

## WEATHER

Continued windy this afternoon and tonight, little temperature change.

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Eight Pages Today

# Reads Press For Opening Of A Second Front

## Dan Moody Here Thursday For A Talk At 2 p. m.

The U. S. senatorial campaign regains new and direct interest in Big Spring and Howard county Thursday, as Dan Moody comes to town to make his bid for support. He will talk from the courthouse lawn at 2 p. m. using a public address system.

Radio listeners can hear Moody before that time. His address from San Angelo tonight will be broadcast locally by KBST, and he will make a statewide broadcast through KBST's facilities from Big Spring at 1 p. m. Thursday.

Moody is the last of the "big three" in the campaign to come to Big Spring, and his visit probably winds up the political calls to be made by major candidates before the July 25 voting.

The hard-hitting Moody, known as one of the state's most forceful campaign speakers, asserted today as he came into West Texas territory:

"All that is necessary now to send W. Lee O'Daniel to the limbo of the lost and forgotten politicians is for everyone who feels and is saying that I am the best qualified



DAN MOODY

man of the three in the race to represent Texas in the senate to vote for me and encourage their friends to do so."

## Supporters Of New Deal Win In Oklahoma

Josh Lee Renominated, Bob Kerr Leads In Governor's Race

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 15 (AP)—Steadily pulling farther out in front, Robert S. (Bob) Kerr, husky democratic national committeeman, held an unofficial 9,000-vote margin over Gomer Smith, former congressman and old age pension advocate, today for the party's nomination for governor.

Democrats already had nominated junior Senator Josh Lee, wholehearted new dealer, and Kerr, who called for full cooperation with the national government, had only one-fifth of the 3,674 precincts to hear from in yesterday's primary election.

Frank P. Douglass, district judge who stumped the state with a hillbilly band, stayed in third place for governor. The count in 2,987 precincts was Kerr 118,633, Smith 109,520 and Douglass 79,034. Lee, 50-year-old first term, clung to a clear majority over a field of nine on returns from 2,879 precincts. He topped Carl Hensby, Ada attorney who campaigned hardest for the vote of Lee's opposition, 137,534 to 64,573, while third place former Governor W. H. (Alfalfa Bill) Murray had 26,679.

Only two of the six democratic congressmen who drew opposition in the primary appeared to be in danger.

Wilburn Cartwright, eighth-term member from the third district and chairman of the house roads committee, Ross Hardy, the lead of hefty Paul Stewart, veteran state senator. In 856 precincts out of 505, the count was Cartwright 19,333 and Stewart 20,938.

Rep. Lyle Boren, three-term congressman from the mid-state fourth district, saw his lead over hard-hitting Park Wyatt, Shawnee lawyer, whittled to a sliver. In 339 precincts out of 500, Boren had 14,298 to Wyatt's 14,136.

Apparently renominated were Jed Johnson, sixth district; Mike Monroney, fifth; Victor Wickersham, seventh; and Jack Nichols, second. Wesley Disney of the first district had no democratic opponent, and the state's lone republican congressman, Ross Riley of the eighth, also was unopposed for renomination.

## Service Men Given Vote

Men called to service may cast absentee ballots in the democratic primary if they are otherwise qualified to vote, L. S. Patterson, county democratic chairman, was advised Wednesday by E. B. Germany, chairman of the state democratic executive committee.

This means that they must hold either a poll tax or exemption certificate.

Patterson suggested that prompt action would be necessary since there is only about a week remaining before absentee voting ends. Lee Porter, county clerk, should be furnished with either a receipt or certificate, or proper affidavit therefor. In return, he will dispatch the ballot to the person desiring to cast the absentee vote.

The number who will thus have the right of franchise cleared is problematical, but it should be between 100 and 200 for Howard county.

## FRENCHMEN SENTENCED

LONDON, July 15 (AP)—The German-controlled Brussels radio reported tonight that five Frenchmen had been sentenced to death at Lille for killing a German soldier.

## Yankees Were Ready For Japs At Midway

WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP)—Japan's invasion armada ran into an American ambush in the battle of Midway, official reports disclosed today.

A communique last night gave the first detailed account of the battle and a supplemental report told how a naval task force lay in ambush and struck hard with carrier planes when army and navy shore-based attacks had slowed the enemy fleet.

The great size of the armada Japan sent to assault Midway in hopes of prelude to conquest of Hawaii was disclosed for the first time—80 ships. Official records gave this result of the battle: Japanese losses—20 ships sunk or damaged including four aircraft carriers sunk and three battleships hit; 275 planes destroyed, and 4,800 men killed or drowned.

American losses—the 19,900-ton aircraft carrier Yorktown put out of action, the destroyer Hammann sunk, an undischarged number of planes destroyed, and 92 officers and 215 enlisted men lost.

The immediate result of the battle was that the safety of the vital Hawaiian area, the American west-



Head AEF Unit—Major General M. W. Clark, left, now commands all American ground troops in Britain and Major General J. C. H. Lee, right, has charge of the services of supply. Lieut. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, commander in chief of U.S. forces in the European theatre, announced, Clark, a New Yorker, has been Eisenhower's chief of staff. Lee comes from Junction City, Kan.

## Committee Probing War Contract Fees

WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP)—The house naval affairs committee was told today that the Washington Sales Engineering Company of Shirley, Olcott and Nichols had received more than \$600,000 in cash since Jan. 1 as agents for manufacturers seeking war contracts.

Representatives of the justice department and the army and the navy sat in as Thomas Hinkel, committee counsel, opened a committee inquiry by saying that it was directed toward disclosing the activities and profits of the "so-called 5 per cent representatives and agents" of manufacturers handling war work.

Hinkel said also that he would show that:

1. Horace Ward, "an individual who acts for his principals on a contingent fee basis, generally in the amount of 5 per cent," had received a total net income of almost \$376,000 for the 18-month period ending June 30.

2. The firm of William Scrimgeour and Sons, who furnish "so-called engineering services in addition to their sales activity," had received over \$200,000 on naval contracts since 1939.

3. John J. Orr, a graduate of the Naval Academy and a former employee of the Federal Housing Administration, had received over \$80,000 since January, 1941.

Called as the first witnesses were A. P. Shirley of Mount Vernon, Va., and F. B. Olcott and F. C. Nichols, both of Washington.

Shirley, a retired army major who described himself as an engineer with experience in selling "tools all over the world," said that his company represented 46 manufacturers and that his business had grown like a snowball. He started representing manufacturers in 1929 after coming to Washington, he said, "for a chat."

"And you found it a profitable field as soon as congress began to increase the activities of the departments," inquired Chairman Vinson (D-Ga.).

"Yes sir," replied Shirley. Olcott and Nichols, both former civilian employees of the navy—the former at \$4,600 a year and the latter at \$4,000—joined the firm in the mid-30's.

"So," said Vinson at one point, "your firm has a fine approach to both the army and navy; you as a former army major and the other two as former navy employees in responsible positions."

But Shirley denied emphatically that he had picked Olcott and Nichols as his associates because of their contact with ranking naval officials and manufacturers dealing with the department, and declared that he had chosen them because of their engineering ability.

**PUBLISHER DIES**  
SYCAMORE, Ill., July 15 (AP)—Alvin H. Resch, 60, publisher of the Sycamore Republican for 35 years, died at his home here last night. He was the father of F. A. Resch, of New York, executive editor of the Associated Press newsphoto service.

main battle force without fighter support and in spite of blistering anti-aircraft and fighter opposition. All 15 planes were lost. Only one man of the squadron, Ensign G. H. Gay, of Houston, Texas, survived.

Another deed of valor was attributed to Major Lofton F. Henderson of Gary, Ind. During the marines' first attack on the Japanese fleet on June 4, his scout bomber was hit and set afire. Henderson was last seen diving his blazing craft into the smokestack of a Japanese carrier.

After the Coral Sea victory of May 4-May 5, the navy said, the

## House Agrees To Sub-Parity Wheat Sales

Action Wanted By President Breaks Long Deadlock

WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP)—The house today broke a two-month congressional deadlock on the agriculture department appropriation bill by agreeing to a senate proposal to allow sales of government-owned wheat at prices below parity.

After rejecting a new compromise proposal, the house accepted a senate demand, backed by President Roosevelt, that sales of government-owned wheat for livestock feed and industrial uses at 85 per cent of the parity price of corn—or about 83 cents a bushel—be allowed.

The compromise proposed, offered by Rep. Cannon (D-Mo), would have set the minimum sales price for the wheat at full parity for corn, or about 97 cents.

Previously, the house had insisted that such sales be made at not less than parity for wheat, or about \$1.55 a bushel.

The deadlock grew out of a senate demand that sale of 125,000,000 bushels for feeding purposes be allowed at 85 per cent of corn parity, or about 83 cents.

The administration favored the senate version. It wants to stabilize livestock feed prices at below-parity levels to encourage maximum production of meat, dairy and poultry products for war needs.

Cannon's proposal was defeated by a roll call vote of 204 to 128. Parity is a level calculated to give crops the same purchasing power as in a previous period, usually 1909-1914.

The compromise was approved 31 to 34 on a division vote in the house yesterday, but opponents forced adjournment and postponed a roll call vote until today on the ground of an quorum.

## Charge Filed In Slaying

CLEBURNE, July 15 (AP)—A wounded man identified by Inspector Will Frits of the Dallas police as M. W. Barbee, 37, who escaped from Eastman prison farm July 5, died today in the Johnson county jail.

DALLAS, July 15 (AP)—Under treatment in a Cleburne hospital for bullet wounds in his abdomen and right arm is a man identified, said Inspector Will Frits of the Dallas police department, as M. W. Barbee, who escaped with several other convicts from Eastman prison farm July 5.

The man was charged in a murder complaint filed with Justice of the Peace W. T. Meador at Itasca under the name of M. F. Jones of Dallas with the fatal shooting of Walter Burch, 55, Itasca night-watcherman.

The man gave his name as M. F. Jones and was charged under that name pending the determination of his true identity, Frits asserted.

Fingerprints established that the man was Barbee, said Sheriff Crean Smith of Johnson county, adding that the man carried driver's license bearing the name of M. F. Jones.

Burch's bullet-placed body was found at Itasca yesterday by a truck driver, Fire Marshal Curtis Holloway of Itasca said.

