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Huge Raid On Reds Carried Out By Planes

TOKYO, May 9. (AP) — More than 300 Allied planes smashed a Red air field on the Korea-Manchuria border today to prevent an expected Communist aerial offensive.

It was the biggest raid of the war. But first official reports didn't look like much. The Fifth Air Force said two Red planes were damaged in the air, two were destroyed and one was damaged on the ground.

Results of the thundering raid were screened by flames and smoke. Returning pilots said 10 square miles were blanketed by smoke and flames.

The target was Sinuiju air field where 70 to 100 Red planes had been spotted on the ground.

The attack was made by 312 jets and fighter-bombers. They came from every United Nations air field in Korea. For half an hour early Wednesday afternoon they blasted and burned the airfield in Northwestern Korea.

LITTLE GROUND ACTION

Eighty Russian type jet fighters were parked on an air field at Antung, Manchuria across the Yalu River from Sinuiju.

Fifty rose. But Lt. Gen. Earle E. Partridge, Fifth Air Force commander, said only 13 crossed the

The big blow at Sinuiju followed front line reports that Chinese were angered at Russian failure to supply tanks or planes for their spring offensive. The air show completely overshadowed ground operations. Red troops continued to pull back from armored Allied jabs.

Allied intelligence reports said about 70 to 100 camouflaged planes had been massed in Sinuiju revetments. The long expected Red air strike was believed imminent.

Then the Allies struck. American Air Force and South African fighter planes hit in two waves.

The first wave swept through heavy flak, rocketing, bombing and strafing antiaircraft guns.

The second wave hit revetments and the air field with high explosive, fragmentation and fire bombs.

"I don't think the Reds will fly any more planes off that strip," said Capt. H. L. Williams, Watonga, Okla.

AP Correspondent William Barnard reported no U.N. planes or airmen were lost.

ANGRY AT RUSSIA

A front line dispatch from Associated Press Correspondent Jim Becker, delayed by censors, said absence of Russian-made armor bogged down the recent Red offensive after it had broken through U.N. lines. Becker quoted a high ranking Allied officer as saying:

"We have learned from many sources that the Chinese did not follow up their breakthrough because they had planned on using planes and tanks and the Russians did not deliver them.

"We hear that many top Chinese generals are disgusted by this Russian failure to deliver."

Similar reports o. Chinese anger with Russians came previously from AP Correspondent John Randolph.

South Korean troops expanded their three bridgeheads inside Red Korea. All were on the eastern front.

Panama Nears Open Violence In Government

PANAMA, Panama, May 9. (AP)—Constitution - switching President Arnulfo Arias and the police army which put him in power appeared on the verge of an open break today — but both factions said they hoped bloodshed could be averted.

Following a meeting with "strong man" National Police Chief Col. Jose Antonio Remon, a police delegation told the president they wanted to retain the 1946 constitution which Arias, in a decree Monday night, replaced by the 1941 national charter written while he held the presidency before.

The president replied he was standing by his decision to reinstate the 1941 constitution. The police delegation went back to their headquarters to discuss their future position.

Arias had announced earlier Thursday night he would call a plebiscite in which the people could decide which constitution they preferred. Observers felt, however, that the stand he expressed to the police group might cancel this projected poll.

RED PLOT CHARGED

Arias' decree swapping constitutions also had dissolved the national assembly, suspended the right of habeas corpus and put the nation's top courts on a temporary basis. He charged the country was threatened by subversive plotting by opposition leaders and the outlawed Communist party.

The police visit to the president came after thousands of Panamanians marched on police headquarters Tuesday night clamoring for the president's ouster. Remon and the national police constitute Panama's only army. They led the bloodless coup which boosted Arias back into power in November, 1949.

Remon urged the demonstrators to remain calm. He assured them his force would guarantee the people's rights.

TERM IN DOUBT

Earlier Tuesday night Arias, announcing the plebiscite, told some 6,000 persons gathered outside his palace "If the people want us to leave the presidency, we would do so."

He also asked the population to remain calm.

Later he told newsmen he intended to remain in office until the new assembly sets an expiration date for his term. The 1941 constitution provides a six-year presidential term. The 1946 charter specifies only four years.

New Casualty List

WASHINGTON, May 9. (AP) — A new Defense Department casualty list (No. 298) today identified 393 Korean casualties, including 67 killed, 298 wounded, six missing and 22 injured in combat zone accidents.

Truman Displays Cake



President Truman grins as he displays a birthday cake with 21 candles on it in his White House office in Washington. He is 67. The cake was a gift from Mrs. William Simmons, wife of the White House receptionist.

Food Prices Stable For A Little While

By OVID A. MARTIN

WASHINGTON, May 9. (AP) — The Agriculture Department predicted today that currently high food prices will remain fairly stable from now at least until early summer.

This forecast was based upon the assumption there will be no change in the international situation which might encourage scare buying by consumers.

Supplies of most foods were said to be adequate to maintain civilian consumption at least as large as a year earlier.

Retail food prices for the first quarter of this year were said to have averaged almost 15 per cent higher than a year earlier. Largest increases were reported for meats, eggs, fats and oils, and processed fruits and vegetables.

The department said it is likely food prices will tend to increase more in the latter part of the year. It said the military and export demand will be stronger then and contribute to the upward price pressure started by the Korean war.

"As more of the nation's production is geared to the defense effort and essential industrial capacity is expanded in the latter half of 1951, supplies of some consumer goods — particularly the durable commodities and housing — may be reduced from present levels," the agency said in a report.

"A sharp reduction in the supplies of these goods would further strengthen the consumer demand for food and non-durable goods and services, as was the case during World War II and the immediate postwar years. With consumer incomes expanding, price pressures may be greater later in the year."

The department added, however, that price and wage controls, credit restrictions and proposed higher income taxes would tend to limit price rises that might occur.

The average rate of civilian food consumption is expected to be a little higher this year than last and about 14 per cent higher than the prewar average.

As in the past five years, the bulk of the food exports will be grain and grain products, especially wheat and flour. The department said larger exports of these commodities probably will be more than offset by declines in exports of dairy products, dried fruits and other foods. Little meat is being sold abroad.

The department said the divilian supply of meat this year is expected to average 148 pounds, carcass weight, for each individual, compared with 144.5 last year, 126 before the war and a recent peak of 153.4 in 1946.

No Courtesy Shown Reds

NEW YORK, May 9. (AP)—Fifteen Russians sailed for the homeland Tuesday, but a lot of their 'Made in U. S. A." baggage remained behind.

AFL Longshoremen refused to load crated television sets, washing machines and refrigerators aboard the liner America when they noted Russian words stenciled on the crates

Several of the departing Russians — described as Soviet United Nations delegation and embassy staff members —even had to carry their own personal luggage on board the ship.

Marshall Says M'Arthur Made UN Allies Uneasy

Strikers Defy Government In Spanish Town

PAMPLONS, Spain, May 9. (AP)—Police fired on a crowd of strikers demonstrating today against the high cost of living. Five were seriously wounded.

Fifty of the workers, taking part in a general strike which has paralyzed this industrial city, were arrested as "instigators" of the stoppage, which began Tuesday.

Civil Governor Luis Valero Bermejo gave the strikers an ultimatum to return to their jobs by 2 p.m. today or face "grave sanctions." The workers defied the ultimatum, showing up in front of the factories but remaining outside discussing last night's skirmish with police during a previous demonstration.

Today's fighting began when strikers went to a plant where workers wanted to return to their jobs, and forced them to stay out.

A short time later, the strikers tried to march up the Plaza del Casillo to the civil governor's palace, to renew their protests against the high cost of living.

Police opened fire. After the volley, five persons lay still on the ground. Nearly 50 others sustained minor injuries after police wielded clubs among the demonstrators.

The strike remained solid, with no indication that it would end before Thursday. Its tone was similar to that of other recent srikes in Generalissimo Francisco Franco's country, all protesting the sharp rises in living costs, about which the government had promised to take drastic measures.

Iceland Fields Said No Good

WASHINGTON, May 9. (AP) — Strategic Iceland's airfields will be almost useless for modern American heavy bombers and jet fighters until and unless they can be rebuilt.

None of the runways of the four fields constructed during World War II are long enough for handling fully-loaded warplanes like the B-36 or the swift jet fighters, a check today indicated.

But Iceland — where United States Army, Navy and Air Forces have landed under an agreement with Denmarkk ((owner of Iceland) to help defend the island under the North Atlantic Treaty provisions has two other major functions in guarding against possible attacks across the Artic:

1. As location for radar air raid warning stations.

2. As a base for submarines and surface craft patrolling the high Artic latitudes on watch for airborne attackers.

Robbers Still At Large

SAN ANTONIO, May 9. (AP) — Three gunmen who held up the First State Bank at Poteet Tuesday in a daring daylight robbery apparently had vanished today.

The bandits fled to San Antonio after taking $1,648 from the bank.

Ridgway Promoted



Matthew. B. Ridgway, commander-in-chief in the Far East and commander of UN forces in Korea, was raised from lieutenant general to full general by President Truman today.

Plan Meetings On Board For Youth Center

A report on the present condition of the Snyder Youth Center and plans for formation of a new board of directors will be discussed with various civic and social organizations next week by the Rev. Clifford Taylor, chairman of the present board.

Mr. Taylor said he planned to contact as many of the organizations as possible today to arrange to meet with them for the discussions. After hearing the condition report, the clubs will be asked to consider further participation in the project and the selection of a member to serve on a new board of directors.

The Youth Center board of directors has received an offer to have the debt on the building paid off if arrangements for its operation are satisfactory to the donor. This would include the appointment of a new board of directors.

Cops Indicted In New York

NEW YORK, May 9. (AP)—Twenty-one policemen, including two inspectors, one captain and two lieutenants who have retired, were booked today on an indictment charging conspiracy to protect a $20 million a year bookmaking racket.

The retired inspectors were named by the district attorney's office as Frederick Hofsaes of Brooklyn, who retired Oct. 6, 1950, and John F. Flynn, at one time head of former Police Commissioner William P. O'Brien's confidential squad.

Hofsaes retired under fire after his explanation of a gift of a television set, allegedly from the head of a bookmaking syndicate, was challenged by the district attorney.

Syria Charges Israel Bombed Her Soldiers

DAMASCUS, Syria, May 9. (AP)—Syria early today accused Israel of bombing her troops just as the United Nations Security Council ordered an immediate cease-fire along the Syrian-Israeli border.

A Syrian army communique charged Israel with "heavy bombing" of the Shamineh region north of the Sea of Galilee between 1 a.m. and 3 a.m. (5 p.m. to 7 p.m. CST) — just as the council at Lake Success voted 10 to 0 for the cease-fire

Syria's representative denied Tuesday that his country's troops were involved in the recent armed clashes along the border but said that his government nevertheless accepted the cease-fire. Islael earlier said it would heed no such order until the withdrawal of Syrian troops which it charged were illegally in the demilitarized established between the two countries.

Sign Petition For Manager

More than 50 persons have already signed the petition being circulated calling an election on the city manager form of government in Snyder. Wayne Boren, chairman of the civic improvements committee of the Chamber of Commerce, said today.

One copy of the petition was to be presented to the Kiwanis Club at their luncheon today, Boren said.

We need at least 200 signatures, but the more we get the happier we will be, he added.

When 10 per cent of the voters of Snyder have signed the petition it will be presented to the city council. The council will in turn call an election to decide two issues: shall a commission be named to frame a new city charter, and shall 15 persons whose names will be listed on the ballot be chosen as the charter commission?

"We do not anticipate any difficulty in getting more than the necessary number of signatures on the petition," Boren said, "so far nearly everyone who has been contacted readily signed."

Sentence For Perjury Friday

NEW YORK, May 9. (AP) —James J. Moran — holder of a lifetime $15,000-a-year city job just a few weeks ago — today faced the possibility of five years in a federal prison as a Kefauver Committee perjurer.

Moran, a buddy of ex-Mayor William O'Dwyer for many years, was convicted Tuesday of lying about his relations with Brooklyn numbers racketeering Louis Weber.

Sentence will be imposed Friday. The maximum possible penalty for the perjury conviction is five years and a $2,000 fine.

Moran's counsel said he would advise Moran to appeal.

Moran remained free in $25,000 bail.

The defendant, a former first deputy fire commissioner, was convicted of perjury for testifying before the senate probers that Weber had visited him in his fire department office no more than six times between 1946 and 1950.

Says They Are Not To Blame In Discharge

WASHINGTON, May 9. (AP) —Secretary Marshall said today Gen. MacArthur's quarrel with Korean war policy created "uneasiness" among U. S. allies and threatened to leave this country "going it alone" there.

But Marshall denied under questioning from senators that the Allies brought about MacArthur's removal. He said "They gave no expression of that kind even remotely that I can recall pertaining to his relief.

MacArthur's removal was necessary, Marshall declared, because his statements raised the issue of "what voice spoke from this country in the matter of foreign policy."

The defense secretary testified for the third day to the Senate Armed Services and Forign Relations Committees. They are inquiring into the whole issue of far eastern policy and MacArthur's removal. He will appear again Thursday.

Under questioning, Marshall said:

1. MacArthur's proposals for hitting directly at the Chinese Communists might lead to "very much larger" U. S. and Allied casualties rather than saving lives as the contends.

TWO REASONS GIVEN

2. The restrictions placed on the fighting — that is the effort to limit it to Korea — have only "very slighly affected — may not at all" —the casualties in the war.

3. MacArthur was denied authority to bomb Manchurian bases, blockade the China Coast and use Chinese Nationalist troops from Formosa for two chief reasons

"Partly because of the feeling of our allies and partly because of our own feelings that to act otherwise in those limitations under the general conditions would possibly result in a very much larger casualty list."

4. No Japanese have been allowed to serve with the United Nations troops in Korea largely because a Chinese-Russian defense pact is aimed at Japan. His implication here was that there was concern the Russians might come into the war if Japanese were used, even as "volunteers."

Marshall's discussion of the present casualty rate, and what it might be under MacArthur's program, was obviously aimed at MacArthur's argument the present limited war policy can lead only to a "bloody stalemate" and continued loss of American lives.

'No Backdown on Meat Price Controls' Says Stabilization Chief

KANSAS CITY, May 9. (AP)—Michael V. DiSalle said here Tuesday night "No amount of pressure from anyone will change the picture as far as I am concerned" on the beef price rollback order.

DiSalle, director of the Office of Price Stabilization, said:

"The people who are causing all this disturbance over the order will have to demonstrate clearly to me that this order isn't fair, isn't equitable or essential to the stabilization program."

He said he was told in January there wouldn't be any increase in meat prices "if we didn't establish controls then. Well, since January there has been a 12 per cent increases. Since last June there has been a 25 per cent increase. Now, how can you stabilize anything in the face of such continuing increases?"

East Scurry Wildcat Gets Strawn Show

R. Olsen Oil Co. of Oklahoma City No. 1 J. W. Templeton, East-Central Scurry County wildcat, is drilling below 6,919 feet in the Pennsylvanian shale after a drillstem test in the upper Strawn sand.

The test was taken from 6,865 feet to 6,907 feet. Tool was open two hours.

Recovery was 190 feet of very heavily oil and gas cut drilling mud with no shows of water. Open flowing bottom hole pressure was zero, and shutin pressure after 15 minutes was 150 pounds.

Interested observers are expecting the wildcat to encounter another sand zone in the Strawn soon.

It is 10 miles east of Snyder, and 660 feet from south and west lines of section 52, block 3, H&TC survey. That makes it 4,000 feet northwest of the discovery well of the Hermleigh - Ellenburger field.

That project is R. W. Baxter No. 1 Feldman, completed early in 1950 for a daily pumping production of 121 barrels of oil from pay in the Ellenburger at 7,309-35 feet. It was recently plugged after the oil production declined to practically nothing. The Olsen development is the first outpost to the Baxter discovery.

BORDEN WELL TESTS

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Moss Trial Opens With Quiros And Mother-in-Law Testifying

The jury trial of Don Moss former policeman, charged with assault to murder Simon Quiros, 20-year old Mexican on July 23 of last year at the old rodeo grounds, began shortly before noon today, before a packed courtroom. Judge A. S. Mauzey presided.

A jury panel of 45 was called, and each person was questioned on racial prejudice before a jury was selected.

Quiros was the first witness called by Alonzo S. Perales, San Antonio lawyer who has been employed by the Mexican colony here to assist in the prosecution. Quiros spoke through an interpreter, Ygnacio Benites, appointed by the court.

FIVE YEARS HERE

Quiros said he had been in Scurry County about five years and had only attended school about two weeks in his lifetime.

The state asked him to relate the shooting incident.

