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Acheson Scorns Russia's Fight Against Italy In Pact

Polio In Texas Far Beyond Last Year's Number

AUSTIN, Tex., July 20 (UP)—Poliovirus cases in Texas this year numbered 1,034 today, with 112 new patients reported to the state health department during the last week.

Last year 1,765 persons were stricken with the disease during the full year, and 811 cases were reported through mid-July.

As he continued to urge Texas communities to destroy breeding places for disease-carrying insects, State Health Officer George W. Cox pointed out that Texas was leading the nation in the spread of the disease.

He pointed out that two more months remain during the year's most critical season for polio.

Of the 112 cases reported during the last week, 20 were in Tarrant County. Tom Green County (San Angelo), where 226 cases have been counted during the reported 11 cases.

Harris County registered 14 cases for the week, and Bexar County had ten.

With 1,034 cases reported through six and one-half months of 1949, the incidence of polio was some 25 per cent ahead of the same period last year.

Dr. Cox pointed out that the 1949 outbreak had covered a wider area than that of last year, with cases having been listed in 135 counties. This compared with 93 counties during the same period of 1948.

Cases were reported from 12 new counties during the last week, the fifth straight week in which more than 100 cases were recorded.

Two Questioned On Red Activity

DALLAS, July 20 (UP)—Both the founder and the secretary of the United Committee of Human Rights were due to appear today before the Dallas County Grand Jury investigating Communist activity here.

Sam Barbara, organizer of the committee and defeated Progressive candidate for judge in county elections last summer, was subpoenaed to appear before the grand jury.

Also subpoenaed was Mrs. Irene Morris, the organization's secretary who claimed ownership of a car held by police after pamphlets signed by the Communist party of Dallas were found in it.

The literature blamed an alleged beating of an 18-year-old negro youth, Bennie Sanders, on police terrorism and Ku Klux Klan activity.

The grand jury began its investigation of the beating last week.

To Quit U. S. Attorney Posts

DALLAS, July 20 (UP)—Resignations of Clyde G. Hood and William P. Fonville as assistant U. S. Attorneys in Dallas will be effective Aug. 1, U. S. Attorney Frank B. Potter said today.

Hood and Fonville will enter private law practice here.

Assistant U. S. Attorney of Morris Harrell will be transferred from Fort Worth to take over Fonville's civil litigation duties.

No successor has been named yet for Hood, who has been in charge of all major criminal prosecutions in the Dallas district since 1945.

Religious Film Showing Slated

A film, "Mary Reed", will be shown at the Church of God camp ground Wednesday, July 20, at 6:45 o'clock.

"Mary Reed" depicts the stirring story of an American missionary who devoted her entire life to service. The public is invited to see the inspiring film.

For Good Used Cars (Trading in the new Olds) Osborne Motor Company, Eastland

CALHOUN LEADS SHRINE PARADE



Galloway Calhoun, Tyler, Texas, Imperial Potentate of the Shrine, points out parade route to his deputy, Harold Lloyd in Chicago. Lloyd will succeed Calhoun shortly as potentate. The Potentates car was decorated with 10,000 roses sent from Tyler by his home-town well wishers. (NEA Telephoto.)

C. of C. Votes To Make Derby Annual Affair

The Eastland Chamber of Commerce officially decided at a regular Board of Directors meeting Tuesday night to make the Eastland Old Rip Horned Toad Derby an annual affair.

Sentiment expressed by the directors was "very favorable" regarding the first Derby held Saturday, July 16, under C of C. sponsorship.

Other business of the meeting included a discussion on the development of plans for a joint Eastland-Ranger dam.

President Hood King presided and Manager H. J. Tanner made reports.

Layton Enrolls HSU University

ABILENE, July 20 (SPL)—Among the new summer school students who have enrolled at Hardin-Simmons University for the second six weeks semester is Charles Edward Layton, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Layton. He is a member of the senior class, Business Administration club, Alpha Phi Omega, service organization on the campus, and a member of the "world famous" Cowboy band.

Layton is the newly elected president of Alpha Phi Omega.

