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Norther Going At High Speed; Dust Kicked Up

By The Associated Press

A one-two punch of cold air hustled toward Texas Monday behind winds that got March off to a gusty, dusty start.

Snow flurries and bitter temperatures were forecast for the Panhandle Monday night and Tuesday. The U.S. Weather Bureau said the cold weather would rout balmy temperatures in the rest of the state Tuesday.

Winds spilling out of a low-pressure trough across the Panhandle were kicking up West Texas dust before noon Monday.

Visibility was reported down to one-half mile west of Abilene, with dust clouds scudding across the prairie before gusts as high as 50 miles an hour.

The weather bureau said Texas' first taste of cold weather was coming from a high-speed Rocky Mountain cold front that should reach the Gulf Coast by nightfall. This norther was expected to sweep dust clouds across Central and East Texas.

This norther wasn't expected to lower temperatures greatly, after it sped what the weather bureau called an "Arctic outbreak" from Canada.

Forecasters said this one—unusually cold for March—should bring freezing temperatures by Tuesday to all of Texas except the extreme south and the Gulf Coast.

However, the weather bureau said Panhandle snow flurries tossed off by the Canadian norther probably would be so light they'd leave little moisture on the dusty plains.

The twin northers bore down on Texas after weeks of mild February weather in which trees began budding out far ahead of time.

The cold, windy weather meant a continuation of dust clouds that have rolled across the state since Feb. 19.

"But it won't be anything like the big duster 10 days ago," a forecaster said. That one blacked out the sun in many cities. Since then, Texas has had a series of lesser dust storms as high winds sucked up dry topsoil.

A probable freeze in all the state except the coast and extreme South Texas was expected early Tuesday.

Ahead of the cold front, skies were mostly clear and temperatures warming after a norther Saturday. Pre-dawn temperature minimums ranged from 23 at Salt Flat to 45 at Laredo.

Preparing To Complete Well In SE Nolan

Operator is laying drillpipe and preparing to run casing for completion at Neville G. Penrose No. 1 Mrs. K. H. Kirk, indicated flowing discovery from the Ellenburger in Southeast Nolan County.

The well flowed 193.7 barrels of oil in 19 hours on the latest drillstem test which was from 6,269-280 feet. During the last hours of that period, the project flowed 10.44 barrels of oil. Gravity was between 32 and 44 degrees. Gas surfaced in eight minutes and oil in one hour and 58 minutes. Total depth is 6,280 feet. Pay was topped at 6,250 feet.

Drillsite for the No. 1 Kirk is 2,250 feet from south and 570 feet from west lines of E. E. McCrorey survey No. 12 and one-half mile east of Blackwell.

HOWARD FAILURE

Joe W. McSpadden, Charles C. Green, Jr., and Ray Harris Drilling Co. No. 1 C. E. Gilliam, Northeast Howard wildcat, has been plugged and abandoned on total depth of 8,206 feet.

The project was drillstem tested from 7,965-995 feet with the tool open an unreported length of time. Recovery was 30 feet of drilling mud, 90 feet of salt water-cut mud with 180 feet of salt water.

The No. 1 Gilliam is 16 miles northeast of Big Spring and in section 48-32-t3n-T&P. A previous report on a drillstem test at the project erroneously listed Oceanic Oil as one of the operators on this project. Oceanic has no interest in the well.

SCURRY COUNTY

Testing was continuing at Sam D. Ares of Lubbock No. 1 George Weldon Johnson, according to reliable sources. A previous report which stated that the well had swabbed six barrels of oil from the Strawn appears to have been in error. Unofficial but reliable sources have described the recovery on that swabbing test as salt water with no apparent traces of oil.

Ares had plugged the Northeast Scurry project for abandonment after re-opening the hole. But recently he drilled plug, preforated and then began swabbing tests last week.

The well was originally plugged and abandoned in 1950.

Lone Star Production No. 1 I. G. Harrell, Northeast Scurry wildcat, is drillstem testing from 6,823-840 feet. Top of the Strawn by samples is at 6,820 feet. Total depth is now 6,840 feet.

In North Scurry County, Texaco No. 7 M. A. Fuller is pumping after making eight barrels of oil and 32 barrels of water on a gauge covering an unreported length of time. A Knickerbocker No. 1 Jordan is drilling below 8,484 feet. Goodstein No. 1 W. F. Mathis is waiting on a potential test.

DRILLING REPORT

Falcon Seaboard and others No. 1 Clayton & Johnson, 11 miles north of Vealmoor, is drillstem testing in the Pennsylvanian reef which was topped at 8,240 feet. Total depth is 8,240 feet. Elevation is 2,553 feet.

Pan American No. 1 Wolf, Borden wildcat, is drilling in lime below 4,802 feet.

British American No. 1 Beal, Southeast Borden wildcat, is drilling ahead after a one-hour drillstem test from 6,710-775 feet. Recovery was 25 feet of drilling mud

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Benson Gives Report On Year

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Benson, in his first annual report to the President, said today that 1953 was a year in which a long decline in farm prices had been halted and a "sound permanent" farm program had been developed.

It also was a year he said, in which steps were taken to adjust agriculture's production—expanded greatly during and after the war—to peacetime needs.

He said the Eisenhower administration had inherited problems of surpluses, overproduction and declining farm prices from the Truman administration. Much of the new administration's first year in office, he said, was to deal with these problems so that it could move "constructively" toward putting agriculture on a sound basis.

"The problem was made more difficult because the tools available were not fully adequate to the needs of the 1950s," he said. "The present farm programs were basically developed during the 1930s as a part of the battle against the depression of those years.

"They were amended during the 1940s as a part of this nation's economic answer to the total war of those years," he continued. "But the age we now live in is different. The demand situation is different than it was in either the great depression or the great war. The production situation is also different."

The administration in January laid a proposed new farm program before Congress. It would lay much stress on flexible price supports as a measure for stabilizing farm income and on efforts to expand farm markets.

DEATH CROSS

This fragment of fuselage wall balanced in the semblance of a cross is part of the wreckage from a C-119C in which four crewmen died at the edge of Huntingdon, Tenn. It was piloted by a hometown boy, 1st Lt. Jack Jenkins, Jr.

Philadelphia Blast Kills Five Persons

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Five persons, including three children in a neighborhood luncheonette, were killed last night when a violent explosion destroyed two buildings in a crowded section of South Philadelphia.

A 17-year-old girl, Ruby Mosley, trapped for six hours in a public telephone booth under the mountain of rubble, escaped unharmed. Twenty others, including four firemen, were injured.

The blast, of undetermined origin, occurred on a quiet Sunday night in one of the most densely populated areas of the city. Deputy Fire Chief George E. Hink said it was "amazing" that the death toll was not higher.

The roofs of two adjoining three-story brick buildings were lifted into the air, turned halfway around and dropped on the rear of the structures. Not a wall was standing when firemen arrived and flames licked at the pile of debris. Some 500 persons were routed from their homes and Red Cross authorities estimated 50 families were sheltered for the night.

The buildings housed the luncheonette and an adjoining jewelry store. The upper stories contained apartments.

The victims included the proprietor of the luncheonette, Isadore Pearlman, 50, and three young customers. The bodies of Bruce Schwartz, 9, and Salvatore Baladino, 6, were found under the soda fountain. The body of 15-year-old Marie Marone was uncovered nearby.

The fifth victim was Mrs. Fanny Rudolph, 45, who lived in an apartment above the jewelry store. Her husband Samuel, 45, suffered cuts and bruises.

The impact of the explosion bent an electric sign across the street into a U-shape. Windows for blocks were shattered.

Several neighbors told police they noticed the odor of gas before the blast.

The fire marshall's office began an investigation today.

The son of the luncheonette proprietor, 23-year-old Samuel Pearlman, a premedical student, described the experience as "a horrible nightmare." He and his 54-year-old mother fell from upper stories but were not seriously injured.

"I felt myself falling through the floor, down through the total darkness with a crash of sound," he said. "I must have blacked out for a few seconds for when I came to, I was on the first floor buried in plaster."

Only .03 Inch Rain In Month

Almost no rain fell here during February, and Snyder's .03 of an inch failed to change the average February figure of .74, figured now on 43 consecutive years on record.

The amount of rain last month was the smallest for February since 1947, when no rain fell. It was also nil the previous year. A month ago, the January total had reached .30, half that month's average.

Last year's February total was .48, a year earlier it was .18, having dropped from .67 to .66 the two previous years. February has the second lowest average of all months, with January the lowest. December is third lowest. March fourth, and the other months have averages ranging from 1.01 to 3.16.

Shivers' Tax Plans Will Be Made Known

AUSTIN (AP)—Gov. Allan Shivers will announce his tax proposal for submission to the special session of the Legislature about the middle of next week.

The special session, called to raise the base pay for Texas teachers and to finance other state services, will begin at noon two weeks from today.

Shivers had promised to give the lawmakers a specific revenue-raising proposal to go to work on in the 30-day special session. He said he felt the task was a joint responsibility of the governor and the Legislature.

Shivers has said he hoped the legislators would agree with his fund raising suggestions, but if not he wants them to come up with an idea of their own to "get the job done."

The last regular session voted a $600 annual pay boost for teachers, but failed to finance it.

The special session was called after teachers, school board members, lawmakers and others in a committee came up with a compromise $402 a year salary increase and other suggestions for revamping the school finance formula.

Washington Is Alerted For Knife Slayer When Woman Is Stabbed

WASHINGTON (AP)—Washington's entire detective force was marshaled today in a manhunt for a man who knifed to death the registrar of the University of Maryland, Miss Alma Preinkert, 58.

Police said the man, apparently intent on robbery, stabbed her 10 times early yesterday, wounded her sister Alvina, 60, and then fled.

They said the dead woman evidently surprised the intruder as he rummaged through her bedroom. Clothes had been strewn about and bureau drawers were open. Alvina Preinkert, aroused by her sister's screams, ran to her room and saw the man slashing with a knife. He cut her several times as he fled.

Police broadcast a lookout for a negro about 35 to 40 years old, of stocky build, and wearing a plaid shirt or jacket.

Warren Is Confirmed

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Senate today confirmed President Eisenhower's appointment of Earl Warren as chief justice of the United States.

The Senate's approval came on a voice vote with no audible "No's."

There was little discussion.

Sen. Knowland (R-Calif) gave the Senate a brief resume of Warren's career and Sen. Kuchel (R-Calif) praised the nominee.

Ground Party Reaches Crash Scene Of Plane

NEWCASTLE, Wyo. (AP) — A ground party early today found the shattered wreckage of an airliner which apparently crashed in a snowstorm and killed nine persons.

In the first brief report from the scene by radio, State Highway Patrolman George Wilcox told the sheriff's office here: "It's a mess."

Details were not immediately available.

The Western Air Lines Convair, en route from the West Coast to Minneapolis, disappeared Friday with six passengers and three crew members.

It first was located from the air yesterday and a three-man party headed by Sheriff Carl Thoeming, unable to find the wreckage in darkness, spent the night in the vicinity.

At Rapid City, S.D., one of the headquarters for the search, a WAL spokesman reported there was no doubt of the wrecked plane's identity.

The downed ship was discovered yesterday by Bill Spear, Western's regional pilot from Denver, and Bert Mooney of Salt Lake City, chief pilot for the airline.

Mooney and Spear told WAL officials at Rapid City the wreckage definitely was that of the missing Los Angeles-to-Minneapolis craft. They observed no sign of life.

The two said the plane cut a swath about 75 feet wide and 500 feet long in the snow. The ship was "pretty well broken up," they said.

Snow 13 Inches In North Ohio

By The Associated Press

The heaviest snowfall of the winter dumped up to 13 inches on northern Ohio, and spread a thick, cold blanket over eastern Tennessee.

The snow was deepest in the Cleveland area where schools closed, air passenger service was suspended, and bus transportation was snarled.

The tri-cities airport near Kingsport, John City and Bristol in northeastern Tennessee reported 12 inches of snow on runways. Hundreds of telephone circuits were cut and power failed as snow-laden lines collapsed. Knox County schools were closed.

The snow area extended generally throughout Ohio and southward along the western Appalachians. Amounts were moderate in southern Ohio and southeastern Tennessee.

High winds and rain hit the south Atlantic Coast, with many localities getting an inch or more. Key West reported a downpour of 4.04 inches.

Cold weather followed the storm, bringing light frost to Appalachicola, Fla. Moderate frost was recorded at Jackson, Miss., and Beaumont, Tex.

Radford Says Security First

WASHINGTON (AP)—Adm. Arthur W. Radford said today economic considerations entered into the "new look" military program, but that "it is not correct" to say economy came first and security second.

Radford, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, said in a copyrighted interview with the magazine U.S. News and World Report that the joint chiefs and Secretary of Defense Wilson agreed "that the military must be realistically concerned about keeping our national economy strong as an indispensable bulwark of the free world."

Some Democratic members of Congress have criticized the Eisenhower administration's defense budget reductions on the ground that national security is being jeopardized.

McCarthy Renews His Questioning On Army 'Coddling' Again Today

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis) took up his digging into what he calls Army "coddling of Communists" today, and by contrast with the sometimes one-man hearings of the past there were three other committee members on hand.

It was the first session since McCarthy's sensational public row with Secretary of the Army Robert T. Stevens over alleged abuse of uniformed witnesses.

McCarthy tapped two witnesses for questioning behind closed doors.

They were Pfc. Marvin Belsky, a doctor at the Army's Murphy General Hospital at Waltham, Mass., and Sid Rubenstein, who told reporters he recently left the Army as a private.

Belsky declined to explain why a doctor would have the rank only as a private, since most doctors are commissioned officers.

Staff aides to McCarthy's Senate Investigations subcommittee said both would be questioned as to whether they had signed loyalty oaths when they entered military service. Refusal to sign such an oath would be reason for denial of a commission.

In addition to McCarthy, committee members attending the session were Sens. Mundt (R-SD), Potter (R-Mich) and McClellan (D-Ark).

Potter said last week that Stevens had been given assurances there would be no abuse of army witnesses in the future.

Over the weekend, a high administration source informed reporters that the White House had passed the word it hoped Republican members would see to it that McCarthy was not left alone to question subcommittee witnesses, either in public or private.