The witness said he was intoxicated that day and did not know who shot him. He testified that he and another friend had been drinking beer before the ball game that was being played at the rodeo grounds.

Quiros' memory was poor as to other details of the shooting, because, he said, he was intoxicated and did not remember anything. He stated that he was shot in the upper left thigh and that the bullet came out in front.

The defense attorneys, Thomas and Thomas of Big Spring, asked Quiros if he had been drinking before the game, and he said he had and that he was intoxicated when he reached the ball park.

Asked by Thomas if he remembered having two knives that day and if he remembered running away from the car after the officer had placed him under arrest, Quiros said he did not recall.

The witness said he did not remember ever having a knife that day, even before he was drinking.

MOTHER-IN-LAW

The next witness for the state was Isabel L. Bernal, whose testimony was also given through the interpreter. She is the mother-in-law of Quiros. She told the jury that she witnessed the shooting from a distance of about 35 feet.

After Quiros had been placed in the officer's car, she said she saw Quiros leave the vehicle and fall twice. She stated that the officer shot Quiros from behind, while the latter was in a stooping position after the second fall.

"There was only one shot fired by the officer," said Mrs. Bernal. When asked if she saw Quiros resist the officer, she replied in the negative.

DEFENSE QUESTIONS

The defense asked Mrs. Bernal when Quiros got to the ball park. She replied that she did not know, as Quiros did not go with her, and that she went to the game with her husband.

The witness was asked by the defense to outline by chalk marks on a courtroom diagram of the ball field just where she was when the shooting started, which she did.

Mrs. Bernal was still being examined by the defense when Judge Mauzey called for the noon recess.

The testimony is slated to be resumed this afternoon and may be continued throughout part of tomorrow, attorneys on both sides said.

Eldon Mahon of Colorado City, district attorney for the 32nd district court, and Bob Davie, district attorney for the 132nd district, are also representing the state.

Ducklings Go For A Walk



Strutting mama mallard duck and her 13 ducklings waddle across a walk in London's St. James Park while a bobby "stops traffic" and park-goers give undivided attention. Proud mama appears to take attention as her due as she leads her young to the lake. The family was found in the garden of an East Dulwich home and transferred to the more pleasant surroundings of the park.

Summer Recreation Program Is To Be Sponsored by Schools

Plans for a summer recreation program for school children began last night when the Snyder school board voted to hire two men and two women to lead in a two-month athletic and entertainment project.

The program was proposed in a motion by Paul Keaton that the school administration seek leaders and assist in arranging a schedule of recreation which would include motion picture education, games, etc.

"I believe a wholesome and interesting summer program would be appreciated by both the children and their parents," Keaton said, "especially since there is no other recreation program offered here."

Although no details of the program were arranged at the board meeting, it was decided that the project would probably run from about June 15 to about Aug. 15. No decision was made concerning instructors or leaders for the program except that they were to be hired to work one-half day, each day.

TRUANT OFFICER

The board also voted to investigate the possibilities of hiring a truant officer to begin work with the schools next term.

Trustees agreed to have the superintendent inquire into the state laws on compulsory school attendance and also to learn what most other school systems in this region of the state were doing in this respect.

Board approval was voted in the hiring of Mrs. Irene Bergman, of Sonora, as cafeteria supervisor for the entire school system.

She was tentatively hired recently by the superintendent, M. E. Stanfield, but her employment had not been approved by the board. She is to begin work next term on a salary of $4,200 a year and is to furnish her own automobile.

Her work will consist of planning meal schedules, supervising the arrangement of menus and the operation of the cafeterias, and other allied duties.

Weather

WEST TEXAS — Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Thursday. A few scattered thundershowers east of Pecos River this afternoon. Cooler in Panhandle and South Plains tonight.

EAST TEAS — Partly cloudy and a little warmer this afternoon and tonight except a few thundershowers and cooler extreme north tonight. Thursday partly cloudy, scattered thundershowers north east portion, cooler north portion.

NEWS FROM IRA

By MRS. MABEL WEBB

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Clark and J. L. Clark and son, Kelton, were fishing on the Washita River in Oklahoma Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. White and son and J. D. Smallwood visited Mrs. M. L. Wilson in a Big Spring hospital Friday.

Mrs. Minnie Falls and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Elland visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Elland in Stanton.

Mrs. J. A. Williams spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Harbuck.

Mrs. Edgar Eades and her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Lankford, and granddaughters, Sherry, Donna and Kay, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Eades in Rankin and Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Jackson in Odessa.

Mrs. F. L. Gullett, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Thornhill , Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smallwood and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smallwood visited Mrs. M. L. Wilson in a hospital in Big Spring Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murphy visited part of last week with relatives in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Webb and Mrs. Des Bryant and sons attended the boat races at Brownwood Lake Saturday and Sunday.

John Brocat of Odessa visited Sunday in the D. E. Clark home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Allen and children and Mr. and Mrs. O.W. Halladay and children of Cuthbert spent Saturday night with Mrs J. H. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bryant and son spent Monday in Big Spring visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Ragsdale. They also visited relatives in Seymour.

Mrs. Oscar Webb spent Wednesday night and Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. B. F. Eades, in Fairview.

Mrs. Grady Suiter has been ill this week.

Jack Keller of Snyder spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Eades.

Mrs. Evans Millhollen and Mrs. Edgar Eades entertained their Sunday school class in the Millhollen home Wednesday afternoon. Games were played and refreshments served.

Mrs. Wanda Cohee, who has been ill in a Big Spring hospital is reported to be much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Grant of Dunn visited Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. J. L. Byars and family.

Miss Doris Holladay has been elected lunch room manager.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Green of Snyder spent Saturday in the Rea Falls home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Lee Kincaid and son have moved into the Pat Falls house.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Carruthers accompanied their daughter, Mrs. Charles Bussy, to Big Spring Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Falls moved into their new home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Childress of Tahoka attended the cemetery association meeting Saturday and visited friends here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Price of Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Price Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Leoch and Mrs. J.W. Taylor of Abilene attended the cemetery meeting Saturday.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Prince of Union, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Holman of Snyder and Mr and Mrs. Howard Fritz and children of Hermleigh.

Mrs. Annie Glover of Snyder visited Mrs. Marie Kruse Sunday. They attended the singing convention in Colorado City that afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ervin of Midland visited A. H. Kruse Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Ingram of Blackwell visited here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Price visited their son, J. B. Price, and family in Big Spring Tuesday.

Mrs. Truman Pherigo and children of the Canyon community visited friends here Wednesday.

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Ed Marsh, Partner In Waymar Corp., Is Dead

Funeral arrangements are now being made for Ed Marsh, a partner in the Waymar Corp. who directed construction work of the firm here for about six months.

Mr. Marsh left Snyder about two months ago to supervise work on a building project in Kileen, Tex. He died there Monday following a heart attack. His home is in Houston.

Tyler Chamber Hits At Gas Transmission Lines Condemnation

TYLER, May 9. (AP)—A scathing denouncement by the Tyler Chamber of Commerce hits at a bill before Congress to give interstate gas transmission lines condemnation rights.

In a resolution approved Tuesday, the Chamber attacked the bill as "another shrewd attempt to drain Texas of resources under the guise of public benefit."

The resolution said the bill would benefit neither Texas nor Texans and would profit only large gas transmission interests.

The local Chamber also approved a resolution passed recently by the Dallas Chamber of Commerce urging conservation of natural gas by limiting flow over long-distance pipelines.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Gordon, 2410 Twenty - eighth Street, spent the week end visiting their son, Darwin Gordon, at Fort Sill, Okla.

Oil News

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Good, wildcat in Southwest Borden County.

The test was made in the top of the reef of 8,216-8,290 feet. The formation was topped at 8,174 feet on a datum point of minus 5,672 feet. Present plans are to plug the wildcat back to approximately 3,330 feet and test the section at 3,250-3,330 feet in the San Andres where it had some good shows of possible production.

Location is 760 feet from north and 2,090 feet from west lines of section 3, block 32, T-3-N, T&P survey, and four and three-quarter miles northeast of Vealmoor.

FISHER WILDCAT

Sinclair Oil Co. No. 1 Hunsaker, Fisher County wildcat five miles east of Rotan, is drilling below 6,295 feet in Caddo lime and shale after a drillstem test at 6,229-6,241 feet.

With tool open two hours, no gas surfaced. Recovery was 100 feet of gas cut mud with a show of oil.

Exact location of the prospector is 330 feet from south and west lines of the east half of section 282, block 28, H&TC survey.

NO 1 MILLER

Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 Miller, Borden County wildcat, is at plugged back total depth of 8,058 feet in the Pennsylvanian lime and still swabbing out the load oil and acid residue. The well was retreated with 10,000 gallons of acid this week.

Shell Oil Co. No. 1 Long, wildcat in North-Central Borden County, is drilling in lime below 8,523 feet.

FISHING

In Northwest Kent County, Texas Gulf Producing Co. No. 1 J.W. Young is fishing for tools at total depth of 7,060 feet in lime. The wildcat exploration is nine miles west of Clairemont and one and one-half miles southwest of Pennsylvanian reef production in the Salt Creek field.

BURDELL REPORTS

Burdell Oil Co. has moved the rig 10 feet east to drill the No. 1 F. M. Mills in the Sharon Ridge field in Mitchell County. Drilling had begun on the well, but it was decided to change the location when the first hole went crooked. The new hole is to be spudded in tomorrow.

The No. 8 Mills - Patton, also in Mitchell County, is preparing to acidize the upper section with 5,000 gallons of low tension acid. The well is bottomed at 1,673 feet in lime. The lower section has already been treated with 5,000 gallons of the same acid.

Contracts Let for Big Project in Sweetwater

SWEETWATER, May 9 —Ramsey Construction Co. of Amarillo has submitted the low bid on a 26-unit housing project in Sweetwater. Contract for the Negro and Latin-American housing project is to be let Friday. The project is eventually to contain 100 units.

Promoted in Guard Unit

Ed Seay, a member of the Snyder National Guard unit, was promoted to 1st Lieutenant in the organization this week. He is conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service here.

Seay, who lives at 809 Twenty-sixth Street, is leader of the reconnaisance platoon in Company D, 112th Armored Cavalry.

Two Sentenced To Prison For Thefts Here

Two prisoners ,charged with felony offenses, entered pleas of guilty before Judge A. S. Mauzey in 132nd district court yesterday afternoon and were sentenced to serve terms in the state penitentiary at Huntsville.

Dewell Turner, 28, who was charged with participating in the holdup of the Western Union office here on the night of Oct. 3, waived trial by jury. After testimony from several witnesses was introduced by the state, Turner was sentenced to 10 years in prison.

IDENTIFY TURNER

Three witnesses, Mrs. Elaine Bynum and Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Goben, identified Turner as the man who entered the office shortly before 8 o'clock the night of the robbery. Mrs. Bynum and Goben, who is manager of the Western Union branch here, told the court that they had previously identified Turner in a lineup at the sheriff's office after he was arrested last November.

Mrs. Bynum testified that Turner came to the office as it was being closed for the day and said he wanted to send a message. Then she related the details of the holdup, in which she said Turner had a gun in his hand and demanded the company's money. She placed about $593 on the counter, and Turner stuffed it into his pocket.

The witness told the court that Turner then demanded that Goben open the safe.

Goben testified that he was in the act of opening the safe, when someone entered the door, and Turner fled.

Turner did not take the stand in his behalf. He was represented by C. E. McGaw, who was appointed by Judge Mauzey.

GAINES CASE

In the other case, James Gaines, 28, charged with burglary of the Ranch House cafe, also entered a plea of guilty and waived a jury. He was sentenced to five years in prison.

Homer Whisnand and L. E. Haynes, deputy sheriffs, testified that they, with Charles Youngblood, apprehended Gaines a short way from the cafe, hidden under a late model car. The officers said a car, loaded with hams, cigars, bacon, and cigarets, was parked near the cafe, with the engine running.

Whisnand said they were cruising in the vicinity of the cafe when they saw a man running away from the building. A glass in the door had been broken, the intruder had reached in and unlocked the door. A large quantity of meat, tabacco and candy was stacked in the cafe ready to be removed when the officers entered the cafe.

Both prisoners were taken to Roby for safekeeping, pending preparation of papers committing them to the state prison.

Eldon Mahon, district attorney of the 32nd district court, and Bob Davie, represented the state.

Two Charges of Having Liquor for Sale Filed

Mrs Mildred Wood, 33-year-old employee of the Log Cabin night club, pleaded innocent this morning to a county court charge of possessing liquor for purpose of illegal sale.

Her bond was set at $250, and the trial was set for May 25.

A similar charge was filed this morning against Will Clay, Snyder Negro and partner in the Clay Brothers Hotel here. At noon, he had not yet been brought before the magistrate for pleading.

Nine Members Of Lions Club Given Awards

Presentation of a number of awards were made at the Lions Club luncheon yesterday, including one award to the club itself.

A miniature coin bank in the shape of a sitting lion was presented to the club and accepted by Johnny Boren, tail twister, for this club's having totaled the third greatest number of man miles at recent Midland District 2-T-3 Lions convention. Seventeen persons from Snyder attended the convention, Dr. John F. Blum, president, said.

Other awards were presented to individual members.

Bob Dupree, H. O. Beard, and B. C Drinkard were presented key memberships in thelocalclubfor A memberships in the local club for having excelled in Lionism for the past year

Nine members of the club were presented Lion pins as awards for having perfect club attendance records for the 1950-51 fiscal year. They were Dr. John F. Blum, B. C Drinkard, J J Dyer, Bill Schiebel, D K. Ratliff, Wincie Garcia, B J. Weaver, Wilbur J. Ellis, and Newton Morton.

Program for the luncheon was presented by Schiebel who read a number of letters he had received from a friend who is now flying a fighter - bomber in Korea.

Schiebel stated that in his opinion much news from the "police action" in Korea was being kept from the American public.

The letters disclosed much of the private life of Schiebel's friend in Korea that indicated the conflict there is much more serious than public information outlets here sometime mirror.

"Much of the American public's apathy toward the Korean conflict is due to a lack of accurate knowledge of the true situation," Schiebel said.

Texas A&M Set For Meet

COLLEGE STATION, May 9. (AP)—Texas A&M will win the Southwest Conference track and field meet by a margin of 25 points if best times and distances of the season are used to figure the results.

The Southwest Conference office in Dallas today sent out the best mark.

A&M should score 89 points on the basis of comparative times and distances with Texas second with 64, Arkansas third with 42 Rice fourth with 30, Baylor and Southern Methodist getting 18, apiece and Texas Christian making nine.

Farmer May Sign For Smith-Doxey Program

Cotton farmers may now sign up for the 1951 Smith-Doxey program, H. J. Matejowsky, who is in charge of the cotton classing office in Abilene's U. S. Department of Agriculture, Production and Marketing Administration, announced today

Under the Smith-Doxey Act, farmers who belong to organized groups for cotton improvement can have their cotton classed without paying a fee. Also they can get USDA cotton quotations mailed to them without cost.

Trial Is Postponed

The trial of P. A. Kalkbrener, 36, of Snyder, has been postponed until late in June. Kalkbrener is charged with the theft of 4,417.5 feet of 4½-inch drillpipe from the Whitman Drilling Co. on the C.E. Boyd lease in Borden County. His trail was originally scheduled to start Monday in Gail.

Mr. and Mrs. Trinidad Gonzales, Thirteenth Street and Avenue O, are parents of a baby girl, born yesterday afternoon at the Snyder Hospital. The infant, weighed 6 pounds, 8 ounces, and was named Ludibina Gonzales.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Gatlin ,2509 Avenue H, had as guests last week end Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell. Mr. Campbell is in the service, stationed in Fort Riley, Kas., and Mrs. Campbell is a student attending McMurry College at Abilene.