COMING OF T&P RAILWAY SPELLED BOOM FOR AREA

As Fort Worth, observing its Centennial, looks back over the long trail of years, the event which stands out as the most important in the city's history is the arrival of the Texas & Pacific Railway. That was the turning point because it marked the beginning of the transformation of a village into a metropolis.

Besides the arrival of the railroad, there have been three decisive events in Fort Worth's annals: the cattle drives, the establishment of the packing houses and the discovery of oil at Ranger. And in two of those three, the T & P played a part, as we shall see — but first the story of the coming of the railroad. Hollywood could not imagine a more tension-filled scenario than that.

In 1849, Major Ripley Arnold and 42 dragoons had established a military camp on the bank of the Trinity. A town arose and, by 1870, it had about 500 inhabitants. Then Fort Worth really began to boom. The reason: Anticipation of the arrival of the T & P, which was building westward across Texas. The population increased to 4,000 — and

Youth Social Termed Success

A "very successful" ice cream social was held on the lawn at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephen, 101 East Lens Street, Tuesday night by the First Methodist Church to raise funds to attend Camp Glen Rose.

Mrs. Stephen has expressed her appreciation to everyone who helped with the social. Approximately \$50 was made in the social, sufficient to defray expenses of 4 youths to attend camp. Mrs. Stephen said. Other efforts by the youths are expected to earn enough funds for 15 to attend camp. The group will leave Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock on a bus for Methodist youth camp at Glen Rose.

The youths plan to conduct another public ice cream social next month.

Ft. Worth Man Killed In Crash

SANIT JOESPH, La., July 20 (UP)—Robert L. Lochridge of Fort Worth, Tex., was killed yesterday when the cotton-dusting plane he was flying on the Nolan plantation near here crashed.

Lochridge was the son of R. N. Lochridge of Fort Worth. An aged negro, who was the only witness to the crash, said the plane just "seemed to stop and fall." It crashed at the edge of the field where Lochridge was dusting.

Mexico Assured Of Friendship From Shivers

AUSTIN, Tex., July 20 (UP)—The Republic of Mexico today had the assurance of Gov. Allan Shivers that he plans to carry out the good neighbor policies of the late Governor Beauford Jester.

The new governor's announcement was contained in a telegram sent to Ambassador Walter Thurston in Mexico City last Friday. Its contents were made public as the governor's office noted reports from the Mexican capital to the effect that negotiations between the United States and Mexican contract labor were halted temporarily by Jester's death July 11.

Shivers asked Thurston to relay to the Mexican government his intentions of following Jester's policies "to foster friendly relations with Mexico, and to assure equitable and non-discriminatory treatment to citizens of either country when abroad as good neighbors should."

He wired Thurston, "will you now for Texas and for me assure the Mexican government that I propose to continue this and other policies of Governor Jester with which they are already familiar."

Troop 6 Plans Overnight Hike

Plans for an overnight hike Friday was made by Eastland Boy Scout Troop 6 in a regular meeting Tuesday night.

A committee of Don Anderson and Morris Lee Riggins was named to explore the hike route and select a site for the camp. Scouts will leave Friday afternoon from the Hut at City Park and return to Eastland Saturday morning.

Bob Burdick displayed pictures of scenic points in the eastern part of the United States including snow scenes at his former home in Syracuse, N. Y.

Following a game session, the Scouts went in a group to the Methodist youth social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephen.

Bob Moore, assistant scoutmaster, presided for Scoutmaster Bill Brown, who was unable to be present.

To Investigate Black Fly Report

WESLACO, July 20 (UP)—San Juan citrus grower and entomologist, Burl Sturgis was enroute to Santiago today to get first-hand information on the latest black-fly infestation.

Word reached the Lower Rio Grande Valley last night that the Mexican black fly had been found in Santiago, Mexico, about 141 miles from the Texas border.

Lions Hear Report On Camp Gibbons

Reports on Camp Billy Gibbons, the summer camp which Eastland Boy Scouts attended recently were made by Scouts Dan Amis and Rodney Stephen of Troop 103 at the Tuesday noon meeting of the Eastland Lions Club.

The Lions Club sponsor Troop 103, which the Scouts making the reports are members of.