Mundt, just before going into the closed hearing, said there had been no such White House request to him.

He said he believes reports of such requests "are completely and totally wrong . . . either planted by someone irresponsible or cooked up by someone partially responsible."

At the White House, meantime, congressional leaders were asked after their regular Monday morning conference with the President whether they had discussed McCarthy committee procedures.

In reply, Sen. Knowland of California, GOP floor leader, emphasized that it was a matter for the Senate itself and declared it would be "entirely improper for the executive branch of the government" to make any suggestions dealing with the operation of congressional committees.

Knowland said he did inform President Eisenhower of the Senate Republican Policy Committee's decision to investigate the possibility of changes in Senate rules governing investigations.

McCarthy has declared he made no concessions as to conduct of hearings in his "truce" with Stevens.

RIOTS YESTERDAY

Egyptians Trying To Keep Order, Universities Closed

CAIRO, Egypt (AP)—The Egyptian government strove to keep public order today following the return of ousted President Gen. Mohamed Naguib as chief of state and a new outbreak of mob violence.

All government universities—past hotbeds of mob action—were ordered closed indefinitely after wild demonstrations yesterday, in which police wounded 12 rioters. One police officer also was hit by a shot from a student.

The police opened fire as disorderly, slogan-shouting crowds of young people surged toward Republican Square from all over the city to cheer Naguib, their popular hero. The display of force nipped the demonstration before it endangered the country's shaky-military regime.

Naguib, waving and smiling, appeared on a balcony at the presidential palace and appealed in an impromptu speech for "moderation and forgiveness."

Facing the first antigovernment riots since the army overthrew ex-King Farouk 19 months ago, Naguib and the man who supplanted him briefly last week, Lt. Col. Gamal Abdel Nasser, patched up their differences enough to make a show of unity. The President sat yesterday in a Cabinet meeting beside his former deputy. Nasser now holds Naguib's other former posts of prime minister and chairman of the Revolution Council, the ruling body of 12 army officers who planned and directed the coup against Farouk and tried to drop Naguib last week.

Then the two visited wounded riot victims in a hospital. There demonstrators who had screamed against Nasser a few hours before the shooting kissed him.

Naguib, accompanied by Guidance Minister Salah Salem and several aides and newspapermen, flew to Khartoum this morning to attend the inauguration of the first Sudanese Parliament later in the day. Salem was the President's most outspoken opponent during his three days out of office.

A joint statement yesterday by the Cabinet and the Revolution Council said, "Some vicious elements and opportunists tried to exploit this national jubilance (over Naguib's restoration) in achieving their vicious aims."

This obviously referred to the underground Communists and members of the recently outlawed Moslem Brotherhood. Both groups took advantage of the confused situation to come out into the open and try to stir up violence. A communique said a demonstrating student arrested was found to belong to the brotherhood.

It was clear the government feared the street mobs would get out of hand as they had in January 1952, when they stormed through Cairo in a wild orgy against foreigners and set fire to numerous buildings.

Wife Of Plainview Publisher Has Died

PLAINVIEW (AP)—Mrs. H. S. Hilburn, wife of Herbert S. Hilburn, editor and co-publisher of the Plainview Herald, died today.

Death came at the family residence following a prolonged illness.

Mrs. Hilburn had lived in the South Plains for 50 years.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 p.m. tomorrow at the First Methodist Church here. Mrs. Hilburn had been a member of the church for 30 years.

Survivors, besides the husband, include a daughter, Mrs. Ted Crager, Lubbock; two sons, Herbert Hilburn, Jr., Elk City, Okla., and Bob Hilburn, a senior at the University of Texas; two sisters, Mrs. E. R. Jacobs, Plainview, and Mrs. Etta Brashears, Dimmitt; and three brothers, B. G. Ramey, Denison, and Edgar Ramey and Edwin Ramey, both of Dimmitt.

Young Demos Not Together

AUSTIN (AP)—Two officers of the Young Democrats liberal faction that boycotted last week's convention claimed today no reorganization of Texas clubs has been accomplished.

They quoted national president Neal Smith of Des Moines as saying he considered the status of the two Texas factions as unchanged from last fall, when both were denied seats at the national convention.

Robert E. Hall, president of a University of Texas Young Democrats club, and Charles S. Caldwell, acting president of a Travis County Young Democrats club, said they talked with Smith by telephone following the Mineral Wells meeting. Clubs attending had been made up generally of conservative forces friendly to Gov. Allan Shivers.

Smith had cancelled his scheduled speech before the meeting.

Hall and Caldwell said Smith's action resulted from failure of the meeting to achieve a coalition of the two factions.

Three Ordinances To Get Second Reading

Three ordinances are included on the agenda for the city council meeting to be held in the city hall at 7 o'clock tonight, B. J. Shelley, city manager, said.

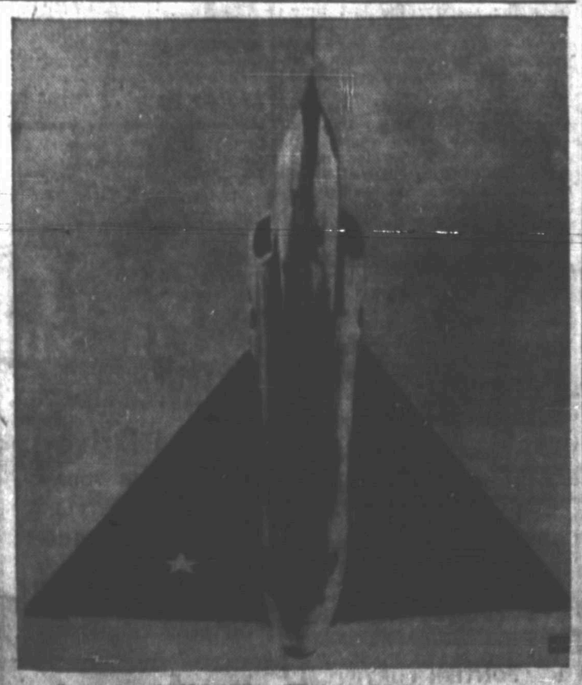
The ordinances to come up for second reading are an ordinance regulating the keeping of livestock and poultry inside the city limits, an ordinance granting a telephone rate increase, and an ordinance annexing the Highlands addition south of Highland Park.

Below Freezing Here

Temperatures fell barely below freezing last night, according to Mrs. D. P. Strayhorn, weather observer, who reported a low of 31. High yesterday was 55. Reading at 7:30 o'clock this morning was 36.

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Fair and warmer this afternoon, increasing cloudiness tonight, warmer in south portion. Tuesday mostly cloudy and turning colder in north portion. Fresh to locally strong winds on the coast, shifting to northerly Tuesday.



FLYING TRIANGLE

The Air Force's new delta wing supersonic interceptor, the F-102, presents an angular profile in this underside view, released for publication for the first time during the weekend. The speedy all-weather craft, designed by Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corp., will patrol the skies at speeds faster than sound.

White House Still Against Tax Change

WASHINGTON (AP)— House Speaker Martin said at the White House today he has no doubt that President Eisenhower still is opposed to any cut in personal income taxes at this time.

Martin made the statement to newsmen after the regular Monday morning conference of Republican congressional leaders with the President, and said he based it on views voiced by Eisenhower earlier this year.

He said the "mechanics" of tax legislation soon to come before the House were discussed at the conference, but he emphasized that the President expressed no view regarding income tax cuts at today's session.

Sen. George (D-GA), backed by some of his Democratic colleagues, has proposed that personal income taxes be cut through larger personal exemptions. His plan calls for increasing the exemption from the current $600 a year to $800 for 1954, with a further hike in the exemption to $1,000 next year.

Secreary of the Treasury Humphrey, who sat in at today's White House conference, is on record against any change in the personal exemption at this time.

Martin said there was "no question" in his mind that the President too still is opposed to reducing personal income taxes.

Turning to White House Press Secretary James C. Hagerty, the speaker asked whether Hagerty didn't agree with him on that.

The press secretary replied that an increase of even $100 in the personal exemption level would cost 2½ billion dollars in revenue. Hagerty added it seemed clear to him that a revenue reduction of that kind could not be permitted.

Democrats on the House Ways and Means Committee have been plugging for a $100 increase—to $700 per person—in the tax exemption.

Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey last night argued against any immediate drastic action by the government even if unemployment continues rising this month. President Eisenhower earlier had said March was an economic weathervane period and that the government was ready to step in with powerful weapons—possibly including tax cuts—if the business slump showed signs of worsening.

Democrats have been plugging bigger personal income tax exemptions as a means of boosting purchasing power.

But Humphrey, in a CBS television interview, said Congress should enact the administration's tax program and "see what happens." He predicted it would stimulate business and so create more jobs.

He said he was optimistic that things are picking up already.

Humphrey said that if Congress were to pass a bill by Sen. George (D-Ga) to increase personal income tax exemptions from $600 to $800 this year and $1,000 next, he would advise the President to veto it.

On excise taxes, he said there was no justification for an across the board slash, but might be for selective reductions.

Republican backers of the excise tax-trimming proposal figure the administration at least will not fight it too hard, while publicly sticking to its position that revenue cuts beyond those it has planned are not justified.

Syria Warned Against Further Violence As New Chief Arrives

By SIMON ALLAWERDI

DAMASCUS, Syria (AP) — Revolt-wracked Syria's army chief of staff sternly warned against further violence and demonstrations today as the capital prepared to greet the nation's new chief of state, Hachem Bey el Attassi.

Though rival factions of army rebels united behind Attassi and ex-dictator Adib Shishekly's Cabinet agreed to step out, new rioting broke out in Damascus last night and 13 persons were reported wounded, some seriously.

Troops broke up the demonstrations by firing on the crowds and using tear gas. The capital for the second night was under a curfew.

Damascus was calm again today.

One person was killed and 20 injured Saturday night when pro-Shishekly troops fired on mobs who were demanding the resignation of the ousted dictator's Cabinet and Acting President Maahmoun Kuzbari.

Kuzbari, who took over after the army revolt Thursday sent Shishekly fleeing into exile in Saudi Arabi, agreed to step down in favor of Attassi yesterday.

Attassi, 79-year-old political veteran and two-time president, was proclimed head of the state in a broadcast yesterday by Col. Shawkat Shkeir, the army chief.

Shkeir said he was agreed on at a meeting of political and military leaders Saturday night at Homs, 90 miles north of Damascus. The truce meeting apparently healed the split which had divided rebels after their uprising last week.

Attassi was due here today from Homs to be received officially.

Shkeir said Attassi already had begun consultations to form a cabinet.

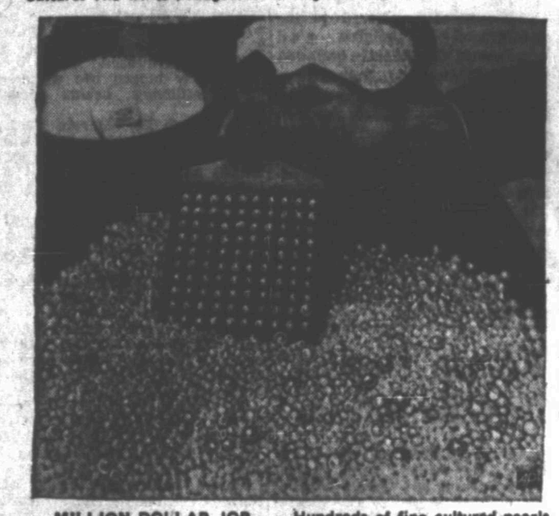
The chief of staff said the army was returning to its barracks. He appealed to the public to help preserve Syria's security.

Kuzbari's resignation message said that since Shishekly's departure, he and the Cabinet had been conferring with Shkeir to find some way of restoring authority to legitimate hands. He said he was glad a solution had been found.

The much-revered Attassi has been a leading political figure since 1919, when he entered the Arab government the French set up at Damascus. He was a member of the first Syrian Constituent Assembly in 1928.

Attassi became president first in January 1936 but was ousted by the French three years later when they suspended the Syrian government. He was returned to office after adoption of a new constitution in September 1950. Shishekly forced him out in December 1951, when he took control of the country.

MERMAID OF ORIENT . . . A Japanese woman diver is about to descend into murky waters to search for oysters used in pearl culture. The white headgear is to frighten sharks.



MILLION DOLLAR JOB . . . Hundreds of fine cultured pearls are heaped in a pan to be graded and sorted for color, size, perfection and brilliance.

Irritate An Oyster And You Will Set Pearls In The Mill

By The Associated Press

Ever wonder just how good your pearl necklace is?

The only sure way, unromantic as it sounds, is x-ray.

New processes have made artificial pearls look almost like the real thing. And although probably everybody could tell the difference between a $100,000 strand of Oriental pearls and a dime store simulated string, some of the in-between varieties are tricky.

Even if you take your necklace to a jeweler for a quick appraisal, you might not find out.

If the jeweler looks down a pearl's drill hole and sees a mother of pearl bead, you have only a cultured pearl. If he can't see anything but thinks you have a fine natural necklace, you could send it to a laboratory that has pearl x-ray machines.

You can do a pretty good detective job on your own, however, if you know the kinds of pearls, how man or the oyster makes them, and what to look for in a good pearl.

Pearls of greatest value are perfectly round, with a pinkish cast and a brilliant flawless skin without cracks, dents, scratches or blemishes. Size is a factor, of course, although a small perfect pearl is costlier than a large, irregular one.

Pearls, the only jewels produced by animal action, come in several shapes and shades. Besides round, they can be pear-shaped, for pendants; button, for rings; irregular, called baroque and used in various ornaments, and seed, which are very small pearls.

How does an oyster produce a pearl?

It is a product of irritation. When a grain of sand or tiny parasite accidentally enters the body of an oyster, the oyster protects himself (or herself — Some oysters change sex several times a year) by depositing layers of a pearly substance called n a c r e around the irritant. The thinner the layers, the more lustrous the pearl. Pearls produced in this way are called natural or Oriental.

When man puts the irritant — usually a mother of pearl pellet — inside the oyster, the resulting gem is called a cultured pearl.

