

About The Courthouse

\$1.70 Per \$1,000
Per Year Would Be
Maximum Cost

(This is the third in a series of articles attempting to analyze all matters pertaining to the construction of a new Howard county courthouse, the bond issue for which will be before the voters on Saturday of this week.—Editor's Note.)

Any proposal for bonds certainly deals with finances. Most bond issues are identified in the popular mind first by the amount and then as to purpose. Thus, the Saturday issue is the "\$600,000 courthouse" bond proposal.

Talk about cost naturally begins with the principal. Added to this, on an aggregate basis, is that of interest. The call of the election specifies a rate of interest not to exceed four per cent. The actual rate, however, would not be determined until sealed bids were opened and the bonds were sold, probably at the lowest figure. The four per cent figure is a maximum hedge; the actual rate would be the lowest commanded at the time of sale.

Length of amortization, under terms of the call, could not exceed 35 years. It could be shorter within discretion of the court under two possibilities. One is that the court could, if it so desired and deemed feasible, reduce the tenure of the bonds to any number of years. The other is that the bonds would be made capable on or after a fixed number of years. For example, after 10 years the court might wish to refinance at a lower rate, or it might wish to apply surplus to the bonds.

These are cost factors on the whole issue. Individually, the bonds would now mean possibly 16 cents per \$100 valuations assessed by the county. It could be no more than 17 cents for this is the total available at this time under the permanent improvement levy. Thus, for \$1,000 of assessed valuation, the cost would be \$1.70 per year if all available levy were utilized.

The question is raised about the county's ability to pay. Currently, the county has outstanding bonds less than one half of one per cent of the assessed valuation. The addition of \$600,000 to the bonded debt would mean slightly less than three and a half per cent of the assessed roll.

One other point has been injected into the financial picture. It deals with possible sale of any part of the present site. Were the court to utilize only half the or none present site for a new plant, the unrequired part might be placed on the market for commercial purposes. Informal offers have been heard in the past; the revenue derived, were this course to be followed, would await actual sale before the amount could be determined. In event of sale revenues, the proceeds could be applied on construction or equipment, or in absorbing whatever amount of bonds not necessary to issue.

Rayburn Tries To Restore Cut

WASHINGTON, May 24. (AP)—House Speaker Sam Rayburn rallied administration forces today in an effort to restore what he called an "ill-considered" cut of \$629,700 in second-year foreign aid funds. Rayburn told newsmen he will appeal personally to the House to override an appropriations committee recommendation limiting the aid program for the year beginning July 1 to \$3,568,470,000 instead of the \$4,198,200,000 requested by President Truman.

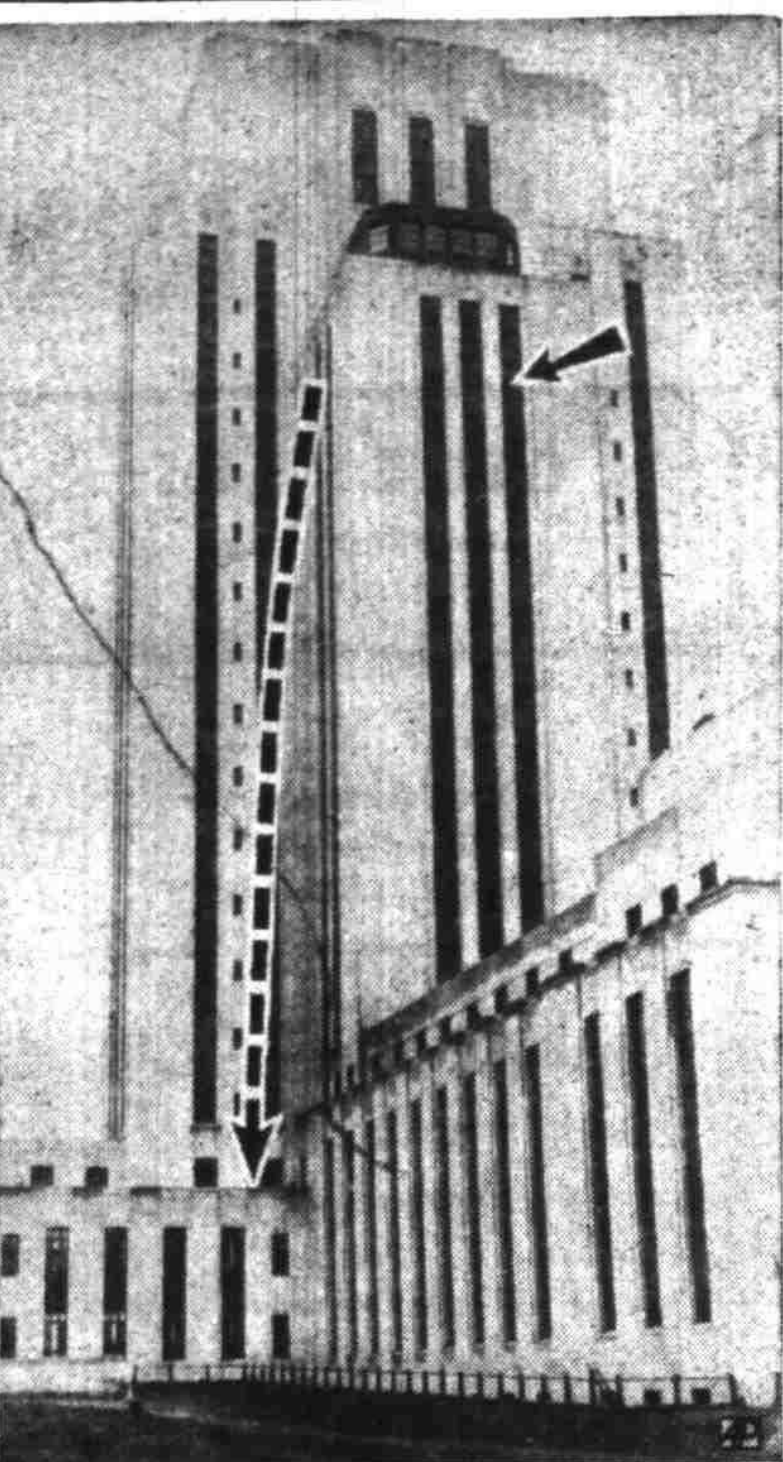
Paul G. Hoffman, chief of the Economic Co-operation Administration (ECA), said that if the cut stands up through Congress, it will mean a "serious loss of momentum" in European recovery. Rayburn's appeal will be made when the House debates the appropriation bill Thursday.

Coming at a time when Secretary of State Acheson is meeting in Paris with the Big Four foreign ministers, Rayburn said, the committee action was "ill-considered."

The whole idea is taking up the foreign-aid money bill at this particular time, he explained, was to strengthen Acheson's hand during his discussions with the heads of other governments. For that reason, he said, the bill was moved ahead on the House calendar and reported yesterday by the appropriations committee.

AUSTIN, May 24. (AP)—The Senate today voted to create one new \$2,000,000 medical school in approving the major higher education bill calling for a total outlay of \$66,503,898.

Also finally approved and sent to the governor was the junior college appropriation bill approved by the House at \$4,200,000.



WHERE FORRESTAL LEAPED TO HIS DEATH—The broken line shows the path the body of James Forrestal took as he plunged to his death from the 16th floor at Bethesda, Md. Naval Hospital. The window from which he jumped is in the tier nearest the main building. The small solid arrow points to locked screened window of room which the former Secretary of Defense and war-time Navy Secretary occupied in the hospital. He had been under treatment for seven weeks. (AP Wirephoto).

SECURITY TEST DISCLOSED

AEC Officials Filch Two Uranium Bars

WASHINGTON, May 24. (AP)—The Atomic Energy Commission's own security officers filched two bars of uranium from the Hanford, Wash., atomic plant and kept them for months without detection, it was disclosed today.

This story of a test of security loopholes was given to a Senate appropriation subcommittee. The senators also were told by AEC Chairman David E. Lilienthal that AEC decision last fall in favor of shipping isotopes-radioactive matter to countries around the perimeter of Russia was taken over the objections of one member.

Carroll L. Wilson, commission general manager, related the story of the Hanford plant test which he said showed lack of sufficient security protection. He said steps had been taken to correct this.

Lilienthal said four of the five commissioners voted to export the isotopes after scientists said unanimously they would not be used in attempts to develop the atomic bomb. The opposition vote was cast by Lewis Strauss.

Isotopes result when an element—such as phosphorus, iodine, or copper, for instance—is subjected to atomic bombardment. They are used in research.

Lilienthal testified that isotopes shipments had been sent to Norway and Sweden, and to Australia and Canada.

Strauss said that the State Department had cleared the export of the material to Finland but neither he nor Lilienthal knew definitely whether any had been shipped there.

The decision to permit the exports was made last fall.

The appropriations subcommittee's hearings are one part of a congressional inquiry into how well the Atomic Energy Commission is guarding its secrets.

Technically, the subcommittee is holding hearings on the commission's request for over a billion dollars of funds to finance its activities in the fiscal year beginning July 1.

Ask Restoration Of Four-Power German Control

Russia Also Calls For Establishment Of State Council

PARIS, May 24. (AP)—Russia called today for restoration of four-power control throughout Germany and establishment of a German state council with economic and administrative functions.

Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Y. Vishinsky, in a long statement to the Council of Foreign Ministers, also proposed that the industrial Ruhr valley be placed under control of the Big Four and countries bordering Germany.

Vishinsky named the three Benelux countries—Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg—plus Poland and Czechoslovakia and representatives of German economic bodies for a Ruhr control.

A British source said the United States opposed all Vishinsky's proposals.

The Soviet Minister also asked reintroduction of a four-power control system in Berlin.

He said a German state council ought to function under the Allied first set up in 1945 under the Potsdam Agreement, expired at the height of the Berlin crisis last year, when the Russians walked out.

Vishinsky's policy statement came after British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin, presiding at today's meeting of the council, called on him for a statement of Russia's position on the issue of Germany's political and economic unity.

The informants said Bevin made his demand as he opened the second meeting of the foreign ministers council, which was to take up the reunification of Germany under four-power control.

The sources said Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky then took the floor and launched into what apparently was a major statement of Russian policy on the issue. The informants left the council chamber before Vishinsky's remarks were translated.

Yesterday Vishinsky maintained that four-power control over all Germany should be re-established before the powers considered reunification.

The United States, Britain and France expects to learn at the session how far the Soviets mean to go with a surprisingly agreeable attitude.

BULLETIN
DETROIT, May 24. (AP)—The Ford Motor Company today rejected terms of a union proposal for arbitration of key issues in the 20-day-old Ford strike.

But the company asked the union for further meetings to work out a satisfactory plan for arbitration.

Automotive Circles
Ponder Price Slash

DETROIT, May 24. (AP)—Automotive circles speculated today on whether General Motors' latest price cut will start another round of general reductions.

The conclusion in most cases was that some cuts might be made but that in most instances they would be small.

When GM cut its price tags \$10 to \$40 last February most of the car makers followed with varying reductions.

Yesterday's General Motors cut was spread over its various car divisions in exactly the same amounts as was the first reduction three months ago. Chevrolet cut all models \$10. Pontiac \$15. Oldsmobile \$15 to \$20. Buick \$16 to \$30. Cadillac \$25 to \$40.

Red Railway Police

Get U. S. Ultimatum

Must Quit Yank Stations In Berlin

BERLIN, May 24. (AP)—U. S. Brig. Gen. Frank L. Howley gave an ultimatum to Soviet-employed railway police to withdraw from all American sector railway stations in Berlin today.

The police were given until 7 p. m. (11 a. m. CST) to comply. Howley said West Berlin police will take over to restore order following bloody rioting last night which resulted in two deaths.

British and French officials refused yesterday to endorse Howley's proposal that the Soviet-controlled railway guards be expelled from all Allied sectors. The Russians, by four-power agreement have had control of all railways in Berlin.

The ouster of the railway police was demanded by both the anti-Communist rail union, which struck Saturday, and the West Berlin city government. They claimed the Soviet-controlled railway could break the strike unless the stations were firmly in Western hands. The strikers are demanding payment in West marks.

Howley, the U. S. commandant in Berlin, gave the expulsion order to American sector German police to carry out. Such a step had been described previously by the British and French as conflicting with the agreement recognizing Soviet authority over the rail system.

BERLIN, May 24. (AP)—An uneasy truce settled over embattled Berlin again today after a bloody riot last night resulted in two deaths.

The violence erupted suddenly after a comparatively quiet day. A howling mob of about 3,000 striking railway workers and their sympathizers tried to storm the zoo elevated railway station.

Soviet-controlled German railway police fired on them. A 45-year-old man, shot in the head died instantly. A 16-year-old youth also was reported killed. Two other persons were wounded and hospitalized.

More bloodshed was averted by firm action by British authorities, who demanded that 200 eastern police evacuate the station. The Russian-supported railway police yielded and West Berlin police took over.

While the negotiations were going on, the angry mob was restrained by Western police and union leaders armed with clubs.

The station near the Berlin zoo has been a stronghold of Communist strikebreakers and eastern German police trying to get the elevated railway system running.

The system has been paralyzed since the workers struck Saturday, chiefly over a demand that they be paid in West marks, worth four times as much as Russian-backed East marks.