Amis, who is also a member of the senior troop, Explorer Post 48 and assists Troop 103 in an advisory capacity, discussed the camp from a general standpoint. He stated that Scouting was on the upgrade in Eastland and that the community had a reputation of "being a good Scout town." A Scout for six years, Amis lacks only one required merit badge of achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest rank offered a youth in Scouting. He praised Scoutmaster Johnnie Collins and Assistant Scoutmaster James Reid and the sponsors for their work with Troop 103.

Stephen told in detail the various activities of camp life, interspersing his account with humorous and interesting comments.

Frank Crowell was program chairman.

President Wes Harris presided for the business session. He announced that approximately \$50 was made by the club in its concession at the Eastland Old Rip Horned Toad Derby.

Muirhead To Attend Buick Preview July 21

Jack Muirhead, local Buick dealer, goes to Fort Worth on July 21 to attend a preview of the new Buick Special model which will be introduced to the public next month.

Some 800 dealers from the Dallas Zone will be present at the all-day session to be held at the Municipal Auditorium with the meeting being described as Buick's most important full-fledged dealer convention since before the War.

The Special is Buick's lowest priced model and is reported to be completely redesigned. It has been eagerly awaited by the industry since the former model went out of production last December.

Mr. J. V. Nance, Zone Manager will preside and, with his staff, will relay to dealers technical and descriptive data on the Special which they obtained during a field sales organization convention in Flint, Michigan July 11-13. Talks on films will be presented to dealers by Buick's top management covering all phases of manufacturing engineering, sales and merchandising.

FIRST ENGINE



A replica of Old No. 20 comes puffing onto the stage in the Fiesta parade scene showing arrival of the first train in Fort Worth on July 19th, 1876. Here, two of the cast of 2,000 in Fort Worth's Centennial spectacle, which will be presented nightly through Saturday night, stand beside the engine. They are Mary Frances Wallace and James Morris, who are in the Casa Manana episode.

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REBURIAL SERVICES THURSDAY FOR CPL. ELISHA D. NASH

Reburial services for Cpl. Elisha D. Nash, who was killed Feb. 24, 1945 on the Montal Islands, will be held Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at Hamner Funeral Home, with the Rev. J. B. Blunk, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiating. Interment will be in the Eastland Cemetery with the Boyd and Tanner Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars to perform a military service. Hamner Funeral Home are handling arrangements.

Cpl. Nash was born March 29, 1920 in Glen Rose and attended school there. Moving to Eastland, he was employed by Western Union and Modern Dry Cleaners, prior to entering the Army Air Corps in 1943. He trained at Mineral Wells, Amarillo, Sioux Falls, S. D., Yuma, Ariz., and Tonopah, going overseas Dec. 24, 1944, with an assignment at New Guinea. He was later transferred to Montal Island. Awards to Cpl. Nash included the Asiatic Pacific Theater of War ribbon with one battle star, the Purple Heart and a Citation of Honor.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Fannie Nash of Eastland; his wife, Mrs. Freida Nash and son Billy Ed Nash of Eastland; one sister, Mrs. Ott Green, Cisco; one brother, Marvin Nash; and a half brother, Milton Nash, both of Eastland.

Clear, Hot For Most of Texas

By United Press
It was just another hot day in Texas today with thundershowers the only element to distinguish it from any other July day.

Most of the state had clear skies and temperatures expected to reach the upper 90's and into the 100's during the afternoon.

Thundershowers were predicted along the extreme upper coast, where morning fog was prevalent and in the El Paso area and the Big Bend country. Otherwise, fair weather was in prospect.

Only two official stations reported rainfall to the U. S. Weather Bureau at Dallas during the 24 hour period ending this morning. El Paso had .56 of an inch, Beaumont .04.

Pace-setting Presidio again led Texas towns in the matter of temperatures yesterday. The mercury there ascended to 107 degrees.

Other towns reported 100 or more better included Salt Flat, 104; Laredo and Wichita Falls, 102; Childress, 101; and Fort Worth and Minerals Wells, 100.