The third variety has never been near an oyster. Artificial or simulated pearls are made from glass or plastic beads dipped in fish scale essence and then polished. The newest development is a kind of plastic bead that remarkably resembles a fine pearl. But its lighter weight will quickly show the difference.

Prices extend from a low of perhaps 50 cents for simulated pearls to hundreds of thousands of dollars for the Orientals. A good pearl cultured necklace can range from $50 to thousands.

Dealers make no bones about the influx of cultured pearls depressing the natural pearl market. A good Oriental necklace can be bought today for from $800 to $1,000. A million dollar necklace before 1929 is available now for a mere $150,000. If you're in the high-price market, it's a good idea to shop around. Prices vary, sometimes considerably, from store to store.

As for the cultured variety, a price increase up to 20 per cent can be expected because of recent typhoons and floods in Japan, says the Imperial Pearl Syndicate, largest importers of cultured pearls in the United States. The pearls that weren't ruined are of poor quality, and that means good pre-war and pre-flood pearls will be placed on the market, but at high prices.

The pearl is the American woman's favorite jewel, but some women can't, or shouldn't, wear pearls. Those whose perspiration has more than normal acidtivity can reduce their pearls to half-size in 10 years.

Other useful things to know:

Pearls are rather soft and scratch easily. Their hardness is from 2½ to 4½ on a scale on which the diamond, the hardest jewel, is 10.

Never put perfume on them. The alcohol content is harmful. Keep them away from excessive heat; never get lipstick or fingernail polish remover on them. Remove your pearls while having a hairdo because the chemicals used are harmful.

Most good natural pearls come from the Persian Gulf, where for centuries thousands of men have depended on pearl diving for a living.

Although this remarkable gem was known to ancient man, the cultured pearl industry as we know it today is only about 40 years old. Its story is one of ingenuity and courage — the courage, perhaps appropriately, being exercised by women.

Early in the 20th century, a poor Japanese macaroni peddler named Kokichi Mikimoto perfected, after years of experimenting, a process conceived by the Chinese centuries before: inserting an irritant directly into the oyster's body to make it produce a pearl.

Now very old and very rich, Mikimoto still runs his own company and stands on his head 10 minutes each day to prove his vigor.

Japanese pearl farms use women divers because they have greater lung capacity and can stay under water longer. These women, called Amas, hunt the oyster for small wages. But it is an honored, glamorous profession, frequently handed down from mother to daughter.

The Ama begins her work at 16 and by her late 20's she is considered too old for its dangers.

In searching for the big Ayoki oyster, the Ama wears a white costume and headdress she hopes will scare away sharks. Carrying only a knife that is both tool and weapon, the Ama dives through the murky water as far down as 50 feet, finds a group of Ayoki, snatches one before they all burrow to safety and quickly surfaces.

In the underseas world lurk the giant clam, octupus, the sea star bristling with hundreds of poisonous spines, the hungry shark. The Ama risks her life with each descent, and sometimes loses it.

After the oyster has been delivered to the fishing boat, he is taken to an operating room at the pearl farm, scrubbed to reduce the danger of infection and given an anesthetic. Then his shell is eased open, a short incision made with a scalpel and a mother of pearl pellet is inserted.

The oyster is closed, placed in a wire cage with other oysters and lowered into a quiet lagoon to build layers of pearl around the irritiant for from three to eight years. Several times a year he is hauled up to see if he is healthy or needs a diet change.

The anesthetic, a recent development, has reduced the mortality rate among innoculated oysters from 60 to 10 per cent.

After the oysters are removed from the sea for the last time, they are opened and the pearls are carefully removed from the pearl sac. The gems are then sorted for color, size, perfection and brilliance.

Cheaper grades of cultured pearls result from larger irritants and less time in the ocean. You can see how a jeweler could easily tell a cheap cultured pearl by looking down the drill hole; the large mother of pearl bead would be covered by only thin veneer of pearl.

Typo In Sunday Issue

The first place lamb in the fine wool lightweight class in the Junior Livestock Show Saturday was sold for 75 cents per pound.

The Daily News, by typographical error, reported yesterday that the lamb sold for 5 cents per pound. The 101-pound lamb, shown by Dick Etheredge, was bought by Forrest Builders Supply.

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Snyder Rainfall By Months Since 1911

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Tot.
1912	*	1.90	.77	.72	1.68	2.54	1.20	.76	.80	2.00	*	1.12	14.99
1913	.25	.58	1.57	2.48	1.52	2.44	2.88	.34	2.44	3.45	3.79	3.07	24.30
1914	.22	.04	1.04	4.06	2.59	4.78	3.03	5.54	1.22	3.58	1.59	1.27	28.96
1915	.22	.83	1.00	8.03	2.25	2.79	.50	4.48	5.40	3.77	**	.82	30.09
1916	.15	*	.34	3.58	1.67	.65	1.40	.49	1.52	2.00	.70	.05	12.61
1917	.34	*	.34	.88	.99	.83	1.04	2.18	1.53	**	.02	*	8.15
1918	.32	.57	.21	.45	2.46	1.14	**	.34	1.20	3.73	.62	1.26	12.30
1919	.99	.21	3.43	3.45	2.19	3.72	1.82	2.93	3.30	5.63	1.13	**	28.70
1920	1.08	.25	**	**	4.66	4.01	.50	11.27	2.37	1.55	.22	*	25.91
1921	.13	.96	1.05	.30	.57	7.05	.70	.40	3.15	.70	*	.02	15.34
1922	.58	.02	1.20	7.43	5.19	4.48	.65	1.75	**	.93	1.05	**	23.28
1923	.40	2.25	2.05	4.28	.75	2.40	.93	2.10	2.00	6.05	3.15	1.36	28.57
1924	**	.05	1.15	4.34	4.27	.45	.57	1.55	1.40	2.00	**	*	15.78
1925	.40	**	**	2.75	4.26	.25	1.13	2.47	5.00	3.55	**	**	19.81
1926	.75	*	1.98	4.20	3.10	1.47	1.91	4.35	2.50	3.60	1.10	3.30	28.26
1927	1.25	1.20	.90	1.63	.70	3.05	6.35	3.85	5.30	.65	*	.50	25.88
1928	.40	.80	.40	.27	5.35	1.17	5.87	2.82	.90	.35	1.53	.38	20.24
1929	.60	*	1.99	1.05	3.97	.50	2.76	.61	2.51	1.61	.32	.30	19.22
1930	1.02	*	.27	4.05	5.00	2.52	.10	1.67	.25	4.95	1.85	1.35	22.93
1931	1.40	1.15	.57	1.62	1.30	1.10	1.74	.18	.13	5.35	1.80	1.60	18.14
1932	1.78	3.01	.05	2.25	3.57	3.12	1.12	5.79	10.60	.43	*	4.10	35.82
1933	.20	1.63	.70	.10	2.30	.02	3.60	1.90	**	2.68	1.30	1.13	15.46
1934	.35	.22	2.70	.56	.65	.30	.21	1.25	1.58	.34	2.90	.03	10.79
1935	.05	1.03	1.61	.42	4.07	4.09	4.58	.21	2.54	1.75	2.11	.07	22.13
1936	.64	1.12	.44	1.03	2.40	.33	.92	**	9.01	1.79	.77	.61	18.06
1937	.17	.25	1.36	.06	4.25	1.55	1.45	2.38	1.76	.44	.68	1.05	15.40
1938	1.55	3.51	1.73	1.00	3.35	2.76	3.51	.12	.94	1.22	.84	.06	20.59
1939	2.42	.20	1.00	.29	6.38	7.46	.65	2.28	*	1.06	1.09	.71	24.14
1940	.22	1.50	.32	1.44	1.37	2.81	.30	3.51	.78	.49	2.63	.39	15.06
1941	.91	2.04	2.20	4.85	5.97	5.39	6.70	2.06	2.37	9.61	.21	.91	44.02
1942	.14	.09	.54	1.50	1.10	1.48	2.56	6.35	3.59	3.61	1.30	1.30	24.26
1943	.15	**	1.30	.60	4.37	2.17	.19	.05	.37	.25	1.31	1.49	12.25
1944	.83	1.84	.20	.69	7.34	1.11	6.04	1.13	2.22	1.05	2.49	2.41	27.35
1945	1.20	.36	1.25	1.03	1.45	2.51	5.44	3.00	2.60	4.02	.34	.48	23.68
1946	1.53	*	.53	.41	3.49	2.42	.04	1.52	.97	2.71	.75	2.60	16.97
1947	.30	*	.92	.36	6.64	2.13	.80	1.06	1.77	.37	1.81	1.60	17.76
1948	.21	1.98	.06	.29	4.38	1.67	7.30	*	*	2.35	*	*	18.44
1949	2.30	.47	.23	3.22	3.69	3.70	1.04	1.94	2.32	1.83	*	.35	21.28
1950	.40	.60	*	2.55	7.37	2.00	3.03	.98	4.20	**	*	**	21.13
1951	.14	.67	.30	1.06	1.42	1.57	.80	1.42	2.36	.48	**	.04	10.26
1952	.12	.18	.80	2.19	1.60	*	3.18	1.85	2.42	*	1.80	.90	15.13
1953	.15	.48	1.17	1.75	.66	.08	1.73	3.30	.98	3.70	.10	.15	14.25
1954	.30	.03											
Average	.62	.74	.94	1.98	3.16	2.28	2.13	2.20	2.30	2.33	1.01	.89	20.58

(*)—NONE (**)—TRACE

Batchelor Is Welcomed By Kermit Family

KERMIT, Tex. (AP)—A soldier and the home town and family he once forsook for communism were quietly getting reaquainted today.

Cpl. Claude Batchelor, self-described former leader of 21 other American prisoners who chose to stay with the Reds in North Korea, got home yesterday.

He was welcomed by his family at El Paso, where he arrived by commercial airliner.

How the approximately 6,912 citizens of Kermit will ultimately receive him couldn't be determined right off.

The town was Sunday quiet when he drove the family car up to his parents' frame house that stands alone in its block.

This oil and cattle town on the west Texas plains is where Claude, now 23, grew up, where he played cornet in the high school band.

Kermit saw him leave as a youth of 16 to join the Army. Later it heard he'd turned "Pro." He set the town to talking again when, last New Year's Eve, he returned to the Allied side.

He seemed unworried after his homecoming. He said he was happy, hoped to get out of the Army soon, wanted his Japanese wife in the United States and planned to continue his education.

Lounging in white shirt and slacks, he told reporters:

"Everyone is just as friendly as they can be." Then he added, "But I guess I should admit I haven't had much chance yet to talk to the folks here in Kermit. Some of my old friends have come around to say 'hello' already though."

He said he is not due to report at Brooke Army Medical Center, San Antonio, for a checkup until Wednesday.

"Right now I want to relax, maybe go fishing. And, after Brooke, I'll have a 30-day furlough. I hope to spend it here in Kermit."

He said his enlistment has expired and he expects to be discharged quickly and "without a hitch." He has said he'd been told he probably would not be court-martialed for his activities in Communist prison camps.

Of his former relationship to communism, he said, "I've completely changed my mind about it."

When you are freezing a cake make sure that you wrap it in a material that is moisture-vapor-proof; strong and tough; odorless and tasteless; and easy to handle, seal and label.

City Tax Collections Run Ahead Of Guesses

City tax collections have exceeded the amount anticipated in the city budget, B. J. Shelley, city manager, said.

So far collections have totaled $154,660.52. The budgeted estimate of collections, based on 90 per cent collection of the assessment, was $153,285.

A breakdown of taxes collected shows that $150,376.90 of the total was in current taxes, $3,686.06 delinquent taxes, and $597.56 in penalties and interest.

Collections by months since the tax collection period began Oct. 1, 1953, have been: October $45,451.67; November $24,789.46; December $30,319.07; January $51,696.56; and February $2,403.76.

HOSPITAL NOTES

The following admissions and dismissals at the two Snyder hospitals are only those whose names have been released by the hospitals.

BATTENFIELD HOSPITAL

Admissions: Mrs. Jack Berry, 601 Twenty-ninth Street; Randy Cochran, Snyder; Calvin Brashears, 308 Twenty-eighth Street; Mrs. Zack Taylor, 2711 Avenue T; Silas Gilliam, Levelland; Mrs. Thomas E. Blalock, 3005 Avenue M; Mrs. Dell Davis, 2008 Avenue R; Mrs. Millie Payne, Snyder.

Dismissals: A. D. Sumerlin, Snyder; Mrs. B. N. Stone, 2008 Avenue R.

COGDELL HOSPITAL

Admissions — Mrs. Willie Garbe, Rigsby Trailer Court, medical; John Story, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Story, Big Spring Highway, surgical; Mrs. C. O. Bennett, Snyder, medical; Gay McGlaun, 1200 Twenty-fifth Street, medical.

Dismissals — Mrs. Betty Jo Henderson, 902 Twenty-sixth Street, medical; Mrs. Claude McDaniel, Snyder, obstetric, and infant daughter; Mrs. Henry Thompson, Hermleigh, obstetric, and infant son; Lionora Martinez, three-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lodensil Martinez, Snyder, medical; Miss Ramona Clarkson, Arah Route, medical; Gus Webb, Snyder, medical.

OIL NEWS

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with no shows. Flowing pressure was 40 pounds, with 20-minute shut-in pressure 50 pounds.

Great Western No. 1 Beal, 14 miles south of Gail, is drilling in red beds below 190 feet.

Oceanic No. 3 J. F. Winans, North Howard exploration, is at total depth of 8,349 feet and has run on tubing to 8,344 feet. Tests are to be run on five and one-half-inch casing set at 8,181 feet.

Oceanic and others No. 1-A Anderson, is running tubing today. Operator has said the project will not be plugged as had been previously reported.

Stanolind Oil No. 1 Graves, Southeast Dawson wildcat, has released the rig and is shutin. Stanolind No. 1 Dyer is drilling in lime, sand and shale below 8,137 feet.

Sun Oil No. 1-G Bilby Wallace, Kent prospector, is drilling in shale and lime below 5,680 feet.

Surface mildew may be removed with chlorine bleach. Deeply grown mildew is almost impossible to remove.

