, said House amendments had so riddled his measure that probably not more than 10 per cent of Texas women would be obligated for jury service.

Texas voted in the November general election to require women to serve on juries, subject to whatever exemptions the Legislature might provide by law.

Moisture 'Way Off

DENVER (U)—January precipitation was less than normal in each of Colorado's five drainage areas, the U.S. Weather Bureau reported today. The Rio Grande basin received only .18 inch of moisture during the month, compared with a norm of .87.

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Floods Ravage N. South Wales

SYDNEY, Australia (U)—The worst floods in recent years ravaged nearly 100,000 square miles of New South Wales state today. Five persons were reported dead.

Floodwaters swirled through at least 50 towns between Sydney and the Queensland border, forcing thousands from their homes.

Torrential rains spilled scores of rivers over their banks.

Among the worst hit communities were Singleton, a town of 4,300 in the Hunter River Valley about 80 miles north of Sydney, and Matildra, a town of 30,000 about 30 miles downstream. Singleton was covered by water 20 feet deep in some places.

Two men were electrocuted at

Matildra when a helicopter attempting to rescue them crashed, pitching them from a rope ladder onto a power line.

Three persons died when floodwaters swept a truck off a bridge at Singleton.

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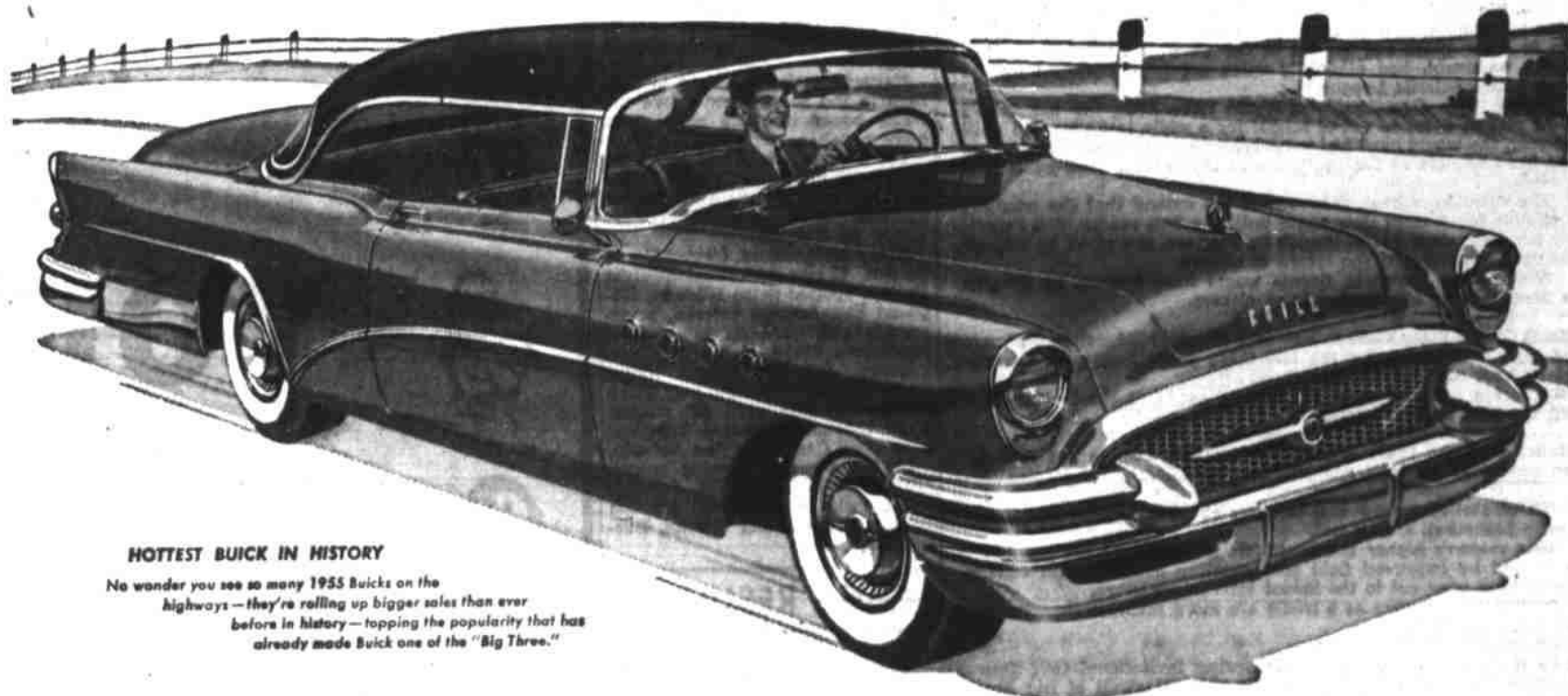
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Demaret Is Surprised Leader At Houston