'Sal' Owner Donates To Local Clubs

C. M. McCain, manager of the Eastland Production Credit Association, who owned "Gallopin' Sal", the grand champion sweepstake speedster in the Old Rip Horned Toad Derby Saturday, has donated \$45 of the \$125 cash prize of various service clubs, Hood King, president of the sponsoring Chamber of Commerce, has announced.

McCain's donation were as follows: Band Boosters Club, \$25; Quarterback Club, \$10; and Roping Club, \$10.

RANGER NAMES 7 DIRECTORS FOR NEW WATER DISTRICT

RANGER, July 19—Seven directors of the Eastland County Water Supply District were named here Tuesday in a special election. The new water district was created by the 51st session of the Texas Legislature.

It was understood here that the city of Eastland was planning an election to become a member of the water district, according to O. G. Lapier, mayor pro tem. In case of an Eastland election favoring the water district, it would become necessary to name at least three directors from that city.

Purpose of the new water district is to create a water supply for the city of Ranger. A preliminary survey has just been com-



Cpl. ELISHA D. NASH

Farm Roads Approved For Eastland County

State Representative T. M. Collier of Eastland has been advised by D. C. Greer, State Highway Department engineer of Austin, that two farm-to-market roads have been designated in Eastland County, with a construction expenditure of \$65,300 approved.

The roads designated are: From end F. M. 1027 in Okra north to road intersection, a distance of approximately 3.5 miles; from end F. M. 569 south to road intersection at Nimrod, a distance of approximately 4.0 miles.

Availability of funds were made possible by Senate Bill No. 287, which Collier supported. Found will be on hand Sept. 1, with the law providing that \$1,250,000 will be transferred to a special fund to market funds. Roads built under this law will be constructed and maintained by the State Highway Department, but the right-of-way will be secured by the Commissioners Court.

2-Year Old Sets Car On Rampage

HOUSTON, Tex., July 20 (UP)—Claudia Kay Cassidy, 2, was tabbed as mother's little traffic hazard today, after whipping the family auto away from a curb into another car 40 yards away.

Mrs. Katherine Cassidy said she left Claudia and her year-old brother, Michael, in the car alone while she got out to shop.

Claudia did what she had seen mama do many times. She flipped on the ignition switch and stepped on the starter.

The car, which was left in reverse gear, shot backward in a wide arc, police said, and crashed into the other vehicle. Claudia's screams, augmented by brother Michael, brought Mrs. Cassidy running.

Investigators said damage to the Cassidy car and to the automobile of Carl D. Hinkle was "considerable." The children were not hurt.

SAYS PROTEST IS WITHOUT FOUNDATION

By John L. Steele
United Press Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON, July 20. (UP)—Secretary of State Dean Acheson today dismissed Russia's latest protests against inclusion of Italy in the North Atlantic pact as "utterly without foundation."

Acheson categorically rejected claims made in Soviet note received by him today that the pact is directed against Russia and that Italy's participation violates its peace treaty with the victorious powers.

Acheson told a news conference he has repeatedly stated that the two Russian claims are not accurate.

He pointed out that during his testimony before the Senate foreign relation committee he had stated that Italy's participation in the treaty has no effect whatsoever on military commitments undertaken by Italy in the peace treaty.

Acheson's statement was made as the Senate continued debate on the treaty. Senate foes indicated they will ask specific assurances that atom bomb information will not be furnished to Great Britain under the treaty.

And Republican Senators Robert A. Taft, Ohio, Arthur W. Watkins, Utah, and Kenneth S. Wherry, Neb., joined in a "last-ditch" effort to write into the treaty a stipulation that there is no moral or legal obligation on the part of the United States to furnish Europe with arms aid.

Acheson said he assumed that President Truman would send to Congress in the near future the \$1,450,000,000 (B) program for arming pact countries and other non-Communist nations. He said he did not know just when the arms program would go to Congress, but he noted that time is getting short.

Acheson said he knew of no plans to call a federal convention of Atlantic Pact members to discuss a more complete union following ratification of the treaty. He said the state department has no plan to that effect.

Baptists Given \$500,000 Gift

DALLAS, July 20 (UP)—The Baptist General Convention of Texas was some \$500,000 richer today.

