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WEATHER

Considerable cloudiness with scattered showers Tuesday night and Wednesday. Not much change in temperatures. Maximum temperature Monday 99 degrees. Minimum Tuesday 65 degrees.

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Condemned Slayer Denied Mercy

Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

James C. Watson, Oil Editor

SE Sutton Discovery Completes As Gasser

Shell Oil Company, Inc., is preparing to complete a deep core hole in Southeast Sutton County as a discovery well for commercial gas production from a Pennsylvanian lime.

The development is Shell No. 1 S. B. Roberts, located 35 miles southeast of Sonora, and 827 feet from north and 398 feet from west lines of section 7, block 7, TW&NG survey.

This project was drilled as a slim-hole exploration primarily to secure sub-surface geological information. It bored to a bottom of 4,653 feet in Ellenburger lime. That formation made salty, sulphur water, with no signs of oil or gas in a drillstem test at 4,428-4,653 feet.

Water In Lower Zone

The interval at 3,400-75 feet, in the Pennsylvanian was investigated for one hour on a drillstem test. It showed gas at the rate of three and three quarter million cubic feet per day.

Another drillstem test was taken at 4,340-4,428 feet. The tool was open one hour. Recovery was 43/100 barrel of salty drilling mud.

The bottom zone at 4,428-4,653 feet had a recovery of 1.3 barrels of mud; 6.6 barrels of salty mud, and 1.8 barrels of salty, sulphur water, during a one-hour period.

Operator has plugged back with cement to 3,475 feet, the bottom of the Pennsylvanian lime zone which showed the gas, and a string of 5-inch OD casing will be run and cemented, so the well can be completed as a gas producer.

Information Released

Since this exploration was originally started for the primary purpose of securing geological information, no permit to drill it was filed with the Railroad Commission of Texas, prior to the beginning of drilling.

Operator had not released any information on the project until it was decided to complete it from the gas zone. An application covering the completion of the discovery has now been filed and the information on the showings and the plans to complete it have been released by Shell.

Discovery Indicated For Winkler Venture

Possibilities of the discovery of commercial petroleum production from the Silurian has been indicated at Gulf Oil Corporation No. 146-E Keystone, Northeast Winkler County wildcat.

This venture is one-half mile north of the discovery for production from the Devonian to open the Flying-W field, 15 miles northeast of Kermit.

It is 1,980 feet from east and 660 feet from south lines of section 24, block A-57, psl survey.

After it had shown for production from the Devonian in drillstem tests between 9,676 feet and 9,753 feet, operator filed an amended application with the Railroad Commission, requesting permission to deepen the prospector to 12,000 feet to explore the Ellenburger.

Made Clean Oil

The show for a discovery from the Silurian came in a drillstem test at 10,264-310 feet. The tool was open two hours. Gas, with a volume of 18,000 cubic feet per day, showed at the surface in eight minutes. No fluid flowed out at the top while the tester was in the hole.

Recovery was 5,420 feet of clean oil and 100 feet of oil and gas cut drilling mud, of which 50 per cent was oil. There was no formation water.

Open flowing bottom hole pressure was 800 pounds. Shutin bottom hole pressure was 1,100 pounds, after 15 minutes.

The exploration was deepened to 10,360 feet and a two hour drillstem test was taken with the packer at 10,310 feet.

There was a very slight blow of air at the surface throughout the test. Recovery was 210 feet of drilling mud, with a rainbow show of oil. No formation water was shown.

The project is now making hole below 10,479 feet in chert and lime in the Silurian.

Nearest Silurian production to the possible new discovery is several miles to the southwest on the east side of the Keystone, multipay field.

Winkler Exploration Taking Another DST

Richardson & Bass and Southland Royalty Company No. 1 Wallace, one and one-quarter miles south of the lone Devonian producer in the Flying-W field, and 660 feet from south and east lines of the northwest quarter of section 88, Barbara Hill survey, was bottomed at 11,596 feet in Waddell sand in the Simpson, and was taking a drillstem test.

A test was tried when total depth was at 11,590 feet. The packer failed and there was no recovery. The hole was conditioned and deepened six feet and the second test on the zone was started. This venture is now slated to continue to 12,500 feet, if necessary, to test the Ellenburger.

Upton Wildcat Gets Petroleum Prospects

Some prospects for the development of petroleum production from the Devonian have been indicated at Republic Natural Gas Company No. 1 Powell, North-Central Upton County wildcat.

This exploration, located two

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Revival Meeting—10:00 a.m.-8:00 p. . daily. Fred Swank, evangelist —First Baptist Church.—(Adv.)

Johnson Opposes Vandenberg's Plan To Cut Arms Aid

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich) Tuesday proposed 50 per cent cash reduction in the first year's cost of the Western European arms program.

The Michigan senator suggested to Secretary of Defense Louis Johnson that about $580,000,000 be furnished in cash by Congress—with the balance in contract authorizations (to be met by later appropriations) which would not be charged against the current budget.

Vandenberg said he believes the budget President Truman sent Congress for the 1950 fiscal year carries funds for European military aid which would cover almost all the money cost of the first year.

But Johnson, appearing before a joint meeting of the Senate Foreign Relations and Armed Services Committee, argued that the full amount—$1,450,000,000 — is needed to safeguard the security of the United States.

Said Johnson:

"Should Western Europe be overrun by a hostile power and should its vast industrial and manpower potentials be added to those of such an aggressor, the United States, would stand isolated in a dangerously insecure period.

Temptation To Soviet

"United States security, therefore, demands that Europe be safeguarded."

"A military vacuum in Western Europe," Johnson said, "is a great temptation to the Soviet Union and international communism."

He told the Senators it would take months and years for this country to mobilize, equip, train and transport troops across the Atlantic.

In the meantime, he said, the forces of Western Europe must be able to resist any enemy.

Johnson, in defending the $1,450,000,000 figure, said it wasn't simply a number pulled out of the air.

"It is the dollar total of the cost of specific items of equipment needed for a definite number of Army, Navy and Air Force units," he said.

"Any reduction in the total will necessarily cause a curtailment in the objective of a realistic start in helping the European and other participating countries strengthen themselves."

European Recovery Bill Nears Passage

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The multi-billion dollar foreign recovery bill sped toward final congressional action Tuesday after a stormy passage through the Senate.

Lawmakers expected a Senate-House committee to reach quick agreement on the somewhat different versions the two branches have passed. The Senate approved its bill late Monday by a top-heavy 63 to 7 vote.

Senators ended almost two weeks of wrangling to shake the measure free from the confusion which had blocked action on more than $20,000,000,000 in money bills in addition to other legislation marked "must" by the Administration.

When the final showdown came, only six Republicans and one Democrat voted against the $5,797,724,000 measure.

Despite all the sound and fury of debate, the Senate bill does not differ greatly from the House-approved measure. The Senate reduced the money totals 10 per cent and added some amendments—none of which is expected to cause much trouble.

Oil Imports Set All-Time High Record

TULSA, OKLA. —(AP)— Imports of crude oil and refined products averaged 607,000 barrels daily in the second quarter of 1949, the Independent Petroleum Association of America reported Tuesday.

The IPAA said the three-months daily average was the highest in history.

Figures compiled from Department of Commerce statistics, the association said, showed June's average was 632,000 barrels daily.

Daily average second quarter imports from areas outside the United States were listed by the IPAA as follows:

Venezuela, 270,000 barrels daily; Netherslands West Indies, 181,000 barrels; Middle East, 98,000; Columbia, 29,000; Mexico, 25,000, and all others 4,000.

Several Events For Joan Edwards May Be Conducted

Benefit events to contribute to the Joan Edwards Recovery Fund are expected to be held in Midland soon.

In fact, a benefit dance already is scheduled August 20 at the American Legion Hall. Whit Lawson and his Western band of Midland will play the dance and turn over the proceeds to the fund.

Tuesday the Western Plastic Softball Team challenged the winner of the Lions-Optimists game to a benefit baseball game.

Other events may be held.

The Joan Edwards Recovery Fund started in McCamey and $850 was raised at a softball game. Other cities were invited to stage events.

Joan Edwards has been unconscious almost seven months following an automobile accident in January of this year. She was an employe of The Reporter-Telegram at the time.

Lovett Defends B-36 Contracts

WASHINGTON—(AP)— Robert A. Lovett, a former assistant secretary of war for air, told the House Armed Services Committee Tuesday absolutely no outside influence was exerted to get the B-36 bomber on its way in 1941.

Lovett was the first witness as the committee opened its investigation of the B-36 and strategic air power policies.

★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

CANTON —(AP)— Official reports Tuesday claimed Chinese Nationalists had surrounded 11,000 Communist troops near Suichwan in Kiang-si Province, 240 miles north of Canton.

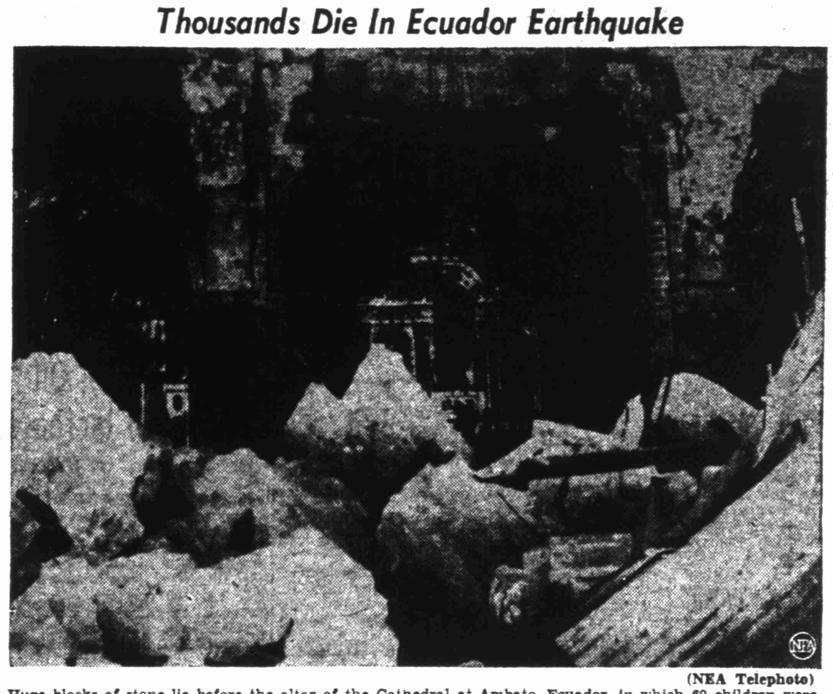
HONG KONG —(AP)— Almost 1,000 men of the British Third Tank Regiment arrived here Tuesday as reinforcements to the British Crown Colony garrison.

DETROIT —(AP)— Some 10,000 Packard Motor Company workers walked off the job Tuesday in a dispute over the discharge of a foundry worker. Local 190, CIO United Auto Workers, called a mass meeting to plan further action.

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The White House indicated Tuesday that government relief spending will be concentrated in areas where unemployment has reached 12 per cent or more.

HONG KONG —(AP)— American ships and flying boats will stand by to evacuate all American nationals from Communist-threatened Canton in an emergency, Consul General George D. Hopper said Tuesday.

Thousands Die In Ecuador Earthquake



(NEA Telephoto)

Huge blocks of stone lie before the altar of the Cathedral at Ambato, Ecuador, in which 60 children were entombed when an earthquake struck. A priest also was killed.

Looting Threatens Earthquake Areas

QUITO, ECUADOR—(AP)—President Galo Plaza Lasso's government Tuesday took stern measures to prevent looting and disorder in Ecuador's earthquake area after the Army reported that some Indians had threatened to go on a looting rampage.

The cabinet authorized military rule wherever necessary in the stricken area. The threat of Indian trouble plagued authorities struggling to house and feed 100,000 persons made homeless by Friday's earthquake.

The destruction of water systems brought threats of public health problems. An airlift continued flying supplies into the stricken region.

A spokesman for the President said the government had not yet been able to compile a death list, but estimated that the toll was between 2,000 and 4,000. Earlier estimates of the dead had ranged up to 6,000.

Some persons thought a complete tabulation might never be made.

The authorities were prepared to hit hard against looters. Civil guards and police said they would shoot without questioning anyone caught pillaging ruined buildings and fields.

Cavalry Called Out

A special cavalry detachment was ordered to the Pelileo area, one of the most heavily damaged regions, to control the Salasacas Indians.

Army officers said they learned from Salasacas Indians that members of the tribe planned to loot the ruins. Indians of that tribe have a reputation for troublemaking when they drink heavily, it was said.

The government planned a 20-year bond issue to finance quake reconstruction. Newspapers said the country might obtain a loan from the United States.

The President announced Sunday that in the town of Pelileo alone some 3,200 had died.

Plaza told newsmen that in the ravaged city of Ambato 75 per cent of the houses still standing must be torn down.

He said the government had asked the American republics to rush tents to the area and that the United

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Senate Committee Hears Evidence For And Against Clark

WASHINGTON —(AP)— A succession of judges and lawyers Tuesday urged prompt Senate confirmation of Attorney General Tom C. Clark as an associate justice of the Supreme Court.

Representatives of the National Lawyers Guild, the Civil Rights Conference and other organizations waited for a chance to testify against Clark, however.

Clark was not present at the opening hearing of the Senate Judiciary Committee as Chairman McCarran (D-Nev) noted that the two Texas senators, Tom Connally and Lyndon Johnson, Democrats, both urged confirmation of their fellow Texan.

It was Connally who first helped Clark obtain a minor job in the Justice Department, which he rose to head in 1945.

Letters and telegrams praising Clark were read from four former presidents of the American Bar Association: Jacob M. Lashly of St. Louis, Joseph W. Henderson of Philadelphia, Willis Smith of Morehead City, N. C., and Tappan Gregory of Chicago.

Opponents Speak Out

Then followed similar letters and telegrams from federal judges and officials.

But opponents also prepared a batch of statements criticizing the attorney general, especially for his actions against subversive groups.

One by William L. Patterson, executive secretary of the Civil Rights Congress, recalled the Supreme Court decision in the case of Dred Scott, negro slave, by former Chief Justice Taney.

"Justice Taney held that a negro had no rights that a white man was bound to respect," Patterson's statement said. "It is our belief that Tom Clark has accepted that dictum."

Nevertheless, Senator Wherry of Nebraska, the GOP floor leader, flatly predicted Clark's confirmation.

San Angelo Fires Manager, Engineer

SAN ANGELO—(AP)—City Manager Sam O. Lawhon and City Engineer J. P. Burden were told Monday by the San Angelo City Commission that they would be "permitted to resign."

"I am, as of right now," Lawhon answered.

Burden was in Austin attending a meeting.

No official reason was given by the council for its ouster of the two men. One city commissioner said he was trying to arrange a special session of the group to reconsider the action.

The San Angelo Standard-Times speculated that the action might have resulted from the proposed opening of one block of a long-closed street in the southwest part of the city. Property owners in the vicinity have been split over the proposed opening.

Rains Bring Rises In Rivers, Promise More Cool Weather

By The Associated Press

The weatherman said Tuesday Texas could look forward to more scattered showers and pleasant temperatures. It might get warmer, he said.

Only along the Rio Grande were temperatures hot.

Rain fell over large areas of the state Monday and Monday night.

In East and South Texas the fall was heavy enough to put the Sabine and Nueces rivers on slight rises.

Maximum temperatures Monday ranged from 74 at San Angelo to 98 at Laredo. Tuesday morning's minimum was 60 at Guadalupe Pass. Galveston had the high minimum, 79 degrees.

Overnight rain: Victoria .91, Childress .46, Junction 1.96, Del Rio .03, Lubbock .61, Ozona .10, Abilene 1.09, Austin .27 and Dallas .13.

During the weekend, a total of 3.15 inches of rain fell in the Del

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Six Injured When Smoke Boils Into New York Subway

NEW YORK—(AP)—Shouting and screaming subway passengers Tuesday pushed and shoved their way from the smoke-filled cars of an independent system train. Six were taken to hospitals suffering from shock.

Thousands of persons gathered near the station at 42nd Street and Eighth Avenue—a block from Times Square—as the passengers of the eight-car train boiled up through exits from the smoke-filled station underground.

Police said a loose metal plate dragging from the northbound Washington Heights train caused short circuits, exploding the electrical circuit under each car.

There were blinding flashes and then odorous smoke seeped into the darkened, crowded cars. There was no fire, police said.

Normal service was restored in about 15 minutes.

'Dem Eggs Sho' Would Have Been Good For Supper

A Midland negro picked the wrong man to pick on here Monday afternoon.

Officer A. M. Brown placed his raincoat and a dozen eggs on the sidewalk at a downtown intersection while he directed traffic during a rush hour.

When the officer completed his task and returned for his coat and eggs, they weren't to be found.

Brown was picked up by a patrol car. As they drove down the street—you guessed it. There went the negro with the raincoat and a dozen eggs.

The man was taken into custody and arraigned in Police Court Tuesday morning. Judge J. M. DeArmond assessed him a $25 "lesson" on how to leave other folks' property alone.

Rain Showers On Already Wet Area

Rain showers estimated at one-half inch fell in Midland Monday onto ground already wet with 1.25 inches of moisture that fell late Sunday and earlier Monday.

A recording was not available at the City Barn. CAA reported .04 inch of precipitation at Midland Air Terminal during Monday.

'Five Percenter' Witnesses



(NEA Telephotos)

Secretary of Defense Louis A. Johnson, left, as he testified before a Senate Investigating subcommittee, promising his "wholehearted cooperation" to "get rid of those unscrupulous men who prey on both business and government by peddling influence." At right, Paul D. Grindle, president of the Charles W. Lanig Woodworking Corporation of Framingham, Mass., as he told the committee about his relations with James V. Hunt, a Washington, D. C., businessman.

Fred Jones To Die Early Wednesday

HUNTSVILLE—(AP)—W. Fred Jones, saved from the electric chair by a dramatic, last-minute stay of execution Sunday, will make a second trip to the death cell after midnight Tuesday.

The State Board of Pardons and Paroles ruled at Austin Tuesday there will be no further recommendation for clemency.

Early Sunday morning, as Jones reached the death chamber, an order from Gov. Allan Shivers stopped the execution and gave Jones, a Floydada grocer, a three-day stay.

Shivers granted the stay on a report of "new evidence" in the case. The pardons board had recommended the stay.

But the ruling of the board Tuesday said, in effect, that the new evidence failed to materialize.

As the board deliberated, Jones waited calmly in the death cell, bolstered by his religion. He has read the Bible almost constantly during his waking hours.

Jones, 40, a veteran of World War II, was convicted of slaying H. C.

HUNTSVILLE —(AP)— W. Fred Jones, told at noon that he must die in the state prison's electric chair early Wednesday, said:

"My heart goes out with Christian love for everyone. May the will of God be done."

Love, Jr., of Floydada, outside Jones' grocery store in 1946. As a defense, Jones pleaded the "unwritten law."

Former Judge Testifies

Kenneth Bain, former district judge of Floydada, appeared before the pardons board Tuesday and said he wanted to urge two points:

1. That the condemned man was not an outlaw and that this feature

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Pay Roll Tax Hike Gets Nod

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The House Ways and Means Committee agreed Tuesday to increase the social security payroll tax from $1,800,000,000 a year to $2,700,000,000 next year and to about $3,600,000,000 in 1951.

The committee also called for further increases in the taxes in 1960, 1965 and 1970, with the rate reach-inch 3 1/4 per cent as compared with the present one per cent against employer and employe.

The committee at the same time voted to increase by about 70 per cent the old age and survivors benefits of persons already drawing such benefits. This is calculated as a "cost of living" increase.

Increase Is Automatic

These moves, all subject to House and Senate approval, followed Monday's committee approval of other sections of the social security expansion legislation that would add 11,000,000 workers to the 35,000,000 already covered by old age insurance.

The committee's action came in the face of virtual abandonment by Democratic leaders of any hope for final congressional action this year on social security expansion.

One top Democrat told reporters there is little, if any, hope that the legislation will be passed by the Senate before 1950, although a drive will be launched to press it through the House this year.

Regardless of whether Congress acts, the tax will increase from the present one per cent to 1 1/2 per cent against employes' pay and employers' payrolls on January 1.

Crane County Is Redistricted

CRANE—Three precincts of Crane County were affected by redistricting voted at a county commissioners court meeting here Monday.

Only slight variation was made for Precinct 2, which includes the Gulf, Humble and other oil company camps.

Precincts 1, 3 and 4 take in parts of the city of Crane. The county was divided according to population. Precinct 1 includes territory south of the east-west highway.

The redistricting invoked considerable interest here and a tie vote had to be broken by the judge's ballot.

Midland C. Of C. Activities Discussed At Directors Meeting

Midland Chamber of Commerce activities, including highway projects, the proposal for a county park building, the county fair and the annual party honoring school teachers were discussed by directors of the organization at their regular meeting Monday night in Hotel Scharbauer.

The directors decided a barbecue would be staged September 2 for the teachers, Chamber of Commerce members and their families. Jack Jones is chairman of the committee in charge of the arrangements.