Hill County Sheriff Clarence Smith and District Attorney J. H. Bryan of the same county came to Dallas shortly after the complaint was filed and said they thought Barbee would recover from his wounds.

high command decided the enemy's next thrust would be directed against some other section of America's Pacific defenses—Hawaii, Alaska, the Panama Canal or the Pacific coast.

Consequently U. S. naval forces were deployed along the 1,700 mile front between Midway Island and the Aleutians in the North Pacific. Throughout the danger area, bases were reinforced with long-range aircraft. Thus, the navy made clear, the fighting forces under supreme command of Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, Pacific fleet chief, were ready when the blow fell.

## Claim Nazis Have Drawn Men From Belgium, France

By CLYDE A. FARNSWORTH, Associated Press War Editor  
Locked in a great, consuming battle for which Germany is stripping reserve divisions from her garrisons in western Europe, the Russians reported today that they had repulsed enemy attempts to encircle Voronezh, on the north flank of the Germans' Don valley offensive.

Resistance to Hitler's 1942 blitzkrieg, as symbolized by the defense of Voronezh, has so sapped the enemy's reserves that several divisions from Belgium and France have been reported put into the battle.

The official Russian announcement that effect today was a tacit implication that the way was being opened in western Europe for creation of an allied front.

London reported Russian pressure for a prompt invasion of the continent and one informant declared that all preparations for a full-fledged attack were being made. How soon was left unanswered.

The Germans who more than a week ago were claiming Voronezh as theirs actually were stopped by a last ditch defense at the outskirts, Russian front dispatches said today in recounting the struggle for that anchor of the southern Russian army. Since that clash, presumably some days ago, the Germans attempted to encircle Voronezh, which is 300 miles south of Moscow, but were repulsed on the north and rolled back to the south to the point where they had crossed the Don river to get at the key city.

So long as Voronezh stands it remains a sharp flanking threat to the Germans' deepest penetration of Russia, a thrust which has carried beyond Boguchar, down the Don from the Voronezh sector, to within 200 miles of Stalingrad on the Volga.

Axis reports, unconfirmed, said that another drive, further south, had carried within six miles of Rostov, at the mouth of the Don, gateway to the Caucasus.

While a demarcating territorial losses which constitutes a dire threat to isolate the vital Caucasus and perhaps to force a general Russian withdrawal in the south to the line of the Volga river, Moscow said that 35,000 of the enemy have been killed or wounded in a 10-day period in the Voronezh sector. An important point west of Voronezh was reported recaptured.

This sector, about 300 miles south of Moscow, is the northern anchor of a badly dented line upon which Marshal Semyon Timoshenko's armies are opposing the all-out German effort to break through to Stalingrad on the Volga, and isolate the oil-bearing Caucasus region, path of a main allied supply route into Russia.

The Russians, Moscow reported today, have hurled back reinforced German detachments in one sector of this front, in the Don valley, and are maintaining a stubborn defense in others after giving up more ground on the steppes within the Don river bend.

Germany's not-to-be-minimized gains in Russia have cost her a pretty price, the Russians said, and she is paying it at the expense of her western European positions.

"The Germans are being forced to bring up reserves hurriedly from the rear to take the place of their units which have been put out of action," said today's Kremlin communique.

"Several divisions which arrived from France and Belgium only a few days ago have been observed."

The German high command today repeated its claim of rapid progress along the whole vast battelins of southern Russia, reporting further severance of Russian communications.

Qualified sources at London who preferred to remain anonymous said that Russia was pressing anew through her ambassador to Britain, Ivan Malsky, for the prompt opening of a United States front in the west to dilute the potency of the German drive to the east.

Britain, the United States and Russia recently reached an understanding on the "urgency" of a second front in 1942, but beyond that vague announcement no official disclosures have been made. Unofficially elaborating on this theme, a London informant whose name could not be used said:

"All preparations for opening a second front are under way and the objective is a front which will be permanent, not only a large hit and run raid."

According to military sources in London, likewise insisting on anonymity, the situation in southern Russia has not necessarily reached a point where an American-British invasion of the continent is essential to save Russia's armies.

The Russians have been speaking recurrently of German numerical superiority in sectors

chosen by the Hitler command for its offensive, but have given no indication of tapping extensively as yet their own supposedly vast reserves.

Any diversion in the Mediterranean zone seems to have been postponed for the allies now may be necessarily content to stabilize the outlying defense of Alexandria. Marshal Rommel's forces have not lost their punch but they have been stopped before El Alamein, 70 miles west of Alexandria, for more than two weeks.

## 'Permanent' Front Is Promised

WARDHA, India, July 14 (Delayed) (AP)—Mohandas K. Gandhi supplemented the new all-India Congress party resolution demanding Britain's withdrawal from rule of India with the emphatic declaration today that there can be no further negotiation.

To reporters sitting cross-legged before him at his little school colony five miles from this cotton and farming town, Gandhi conceded that violence might result from the resolution.

"I don't want rioting or anything of that sort as a direct result of these measures," declared the wisened little Indian leader. "If rioting takes place I shall feel helpless."

The resolution must be ratified by the all-India Congress committee, which has been called to meet at Bombay Aug. 8, but never in the history of the party has an important decision of the 15-man working committee been overruled by the 250 members of the general committee.

Asked whether he expected the

British to "come to terms," Gandhi replied that "they are human beings and I am never in despair of the possibility of human beings making an upward growth."

It was stated that the resolution does not intend that the British be banished physically from Indian territory, that the United nations be handicapped in fighting the axis or that the way be paved for aggression against India.

## Three Sentenced As Ration Violators

HOUSTON, July 15 (AP)—Ed Pace, Leland Hamner and J. F. McGurk, found guilty in federal court last Saturday of violating the national tire and tube rationing order, were each sentenced to 20 months in a federal reform-type penitentiary and ordered to pay \$1,000 fines by Judge T. M. Kennedy today.



### T. E. L. Class Has Morning Entertainment

Members of the T. E. L. class of the First Baptist church were guests of their president, Mrs. E. Y. Jones, Tuesday when she entertained in her yard with a morning party.

During the business session Mrs. C. E. Reed gave the devotional from the 67th psalm and Mrs. J. W. Cain offered prayer. Reports of class business were given by Mrs. J. P. Dodge, secretary, and Mrs. Stewart Womack, treasurer. Closing prayer was given by Mrs. K. E. Beckett. Plans were made by the women to assist in preparing meals for the Royal Ambassador encampment now in progress at the City park. Mrs. William Menger of San Antonio gave an informal talk on the work of her Sunday school class.

Following the business discussion Mrs. R. V. Hart assisted the hostess in serving refreshments to Mrs. J. H. Greene, Mrs. J. E. Monteth, Mrs. C. C. Mason, Mrs. C. C. Coffey, Mrs. L. M. Gary, Mrs. C. E. Reed, Mrs. E. B. Kimberlin, Mrs. G. F. Williams, Mrs. K. S. Beckett, Mrs. J. W. Cain, Mrs. Stewart Womack, Mrs. Bennett Story, Mrs. J. P. Dodge, and the guest, Mrs. William Menger.

### Mrs. R. Howard Is Honoree For Shower

Mrs. Roland Howard of Forsan was honored Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Homer Sheats with a pink and blue shower.

The group took part in singing, a prayer was offered and several poems were read.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Leonard Wilkerson, Mrs. H. L. Wilkerson, Mrs. Clem Wilkerson, Mrs. Clarence Nichols, Mrs. Sam Wright, Mrs. J. A. Kilpatrick, Mrs. West, Mrs. Billie Parkers, Mrs. Jack Touchstone, Mrs. D. W. Stutes, Mrs. J. Tite, Mrs. Beale Wesley, Miss Nettie Lee, Mrs. Carr, Josephine Carr, Mrs. J. W. Clark, Mrs. Perry Howard, Mrs. Peck, Mrs. Joiner, Mrs. W. E. Spradling, Mrs. H. F. Malone, Mrs. J. Cardwell, Mrs. Sherill and the honoree.

Mrs. Howard Sheats, Mrs. John Nutt, Mrs. Bernice Smith, Mrs. Elvina Jones, Mrs. Chasie Walker, Mrs. Elwood Hitt, Mrs. Myrtle Wright and Miss Nina Dunn sent gifts.

### Rebekahs Practice For Aug. Initiation

Rebekah lodge members practiced for the initiation ceremonies to be held on August 4 at the meeting Tuesday evening in the lodge hall.

Taking part were Mrs. Lois Forsyth, Mrs. Eva Goodson, Mrs. Velma Cain, Mrs. Josie McDaniel, Mrs. Ruth Wilson, Mrs. Hazel Lamar, Mrs. Opal Tatum, Mrs. Alma Crenshaw, Mrs. Carolyn Runyan, Mrs. Mabel Glenn, Mrs. Decia Crenshaw, Mrs. Dorothy Pike, Mrs. Lovis Barlow, Mrs. Beulah Hayworth, Mrs. Gertrude Newton, Mrs. Eula Pond, Mrs. Julia Wilkerson, Mrs. Maggie Richardson, Mrs. Della Herring, Jones Lamar and Ben Miller.

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# Society

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### Kathryn Travis Is Honoree For Party Given By Aunt

Miss Kathryn Travis was complimented by her aunt, Mrs. Roy Lassiter, Tuesday evening with a farewell party at the Lassiter home. Miss Travis, who has made her home here for the past two years will leave Friday evening for Riverside, Calif. to make her home with her parents.

Dancing was entertainment for the evening.

### Weiner Roast Features Meeting Of Past Matrons At Brooks Home

Weiner roast in the back yard of the James T. Brooks home was given for members of the Past Matrons' club Tuesday evening with Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. Emily Andrews as co-hostesses.

A mock initiation was held for Mrs. Minnie Michael who is a junior past matron. A new flag was presented to the club from Mrs. Beulah Garrick.

Committees named were: Visiting, Mrs. Michael, Mrs. Willie Mae Dabney, Mrs. Brooks; Red Cross, Mrs. Edith Murdock; Mrs. Blanche Hall, Mrs. Mae Hayden;

### 'Teen-Age' Party Is Held For Homemakers

A "teen-age" party was given by Mrs. Harry Lees at her home Tuesday afternoon for members and guests of the Homemakers' club of the First Christian church.

Each guest came dressed as she dressed during her "teen age" and brought a picture of herself made during that period. The pictures were passed among the women and Mrs. C. A. Murdock was presented with a prize for having guessed the greater number right.