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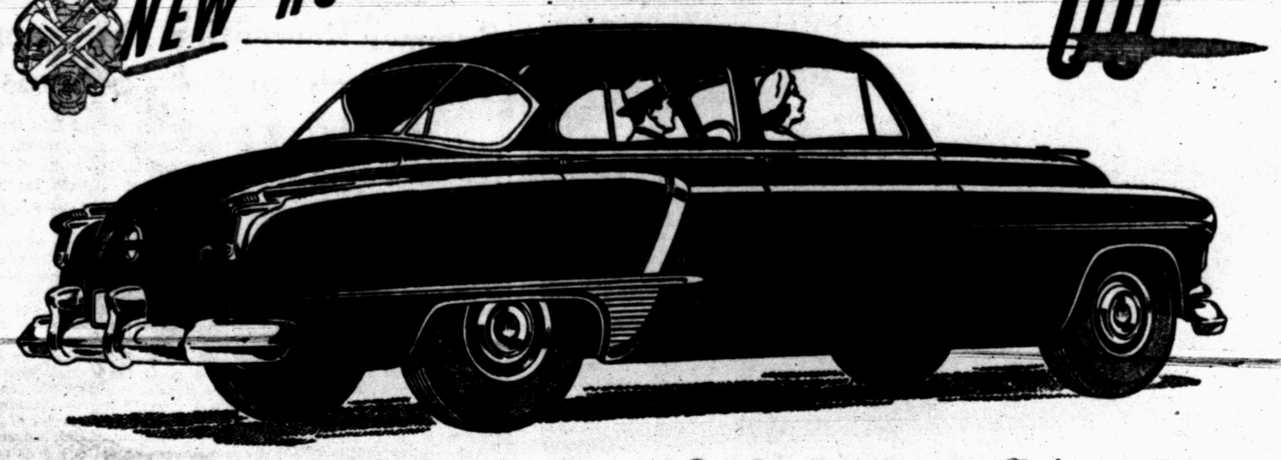
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City Manager Government Only Answer to Complexity

The first step toward a city manager form of government has been taken, with the Chamber of Commerce circulating petitions for this progressive change in municipal administration.

Of all the adjustments necessary to maek a city out of a small town, we believe the change to city manager form of government is among the most important.

City manager administration at its best means efficient, nonpolitical supervision of the many varied city services by a man especially trained for such work.

The American city today is highly complex organization. Generally it provides our water, provides a sewage system and disposal plant, maintains the streets, maintains parks, zones to protect existing real estate and provide for intelligent expansion of the city, collects our garbage, provides our police and fire protection, dispenses charity, provides recreation, sets utility rates, and taxes the citizens to support these services.

Obviously one cannot expect that any group of representative businessmen, serving almost without pay as a city council, would be experts in this multiplicity of city functions.

City government has become so complex that it now requires the services of an expert to co-ordinate the various departments. The council-manager plan is the best yet devised to retain the democratic principles on which American government is foundd, but at the same time providing the essential expert management.

Snyder Delegates At Future Homemakers' State Convention

Marilyn Thomas and Mary Alice Richardson, officers of the Snyder high school Future Homemakers of America chapter for next year, and Miss Vera Periman, faculty sponsor, attended a state convention of the club in Fort Worth last week end.

More than 3,000 club members and sponsors from chapters all over the state attended the two-day meeting. The theme was "Youth in Today's Democracy." Highlights of the meeting included an emblem ceremony, a report from the White House conference, and a symposium on family life abroad.

Woman's Culture Club Holds Final Meeting Before Summer Recess

Mrs. Joe Caton, 2711 Avenue R, was the hostess for the Woman's Culture Club yesterday.

The group had a 42 party and a regular business meeting, conducted by Mrs. A. P. Morris, who is president.

Refreshments of a salad, course were served.

Others attending were Mrs. A. C. Alexander, Mrs. J. P. Avary, Mrs. J. W. Clawson, Mrs. W.W. Gross, Mrs Henry Kelley, Mrs Bernard Longbotham, Mrs. A. C. Martin, Mrs. Lora Miller, Mrs D. P. Strayhorn, Mrs. Roy Stewart, Mrs. J. A. Woodfin, and Mrs. H. L. Wren.

This was the last meeting of this club year. The next meeting will be in September.

Tuesday Bridge Club Meets in Brice Home

Mrs. H. J. Brice, 2712 Avenue U, was the hostess yesterday for the Tuesday Bridge Club.

The group had a short business meeting. Decorations of spring flowers were used.

The group played bridge and had refreshments of orange ice and cake

Present were Mrs. J .C. Dorward, Mrs. C T McLaughlin, Mrs Joe Strayhorn, Mrs A C Preuitt, Mrs E. E. Wallace, Mrs. Will Williams, Mrs. H P Brown, and Mrs. A. J. Towle.

The next meeting will be May 22 with Mrs Strayhorn, 2111 Thirtieth Street, the hostess.

Dinner Party Marks C. L. Joyce Birthday

Mrs. C. L. Joyce, who lives north of town, Saturday night entertained a small group of friends with a dinner party to honor her husband's birthday.

The hostess served a baked chicken course.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. William F. Atwood and Mr and Mrs Verdell Kelly.

Fort Worth Visitor Is Honored at Party

A Monday night supper party feted Barton Head, a Snyder visitor from Fort Worth The hostess was Miss Leota Head, who entertained in her home, 2603 Avenue Y.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Head, Mr. and Mrs. Zay Hudman, Mr. and Mrs. Audry Fred, Mrs. Murry, and Mervin Head.

Woman's Calendar

WEDNESDAY

"Lullaby of Broadway," cafe comedy. third floor Educational Bldg., First Methodist Church, 7:30 p.m., repeat performance.

THURSDAY

Chez les Amies, Country Club, luncheon, Mrs. R. B. Sears, hostess.

Thursday Bridge Club, Diamond M. Ranch, 2:30 p.m.

Central Elementary P-T.A., 3:40 p.m., school cafeteria, installation of officers.

Southeast Primary P.-T.A., school cafeteria, installation of officers. 2:30 p.m.

Northwest Ward Elementary School, P.-P.A., 3:30 p.m., cafeteria.

FRIDAY

Altrurian Club, with Mrs. H. G. Towle, 2911 Avenue U, 3 p.m.

SATURDAY

Bridal party for Miss Jonnie Delle Brock, 10 a.m., the Country Club.

4-H Club dress revue, 3 p.m., high school auditorium.

PERSONALS

Mrs. James Kincaid, Highland Park, returned over the week end from a short visit in Wewoka, Okla. where she stayed with a friend, Mrs. A. S. Norvell. Accompanying Mrs Kincaid was her mother, Mrs. R D Myers, from Midland, and the Kincaids' two small children

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fowler, 2266 Sunset Avenue, spent the week end in Floydada, Tex. visiting with Mr Fowler's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fowler. Accompanying the Fowlers were their two daughters, Sandra and Linda, and their son, Bill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F Atwood, 1320 Avenue T, spent Sunday in Colorado City where Mr Atwood competed in the matched games on the Country Club golf course.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Giles of the Industrial Supply Co., Lubbock highway, left Snyder this week to make their home in Wichita Falls Mr. Giles having been transferred from his position here as store manager to the northern branch of the firm.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Glen of the Tidewater Camp, visited their son Jimmy Mac, in Foft Sill, Okla, last week end.

Sorority Has Fete to Mark Founder Day

Snyder members of Delta Kappa Gamma, a teacher's sorority, Monday night entertained fellow members from Colorado City at a Founder's Day dinner party held in the Village restaurant.

Carrying out the theme of the sorority were individual plate favors fashioned into miniature girls of crepe paper bearing gold scrolls.

Three new members were initiated in the traditional candlelit service and ritual with red roses. Mrs. Wayne Boreh and Mrs. Charles Thompson from Colorado City were made honorary members, with Miss Vera Periman becoming an active member of the club.

Ralph Wesson played the vibraharp, giving several semi-classical selections. The evening's talk was delivered by Mrs. A. L. Greer, president of Delta Kappa Gamma, who spoke on "The History of Delta Kappa Gamma and the Importance of Founder's Day"

Other members present were Mrs. W. W. Rhode, Mrs. Laura Barber, Mrs Lynn Holbert, Mrs Flo McShaw, Mrs Hubert Morton, Mrs Mattie Lou Pyeatt, Miss Winnie Quinney, Mrs. Mary Julia Ruddick, Mrs. V. V. Shropshire, Mrs Ed Williams, and Mrs Ethel Dawson, all from Colorado City.

From Snyder were Mrs. M. M. O'Rear, Mrs Silas Dev... L. F. Cox, Mrs Trav... Miss Zaida Brown, Mrs. E. H. Hall, and Mrs J P Nelson

Disbanding for the summer, the group will hold their next meeting sometime in September in Colorado City according to Mrs. Geer.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Ronald Hubbard, 2706 Avenue R, is in Lampasas, Tex., where she was accompanied by her children for an extended visit with the Rev. Ronald Hubbard's parents, the Rev. Edgar Hubbard and Mrs. Hubbard.

Mr and Mrs George Fraser, former residents of Snyder, were in town Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Van Siclen, 2508 Avenue K Mr Fraser, who was with the Sun Oil Co, here, is now with that firm at the Midland offices.

Mr. and Mrs. James Steward from Abilene were in Snyder Sunday visiting acquaintances. Mrs. Steward is the former Dr Mary Boothe, who practised at the Snyder Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Weber, 3790 Dalton Drive, are in Dallas this week where Mr. Weber is atending to market duties for the shoe department which he manages at Owen's Department Store. Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Owens, owners of the store, expect to leave in the near future for a buying trip to the East

Mr. and Mrs. James Rosser, who formerly lived at 2600 Avenue V, have now moved into their new home at 3702 Austin Stret, Towle Place. The Rossers have just returned from a wek-end trip to Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Abercrombie are now occupying their new home at 2811 Thirty-eighth Street, Towle Place. Mr. Abercrombie, who is associated with the Winston Brothers, cattle raisers, moved his family from their old home at 2609 Thirty-second Street.

Newcomers to Snyder are Mr. and Mrs. H. C Hager, who moved into their new home in Towle Place yesterday. Mr. Hager, who will be employed as an engineer with the Gulf Pipeline Co., was transferred from the Roscoe offices recently. The Hagers have two small children below school age.

Ask Mildred

(Editor's Note Because of reader requests, we are continuing this column for another trial period of one week. If you wish to see the column continue, please let us know by participating with questions. Mildred Sparks, County Home Demonstration Agent, heads our research department. Address any question pertaining to a woman's life to ASK MILDRED, Snyder Daily News Snyder, Tex.)

With divorce statistics soaring, what would you say are some of the requirements for a happy marriage? Miss J.T.T.

"Requirements" of a happy marriage are something impossible to standardize. Here are, however, some qualities which go to make up happy wives and, then, unhappy wives, which might give you food for thought. We quote from Dr. Clifford Adam's book, 'How to Pick A Mate".

HAPPY WIVES

Have Kindly attitude toward others
Like to help underdogs
Tend to be conventional
Are co-operative.
Strong urge to save money
Are optimistic about life
Do not take offense easily

UNHAPPY WIVES

Often have feelings of inferiority
Tend to be defensive or agressive
Easily annoyed, irritated
Often join clubs only to get an office or recognition in them
Extreme in their views
More likely to be neurotic

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Please give some suggestions for simple cold snacks and suppers for the warm months? Mr. E.T.K.

Upon canvassing a cross section of women in regard to cool dishes, we turned up these favorites: mac aroni salad which usually consists of green peppers, onions, diced cheese One housewife recommended sweet pickle juice os a mixer to give the salad a tart taste. ASPICS—have them tomato red with crumbly tuna or crabmeat inside, even shrimp for an elegant meal. Use a fancy mold, filling the center with potato salad and ringing the outside with crisp raw vegetable bits. For a different touch, one woman sometimes prepares dried prunes this way.... boiling them, wrapping in bacon with a toothpick and broiling until bacon crisjs. Served chilled. Delicious....Both brown and green bean salad can be concocted just like a potato salad for varied results. There are the STUFFED CELERY followers, too. No summer meal is complete with out it, they believe. MEAT LOAF, baked the day before, can make a wholesome sandwich with a green salad and iced tea, complete! Readers, any more suggestions?

Returns to Air Force

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. VanSiclen, 2508 Avenue K, will leave this week for Princeton, NJ, where he will complete requirements for his Ph D. degree. He has been recalled to active duty with the Air Force, and is to report to Robbins Air Base for induction June 27.

Zaida Brown B&PW Head

Miss Zaida Brown last night was elected president of Business & Professional Womens Club to replace Miss Winnie Garner, who served the club in the first year of its organization.

Other officers at a meeting at City Floral elected were Mrs. R. L. Nash, first vice-president; Mrs. Forrest Beavers, second vice-president; Miss Mae Lyons, secretary; Mrs H. M. Rodgers, recording secretary; Mrs. William Haney, treasurer; and Miss Ethel Eiland, parlimentarian.

Miss Brown, the new president, was automatically named delegate to attend the national convention of Business & Professional Women, to be held in El Paso, June 9.10.11. Mrs. Nash would go as an alternate, the club voted. Other members may attend at their own expense.

The club will meet for dinner at the Ranch House May 5, at

The club will meet for dinner at the Ranch House May 5, at which time there will be an informal installation of officers Thereafter, through the summer months, the group will meet only once monthly for social and business meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Long, 2700 Avenue F, have as guests this week Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Long of Comanche, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Davis of the Wells Trailer Court, 500 Twenty-seventh Street, have recently had as a guest Mrs. Davis's mother, Mrs. J. A. Tomlinson of Florence, Tex. She is the former Miss Maude Bailey, who was married here 51 years ago. This was her first visit to Snyder since then.

Talk of the Town

BY FRANCES BROOKS

Encore! Encore! Every body wanted one, so tonight at 7:30 p.m. MRS. W. W ADCOCK informs me there will be a repeat performance, by popular command, of "The Lullabye of Broadway", zesty cafe musical comedy

This production put on by the youth of the First Methodist Church will be given again on the third floor of the Educational Building, ice cream and trimmings to be sold after the fun. Four fellows took the most laugh with Barrymore - like grace ....WILLIAM BROWNFIELD, ED PERRY BOLGER, and DON McGREGOR-DAN McGREGOR, the latter two singing soulfully "It's Terrible to Be Twins"! 25 cents admission for everybody in the family. Come out for laughs.

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ROLAND BELL'S big advertisement "This Is My Mother" should get some wide recognition as most-clever Mother's Day ad.... His gimmick is "this is my mother, bring yours in," let her select a whole fistfull of posies if that's what her heart yearns for on Her Day," or something like that. Roland's mama is pictured perusing her Federated clubbook..... she's an inveterate clubwoman, right now is in midst of completing with her other club sisters a book on changes in Snyder during the days of Altrurian Study Club.

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MRS. JOE CANTON'S words yesterday when I called her about a club she was entertaining make plenty of sense "Surely I keep busy. When I worked days at the store, I had to confine my clubs and socials to nights. Now I can go both times, and mornings, too. That's the way to stay happy. Really occupied every minute."

Mrs. T. D. Allison and Mrs. R. L. Gray, both of 3300 Avenue U, spent the week end in Lubbock visiting Mrs. Gray's son, Bobby Gray, who is attending Texas Techniligical at the present time.

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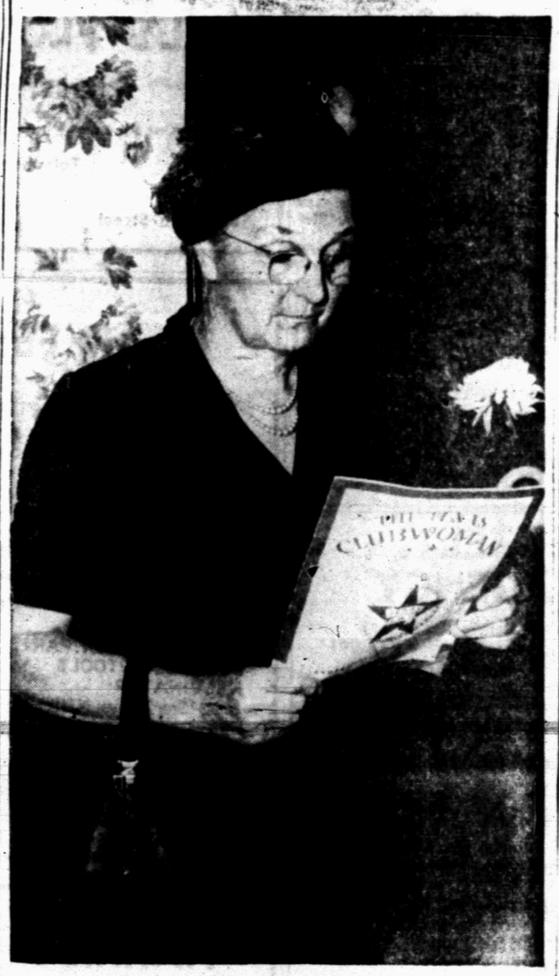
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New Breed Of Chicks On Sale At Feed Store

A new breed of broiler chickens is being introduced in Snyder by the Von Roeder Seed Farm store, Lindy Clark, manager, said.

It is a fast - growing cross between a pheasant and a chicken which produces more meat, and does it faster than regular broiler type chickens, Clark said.

The new strain of chickens is very popular here, he said.

It is the result of an artificial breeding process developed in Kansas a few years ago.