To Seek More Funds

President R. D. Scruggs appointed Tom Sealy, vice president, chairman of a committee to seek more operating funds for the Chamber of Commerce by getting members to increase dues and by the addition of members. The purchase of an automobile for the Chamber of Commerce was authorized.

John P. Butler, Highway Committee chairman, reported that all deeds for right-of-way for the Lamesa road had been obtained and that negotiations had started to get the right-of-way fenced. He said he hoped the State Highway Committee would let a contract for paving the road either in August or September. Butler reported "progress" on the underpass project and on the proposal to widen U. S. Highway 80 in East Midland.

Stanley Erskine, Aviation Committee chairman, reported on the trip of a Chamber of Commerce delegation to Austin to attend the Civil Aeronautics Board hearing and express hope that Midland would retain all its air service. He praised the brief and testimony presented by Delbert Downing, Chamber of Commerce manager, at the hearing.

County Commissioners Cooperate

R. L. Miller who heads a special committee on the proposed county park building said Midland County commissioners are cooperating on the project. Miller said petitions would be circulated soon calling for an election so taxpayers may vote on the proposal to issue about $200,000 worth of bonds to erect a large structure which can be used for exhibits, fairs, expositions, entertainments, conventions, conferences and athletic events. Miller said his committee will continue to cooperate closely with the commissioners court.

Dewayne Davis, assistant manager, discussed plans for the annual Midland County Fair September 23 and 24.

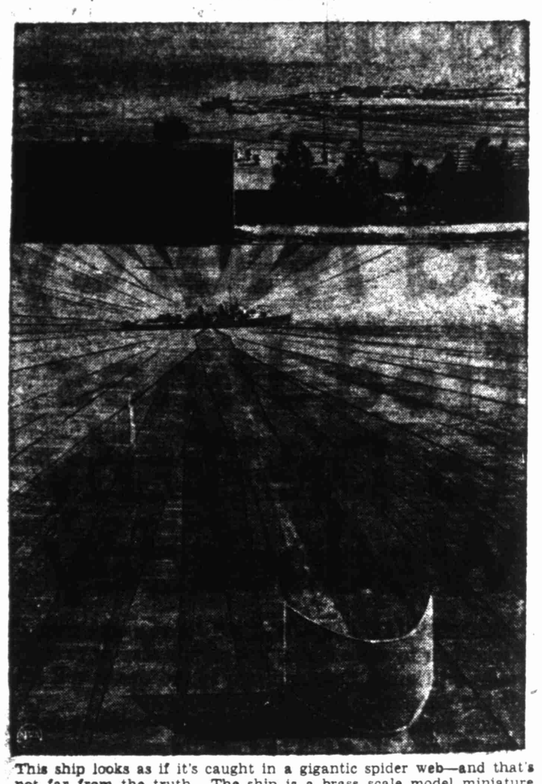
The financial report of the organization was presented by Jack Wicker, treasurer.

County May Obtain Fire-Fighting Unit

The Midland County Commissioners Court Monday afternoon discussed plans for purchase for a fire-fighting unit equipped with a pressure pump.

The equipment would be used in combating grass fires on Midland County ranches.

Enmeshed



This ship looks as if it's caught in a gigantic spider web—and that's not far from the truth. The ship is a brass scale model miniature "long hull" destroyer, whose topside structures are precisely scaled counterparts of those on full-sized naval vessels. The "web" in which it is apparently caught is a mesh of hardware cloth, mounted on a turntable. The set-up is used by the U. S. Navy Electronics Laboratory at San Diego, Calif., in investigating radiation characteristics of shipboard radio antennas. The hardware cloth simulates the conductivity of the ocean at regular communications frequencies.

Confessions Of Engel, The Romantic Swindler

By SIGMUND SAMUEL ENGEL
As Told To Elgar Brown
(Copyright, 1949, Chicago Herald-American)

I have declared this field day for skeptical readers.

Folks who insist my heart is filled with greed instead of romance will dismiss the present narrative as a whopping lie. But I've been called a liar in several languages and when the abuse ceases I'll feel I'm definitely slipping.

I had left Austria to escape the oppressive demands of the Baroness Hochrat Lichtenstein, whose generosity matched her massive bulk but who was very exacting. Too, there was the distressing incident of two admirers swallowed by the Blue Danube.

And my next adventure along the route of the first world tour I ever undertook—a rigid training course for my life career of injecting romance into the prosaic lives of lonely women—was staged in the harem of the Turkish sultan.

That in itself is enough to consign the episode to the fiction category in the minds of most modern-day Americans, who don't really believe harems ever existed outside the Arabian Nights dream-world.

Invades Turkey

They did, though. Invading Turkey and heading straight for old Constantinople, now Istanbul, I learned that one seeking adventure and daring to live fully can get embroiled in situations truly incredible.

You'll remember that I was traveling under slightly false pretenses as a sort of roving ambassador—armed with a perfectly legitimate diplomatic passport supplied by a broad-minded attache friend.

As usual, I went to the Austro-Hungarian Embassy, where I invariably got a heart-warming welcome. In due time I was presented to the diplomatic corps of other nations, particularly striking it off with a German envoy.

My knowledge of a half-dozen tongues, gained during study at the University of California, was useful. One day to my German pal I popped the $64 question.

"What kind of bird is this sultan, old pasha, or whatever his name is? And what kind of babes does he maintain in that storied harem of his?"

Herr Wieland, my diplomatic friend, eyed me in quiet amusement.

"As I understand it, he finally said, "you wish to see the—or—girls?"

Nods Eagerly

This was a break I hadn't dare imagine. I nodded eagerly. There were two solid days of arranging; then I was taken to the palace and presented at court.

I didn't go much for the pasha, and I'm sure the feeling was mutual. He stared at me in mild interest, probably because I wasn't equipped with baggy pants.

I hadn't seen any such pants as those gents in Constantinople wore since the days when a Turkish acrobatic troupe used to open the show on the Orpheum Circuit.

My chat with his nibs was a lot of nothing, working as we were with an interpreter. Presently he called it all off and courteously turned me over to the tender mercy of a slick, suave, oil secretary. Then I learned the good news.

I was to be shown through the sultan's own harem. It was a layout that extended for many acres along Mecca Ave., not far from the palace and adjacent to Mecca gardens, a fairyland of floral beauty.

We had to pass first through these gardens, Wieland tagging the secretary and I tagging Wieland. I think that Turk showed us every bud in the place before Wieland made a tactful remark in Turkish. He told me later he had said:

"Our American friend does not wish to see the flowers. He wishes to see the—er—ladies."

Enters Harem Grounds

Secretary Abdul (all Turks are Abdul to an ex-vaudevillian) raised his eyebrows fleetingly and then bowed. His face again became an inscrutable mask. He turned sharply and we entered the harem grounds.

On a scale more colorful and exotic than anything I can describe, they looked like a combination of a carnival lot, a California park and a modern motor court.

There were a large number of small, exquisitely appointed cottages, scattered with artistic carelessness as far as I could see. Each was a tiny pastel-tinted jewel. Each was adorned with immaculate lawns, shrubs, flower beds and awnings.

"These are the odas," whispered my friend, and I nodded wisely.

Oh yes, I'm forgetting something very important. Each oda, or cottage, was also adorned with an immense, muscular and sometimes flabby sentinel, standing rigidly at attention in front and shouldering a huge, evil half-moon sword.

The swords, I noted uneasily, were unsheathed and the steel glistened in the bright sunshine.

"Eunuchs," breathed Herr Wieland. Again I nodded, inspecting with renewed interest a type of character which I had never met formally.

Pungent Perfumes

As we strolled through the grounds dotted with trees and gorgeous fountains and caged birds of odd form and splashed with dazzling colors, my nostrils were overwhelmed by a variety of the most pungent perfumes I ever encountered.

These oriental aromas were almost hypnotic in effect. They were something out of this world, and I was already walking on clouds when we entered an oda and met the first of many beautiful, shapely and mystically attired women.

We moved swiftly from one cottage to another, given only a brief peek at each alluring occupant, who invariably arose from the floor and bowed low. These gals seemed to come from every land; the variety of their beauty was infinite.

We couldn't enjoy all of their charms, to be sure, since each was heavily veiled from just below the eyes. But those eyes! What stories they told; what melancholy reflections; what invitations they silently extended.

Talk about my search for lonely women! Here I had hit the jackpot—and found myself strictly out of quarters.

'Most Gorgeous Woman'

I became almost sated with feminine beauty, but not quite. In a certain oda stood the most gorgeous woman I ever saw, and this one didn't remain mute. She began to babble immediately—and to my surprise she spoke perfect English.

"You are American," she said to me, excitedly. "I would speak with you."

I glanced doubtfully at Herr Wieland, who could fix anything. He justified my faith; he locked arms with Secretary Abdul and proposed a nice little walk.

We stood alone, the babe and I. On the threshold stood a fat eunuch.

"He knows no English," she said impatiently, and her jeweled hand fell on my arm. "Oh, it's so wonderful to meet a clean-shaven, handsome young American! Oh, I'm so lonely and unhappy! Oh, you could help me get away—"

"Hey!" I cautioned. The great lover wasn't warming up to his role. I could have taken her in my arms then and there.

Instead, I cast about furtively for spies behind screens or eyes peering through peepholes or shotguns behind sliding door panels. In a later era I would have thought first of dictaphones. Surely that sultan guarded his property!

Babe Prattled On

"It can be done," the babe was prattling on. "Each day we are allowed to stroll through Mecca Gardens, alone and unwatched. Tomorrow I shall meet you here and we can plan our elopement. Will you be there? Will you help?"

I nodded dumbly. I had a million questions. Who was she? How'd she ever get here? Where would we go? They went unasked; my companions suddenly appeared.

Her pleading eyes were on me as we left. I nodded again. Some wild, fantastic thoughts came to me. But after a few steps outside, a measure of reason returned, being the most fearsome thought of all.

Suddenly I strode back to the fat eunuch, shouldering his half-moon sword at the babe's doorstep. While he watched in utter astonishment, I reached up and placed an exploratory finger on the edge of that shining steel blade.

It was so keen an edge that the slightest pressure broke my skin. I nodded in grim confirmation of my fears. I left Constantinople the next day, not trusting myself to remain. I never saw the babe again—save in my dreams.

(In Tokyo, last stop on his world tour before returning to "comfort" American women, Engel digs up more admirers, more excitement, more profit. Details in the next installment.)

Battleship Power Rejected By Perth

PERTH, AUSTRALIA— (AP) — Perth almost got the old British battleship Royal Sovereign. 30,000 tons, to keep the city's lights burning. However, the cost was too great.

Perth needs a new power station, and this will not be finished until next year. The city also has had blackouts because of the Australian coal miners' strike.

The price for the Royal Sovereign was $565,000, plus $226,000 for towing to Perth. The state government thought over the idea, then decided against it.

As of January, 1949, the American steel industry had an annual capacity of 96,000,000 tons of steel ingots and castings.

Jimmy Stewart To Wed Gloria McLean At 5 P. M. Tuesday

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD — (AP) — Jimmy Stewart Tuesday weds the girl who "used to cut out his pictures as a kid."

At 5 p. m., Hollywood's most famous bachelor will marry Gloria Hatrick McLean in Brentwood Presbyterian Church. The wedding will be small and—the shy actor hopes—quiet.

The pair was shopping Tuesday and winding up details for an extended honeymoon. Wedding plans were completed last week.

The single-ring wedding ceremony was rehearsed last Wednesday before Rev. Dean Osterberg of the Brentwood Church, which is near Santa Monica. The only attendants are Mrs. Gregg Draddy, the bride's sister, and film talent scout Billy Grady, best man.

Grady brought Stewart to Hollywood.

Gregg Draddy, Larchmont, N. Y., manufacturer, gives the bride away in the absence of her father, Ed Hatrick, Hearst newsreel executive, who is ill in Colorado Springs, Colo. Mrs. Hatrick recently had an operation in New York.

'It's Jimmy's Show'

The bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Stewart, arrived over the weekend from Indiana, Pa., where he operates a hardware store. They begged off interviews, saying "It's Jimmy's show," but they obviously were delighted about their son's wedding.

Over the weekend, Stewart said farewell to his male cronies at a stag which offered the only Hollywood touch to the nuptials. Gagsters had seven big searchlights brightening the sky above Chasen's Restaurant. A large sign advertised: "James Stewart, actor. Positively last appearance."

Stewart recently was asked why he chose Mrs. McLean after 15 years of Hollywood dating. His answer: "Of all the girls I have gone with, she is the only one I felt I couldn't live without."

As for Gloria, she said she has been a Stewart fan "since I was a kid." The socialite said she "used to cut out his pictures as a kid."

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SIDE GLANCES



"I ought to see a few more ball games before school starts—the teacher probably will ask us to write about the important events in our vacation!"

Nation's Crude Oil Production Increases

TULSA, OKLA.—(AP)—The country's crude oil production turned upward in the week ended August 6, showing a daily average increase of 5,120 barrels, the Oil and Gas Journal reported Tuesday.

Total daily average production for the week, the Journal said, was 4,678,520 barrels.

Texas, the largest producing state, showed the biggest gain—up 33,200 barrels to 1,838,200 barrels.

Other increases were in the Eastern area, up 850 barrels to 59,850; Kentucky, up 600 to 24,000; Illinois, 5,600 to 184,000; Oklahoma, 2,500 to 278,000, and Louisiana, 840 to 474,590.

Indiana's production gained 500 barrels to 29,000, Alabama rose 50 to 1,250, Arkansas added 280 to 72,830, and Utah was up 50 to 1,050.

The principal decline was in Kansas, which had its lowest production figure in several years at 225,100 barrels, a drop of 18,550 barrels.

Other losses were New Mexico, off 11,175 barrels to 125,125; Montana, 1,050 to 26,750; Wyoming, 2,500 to 127,000, and California, 4,100 to 900,300.

Michigan was down 900 barrels to 48,100, Florida was off 75 to 1,275, Mississippi fell 950 to 96,150, and Nebraska declined 50 to 550.

Colorado's production was unchanged at 65,000 barrels.

Texas-Illinois Gas Project Abandoned

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A $119,000,000 project for a natural gas pipe line from Texas to Illinois has been dropped from the Federal Power Commission's books.

The 1,184-mile project died Monday.

Gulf Coast Northern Gas Company, Tulsa, Okla., applied last August 27 for authority to build the line.

The commission said Gulf Coast reported in May it did not intend to continue with the project as filed, but was negotiating for the sale of gas to other companies.

The average American normally eats about 12 pounds of butter a year, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

San Antonio Group To Ask Bus Franchise As Strike Continues

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—A group of San Antonio citizens was due to ask for a city-wide bus franchise Tuesday as their answer to the bus strike which has tied up transportation more than a week.

The San Antonio Transit Company and union officials announced Monday after a three-hour-long conference that they had reached no agreement.

Federal Mediator Walter White said no date was set for another meeting.

Earlier, former City Attorney T. D. Cobbs said a group of local citizens would apply for a city-wide franchise to operate a new bus system.

He said the group estimated it could begin operating within 60 to 90 days after permission is granted.

COMMUNISTS SENTENCED

ATHENS —(AP)— Twenty-three Communists, including Brigadier Badekos and his wife, were sentenced to death by two courts martial Monday. They were accused of responsibility for 101 killings.

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Government Case Against Tokyo Rose Nears End

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—The government expects to conclude its treason case against Tokyo Rose this week.

Prosecutor Tom De Wolfe said some of the government's 38 remaining witnesses may not testify against the defendant, Mrs. Iva Toguri D'Aquino.

Mrs. D'Aquino, who was born in Los Angeles and went to Japan shortly before World War II, is accused of treason by broadcasting from radio Tokyo to lower morale of American troops in the Pacific. The government says she was the wartime Tokyo Rose.

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Midland Art Center Ceramics Class To Meet Tuesday

A ceramics class will meet in the Midland Art Center at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday. Instruction will be given by Tommie Thompson and Bonny Bogardus. A demonstration of a ceramics method will be given and clay will be there for those who wish to buy it.

The ceramics class is open to anyone wishing to come and is not confined to members of the Art Center.

The regular Thursday classes in portrait, landscape and still life painting will be held this week and also are open to anyone interested in any type of art work.

Mrs. Paul Goodlett Is Honored At Coffee

Mrs. Paul Goodlett, who is moving to San Angelo, was honored Saturday morning with a coffee given in the home of Mrs. Bob Moser, 908 West Washington Street. The honoree was presented a gift.

Attending were Mrs. Clyde Lindsley, Mrs. Jerry Hughes, Mrs. Charles Aiken, Mrs. Roy Martin, Mrs. Bert Stringer, Mrs. W. A. Simpson, Mrs. R. E. Tomlin, Mrs. H. E. Washam and Mrs. E. C. Samford.

WILL RETURN TO MIDLAND

Mrs. Anton Theis will return to Midland Tuesday after spending some time in Temple.

★ WE, THE WOMEN ★



Here's New Handbook For Husband Hunters

By RUTH MILLETT
NEA Staff Writer

The first question a young woman who wants to get married ought to ask herself is: "Why am I single?'

If she needs help in figuring out the answer to that one, she may possibly find it in a new book compiled by Hilda Holland, "Why Are You Single?" In this book medical and other authorities on marriage discuss the various reasons why 29,000,000 people of marriageable age in the United States are single.

Once she has figured out why she's single, then she's ready for the last chapter of the book, "Why be single?" and its suggestions for improving her personality and her attitude toward others so that she will be attractive to the right man if he comes along.

Here are some of the suggestions included in the helpful last chapter:

Become a good conversationalist.

Recognize and compliment others' good qualities.

Go out of your way to do little favors.

Hold on to old friends and make new ones of both sexes.

Dress neatly and appropriately.

Pay close attention to personal hygiene.

Get rid of any peculiar mannerisms.

Rid yourself of habits that annoy others.

Learn to dance, to play games, to enjoy sports.

Know what etiquette requires and observe it.

Develop a hobby that interests others.

Join several organizations and take part in their activities.

Inventory yourself every three months to see how you can be more attractive.

When you know something is wrong, do something about it now.

That may strike you as a formidable list at first glance. But when you start checking yourself by it, it may not be so tough since you've probably already mastered a good man of the suggestions.

Then all you've got to do is concentrate on the points where you are weak. Good luck and good hunting to the new YOU.

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Coming Events

WEDNESDAY

The Boone Bible Class of the First Methodist Church will have a coke party in the home of Mrs. E. Birkhead, 1801 West Tennessee Street, at 9:30 a.m.

Parish Workers of Grace Lutheran Church will meet at 1:30 p.m. in the church.

First Methodist Church choir will rehearse at 7:15 p.m.

Boy Scouts will meet in the First Methodist Church at 7:30 p.m.

First Baptist Church superintendents' meeting will be at 7 p.m.

Teachers and officers' meeting of the First Baptist Church will be at 7:15 p.m.

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THURSDAY

The Palette Club studios will be open all day for members who wish to paint and a pot-luck luncheon will be served at noon. A night session will be held also.

Midland High School band will practice at 7:30 p.m. in the Band Hall.

First Baptist Church Men's Prayer Meeting and breakfast will be at 7:15 a.m.

La Merienda Club will meet at 1:30 p. m. in the Ranch House, Mrs. Jesse A. Rogers and Mrs. Jess V. Lindsey will be hostesses.

Men of the Church of the First Presbyterian Church will meet for supper at 6:30 p. m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Board of Deacons of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 8 p. m. in the Church Parlor.

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FRIDAY

Midland High School Band will practice at 6:30 p.m. in the Band Hall.

The Do-Si-Do Square Dance Club will meet in the Midland Officers Club at 8 p. m.

The Sash-Away Square Dance Club will meet in the American Legion Hall at 8 p.m.

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SATURDAY

The Children's Story Hour will begin at 10:30 a.m. in the Children's Room of the Midland County Library.

Luncheon Fetes Patsy Parkey In Ranch House

Complimenting Patsy Parkey, bride-elect of John Warren Skrabanek, the employes of the Union Oil Company office in which she works gave a luncheon in the Ranch House Monday.

Miss Parkey will be married at 5:30 p.m. August 13 in the Little Chapel-in-the-Woods on the campus of Texas State College For Women, Denton.

The table was centered with a pottery vase of ivy, a gift to the bride-elect.

Guests Included

Those attending were Mrs. J. D. Kveton, Mrs. Lee Miller, Mrs. F. A. Gamble, Mrs. Ann Little, Louise Lemley, Jo Bennett and Anita Tindle.

A miscellaneous shower was given the bride-elect Friday in the Harmony Club Room in Floydada, her home town.

The receiving line included Mrs D. J. Parkey, mother of the bride-elect, the bride-elect, Mrs. Donald Finkner, Mrs. Rae Thornton, and Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass.

Corsage Of Gladiolus

The honoree was presented a corsage of gladiolus and her mother, a corsage of red roses. Members of the house party wore corsages of rose dahlias.

The table was set with a white damask cloth with blue streamers.

Approximately 35 persons attended or sent gifts.