Mrs. T. E. Baker presided at the short business session and prayers were offered by Mrs. G. W. Dabney, Mrs. H. W. Halslip and Mrs. R. W. Ogden.

A color scheme of green and yellow was used on the refreshment plates that were passed to Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Dabney, Mrs. Halslip, Mrs. Ogden, Mrs. Murdock, Mrs. E. L. K. Rice, Mrs. J. H. Gray, Mrs. George W. Hall, Mrs. Glass Glenn, Mrs. A. M. Runyan, Mrs. Mary Esell, Mrs. J. R. Parks, Mrs. Shelby Hall, Mrs. J. H. Stiff, Mrs. E. J. Michael, Mrs. W. M. Taylor, Mrs. C. M. Shaw and two guests, Mrs. Ada Boone of McKinney and Mrs. Gene Crenshaw of Fort Worth.

### C. O. Nalleys Join Matinee Bridge Club

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Nalley were present as new members of the Lucky Thirteen club when the group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Keaton Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Birdwell were co-hosts for the affair which included a picnic supper in the backyard and bridge games.

The entertaining rooms were attractively decorated with blue bells and zinnias.

Highest scoring couple was Mr. and Mrs. K. H. McGibbons.

Others playing were Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Pharr, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stripling, Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Stripling, Mrs. H. B. Matthews and Cecil Collins.

The afternoon party will be held on July 24.

### Mrs. Carner Attends Party For Father In Wink

Mrs. E. L. Carner has returned from Wink where she attended the birthday anniversary celebration for her father, S. A. Bailey, who is justice of the peace of Winkler county. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bailey of Taylor, Mrs. A. K. Bailey of Wink, Mrs. Edd Williams of Odessa, Mrs. J. B. Missap and daughter of Hobbs, Mrs. Sue Franklin of Wink and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bailey of Goldsmith.

### High Heel Slipper Club Starts Home Nursing Course

High Heel Slipper club members started a home nursing course Tuesday evening under the direction of Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Jr. who is also the club sponsor. Class will meet each Monday and Thursday evening in the Red Cross room in the Crawford hotel from 7 until 9 o'clock.

Next class will be held Thursday evening.

Registered for the course were Mary Ann Cox, Betty Bob Diltz, Mary Kay Lumpkin, Barbara Lawwell, Marjorie Lawwell, Jo Ann Switzer, Betty Newton, Emily Prager, Cella Westerman and Billie Frances Shaffer.

### Sigma Phi To Donate Funds For Blind

Beta Sigma Phi members will each donate one dollar to the Hazel Hurst school for the blind, according to plans made at the meeting Tuesday evening at the Settles hotel.

The Hurst school is located in Moravia, Calif., and Miss Hurst is starting a fund to care for boys who return from armed service blind.

Betty Lee Eddy, Harriet Smith and Omega McClain took parts on the program and report was given on the July 4 dance.

Others attending were Mrs. Paul Darrow, Mrs. Mary Knox, Dorothy Willis, Clarinda Mary Sanders and Sara Reidy.

### Rebekah Lodge At Colorado Has Installation

COLORADO CITY, July 15—Installation ceremonies for the Rebekah lodge of Colorado City were held Monday night with the installing officers Mrs. Robert Baker, Mrs. Green Delaney and Mrs. Lottie Wilson.

Officers installed at the meeting were as follows: Mrs. R. C. Johnson, past noble grand; Mrs. A. G. Ballard, noble grand; Mrs. Ariene Morris, vice noble grand; Mrs. Eva Runyan, chaplain; Mrs. Sam Sanders, warden; Mrs. Joe McEwen, conductor; Mrs. Richard Lang, color-bearer; Mrs. W. C. Davis, outside guardian; Mrs. Pat Kniff, inside guardian; Mrs. Jack Delaney, right supporter of noble grand; Mrs. Floyd Sheppard, left supporter of noble grand; and Mrs. Robert Baker, right supporter of vice noble grand.

The lodge presented the outgoing noble grand, Mrs. R. C. Johnson, a pin of appreciation. Mrs. Johnson, since taking office, has presented ten new members to the local lodge, an accomplishment which will be presented to her by the state president at a future ceremony.

Five applicants for membership were visitors during the installation meeting and were presented by Mrs. Johnson. They were Mrs. Virgil Mann, Mrs. Joe Mize, Mrs. Leonard Long, Mrs. L. H. Brown and Mrs. Hank Bryant.

### CALENDAR Of Today's Events

Thursday  
V. F. W. AUXILIARY meeting in V. F. W. home at 7:30 o'clock.  
CHURCH OF CHRIST Ladies Bible class to meet at 9 o'clock at the church.  
BYKOTA CLASS of First Baptist church to meet at 7:30 o'clock at Ira Thurman home and picnic at city park Friday.  
TRAINMEN LADIES meeting at 2:30 o'clock at W. O. W. hall.  
HOME DEMONSTRATION county in called meeting at county agent's office to elect delegates to Fort Worth meeting.

### Pre-Flight Classes In Texas Schools

AUSTIN, July 15 (AP)—High school boys and girls in Texas will receive pre-flight training next fall under a war-inspired curriculum being outlined by the state department of education.

"The new course includes meteorology, aerodynamics, airplane motors, communication and air navigation," L. A. Woods, state superintendent of public instruction, announced.

Another course that is receiving special emphasis is being outlined by the state department in cooperation with the Inter-American council of the Texas junior chamber of commerce, for the teaching of Spanish beginning in the third through the eighth grade.

### Italy Probably Has A New Battleship

LONDON, July 15 (AP)—Official British circles said today the Italians possibly had completed the 35,000-ton battleship Roma, on which work started June 12, 1940, but it was very doubtful that a sister ship, the Impero, was in commission.

A Stockholm dispatch said both vessels had joined the Italian Mediterranean fleet. The British circles said this report might have been planted by the Germans.

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### Girl Scout Leaders Plan More Activity

Discussion Held On Drum Corps And Field Day

Plans for increasing activities for the Girl Scouts were discussed Tuesday evening when the Girl Scout Leaders association met at the Presbyterian church.

Possibilities for the organization of a drum corps under the direction of Dan Conley were talked and discussion was held on likelihood of a field day at the City park similar to the Boy Scout roundup. If plans materialize the affair would be held the latter part of August.

Mrs. W. J. McAdams spoke to the group and urged leaders to encourage the troops to enter a junior home nursing course.

By-laws were read and adjusted. Attending were Mrs. Florence McNew, Mrs. Terrell, Mrs. Dan

Conley, Mrs. Wayne Pearce, Mrs. B. J. McDaniel, Mrs. Ennon Lovelady, Mrs. V. A. Whittington.

### Priority Rules Are Coordinated

FORT WORTH, July 15 (AP)—Applications for priority ratings on critical materials needed for war public works projects must meet certain requirements established by an agreement reached between the War Production Board and the federal works agency, James W. Bradner, Jr., regional FWA director, said today.

Bradner's statement followed instructions received from Brigadier-General Philip B. Fleming, FWA administrator, who emphasized that full agreement on the question of priorities had been reached by the WPB and the FWA.

### Surgical Dressing Institute Slated Here For July 28-29

Announcement of the Surgical Dressing Institute to be held here on July 28-29 was made before the Red Cross Advisory Council at a meeting Tuesday evening.

The local Red Cross chapter will be host to chapters from ten counties. Following this institute one will be held locally before a course is started here.

J. L. LeBlou, chairman, presided and reports were given by Stoney Henry, first aid; Mrs. W. J. McAdams, home nursing; Roy Reeder, farm and home accident; Jewell Barton, Red Cross instructor's association; Mrs. G. G. Sawtelle, home service.

Others attending were Mrs. Ben LeFever, Mrs. A. Swartz, Miss Nell Hatch, Mrs. Raba Baker, Rev. O. L. Savage and Mrs. Ray Lawrence.

Miss Anna Faye Carner has returned from El Paso where she has been visiting with her brother, First Lieut. A. W. Carner, and Mrs. Carner.

Mrs. J. B. Neill had as her guest Tuesday her sister, Mrs. Dave Robert Spears of San Angelo.

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# Texas Wheat Storage Overflowing

## Hotels, Schoolrooms And Even The Living Room Used To Store Wheat

KANSAS CITY, July 15. (AP)—A western Kansas farmer looked unhappily at the biggest and best wheat crop in years—then, in desperation, moved family belongings from his living room and filled it with ripe grain.

Down in Vega, Tex., they're using a hotel for a wheat storage elevator. In Hemphill county, Tex., they've boarded up a school house to make more storage space.

And so it goes throughout the grain belt.

Other farmers are using garages, steel tanks, vacant store buildings or just letting the grain pile up on the ground.

All of the public elevators in terminal cities are full, with last year's huge carryover creating the worst wheat storage situation this country has ever seen, Erland Carlson, chief Kansas grain inspector, said as harvest of the near-record 1942 crop reached its peak.

Carload after carload of knocked-down wooden grain bins have been shipped into the state.

But despite all such measures, growing piles of the new crop are appearing on the ground, with no protection against ravages of the weather.

"I hope it won't stay there long," Carlson added. "We're going to need every bushel of this huge crop before this war is over. I'm glad to say that every effort is being made to get every kernel of it under cover."

What complicates the 1942 harvest, he explained, is the huge carryover supply, totalling 630,000,000 bushels as compared with a normal carryover in past years of 125,000,000 to 150,000,000 bushels.

And the Kansas wheat harvest alone this year will produce an estimated 170,000,000 bushels, compared with a normal yield of 147,000,000, he added.

## Harvest Due To Slacken In A Week

By The Associated Press

Wheat was piled high in vacant buildings and on the ground in Northwest Texas today as harvesting of a bumper crop of nearly 50 million bushels neared completion. Work was rushed on bins for farmers who preferred the risk of storm damage to selling at less than the government loan rate.

At Dalhart 85 cents a bushel was offered at elevators while the federal loan is \$1.08 a bushel with an additional 7 cents for storing it on the farm.

AAA officials pointed out that grain doesn't damage easily from rain if placed on a knoll where the water can run under it.

The bulk of the harvest will be over in the Panhandle-Plains within a week, grain men estimated.

Most wheat graded No. 1 with yields of 15 to 20 bushels per acre instead of the 15 bushels predicted earlier in the season. Yields of irrigated fields have ranged from 25 to 40 and in some instances 50 bushels per acre.