By MAX B. SKELTON
HOUSTON, Tex. (U) — Jimmy Demaret, who has broken par only six times in 25 rounds in the eight-year-old Houston Open, was the surprising leader today as the second round began in the winter tour's richest tournament.

Demaret took four strokes off par on the back nine yesterday to post a 6-under 66 for the 7,300-yard Memorial Park course.

Ed Furgol, National Open champion from St. Louis, was the only other player to match Demaret's 32 on the final nine and for the first time in the history of the tournament the colorful Jimmy led the field.

The 66 left Demaret one stroke ahead of Bill Trombley, of Dallas. Tied at 68 were Furgol, Jack Burke Jr., who works with Demaret at Klamath Lake, N. Y., and Wesley Ellis, young Riverside, N. J., pro making his first swing of the winter tour.

In seven previous tournaments, Demaret, 44, has finished no higher than third and has collected only \$1,611 in prize money. He finished 73rd last year.

But he had his putter working beautifully yesterday.

He missed five greens on the front nine but made the turn with a two-under 34 by taking birdies on the first green with a 25-foot putt and on the eighth with two putts.

Eight strokes off the pace at 74 were Dave Douglas, the defending champion from Newark, Del., and Cary Middlecoff, the pretournament favorite from Klamath Lake.

Rex Baxter Jr., Walker Cup alternate from the University of Houston, was the day's leading amateur. Grouped with him at 69 were Doug Ford, Klamath Lake; Eric Monti, Los Angeles; John Barnum, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Joe Jimenez, Midlothian, Ill.; Mike Dietz, Lake Orion, Mich.; Tom Burke Jr., Pasadena, Tex.; and Ed Carpenter, San Antonio.

Top Amateur Athlete

Mal Whitfield of Los Angeles, two-time Olympic 880-meter track champion, holds the Sullivan Trophy awarded him in New York as the nation's outstanding amateur athlete of 1954. The trophy is awarded annually by the Amateur Athletic Union to the "amateur athlete who by performance, example and good influence did most to advance the cause of good sportsmanship during the year." (AP Wirephoto).

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Tommy Hart

Maurice Herron, a little fellow who casts a tall shadow for the Webb Air Base basketball team, knist Wes Santee, the loquacious but elegant runner, when both were in the University of Kansas.

Maurice says Wes was always pretty sure of himself and his running ability.

The Big Spring High School girls' volleyball team, host club in the tournament now going on here, is experiencing rockier going than in other years but the lot of the Steerettes would have improved, no doubt, had eligibility rules not been stiffened by the Texas Interscholastic League.

Bernie Rice Gammon, who would have been the net team's tallest player, dropped out of school for a while last year. Up until this year, she would have had to be in classes only 90 days and would have been eligible at the beginning of the season. That holds true no more.

The rules have been reformed to the extent that she wouldn't be eligible for A team duty again until the 1956 season. She reportedly has left school again. If such be the case, she won't be eligible next year, even should she return to classes.

With Louise Burchett, Bernie would have teamed up to give the Steerettes an excellent pair of spikers.

North Texas State College has sent Physical Education instructors to the local tournament for the last three years and, quite obviously, the visits have paid off for the school.

Big Spring has had eight PE majors enroll at the Denton school during the past several years.

Danville of the Class B Carolina Baseball League has sold 4,500 season tickets at \$10 each and still isn't satisfied.