The chickens cost a little more than regular chickens when purchased, but that cost is more than offset by the fact that the chickens grow faster, produce more meat, and do it on less feed than ordinary broilers, Clark said.

To prove that the chicks are fast growing, Clark has a number of them in stock now which are five weeks old. All weigh more than one pound already.

But feeds and seeds are the main lines of the store.

A complete stock of Purena poultry, hog, and cattle feeds are stocked.

Startena and Growena are the poultry feeds recommended for starting a successful batch of chicks, and Growena is the feed they should be put on at five weeks old for fastest growth, Clark said.

Another chicken feed, Broiler Chow made by Purena, is recommended for all chickens that are to be eventually butchered, he said.

"We are selling a lot of garden and lawn grass seeds now," he said.

The store stocks a complete line of all types of seeds needed for gardens, lawns, and flower beds, but they are completely out of cotton seeds and have been so for about five months, Clark said.

Removal of government acreage restrictions caused the big demand for cotton seeds here and exhausted the store's supply late last fall, he said.

Early Ordering Assures Supply For Builders

Building materials are not in short supply in most lines, G. C. Spence, owner of Forrest Builder's Supply, said today.

Some items are scarce, but everything can usually be bought if orders are placed far enough in advance of the anticipated date of use, he said.

Cement and celotex are the only items that are scarce now, and we can usually supply our customers with all of those items they need by the time they are ready to use them, he said.

Bathroom fixtures, for awhile in short supply, can be selected to suit the taste of the builder, he said.

"Even though there has been some shortages in recent months here, there has never been any gray market here in building items," Spence said.

Forrest Builder's Supply has as complete a selection of building materials and builder's supplies as are available anywhere, and pleasant and courteous management and help make the firm one of Snyder's leading building supply stores.

Babe Ties Up Golf Match

PEBBLE BEACH, Calif., May 7. (AP) — The Transcontinental 144-hole Weathervane Women's Open Golf Derby was a head and head race between Babe Didrikson Zaharias and Patty Berg at the half-way mark today with the two deadlocked at 305.

Patty won the second lap Sunday. She racked up a pair of 76s for the tough pebble course for a 36-hole total of 152.

Mrs. Zaharias had forged to the front by winning the first lap at Dallas April 14-15 with a 149.

The best nine hole score of the two rounds was turned in Sunday by Betty MacKinnon. The Texas girl dropped a 60 foot chip shot on the ninth hole to post a one under men's par 35. She finished 80-82—162.

Allies Take Initiative



Black arrows on map locate areas along the Korean front where United Nations' force have taken the initiative against the Reds. The Communists were withdrawing on two fronts. They pulled back in considerable numbers on the central front. Allied tanks in the west went 11 miles north of Seoul into the highway junction of Uijongbu against little resistance. On the east front, U. N. elements attacked a Red unit east of Inje.



FAMILY RUNABOUT—A tri-wheel, three-seat motor scooter is demonstrated at International Auto Show in Frankfurt, Germany. It provides cheap transport for the small family.



FRIENDLY OVERTURES — A two-foot-high Shetland pony nuzzles a two-year-old miss at Hellabrunn Park Zoo, Munich, Germany, after ceremony naming the animal Galiban.

Ranch Oak In High Demand At Firm Here

The largest selection of Brandt's ranch oak furniture available in West Texas can be seen on display in a leading furniture store of Snyder.

It is in Barrow Furniture Co., 2200 Twenty - fifth Street.

"We are proud of having the largest stock of Brandt's ranch oak in West Texas, and our display attracts customers from all over West Texas," Jack Alford, manager, said.

It is the one line that includes more than 200 pieces of open stock furniture, Alford said.

"There is a piece of Brandt's ranch oak to fit every wall space in the house," he said, "and they all fit exactly into the decorating scheme no matter how you wish to mix the pieces in the house."

"It has been our biggest seller so far, and its popularity is still increasing," he said.

Reasons for its popularity are simple. Brandt's ranch oak furniture is all hand made. All drawers are built on rollers so that they always work perfectly. It is hand finished, and the longer it is used the better it looks, because there is no veneer to scratch or peel off.

"It mellows with age, and takes on a luster that is always more beautiful as it gets older," Alford said.

Brandt's ranch oak is just that. It is solid oak and is built to withstand use and abuse through the years.

It can be purchased for the entire house at one time, or one piece at a time—either way the customer prefers, Alford said.

Two half-car loads of Brandt's ranch oak were delivered to Barrow's last week, and the store is still not overstocked, Alford explained in pointing out how the demand for it is here.

Brandt's ranch oak invites use, yet its dignity makes owner's proud to have company in the house, he said.

Texas Leading SW Conference

(By The Associated Press)

The Texas Longhorns are expected to sew up the Southwest Conference baseball championship this week and prepare for their third National Collegiate Athletic Association tournament in a row.

Texas can clinch the title by beating Texas Christian once and Southern Methodist twice. In that event Texas A&M even if it loses no games this week — and it plays Rice two — would have no chance at even gaining a tie for the title when the Aggies clash with Texas in a series next week to wind up the campaign.

Last week A&M beat Southern Methodist 5-4 and Baylor 9-0 and 12-6 while Texas was blasting Rice 11-1. Texas Christian won over Rice 4-1.

Texas, leading the race easily has a 9-1 record. A&M in second place, has 7-4.

Baylor and Southern Methodist play at Waco today while Texas and Texas Christian get together at Austin.

Friday and Saturday Rice and A&M meet at Houston. Texas Christian and Baylor at Fort Worth and Texas and Southern Methodist at Austin.

MacArthur Resting

NEW YORK, May 7. (AP) — Gen. Douglas MacArthur — 'Glad the (Senate) hearings are over"—plans to remain in New York City this week.

The general rested in his Waldorf-Astoria Hotel suite Sunday.

Explanation Of When Industry Can Boost Prices, When Not

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON, May 7. (AP)—This is an explanation of an order, recently issued by Eric Johnston, economic stabilizer, on when industries can boost their prices and when they can't.

The order can be understood best, perhaps, by going back a bit. The price control story started Jan. 26 when OPS, the Office of Price Stabilization, ordered all prices frozen.

This drastic decision was put into effect suddenly to halt rising prices because OPS didn't have time to figure out a method of price control that would be fair to everyone. That could be done later.

Because this job is complex, OPS hasn't been able to do it all at once. It's been moving along, a step at a time, is still doing so, and has quite a lot more to do.

INDUSTRY-WIDE SYSTEM

In this story the emphasis is on an industry, which is not just one firm. An industry is made up of many firms, all turning out the same kind of product. For instance, women's coats and suits.

Now suppose some firm feels the OPS regulations covering its industry, and issued since the general freeze of Jan. 26, are going to force it to the wall.

It can appeal — as a hardship case — to OPS for special treatment, asking that it be allowed to change prices higher than those otherwise permitted by OPS for the industry.

But suppose an industry — that is, all the firms in an industry — feel that an OPS regulation or ceiling is going to cut down too much on the profits of the firms in that industry.

RULE FOR OPS

The industry, as a whole, can appeal to OPS to allow higher prices and, therefore, higher profits. Does OPS just go ahead and so so?

This is where Johnston's order, issued April 21, comes into effect. This, boiled down, is pretty much what he said:

No industry will be allowed higher prices if the average profits of that industry are not more than 15 per cent below what the industry's average profits were in any of three years between 1946-49, inclusive.

If OPS finds the average for the industry is more than 15 per cent below the average for the whole industry in the 1946-49 period, it can allow all the firms in the industry to raise prices.

But if it finds the average profit doesn't fall below the 15 per cent figure then, according to Johnston's order, it won't allow any of the firms in that industry to raise prices, even though some are in bad shape.

Longview Soldier Dead

HEIDELBERG, Germany, May 7, (AP) — U. S. Army authorities today announced the names of two American soldiers killed in a truck accident last Friday.

They were Pfc. James F. Tew of Longview, Tex., and Pvt. Aral Compton of Fishtrap, Ky.



DUTCH RULER—Juliana, Queen of the Netherlands (above) and ruler of the Dutch Empire since 1948, celebrated her forty-second birthday anniversary on April 30th.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert A. Henley, 2200 Avenue M, are the parents of a daughter, Loyce Laynette, born Friday afternoon in a Sweetwater hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds, seven ounces at birth.

Mr and Mrs. John Curtis Medford, 1001 Twenty - sixth Street, are the parents of a son born Friday at Snyder Hospital. The baby weighed eight pounds, seven ounces at birth. He has been named John Curtis, Jr.

A son, David Lee, was born early this morning at Snyder Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lee Richards, 3017 Thirty-eighth Street. He weighed seven pounds and six ounces at birth.

Civil Defense Leader Urges Fight On Fear

WASHINGTON, May 7. (AP) —Civil Defense Administrator Millard Caldwell today urged a "nation wide crusade against apathy."

"We must make it clear that there is a defense against the atomic bomb — not perfect, but a good one," Caldwell told the opening session of a two-day civil defense conference.

Caldwell declared that too many people in this country fall into one of two groups — those who are apathetic about the Abomb and its effects or those who are beset "by fear and helplessness."

"Our problem is to get those people to understand that an atomic attack does not spell doom — to understand that by taking certain simple precautions most people can continue to live and to work," he said. "We must persuade them to stop defying the first law of nature — that of survival."

Caldwell declared that well organized civil defense can reduce casualties from a bombing attack at least by half "and keep the cities and production lines in operation."

The conference was expected to attract more than 1,200 leaders of some 250 national organizations with a total membership of 50 million.

President Truman is scheduled to address the delegates tonight.

Chemical Tank Blast In Canadian Plant

SARNIA, Ont., May 7. (AP) — A chemical tank blew up in Canada's only synthetic rubber plant here Sunday night, injuring three workers slightly. The blast was felt through much of western Ontatio.

No one was killed.

A fierce fire set off by the explosion was brought under control by plant personnel within an hour. The flames covered an area 300 feet square and at their peak roared 100 feet high.

Casualty List Issued

WASHINGTON, May 7. (AP) — A Defense Department casualty list (No. 296) issued today contained 366 names, of which 50 are dead, 287 wounded, 12 missing and 17 injured in battle zone accidents.

Stock Market Prices Down

NEW YORK, May 7. (AP) —Prices showed a tendency to drop on the stock market today.

Most price changes were in fractions. Motors, oils and steels dominated the weaker side of the ledger with chemicals and selected industrials prominent among the stronger issues.

Sam Rayburn Dedicates Markers Of Ancesters Graves In Virginia

MARTINSVILLE, Va., May 7. (AP) —Rep. Sam Rayburn of Texas called on Americans to carry out the obligations laid down upon them by Revolutionary War leaders as he dedicated markers over graves of his Virginia ancestors Sunday.

The House Speaker talked only briefly. He dedicated the markers at the graves of Col. George Waller and Mrs. Anne Winston Carr Waller, his great-great-great-grandfather and great-great-great-grandmother.

He told how Col. Waller came to Henry County, Va., from England and fought with General George Washington during the Revolution.

San Angelo Rolls Up More Lead In Longhorn

(By The Associated Press)

San Angelo's Colts made hay while the wind blew in the Longhorn League Sunday.

Three games were postponed because of cold and high winds but San Angelo got in its stint against Midland and won 6-0 to increase its lead in first place to 3½ games. This game was called after six innings because of high winds.

Durward Cox pitched a one hitter for San Angelo. Six Midland errors helped.

Posponed were Artesia at Vernon, Odessa at Big Spring and Roswell at Sweetwater.

Typhoon Toll Rises

MANILA, May 7. (AP) — The death toll of a typhoon that roared across the Philippine Islands Saturday rose today to at least ten.

Seven other persons, missing more than 48 hours are presumed dead. Scores were injured and approximately 10,000 were homeless.

Sun Oil To Drill Two Wells In Scurry Fields

Sun Oil Co. has filed application for permission to drill two wells in Scurry County fields.

Sun No. 6-B G. H. Arledge will be nine miles west of Snyder in the Diamond M-Canyon lime pool Operations are to begin when approval is received. Location is in section 194, block 97, H&TC survey.

Sun No. 8 Mae Lemons will be in the Kelley-Snyder field five miles west of Snyder. It is in section 204, block 97, H&TC survey. Rotary tools will be used to drill to 7,000 feet.

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DeMolays Score 13 In One Wild Inning To Beat Sun 26-16

The American Legion defeated Pan American 17-8 in last night's first softball game, and the DeMolays scored 13 runs in one inning to defeat Sun Oil 26-16.

One of the season's biggest crowds saw the first game and part of the second, but high winds drove some spectators away during the DeMolay run-away inning.

LEGION WINS

Buck Woolivcr was the Legion's winning pitcher. He gave up only four hits to Pan American. Statistics for the Legion were 17 runs, nine hits, two errors, and seven men left on base.

Landis Lee, losing Pan Am pitcher, was bolstered by good hitting from his teammates. L. A. Dodd homered with the bases loaded for four of Pan Am's eight runs. Their statiics were eight runs, four hits, four errors, and six men left on base

Everybody was in accord on the idea that the DeMolay-Sun Oil game should be called at the end of each inning after the DeMolay's big 13-run stanza, but each time Sun came to bats they closed the gap to less than a 10-run lead for the DeMolays. Ground rules in Memorial Park are that a team must have a 10-run margin and give their opponents last bats for a game to be called when it appears uneven.

But the game went the full seven innings to end with a 10-point 26-16 lead by the DeMolays.

Roy Roundtree and J. Cooper were winning hurlers for the DeMolays. Heavy batting by the DeMolays was what piled up the big score—plus a number of crucial errors by Sun Oil.

DeMolay statistics were 26 runs, 34 hits, three errors, and six men left on base. In their 34 hits they had six home runs, two triples, and four doubles.

Nine walks helped Sun Oil to stay in the race. They had 16 runs, 17 hits, six errors, and had 10 men left on base. French was Sun Oil's losing pitcher.

RUN - AWAY SCORING

The big fourth inning decided the game for the DeMolays. Their batting order almost completely repeated itself, with most of the boys hitting twice that inning. They made seven runs afer two men were out. It appeared that the third out would never come, but when it did it was a surprise. A batter had reached first base and attempted to steal second. But he left first base before the pitched ball had passed the batter, which in soft ball is an automatic out. Umpire Ernest Kinney called him out to retire the side.

Two new teams which entered the sports leagues this week see action tonight. At 7:30 o'clock the National Guard team plays Texas Electric, and at 9 o'clock Halliburton plays Parker Drilling Co. National Guard and Halliburton are the leagues new teams.

Halliburton entered the industrial league to make a total of eight teams in that league, and the city league's total was pushed to six with the entry of the National Guard.

Games in the two leagues will be played with opponents in the same league, and not until the end of the first round of the season will a team from the industrial league meet one from the city league—when the two winners decide Snyder championship.

Baseball STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	10	9	.909	—
St. Louis	10	7	.588	1
Pittsburg	10	8	.556	1½
Brooklyn	11	10	.524	2
Chicago	9	9	.500	2½
[illegible]	10	11	.476	3
[illegible]	9	14	.391	[illegible]
Cincinnati	7	12	.368	5

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	14	6	.700	—
Washington	12	6	.667	1
Cleveland	11	6	.647	1½
Chicago	10	8	.556	3
Boston	10	9	.526	3½
Detroit	8	8	.500	4
St. Louis	5	15	.250	9
Philadelphia	4	16	2.00	10

TEXAS LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Antonio	19	10	.655	pa
Oklahoma City	15	12	.556	3
Fort Worth	14	12	.538	3½
Houston	15	13	.536	3½
Beaumont	16	14	.5333	[illegible]
Dallas	14	13	.519	4
Shreveport	13	19	.406	7½
Tulsa	7	20	.259	11

BIG STATE LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Gainesville	16	8	.667	—
Austin	14	9	.609	1½
Waco	12	9	.571	2½
Temple	13	11	.542	3
Sherman-Denison	11	12	.478	4½
Wichita Falls	11	12	.478	4½
Texarkana	[illegible]	8	51	3 48
Ardmore	7	16	.304	8½

LONGHORN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Angelo	15	3	.833	—
Vernon	11	7	.611	4
Roswell	8	7	.533	5½
Big Spring	8	7	.533	5½
Sweetwater	9	8	.529	5½
Midland	8	10	.444	7
Artesia	4	12	.250	10
Odessa	44	13	.235	10½

WEST TEXAS-NEW MEXICO LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Albuquerque	11	3	.786	—
Abilene	13	4	.765	—
Lubbock	9	7	.563	3
Pampa	9	8	.529	3½
Lamesa	8	8	.500	4
Borger	7	10	.412	5½
Clovis	6	14	.176	9½

Second Rounds In Tournament

FORT SMITH, Ark., May 9. (AP)—The sixteen survivors of Tuesday's first round of the Southern Women's Amateur Golf Tournament clash today.

