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Gun Battle Ends Ohio Crime Wave

Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

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Oil Editor

ESPERADO TO DRILL WILDCAT IN ANDREWS TO 5,000 FEET

A 5,000-foot wildcat, to explore for production in the San Andres-Permian lime, is to be drilled immediately in Central Andrews County, two miles southwest of the town of Andrews.

The project will be Esperado Mining Company, (Herman and George R. Brown,) of Houston, No. 1 J. E. Parker. It is located 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 2, block A-43, psl survey. That puts it about three miles northeast of the nearest production in the main part of the Fuhrman-Mascho field.

This venture is on a checkerboard spread of about 1,000 acres which was taken by Don M. Oliver and Fred F. Kotyza, Midland operators, and turned to Esperado to drill. Oliver and Kotyza retained an over-ride on some of the leases in the spread.

The acreage was secured from Honolulu Oil Corporation and Woodley Petroleum Company. Those two concerns hold approximately 10,000 acres in that section of Andrews County.

BENEDUM STEPOUT HAS WATER IN ELLENBURGER

Slick-Urschel Oil Company and Plymouth Oil Company No. 1 Standefer, southwest flanker to the discovery well for Ellenburger production in the Benedum field of East-Central Upton County, ran a three hour and 15 minute drillstem test in the Ellenburger dolomite, at 11,551-676 feet.

Gas showed at the surface in one hour. Recovery was the 1,090 foot water blanket; 800 feet of gas cut drilling mud, and 6,130 feet of salt water. No shows of oil were reported in the fluid recovered.

Operators are drilling below 11,679 feet, and will continue to make hole, stopping to test about each 100 feet of new section.

This project, located 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of lot 3, section 50 1/2, P. B. Scott survey, topped the Ellenburger at 11,064 feet.

The section between 11,064 feet and 11,551 feet, has not been drillstem tested. It is not known whether that zone carries oil and gas or not. That question will only be answered when it is tested.

HUMBLE 1-A BARNETT HAS NO SIGNS IN DRILLSTEM TEST

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1-A Barnett, three miles northwest of the Benedum field, and 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 4, block Y, GC&SF survey, ran a one hour and 25 minute drillstem test at 11,680-742 feet, in the Ellenburger.

Recovery was the 2,000-foot water blanket and 70 feet of drilling mud. There were no shows of oil or gas. The prospector is drilling ahead below 11,756 feet in Ellenburger lime.

PACKER FAILS ON ATTEMPTED TEST AT GULF 1-E BRYANT

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1-E Wilson Bryant, Central Midland County wildcat, 14 miles south of the city of Midland, tried a drillstem test in the Devonian to total depth at 12,083 feet.

The packer did not seat, and there was no test. Operator was to condition the hole and make another attempt to run a test. Top of the Devonian is at 12,025 feet.

Operator representatives say that no signs of oil or gas production have been encountered by this venture in the Devonian.

CENTRAL WINKLER PROSPECT RE-TREATS AND FLOWS OIL

Gulf No. 125-E Keystone, North-Central Winkler prospective field opener from the Tubb zone of the Permian at 6,400-6,600 feet, retreated that zone with 5,000 gallons of acid.

The original injection was 1,000 gallons. After the load had been lifted from the 5,000 gallon shot, the well would not flow. However, operator pulled the swab a few times and it kicked off and flowed 282 barrels of oil, 31 barrels of acid water, and 14 barrels of basic sediment, in 14 hours.

It is not thought that any of the water was formation water. Informed sources said there was a net yield of 237 barrels of oil during the 14 hours. Those sources said that practically all of that fluid was new oil.

The project is continuing to flow

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Paralyzed Texas Vets Held In $5,000 Bond For Intent To Murder

MEMPHIS, TENN. —(AP)— Two semi-paralyzed Texas veterans were held in $5,000 bond each Friday on federal charges of intent to murder in connection with the shooting of a third paraplegic.

The two — 28-year-old Wallace Rice of Amarillo and 20-year-old Dow Duckworth of Gainesville—were arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Leslie Nicholson Thursday and their preliminary hearing set for Wednesday.

Dr. Clyde Beck, Kennedy Veterans Hospital manager, said Rice shot Richard Hicks, 31, of Canalou, Mo., in the left thigh July 15.

Rice obtained the pistol from Duckworth shortly after the fight, the doctor said. He said Rice tried to shoot Hicks as he lay sleeping, but the gun jammed. Later, he added, Duckworth cleared the pistol for Rice, who then shot Hicks in the leg.

At the arraignment, Duckworth said, "I had nothing to do with the shooting. I did unjam the gun, but it was through fear I did that."

Election Officials Ready To Handle Record Balloting

Midland County election officials prepared Friday to handle a record number of ballots in Saturday's Democratic Primary in which interest has increased rapidly as candidates for national, state, county and precinct offices voiced their last minute appeals for Democratic nominations.

For several days, citizens have studied sample ballots and sought information on persons seeking the public offices.

Meanwhile, the League of Women Voters and the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce called upon all citizens to "Vote as you please, but please vote." Democratic officials predicted a record vote. In the last Democratic primary, 3,010 votes were cast in Midland County. Citizens are requested to vote as early as possible.

This year a total of 5,685 poll tax receipts were issued, more than ever before. The figure does not include exemptions and transfers.

ELECTION PARTY

Returns in the national, state, county and precinct races in Saturday's Democratic primary will be posted as rapidly as they are received on the press room windows of The Reporter-Telegram on West Illinois Street, beginning about 8 p. m. Saturday. A part of the street will be roped off for the benefit of the spectators.

Voting Hours

The polls will be open between the hours of 8 a. m. and 7 p. m. Voters are urged to bring poll tax receipts.

James T. Smith, county Democratic chairman, announced the official voting places and judges, as follows:

Precinct 1—Basement Midland County Courthouse; Mrs. Gladys L. Tolbert.

Precinct 2—Prairie Lee School House; B. T. Graham.

Precinct 3—Stephenson School House; Mrs. Tyson Midkiff.

Precinct 4—VFW Hall at Midland Air Terminal; Mrs. Lee O. Manning.

Precinct 5—City-County Auditorium; E. D. Richardson.

Wall Street (U. S. 80 Highway) is the dividing line between Precincts 1 and 5, with Midland residents residing north of the highway voting at the courthouse, and those living south of the highway voting at the City-County Auditorium.

Midland banks will be closed election day.

Directing attention to the proper method of marking a ballot, officials said the voter should cross out those candidates for whom he does not wish to vote.

Plans are ready to assemble the vote results in Midland County and to get the information to the public as soon as possible after the election boxes are closed.

War Pilot Sought In 'Bombing'

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y.—(AP)—An ex-Army flyer, worried about a new war, was sought Friday as the pilot who dived at United Nations headquarters and dropped a missile which exploded harmlessly nearby.

The UN trusteeship council was in session when the missile, believed by police to be a home-made bomb, went off Thursday near the ground about 400 feet from the entrance of the central UN building.

Delegates and staff members were thrown into a state of excitement. Scores of them rushed to the windows of UN chambers. Others poured outside as a small yellow-and-orange plane banked and flew away.

A plane answering the description of the one from which the missile was dropped landed a short time later at La Guardia Field.

Former Turret Gunner

Its pilot, who identified himself as Stephen J. Supina, 36, a former B-17 turret gunner of Willington, Conn., left the field.

Police sent out a 13-state alarm

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89 Names Appear On Midland Ballot

Midland County voters have a large number of candidates from which to choose in casting their ballots in Saturday's Democratic primary. A total of 89 names appear on Midland County ballots.

Eleven candidates are seeking nomination as U. S. senator to head the list, while eight names appear in the "For Governor" position. Four names are listed for state senator, and three for state representative.

In the county races, three men are seeking the office of sheriff. Five men are seeking the nomination for commissioner of Precinct One, and a like number are listed for constable of Precinct One. Six candidates for county and precinct offices are unopposed. Only four of the candidates for state offices are without opposition.

Throughout the Permian Basin, interest largely is centered around the U. S. and Texas legislative races. Practically every county in the area lists record poll tax payments, and the largest vote in history for this section is predicted.

FLOODS WATER PLANT

IOLA, KAS. —(AP)— Waters of the rising Neosho River flooded the municipal power plant Friday, leaving most of this city of 8,000 population without electricity and water.

FINNISH PREMIER RESIGNS

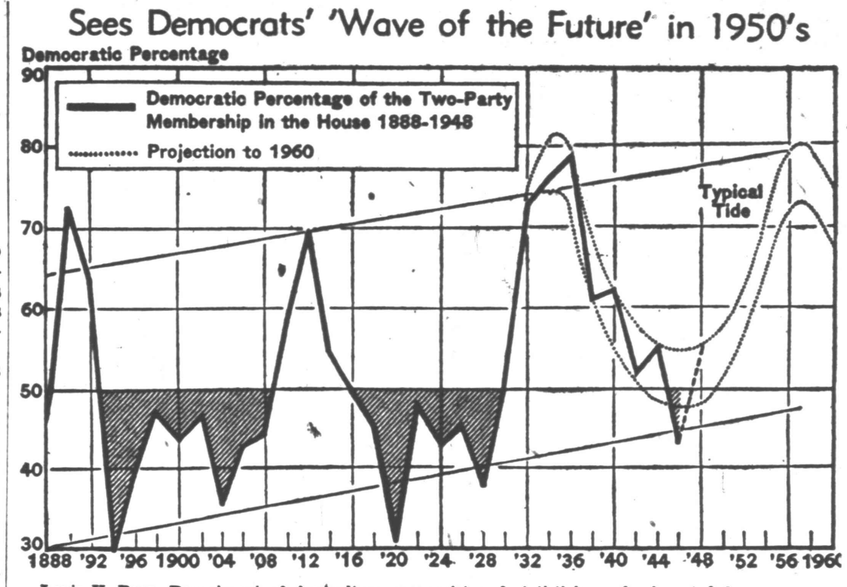
HELSINKI, FINLAND — (AP) — Premier Mauno Pekkala, who has headed Finland's leftist government since March 26, 1946, resigned Thursday night. He gave no reason.

Mr. Barkley's Staunchest Supporters



Arriving at his Paducah, Ky., home for a short vacation, Sen. Alben Barkley, the Democratic vice-presidential nominee, was enthusiastically welcomed by two of his staunchest supporters—his grandchildren, Alben Barkley III, left, 3, and Dorothy Anne, 5, give grandpa a great big hug.

Sees Democrats' 'Wave of the Future' in 1950's



Louis H. Bean, Department of Agriculture economist and statistician, who is noted for some uncannily correct political forecasts, sees the Democrats' present ebbing tide of political fortunes rising again in the 1950's, with a possible crest about 1956 and then another ebb during the 1960's. This graph shows the high and low tides of Democratic membership in the House of Representatives from 1888 to 1948, plus Bean's projection of a typical political tide for the 1950's. Note that decline of New Deal from 1936 to 1946 paralleled a typical tide line. Graph from 'How to Predict Elections," courtesy Alfred A. Knopf, publisher.

Cost-Of-Living Index Hits New All-Time Peak

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Cost-of-Living Index struck an all-time high on June 15, with food prices reaching record-shattering levels, the Bureau of Labor Statistics reported Friday.

The Index, representing retail prices of goods and services bought by moderate income families in large cities, hit 171.7 per cent of the 1935-1939 average.

As the record-smashing living cost figures were disclosed, President Truman drove ahead with preparation of recommendations he will make to Congress Tuesday for dealing with inflation and rising prices.

The White House announced Truman's appointment of Paul A. Porter as a special assistant to the President to help with preparation of anti-inflation legislation.

New Top Approaching

Porter, the last chief of the wartime Office of Price Administration, will serve on a temporary, non-salaried basis.

The BLS index on living costs, covering the period up to June 15, usually runs about five weeks behind the current price levels. It takes this much time to assemble price data and measure the impact on the family budget.

Wholesale prices, which hit an all-time high during the week ended July 17, are reported almost up-to-date. It will be more than a month before the impact of the new wholesale peak is recorded in retail prices generally.

The new Consumers Price Index—formerly known as the Cost of Living Index—is 9.3 per cent higher than a year ago. It is 28.8 per cent above that of June 1946, when price controls generally were abandoned, and 74.1 per cent above the August 1939 level.

Eisenhower, Dewey Discuss Europe In Surprise Conference

PAWLING, N. Y. —(AP)— Gov. Thomas E. Dewey and Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower discussed "the critical" European situation at a surprise conference here Friday.

Eisenhower, president of Columbia University, came to Pawling at Dewey's request. They discussed "European affairs and our military establishment," an aide of Governor Dewey said.

The visit of the World War Two Allied supreme commander in Europe preceded by one day the scheduled conference here by Gov. Dewey with Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg and John Foster Dulles to discuss the foreign situation in general and the Berlin crisis in detail.

Dewey had made no prior announcement of the Eisenhower conference.

"Ike" and Mrs. Eisenhower motored from New York City Friday morning. They had lunch with the governor and Mrs. Dewey and were to return late Friday.

It was understood that Dewey sought Eisenhower's views particularly on the Central European situation.

Let capable hands continue at the job. NETTYE C. ROMER. —(pol. adv.)

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Important Precinct Meetings Scheduled

By STANLEY FRANK

More than 6,000 Midland County residents are eligible to vote Saturday. If half of them do, a new record will be set for the county. Moreover every qualified voter in Midland County who is a member of the Democratic or Republican Party will have a chance Saturday to attend precinct meetings and help formulate state and national policies of the parties. Though that will be the last chance the "man in the street" will have to control many important aspects of his government, it will be considered miraculous if as much as 10 per cent of the total voting population of the county appears at precinct meetings.

Democratic precinct meetings will be held at 10 a. m. Residents north of U. S. Highway 80 (Precinct 1) will meet in the district courtroom on the third floor of the courthouse. Those south of the highway (Precinct 5) will meet in the American Legion Hall. Other precinct meetings will be held at the same hour near voting places throughout the county.

Only one Republican precinct meeting is scheduled. That meeting will be held in the county courtroom, second floor of the courthouse, at 3 p. m. Saturday.

To Elect Delegates

At these precinct meetings, the rank and file of the citizenship may elect delegates to county conventions, which will be held at the same hours July 31.

In electing delegates at precinct

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Mrs. Mary S. Ray, Pioneer Midland Resident, Dies

Mrs. Mary S. Ray, pioneer Midland resident and a former postmistress here, died suddenly about midnight Thursday at her home, 401 North Loraine Street.

She was born in Pennsylvania, and came to Midland in 1900. Mrs. Ray was appointed postmistress in 1922, and served in that capacity until August, 1932. Her husband, the late M. Theo Ray, was an early-day Midland postmaster, retiring from that office in 1913.

Mrs. Ray was a charter member of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church, and was an active member of the Order of Eastern Star. She also was a member of the Palette Club.

Funeral arrangements are not complete, but services likely will be held late Saturday in the First Methodist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Arch B. Coleman and Mrs. J. V. Howard, both of El Paso; nine grandchildren, and two nephews, Paul and Allen Snoden, of Fort Worth.

Rain Of .8 Inch Benefits Farmers And Cools Area

Midlanders awoke Friday morning to the sound most West Texans prefer above all others—the pleasant rhythm of rain on the roof Moisture measured .8 inch at the City Barn and .68 inch at the CAA station at Midland Air Terminal.

Many farmers saw a definite parallel between the raindrops and newly-minted coins, since the moisture virtually guaranteed good feed crops. However, the rain in this area was somewhat spotted. Johnny Nobles, Jr., reported his land was missed by the moisture, while the adjoining land of his brother, Gerald, about 10 miles out on the Andrews highway, was soaked by 1 1/4 inches. Leslie Floyd, farming between Midland and the Air Terminal, reported seven-eighths of an inch.

Hugh Crouch of Garden City said precipitation was light in the Glasscock County capital, but the ranch country between here and there appeared to have received a good rain.

Big Spring was deluged with 4.96 inches, R. L. Miller, manager of the Texas Electric Service Company here, reported. He was informed by long distance telephone that the basement of the telephone company there was flooded and that all local telephone service was suspended.

There is no substitute for ability. Re-elect NETTIE C. ROMER.—(pol. adv.)

Thundershowers Fall In West Texas Friday

By The Associated Press

Thundershowers moved into the South Plains area of West Texas Friday after cooling off the Panhandle.

Fairly heavy rains were reported Friday morning in the Midland-Big Spring region. More showers were forecast for widely-scattered areas of West Texas and the West and North parts of East Texas.

Childress reported the biggest Panhandle rain—1.52 inches. Lubbock had .91 inch; Pampa .39; Clarendon .13; Amarillo .07.

The showers extended east as far as Wichita Falls, which had .18 inch.

Police Capture Young Slayers At Road Block

VAN WERT, OHIO—(AP)—Two youthful ex-convicts who terrorized Ohio with seven slayings in the last 14 days, hit the end of their crime career Friday at a Van Wert County police road block. One was dying, shot between the eyes, and the other captured.

Two police officers were wounded in the wild flurry of rifle and pistol shots which ended the greatest manhunt Ohio ever has witnessed.

John C. West, 22-year-old bespectacled reformatory parolee from Parkersburg, W. Va., described as the "gun happy" member of the bandit pair, was shot between the eyes.

His partner, 22-year-old Robert M. Daniels of Columbus, put up his hands and surrendered—and then confessed all seven of the killings which have kept the Midwest in a two-week turmoil.

The highway patrol, local police, FBI and other officials had set up road blocks all over the northern half of the state after two more killings early Friday, and the road blocks paid off.

Van Wert County and city officials were stationed at a road block six miles northeast of here, where Routes 224 and 627 meet.

A driveaway truck, with four automobiles aboard, approached. The officers stopped it for a routine check.