Student Is Injured In Accident Friday

Ramona Clarkson, teen-age high school student, was dismissed from Cogdell Memorial Hospital yesterday after being treated for injuries suffered in a Friday night accident on the Lamesa Highway.

The injuries were not serious.

The accident occurred when Gerald Chapman, 17, another high school student, who was driving a 1950 Ford, swerved to miss a car and hit a bridge abutment. The other car was being pushed onto the highway. When Chapman swerved, his car went onto the shoulder of the road, hit the abutment, and went into a deep ditch.

Bill Love, sheriff's deputy, said the car landed on its wheels. Miss Clarkson, a passenger in Chapman's car, was taken to the hospital. T. D. Wiman, high school principal, said both the students were in school this morning.

No charges were filed in the accident, Love said.

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WOMEN

Putting the feminine touch into the Junior Livestock Show held here last week is Barbara Reeder, a Fluvanna lass, shown grooming her steer shortly before judging began. (Lee Watson photograph)

SOCIETY SCRIBBLINGS

The distaff side was well represented at the Junior Livestock Show Friday. Women made up a third of the crowd, most of them looking down from the stands while the men gathered around the show ring for a closer look.

Placing above the three other girl entrants was PATSY MURPHY, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. MARTIN MURPHY of Hermleigh. Patsy placed fifth in the lightweight steer class with her Hereford steer out of registered stock. She is a member of the Hermleigh 4-H club and has been caring for her steer since June.

CAROLYN MURPHY, 14-year-old sister of Patsy Murphy placed eighth with her Hereford, in the heavyweight class. Both girls admitted to help from their father in the walking, feeding, and brushing the calves. Carolyn also is a member of the 4-H club.

Placing eighth in the lightweight steer class was NORMA GENE BURNEY, 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. JACK BURNEY of Ira. She received her Hereford steer, out of registered stock, from R. J. TREVEY, West of Snyder, last Sept. Norma Gene belongs to the Ira 4-H club. All three girls seemed reluctant to sell their steers after the show.

BARBARA REEDER, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. ROY REEDER of Fluvanna, showed a pure-bred black Angus which she had been grooming for the show since last September. A junior at Fluvanna High School, she is very fond of animals.

On hand to learn the outcome of the sheep judging was Mrs. I. B. ROBERSON, Lloyd Mountain Road, taking pictures of her son, BILLY CLYDE, in the show ring. He entered two sheep in the light weight fine wool class.

Collecting pictures and data for the Tiger's Lair was Miss KATHERINE NORTHCUTT, who teaches American history at the high school. Along as her helpers were BARBARA NICHOLS and JANEEN SMITH of the annual staff.

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LARRY and BARRY HOEFER, three-year-old twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. HOEFER, 3723 Avenue U, enjoy visiting their maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. HARGUS, on their farm at Bardwell, Texas. The boys were there all last week with their mother.

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The Fluor Corp., Ltd. has completed its project for the Sunray Gasoline Plant and is moving, taking Mr. and Mrs. JAY BURROWS, Jr. 1906 Coleman, and Mr. and Mrs. JOHN H. MIDDLETON, JR., 2806 Avenue D.

Mr. Burrows was job superintendent here and Mr. Middleton was office manager. The two will be advised of their new location within the next two weeks while they are on vacation. The Burrows have two children, Karen, 12, and Jenifer, 2. The Middletons also have two children, David, 3, and Phillip, 11 months. Both families left Saturday.

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WOMEN'S CALENDAR

MONDAY

Monday Night Duplicate Club, 7:30 p.m., Mr. and Mrs. V. V. McGrew, 3602 Avenue V.

WSCS, Trinity Methodist Church, 7:30 p.m., with Mrs. E. B. Boone, 3821 Highland Drive.

Christian Women's Fellowship, 7:30 p.m., First Christian Church.

VFW Auxiliary, nomination of officers, 7:30 p.m., Veterans Clubhouse.

High School Parent-Teacher Association, 7:30 p.m., High School Cafeteria.

TUESDAY

First Presbyterian Church morning circle, 9:30 a.m., Mrs. Joe Pitts, 1006 Twenty-ninth Street; afternoon circle, 2:30 p.m., Mrs. Robert King at the church; evening circle, 7:30 p.m., Mrs. Lila Carruthers, 3002 Avenue X.

Art Guild, 7:30 p.m., Mrs. Myron Roe, 3107 Avenue U.

Woman's Culture Club, 3 p.m., Mrs. R. L. Terry, 2604 Avenue V.

Sine Cura Bridge Club, 2:30 p.m., Mrs. Hugh Boren, Twenty-ninth Street.

Las Amigas Ocho, 2 p.m., Mrs. H. E. Hickman, 3797 Avenue V.

Tuesday Night Bridge Club, 7:30 Country Club.

Stumble Fall Square Dance Club, 7:30 p.m., Ballard's.

WEDNESDAY

Altrurian Daughters Club, 2:30 p.m., Mrs. Ophelia Blackard, 2209 Thirtieth Street.

Acacia Study Club, 4 p.m., Mrs. Tim Dennis, 507 Thirty - second Street.

Wednesday Contract Club, 1:30 p.m., Mrs. Harold Parson, 3009 Avenue W.

THURSDAY

Girl Scout Leaders' Club, 3:45 p.m., Little House.

Pioneer Bridge Club, 1:30 p.m., Mrs. V. V. McGrew, 3602 Avenue V.

Snyder Book Review Club, 2 p.m., Fellowship Hall.

Parent-Teacher City Council, 1:30 p.m., School Administration Building.

FRIDAY

El Feliz Club, 3 p.m., Mrs. J. M. Newton, 2711 Avenue V.

Classroom Teachers' Association presentation, "Books and Crooks," 7:30 p.m., High School Auditorium.

Women's Golf Association, 9:45, Country Club.

SATURDAY

Saturday Night Duplicate Club, 8 p.m., Mrs. Charles Snyder, 3724 Rose Circle.

Sales Clinic Set This Week

Two nights of sales courses will be held for Snyder businessmen this week, with Walter Casey of Beaumont heading up activities.

The sales rally will be held on Thursday and Friday nights at the high school. Times have not yet been set.

Casey, owner and operator of the new Crosby Hotel in Beaumont, is known as an economist, sales analyst, and lecturer. He is assistant to the president of Beaumont Rice Mills. In the past he was associated with Ford Motor Co. 12 years, was sales executive, owner, and operator of three Ford dealerships in California. He is a member of the board of directors of Dunbarton College in Washington, D. C.., and a member of the foundation committee of Notre Dame University. He is also a member of the governor's economy commission in Texas.

While here, Casey will aid the high school in planning its career day in April.

Helps For Homemakers

Send your questions to "Helps for Homemakers," Snyder Daily News, or call 3-5546.

Molded dishes add an air of festivity to any table and you'll feel willing and able to preside if you mix up one of these main dishes and a dessert in the morning, then take the afternoon off. Just before dinner, a frozen vegetable or two can be cooked in a few minutes, or combine left over vegetables such as peas and carrots, corn and lima beans for an easy to prepare meal.

MOLDED CHICKEN LOAF

1 envelope gelatine, plain
½ cup cold chicken stock or bouillon
1 cup hot chicken stock or bouillon
½ teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons lemon juice
¼ cup canned pineapple syrup
1¼ cups diced cooked chicken
½ cup drained canned crushed pineapple
½ cup diced celery
Salad greens
Mayonnaise

Soften gelatine in cold chicken stock. Add hot stock and salt. Stir until dissolved. Add lemon juice and pineapple syrup. Chill until consistency of unbeaten egg whites. Fold in the chicken, pineapple and celery. Pour into loaf pan or individual molds. Chill until firm. Unmold on salad greens, and serve with mayonnaise or salad dressing. Serves six.

TUNA FISH MOLD

1 envelope gelatine, plain
½ cup cold milk
1½ cups scalded milk
2 egg yolks, slightly beaten
1 teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon paprika
1 1/3 cups (7 ounce can) drained flaked tuna fish
1 teaspoon prepared mustard
2 tablespoons lemon juice or vinegar

Soften gelatine in cold milk. Dissolve thoroughly in scalded milk. Slowly stir into the combined egg yolks, salt and paprika. Cook over hot, not boiling, water stirring constantly until mixture thickens and coats spoon. Chill until consistency of unbeaten egg white. Stir in the mixed tuna fish, prepared mustard and lemon juice. Turn into large or individual molds. Chill until firm. Unmold on salad greens. Garnish with salad dressing and, if desired, green stuffed olives. Makes six servings.

Up to two cups crab or lobster meat may be used in place of tuna fish, if desired. If you have a fish mold, use it, as it will suit the mood of this dish.

CHOCOLATE SPONGE

1 envelope gelatine, plain
¼ cup cold water
1½ squares chocolate, melted, or 4 tablespoons cocoa
1-3 cup sugar
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ cup boiling water
3 egg yolks, slightly beaten
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
3 egg whites, stiffly beaten

Soften gelatine in cold water. Combine the chocolate or cocoa, sugar, salt and the boiling water. Bring to the boiling point. Add softened gelatine. Stir until dissolved. Cool slightly. Add the beaten egg yolks to the chocolate mixture with the vanilla extract. When mixture begins to thicken, fold in the stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into large or individual molds. Chill until firm. Unmold and serve with a custard sauce. Makes six servings.

Going Away Party For Mrs. Johnston

Mrs. Dale Johnston was honored with a going away party Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. L. R. McCollum, 3013 Thirty-eighth Street. Co-hostess was Mrs. A. L. Gray.

Refreshments of coffee, sandwiches, and cookies were served. Mrs. Johnston was presented with a going away gift by the hostesses and the guests who were Mrs. David Harlan, Mrs. David Young, Mrs. Wayne Gladson, Mrs. Jake Hodges, Mrs. Willard Payne, Mrs. Olin Lane, Mrs. Lee Richards and Mrs. Emma Cates.

Slices of processed yellow cheese may be used to make pretty garnishes. Cut the cheese thin; with small cutters, cut out stars, diamonds or hearts. Use the cheese cut-outs for salads and canapes.

Husband Should Teach Wife About Trees Growing Money

By DOROTHY ROE
AP Women's Editor

If more American husbands would teach their wives the ABCs of finance, there would be fewer divorces, is the opinion of Margaret E. Kennedy, one of the few women in the country in active partnership in a New York Stock Exchange member firm.

"I'm constantly amazed," says this pink-cheeked petticoat tycoon "at the number of otherwise intelligent, capable women who haven't the faintest idea where the family money comes from, how much there is of it, or what they would do if their husbands suddenly dropped dead."

Mrs. Kennedy, a young and feminine-looking widow and mother of two children, has established many financial "firsts" for women. She was the first woman account executive of the investment counsel firm of Van Strum and Towne, first woman to be appointed a vice president of a large mutual fund sponsor and several years ago became the first woman wholesaler of mutual funds in the country when she formed her own firm, Margaret Kennedy Co. Last year she was admitted as an active general partner in the Stock Exchange member firm of Seligman, Lubetkin and Co.

A specialist in finance management, she makes frequent lecture tours around the country explaining her "woman's dollar" program. She explains:

"This all came about when I realized the awful paradox that, although women spend most of the family money, they often know little about the family's future planning, and aren't hep to the best ways of investing for the future."

She says:

"There are too many men who say to their wives—'Go ahead and buy what you want; I'll pay for it.' Often the wives have no idea how much the family can afford to spend, whether their husbands have unlimited funds or whether they are on the edge of bankruptcy.

"There was, for instance, the case of the wife of a client of our firm who called frantically on Christmas Eve to say that her husband had just had a heart attack and was in the hospital. Although there was a $5,000 diamond bracelet under the Christmas tree for her from her husband, she didn't know whether the family had money enough for the hospital bill. When her husband's firm reassured her, she still was worried.

"But as soon as the husband recovered, do you think he explained anything to her about their finances? No indeed. He just said—'Now don't you worry, honey, I'll take care of everything.'

"That's the trouble with American husbands. By being too protective, they are making financial morons out of their wives. Under such circumstances, who can blame the wife who spends money faster than her husband can make it? She just doesn't know any better."

PERSONALS

Virginia Ann Howell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Howell, 507 Twenty-eighth Street, was taken by her mother to Big Spring for a medical check-up today. Virginia Ann spent one day in the hospital there last week.

Buck Stacy of Los Almos, N.M., was visiting his mother, Mrs. Willie Stacy, here over the week end. Mrs. Stacy has been ill for several weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. D. K. Ratliff, 3105 Avenue T, were visited the week end of Feb. 21 by Sgt. and Mrs. Otho Orand and Sgt. Ralph Schwab of Fort Riley, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Babb, 3100 Avenue T, returned Saturday from a business trip to the Rio Grande Valley.

Mrs. Odetha Hays, Arah Route, returned home Wednesday from Midland Memorial Hospital where she underwent major surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bloomer of San Antonio spent the week end with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gene L. Dulaney, 3717 Highland Drive, and their children, Mary Jean and John.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Johnston, 3010 Thirty-eighth Street, are moving to Midland where he is now employed by the Canyon Trucking Co. The Johnstons have two children, Freddy, and Rebecca Ann.

Mrs. Bill Bridges, Snyder Gasoline Plant camp, was entered as a medical patient in a Colorado City hospital Saturday.

Mrs. W. B. Gordon, 2503 Twenty-seventh Street, was taken by Bell ambulance Saturday to Callan Hospital in Roton, where she was entered as a medical patient.

Fined, Then Charged, But Fine Not Paid

A charge of driving while intoxicated was filed here this morning against a man officers said was released from jail yesterday after he was assessed a fine of $123.50, including court cost.

The fine was not paid in the county clerk's office by 11:30 this morning. The man charged was Harry Rosser Chapman, 38, arrested Saturday night by highway patrolmen here.

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A fine of $5 plus court cost of $23.50 was paid in county court late Friday for Raymond E. Davis, 30, route 1, who pleaded guilty last Monday to a charge of swindling by worthless check.