Dr. J. W. Bruner of the convention's endowment department said Author J. W. Wason, "Big Spring" rancher, has donated his three-quarter interest in 5,202 acres of New Mexico land to the convention.

The land is to be sold, along with the one-fourth interest owned by Wason's son, Cecil.

Since the land is worth approximately \$543,030, the Baptist figured today they will receive \$457,420 from the sale after Cecil Wason's share and indebtedness are deducted.

Dr. Bruner said \$50,000 of the money will go to a fund aiding needy college students. Wason directed that \$30,000 be reserved in a fund to help college students become ministers or Christian workers.

The remainder will be added a \$5,000,000 fund for repairs and new buildings at Baptist colleges and hospitals in Texas.

Legion To Elect New Officers

Annual election of officers will be the principal business at a meeting of the Eastland American Legion Thursday night at the Legion Hall in City Park. All members were urged to attend.

Balsam Cap, N. C., is the highest railway station for a standard gauge railway in eastern America.

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Streamlined Chicken Promised

HOUSTON, Tex., July 20 (UP)—The real "chicken of tomorrow" a bird that will put the talked-about wingless chicken in the shade—was promised here today at the third annual Houston area

poultry day. Some 3500 fanciers gather tomorrow for the unveiling, and speculator have already envisioned a creature with as many as four joints, possibly double-jointed, and with drumsticks like a football halfback. At any rate, said general chairman, L. R. Van Sant, "it will certainly take the spotlight off other poultry specimens."

Speeches by experts from Texas A. & M. College will start the day's program. Dr. W. C. Banks, extension service veterinarian, will talk about preventative methods for disease, and C. B. Ryan, poultry husbandman, will discuss farm management. Another highlight will be the bidding on a dozen grand champion eggs. Van Sant believes the

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LEGAL NOTICE
ORDINANCE NO. 327
AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO TRAFFIC AND REGULATING THE USE OF PUBLIC STREETS AND HIGHWAYS OF THE CITY OF EASTLAND, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR THE INSTALLATION, REGULATION AND CONTROL OF THE USE OF PARKING METERS AND PARKING METER ZONES; DEFINING PARKING METER ZONES; AUTHORIZING A METHOD OF PAYMENT FOR PARKING METERS AND THE INSTALLATION THEREOF EXCLUSIVELY FROM THE RECEIPTS OBTAINED FROM THEIR OPERATION; PROVIDING FOR ENFORCEMENT AND PENALTY FOR VIOLATION THEREOF AND PROVIDING THAT INVALIDITY OF PART SHALL NOT AFFECT THE VALIDITY OF REMAINDER; AND DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF EASTLAND, TEXAS: SECTION 1. The word "vehicle" as used herein shall mean any device or animal by which any person or property may be transported upon a highway, except those operated upon rails or tracks. SEC. 2 That the following described streets in the City of Eastland, Texas are hereby designated and established as parking meter zones, to-wit: Green Street, Mulberry Street, Lamar Street, Seaman Street, Ross Wood Street, and Bassett Street, running North from Plummer Street to their intersections with Patterson Street; and Patterson Street, White Street, Main Street, Commerce Street, Olive Street, and Plummer Street running West from their intersections with Bassett Street to their intersections with Green Street; and including all four sides or boundaries of the County Courthouse square, within the City of Eastland, Eastland County, Texas, as laid out in the plat or map of the City of Eastland, recorded in Volume 77, page 497. Maps or Plans of the City of Eastland in the office of the County Clerk of Eastland County, Texas. All of those streets and parts of streets upon which limited parking is now permitted under authority, and by virtue of all limited parking ordinances now effective, and the parking limits and restrictions therein provided as hereby incorporated in this ordinance for all