Live In Midland

Miss Parkey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Parkey of Floydada, and Skrabanek, the son of J. W. Skrabanek of Austin. He is employed by Associated Engineers as a geologist. She is employed by the Union Oil Company of California. They will live at 507 North A Street after a wedding trip to Eagle Nest Lake.

ATTENDS FATHER'S FUNERAL

D. E. Hoover, 1203 West Kentucky Street, returned Sunday from Proctor, where he attended the funeral services of his father, H. M. Hoover, Friday. His father died Wednesday night.

Extra Performance Of "The Drunkard" Is Saturday Night

"The Drunkard" will be presented again Saturday in the American Legion Hall at 8:20 p.m., Bill Pennebaker, general production manager, announced Tuesday.

This performance was not scheduled originally and is being presented because of the good response in attendance for the two weekends that it was presented.

Art Cole, Patricia Pryor, Norris Creath and Lew Hoey will play their leading roles in the production again; however there will be some changes in the original cast for the play and olios.

Tickets for this Nineteenth Century melodrama may be purchased at Taylorfine, Inc., for $1.20 any time Thursday or after. Tables my be reserved for $1.50.

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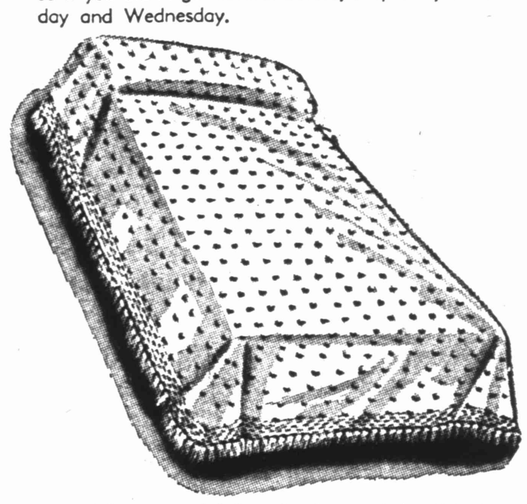
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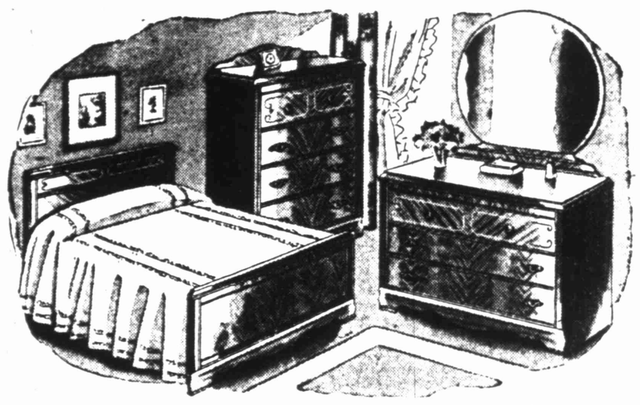


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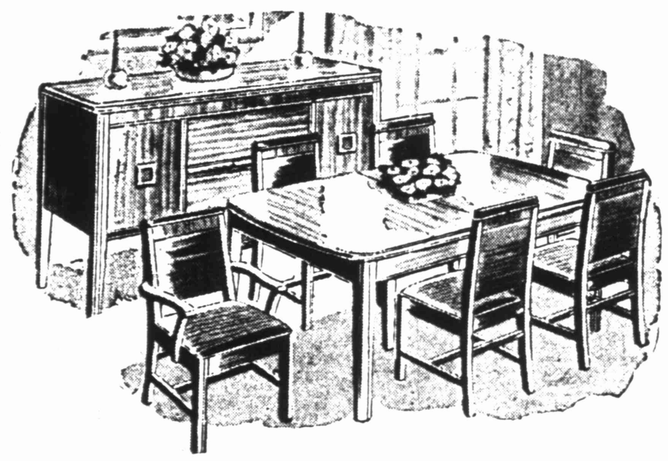
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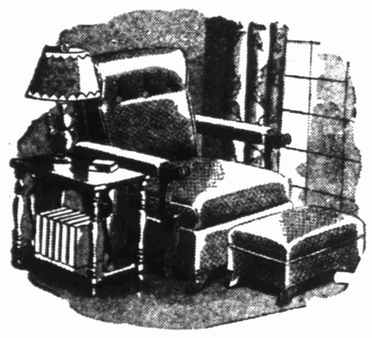


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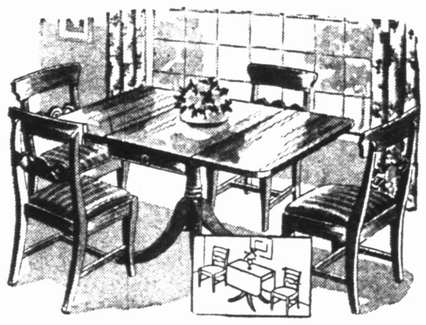
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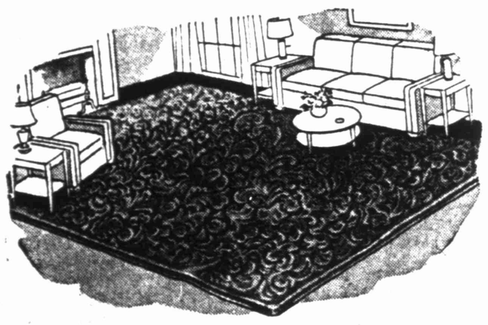
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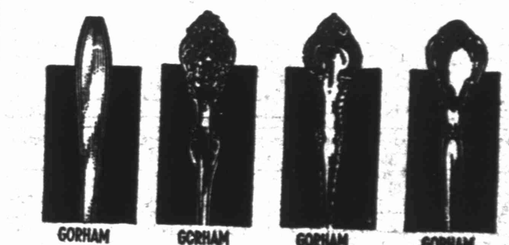
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Labor's Immaturity

No competent observer in Washington looks for a new big push against the Taft-Hartley labor law until 1951.

From the viewpoint of all concerned, labor's decision to wait until after the 1950 elections seems unfortunate.

It reflects a basic lack of maturity in the outlook of labor leaders toward the society they live in. And it casts more than a little doubt on their sincerity.

Admittedly the Taft bill passed by the Senate as a substitute for Taft-Hartley fell far short of the legislation labor wanted. Yet it did represent an honest effort by Senator Taft to meet many of labor's objections to the original law.

Gains are gains. If you earnestly want them, you take them when they come, however small they may be.

* * *

Under our democratic system, if you think a law is bad, you can fight for its repeal or its amendment. It is logical to suppose that if you cannot get repeal, you'll take amendment, at least as a steppingstone in the right direction.

But our labor leaders do not accept this feature of the democratic process. In the case of Taft-Hartley, they want repeal or nothing.

They would rather have nothing than something because they believe repeal of the Taft-Hartley act is a better 1950 political issue than a sweetened version like the present Taft bill.

It is in their refusal to endorse anything less than their full objectives that labor leaders show the immaturity that has marked their whole approach to labor problems.

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In the whole long record of testimony leading up to and beyond the Taft-Hartley law, there is no real evidence that labor officials recognize they have duties and responsibilities as well as rights and privileges.

They have consistently declined to admit anything serious possibly could be wrong in labor's household. They have insisted upon freedom from restraints of law and order that are imposed on all other segments in society.

This juvenile demand for special treatment, for exemption from responsibility toward the public, is at the root of labor's decision to put off further legislative effort until 1951.

But if unions expect to fare better than they did this year they are going to have to grow up fast. And that means devising a positive program that faces the realities they have so persistently shrugged off.

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18 Symbol for tellurium
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25 Pitcher
27 Art (Latin)
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30 Companion
31 Son of Seth
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35 Three times (comb. form)
36 Belongs to it
37 I am (contr.)
38 Insect
41 Street (ab.)
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44 Brazilian macaw
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Test Of Fitness





DREW PEARSON ON The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

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More than 350 new lobbyists register; Showdown on federal aid-to-education bill produced fireworks.

WASHINGTON—The Democrats seem to have forgotten how they used to berate the lobby-ridden, Republican 80th Congress and what they promised they would do to lobbyists once they came into power.

In contrast the 81st Congress is now swarming with more lobbyists than ever, and the much ballyhooed bill to investigate lobbyists is still stuck in the Judiciary Committee.

Holding up the lobby investigation are two senators who publicly claim to be for it. One is Senator Alexander Wiley, Wisconsin Republican, who officially voted for the lobby probe, but unofficially did his best to block it.

"If this goes through," Wiley once blurted out, "we might have to investigate my son."

He referred to Marshall A. Wiley of Chippewa Falls, Wis., who journeys to Washington to work for the dairy interests. Not considering himself a lobbyists, young Wiley has never bothered to register, but because of his father, gets extra entree.

But the man really blocking the lobby probe is Senator Pat McCarran of Nevada, faithful friend of the lobbyists, who has resorted to the subtle strategy of insisting that his Judiciary Committee do the investigating. This will give him veto power over who should be investigated and what should be done about them.

And since the House has already passed a bill providing for a joint congressional committee to investigate lobbyists, McCarrans, obstinacy may mean no lobby investigation at all. Arizon's Senator Carl Hayden of the Rules Committee is trying to talk McCarran into going along with the House version but that would take the investigation out of McCarran's hands where he could not protect his lobbyists-friends.

As a result of this stalemate, the lobbyists are multiplying like flies.

NOTE: More than 350 new lobbyists have been added to the registration rolls since the Democrats came into power. That isn't counting all those who still haven't come out into the open, but pull strings and influence votes without registering as lobbyists. Of 1,600 who have registered fewer than 150 have dropped out.

Battle Over Education

The House Labor Committee's closed-door showdown on the religion-laden federal aid-to-education bill produced the expected fireworks—and then some.

Committee members shouted, ranted, fumed, glared and even threatened each other as Chairman John Lesinski of Michigan, a Catholic representing Detroit's Polish suburbs, used every move in the congressional book to block the bill.

However, there was one beneficial result. It now is possible to call the roll of the friends and foes of aid to education—as a result of a motion by Boston's young Representative John Kennedy to postpone all school legislation until next January. Kennedy's motion was voted down, but here's how the committee lined up behind closed doors:

AGAINST KILLING all school-aid legislation during this session (13) — Representatives Sims of South Carolina, Perkins of Kentucky, Bailey of West Virginia, Irving of Missouri, Jacobs of Indiana, Steed of Oklahoma, Barden of North Carolina, Powell of New York, Wier of Minnesota, Wood of Georgia, Howell of New Jersey, all Democrats and Morton of Kentucky and Kearns of Pennsylvania, Republicans.

FOR KILLING all aid to education (12)—Representatives Lesinski, Kennedy, Kelley of Pennsylvania, Lucas of Texas, Democrats; and Burke of Ohio, McConnell of Pennsylvania, Gwinn of New York, Smith of Kansas, Nixon of California, Werdel of California, Brehm of Ohio and Velde of Illinois.

Lesinski Filibusters

Lesinski at first tried to filibuster the meeting by refusing to call it to order. Though 22 members of the 25-man committee were present—nine more than quorum—the Michigander strangely insisted that all 25 members be present. He was thus able to stall 35 minutes before the full membership showed up.

Pennsylvania's McConnell, the ranking committee Republican, raised no objections. In fact, he seemed well satisfied with Lesinski's filibustering and whispered privately to colleagues that he favored postponing action on the school bill because it was "too hot to handle."

However, others protested vigorously, including Indiana's Jacobs, a Catholic, who believes in the school-aid program. And when Lesinski tried to resume his filibuster even after the meeting began, Jacobs raised a point of order against him.

Lesinski overruled this, but ran into a fresh attack from South Carolina's Sims, a paratroop hero in the last war.

"Your actions are outrageous," charged Sims. "You've done everything you can to prevent consideration of this legislation to help our schools and our teachers. What's worse, you have denied supporters of the legislation the democratic right to be heard because you are against it."

Declared Perkins of Kentucky: "If you mess up this effort to help our schools, I'll feel like wringing your neck."

There was a smile on Perkins' face when he said this, but no joviality in his voice.

Though Lesinski was slow to start the tempestuous meeting, he was quick to end it when colleagues pressed him to set another meeting to reconsider the education bill.

Ignoring these demands, he shouted: "It's 12 o'clock. The House is in session and it is therefore against the rules for us to continue this meeting."

Keeping Record Straight

Actually, the clock on the wall read 11:47, so Lesinski had 13 minutes—plenty of time to entertain a motion before the House convened. However, he sat stubbornly silent though Representatives Sims, Steed, Wier, Perkins and Bailey were all on their feet requesting that a date be set for a subsequent meeting.

This column was in error in recently reporting that Herbert Lehman, long-time governor of New York, hoped to be the first Jew "elected" to the Senate. Further research discloses that the first Jew to sit in the Senate was Judah P. Benjamin of Louisiana, elected in 1848 and serving until 1861, when, with the outbreak of the Civil War, he withdrew to become secretary of war in the Confederate cabinet. After the war he fled to England, where he died.

Another Jewish senator, David Yulee was elected from Florida in 1853 and also served until the outbreak of the Civil War. Both Yulee and Benjamin, incidentally, were born in the Virgin Islands. Other Jewish senators include Joseph Simon, Oregon Republican, who took his seat in 1898; Simon Guggenheim, Colorado Republican, 1907; and Isidor Raynor of Maryland, 1905.

Newfoundland consists of the island of that name (42,734 square miles) and Labrador (112,000 square miles).

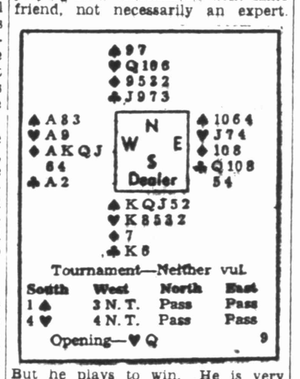
McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. McKEENEY
America's Card Authority
Written for NEA Service

Today's hand was given to me by Ambrose Casner, one of the life masters of New York. Casner has a heart of gold and is one of the first to help support every children's charity drive.

The musical world knows him for his association with music since the early days of radio. His sentiments also are well expressed on the Christmas cards he manufactures and sells.

Now that Casner has become a life master, you generally find him playing in a tournament with some friend, not necessarily an expert.



But he plays to win. He is very strong in expressing to his partners the necessity of watching every little thing, during the bidding and the play of the hand.

Today's hand does not have the necessary two and one-half tricks for an opening bid. Under the point-count system it has only a count of 12, 13 being required. But it is a two major suit hand and, therefore, should be opened. West's first thought is, is South on a psychic? A double by West might prove unprofitable.

Casner's recommendation is that West should jump to three no trump. He practically has nine tricks in his own hand. When South bids four hearts, West knows that South is bidding a two-suit hand. It is now a close question whether West should double or bid four no trump. Casner bid four no trump.

The opening lead of the queen of hearts was won with the ace. The six diamond tricks were cashed. South had to bare down to the king-queen of spades, king-eight of hearts and the king-six of clubs. The ace of spades was cashed and South was thrown in with a spade. He was end-played for the opponents' needed 10th trick.

Tragedy Strikes Twice At House

SAN ANGELO—Oscar M. White, 62, was found dead Monday afternoon in the garden of his home at 1417 North Street here.

It was the second time in less than a week that tragedy had struck at the white frame house. Last Tuesday the body of Mrs. Era Crosan, 36, a daughter, was found hanging in a clothes closet.

White's death apparently was from natural causes. Justice Tom Cassaway said he would return an inquest verdict of death due to a heart attack.

Dallas Woman Heads Historical Commission

AUSTIN—(AP)—The new chairman of the Texas State Library and Historical Commission is Mrs. Herbert Gambrell of Dallas.

Mrs. Gambrell was elected at a meeting of the commission here Monday. Other new officers are John Gould of Wichita Falls, vice chairman, and the Rev. Edmund Heinsohn of Austin.

Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., has the largest endowment of any American university, with a total of $150,336,498.

Questions and Answers

Q—Which is the oldest state university in the country?

A—The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. It was provided for in the state constitution of 1776 and the cornerstone of the Old East Building was laid in 1793.

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Q—What famous peace conference was once held on Staten Island?

A—In 1776 three Americans, Benjamin Franklin, John Adams and Edward Rutledge, held an informal conference with the British Admiral Lord Howe and rejected the peace terms he offered because they did not recognise the independence of America.

Q—In what magazine was the "Battle Hymn of the Republic" by Julia Ward Howe first published?

A—The poem was first published in the Atlantic Monthly, but received little attention until an Army chaplain who returned from a southern prison told how he and his comrades had sung it there.

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Q—What is the difference between the harvest and the hunter's moon?

A—The harvest moon is the moon fulling nearest Sept. 23. The hunter's moon is the October full moon.

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Q—Is the skunk of any help to the farmer?

A—The striped skunk is a big help to farmers. It destroys mice and digs out beetles and their larvae. Skunks also eat many grasshoppers and crickets.

Woman Goes To Trial In Alleged Poisoning

QUITMAN, TEXAS—(AP)—Selection of jury in the murder trial of Mrs. Jewel Rogers started here Tuesday.

Monday Judge T. C. Chadick overruled ten defense motions, including one to quash the indictment because no women were on the grand jury.

Mrs. Rogers, mother of three children, is charged with forcing Mrs. Viola Gilbreath to take poison, at the point of a gun. The alleged poisoning occurred following a scuffle on a Mineola, Texas street. Mrs. Gilbreath died several hours later.



★ THE DOCTOR SAYS ★

Accurate Diagnosis Vital When Disease Affects Nails

By EDWIN F. JORDAN, M. D.
Written for NEA Service

There are many diseases which affect the toenails or the fingernails or both. Some conditions which attack the skin primarily, such as psoriasis and ringworm, also often involve the nails.

There are several disorders which cause the nails to become loose, ridged, dull in color, or deformed which do not seem to be related either to the diseases of the skin or to any other general condition of the body.

One such disease comes from inflammation around the base of the nail. In this condition the soft tissue near the nail root becomes enlarged and sensitive. This is a form of inflammation in the sensitive tissues which is commonly called whitlow.

It often causes the nails to become ridged and sometimes to separate completely and fall off. In the severest cases, the nail may have to be removed before the infection can be cleared up.

Nail Splitting

Sometimes the nails tend to split for no apparent reason. Ringworm can affect the nails and may be difficult to cure. Psoriasis is another skin disease which may affect the nails and cause them to become pitted and deformed. White points, spots, streaks, or bands can appear in the nails.

The nails of either hands or feet can become thickened. With thickening, the nails become dull colored and are often ridged or furrowed. In some cases thick, honry outgrowths can appear.

There are many possible causes for such thickening. Irritation from neglect, dirt, or poorly fitting shoes or gloves may be responsible. Certain diseases of the glands of internal secretion which produce hormones are sometimes at fault.

Diseases of the nails require accurate diagnosis. In such diseases as psoriasis, ringworm or eczema of the nails, treatment has to be aimed at the particular disease responsible.

In most of the other conditions, the cause is likely to be associated with some general condition such as poor diet, a wasting disease, or something else far distant from the nails themselves. When this is the case local treatment is not enough, but the distant cause must be identified if possible and treated according to what is found.

THE DOCTOR ANSWERS
By EDWIN F. JORDAN, M. D.

QUESTION: What is the medical name for the operation for removal of both ovaries, both fallopian tubes, and the uterus?

ANSWER: Panhysterosalpingo-oophorectomy.

So they say

I feel certain that the Atlantic Pact will contribute to world peace. The fact that an aggressor would be confronted by the combined efforts of those 12 nations should be consider attacking any one of them, should exert a powerful deterrent effect.

—George C. Marshall, former Secretary of State.

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The world is tired of political fanaticism . . . men who want to live together in peace. The kind of peace we seek cannot be won at a single stroke or by a single nation.

—President Truman.

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American foreign policy (is) a mirror image of Russian foreign policy; whatever the Russians did, we did in reverse.

—Archibald MacLeish, former assistant secretary of State and former librarian of Congress.

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Every church has its own right to its own history. But one thing is necessary—that we find ourselves all tied together in our Christian faith. That is the future of Protestantism in the world.

—Dr. Albert Schweitzer, famed scholar and theologian.

Steps to the Moon

By Adelaide Humphries

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THE STORY: Gaynel Teare, who is waiting in a cocktail lounge to meet a young gentleman acquaintance Barry Bainbridge, is suddenly confronted by a young man who attempts to pick her up. His attempts almost lead to his being thrown out, but the young man, whose name is Fritz, leaves a dollar bill with Gaynel and tells her he'll be at the elevators later. To return the money, Gaynel goes to the elevators and the young man takes Gaynel back to the lounge—the same table as before. Gaynel says Fritz is outrageous, but can do nothing about it.

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ARMAND'S mustachios quivered, but he clicked his heels and took himself off.

"There you are!" The young man's grin was triumphant, as he shook hands with himself. "Armand now has me down as the old family restrainer. Or will have, if you tell me quickly, before he attacks us again what I'm to call you, Madome."

"I'm Gaynel Teare."