Polly Riley of Fort Worth toured 11 holes of the Hardscrabble Country Club in one under men's par as she slaughtered Mrs. Grady Prim of Sulphur Springs, Tex., 9 and 8.

Medalist Dot Kirby of Atlanta defeated Frances Rich of Bainbridge, Ga., 5 and 4.

Second-round matches pitted Miss Kirby against Mrs. Sam Israel of New Orleans; Betty Dodd, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., against Mrs. Carle Robbins, Fort Smith; Miss Riley against Pat Garner, Midland, Tex.; and Hilda Urbantke, Austin, Tex., against Mrs. Maurice Glick, Baltimore.

Baby Sitting Papa Naps



Baby sitting proved to be such strenuous sport for William F. Manning that he fell asleep while daughter Pamela Ann, one year old, dozes in his lap. Mrs. Manning, an amateur photographer, snapped this picture when she returned home in Winthrop, Mass., from a shopping trip and looked to see why the house was so quiet.

5 Clubs Fight For 2nd Place In Texas Loop

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
(Associated Press Staff)

If the battle for second place in the Texas League were any closer the boys would all be behind each other.

Five clubs are fighting for that spot and there's just one game separating them. Most anything that happens can make a whale of a difference now.

Tuesday night front-running San Antonio led by a game over Oklahoma City by blasting Tulsa 15-4.

Oklahoma City, meanwhile, was taking a 6-4 trimming from Houston while Beaumont clipped Fort Worth 3-0 and Dallas beat Shreveport 3-1.

Four Tulsa pitchers were hammered for 19 hits as the Missions broke in front and led all the way. John O'Donnell not only limited Tulsa to nine hits but got three himself and batted in four runs.

Les Fusselman clouted a homer with one aboard to drive in the winning runs in the seventh for Houston.

Bill Abernathie set Shreveport down with four hits, pitching air-tight ball in all but the opening inning.

Another four-hit job was served up by Harry Schaeffer of Beaumont.

Record Set In Big State Loop

(By The Associated Press)

The Gainesville Owls and the Austin Pioneers teamed Tuesday night to set a new Big State League record. The Owls profited.

The clubs played a regulation game in one hour and thirty minutes to beat the record set in 1947 by Greenville and Gainesville.

The Owls took the decision, 4-2, to gain a full game over the Pioneers in the pennant race.

Third-place Waco edged Sherman-Denison 10-9; Temple trampled Wichita Falls, 13-4, and Texarkana completed its climb out of the cellar with a 10-2 win over Tyler.

There were 19 hits at Gainesville but both pitchers, Bob Clodfelter of Gainesville and Frank Hill of Austin, worked fast.

Waco scored two runs in the top of the ninth inning to win. Bill Wiltrout doubled off John Francis to score the pair.

Texarkana snapped a four-game losing streak. Tyler fell into the cellar all alone.

Everything happened in the Temple-Wichita Falls game including balks, wild pitches and a steal of home base. But the fans liked it — especially when Spudder Manager Bruce Ogrodowski, Third Baseman Cecil McClung and Pitcher Ed Simons were chased by the umpires.

Close Games In WT-NM

(By The Associated Press)

If any league plays them closer they'd have to have tie games Tuesday night, three of the four games were decided by one run, the other by two.

Leading Albuquerque edged Pampa 11-10 and second-place Abilene licked Clovis 9-7.

The quirks of baseball have Abilene ahead of Albuquerque in games but behind in percentage. The Blue Sox are a half-game in front but the Dukes are 21 percentage points to the good.

Albuquerque got its runs early then sat back and watched. Pampa fell to fourth place while Lamesa moved into third by nosing Borger 4-3.

Ed Arthur scattered nine singles while Earl Butler gave up ten hits as Lamesa posted its win.

Abilene spiked the pan for five runs in the eighth to win.

Lubbock eked out over Amarillo in ten innings, an error with the bases loaded proving the pay-off.

A&M Speaker Chosen

COLLEGE STATION, May 9. —Chancellor James P. Hart of the University of Texas will deliver the commencement address at Texas A&M College, June 1.

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Rickey Tactics Confusing To Opposition And They Pay Off

By JOE REICHLER
(Associated Press Staff)

Branch Rickey's manipulations with the Pittsburgh Pirates makes that old "Who's on first, what's on second" gag as outmoded as a day game in St. Louis.

Pittsburgh fans were prepared for some changes with the announcement last winter that Rickey had been lured from Brooklyn to take over the reins of the Buccaneers.

But who would have been so clairvoyant as to foresee that Ralph Kiner, the home run hitting outfielder, would be playing first base this year? Or that Pete Reiser, who did some infielding and outfielding in his day, would be classed as a catcher? Or that they'd live to see their club experiment with a lefthanded receiver?

There is a method to Rickey's madness. The craggy, bushy-browed Mahatma's daily shifts have been more confusing than amusing to the opposition.

PHILS NEW VICTIM

Tuesday night, the Pirates drubbed the Phils under the Philadelphia lights, 9-3.

It took the Phils eight innings before they finally scored off Mel Queen. It probably took them that long to get over their surprise at seeing the Pirates take the field with Centerfielder Wally Westlake at third, Third Baseman Pete Castiglione at short and Shortstop George Strickland at second. Kiner, of course, was at first. That made a completely revamped infield.

Except for an error by Westlake, the new lineup did right well.

The Pirates, consigned to the cellar again, currently are clinging to third place, ahead of Brooklyn and Philadelphia, with a 10-8 won and lost record.

The Braves moved into first place with a 2-1 triumph over the Cincinnati Reds. A home run by Sid Gordon in the last half of the ninth ended a pitching duel between winner Max Surkont and Herman Wehmeier.

GIANTS HALT CARDS

The Giants finally moved out of the cellar to make room for Cincinnati by defeating the St. Louis Cardinals, 6-2. Larry Jansen pitched a four-hitter for his first victory since opening day.

Hank Sauer's home run with a mate aboard in the first inning gave the Chicago Cubs a 2-1 triumph over the Dodgers.

A single by Vic Wertz in the 11th inning drove in Jerry Priddy with the run that gave the Tigers a 6-5 victory over the New York Yankees.

Bobby Shantz pitched the Philadelphia Athletics to a 9-4 win over the White Sox.

Ten Straight Wins For San Angelo Colts

(By The Associated Press)

The San Angelo club of the Longhorn League may be nicknamed the Colts but it is taking the league like Count Turf took the Kentucky Derby — going away.

Tuesday night the Colts defeated Roswell, 10-4, for their tenth straight victory. The win kept them four full games ahead of the field.

Vernon, second place club held the pace with a 17-12 win over Odessa; Midland defeated Sweetwater 15-7, and Big Spring had a field day, beating Artesia 18-1.

San Angelo rallied for seven runs in the sixth inning to build up its margin. Manager Dutch Funderburk hammered a three-run home run in the big inning.

Cotton Russell pitched and batted Vernon to victory. The right-hander went the distance and also collected three hits in five trips, including a home run.

Midland has a big eight-run fifth inning for its margin.

Big Spring pounded 17 hits off four Artesia pitchers with Gus Ungo leading the way. Ungo had six hits in six trips. Frank Perez limited Artesia to four safeties.

West Texas State Grid Line Coach Resigns

CANYON, May 9. (AP)—Odis Crowell, football line coach at West Texas State College since 1948, resigned Tuesday to take a similar post at the University of Arizona.

Gene Mayfield, quarterback of last year's Border Conference champion club, was named to replace Crowell but Mayfield will coach the backfield with Head Coach Frank Kimbrough spending most of his time working on the line.

3-Way Push In Coast League

(By The Associated Press)

The top three teams in the Gulf Coast League are as crowded as a fat man in a telephone booth today. The Laredo Apaches have a slight edge in the percentage column but are in a virtual tie with Harlingen and Brownsville.

The Apaches swept a doubleheader from Galveston 4-1 and 2-0 Tuesday night to leapfrog over the other two to lead by seven points.

Brownsville nipped Lake Charles, 4-3, and Harlingen took Port Arthur, 9-6. Corpus Christi edged Texas City, 4-3.

Harlingen and Brownsville went into the games tied for the lead and leading Laredo by a half game.

Laredo got good pitching. Pio Valdez allowed only four hits in the second game after Will Roca scattered eight hits well in the first.

Brownsville had to wait until the last of the ninth inning to beat Lake Charles, breaking a 3-3 tie.

Harlingen rallied for three runs in the eighth inning to win.

Jim Heller allowed only eight hits for Corpus Christi.

Baseball Results

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York ..... 000 112 100 00—5 14 0
Detroit ..... 000 013 100 0—6 13 0
(11 innings)
Reynolds and Berra; Gray, Trucks, Johnson, Herbert and Glindsberg.

Philadelphia ..... 420 030 000—9 13 0
Chicago ..... 011 100 010—4 12 0
Shanis and Astroth, Littlefield, Brown, Mahoney, Kretlow, Rotblatt and Niarhos, Masi.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago ..... 200000 000—2 4 1
Brooklyn ..... 000 001 000—1 9 0
Schultz and Walker; Erskine, Bracna Fds.

Cincinnati ..... 000 010 000—1 6 2
Boston ..... 020 001 001—3 8 1
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Pittsburgh ..... 012 200 400—9 10 1
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Tulsa ..... 011 000 011— 4 9 2
O'Donnell, Nuxhall and Johnson; Avrea, Erwin, Reis and Johnson.

Beaumont ..... 101 010 000—3 10 1
Fort Worth ..... 000 000 000—0 4 5
Schaeffer and Tappe; Lopez, Solis, Grimsley, Otten and Bragan.

Shreveport ..... 100 000 000—1 4 1
Dallas ..... 201 000 00x—3 6 0
Tremel, Auman and Rosiack; Abernathie and Aylward

GULF COAST LEAGUE

FIRST GAME

Laredo ..... 110 002 0—4 8 2
Galveston ..... 100 000 0—1 8 1
Roca and Robinson; Gonzales, Myers and Cagvino.

SECOND GAME

Laredo ..... 010 100 0—2 5 0
Galveston ..... 000 000 0—0 4 1
Valdes and Robinson; Garcia and Calvino.

Texas City ..... 001 100 010—3 8 1
Corpus Christi ..... 110 020 00x—4 10 0
Thomas, Quintana and Zavala; Heller and Trench.

Lake Charles ..... 000 200 100—3 3 2
Brownsville ..... 102 000 001—4 5 1
Bardin and Steele; Logan and Faucett.

Port Authur ..... 000 020 02x—9 10 5
Harlingen ..... 013 020 03x—9 10 5
Love, Sterling and Hummel; Guthrie and Nease.

BIG STATE LEAGUE

Waco ..... 400 040 002—10 8 3
Sherman-Denison ..... 300 060 010—9 9 1
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Oilman's Funeral Set

HOUSTON, May 9. (AP) — Funeral services are scheduled here today for Stanley Gill, 51, vice president of the Gillring Oil Co.

Gill died in Huntsville Monday.

Temple ..... 402 200 32x—13 16 2
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Pine, Walker, Gomes and Cox; Leonard and Matthews, Dossey.

Austin ..... 000 001 010—2 10 0
Gainesville ..... 210 100 00x—4 9 0
Hill and Jordan; Clodfelter and Dooley.

LONGHORN LEAGUE

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Odessa ..... 023 121 210—12 15 0
Russell and Herring; Stockton, Ortega, Dugger and Castro.

Sweetwater ..... 102 000 003—6 12 3
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Saum, Zavala and Abbott, Jacome and Jones.

Roswell ..... 010 002 010—4 8 3
San Angelo ..... 010 107 01x—10 12 1
Drake and Sanders; McClure and Schneegold.

Artesia ..... 100 000 000—1 4 7
Big Spring ..... 400 011 01x—18 17 1
Molina, Miller, Pressley, Dunn and T Peres; F. Peres and Valdes.

WEST TEXAS-NEW MEXICO

Albuquerque ..... 404 030 000—11 16 2
Pampa ..... 320 000 300—10 8 4
Lagomarsino, Zamora, Priest and Mormino; Hyde, Bass, Coffee, Dial and Whitehorn.

Amarillo ..... 000 002 000 0—8 16 4
Lubbock ..... 140 002 001 1—9 11 1
Caalloway, McGoothin and Mulcahy; Machado, Wehunt, Mills and Moore.

Clovis ..... 100 012 003—7 10 2
Abilene ..... 400 000 00x—9 10 2
Stoddard, Randall and Calo; Davis, Avila and Bowland.

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More Than 800 New Houses Are Built Here Since Boom's Start

Since the house building boom hit in Snyder about 18 months ago, approximately 800 new houses have been built or definitely are planned, real estate men said last week.

Snyder has been building faster than any other town in the area and will continue to outstrip surrounding towns unless goverment building restrictions and difficulties in financing homes stop low-cost housing everywhere, the big housing contractors here believe.

"Snyder could use about 1,000 more houses in the next three years," W. W. Milburn, a partner in the firm which is building the Parkway addition, said.

"I believe Snyder will be a city of 35,000 people in 1955," he added. "If that is so, many more houses will be needed."

Other builders and real estate men agree.

But they point to a paradoxical situation—on one hand a lively demand for new houses and on the other hand, a slow market.

L. A. McLanahan of Jack & Jack Realty Co. stated that although dozens of prospective house buyers pass through his office daily, few buy houses because they cannot pay the increased down payment required by the new government regulations.

"It is also becoming more difficult to find buyers for FHA and GI loan papers," McLanahan added. "This is particularly true of GI loans.

The reason is that insurance companies, who used to buy quantities of such papers, now can invest in government bonds. Less red tape, about the same return for money, and comparable security in the investment make government bonds an attractive investment."

The average family simply cannot afford the present high down payment required by the government, McLanahan concluded. He said down payments in Snyder would run from about $850 upward to a high of $3,000.

Under these circumstances, real estate men say, the swift pace of Snyder building has been somewhat curtailed.

Building material, except for cement and sheetrock, seem to be plentiful, a survey of lumber yards showed.

Builders say they can always get plenty of materials by placing their orders well in advance of the time they are needed.

G. C. Spence of Forrest Builders Supply said all building materials can still be obtained in the quantities needed if a little time is given the producer and dstributor.

"There is no shortage of materials except in cement and sheetrock wall boarding which uses cement," he said.

Bathroom fixtures are plentiful as well as lumber of all types, Spence said.

A Lubbock building supply man just about summed up the shortage story to Spence when he said, "If the shortage of building items isn't over soon—I'll have to build another warehouse to store the short items."

Towle Place Development Co. now has 103 houses under construction or completed, and plans to build 120 more as soon as the first phase of their program is completed, making a total of more than 220 houses in the addition.

Highland Park has completed 109 houses. Building has ceased, but building sites are still available there.

Morningside addition built by H & H Development Co. has 75 new houses. Construction has been curtailed there, but the builders plan more building this fall.

In the Parkway addition in Northeast Snyder, 66 new houses are completed by Scott & Browning, 12 are under construction, and the firm has definite plans to build 77 this year and early next year, making a total of about 156 houses in that development.

The same company was instrumental in building 23 houses in the Davis sub-division in East Snyder.

Seventy-eight houses are planned in Belmont Park Heights addition in North Snyder.

McClanahan, agent for Kittrell Heights, said that their first houses would be completed and ready for occupancy this week. They now have 25 houses under construction, and intend to build 68 in the development.

Another of Snyder's big housing development's is the half-million dollar Waymar-Snyder apartment completed last week. It has 18 four-unit apartment buildings.

New houses either completed, under construction, or definitely planned for Snyder stated briefly are:

Waymar— 18 4-unit apartments
Kittrell Heights— 68 houses
Highland Park — 109 houses
Belmont Park — 78 houses
Morningside —75 houses
Parkway — 66 Complete
12 under construction
77 planned
Davis Heights — 23 completed
Almo Heights — 5 completed
Towle Place — 103 completed
120 planned.

Deep Well For Irrigation Is Ruined by Salt

A deep irrigation well attempt 20 miles southwest of Snyder on the T. P. Allen ranch was unsuccessful because salt water could not be shut off, C. N. Longbotham, driller of the well, said yesterday.

The well, drilled to a depth of 600 feet, hit salt water at about 555 feet. It was plugged back to above the salt water, but the water sand and the salt water sands were separated by only a thin layer of clay which would not hold back the salt water when pump suction was turned on, Longbotham said.

However, about 1,100 gallons of water per minute was pumped from the well during its test. The water would have been suitable for irrigation of grass and crop lands if the salt water could have been held back, Longbotham said.