Comes Out Shooting

The driver of the truck came out of the cab, an Army rifle blazing. Sgt. L. D. Conn, 42, Van Wert policeman, went down with a bullet in his chest. Frank A. Friemoth, 55, county game protector, also fell with a bullet in his breast, the slug lodging in his arm.

Both officers, with Sheriff Roy Shaffer, blazed away with their guns despite the wounds, and Sergeant Conn finally hit the driver between the eyes with a machine gun bullet. The driver was identified as West.

As the firing ceased a man crawled from one of the four trucks on the driveaway, his hands in the air. He said he was Daniels, and the highway patrol said he admitted he and West had committed the seven killings for which they had been sought over 20 states the last two weeks.

Sergeant Conn's condition was reported as critical at Van Wert Hospital.

Seven Known Victims

No trace of the regular driver of the driveaway truck had been found, opening the possibility that he, too, may have been a victim of the killers in their search for transportation with which to evade capture in the ever-closing net which authorities had thrown around the up-state sector.

Later an official of the Bolin Driveaway Company of South Bend, Ind., owner of the truck in which the bandits met their finish, said he believed the seventh victim of the gunmen was one of their employes.

The official said Orville Taylor, 28, of Niles, Mich., had left South Bend Thursday for Welch, W. Va., with four Studebakers on a driveaway truck. The driveaway in which the two bandits were captured carried four Studebakers. A company official was en route to Tiffin to view the body.

The pair of gunmen hit the end of their trail only a few hours after they had killed the last two of their victims, Farmer James Smith, 25, of Tiffin, who was slain as he sat in a car with his wife, and another man tentatively identified as Glenn Beard Gschwind, a 24-year-old Navy veteran of Fremont, whose body was found early Friday in a roadside park.

Fremont police said the victim was not Gschwind, who was reported at his home Friday. This left open the possibility that the body found in the roadside park was that of the authorized driver of the driveaway truck which the killers rode into their final roadblock here.

The gray Pontiac car in which the killers launched their career 14 days ago by slaying Earl Ambrose, Columbus tavern operator, was found beside the body.

Blaze Bloody Trail

After the Ambrose killing, the two youthful gunmen blazed a bloody trail, which had law enforcement officers baffled and had all of Ohio in a state of "jitters."

Next on the list of victims was Frank Kerech, middle-aged tourist camp operator at Flat Rock, Mich.

Then the killers, after being seen momentarily in Southeastern Ohio, swept into the northern section and back to the Mansfield reformatory where both had served time for previous crimes.

There, before dawn, they routed

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We now have late model SMITH-CORONA OFFICE TYPEWRITERS. Baker Office Equipment Co., 511 W. Texas. Phone 2634.—(Adv.)

Clay Sees No War In Berlin Now

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Gen. Lucius D. Clay told Congress members Friday the Americans will stay in Berlin and he doesn't expect anything to happen that will involve the country in war.

In rapid-fire order the American military governor in Germany appeared separately before House and Senate groups and paid a farewell call on President Truman at the White House.

Clay first told a House group, including some members of the Foreign Affairs Committee, that American forces in Germany can and will carry out this government's intention to remain in Berlin despite the crisis over the Soviet blockade.

Later, he talked privately with a group of senators, headed by Senator Wherry (R-Neb), acting majority leader. Wherry told reporters:

"General Clay told us the situation is not any worse than it has been. He said they will continue to work it out. He said nothing has happened yet to involve us in war and we can expect that nothing will."

Very Optimistic

Another senator represented Clay as being "very optimistic" over finding a satisfactory solution to the Berlin problem.

Earlier Clay had been closeted with the House group for 35 minutes in a review of the German situation. He had no comment after his appearance there or before the senators.

Committee Chairman Eaton (R-NJ) and Army Secretary Kenneth Royall issued the following joint

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Five Texans Included In Superfort Crews

TUCSON, ARIZ.—(AP)—At least five Texans are crew members of B-29s making the globe-circling flight.

Two of the Texans are brothers, Tech. Sgts. Mark M. Rose and LeRoy Rose, both of Corpus Christi. The other three are Master Sgt. William M. Roberts, Fort Worth; Staff Sgt. Charles H. Marting, Beaumont, and Tech. Sgt. Jack E. Hawkins, Waco.

WEATHER

Partly cloudy, widely scattered thundershowers Friday afternoon, night, and Saturday. Warmer in the Panhandle and South Plains Saturday. Maximum temperature Thursday was 94 degrees; minimum Friday was 71 degrees.

★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

BIG SPRING —(AP)— Seventy-six thousand barrels of oil in a 80,000 barrel tank were burning here Friday. The tank was struck by lightning during a heavy thunderstorm. It belongs to the Cosden Petroleum Corporation.

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY —(AP)— Six Roman Catholic priests tried by a Hungarian peoples' court received sentences ranging from 10 months to 10 years in prison Friday on war crimes charges.

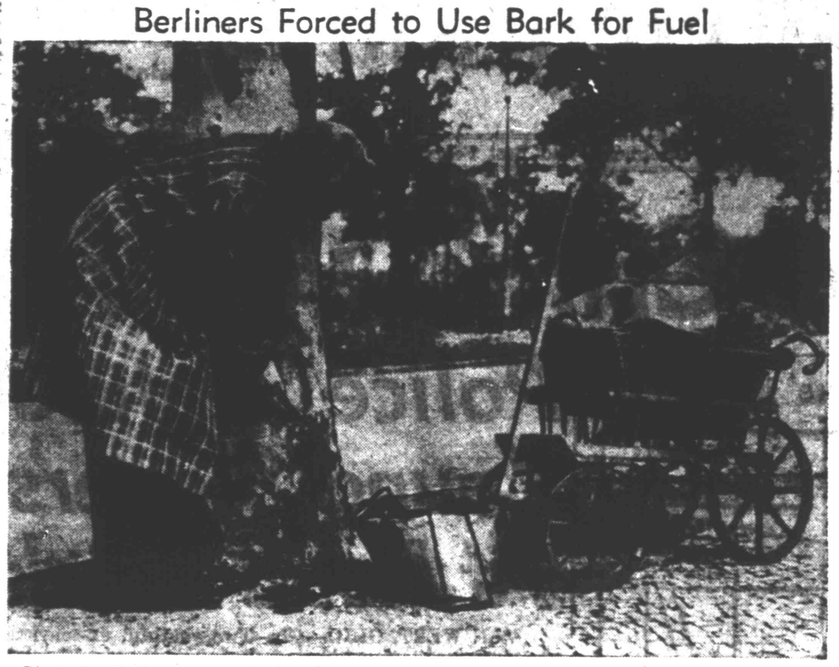
CAIRO —(AP)— Cairo was under a state of emergency Friday, with mounted police and police trucks patrolling the streets. Cause of the emergency and details were withheld by censorship.

SEOUL —(AP)— The U. S. Army said Friday Russian hand grenades were used by North Koreans in ambushing American soldiers near the occupation boundary Monday. A private from Brooklyn was killed.

...Use Your Vote Wisely . . . NETTYE C. ROMER for District Clerk. —(pol. adv.)

+ Vote As You Please, But Please Vote Saturday +

Berliners Forced to Use Bark for Fuel



Blockaded Berliners, whose food and fuel are being flown in by the U. S. Air Force, augment their meager supplies by wartime measures. This woman strips bark from a tree to use as fuel. She'll pile it in her little cart and haul it home. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent Jack Chitham.)

Cotton Congress Will View Fashions Friday

DALLAS—(AP)—Technical discussions occupied the ninth annual Cotton Research Congress Friday, but delegates were scheduled to see a fashion show featuring the latest in cotton fabrics Friday night.

Matilda Nail, 1948 maid of cotton, and Elizabeth Ann Stollenwerck, alternate maid of cotton, are to appear on the program.

The congress Thursday heard speakers urge strong support for the Economic Cooperative Administration and Secretary of Agriculture Frank P. Brannan said:

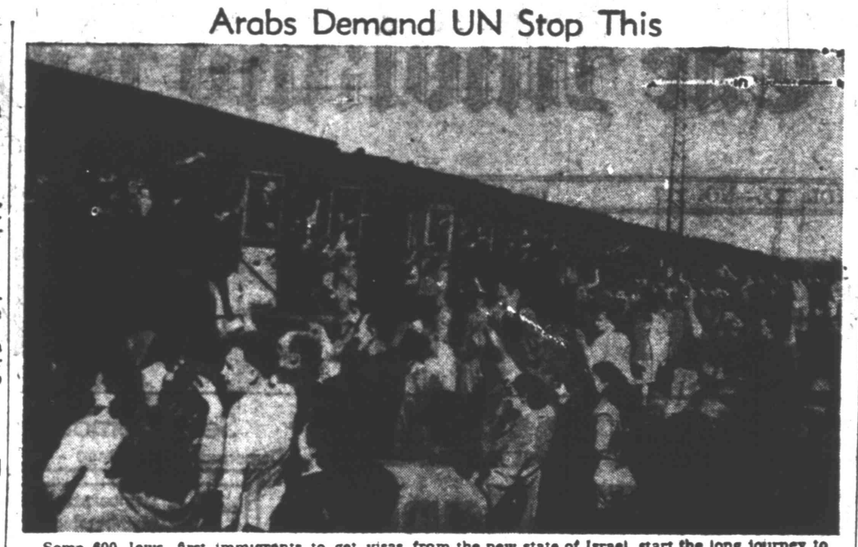
"The outlook for American cotton in the immediate future is better than it has been for at least two decades."

San Angelo Phone Company Gets New Head

DALLAS—(AP)—Don Hunsaker will become president of the San Angelo, Del Rio, and Winter Garden Telephone Companies August 1, it was announced. He will maintain headquarters in San Angelo.

Hunsaker quit a post with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company to assume his new position.

Arabs Demand UN Stop This



Some 600 Jews, first immigrants to get visas from the new state of Israel, start the long journey to the Holy Land from Munich, Germany, with friends and relatives waving farewell. Immigration is one of the chief bones of contention facing the UN as it attempts to work out a peace settlement during the truce. The Arabs demand a complete cessation of immigration while the truce goes on, but Israelis are certain to resume fighting if immigration stops. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent Gerhard Seining.)

Frogs spend the Winter hibernating in mud, while moles go deeper underground to spend the cold months.

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Marshall Plan Success Depends Heavily On Berlin Crisis Solution

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

That was a cheering splash of rainbow we glimpsed through the international storm-clouds Thursday when from Washington, London and Moscow came reports which seemed calculated to encourage hope for peace.

President Truman declared prospects for world peace are good—in fact excellent.

U. S. Secretary of State Marshall and British Foreign Secretary Bevin both announced they will use every possible diplomatic means to get a peaceful settlement of the Berlin imbroglio.

And diplomatic sources in Moscow said chances for a four power meeting (America, Britain, France and Russia) seemed brighter than at any time since Russia clamped the food blockade on Berlin five weeks ago.

A solution of the German crisis is essential to the success of the Marshall Recovery Plan. A healthy and united Germany is necessary for European recovery because the Reich long has been the keystone of the continental economic structure.

So the outcome of the Marshall Plan depends on whether Russia and the Western Democracies can reconcile their differences over the occupation of Berlin and the ultimate disposition of Germany as a whole.

Not to put too fine a point on it, the question of how much you and I shall have to be paying for food and lodging four years hence will depend heavily on the solution of this crisis which is more than European—it is global.

McCamey CC Drive Is In High Gear

McCAMEY—Pledges totaling $5,800 had been obtained Thursday in the McCamey Chamber of Commerce membership campaign, Matt Dillingham, finance chairman, announced. Teams of workers are contacting all business and professional firms during the drive, which is being continued.

C. G. Forrester and Jesse Russell have obtained 18 memberships to head the list. R. E. Ruble and Wayman Rose have turned in the most money—$1,815.

The office of the new Chamber of Commerce on West Fifth Street will be open next week, President C. W. Brown said.

Contrary to common opinion, food flavors are much more a matter of smell than of taste.

Stevenson Plans No Whirlwind Campaign Finish

TEMPLE — (AP) — Hand-shaking tours through four Central Texas towns Friday, a radio speech Friday night and another Saturday wind up the U. S. Senate race Coke Stevenson believes he has run to victory.

Saturday—election day—He'll hit the voters just before poll time with a radio speech at 6:30 a. m.

Then he plans to go to Junction, his hometown, cast his ballot and return to Austin to watch the returns come in.

Stevenson said he'll make no last-minute rush to speak to large crowds. "I can get to more people on the streets than I can at meetings." And he said he would hurl no last-minute charges at his opponents.

That's the way he campaigned Thursday—and has in the past—up and down hot, dusty streets in his shirt sleves and with his rancher's hat pushed back, shaking hands and introducing himself to as many people as possible.

Still Confident

Stevenson told reporters he is still confident his type of campaign has suited Texans so well they'll elect him in the first primary.

He talked again of his plans to go to Washington to watch the Senate in action during the special session of Congress which begins Monday. Another reason for going, he said, is that he wants to try to get new information on the tense situation in Berlin.

Stevenson said that the return to Washington of Gen. Lucius D. Clay, American military governor in Germany, to report to President Truman and defense chiefs simply adds force to a point he has been making—"that we all need more information on the Berlin situation."

With many of his handclasps Thursday, Stevenson wrung out assurances that he'll get votes. One man said, "You smoke a pipe, and so do I;" another. "You're a country man and you understand us country people."

But most of those who promised Stevenson their votes said "we liked you when you were governor."

Work Begins On East Texas Dam

TEXARKANA, TEXAS—(AP)—Construction men were at work Friday on a $26,000,000 flood control project on Sulphur River at a site 11 miles south of here.

The dam, one of five in the Red River Basin below Denison Dam, "is a new industrial area for East Texas," said Congressman Wright Patman.

The herring is the most numerous food fish in the United States.

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of Pecos, Texas
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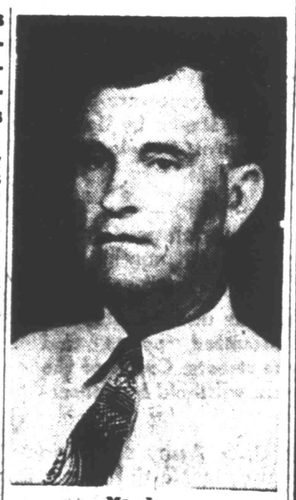
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70th Judicial District



Freddye Lou (Barber) Pate is 28 years old. She has lived in Midland all of her life. She owns her home at 2300 West Brunson Street. She is the widowed mother of two small children, Joan, age 6, and Walter Fred, age 3. She is a member of the Eastern Star.

She graduated from Midland high school with honors in the class of 1937, winning a scholarship at Baylor University as a reward. On June 5, 1938, she was married to Clyde Hollis Pate. Mr. Pate served in the 347th Bomber Group as a pilot during World War II, joining the Army in May, 1942, and remaining in the service until his death on March 23, 1947, advancing to the rank of 1st. Lieutenant. Lt. Pate was killed in an airplane mishap at Randolph Field while in the line of duty.

Freddye Lou Pate is familiar with the duties of District Clerk and is well qualified to handle the job. If electetd she pledges: "To carry out to the best of her knowledge the duties of District Clerk as defined by State Statutes." She has had seven years of business experience, her last job having been with the Midland Production Credit Association.

She Is Deserving Of Your Vote—Elect
FREDDYE LOU (BARBER) PATE
DISTRICT CLERK

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Society

Shower Honoring Violet Rogers Given At Paul Brooks Home

A miscellaneous shower Wednesday honored Violet Rogers, bride-elect of Donald L. Orr, on her birthday. The shower was given at the home of Mrs. Paul Brooks, 602 North Marinefield Street.

Co-hostesses were Miss Christine Golliday and Mrs. A. G. Bohannon.

Mrs. G. F. Garrison of Los Angeles, an aunt of Miss Rogers', was in charge of the entertainment, and Mrs. Lynch King, also an aunt of the honoree, presided at the guest book.

A blue and white arrangement of asters, feverfew and babybreath centered the serving-table. A surprise to the honoree was the appearance at the shower of many of her friends from Odessa, where she formerly lived.

The Immanuel Baptist Church in Odessa, where her father was pastor for several years, sent Miss Rogers a chenille bedspread with a peacock design.

Midland Guests

Guests from Midland were Mrs. Dwight McDonald, Mrs. F. B. Abbott, Miss Golliday, Mrs. Bohannon, Mrs. King, Mrs. P. M. King, Mrs. R. O. Walker, Mrs. W. L. Sutton, Mrs. H. S. Collings, Mrs. D. L. Lindsey, Mrs. J. C. Hudman and the hostess.

Attending from Odessa were Mrs. Gladys McPheepers, Mrs. V. L. Brunette, Mrs. E. R. Girvin, Marie Henderson, Mrs. E. J. Hodo, Mrs. J. L. Eagan and daughter, Joette, Mrs. Owen Berryhill and Mrs. E. G. Locklar.

Present from Los Angeles were Mrs. B. A. Rogers, mother of the honoree, and Mrs. C. F. Garrison and daughter, Jo Ann.

Sending gifts from Midland were Madilee Roberts, Mrs. Edna Hightower, Mrs. Lenton Brunson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wingo, Mrs. W. G. Attaway, Mrs. F. H. Lanham, Mrs. Golden Donovan, Mrs. John King, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Burris.

The Rev. T. J. Briscoe of Irving, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Holcombe of Whittier, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bryan of Fort Worth, Mrs. Baldwin Rogers, the honoree's grandmother, from Big Spring, and Mrs. N. V. Eubank of Tyler also sent gifts.