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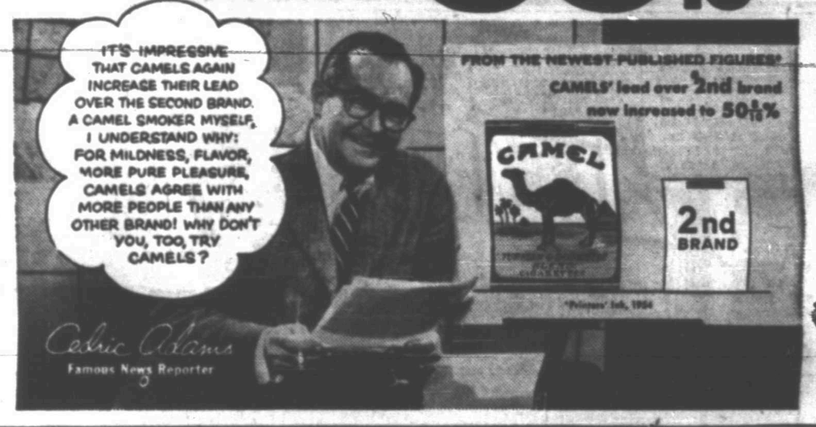

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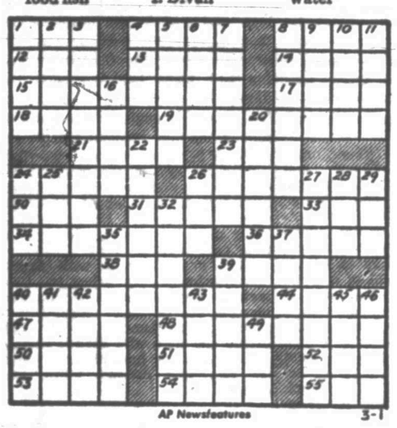

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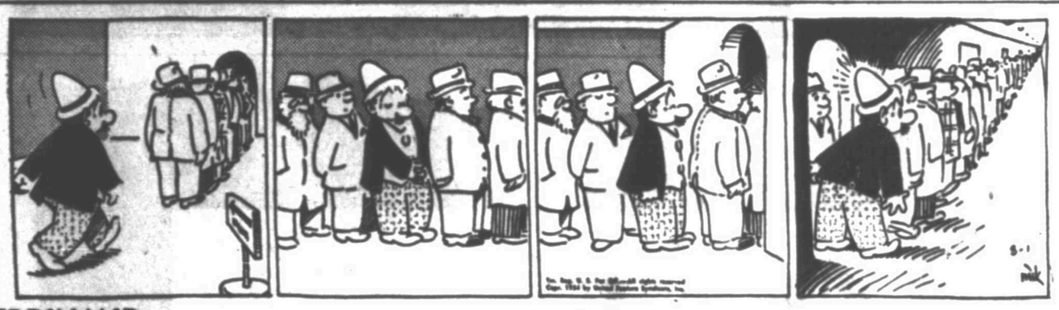

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Conference Winner To NCAA Meet, 2nd To NIT Tourney

NEW YORK (AP)—Only one spot remained to be filled in the National Invitation Tournament today and it is an open secret that the second-place team in the Southwest Conference will get the bid.

The league race is scheduled to end tomorrow night when Rice and Texas, which are tied for first place each with 8-3 records, play Southern Methodist and Texas Christian, respectively.

The conference winner, of course, will go the NCAA Tournament, which still is far from settled. The NIT will be satisfied with the runner-up.

So the 11 teams in the NIT now are Duquesne, Niagara, Dayton, Louisville, Western Kentucky, St. Francis of Brooklyn, St. Francis of Loretto, Pa., Manhattan, Holy Cross, Bowling Green and Wichita. If it wins the Missouri Valley title, however, Wichita will pull out. The club has finished its league season with an 8-2 mark. Oklahoma A&M, the leader with 7-1, still must meet Tulsa and St. Louis.

Holy Cross and Bowling Green were named to the NIT yesterday after Connecticut was named to represent New England in the NCAA. Connecticut defeated Holy Cross 78-77 Saturday night.

For Bowling Green, which finished second to Toledo in the Mid-America Conference, the NIT appearance will be its sixth. It reached the finals once and this year shows a 16-6 record.

The NCAA gets under way next week and although all the brackets aren't filled, here is how the teams line up at the moment:

At Fort Wayne, Toledo will play either Notre Dame, Loyola or Penn State, all at-large teams. Toledo's opponent will leave the other two to play.

At Buffalo the same night, Fordham will play La Salle and Connecticut will go against Navy.

The rest of the Eastern field still is undecided. Duke is champion of the Atlantic Coast Conference, but the NCAA bid goes to the team that wins the league's postseason tourney. Ditto with the Southern Conference, where George Washington came out on top.

The Ivy League still has three contenders—Cornell, Princeton and Penn. The Big Ten will send either Indiana, Iowa or Illinois. The Hoosiers already have clinched a tie, and if they defeat Illinois Saturday, they're in. Illinois also plays Northwestern while Iowa tangles with Ohio State tonight. It could wind up in the three-way tie.

In the Southeastern Conference, Kentucky and Louisiana State are unbeaten and this one, too, could finish in a tie.

The Western section is more settled. The four at-large teams are Bradley, Santa Clara, Oklahoma City and Seattle, plus Idaho State, the Rocky Mountain titlist, and Colorado A&M, the Skyline champion.

The Big Seven representative could be decided tonight when Kansas plays Colorado, and the Border Conference winner will be determined tomorrow night when Texas Tech and West Texas State meet.

The Pacific Coast Title will be determined this weekend when Southern California, the Southern Division winner, plays Oregon State, champion of the Northern Division.

AAAA Tourney In Austin On Thursday Set

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Sports Editor

Some great winning streaks will be carried to Austin Thursday for the five-way Texas schoolboy basketball tournament, the gaudiest boasted by Bowie, kingpin of Class AA for three straight years.

Bowie has won 67 games in a row and doesn't appear in any danger of having the skein snapped in the Class AA tournament at Austin where the Jack Rabbits encounter Childress, Spring Branch and Lamar Consolidated.

Pampa, champion of Class AAAA, returns to the big tournament with a 54-game streak. But the Harvesters might run into a lot of trouble maintaining their pace. Facing them at Austin will be Crozier Tech of Dallas, Wichita Falls and Milby (Houston). Crozier Tech is a real threat. The Wolves have taken 30 straight in the heart of strong competition.

42-GAME STREAK

Another mighty win streak is boasted by Cayuga, defending state champion of Class B. Cayuga has swirled over 42 opponents in the drive that gave it the 1953 title and bids to bring Cayuga another. Cayuga has three all-state players from last year on the team—Ned Duncan, Bryan Southerlin and Bernie Ball.

Opposing Cayuga in the state tournament will be Sam Norwood, Avoca, Krum, Big Sandy, Evant, Pettus and Rankin. Big Sandy is considered the toughest foe for Cayuga.

The other classes—AAA and A—do not have defending champions. Plainview, Sherman, Galena Park and Alamo Heights (San Antonio) make up the AAA field. Sundown, New Boston, Buna and Sweeny will fight it out for the A title.

SIX TEAMS BACK

Only six teams that played in the tournament last year are back. They are Pampa, Bowie, Cayuga, Big Sandy, Pettus and Rankin.

Bowie has the distinction of having a player in his fourth state tournament. He is Temple Tucker, the 6-foot-10 center of the Jack Rabbits, who is a scoring machine.

The makeup of the state tournament in a nutshell is:

Class AAAA—Pampa, Crozier Tech (Dallas), Wichita Falls, Milby (Houston).

Class AAA—Plainview, Sherman, Galena Park, Alamo Heights (San Antonio).

Class AA—Childress, Bowie, Spring Branch, Lamar Consolidated (Rosenberg).

Class A—Sundown, New Boston, Buna, Sweeny.

Class B—Samnorwood, Avoca, Cayuga, Big Sandy, Krum, Evant, Pettus, Rankin.

Tech Certain Of Loop Tie

By The Associated Press

Four games Monday night and Tuesday night bring the Border Conference basketball race to a close with Texas Tech certain of a championship tie.

Tech and West Texas State, which has to beat the Red Raiders to share the championship, clash Tuesday night in the payoff game.

Texas Western and Arizona close out the season for Arizona Monday night at Tucson.

Tuesday night Texas Western ends its campaign against Arizona State at Tempe.

New Mexico A&M play sits final of the season, a non-conference game with New Mexico, at State College, N.M., Tuesday n[illegible]

The Border Conference representative will move into competition for the NCAA western regional tournament, meeting Santa Clara.

West Texas State kept its title chances alive last week by whipping Hardin-Simmons 70-64. Texas Tech was racing over Arizona 97-68.

Arizona clinched third place in the standings by downing Hardin-Simmons 78-72.

The Texas Tech-West Texas State finale should be a rip-snorter. West Texas administered the only conference defeat of the season to Tech Feb. 2, downing the Red Raiders 80-72 behind the great shooting of Troy Burrus.

Sooner Coach To Work For Drilling Company

NORMAN, Okla. (AP)—Bill Jennings, former University of Oklahoma football star, has quit as assistant football coach at the Sooner school to become a Texas oil man.

Jennings said yesterday he will resign after spring drills to join the Noble Drilling Co. at Fort Worth. Assistant coach since 1947, Jennings was one of Oklahoma's greatest pass-snatchers as an end in the late 1930s.

This Is Anti-Training Week

NEW YORK (AP)—This is annual "Why Spring Training?" week, when almost any publication you pick up will feature a genuine, hand-tooled "expose" of the custom of taking baseball players South for a month of sunshine and exercise before the season begins.

It is not really necessary to read more than one of them, for the general theme is the same. Spring training is strictly a racket designed to get the paying customers up North excited ahead of time. It doesn't do anything for the players that couldn't be done by dunking them a couple of times in a turkish bath.

As for the actual benefits, we've often wondered vaguely about that ourselves. The best conclusion is that it doesn't do any of them any harm unless they step in a hole on some minor league field, and that it undoubtedly does some of them a lot of good, especially those who are inclined to take on blubber during the winter.

In every team's camp there are players who are ready to go nine innings the day they report. In fact, one of Dazzy Vance's favorite stories about Uncle Wilbert Robinson, the fabulous old Brooklyn manager, concerns the camp opening when Robby greeted all his athletes fondly and said that, doggone it, he was hungry to see some baseball and how about having a game?

"And," Dazzy recalls, "we put on a real humdinger for him, nine full innings with sliding and everything. Robby sat there in his rocker and loved every minute of it. Some of us were a mite sore the next few days."

That, however, was an exceptional case. The average manager today doesn't want to see anything except some running and pepper games for most of the first week. That doesn't go, of course, for players who have been earning pay in the Caribbean leagues all winter. Actually, it's a little silly for these men to report at all for about the first two weeks of training, and some of them don't.

Those who make a career of kidding the sunshine camps always point out that the big leaguers trained in the snowy North during the recent war years and appeared to be in about as good shape as ever for opening day. Leo Durocher, who trained his Brooklyn team in the vast West Point fieldhouse, concedes that his boys were ready. But neither he nor any other manager would like to repeat the experience.

Playoffs Are Slated In K.C.

By The Associated Press

The basketball campaign is over for all of the Texas college conferences but there are playoffs for the NAIA tournament at Kansas City scheduled this week.

East Texas State won the Lone Star Conference title with an unbeaten record—10-0.

North Texas State took the Gulf Coast Conference crown with 7-1.

St. Edwards and East Texas Baptist College wound up in a tie at 8-2 for the Big State Conference title.

Howard Payne took honors in the Texas Conference with a 4-2 mark.

This week East Texas State, North Texas State and St. Edwards play for a spot in the NAIA tournament, scheduled to open March 8. St. Edwards got into the playoff on the flip of a coin with East Texas Baptist.

Tuesday night North Texas State and St. Edwards clash at Dallas. The winner meets East Texas State Thursday night.

Howard Payne; Midwestern, runner-up in the Gulf Coast Conference, and Wayland, an independent, will engage in a playoff to decide the other NAIA team from Texas. Midwestern and Wayland play at Wichita Falls Monday night. The winner will meet Howard Payne Thursday night.

Hot Batter Is Available For Trading Deal

By BEN OLAN
Associated Press Sports Writer

The prospect of a major trade involving Mickey Vernon, the American League's leading batter last season, was more than a remote possibility as spring training officially opened in the major league camps today.

The 35-year-old Washington first baseman has yet to sign his 1954 contract. He is said to be asking for double the $19,000 he received last year.

"No, I won't sell him," Clark Griffith, Senators owner, declared. "But I might trade him if they offered me the right players for him."

He added it had never been his practice to trade players who are holdouts, but that he might be ready to make an exception in Vernon's case.

Several American League clubs, Cleveland and Baltimore among them, have been reported seeking first base help and in Vernon they'd be getting just that. Besides his pace-setting .337 average in 1953, the veteran drove out 15 homers and piled up 115 runs batted in.

Better news for the Senators was the return yesterday of star pitcher Bob Porterfield, almost completely recovered from a minor concussion. The big right-hander was hospitalized Saturday after being hit by a batted ball in practice.

Enos Slaughter, another veteran, made the big noise in the St. Louis Cardinals' camp at St. Petersburg, Fla. He belted four "homers" over the fence. Said Enos after the workout: "Never felt better."

On other spring training fronts, Boston Red Sox Manager Lou Boudreau announced that Ivan Delock and rookie Jim Ehrler would pitch the club's grapefruit league opener against Pittsburgh Saturday . . . Rudy Regaldo, a .325 batter in the American Assn. last season, hit Cleveland's first home run in an intrasquad game . . . outfielder Bob Borkowski smashed a two-run homer in the first inning of Cincinnati's intrasquad game . . . Brooklyn stalwarts Jackie Robinson and Pee Wee Reese worked out for the first time . . . Pittsburgh Manager Fred Haney said many rookies would be in the lineup against the Boston Red Sox next Saturday . . . Ray Boone, Walt Dropo and Don Lund showed up in Detroit's Lakeland, Fla., camp.

Several players just got in under the March 1 signing deadline, including Second baseman Billy Martin and outfielder Gene Woodling of the Yankees, First baseman Whitey Lockman of the Giants and outfielder Johnny Wyrostek of the Phillies.