No immediate plans are made for drilling another well, but Allen and Longbotham contemplate such a venture in the future, he said.

"I believe the well would have bee a success if we had never drilled into salt water," Longbotham said.

Cost of the first well was about $10,000.

Colorado City Chief Named

(Special to the Daily News)

Eddy Koene, 33, now a State Highway patrolman, has been appointed chief of police in Colorado City, Jack Tallent, city manager, said this morning.

He is expected to assume his duties in that capacity about June 15, Tallent said, and will continue to serve as a patrolman until that time.

Sam Hulme, who has been acting chief of police since Dick Hickman was removed from the office, is to continue as assistant chief of police.

Koene has been a member of the highway patrol since December, 1947. He has been working out of Colorado City for about 15 months. Mrs. Koene and their two children are now living there.

Koene is originally from Comfort, Tex.

In Gail Tomorrow

Judge Ben F. Thorpe of the 132 nd district court, will hold court at Gail, Borden County, tomorrow to hear both criminal and civil cases.

Judge Thorpe disqualified himself from presiding at the criminal court session, which get under way Tuesday, because as county attorney he assisted in the preparation of charges of most of the cases that will confront Judge A. S. Mauzey, of the 32nd district court, who will preside.

Cafe Is Closed Following Raid

Misdemeanor charges were filed yesterday in county and justice courts against nine persons following a raid made on the Log Cabin night club Saturday night

Homer Whisnand, deputy sheriff who conducted the raid, said the club was closed at his request when the proprietor, 38-year-old Johnny Ellis, was arrested on a charge of possessing whisky for purpose of illegal sale, Ellis pleaded not guilty to the charge yeterday, and bond was set for him at $500. He is being held in the county jail, in lieu of bond.

Whisnand said he made the raid shortly after apprehending two persons driving away from the place while under the influence of intoxicating liquor. These both pleaded guilty and were assessed fines of $123.50 each, including costs.

Assisted by Charles Youngblood and Mark Search, Whisnand then returned to the club where he said he arrested five persons inside the building on charges of drunkenness and another on a charge of vagrancy.

Search and Youngblood guarded the club from the outside, Whisnand said, while he went inside and made the arrests. He filed the charge against Ellis, he said, after finding whisky on 10 of the 13 tables in the building.

No court order has been issued for the closing of the club, he said, adding that it was closed upon his suggestion when the arrests were made.

Equalization Board Named

A new city tax equalization board was announced at the city council meeting Friday night.

Mayor Forest G. Sears asked and quickly received the council's approval on three members suggested by the Chamber of Commerce.

Board members are to be: Nolan Watson, president of the West Texas State Bank; Wayland Holt, Snyder lawyer; and M. R. Estes, county surveyor and civil engineer. They will serve this year.

Mayor Sears said that he asked the Chamber of Commerce to furnish men who would serve on the board, and those above were suggested by the group.

All three men are property owners in Snyder, and have taken an active part in the civic life of the community.

New Fireman Hired

Joe Bunt, 1004 Twenty - seventh Street, was hired by the city fire department as a paid fireman yesterday, W. J. Ramsey, city superintendent, said today.

Bunt is to replace Dwayne Davis, who had offered his resignation to become effective as soon as he could be replaced, Ramsey

The National Geographic Society says cabbage was popular many centuries before Christ.

The early Egyptains are said to have worshipped the cabbage.

Tropical waters hold the greatest variety of brittle stars, relatives of the starfish.

Miller Funeral Set Tomorrow

Funeral services for Claude H. Miller, 42, who died early Monday morning in a Colorado City Hospital, were held at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon at the Church of Christ.

Mr. Miller was taken to the Colorado City hospital Friday afternoon after suffering a heart attack.

Mr. Miller was born in Fort Worth in 1908, and had lived in Snyder for about 14 years. He was engaged in farming west of Snyder.

Mr. Miller was a member of the Church of Christ.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Zula Miller; three children, Ronald Miller, 11, Margaret Ann Miller, 8, and Nancy Beth Miller, two weeks old; his mother, Mrs Ozie Miller of Snyder; and a brother, Ben W. Miller of Fort Worth.

Mr. Boyd Fanning, minister of the Church of Christ, will officiate at the services. He is to be assisted by Mr. Austin Varner, of Lawton, Okla., formerly minister of the church here.

Pallbearers were Ennis Floyd, Jay Rodgers, Earl McDow, J. L. Browning, Gordon Smith, Garth Austin, J. T. Stephens, and R. B. Baker of Colorado City. H. J. Rogers and E. J. Richardson will be honorary pallbearers

Burial was in Snyder Cemetery under the direction of the Dennis Funeral Home.

Lamesa Man Injured In Automobile Wreck Near Hermleigh Sunday

John W. Woodard, 40 of Lamesa, was injured when he lost control of a 1937 pickup and turned over six miles southeast of Hermleigh about 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon, according to E. W. Green, highway patrolman, and Homer Whisnand, deputy sheriff, who investigated the accident.

Woodard was taken to the Snyder Hospital Clinic in a Bolger-Barnes ambulance. He sustained possible internal injuries and body bruises, the officers said.

A hitchhiker, Troy Fox, who was believed to be a passenger in the Woodard vehicle, left the scene, but left his handbag in the pickup, which was turned over to the highway patrol office this morning. Apparently Fox was not injured, said Green.

Woodard, a veteran was slated to be transferred to the veterans hospital at Big Spring Monday, Green said.

Suit Seeking $78,000 In Damages Is Filed Against Hospital Owner

A $78,000 damage suit was filed Saturday against Dr. W. R. Newton, owner of the Snyder Hospital Clinic, by Bonnie Marie Hughes in 132nd district court.

In her petition, Mrs. Hughes states that on March 28, while she was a paying patient in the Snyder Hospital Clinic awaiting the birth of a child, she was permanently injuree while being moved in the hospital.

The petition further states that a roller on the roller carriage on which Mrs. Hughes was being moved collapsed, and she fell about three feet to the floor, injuring her spine and other parts of her body.

Mrs. Hughes charges negligence upon the part of hospital.

J. Ray Martin, as attorney for Mrs. Hughes, and her husband, Tommy Hughes, filed the suit.

Banquet Arranged For Charter Presentation To Snyder Optimists

The presentation of a charter to the Snyder chapter of the Optimist International will be made May 19, Carl Herod, president, announced yesterday.

Plans have been made for a banquet and for Fred Becker of San Angelo, past president of the seventh district of the Optimist Club, to be the main speaker, Herod said.

The banquet will be held at 8 o'clock that night in the northwest elementary school cafeteria. Club members and their wives are invited.

Well Servicing Firm Is Opened By Ernest Brewer and J. B. Hewitt

Ernest Brewer and J. B. Hewitt have announced the opening of the B&H Well Servicing Co, at 2108 Avenue S.

The firm has all new equipment, Brewer said, and will offer service at any time. They are equipped for swabbing, rod and tubing work and general work - over jobs.

Hewitt will direct the work of the servicing company, while Brewer will continue to act as manager of Hewitt's Used Car Co.

Twenty-one Cases Of Measles Reported Here

There were 21 cases of measles reported by physicians to the City-County Health unit last week.

It was pointed out this large number is not alarming, but only a seasonal number for this period of the year, by health officials.

Other cases reported include: three of mumps, five of chickenpox, and three of pneumoina.

City Will Open Bridge On Twenty-Seventh St. Sometime This Week

The new Twenty - seventh Street bridge over Deep Creek near the National Guard armory will be opened to traffic sometime this week, Dwight Look, assistant city engineer, said yesterday.

Final pours of concrete have been made and their 14-day curing period will be completed by late this week, he said.

Work on the approaches will also be completed to the stage where traffic can be turned through the new bridge, he said.

Rails for the bridge bannisters came in, but were too short and will have to be replaced or lengthened, but they can be installed under traffic conditions, Look said.

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Officers in Jayceette Chapte



Mrs. Robert Hargrove, center, has been elected president of the recently organized Snyder Jayceette chapter. Other officers include Mrs. R. T. Roberts, right, treasurer, and Mrs. Lloyd Clark, left, a member of the board of directors. The organization is made up of the wives of Junior Chamber of Coommerce members and will co-operate with them in civic projects as well as planning work alone.

Petitions Circulating Here for City Manager Charter to Be Drawn

Council-Manager Government

Advocates of the council-city manager form of government, for which petitions now are being circulated here, list the following points as advantages of the manager system:

1. Short ballot, with few elective offices, all of them important enough to attract full public scrutiny.
2. Small council holding all city's powers.
3. Single-handed administration under professional city manager chosen by the council. Co-ordinated administration not dependent on politics.
4. City manager acts as executive to handle administration of city functions, with council acting as board of directors—the same plan followed by any big business.
5. Mayor and council freed from technical administration, leaving them time to concentrate on leadership and shaping of policies.
6. Economies result from more efficient management.

Briefly, the city manager form of government is as follows: Voters elect council; council hires manager, who employs all department heads subject to council's approval.

Two Elections Necessary To Begin System

Petitions now are being circulated calling for an election on the city manager form of government in Snyder.

Sponsored by the civic improvement committee of the Chamber of Commerce, the campaign to get the petitioners signed opened Monday night when one of the petitions was presented to members of the city council. Forest G. Sears, mayor, and councilmen, Jack Cantella, Ivan Gatlin, R. B. Sears, Claud Lloyd, and H. B. Allen signed the petition.

SEEK HELP

Wayne Boren, chairman of the civic improvement committee, asked the council's permission to petition for an election on the city manager form of government, and stated, "This committee wants to work through the city council, not go around it."

James Rosser, president of the Chamber of Commerce, told the council Monday night, "Our committee has long studied the situation and it is too burdening a job for a councilman to be expected to run his business all day and then come down here to run the city all night."

Rosser also pointed out the fact that numerous West Texas cities have adopted the manager form of government. They include Abilene, Amarillo, Big Spring, Brownfield, Colorado City, Dalhart, Lamesa, Lubbock, Odessa, San Angelo, and Sweetwater.

If signed by more than 10 per cent of the qualified voters in Snyder, the petitions will be presented to the city council, which then will call an election in which two propositions will be voted upon: (1) shall a commission be named to frame a new city charter, and (2) shall 15 persons whose names will be listed on the ballot, be chosen as the charter commission?

Should the election carry, the charter commission would then have from 30 to 90 days in which to frame a new charter.

Such a charter, Rosser said, would provide for a city council-manager system of city government, would clarify new duties of the manager and the councilmen, provide for their manner of selection, and would specify in detail the type of administrative government the city would have.

It would not be, he continued, a complete codification of city law. The city would continue to operate partly under general statutes and partly under local ordinances.

The text of the petition is as follows:

"We the undersigned, being more than 10 per cent of the qualified voters of the city of Snyder, do hereby petition your honorable body to provide by ordinance or duly authorized means for an election for submission to the qualified voters of said City of Snyder the question: "Shall a commission be chosen to frame a new charter, and for the election from the city at large of a charter commission."

After the charter commission presents its final draft of a new charter to the city council, another election will be necessary to ratify it by a majority of the city's voters.

Members of the civic improvement committee, besides Boren and Rosser, include Renal Rosson, Joe Stinson, Olian Vinson, Herman Doak, Leighton Griffin, Claude McCormick, Hollis Fields, and Bob Dupree.

Petitions are available for signature at the offices of the committee members and at the Chamber of Commerce.

Committee Not To Recommend On Draft Cases

No deferments from the armed services will be recommended to the Scurry - Nolan - Fisher draft board, members of the County Agricultural Mobilization Committee told John Stavley of Fluvanna, draft board member, at the agricultural committee meeting yesMonday afternoon in the Production and Marketing Administration building.

Stavley, as guest speaker, was called upon to clarify the agricultural manpower question.

"Our board has no instructions to defer any agricultural worker, but to use our own judgment in deferments," Stavley said.

Stavley stated that out of 11,000 registered with one board, only 38 farm workers were given deferments. He pointed out that all men between the ages of 18 and 25, whether farmer or not, must respond to the draft, but, of course, he said there are emergency cases that warrant deferment.

The committee told Stavley that it would render every assistance possible when called upon to furnish information regarding the status of a farmer or other agricultural worker, who has been called in by the draft board for classification.

The committee informally discussed the feed grain problem. It was revealed that the 1951 grain goal had been set at 45,000 acres in Scurry County, with 15,000 acres in winter wheat. The wheat planted last fall has been lost because of the prolonged drought.

Grain sorghum was suggested as a crop to replace the winter wheat. It was pointed out that feed grain production is a part of the national defense emergency program, and all farmers are being asked to co-operate with the government at this time.

Grain sorghum is now being manufactured into industrial alcohol and other by-products, members said.

Petition City To Press For Track Crossing

A group of citizens living in the northeast section of Snyder appeared before the city council Monday night to ask what progress had been made in securing a crossing over the Santa Fe tracks at Avenue B.

Mayor Forest Sears assured the group that everything possible was being done on the matter. The results of their work, he said, should be known in the very near future.

STREET LIGHTS

H. C. Deason of Deason's Service station, 200 East Highway, asked the council to approve the installation of street lights on the East Highway from Avenue P to Avenue A. This would mean the addition of four lights.

Texas Electric Service Co. installs the lights and leases them to the city under the present set up.

The council unanimously approved the addition of the lights.

FIRE MARSHAL

The council also unanimously approved the raising of the fire marshal's salary to $35 per month. J. M. Newton holds that post. The previous salary was $5 per month. The salary is now the same as that of councilmen.

Halliburton, Guard Unit In Sport League

Two new teams announced Monday night that they would enter the Snyder baseball leagues.

The National Guard will enter a team in the City League, and the Halliburton a team will compete in the Industrial League.

A total of six teams now compose the City League, and eight the Industrial League, Eddie Hight president, said.

Managers or team members of the two new teams have not been announced, but playing schedules are being revised to fit them into some of this week's games, Hight said. The new schedule will be announced in the Daily News as soon as it is completed.

The Industrial League had tonight's first game. It is between the American Legion at Pan American at 7:30 o'clock. Tonight's second game, which will be played at 9 o'clock in Memorial Park is between two City League teams, Sun Oil and the Snyder DeMoylays.

Wayland Alumni Officers



Pictured above are the newly elected officers of the Ex-Student Association of Wayland College in Plainview. They are, left to right, Neil Record of Tulia, president; Harvey Wolfe of Amarillo, vice-president; and Ruby Bruton, former secretary of the First Baptist Church of Snyder, secretary.

Miss Jonnie Dell Brock Will Wed D. M. Cogdell Jr.

Mrs. Mabel Brock, 2000 Avenue S, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Jonnie Delle Brock to David Martin Cogdell, Jr. Mr. Cogdell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cogdell who live on their ranch on the Colorado City Highway.

One of the largest and most elaborate church weddings of this season in Snyder is being planned for the couple. The nuptials will be read at 9 o'clock the night of June 22, in the First Methodist Church with the Rev. W. W. Adcock officiating.

The bride will be given in marriage by her father, Gaston C. Brock of San Angelo in a double ring ceremony, after which the couple will leave for an extended wedding trip to California.

Miss Brock has lived in Snyder most of her life. She is a graduate of Snyder high school and Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene. She is now a teacher of second grade classes at the Northwest elementary school.

The bridegroom has also spent most of his life in this area. Among colleges he attended were the Southwestern University in Georgestown, Tex., and Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill. He served three years in the United States Navy during World War II, and is now a rancher in Kent County.

The couple will live at the ranch home in Kent County.

Several announcement and gift parties have been planned for Miss Brock throughout the remaining days before her wedding. Among them will be the announcement brunch at which Mrs. Loy D. Logan will entertain at the Country Club. About 50 women have been invited to the informal morning reception, set for 10 o'clock May 12.

On the social calendar for a date in the near future is another party feting Miss Brock. Mrs. R. J. Randals will be hostess to a large group at a tea which she will give in her ranch home on Lamesa highway

Dress Review By 4-H Girls On Saturday

About 40 entries are expected in the 4-H Club girl dress review to be presented Saturday in the high school auditorium, Mrs. Mildred Sparks, home demonstration agent, said today.

The show is to start at 3 o'clock, and Mrs. Sparks has asked that all club girls planning to model their garments in the show be at the auditorium not later than 2:30.

The county winner of the show will recive a $10 cash award, given by the Lions Club. Winners in each clothing division will recive awards furnished by the county home demonstration council. The county winner will be eligible to enter the state dress review at College Station in June.

All five clubs in the county are to be represented at the review, and will be classed according to age and experience in club work for judging.

Two Men Are Fined In County Court

Two men were fined in county court Thursday after pleading guilty to misdemeanor charges.