Sending gifts from Odessa were Mrs. R. H. Hardman, H. L. Webb, Mrs. Pogue, Mary Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Champion, Mrs. C. F. Lyles and Mrs. Hillier, Mrs. Whisenhunt, Mrs. Dolan, Mrs. Woods, Mrs. Samford, Mrs. Mills, and Miss Marie Henderson.

Culture Class Pupils Presented At Coffee

McCAMEY—Mrs. W. J. Campbell presented the pupils of her Culture Class to the mothers at a recent coffee.

The following program was presented:

"Little Orphan Annie" — Susan Heasley; "Betty Practices Her Piano Lesson"—Elizabeth Littlejohn; "Tress Tells the Truth"—Ann Van Atta; "Strategy"—Johnnie Wade; "Casey at the Bat"—Mary Alice Gillott; "What Jack Said"—Jeanna Conger; "A New Star is Born"—Nancy Littlejohn.

Coffee and cake were served to the class and these mothers: Mrs. Jess Wade, Mrs. Mark Heasley, Mrs. Joe Conger, Mrs. Bill Van Atta and Carol, Mrs. Wallace Littlejohn and Mrs. A. D. Duncan and the hostess, Mrs. Campbell.

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B&PW Club Has Annual Supper At Stovall Home

The annual lawn supper of the B&PW Club was held Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Neta Stovall, 307 North C Street.

Mrs. Stovall's co-hostesses were Mrs. DeAlva Brewer, Ruth Donnell, Mrs. Thelma L. Gardner, Mrs. Joy McCoy, Mrs. Mae Fromhold, Mrs. Margaret Haney, Mrs. Eleanor Luton, Mrs. Colysta Christian, Nettie Johnson and Mrs. Iva Noyes.

Mrs. Luton offered the invocation and Mrs. Jessie Baker gave a brief summary of the purposes of the organization.

After a meal featuring fried chicken and ranch-style beans, Fannie Bess Taylor and Cordelia Taylor reported on the national biennial convention of Business and Professional Women's Clubs held recently in Fort Worth.

Fannie Bess Taylor, the club's public affairs chairman, attended the convention as a delegate, and Cordelia Taylor was hospitality chairman.

Members Present

Mrs. Jewel Barton of Big Spring, retiring district director, was introduced to the members.

Members present were Mrs. Jessie K. Baker, Mrs. Clara Gabbert, Mrs. Vera N. McLeRoy, Mrs. Olla L. Peck, Carroll Sanders, Mrs. Hollye Friberg, Mrs. Anne Graham, Mrs. Ruby Rhoden, Miss Dick Looby, Ruth Baden, Mrs. Laura Smith Self, Mrs. Berry Cowden, Mrs. Olive Walker, Mrs. Margaret Larkin, Mrs. Lillie Rose Meissner.

Mrs. Luton, Mrs. Carlean Christy, Vara Bartine, Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. Kittie Davenport, Mrs. Nettie Messick, Mrs. Opal C. Cooper, Mrs. Irma Harris, Mrs. Susie Noble, Cordelia Taylor, Mrs. Joy McCoy, Mrs. Neta Stovall, Ruth Donnell, Mrs. Audra Bel Churchill.

Guests attending were Pauline Crow, Ann Johnson, Mrs. Gustave Earby, Mrs. Julia Filson, Mrs. Florence Shade, Peg Kraeer of Big Spring, Mrs. Jack L. Harbison, Mrs. T. K. White, Mrs. Margaret Warner of Big Spring, Mrs. Louise Sheeler of Big Spring, Mrs. Jewel Barton of Big Spring, Mrs. Udel Uselton of Pecos, Mrs. Faye Carson.

Mrs. Martha Greene, Mrs. Mirl Hall, Mrs. Madelyn Tucker, Mrs. Mary J. Creem, Mrs. Wilma Dee Smith, Dell Steel, Peggy Woody, Mrs. Polly Kirk, Mildred Brand, Mrs. James G. Harper, Mrs. Mae Dunagan, Mrs. Frances Carter, Lucille Pearce, Laura Jesse, Mrs. Della Cooper.

Mrs. Gayle Guffey of Odessa, Mrs. Ora Hart of Odessa, Mrs. W. H. Brewster of Moran and Mrs. Vera Storey.

Cool Headlines

For Summertime Beauty



By ALICIA HART
NEA Staff Writer

This Summer's square - dance cottons and other folk - type fashions almost dictate that you wear a simple hair-do styled to match the picturesque charm of your clothes.

Shown here are some pert new hair-do's designed to team up with popular Summer cottons; to keep your coiffure under control for Summer sports or the square dance's spirited Do-Si-Do. Because these styles are simple you are reminded again that the beauty of such arrangements depends upon the satiny texture and light-catching shimmer which only comes from clean shine.

If your hair is sun-dried or hard to manage try washing your locks with liquid shampoos which have a hair-conditioning action. Such shampooos are formulated to tame unruly locks.

If your hair is long, hoist it psyche-fashion. Such a coiffure is shown on the model (left) whose locks are pulled up and back and released in dangling curls. For this, part hair on the side, brush up from the nape of the neck and back from the face and bind strands securely at the crown with a rubber band. Brush ends into loose curls. Garden flowers may be tucked into the topknot to conceal the rubber band; to accent Summer freshness.

Is your hair short? Try the feather-edged cap style (right). For this one, part hair low on the side, finger-press a slight wave at the temple. Brush hair over the crown and forward to cover the ears. Fluff up just the tips to outline the smooth cap effect.

Another fetching style (center) which lends itself to long or short hair puts a smoothly curled bun over each ear. To copy, divide hair into two sections by means of a center part from front to back. Now, pull each section back behind the ear and bind with a rubber band. Brush ends forward and turn under to make a bun. Attach big ribbon bows to a bobby pin and slip over each rubber band.

A. L. Teaff To Hold Revival In Lubbock

The Rev. Wayne Hayden of Hardin?Simmons University, Abilene, will be guest pastor at the Calvary Baptist Church Sunday while the Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Teaff and children, Sarolyn, LaLee and A. L., Jr., vacation at Cloudcroft and Ruidosa, N. M.

They will return by way of Lubbock, where Mr. Teaff will attend a family reunion and preach to his relatives Sunday morning.

Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, Mr. Teaff will begin a revival meting at the Greenwood Baptist Church, whose pastor is the Rev. Lee Bailey. The revival will continue through the following Sunday.

Farewell Party Honors Wrights

STANTON—Mr. and Mrs. Brick Eidson honored Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wright with a farewell party in the Eidson home Tuesday night.

Wright has been employed in the Stanton post office about three years. He is moving to Midland to work in the post office there.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Gilbreth, Mrs. George Lewis, Mrs. Aaron Alexander, Mrs. Mace Howard and Dorothy Renfro.

Tarzan Girl Wins Martin 4-H Contest

STANTON—Colleen Langley of Tarzan won first place in her age group in the Martin County 4-H Club style show held in the court house Wednesday.

She will represent Martin County in a state contest in October.

Other winners were Billie Joy Angel of Courtney, Patsy Kelly of Stanton and Billie Jean Carlyle.

Stanton Rebekahs Hold Regular Meet

STANTON — At their regular meeting Monday, the Stanton Rebekahs voted to send a love offering to their adopted daughter in the IOOF Home in Corsicana.

Members present were Naomi Yell, Pat White, Frances Butcher, Audrey Louder, Obera Angel, Vera McCoy, Elnora Shipp, Mildred Hastings, Evarine Christopher, Charlie Christopher, Alice Angel, Loretta McReinolds, Zella Angel and Pauline Graves.

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Must Notice Things

To take home new ideas you have to be first of all a person who notices, who has an inquiring mind.

And secondly you have to be willing to go home and try out the new.

Why not keep the "new idea" possibility in mind when you take your next trip?

Instead of thinking only of bringing home a few gifts for your family and friends, a few snapshots and a few pleasant memories, see if you can bring home some new ideas.

If you do that you'll really enjoy travel.

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And the King shall answer and say unto them, Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me.—Matthew 25:40.

An Important Day!

Saturday is an important day in Texas. It is the day of the Democratic Primary.

It is the day on which every qualified Democratic voter should go to the polls to express his or her preference for candidates seeking nominations for national, state, county and precinct offices. And in Texas, a Democratic nomination usually means election. That is important to each and every citizen of Midland and every other county in the state.

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The right to vote is a sacred privilege—a privilege for which mankind for centuries has struggled, and a privilege for which free-thinking men in many parts of the world today would give their very lives.

And yet in this great bulwark of freedom and democracy, many citizens neglect to exercise their right of the ballot. Voting intelligently not only is a privilege, it is a duty and an obligation.

Should the right of the ballot be taken away, there would be screaming to the high heavens—even from those who seldom take advantage of their voting privilege. And usually those who did not take the time or trouble to vote scream the loudest when something not to their liking occurs in government affairs. They have no right to kick at the vote or action of an office holder if they were not interested enough to vote at election time.

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Midland County, with more than 6,000 eligible voters, has a chance this year to break all previous records in the number of ballots cast, and it is hoped the voters will turn out in record numbers.

If the vote here is not the largest in history it surely will not be the fault of the Midland League of Women Voters or the Junior Chamber of Commerce, two organizations which are doing everything possible to get out the vote in Saturday's primary. Everyone should know Saturday is primary election day and everyone should be interested enough in good government to cast a ballot. We believe the vote here will be a record-breaker.

The Permian Basin as a whole should establish a new voting record this year—practically every county having issued more poll tax receipts than ever before. It is up to the eligible voters.

The question, "Have you voted?" should be on the lips of every citizen Saturday.

VOTE AS YOU PLEASE, BUT PLEASE VOTE.

Army Justice

The Army has decided on a number of wise judicial reforms in its courts-martial procedure. Chief among them is one concerning the punishment for murder or rape. Formerly the death sentence was mandatory on conviction. Now it is discretionary.

Civil law has long recognized that there can be many extenuating circumstances connected with both murder and rape, and has tailored the punishment to fit the crimes. The same recognition in our military law at last substitutes for a brutal, medieval concept of justice, an approach that is right and reasonable.

A New York grandmother cooked dinner for 48 on her ninety-seventh birthday. How old do you have to be to earn a little rest?

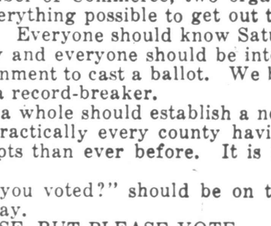
It is estimated a cow moves its jaw 41,000 times a day—and without saying a word that hurts anybody.

Numerous books could be improved by not making the covers so far apart.

The average man speaks about 12,000,000 words a year, says a scientist.

Swim Star

Answer to Previous Puzzle



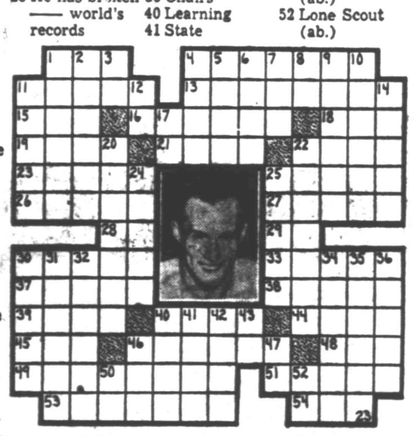
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30 Guide
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53 Mouth disease
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17 Type measure
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24 Shop
25 He has broken —— world's records
30 Begin
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Here's One Man Who Knows 'How To Predict Election'

By PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—Louis H. Bean, Department of Agriculture economist and statistician, has had the nerve to write a book called "How to Predict Elections," just published by Knopf. He doesn't handle the subject exactly like a mystery story, with the answer on whether it will be Dewey or Truman revealed in the last chapter. Instead, he gives all the clues, charts and tables on past elections and trends. Then he leaves it up to the reader to dope it out for himself.

Twelve years ago, Louis Bean says he fell in love at first sight with a half page of figures—election figures, that is, in the World Almanac. These figures have been his hobby ever since.

That he is good can be attested by this writer. Two years ago he sought out Dr. Bean for a forecast on the off-year congressional elections. No flat prediction was forthcoming. But after looking over all the factors, Bean made an estimate that the Republicans would win about twice as many seats as they needed to get control of both Senate and House.

The result was so close that it was uncanny. The GOP needed 26 seats in the House and six in the Senate to gain control. Twice that was 52 and 12. What they won was 55 and 12.

'1948 And The Incoming Tide'

In the last chapter of "How to Predict Elections," Bean now takes a flyer on "1948 and the Incoming Tide."

It is his considered opinion that 1947 marked the end of the downward trend in the New Deal tide, the beginning of a new one. He backs this up with a chart showing two-party power, as measured by Republican and Democratic majorities in the House for 60 years past.

Democratic peaks came in the years 1890-92, 1912-14, 1932-36. Republican peaks, lasting somewhat longer, have come in the years 1894-1904, 1920-28 and 1946 to — well, what's your guess?

Author Bean's guess seems to be that even if the Republicans do win in 1948, the Democrats will be due for a rise in the 1950s. After that, they'd take another dive in the 1960s.

Bean says that if the election had been held early in 1948, the Democrats would have won in a walk. But the Democrats hit the skids late in the Spring.

For short range forecasters, Bean warns that this boiling political pot must be allowed to quiet down before brewing predictions. He himself seems to lean to the belief that the Republican victory of 1946 may be of short duration. He says one result of the third party emergence may be the election of a Republican President and a Democratic Congress.

Other 'Experts' Have Ideas

Other political "experts" have other ideas. Bean is fair enough to cite them. Prof. Arthur N. Holcombe is quoted on the theory that whenever a party in power loses control of Congress in off-year elections, it also loses the presidency in the next election. This happened in 1882, 1890, 1894, 1910, 1918, 1930.

Prof. Arthur M. Schlesinger, Sr., of Harvard, is quoted on his theory that periods of liberalism are followed by periods of conservatism, each lasting from 15 to 18 years. Under this theory, the 16-year period of New Deal liberalism lasting from 1931 to 1947 would normally be followed by a period of conservatism lasting from 1947 to approximately 1963.

Assuming no recession comes in 1948-49, Bean charts a possible alternate course to that of Schlesinger. If a depression should hit somewhere about 1952, Bean says that the Democrats—or their equivalents or successors—would dominate the U. S. political scene during the last half of the 1950s.

"The balance," writes Bean, "will be determined by the success or failure attending the efforts of the party in power—Republican or Democratic—to smooth out the business cycle, and to establish peace." That's a great big loophole of an "if" through which any political prophet can crawl to safety. But it states pretty clearly what the principal political issues will be in the coming 10 years.

All this speculation is pretty much of a mental exercise with statistics. Bean says he has given no cnosideration to personalities. He thereby admits the same kind of error that political bosses do when they talk personalities and political movements without facts and figures.

Questions and Answers

Q—Why is March 17 St. Patrick's Day?

A—March 17 is the traditional day on which St. Patrick died. Many people erroneously suppose it to be the anniversary of his birth.

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Q—What famous French writer was part Negro?

A—Alexandre Dumas the elder was of part Negro blood. His father, General Dumas, was a mulatto, the son of a French nobleman and a full-blooded Negro woman of Santo Domingo.

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Q—Where is the roof of the world?

A—The Pamir Mountains in northwest India and Turkestan are sometimes called the Roof of the World because of their great altitude. The Pamirs are almost barren of vegetation.

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Q—Who was the first elected woman senator in the United States?

A—Hattie W. Carraway of Arkansas. She served from 1931 to 1945.

Maryland People Trap Beetles For Money

WHEATON, MD. —(AP)— J. R. Pendleton, local hardware merchant, advertised that he would pay $1 for every 10 pints of trapped Japanese beetles brough into his store.

He thought people would bring in the garden pests in small lots.

He was mistaken.

They came in with as much as 40 gallons of beetles at a time.

After paying out $200 and finding the rear of his store rapidly filling up with dead beetles, Pendleton said:

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The DOCTOR Says

Hay Fever Victims Find Varied Degrees Of Relief In Travel

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

Many people who suffer from ragweed hay fever plan their vacations during late August and early September with the idea of getting away from the source of their trouble.

Some places on this continent have no ragweed or so little that the trouble is greatly lessened. There is practically no ragweed in the Pacific Northwest and Northern California, Arizona and New Mexico. The Rocky Mountains themselves have little ragweed, though ragweed grows well in the plains just east of the mountains. There is practically no ragweed in Southern and Eastern Florida and very little on a strip of territory in Western and Northern Maine away from the seacoast.

Northern Minnesota and uppef Michigan have less ragweed than farther south. Many victims of hay fever get a great deal of relief in these areas, though when a strong wind is blowing from the south they often have trouble.

With the exception of the areas which are known to be free of ragweed pollen or have very small amounts in the air, the amount of relief which hay fever sufferers get from resorts is variable. Some people get almost complete relief, some are partially relieved, and others seem to have just about as much trouble as at home.

According to pollen studies, cities with no ragweed in the air or very small amounts include Sacramento, Miami, Reno, Portland (Oregon), Seattle, Spokane, Prince Albert (Saskatchewan), and Mexico City. Favorable claims are also made for such places as Mackinac Island, Marquette and Charlevoix in Michigan; Bethlehem, Bretton Woods and Dixville Notch in New Hampshire; Campobello Island in New Brunswick, Canada, Minaki Lodge and Port Arthur, Ontario, and Murray Bay, Quebec.

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Truman Will Visit Key West, Fla., If—

KEY WEST, FLA., — (AP) — President Truman says he will return to the "Little White House" here, "if things go right."

The President replied to a Chamber of Commerce telegram congratulating him on winning the Democratic nomination and expressing the hope he would visit the island after the November election.

"I certainly appreciate your good telegram of the 15th," Truman wrote in reply, "and you can rest assured I'll be back in Key West one of these days."