Joe DiMaggio was named the most valuable player in the American League three times — 1939, 1941 and 1947.

Title Tie Is Seen In SW

By The Associated Press

The Southwest Conference basketball race, as wild and woolly as any ever played, reaches its dramatic close Tuesday night with a tie for the championship the most logical result.

Rice and Texas, deadlocked for the lead with 8-3 records, and the only teams that can figure in the title, play tough foes in the finales, but they're on the home courts.

Rice clashes with erratic but often brilliant Southern Methodist Mustangs at Houston. Texas meets dogged and disappointed Texas Christian at Austin.

TITLE TIE SEEN

Defeat for either would give the championship to the other. Defeat or victory for both could mean a title tie and a playoff for an NCAA spot.

Baylor and Texas A&M, with little left to fight for, play at Waco Monday night to wind up their season. Arkansas already is through. The Razorbacks closed out with 6-6 last week as they took a 67-57 thumping from Texas.

Second place is the aim of four teams—SMU, Baylor, Texas Christian and Arkansas. Chances are that SMU, Arkansas and Baylor will tie for it.

SMU, BAYLOR WIN

Southern Methodist and Baylor proved the flies in the ointment for the leaders last week. SMU beat Texas 90-63 and Baylor trimmed Rice 76-73, but these results had no effect other than to keep Rice and Texas in a tie for the lead.

Rice beat Texas Christian 73-65, Arkansas lashed Texas A&M 67-54 and Southern Methodist trampled Baylor 90-66 in other conference games. A&M lost a non-conference contest to University of Houston, 52-51.

If Rice and Texas tie for the title they will play at Houston Friday night, at Austin March 8 and on a neutral court March 9 if a third game is needed to decide which goes to the NCAA tournament at Stillwater, Okla., March 12.

Golden Gloves Boxer Dies In Car Wreck

TYLER (AP)—An amateur boxer who fought in the recent State Golden Gloves Tournament at Fort Worth was killed in a traffic accident yesterday.

Leonard A. Hays, 22, of Bullard died when the car he was driving hit a bridge abutment eight miles south of here. Hays, a Tyler Junior College student, was pinned against the bridge bannister and could not be extricated until a wrecker pulled the car away. He was dead on arrival at a Tyler hospital.

Highway patrolmen believed Hays went to sleep. He was alone.

Hays represented Tyler in the welterweight division of the state tournament.

How Texans Did At Mexican Open Meet

MEXICO CITY (AP)—Scores of Texans in the tenth annual Mexican Open Golf Tournament.

Fred Hawkins, El Paso, 76-76-73-69—294 ($145).

Tommy Bolt, Houston, 73-75-74-74—295.

Buster Reed, Dallas, 76-75-73-71—295.

Jack Harden, El Paso, 74-76-69-78—297.

Bob Moncrief, amateur, Houston, 73-76-80-83—312.

John Overturf, Dallas, 75-78-78-82—313.

Two-Ball Tournament

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Superior driving and putting yesterday brought Patty Berg and Pete Cooper a 4 and 3 victory over Grace DeMoss Smith and George Bolesta and the International Mixed Two-Ball Golf Tournament title.

Miss Berg, from Chicago, and Cooper, from Tampa, who lost in the 1951 final to Bolesta and Babe Zaharias, led all the way after the second hole.

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Boy Whose Heart Had Stopped Dies Sunday

CUMBERLAND, Md. (AP)—Six-year-old Walter Thomas Brown Jr. died at Sacred Heart Hospital here last night, 11 days after a surgeon had made a dramatic attempt to save his life by massaging his heart.

The boy's heart had stopped during a tonsillectomy. A surgeon, hurriedly summoned from an adjoining operation, made a quick chest incision and massaged the heart to restore circulation.

But the five minutes Tommy's brain was without oxygen caused too much damage, a hospital spokesman said last night.

Roy Rogers Shoots Self And Trigger In Show

EDINBURGH, Scotland (AP)—Cowboy film star Roy Rogers shot himself and his horse Trigger during a weekend performance at a local theater. But tell the kids to relax.

Roy escaped with a slight nosebleed and Trigger with a stung flank.

They were hit by small pellets which ricocheted off the stage while Roy was demonstrating his pistol marksmanship.

No Logjam On Auto Inspection Is Seen

AUSTIN (AP)—No auto inspection logjam before the April 15 deadline is expected now by state police.

Director Homer Garrison Jr., said 65 per cent of all Texas car owners have had their autos checked and if the present rate of inspection continues, there should be no last minute pile-up.

There are still a million motorists who have not complied and Garrison urged them to get the job done. Inspections are being clocked at the rate of 150,000 weekly.

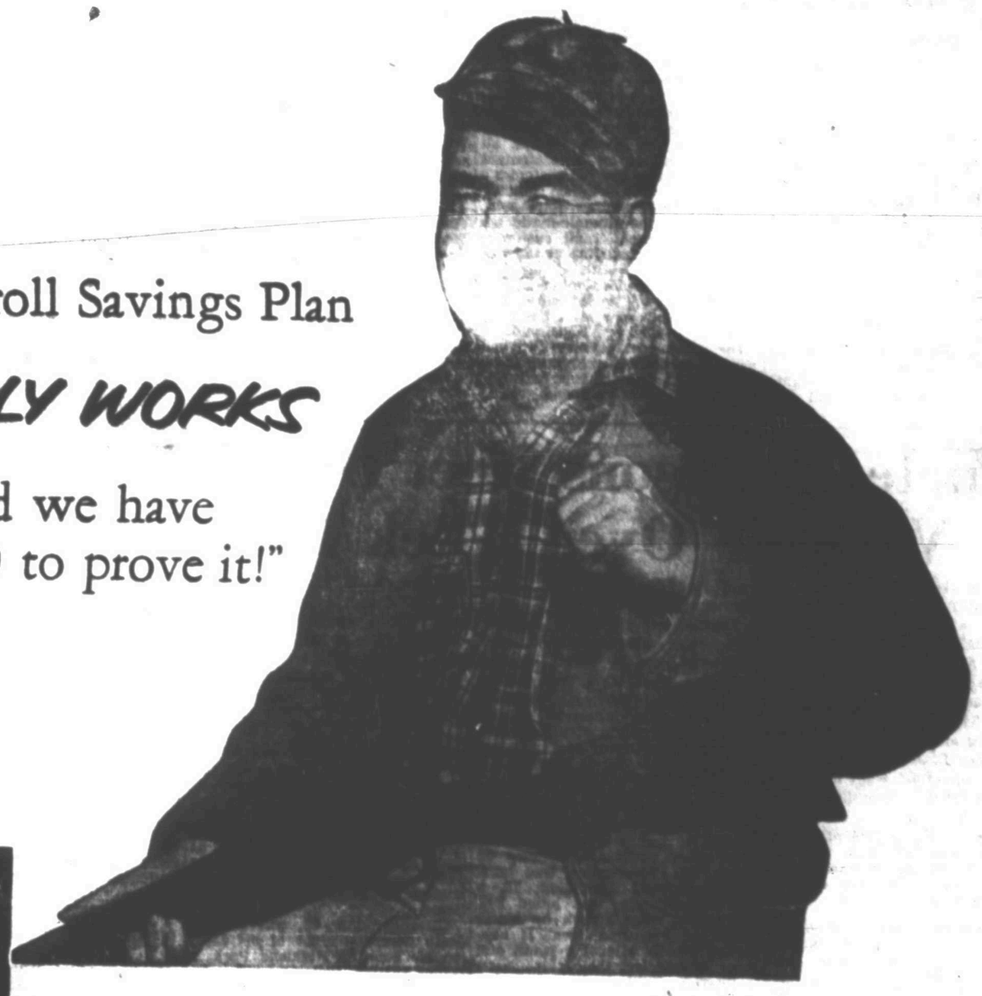
Catholic League Play

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—St. Thomas of Houston beat Central Catholic (San Antonio) 51-43 in the finals yesterday for its third straight Texas Catholic Interscholastic League basketball championship.

Cathedral (El Paso) won third place in the 16-team tourney with a 71-40 win over Kirwin (Galveston).

DOWN FOR THE COUNT

Washington Nats star pitcher Bob Porterfield gets checked over by "Doc" George Lentz after being knocked out by a line drive in Orlando, Fla., Saturday. Porterfield was walking along left field fence when he was caught above his left temple by the ball. He was unconscious for some time.



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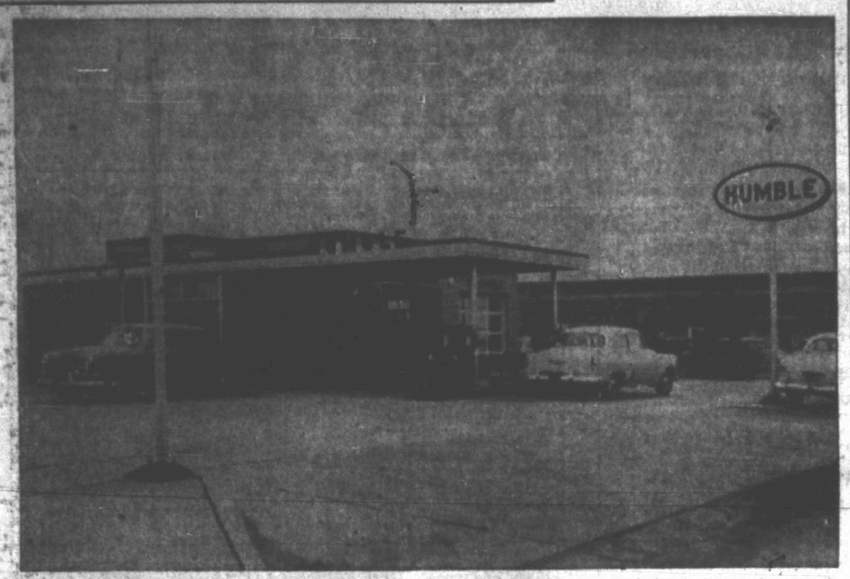

Jack Rape, operator of a Humble Service Station here for about two years, has purchased the Colley Humble Service Station, 2411 Twenty-fifth Street, shown above. Rape purchased the station from Troy Colley, operator of the station for about one year. (Lee Watson photograph)

Jack Rape Is New Owner Of Humble Station

The Humble Service Station at 2411 Twenty-fifth Street has been purchased by Jack Rape, former owner of the Jack Rape Humble Service Station at 1401 Twenty-fifth Street.

Rape purchased the station from Troy Colley, who has operated it for about one year.

The transaction was completed Feb. 7 when Rape assumed managership of the station.

Rape said that his station offers all the services available anywhere at service stations, plus some extras.

"We give super-duper wash jobs," he said. The new owner added that the station has two large commercial-type vacuum cleaners for rapid vacuum cleaning of the seats and upholstery of the interior of all cars washed at the station.

"We have two of the cleaners for two reasons," he said. "We can give faster service by having two vacuums, and we can have at least one in service in case one breaks down," he said.

The Rape Humble Service Station offers Humble courtesy credit service to its customers, and also honors about 20 other major company credit cards.

To speed the operation of honoring Humble credit cards the station employs an automatic Humblematic machine which stamps all vital information on the statement except amounts and the customer's signature, which can be quickly added by the customer, Rape said.

Rape said the Humble-matic usually saves each credit customer about five minutes time at the station.

"Five minutes does not seem like a long time, but to travelers who are invariably in a rush the time saved is important," Rape said.

The station remains open 24 hours per day and offers emergency road service and free pickup and delivery of cars for wash and grease jobs, Rape said.

Boy Rats On His Pop To Cop

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Officers, seeking to serve six traffic warrants on Theodore Martin Sr., went to his home Saturday.

They said Mrs. Martin assured officer Jeremiah Taylor that Martin, an auto mechanic, was not at home.

But 3-year-old Theodore Jr. knew differently. "Daddy's in the front room," he proudly told the policeman.

Taylor went into the living room. There were empty chairs, a rug on the floor, an unoccupied sofa—but no Martin Sr.

"Look in the sofa," little Ted shouted gleefully.

And there was Papa Martin underneath.

He was booked at city prison and held in lieu of $35 bail.

Said Martin, "That's all right. I've always told Ted to tell the truth."

Texas Dairies Called Unfair

WASHINGTON (AP)—Five Texas ice cream firms are among 63 ice cream manufacturers accused of unfair competition in complaints announced yesterday by the Federal Trade Commission.

All five Texas firms named are subsidiaries of parent firms also named in the FTC complaints. The FTC said the firms involved do 40 per cent of the nation's billion dollar a year ice cream manufacturing business.

The complaints allege the firms' methods "injure smaller ice cream manufacturers and if continued will result in further concentration of the ice cream manufacturing business in the hands of a few major companies."

Texas firms, and their parent companies, named were Houston Diced Cream Co., Houston, a subsidiary of Arden Farms Co., Los Angeles; Carnation Co. of Texas, Wichita Falls, a subsidiary of Carnation Co., Los Angeles, and the following subsidiaries of Foremost Dairies, Inc., Jacksonville, Fla.: Phenix Dairy, Inc., Houston; Tennessee Dairies, Inc., Dallas; Tennessee Milk Co., Inc., Odessa.

Hamlin Man Appointed

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Sun Oil Co. announced yesterday the appointment of William T. Askew, 45, a native of Hamlin, Tex., and a Texas A&M graduate, as general manager of Sun Oil's Marcus Hook, Pa., refinery.

Sen. Johnson For Tax Cut, He Declares

By The Associated Press

Boosting personal income tax exemptions would pump up consumer buying power and help the nation's economy, Senate Democratic Leader Lyndon Johnson declared Sunday.

Johnson said in his weekly transcribed radio broadcast to Texas constituents it would be better for the government to lose some money now through eased income taxes than "face the necessity of spending many billions of dollars later on WPA or PWA projects."

"I do not say that is the choice we face. But these are alternatives that we need to be thinking about."

Johnson said, "Nothing is to be gained by shutting our eyes to the fact that things are not as rosy as they might be."

In recent hearings by the Senate-House Economic Committee, he reported, there was "a general realization on both sides...that we can't simply talk away the threat of increasing unemployment and falling farm income."