Roy H. Price, 41, formerly of Levelland, paid a fine of $50 plus $23.50 court costs on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

A. J. Sikes, about 40, of Snyder, pleaded guilty to a charge of swindling by worthless check and was fined $2850, including costs. He was accused of giving a check for $20 to Hugh Birdwell Service Station March 27.

To Post in Democratic Group in Connecticut

Lance Mullins, son of Mrs. H. A. Mullins, 1704 Seventeenth Street, has been appointed chairman of the social affairs of the Young Democratic Association in Bridgeport, Conn. Mullins was graduated from Snyder high school, and was inducted into the Army with the National Guard unit here during World War II. He has lived in Bridgeport for the last four years.

Pulitzer Prize Winner



This is the picture which won a Pulitzer prize for Max Desfor, Associated Press photographer. The prize was for news photography and shows refugees fleeing across a wrecked bridge in Korea.

Jayceettes Take Steps to Join State-Wide Group

Mrs. Doug Solsbery entertained the Jayceettees Monday night at their first meeting held in the Humble Recreation Hall.

The newly - organized group decided to meet alternate Mondays, once for dinner, once for a business session.

At their dinner party, scheduled for May 21, a report will be given the organization of action taken meanwhile for affiliating with the state Jayceettes. These steps of completing organizing will be done by members of the board of directors, meeting specially this week in the home of Mrs. Robert Hargrove, Jr., 132 Milburn.

The board is comprised of Mrs. Renal Rosson, Mrs. Keith Merrick, Mrs. Kenneth Wilson, Mrs. Lloyd Clark, Mrs. Hugh Rodgers, and Mrs. Howard Bramley.

Others present last night were Mrs. Jack Kennedy, Mrs. Hargrove, Mrs. Wayland Holt, Mrs. Bill Zimmerman, Mrs. Dick Roberts, Mrs. Bernard Holly, and Mrs. J. C. Evans, members, with Mrs. Ernest Luker, a guest.

The hostess served cokes and snacks to the group.

The Brooklyn Dodgers' top Opening Day attendance was recorded in 1949 when 34,530 saw the Dodgers beat the Giants, 10-3.

Newcomers Bridge Meeting at Restaurant

Newcomers' Bridge Club attracted a large group of women to the party Thursday afternoon at the Village. Mrs. Prentis Bass and Mrs. W. A. Banks were co-hostesses

Mrs J E Buey won high score, Mrs. Sterling Parker, second high, and Mrs. Garland Smith, bingo.

Present were Mrs. C A Likes, Floyd, Mrs J. F. Reed, Mrs Hanbert Feather, Mrs Houston Harte, Mrs. Ray Downing, Mrs. J P Ormond, Mrs L. J. Sweat, Mrs Ray Fleeman, Mrs W H Land, Mrs. Charles Gregory, and Mrs. Gid Carlisle.

Germany Race Trouble

KARLSRUHE, Germany, May 9. (AP) — Nearly 100 white and Negro U. S. soldiers fought a wild battle in a German cafe here Tuesday night. Forty of them were taken to hospital, German police reported.

The police refused to give details.

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Eight Snyder Marines Expected To Return Here for Furlough

Snyder's Marine detachment landed here Sunday for a furlough. Eight men from Snyder, stationed at San Diego, Calif., were all to get furloughs together and come home for a 10-day to two-weeks stay.

They are three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Williams: Ted and Fred Williams, 19-year-old twins; their younger brother, 17-year-old Bob Williams; Gerald D. Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Peterson who live eight miles east of Hermleigh; Glenn Merritt, son of Sheriff and Mrs. Lloyd H. Merritt of Snyder; Clint Floyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. E L Floyd, 812 Sixteenth Street, Snyder; Kenneth Head, who lives with his grandmother, Mrs D. A. Thomas, Fifteenth Street and Avenue I, in Snyder; and Ford M. Spikes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Spikes, 3011 Avenue K.

All eight of the youths joined the Marine Corps together as volunteers Feb. 23, this year. They have just completed their 10-weeks boot training at the San Diego Marine base.

Parents here do not know whether the boys have been assigned to units for state-side or foreign duty yet or not.

All the boys joined the service at Abilene, were sent to Dallas for their Marine physicals, and then to San Diego for boot training together.

They have been in the same training unit and have been billeted in the same barracks there, Mrs. Williams said.

Damage Suit Settled Without Litigation

Billy J. Adams, who had filed a $10,000 damage suit against the Texas Employers Insurance Co. for personal injuries, settled his suit out of court yesterday for $3,000.

Adams, at the time of the accident on Feb. 12, 1950, was employed by the Donnell Drilling Co. in Scurry County, working on a rig.

Attorneys for Adams in the compromised compensation case were John Watts of Odessa and Pat Beene of Snyder, while the law firm of McMahon, Springer and Smartt of Abilene represented the insurance company.

The dismissal order was approved by Judge Ben F. Thorpe in 132nd district court.

The office of vice-president of the National League was created in 1929. Barney Dreyfuss was elected the first VP that year.

Jesse Burkett, Ty Cobb and Rogers Hornsby each batted .400 or better two years in a row.

Damage Suit Is Filed Asking Total of $11,000

Frank F. Zajdlik, 51, Snyder, filed a $11,000 damage suit against the Snyder Sanitary Service in 132nd district court Thursday.

In his petition Zajdlik charges he was injured when he attempted to lift a heavy barrel of trash while employed as a laborer for the company on Dec. 2, 1950.

The petition charges the company was negligent in not furnishing sufficient men to assist the plaitiff and that they failed to furnish proper equipment.

Zajdlik alleges he sustained severe strains that caused other body injuries. He said he was earning $40 per week at the time of the injury.

He is seeking $10,000 for medical attention and $1,000 for actual damage.

The petition was filed by his attorney, John K. Ford.

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: N. Joseph Simons

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 May, A. D., 1951, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Scurry County, at the Court House in Snyder Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 14th day of March, 1951.

The file number of said suit being No. 8310.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Thomas B. Davis as Plaintiff, and N. Joseph Simons, et al at Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for Commission earned on realty listed with Plaintiff, for sale, by Defendant.

Issued this the 14th day of April, 1951. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Snyder, Texas, this the 14th day of April A. D., 1951.

Eunice Weatherbee, Clerk
District Court Scurry County

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Florence Cornelius Nathan, Alvin Cornelius, Docia Lockwood Chessir, Lum Chessir, and Mattie B. Lockwood Taylor 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 4th day of June, A.D., 1951, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. before the Honorable District Court of Scurry County, at the Court House in Snyder, Texas

Said plaintiff's First Supplemental petition was filed on the 8th day of December, 1950.

The file number of said suit being No. 4743.

The names of the parties in said suit are: C. T. McLaughlin, as Plaintiff, and T. T. Swan, Florence Cornelius Nathan, Alvin Cornelius, Docia Lockwood Chessir, Lum Chessir, Mattie B. Lockwood Taylor, Onie Lockwood, Martha Lockwood Dyer, Walter M. Dyer, Stella Lockwood Garner, Lee S. Garner, Florence Lockwood Scott, Earl T. Scott, Joseph Anderson Welborn, Bettye Rose Welborn Maynard, Charlie Bryan Maynard, Mildred Welborn, Florence Elizabeth (or Bettie) Welborn Porter, Dean Welborn Moor and Annie L. McDonald as Defendants.

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

A suit brought in trespass to try title and for the sale and partition of proceeds to the following described real estate, to-wit

All of Lots No. 1,2,3,10,11, and 12 in Block No. Ten(10), A. C. Wilmeth Addition to the Town of Snyder, Scurry County, Texas.

Issued this the 23rd day of April, 1951

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Snyder, Texas, this the 23rd day of April A.D., 1951.

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Paving Units Broken To Speed Program

Re-unitizing of some units in the city's 200-block paving program was approved by the city council Friday night, and changes in the program were granted so that dead end streets in the old program would be connected with other paved thoroughfares.

Actually no streets in the old program were crossed off the paving schedule nor were any new streets accepted into the program by Friday night's action.

However, units which had included several blocks were split up in an effort to facilitate the campaign to get property owners to sign paving contracts.

TO END DELAY

Some large units on which part of the property owners were willing to sign paving contracts are being held up because other property owners will not sign concontracts.

Decreasing the size of the units will permit the contractor to begin at once to pave the blocks on which agreemens have been made. The other blocks can be left out until a later date or omitted all together if the propery owners never sign he contracts, Mayor Forest G. Sears, said.

Two Snyder real estate dealers, Tony Holcomb and Sterling Taylor, were called before the council to testify concerning the effect of paving on property values.

Under oath, Holcomb said that paving and curb and gutter would in all cases add more value to the property than the cost of the paving.

Taylor corroborated Holcomb's statement, and said that in no case would the cost of the paving be greater than the value it adds to the adjoining property.

ENHANCES VALUE

They said that in most cases the paving and curb and gutter would add three times its cost to the value of the property, and that it was their opinion that in no case would the added value of the less than twice the cost of the paving.

Brown & Root representatives said that their contract sign-up campaign was "looking up," and that in the past week contract signing had gone beter than it had for many weeks past.

"We are now about 15 to 20 blocks ahead of the machinery," Dan Martin, one of Brown & Rot's contract men, said.

Contract signing is now about 35 to 40 per cent completed, Martin added.

Asked by Mayor Sears when actual paving would begin on streets on which excavation, curb and gutter, and caliche base work had been done, Martin said that a definite time had not been set.

He said that his company would probably not begin paving until sign-up and preliminary work had progressed to where that phaze of the program could stay ahead of the paving machinery.

He said that when the company brings in its paving machinery, about eight blocks of paving can be laid each day.

About 75 per cent of the preliminary work should be completed before we start paving," Martin said.

City Superintendent And Secretary Resign

The city found itself faced with the problem of filling two top position of responsibility Monday night.

J. W. Ramsey, city superintendent, and Mrs Clara Jones, city secretary, both presented the council their resignations, effective June 1

All councilmen expressed regret that the action was being taken, and voted acceptance of the resignations.

Schleicher Well Makes 149 Barrels in 7 Hours

G. W. Strake No. 1 J forrest Runge, assured second producer in the Huldale, North - Lower Canyon field of Central-North Schleicher, is shutin waiting for a pipe line connection.

The last gauge reported from the well was 149.18 barrels of 40.5-gravity oil in seven hours. Production was from perforations between 5,611-26, opposite the Canyon, and from open hole to 5,633 feet.

The lime was treated with 500 gallons of mud acid.

Location is 1,650 feet from south and 330 feet from west lines of section 66, block M, GH&SA survey. It is 990 feet north and 330 feet west of Hiawatha Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 Runge, the discovery well of the field.

Prior to the above seven-hour gauge, which was made on a one-quarter-inch choke, the well flowed 307.8 barrels of oil in nine hours on a 24-64-inch choke. Gas-oil ratio was 636-1.

Three Wildcat Staked In Aspermont Townsite

Three wildcat explorations have been staked for immediate drilling in the Aspermont townsite of Central Stonewall County.

All three will be drilled to around 6,100 feet to explore for possible production in the Ellenburger in the north part of the town.

H. J. Mosser Oil Co. of Allen Veazy, 137.5 feet from south and 131 feet from east lines of block 35, in addition 3 to the town.

Mosser Oil will drill No. 1 Veazy 137 feet from south and 131 feet from east lines of block 33, addition 3.

Sidney A. Sparks No. 1 Veazy will be 112 feet from south and 131 feet from east lines of block 31, addition 3.

Three Drillstem Tests Made On Coke Wildcat

Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 1 Lee Lackey, Northeast Coke County wildcat, recovered 30 feet of drilling mud on a 55-minute drillstem test from 6,326 feet to 6,334 feet.

On a drillstem test at 6,333-6,346 feet, recovery was 31 feet of drilling mud. Tool was open 30 minutes.

Fifty feet of free oil was recovered on a drillstem test from 6,314 feet to 6,326 feet.

Operator is now coring ahead. Top of the Ellenburger was 6,295 feet, 4,208 feet below sea level.

Location is at the center of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 272, block 1-A, H&TC survey. It is four miles northwest of the West Fort Chadbourne-Pennsylvanian field.

Engagement Of Miss Burk Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Burk, 3111 Avenue C, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Corena Lee, to Harold Coppedge, son of Mrs. W. H. Coppedge of Rotan.

The wedding ceremony will be performed at 6 o'clock the night of June 1 in Roby in the home of Miss Burk's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burk. The Rev. E.K. Shepherd will officiate. Miss Burk will be attended by Miss Susanne Hudson of Hamlin. Special vocal numbers at the ceremony will be given by Miss Burk's cousin, Miss Delores Marie Satterfield of Rotan.

The birde - elect is a senior in Snyder high school but plans to be graduated with the senior class at Rotan high school May 25. Miss Burk has lived in Rotan most of her life.

Mr. Coopedge will be attended by John Adams of Rotan, who will serve as his best man. Mr. Coppedge is a 1948 Rotan high school graduate. He has served 19 months in the Navy, and is now employed in Snyder.

Following the nuptials, the couple will take a three day wedding trip out of the state, returning here to make their home.

Housewarming In Speedy Moffetts Home

Numerous friends gathered Thursday night in the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Speedy Moffett, 3007 Thirty-ninth Street, Towle Place, for a housewarming.

After gifts were opened, the guests drove to the Garth Boyles ranch northeast of Snyder where they held a wiener roast.

Those attending or sending gifts were Mr. and Mrs. Bentley Baize, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mayberry, Mrs. C. E. Walker, Roy Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Evans, Mrs. R. E. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Calloway, Mr and Mrs. N. W. Minnick, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Denson, Mr and Mrs. G. M. McDowell, Mrs. Bill Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Bud England, and Mr. and Mrs. Boyles.

Firemen Break Window To Put Out Car Blaze

Fire caused damage to a car parked inside the court house square Sunday afternoon, G. L. Autry, city fireman, said today.

Cause of the fire was believed to have been a lighted cigarette.

Firemen had to break a window in the locked car to extinguish the blaze, Autry said.

Owner of the car, a 1942 Chevrolet coupe was not at the scene and his identity is not known, Autry said.

Stock Market Steady Today

NEW YORK, May 9. (AP) — A steady price structure today in the stock market provided the framework for a few stronger issues.

The price pattern was 50 cents higher to 25 cents lower.

Electric Survey Run On Garza County Test

Coninental Oil Co. No. 1 J. C. Fumagilli, Northeast Garza County wildcat, is at total depth of 8,206 feet in the Ellenburger and is running electric surveys.

Recovery was 1,680 feet of sulphur water on a one and one-half hour drillstem test in the Ellenburger at 8,159-8,306 feet.

It is located 13 miles northeast of Post and 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 14, block 8, H&GN survey.

Heads Texas Chapter Of Spanish Veterans

HOUSTON, May 9. (AP)—The new department commander of the Texas United Spanish War Veterans is F. L. Chatham of San Antonio.

Karyl Briggs Will Be Wed June 10 in Enid Ceremony



Miss Karyl Briggs is pictured with her fiance, Thomas A. Kennedy, Jr., at a party in Enid, Okla., announcing their engagement. Miss Briggs is a former resident of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Briggs of Enid, Okla., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Karyl Briggs, to Thomas A. Kennedy, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A Kennedy, also of Enid

The wedding ries will be said June 10 in the First Presbyterian Church, Enid, with Dr. Horace G. Casey officiating.

The bride-elect, who graduated from Snyder high school, also attended Texas State College for Women in Denton. She formerly lived in the Sharon Ridge community with her parents, who are known here.

Mr. Kennedy an Enid high school graduate, attended the University of Oklahoma and Phillips University in Enid.

105 Teachers Are Re-elected By School Board for '51-52

The school board has approved the rehiring of 105 teachers in the Snyder school system of five schools for white students and one for Negroes.

Practically all teachers in the system were rehired for the next school term, M. E. Stanfield, superintendent, said. A few, however, did not desire re-election.

112 ON ROLL

This brings the faculty total, including administrators, to 112, and other replacements are to be employed before the beginning of next term. The exact number of additional teachers needed for the next year is not yet known, Stanfield said.

At the close of the last school term there were 76 teachers and seven administrators.

Contracts for the administrators were renewed by the board a few weeks ago. They include Elmer Taylor, business manager; T. D. Wiman, Jr., high school principal; Herman Trigg, junior high school principal; Silas Devenport, central elementray principal; W. T. Falls, northwest ward principal; O. S. Clark, primary pincipal; and Stanfield. The contract of J. M. Moffett, head coach, was also renewed at the same time.