American Women Kick Freakish 'New Look' Into Fall Trash Heap

By DOROTHY ROE
Associated Press Fashion Editor

NEW YORK—(AP)—Mrs. U. S. A. can look forward to a season of contented shopping next Fall, as the new clothes now being previewed by the nation's fashion press are exactly what she ordered.

Proving that she has a mind of her own, the typical American woman frankly balked at last Fall's freakish "New Look," and announced—"I'll have none of it!" The only thing remaining of the ill-fated French inspired silhouette is the longer skirt length—about eleven inches from the floor is average daytime length—but the bulky skirts and padded hips and the pinched waists have gone the way of all unbecoming fashions.

The new solhouette is slim, streamlined, ladylike, faintly Victorian, and almost always flattering.

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Both Mrs. McKnight and the pilot, Staff Sgt. Frank Franks, escaped serious injuries.

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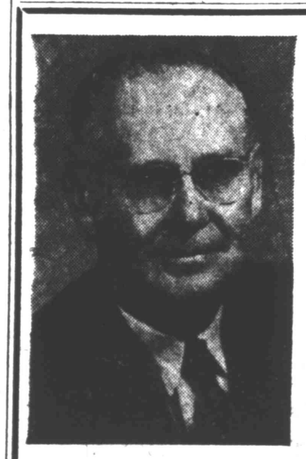
James P. Hart is 43 years old, married and the father of five children. He is a son of a prominent Austin attorney and has practiced law in Austin himself since his graduation from Texas University and Harvard University Law School. Judge Hart's experience in the practice of civil and criminal law is wide.

Attorneys generally, over the State of Texas, hold him in high esteem. Their influence was a factor in his appointment by Gov. Beauford Jester to fill the unexpired term of Justice C. S. Slatton, the position he now holds, and asks for by election.

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- Born in Richland Springs, Texas.
- Has lived in Midland since he was 5 years old.
- Enlisted In U. S. Navy in 1931 and served until 1933.
- Married Irene Lord in September, 1933. Has two children and owns his home.
- Re-enlisted in U. S. Navy in 1940.
- Was taken prisoner by the Japs while serving with a small naval detachment on Guam the day after Pearl Harbor. Was held prisoner of war at Zentsuji on Shikoku Island until September 15, 1945, and was Honorably Discharged in May, 1946.
- Has eight years practical Experience as a bookkeeper, auditor and accountant.
- He is an active member of the Church of Christ, Disabled American Veterans, Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion.
- He is 37 years of age.

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Home Building Tax Set Up In England

LONDON—(AP)—The Englishman's home may still be his castle, but henceforth he'll not have undisputed rule over his own land.

The labor government's new town and country planning act imposes rigid controls over all land, both public and private.

Under its terms, a would-be homeowner with a plot of land must first obtain permission to build from the ministry of town and country planning.

That done, he then must lay on the line a government-levied development charge. This can amount to as much as 100 per cent of the land's increased value as a result of the "development."

Similar conditions apply if a man who already owns a home wants to enlarge it to provide extra accommodations for Junior or the old folks. If the addition amounts to more than 10 per cent of the original size of the dwelling, he, too, is liable for the levy.

The act gives local planning boards broad purchasing powers to acquire land for real estate developments on a uniform basis.

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Governor Jester Reviews His Two Years In Office

By BO BYERS

AUSTIN —(AP)— Gov. Beauford Halbert Jester, 55, reviewed his two years in office as voters prepared for the July 24 primary.

Jester swept into the state's highest executive office with an overwhelming majority two years ago. His victory ended a battle of personalities in which Homer P. Rainey, ousted University of Texas president, was his arch opponent.

Rainey appealed to the liberal element for support; Jester proclaimed he was campaigning on the "people's path," and promised no new taxes.

Taking office January 21, 1947, Jester said his objectives included a progressive and solvent state government, meeting the needs of publication, health, social welfare, law enforcement, capital and labor, safety, and the conservation of natural resources.

During the legislative session, he approved bills calling for expenditure of 546 million dollars during the 1947-49 fiscal period. This was roughly 140 million dollars more than was spent by the state the two previous years.

New Services

New services made possible by the expenditures included more junior colleges, a state negro university, a hospital for spastics and two for tuberculars, and a veterans affairs commission.

There was also an expansion of old services. More money went to the public health department, 200 additional men were authorized for the department of public safety (but all have not yet been secured), and considerable increases were made in appropriations for other state departments.

Education received extensive boosts, though not enough to satisfy the demands of administrators and teachers.

Popular demand was responsible for much of the increased spending which might have taken place under any governor elected to office immediately after World War II.

But it is customary for an administration to take credit for all such performance, and Jester could show he allowed all the spending considered possible without creating a deficit.

The depletion of the general revenue fund caused the comptroller to recommend levying of the 35-cent ad valorem for the current year.

Automatic Tax Board

The automatic tax board, of which the governor is a member, automatically authorized the levying of the property tax. Critics said Jester betrayed his promise of no new taxes. They declared he could have prevented the need for ad valorm tax collections by forcing the legislature to cut down its spending.

Jester said the tax was already in the statute books before he came to office and therefore was not a "new" tax.

The legislature provided for a 5-cent property tax to pay for state college buildings for the next 30 years. It also called for reduction of the 35-cent state property tax to 30 cents.

Jester and other backers of the constitutional amendment said the transfer of 5 cents of the 7-cent confederate pension tax, coupled with the 5-cent decrease in the ad valorem tax, would mean no new taxes.

Opponents said the 5-cent tax amounted to a new tax—at least in the years when the ad valorem tax is not levied. They noted that only 2 cents of confederate pension tax has been collected for a number of years.

Labor Restrictions

Jester approved nine laws placing restrictions on labor. He said he considered their enactment essential to the best interest of the public.

He placed great emphasis on safety—particularly traffic safety. A statewide organization of many committees was created and has held numerous conferences aimed at reducing traffic accidents and fatalities.

The governor instigated water conferences throughout Texas and urged local effort to conserve water resources. Results of the conferences remain to be seen.

A policy of which Jester probably has received the most unanimous approval has been that of checking recommendations of the board of pardons and paroles before approving clemencies for convicts.



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Ruhr Coal Miners Are Indifferent To Politics

ESSEN, GERMANY —(AP)— Willi Hauser, 49, digs coal in the Ruhr. He has been a miner thirty years. His father and grandfather were miners and Willi thinks he's a typical Ruhr coal digger.

Next to the farmer, Willi is the richest man in Germany. He gets the biggest ration and the most food gifts. Allied authorities are counting on him to spark the European recovery program.

But Willi doesn't think he has it so good.

"Give me a good living," he said, "and I'll produce the coal. I don't care whether I work for Marshall, Molotov, Bevin or Hitler. We have no politics 1,500 feet below the ground."

He said he doesn't know, and doesn't care, who runs his mine today.

"A British major turns up every day to look over production," he said. "Maybe he runs it."

The question of who runs the mines, however, is far bigger than Willi. It is a high policy matter. Both the American and British military governments are struggling over the problem of socialization.

The British stand for socialization of the mines. The Americans, fearing such an experiment now would cut output heavily, want the mine managements to continue as they are at present. After a few years the Americans would allow the German people to decide for or against socialization. This struggle is a political issue between German parties of the right and left.

Willi said the food and money are his biggest worries. He and his son-in-law, Heinz Kemper, 28, also a miner, earned five food packages from America in one year. They said the family whipped through them at the rate of one in three days.

At birth, a whale measures 23 feet in length. At seven months, it generally reaches a length of about 58 feet.

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Precinct No. 1

Addison Wadley has been active in the business and civic affairs of Midland and Midland County for the past 40 years. He knows the needs of Midland County and is well qualified to help handle the county's business and financial affairs. He is honest, capable, and willing to devote his full time to the job.

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Back Somersault



Col. Frank Kruiz executes a back somersault at Miami Beach demonstrating the form that won him a berth on three U. S. Olympic teams. The colonel was a member of the 1932 and '36 squads, qualified in '40, when the show was cancelled. The Los Angeles diver's friends are attempting to persuade him to compete in this year's trials in Detroit, July 9-10-11. He has been in the Air Forces since 1937.

Colonel Balchen To Return To Air Force

OSLO, NORWAY —(AP)— U. S. Col. Bernt Balchen has resigned as managing director of the Norwegian branch of Scandinavian Airlines System to return to service in the American Air Force.

Balchen headed a secret airline operated by the U. S. Air Transport Command during the war to free interned American flyers and to supply the underground in occupied countries.

Maj. Gen. Hjalmar Riiser-Larsen succeeds Balchen with Scandinavien Airlines.

It is said children gain weight faster in Autumn and Winter, and height chiefly in Spring and early Summer.

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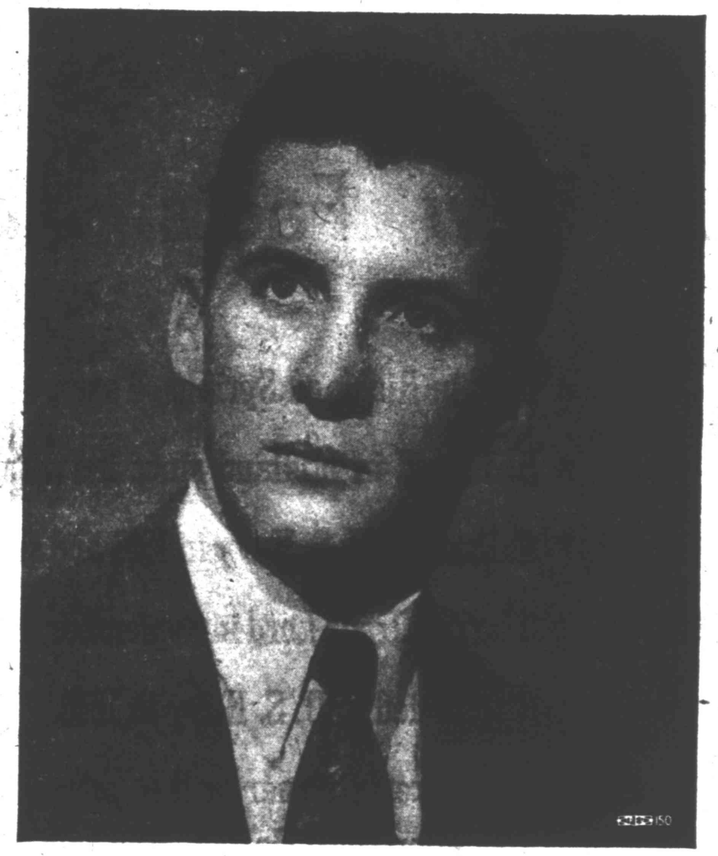
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Richie Ashburn, Phillies' centerfielder, demonstrates his speed and hustle. Currently one of the league's top batters, the 21-year-old Ashburn is leading contender for the annual Rookie of the Year award.

BACK FROM DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Campbell have returned from Dallas where Mrs. Campbell underwent surgery in a hospital there. Mrs. Campbell's mother, Mrs. G. C. Graves, of Big Spring accompanied the Midland couple on the trip.

First Continental Congress was a one-house body.

COTTON

NEW YORK—(AP)—Friday noon cotton prices were 15 to 30 cents a bale lower than the previous close. October 32.27, December 32.18 and March 32.10.

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Texas League—

Missions, Cats, Indians, Oilers Win Contests

By WILBUR MARTIN
Associated Press Staff

Northern teams in the Texas League are just about to wind up a long southern road trip and for two—Oklahoma City and Dallas—it was another first battle of Bull Run.

Thursday night Dallas dropped 17 games behind pace-setting Fort Worth when San Antonio took a 6-1 decision. It left the Rebels mired in sixth place.

Oklahoma City, which managed a 6-3 victory over the Shreveport Sports, is deep in the cellar.

Beaumont, a southern team, saw its chances for a playoff spot fade in the invasion from the North. The Exporters lost to Tulsa 17-5 Thursday night and sunk deeper into the seventh spot.

Houston lost a rough and tumble affair to Fort Worth 3-1.

Little Pete Mazar lost his third decision of the season when Dwain Sloat edged him in a pitching duel. Irv Noren sparked the Cats' victory, hiting a home run in the sixth.

Dee Fondy was thumbed out of the game by umpires in the seventh and Vic Marasco, Fort Worth, and Jim Wright, Houston, were separated at second base in the eighth.

Procopio Herrera held Dallas to four hits to take his ninth victory of the year.

Tulsa tagged three Beaumont pitchers for 19 hits.

A five-run second inning gave Oklahoma City enough margin to whip Shreveport.

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State Senator 29th Senatorial District

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Sports

RUBBER GAME FRIDAY—

San Angelo Colts Down Indians 4-1

SAN ANGELO—The San Angelo Colts downed the Midland Indians 4-1 here Thursday night, cashing in on ten safeties off the pitching of lefty Ernie Nelson and three Indian miscues for their victory.

Derwood Cox, Colt hurler, handcuffed the visitors with four hits and was never in trouble after the opening frame, when the lone Indian tally crossed the plate.

The Colts iced the game in the third, scoring three runs on two hits, two Tribe errors, a sacrifice hit and a base on balls. The fourth and final run came in the fifth.

Thursday night's win evened the current series with Midland at one-all, with the third and deciding game slated Friday night. Chuck Ellis is scheduled to toe the slab for the Colts against the Indians' Leland Crissman.

The score:

MIDLAND	AB	R	H	O	A
Perry, ss	4	1	2	0	1
Collins, 2b	3	0	1	2	2
Jakes, cf	3	0	0	1	0
Pressley, 3b	4	0	0	2	4
Prince, 1b	2	0	0	8	1
Nipp, rf	4	0	0	2	0
Willenberg, lf	3	0	0	2	0
Specht, c	4	0	0	5	0
Nelson, p	3	0	1	1	1
Totals	30	1	4	24	10

SAN ANGELO	AB	R	H	O	A
Cowley, ss	4	1	1	1	4
Phipps, 2b	3	1	0	3	1
Martin, cf	4	1	2	2	0
Chapetta, 1b	4	0	2	7	0
Murphy, lf	4	0	1	1	0
Cluley, lf	4	0	1	6	0
Smithhart, 3b	4	0	3	2	4
Bedford, c	4	1	0	5	0
Cox, p	3	0	0	0	5
Totals	34	4	10	27	14

MIDLAND ..... 100 000 000—1.
SAN ANGELO ..... 003 010 00x—4.

Errors—Perry, Jakes, Pressley, Martin. Runs batted in—Pressley, Cowley, Chapetta 2, Murphy. Two base hits—Perry, Martin. Stolen bases—Smithhart 2. Sacrifices — Collins, Cox. Base on balls—off Nelson 1, Cox 4. Strikeouts—Nelson 5, Cox 3. Earned runs—Midland 1, San Angelo 1. Left on base—Midland 7, San Angelo 8. Umpires—Richards and Richart. Time—1:45. Attendance—452.

The STANDINGS

THURSDAY'S RESULTS

Longhorn League
SAN ANGELO 4, MIDLAND 1.
Del Rio 6, Big Spring 3.
Ballinger 13, Sweetwater 6.
Vernon 6, Odessa 2.

West Texas-New Mexico League
Albuquerque 5, Amarillo 4.
Pampa 8, Abilene 4.
Lubbock 16, Lamesa 12.
Clovis at Borger, rain.

Texas League
San Antonio 6, Dallas 1.
Oklahoma City 6, Shreveport 3.
Tulsa 17, Beaumont 5.
Fort Worth 3, Houston 1.

National League
Chicago 6, Brooklyn 3.
New York 6-6, St. Louis 3-7.
Pittsburgh 5-1, Philadelphia 3-1 (second game called fifth, rain).
Boston at Cincinnati, rain.

American League
New York 6, Cleveland 5.
Philadelphia 8, St. Louis 7.
Boston 3-5, Chicago 0-3.
Washington 9, Detroit 8.

THURSDAY'S STANDINGS

Longhorn League

	W	L	Pct.
Big Spring	55	32	.632
MIDLAND	53	37	.589
Ballinger	47	36	.566
Odessa	50	39	.562
Vernon	42	46	.477
Sweetwater	42	50	.457
San Angelo	41	49	.456
Del Rio	25	66	.275

West Texas-New Mexico League

	W	L	Pct.
Albuquerque	56	36	.609
Amarillo	53	38	.582
Pampa	49	41	.544
Lubbock	50	43	.538
Borger	43	48	.461
Abilene	42	51	.452
Clovis	39	52	.429
Lamesa	35	56	.376

Texas League

	W	L	Pct.
Fort Worth	61	38	.616
Tulsa	54	38	.587
Houston	54	41	.568
Shreveport	47	51	.480
San Antonio	45	49	.479
Dallas	42	53	.442
Beaumont	43	56	.434
Oklahoma City	37	57	.394

National League

	W	L	Pct.
Boston	51	34	.600
Brooklyn	43	39	.524
St. Louis	43	40	.518
Pittsburgh	43	40	.518
New York	41	41	.500
Philadelphia	41	46	.471
Cincinnati	39	47	.453
Chicago	36	50	.419

American League

	W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	51	33	.607
Philadelphia	54	37	.593
Boston	50	36	.581
New York	49	36	.576
Detroit	42	43	.494
Washington	38	47	.447
St. Louis	30	52	.366
Chicago	27	57	.321

FRIDAY'S SCHEDULE

Longhorn League
MIDLAND at SAN ANGELO.
Vernon at Odessa.
Ballinger at Sweetwater.
Big Spring at Del Rio.

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WT-NM League —

Crues Bangs Out 48th And 49th Homers

By The Associated Press

The Albuquerque Dukes handed Amarillo a 5-4 licking Thursday night, went one up in the series, and increased their West Texas-New Mexico League lead to two and one-half games.