The British intervened a second time when the eastern police force stationed at the West Kreuz Station offered to withdraw because of the menacing attitude of "action squads" of strikers.

Western Berlin police were sent to maintain order and cleared the station grounds of Communists.

The British felt the eastern police were entitled to remain as long as they had the situation under control and did not provoke incidents.

This was in line with the view expressed after a meeting of the three Western commandants yesterday.

POSTMAN'S TIRED FEET TO GET REST
LOS ANGELES, May 24. (AP)—Postman William E. Lilley, Jr.'s tired toes will get a three-year rest.

The veteran of 20 years in the postal service was sentenced to that term yesterday on a charge of delaying and hindering the United States mail. The "rest" will be spent in the Tucson, Ariz., prison camp.

Postal inspectors, who arrested him March 27, said they found some 5,000 unopened letters in his apartment.



IN PROTECTIVE CUSTODY—A beaten, bloodied Eastern Zone railway policeman (hatless) is roughly taken into "protective custody" by uniformed British sector policemen at Charlottenburg railway station in Berlin. The incident occurred after the Russian sector police fired their pistols into a crowd of 200 non-Communist railway strikers. The station is in the British zone of Berlin. The railroad men are striking against custom of paying them off in Soviet zone currency instead of West German marks which are worth four times as much. Railway police—Communist-controlled—and young Communist strike breakers have been fighting strikers and West German police. (AP Wirephoto) via radio from Berlin.

REDS ALMOST IN CITY

Nationalists May Abandon Shanghai

SHANGHAI, May 24. (AP)—The Communists smashed almost into Shanghai today. At nightfall evidence mounted that Nationalist forces were on the verge of abandoning the city.

The hardest Red blows were directed at the southwestern section, where the Red drive pulled up at the famed 35-mile wooden fence—a smash that carried the Reds through Shanghai's defenses there in some spots.

Vessels were sunk deliberately in the Whangpoo, Shanghai's shipping lifeline. The channel to the Yangtze was blocked, a move indicating the Nationalists may pull out soon.

Troops in large numbers seemed to be heading for Wusong, logical point to board outward bound ships.

(A Canton dispatch quoted a Chinese flier from Lungwa as saying he saw a large concentration of Chinese ships this morning near Wusong.)

Shanghai was rife with rumors. One said the Reds were in the old French concession. But at 4 p. m. I visited the defenses on Hungsiao road, other city entrances along the railroad and Lungwa airfield. The whole area was a scene of crowded confusion. But Nationalist defenses, while battered, had not broken. The Reds definitely were not inside Shanghai.

From these forward areas few combat units were leaving. In some spots, riflemen moved up along with armored vehicles.

Lungwa was a no-man's land. Buildings were empty, the airstrip vacant. But nobody shelled the place. If the Reds were near they were not advancing.

The fact the Communists reached the wooden fence means that they got through most of Shanghai's southwestern defenses. But at that point their attack seems to have bogged down and the Reds fell back.

Fighting still sputtered on Pootung but compared with last night's show it was spotty. The major attention of both sides seems to have shifted westward.

SENATE GROUP TO VOTE ON ALLIANCE
WASHINGTON, May 24. (AP)—Chairman Connally (D-Tex.) said today the Senate Foreign Relations Committee will take a formal vote "sometime next week" on ratification of the North Atlantic Pact.

There had been a general impression the committee planned to vote approval of the 12-nation alliance this week.

FOG SPRAYING MACHINE BUSY ON VISITING MOSQUITOES, HOUSEFLIES

Big Spring's fog spraying machine is in daily use now in an effort to curtail infestations of houseflies and mosquitoes which have developed in the wake of recent rains.

Due to weather conditions, mostly high winds, operation of the fogging apparatus has been limited to an average of about six or eight hours per day, city officials said.

However, plans are to keep the work moving as rapidly as possible.

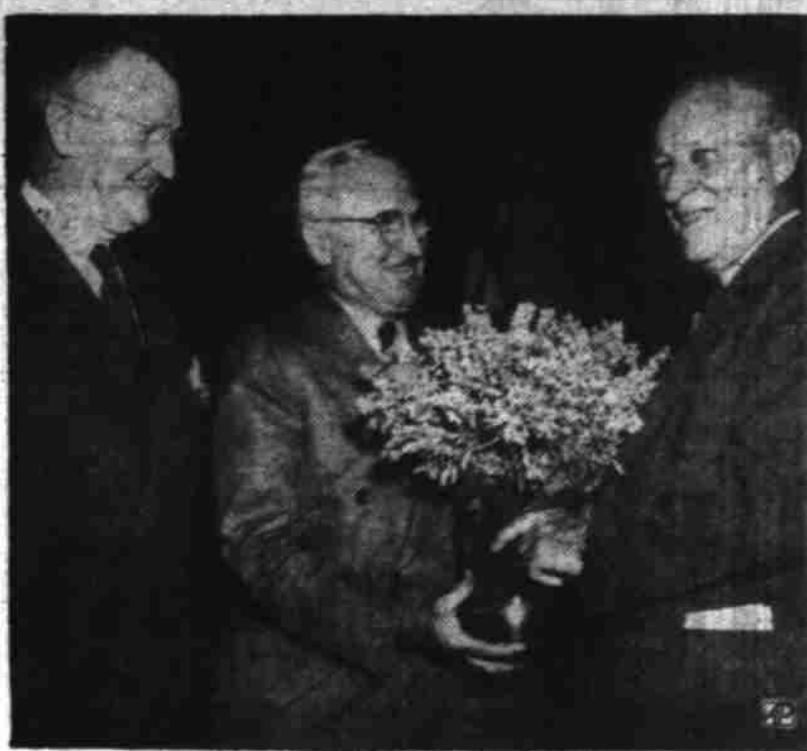
At the same time residents are being urged to use insecticides at any confined areas around their respective homes or business establishments where the general spraying is not likely to penetrate. In most cases, spraying around shrubbery, flower beds, etc. by individuals will be required if the battle against houseflies and mosquitoes produces the desired effectiveness, officials explained. Residents also are being asked to give special attention to any holes or vessels which may have trapped water from the rains to provide breeding places for houseflies and mosquitoes.

DEATHLESS DAYS

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In Big Spring Traffic

Be Alert—Avoid Collisions



BLUEBONNETS FOR THE PRESIDENT—President Truman gets a vase of bluebonnets, the Texas state flower, at the White House, May 10. They were brought by Perry Brown (left), Beaumont, Texas, national commander of the American Legion, and Bertram E. Giesecke, Austin, Texas, chairman of the national housing committee of the legion. (AP Photo)

FREISTADT ATOMIC SCHOLARSHIP CASE TO BE CONSIDERED TODAY

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., May 24. (AP) — University of North Carolina trustees were expected to consider the case of Hans Freistadt at a meeting today.

Freistadt is a young graduate student and part-time physics instructor at the university. It was his admission that he is a Communist that touched off the congressional investigation of the Atomic Energy Commission. His fellowship, granted by the AEC, is scheduled to become effective July 1.

LETTER TO EDITOR

Reader Against Bond Issue For New Courthouse

Dear Editor:

I long have been a booster for Big Spring and Howard county, but I think we should vote against the \$600,000 courthouse bond issue, for these reasons:

The building is too valuable to be destroyed. It has served us well for the past 40 years and could be repaired and remodeled to serve another 40 years at a cost much less than the \$600,000. And four per cent interest is too much to pay and 35 years is just too long to pay this kind of interest.

Another reason I am against the courthouse bond issue is because of so much confusion as to what the commissioners court really plan to do, namely where they plan to put the courthouse or an estimate on what would be received if they decide not to use the entire block. If we vote the bonds Saturday, the commissioners court might interpret the results to do as they please and sell the property and change the location of the courthouse site.

If you are a qualified voter, I beg you to weigh all the facts before voting for the \$600,000 bond issue because old timers like myself know the day is near when we must spend plenty of money and vote plenty of bonds for more water and more schools, and there is no need of bonding Howard county to the limit when it is not necessary.

Labor and building costs are too high now to buy with taxpayers bonded dollars. Let's think this question over and plan for a building we can afford when prices have been adjusted and settled.

Think this important matter over and vote Saturday against the \$600,000 bond issue.

Signed
Fox Striplin

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THREAT MADE BY ARCHBISHOP

Czechs Face Excommunication For Collaborating With Reds

PRAGUE, May 24. (AP) — Archbishop Josef Beran threatened today to excommunicate all Catholics collaborating with Czechoslovakia's Communist government against the church.

The archbishop charged that an attempt was being made to set up "a new Catholic church without its current bishops and its principal head in Rome."

The statement was the sharpest the archbishop has made in a

mounting church-state conflict here. It was contained in a personal letter to Alois Petr, minister of transport and head of the Communist-approved Catholic People's Party.

The letter's contents were disclosed by a well informed and reliable source.

It accused Petr of "sins" and of distorting information in the press about Catholic activities.

The archbishop's latest blast fol-

lows disclosure last Friday of a letter written by him to the clergy on April 29, citing oppressive acts against the church by the state.

That letter said negotiations between the government and the church were broken off in March when recording devices were discovered in the conference room. "How it is possible to speak about the good will of the National Front (the political coalition dominated by the Communist Party) when practically a radical divorce between church and state is being undertaken?" The letter to Petr asked.

"Are you aware of the fact—if you are still Catholics—that all direct or indirect collaboration and co-operation with laws and orders which restrict the rights of the church or destroy them, cause excommunication?"

"For participation in these measures, all collaborators are excommunicated from the church and so deprived of all rights which they had as members of the Catholic Church."

Dogs Lose Trail Of Man Accused Of Murder, Rape

FARIBAULT, Minn., May 24. (AP) — Bloodhounds were called off late last night after failing to follow the trail of a man who shot and killed a 19 year old youth and raped his 17 year old companion.

The slain youth, Fred Morsching, was shot three times with a .22 caliber pistol early yesterday. The girl's name was withheld.

The girl told Sheriff John Simon who reported the shooting and rape that Morsching was shot while trying to get his car started. She was then forced into the back seat of the car by the man and raped. Bloodhounds were brought to the scene of the crime from La Crosse, Wis., but lost the trail on a main road in Fairbault.

Morsching graduated from Fairbault High School last year where the girl is now a senior.

Eisler Extradition Hearing Postponed

LONDON, May 24. (AP) — An extradition hearing for Fugitive Communist Gerhart Eisler was postponed today until Friday at the request of the United States.

Meanwhile, Home Secretary Chuter Ede sent the U. S. request for Eisler to the Bow Street Court with "an order to proceed," a home office source reported. The informant declined to say whether this meant Ede had decided Eisler is not, as he claims, a political refugee.

Britain considers political refugees exempt from extradition under the Anglo-American treaty of 1870. Ede told the House of Commons last week he would halt extradition proceedings if he reached a conclusion that Eisler was a genuine political refugee.

The Communist leader who fled the United States while under sentence on two criminal convictions was brought into London's Bow Street magistrate's court today for a hearing on a U. S. request that he be returned to America.

But F. Graham Maw, British lawyer representing the American Embassy at the hearing, said the

United States needed more time to prepare the case against Eisler. Maw suggested a postponement until next Monday or Tuesday. Colard suggested Friday.

The magistrate said he had just received copies of the documents in the case and added "clearly there must be a remand"—delay. He then ruled the case would be heard Friday.

Eisler's attorney, Dudley Colard, protested that the case should be heard immediately.

"It is intolerable that Eisler should be kept in a British prison while the United States take their leisurely preparation of this case," he told Magistrate J. F. Eastwood.

The magistrate compromised on a three-day delay and refused for the second time to set bail for Eisler.

Three Czechs Are Executed As Spies

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, May 24. (AP) — Three men convicted last week of spying and treason were executed today, the government announced.

The men were retired Lt. Col. Josef Hruska, Karel Bacilek and Boris Kovaricek. They had been charged with forming illegal groups in February 1948 and of collecting weapons and passing information to "foreign agents in the western zone of Germany."

They were convicted in the same trial which resulted in a sentence of life imprisonment for Gen. Karel Kutvaar, hero of the Prague uprising against the Germans in 1945.

Branniff Announces Two New Schedules

DALLAS, May 24. (AP) — Braniff Airways today announced two new non-stop round-trip schedules will be added between Dallas and Houston to accommodate increased traffic.

Branniff also said four-engine service to Amarillo will be inaugurated with round-trip schedules between Colorado and Dallas, via the Panhandle capital.

The schedule additions will be effective June 1. The airline said it also is offering new commuter schedules between Waco and Houston, Waco and Dallas, Oklahoma City and Houston, and between Dallas and Austin, San Antonio, Houston and Galveston.

Flood Disaster Loans Processed

FORT WORTH, May 24. (AP) — A swift moving corps of bankers, examiners, lawyers, real estate men, title men and stenographers processed flood disaster loans here today.

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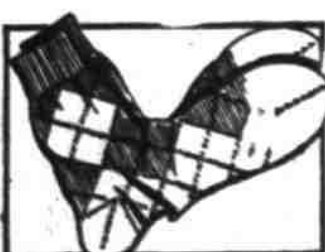
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Huge Texas Rail Bridge Going To Guatemala City

LANGTRY, May 24. (U)—A South-west Texas landmark of the Judge Roy Bean era is being prepared for a long journey—probably to Guatemala.