The teachers rehired Friday were:

HIGH SCHOOL

Miss Zalda Brown, Miss Elsie Ramsdell, Miss Katherine Northcutt, Mrs. Elizabeth Beavers, Miss Jane Gilmore, James E. Bailey, Billy Fred Jones, Miss Vera Perriman, Cleis D. Henry, Jack Blanchard, Mrs. Eva Nelson, Mrs. Geraldine Hodges, Mrs. Faye Jordan, Mrs. Joyce Bell Hancock, Dillard Teal, Mrs. Imogene Henry, Mrs. Mary Faver, Mrs. M. M. O'Rear, Jimmy F. Verner, James M. Moffett, Hal J. Battle, John L. Browning, Harold K. Osterlh, John M. Kayser, Mrs. Jewel Butler, J. C. Evans, and Miss Thelma Leslie.

JUNIOR HIGH

Mrs Joyce Gorman, Frank N. Huggins, Charles L. Willis, Jack Yourie, Mrs. Frances Evans, Miss Clyde Connell, Jimmy Lynch, Miss Kathryn Elliott, Miss Margaret Miller, Mrs. Rose Marie Lemons, Earnest Kinney, Earl Horton, and Cluetta Johnson.

CENTRAL ELEMENTARY

Mrs. Evelyn Fowler, Mrs. Aileen Moreland, Mrs. Christine Hamm, Mrs. Marjorie Dykstra, Miss Marilyn Hayes, Mrs. Irma Busse, Mrs. Lida Rhoades, Miss Mary Dove Pogue, Miss Loyce Taylor, Mrs. Vivian Hill, Mrs. Doris Helms, Mrs. Hazel Hanback, Mrs. Madge Pogue, Mrs. Mary Devenport, Miss Alice Birdwell, Mrs. Hazel Buswell, Mrs. Lois Stephens, Miss Faye Culbarman, Mrs. Aline Cox, Mrs. Jane Harmon, Miss Patty Kindla, Mrs. Susan Compton, Mrs. Allie M. Gibson, Mrs. Eula Williams, and Mrs. Martha Hall.

NORTHWEST ELEMENTARY

Mrs. Elwanda Nall, Mrs. Annabel Elliott, Mrs. Marie Henderson, Mrs. Ione Smith, Mrs. Fern Rushing, Mrs. Vera B Spence Miss Jonnie Dell Brock, Mrs. Edna Mae Lucy, Mrs Amalia Teal, Mrs. Letha Bell Phemister, Mrs. RuthtDonaldson, Mrs. Eupha Shield, Mrs. Lillian Jones, Miss Ivan Perry, Miss Durele Stokes, Mrs. Lucile Taylor, Mrs. Winnie Smith, Mrs Chrisuine Bradley, Mrs. Mabel Brock, Miss Polly Harpole, Hugh C. Lowery, Mrs. Margaret D. Pilcher, Mrs. Claudene Ball, and Miss Kathryn Davis.

PRIMARY ELEMENTARY

Mrs. Della McPherson, Mrs. Golda Thorpe, Mrs. Grace King, Miss Christine Legg, Mrs. Margaret Clark ,Mrs Johnnye Bishop, Mrs. Maxine Gault, Miss Marion Hays, Mrs. Mary May, Mrs. Sarah Hill, Mrs. Hattie Gatlin, Mrs. Celela Merrick, Miss Vallie Eoff, Mrs. Mae Stanfield, Mrs. Elizabeth Barnard, and Miss Olive Ann Sutlilh.

Colored Teacher:

Mrs. Eunice Daniels.

The teachers who had been on temporary assignment and did not desire re-election were:

Mrs. Edna Varner, Mrs. Wilma Stone, Mrs. Doris Mae Allen, Mrs. Dorothy Jenkins, Mrs. Dorothy Rosson, Mrs Loree Dodson, and Miss Doretha Wright.

Miss Wright was one of the two teachers in the Negro school. Two more will be hired for this school, Stanfield said.

All these teachers have done satisfactory work, the administrator, said, and would have been rehired if they had so desired.

Legislature Into Overtime With Money Bills To Settle

By MAC ROY RASOR

AUSTIN, May 9. (AP) — The 52nd Legislature plodded into overtime at half pay today still struggling with the tax problem.

Target for Senate debate was a newly proposed department store gross receipts tax, an explosive issue with big-city senators.

It was the session' 121st day — when the contitution cuts lawmakers' daily salaries to $5 as subtle encouragement to a quick windup.

Tuesday, the Senate turned thumbs down on a proposed increase in the gasoline tax and approved instead a pipeline levy on natural gas. The House okeyed and sent to the Senate a bill to clean-up elections.

The resource tax was added to the House-approved omnibus tax bill which continues a year-old 10 per cent tax increase on many items, such as sulphur, crude oil, cosmetics, radios and the like.

NEW ESTIMATE

Combined, the new taxes are aimed at covering the gap between state spending and revenue the next two years.

A newly-revised total issued Tuesday by the House-Senate Conference Committee on Appropriations indicated demands will be made on the state's general revenue fund for $145,756,727 during the biennium. That is an estimated $55 million more than the fund will support.

Whether the Senate-revised omnibus tax measure would cover the deficit, senators were in violent disagreement.

They thought the omnibus measure — minus the pipeline tax — would bring about $40 million.

Proponents thought the pipeline tax would bring another $25 million.

Opponents said the way it was drawn it wouldn't buy a hat.

LEGALITY DOUBTED

The tax is proposed in a complicated bill hinging on long-term purchase contracts on natural gas. A levy of 5 per cent of the gas value at the well would be made at the time of the withdrawal of gas under the contracts. The minimum tax was pegged at one cent per 1,000 cubic feet.

Texas industries producing paper, chemicals, aluminum and carbon black would be exempt from the tax if it is passed on to them.

Critics questioned constitutionality of the measure.

"Don't get the idea your job is done when you pass this bill," counseled Senator A. M. Aikin Jr., of Paris. "When you send this bill to the comptroller, he will have no choice but to tell you it won't raise the money."

WOOL, TIMBER "TAXES"

Laughter rocked the chamber when Senator Wardlow Lane of Center proposed a gathering tax on wool.

"You know what happens to our wool?" inquired the lawmaker from gas-producing East Texas. "Those old meanies from up north come down here and buy our wool for $2 a pound, take it off and made suits out of it and then sell it back to us at $50 a pound."

Senator Dorsey B. Hardeman of San Angelo, representing a wool-producing West Texas district, countered with a proposal to tax timber sawed into lumber.

"That's our timber, just like our gas and our wool," he argued. "Those old rip-saws nnight and day are tearing through the very heart of our good pine timber."

Both Lane and Hardeman withdrew their proposals.

Third Offset to No. 1 McElroy Ranch Staked

Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. has staked location for a northeast offset to its No. 1 McElroy ranch, Ellenburger discovery in Northwest Upton County, 18 miles northwest of Rankin.

It is No. 4 McElroy and is located 660 feet from north and east lines of the southeast quarter of section 129, block D, CCSDIRGNG survey.

Rotary tools will be used in drilling to 12,700 feet, beginning at once.

A diagonal northeast offset to the opener of the Weiner-Floyd field in Northeast Upton County has been spotted by Rowan Oil Co. and Roger B. Owings as No. 2 F. A Braden

Drillsite is 2,0074 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 16, block 37, T-5-S, T&P survey

Hollywood

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD, May 9. (AP) — Another famous friendship has broken up — that of Frank Fay and Harvey.

Thus ends an association that ranks among the most noted in the history of the American theatre.

Fay and the Pooka (six-foot rabbit) cavorted together more than five years in New York and on the road. But the debonaire comedian indicated they will never meet again.

"No, I don't believe I'll ever play the show again'," he told me. "I have had two offers to do it again in New York. Fabulous coin, too. But I turned them down.

"I think it's a mistake to become too identified with one particular role. It can hurt your career. I remember a fine comedian in vaudeville — Jack Pearl. He had a great success on the radio as the Baron Munchausen. Everybody was saying 'Vas you dere, Charlie?' But then the novelty wore off — and what has happened to Pearl since?

"It's not that I'm mad at Harvey. I love the fellow. But I think it's better that we go our own ways."

Fay added that he never tired of years at it. He offered a hint as to why he was the most successful of the many stars who played it.

"I didn't play to the audience, as the other fellows did," he explained. "I played to Harvey. He was a very good friend and he never let me down. I think playing to him kept the spirit of the play.

"At least it seemed to pay off. When I went on the road, we made $1.3 million with it. And we were playing towns that had already been visited by other 'Harvey' companies at least one and sometimes twice."

The actor expressed no bitterness about not doing the film version, which won James Stewart an Oscar nomination.

TALK OF THE TOWN

BY FRANCES BROOKS

The DONALD RAE SCOTTS arrived at their home, 301 Twentieth Place, last week, their eyes bulging from sights seen on a 9-day 'strictly pleasure" jaunt through the West Tia Juana, across the border, from California, seemed to have spellbound Mrs. Scott most. . . She brought Donna, her 8-year-old daughter, a small handmade peasant frock, the replica of one for herslef. The mother-and-daughter frocks were painstakingly made by numble fingers of the nuns in a Tia Juana convet.

The couple encountered snow and cold even rain, most of their trip. The colors of the Grand Canyon panorama were not one bit blighted by fast falling snowflakes, they reported.

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MRS. HERMAN AWEAS phoned me Thursday to say "Congratulations to your husband!" She lives in Tulsa, Okla., takes, and had read the Snyder Daily there about my change of name. Returning by air this week end with Mrs. Aweas was her mother, MRS. DORA CUNNINGHAM, 2403 Avenue N.

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MRS. JOE STINSON, like some others, finds the Woman's Calendar a help, and yet not a help at times. She noticed that the Thursday Bridge Club was meeting, donned her spring frock, and set out for the appointed place. It developed that it wasn't HER Thursday Club but another one. . . It contained her friends, too, and she wound up having a grand time at somebody else's bridge party

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Thinking it would be of interest to print a story of the southern trip MAYOR FORREST SEARS took, we phoned Friday afternoon. Mayor Sears allowed he would gladly tell about it another time—that Mrs. Sears was out and he was occupied. Pressed, he said, "Well, if you want to know, I'm right in the middle of a washing, and they won't come out as nice if I stop the machine." We call that versatility.

NOTRUBILLAH Canasta Club, which MRS. HAROLD GRANT says I can finally spell right but not pronounce correctly, is a-thrill over the accomplishments of the Halliburton wives (and husbands, too!) in putting up a recreation hall.

It's nat fancy," says Mrs. Grant the superintendent's wife, but 'It will be fun." At Avenue Q and Seventeeth Street, it consists of a large dance floor and an ample kitchenette. AND, there is a company dance planned to 'warm" the new funhouse in the near future!

Summer Sounds Department The HERMAN TRIGGS, 909 Twenty-seventh Street, are looking forward to a picnic the teachers at Northwest elementary school have planned for May 17. "No," stated Trigg, who was invited along with other school principals, "We won't all play hookey that day. . .just go after school hours and KEEP COOL."

Group Favors More Aid To Europe Nations

WASHINGTON, May 9. (AP) —The United States should give further economic aid to Western Europe to supplement direct military support being supplied to meet the threat of aggression, a group of businessmen said today

The group — the Research and Policy Committee of the Committee for Economic Development — estimated the non-Communist nations of Continental Europe face a dollar deficit of perhaps $1 billion largely as a result of the western arms build-up. Germany and Italy particularly also are short of Sterling, it said.

The committee urged that the U. S., Britain and Canada make up the deficit in the interest of North Atlantic security as a whole.

"If through the inadequacy of U. S. aid, the European rearmament effort were to fail, the U. S. would probably have to increase its military expenditures in order to safeguard its own security without cooperation of the countries of Western Europe," the committee said

The report was based on a study of more than a year and was published on the eve of a meeting of the trustees of the Committee for Economic Development. The committe describes itself as a non-profit and non-political group dedicated to "objective research (into) those economic policies that would encourage the attainment and maintenance of high production and employment within the framework of a free society."

6,324 Tons of Rubber To Russia During April

SINGAPORE, May 8. (AP) — Official statistics issued today showed that Russia got 6,324 tons of Malayan rubber in April. None was shipped to the Soviet Union in March from this British colony.

Destinational control of rubber exports was made effective in Malaya April 8, but the Russian cargo had been ordered before then.

Winston Churchill and his fellow Conservative members of parliament, as well as various quarters in the United States, have criticized Britain's Labor government for permitting the shipment of rubber to Russia and Communist China.

President of Wayland College To Lead Youth Revival Here

Service to youth has been a distinguishing feature in the career of Dr. J. W. Marshall, shown at left above, now president of Wayland College in Plainview. He has been chosen to speak at the youth revival starting Friday at the First Baptist Church here

Dr. Marshall has been president of Wayland since 1947, and had been overseas personnel secretary for the Baptist Foreign Mission Board in Richmond, Va., before that. He was head of the young people's work for the Baptist General Convention of Texas prior to that time.

Dr. Marshall is an alumnus of Texas Christian University, Baylor University and Southwestern Baptist Seminary. Hardin - Simmons University awarded him the Doctor of Divinity degree.

Under his leadership Wayland is becoming known for the large number of students it attracts from abroad. Five per cent of the entire student body is made up of foreign students.

Singing at the youth revival is to be directed by Sam Allen, shown at right above, who was also here for a similar series of meetings last year. He is a physical education instructor at the college, and was outstanding in sports during his own college days.

Services in the youth meeting are to be held at 7:30 each night, with a morning service scheduled for 10 o'clock Saturday.

To Be June Bride



Miss Ann Cowan, of New Home, Tex., who will become the June bride of Wayland Walton, is shown above. Miss Cowan is the daughter of Mrs. Winston Davis and a senior in the New Home high school. Mr. Walton, the son of R. C. Walton, east of Snyder, graduated from Snyder high school and is at present employed with Phillips 66. The ceremony will take place in New Home.

Ships Collide In Delaware

CHESTER, Pa., May 9. (AP)—Two ships collided early today in the Delaware River and eight hours later tugs sought to push one vessel, badly damaged, toward shallower water near the New Jersey shore. There were no casualties.

The collision of the freighters Antinous and Transamerican happened opposite this industrial city eight miles south of Philadelphia.

Runnels Wildcat Set

Rowan Oil Co. and Texas Gulf Producing Co. have staked location for a wildcat in Central Runnels County as No. 1 H. F. Busher

It is six miles northeast of Ballinger and 4,040 feet from south and 1,650 feet from east lines of S Bacon survey No. 435.

Drillsite is two and five-eighths miles south of Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 1 Tyree, opener of the Tyree-Geens lime pool.

Projected depth is 5,500 feet. Rotary tools will be moved in and drilling will begin in the near future.

Agents From Snyder Attend Conference On Farm Co-operatives

O. M. Fowler, county agent, and Mrs. Mildred Sparks, county home demonstration agent, attended a one-day co-operative educational conference and district meeting at San Angelo Friday.

The meeting featured talks by W. N. Williamson, assistant director, Texas Extension Service, A&M College, who spoke on Statement of Policy, followed by talks by panel members, that included George Blair, executive secretary, Texas Federation of Co-operatives, Dallas; J. K. Stern, president, American Institute of Co-operation, Washington, D.C.; who addressed the group on "Responsibilities of State Colleges in the Field of Farm Co-operative Education"; and Mrs. Glenn Eager, of Winters, who talked on "What My Farm Co-operative Means to My Family."

M. C. Jaynes, extension organization co-operative marketing specialist, was chairman of the meeting.

No Clouds, But Dust Predicted

(By The Associated Press)

Texas' weather was another picture of contradictions. Overcast and muggy in the eastern half, mostly clear with some blowing dust in the west.

A junior-sized cool front moved through the Panhandle. Although it didn't affect temperatures much, it was expected to sir up a few light showers.

Early morning fog covered the upper coast, extending as far inland as Lufkin. In North-Central Texas, some light rain and drizzle fell. Brownsville, in deep South Texas, had bright sunshine.

The U. S. Weather Bureau said the sun probably would break up the East Texas overcast during the dya.

Brisk northerly winds accompanied the cool front as it pushed into the Panhandle. Dalhart had blowing dust. There also was a brown haze in scattered sections below the front, as southerly winds reached as high as 35 miles per hour.

Temperatures dropped down into the 50's in the Panhandle during the night. Dalhart had a low of 52 and Amarillo 55. The highest minimum was 71 at Galveston.

Only light showers occurred during the 24-hour period ending at 6:30 a.m. Houston had .08 of an inch, Beaumont and Galveston .04, Corpus Christi 02 and a trace was recorded at Dallas, Waco and Lufkin.

Tuesday's maximum ranged from 74 at Houston, Beaumont and Galveston to 97 at Presidio.

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