Bob Crues hit home runs No. 48 and 49 to account for all of Amarillo's runs in the 11-inning game.

In other games, Pampa beat Abilene 8-4 and Lubbock outlasted Lamesa 16-12. The Clovis-Borger game was called at the end of the third inning because of rain.

Frank Shone, Duke hurler, whiffed 13 men in the 11 frames.

Six home runs helped Bobby Layne and the Lubbock Hubbers beat Lamesa.

Most birds sing above the highest note of the piano.

Erskine Goes To Brooklyn In Shuffle

FORT WORTH—(AP)—John Terrell Legros, young third baseman hitting .356 for Greenwood of the Cotton States League, has been acquired by the Fort Worth Cats as part of a shuffle involving several players in the Brooklyn chain.

Thursday, Carl Erskine, the Cats' star hurler who has won 15 games was ordered to Brooklyn. Willard Ramsdell, who won 21 games for the Cats last year, was returned by the Dodgers.

State TAAF Swimming Meet Begins In Tyler

TYLER—(AP)—More than a 100 entries started splashing toward titles in the annual TAAF state swimming meet here Friday.

Thirteen teams from 10 Texas cities were entered in the two-day meet, with many defending champions back in individual events.

Cities which have entered teams are Houston, Dallas, Highland Park (Dallas), University Park (Dallas), Fort Worth, El Paso, San Antonio, Austin, Commerce, Abilene, Kilgore and Tyler.

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Longhorn League—

Cowboys, Colts Cats, Dusters Tab Victories

By The Associated Press

Lowly Del Rio handed league-leading Big Spring a 6-3 licking Thursday night for its 25th victory of the year against 66 losses.

Big Spring's defeat didn't hurt it in the Longhorn League standings, since second-place Midland lost to San Angelo 4-1.

Ballinger, which has taken over third place, thumped Sweetwater 13-6 and Vernon handed Odessa a 6-2 licking.

Finals Of Tri-State Golf Meet Friday

AMARILLO—(AP)—Red Gober of Austin, three times winner of the Tri-State Senior golf tournament, tangles with B. F. Holmes of Shamrock in the finals of the 1948 meet Friday.

Holmes, who won the title in 1935 and 1937, Thursday ousted medalist Roy Allen of Oklahoma City, 1 up in 19 holes. Gober defeated Frank Day of Plainview, 1 up.

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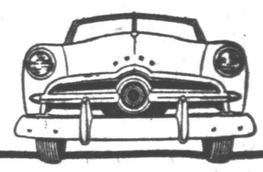
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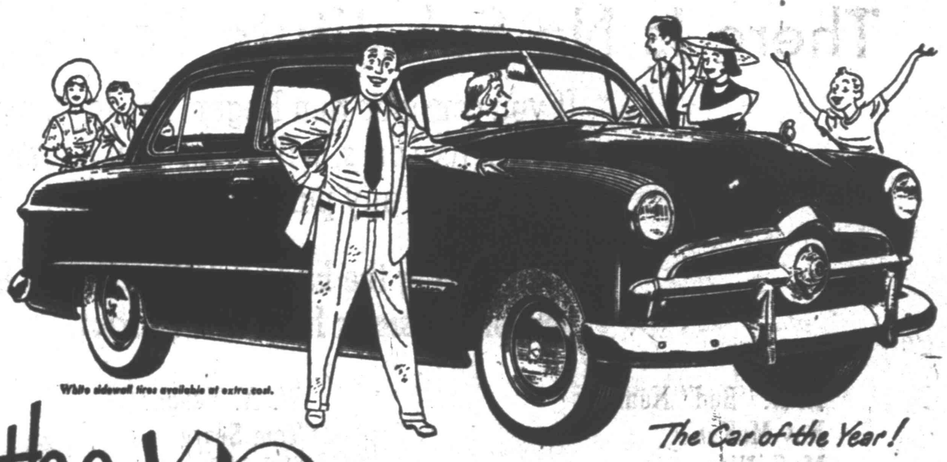


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MAJOR LEAGUES—

DiMag's Grand Slam Homer Beats Cleveland Indians 6-5

By JACK HAND
Associated Press Sports Writer

Four clubs are battling for the American League pennant but two teams—Cleveland and New York—are making all the money.

The Indians and Yankees are headed for a new all-time attendance mark of 850,000 and over $1,000,000 for their 22-game inter-club series. Baseball never has seen anything like it because it never had two parks like the Yankee Stadium and Cleveland's Municipal Stadium involved in a season-long flag battle.

Thursday night's turnout of 68,258 New Yorkers who watched Joe DiMaggio's grand slam homer give the Yanks a 6-5 edge over the Indians, was the third largest to watch the teams struggle. Bob Feller was the losing pitcher.

The Philadelphia A's advanced to within a half game of the lead by nosing out St. Louis in 12 innings, 8-7.

The big noise of the American League again was provided by the onrushing Boston Red Sox who won another doubleheader, stretching their string to eight straight.

Hammered Homers

Vern Stephens hammered homers in each game to humble the Chicago White Sox. Denny Galehouse shut out Chicago with five hits, 3-0, in the first game.

Ellis Kinder gave the Chisox eight hits in taking the second 5-3.

Detroit fell below .500 again, bowing to Washington 9-8 in 12 innings.

Boston's National League lead was boosted to 6 1/2 games when the Braves were rained out at Cincinnati and Brooklyn lost to Chicago.

Johnny Schmitz did his usual job on the Dodgers, beating them for the fourth time this year, 6-3.

St. Louis and New York split a pair. Sheldon Jones outpitched Murry Dickson for a Giant 6-3 edge in the opener but the Cards came from behind to take the finale in 11 innings, 7-6.

Pittsburgh trimmed the Phillies 5-3 in the opener but wound up in a 1-1 tie in a second game that was stopped by rain after five innings.

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DOWN SPORTS LANE

With Jimmy Allison Pinch-Hitting for Tanner Laine

The most amazing New York Yankee this year is not Joe DiMaggio, Tommy Henrich or Charley Keller as it has been in the last few years of Yankee history. He is Vic Raschi, recent winning pitcher of the All-Star game, and a 10-game winner for the Yanks this year.

Raschi has traveled many miles and has played with a lot of ball clubs just to reach the Yankees, but once he reached the New York team, it did not take him a complete year to become the top hurler of the world champions. Vic was called up to the Yankees during their 19-game winning streak last year and he won their 19th straight game before they were defeated on their try for No. 20. Before the season was over, Raschi had won seven games while losing only two.

Vic stopped two Philadelphia Athletic winning streaks this year when it appeared Connie Mack's youngsters were going to run away with the pennant in no time flat. Both times when Raschi stopped the Athletic's streaks, he stopped a Yankee losing streak.

For the past two years Bucky Harris, manager of the Yankees, had been trying to decide who was his ace pitcher, Frank Shea or Allie Reynolds, but now Harris has given the nod to this young Italian right-hander. You can bet that if the Yankees reach the World Series again this year, part of the credit will go to Vic Raschi.

—SL—

Johnny Farrell, the forgotten man of golf, the man who beat Bobby Jones when Jones was at his peak, has returned to competition and is favored to win the New Jersey Open this year. Johnny had one good year of golf, in the pro ranks. This was the year he beat Jones. After this, Farrell never gained much more fame since he took over the job of managing the pro shop and teaching golf at Baltusrol.

Now, all of a sudden, Johnny has returned to the quality golf he played when he beat Jones. He says the reason for his improved game is that he has learned to relax and he is not trying to defend the National Open every time he tees off as he did a few years ago.

Farrell says he now is hitting the ball harder, but the greatest improvement he has made is gaining confidence. Johnny claims a lot of men hit the ball well, but that confidence is the vital asset to a good golf game.

—SL—

Blondy Cross, San Angelo sports scribe, claims that although Manager Harold Webb was not on the playing field Wednesday night, in the game between the Midland Indians and the San Angelo Colts, he was the vital factor in the Indians win since he yelled at the team from the bleachers where he payed his 75 cents and watched the game. According to Blondy, Webb must have jinxed the Colts with his yells.

—SL—

ROUNDIN' UP THE STRAYS . . As this is the last sports blast this scribe will write this year, our thanks go to all followers of SPORTS LANE for not cancelling their subscriptions . . . He sure enjoyed writing it although he didn't do so hot . . . So be sure and read Sunday's Reporter-Telegram, for the old master himself, Tanner Laine, will be back to give you a bigger and better SPORTS LANE . . Texas golfers have dominated the Western Open Golf Championship for the last 10 years . . . Champion wrestlers of Japan often weigh close to 400 pounds . . . Madison Square Garden now has a new $150,000 floor . . . The Los Angeles Dons, professional football team in the All-American Conference, have been practicing football since July 14 . . . Dick Willenberg has reached the 500 mark in his pitching . . . Dick has won his last three starts . . . Michigan State will have eight representatives in four different sports on the U. S. Olympic squad . . . Harold Webb told all the fans listening to the Thursday night San Angelo - Midland baseball game good-night . . . Webb sat out the second day of his suspension in the press box . . . 30 for strays . . . Welcome home, Tanner, and you can have this column . . . I don't want it, you can have it, its too much work for me.

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Sports

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San Angelean Favored In Tennis Tourney

HARRISBURG, PA.—(AP)—Semi-finals competition opened Friday in the Fort Hunter Invitation Tennis Tournament with a young Texan who carried off the 1946 crown, a top favorite to repeat the feat this year.

The Texan, Bernard Bartzen, of San Angelo, breezed through his quarter-finals match with little effort Thursday, downing Eddie Shipp, of nearby Lemoyne 6-2, 6-4.

Arizona's only battle of the Civil War was fought at Picacho Peak, in the southern part of the state.

The 1948 U. S. public debt was 172 per cent of the national income, as compared with 81 per cent in 1940.

Man has less tendency to grow bald in hot climates.

Americans To Spend 15 Billions For Security

CHICAGO—(AP)—The people of the United States probably will spend $15,000,000,000 in 1948 to provide future economic security for themselves and their families.

The Research Council for Economic Security of Chicago made this forecast recently. Its estimate includes payments made under some private or government organized plan to meet insecurity arising from death, old age, accident, sickness, disability, unemployment and other conditions.

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Eddie Joost, Philadelphia A's shortstop, has just put the tag on Dale Mitchell, Cleveland outfielder, at second base and is politely avoiding a collision in Philadelphia.

Committee Rules Israel Out Of Olympic Line-Up

LONDON —(AP)— The International Olympic Committee ruled Friday that the new State of Israel can not compete in the Olympic games.

The decision reduced the number of competing nations to 61 for the games starting July 29.

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National Guard Patrols Flooded Ohio Town

LANCASTER, OHIO —(AP)— National Guard members patrolled flooded sections of Lancaster Friday after Gov. Thomas J. Herbert received an appeal for protection against looters.

Lancaster was struck early Thursday by a flash flood that followed heavy rains.

The waters broke over the banks of the Hocking River, flooding the west side of Lancaster.

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Banks Expect To Trade Six Pesos To Dollar

MEXICO CITY —(AP)— Private banks said Friday they expected to begin trading in the devalued peso at about six for one dollar.

The Peso no longer is guaranteed by the Bank of Mexico at the old rate of 4.85 pesos to the dollar.

Treasury Secretary Ramon Beteta said in effect that the peso will be allowed freely to seek its own exchange level before the Bank of Mexico resumes buying and selling to stabilize it.

PASTOR DUE BACK

The Rev. Vernon Yearby, pastor of the First Baptist Church, is due back from a revival meeting in Brady and will conduct the Sunday services here, the Rev. Raymond Hall, associate pastor, announced Friday.

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Johnson, Confident Of Victory, Will Attend Called Session

DALLAS —(AP)—Lyndon Johnson, with 365 speeches and hundreds of helicopter miles behind him, closes his U. S. Senate campaign here Friday confident he will receive an overwhelming majority.

His confidence in victory led to a decision to be in Washington Monday for the opening of the special session of Congress.

"I am confident the people will give me a majority Saturday, but regardless of whether there is a runoff I shall not neglect my duties," he said.

Mechanical difficulties Thursday night prevented Johnson's landing in his helicopter at a rally at Houston, but he told the crowd of more than a thousand he did not mind because he wouldn't need it but one day longer.

"My pilot had the situation in hand when he said we've only 24 hours remaining before winning this race," Johnson said in opening his talk after his vaudeville troupe had staged a half-hour show.

Addresses Former Pupils

Saturday the candidate and his wife will go to their home at Johnson City to vote and then proceed to Austin to receive election returns.

Many of Johnson's listeners were his former pupils at Houston's downtown Sam Houston High School, where he taught public speaking in 1930-31.

Speaking only briefly, he warned that the United States must not make foreign policy mistakes the third time in a row and plunge the nation into war.

He said "We must repudiate appeasement" and increase the nation's military strength rapidly.

"Very frankly I think we are spending less money on preparedness than we ought to be during the current crisis," he said.

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Price Control Is Truman's Top Problem

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON —(AP)— President Truman's No. 1 problem when he faces the special session of Congress next week is this:

How to control prices and living costs?

He wants power to do that. But what kind of control can he ask of Congress?

Last November, when prices weren't as high as they are now, he asked Congress for stand-by price control power.

Which means power he could use if, and when, he thought prices finally had climbed too high. Congress didn't give him the power.

Now, it seems, he thinks the time has passed for stand-by power and that prices need to be controlled right now.

One Of Two Courses

But the question is: How can prices be controlled now? He could ask for either of these things:

1. Price control on just about everything, as in wartime.

2. Or, price control on a selected list of key items in American living, like meat, dairy products, poultry, coal, steel.

Suppose, say, he asks for price control on meat. Would that mean trying to roll back the price of meat to some figure where it was months ago?

Probably not. It might mean trying to freeze the price of meat at the point it had reached when—and if—Congress passed such a price control law.

Could the government attempt to control the price of meat without going all the way back down the line to control the price of some of the things that help boost meat prices?

The Vicious Circle

For example: How could the government control meat prices—and still be fair to meat growers and packers—unless it also controlled the price of the feed cattle eat?

He could hardly ask for price control on them unless he also asked for control over the wages of people working in those fields.

But if that happened, the leaders of labor unions in those fields would be sure to protest by saying:

"This is unfair. The government controls wages in just these few fields. But workers in all other fields can go ahead and get pay raises. They'll be free to make more money while we're stuck."

How can the government attempt to control prices and wages in a few industries without controlling prices and wages in the whole country?

But there is something on top of all this: It's rationing.

Suppose meat prices were controlled but people still were able to go out and buy up meat to suit themselves. That kind of competition among consumers is a pressure that helps boost prices.

To take away such pressure, the logical thing for the government to do would be to ration meat and whatever else it sought to control in the way of prices.

Two Former Governors Make Talks For Johnson

AUSTIN—(AP)—Two former governors of Texas, Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson and James V. Allred, Friday made radio talks supporting Lyndon Johnson for the United States Senate.

"Lyndon has fought for the people we (the Fergusons) fought for—the farmer, the rancher, and the working men," Mrs. Ferguson said.

Allred, who said he spoke as the father of three sons rather than as a former public official, based his endorsement of Johnson on the "firm conviction" that Johnson's election holds the greatest promise of helping to prevent another war.

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Peddy Goes Home To Houston To Wind Up Race

HOUSTON —(AP)— George Peddy, who says he thinks the close of polls will see him leading the ticket, brings his campaign for the U. S. Senate home Friday with a visit to cities in the Houston area.

The Houston attorney made his prediction about leading the Senate race as he spoke Thursday at the annual peach and melon festival at De Leon.

At De Leon also he discussed international affairs, and declared opponents Lyndon Johnson and Coke Stevenson were trying to beat him by circulating reports that because he was not well enough known and did not have a political organization he did not have a chance.

"They couldn't say anything about me and in desperation they fell back on that old political trick —that and quoting 'polls' they said showed I didn't have a chance," Peddy said.

"If we back down in Berlin now we will have to isolate ourselves, arm to the teeth and wait for the inevitable hour when we alone will have to face a Russian distatorship trying to dominate the civilized world," he said.

Peddy plans an early morning broadcast from Houston Saturday; will vote and then "go to bed and get some sleep."

Mother Of McCamey Man Dies At Houston

McCAMEY—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Putnam and family have returned from Houston where they attended funeral services for his mother, Mrs. Mary A. Putnam, 78, who died in her home there recently. She had been ill more than a year.

Other survivors include the husband, Frank Putnam of Houston; a son, Thad of New York; and a daughter, Mrs. Helen Van Sicklen of San Francisco, Calif.

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Phil Yeckel Promoted By U. S. Marine Corps

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Captain Yeckel was one of a select group of Reserve officers throughout the nation who have been selected for promotion under the first Reserve promotion program established by any of the military services since the war.

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Recently-Discharged WACs May Re-Enlist

Members of the Women's Army Corps, Regular Army, who were discharged between May 1 and July 8, 1948, may re-enlist in grade immediately, M/Sgt. Ted Dykes, of the recruiting station on the third floor of the courthouse, announced Friday.

Enlistment of other women in the WAC or the Air Force will not be authorized until about September 15, Dykes said.

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During the serving of the barbecue, the Midland Odd Fellow Band entertained with music.

Immediately following the meal, the members adjourned to the new hall, where the first degree was conferred on five new members by a Midland team. The dedication address was delivered by John Menefee.

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McCamey News

McCAMEY—Mrs. G. R. Hampton is enjoying a month's vacation. She plans to go to Borger Saturday to visit her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hampton, then to Fort Worth to see an aunt. Miss Jean Hampton is on vacation and plans to accompany her mother, Mrs. G. R. Hampton, to Borger this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jacobsen and children have returned from a vacation in South Texas. They spent a few days with Jacobsen's parents at Rock Island, visited Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Waldie and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Craft, former McCamey citizens who now reside in Houston, and went fishing at Buchanan Dam. On the return trip they stopped over with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson in Ozona for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lee Thomas are on a two week's vacation to visit relatives in Dublin and other southern points.