No labor shortage developed. Workmen from other sections were joined in the fields by landowners and their families. Wages range from \$5 to \$7 daily with board.

Dry weather has prevailed during most of the harvest season, in contrast to the 1941 rains which caused expensive delays and heavy losses.

Little wheat was being shipped because of overflowing terminal elevators.

C. J. McCormick of the Commodity Credit Corporation in Washington told a wheat conference at Stratford, Tex., that heavy overseas shipments which had been planned were prevented by a strike of vessels.

Five Texas plants are rushing work on Commodity Credit Corporation bins of 1,592 and 1,843 bushels capacity. These are being turned out at the rate of 100 daily, according to B. F. Vance, chairman of the Texas U. S. department of agriculture war board at College Station.

Grain firms have leased buildings all over the Panhandle-Plains to store the overflow. Part of a hotel is being used at Vega while a school building was boarded up in Hemphill county to receive the grain.

George B. Ryan Gets Promotion

Promotion of George Bentley Ryan from second lieutenant to first lieutenant at the Big Spring Oiler Training school has been announced.

Ryan, whose home is in Beverly Hills, Calif., was commissioned a second lieutenant on May 2, going into the office of personnel division in Washington. His promotion to rank of first lieutenant came on July 10.

In civil life Ryan is a lawyer in Beverly Hills.

Navy Air Squadron Honors Wiley Post

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP)—The man who traveled high and wide to make many a contribution to modern aviation—the late Wiley Post—will fly again by proxy.

To the war will go an all-Oklahoma squadron of navy fliers to be known as the "Wiley Post Tornados" in honor of Oklahoma's most famous pilot.

Navy recruiters sought out Mrs. Post and obtained permission to name the squadron. When the word was passed there was a siege at the recruiting office. Recruiters culled 91 from the flock of applicants and sent them to Athens, Ga., for training.

Before they left, the "Post-Tornados" were given a dinner by F. C. Hall, of Oklahoma City, who backed Post on his famous around-the-world flight in the "Winnie Mae."

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## THE WAR TODAY: Laval Has Widened Breach With Allies

By DE WITT MACKENZIE  
Wide World War Analyst

Pierre (I-desire-Germany's victory) Laval, pro-Hitler chief of the French government at Vichy, would appear to have maneuvered himself into an uncomfortable position by his uncompromising attitude towards President Roosevelt in the matter of the nine French warships at Alexandria, Egypt.

The president had made two proposals to Laval for the removal of the warships from this threatened naval base to a safe haven. The French sailors were to be repatriated immediately and the ships were to be returned to France after the war. It was a friendly offer, quite as beneficial to France as to the rest of the Allies.

But the French's chore-boy rejected the suggestions and countered with the absurd request that the ships be delivered to a French port in the Mediterranean. This, of course, would keep these valuable fighting machines within possible Nazi grasp. That Laval was acting under German influence is patent, and it may easily be that he had orders direct from Hitler.

With the second rejection, Mr. Roosevelt informed Laval that in his view the British would be warranted in destroying the French ships to keep them from falling into Axis hands. Naturally the British will pursue exactly that course, unless they adopt the alternative of removing the ships through the Suez Canal to a safe place. Thus Monsieur (or is it "Morr") Laval in one navy gesture has widened the breach between his government and the Allies, who have persisted in trying to help France despite

his attitude, and he has created the possibility of losing his ships to boot.

In view of these circumstances one wonders whether it was by pure coincidence that Secretary of the Interior Ickes held out the hand of friendship to the French people yesterday in a speech on the occasion of France's Bastille Day. Mr. Ickes was, as usual, emphatic in his remarks, especially when he declared that "Hitler's French puppets and stooges, traitors all, have good cause to fear the vengeance of outraged French patriots on the day of victory." The secretary didn't name the "stooges" he had in mind.

It is notable that, despite Laval's attitude towards the Allies, Ickes again assured the French people that "the United Nations will restore freedom to France." At another place he declared that "France's calvary will come to an end—and sooner than the assassins think."

## She Got The Divorce

LOS ANGELES, July 15. (AP)—She wanted a divorce, Mrs. Jane Wiley testified, because:

Husband Llewellyn Wiley frequently was on 24-hour duty as a city fireman; he also joined a night baseball team, a bowling league and a drama club.

And he always insisted that she stay at home.

Mrs. Wiley got the divorce.

## SCHEDULES

TRAINS—EASTBOUND	
6:20 a. m.	6:50 a. m.
11:00 p. m.	11:25 p. m.
TRAINS—WESTBOUND	
7:40 a. m.	8:10 a. m.
10:15 p. m.	10:40 p. m.
BUSES—EASTBOUND (Greyhound)	
Arrive	Depart
1:53 a. m.	2:03 a. m.
6:13 a. m.	6:43 a. m.
9:03 a. m.	9:13 a. m.
1:38 p. m.	2:08 p. m.
9:18 p. m.	9:28 p. m.
(All-American)	
9:05 a. m.	9:05 a. m.
11:05 p. m.	11:05 p. m.
BUSES—WESTBOUND (Greyhound)	
Arrive	Depart
2:24 a. m.	2:34 a. m.
5:44 a. m.	6:14 a. m.
11:00 a. m.	11:30 a. m.
4:44 p. m.	5:14 p. m.
9:29 p. m.	9:39 p. m.
(All-American)	
8:55 a. m.	8:55 a. m.
4:30 p. m.	4:30 p. m.
BUSES—NORTHBOUND	
Arrive	Depart
9:35 a. m.	9:40 a. m.
3:35 p. m.	3:40 p. m.
9:25 p. m.	10:30 p. m.
BUSES—SOUTHBOUND	
Arrive	Depart
7:00 a. m.	7:00 a. m.
12:15 a. m.	10:15 a. m.
10:10 a. m.	8:35 p. m.
5:05 p. m.	9:30 p. m.
10:15 p. m.	10:15 p. m.
MAIL CLOSINGS	
Eastbound	
Train No. 2	6:20 a. m.
Truck	10:40 a. m.
Plane	8:53 p. m.
Train No. 6	10:55 p. m.
Westbound	
Train No. 7	7:40 a. m.
Plane	7:25 p. m.
Train No. 11	10:30 p. m.
Northbound	
Truck	7:30 a. m.
2:55 a. m.	7:15 a. m.
PLANE—EASTBOUND	
Arrive	Depart
9:59 p. m.	9:51 p. m.
PLANE—WESTBOUND	
Arrive	Depart
7:44 p. m.	7:54 p. m.

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# Lake Will Be Opened Soon For Fishing

City commissioners Tuesday evening adopted regulations governing use of the Moss Creek premises and took steps to open the lake to the public for fishing between now and Aug. 1.

The rules were largely the product of combined suggestions of local sportsmen and were taken from regulations of other lakes in this area.

Basically, these will be the charges for using the lake facilities for fishing and hunting: Resident permit \$1.00; family resident permit \$1.00; family resident permit \$1.00; family resident permit \$1.00.

These are the regulations the commission adopted: No fishing except during daylight hours; sanitary toilets on the property must be used; no camping allowed on water shed, and picnicking only in places designated by city.

Bag limit restricted to 10 pounds of any kind fish; minimum size is 11 inches on bass, 12 inches on cat and seven for crappie, calico, bass and bream, and those of lesser sizes must be thrown back immediately.

Only artificial or live bait permitted; no fish on strings should be released; only fishhook equipment which is held in hand permitted (no trolling, throw lines, bank hooks, etc.); no seining or taking bait from lake.

No motor boats are permitted on lake except for police duty; no rubbish to be permitted thrown into lake; no swimming in lake.

Permits are good for both hunting and fishing, but no guns will be allowed on the property except during game and duck season.

All fishermen and hunters must submit their game to the lake keeper upon request. The family permits include all members of the family that are dependents except male members over 17 years of age. All members of the armed forces will be admitted on resident permit.

In addition to passing on the lake regulations, commissioners also authorized that new airport leases be signed to leave out half an acre on the Dunagan farm at the southwest corner of the field. Army engineers permitted this offset from the original lease to the army when city and the property owner could not come to terms on the land.

The commission meeting also was used as a time for presentation of a writ watch to H. W. Whitney, retiring city secretary, from his friends. Before he left for Atlanta, Ga., to enter the U. S. Army as a first lieutenant in the corps of engineers, he expressed appreciation for cooperation given in nine years of service, and in turn the commission gave him a letter of appreciation.

## Visit Brother Who Is Entering Army

Mrs. Jack McKinnon and Mrs. Ross Hill have returned home from Morton, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Mathis Simmacher, and where they were met by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cotter, and brothers of Fortale, N. M.

One of the brothers, Clarence Cotter is leaving July 19 for army service. M. J. Cotter, another brother who is in the navy, has recently been promoted to seaman, first class. M. J., who is 19, has been in the service 18 months and is stationed on a U. S. battleship. He was at Pearl Harbor on December 7 and came through the attack unhurt, and since then has been in combat more than once. He is training to become a gunner. He recently wrote his family:

"How I'd like to see the home-folks, but I'm just one of thousands of American boys who would like to, and if they can take it, I can."

## Glider School Men At Clovis Killed

CLOVIS, N. M., July 15 (AP)—Two sergeants of the U. S. Army glider school here, and a civilian instructor were killed early today in a mid-air collision of two small airplanes. The accident was announced by the army.

The dead: Sergeants Tom Moxley and John Russell of the glider training unit; and Fred R. Gibbs.

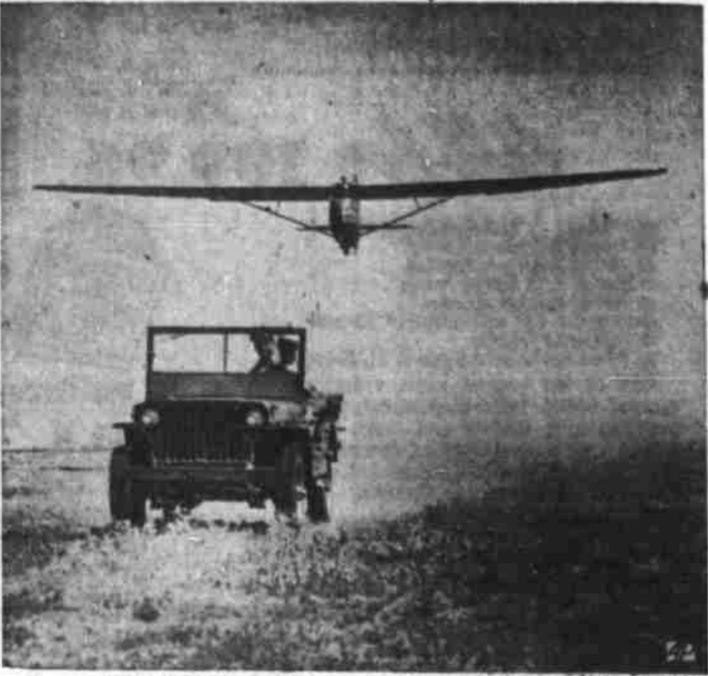
## RE-ELECT



Geo. H. SHEPPARD  
Comptroller Of Public Accounts  
(PA. Pol. Adv.)