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uses and purposes applicable to the conditions, terms, and enforcement hereof. SECTION 3. The City Manager shall provide for installation of meters, including curb or street marking lines, regulation and operation thereof, and shall cause said meters to be maintained in good workable condition. Meters shall be placed upon the curb next to individual parking places and meters shall be so constructed as to display a signal showing legal parking upon deposit therein of the proper coin, or coins, of the United States as indicated by instructions on said meter, and for a period of time conforming to the parking limits of the City of Eastland, Texas, said signal to remain in evidence until expiration of said parking period so designated, at which time a change of signal or some other mechanical operation shall indicate expiration of said parking period. SECTION 4. The City is hereby vested with the authority to enter into a contract for the purchase and installation of parking meters and to provide payment thereof exclusively from the receipts obtained by the City from their operation and that said means of payment shall be in addition to any other purchasing powers heretofore granted the City by its charter, or by the laws of the State of Texas. SECTION 5. When any vehicle shall be parked next to a parking meter the owner or operator of said vehicle shall park within the area designated by the curb or street marking lines as indicated for parallel or diagonal parking and upon entering said parking space shall immediately deposit in said meter one or more five cent coins of the United States, and one or more one cent coins of the United States as indicated by instructions on said meter. It shall be unlawful for any person to fail to park within said designated area, or fail or neglect to so deposit the proper coin, or coins. Said parking space may then be used by such vehicle during the legal parking limit provided by the ordinances of the City, and said vehicle shall be considered as unlawfully parked if it remains in said space beyond the legal parking limit and or when said parking meter displays a signal showing such illegal parking. It shall be unlawful for any person to cause or permit any vehicle registered in his name to be unlawfully parked as set out in this section. SECTION 6. It shall be unlawful for any person to deposit, or cause to be deposited in a parking meter one or more five cent coins and 1 or one or more one cent coins for the purpose of extending the parking time beyond the maximum time fixed by the ordinance of the City of Eastland, Texas. SECTION 7. It shall be unlawful to deposit or cause to be deposited in any parking meter, any slug, device or a metallic substitute for a coin of the United States. SECTION 8. It shall be unlawful for any person to tamper with, open, willfully break or destroy any parking meter. SECTION 9. It shall be the duty of traffic officers so instructed to take the parking meter number, and the state vehicle tag number, of all persons violating the provisions of this ordinance and make complaint therefor in the Municipal or Police Court of the City of Eastland, Texas. SECTION 10. Any person, firm, or corporation who shall violate or permit or allow anyone to violate Section Five (5) or Section Six (6) of this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined not more than Five Dollars (\$5.00) and costs. SECTION 11. Any person who shall violate or assist in violation of Section Seven (7) or Section Eight (8) of this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined not more than Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) and costs.

SECTION 12. The fee required to be deposited in said meters is hereby levied as a police regulation and inspection fee to cover the cost of providing parking spaces, parking meters, and installation, and maintenance thereof, the cost of regulation and inspection, operation, control and use of the parking meter spaces and zones created herein, for the regulation and control of traffic moving in and out of, and parking in said parking spaces and zones so created, and for the cost of any resultant traffic administration expense. SECTION 13. If any section, provision or part thereof in this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, then such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole, or any section, provision or part thereof not so adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 14. The fact that the City of Eastland has no adequate vehicle parking zone or regulation, and no provision for regulation of parking vehicles in such zones, and no penalty for violation of parking regulations, and such fact endangers the public peace, health and safety, and creates an emergency requiring the suspension of the rule requiring ordinance be not passed on the day at which the same is introduced, and requiring that this ordinance become effective upon final passage and publication as required by law and the charter of the City of Eastland, and it is so ordained and ordered. Passed by the Board of City Commissioners of the City of Eastland, this the 19th day of July, 1949. Approved by the Acting Chair-

man of the Board of City Commissioners of the City of Eastland, Texas, this the 19th day of July, 1949. Effective Date, Immediately upon passage.
J. H. RUSHING
Acting Chairman of City Commissioners.
ATTEST:
C. W. Young, City Clerk.
Approved as to form.
FRANK SPARKS,
City Attorney.

Record Set Too Soon
NEWPORT, R. I. (UP)—Joe Mello beamed his bad luck when he landed a 59-pound striped bass, believed the largest caught on rod and reel in New England waters for more than 10 years. Mello caught his record fish just three days before the \$1,500 Newport-Jamestown fishing derby opened.

Tour Called Off
WEYMOUTH, Mass. (UP)—A few hours after Col. Earl Richard of the U. S. Army bought a 1949 automobile for a tour of the nation, his parked car slipped its brakes, rolled down a hill, plunged over a 25-foot embankment and was wrecked.