Miss Helen Sharp returned with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Sharp, and two brothers, Hiram and Duane, from a vacation spent in several Western states. The group saw Yellowstone National Park, Grand Canyon and Royal Gorge Bridge, also the state capitols of Utah, Arizona and Colorado.

Dewey Jones is in a San Angelo hospital, where he underwent surgery Monday.

Claude Brown, William Wolf and Bill Noel flew to Portland, Ore., last weekend on business. Brown and Noel returned Tuesday night and Wolf expects to return Saturday.

Dr. Devereux To Study In Chicago Hospital

Dr. James M. Devereux of the Western Clinic - Hospital has been accepted by Cooke County Hospital, Chicago, for a period of post-graduate study, Bill Orson, business manager of the hospital here, announced Thursday.

Doctor Devereux will take a two-week vacation before enrolling in the Chicago hospital in mid-August, Orson said. During his absence, his practice will be attended to by Dr. Tom Speidel.

White Oak, Texas Band Plays In Yankee Stadium

NEW YORK—(AP)—The New York Yankees added a touch of terpsichore Thursday night as the preliminary feature to an important game with the Cleveland Indians.

A capacity crowd of 70,000 watched the maneuvers of the nationally famous White Oak, Texas, High School Band for half an hour before the game.

The 91-piece band—from a school of only 167 students—consisted of boys and girls ranging from 11-year old clarinet player Barbara Bradford to 17-year-old Hugh Elwood Hart, a cornet specialist.

Dressed in new, colorful grey and maroon uniforms, the youngsters captured the crowd's fancy with flawless marches and music.

The crowd especially liked a series of rhythmic dances with Misses Barbara Barrat, Leatrice Wood, Peggy Singleton, Betty Hobb, Mary Ann Jackson, Dorothy Caywood and Lois Hall as principals.

Outline Of State

The band marched onto the playing field, formed an outline of the State of Texas and swung into the "Eyes of Texas."

Then it cut loose with "Boogie March," "Tuxedo Junction," "When The Work's All Done This Fall" and finally "Stardust." On this latter song, the band formed a gigantic star.

The crowd gave the youngsters thunderous applause when they marched off.

The band will make a concert appearance in Washington Saturday and return here Sunday as guests of the Yankees. They will be in New York for the Lions' convention for the remainder of the week, then travel to Montreal, Canada, for another concert before returning to Texas.

Everybody Gets In The Act In Japan

TOKYO—(AP)—The Hirokawa and Okumura families were united in marriage recently, and united is the word.

Farmer Tomitaro Hirokawa, 66-year-old widower of Saga perfecture, Kyushu, was married to Shigechiyo Okumura, 47-year-old widow, while his two sons wed her two daughters in the same ceremony.

Woman Routs Youths With Spray Gun

TAUNTON, MASS.—(AP)—A 63-year-old housewife, armed with an insecticude sprayer, proved more than a match for three youths, one carrying a shotgun.

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THREE ENLISTMENTS OPEN

Three 18-year-old Midlanders will be accepted for one-year enlistments in the Army between now and August 31, M/Sgt. Ted Dykes of the Midland Recruiting Station announced Friday.

DISTRICT JUDGE DIES

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Robert W. B. Terrell, judge of all Bexar County Civil District Courts, died in a hospital here late Thursday afternoon.

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Mountains Mixed Up In Check Up

SANTA FE, N. M.—(AP)—A fellow who is on speaking terms with mountains has played heck with maps of New Mexico.

Because of his insistence, the Department of Interior's Geological Survey has admitted that what used to be considered the highest peak in the state isn't the highest peak at all. And what's more, a mountain formerly not even in the running now has become New Mexico's loftiest.

Harold D. Walter, assistant purchasing agent for the state and the man responsible for all the fuss, started fooling around with New Mexico mountains in 1933 as a photography hobby.

He climbed, rode horseback and slid all over the three Truchas Peaks north of Santa Fe, plus others, and took pictures from every angle. On one such trip, a borrowed altimeter indicated to him that the three peaks were not 13,306, 13,275 and 13,240 as they were supposed to be.

State officials started checking. A little embarrassed, Geological Survey officials admitted the only authority they had for the figures was a pencilled notation on a survey made in 1888-89.

Walter then took George Forney, engineer in charge of the U. S. G. S. office as Los Alamos, N. M., all over Northern New Mexico, climbing mountains. After checks and rechecks, Walter became confident Wheeler Peak, northeast of Taos, N. M., was the state's highest at 13,151 feet, roughly.

The Geological Survey agreed. The division engineer wrote:

Conclusion Accepted

"I feel that it would be safe to make the statement that the elevation of South Truchas does not exceed 13,110 feet, leaving Wheeler Peak as the highest peak in the State of New Mexico."

Robert O. Davis, Rocky Mountain division engineer for the U. S. G. S., cautioned, however, that "it is somewhat risky to say that an elevation is exactly so and so until numerous determinations have been made." He added his office hopes to make soon a "complete topographic survey" of the area to iron the whole thing out properly.

Meanwhile, Walter—who spent more than 10 years close to the bosom of the three Truchas'—has changed loves. Now he's photographing Wheeler Peak from every angle.

+ Stanton News +

STANTON—Ernest Ross attended the rural mail carriers' convention in San Angelo.

Guests in the J. S. Lamar home the last two weeks have been their daughters, Mrs. Lorine Petsick of Hico and Mrs. P. Teague of Fort Worth, and their twin granddaughters, Jane and June Armstrong of Tuscola, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jones and daughters, Jo Ann and Janell, and Patsy Kelly have returned from a trip to Yellowstone National Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Zimmerman have returned from Burnett, where they attended the funeral of an uncle of Mr. Zimmerman.

Curtis Pointer and sons visited in Stanton Monday.

Lewis Gregg and son, Glenn, attended the funeral of Mrs. Methis Gregg in Cisco Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gorley and family of New Mexico are visiting her sister, Mrs. Dale Kelly, and family.

Becky Bentley is back from a visit in North Texas and Oklahoma.

Patsy McDurmon of Imperial is visiting her aunts, Mrs. Bland Mamie McDurmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Madison of Kermit have moved to Stanton.

Observation Plane Crashes In Germany

STUTTGART, GERMANY —(AP)—U. S. officials said Friday an American pilot was killed Thursday night when a Constabulary observation plane crashed near Schweinfurt.

Constabulary officials said the two-man aircraft crashed into the woods while flying from Grafenworth to Fritzlar.

The pilot was flying alone and was believed to have been caught in a heavy storm.

Commercial Hatchery Production Up In June

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texas commercial hatchery production last month rose eight per cent above that in the comparable month a year ago but remained 19 per cent under the five-year average for June, the United States Department of Agriculture reported.

June production was placed at 3,335,000 chicks.

Egg production from Texas farm flocks was estimated at 267,000,000 eggs last month, six per cent less than the same month last year.

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Nettye C. Romer is qualified. Knowledge of this office cannot be gained through a simple reading of the Statutes and is acquired only by constant association with the judges, lawyers and the technical requirements of the office. These duties cannot be properly performed by a person without experience or legal background.

An error in discharging the duties of this office may be extremely costly to you or to the State.

An informal poll of Midland attorneys shows Mrs. Romer to be unqualifiedly endorsed by an overwhelming majority.

She seeks your vote on the basis of professional ability and not sympathy, but if you are to be influenced by sympathy then consider that she is the wife of a totally disabled World War veteran.

Nettye C. Romer should be re-elected District Clerk.

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Bitter Reprieve

By Drexel Drake

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THE STORY: Playboy Marcus Sterling has stolen his wife's diamond necklace and handed it over as security on a $10,000 gambling debt to racketeer Harry Bindle. To cover the theft, perpetrated while his wife slept, Sterling makes it appear a professional burglary. He spends the night at Edgecraft Country Club to establish an alibi. Along with the necklace, he also took a sealed packet from his wife's safe. This turns out to be $10,000 in cash which Miriam Sterling had withdrawn from the bank for him.

Next morning Mrs. Sterling is found murdered in bed. At the club, Sterling gets rid of Miriam's cash by mailing it in a sealed packet to his secretary, Miss Wilson. Police Lt. Talent brings Sterling home. He is confronted with the body, the evidence of burglary in the library. Sterling says he is just as anxious as the police to get his hands on his wife's murderer. The police consider the lipsticked cigaret, mashed out on the library carpet, a live clue.

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"YOU also asked if my wife had a drink while in here with me," Sterling said. "The fact is she asked me to mix a drink for her, which I did. She set it down there beside her chair."

"You mean that she didn't drink it?" Talent asked.

"Not here. It was only a few moments later that she told me she was very tired . . . had had a hard day . . . and would take her drink to her room."

Talent shifted ground. "Getting back once more to that note you left in your wife's room. You wrote that you intended to drive to Edgecraft, and I believe you had left your car in the driveway, undoubtedly with that in mind. Any particular reason for substituting a taxicab?"

"Well, I sat here a lot later than I intended. I got my hat and coat, and my bag, and rushed out to my car. Then I discovered what I should have known, that Mrs. Sterling had been unable to drive her car into the garage because of my car being in the driveway, so that now naturally her car was in the driveway behind mine, blocking me from getting out. Mrs. Sterling's keys were not in her car. I came back into the house. I decided against awakening my wife and phoned for a cab instead."

"Well, that certainly accounts for that," Talent said. "When you came back into the house, did you have to use your key to let yourself in . . . I mean, to unlock the front door?"

"Why, naturally."

"I have a sound reason for that question, Mr. Sterling. Your maid said the front door was not locked when she got here a little before 8 this morning. I just wanted to establish whether the door was locked when you left the house."

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"DEFINITELY." Sterling did not mince over that retort, but his thoughts trailed. He remembered slipping the latch on the front door when he went out to the driveway to put those false footmarks on the ground and window sill. He could not remember changing it back. Was it important?

"How about lights, Mr. Sterling? Did you leave the house dark?"

"With the exception of a small night light on the second floor at the head of the stairs."

"Then that gives us another live clew. Those lights over on the wall that are still on were on this morning when the maid got here. You're positive you didn't leave them on?"

"Positive."

"Well, those lights are turned on from the hall, right?"

"That's right. To light up the library before coming in."

"Exactly," Talent mused. "Anyone coming in the window wouldn't go through this room and out into the hall to turn on lights in this room. Somebody coming in from the hall would do that."

Sterling's thoughts were threatening to undermine his easy poise. The picture was being altered for him. Strange that he should be linking those unexpected items: the unlocked door, the wall lights, the crushed cigaret with its mark of lipstick.

"Aside from your wife's brief visit, Mr. Sterling, no one was in this room with you last night?"

"I've certainly tried to make that clear, Lieutenant."

"Yes." Talent walked forward slowly . . . stopped beside the low coffee table. He pointed to a spotless glass ashtray. "If there had been a large cigar butt and ashes in that tray, would you have noticed it when you came in here?"

"Yes, I believe I should have noticed it." Better than pretending I shouldn't have noticed it, Sterling was thinking. So I overlooked Bindle's ashtray . . . but I won't have to worry about Bindle.

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"YOUR maid," Talent was saying, "is positive that all ashtrays in this room were clean when she left for her day off around 2:30 yesterday. But on this table we found an ashtray indicating that someone had been sitting in this chair smoking a cigar. Do you have cigars in the house?"

"No, peculiarly, I don't. All my friends smoke cigarets."

"So far as we know, Mr. Sterling," Talent said, "no one was in the house between 2:30 when the maid left and 10 o'clock when you came home. The maid tells us Mrs. Sterling left in her car about 11 in the morning. That means Mrs. Sterling was away from home from 11 in the morning until about 10:30 last night. Possibly you know something of her whereabouts during all that time?"

"Sorry, I can't help out on that . . . oh, wait a minute, I've just remembered something. At Edgecraft last night a party was breaking up just after I got there. I chatted for a while with a family friend, Miss Weirhaven. She mentioned that my wife and she had had luncheon together yesterday."

"That's a start." Talent said gratefully. "Miss Weirhaven?"

"Yes. She has a house here in Clifston, on the first street west just around the corner." Lucky I thought of mentioning that. Sterling thought he would have found out about it, more than likely.

(To Be Continued)

McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. McKENNEY
America's Card Authority

Tournament players throughout the country were deeply grieved to learn of the death of Mrs. Evelyn Lebhar, wife of Bertram Lebhar, Jr., of New Rochelle, N. Y. Lebhar is director of sales at Station WHN in New York, and is known to New York sport fans as Bert Lee, WHN's sports announcer. For several years he served the League as treasurer. He is one of the League's Life Masters.

Taking care of the Lebhar family of five children did not leave Evelyn much time to play tournament bridge, but when she did play, she usually came in with a good score. I recall playing with her in a mixed pair event, and she got all of the tricks possible out of the hand shown today.



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♠ A J
♥ A Q J
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♣ A J 8 3

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South	West	North	East
1 ♦	Pass	2 ♦	Pass
3 N.T.	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening—♠ 4

She won the opening lead of the four of spades with the ace when East put up the king. Next she cashed the ace of clubs and led the three-spot, winning in dummy with the queen. She led the deuce of diamonds from dummy and when East played low, Mrs. Lebhar won with the diamond queen. Then she led the jack of clubs and overtook it with the king. She wanted to create an extra entry into dummy.

The five of diamonds was led, East went up with the ace, declarer played the eight-spot, saving the four for an entry into dummy. East came back with the six of spades and Mrs. Lebhar played the jack. West, having no entries, thought for a moment and then played low, hoping that his partner could get in and lead another spade.

Now Mrs. Lebhar cashed the king of diamonds and led the four-spot over to dummy. This made it possible for her to take the heart finesse. She was sure that West did not have the king of hearts. When her jack of hearts held, she had the club for an entry to dummy to take another heart finesse, making six-odd and a top score on the hand.

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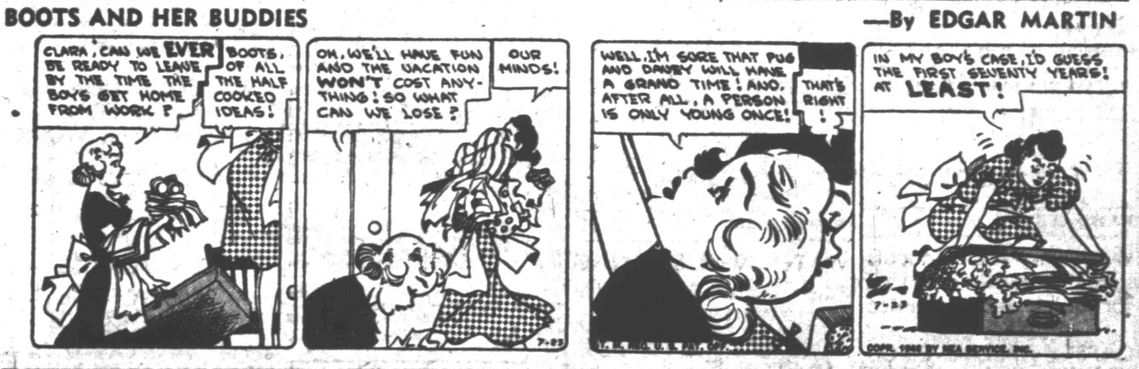
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Park Officials Ask Care In Handling Of Matches And Fires

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The National Park Service has asked visitors to parks and monuments in the Southwest to use special care when handling matches and fires.

Lawrence Cook, Park Service assistant chief forester, said the continued drouth has made the Southwest the most critical area from the standpoint of fire hazards.

Already, Cook told a reporter, several fires have broken out in that region. The three largest destroyed 650 acres of forest in Big Bend National Park in Texas.

Cook said the Big Bend fires and the 1500-acre blaze still smoldering at Isle Royale National Park, Mich., probably were lightning-caused.

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Shaw Believes People Should Stop Using Soap

AYOT ST. LAWRENCE, ENGLAND, —(AP)— George Bernard Shaw thinks people ought to stop using soap on their faces.

"Why should anyone rub soap on his or her face?" the playwright asked in an article written for the Optical News, a new Irish magazine making its bow on his 92nd birthday, July 26.

"It hurts the eyes, nose and mouth, which all need cleaning," Shaw went on. "It makes children hate being washed. Sensible women use face creams instead.

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Grafaland, 3 bedroom brick on corner 90' lot, 2 floor furnaces, 2 baths, all floors carpeted except dining room, venetian blinds, screened porch, nice closet room $19,800.00
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Commercial property, 6 room frame house, close in to town and schools $10,500.00.
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2 bedroom brick home, 2½ acres $11,500.00.