RECORDS FOR FIGHTERS—Making their own pre-campaign donations, Guy Lombardo (right), orchestra leader, and his sister, Rose-Marie, give old records to Pvt. Kenny Gardner for forthcoming house-to-house collection in which American Legion will co-operate with Records for Our Fighting Men. Sale of old discs for scrap will finance new records for service camps.



Jeep Of All Trades—Air force fledgling glider pilots at the Lamesa Advanced Glider School use the famous army jeep to tow their motorless craft on short hops around the flying field. After gaining altitude the student pilot releases launching cables and floats to earth for another flight.

## Two Men Who Experienced Attack At Pearl Harbor In Training Here

Two soldiers who experienced the Japanese Dec. 7 attack on Pearl Harbor are now in training at Big Spring Glider School. They are Sgt. Clyde M. Sabold and Corp. Frederick F. Childs.

## Rodden Outlines USES Territory

Territory of the enlarged United States Employment Service district was redefined here Wednesday by O. R. Rodden, in charge of the local district office.

No counties added include Midland, Martin and Andrews, but not Gaines, as previously reported. There will be no offices in any of the outlying counties for the present, said the manager, and until such a time as that might be justified, he said business from those points must be handled through here. E. C. Logsdon, Abilene, district supervisor, and T. D. Kimbro, state veterans placement representative, announced the enlarged district set-up here Monday evening. Two more interviewers and a clerk-stenographer will be added to the staff.

## Jews Lose All French Property

VICHY, July 15 (AP)—The Vichy government published a sweeping decree today taking over the management of all Jewish-controlled property and businesses, leases and rights in French colonies.

The edict came upon the heels of a Gestapo order barring Jews from every public gathering place, indoors or outdoors, in the Nazi-occupied regions.

The German order was signed by the head of the Gestapo and Nazi storm troops in France instead of by the commander of the military occupation forces and contained provisions more severe than the anti-Jewish regulations in effect in Berlin.

## Livestock

FORT WORTH, July 15 (AP)—(USDA)—Cattle 2,700; calves 1,400; slow, most classes steady to weak; common and medium steers and yearlings 8.00-11.50; good and choice grades 12.00-13.25; beef cows 7.00-8.50; canner and cutter cows 4.00-6.75; bulls 7.00-9.50; slaughter calves 8.25-12.25; culls 7.00-8.00; good and choice stocker steer calves 11.50 - 13.00; common and medium kind dull at 8.00-11.00. Hogs 1,500; around 6-15c higher; top 14.50; good and choice 13.00-17.50 lb. 13.00-14.30; packing sows and pigs steady at 13.25 down. Sheep 4,500; all classes around steady, mostly 10.50 down; slaughter ewes 3.50-5.25; feeder lambs and yearlings mostly 8.00 down; good spring feeder lambs 8.50.

## Martin County Old Settlers Enjoy Their Annual Reunion

STANTON, July 15 (Sp.)—For the seventh year, the pioneer residents of Martin county—those who have lived here for 20 years and longer—gathered for their annual reunion to enjoy a period of informal visiting, reminiscing and renewing old friendships.

While the crowd which assembled at the courthouse lawn Tuesday evening was not as large as it has been in the past, the affair was just as enjoyable for the many who did participate; and they resolved to meet again next year.

J. L. Hall was named president of the Reunion Association, succeeding W. T. Epley, J. D. Stokes was elected vice president, and returned to office as secretary-treasurer was Mrs. Beulah Mae Hall, who has held the post since the organization was formed. The gathering expressed formal thanks to Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Susie Houston for their efforts in behalf of the annual reunions.

## Ship Workers Leave Jobs

HOUSTON, July 15 (AP)—A "couple of hundred" shipyard workers at the Houston Shipbuilding corporation's yard quit work shortly after they came on the 7 a. m. shift today due to a "little internal difficulty," Captain E. R. Greenlee of the personnel department said.

He refused to say what the difficulty was but intimated it was a personal matter between the men and a new foreman. "We employ around 19,000 men and things like this happen all the time," Greenlee said. "This is nothing serious and will be settled shortly. We do not anticipate any great delay in construction," he said.

The men who quit work were mostly "chippers" engaged in cutting and trimming steel plates, it was reported.

## Harlan Named To Post With Flying School

M. E. Harlan, who has served as an interviewer with the Texas State Employment Service and its successor, the United States Employment Service, has resigned to assume his new duties as camp superintendent and associate engineer for the U. S. Flying School here.

He took over his new responsibilities officially last Saturday and has been staying on in the USES office since to assist in work there while selecting personnel.

A U. S. civil representative from New Orleans was in the USES office Wednesday checking on civil service records of those applying for posts.

Harlan, who came here in June 1940 from Brownwood, will serve under the post utility officer. At present Capt. Earl Huey is assigned to that place on detached service.

Among departments to be headed up by Harlan are those for electrical work, water supply, sewage, sanitation, plumbing, carpentering, incinerator, mechanical engineering, road and street maintenance, refrigeration, etc.

## 95th Division Is Activated

CAMP SWIFT, Tex., July 15 (AP)—The 95th infantry division drops its provisional status at activation ceremonies set for 2 p. m. today when Maj. Gen. Harry L. Twaddle accepts the standard of the new unit in the nation's military forces.

The ceremony marks the end of an organizational period for officer and non-commissioned personnel and the start of intensive training for selectees who will fill the ranks of the one-time reserve division.

Officials who will attend the ceremonies include Lieut. Gen. Walter Krueger, commander of the third army; Maj. Gen. Daniel I. Sultan, commander of the eighth army corps; Brig. Gen. Alfred M. Gruenther, chief of staff, third army; Brig. Gen. A. D. Bruce, commander of the tank destroyer command; Brig. Gen. I. H. Edwards, chief of the operations and planning division of the war department; Governor Coke R. Stevenson of Texas and city and county officials from nearby Texas communities.

Civilian guests will be permitted to inspect the Bastrop county camp, including troops, equipment, barracks and mess halls.

## Tire Inventories Must Be In Today

Today is the final date for tire dealers to file their stock inventories with the war rationing board.

Blanks may be obtained at the local board, and they should be filled out and turned in immediately, Walter Wilson, board clerk, said. The inventories have been coming in very slowly this week.

Three lists must be made by each dealer, two to be turned in to the local board and one to be kept in the dealer's files. All tire stocks, including new tires and tubes, used tires and tubes, scraps and re-treads, must be listed.

## Three Youths Die In Silo Accident

BOSTON, July 15 (AP)—Three Melrose high school youths were ground to death under 25 tons of gypsum rock shortly after midnight today in a silo at the United States Gypsum company's Charlestown plant, where they were working during the summer.

## Ship Workers Leave Jobs

## Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS—Showers and thunderstorms this afternoon and tomorrow in the Big Bend country and El Paso area. Warm again this afternoon and evening.

EAST TEXAS—Continued warm this afternoon and tonight, occasional thunderstorms in extreme southeast portion tonight.

City— High Low  
Abilene . . . . . 95 70  
Amarillo . . . . . 95 69  
BIG SPRING . . . . . 97 71  
Chicago . . . . . 78 63  
Denver . . . . . 99 61  
El Paso . . . . . 96 74  
Fort Worth . . . . . 101 78  
Galveston . . . . . 91 78  
New York . . . . . 94 67  
St. Louis . . . . . 85 78

Sunset today, 8:28 p. m.; sunrise tomorrow, 6:51 a. m.

## General Younts Makes Inspection Of Glider School

Major General Barton K. Younts, commanding officer of the Army Air Force Flying Command, visited the glider training school here Tuesday morning.

Gen. Younts, accompanied by his staff, came here from headquarters in Fort Worth on an inspection tour, and was pleased with the progress being made at the Big Spring school.

Tuesday afternoon, Gen. Younts and staff visited the Midland air school.

## City's Funds Off Slightly

General fund of the City of Big Spring declined by \$539 in amounting to \$50,203 at the end of June, financial statement of the municipality showed at the end of the month.

Expenditures for the month totaled \$18,211 against revenues of only \$16,825. However disbursements included \$938 transferred to the interest and sinking fund, which paid out \$7,699 during the month to run the amount of bonds paid off this fiscal year to \$7,000 and warrants to \$1,000. Interest and exchange charges have aggregated \$16,967, and leaves the interest and sinking fund with a cash balance of \$17,584.

Water billed to consumers during June amounted to \$13,655, being \$2,089 more than for May and \$4,865 more than for June of last year. Water metered during the month amounted to 45,121,000, being an average daily consumption of 1,504,000 gallons and establishing a new record for a single month's consumption.

The swimming pool and park system fund ended the month with a cash balance of \$1,129, which probably will be made available for payment on the revenue bonds outstanding against the swimming pool.

In an attached report showing the disposition of \$30,000 for airport bonds issued May 1, a balance of \$1,147 remained in the fund after lands had been bought for the army flying school and enlarged flying field area and other expenses deducted. The \$40,000 issued for water and sewer improvements was now on hand but yet unexpended, reported H. W. Whitney, who closed out nine years with the city at the commission meeting Tuesday evening.

## Funds Received For Pension Payments

AUSTIN, July 15 (AP)—Federal funds for payments to old age assistance recipients and dependent children were received Tuesday by the state treasurer.

J. S. Murchison, executive director of the state department of public welfare, stated that "we will begin mailing the checks today, but it will take four days to get all of the checks in the mail. We hope to have the last check mailed by Friday."

At the request of postal authorities, not more than 40,000 to 50,000 checks will be mailed each day.