The 321 foot tall, 1516 foot long Southern Pacific Pecos River railroad bridge is being dismantled and is expected to be reassembled in Guatemala City as a highway bridge. It is the second highest in the United States and the fourth highest in the world.

Judge Roy Bean—famed for legends about his law West of the Pecos—was among those who witnessed parts of the then revolutionary construction project for erection of the bridge 57 years ago.

There are no official records but Southern Pacific officials quote old timers as saying Bean once rode from his Langtry headquarters—15 miles southwest of the bridge—to conduct inquiries for several men killed while working on the project.

The old judge's name was mentioned frequently yesterday by pioneer ranchers who witnessed the removal of the first large piece of structural steel from near the center of the span.

Each metal section has been carefully numbered and blue printed to facilitate reassembly of the structure.

A new concrete and steel replacement for the historic bridge was opened to wartime traffic over the transcontinental route on Dec. 21, 1944.

Yesterday officials of the American Institute of Steel Construction erected a plaque at the bridge site designating the structure as America's most beautiful steel bridge constructed in 1944.

Compared to the new span, the half century old structure is a fragile thing. It required that a watchman be ever present and on watch for defect.

The old structure had many historic and unusual moments:

In 1921 Jimmy Doolittle flew an open cockpit plane beneath the bridge by tipping the plane's wings.

The bridge was under heavy military guard in three wars—the

Spanish American, World War I and World War II.

On Sept. 6, 1907, Miss Ada Upshaw, Langtry, and B. J. McDowell, Del Rio, were married at the center of the bridge by Judge C. K. McDowell, a brother of the groom.

Story of Snook Wins Doctorate

BATON ROUGE, La., May 24. (U)—The story of Snook earned Robert Leonard Shrabank a doctor of philosophy degree.

The sociology major took Snook, Tex., his home town, as the subject for his thesis.

The Czech-American community is a tiny Burlington County hamlet about midway between Houston and Waco.

News President Says Newspapers Owned By Readers

DALLAS, May 24. (U)—Newspapers are not owned by the people who print them, but by the people who read them, E. M. (Ted) Dealey told 300 editors and publishers.

The president of the Dallas News emphasized the responsibility of the newspaper to its own city, state and to the nation in its daily presentation of the news of the world.

Dealey spoke at a banquet following formal dedication ceremonies of the News' new building.

To the editors and publishers, 50 of them from cities outside Texas, Dealey tersely explained the reason for building the new plant:

"We had to, for the old one was obsolete."

Mrs. G. B. Dealey, chairman of the board at the News and widow of the late publisher, said at the banquet, "I am grateful to all of you who worked so hard to make come true the dream of my husband, who served so long with military guard in three wars—the

Late Senator's Name Cleared

RICHMOND, Va., May 24. (U)—The late United States Sen. Carter Glass today no longer stood accused of taking money to obtain war contracts for the Roanoke, Va., Welding and Equipment Co.

His name was cleared here yesterday in the federal court income tax evasion trial of W. Clay Counts, who represented the firm.

Counts is charged with understating his 1943 income by approximately \$15,800. This is the amount of money he had paid to Sen. Glass or persons representing him for the senator's aid in Washington.

"We are going to base our case on the payments being made to an imposter, not to Sen. Glass," an attorney for Counts said.

"We know now it wasn't Sen. Glass" who accepted the money another defense lawyer said.

Counts has pleaded innocent to the income tax evasion charge.

Sen. Glass was secretary of the treasury in the Wilson cabinet and the author of the Federal Reserve Act.

Two Littlefield Men Die In Accidents

LITTLEFIELD, May 24. (U)—Two Littlefield men died violently yesterday.

Bruce Melton, 33, was electrocuted after touching a wire while working atop a power pole.

Billy Knight, 21, drowned while trying to swim to a raft at Buffalo Lake near the Panhandle town of Umbarger.

Southern Coal Men To Pick Parley Team

BLUEFIELD, W. VA., May 24. (U)—A somewhat weakened Southern Coal Producers Assn. was to choose its lineup today for contract talks with the United Mine Workers.

The association announced last night that the Virginia operators would not take part in the bargaining for a new soft coal pact which is to begin here tomorrow.

President Joseph E. Moody of the Southern Coal Producers said the Virginia group withdrew from the pending talks because of "an unwillingness to agree to the general policy of the association."

The Virginia Assn. President George H. Esser declared, however, that "we didn't think this conference was the proper approach to making a new contract."

The Virginia Assn. represents 36 mines producing about 9 million tons annually and employing some 11,000 men.

The southern operators were to resume their strategy meetings today. Moody said six men besides himself will be chosen to bargain with UMW Chief John L. Lewis and six other union negotiators.

Lewis disclosed yesterday after a conference in Washington with his top aides that he personally would take part in the talks with the southerners, who produce about a third of the nation's soft coal.

The present soft coal contract expires June 30. Lewis has given no indication of what his new demands will be.

Man Kills Wife And Is Killed, At Own Request, By Child

MT. PLEASANT, N. C., May 24. (U)—A man shot his wife to death and then commanded his four-year-old son to fire a fatal bullet into his own heart. The act orphaned seven children.

The child told police: "I shot my daddy. Daddy shot mommy on the back porch. He carried her in the bedroom and asked me to shoot him."

Fetzer Lee Talbert, 37, killed his wife at her farm home near here yesterday with seven shots from a single loading .22-caliber rifle. Sheriff Ray C. Hoover said.

The wife Carrie, 35, had been separated from her husband for four years.

The husband was an odd job man. Mrs. Talbert was an unemployed textile worker.

Sheriff Hoover said the child who shot his father was Doyle Talbert. His five-year-old sister, Judine, watched.

The other children are Billie Eugene, 18, a soldier in Japan; Roy Lee, 16; J. C. 14, and Janis, 8, who were in school, and Annette, 8, who attends the North Carolina School for the Deaf.

Seek Negro In Rape Of White Woman

WINCHESTER, Tenn., May 24. (U)—A three-state search was on today for the Negro who raped and robbed a white woman taxi driver near here, Sheriff J. F. Farris said.

He said Franklin County residents were greatly aroused over the incident and were talking about "a lynching."

Mrs. All Tipps, 38, was beaten and left unconscious yesterday on a road about 20 miles from here. Farris said. The station wagon she used as a taxi was stolen. A small amount of money was also taken.

The sheriff said Mrs. Tipps, wife of a farmer, knew the Negro and agreed to "drive him down in the country to see his mother."

Mrs. Tipps said she was unconscious for only a short time. Fist blows left severe face wounds.

Sheriff Farris said no warrant has been issued in the case.

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Buckmaster Fired As President Of CIO United Rubber Workers

PHILADELPHIA, May 24 (U)—The CIO's United Rubber Workers Union announced today that L. S. Buckmaster has been fired as international president of the union. The announcement was made by Robert Cruden, public relations director for the union.

Cruden said Buckmaster's removal was ordered by the 12 other members of the union's general executive board who acted as a trial board and heard testimony on charges against Buckmaster.

The URW president, who was re-elected by a margin of only two votes last fall, was tried on these charges:

1. That he conspired with "certain individuals" to deprive local union officers of their rights.
2. That he issued public state-

ments falsely attacking the character of local officers.

3. That he was responsible for a riot that broke up a meeting of Local 336, Pottstown, Pa., last March.
4. That his conduct was part of a general plan to deprive the Pottstown local of its "rights and democratic privileges."
5. That these actions constituted "malfeasance in office."

Auto Workers Offer To Arbitrate Issue

DETROIT, May 24 (U)—The CIO United Auto Workers offered today to arbitrate their "real issue" in the Ford speed-up strike.

Contingent then on settlement of "minor points," said the UAW-CIO the strike idling 106,000 Ford workers would be ended.

Whether the union move opened the gate to an early peace remained to be seen on the 20th day of the walkout, however.

Ford said it would not comment pending formal receipt of the UAW's written proposal.

Described by the union as a "genuine arbitration proposal," it was contained in a five-page document.

Since prior to the state of the strike May 5, the company has in-

Newspaper Strike Goes Before NLRB

WASHINGTON, May 24 (U)—The nation's newspaper publishers and an AFL printers union today brought before the National Labor Relations Board the longest, bitterest dispute over the Taft-Hartley Act's closed shop ban.

The board scheduled arguments from the American Newspaper Publishers Assn. and the International Typographical Union.

Since the Taft-Hartley Act became law, ITU President Woodruff Randolph and his major advisers have insisted that what they are trying to obtain in new contracts with publishers and commercial print shops would not violate the act.

But NLRB General Counsel Robert N. Denham, the ANPA and Trial Examiner Arthur Left said the conditions imposed by the ITU were just the same as in previous closed shop contracts under which only union printers could find jobs.

The NLRB arranged to hear the ANPA's complaint in the morning and hold a special hearing in the afternoon for the Chicago newspaper publishers case.

The printers have been on strike in Chicago since Nov. 24, 1947.

He insisted that the dispute was a problem for arbitration.

The dispute bears on the speed of Ford assembly lines and relates to "work standards" and proper manpower.

HOUSE INVESTIGATORS SETTLE DOWN TO WORK ON NEW COMMUNIST CASE

WASHINGTON, May 24 (U)—The House un-American Activities Committee kicked off a three-way investigation of Communist activities today with hearings on a brand new case.

Two witnesses, not identified by the committee, were called as the group began an intensive study of reports that Communists may be using United Nations agencies to sneak spies into this country.

The hearing was to start behind closed doors, but committee members said it might be opened to the public later.

Congressional sources involved in spy-chasing work said the committee has been told that a woman UN employee is associated with a former government worker discharged not long ago as a poor security risk.

Texas Student Dies Of Mishap Injuries

AUSTIN, May 24 (U)—Robert E. Ferguson, 23, of San Antonio vice-president of the student body at the University of Texas, died of auto accident injuries here early today.

Ellis M. Brown of Corpus Christi, president of the student body, was injured in the accident. He was at Brackenridge Hospital suffering from shock and head abrasions.

Police traffic investigators said the car driven by Brown skidded 117 feet in attempting to make a turn at 2:40 o'clock this morning. No other automobile was involved.

Police said the car door flew open, flinging Ferguson against a wall.

Electra Rescinds 'Whistle' Ordinance

ELECTRA, May 24 (U)—The Electra City Commission has rescinded the "whistle stop" ordinance against the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad and voted to petition to governor for removal of rent control restrictions here.

The action came at a meeting of the commission last night. The railroad controversy grew out of Electra's claim that the railroad was trying to make a mere "whistle stop" out of Electra.

Forces Boy to Pray For Peace, Kills Him

FRANKFURT, Germany, May 24 (U)—A Frankfurt man confessed he forced an eight-year-old boy to pray for "eternal world peace" and then killed him with an axe in the belief a dying child's last wish would be granted, German polls said today.

Police said they are holding Walter Huegel, 30, as the slayer of the boy, Sigmar Schuster.

Perjury Charges Against Meyers Dismissed By U.S.

WASHINGTON, May 24 (U)—The government has dropped its perjury charges against former Maj. Gen. Bennett E. Meyers.

The wartime Air Force purchasing officer, now serving 15-months to five years for inducing another man to commit perjury, still faces an additional charge of income tax evasion. He will be eligible for parole from prison Sept. 15.

All three charges developed after Blierot LaMarre had told a Senate committee that Meyers, while an Army Air Force officer, had been secret owner of a war plant in Ohio, with LaMarre serving as its dummy president. LaMarre testified that Meyers had induced him to testify falsely about the plant's ownership.

In the perjury charges which it dropped yesterday, the government had accused Meyers of giving false testimony about his interest in the company.

LaMarre, who pleaded guilty to perjury, is now on two years probation.

Two Air Force Men Killed In Crash

AUSTIN, May 24 (U)—Two Air Force pilots were killed yesterday when their twin-Mustang fighter plane crashed at Bergstrom Air Base.

Dead were First Lt. Richard L. Goodwin, Steger, Ill., and First Lt. Harold M. Murphy, North Sebago, Me.

haired woman, told the investigators of a Communist group at the Berkeley, Calif., radiation laboratories in the early 1940's. She said she did not know whether it engaged in any spy work, but did know it was formed in 1940 or 1941 to recruit members for the party.

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Not All Casualties Are With Shot And Shell In The Field

James V. Forrestal, who served his nation well as secretary of the navy and later as first secretary of defense, is dead. President Truman phrased the background of Forrestal's tragic suicide in observing that "this able and devoted public servant was as truly a casualty of the war as if he had died on the firing line."

During his tenure in office, Mr. Forrestal was regarded by a majority of observers as one of the ablest members of the cabinet. He was, by nature, aloof, confined to business, a hard worker and the executive type, who functioned with an analytical eye rather than a personal one. He had his critics, too, for Mr. Forrestal, perhaps because his direct mode of operation and his disdain for popular and political amenities, drew blistering attacks. His motives were impugned be-

cause of his previous connections as head of one of the largest firms of investment bankers in the world.