Three million persons were unemployed early in January, according to a revised Department of Commerce estimate, Johnson said. He recalled President Eisenhower's statement that if employment does not rise in March "he thought it would be a signal for the government to take steps."

"Without going into detail, he mentioned the possibility of giving consumers more money to spend by lightening their tax burden."

Johnson said the House Ways and Means Committee narrowly defeated a move to increase individual income tax exemption from $600 to $700 but "the proposal undoubtedly will be brought up again on the floor of the House.'

"Meanwhile, Sen. Walter George of Georgia came out last week with a proposal to raise the personal exemption for each taxpayer and each dependent from the present $600 to $800 this year—and to $1,000 next year."

George is not an alarmist, Johnson said. The Texan quoted George as saying: "If we are courageous enough to take this forward-looking step before the economy falls flat on its face, we can be of some service to the country."

Girl Killed While Examining .22 Pistol

HAGERSTOWN, Md. (AP)—State police reported a 16-year-old girl was fatally wounded last night while she and her boy friend were examining a .22-caliber pistol similar to one they had just seen on a television mystery.

Trooper Clyde Tucker said after a preliminary investigation the shooting apparently was accidental.

He said Linda Ann Lewis and her boy friend, William Eugene Pyle, 17, both of Hagerstown, were watching television at the home of Samuel Berger, 21, of Williamsport, with Berger and his date. Pyle remarked there was a pistol in the bedroom similar to one they had just seen.

While they were examining it, Tucker said, the pistol went off. The bullet struck Miss Lewis in the left chest.

Hard To X-ray Big Girls Of 300 Pounds

LOS ANGELES (AP)—It took two doctors, three assistants, and two X-ray machines to find what was wrong with a 15-year-old girl.

She is Joyce, a 300-pound elephant in Griffith Park Zoo.

"She'll be laid up about a month," Dr. Victor Tiersten, veterinarian, said. He and Dr. Willard D. Ommert said she had suffered a strained ligament in the left hind heel.

The veterinarians yesterday used the two machines strapped together because rays from only one couldn't penetrate the foot-thick ankle.

Nine Die on Train

TOULOUSE, France (AP)—A cog railway train streaking down a mountain in the French Pyrenees with holiday skiers jumped the tracks and plunged into a 1,500-foot ravine yesterday. Nine persons were killed and 14 injured.

One of the new features of Wolfe Studio & Camera Shop, 1710 Twenty-fifth Street, are the "Artist Oils" made by Charles Wolfe, photographer. He is shown above with one of the recently completed 16x20-inch portraits. (Wolfe Studio photograph)

DEVELOPS TECHNIQUE

'Artist Oils' Are Shown At Wolfe Studio For 1st Time

Wolfe Studio & Camera Shop, 1710 Twenty-fifth Street, several months ago quietly began to offer a new type of photography to Snyder and Scurry County.

Since that time they not only have gained a clientel from this area but from Big Spring, Sweetwater, Midland and Odessa as well.

When asked about the new "Artist Oils," Charles Wolfe, owner of the studio, said he was pleased with the reception his new type of portraiture has received here. The description of the "Artist Oils" is difficult, because it must be seen to be truly appreciated. It combines the better features of painting with the better line rendition of the photograph, and gives an entirely new type of portrait.

The process of necessity must start with a superior picture, Wolfe said. That is why he likes to allow between 45 minutes and one hour to make the sitting for a portrait.

Instead of the usual four to six poses he may take as many as a dozen or more poses of the subject. They are made on oversize film to allow even the most minute details to show. A certain amount of Hollywood type makeup is applied to the subject in most cases.

After the proof is chosen by the customer, Wolfe begins the long job of retouching. In addition to the regular type of retouching, done on his electronic retouching machine which is the only one of this modern type in Snyder, he uses the newer and more accurate type of dye retouching. This is the technique made famous by Ed Falk, whose personal instruction Wolfe took last summer in a photography school.

Wolfe said that he is a firm believer in photography schools, but agrees with the experts in that a correspondence course is never as good as going to the school in person. Actually experience is the best teacher and with a short refresher course each summer Wolfe believes he can learn more than taking the practice of many photographers these days in "learning by mail" and then hanging an imposing certificate of graduation on the studio wall. "Such certificates actually mean nothing," he said.

A number of samples of "Artist Oils" is on display in the Wolfe Studio and anyone is welcome to stop by and look at them without obligation, Wolfe said.

"One glance will show that they are something unusual," he added.

"Naturally with all the time involved they are not cheap, and our colorist needs between 20 and 40 hours of time to color one of the large portraits," Wolfe said.

Because the new type portraits are expensive to produce, a time payment plan is offered on them, and no interest is charged the customer.

Wolfe studio also offers a complete service in regular, inexpensive portraits and commercial photography.

April 24, Wolfe plans to go to the Southwest Photographers Convention in Fort Worth where he will exhibit a number of his studio's "Artist Oils" and regular portraits. He is now preparing these samples to be shown.

Nine More Stars To Argentine Festival

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Filmland will send nine more stars to Argentina to complete the American delegation for the motion picture festival at Mar del Plata in March.

Y. Frank Freeman, board chairman of the Association of Motion Picture Producers, named the stars today. They are Susan Cabot, Corinne Calvet, Wendell Corey, Kathleen Hughes, Rosita Moreno, Lori Nelson, Mary Pickford, Charles (Buddy) Rogers and Claire Trevor.

Corpus Man Killed In Private Plane Crash During Saturday's Dust

ELGIN, Tex. (AP)—The wreckage of a plane in which Clarence E. Jones, 55, crashed to his death was found yesterday by an aerial search party seven miles east of this South Central Texas town.

Jones lived at Corpus Christi but operated an airport at Wichita, Kan.

He apparently became lost in Saturday's wind-whipped dust over Central Texas en route home from Kansas. He made his last radio contact with the Waco airport at 12:30 p.m. Saturday.

Highway patrolmen estimated the four-place Beechcraft Bonanza crashed at 1 p.m. Saturday. The wreckage was still burning when one of 25 Civil Air Patrol planes spotted it.

2 Texans Added To Army's Death List

WASHINGTON (AP)—Two Texans were among 65 additional soldiers known to have died in Korea, the Army said yesterday. All had been listed as missing in action more than a year.

The Texans were M.Sgt. Waitcell Plunkett, Midway, and Pfc. Anselmo Zamora, New Braunfels.

Chadwell Is D. E. Delegate

Roland Chadwell, Snyder High School senior, was elected to represent this district at the national Distributive Education convention in San Antonio April 25-28.

Chadwell was elected at the state convention held over the week end in Galveston. He will be one of four delegates from this area. Students from all over the United States, Puerto Rico and possibly the Virgin Islands will attend the national convention. Otis Snead, a Snyder High School graduate, is national DE president. He is a student at the University of Houston. Joyce Wendland, Snyder DE club sweetheart who was one of four named to compete for the state title, was defeated in balloting for that title by five votes.

Activities at the convention opened Friday afternoon with a business meeting. Snyder students presented a skit, "Professional Planning of a Club's Activities," during this meeting .A banquet followed. Delegates to the national convention and state officers were elected Saturday. Snyder students left Galveston Saturday afternoon and stopped overnight in Austin before returning here yesterday.

Communist Is High In French Vote Sunday

VERSAILLES, France (AP) — A once-jailed Communist editor was high man yesterday in a Parliament election in Paris suburbs. Because none of the 18 candidates polled a majority, a runoff vote will be held next Sunday.

Andre Stil, editor of the Communist party organ L'Humanite, ran first with 97,873 votes—38.6 per cent—in the voting to replace a deceased Gaullist deputy, Andre Diethelm, in the Seine-et-Oise department.

The anti-Red candidates were expected to unite behind one of their number to beat back the Communist threat next Sunday.

Stil was arrested last summer on a charge of plotting against the French state but later was released.

Russians Capitalize Joe's Latest Episode

LONDON (AP)—The Soviet government newspaper Izvestia said today developments so far in the row between U.S. Army Secretary Robert T. Stevens and Sen. McCarthy prove the Wisconsin senator "has the full backing of his country's rulers."

"The latter have need of McCarthy and McCarthy knows this," said the article, which was quoted by Moscow radio. "That's why he continues to indulge his wild amusement with their blessing."

Nineteen Persons Meet Death In Violence Over Week End

By The Associated Press

A flurry of traffic smashups claimed a dozen lives and pushed the state's weekend violent death toll to at least 19.

Three persons were shot to death at Dallas. A man died in a plane crash. There was one suicide, a drowning and one death in a fire.

Clarence E. Jones, Wichita, Kan. airport operator who moved to Corpus Christi six months ago, was found dead Sunday in the burned wreckage of his private plane seven miles east of Elgin in South Central Texas. Jones crashed during a duststorm Saturday en route from Ardmore, Okla., to Corpus Christi.

Alford William Thedford, 40, Dallas, was shot to death early Sunday in a Dallas tavern. Police held the 27-year-old operator of the tavern, who said his pistol discharged while he was attempting to eject Thedford.

G. E. Harper, 45-year-old employe of the Lone Star Gas Co. at Ranger, was killed in a highway accident at Thurber east of Eastland Saturday night. His car smashed into the rear of a truck loaded with hay.

FALLS FROM BOAT

The body of Lester O. Bush Jr., San Antonio employe of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, was recovered Sunday from Lake McQueeney near Seguin where he drowned last Saturday. Bush fell from a boat into the choppy waters during a sandstorm.

Frank R. Garcia, 34, San Antonio, was killed Saturday night when his car failed to make a curve and overturned on Highway 90 west of San Antonio.

Pfc. Ralph F. Ellington, 21, Columbus, Ga., attached to Fort Hood, Tex., was killed at midnight Saturday in an auto collision on the outskirts of Belton.

Pablo Bustamente, 34, and his uncle, Primo Bustamente, 70, both of Vernon, were killed Sunday when their car rammed into a trailer truck parked alongside U.S. 287 ten miles east of Vernon.

Foster H. Snodgrass, 35, a brick mason who moved from Brownwood to Dallas about a year ago, was killed Sunday when a car overturned on a curve on a paved road inside deactivated Camp Bowie near Brownwood.

Leonard A. Hays, 22, Bullard, Tex., was killed early Sunday when the car in which he was traveling alone hit a bridge abutment on State Highway 69 south of Tyler. Hays represented Tyler in the welterweight division in the State Golden Gloves boxing tournament in Fort Worth recently.

Buster Bogle, Greggton, was killed Sunday when the car in which he and B. F. Vanderslice, 46, also of Greggton, were riding struck a bridge abutment about two miles north of Pittsburg on State 271. Vanderslice was hurt.

Werner Karl Gmohling, 19, a German seaman, was killed Friday night when struck by a car north of Pasadena, Tex. It happened shortly after the youth and four friends left their ship.

Charles William Deerman Jr., 34, of Beaumont was found dead Friday night in a hotel room at Houston. A suicide verdict was returned. Peace Justice Tom Maes said an autopsy showed traces of rat poison.

SHOT TO DEATH

A man identified by police as Wash Harris Jr., 35, of Dallas was shot to death in Dallas Friday night. Police sought another man.

Ignacio Diaz of Dallas was killed there Saturday night when a car he was driving overturned.

Erkel Lee Baker, 31, of Odessa died Friday night when his car overturned 25 miles south of Midland.

James E. Miller, 7, was fatally injured Saturday when a car hit him as he crossed a highway at Waco.

Sgt. M. L. Daniel, about 40, believed to be a member of the U.S. Army Training Detachment at Texas A&M College, burned to death Saturday night when fire leveled his home at College Station.

Clarence Allen, 69, was shot to death Saturday night in his fashionable home in Highland Park, a Dallas suburb. Police quoted a 37-year-old salesman as saying he shot Allen after a struggle for possession of a .38 caliber revolver. "I shot him because he threatened to wipe out my family," police said the younger man told them.

Australian Earthquake

ADELAIDE, Australia (AP)—This capital of South Australia and a large area of the state were shaken last night by the region's most violent earth tremor in 50 years.

No casualties were reported. Chimneys and some masonry toppled, windows shattered and walls cracked.

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Conference Of Hemisphere Is Started Today

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP)—Latin Americans here for the opening of the 10th Inter-American Conference today got word from Secretary of State John Foster Dulles that the United States' program of friendship with them has been the big northern neighbor's "most solid and dependable policy."

"The friendly association of American states is the oldest foreign policy of the United States and it is still our most solid and dependable policy," he said in a brief airport statement on his arrival for the 20-nation conference.

The first day's program of the meeting was confined to formalities—a preliminary organization session in the morning and an afternoon plenary session with Venezuelan President Marcos Perez Jimenez extending the welcome.

The conference is expected to last three to five weeks.

Venezuela took extraordinary security measures to prevent a recurrence of the rioting in which some 1,500 persons were killed during the last Inter-American Conference, in Bogota, Colombia, in April 1948. Communists were blamed for that outbreak.

High, well-guarded barbed wire fences surrounded nearby University City, where the conference activities center. Guards patrolled the airport at Dulles' arrival with his party of 15 experts on Latin America. Perez Jiminez sent his own automobile, which has bullet-resistant windows, for Dulles, but U. S. Ambassador Fletcher Warren said the special protection had not been requested.

Dulles' statement emphasizing Washington's friendship with the southern neighbors came at a time when many Latin Americans were wondering out loud what policy President Eisenhower's administration would follow in this hemisphere.

Communist infiltration in the Americas is one of the major topics for the conference, but Latin Americans consider economic matters the chief item.

Dulles' brief statement made no mention of U. S. economic plans for Latin America. And he emphasized that U. S. friendship for Latin America is "based upon reciprocity and mutuality."

Any U. S. attempt to spotlight Guatemala for Communist influence on her leftist government appeared doomed to failure. The U.S. delegation had hoped to make this a clear-cut issue, but several foreign ministers made it plain they would hold out for discussion of communism only as a hemispheric problem, rather than in specific countries.

Two Officers Killed In Gun Fight On Farm

SHREVEPORT, La. (AP)—Funeral services were scheduled today for Police Chief E. G. Huckabay and Deputy Sheriff Maurice Miller of Bossier Parish, both killed Saturday in a three-hour gun battle with a Negro farm hand.