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6:00	NEWS	
6:15	ELMER DAVIS	ABC
6:30	550 ROUNDUP	
6:45	POLITICAL TALK	
7:00	HI NEIGHBOR	
7:15	WHAT AMERICA IS PLAYING	
7:30	THIS IS YOUR FBI	ABC
8:00	MUSIC IN THE MODERN MOOD	
8:30	BALL GAME	
10:30	GEMS FOR THOUGHT	
10:35	DANCE ORCHESTRA	ABC
10:45	DANCE ORCHESTRA	ABC
11:00	NEWS	ABC
11:05	DANCE ORCHESTRA	ABC
11:55	NEWS	ABC
12:00	SIGN OFF	
	TOMORROW	
6:00	MUSICAL CLOCK	
6:30	ARM FARM REVIEW	TSN
7:00	MARTIN AGRONSKY	ABC
7:15	POLITICAL TALK	
7:30	NEWS	TSN
7:45	MELODIC MOODS	
8:00	SHOPPERS SPECIAL	ABC
9:00	THIS IS FOR YOU	ABC
9:15	SATURDAY SERENADE	
9:45	INTERNATIONAL SUN. SCHOOL	
10:00	ABBOTT AND COSTELLO	ABC
10:30	MODERN CONCERT MASTER	
11:00	JUNIOR JUNCTION	ABC
11:30	CHRISTIAN SCIENCE	
11:45	MUSICAL TIDBITS	
12:00	WORLD OF SONG	
12:15	NEWS	
12:30	SPEAKING OF SONGS	ABC
1:00	FASCINATING RHYTHM	ABC
1:30	CROSS-B BOYS	
2:00	PIANO PLAYHOUSE	ABC
2:30	SPOTLIGHT ON SPORTS	ABC
2:45	RACE OF THE DAY	ABC
3:00	ABC SYMPHONY	
4:00	NEWS SUMMARY	
4:05	TREASURY BAND	
4:30	MELODIES TO REMEMBER	ABC
4:45	MATINEE MELODIES	
4:55	RANDALL RAY	
5:00	ERNIE FELICE TRIO	ABC
5:15	KINGS OF HARMONY	
5:30	HARRY WISMER-SPORTS	ABC
5:45	GEMS OF MUSIC	
6:00	CHALLENGE OF YUKON	ABC
6:30	CURTAIN CALL	
7:00	ELECTION RETURNS; MUSIC	
12:00	SIGN OFF	

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For Congress (16th District)
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Midland
(Reelection)

For State Senator
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HENRY A. COFFIELD
Marfa, Texas

BILL D. HUDSON
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For State Representative (69th Legislative District)
J. T. RUTHERFORD
(Ector County)

BUCK JACKSON
(Reeves County)

EMORY T. (PAT) CORBETT, JR.
(Midland County)

For District Attorney
MARTELLE McDONALD
(Reelection)

For District Clerk
NETTYE C. ROMER
(Reelection)

FREDDYE LOU BAREER PATE

For County Judge
CLIFFORD C. KEITH
(Reelection)

For Sheriff
ED DARNELL
(Reelection)

R. M. WEBB

ALTON G (BILL) SHIPP

For Tax Assessor and Collector
DAVE ALLEN

J. M. SPEED

For County Attorney
JOE MIMS
(Reelection)

For County Clerk
LUCILLE (JACK) JOHNSON
(Reelection)

For County Treasurer
MRS. MINNIE H. DOZIER
(Reelection)

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1
SHERWOOD O'NEAL

ADDISON WADLEY

J. L. DILLARD

CHARLES ADAMS

P. P. HERRING

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2
JOHN M. KING, JR.
(Reelection)

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3
WARREN SKAGGS

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 4
A. O. BOHANNAN
(Reelection)

W. M. STEWART

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1
B. C. GIRDLEY
(Reelection)

J. D. (DUD) TOWERY

For Constable Precinct No. 1
W. L. (BILL) JONES

JOHN HEMINGWAY, JR.

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HOUSES FOR SALE 75

TWO NEW FHA HOMES

2503 W. Holloway, five rooms and bath, complete in ten days. Carries a nice loan.

2505 W. Holloway, five rooms and bath with garage attached. Immediate possession.

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FOR SALE: four bedroom furnished house, one and one-half baths, well located in Cloudcroft, N. M. Contact Buckhorn Filling Station in Cloudcroft for directions. $5,000.000. S. P. Collins, owner.

HOUSE for sale. 706 N. Carrizo. Call 521-W.

5-ROOM house, garage, screened back porch with laundry facilities, good windmill, on two lots, interior newly refinished. $8,000. Inquire owner—1511 W. Wash.

FOR SALE—new 3 room house on rear of excellent corner lot. Sacrifice, priced for immediate sale. Call 2993-W.

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FOUR room house, large lot 100'x225', 16x20 garage. Butane pressure water system. Reasonably priced. 1400 North "A" Street. Phone 2668-J.

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FOR SALE—equity in house, furnished or unfurnished. 2008 W. Wash.

30x10 shack for sale to be moved. 910 S. Marshall.

LOTS FOR SALE 77

ON WEST HIGHWAY 80 CHOICE LOTS

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FARMS FOR SALE 78

450 ACRES 1-Mile West Stanton

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HOMES WANTED

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WANTED to buy, equity in small two or three bedroom house. Call 2696-J.

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MISCELLANEOUS 85

FOR SALE

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TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF J. F. FRISERO, DECEASED:

You and each of you are hereby required to present your claims against the estate of J. F. Friberg, deceased, within the time required by law to Hollye S. Friberg, the duly appointed qualified and acting independent executrix of the estate of J. F. Friberg, deceased, whose post office address is Box 1136, Midland, Texas, and who resides at 510 S. "G" Street, Midland, Texas. Letters Testamentary were issued to said executrix by the County Court of Midland County, Texas, on the 7th day of June 1948 in Cause No. 1253 in said court.

HOLLYE S. FRIBERG
Independent Executrix of the Estate of J. F. Friberg, deceased.
(July 9-16-23-30)

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: J. O. Fouche and wife, Mrs. J. O. Fouche; J. I. Fouche and wife, M. L. Fouche; J. M. Bradbury and wife, Mrs. J. M. Bradbury; W. D. McBride and wife, Mrs. W. D. McBride; D. A. McBride and wife, Mrs. D. A. McBride; J. T. Service and wife, Mrs. J. T. Service; T. B. Wadley and wife, Mrs. T. B. Wadley; John D. McIver and wife, F. A. S. McIver; J. D. McIver and wife, Mrs. J. D. McIver; Ed T. Nicolds and wife, Mrs. Ed T. Nicolds; Ed F. Nicolds and wife, Mrs. Ed F. Nicolds; T. M. Waddell and wife, Mrs. T. M. Waddell; Aldus Davis and wife, Esther A. Davis; William A. Vest and wife, Mrs. William A. Vest; M. A. Vest and wife, Mrs. M. A. Vest; J. W. Vest and wife, Ollie Vest; Mrs. N. C. Vest and husband, ——— Vest; Mrs. Nancy C. Vest and husband, ——— Vest; Mrs. Nancy Vest and husband, ——— Vest; H. R. Smith and wife, C. A. Smith; J. F. Inman and wife, Mrs. F. Inman; William Daugherty and wife, Mary A. Daugherty; S. M. Zinn and wife, L. L. Zinn; J. L. Fouche and wife, Mrs. J. L. Fouche; J. R. Gough and wife, Mrs. J. R. Gough; Edward Veach and wife, Louis Daugherty Veach; R. L. Dupuy and wife, Berta Daugherty Dupuy; B. F. Harris and wife, Mrs. B. F. Harris; E. R. Layne and wife, Mrs. E. R. Layne; T. M. White and wife, Mrs. T. M. White, and if dead, their unknown heirs, their legal heirs and representatives:

You are commanded to appear and answer the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday, the 9th day of August, A. D. 1948, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Midland County, at the Court House in Midland, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's petition was filed on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1948.

The file number of said suit being No. 4834.

The names of the parties in said suit are:

A. M. Stanley (also known as Archie Mercer Stanley) and Ben Stanley (also known as Ben Martial Stanley; also known as Ben Marshel Stanley), as Plaintiffs, and

The above names parties to whom this Citation is issued and directed, and also Robert E. Dupuy and wife, Velma Obera Dupuy; H. G. Adams and wife, Daisy Lee Dupuy Adams; Joe G. Good and wife, Helen Ruth Dupuy Good; Ethelbert J. Dupuy and wife, Walterene Dupuy as Defendants.

The nature of said suit is as follows:

Plaintiffs allege ownership of the following described lands and premises, situated in Midland County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

The East One-half (E/2) of Lot Six (6) and the East One-half (E/2) of the South One-half (S/2) of Lot Five (5), in Block Twenty-eight (28), of the Original Town of Midland, Midland County, Texas.

Such action is a suit in trespass to try title brought by Plaintiffs for title to and possession of said lands above described; the action is brought as well to try title as for damages in the sum of $5,000.00 and costs of suit; plaintiffs alleging both record title and title in themselves through peaceable, continuous and adverse possession under the Three (3), Five (5), Ten (10) and Twenty-five (25) year Statutes of Limitation, and payments of taxes. Plaintiffs pray for re-

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covery of title to and possession of the lands above specifically described, damages and costs.

If this Citation is not served within ninety (90) days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this 25th day of June, A. D. 1948.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in Midland, Texas, this 25th day of June, A. D. 1948.
(Seal) NETTYE C. ROMER Clerk District Court, Midland County, Texas.
(July 9-16-23-30)

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: J. O. Fouche and wife, Mrs. J. O. Fouche, J. I. Fouche and wife, M. L. Fouche; J. M. Bradbury and wife, Mrs. J. M. Bradbury; W. D. McBride and wife, Mrs. W. D. McBride; D. A. McBride and wife, Mrs. D. A. McBride; J. T. Service and wife, Mrs. J. T. Service; T. B. Wadley and wife, Mrs. T. B. Wadley; John D. McIver and wife, F. A. S. McIver; J. D. McIver and wife, Mrs. J. D. McIver; Ed T. Nicolds and wife, Mrs. Ed T. Nicolds; Ed F. Nicolds and wife, Mrs. Ed F. Nicolds; T. M. Waddell and wife, Mrs. T. M. Waddell; Aldus Davis and wife, Esther A. Davis; William A. Vest and wife, Mrs. William A. Vest; M. A. Vest and wife, Mrs. M. A. Vest; J. W. Vest and wife, Ollie Vest; Mrs. N. C. Vest and husband, ——— Vest; Mrs. Nancy C. Vest and husband, ——— Vest; Mrs. Nancy Vest and husband, ——— Vest; H. R. Smith and wife, C. A. Smith; J. F. Inman and wife, M. F. Inman; William Daugherty and wife, Mary A. Daugherty; S. M. Zinn and wife, L. L. Zinn; J. L. Fouche and wife, Mrs. J. L. Fouche; J. R. Gough and wife, Mrs. J. R. Gough; Edward Veach and wife, Louis Daugherty Veach; R. L. Dupuy and wife, Berta Daugherty Dupuy; B. F. Harris and wife, Mrs. B. F. Harris; E. R. Layne and wife, Mrs. E. R. Layne; T. M. White and wife, Mrs. T. M. White; and if dead, their unknown heirs, their legal heirs and representatives

GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday, the 9th day of August, A. D. 1948, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Midland County, at the Court House in Midland, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's petition was filed on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1948.

The file number of said suit being No. 4833.

The names of the parties in said suit are:

A. W. Stanley (also known as Alfred Willis Stanley), as Plaintiff, and

The above named parties to whom this Citation is issued and directed, and also Robert E. Dupuy and wife, Velma Obera Dupuy; H. G. Adams and wife, Daisy Lee Dupuy Adams; Joe G. Good and wife, Helen Ruth Dupuy Good; Ethelbert J. Dupuy and wife, Walterene Dupuy, as Defendants.

The nature of which suit is as follows:

Plaintiff alleges ownership of that tract of land situated in Midland County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

The West One-half (W/2) of Lot Six (6), and the West One-half (W/2) of the South One-half (S/2) of Lot Five (5), in Block Twenty-eight (28), of the Original Town of Midland, Midland County, Texas, together with all improvements situated thereon;

Such action is a suit in trespass to try title brought by plaintiff for title and possession of the lands above described, alleging both record title and title in himself through peaceable continuous and adverse possession under the three (3), Five (5), Ten (10) and Twenty-five (25) year Statutes of Limitation, and payment of taxes; for damages in the sum of $5,000.00 and costs of suit. Plaintiff prays for recovery of title to and possession of the lands above specifically described, damages and costs.

If this Citation is not served within ninety (90) days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this 25th day of June, A. D. 1948.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in Midland, Texas, this 25th day of June, A. D. 1948.
(Seal) NETTYE C. ROMER Clerk District Court, Midland County, Texas.
(July 9-16-23-30)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: L. L. Keller and wife, Mrs. L. L. Keller; Cosette Keller, a feme sole, also known as Cosie Keller, Cosie Keller or Cosette Keller; Frank M. Wells and wife, Mrs. Frank M. Wells; Otto Hoffman and wife, Mrs. Daisy K. Hoffman, a feme sole; Harry D. Hoffman and wife, Mrs. Harry D. Hoffman; Paul Keller Hoffman and wife, Mrs. Paul Keller Hoffman; Phyllis Hoffman, a feme sole; Oma Perot Hoffman, a feme sole, and if any of the defendants are dead, their unknown heirs, their heirs and legal representatives;

GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 30th day of August, A. D., 1948, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Midland County, at the Court House in Midland, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's petition was filed on the 10th day of July, 1948.

The file number of said suit being No. 4851.

The names of the parties in said suit are:

Farmer's Co-operative Society of Midland, Texas, a corporation as Plaintiff, and the parties first named in this Citation and to whom it is issued and directed as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff alleges that on July 1, 1948 it was, and still is the owner in fee of the following described lands and premises, situated in Midland, Midland County, Texas, to-wit:

Lots Nos. One (1) and Two (2), Block No. Eighty-two (82) Southern Addition, sometimes referred to as Original Town, to the Town of Midland, Midland County, Texas;

That on the 2nd day of July, 1948, defendants dispossessed it of such premises and withhold possession thereof to its damage in the sum of $50.00, and plaintiff alleges that defendants have no interest in said lands and premises.

Such action is a suit in trespass to try title brought by plaintiff for title and possession of the lands and premises above described, for damages and costs, alleging both record title and title through peaceable, continuous and adverse possession under the 10 year statutes of limitation. Plaintiff prays for recovery of title and possession to and of the lands above specifically described, for damages and costs of suit.

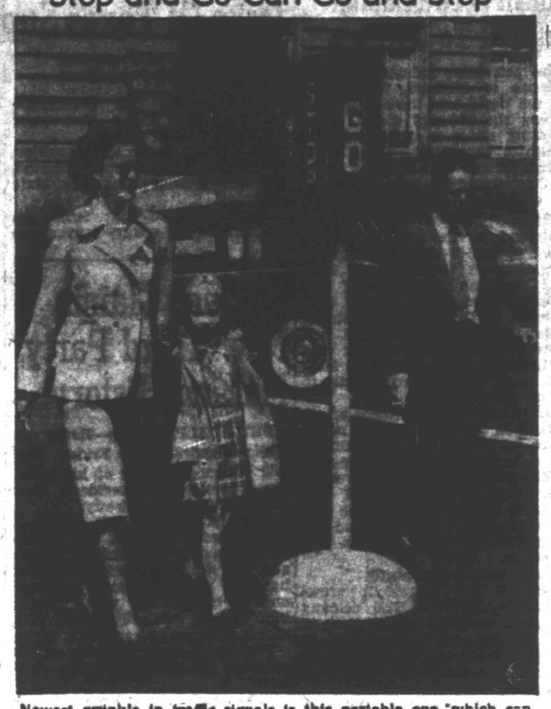
If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 15th day of July, 1948.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Midland, Texas, this the 15th day of July A. D., 1948.
(SEAL) NETTYE C. ROMER Clerk District Court, Midland County, Texas
(July 16-23-30; Aug. 6)

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Precinct—

(Continued from page 1)

meetings, voters have their final chance to do anything about such things as a party platform. After that, if party policy conforms to the average citizen's likes and dislikes, it's pure coincidence—unless, of course, the "average citizen" attended the precinct meeting and helped elect delegates who would carry out his wishes.

After the precinct meetings, only delegates can vote. At the county conventions July 31, delegates will be elected to go to the state convention.

Three Delegates

At the state Democratic convention, three persons from Midland County can help set up a platform on which the party nominee for governor will run. In Texas, this isn't important to party victory, of course. The Democratic nominee for the governor's chair may be named in Saturday's election, or, if there's a runoff, in the second primary. At any rate, a Democratic nominee, regardless of platform, probably will be governor of Texas for another two years. Anybody who wants to bet otherwise should be watched closely until an ambulance comes and takes him away.

All of which means that unless a large number of people attend precinct meetings Saturday and vote for delegates they want, the election of these delegates will be left, as usual, to a handful of voters.

Tyson Midkiff Suffers Heart Attack Friday

Tyson Midkiff, Midland ranchman, was taken to Western Clinic-Hospital at 1:15 a. m. Friday after suffering a heart attack. His condition was serious, hospital attaches said, but he was somewhat improved shortly before noon Friday.

Oil& Gas Log-

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to clean out and test. It is eight miles east and slightly north of Kermit, three and one half miles southeast of the Keystone field, and 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 29, block B-2, psl survey.

NE TERRY DISCOVERY IS TO CORE AHEAD AND TEST AGAIN

Seaboard Oil Company of Delaware No. 1 E. M. Hinson, Northeast Terry County wildcat, which flowed oil at an estimated rate of 53 barrels per hour during a one and one half hour drillstem test in a Pennsylvanian lime at 9,418-28 feet, to open a new field, was coring ahead.

Operator plans to core and test through the current zone, to determine its full thickness, before undertaking to complete the new discovery.

It is 10 miles northeast of Brownfield, and 660 feet from north and west lines of section 91, block 4-X, psl survey.

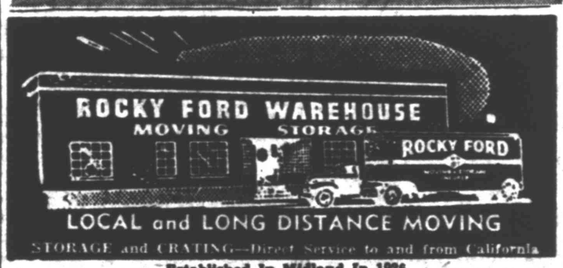
CENTRAL SCURRY VENTURE SETS PIPE AND TO DEEPEN

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Winston, South-Central Scurry County prospector, four miles south of Snyder, and 330 feet from north and west lines of tract 72, survey 37, Kirkland & Fields survey, cemented a string of 7-inch casing at 6,919 feet, in the Pennsylvanian lime, and was to drill ahead.