As defense secretary charged with trying to implement the herculean unification of armed services, he no doubt acquired more critics among the service partisans, exhausted, weary and perhaps disillusioned, he retired from public service. A vacation could not repair the damage, and he entered a hospital. There, with time on his hands, he doubtless engaged in the dangerous practice of meditation that merged into brooding. Perhaps his perspective had vanished, and with it his faith in personal future. And so, exhausted beyond clear reason, he perished as a testimonial that all casualties are not with shot and shell. There are other battlefields where the last full measure can be given.

Choice On Free Speech May Lie In Bitter And Bitterer Pills

There has been considerable comment arising out of the close decision of the Supreme Court in holding, five to four, against the conviction of the Rev. Arthur Hays Sulzberger, publisher of the New York Times, for inciting a gathering to disorder. Both the majority and minority opinions were extremely vigorous, and since then the debate has raged upon the propriety of the ruling.

The crux of the issue is just where to draw the line between free speech and that which incites mob violence. The majority opinion leaned toward the direction of free speech, but Justice Jackson, one of the dissenters, pointed out a danger when he warned that an absolute right of free speech, regardless of situations and circumstances, could convert the Bill of Rights into a suicide pact.

In this particular case a fascist line of address was made. Frequently in the public eye are those creating disorder due to a communistic line.

Justice Douglas, who held with the majority, pointed out that it would not be wise to prohibit any speech that stirs the public to anger, invites dispute, brings about unrest or creates a disturbance. He addressed himself to the particular municipal ordinance and not to the broad ramifications of the issue of free speech.

Perhaps someday the line will be more clearly drawn. Often the pill of fiery, irresponsible speeches may be a bitter pill, but so long as the line of demarcation is vague, it might be the better part of discretion to strain toward free speech. Unless the line were fair and clear and just, a malignant trend against free speech might make it an even bitter pill than false prophets who abuse the right.

Affairs Of The World—DeWitt MacKenzie

World Should Keep Its Fingers Crossed During Big Four Meet

MONDAY MARKED THE OPENING of what bids fair to be the most important phase of the "Cold War"—the Big Four Foreign Ministers' Council meeting in Paris to try to decide the future of Germany.

Should it prove to be possible for Russia and the three western democracies (America, Britain, and France) to agree, then we might see the end of the Cold War itself. But the issues are so controversial, and the stakes are so high, that—no to be frivolous with a grave subject—we should keep our fingers crossed as we pray for peace.

In dealing with this conference it is necessary to repeat what our column has pointed out numerous times: The future of Europe depends heavily on the fate of Germany. Just as the strategically situated Reich was the economic-military keystone of the continent before the World War, so she is destined to play an important role again in the rehabilitation and stabilization of Europe.

which are at utter variance. One from the Western powers will call for the union of the Soviet Zone with the Western zones in the new federal republic. Russia is expected to counter with the demand that the Western zones join the Communized "people's congress" in a centralized government.

THE POSITION OF THE WESTERN powers was vastly strengthened at the week end by ratification of the new republican constitution. Russia, on the other hand, received a heavy pole in the election for the "people's congress" last week.

As is custom with such Soviet elections, the vote was supposed to be close to 100 per cent for the Communist card. To the consternation of the Reds, however, they had to admit that at least one-third of the voters turned thumbs down on the Communist program. Still, that isn't expected to prevent Russia from calling for inclusion of the three Western zones in the Eastern government.

Naturally Paris is set for a possible storm. However, the western Allies are taking a strong stand, and indications at the opening of the conference were that of the Moscovites are ready to unify Germany they can do so through the Western plan, otherwise Germany will remain divided.

U. S. Secretary of State Dean Acheson summed the situation up succinctly just before leaving Washington for Paris when he declared he would refuse to "barter away" to Russia successes already achieved by the West in building a Democratic Germany.

"It is not our intention," said the Secretary, "no matter how much we may desire agreement, to accept anything which would tend to undo what has been accomplished or impede future progress along the course we have charted toward the revival of health and strength for the free nations of the world."

Broadway—Mark Barron

Small Time Actors Rejoice As Palace Returns To Vaudeville

NEW YORK—It was a Monday afternoon in 1935 on Broadway, a Monday afternoon of tears and fears.

That day with Bill Robinson, the staircase stepper, and J. Harold Murray, a sweet singer, heading the bill, the Palace Theater presented that was to have been its last bill of vaudeville on Broadway.

That day thousands of vaudeville performers turned their eyes from the promised land and began looking back at the wilderness of one night stands which they had tramped, season after interminable season, in the hope that some wonderful day they might be booked into the Palace.

Today the Palace, an imposing theater, overlooking Times Square has returned to vaudeville, a cause for rejoicing among the small time variety performers who struggle on season after season seeking auditions with the top Broadway, Hollywood, radio and video producers. They knew that when they weren't fortunate enough to get individual auditions, they would be seen by the impresarios if they could get their act booked into the Palace.

That's why the Palace was, and now will be again, important to actors. It was the plush lined, platinum mounted showcase for actors and actresses to show their wares. The returning vaudeville isn't exactly like the old Palace bills, but there is a reasonable facsimile which permits Broadway performance for many, who might not otherwise have a chance to be seen so close to the offices of the front rank manager, of the various amusement industries.

The old Palace bills, when it was the scene of a royal command performance of vaudeville, included many stars such as Fritzi Scheff, Alla Nazimova, Helen Keller (who was billed as "Blind, Deaf and Formerly Dumb"), Yvette Ruget, Ethel Barrymore, George Jessel, Frank Fay, Jimmy Savo, Lou Holtz, Harry Richman, Elsie Janis and (after World War One) the Yip, Yap, Yaphankers in "A Day in Camp."

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Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

Army Gets Caught In Attempt To Sneak Gen. Vaughan's Medal Past House Group

WASHINGTON — The Army almost slipped the famed Argentine medal for Maj. Gen. Harry Vaughan past the House Armed Services Committee the other day.

The diamond-studded order of San Martin, given to the President's military aide by Dictator Peron, was handed to the State Department after it was presented to Vaughan at a gala Argentine embassy reception.

But Vaughan now wants the right to wear his medal, and to that end his name was buried in a list of 87 Army officers also decorated by foreign governments, all of whom must be OK'd by Congress. The list came before the House Armed Services Committee as a routine matter, and the hearing droned on all morning without incident. Then, just before the vote, Oregon's alert congressman, Walter Norblad, spied Vaughan's name. "Wait," he broke in. "This legislation would authorize Harry Vaughan to get the famous Argentine medal. I take it."

Li. Col. Philip Hooper, who was presenting the Army's case, flushed like a little boy caught in a naughty act.

"It would," he admitted. "I see the name," Norblad directed, "on Page 2, Line 5."

"That's correct," agreed Col. Hooper, counting the lines.

"That," Norblad repeated, "is the Argentine medal. I take it."

VINSON'S ADVICE

Chairman Carl Vinson of Georgia suddenly took more interest in the proceedings. He could see no rush, he said, in approving these medals.

There is a time for everything," he philosophized. "Let us let this time go by and take up something that is more urgent."

"Two wrongs don't make a right," cautioned Vinson. "We should hold these up a little while and let them rest. We don't have to be in too big a hurry to do this. We have other things to do."

The committee voted with Vinson and Norblad.

SECRET LETTER

History sometimes hinges on little things. If it had not been for a telephone call just a little more than six months ago, another man would be in Paris today representing the United States at the most important diplomatic conference since Potsdam.

That man is Lewis Douglas, ambassador to Great Britain, former head of Mutual Life Insurance, and inheritor of one of the great American copper fortunes. Few people know that only a phone call prevented his becoming the Secretary of State.

That phone call was placed by Louis Johnson, then chairman of the Truman Finance Committee and in desperate need of funds. Johnson called Douglas early in the morning in Paris where he was attending a United Nations meeting, got him out of bed and told him that the Democrats were scraping the bottom of the campaign barrel. They needed money and needed it badly. Truman had given Douglas the highest plum in the entire field of diplomacy, and now Truman needed help in return.

Ambassador Douglas listened sleepily, replied that he had no money to spare. Later, when he was fully awake and back in London, he thought it over again and wrote Johnson a letter. But he still had no money to spare.

Truman, at that time—according to all the polls—had no more

chance of winning than Norman Thomas. But Douglas didn't put it on that ground. He put it on the ground of poverty and the fact that he was serving in a non-political job—probably the first time in history that the ambassadorship to London was classed as nonpolitical.

After Truman astounded the world by winning in November, he looked around for a new Secretary of State and knowing nothing about the money-raising phases of the campaign, hit upon Douglas. In fact, he was about to appoint Douglas—when suddenly Louis Johnson walked into the White House with a copy of Douglas's letter in his pocket.

Truman read Douglas's plea of poverty. He knew Douglas's family had developed some of the wealthiest copper mines in Arizona. He knew Douglas, Arizona, was named for his grandfather. He knew Douglas had been chairman of the wealthy Mutual Life Insurance Co. He dropped the idea of making Douglas Secretary of State.

FATEFUL LETTER

Douglas's letter, which changed one brief chapter in history, is still one of the most secret documents in the files of the Democratic committee, but its text follows:

"Dear Louis:

"It was early in the morning, Paris time, when your telephone call came through. I am afraid my talk with you did not appear

Around The Rim—The Herald Staff

Real Education Is Root Of All Our Improvement, Advancement

With the 1948-49 school term, "all over but the shouting," the Council of State Governments reports that the nation's public schools have achieved "encouraging progress" in the last ten years, but warn that many children are still receiving below-standard education.

With our own city seriously planning for the addition of needed school rooms, the council reports that an expenditure of \$7,595,128 for building needs alone is needed in the next five years to bring the school up to par. The school system which does not need additional space and equipment or has not already made such an addition is an exception.

In the first comprehensive study ever made of the school systems of the 48 states, the council concluded that "improvements of great import" are promised by the "present high tide of interest in education." It seems time that we had a high tide of interest. It's not a difficult task to discover that root of all improvement and advancement in our world comes from sources of real education.

During the past ten years, a number of improvements, real advancements, have been reported. Pre-pupil expenditure is up from a median of \$82 to \$178—adjusted to prices, a 28 per cent increase. The percentage of state-aid has been boosted from 30 per cent to 40 per cent. The local ratio dropping from 63 to 53 per cent. Teachers salaries have risen from an average of \$1,093 to \$2,440, or, adjusted to prices, from \$1,073 to \$1,448.

But the council reveals that "serious deficiencies and problems" yet remain. "Low-quality" instruction is the lot of many children, particularly in rural areas. Most states face a shortage of qualified teachers and "few are making satisfactory progress towards overcoming it." Only a few days ago, the local board released the names of a number of instructors who will not receive new contracts until they are able to meet certain state requirements. "Emergency teachers" need

to be replaced, either by the fulfilling of requirements on the part of the emergency teachers or by the hiring of qualified instructors. At least 298,895 new classrooms will be needed in the next five years.

The report emphasized that an underlying factor, affecting all phases of education, is the need for school district reorganization.

On this controversial subject, the report said that the great majority of nearly 100,000 local school districts in America are smaller than they should be for efficiency and economy of operations.

The greatest efficiency, the report said, is possible in districts which enroll at least 1,200 pupils, provide both elementary and high schools and employ forty or more teachers.

Less than 4 per cent of the 100,000 districts employed that many teachers, and the 1-teacher school in a number of states exists in 75 per cent of the school districts.

As in all cities, we hear a great deal of criticism of the public school system, school leaders and teachers, as well as equipment. The figures used in this article are improvements and needs described on a national scale with Big Spring as only a tiny part of the total picture, but, nevertheless, a vital part in the making of that picture. There are few cases of any sort of criticism when the reasoning used is not both good and bad. In our opinion, the local system, like every other of its type, is failing in many ways and succeeding in many. But, if Big Spring possessed the only perfect school system in the world, it would still be true that progress-minded citizens of the town should take time off at frequent intervals to take stock of the schools and their development. They should compare local and state progress to national and even world progress.

This year's record is practically completed, but constructive observations by school and lay people alike can make the 1949-50 school year, the very best in Big Spring history.—MILDRED YOUNG

Nation Today—James Marlow

Forrestal, As He Foresaw, Was 'Victim Of Washington Scene'

WASHINGTON, May 24. (U-PH)—A PHRASE he used in kidding became, in the end, James V. Forrestal's prophecy of his own death.

"I expect to be a victim of the Washington scene."

That's what he was when he killed himself Sunday in a jump from a 16th story window in the Naval Hospital.

He had cracked under the strain of nine years in Washington, most of them in tremendously important jobs.

There have been other victims who died or went to hospitals or withdrew. He was the first who sought escape through an open window.

Ever since President Truman's election last November this place had been full of rumors that Forrestal, who took no part in Mr. Truman's campaign, would lose his job as Secretary of Defense.

On Jan. 11 newsmen asked Forrestal about the rumors. Would he resign?

NO, HE SAID, HE EXPECTED, AND wanted, to stay on. Of course, he would submit his resignation to Mr. Truman who was going to be inaugurated on Jan. 20.

It's traditional for cabinet members to submit their resignations to a new President, just in case . . . Forrestal explained, he was doing just a routine thing.

The newsmen asked: Did he think the resignation would be accepted? "No," he said. "I expect to be a victim of the Washington scene."

The newsmen took this as kidding. They understood him to mean: Once a man gets a big job in Washington, he likes to keep it.

But the resignation must have been accepted pretty promptly, for late in January his successor, Louis A. Johnson, began working with Forrestal very quietly to learn the ropes.