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# Luck Plays Its Part For And Against The Pitchers

By JUDSON BAILEY  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
The secret of successful pitching sometimes seems to be luck as much as skill.  
Yesterday Ray Starr of the Cincinnati Reds pitched three-hit ball and was beaten 2-1 by the Phils because two outfielders collided under a fly hit by Pitches Melton and the ball fell for a home run.  
On the other hand Vern Olsen,

the Chicago Cubs' southpaw, was pummeled for 11 hits by the New York Giants and not only escaped with his sixth straight victory but scored a shutout, 8-0.  
Starr's misfortune came in the fifth inning just after his team-mates had given him a 1-0 lead. He had walked Catcher Benny Warren of the Phils and then Melton lifted a fly to left center. Outfielder Max Marshall and Harry

Crack raced for it and knocked each other to the ground. The ball rolled away for a homer and time had to be called—and stretchers, too—before the game could continue.  
This resulted in Starr being charged with his fifth defeat against a dozen victories and cost Cincinnati a full game's distance against the Brooklyn Dodgers and St. Louis Cardinals, both of whom won.  
And St. Louis' Mort Cooper was batted out of the box for the third time in succession, but the Cardinals rallied spectacularly to beat the Boston Braves, 7-5, in 11 innings and wiped out what would have been Cooper's fifth setback.  
Brooklyn finished the Pittsburgh Pirates 5-1 with Whitlow Wyatt pitching three-hit ball for his tenth triumph of the year in a night game that drew 21,254 fans at Pittsburgh.  
In the American league, the New York Yankees downed the Detroit Tigers 3-0 on the two-hit hurling of Rookie Hank Borowy and extended their first place margin to six games as the Boston Red Sox absorbed another beating by the St. Louis Browns, 2-1.  
The Yanks made only six hits off big Al Benton, but one of these was a triple by Borowy that was good for a run in the third inning and another was a two-run homer by Tom Henrich in the sixth.  
Boston was held to seven hits by knuckleballer John Niggeling, but made the score close because two of these were home runs by Lou Finney and Oscar Judd.

# Sports

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## Looking 'Em Over

With WACIL M'NAIR

A check up shows that a total of 13 minor baseball leagues have shut down since the war started and that several others are on the verge of stopping, which if they last the season out are certain to operate next year. However, the little leagues are not in the hard shape that might be imagined. In most cases they are just playing it safe by closing down before they are forced to. In this way they can be reasonably sure of being able to start play again after the war. The main object now is not concern over the present but over the outlook for the future.

Larry French is well on his way toward reaching the goal he started out for this year—that is to win his 200th game. Not many people have given him an outside chance at the start of the season. He was regarded as just another aging pitcher who was on the downgrade and unlikely to be of any more value to a major league club other than for relief duty. Beginning the season with 182 victories as his major league total, he now has won 19, bringing his record up to 192, and his chances of getting to the 200 mark by the end of the campaign are questioned by nobody. His 1942 pitching prowess places him

at the head of Larry McPhall's scrap-heap finds for the year.

Jock Sutherland finally crowded football into second place in his interests by accepting a commission as Lieutenant Commander in the U. S. Naval Reserve. One of the best known big-time football coaches in the country, Sutherland reached the height of his gridiron fame as head coach at Pitt. That was during the days when Pitt was enjoying a reputation as one of the strongest football powers in the East. When a de-emphasis program hit the campus there, Sutherland moved to Brooklyn as coach of the gridiron Dodgers.

Pete Appleton, the veteran right hander released by the Chicago White Sox, has been signed by the St. Louis Browns. He was doing only relief work for the Sox and had appeared in only one game this season. Appleton has seen service in both major leagues, playing for Cincinnati in the National and for Boston, Cleveland, Washington, New York and Chicago in the American.

A howl is being raised by eastern scribes again, this time over the major league all-star game. They claim that the American league tries to win in the annual classic, while the National league uses it as an opportunity to show off their individual claims to stardom. They may be right. Anyway, the American league has won seven out of 10.

## China Pledges Counter Moves

CHUNGKING, July 15 (AP)—The Chinese acknowledged today the loss of Wenchow, seaport in southern Chekiang province, but a spokesman pledged that with increasing air support the Chinese army would intensify its counterattacks and immobilize more Japanese troops in China than ever before.

"We will not allow Japan to transfer a single soldier out of this country to other areas," the spokesman declared.  
A communique confirmed the Japanese capture of Wenchow on Saturday midnight, but the spokesman said this did not mean that Chinese forces had been trapped on the eastern side of the arc which the Japanese now have extended across Chekiang province from Hangchow to Wenchow.  
The Japanese line in many places consists of thinly-manned garrisons between which Chinese forces are able to cross with comparative impunity, the spokesman said, while in Kiangsi, the next province to the west, the Japanese drive fanning out from Linchwan has "completely collapsed."

## World War Cannon Going Into Scrap

SHERMAN, July 15 (AP)—An old 165 mm. German cannon which has stood on the Grayson county courthouse plaza the past 23 years will be scrapped for metal.  
Decision to scrap the cannon, a memento of the first World War and weighing more than two tons, was announced by the Charles R. Simmons post, American Legion.  
The cannon was turned over to Jess M. Totten, chairman of the industrial salvage committee for Sherman.  
The Sherman cannon was built in 1918 in the Krupp munitions works at Essen, Germany. It was brought to Sherman in 1920, a gift of the war department to the local post of the American Legion.

# Radford, WOW Cop Opener In Playoff

Opening the playoff series in the city softball league Radford's took the ABC-Lions 8 to 1 and WOW won over State Hospital 15 to 6 Tuesday night.  
Radford and the service club team tangled in the first contest, and it was weakness at the plate that kept the ABC-Lions from offering a stiff challenge. During the game they collected only three safe blows, one an infield knock.  
Radford's scored two runs in the first inning, two in the second, three in the fifth and one in the seventh.  
WOW made it a game of home runs in trouncing the State Hospital entry, A. Cruz, Ramon and Ferro all got round-trippers. Although they could never head the hospital team which was aided by several errors. Next playoff games are slated for Thursday night, when the same teams will be matched against each other.

# Cats Only Two Games Behind Exporters

By The Associated Press  
The fast-climbing Fort Worth Cats won another ball game last night, scoring two runs in the ninth to defeat the San Antonio Missions 12 to 0 and to get within two games of the Texas league-leading Beaumont Exporters.  
It was the 14th win of the season for Earl Caldwell, whose sinker ball caused the Padres to hit into four double plays.  
Tulsa's Oilers blanked the Shreveport Sports, 1 to 0. Tulsa got only three hits, while the Sports were getting four. The Oilers scored their winning run in the eighth with the aid of an error by Manager Bally Parker. Neither Gardner nor Hamner allowed a run during the time they worked on the mound. Both retired in the eighth.  
A tenth-inning home run by Chester Wincosorek gave the Houston Buffs a 3 to 2 victory over the Dallas Rebels. In their three previous starts, the Buffs had finished losers by a single tally.  
The Oklahoma City at Beaumont game was postponed.  
Wednesday's schedule:  
Dallas at Houston (night).  
St. Worth at San Antonio (night).  
Okl. City at Beaumont (night).  
Tulsa at Shreveport (night).

# Time Extended For Golf Entries

CHICAGO, July 15 (AP)—The entry deadline for Chicago's second benefit golfing extravaganza—next week's combined \$15,000 Tam O'Shanter open and all American amateur tournaments—has been extended two days in an effort to squeeze in more players from the armed forces.  
The time limit expired today, but George E. May, club president, said entries would be accepted through Friday, July 17, to accommodate golfers now in service, many of whom are awaiting final word on furloughs which would enable them to compete.  
The qualifying round of the amateur event will start Monday, the open qualifying round Wednesday.

# Steer Wrestling Event Scheduled At Carlsbad

CARLSBAD, N. M., July 15 (AP) Two topics of conversation will send your average Carlsbad inhabitant into frenzies of delight—the nearby world-renowned Cavern Wonderland, or rodeo events of any description. Today, rodeo talk had priority hereabouts.  
Carlsbad Rodeos and Races, Inc., created years to give a formal flavor to the work of the local rodeo impresarios, came up with plans for another of its barnyard classics which have won much acclaim through the Southwest.  
The principals will be Homer Pettigrew of Grady, N. M., champion steer bulldogger of 1940, and Hub Whiteman of Clarksville, Tex., defending champion, paired in a special steer wrestling match to be held here Sunday.  
Sixteen wild Montana steers are involved, and the two men will bulldog eight each against time.

# Arm Broken By A Foxx Line Drive

CHICAGO, July 15 (AP)—You can't convince young Bob Wilson, son of Cub Manager Jimmy Wilson, that the veteran Jimmy Foxx has lost his hitting power. Young Bob was struck by one of Foxx's line smashes yesterday while pitching in batting practice. X-ray pictures showed the right arm was broken.  
GALLUP, N. M. (AP)—World War II has brought a new worry to the medicine men of New Mexico's ancient Zuni Indian Pueblo.  
Preparations are going forward for supplications to the gods for rain for their crops and for all crops in general, but the caciques fear that the diety may be slow in answering their prayers as long as the world is at war.

# Whirly Out Today For Purse To Make Him Top Money Nag

BOSTON, July 15 (AP)—Whirlyaway may give the horse laugh to Seabiscuit if he can change his stride and break near the top today in the \$50,000-added Massachusetts Handicap at Suffolk Downs.  
The four-year-old son of the English derby-winning Blenheim II needs only \$27,244 to equal the record earnings of \$47,730 that Seabiscuit piled up during his six

years of campaigning.  
And he can get it today if he can outfoot seven rivals to the wire for the \$44,850 winner's share of the richest purse of the current season for handicap horses.  
The long-tailed Whirly, owned by the wealthy Warren Wright, the Kentucky and Chicago horse-breeder, happens to be a stretch runner of great fame. But all the previous Massachusetts—seven

in all—have been gained by thoroughbreds that possessed the ability of breaking fast from the box and maintaining their advantage to the wire.  
In this renewal, Whirly is going to tangle with some real speed. The wizard-like touch of Sunny Jim Fitzsimmons has Apache, latest challenger to three-year-old honors, right up where he might go out in front and pile up such a big lead that "Mr. Bigtail" may find himself too far back to gain his golden goal.  
If Apache could not crowd Whirley, it could be Mrs. Parker Corning's Attention, or likely Emerson Woodward's New England favorite, Rounders, and then again there is a slight chance that the early-breaking Transfigure, owned by John L. Sullivan, may last and burst home to take all.