"Funny little name," he commented in such a way that she knew, for him, it held no further significance. "Fits you, though. Gay tears. I'll wager you are a gay person—if you'd let yourself go. . . . So that's where you've been keeping yourself!" He achieved a quick transition, as Armand charged down on them, carrying his tray as though it were a shield and sword. "T-tut! While I was risking my hide, spearing sharks in the wilds of Africa.

"That's my good man," beaming condescendingly as Armand made a rite of pouring the drink, and "T-tut . . . that will do!" as he spurted soda into the other glass. "That will do nicely, thank you. That will be all."

Armand did not agree with him, however. He clicked his heels, bowing from his waist, presented the check.

The young man raised pained eyebrows. "Pay-enter service, eh?" He gave Armand a wheedling grin, but as it brought forth no response, "Ah, well . . ." He dug in his pockets, frowning thoughtfully; then, his look brightening, reached across and plucked the crumpled bill from Gaynel's hand.

He placed it on Armand's tray, waved him away with a baronial flourish. "Take it away. Keep it. It's all yours, my good man."

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GAYNEL composed her face into a severe expression. "Poor Armand," she said. "He's really a very efficient waiter. Don't you think you rubbed it in a bit thick?"

"Armand's thickness must excel the rhino's," the young man returned. "What about my sensitive nature? Practically being evicted on my ear. But," he leaned on elbows to give her the benefit of his full regard, "you have me wrong. Waiters are my boon buddies. Did anyone ever tell you," he added abruptly, "what big eyes you have? But of course they have." He shook his head. "I see I must find another method of approach."

She said, "Must there be an approach?"

"Not unless you insist. Myself, I always prefer to skip the preliminaries."

"Yet beginnings are always the nicest."

"You admit a beginning, then!" He thrust out his chest, wagged his head. "Don't get ruffed!" He put up a hand in protest. "You're even prettier when you color up like that. And to think it's the kind that doesn't come off! Shades of my Great-aunt Sadie Shackes."

"By the way," he said, after he had taken a healthy swallow from his glass, "I can present credentials, really I can." He drew forth a worn, thin wallet—Barry's was always bulky with bills—took out a bunch of cards rather the worse for wear. "See here." He spread them out on the table. "This one's my driver's license, proving I'm over the three-cornered-pant stage. This one makes me a full-fledged sheriff in a certain county on a certain day. This is my press pass, permitting . . ."

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GAYNEL held up her hand now in protest. "Armand will be suspicious. He's still got an eye on us. So you're a newspaper man. T-tut!" She shook her head in imitation of him. "I might have known," she said.

He made a face. "Meaning that you subscribe to the well-worn legend that all newspaper men are habitual drunks and no-accounts. That they have been endowed with only one ambition — to do The Great American Epic. That they are perpetual borrowers, lousy fabricators, enemies of widows and orphans . . ."

"I don't!" Gaynel was slightly indignant. "Though I do think they've been allotted their full share of brass."

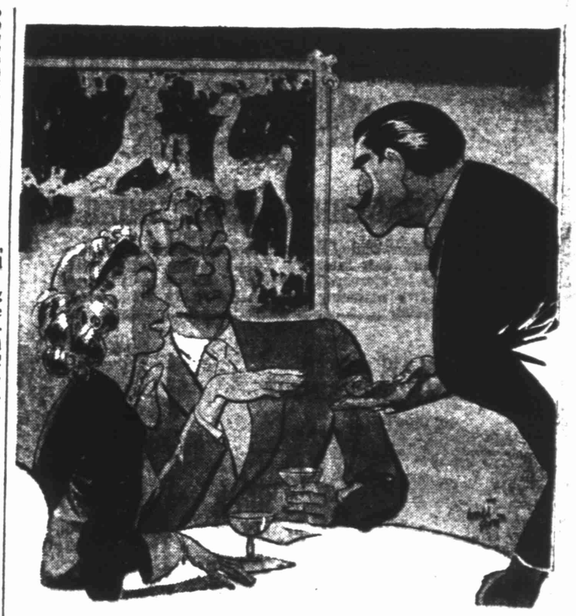
"I deserved that," he said, taking it with a grin. His glance sharpened, as though he felt her gibe had over-lapped the personal. "But give me a chance . . . I'm more often temperate than inebriated; I pay the butcher and the baker; I have no nose for news. I wouldn't write a book, if I got paid for it." He fished in his pocket again, handed her another card engraved with the name of a large newspaper chain. "I'm in the advertising branch, as this will prove, if you'll be so kind as to accept it. And you'll find my complete tag in the lower left-hand corner."

"Why, I'm in advertising, too!" she told him. "Connected with it, at least."

"You are?"

"Frederick Fitzroy Freyman," she read. "But that's fantastic!"

"Phenomenal," he corrected gravely. "But remember I gave you permission to call me Fritz. And now that we're properly introduced, are you in love with this lug?"



Fritz placed the crumpled bill in Armand's tray and waved him away with a baronial flourish.

"W-what lug?"

"The lug that stood you up, of course."

"What makes you think I was stood up? It might have been my mistake." Was it pride that made her come so fiercely to Barry's defense? "I've a frightful habit of getting dates mixed."

"Neat habit," Fritz corrected, reaching across to give her hand an approving pat. "Keep it up, since the other guy's loss is my winnings. But as I tried to tell you before — before I was so rudely interrupted by the management—I wouldn't waste time on a fellow so unreliable, whoever he may be."

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SHE said, "I think I've passed the advice-to-the-lovelorn stage, thank you. And I assure you I never waste time on anybody." She would have enjoyed seeing this young man's expression, were she to tell him the man he thought she was wasting time on, Barry Bainbridge was a name known the world over. The name of one of the motor kings in this amazing Motor City.

"Thank you!" Fritz placed a hand over his heart, inclined his head. "That compliments yours truly. Are you going to marry him?"

"Why, I . . . I don't know," She should have been angry at such preposterousness. But this was a question she had put off asking herself.

"Well, if you'll listen to me again, you'd better not. He doesn't deserve such a break. You deserve something far better."

"Thank you," Gaynel said sweetly. "Imagine taking such an interest in my welfare."

She had waited too long for Barry. The more she thought of it, the more certain she was there had been some misunderstanding. But it was his fault he had not made it more definite. Was Barry getting to the point, lately, where he took her a bit too much for granted? That was one of the questions she had been wanting to take time out to put to herself. If so this would be as good a way as any to even that score. Maybe to decide some others. . . .

(To Be Continued)

SOCIETY

Five Circles Of Presbyterian Women Meet

Five afternoon circles of the Women of the Church of the First Presbyterian Church met Monday afternoon and continued their study from the Gospel of St. John, Chapters 7 and 8. The topic was "Preaching at the Feast of Tabernacles" and the monthly emphasis was "Negro Work in Our Assembly."

Circle one met with Mrs. Robert Watson, 1009 West Michigan Street. Mrs. C. S. Britt gave the Bible study and the group made plans to serve supper to the men's organization Thursday night. Seven members were present.

Circle two met with Mrs. James Wilson, 911 West Kentucky Street with Mrs. Jack Rettig as co-hostess. Mrs. Ernest Sidwell gave the Bible study and Mrs. Retting discussed the Negro work and the survey article. Eleven members and one guest were present.

Circle three met with Mrs. W. T. Harris, 1107 West Illinois Street with Mrs. D. A. Campbell giving the Bible lesson, monthly emphasis and survey article. Mrs. M. B. Bell, Mrs. J. E. Dickinson, Mrs. J. B. Mills, Mrs. R. L. Miller, Mrs. A. P. Shirey and a guest, Mrs. Mary McKinnon, attended.

Circle four met with Mrs. N. B. Winter, 905 West Michigan Street. Mrs. John B. Richards gave the Bible study and Mrs. Lee Thackery the discussion on Negro work. Nine members were at the meeting.

The Training Circle met with Mrs. D. N. Johnson, 1404 West Kansas Street, with Mrs. Richard Peters giving a talk on "Doctrines of Presbyterian Faith." A devotional was given and Mrs. R. B Lambert gave the Bible lesson. Mrs. Newnie Ellis, Jr., reviewed the negro work. The meeting was attended by eleven members.

Calvary Women Pack Clothes For Relief

Clothes for foreign relief were packed Monday when the Woman's Misisonary Union of the Calvary Baptist Church met in the church. The group studied community missions and had a prayer meeting for the revival which will begin August 21.

Present were Mrs. O. C. Hamlin, Mrs. Alta St. John, Mrs. Methel Martin and Mrs. A. L. Teaff.

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Children's Records Sent To Polio Center By Kate Oates Circle

Announcements that albums of children's records had been sent to the Polio Center in Abilene and that a box of clothes has gone to the Wesleyan Community Center in Robstown were made Monday when the Kate Oates Circle of the First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service met with Mrs. Tide Dorsey, 2504 West Kentucky Street. Mrs. Bernice Seawright was co-hostess.

Mrs. O. B. Jackson was elected supply chairman and Mrs. Seawright vice chairman of the circle. Going-away gifts were presented to Mrs. Jack Keene, who is moving to Odessa.

The group also decided to have a bake sale the morning of August 20 in Piggly Wiggly No. 2.

Mrs. Tom L. Ingram gave the devotional and Mrs. Frank Blackwell the final chapter of the study book, "Newness of Life."

Others present were Mrs. Jane Patterson, Mrs. Dell Taylor, Mrs. Keith Stewart, Mrs. Harold Wilson, Mrs. Paul Wecker, Mrs. W. H. Harrison, Mrs. Reo Goodwin, Mrs. Paul Bowman, Mrs. Tom Cowan, Mrs. Charles Jones and Mrs. Russell Lynn.

Nu Phi Mu Receives Three New Pledges

Three new pledges were given the pledge to the colors in a called meeting of the Nu Phi Mu Sorority in the home of Mrs. Thelma Denson, sponsor, 309 Hart Street, Monday night.

The pledges are Peggy Sanders, Bonnie Caldwell and Bobbie Rodgers.

A housewarming for the hostess was given. She has just moved into her new home.

Others attending included Lafara Harbison, Helen Stephens, June Higdon, Janie Ethridge, Elizabeth Murray, Rita Livingston, Dorotha Reising, Helen White and Norma Sinclair.

Study Chapters Told To Irene Nix Circle

Mrs. Branden Rea gave three chapters from the study book and Mrs. Dale McReynolds the devotional when the Irene Nix Circle of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met Monday in the home of Mrs. J. C. Mayes, Jr., 1013 North Loraine Street.

Those attending were Mrs. Charles McDonald, Mrs. John Tice, Mrs. A. V. Johnson, Jr., Mrs. Ronald Frantz, Mrs. William M. Johnson, Mrs. Glenn Richardson, Mrs. William Sandeen, Mrs. Edwin C. Hale, Mrs. R. O. Smith, Mrs. N. M. Dressel, Mrs. R. M. McClesky, Mrs. L. W. Campbell and a guest, Mrs. Lacy of Dallas, Mrs. Campbell's mother.

BUS DRIVERS STRIKE

BATON ROUGE, LA.—(AP)—Baton Rouge bus drivers went on strike at midnight Monday in a wage dispute.

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Mrs. Chester C. Cathey

Elizabeth Edwards Marries In Quiet Evening Ceremony

Elizabeth Edwards, a teacher in the South Elementary School the last two years, and Chester C. Cathey of Big Spring were united in marriage in the First Methodist Church parsonage Thursday night.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. C. B. Edwards. The Rev. H. H. Hollowell performed the single ring ceremony in the presence of intimate friends and immediate family members.

Mrs. Merrill Creighton was her sister's matron of honor and Harold Canning served as best man.

Wears Orchid Corsage

The bride wore a street length ensemble of sandal-wood crepe and brown accessories. The dress was fashioned with a cowl neckline, fitted bodice and a straight skirt, featuring a side drape effect. A rhinestone clip caught the belt in front. She wore a small brown off-the-face hat, and an orchid corsage.

The matron of honor wore a brown taffeta dress, designed with a low neckline and small collar. The skirt was full and flaring. Her accessories were brown and her corsage of pink carnations tied with a brown ribbon.

The mother of the bride was dressed in navy blue and wore a corsage of white carnations.

Reception Held

A reception was held following the ceremony in the home of Mrs. E. M. Watkins, 1307 North Colorado Street. The receiving line included the bridal party, the hostess and the bride's mother.

The refreshment table was laid in lace over pink with a centerpiece of white asters and baby mums placed on a mirror reflector. Lighted pink tapers in crystal candelabra flanked the centerpiece. The wedding cake was topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom emerging from a silver wedding bell.

Others in the house party included Mrs. Clarence Percy, Beverly Edwards and Mrs. James Edwards.

Will Live In Big Spring

The bride is a graduate of Big Spring High School and attended McMurry College, Abilene, and Texas Technological College, Lubbock. She taught school in Big Spring a number of years and was a teacher in the second grade in South Elementary School the last two years.

Cathey graduated from San Angelo schools. He served four years with the United States Army and is employed as assistant cashier at the State National Bank, Big Spring.

The bride chose a Kelly green suit with toast trim with toast accessories for a wedding trip to Colorado Springs. The couple will live in Big Spring.

Fowler-Robinson Vows Are Repeated

McCAMEY — Oneta Fowler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fowler, became the bride of James Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Robinson of Ranger, Saturday in the Assembly of God parsonage in Crane.

The Rev. Roy George performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a dark blue dress with brown accessories and carried a bouquet of white carnations.

Guests Include

Guests for the wedding included Miss H. Robinson, sister of the bridegroom, the mother of the bride, and James Fowler, uncle of the bride.

The bride is a graduate of McCamey schools. Robinson attended school in Ranger. The couple will reside in McCamey, where Robinson is employed by the Texas and Pacific Coal and Oil Company.

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Quito Airport Used For Rescue Operations



(Photo by Braniff International Airways from NEA Telephoto)

The airport at Quito, Ecuador, above, is being used in rescue operations to help the earthquake-stricken areas of Ecuador about 70 miles to the South. Many roads have been covered by landslides, making transportation impossible except by air.

Trick Picture Of Mammoth 'Hopper Irritates Readers

PEORIA, ILL.—(AP)—A trick picture of a mammoth grasshopper which the Peoria Star printed Monday wasn't nearly as comical as staff members thought it would be.

The newspaper begged forgiveness of its readers Tuesday and said it "regrets frivolous toying with the truth."

The trick picture was made by Velde Johnson, Jr., an amateur photographer. It made the grasshopper appear to be as large as a hayrack on which it was riding.

The humorous caption for the picture said the 'hopper later was seen heading southward "in 100 yard leaps."

Shortly after the paper appeared on the streets, the Star's telephones were swamped with calls. Peorians wanted to know more details of the giant 'hopper. One reader indignantly said it should have been shot.

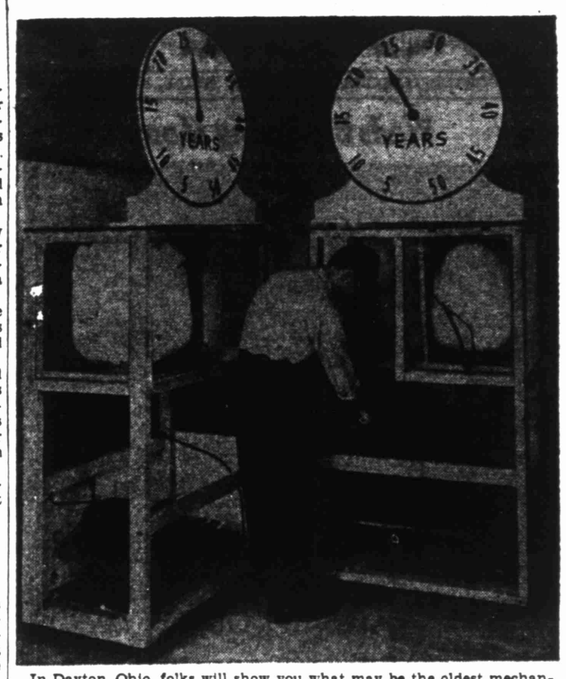
A mother called the picture "terrible" and told the newspaper it had shocked her children.

2600-Year-Old Meal Is Found Unfinished

MOSCOW —(AP)— Excavations in Armenia have unearthed an unfinished meal—2,600 years old. The digging has been taking place at what is known as the Garmir Blure, the site of an ancient Urart fortress.

The unfinished meal—preserved along with grain 2,600 years old, some balls of woolen thread and wooden utensils—were found in the palace section of the fortress.

And Still Going Strong



In Dayton, Ohio, folks will show you what may be the oldest mechanical refrigerators in continuous operation. The one pictured at left has been running without letup for 27 years. Ordinary refrigerators only work part time, going on and off in cycles. Engineers figure that in comparison with ordinary refrigerators, these oldsters have run the equivalent of 108 and 100 years, respectively.

Confederates Ask For Special Stamp To Match Yankees

WASHINGTON—(AP)— Now that the Yankees are going to have a special commemorative stamp, the Confederates want one, too.

Senator Stennis (D-Miss) wrote the Post Office Department Tuesday requesting that a special postage stamp be issued commemorating the reunion of Confederate veterans in Little Rock, Ark., next month.

The department already has made arrangements to issue a stamp commemorating the final encampment of the GAR in Indianapolis, Ind., on August 29.

The Post Office Department said it has received the suggestion but that no action has been taken. It is limited to 12 special stamps a year but, a spokesman said, has not yet used its quota for 1949.

Brass is the material most widely used for standard weights.

Signs Of Prosperity Appear In Germany

FRANKFURT, GERMANY—(AP)—A sign of prosperity in Germany: The German railroad is doubling the number of smoking compartments on its trains.

The reason: Cigarettes, once so scarce and expensive they were the backbone of the black market, are now so plentiful and cheap that more people can afford to smoke them.

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- 88.9% had previous medical care with no results.
- The condition had existed on an average of 4.7 years before receiving chiropractic care.
- The longest length of time being 22 years before chiropractic care.
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Bullet Striking Flesh Opens Six-Inch Hole, Which Closes, Experiment Shows

By ALTON L. BLAKESLEE
AP Science Reporter

NEW HAVEN, CONN.—A bullet hitting animal tissue rips a huge hole in it, up to six inches wide, for a split second.

Oddly enough, the hole gets biggest after the bullet has passed by. There's a delayed effect before the maximum damage is done.

The wide hole is created all along the bullet's path. It comes from the terrific shock of impact. The bullet's energy is transferred to the tissue and pushes out in all directions. The bullet is gone before this pushing, fast as it is, can travel as far as it can.

The tissue first swells, then contracts, then swells again, but a little less. It keeps pulsing this way for a few moments. Afterward there seems to be only a small hole through which the slug passed.

This tremendous shock is the reason why a hunter's bullet fells a deer or bear. The shock of a 30-30 calibre bullet is strong enough to break bones three inches away, even though the slug doesn't hit the bone.

This story of what happens is shown in X-ray pictures taken at the Winchester Research Laboratory. Each picture is taken in one millionth of a second, stopping the action of the bullet, what it is doing, and what it has done. A series of photos snapped at different times tells the consecutive story.

Living tissue is represented by a block of gelatin, which has the same consistency. Wartime tests showed that the gelatin reacts much like animal tissue and muscle.

The bullet, passing through a beam of light, trips a photo-electric cell, and sends a 360,000-volt charge to the X-ray tube. The X-ray plate is exposed for just one millionth of a second.

The hole torn by the bullet is never only as wide as the slug itself. It widens out behind the bullet like the spreading wake of a ship, getting bigger and bigger. It's actually biggest when the bullet has gone through and is a foot or more beyond. At that moment, the gelatin block may be twice its normal size.

New Item For Rivalry Between Two States

LA JOLLA, CALIF. —(AP)— One more item has been added to California-Florida rivalry. Dr. Carl L. Hubbs, professor of biology at the University of California, says Florida's small mouth bass are really large mouth bass.

The statement is made in a paper Hubbs published with Dr. Reeve M. Bailey of the University of Michigan. The paper says that small mouth bass have been planted in Florida, but they do not do well. And it suggests that claims of record small mouths caught in Florida be disallowed because these fish really are large mouths.

Midland Delegation Attends Legion Meet

A delegation from Midland which attended the American Legion convention in Fort Worth last Friday, Saturday and Sunday included: Mr. and Mrs. Red Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buttry, Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Larimore, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Fitzgerald, Shine Shelton, Don Schuyler, Pete Branch, David Allen, Hank Hannaford and Mrs. John Crooks of Odessa, who joined her husband there. They are all members of the Legion and Auxiliary.

The delegation went to Fort Worth in the bus that recently was purchased. During the parade Saturday they were represented by the colors, color guard, unit firing squad and the bus with the auxiliary members riding in it.

Mrs. Welles' Rites Set In Switzerland

LAUSANNE, SWITZERLAND —(AP)— Funeral services for Mrs. Sumner Welles, wife of the former U. S. undersecretary of State, will be held here Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Welles died early Monday after an acute attack of peritonitis.

Cremation services here will be private with only Welles and the other members of the family here present. Welles will fly back to the United States over the weekend.