NCAA statistics show that screams about the bonus free throw rules in basketball are all wet.

This season's higher scores, insists a spokesman for the body, are caused by improved field goal shooting and fouls (in college games) have been cut to the lowest total in six years.

Perhaps the players as a whole are more accurate than they've ever been before.

Two one-time entries in the Big Spring Invitational Golf Tournament, Ernie Vossler of Fort Worth and Billy Maxwell of Big Spring, finished in an exact tie in the recent Texas Open at San Antonio.

Vossler gained four strokes on Billy on the final 18 holes to equal Maxwell's 18-hole total of 273.

Each lacked four strokes of finishing in the money.

Billy started off well enough, shooting a 65 the first day, but then turned in rounds of 70-70-74.

Ernie had a 71 the first day, improved on that by two strokes his next two rounds and then came in with a 70 on the final day.

East Texas State College at Commerce will probably be the next school to enter the Gulf Coast Athletic Conference, which now has grown to four members.

CROZIER TECH ASSURED OF BERTH IN TOURNEY

By JOE BENHAM
The Associated Press
Dallas Crozier Tech, sure of a second straight trip to the state basketball tournament, leads the list of interested observers Friday as Pampa tried for a third straight journey to the Austin meet.

Tech wrapped up its bid to the March 3-5 competition with a 48-35 victory over Fort Worth Polytechnic Thursday night. The victory was Tech's second straight in the best-of-three bi-district series.

Pampa, winner of two straight state championships in Class AAAA and the team that beat Tech in last year's finals, seeks a similar decision against El Paso Jefferson at Pampa.

The Harvesters of District 1-AAAA hold a one-game advantage over the 2-AAAA champions as a result of a 58-43 victory in the opener of their best-of-three bi-district series Tuesday night.

If a third game is necessary, it will be Saturday night at Pampa.

The other teams finished up bi-district competition last night with victories that meant bids to the state meet.

Hawks, Decatur In First Game

Howard County Junior College, winner of the Region V Basketball Tournament in Amarillo this week, won't rest on its laurels until the National Juco Tournament next month.

The Hawks open play in the Texas Junior College Conference Tournament in College Station next Wednesday, meeting Decatur in a first round game.

Champions and runners-up in each zone of the conference are entered in the College Station meet. HCJC and Odessa will represent the West Zone.

HCJC and Decatur meet at 4 p.m. Wednesday.

Ed Furgol, winner of the Phoenix Open in 1954, finished 18th this year. Gene Littler won the title this time.

HCJC JAYHAWKS HAVE AVERAGED 80.6 A GAME, OPPOSITION 67.6

In winning 28 of 31 games played to date, the Howard County Junior College Jayhawks have averaged 80.6 points a game, compared to 67.6 for the opposition.

Jim Knotts paces the Hawks in individual scoring, although he has missed four games due to injuries. The Doyle, La., sophomore has counted a total of 510 points for an average of 18.5 a game.

No less than six of the local collegians are averaging better than ten points a game each. The others are Paschal Wickard (15.5), Ronald Anderson (10.4), Arlen White (10.4), Ray Crooks (10.4) and Wiley Brown (10.1).

Individual figures:
Jim Knotts 510
Paschal Wickard 155
Ronald Anderson 104
Arlen White 104
Ray Crooks 104
Wiley Brown 101
Jimmy Robinson 54
Jimmy Castleberry 54
John Carlin 27
Phil Stovall 16
Oakley Hagood 16
Jack Williams 9
Paul Kainebest 7
Jimmy Spears 10
Opp. 510

Sporty Harvey Suffers Loss

DALLAS (U) — Buddy Turman of Tyler dropped Sporty Harvey three times in 10 rounds last night to cop a unanimous decision over the San Antonio Negro.

Some 2,252 fans watched as Turman took the decision in the first mixed boxing match held legally in Texas.

Turman, trimmed to 177 pounds, spotted the veteran San Antonio truck driver 19 pounds but never was in danger although Harvey landed more than a half dozen jolting body punches in the close-in battling.