(On March 23 Johnson said he had been working with Forrestal 54 days.)

BUT THE ANNOUNCEMENT THAT explained that Forrestal had been trying to resign was not made until March 3. Mr. Truman explained that Forrestal had been trying to resign for a year.

Forrestal stepped out on March 28. Johnson stepped in. On April 2 Forrestal, suffering a breakdown, went into the hospital.

He never left it until he jumped through the window Sunday.

In his job as Secretary of Defense he had been attacked and criticized. Even his motives were challenged by outside critics.

As Secretary of Defense he was supposed to unify the armed forces but he felt Congress hadn't given him enough authority for the job. When he stepped out, they were far from being truly unified.

So as time went on and the rumors, criticisms and attacks increased he must have felt a deep frustration, perhaps even failure, for before his death he had been reading a Greek poem:

"THE DEEDS THAT HE HATH DONE seem hostile all to hostile eyes . . . better to die, and sleep the never waking sleep, than linger on, and live, when the soul's life is gone."

Anyone who has worked any time in Washington knows the strain on most of the top men. Here are just a few examples:

President Roosevelt died; so did his right-hand man, Harry Hopkins; so did Secretary of the Navy Knox, Adm. Ernest J. King had to be hospitalized for a while. Secretary of State Hull quit and went into a hospital years ago and has been there mostly since. General Eisenhower recently had to rest. Secretary of State Marshall resigned, underwent an operation, and retired to private life.

Hollywood—Bob Thomas

Bogart Waxes Eloquent On Subject Of Diapers

HOLLYWOOD (U-PH)—"Diapers," snarled Humphrey Bogart, "they are outmoded."

The tough mug spoke like a veteran of the nursery.

"What's the use of all those pins?" he complained. "You're always sticking the baby."

"I think they ought to throw away all those diapers and let the kids wear real pants. You know—like those 'soaker' things."

"Say—maybe I ought to go in to the pants business."

Bogart was expounding about the father racket on the "Chain Lightning" set. Late in the evening of Stephen Humphrey Bogart (with an assist from Lauren Bacall), he has his own notions about rearing a child. Such as:

"Just let the kids grow—like Topsy."

Asked if he had boned up on child care books, he replied, "read 'em all" (he may have been kidding). About new-fangled theories, he commented:

"You can't teach an old dog new tricks. We grew up without all that stuff and turned out all right."

"All that parents can do is tell their kids what's right. Teach them the facts of life early and then leave them alone. They shouldn't have religion pushed on them, either. Send them to Sunday school and then let them decide for themselves."

"One thing in particular a father shouldn't do: plan a career for his son. I remember a story in the papers about a young doctor who killed himself. He had never wanted to be a doctor,

Notebook—Hal Boyle

Mirror Is Only Thing In World Giving Something For Nothing

NEW YORK, MAY 24. (U-PH)—THE POOR man's philosopher says:

Mankind's best friend isn't the dog. It's the mirror.

A mirror is the only thing in life that will give you back something for nothing besides an argument.

What does it give you? It gives you back yourself—great big wonderful you, the finest thing you've ever known. What greater gift can the world bestow?

You can judge a civilization by the number and quality of the mirrors it uses, and there never was a civilization that didn't have them—and love them.

The ancient Greeks had the legend of Narcissus, the beautiful boy who saw his reflection in a pool and became enamored of it. He pined away and the gods in pity turned him into a lovely flower, a flower that through all these centuries still likes to look at itself in the water.

TODAY THE AVERAGE MAN, YAWNING at his unshaven face on arising, sees in the bathroom mirror something that looks more like a thorn bush than a flower. Oh, but he loves it just the same.

Yes, he loves what he sees in the glass though he makes a wry face at it. For he knows that by a morning miracle he and the mirror can play their daily game of Jekyll-and-Hyde. He knows that in a few magical moments he will no longer see a face that looks like a shredded football. He will see a freshly shaven and shining countenance smiling toothily at him—a countenance luminous with sin-

cerity and character.

All men see this face when they are alone, with a mirror. And almost every woman, no matter how homely, sees there—in another face—a face of desperate, ruinous beauty, a beauty that has escaped the attention of her friends.

THAT IS THE NICE THING ABOUT mirrors. They are such subtle critics. You can see in them anything you see in yourself. And that makes the possibilities endless.

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Today's Birthday

IAN CHRISTIAN SMUTS, born May 24, 1870, on a farm near the Cape of Good Hope, son of a Dutch farmer. Field marshal and former prime minister of South Africa, he has long been a prominent figure in the British Commonwealth. His career has been summed up as lawyer, politician, soldier, rebel, turncoat, philosopher and diplomat. As a boy he was somewhat of a prodigy, learning Greek grammar by heart in a week and later winning honors at Cambridge. He joined Kruger in the Transvaal, but when the Boer War began he fought with the British. He was Lloyd George's "handy man" in World War I, and was with Wavell in Libya in World War II.

Catholic Officers Honored By Society

Members of the Altar Society of St. Thomas Catholic church welcomed the incoming officers and honored the retiring officers with a tea at the church Monday evening.

Officers who will serve for the current year are Mrs. Dwight M. Gilliland, president; Mrs. Bernard Huchton, vice-president; Mrs.

Fourth Graders Take Train Ride

Airport Fourth Grade students of Mrs. B. M. Keese traveled to Stanton on the Eagle and held a picnic in the city park there before returning to Big Spring by car. M. S. Wade of the local TP office, conducted the students on a tour of the train.

Students attending were: Martha Sue Medley, Loretta Hinson, Billie Jean Daugherty, Patsy Priestler, Kara Luce, Charlene Smith, Peggy Battle, Lacey Ellen Eggleston, Lavern Danie, Mary Frances Gregory, Elizabeth Pedigo, Dan Pettitt, Jackie Touchstone, Rolan B. Covington, Ronald Simmons, Philip Eggleston, Phil Elliott, Burke Flant, Wayne Ratliff, Dewayne Dickie, Ariel Dean Hosiager, Deney Stanley.

State Street Baptists Conduct Regular Meet

Mr. Carl Leopold gave the devotional when the State Street Baptist WMA met in the home of Mrs. T. J. Mitchell Monday. Games were played and refreshments served to the following: Mr. Mirtet Webster, Mrs. C. E. Isaac, Mrs. James Thomas, Mrs. L. B. Worthan, Mrs. Marie Reddock, Mrs. D. O. Worthan, Mrs. Carl Leopold, Mrs. J. Mitchell, Mrs. Everett Ward and Arlene Mitchell.

Speed Queen



"Even the children call me 'sugar,'" says Mrs. F. J. Steinmiller, 7326 N. Damen, Chicago, "since I switched to New Park for washday. Why, washing's so quick and easy and my white things so much whiter, I wouldn't use anything else." You'll find as Mrs. Steinmiller does, once you use New Park Soap, why even a 5-minute washer run gets clothes dazzling clean... for Park contains Armocel, new miracle ingredient that takes grime out, puts new brightness in your clothes. Get Park today.

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RIBBON RAMBLINGS

By MILDRED YOUNG

Worked on a newspaper staff with a reporter once, who used to tell a story about being called to the home of a prominent old judge, who felt that his days were numbered. It seemed that the old judge had become quite interested in what the local newspaper would have to say about him at the time of his death. He was determined that his written eulogy, if not the spoken one, would be proper according to his standards.

On arrival at the judge's home, the reporter was informed that he was being given a very difficult assignment. The judge proceeded to give him an account of his life and sent the reporter back to the office to write his tribute.

Being on the spot, the reporter used all the great character descriptions at his disposal and finally pecked out a tribute which he thought might win the judge's approval. The final masterpiece was probably one of the most beautiful tributes which has yet found its way into printer's ink because it even won the judge, who was reported to be a tyrant, in his day. Incidentally, the tribute, minus one date was placed on file in the local office until a few months later when the final date was supplied.

We've never been very interested in trying to pay a public tribute to any kind to the dead. It seems to us that there could be no more difficult task unless it would be to have to tell any person face to face our opinion of them, whether that opinion was good or bad. In most cases, it would probably be a little of both.

To cite only one example of the messes people can get involved in when they start judging other people's lives, we'll take the final rites for a gangster and bank robber a few years ago. The pastor said the deceased was a good provider, when, as a matter of police record, he had cracked half the country's banks in three Mid-Western states.

Nominations Made At Rebekah Lodge Meeting Monday

Officers were nominated for the election to be held the first Monday in June when the John A. Kee Rebekah Lodge 153 met in the WOW hall Monday evening. Marie Horton, Noble Grand, presided.

Mrs. Velma Cain, Mrs. Alma George, and Mrs. Josephine Baker were named members of the new refreshment committee. Jean Harris resigned as reporter and Member Winterrowd was elected to that position.

Hazel Lamar and Mae Darrow were named captains for an attendance contest. The losing side will entertain the winning side.

Drill practice was conducted for the initiation set for June 2. It was announced that there will be no meeting next Monday, Memorial Day.

Beatrice Vieregge, deputy president, will conduct a school of instruction at Knott on June 2. Members who wish to attend are asked to call Velma Cain, Marie Horton or Beatrice Vieregge.

Approximately 30 persons attended.

Rita Must Wait

PARIS, May 24. (U.P.)—The French ministry of justice said today a special dispensation to allow Prince Aly Khan and Rita Hayworth to be married at the prince's chateau has been refused.

"Community Missions" Is Westside Program

"Community Missions," was the study-topic for the meeting of the Westside Baptist Woman's Missionary Society in the home of Mrs. E. O. Sanderson Monday afternoon.

Mrs. T. E. Sanders brought the devotional from Mark 5:19 and Mark 12:30-2. Mrs. Perry Burleson led the opening prayer and Mrs.

Recital Is Tonight

Junior and senior piano students under the direction of Robert Gay will be heard in the second and final series of recital programs at the First Methodist church this evening at 8 p. m.

The program will include a "Spanish Serenade," by Wright featuring Charlene Boyd and Patsy Dunn; the "Bano Song," by Ketterer with Maxie Dee Younger; "The Pixies Ballet," by Brown, played by Betty Simmons; the "Spanish Dance," by Ketterer with Wanda Ford; the "Harmonica Rogue," and "The Spinning Song," played by Robert Utley; "Rhapsodie," by Koelling, presented by Darlene Coulter and Annette Puckett and "Toccata in G," and the "March Grotesque," by Betty Earley.

Marion Murphy will play the "Dance of the Puppets," by Hopkins; Laverne Cooper will be heard in Homer Grimm's "Amorita;" Patsy Dunn will present, "Beneath the Southern Moon," by Lind; Charlene Boyd will be featured in the selection, "Chacone," by Roubier; Charlotte Williams will play, "Melody in F," by Rubenstein; Frankie Boyd will play, "Morning Canter," by Lehman; Betty Earley will present, "Sonata in F," by Beethoven; Annette Puckett will be heard in Zacharia's "Danse Ancienne;" Darlene Coulter will play Maya Zucca's "Capriccio;" Frankie Boyd and Charlotte Williams will give, "Pomp and Circumstance," by Edgar; Jean Robinson will play, "Polish Dance," by Scherzawka; Billie Jean O'Neal will play, "Polonaise," by Chopin, Op. 40, No. 1 and Miss O'Neal and Jean Robinson will play the "Waltz of the Flowers," by Tchaikovsky in conclusion.

The public is invited to attend the recital.

Two Perrin Field Planes In Crashes

By the Associated Press

Two training planes from Perrin Field, Sherman, Tex., lost in a severe hail and rainstorm over Southeastern Oklahoma, crashed during the night killing the pilots.

One plane fell 12 miles south of Ada about midnight.

The other plane was found at 7:30 o'clock this morning by a search plane six miles east of Justin. Wreckage was strewn over a large area.

No identification of the fliers have been made public by Perrin Field officials.

Business Failures

NEW YORK, May 24. (U.P.)—Business failures totaled 172 in the week ended May 20—one more than in the preceding week, Dun & Bradstreet reported today.

Sweetwater Named Meeting Site Of Sorority Council

Sweetwater was chosen as the international headquarters for the 1950 meeting of the West Texas Area Council of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority at the annual convention in the Hotel Settles Sunday.

Elsie Guenther of the international headquarters in Kansas City, Mo. served as guest speaker at the luncheon. Introduced by Kathaleen Freeman, Mrs. Guenther presented a vivid mental picture of the international headquarters, by describing the building, officers, employees and the duties of each.

Elizabeth Murdock of Xi Mu chapter, Big Spring, pronounced the invocation, Helen Steck gave a reading and Peggy Toops demonstrated her cut-outs. Accompaniment was played by Mrs. Helen Green. Kathaleen Freeman was toastmistress.

Registration began Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m. for all out-of-town representatives, followed by a coke party at 7:30 p. m.

Tom Hackney of the Iota Kappa chapter, Lamesa, was the winner of the full jewel pin. Helen McLendon of the Xi Xi chapter, Odessa, president of the West Texas Area Council, presided at the general meeting.