Star Signs Cancel Try At Mount Everest

LONDON—(AP)—Plans for a new attempt to climb the world's highest mountain have been shelved because Tibet's Dalai Lama (aged 12) says the stars are against it.

Officials of London's Alpine Club reported Tuesday that the Dalai Lama, civil and spiritual ruler of mysterious, mountainous Tibet, has refused permission for a new try at 29,140-foot-high Mount Everest in the Himalayas.

NEW POLIO CASES

JACKSON, MISS. —(AP)— Mississippi has seven new polio cases. The State Board of Health said these bring the year's total to 162.

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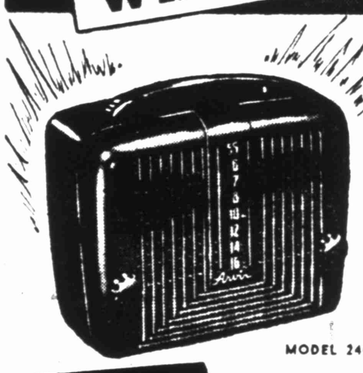
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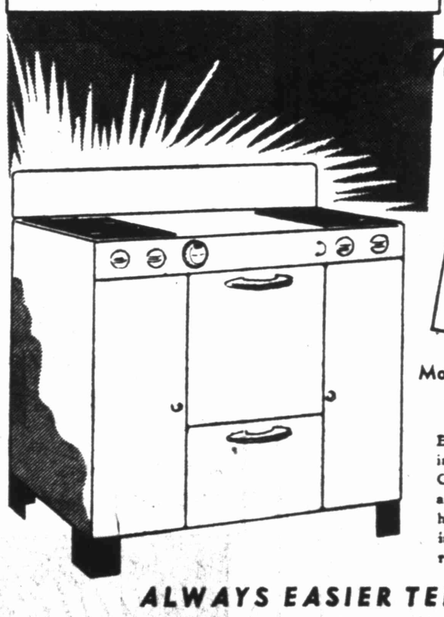
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Meeting Called To Organize Squadron Of Air Force Association For Midland-Odessa

Former members of the Air Force of Midland and Odessa are invited to attend a meeting at 8 p.m. Thursday in the county courtroom of the Midland County courthouse to organize a squadron of the national Air Force Association.

Calling the meeting was William B. Blakemore. He said that the Junior Chamber of Commerce here was assisting in organization of the squadron, which would help sponsor air shows and other activities in connection with the JayCees.

The Air Force Association has its national headquarters at 901-16th Street, Washington, D. C. and state and local squadrons now are being formed.

President of the national unit is Robert S. Johnson, fighter pilot ace of World War II.

A distinguished group of former enlisted men and officers, elected at each annual convention, are serving as officers and directors of the Association.

Doolittle Chairman

Jimmy Doolittle, the famed Tokyo raider and later a lieutenant general in command of the Eighth, Twelfth and Fifteenth Air Forces, is chairman of the board of directors of the association.

General Henry H. Arnold, former commanding general of the Army Air Force, is quoted as having told Doolittle that his acceptance of the first presidency of the association at the time of its organization in 1946 is a "guarantee to future success" of the association. General Carl Spaatz and other former and present ranking AF officers are solid supporters of the new organization.

General Doolittle has said that "three points should be made clear" in connection with the association.

"First: This is a non-profit organization. It was created for the benefit of its members and the Air Force they served so loyally. It has no axe to grind of a commercial nature.

"Second: No attempt will be made to duplicate the legislative and financial benefits which membership in veterans' organizations afford Neither will the Air Force Association cross the lines of the national organizations operating in the public interest in behalf of aviation and air power such as the National Aeronautical Association and the Air Power League. It will work through such organizations in matters of national and mutual interest.

"Third: Policy will be determined by the voting members of this association. U. S. Air Force personnel on active duty are cordially invited to become associate members which will entitle them to all the privileges of regular membership except the right to vote and to hold office."

Aims, Purposes Listed

The stated aims and purposes of the Air Force Association are:

1. To asist in every way possible in obtaining and maintaining proper recognition of the Air Forces in order that adequate air power may at all times be available for the defense of our country.

2. To advise its members and to educate the public at large in development of air power, and to disseminate information on new accomplishments in the field of aviation.

3. To preserve and foster the spirit of fellowship among former and present members of the U. S. Air Force, and to provide an organization through which the traditions of the AF may be perpetuated.

The association will continue the publication of and distribution to its members of AIR FORCE Magazine, which was published during the war years by the Army Air Forces and was one of the popular and widely read service publications.

Julian Rosenthal, former Pfc. with the Air Force, has been re-elected as the secretary of the association, and was responsible for drawing up the present association constitution and by-laws.

All former men and women of the USAF, as well as present members of the Air National Guard and the Air Reserve, who are now eligible for membership in the association, are invited and urged to attend this meeting.



Fund Committee Fight In United States Congress

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Each year the foreign aid bills reopen the old war between the policy committees of Congress and the appropriations committees. Each year the hearings and debates on the authorization bill seem to be repeated when the appropriation bill comes up. It looks like a re-run of the same old feature, and the ordinary reader probably feels like saying "this is where I came in." Why does Congress have to cover the same ground twice?

The theory sounds pretty good. First the general merits of a measure are considered. The specialists on foreign affairs work the matter over thoroughly in committee. Then Congress passes an authorization bill. On April 14 of this year, for example, it decided to carry on ECA for another year and to provide almost $6,000,000,000 for the work.

Next the appropriation bill for the same program comes up. The appropriations committees look into the matter and decide what the government can afford to spend, taking into consideration all the other demands on the U. S. Treasury. Under certain circumstances they can increase, reduce or withhold entirely the amount authorized in the original bill.

The trouble starts when the appropriations committees decide to review the merits of the measure. The rules of both houses say they cannot legislate but can only appropriate. But in the ECA bill last year and this year they thoroughly rehashed the arguments on the substance of the ECA program. And in their proposed appropriations they made a variety of stipulations about how the money should be spent.

Most of the debate on the ECA appropriation bills hinged on the contentions of foreign policy specialists in the House and Senate that the appropriators were trying to be policy makers. Fundamental issues of ECA policy were involved in some of the stipulations of the appropriations committees. Typical was the proposal of Sen. McClellan (D-Ark)that $1,500,000,000 of this year's ECA funds be earmarked for the purchase of U. S. farm products classed as surplus.

There is growing resentment in both the Senate and House against such alleged encroachment by the appropriations committees. Many senators and representatives feel that once Congress has decided that there shall be a program of a certain type there is no necessity for the legislative machine to cover the same ground again.

The same thing happened last year. The ECA authorization bill was passed on April 2, 1948, after about six months of work on the measure. But Rep. John Taber (R-NY), then chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, expressed doubt of the wisdom of the measure. Largely through his efforts the entire matter was debated for the second time. The ECA appropriation bill was not passed until June 20, 1948—about two and one-half months later.

Foreign aid bills are not the only ones that have to pass a double array of legislative hurdles, although they have been the most conspicuous. The dual consideration of many controversial measures is becoming more and more common. The result is that the appropriations committees, and particularly their chairmen, acquire more and more power.

Once the House rose in its wrath and cut the appropriations committee down to size. In 1885 the committee chairman had acquired so much authority that he, rather than the speaker, was the man to be consulted if a member wished to get the floor for one of his projects. Any time he chose he could thrust a privileged appropriation bill upon the floor and block action on any other measure.

In that year the House split the appropriations group into eight separate committees. They were not combined into one committee again until 1921, when the Budget and Accounting Act was passed. It was felt then that there was a need for one committee to deal with appropriations—taking a broad view of all fiscal requirements of the government. Now, many members feel, the balance of power is once again getting into the hands of the men who hold the purse strings.

Sightseeing Skunks Leave Odor Behind

KEYSER, W. VA.—(AP)—This little city would like to know just what it has that attracts skunks—and then get rid of it.

Coming on the heels of a similar invasion, a squadron of five sightseeing skunks pushed into the downtown area the other night. There was consternation, and a call went out to Police Chief Claude Martin.

Armed with a .22 caliber rifle and a flashlight, the Chief nimbly bagged three of the critters, routed the others. Unfortunately, long after the smoke of the battle cleared, the odor lingered.

Canada's Place In 20th Century Cited

TORONTO—(AP)—"The twentieth century is Canada's century" says Dr. Bernard K. Sandwell, well-known author and educator. "Canada's industrial and agricultural achievements have established her as a vital economic reservoir of the western democracies," Dr. Sandwell said. "Her political stature has increased in a corresponding manner. Her statesmen of all political parties have contrived to maintain a degree of unity among her diverse population which affords to the world a shining example of mutual fairness and tolerance."

Dr. Sandwell, editor-in-chief of "Saturday Night," spoke at ceremonies marking the issuance of a special Canadian edition of the Encyclopedia Americana.

Dallas, Harris Hike Tax Rates

By The Associated Press

Two of Texas' big-city counties hiked tax rates Monday to keep up with the increased costs of city and county government.

The Harris County Commissioners Court set a tax rate of $1.39 per $100 property valuation—31 cents higher than 1948 and the highest in history.

Dallas County commissioners approved a five cent boost, to 88 cents per $100 assessed valuation.

Information Girl Finds Right Doctor

CHICAGO—(AP)—Olga Nikolich is the information girl at Wesley Memorial hospital—and, as you shall see, she's pretty good at that sort of thing. A woman telephoned as follows:

"I'm in the Pittsfield building. I have an appointment with a doctor here in 15 minutes but I can't remember his name. Can you help me?"

Miss Nikolich asked the woman what she was being treated for. Then she came up quickly with the names of three specialists in the Pittsfield building who would handle an ailment of that type. One of them was the doctor the caller was seeking. The patient was on time for her appointment.

Railroads Seek To Halt Temporary Permits To Trucks

AUSTIN—(AP)—An injunction to stop the Railroad Commission from issuing temporary permits to motor carriers was sought in 98th District Court Tuesday by 13 Texas railroads.

The railroads complained that the permits were being continued beyond their wartime necessity and are now "contrary to law and an arbitrary, capricious and willful violation . . . highly prejudicial to plaintiffs."

The commission abolished wartime temporary emergency permits by a special order November 13, but since the order it has granted 125 more of the permits, the petition claimed.

Motor carriers, it claimed, were using these temporary permits for 30 to 90 days to complete a movement. By the time an application for a permit was scheduled for hearing, the carriers had completed the movement and would abandon their application, it was charged.

The railroads said they had petitioned the commission on May 11 to stop this practice but that they were notified on May 18 that their petition had been denied.

Couple Charged In Neighbor's Slaying

CORSICANA—(AP)—Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Fraley of Blooming Grove were charged with murder Monday following the fatal shooting of their neighbor, W. F. Hollifield, 64.

David Hollifield, son of the slain man, said his father was shot once with a shotgun after an argument with the Fraleys over a property line.

Mrs. Fraley told a newspaper reporter she fired one shot from a 12-gauge shotgun after her husband had fired twice with a .44 caliber pistol.

The Fraleys were released on $1,000 bond each.

Brakeman Snatches Girl From Path Of Railroad Locomotive

BOWIE —(AP)— An eleven-year-old girl is alive Tuesday because Railroad Brakeman H. W. Coffman snatched her from her bicycle as she rode into the path of a switch engine.

Joan Gill is deaf in one ear and failed to hear the oncoming train or Coffman's shouted warnings Monday as she started across a track near the depot here.

Coffman ran and grabbed the little girl and jumped back. Her bicycle was demolished. The drawbar of the locomotive hit Coffman's arms but he was not injured.

Map Collection At Library Grows

Three maps have been added to the West Texas Geological collection at Midland County Library, according to Mrs. Lucile Carroll, librarian.

The maps include the following:

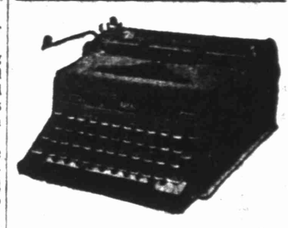
Status of topographic mapping in the United States, territories and possesions. This index shows all areas covered by topographic maps and modern planimetric maps on record to July 1947.

Status of vertical control in the United States. An index map showing all vertical control established and reported by federal agencies to June 1948.

Aerial photography of the United States An index showing all areas known to have been photographed by or for federal, state, and commercial agencies to April 1948.

BROWN SETS BOND VOTE

BROWNWOOD—(AP)—The Brown County Commissioners Court Monday called a tax reallocation election September 10 on a $175,000 bond issue for the purchase and improvement of the Brownwood Livestock Show properties.



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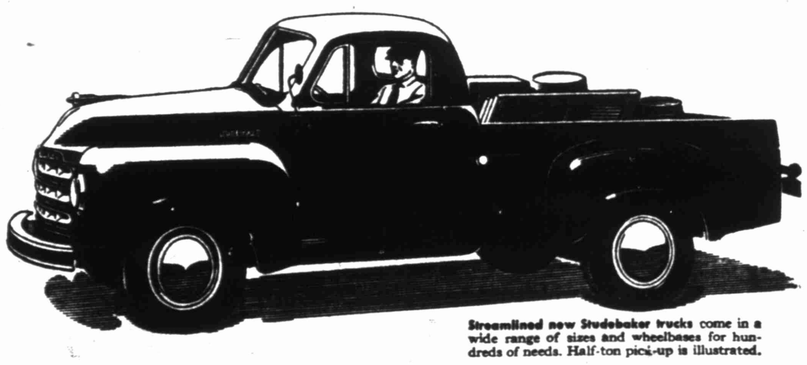
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MAJOR LEAGUES—

Cards, Bums Remain Tied

By JOE REICHLER
Associated Press Sports Writer

Enos (Country) Slaughter, the St. Louis Cardinals' "Ball player's ball player," is living proof baseball experts are a funny race.

In pre-season polls, the majority of scribes ignored St. Louis as a pennant threat because the Cards "were too old." Thus, without saying so, they pointed the finger at Slaughter, who at 33, was the oldest regular on the club.

Now, these same experts predict that the Cards will win the National League flag. Why? Because of the presence of this same Enos Slaughter.

Slaughter's current batting average of .331 is exceeded only by Jackie Robinson's .364. It also is the highest figure ever compiled by the solidly built outfielder who has topped the .300 mark in six of his eight years in the big show.

Enos enjoyed one of his biggest "days" Monday night when he walloped two home runs and drove in six runs to lead the Cards to a 9-3 victory over the Cincinnati Reds.

Bums Shade Giants

The Redbirds needed the triumph to maintain their first-place tie with Brooklyn, as the Dodgers already had nipped the New York Giants 2-1. The two contenders started the evening's activities deadlocked for the lead. Those were the only games played in the majors.

Slaughter's one-man foray enabled Howie Pollet to register his fifteenth victory, although he was touched up for a dozen hits. The Cards could get only five safeties off loser Kent Peterson and three successors, but took advantage of seven bases on balls.

Big Don Newcombe pitched one of his best games of the year in subduing the Giants with four hits for his eleventh victory. The Giant negro righthander had a three-hit shutout until the ninth when Whitey Lockman sent his first serve over the right field screen to spoil the shutout-bid.

Yanks Go To Boston

Jackie Robinson was the big gun for the Dodgers. He slashed his thirteenth homer in the second and set the stage for the winning run in the eighth with a single that sent Carl Furillo to third. With the bases loaded and two out, loser Dave Koslo walked Pinch Hitter Bruce Edwards to force Furillo over the plate.

The idle New York Yankees resume pennant operations Tuesday when they engage the rampaging Red Sox in a three-game set in Boston.

The Red Sox, set back temporarily by Sunday's defeat at the hands of the Detroit Tigers after seven straight wins, will be out to make up a six and a half game deficit.

STANDINGS

MONDAY'S RESULTS
Longhorn League
ROSWELL 6, MIDLAND 2
Vernon 7, Big Spring 5.
Odessa 8, Sweetwater 3.
San Angelo 2, Ballinger 1.

West Texas-New Mexico League
Albuquerque 1-13, Lamesa 0-0.
Borger 16, Lubbock 1.
Amarillo 5, Pampa 4.
Abilene at Clovis, rain.

Texas League
Fort Worth 12-7, Beaumont 2-4.
Shreveport 6, Dallas 5.
Oklahoma City 2-3, San Antonio 1-5.
Tulsa 4, Houston 3.

National League
St. Louis 9, Cincinnati 3.
Brooklyn 2, New York 1.
Only games scheduled.

American League
No games scheduled.

TUESDAY'S STANDINGS
Longhorn League

	W	L	Pct.
Big Spring	70	34	.673
Vernon	58	44	.569
MIDLAND	54	49	.524
San Angelo	49	51	.490
Odessa	46	56	.451
Roswell	45	57	.441
Ballinger	44	58	.431
Sweetwater	44	61	.419

West Texas-New Mexico League

	W	L	Pct.
Albuquerque	61	46	.570
Abilene	59	51	.536
Lamesa	57	52	.523
Amarillo	55	53	.509
Lubbock	53	56	.486
Borger	52	56	.481
Pampa	52	58	.473
Clovis	45	62	.421

Texas League

	W	L	Pct.
Fort Worth	73	45	.619
Tulsa	70	49	.588
Dallas	62	57	.521
Shreveport	61	56	.521
Oklahoma City	61	57	.517
San Antonio	53	65	.449
Beaumont	47	69	.405
Houston	43	72	.374

National League

	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	64	39	.621
St. Louis	64	39	.621
New York	53	50	.515
Boston	53	52	.505
Philadelphia	53	52	.505
Pittsburgh	46	56	.451
Cincinnati	43	62	.410
Chicago	40	66	.377

American League

	W	L	Pct.
New York	65	37	.637
Cleveland	60	43	.583
Boston	59	44	.573
Philadelphia	58	47	.552
Detroit	57	49	.538
Chicago	44	60	.423
Washington	37	64	.366
St. Louis	34	70	.327

TUESDAY'S SCHEDULE
Longhorn League
MIDLAND at ROSWELL.
Vernon at Big Spring.
Sweetwater at Odessa.
San Angelo at Ballinger.

Longhorn League—

Roswell's Rockets Clip Indians, Gain Loop Sixth Place

By The Associated Press

The Roswell Rockets have replaced the Ballinger Cats in sixth place in the Longhorn League standings.

Roswell downed Midland Monday night 6-2 while San Angelo edged Ballinger 2-1.

Second-place Vernon climbed a full game on first-place Big Spring by defeating the Broncs 7-5. The Dusters now trail the Broncs by eleven games.

Odessa beat Sweetwater 8-3.

Roswell tallied five runs in the eighth inning to defeat Midland. Bob Crues sparked the rally with a home run.

Wayne Wallace and Ted Squillante homered for San Angelo to defeat Ballinger.

Harry Scherting hit a two-run homer in the ninth frame to give Vernon the victory over Big Spring.

Al Monchak and Emil Ogden homered to lead Odessa to the win over Sweetwater.

Walter Johnson pitched 113 shutouts for the Washington Senators during his career for the major league record.

Ted Williams Gains Tie In American Loop Batting Race

CHICAGO—(AP)—Ted Williams of Boston has caught up with Bob Dillinger of St. Louis. They're tied for the American League batting lead at .345 each.

Williams gained four points and Dillinger fell one during the last week. Dom Dimagio of Boston held third place with .343, a one-point gain. Last week he was second.

Following them in games through Sunday were George Kell, Detroit, .339; Dale Mitchell, Chicago, .313; Luke Appling, Chicago, .310; Vern Stephens, Boston, .307; and Don Kolloway, Detroit, .305.

Stephens, Red Sox shortstop, led in runs batted in with 112. He was tied with Williams in homers with 27 each.

PRO ALL-STARS

CHICAGO—(AP)—Of the 68 players who formed the college All-Star squad which met the National League Champion Philadelphia Eagles here, 25 are members of the 10 NFL clubs, while 23 will play for the seven teams of the All-American Conference. Twenty are passing up pro football.

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Practice Punch



Stetson University junior, Grace Lenczyk, blasts out of sand trap at College Arms Golf Course in DeLand, Fla. The 21-year-old Newington Conn., miss who last year won USGA women's amateur, Canadian women's, and a member of the Curtis Cup team, practices daily for the defense of her amateur title at Merion Country Club, Ardmore, Pa., September 12-17.

Sports

Lion-Optimist Tilt Scheduled Tuesday Night

Barring a heavy rain or other unexpected trouble, the Midland Lions Club and the Midland Optimist Club will tangle in their long-awaited baseball game at 8:15 p.m. Tuesday in Indian Park. Both teams report they are in the "pink" of condition for the fracas.

The tilt is being staged without admission charge in an effort to attract the largest possible crowd. An evening full of good baseball and fun is promised by both sides.

Joe Roberson has been nominated as the starting hurler for the Lions. He will oppose Red Roberts, manager of the Optimist team, who is a former Big State League hurler.