The two men were killed by Man West, about 42, when he was being served a warrant charging him with nonsupport of his wife and five children. West also was killed in the gun battle.

Miller was shot four times as he entered a cabin about 15 miles south of Shreveport occupied by West's mother, who fled from it when the shooting started.

West barricaded himself after shooting Miller. Police opened fire and lobbed tear gas shells into the cabin when they learned Miller was dead.

Huckabay was hit in the neck and died about an hour later.

Pneumonia causes about 47,000 deaths a year in the United States.

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RENTALS L

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Contest Bothers His Nibs And His Lady

LOTTAWA (AP) — Money-hungry Canadian radio fans think Acting Prime Minister C. D. Howe is the pot of gold at the end of a quiz show rainbow, and they're making his life miserable with what his wife indignantly describes as "outrageously impertinent personal" telephone questions.

The program over an Ottawa station offers the pot to the lucky listener who identifies a mystery man from clues given out each week. Until a winner comes up, the pot goes up $50 a week. It's up to $2,500 now.

For the past month a lot of listeners have decided Howe is their man. He's Canada's trade minister and sitting in for world-touring Prime Minister Louis St.Laurent.

Each program touches off a new bedlam of clue-checking calls to the Howes.

The Mrs. calls the whole thing "a nightmare."

"We can't sit down to a meal. I can't start a letter. It's impossible to read the paper without the phone ringing," she told an interviewer.

The callers have asked whether Howe wears a hearing aid, a wig, false teeth. Does he own a gold mine, or a million dollars? Is he partial to sauerkraut and pretzels? Where does he buy his clothes and for how much?

"Two weeks ago I called the station and told them that unless they could bring the contest program to an end quickly, I would sue for the prize money," Mrs. Howe continued.

The callers have pulled the minister out of the House of Commons chamber and pestered him at his several offices, but he finally instructed his staff to intercept them.

What the sometimes sharp tongued Howe tells the information hunters, Mrs. Howe did not say. When she takes the calls, "I tell them we answer no personal questions." But that doesn't always work.

"Women have called and when I refuse to answer their questions, they have pleaded that their husbands are jobless, their children starving, the rent unpaid, and that winning the prize money is simply life or death to them.

"They make it sound like soap opera—bad soap opera."

Nehru Wants Americans Out Of Riff Area

NEW DELHI, India (AP)—Prime Minister Nehru called today for withdrawal of American observers from the U.N. cease-fire team in disputed Kashmir because of the new U.S. program of arms aid to Pakistan.

Nehru asserted in Parliament such American aid to the other contender for Kashmir "is a form of intervention in the disput. between India and Pakistan" over the Himalayan state.

The American observers, who help supervise the U.N. truce between Indian and Pakistani troops in Kashmir, "can no longer be regarded by us as neutrals in this dispute," the Premier asserted.

At the end of 1953 the United States had 14 observers and headquarters officers on the 45-member U.N. military mission. A U.S. Air Force C47 transport plane and its crew also are available to the U.N. for supply and communications work with the mission.

Opening his review on the aid to Pakistan which he previously had bitterly assailed, Nehru announced what amounted to a rejection of President Eisenhower's offer of similar arms aid for India.

He made public a letter to the U.S. President, replying to Eisenhower's letter last week. In it he said his government would continue to follow its present policies "which are based on a desire for peace." Present Indian policy includes refusal to accept foreign military aid.

Other than this, however, the letter made no specific mention of the U.S. arms offer.

Sixth Had A Badge

FRANKLIN, Ohio (AP) — When Ralph Palmer entered a cafe near Franklin yesterday, one of the poker players said:

"Come on in, partner, you'll make a sixth."

Palmer broke up the game with the winning card—his badge as chief deputy sheriff.

Senators Are Still Investigating Brew

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senators probing high coffee prices may decide today to order New York City coffee exchange members to turn over their lists of traders and speculators.

Chairman Beall (R-Md) of a special coffee investigating subcommittee called a closed-door session to consider "subpoenas for books and records of some 50 coffee brokers."

Gustavo Lobo Jr., president of the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange, recommended that all members supply trading data to the Senate probers on a voluntary basis.

Beall said less than 20 of the 50 key members had done this "but two brokers told us they want us to subpoena their records."

"If we have to do this for two, then to be fair we should do it for all of them," he said.

Subpoenas—orders backed by congressional authority — presumably would give the brokers some protection against any complaints from customers whose transactions would be disclosed in the records.

The Senate inquiry, by a Banking subcommittee, began a month ago. Since then retail prices, which had climbed to a dollar a pound or more, have gone up another 5 to 10 cents.

The Senate group wants to examine books and accounts of the New York exchange to see if excessive speculation has caused any part of the increase.

Beall said his group also has received "reports that a corner in coffee may be causing some of the increase."

This is a trade term used when a group or individual acquires enough of a commodity or futures contracts to manipulate prices.

Lobo and other officials have testified that the New York coffee exchange makes this impossible through its own regulations.

The Senate has passed a bill that would impose government regulation and supervision of all speculation and futures trading in coffee by the Commodity Exchange Authority.

Meanwhile, four U. S. clubwomen, who inspected Brazil's coffee situation on a 10-day trip there, have predicted that coffee prices will stay high for the next few years, and may climb even higher.

The quartet from the General Federation of Womens Clubs were guests of the Brazilian Coffee Institute during their survey.

And the Foreign Agricultural Service said yesterday available information tends to bear out coffee dealers' contention that the supply is short in relation to demand.

However, the service said sizable unreported stocks of coffee may be held in the interior of Brazil, the major producer.

It said current season production was estimated at 40,300,000 bags of 132 pounds each, while demand is expected to be at least up to last season's 41,300,000 bags.

Wife Beater Jailed

BALTIMORE (AP)—Bertie J. Taylor, 44, was sentenced to one year in jail yesterday for beating his 23-year-old wife with a brick.

Police said Taylor sold a pint of his blood and "then went out on a drunk."

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Rubirosa Is Linked With Zsa Zsa Again

PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Porfirio Rubirosa, the suave playboy-diplomat, plunged back into Palm Beach social life today after an absence of several days from his bride, Woolworth heiress Barbara Hutton.

There were reports he had flown to Phoenix, Ariz., to visit an old flame, Zsa Zsa Gabor. But he declared he had gone to his native Dominican Republic on business.

He flew into Miami Saturday night in a chartered plane and came immediately to Palm Beach. Yesterday afternoon he was a guest at a cocktail party given by Mrs. Cobina Wright.

Barbara didn't attend the party. She was reported still having trouble with the ankle she broke in a fall in her bathtub soon after her marriage.

"My God, how did that start?" Rubirosa asked when a reporter reached him by telephone to inquire about the Phoenix rumor. "I have just been down on my Dominican farm in La Vega. My God, be sure to get that right—La Vega, not Las Vegas."

Airport attendants in Phoenix said a man answering Rubirosa's description left there in a chartered plane Friday. Miss Gabor, in Phoenix on location, said she hadn't seen him.

Sudanese Riot When Naguib Is On Visit

KHARTOUM, Sudan (AP) — Police fired on more than 30,000 rival demonstrators massed today to greet—or assail—Egyptian President Mohamed Naguib. Eight Sudanese were killed and more than 50 wounded.

The shooting occurred outside the home of British Governor General Sir Robert Howe, where Naguib was being entertained after his arrival by plane from Cairo.

Naguib came here with Egyptian Guidance Minister Salah Salem for the inaugural session today of in Sudan's first Parliament.

Among the injured was the police superintendent, Brig. Mortada el Mahdi.

Rival factions representing the pro-independence Umma party and the pro-Egyptian National Unionist party led by Sudanese Prime Minister Ismail el Zahary invaded the city's streets early today shouting slogans at each other.

A huge crowd met Naguib at the airport, shouting "Go out, go out, both British and Egyptians," and "No unity, no federation."

Later the crowd outside Howe's home refused to obey police orders to disperse. Fearing a clash between the two factions, the police first used tear gas, then opened fire.

Seven Persons Die In Flames

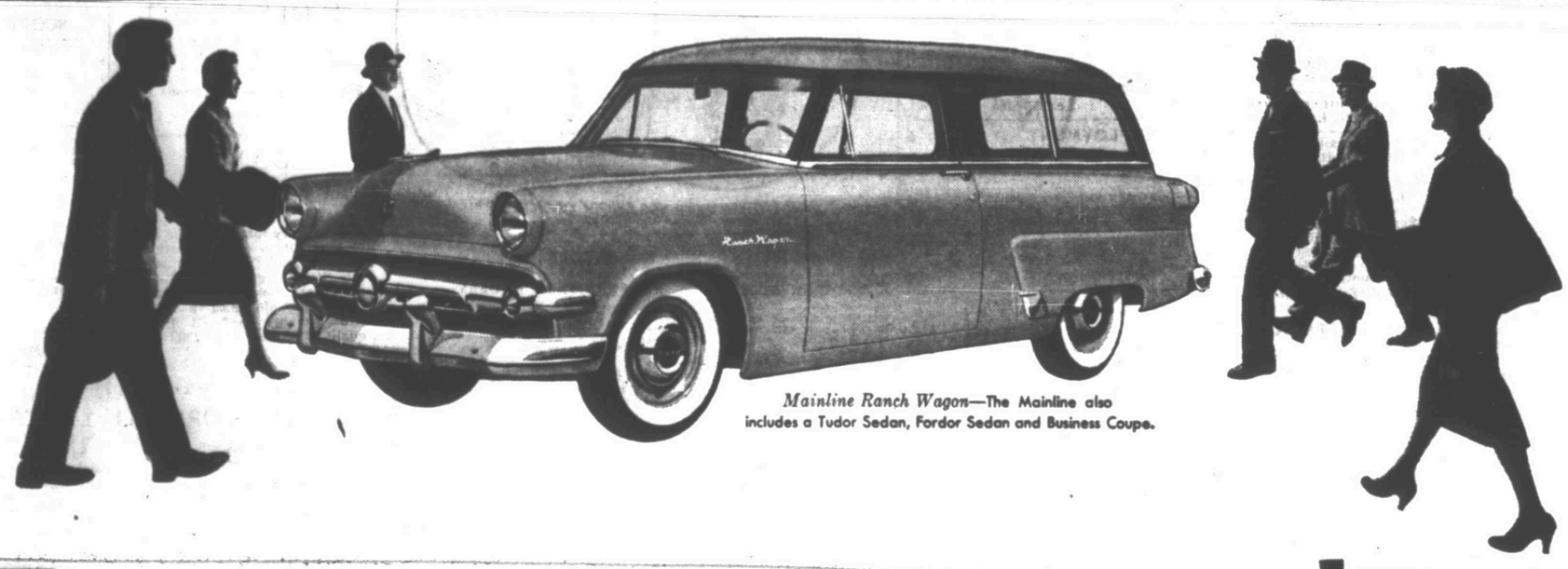
GROSSINGER, N.Y. (AP)—Seven employes were killed and 26 injured yesterday as flames swept through a staff residence at the widely known Grossinger Hotel and Country Club in the Catskill Mountains.

Prompt action by fire fighters kept the blaze from spreading to other buildings at the resort, which had a weekend guest list of 900. Among them is heavyweight boxing champion Rocky Marciano, who is in training.

Most of the guests apparently slept through the early morning blaze, which took 4 minutes to get under control.

Fire authorities, who were continuing to investigate the cause of the blaze, estimated damage at $0,000.

The dead were identified as Siegfried Haas, 51, and his wife Erna, 49; David Bernstein, 20, and his wife Hannah, 22; Fannie Rosenthal, 39; Catherine Krick, 45; and Jack Shildkret, 40.



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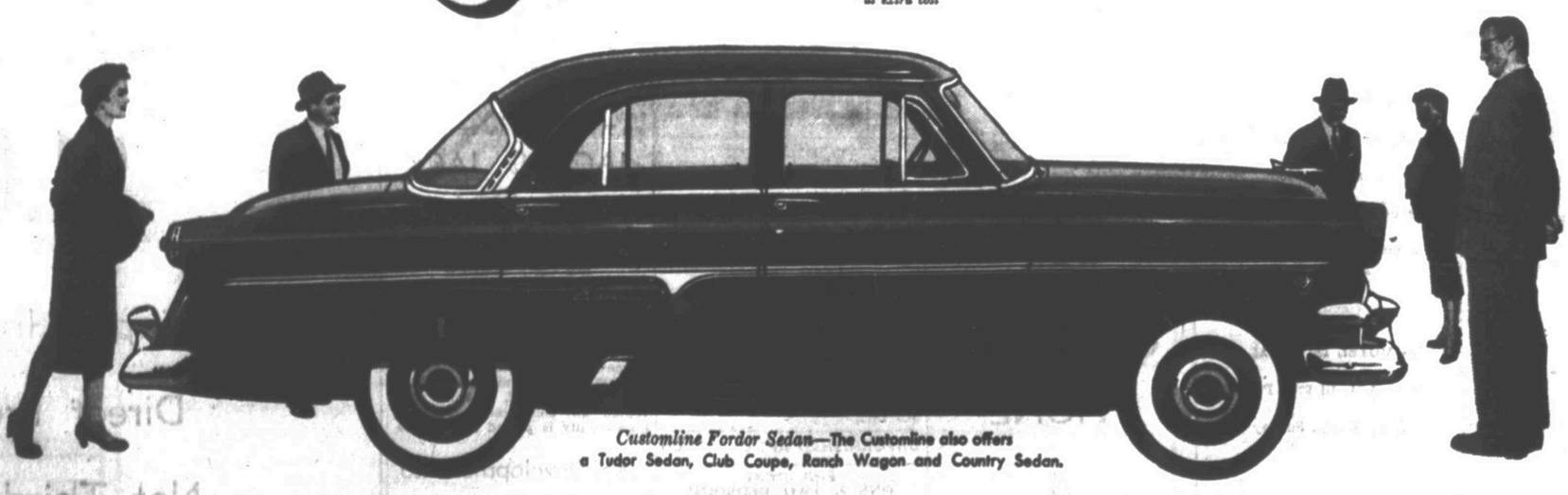

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