Turman fought his best at long range, using his strong left hook with telling effect. He caught Harvey with the punch midway the first round and that was enough to teach Harvey he had to stay in close.

Harvey carried the fight to Turman in the second and drove the white boxer into the ropes with body punches.

The 8-round semifinal stole the show with unbeaten George Carter of Fort Worth scoring a unanimous decision over LaMoine (Babe) Vance of Quinlan.

Henry Miramontes, former Texas Golden Gloves bantamweight champ, spotted Selo Hildago, 125-pound San Antonio veteran, seven rounds and went on to score a unanimous decision.

Henry Johnson, Dallas Negro welterweight, racked the only quick decision of the card by scoring a first round technical knockout over Tony Castillo of San Antonio.

In the 6-round opening match Gilbert de la Garza, 158, San Antonio, posted a unanimous decision over a New Orleans veteran, Buster Price, 162.

CAGE RESULTS

TEXAS' SCHOOLBOY BASKETBALL
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Dallas Crozier Tech (4-AAAA) 48, Fort Worth Polytechnic (3-AAAA) 35 (Tech wins best-of-3 bi-district series, 2-0)
Beaumont (3-AAAA) 36, Houston Jeff Davis (4-AAAA) 35 (Beaumont wins best-of-3 bi-district series, 2-0)
El Paso (4-AAA) 80, Sherman (3-AAA) 70 (El Paso wins best-of-3 bi-district series, 2-0)

EAST
St. John (Hkn) 86, NYU 80
Albany 72, Ohio 67
Wagner 72, Moravian 71
Boston College 84, Northeastern 80
St. Francis (Ind.) 70, Iowa 61
Manhattan 84, Brooklyn College 71

SOUTH
Maryland 87, Georgetown (DC) 62 (2 overtimes)
Furman 124, Clemson 87
Spring Hill 80, Mississippi Southern 71
McNeese 84, Southeastern Louisiana 84

MIDWEST
Marquette 84, Notre Dame 74
Western Illinois 101, Michigan Normal 71
Whitson 84, Elmhurst 71
St. John (Minn) 78, Concordia (Minn) 67

SOUTHWEST
New Mexico A&M 82, Arizona 63
Arkansas State 110, Union (Tenn) 81
Henderson 71, Southern State (Ark) 69
East Texas Baptist 74, Louisiana College 69
Midwestern 70, North Texas 59
Arkansas A&M 74, College of Our Lady 63
Mexican All-Stars 61, Portland University 54

Kentucky IAC Tourney (1st round)
Kentucky Wesleyan 80, Bellarmine 71 (2 overtimes)
Georgetown (Ky) 72, Centre 67
Sera 71, Ohio (Ky) 69
West Virginia Tourney (quarterfinals)
Marshall University 80, West 81
Concord 81, Glenville 68
Fairmont 82, West Virginia Wesleyan 83
Alderson Broaddus 107, Potomac 71
North State Tourney (1st round)
High Point 81, East Carolina 61
Lehigh 81, Appalachian 81

Ohio Valley Tourney (1st round)
Western Kentucky 80, Tennessee Tech 68
Morehead (Ky) 121, Middle Tennessee 68
Central IAA Tourney (1st round)
Maryland State 86, North Carolina A&T 87
Winston-Salem 88, West Virginia State 72
Moran State 78, North Carolina College 68
Virginia Union 70, St. Augustine 63
Southern IAC Tourney (1st round)
Pitt 83, Alabama A&M 85
Florida A&M 74, New Orleans Xavier 68
Conville 104, Allen (Ga) 88
Morehouse 87, Alabama State 84
Florida A&M 84, Morris Brown 71 (2nd round)
Pitt 71, Bethune-Cookman 87 (2nd round)
National JC Reunion (1st round)
Trenton 88, Erie County (N.Y.) Tech 68
72, Central Missouri 28

Furman's starting backfield returns this fall. The backfield includes quarterback Jimmy Boyle, halfbacks Joe Appello and John Popson and fullback Bob Dellinger.

Saddler Places Feather Crown On Line Tonight

By MURRAY ROSE
NEW YORK (U) — Featherweight champion Sandy Saddler finally takes his crown out of the deep freeze tonight against little old Teddy (Red Top) Davis in a title 15-rounder in Madison Square Garden.