This development had good shows of production in the Canyon lime between 6,790 feet and 6,820 feet. The formation from 6,820 feet to 6,919 feet had shown some signs of oil and gas, but has also shown salt water.

The project was originally started to go to about 8,000 feet to test Ellenburger. It probably will go on to that zone before it runs production tests on the Canyon formation.

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A NY Corporation Lawyer And His Unfinished Brief

By HAL BOYLE

PHILADELPHIA — (AP) — The white-haired old corporation attorney, mad at both the Republicans and the Democrats, had come to hit the sawdust trail for Henry Wallace.

Elegant in a white sharkskin suit and blue tie, 75-year-old Arthur Dun of New York City looked a little out of place as he waited to appear before the last public hearing of the New Party's Platform Committee.

There were more than a score there to testify for causes, old and new. Among them were a negro nurse, a white-collar union official, a farmer, an Illinois patent attorney, a Jewish member of Palestine's extremist Stern group, an Irish seaman, writer Muriel Draper, and Rep. Vito Marcantonio, who wanted a plank put in the platform calling for Puerto Rican independence.

Five Minute Limit

They spoke at such length that Mrs. Elinor Gimbel, acting as platform secretary, warned:

"If we keep on like this we'll be here until tomorrow. From now on we'll have to limit each speaker to five minutes."

The first victim of the ruling was the elderly corporation lawyer.

"I have been voting for 54 years," Dun began. "I always voted Republican until 1932. I guess I just didn't know any better."

The small audience of 75 in the ballroom of Convention Hall whooped lustily. "My hobby now is fighting the poll tax."

The spectators cheered again.

He then began reading the text of his statement. It called upon Congress to enforce the 2nd section of the 14th amendment, "which requires that if a state abridges the right to vote in any way, the number of representatives in Congress from such state must be reduced proportionately.

"Because of failure of Congress to enforce this provision," Dun said, "the seven poll tax states in the South have 69 members in the House of Representatives, whereas they are entitled to but 28."

"Furthermore—" he read on, and when Mrs. Gimbel interrupted him:

"Time! Your time is up."

Most Important

"But this is the most important thing in the country today," protested the old attorney. "If this plan is carried out, no civil rights legislation will be required."

He folded his manuscript and walked back to his seat.

Then he brightened:

"You know after I gave up on Hoover I voted for Franklin D. Roosevelt, but now I am for Henry Wallace. I met him when he was secretary of agriculture.

"I gave him a book of mine and he gave me a book of his. He has a fine mind. He certainly does understand economics."

Then Dun leaned forward to listen to the next speaker. He was a little man in shirtsleeves demanding that the third party take a firm stand against liquor advertising.

Pioneer Movie And Star Maker Dies

HOLLYWOOD—(AP)—David Wark Griffith, 73, pioneer movie and star-maker, died Friday.

Best known for his discovery of Mary Pickford and his famous "The Birth of a Nation," Griffith had been inactive in pictures for many years, but the legend of his early days never died.

He was stricken ill Wednesday night in his hotel suite and taken to the hospital Thursday, suffering from a cerebral hemorrhage. He lost consciousness, and succumbed at 9:24 a. m. (CST) in an oxygen tent.

British Outlaw Reds In Malaya, Singapore

SINGAPORE—(AP)—British officials Thursday outlawed the Communist Party and three allied organizations in the Federation of Malaya and the neighboring crown colony of Singapore.

An official statement said the Communist Party "for some time past has been secretly responsible for planning, superintending and carrying out a campaign of violence for purposes of upsetting the existing authority of lawful governments in the federation of Malaya and Singapore."

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Williamson Funeral Services Are Held

Funeral services were to be held at 2:30 p. m. Friday in the First Baptist Church for James Henderson Williamson, 88, pioneer Midland building contractor, who died Tuesday afternoon in Stanton. Interment was to be in Fairview Cemetery.

Williamson was born May 7, 1860, in Granville, Tenn., and came to Midland in 1907. He was for many years prominent in the construction industry here, and erected many Midland homes and business buildings.

He was an honorary deacon of the First Baptist Church and one of the oldest living members at the time of his death. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge here.

Survivors include the widow; a daughter, Mrs. C. W. Kerr, and a grandson, James Kerr, of Midland; and a granddaughter, Mrs. Clarence Wilson, of Porterville, Pa.

Phone 3000 for Classified Information.

British Charge Russians Violate RAF Air Lanes

BERLIN —(AP)— The British have accused the Russians of three violations of flight rules in the air line used by the RAF to supply Soviet-blockaded Berlin. British officials claim Soviet fighter planes probably engaged in target practice in the corridor.

The British Military Government turned down a Russion offer to supply electric power to a factory in Western Berlin, saying the offer was an attempt to start economic control of all Berlin.

The American-licensed newspaper Der Abend said German passengers bound for British zone points on the Berlin-Helmstedt rail line are being taken off trains three stations east of Marienborn. They are transferred to horse-drawn carts for the rest of the trip to the zonal border.

The U. S. Provost Marshal's office here announced Friday that the Russians have released two American military policemen who were arrested when they entered the surrounding Soviet occupation zone by mistake. The men were held about 15 hours.

American authorities said Richard Goff of Altoona, Pa., an American civilian motorist arrested by the Russians Thursday when he sought to drive through their zone without a required visa, had been released.

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Importance Of Oil Industry To Midland Outlined To JayCees

The petroleum industry, its importance to Midland, the nation and the world, and the necessity of keeping the industry sound and operating under a system of free enterprise were discussed by J. Ed Warren of the Carl B. King Drilling Company at the luncheon-meeting of Midland JayCees in the Scharbauer Hotel Friday.

Midland is the administrative center of one of the world's greatest petroleum sources, he said. Texas produces 45 per cent of the nation's oil, and one-third of it is produced in the Permian Basin. A Midland banker, Warren said, had informed him at least 80 per cent of all business transactions in Midland relate directly or indirectly to the oil industry.

As for national importance of oil, he said in 1918 coal was a major source of energy in the United States. In 1946, the country was using the same amount of coal as in 1918. Ninety-five per cent of the increased energy used in the nation came from petroleum, and the other five per cent was from water power.

Demand Grows Constantly

Demand for petroleum grows constantly, he said. The demand now is 50 per cent greater than in 1941, 20 per cent greater than in the peak war year 1945, and eight per cent greater than at this time last year.

It is vitally important, not only to the industry itself, but to the world so dependent upon it, that the oil industry be left free from government control, Warren said. One of the objectives of oil organizations is an informed public which will realize that the industry's health and consequently the welfare of the nation demands private operation of the industry in the future as in the past. It is to private enterprise the world owes the present high state of development of the petroleum industry, he said.

War Pilot—

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for Supina on a felony charge of malicious mischief.

At Ashford, Conn., Supina's brother, former Connecticut State Representative Thomas Supina, Jr., said "Steve has been pretty upset, seeing the world on the edge of another war."

He said his brother may have used a "signal flare" in an attempt to "wake up the United Nations." The brother took part in 25 missions over Europe during the war.

The elder Supina said his brother thought that the UN has not been forceful enough in trying to maintain peace," that "they're a bunch of appeasers," and that "somebody ought to blast the UN into action."

Long, White Object

Guards at UN headquarters, located in suburban Nassau County on Long Island, said the plane approached the UN building area in a long dive from the south.

The plane came down to about 150 feet, narrowly missing the antenna of the UN radio station as it twice circled the buildings, then loosed a white, long object.

The object exploded in front of the main structure which houses the offices of Secretary General Trygve Lie.

Gerald D. Vaine, in charge of State Police at Lake Success, said the plane which landed at La Guardia "is definitely the plane that dropped the bomb."

WILLIAMS' DEATH SENTENCE COMMUTED TO LIFE TERM

AUSTIN—(AP)— Commutation of the death sentence of Earnest Williams to life imprisonment has been ordered by Gov. Beauford H. Jester, Executive Secretary William L. McGill reported Friday.

Williams, convicted of murder in the multiple-stabbing of his wife, Callie Williams, would have died in the electric chair next Wednesday.

Precinct Conventions May Determine Issue Of Texas Support For Truman

By MAC ROY BASOR
Associated Press Staff

Which of the two Democratic parties should Texas Democratic electors support?

That question is to be subject for debate in neighborhood precinct conventions throughout the state Saturday.

Decisions there will form the groundwork for county conventions one week later and for the September 14 state convention, for which a "bitter fight" is brewing.

When the Texas Democratic Convention resolved at Brownwood to support "the nominees of the Democratic Party," there was only one Democratic Party. Now there are two—the Truman-Barkley Democrats and the Thurmond-Wright Democrats. Both claim to be "the" Democratic Party.

The Thurmond-Wright "Dixiecrats" have proposed to let a popular vote settle the issue.

Wants Votes To Choose

Merritt Gibson of Longview, Texas Regular leader of 1944 and an active Dixiecrat, said Thursday that "a bitter fight" could be eliminated in September if the Democratic Executive Committee will permit voters in the second primary in August to ballot on whether they want Texas electors to back Truman or Thurmond.

"This would be a people's mandate to the electors and a fair solution. Nobody could complain about the results," he said. Without such a mandate, the issue faces certain warfare at Fort Worth.

Anti-Truman Democrats and Truman-loyal Democrats warred at the Brownwood convention — but both bowed to the controlling middle-of-the-road Democrats led by Gov. Beauford H. Jester's forces.

Jester fought at the national convention to keep a bolt-minded Texas delegation in line with its instructions. To fight Truman policies but support party nominees—whoever they be. But there are Truman Democrats who disapprove of the entire delegation's behavior at Philadelphia.

March Threatens Fight

Caso March, candidate for governor, has charged Jester and his delegation with "sabotaging and defeating" the Democratic Party and has threatened to fight for the Truman-loyal factions to overthrow "Jestercrat" control of the party machinery.

Austin's Mayor Tom Miller, unsuccessfully backed at Brownwood by the Truman Democrats for national committeeman, was ready to go along with Jester and his successful opponent, Wright Morrow of Houston—"if they are going to support President Truman."

"If they are, I'm ready to do evrything I can to help that cause," Miller said.

Jester wrote friends last week to urge them to attend precinct and county conventions.

"It is essential that the friends of my administration control the (state) convention," he told them.

Wallace Claims New Third Party Making History

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—Henry A. Wallace arrived here Friday and told cheering backers of his Third Party presidential candidacy they are making world history.

"This convention will mark a great turning point in the history of this party, the United States and the world," he said to several hundred party leaders, delegates and party workers who greeted him at the railroad station with shouts and party campaign songs.

Wallace declared chances of his party in the coming election "are fine."

"The new party will make things roll after this convention. Mark my word on that."

The Third Party nominee waved aside questions from reporters about Communism and party principles. He said sueh questions would be answered at a news conference later in the day.

He did say that chances of his party are "very much better than any of the pollsters indicate."

First Try Since 1924

Wallace's arrival marks the formal launching of the first serious attempt since 1924 to cut across Democratic and Republican lines with a third candidate for the presidency.

In that long ago era, the ticket of Robert M. LaFollette Sr. and Burton K. Wheeler got about 4,500,000 votes.

Estimates now range between that and 9,000,000 for the vote total likely to be amassed by Wallace and his running mate, Senator Glen Taylor, erstwhile Idaho Democrat.

The Republicans hope Wallace and Taylor, to be formally nominated Saturday afternoon, will take from the Democrats enough votes in the big population states to cinch the election of their nominee, Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York.

The Democrats whistle valiantly that Wallace, a former New Dealer, will lure as many votes away from the GOP as he does from their party.

Death Of Crane Man Found On Railroad Believed Accidental

Though investigation of the death of James Perry Jacobs, 37, Crane oilfield worker, whose body was found on the T&P Railroad tracks between Midland and Odessa early Tuesday morning, had not been officially closed Friday morning, Justice of the Peace B. C. Girdley said all information obtained thus far indicates the tragedy was accidental.

Exhaustive investigations have been made by railroad, oil company, and insurance company special agents, as well as by state and county officers. Investigators believe he stumbled into the side of a swiftly-moving train a few hours before dawn Tuesday.

Texas A&M Instructor Killed By Explosion

COLLEGE STATION —(AP)— Col. Thomas Adcock, 43, assistant professor of military science, Engineer Corps, Texas A&M College, was killed Thursday afternoon in an explosion at Fort Belvoir, Va., the Military Department here was informed.

Adcock was conducting a demolition demonstration.

On temporary leave, he was an instructor at the ROTC camp at Fort Belvoir, where he went June 9.

He came to A&M in 1939. During World War II he saw service in the European Theater and on the Alaska Highway. He was graduated from West Point in 1929.

Burial will be in the Arlington National Cemetery.

If you are interested in buying a home, read the listings under 75 in today's Classified Section.

Three Superforts On Second Leg Of World-Girdling Cruise

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Three American Superfortresses are off on a round-the-world scouting flight to see whether big bombers could use fields and facilities in distant parts of the world, should trouble come some day.

The second stop of the trio of B-29s was scheduled for Friday at Lagens Air Base in the Azores, which the United States uses under an agreement with Portugal.

The bombers, taking off from their home base at Davis-Monthan Field, Tucson, Ariz., stopped at MacDill, Florida, Thursday afternoon for fuel, then headed eastward out across the Atlantic.

From the Azores, the three bombers are scheduled to fly to Whellus Field, near Tripoli, Libya.

From there, refueling stops will be made at Ceylon, the Philippines, Japan, Alaska, and thus back to base at Tucson.

Livestock

FORT WORTH —(AP)— Cattle 500; calves 200; steady to weak; steers, yearlings and stockers scarce. One heifer 33.00; one steer yearling 35.00; sausage bulls 16.00-22.50; good and choice slaughter calves 24.00-27.00; common and medium calves 17.00-22.00.

Hogs 100; steady to weak; good and choice 180-270 pound butchers 28.25; lighter and heavier hogs 26.50-28.00; sows 20.00-28.50; pigs 26.00 down.

Sheep 500; trade poorly tested; odd lots sold about steady; practically no slaughter classes offered; stocker Spring lambs 23.00 down; stocker yearlings 17.00 down.

GRIGGSBY NAMED ACTING EDUCATION COMMISSIONER

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Rall I. Griggsby, former Mid-Western school official, has been named acting commissioner of education by Federal Security Administrator Oscar R. Ewing.

He takes over the duties of John W. Studebaker who resigned as commissioner July 15.

Crime Wave—

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a reformatory official, his wife and 21-year-old daughter from their beds in their nightclothes, ransacked the residence to obtain a shotgun, rifle and revolver, and then shot the three to death in a rain-swept cornfield. The nude bodies of reformatory farm superintendent, John Biedel, 50, his wife, Nolanda, 52, and 21-year-old Phyllis, her red hair done up in pin curlers, were found hours later.

The Niebel killings occurred Wednesday, and five law enforcement agencies joined in the hunt to halt the marauding men.

But before they could be captured they struck again Thursday night, adding two more victims.

James Smith, 25, Tiffin farmer, and his wife were en route home after having some ice cream when a gray car crowded their auto to the side of the road. One of the occupants of the other car accused Smith of speeding, and asked to see his driver's license.

Smith produced it, but remonstrated when the man attempted to walk off with it. The man turned and fired, killing Smith, then climbed into the rear seat with Mrs. Smith—threatening to kill her if she screamed.

The killers' car drove down the road, turned and came back, and the slayer left Mrs. Smith to get into his own car, driving away. The young widow ran to a nearby home, notified police, and police sped to the scene, setting up road blocks.

Later, at a roadside park near Tiffin, Deputy Sheriff Grover Leopold found an abandoned Pontiac car. He called for help, and officers surrounded a nearby home, thinking the two fugitives had "holed up" there. They were not located, however, and a few minutes later a search of the park disclosed the unidentified body which at first was thought to be Gschwind. He had been shot twice, once in the back of the head and once in the heart.

The driveaway truck in which the two were finally captured was a Dodge owned by the Bolin Driveaway Company.

Clay Sees—

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statement concerning Clay's appearance before the House group:

"General Clay presented to the committee the general conditions in Berlin and the action of the American troops and personnel in Berlin.

"General Clay reiterated the determination and the ability of American forces to carry out our stated governmental policy in remaining in Berlin, and supplying those in the American sector.

"Chairman Eaton joined the secretary of the Army in complimenting General Clay upon the splendid manner in which he and his troops and civilian personnel are carrying out their mission in Berlin and in Germany as a whole."

Funeral Services Held For R. L. Gray

Funeral services for Robert Lee Gray, Jr., 51, were held Thursday afternoon in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Lennol Hester, pastor of the Asbury Methodist Church, officiating. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery.

Gray, who resided at 1202 South Main Street, died early Wednesday in a Midland hospital. He had lived in Midland 11 years, and had traveled this area more than 20 years as a Swift and Company representative.

He was born June 19, 1897, at Kaufman, Texas.

Survivors include the widow, a daughter, Carolyn, and a son, Robertt Lee III, all of Midland; a stepmother, Mrs. Olga Gray of Rochester, Texas, and two aunts, Mrs. C. E. McDonald of Lubbock and Mrs. Esther Burton of Edgewood, Texas.

Midland Voters—

In seeking re-election to office of Constable, Precint 1, I should like to refer you to my record in this office during the 10 months I have served.

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(Political Adv.)

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