Players Listed

The Lions Club roster includes Manager Copper Daugherty, Roberson, Bill Stallings, Maurice Cox, Roy Terry, Delbert Downing, "Doc" Rae, "Doc" Ellis, "Doc" Scott, "Doc" Brady, Red Watkins, Ralph McClesky, Al Chase, Cecil Hodges, Jim Nobles, Tommy Withrow, Jack Mashburn and others to be inserted in the lineup.

Due to see action for the Optimist Club are Dick McKnight, Lou Guthrie, Ted Whitte, Bob Waynescott, John Grimland, Bob Phillips, Dick McGowan, Warren Stafford, Rudy Rubin, M. Velvin, Ray Jenkins, Pete VanHorn, Gene Purvis and others.

The umpires will be Loyd Campbell, a JayCee, behind the plate, Chester Shepherd at first and Claude Watkins at third.

WT-NM League—

Lubbock Hubbers Lose Again, Come Up With New Owner

By The Associated Press

The first-place Albuquerque Dukes swept a double-header from the Lamesa Lobos Monday night 1-0 and 13-0 to gain ground on all three of the other first division clubs in the West Texas-New Mexico League.

Abilene's game at Clovis was rained out. Amarillo downed Pampa 5-4. And Borger swamped Lubbock 16-1.

Meanwhile, the Lubbock franchise changed hands Monday night. The new owner of the Hubbers is M. L. Wilkinson, who bought the club for $225,000 from Mrs. Sam Rosenthal. Wilkinson said no management changes would be made.

Tom Breisinger and Frank Shone notched a pair of shutouts for Albuquerque over Lamesa. Breisinger hurled three-hit ball in the opener. Shone allowed only four hits in the nightcap. A long fly scored Cliff McClain with the winning tally in the opener. Shone hit a grand slam homer in the nightcap to spark his nine to victory.

Ray Faust hit a three-run homer to help win his 14th mound victory of the year in Amarillo's win over Pampa.

Jim Cain hurled eight innings of scoreless ball for Borger in defeating Lubbock.

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Three Texas Grid Games Are Sell-Outs

AUSTIN—(AP)—All of the University of Texas allotments of tickets were sold out Tuesday for three of its coming football engagements.

These were the Oklahoma, SMU and Texas A&M games.

Business Manager Ed Olle said plenty of tickets remain for all other games, but only end zone tickets are available for the Rice and TCU games.

All In The Act



Hank Bauer found second base a crowded spot when forced by Chicago second baseman Cass Michaels who leaped over the Yankees' outfielder, threw out Phil Rizzuto at first base for a double play. Shortstop Luke Appling backs out of way while Umpire Red Jones stands his ground to make call. New York Americans split with White Sox, 3-2, 1-2, in Yankee Stadium.

SPORTSLANTS

BY SHORTY SHELBURNE

It looks like the debut of Manager Kermit Lewis at Sweetwater really was accented—in a way. The Midland Baseball Club has been notified by wire and by letter that the Saturday night game is being protested and official notice has been forwarded to the league office.

The matter of a protest costs $25 in the Longhorn League. We guess the Swatters have posted that, too.

—SS—

The letter from the Sweetwater club gives its side of the question. Here it is, as addressed to President Hal Sayles:

"This is our report to you in regard to the game of August 6th, against Midland, which was protested by our manager, Kermit Lewis, in the top of the third, inning, as follows:

"With Midland at bat and runners on first and third bases, an attempted double steal was in progress. The Sweetwater shortstop threw to third base on the play with the Midland runner trying to return to third. The Midland runner over-ran the bag and was tagged off the base. The protest followed, NOT BECAUSE THE UMPIRES REFUSED TO CALL THE MAN OUT, BUT BOTH UMPIRES REFUSED TO CALL THE PLAY EITHER OUT OR SAFE. Both umpires discussed the play two or three times between themselves, still refusing to call any sort of decision on the particular play. One umpire said he did not see the play—this was the base umpire, Dorothy. Sykes said he saw the play but "refused to call it." Our manager demanded that the umpires make a decision, and that the umpire-in-chief make a ruling on the play. Both refused and we felt that this protest was in order. Sweetwater was leading 1-0 at the time of the protest. In our opinion this is not considered a "judgment decision" for neither umpire would make a decision on the play.

"We request that this protest be allowed and that the game be replayed from the point of protest."

—SS—

We didn't see this particular ball game and can't say what went on but it appears to us the umpires—both of them—gave a decision on the play.

They allowed the Midland runner to remain on third and he eventually died there because Midland did not score in the third inning. The umpires must have rendered a decision in favor of Midland, however because otherwise they would have retired the runner.

—SS—

It appears to us there are going to be two representatives from Texas in the national softball tournament this year or else somebody has their wires crossed.

Stamford claims the right to represent the Lone Star State in the national meet on the strength of having won the state tourney Saturday night at Stamford.

However, another news story released Monday says the Crane Oilers and the Lubbock Bluebonnets will meet in Monahans Thursday night in the fourth game of their seven-game playoff to decide which goes to the national tournament.

Maybe there are more national tournaments than we have heard about.

Anyway, no matter where they go from there, Lubbock plays Crane in Monahans Thursday night in what stacks up to be a fine softball tilt.

—SS—

A second Longhorn League team, Ballinger, has shifted its Sunday games from afternoon to night affairs. Roswell led the way in this move earlier in the season.

This practice was discussed briefly at the recent meeting in San Angelo. Several interesting things developed.

A representative of the Sweetwater team said he had promised the ministers in Sweetwater he would allow no inning to start after 6 p.m. on Sunday in that city. The promise almost backfired on him once this year, too.

A double-header was in progress one Sunday and the score in the second game was tied in the last of the seventh about 5:58 p.m. Someone knocked a home run to save the Swatters some embarrassment.

—SS—

Ballinger has agreed to start its Sunday night games at 9 p.m. But even then it is a little odd that it has decided to play on Sunday nights.

One officer of the Ballinger club is a Ballinger minister.

—SS—

HALF SLANTS . . . The New York Yankees may have lost the pennant even while they were winning from the St. Louis Browns Sunday. Yogi Berra was hit by a pitched ball from the hand of Dick Starr and will be out three weeks. Tommy Henrich was hit by Carl Drews, receiving a bruised elbow. Jerry Coleman and Gus Niarhos also were hit by Drews but apparently were not injured. The loss of Berra will hurt plenty . . . Grid tickets for the home games of the Class A State Champion Monahans Lobos will go on sale August 16. However, Coach Scroggins has warned not to expect the Lobos to repeat . . . Pecos, Wink and Andrews are being touted to battle for the district crown this year . . . Jim Prince helped the Lubbock Hubbers break a losing streak by clouting two homers Sunday . . . The nick-name for J. R. Allen, new manager of the Roswell Rockets fits him perfectly. They call him "Potsy."

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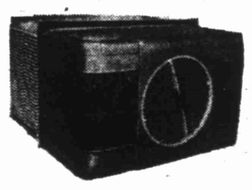
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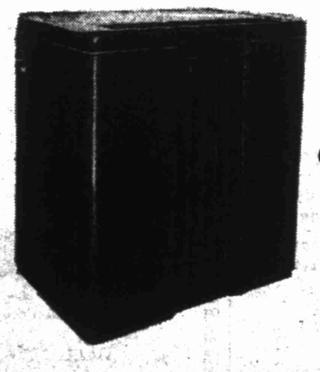
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Flunked Students Passed By Decree

BANGKOK —(AP)— A government decree gave passing grades to 29 students who flunked university entrance examinations. Within a few days the Ministry of Education was deluged with requests from parents that their children who flunked other tests be given passing marks.

Top Education Ministry officials sought to resign in shame over the Thailand cabinet's action, but were persuaded to hang on only because their terms were expiring shortly anyway.

The education squabble began when the son of a member of parliament got 49.6 on an examination. The passing grade was lowered from 50 to include all who scored 49.5 or better.

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Mangrum Nears Jackpot In Tam O'Shanter Joust

CHICAGO—(AP)—Lloyd Mangrum went after the $3,333 top Tam O'Shanter All-American golf prize Tuesday with a four-stroke lead over the field.

Most of Promoter George S. May's betting money was on Mangrum in Tuesday's final round, and it looked as if he had the jackpot.

Mangrum blazed through the himid 95-degree heat and some 3,000 followers for a 37-33—70 third round Monday and a three-quarters mark of 204, twelve strokes under par.

Sam Snead, the year's leading money winner with $23,560, faded to a two-over-par 74 for a total 209 after being only one stroke behind Mangrum at the halfway mark.

The contender's spot behind Mangrum were big Clayton Heafner with a 69. Strapping Bill Nary of Los Angeles with 67, and Fred Haas, Jr., of New Orleans, former national collegiate champion, who fashioned 69. All had a three-round tally of 208.

Tied with Snead at 209 were Johnny Palmer with a third round 67, and Herman Barron, 1946 Tam champion, with a par 72.

Colorful Jimmy Demaret pulled up with 210, while nine were tied at 211. They included Henry Ransom, Herman Keiser, Jim Ferrier, Porky Oliver, Johnny Bulla, Pete Cooper, Toney Penna, Harry Todd and Jerry Barber.

In the All-American Women's Open field, Louise Suggs, the 115-pound pro from Carrollton, Ga. had a five-stroke lead with a 54-hole 227. She added a one-over-par Monday. Babe Zaharias, the defending champion, made her bid with a 74 but landed in the 232 bracket with another pro, Betty Jameson, who shot a third-round 81.

Charles Favored In Bout

NEW YORK —(AP)— Ezzard Charles, heavyweight champion in 47 of 48 states, will try to win over a skeptical New York in his first NBA title defense Wednesday night against battle-scarred Gus Lesnevich at Yankee Stadium.

This is the big one for the lean negro from Cincinnati.

An emphatic triumph over the former light heavyweight titleholder from Cliffside Park, N. J., might change some minds.

While the principals of the heavyweight title clash were going through final rehearsals, the boys in the front offices were trying to grab some clarity from Bruce Woodcock's double talk in England.

The British heavyweight champion, who had been scheduled to meet Lee Savold in London next month for the British version of the world heavyweight title, gave out conflicting statements that he might retire and that he wouldn't.

Charles is a 5 to 18 favorite over battle-scarred Gus, the former light heavyweight champ. Lesnevich is bordering on 35. He has been fighting for pay since 1934 and has been stopped three times by Freddie Steele, Lee Oma and Woodcock.

Muffin-faced Gus finished his training chores Sunday and polished off with five miles of road work Monday. He was to break camp at Summit, N. J., Tuesday and return to his home until the weigh-in, scheduled for noon Wednesday at the Garden. Gus expects to hit about 182 pounds.

The "champ" boxed four rounds Monday at Pompton Lakes, N. J., with Floyd Gibson, Hubert Hood, Gene Jones and Al Smith, in a spirited workout. He weighed 180 when he finished and expects to carry that weight into the ring.

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Chiang's Blockade Puts Stranglehold On Reds' Economy

By JAMES D. WHITE
AP Foreign News Analyst

Chiang Kai-Shek's strategic device of blockading Red Chinese ports is working.

That is, it is not winning the civil war or preventing its loss—Free China is crumbling steadily.

But, by cutting the Reds off from normal foreign trade via the sea, Chiang is driving them more firmly into the arms of Soviet Russia than ever before. The prospect of normal trade between Red China and the West is fading.

With Shanghai dying on their hands as a great port, the Reds are planning an organized evacuation of the city's surplus population and plan to reduce it eventually to about half its present swollen figure of six million people.

Shipping Curtailed

The Reds could be expected to align themselves politically with Moscow, but economically the cards were stacked at first in favor of considerable trade with the West. This trade, everyone felt sure, would be largely on Red terms, but still was alluring enough that many foreign businessmen planned to stay on and give it a whirl. The fact was and still is that Soviet Russia cannot be expected to supply the vast range of industrial and consumer goods which China needs to rebuild.

But since the blockade by sea and air went into effect after the fall of Shanghai, shipping has been greatly curtailed. Factories lacked raw materials. The jobless increased. The currency slipped. The Reds realized what white elephants they had fallen heir to in places like Shanghai and Tientsin. Without a large volume of foreign trade they mean nothing but trouble.

Drastic Policy Shift

This has forced a drastic shift in the Red's economic policy. It appears to have speeded up their political polarigation. At first their idea seemed to be to buy abroad from anyone who would treat them on what they consider equal terms. Now the talk is of getting along on what China can produce herself, plus what Soviet Russia can supply.

This greatly limits the prospect for business of any kind in China, and means hard times. The moderates who had hoped to keep Red China part of the world economy have lost out to the pro-Soviet isolationists. China once again has become a place where motorcars run on charcoal and there is no ready source of imports nor adequate market abroad for China's export offerings.

Coast Guards Keep Cool Tending Lights

AP Newsfeatures

MIAMI, FLA.—One of the coolest jobs in the south is tending the lights off the Flordia keys. A score of coast guardsmen work on five reef lighthouses spaced at strategic intervals right out in the ocean—and they like it.

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Not All Relaxation

But Commander John R. Stewart, chief of the Aids to Navigation Section of the Seventh Coast Guard District, says it's not all cool breezes and relaxation.

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Shirley May Tries, Beats Treacherous Tides In Channel

By SHIRLEY MAY FRANCE
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DOVER, ENGLAND —(NEA)— If I ever swim the English Channel I'll be able to tell anyone the exact moment I felt I could beat the treacherous waters.

I learned this at 10:58 a. m. Monday during the toughest training swim I've had thus far. The plan was to go out for six hours and swim about half the distance I'd have to cover in the channel crossing—just over 10 miles.

But the seas became so heavy that the heavy trans-channel ferries were bouncing around like corks and my coach, Harry Boudakian, wouldn't let me go outside the breakwater of Dover harbor.

I was disappointed because I had wanted to test the waters of the channel proper but soon after I started swimming I realized what the coach meant. There was a terrific tide running and the coach steered me right into it.

"This is as bad as anything you'll face in the channel," he called from the rowboat. "Now let me see you fight it."

Powerful little Philip Mickman of Great Britain, a few feet away, also was making a training swim.

I looked at the waterproof watch I was wearing and it said 10:58 a. m.

For a dozen strokes I tried to move ahead but was unable to gain an inch. Over my shoulder I could see Mickman anchored in the same place. He is at a different stage in his training so he changed direction but I kept on forcing myself and eventually I began to gain on the tide. Soon I was making fair progress through it.

Almost Ready

I could see Harry's face light up and I knew that I had met one of the last big tests set for me.

After two and one-half hours against the tide almost every foot of the way I walked out of the water and the coach said: "A couple more swims and you're ready, Shirley. That was really fine today."

And to make me happier, there was a big batch of fan mail waiting for me, some of it all the way from New Zealand. Some fellow wrote me a poem. Another wished me luck. Several said they were sure I'd never make it.

Mrs. Enniver made the day complete by giving me steak for lunch, which means I now am getting steak twice a day. I'm terribly sorry for the other diners at our hotel eating British rations but they are marvelous to me, always asking if there's anything else I need.

My father and Harry went looking for the last and one of the most important members of our party—the pilot. We'd planned to ask the veteran John Burwill, but he has got Mickman and the Dutch and Danish swimmers ahead of us and the Pilot' Association suggested a couple of other experts who know every tide and current.

Speaking of tides, we were standing on Shakespeare's Cliffs and my chaperone, Mary Lou Walsh, who is a school-teacher, said Shakespeare might have been thinking of channel swimming when he said:

"There's a tide in men's lives which, taken at the flood, leads on to fortune."

LUSTY PERFORMER

SARATOGA — (AP) — Horsemen around the harness horse circuit are buzzing these days about a two-year-old Hayes Fair Acres colt, Lusty Song. At the race here recently the son of Volomite came back after making three breaks in the same race and won it with an amazing burst of speed, against a field of 11 of the best two-year-olds in action.

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Sports

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Roswell Rallies To Win Again

The Midland Indians are scheduled to complete their three-game series with the Roswell Rockets in Roswell Tuesday night. Ken Swan or Ralph Blair will pitch for Midland.

The Tribe returns home Wednesday night to open a five-day stand. They meet Sweetwater in a two-game series and Big Spring for three.

Manager Harold Webb is due to return to active management of the club Wednesday night. He has been away two weeks undergoing treatment and check-ups for a back injury and other ailments.

ROSWELL, N. M.—The Roswell Rockets bunched their hits in the eighth inning here Monday night to take their second straight game from the Midland Indians by a 6 to 2 score. Bob Crues again supplied the long ball knocking for the Rockets.

Lefty Leon Hayes tamed the buzz-bombs well until the fatal eighth. He allowed them only one run on five hits up until that time.

Midland counted both its runs in the sixth. Singles by Warren Sliter, Lou Dawson, Gus Pena and Buck Austin produced the pair. Vic Michalec scattered Midland's other four hits.

After counting one run in the third, the Rockets couldn't get in until the eighth.

Crues Homers

Crues led off the fatal inning with a home run. His mates took the signal and carried the ball for four more. Two walks and four consecutive singles did the trick.

The box score:

MIDLAND	AB	R	H	O	A
Rose, 2b	4	0	0	1	6
Hughes, ss	4	0	2	2	5
Sliter, 1b	5	1	1	10	0
Pressley, 3b	4	0	1	0	1
Dawson, lf	3	1	1	3	0
Pena, cf	4	0	1	3	0
Austin, rf	4	0	2	2	0
Cox, c	3	0	0	3	0
Hayes, p	2	0	0	0	0
x-Blair	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	8	24	12

ROSWELL	AB	R	H	O	A
Wilcox, ss	4	0	1	3	1
Neuendorff, 3b	4	0	1	4	6
Bell, lf	4	1	2	2	0
Crues, cf	2	1	1	1	0
Hill, rf	3	1	1	2	0
McKay, 2b	3	0	0	1	4
Mann, 1b	3	1	0	11	1
Dilldine, c	4	1	1	3	0
Michalec, p	4	1	1	0	5
Totals	31	6	8	27	17

Midland	000 002 000—2.
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Errors — Hughes; McKay, Mann. Runs batted in—Pena, Cox; Bell, Neuendorff, Hill, Dilldine, Crues, Michalec. Two base hit—Neuendorff. Home run—Crues. Stolen bases—Neuendorff, Bell 2, McKay. Double plays—Hughes to Rose to Sliter 2; Neuendorff to Wilcox, Michalec to McKay to Mann, Neuendorff to Mann. Left on bases—Midland 9; Roswell 9. Bases on balls—off Hayes 7; off Michalec 6. Strikeouts—by Hayes 3; by Michalec 1. Umpires—Murphy, Vomaska and Thomas. Time—2:35.

NEW RECORDS

EAST LANSING, MICH.—(AP)—A total of 15 new varsity track and field records, 10 outdoor and five indoor, were written into the books during the 1949 Michigan State track season. In addition, two other varsity marks were equaled and two new freshman records were set.

Robinson Holds On In National League; Musial Climbs Back

NEW YORK—(AP)—At long last Stan Musial is making his belated bid to retain his National League batting crown.

The slashing St. Louis Cardinal outfielder for the first time this season has made his way into the top 10 hitters. Including games of Sunday, August 7, Musial owned a .313 mark. While it was good for seventh place, it still left him exactly 49 points behind Jackie Robinson's league-leading .362.

Robinson, who went into his eleventh consecutive week in the top spot, dropped a couple of points but still managed to maintain a 33-point edge over Enos Slaughter, another Cardinal flychaser. Slaughter's runnerup figure was .329.

Still another Redbird, Al (Red) Schoendienst, rested in fourth place, his .321 mark only a point in back of the .322 figure posted by Willard Marshall of the New York giants.

The Giants' Whitey Lockman and Bobby Thomson held fifth and sixth places, respectively, with marks of .317 and .316.

Texas League—

Dick Rozek Hurls No-Hitter As Tribe Splits With Padres

By The Associated Press

The talk of the Texas League Tuesday is Dick Rozek's no-hit mound victory for the Oklahoma City Indians over San Antonio Monday night.

Rozek hurled his hitless game in the opener of a double-header. The Indians won the game 2-1. Rozek missed a perfect game on an error by Third Baseman Ransom Jackson.

The first-place Fort Worth Cats swept a double-header from the Beaumont Exporters 12-2 and 7-4. The nightcap went eleven frames Fort Worth increased its lead to three and a half games over Tulsa

Tulsa defeated last-place Houston 4-3. And Shreveport beat Dallas 6-5 to extend to seven games the Dallas losing streak.

Shreveport moved into a tie for third and fourth place with Dallas, eleven and a half games behind Fort Worth. Oklahoma City dropped into fifth place, half a game out of the first division.

Jackson Boots One

Jackson's error, depriving Rozek of a no-hit no-runner, came in the seventh. He tossed wild to second after fielding Pat Seery's bounder Seery went to third and scored on Bob Riga's fly for the only San Antonio tally. Tommy Fine hurled five-hit ball to give San Antonio the nightcap 5-3.

Branch Rickey, boss of the Cats and the Brooklyn Dodgers, watched Fort Worth win two from Beaumont. Dick Williams' three-run homer in the fifth iced the opener The Cats tallied three in the eleventh frame to cop the nightcap.