Representatives from the following chapters attended: Zeta Psi, Pecos; Kappa Epsilon, Monahans; Alpha Delta, Theta Chi and Zeta Delta, Lubbock; Beta Beta and Zeta Kappa, Sweetwater; Zeta Alpha and Alpha Omicron, Abilene; Epsilon Psi, Theta Omega, San Angelo; Iota Kappa, Lamesa; Xi Xi, Gamma Beta and Eta Sigma, Odessa; Xi Theta and Iota Beta, Midland and Beta Omega Phi and Delta Omega, Stanton.

Local members of the Xi Mu and Beta Omicron chapters who were in attendance included Elizabeth Murdock, Pat Dobbins, Patty O'Neil, Anne Darrow, Clarinda Harris, Freda Hoover, Marguerite Wooten, Kathaleen Freeman, Lovada Grata, Frankie Nobles, Louise O'Daniel, Margaret Murdock, Billie Jean Rowe, Bettye Nabors, Doris Glenn, Cozette Shields, Alta Mae Bettle, Francys Cooper, Dorothy Hall, Dolores Helth, Barbara Gage, Kate Irons, Yvonne Lillard, Edna Womack, Mattie Bell Thompson, Faye Morgan, Helen Steck, Erma Lee Young, Lola Knowles and Doris K. Smith.

Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Collins have returned from an extended vacation which included visits to Texas, Dam, Lexington, Ky., Washington, D. C., Tidoupe, Penn., Chattanooga, N. Y., Jamestown, N. Y., Charleston, S. C., Dallas, and other points in Texas, Oklahoma and Mississippi.

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Cosden Auxiliary Makes Contribution

Members of the Cosden Auxiliary brought articles of clothing to be given to the flood victims in Fort Worth when a regular meeting was held in the YMCA Monday evening. Mrs. Jack Smith, Mrs. Ray Shaw and Mrs. Morris were appointed to take the clothing to the Red Cross.

Other business included the decision to hold monthly meetings during the summer.

Mrs. Lowell Baird, Mrs. D. M. Bairdwell, Mrs. Fred Beckham, Mrs. Charles Brown and Mrs. Neal Barnaby served as hostesses for the evening. Mrs. Fred Beckham was in charge of a "get acquainted" program feature.

Refreshments were served from a lace covered table centered with a floral arrangement of roses and snapdragons.

Those present were: Mrs. Walter Barbee, Mrs. W. O. Washington, Mrs. Buck Rogers, Mrs. Buddy Clinton, Mrs. J. D. Stittler, Mrs.

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Mrs. Lena Bailey Is New President Of Church Class

Mrs. Lena Bailey was named president of the Wesley Methodist Mary Martha Class at a meeting held in the home of M. C. L. Steel Monday.

Other officers elected were: vice president, Mrs. Christine Hamby; secretary, Mrs. Alma Coleman; treasurer, Mrs. Dorothy Meador; reporter, Mrs. Lois Foreyth; and teacher, Mrs. Lalla Baird.

Secret pals were revealed and new ones drawn.

It was announced that Mrs. Ray Pitts will be the next hostess.

Those attending were: Mrs. Lois Foreyth, Mrs. C. R. Thompson, Mrs. S. E. Smith, Mrs. Christine Hamby, Mrs. Dorothy Meador, Mrs. Nile Bailey, Mrs. Ben Whitaker, Mrs. Alma Coleman, Mrs. Virginia White, Mrs. Lalla Baird, Mrs. Wayne Allen, Mrs. Clayton Coats, Mrs. J. D. Thompson, Mrs. Ray Eckler, Mrs. J. M. Saunders and the hostess.

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BUZ SAWYER

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SIN GOING AFTER THEM, BUT TO BE A GIP TO FOLLOW THESE TRACKS AND RISK WALKING INTO AN AMBUSH.

TOO BAD, I HAVE A BETTER PLAN.

STRANGE! I WAS SURE HE'D FOLLOW OUR TRACKS.

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I WANT MY MONEY BACK

SEE THE DOUBLE-HEADER TODAY

I DIDN'T SEE HIM

DICKIE DARE

DAN...! GOSH SURE! THESE GUY SHOTS ARE IN CHARGE!

YEAH! WHAT WORRIES ME IS THE PENALTY FOR SHOOTING KANGAROO OFF SEASON! GET A LOAD OF HIM!

WHAT'S ALL THIS RUMPUS AND FUS? EXPLAIN THE MEANING OF THIS!

FURTHER MORE, UNCLE EUGENE, THIS IS THE MAN THAT'S BEEN TRYING TO KILL YOU!

OAKIE DOAKS

MURDOCK AND OAKY HAVE MOVED THE SUPER-DUPER CROSSBOW TO THE CASTLE COURTYARD.

NOW ALL WE GOTTA DO IS WAIT FOR DAYBREAK, OAKY!

YES, MR. MURDOCK... HOW FAR AWAY ARE YOU GONNA PLACE THE SPY WHEN YOU SHOOT AT HIM?

SHOOT AT HIM? OAKY, I'VE GOTTA GIT HIM WITH TH' FIRST SHOT!

LIL' ABNER

EXCOOZE US FO' BUSTIN' IN LIKE A HERD O' WILD HAWKS—BUT THEY SAY THE LIL' ABNER AN' DAISSY MAE IS GITTING MARRIED AT LAST!

SARTINLY SOMETHIN' WILL HAPPEN AT THE LAST MOMENT! SPOIL IT ALL!

OH, YAH? WATCH THIS!!

IT HAPPENED!!

BLONDIE

H-M-M... THAT SALAD LOOKS LIKE IT SHOULD MAKE A TASTY BEDTIME SNACK

A LITTLE FRENCH DRESSING AND MAYONNAISE WILL GIVE IT ZIP

IT WAS DELICIOUS, BUT WHAT CAN THIS WIFE BE DOING IN A SALAD?

OH, MY GOODNESS! YOU ATE THE CORSAGE I BOUGHT TO WEAR TO THE LADIES' LUNCHEON TOMORROW

ANNIE ROONEY

ALL IS WELL—OUR ENEMIES ARE CAMPING FOR THE NIGHT—HERE WE CAN SLEEP IN PEACE—

SLEEP IN PEACE? WOULDN'T IT BE BETTER TO RUN AWAY FROM HERE AS FAST AS WE CAN RUN?? THEY'RE ON THE WARPATH—AN—

THE FOOLISH ONES ARE FOLLOWING A FALSE TRAIL MADE BY MY WARRIORS—IT IS SAFER TO FOLLOW OUR ENEMIES THAN HAVE OUR ENEMIES FOLLOW US—

AWAKEN, LITTLE WHITE BIRD—THE SUN GOD IS RISING TO WATCH OVER US FOR ANOTHER DAY—

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SCORCHY SMITH

NOISES UP THE TRAIL! MY BRAWNY BASHY RUSHES TOWARD MY MAN TRAP!

PUT ME DOWN, YOU DEVIL'S SPINAL!

NO! NO!! AIEEEEE!

LOOK! LOOK!! ALL KASBY'S ELPHANT! ALL KASBY'S ELPHANT! ALL KASBY'S ELPHANT!

SNUFFY SMITH

I DON'T GIVE A HOOT HOW MUCH OF YORE FOLDIN' MONEY I'M SQUANDERIN'. T.T.T.—IT'S NONE OF YORE BIZZNESS HOW I AIM TO WIPE OUT THEM NO-COUNT MOONSHINERS

YE GIT THAT FIVE THOUGHT POUNDS OF PLASTER PARIS DOWN TO HOOTIN' HOLLER IN TWO SHAKES OF A SHEEP'S TAIL, OR I'LL SNATCH YE BALD-FACED

SHORE, SNIFFER, SHORE!!

HI, THAR. SECKTARY-GAL!! GIT THAT PLASTER PARIS DOWN TO HOOTIN' HOLLER THIS VERY INSTANT AFORE I TAKE A BARREL STAVE TO YE!!

HARLEY-DAVIDSON 125

Cecil Thixton

PATSY

FELLOW MEMBERS OF THE TVETIZ KIDZ—

NOT BEING SUCH GREAT SHAKES AT MAKING WITH THE SPEECHES, THIS EXTRA SPECIAL OCCASION LEAVES ME SORT OF DUMBFOUNDED!

ALL I CAN SAY IS, MEET-OUR NOT-SO-DUMB FOUNDER... PATSY!

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Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Food dab
- Chinese shrub
- One of three equal parts
- Uncle's postie
- Hockey ball
- Wreath
- That which is woven
- Parasitic worm
- Expense
- Not any
- Quantity per unit of time
- Tongsters
- Headpiece
- Point on the moon's orbit
- Disconcert
- Charge

DOWN

- Quail
- Music drama
- Moot
- Of the spring
- Relieve
- Ventilated
- Cereal
- Recent
- Dressed
- Coin
- County in Colorado
- Forgiving
- Adult boy
- Marble
- Fish eggs
- Beverage
- Studies
- Female sheep
- Pettition

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

1. Change cars
2. Detest
3. Artificial language
4. Free
5. Female deer
6. Scotch music
7. Festival
8. Rich brown
9. Palm lilies
10. Religious feast day
11. Masculine name
12. Fencing dummy
13. Ancient hermits who lived on the tops of pillars
14. Upright dwelling
15. City in Minnesota
16. Contend
17. Garb
18. Insect
19. Babylonian abode of the dead
20. Recipient of a gift
21. Particle
22. 3-shaped molding
23. Knock
24. Sell
25. Disfigure
26. At once

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Bob Crues, Roswell Rockets Here For Three Game Series

Guests Boost Heavy Hitters

Bob Crues, the mighty man of swat, brings his Roswell Rockets into the village this evening to open a three-game stand against the Big Spring Bronces. Standing time of the fracas is 8:15 o'clock.

Crues is the same operative who came within a whisker of setting an all-time minor league home run record while playing for Amarillo last year. He clouted his 69th round tripper—good enough to tie Joe Hauser's record—several days before the WT-NM league season came to a close, then was never able to quite get the ball out of the park again.

Though he started a bit slow this year, Robin is a heavy favorite to shatter the Longhorn league standard, which now stands at 27.

Crues isn't the only powerhouse Roswell has, not by any means. Tom Jordan, who by rights should be playing AA ball, will be behind the plate for the New Mexicans. He's been hitting beyond the .400 mark and is very dangerous with men on the base paths.

Then there's Mel Nuendorf, a very sound player for Ballinger last season. He'll be at third base.

Either Vic Michalec or Bill Watling may twirl for the guests while Julio Ramos is due to mount the knob for the Bronces. Ramos has now won six games without a loss. In case he doesn't start, Freddy Rodriguez will be ready to hurl.

Yesterday's Results

LONGHORN LEAGUE
BIG SPRING 16 Midland 2.
San Angelo 9 Roswell 3.
Vernon 4 Odessa 5.
Sweetwater 9 Ballinger 8.
WEST TEXAS-NEW MEXICO
Amarillo 4, Lamesa 4.
Arlene 7, Albuquerque 4.
Clovis 10, Pampa 3.
Lubbock 10, Borger 9.
EAST TEXAS LEAGUE
Marshall 4, Paris 3.
Tyler 10, Henderson 4.
Longview 5, Gladewater 3.
Bryan 5, Elmore 5.
TEXAS LEAGUE
Beaumont 2, Shreveport 0.
Tulsa 3, Chickasha 0.
Fort Worth 10, Dallas 4.
San Antonio 11, Houston 4.
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Boston 11, Chicago 4.
(Only Game Scheduled)
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Boston 4, Detroit 0.
Chicago 3, Washington 1.
Cleveland 1, Philadelphia 3.
New York 10, St. Louis 3.
BIG STATE LEAGUE
Tarkenton 10, Wichita Falls 5.
Gardensville 11, Sherman-Denton 1.
Austin 5, Waco 4.
Temple 6, Greenville 5.
SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
New Orleans 10, Memphis 3.
Little Rock 8, Mobile 1.
Birmingham 15, Nashville 4.
Chattanooga 4, Atlanta 3.

Games Today

LONGHORN LEAGUE
Roswell at BIG SPRING.
Midland at San Angelo.
Sweetwater at Vernon.
Ballinger at Odessa.
WEST TEXAS-NEW MEXICO
Albuquerque at Lubbock.
Clovis at Lamesa.
Borger at Amarillo.
Pampa at Amarillo.
EAST TEXAS LEAGUE
Tyler at Henderson.
Marshall at Paris.
Gladewater at Bryan.
Elmore at Bryan.
BIG STATE LEAGUE
Tarkenton at Wichita Falls.
Sherman-Denton at Garden City.
Waco at Austin.
Greenville at Temple.
AMERICAN LEAGUE
St. Louis at New York — Drews (2-3) vs. Reuland (1-1).
Detroit at Boston — Neumann (0-1) vs. Kramer (0-2) or Harris (1-3).
Chicago at Washington (night) — Flatt (0-1) vs. Scarborough (0-3).
Cleveland at Philadelphia (night) — Groves (2-3) vs. Fowler (1-3).
NATIONAL LEAGUE
New York at Chicago — Jones (0-3) vs. Chipman (2-1).
Boston at St. Louis (night) — Antonelli (0-1) vs. Brecheen (0-2).
Philadelphia at Cincinnati (night) — Heinzelman (0-1) vs. Lively (1-1).
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh (night) — Branca (0-4) vs. Chastain (2-0).