This is the skinny, 28-year-old champion's first title defense in 41 months and he's a surprisingly low 7-5 favorite to beat the 31-year-old ex-railroad cook from Hartford, Conn.

On their records, Sandy (139-12-2) should be at least 3-1 over Davis (59-47-2), the "losingest" challenger of all time. If he wins, Red Top will be the oldest guy ever to capture the 126-pound diamond.

Maybe the odds are so small because virtually everyone has forgotten there's such a thing as a featherweight king. The National Boxing Assn., as a matter of fact, says there isn't. It lifted the New Yorker's crown for not defending it within the required six-month period but didn't name a successor. Tonight's victory, however, will be recognized as champion by the NBA.

There will be \$30,000 added to the pot tonight from the radio-television receipts. A crowd of some 7,500 will pay about \$30,000 at the gate. Saddler gets 40 per cent and Davis 20.

Saddler, as usual, declined to make any prediction but Manager Charley Johnston wasn't hesitant. "Sandy will flatten him like a 50-year-old dime," said confident Charley. "What's he got to beat Sandy with?"

"Skill, experience and a solid chin," was the valiant reply of chubby Mushky Salow, Red Top's manager.

"I've been around a long time and I never figured I would ever get a chance at the title," said Davis. "I'm going to beat him. I've just got to. I've been around too long to blow it now."

With 30 many defeats on his record, including five by kayos, it's not surprising that Red Top never got a shot before.

But get it he did by the very simple process of whipping Percy Bassett in a 12-rounder in the Garden last Nov. 26. Percy was the No. 1 contender then and had

licked every other featherweight of note around.

That was Davis' last fight and made his record six wins out of six for 1954.

Saddler has fought four times for the title, all with Willie Pep, winning three and losing one. He stopped Willie the last time in the ninth round on Sept. 26, 1951.

He went into the Army in 1952 and got out in April 1954. He refused to defend his title until he had enough tuneups and felt he was ready.

The Philadelphia Phillies plan to use their new \$450,000 park in Clearwater, Fla. for exhibition games this spring. Other workouts will take place at their old park, a couple of blocks away.

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'52 DeSoto Custom 4-door sedan. Heater. Two-tone finish. \$1085	'53 PONTIAC 4-door sedan. Standard shift, radio and heater. \$1215	'53 DODGE Meadowbrook Club Coupe. Overdrive, radio and heater. \$1185	'46 DeSoto 4-door sedan. Radio and heater. Clean. \$215	'51 PLYMOUTH Belvedere Sport Coupe. Radio and heater. Two-tone black and grey. \$885	'52 PONTIAC Chieftain Deluxe. Hydramatic, heater and radio. \$1285	'53 DODGE Coronet V-8 4-door sedan. Radio, heater and hydramatic drive. Grey and blue two-tone finish. \$1585
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Jones Motor Co.

Dodge and Plymouth
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SALE

You Won't Forget
'48 PACKARD 4-door. Second series. Radio, heater, and overdrive. Reconditioned. \$395
'51 Champion 4-door. \$650
'51 Chevrolet 2-door. \$685
'50 Nash 4-door sedan. \$475
'50 Landcruiser. \$575
'41 Jeep. Very nice. \$325
'41 Chevrolet 2-door. \$115
'41 Studebaker 4-ton. \$595
'46 Hudson pickup. \$275
'52 Trailer house. 28-ft. \$1850

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USED CARS

'52 DeSoto 4-door sedan. Radio, heater and two-tone paint. New rubber. \$1185	'53 PLYMOUTH 2-door sedan. Radio and heater. Two-tone paint. \$1185	'52 DODGE 4-door sedan. Radio and heater. Light blue. \$1185	'51 PLYMOUTH 4-door sedan. New two-tone paint. \$1185	'52 PLYMOUTH 4-door. Radio, heater. Guaranteed motor. \$1185
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AUTOMOBILES

AUTOS FOR SALE

'54 OLDS 88 2-door. \$2295	'53 BUICK Roadmaster Convertible, full power. \$1895	'53 PONTIAC Catalina. \$2895	'55 CHEVROLET V-8 Bel Air 2-door. \$2295	'54 BUICK Special 2-door. \$2195	'54 FORD Skyline Victoria. Fordomatic. \$1995	'54 OLDS Super 88, power steering. Like new. \$2495	'53 CHEVROLET Bel Air Convertible. Like new. \$1595	'53 PONTIAC 2-door. \$1495
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OPEN 9 A.M. to 9 P.M.