Eddie Knoblauch tripled in two runs and scored a third in the fifth to give Tulsa the edge over Houston.

Pete Lewis' two-run triple in the eighth gave Shreveport the victory over Dallas.

Cuban Swimmer To Try Channel Tuesday

CAP GRIS-NEZ, FRANCE—(AP)—Jose Cortinas, 32-year-old Cuban swimmer, makes his bid to swim the English Channel Tuesday night.

Cortinas has been waiting several days for favorable weather and channel conditions. He planned to start at 8 p. m.

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Bear Steals Pants; Man Embarrassed

BIG ARM, MONT.—(AP)—There's no accounting for bears' tastes so Louis Kis will take spare trousers on his next fishing trip. Camping at Hart Lake, near Superior, Kis had his pants snatched during the night by a bear. Fortunately, the fisherman wasn't in the trousers at the time but when the garment was found it was torn to shreds.

Fishing had to be suspended while the blanket-wrapped Kis was driven to Superior where he obtained a replacement.

A FUNNY BOY

DANVILLE, ILL.—(AP)—You may think it is funny that a boy, Michael McWilliams, won a prize in a doll show. The judges thought it was, too. Michael took the prize for the funniest doll.

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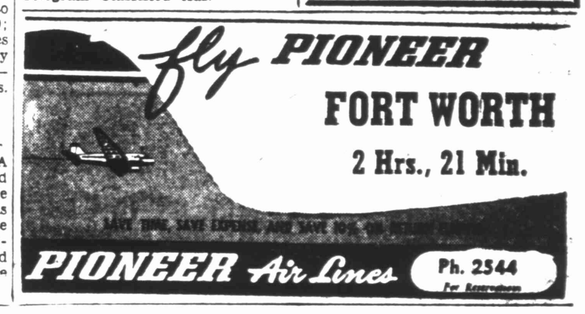
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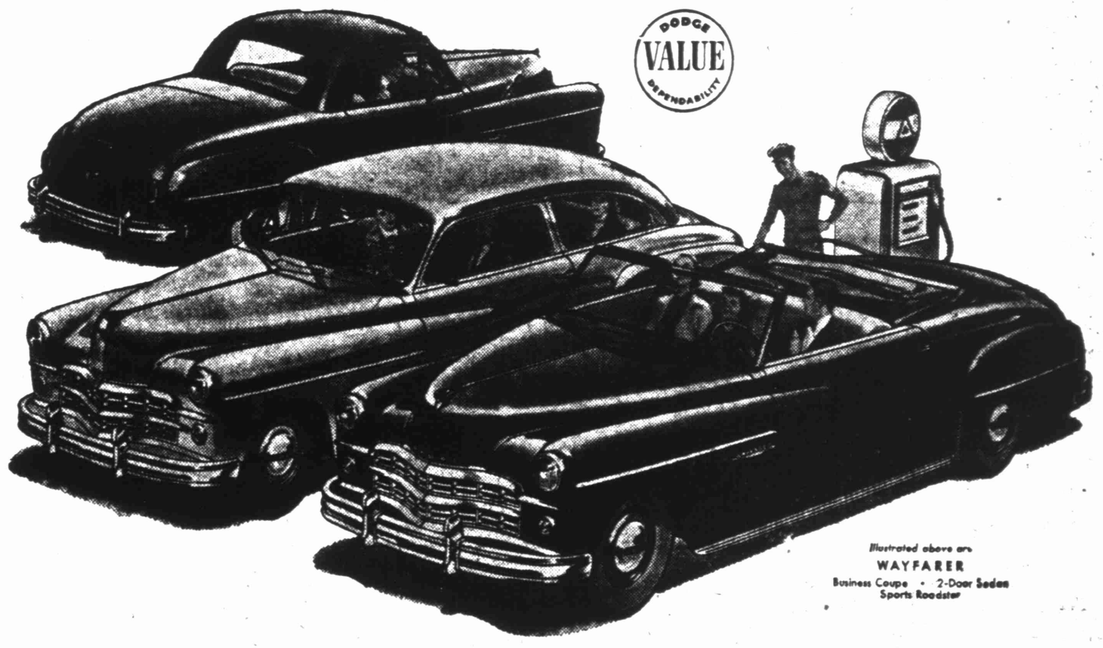
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The plant will have a daily capacity of 25,000,000 cubic feet of gas. It will serve Orange Hill field in Austin County, Lissie field in Wharton County and Chesterville field.

Operation of the field is expected to begin November 15.



Daddy Ringtail

By WESLEY DAVIS

Daddy Ringtail And The Water Hose

The Monkey Catcher was gone from the zoo. He had gone to the Great Forest to try to catch him a monkey, and so Mugwump Monkey, the monkey boy, had gone to the zoo where the Monkey Catcher wasn't. Daddy Ringtail was at the zoo with Mugwump. It was all on a very hot day.

First they went to the cage where Uncle Bunkum lives, but Uncle Bunkum was asleep. They tiptoed away to look around and see what there was to see. They came to a hose on the ground, the kind that is used to water the yard and flowers. Mugwump had never seen a hose before, and so he didn't know what it was.

He walked to the end of the hose where the water comes out. He picked it up. He looked at it. The hole in the hose was black. No water was coming out, and how could he know that water would ever come out that way

Daddy Ringtail watched him peep down inside the hose. Daddy Ringtail said to himself: "I shouldn't do it. I shouldn't turn the water on to wet his face. I shouldn't do it. I mustn't do it."

Daddy Ringtail was tempted, you see. He was tempted to turn on the water at the hydrant for a surprise for Mugwump to get him wet. It would have been for a joke, and what a surprise it would



have been for Mugwump. "I mustn't do it," Daddy Ringtail said to himself. "I mustn't teast the boy."

Oh, but the day was hot, hot. Mugwump was hot A little water wouldn't hurt him. He wasn't wearing any clothes that were new.

Daddy Ringtail reached out to turn the water on. "I shouldn't. I mustn't," Daddy Ringtail said. But he did.

Mugwump heard a gurgle in the hose, and he turned his head away fast. He wasn't looking in the hole when the water came shooting out in a hurry. He was looking at Daddy Ringtail, and it so happened that Mugwump held the hose to point right at the place Daddy Ringtail was.

Daddy Ringtail was wet to the skin in a hurry, and what a surprise it was for him. Yes, and this will show you again, I think, that people should never do things they know they shouldn't—not even Daddy Ringtail. Happy day!

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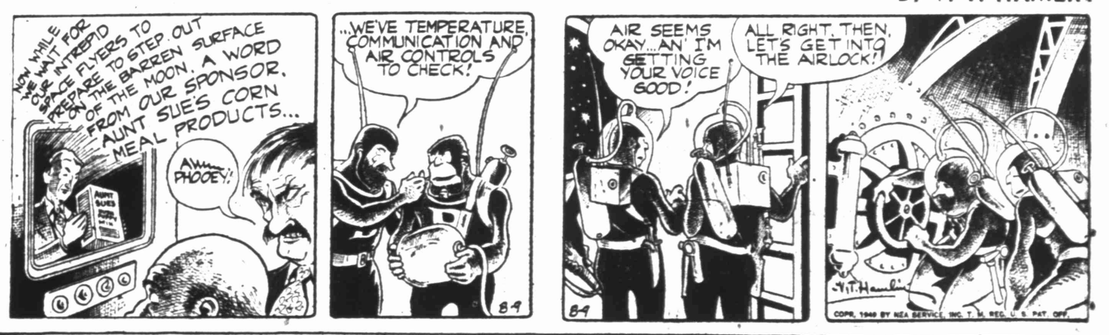


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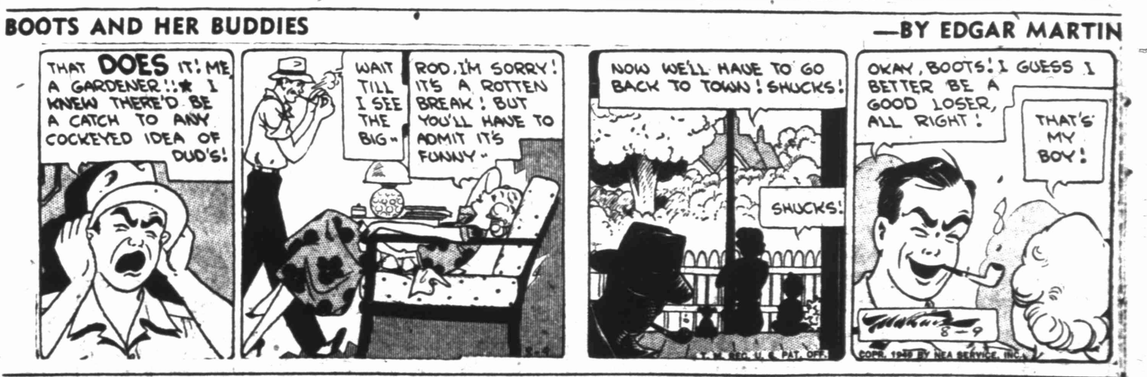
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U. S. Ballot-Box Stuffers Are Pikers Compared To Russians In Germany

WASHINGTON —(NEA)— Tricks that make pikers out of American ballot-stuffing experts were used by the Communists to run up their 8,000,000 to 4,000,000 victory in the Russian zone German elections of May 15. Captured copies of orders issued by the Communists for recounting the ballots in the province of Saxony-Anhalt reveal how the results of even the disappointingly small two-to-one "yes" vote were achieved.

"Ballots cast without any marks have to be considered 'yes' votes," read the instructions to election officials. Explaining this ruling, the instructions said: "By simply casting a ballot without a mark, the voter made it completely clear he considered the 'yes,' printed in large letters, as the expression of his will.

"Ballots with a cross mark outside the circles have to be considered as a 'yes' vote," the instructions went on. "By this the voter makes known his approval of the list of candidates and to the 'yes.' If he had wanted to reject both, he would have undoubtedly placed the mark of his refusal in the 'no' circle.

"Ballots containing a handwritten remark such as, 'for the home,' or 'for freedom,' etc., have to be considered as 'yes' votes."

Red Logic Is Confusing

In the Russian-occupied German province of Brandenberg, Communist officials added another election refinement with this instruction:

"Consider as 'yes' votes all ballots on which the 'yes' has been crossed out, while the voter has simultaneously marked the ballot with another explicit, handwritten 'no.' By this double negation, the voter had wanted to express his intention that h did not want a 'no' under any circumstances, because a double negation is actually an affirmation."

Ballots on which an "anti-democratic conviction" was written in were ordered classified as "invalid." In the entire Russian zone, almost half a million ballots were declared invalid.

Junior Dixiecrats Declare Truce

When American Legion officials took their annual Boys' Forum delegates to visit President Truman this year, they took precautions that there would be no repetition of last year's visit, which embarrassed the Legion very much. The story was hushed up at the time, but about a dozen boys refused to shake hands with the President. And when the President spoke to the group of young men—hand-picked delegates from every state—these same non-handshakers conspicuously walked to the other side of the garden where they couldn't hear him.

Reason for this performance was that last year's Forum came right at the time of the Dixiecrat rebellion against Truman. The boys who wouldn't shake the President's hand nor listen to him speak came from states where the Dixiecrat movement was hottest.

This year there was no such incident, and Dixiecrats, Democrats and Republicans all behaved like little gentlemen.

Shah Wants To Visit U. S.

Middle East radio broadcasts have been kicking around a report that his majesty the shah of Iran would soon visit the United States. Washington officials have had no notification of the shah's coming, but some months ago an official invitation was issued in the name of President Truman. The shah was then too busy shahing to accept. But he wants to come. His mother and one of his sisters have been in the United States for medical treatment. The shah's twin sister—head of the Red Lion and Sun, Iranian version of the Red Cross—was in the United States last year. The shah's younger brother was graduated from Harvard.

The shah himself has never been here and he wants to inspect dams, public works and military installations. Relations between Iran and the United States have been close ever since the United Nations showdown fight with Russia over Azerbaijan, in 1946. If the U. S. military assistance program goes through, relations are apt to get even better.

To Run Or Not To Run?

Congresswoman Helen Gahagan Douglas of California has again put off announcement of her decision on running against Senator Sheridan Downey in the Golden State primary next year. Mrs. Douglas had intended to make up her mind by August 1. But now she says she has been so busy in Congress she hasn't had a chance to get back to California and talk to the politicos there.

Privately, she explains that she also wants to talk it over with her husband, Melvyn Douglas of the movies, and their two children. In th meantime, Senator Downey, whose chances for reelection haven't been considered too good, has been exuding confidence. He says he doesn't care whether Mrs. Douglas runs against him or not.

Seasickness Tests

U. S. Coast Guard is making experiments with "dramamine" and some of the other new drugs supposed to cure or prevent seasickness. Physicians from Navy's Bureau of Medicine and Surgery and the U. S. Public Health Service are cooperating on the tests. If they prove successful, the drugs may be administered to all sea-going personnel in government service.

The human "guinea pigs" on whom the tests are being made are volunteers from the Coast Guard. Some are men aboard ocean weather stations — the so-called "weather ships" which stay at sea for long periods and take a terrible beating to report storm conditions for other ships. Other volunteers are aboard the "North Wind" and the "Campbell," two Coast Guard cutters now on iceberg patrol in the Arctic.

'Emergency' Fund

Some mystery surrounds the $45,000,000 emergency fund item in the $1,450,000,000 Military Assistance Program now before Congress. A few congressional critics have seized upon this sum as something that could easily be cut out. One assumption has been that the emergency fund would be used for "cloak and dagger" type of underground operations behind the Iron Curtain. This possible use is flatly denied. The money will be used for legitimate rearming in North Atlantic Pact countries. But to disclose its use might reveal important defense strategy plans.

President Roosevelt, of course, had huge wartime emergency funds, running into the hundreds of millions of dollars. In 1948 President Truman had a $500,000 emergency fund. For 1949 the fund was $200,000. For fiscal 1950, the President's original budget request was $1,000,000. No public accounting has to be made for these funds.

Naval Reserves To Meet Tuesday

A Naval Reserve unit meeting is scheduled at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday in Building T-18 of Midland Air Terminal. Those with aviation ratings especially are urged to attend.

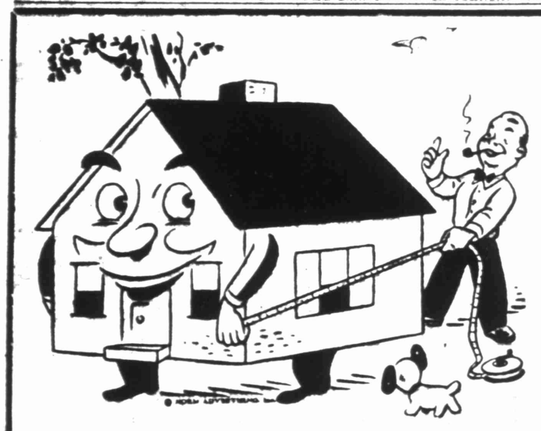
Transportation to the meeting will be furnished. Those seeking it should be at the Scharbauer Hotel at 7 p. m.

FINES ASSESSED FOUR

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Deportation Sought For Man Wanted In Two Laredo Slayings

LAREDO—(AP)—Chief of Police David O. Gallagher said Tuesday he is attempting to have George Ochoa, wanted for questioning in two murders here, deported from Mexico as an undesirable.

Gallagher also said "Ochoa is attempting to take out Mexican citizenship on the basis that his mother was a Mexican citizen."

Ochoa, Laredo business man, is charged with murdering Henry D. Whittenburg, gin operator, at a downtown hotel July 31. He also is wanted for questioning in the slaying of Cpl. James Lindsay, 30, who was shot to death the same day on a different floor of the hotel.

The chief of police said he has learned that on July 29, two days before the slayings, Ochoa took out Mexican tourist passports for himself, his wife and four children.

"But when he went to Mexico on July 31, following the shootings, he failed to present the passport at the border," said Gallagher, "so now he is in Mexico illegally.

"Tuesday I am meeting with Mexican Consul Jauregui Serrano and American Consul Harwood Blocker here and I am going to ask that Mexico deport Ochoa as an undesirable.

"I would like this done as soon as possible, since I know Ochoa is trying to take out Mexican citizenship.

Lutheran Pastor Speaks To Club

The Midland Optimist Club heard an address by the Rev. Gilbert Becker, pastor of the Grace Lutheran Church, at its weekly luncheon meeting Tuesday in Hotel Scharbauer.

The speaker, who talked on youth, said that despite all the work being done to better the conditions for modern youth, there still are great problems to be overcome.

He declared that the environment for youth has been changed in the last generation in that the home is giving ground to outside activities.

Lou Guthrie, Jr., district underwriter for Employers Casualty Company, was voted in as a new member of the club. He formerly resided at Dallas.

The attendance prize, presented by M. A. (Red) Roberts, went to George Vannaman.

The members were reminded that the Optimist barbecue and outing will be held at 6 p. m. Friday in Cloverdale Park.

Managers of the Optimist Boys Softball League baseball teams said they would direct the youths when they assist in collecting polio funds Monday night at the theaters.

Rains—

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Rio area and from 6 p. m. Monday until early Tuesday the international bridge at Del Rio was closed because of high water.

The Rio Grande crested at Del Rio Monday night at 20.5, feet, two and one-half feet above flood stage.

Devils River, 12 miles northwest of Del Rio, which empties into the Rio Grande, rose to 13 feet, but the rise was not considered consequential.

More than five inches of rain in 24 hours sent the Nueces River on a six-foot rise in Real County near Camp Wood. The flood waters disrupted through traffic and mail service between Rock Springs and Uvalde.

Rains totaling 2.87 inches at Gladewater caused a rise on the Sabine River. A two-inch rain in less than an hour flooded some Gladewater streets and high winds caused minor damage.

Rains of up to four inches were reported southeast of Sonora in Sutton County.

BUSINESS FAILURES UP

NEW YORK—(AP)—Business failures rose to 171 last week from 168 in the preceding week and 116 for the like week of 1948, Dun and Bradstreet reported Tuesday.

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miles southeast of the apenes of the Pegasus field, and 660 feet from north and west lines of section 44, block 40, TP survey, T-4-S, took a five hour drillstem test in the Devonian at 11,919-12,005 feet.

A 2,500-foot water blanket was used. Gas showed at the surface in three hours and 40 minutes. The volume was too small to measure.

Recovery was 1,890 feet of slightly gas cut water blanket, 630 feet of muddy, gas cut water blanket, and 900 feet of gas cut, and slightly distillate cut drilling mud. There were no signs of formation water.

Will Deepen And Test

Operator will deepen and test again soon. The above investigation covered a hard, fractured chert formation.

This test was run at a slightly higher level than that which showed the first possibilities of production in the Devonian at Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1-A TXL, the Pegasus discovery.

That well showed for commercial amounts of oil and gas in the Devonian—but was completed from the Ellenburger. It also discovered production in the lower Permian and in the Pennsylvanian. Top of the Devonian in the Republic Natural wildcat is at 11,570 feet.

On that marker it was 480 feet lower than the Pegasus field opener.

McAlester Gets Oil Show In Lea Project

McAlester Fuel Company No. 1-A Denton, East-Central Lea County, New Mexico wildcat to 11,500 feet to explore into the Devonian, had reached 10,602 feet in Mississippian lime and chert, and was making more hole.

It had a show of gas in a three hour drillstem test at 10,537-593 feet. Gas came to the surface in four minutes. The volume was estimated at between one million and one and one-half million cubic feet per day.

Recovery was 100 feet of gas cut mud. There were no signs of oil or of formation water.

NW Nolan Discovery Completing On Pump

Skelly Oil Company No. 1 Ater, Ellenburger discovery in Northwest Nolan County, five miles southwest of Roscoe, is completing on the pump.

During the first 19 hours of a 24-hour potential test the well is credited with making 122 barrles of oil, plus 10 per cent acid water and basic sediment. It did not show any formation water.

The production is from perforated section at 7,097-7,118 feet, which had been treated with acid.

The new field opener is 330 feet from north and 2,500 feet from east lines of section 67, block 23, TP survey.

It is due to complete a full 24-hour test and then be put on regular production.

Benedum Extender Is Flowing After Acid

Humble No. 1 First National Bank of San Angelo, three-eighths of a mile northwest extension for the Fusselman production area on the northwest side of the Benedum field in Central-East Upton County, flowed 74.43 barrels of high gravity oil in nine hours, through a 12/64th inch tubing choke, after the sections at 11,405-450 feet and at 11,460-485 feet, had been treated with 1,000 gallons of acid through perforations.

The well kicked off without swabbing after the injection. It is now flowing through a 16/64th inch choke. All the fluid being produced is new oil.

The new well is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 5, block Y, GC&SF survey.

N-C Scurry Project Testing Canyon Reef

W. A. Moncrief of Fort Worth, No. 1 C. W. Huckabee, North-Central Scurry County wildcat, one and one-half miles southeast of the closest completed oil well on the southeast side of the North Snyder field, and four miles north of the town of Snyder was on a bottom of 6,691 feet in Canyon lime, and was taking a drillstem test.