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JOCKEY TOPS JUMPER—Steeplechase jockey S. Haag appears to be walking straight up the neck of his mount, Dunky, (top) as the horse crashes into first obstacle in the hurdle race at Flemington race course, Melbourne, Australia. Having gone as high as possible, Haag goes over Dunky's head (bottom) with hands clutching bridle. Haag hit the ground head-first in one of the most spectacular spills in years. He suffered concussions, but no broken bones. (AP Wirephoto).

Looking 'Em Over

by Tommy Hart

Shirley Robbins, the Big Spring country club's golf professional, has announced Bettye Mims White, the beautiful link star of Dallas, will call at the local course the first part of July to complete in an exhibition.

Mrs. White is known throughout the South for her golf as well as her looks. She and Polly Riley are about the best simon-pure golfers of the female ranks in Texas at the moment.

Bill Phillips, a Texas and Pacific railway baggageman who golfs here between tours, had a run of seven consecutive one-putt greens in a practice round at the Mundy course last Sunday. Can anyone around here top that?

Phillips was playing with Alden Thomas and Cornell Smith at the time.

RIO GRANDE VALLEY LEAGUE HAVING TROUBLES
Down in the Rio Grande Valley baseball league, they've become very worried over the inability of two of the circuit's cities, Donna and Del Rio, to pay their way.

A Corpus Christi-Donna series has already been transferred from Donna to Corpus because of an acute shortage of customers. There's already a move on foot to transfer the franchise from Donna to Alice.

DEL RIO WAS WEAK SISTER IN LONGHORN SETUP
Del Rio isn't and probably never will be a good professional baseball town. Last season, the Cowboys lured about 13,000 customers through the turnstiles, and that in 70 Longhorn League home games.

Another complaint coming out of that sector is that Donna, Brownsville and McAllen (all member cities) are too close together. McAllen is still having its troubles. Earl Halstead, the new owner there, is trying to sell stock in the club to business men but has not been successful.

BILL GANN BEING BOOED BY CORPUS CHRISTI FANS
According to South Texas news organs, Corpus fans have taken to booing Bill Gann, the ex-Sweetwater pilot and now skipper of the Corpus team. Gann has had his team near the top in league standings all season. Apparently the fans there can't accustom themselves to losing every once in a while.

The Odessa Oilers have signed Ernie Radari, a rookie infielder who has been playing in a Canadian semi-pro league this spring. When he arrives, he may take over the third base spot so that Les Palmer can go into the outfield.

Alex Monchak the Odessa pilot, is also optioning Howard Ether-ton, a rookie outfielder, to the Rio Grande Valley league.

Bill Evans, who hurled for Big Spring during part of the ill-fated 1942 season, is still with the Chicago White Sox.

JACK ODLE REPORTEDLY MOVING BACK HERE
Jack Odle, who filled the tough assignment of fitting into the pattern of such passing greats as Sammy Baugh and Davey O'Brien at TCU some years ago, reportedly is being transferred back to Big Spring by the CAA.

Odle was stationed here during the war and in his spare time lent assistance to Johnny Dibrill, then high school coach, at a time John had it all to himself.

Perhaps Odle will be in a position to help Dibrill and the HCJC griders get started this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davis Leave Today

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davis left today for Little Creek, Va., where he will take a two weeks' refresher's course in the US Marines Officer Training school.

Davis is athletic director at Howard County Junior college while she has been employed as a teacher at the local high school for the past two years.

Following the OTS course, the Davises will be at home in Denton during the summer where Mrs. Davis plans to attend college.

Helba Wins 3rd As Steeds Gain 10-2 Triumph

MIDLAND, May 24.—The Big Spring Bronces toyed with the Midland Indians here Monday night, winning a 10-2 decision behind the expert elbowing of Lefty Gumbo Helbas as some 900 patrons looked on.

Carlos (Potato) Pascual, hitting in the cleanup spot for the Hossees, banged out three doubles and a one-baser to help Helba to his third mound success of the season. The first of Pascual's doubles came in Round One when the Cayuses were in the midst of a three-run uprising.

Weldon Stewart went all the way on the hill for Midland, despite the fact that he was rapped for 14 hits.

Nine doubles were clouted during the contest, five of them by the Steeds.

Helba surrendered runs in the first and third innings, only one of which was earned.

The victory enabled the Cayuses to escape with the rubber game in the three-bout series and come off with a 3-2 edge in a five-day road trip, which included a stop at Roswell. It also served to protect their 2½ game bulge in the standings over second-place Vernon.

BIG SPRING (10) AB R H FOA
Gomes 1f 5 0 1 0 0
Mendez 2b 5 0 1 0 0
Ramirez 1b 5 0 1 0 0
Pascual 3b 5 2 4 1 0
Ramos 2f 5 0 0 1 0
Vasquez 4f 5 1 2 3 0
Valdes 5f 5 0 1 0 0
Hernandez 2b 5 0 1 0 0
Helba p 4 0 1 0 2
Totals 35 2 10 11 2
MIDLAND (2) AB R H FOA
Hughes 1f 4 2 1 2 0
Stiller 2f 4 0 1 0 0
Jones 3f 4 0 0 0 0
Presley 3b 4 0 1 0 0
Stipp 1f 4 0 0 0 0
Pena 4f 4 0 1 0 0
Pilligano 5f 4 0 1 0 0
Rios 2b 4 0 0 0 0
Stewart p 3 0 0 0 0
Totals 32 2 5 10 0

x-grounded out for Stewart in 9th.
BIG SPRING 305 520 300-15
Errors: Mendez, Vasquez, Hughes, Presley, Rose, runs batted in, Pascual 4, Helba 2, Stewart 1; struck out, by Helba 2, base hits, Ramirez, Pascual 3, Valdes, bases, Vasquez 2; double play, Vasquez to Ramirez; bases on balls, off Helba 2, Stewart 1; struck out, by Helba 7, Stewart 5; wild pitch, Stewart; left on bases, Big Spring 6, Midland 1; umpires, Hammond and Eller; time, 2:20. Attendance, 900.

Gene Roberts May Play Grid Game Again

FORT WORTH, May 24.—"Do I ever play football again?" Little Gene (Chicken) Roberts Southern Methodist University backfield star, asked this question from his hospital bed of Dr. S. A. Price, some 36 hours after a three-car collision almost took his life.

"Gene, you'll have to play football for SMU next year," replied Dr. Price.

Dr. Price said Roberts was now listed as "seriously injured," after being classed as "critically injured" throughout Sunday.

"If his luck holds out, he should be in shape to play next fall," the doctor said. "It all depends on how he takes care of himself during the summer." Dr. Price said Roberts should be hospitalized about two weeks.

Roberts was one of the better backs on the Southwest Conference and Cotton Bowl championship SMU football team last year. The Mustangs were grooming him to fill the shoes of Right Halfback Paul Price, who graduates this month.

Dr. Price said Cecil Mosley, SMU guard, also hurt in the accident, should be out of the hospital within five or six days. Bradford Campbell, a TCU freshman, received a compound fracture of his right arm in the collision.

Carl Underwood, a North Texas State College student, was killed. He was driving the light, English Ford sedan in which Roberts, Mosley and Campbell were riding. The car was demolished when it collided with a truck and another car, in South Fort Worth. The four students were attending a Masonic Home reunion here.

MARSHALL WINS, 5 - 1
JACKSONVILLE, May 24. (AP)—Marshall High School has won a place in the state schoolboy baseball tournament in Austin.

Marshall, behind the three-hit pitching of Hollis Morton, defeated Jacksonville here last night, 5-1.

Man Dies In Creek
TIFFIN, O., May 24. (AP)—Daniel Carver, 17, who came here last month from Rio Hondo, to work in the Seneca County beet fields drowned yesterday in rain-swollen Wolf Creek. He had been swimming.

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Vern Stephens, Henrich Lead Clubs To Win

By The Associated Press
Undoubtedly two of the greatest "money players" in baseball today are Vern Stephens of the Boston Red Sox and Tommy Henrich of the New York Yankees.

They may not compare to Ted Williams in sheer power, or to Stan Musial in all-around brilliance but, in the clutch, they're in a class by themselves.

Stephens is hitting only around .270, but he heads the majors in home runs and runs batted in. Henrich, whose nine-year batting average is only .282, gets most of his hits when they count. He's hitting .320 now, is second in home runs and up among the leaders in runs batted in.

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Early Wynn, obtained from Washington in winter trade, went the route for his first triumph with the Indians. He allowed six hits. A five-run fourth against relief pitcher Charlie Harris put the game on ice for Cleveland.

Randy Gumpert hurled a three-hitter against Washington as the Chicago White Sox whipped the Nats, 3-1. After Cass Michaels had tied up the game with an eighth-inning home run, the Sox tallied twice in the ninth. Joe Haynes, to break the deadlock.

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Itching Isn't Sign Of Athlete's Foot

WASHINGTON, May 24. (AP)—Just because your feet itch, it's no sign that you have athlete's foot. Maybe your feet itch because you're a nervous Nellie, or a jumpy Jack.

This is national foot week, and the National Assn. of Chiropractors today tossed out a few warnings about itchy feet.

Mary McLeod And Murry Patterson To Get Degrees

FORT WORTH, May 24.—Mary McLeod, daughter of E. W. McLeod, formerly of Big Spring, and Murry Patterson, son of L. S. Patterson of Big Spring, are candidates for degrees at Texas Wesleyan College.

Miss McLeod is a candidate for the Bachelor of Science degree in home economics and Patterson is a candidate for the Bachelor of Arts degree in social science.

Commencement exercises will be May 30. Annual homecoming and May fete will be May 28 on the TWC campus.

Three City Residents Degree Candidates

DENTON, May 24.—Among the 298 candidates for bachelor's degrees to be awarded next month at Texas State College for Women are three Big Spring residents.

They are Miss Mary Helen Lomax, Route 2; Mrs. Zolzie Mae Rawlins, 610 Gollard; and Mrs. Elizabeth Keith Sullivan, 1100 East 3rd Street.

Degrees will be conferred at 9 a. m. June 6 at the college main auditorium. Dr. L. H. Hubbard, president of TSCW, will be commencement speaker.

Commissioners To Meet Here Today

Big Spring city commissioners were scheduled to meet at 5 p. m. today at the city hall.

Several business items, including final reading of a new taxi-cab ordinance, were to be on the agenda.

TWO-WAY ENSEMBLE



This interesting group of embroidery motifs offers a choice of designs suitable for children's clothing, towels etc. Hot iron transfer pattern No. 796 contains 25 motifs with complete instructions. To order: Send 20 cents in coin, with pattern number, to Needlework Bureau, Big Spring Herald, Box 229, Madison Square Station, New York, N. Y. An extra 15c will bring you the Needlework Book which includes free patterns and a wide variety of designs for knitting, crocheting, and embroidery.

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Take temperment. Dr. William J. Stickel, the association's executive secretary says some people, the moment their feet itch, decide they have athlete's foot.

But, he said, many nervous, high strung people perspire freely. While they're sweating it out they may develop blisters around their arches. If they don't get special treatment quickly, they may get an infection—and wind up in a hospital.

The things that can go wrong with your toes!

Such as pyoderma. Scratch an insect bite, or bruise your foot and pyoderma may move in as quickly as a poor relation at will reading time.

Such as dyes in new socks. Some people are allergic to dyes. Acquiring the same symptoms, I've had itchy feet ever since I began this item.

And I'm not helped any by this: Your feet sometimes act like danger signals. When they get sore, they're really letting you know you have bad teeth, infected tonsils, diseased kidneys or stomach trouble.

Now I ache all over.

COURSE OF LOVE IS NOT SMOOTH

A Latin-American man and woman who engaged in an affair on the north side Monday were both obliged to think it over in the county bastille today.

The woman, Nancy Garcia, was charged with aggravated assault, fined \$50 and sentenced to five days in jail. She was accused of hitting the man, Carlos Medrano, over the head with a bottle, then cutting his throat with the portion of the glass that had not been shattered.

Medrano was charged with simple assault and was to be tried when declared able to report to Justice of Peace Oren Leonard.

MARKETS

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, May 24. (AP)—Block prices were market, but leveled off almost immediately.

Fractional losses were posted for a wide variety of key issues before selling pressure let up. Even small declines, though, were enough to force a number of stocks to new low prices for 1949.

COTTON

NEW YORK, May 24. (AP)—Nominally NEW YORK, May 24. (AP)—Nominally cotton prices were 20 cents a bale lower to 20 cents higher than the previous close. July 22.45, Oct. 28.06, and Dec. 28.52.

LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, May 24. (AP)—Cattle: 2,000; calves 800; trade uneven; good and choice steers, yearlings and heifers 24.00-26.50; common to medium 17.00-23.00; butchers and beef cows 16.50-19.00; good and choice fat calves 24.00-25.00; common to medium 17.50-22.00; stocker yearlings 18.00-25.00; stocker cows 16.00-18.50.

Hogs: 1,300; butcher hogs steady to strong; compared with Monday's averages, some unchanged; feeder pigs 30 cents higher; top 18.75; most good and choice 16.00-18.00; 17.00-18.25; sows 14.00-16.00; feeder pigs 14.50-17.50.

Sheep: 20,000; killing classes mostly steady; good feeders steady; common and medium grade feeders weak to 100 lower; good and choice spring lambs 27.50-29.00; common to medium spring lambs 22.00-26.50; medium and good short lambs and yearlings 25.00-26.50; slaughter ewes 7.00-12.50; good short feeder lambs and yearlings 22.00-26.50; common to medium grades 17.00-21.00.