CITY CAR MARKET

W. Highway 80 Dial 4-8230

THIS WEEK SPECIALS

'54 FORD Customline. Radio, heater and overdrive. 11,000 miles.
'52 PONTIAC. One-owner car.
'51 CHEVROLET pickup 1/2-ton Several Others.
EMMET HULL USED CARS
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1951 LINCOLN COSMOPOLITAN. 28,000 actual miles. Perfect condition inside and out. See George at Tarbox Motor.

SALE

'54 Commander 4-door. \$1785
'54 Champion Club Coupe \$1650
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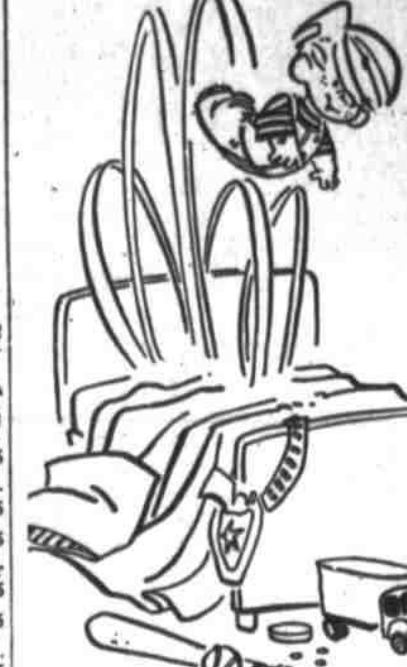
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300 N.E. 2nd Dial 4-2461

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1953 FORD 2-DOOR Fordomatic. 16,000 miles. Like new. \$1995 cash. 511 Nolan. Phone 4-3888.

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Peter C. Harmonson

301 East 3rd. Dial 4-2722

TRAILERS

AUTOMOBILES

AUTOS FOR SALE

1953 28 FOOT ELCAR house trailer. Air conditioned. Modern. Price \$1800. McDonald Motor. Dial 3-2412

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EARLY BIRD SALE

Special. Auto Side View Mirror. Regular \$1.69. Sale price \$1.39

Baby Bottle Warmer, plug in cigarette lighter. Regular \$2.20. Sale price \$1.25

Used Washers Wringer Type, Low as \$45.00

WESTERN AUTO STORE

206 Main Dial 4-6241

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LODGES

KNIGHTS OF Pythias 1403 Lancaster. Tuesday 7:30 p.m. M. L. Goulet, O. C. Otto Peters, Jr. Secy

SPECIAL CONCLAVE Big Spring Community No. 31 R.T. Monday, March 7, 7:30 p.m. Work at Red Cross. Walter Bailey, E. C. H. C. Hamilton, Secy

STATED CONVOCAION Big Spring Chapter 178 B.A.M. every 3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m. A. J. Pizke, H.P. Ervin Daniel, Secy

BIG SPRING Lodge No. 1340. Stated meeting first and third Thursday, 8:00 p.m. O. U. Hughes, W.M. Duke Douglas, A.C. Secy

Washington Birthday covered dish dinner. Grand Lodge. 511 N. 1st. All Master Masons invited. Friday, February 25, 6:30 p.m. E.A. Dwyer at 7:30 p.m.

CALLING MEETING. Grand Lodge. 511 N. 1st. 8:00 p.m. Work in E.A. Degree. Ervin Daniel, Secy. John Stanley, W.M.

STATED MEETING B.P.O. Elks Lodge No. 1286, every 2nd and 4th Tuesday night, 8:00 p.m. Joe Clark, Secy. R. L. Heith, Secy

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