# Durocher Settles Excess Player Problem

PITTSBURGH, July 15 (AP)—When Frankie Frisch, boss of the Pittsburgh Pirates, called attention to the 26 players in uniform on the Brooklyn bench, Dodger Manager Leo Durocher alluded him by sending Outfielder Franky Bordagaray to sit with the Blues, who are one player short.  
Brooklyn's over supply of talent was caused by the arrival of Max Macon, Montreal southpaw. He still is the property of the Royals but was wearing a Brooklyn suit.

# Southwest Schedule Is Sprinkled With Sectional Contests

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF  
Associated Press Sports Editor  
Except for games with service teams the 1942 Southwest conference football schedule has been completed.  
Forty-seven games, including 19 inter-sectional tests, will be played starting Sept. 25 and closing Dec. 5.  
The inter-sectional schedule, as strong as any ever mapped by southwestern teams, includes UCLA, Kansas, LSU, Kansas State, Wichita, Oklahoma A. & M., Northwestern, Pittsburgh, Oklahoma, Duke, Temple, Tulane, North Carolina, Mississippi, Tulsa, Detroit and Washington State.  
Southern Methodist has tentatively scheduled a game Oct. 24 with the Corpus Christi Naval Air Station while Texas has a similar agreement with the air station for an engagement Sept. 19.  
Here is the conference schedule not including games with service teams:  
Sept. 25—Texas Christian vs. UCLA at Los Angeles (night).  
Sept. 26—Baylor vs. Hardin-Simmons at Waco (night), Texas vs. Kansas State at Austin, Texas A. & M. vs. Louisiana State at Baton Rouge, Southern Methodist vs. North Texas State at Dallas, Arkansas vs. Wichita University at Fayetteville.  
Oct. 2—Baylor vs. Oklahoma A. & M. at Oklahoma City.  
Oct. 3—Texas vs. Northwestern at Evanston, Ill., Texas A. & M. vs. Texas Tech at College Station, Texas vs. Louisiana State at Houston, Arkansas vs. Texas Christian at Fort Worth (conference), Southern Methodist vs. Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh.  
Oct. 9—Southern Methodist vs. Hardin-Simmons at San Antonio (night).  
Oct. 10—Baylor vs. Arkansas at Fayetteville (conference), Texas vs. Oklahoma at Dallas, Texas A. & M. vs. Duke at Durham, N. C., Rice vs. Tulane at New Orleans, Texas Christian vs. Kansas at Fort Worth.  
Oct. 16—Southern Methodist vs. Temple at Dallas (night).  
Oct. 17—Baylor vs. Texas Tech

at Lubbock, Texas vs. Arkansas at Little Rock (conference), Texas A. & M. vs. Texas Christian at College Station (conference), Rice vs. North Carolina at Chapel Hill, N. C.  
Oct. 24—Baylor vs. Texas A. & M. at Waco (conference), Texas at Rice at Houston (conference), Arkansas vs. Mississippi at Memphis.  
Oct. 25—Baylor vs. Texas Christian at Fort Worth (conference), Texas vs. Southern Methodist at Austin (conference), Texas A. & M. vs. Arkansas at College Station (conference), Rice vs. Texas Tech at Houston.  
Nov. 7—Texas vs. Baylor at Austin (conference), Southern Methodist vs. Texas A. & M. at Dallas (conference), Arkansas vs. Rice at Fayetteville (conference), Texas Christian vs. Texas Tech at Lubbock.  
Nov. 14—Baylor vs. Tulsa at Tulsa, Texas vs. Texas Christian at Fort Worth (conference), Texas A. & M. vs. Rice at Houston (conference), Arkansas vs. Southern Methodist at Dallas (conference).  
Nov. 21—Baylor vs. Southern Methodist at Waco (conference), Texas Christian vs. Rice at Houston (conference), Arkansas vs. Detroit at Detroit.  
Nov. 28—Texas vs. Texas A. & M. at Austin (conference), Arkansas vs. Tulsa at Tulsa.  
Nov. 29—Baylor vs. Rice at Houston (conference), Texas Christian vs. Southern Methodist at Dallas (conference).  
Dec. 5—Texas A. & M. vs. Washington State at San Antonio, Southern Methodist vs. Rice at Houston (conference).

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# Editorial -- A Statesmanlike View Of Senatorial Issues

Big Spring is fortunate in having an opportunity of hearing, in this campaign, addresses of all three of the major candidates for the U. S. senatorship. Two of this trio already have appeared here and the third, Dan Moody of Austin, arrives for a talk tomorrow afternoon.

Moody brings an honorable record into this bid for a place in the national congress, a record that merits the confidence of the people and one which demonstrates him to be a statesman upon whom Texas can count to do the right thing.

For some indication of his attitude toward the current campaign—which attitude is certainly of bearing upon the final selection of a senator—we quote in part from Moody's speech made at Dallas June 1:

"I do not believe that the people of Texas are looking for just another campaign of political demagoguery; or for a campaign of promises to give them this or give them that. I believe that now the people want to know what they can give to America; and not what they can get from America."

"This government will be no stronger than the men who hold our public offices. Men who cannot comprehend and boldly meet the problems of this day cannot be counted on for leadership in thought or action in the period of world reconstruction that lies before us. Our offices should be filled only by men who have a passion for the Democratic way of life, not by small politicians or party hacks, concerned first of all with getting an office, and having gotten one, then with the next election. We must have men in office who realize that our every problem, domestic and foreign, should be treated on the basis of its relation to our winning the war. There is no place in public life now for the candidate who does not have the courage to face and discuss every debatable issue."

# MORE FUN THAN A CIRCUS

by Ray Peacock  
Wide World Features Writer

(This is the final story by Ray Peacock, Wide World Features writer, who joined the circus for five days to sample life under the big top.)



Circus people are supposed to be a pretty hardboiled, belligerent lot. It didn't take me long, in the five days I toured Pennsylvania with Stangling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey, to come to a radically different opinion.

NICE WORK if you can get it. Honey Shyretto, star of the big top, and the author (he liked his usher's suit so well he wouldn't take it off) play a hand of gin rummy in the shade of the tent.

That belligerence is defensive. Once they know you are one of them—or merely are decently curious about them—they prove to be a bunch of sentimentalists who will go far out of their way to do a favor.

showered me with more attention than I would have received on the main line. He has been with the circus 24 years and sees it only once a year—in Madison Square Garden.

MEET THE BRADNAS  
Or take Fred and Ella Bradna, who have been with the circus 42 of their 47 married years. The dapper, 70-year old Fred is equestrian director, or ringmaster, and another Ella, once a great star, still is an active equestrienne.

That I did, and thereafter Honey saw to it that I was invited to the nightly lunches and card games in the coach, which I thought was the height of gratitude. I'll eat berries anytime.

A FAVOR FOR A LADY  
Her nickname is "Honey" and it fits her disposition and honey-

hot trumpet players, is dead. His salary goes on just the same, to his widow and two kids. Dorsey, by the way, travels so constantly that he plays solos for his pack of hounds, just so they won't forget him. Everytime he gets home he surrounds himself with yelping mutts and gives them something sweet on the old slide trombone. Now, when someone puts on one of Tommy's records, the pack goes crazy. They think the "Old Massa" is just around the corner.

## MRS. MURDOCK TAKES A CASE

by George Harmon Cox

Chapter 27  
"JUST NERVOUS"  
All along Joyce had told herself that Ward Allen could not have killed Clarke, but this, she realized now, was simply because such a conclusion was the one she wanted to believe.

until it became stifling. Della could not sit still for more than a minute at a time, and finally Joyce could no longer bear to look at her. Twelve ten, now; twelve eleven, twelve twelve.

"Well, it's no good worrying about it yet," Thorndike said. He pulled up in front of Della's apartment house.

"Oh," Della said, and that was enough to tell Joyce something was wrong. Never had she heard such relief come from one small syllable.

"I got here a little early," he said. They went upstairs, taking off hats and coats and settling down in the living room.

"False alarm, huh?" Fenner was disgusted. "He said it was all right," she told Joyce. "About the lawyer."

"You haven't told him?" Fenner asked. "About this?" Joyce said. "No, I told you I wouldn't."

"Nothing." "You think he's not going to call?" "There's no good in hanging around for it. We don't know what the score is so there's no use."

"Now that you mention it," said Fenner grinning. "I think I would."

"You think he'll call again?" "I do, but we can't tell when. I'll stay close to the office rest of the day and if you should get

"Never mind," Fenner said. "Joe ditches it." Long Wait  
He poured whisky in the glass and added some water from the faucet. He rolled some of the mixture around in his mouth, said: "Ahh," and drank. Leaning against the sink, he held the glass up and studied it.

"You march yourself right down to the gas rationing board and demand a quart of gas. I've got to get that spot out of my dress by six o'clock. We're having dinner with the wheebs. You tell 'em that, and say you won't take no for an answer."

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## Some Answers To Problems Of Manpower

WASHINGTON—Assuming that there are a few direct questions and answers which will reduce the manpower problem to its A-B-C's, the War Manpower Commission has attempted to do same by giving the following replies:

Q. How many men will be required in the labor army—and on the farms?  
A. By the end of 1943 and early in 1944, we must have 20,000,000 workers in direct war production; 12,000,000 more on the farms.

Q. How many war workers will be women?  
A. There now are close to a million and a half women doing war work. Probably 4,000,000 more will be needed in the next two years.

Q. Where is this war labor force coming from?  
A. Conversion and suspension of peacetime industries will provide approximately 8,000,000; a half million more will come from the farms; around 400,000 from the professional ranks; a million and a half from the presently unemployed; and some 2,000,000 from the present reservoir of housewives, youths and over-age (retired) workers.

Q. Who is in charge of seeing that this is brought about in an orderly way?  
A. The War Manpower commission, headed by Paul V. McNutt, which is working with the various government labor agencies in the Labor and Agriculture departments; Selective Service; the War Labor Board; and scores of training agencies and private industrial set-ups.

Q. Will there be a labor "draft"?  
A. Probably not. In some specialized professional fields, such as the medical profession, it may be necessary if present trends continue. But at the moment, it is considered unlikely that the voluntary movement to place every man and woman in the job for which he or she is best fitted and most needed will be sufficient.