This venture, located 660 feet from north and east lines of section 160, block 97, H&TC survey, tapped the Canyon reef at 6,656 feet. Top of the pay in that zone was picked at 6,663 feet, from samples. Elevation is 2,419 feet.

According to some geologists that makes the Moncrief well 115 feet low on the top of the Canyon reef to Sunray Oil Corporation No. 1-B Brown, the nearest completed oil well to the northwest.

Interested observers figure that the Moncrief project has at least 250 feet of pay above the Canyon water table, and they expect it to be completed as a commercial producer and a major extension to he North Snyder field.

Coke Prospect Logs Further Possibilities

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 2 Odom, Northeast Coke County wildcat, continues to log shows of possible production.

The latest signs of petroleum were in a drillstem test at 5,775,-5,805 feet. The tool was open 35 minutes. There was a slight blow of air at the surface after 25 minutes.

Recovery was 50 feet of slightly oil and gas cut drilling fluid. The venture is now running a drillstem test on the interval at 5,805-35 feet.

The project showed possibilities of production from 5,502 feet to 5,542 feet in the Strawn. It is thought by interested observers that the current formation is below the Strawn —but no identification of it has been reported by operator representatives.

This venture is 660 feet from southwest and 8,248 feet from southeast lines of the Felix Sosa survey It is two and three-quarters of a mile northwest of Humble's No. 1 Odom, a recently finished flowing discovery from the Strawn across the county line in Northwest Runnels County.

Semi-Wildcat Staked In Coleman By Ownby

Location for a 4,200-foot semi-wildcat has been staked by Haynes B. Ownby Drilling Company of Dallas, and others, as their No. 1 E. O. Herring, in Central-West Coleman County.

It will be 660 feet from south and west lines of a 100-acre tract in the J. R. Merill survey No. 70, and two and one-half miles north of the town of Talpa.

That puts it 1,320 feet east of Guy Mabee Drilling Company No. 1 Herring, a producer in the recently discovered Pennsylvanian field adjacent to the west line of Coleman County.

Roeser & Pendleton Abandon Fisher Test

Roeser & Pendleton, Inc., No. 1 Jameson, North-Central Fisher County prospector, 12 miles northeast of Rotan, and 660 feet from north and east lines of section 109, block 97, H&TC survey, has been plugged and abandoned on a total depth of 6,195 feet, in the Ellenburger.

Top of that formation had been picked at 6,150 feet. The 42 feet of that formation which was penetrated did not show any signs of petroleum. A drillstem test at 6,165-95 feet, open 30 minutes, had a recovery of four-tenths of one barrel of salty drilling fluid.

Sterling Venture Is Abandoned By Humble

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 3-B Ellwood, three-eighths of a mile west of the Spade-Ellenburger field, in Northeast Sterling County, and 560 feet from north and 760 feet from east lines of section 55, block 18, SPRR survey, has been plugged and abandoned as a dry hole.

The venture drilled to total depth of 8,218 feet in the Ellenburger. The horizon showed only salty, sulphur water. It carried no indications of oil or gas. Top of the formation has not been officially reported.

Landmen Will Meet At 7 P. M. Tuesday

Organization of a Permian Basin Landmen's Association will be considered at a meeting Tuesday night in the Hotel Scharbauer in Midland.

Invitations have been sent out to all oil company landmen and lease buyers in the region between Abilene and Roswell, N. M., and between Lubbock and San Angelo by the organizing committee composed of several pioneer landmen of Midland.

Those who plan to attend have been requested to meet not later than 7 p.m. Tuesday, in the governor's suite, for an informal discussion of the idea of forming the association.

Dinner will be served at 7:30 p.m. Reservations for the dinner should be made in advance with Harry H. Lawson, temporary secretary, at Shaboard Oil Company of Delaware's Midland office.

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Split In GOP Ranks Beclouds Fate Of Minimum Wage Bill

WASHINGTON—(AP)— An unexpected split among Republicans over the 75-cent minimum wage added uncertainty Tuesday to the House debate on amending the Wage-Hour Law.

Leaders on both the Democratic and Republican sides of the aisle agreed the race between a 65-cent or a 75-cent minimum is "very close." Voting probaly will not get started before Wednesday.

Democrats on the House Labor Committee told reporters they believed they could hold the line on the 75-cent figure in the Administration's compromise bill. They conceded, however, that they might have to drop to 65 cents in order to put the bill over.

"The House won't go lower than 65, though," said one.

The Republican split, disclosed privately by a prominent GOP member of the Labor Committee weakened support behind a substitute wage-hour bill sponsored by Rep. Lucas (D-Texas). Until Tuesday, it was thought to have almost sold backing from Republicans and Southern Democrats.

Southerners Stick Together

"The Southerners will stick together pretty well on Lucas' bill," the Republican said, "but I am not so sure of our boys. Some on our side promised a 75-cent minimum in their campaigns last Fall."

Another factor splitting the Republicans, he said, is the argument that low wages in the South are attracting some industries, particularly textile mills, from Northern states.

The battle, as it developed Monday in opening debate, is between these two bills:

1. The Administration compromise, bearing the name of Labor Chairman Lesinski (D-Mich). It would raise the minimum from 40 cents an hour to 75, and broaden coverage of the 1938 Wage-Hour Act slightly.

2. Lucas' bill, which would boost the minimum to 65, then hook it up with the cost of living and provide for an annual adjustment—up or down—according to living costs. This bill would exclude from the act some workers now covered by the law.

Two Scout Swim Meets Scheduled

Two Boy Scout swimming meets are scheduled at Midland's Pagoda Pool next week.

Tuesday the district meet is scheduled at 5:30 p.m. Various winners in this meet qualify to compete in the Buffalo Trail Council meet.

The council meet is slated Saturday, August 20.

Both meets will have two divisions—Scout and Senior. Boys 12 through 14 years of age may compete in the Scout division and those who have passed their 15th birthday by August 15 must enter the Senior division.

The council meet will offer a trophy in each division to be presented to the Scout troop or Senior unit that compiles the highest total points. Last year the trophies were won by Troop 54 of Midland and Senior Post No. 3 of Big Spring. When any group wins the trophy three consecutive years it becomes the property of the group.

Events in both meets will consist of breast stroke, back stroke, free style, medley relay, free style relay, diving and cross chest carry.

The council meet will get underway at 9 a.m.

Rites Held Monday For Mrs. Bates

Funeral services for Mrs. Annah Tyson Bates were held at 3 p.m. Monday in Ellis Chapel. The Rev. Matthew Lynn, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiated. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery.

Mrs. Bates was a former resident of Midland though she had lived in Fort Sumner, N. M., the last 20 years. She was in Midland at the time of her death visiting with a nephew, Hollis Tyson, 1008 West Louisiana Street.

Survivors include three nephews and a niece: Hollis Tyson and Peter Tyson of Midland, Ed Tyson of Mineola and Mrs. Harry Lawson of Midland.

Pallbearers at the services were Phillip Reeves, Charles Fallow, Gerald Self, Dunn Reiger, Allen Tolbert, Homer Epley and Wardell Coker.

Looting—

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States already was sending emergency shipments of canned foods.

Plaza said his previous estimate of $20,000,000 property damage might go much higher. The government plans a survey to get a definite figure.

Most of the victims in the town of Pelileo were caught in buildings that collapsed. Landslides from the mountains accounted for others.

Farmhouses were flattened against the ground and fields were ripped apart by huge crevices.

Many other Pelileo victims died in a flood. A landslide blocked a drainage canal and the waters trapped many persons. Others died in their homes. Not a single house in the village remained standing.

HIGHWAY ENGINEER IS VISITOR IN MIDLAND

D. C. Greer of Austin, state highway engineer, was a business visitor in Midland Tuesday.

OUT OF HOSPITAL

Mrs. W. O. Piper of North Cowden was dismissed from Western Clinic-Hospital Tuesday after undergoing surgery recently.

RED EFFORT REJECTED

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND—(AP)—A Soviet effort to outlaw the atomic bomb was rejected decisively here Tuesday by a 60-nation conference revising the Geneva war conventions.

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Slayer—

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had been "overplayed" to the board.

2. That while the people in Floyd County consider Jones guilty, they also feel he was "crazy drunk" and that the death sentence should be reduced to life imprisonment.

Board Member Walter C. Strong said the board had recommended a stay of execution last Saturday night on the board's belief that some new facts had been developed that might justify further delay in carrying out the sentence.

Both Strong and Board Member L. C. Harris agreed in a public conference at the conclusion of Tuesday's hearing that nothing had been offered that would justify overturning the board's previous rulings of no clemency.

Jones had reached the death chamber early Sunday morning and was about to walk to the chair when a panting messenger arrived with word of the stay.

Double Execution

"Praise the Lord!" Jones cried. "I was ready."

And Monday he said:

"I believe in the power of God is my defense. I know the truth will come out, so help me God."

"I do not deny this killing," he added in an interview. "But I did not kill him with malice, as I have been charged by the state. My wife and I know the reason for the killing. The man I killed was one of my best friends. I saw and heard this man destroying my home. If I had had religion in my heart as I have now, this probably would never have happened."

Another man also is scheduled to be executed after midnight Tuesday. He is General Kerzee, 57-year-old Dallas negro, who is to die for the mutilation murder of Gladys Scott in Dallas in 1948. The negro woman's dismembered body was found in a Dallas alley.

John Stapleton, district attorney of the 110th District, including Floyd County, opposed further clemency at the Austin hearing.

"Too many people have lost sight of the young man in this case whose life was lost," Stapleton said, referring to Love, Purple Heart veteran of the World War II.

Convicted Twice

"Not only did Jones take his life, but he sought in the trial to drag his name through mud and mire. He wasn't that kind of man."

Mrs. Thelma Jones, 35, wife of the condemned man, and his father, Edgar Jones, 70, waited at a Huntsville hotel Tuesday. Last Saturday night, a few minutes before his son was scheduled to die, the elder Jones had a heart attack. His condition was reported improving.

Love was shot fatally Sept. 27, 1946. Jones was tried in Hale County in 1946 and given the death penalty. This was reversed by the Court of Criminal Appeals, and a second trial was held in Crosby County. Jones again was found guilty and the sentence was upheld by the Court of Criminal Appeals.

Records in the Court of Criminal Appeals, which affirmed Jones' last death sentence on March 2 of this year, showed that Jones' wife had testified to "lascivious conduct" between herself and the slain man.

The state "evidently convinced the jury of its falsity and also of the maliciousness of the act of killing," the appeals court said in confirming Jones' conviction.

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Texas Cotton Crop Largest Since 1937

AUSTIN—(AP)—The largest Texas cotton harvest since 1937 was in prospect Tuesday.

The Crop Reporting Board of the Bureau of Agriculture Economics estimated Texas production this year to bring 4,450,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight each, based on conditions as of August 1.

It would be the largest yield since the 5,154,000 bales harvested 12 years ago.

Last year's production was 3,150,000 bales and the 10-year (1938-47) average is 2,722,000 bales.

The indicated lint yield of 210 pounds per acre is above any year since 1912, when the yield also was 210 pounds. Last year's yield was 176 pounds.

The unusually good Texas cotton crop, the United States Department of Agriculture said, results from very favorable growing conditions in all areas of the state.

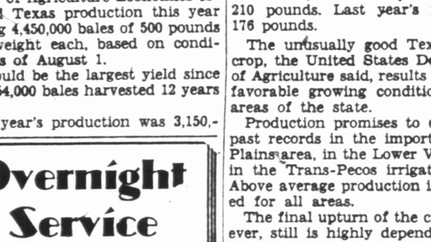
Production promises to exceed all past records in the important High Plains area, in the Lower Valley and in the Trans-Pecos irrigated area. Above average production is indicated for all areas.

The final upturn of the crop, however, still is highly dependent upon climatic conditions during the remainder of the season, USDA said.

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Blankenships Hosts To Promenaders In Officers Club

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Blankenship were hosts to the Promenaders Square Dance Club which met Monday night in the Midland Officers Club.

Members present were Lillie Marie Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lary, Marie Nichols, Barbara Brannen, Gene McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. O'Neil, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bell, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Grigsley, Marylyn Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Webb, Dick Bannister, Speedy Leftwich, R. C. Spivey, Charles Spivey and Maisie Secor.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hardy, Nancy Booth, Neil Flatt and Frankie Barber. Hardy was guest caller.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the Midland Officers Club with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Webb as hosts.

Meeting Conducted For Club Leaders

Eleven Home Demonstration Club leaders from three counties attended a session conducted by Miss Myrtle Murray, home industries specialist, Monday in the assembly room of the Midland County Courthouse.

Discussed at the meeting were consumer buying, and labeling of commercially-canned foods, clothing and household furnishings.

Miss Murray represents the Texas A&M College Extension Service.

More Information

She told the group that the Extension Service is cooperating with other agencies in an attempt to get manufacturers to include more information on their products' labels, for the information of the buyer.

Present besides Miss Murray and Mrs. Nettie Messick, Midland County Home Demonstration Agent, were Mrs. Joe Stewart, Mrs. J. B. Harvard and Mrs. Lee Castle of Stanton; Mrs. W. H. Ward, Mrs. F. B. Wilson and Margaret L. Christie of Big Spring; Mrs. E. L. Key of Tarzan, and Mrs. I. J. Howard, Mrs. O. R. Phillips and Mrs. B. L. Mason of Midland.

Summer Camping Periods At Scout Ranch Completed

The regular 10-week Summer camping period of the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, was completed Sunday, though tentative plans have been discussed for another week be made available for Scouts who failed to go to the Scout ranch during the regular period. It probably would begin August 28.

Final week of the regular Summer camping period was given over to negro Scouts. Twenty-seven of them from different points of the Council area brought the total Scout attendance to 568 for the period, highest total reached since the ranch was opened.

In addition to Scouts who have visited the Buffalo Trail Scout Ranch during the 10-week period, more than 100 adult leaders have acted as supervisors.

H. D. Norris of Sweetwater and S. G. Painter of Midland and Odessa have been acting as supervisors at the ranch. P. V. Thorson of Midland heads the council.

Congratulations To:



Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Nichols on the birth Tuesday of a daughter, Diana, weighing seven pounds, nine ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Ramage on the birth Monday of a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, weighing seven pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hobbs on the birth Monday of a daughter, Marie Elaine, weighing six pounds, 12 ounces.

Budget Hearing At School Board Meet

A budget hearing is scheduled at a meeting of the school board of the Midland Independent School District at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday in the superintendent's office.

The public is invited to attend the hearing.

Odessa Rig Builder Killed In Accident

ODESSA—L. D. Rushing, 48, Odessa rig builder, was crushed to death Monday when he fell under a metal oil rig he was helping move.

The accident occurred about 11:55 a. m. Monday while a crew was moving a rig on an Humble lease in Andrews County, 45 miles northwest of Odessa.

Bond Election Held At Pecos

PECOS—Pecos voters were scheduled to ballot Tuesday in a $275,000 school bond election.

If passed, the bonds will provide funds for long-range construction of Pecos schools and refurnishing present and projected school installations.

Meanwhile, a contract has been let for building four extra rooms onto the Latin American elementary school.

JUDGE ISSUES OUSTER ORDER AGAINST DOG

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—A landlord has a court eviction order for Patty, a 12-year-old dog.

Municipal Judge John J. McMahon ruled Patty must leave her owners' apartment because her hair aggravates the asthma of the landlord's son, also 12.

DOG BEING OBSERVED AFTER BITING CHILD

Frank Carrasco, three years old, was given emergency treatment at Western Clinic-Hospital Monday for cuts and contusions after being attacked by a dog.

The animal was ordered held for observation.

Conversation Of Authors Is Dry Stuff

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK—(AP)—What kind of people are the most interesting?

Yes, I know live people are—but what kind of live people?

William Hazlitt, in a celebrated essay, once concluded that the conversation of authors was the most interesting of any. This may have been true in a more leisurely day, when writers pushed a goose quill across the page.

It isn't true any more. Authors are a somber crew today. I eavesdrop at their gatherings fairly often, and they are like nothing more than a convention of mummies. Any bon mots they have in mind they don't say aloud; they save them for their electric typewriters. Rather than talk they prefer silently playing the "match game" to see who buys the next drink.

Perhaps they are chary of using words because they know the value of words—they are paid for using them. When they do break out in conversation, it is usually along these lines:

A. "Is your literary agent as big a louse as mine? What do they do for their 10 per cent?"

B. "My publisher is a robber."

C. "My publisher is an ignoramus."

D. "My publisher's mother once won the best-of-show award at the Westchester Kennel Club."

E. "Have you read that stinking novel by Joe Doakes, "Love Under the Neon Sign?" How did it make the best-seller list? I could sneeze a better book than that."

Actors Are Better

No, there is nothing more disillusioning than the conversation of authors.

Actors are but little better. All the world's a stage to them, and in restaurants they have a bad habit of ordering catsup like it was rare old Napoleon brandy.

Businessmen? After you say "How's business?," what else is there to do but lean back and give a big listen? Farmers? The same thing. "You inquire, "How are crops?" Then you give another big listen. Business and crops are alway bad. If taxes aren't ruining one, the boll weevil is eating up the other.

Barbers and waiters talk at you instead of to you. They just flatter you—or ignore you.

Women are like generals and financiers. They want to discuss their big operations. But at least they don't hesitate to give you the real inside story.

Frizzell Released On $20,000 Bond

BIG SPRING — Herb Frizzell, Beaumont rodeo performer charged with murder, left Big Spring with his wife shortly after his release on bond from the Howard County jail Sunday night.

Bonds of $10,000 on each of two murder charges were posted with Sheriff Bob Wolf. They were arranged in Beaumont by Frizzell's father-in-law, Dr. C. M. Cash, a retired dentist.

Frizzell is charged with murder in the fatal shooting of Carl C. Myers, Hardin-Simmons University student, and Preston (Buck) Jones, a rodeo judge here Thursday night. Both were slain during a performance of the Big Spring Rodeo.

Livestock

FORT WORTH — (AP) — Cattle 2,900; calves 800; slaughter steers and yearlings steady to 50 cents higher; all cows fully 50 cents up for two days with some fat cows 1.00 or more above last week's final prices; bulls, slaughter calves and all stocker cattle and calves fully steady to strong; medium and good steers and yearlings 17.50-24.25; lower grades 13.00-17.50; fat cows mostly 14.00-16.75; good and choice fat cows 22.00-24.50 with a few higher; common to medium calves 15.00-22.00.

Hogs 700; hogs active with butchers fully 25 cents above Monday's average price; sows strong to 50 cents higher and feeder pigs fully steady; good and choice 190-270 pound butchers 22.50-75; one truck lot of choice 224 pound 22.85—highest prices here since last December; sows 17.00-19.00.

Sheep 3,000; mostly steady; a few medium and good Spring lambs 20.00-22.00; cull and common lambs 12.00-19.00; medium and good yearlings 14.00-16.00; cull, common and medium grade ewes 7.50-8.50; common to good feeder lambs 15.00-18.00.

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Officers Guard Gas Blowout Near Huge East Texas Field

MARSHALL, TEXAS —(AP)— Ten State Highway Patrolmen have been sent to an old slough on Black Cypress River near Jefferson to guard against the threat of fire from a gas blowout which occurred Monday.

A Jefferson geologist, Dave Flesh, said he believed the gas was seeping up through the slough from a gas-producing formation about 7,000 feet under the earth.

The blowout is about a mile south and west of production in the big Rodessa gas field in Marion County.

Sheriff Joe Riggs of Marion County said a Texas Railroad Commission engineer had been asked to assist in controlling the escaping gas.

Riggs said the gas is coming from an area about 50 yards wide and about 300 yards long.

MAKE TRIP TO EUROPE ON SS ILE DE FRANCE

GARDEN CITY—James R. Currie of Garden City and John Keffer of Amarillo sailed on the SS Ile de France from New York City July 30 for an extended trip to Europe. They will visit points of interest in England, the Netherlands, Germany and Italy.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Currie, parents of James, accompanied the two to New York and will spend several weeks in the Eastern States before returning.

MEETING POSTPONED

The Belmont Bible Class meeting in the home of Mrs. W. P. Collins Friday has been postponed.

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Butane Clinic To Conclude Tuesday

Area butane dealers Tuesday were in the final sessions of a two-day clinic here. The clinic was sponsored by the Texas Butane Dealers Association. Meetings were held in the Scharbauer Hotel.

The topic under discussion during the Monday session was "Credit and Collections." Heading the discussion on the subject was Sterling S. Speake from the Extension Division, University of Texas. Lester W. Grange, also of the Extension Division, was instructing the group in its final day on "How to Sell Butane."

Also slated for discussion during the day was "Cost of Operation" and "How to Get Customers."

Dealers and salesman from the surrounding area are attending the clinic. Tuesday morning dealers from Ackerly, Stanton and Big Spring had registered for the day in addition to those from Midland and other nearby cities who had registered Monday.

COTTON

NEW YORK—(AP)—Tuesday noon cotton prices were 35 to 90 cents a bale lower than the previous close. October 29.75, December 29.75 and March 29.72.

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