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Hunters Reminded To Respect Rights Of Property Owners

County authorities have been alerted to arrest any hunters caught on enclosed property not belonging to them, if they have not been given permission to stalk game there. County Judge J. E. Brown said this morning.

All too many reports of persons trespassing for the purpose of hunting have been reaching him Brown said.

Persons so charged, if found guilty, are liable to fines from \$10 to \$200. In addition, their hunting licenses could be suspended for the year.

FHA Officials To Meet In Big Spring Thursday, Friday

An estimated 50 persons, representing 43 counties of District 9 of the Farmers Home administration, will gather at the Settles Hotel Thursday and Friday of this week for a luncheon conference.

New loan procedure for the next crop year will be discussed at the sessions.

Among those scheduled to speak to the group are L. J. Cappelman of College Station, state director, and Charles M. Richter, Lubbock, district field man.

Jewel Daugherty will represent the local FHA office.

YMCA Secretary Goes To Retreat

Lee Milling, executive secretary of the YMCA, has left for Camp Clynson near Oklahoma City, for a YMCA secretary's clinic.

Program and other details will be studied during the week at the camp owned by the Oklahoma City association.

PUBLIC RECORDS

Building Permits

Trinity Baptist Church, to build frame and stucco building at 811 Eleventh Place, \$20,000.

John Nutt, to build frame addition to building at 1800 Gregg, \$300.

John Nutt, to build tile and stucco garage and storage building at 411 Gregg, \$600.

LEGAL NOTICE

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HOWARD.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Howard County, on the 16th day of May 1949, by a judgment rendered in said court of said county on the 30th day of August, 1948 for the sum of Four Hundred Twenty Eight and 88/100 (\$428.88) dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Dick Adams in a certain cause in said Court, No. 6693 and styled Dick Adams vs. J. G. Hightower and Wynna Hightower, placed in my hands for service, I, R. L. Wolf as Sheriff of Howard County, Texas, did, on the 20th day of August 1948, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Howard County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot Number Nine (9) in Block Number Four (4) Cedar Crest Addition to the Original Town of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of and levied upon the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door of Howard County, in the City of Big Spring, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. G. Hightower and Wynna Hightower.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Big Spring Herald, a newspaper published in Howard County, Texas.

Witness my hand, this 16th day of May 1949.

R. L. WOLF,
Sheriff Howard County, Texas.

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Big Spring Legion Post To Observe Poppy Day Saturday

Saturday will be observed as Poppy Day by the American Legion post.

Date for the Legion's Poppy sale, traditionally held here in November, has been fixed for May 28 as a national policy ruling by the Legion.

Hundreds of the poppies turned out by the skilled fingers of disabled veterans at Legion, Texas are on hand, according to Mrs. Velma Griese, Poppy chairman for the Howard county unit of the American Legion auxiliary.

"The men who make the flowers are the only persons paid for their work in the Auxiliary's poppy program," said Mrs. Griese. "All others are unpaid volunteers who give their services to help carry out the purpose of Poppy Day—to honor the dead and aid the disabled."

Each poppy is turned by a veteran in the veterans hospital at Legion, using red crepe paper, wire, and green paper to wrap the stem. Thus, each poppy has some peculiarity just as those that grew on the battlefields of Europe where two generations of men have fought and died.

Allen Fined \$150

Jack Allen entered a plea of guilty in county court Monday to a charge of defrauding by obtaining things of value with a worthless check and was fined \$150 and costs and sentenced to 30 days in jail by Judge J. E. Brown.

Oscar Grothe, similarly accused was fined \$150 and sentenced to ten days in the pokey in another case brought before Brown.

Borden Wildcat To Test Scattered Pay

Seaboard No. 1 Clayton & Johnson, six miles northwest of Gall, was preparing Tuesday for a drill-

Many County Pioneers Associated With T&P

A considerable number of Howard county's early-comers are those who have been associated for many years with the Texas & Pacific Railway company, which has played so prominent a part in the city's development.

Some of these, who recently sent in "old-timer" coupons, include Walter Deats (1885); Charles Eberley (1904); G. E. Freeman (1905); and Charles Vines (1905).

Names of all those who have been in Howard county since 1909 and before are wanted for a special listing for the "big spring centennial" year. Coupons are invited. Among recent registrants: Bernard Fisher, 1883; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Deats, 1885; Mrs. Mollie Porter, 1887; J. M. Fisher, 1887; Mrs. Charles Vines, 1889; H. C. Boatler, 1898; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cauble, 1899; Mrs. I. B. Cauble, 1900; Glass Glenn, 1900; Mrs. G. E. Freeman, 1901; Mr. and Mrs. Dee Foster, 1902; Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Cunningham, 1903; Mable Glenn, 1903; Charles Eberley, 1904; G. E. Freeman and Charles Vines, 1905; Elmo Wasson, Mrs. L. M. Horn, Adrian Linn deGraffenreid, all 1906; Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Debenport, Mrs. J. Y. Robb, Mrs. R. L. Anderson, Ula Burch, all 1907; Lloyd Wasson, and Jack L. Hull, 1908.

PIONEER INFORMATION

(Please Print in Pencil)

(Clip and Mail to Editor, The Herald)

Name

Address

I came to Howard county in

Past and present occupations or business associations

Remarks:

Borden Wildcat To Test Scattered Pay

Seaboard No. 1 Clayton & Johnson, six miles northwest of Gall, was preparing Tuesday for a drill-

stem with hole bottomed at 6,188 feet.

The venture was to test scattered shows from 6,080-6,188 feet in lime. It is located 660 feet from the south and west lines of section 37-31-6N, T&P.

He Thinks U.S. Should Have Ape For \$10 Billion In Foreign Aid

WASHINGTON, May 24. (AP)—Frank J. Mulken says the United States should get at least a monkey for the \$10 billion it is spending in foreign aid.

Mulken, a national director of the Isaac Walton League, told the House Appropriations Committee that the foreign aid spending has curbed certain spending at home.

For example, he said, the Washington zoo had its appropriation for the purchase of animals cut from \$15,000 to \$3,100.

He pointed out that many European nations have large colonies swarming with wild animals.

He said he has written foreign ministers of Great Britain, Belgium and France suggesting they send us some animals in exchange for the money the U. S. is giving them.

Mulken said he had received replies indicating his letters are receiving consideration, and concluded:

"Gentlemen, for the \$10 billion I think we should at least get a monkey."

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday with scattered thundershowers in Pecos Valley, South Plains and east of Pecos Valley. Not much change in temperatures.

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday, with scattered thundershowers in north and west portions. Not so warm in north portion this afternoon and tonight. Moderate to fresh southeast winds on the coast.

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday. Widely scattered thundershowers. No important temperature changes.

High today 84, low tonight 64, high tomorrow 84.

Highest temperature this date, 108 in 1928; lowest this date, 43 in 1930; maximum rainfall this date, 6.71 in 1946.

CITY	TEMPERATURES	Max	Min
Abilene		80	67
BIG SPRING		80	66
Chicago		75	48
Denver		72	44
El Paso		82	55
Fort Worth		80	65
Galveston		85	78
New York		75	58
St. Louis		84	77
Sun sets today at 7:42 p. m., rises Wednesday at 5:43 a. m.			

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TERMED 'BOONDOGLING' PLAN

Bill Seeks New Postoffice In Each Congressional District

WASHINGTON, May 24. — A Senate-House committee put finishing touches today on a bill looking towards a new postoffice on the "equivalent"—in each of the 435 congressional districts.

The bill breezed through the House late yesterday with only scattered opposition from lawmakers who termed it a "boondoggling" plan.

It authorizes acquisition of sites and advance planning on federal building projects, and a \$30 million program of repair and renovation for present buildings.

Passed by the Senate in March, the bill's approval by the House sent it to a committee of senators and representatives to have minor differences ironed out.

The House authorized appropriation of \$40 million for selection of sites by the federal works administrator and the postmaster general—one to each congressional district.

It also authorized appropriation of \$30 million for the renovation program, \$10 million of which would be available at once and the rest over a three year program. No repair project could cost more than \$25,000.

In specifying that each congressman get a new postoffice for his district, the house declared that in this project "or the equivalent" two

should be in addition to any projects already authorized and selected.

The bill simply authorizes acquisition of sites and drawing of plans. It does not authorize any construction, although this is con-

Cost Of Living Shows New Hike

WASHINGTON, May 24. —The government's cost of living index has shown another slight increase.

On April 15 the index of retail prices on goods and services purchased by moderate income families was at 169.7 per cent of the 1935-39 average—0.1 per cent above the index of March 15, the Bureau of Labor Statistics said yesterday.

That left the index about where it was on the same date in 1948. But it was 72.1 per cent above August, 1939, and 27.3 per cent above June, 1946, when most price controls were lifted.

The April figure represented the second monthly rise after a five-month decline.

Food prices, which play a major part in determining living costs, were up in 37 cities, dropped in 17 and remained unchanged in 17.

templated in the future.

Rep. Hobbs (D-Ala.) attempted to put an actual construction program into the bill, but was voted down. Chairman Whittington (D-Mass.) of the House Public Works Committee said actual construction "would be delayed until a more propitious time."

"The primary purpose of this bill," he said, "is to place on the shelf a list of public projects to take care of unemployment."

Rep. Wadsworth (R-N.Y.) sought to knock out the provision of buildings among the congressional districts, and qualify them only on need. He was voted down 65 to 23.

"I have a suspicion that this bill will be regarded over the country as a case of every member of Congress getting something for House."

In supporting the bill, Rep. Clarence R. Brown (R-Ohio) said the division of buildings, one to each district, "will eliminate political partisanship and insure that every district will benefit."

Texas Employers Insurance Assn. Has Record Year

Earned premiums of the Texas Employers' Insurance Association reached an all-time high of \$14,666,581 in 1948, according to Alton Brown, manager for this district. This 1948 figure shows an increase of \$4,176,277.96 over earned premiums in 1947, he stated.

Net income for the year, after providing for incurred losses, operating expenses and taxes, amounted to \$3,081,676.92. Dividends paid to policyholders during 1948 on their 1947 earned premiums, plus guaranteed cost discounts deducted from 1948 premiums, amounted to \$2,666,105.12. Assets increased from \$10,638,023.21 in 1947 to \$12,828,650.64 in 1948.

The record year just passed boosted to \$12,795,116.19 the total earned premiums of the Association during the thirty-five years of its continuous operation. Brown said. He also pointed out that after paying claims of \$73,557,376.63 and expenses of \$24,778,191.32, the Association has returned \$23,081,928.95 in dividends and guaranteed cost discounts to its policyholders during these years and on December 31, 1948, showed a surplus as regards policyholders of \$4,590,843.13, an increase of \$15,571.80 over the same figure in 1947.

Tom Tellepsen, board chairman of the Tellepsen Construction company, Houston, and Arch S. Underwood, President of the Texas Compress and Warehouse company, Lubbock, were added to the board to fill the vacancies created by the death of A. T. Clifton, Waco, and Lewis R. Ferguson, Dallas.

Directors re-elected were: Nathan Adams, A. F. Allen, L. W. Groves, D. A. Hulsey, Homer R. Mitchell, T. J. Mosher, J. W. Simmons, and Leslie Waggoner, Dallas; R. L. Carnrike, and John B. Collier, Fort Worth; E. McL. Tittmann, El Paso; Oscar Burton, Tyler; A. J. Frazier, Abilene; E. A. Holmgren, Jr., San Antonio; T. S. Reed, Beaumont; Fred Sehnemann, Wichita Falls; W. M. Picton, Port Arthur; Arthur Temple, Texarkana; Dr. M. E. Thompson, Freeport.

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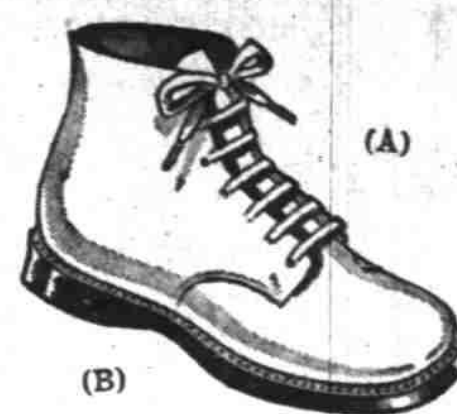
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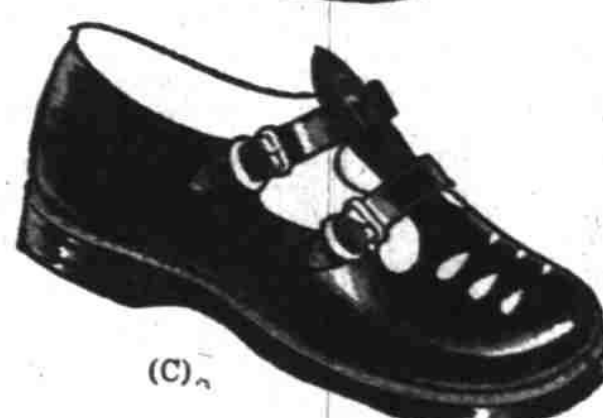
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