Q. What industries will need the most additional workers?  
A. Civilian employment in navy yards, arsenals and air depots will be increased at least five-fold; aircraft workers quadrupled; shipbuilding an army and navy ordnance tripled.

## Man About Manhattan—An 'Extra' On The Payroll Of Tommy Dorsey's Band

NEW YORK—There is a sign in the New York Museum of Science and Industry that says: "Versailles—Here begins a story of how free nations fell into life and death peril..."

This is a sobering display. You didn't think so much of the pictures themselves, when they appeared back in the twenties, back in the early thirties, and now. But taken together, they add up to an awesome total.

Q. How many "new" workers will be needed?  
A. Approximately 11,000,000 in industry; 2,500,000 on the farms (during harvest periods).

Here's a little personal note that can bear telling, I suppose, without anyone raising objection.... In Tommy Dorsey's orchestra are 30 men and a girl. That makes 31 musicians. But on Tommy's payroll are 32 names. It's explained this way: Bunny Berigan's name remains in the payroll, though Bunny himself, that ace of

Q. How many "trades" are short of manpower?  
A. At least 100. For example, 50 tool designers are needed for every one now employed; 25 tool-makers for every one now working; 22 marine machinists, etc.

Q. Where does one apply for a wartime job?  
A. At the offices of the United States Employment Service. These are located in all large cities, in all state capitals, and most of the county seat towns.

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Ex-President Of Argentina Succumbs BUENOS AIRES, July 15 (AP)—Former President Roberto M. Ortiz of Argentina, who resigned his post June 24 after being inactive for nearly two years because of ill health and near blindness, died today. He had received extremeunction early this morning from Monsignor Miguel De Andrea, bishop of Temnos. Ortiz, who was 55, had suffered from diabetes for several years and his condition became serious yesterday after an attack of bronchial pneumonia. His condition was further complicated by a kidney ailment, it was said. The former president, a staunch believer in inter-American cooperation, was attended constantly by his physicians who refused to admit visitors. President Ramon Castillo, who succeeded Ortiz, and Santiago Cardinal Copello, archbishop of Buenos Aires, called at the Ortiz home yesterday to inquire about his condition.

Crossword Puzzle Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle DOWN 1. Outdoor seat or bench 2. Egyptian river 3. Entry 4. God of joy and mirth 5. Proposition 6. One who drives an advantageous agreement 7. Liquor 8. Cotton fabric 9. Lifting device 10. Walk in water 11. Garment 12. In behalf of 13. Small inlet 14. Boat 15. Mass of floating ice 16. Rival 17. Bird 18. One who directs the course of a ship 19. Polynesian chestnut 20. Sunken lease 21. Discover 22. Instigate 23. Acquire by stealth 24. Devour 25. Eat 26. Small fishes 27. Studies of water 28. Abridged text 29. Encompass 30. Abridging tool 31. Operative air 32. Spring 33. Portion of a course



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# Six Boys From Texas Serve As Pages In Congress

By L. T. EASLEY  
WASHINGTON, July 11 (AP)—Darting about here and there over the capitol, running messages between congressional offices and doing miscellaneous chores are dozens of bright-faced page boys, nearly all sons of parents who are friends of a senator or a representative.

They get their jobs through appointment of a legislator, and are paid \$4 per day throughout the session, even when congress is in recess.

Six of the youngsters are Texans, if not native at least by virtue of being sons of Texans now living here, and having close family ties in the Lone Star state. Four of the youths work in the house of representatives, two in the senate.



**Texas Pages In Congress**—This youthful group of the right to vote but as pages they do have access to both floors of the United States Congress. Standing in front and wearing traditional knee pants required of senate pages are Josef Kaspar of Corsicana (left) and Nathan C. Robinson, Jr., of Fort Worth and Temple. The house pages (back row, left to right) are Pat Murphy of San Angelo, Wesley Dorbandt of Tyler and Caleb Moss of Denison. Another house page from Texas is Danny Smith of El Paso.

Those working as pages in the house are: Wesley Dorbandt, 14, Tyler; Caleb Moss, 17, Denison; Danny Smith, 13, El Paso; Pat Murphy, 14, San Angelo. The senate pages here are Josef Kaspar, 14, grandson of N. F. Garrett, prominent Corsicana cotton grower; and Nathan C. Robinson, Jr., 12, whose father works here but who calls Fort Worth and Temple home.

The page jobs are handed out by representatives and senators as patronage, usually in appreciation of political support given by the youngsters' parents.

Because of the age range for pages—12 to 16 in the senate and 12 to 18 in the house—congressmen and senators sometimes have difficulty in finding suitable circumstances for passing out the jobs. Youngsters of that age, particularly those barely within the minimum age limitation, could not come here from Texas alone. Even the older boys, while able to take care of themselves, constitute a responsibility the legislators don't relish. If they don't live with parents. Consequently, the boys selected often are sons of parents living here but maintaining legal residence in their home state.

Nathan C. Robinson, Jr., appointee of Senator W. Lee O'Daniel, is native of Washington and has lived here all his life. But his Texas ties are many. Mr. Robinson, Sr., with the District of Columbia fire department — on leave from that post now to help conduct War Savings Bond drives in this area—was a close friend of the late Texas Senator Morris Sheppard, and D. R. Potter, secretary to O'Daniel and for years secretary to Sheppard.

The elder Robinson was born in 1899 in Cameron, went to public schools in Temple, lived for a while in Harlingen and then moved to Fort Worth. So the younger Robinson considers himself part Texan, and says he looks forward to Texas trips, including visits with a great uncle, W. S. Sealy, former mayor of Temple.

The other Texas senate page, Josef Kaspar, is impatiently waiting until Aug. 15 to start for Corsicana to visit his grandparents. He already has purchased a plane ticket, and says if he can't get a seat because of priorities he and his mother will go by train. His mother was formerly Ethel Garrett, who came here to attend a National Park College for Girls. She married her music instructor, H. R. Kaspar, who died several years after Josef was born.

Mrs. Kaspar remained here and is now a piano teacher. She was acquainted with senate officials who take care of the hiring of the

pages and they gave young Josef him realize the value of a two-parity system, despite the fact that he grew up in a strong democratic background. His father is a friend of East Texas Representative Lindley Beckworth.

Also assigned on the republican side is Caleb Moss, who was graduated last month at Denison high school. The son of Mrs. Boyce Moss, of Dallas, he says he has no political aspirations but hopes to

get into the naval air corps. He was appointed by Representative Wright Patman of Texas. The boy's grandfather is former Bowie County Sheriff Jim D. Baker of Texas, in Patman's congressional district.

The boys on the senate side wear the navy blue knee pants suits traditionally associated with pages, but the youngsters on the house side have broken away from the old custom. The senate-side youngsters take pride in the distinction, but the house pages make no secret of their disdain for such apparel and say they wouldn't have the job if they had to wear the knickerbockers.

Below the street level of the capitol, in a terrace basement room to the center and rear of the rotunda, is the school maintained for pages. It corresponds to any recognized high school, and credits earned there are accepted for entrance at most colleges and universities.

The boys attend classes from 7:30 a. m. to 10:30, then again late in the afternoon after the usual closing time of the house and senate, around 5 o'clock.

When the senate and house are in session the boys are always on hand at the rear or front of the chamber, ready to run an errand. The house membership is so large and there is so much confusion at times, that a signal system is used to summon the pages. On each seat is a button. When pushed it registers a light on a board in a cloak room, and the head of the pages immediately sends a boy to the member. In the senate the boys are paged with the simple wave of the hand, for there are always three or four sitting down in the front of the chamber, on the carpeted steps leading to the vice president's stand, and they keep their eyes alert for any sign of a call.

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**A STROLL**—Socialite Nancy Clark of Boston strolls at a swank swimming pool club in Beverly Hills, Calif.

## Ten Million Required In War Industry

DALLAS, July 15 (AP)—At least 10,000,000 workers must be added to the manpower of war industries during 1942 if the president's program is to be accomplished, according to an estimate of the United States Employment Service. William L. Mitchell, associate director of the agency, said last night.

Supplying labor to farmers for the harvest this year and correlating this with the constant demand for staffing war plants and military needs is the greatest challenge that has yet come to the USES, Mitchell declared.

He asserted that about 3,400,000 men will be withdrawn from the labor market during this calendar year for the military services.

He suggested the only answer is the increasing conversion of workers from non-war industries, and the addition to the labor market of millions not ordinarily included in the working forces. These will be principally women, he added.

It is important and necessary, Mitchell said, that employers use the services of minority groups, such as negroes and Mexicans, particularly those who can be placed in war work with a minimum of training.

Mitchell addressed a group of USES officials from Colorado, Arkansas, Mississippi, Arizona, Texas, New Mexico and Louisiana.

## This Flyer Knows The South Pacific

LUBBOCK (AP)—For one flying officer in America's fighting forces, the South Pacific war zones will be familiar ground. He is 2nd Lieut. Rupert H. Beatty, now finishing his training at the flying school here.

Lieut. Beatty entered the service in 1937 and was sent to Hawaii's Hickam Field, in charge of radio communications. In 1939 he was assigned by the Department of Interior as a junior meteorologist to gather weather and tide data for commercial airlines operating from San Francisco to New Zealand.

This work took him through the Phoenix, Canton, Samoa and New Caledonia islands. During these months he established radio communication with the inhabitants of tiny Pitcairn island, famed hiding place of the mutineers of H.M.S. Bounty.

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## Sailmaker's Job An Important One

NORFOLK, Va.—The old sailmaker of the square-rigger days has come ashore, but not to remain idle. He no longer plugs away at an antiquated craft in a spider-webbed loft. He has taken to machinery.

Today he is filling a most important assignment, that of fitting out warships against the enemy. Time was when he made only sails and sail covers, and every stitch he took was done by hand. Now his duties range from upholstering and rug-cutting to making signal flags.

A warship needs canvas by the mile. How that needs has grown is illustrated by the fact that the U. S. S. Constitution, carrying a cloud of sail, required 1,500 running yards of canvas when she came into the Norfolk navy yard in 1903. Today's battlegroups require about 8,000 yards.

Some of these uses are for awnings, boat covers, gun covers, windbreaks, hatch covers, under ladders, hose rack covers, collision mats, airport and doorway curtains, bedding and bagging, and a host of others too numerous to mention.

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