Girls Win Hands Down
HINTON, W. Va., (UP)—Petticoat rule will hold sway in the Hinton high school year. On election resulted in a landslide for the girls. They took 15 of the 17 major offices in the two top classes.

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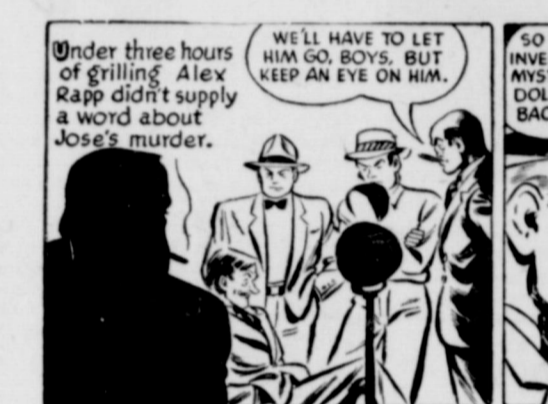
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Legion Party Broken Up When Wife Complains

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., July 20 (UP)—A stag party attended by 800 men at the American Legion town club was raided on a complaint from the legion post commander's wife, police said today.

Police Capt. Frank Bukacek testified in court yesterday that he raided the party when Mrs. Robert Spooner complained that gambling and illegal drinking were going on. Mrs. Spooner filed a separate maintenance suit against her husband last week. He is commander

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on the route of the drives. The herds halted here and celebrating cowboys spent money freely in saloons and gambling halls. Too, Fort Worth became the point of supply for a great, though sparsely-settled, territory to the north and west. People began to call the place Cowntown.

But now the citizens realize that all this would be changed if Fort Worth did not obtain a railroad. For no longer would cattle be driven to Kansas; they would go only as far as a rail line — so Eagle Ford of Dallas would become the livestock capital.

That is, unless something was done.

And the town's leaders decided that if anything was done, Fort Worth would have to do it. So the Tarrant County Construction Company was organized, the president being Major K. W. Van Zandt, who — probably more than any other man — was responsible for bringing the T&P into Fort Worth. The capital stock of the citizens' construction company was subscribed in cash, materials, labor and supplies.

Then a contract was let and work began. It was a race against time for the railroad had been promised a great grant of State land provided the line reached Fort Worth before the legislature adjourned. But there were members who were opposed to the grant so they did all they could to end the session. The vote was so close that the Fort Worth members, Major Darnell, who was ill, was brought into the House each day on a cot to cast the deciding vote against adjournment.

At last, no further delay was possible and adjournment was set for two days hence. Construction had been proceeding at a rapid pace but it seemed impossible that the rails could reach Fort Worth by the deadline.

Morgan Jones, the contractor, did not sleep during those last

two days except for a nap, now and then, on a pile of materials. Darkness did not stop the work; the volunteer crews of citizens tolled by torchlight till midnight, their wives bringing food, coffee and words of encouragement. At daybreak, the work started again.

Rail-laying overtook the grading at Sycamore Creek so, instead of a trestle, cribs of ties were used to support the track across the creek; then for two miles the rails were placed on the ground. The town council, in emergency session extended the city limits a quarter of a mile east to shorten the distance — and the railroad reached Fort Worth just in time.

It was on July 19, 1877 that the first train arrived. Folks, many of whom had never seen a train, had come from all around, horseback, in wagons and buggies and on foot. The tiny engine crept into sight, having up and down and swaying from side to side, but the bell was ringing bravely and the whistle was blowing proudly; and how the people cheered!

Fort Worth became the chief point in Texas for the shipment of cattle and so held an even

more important position as a livestock center than in the days of the drives. Fort Worth was still Cowntown.

Since the city had become the State's foremost shipping point — due to the T&P and the other railroads that followed — it was a logical development that packing houses should be established. When Swift, Armour and McNeil & Libby came, the city's population almost tripled in 10 years.

The next milestone in Fort Worth's history was the discovery of the first real oil field in West Texas — at Ranger, 90 miles west of Fort Worth. (The few predecessors had been relatively small.) hundreds of wells poured forth many millions of dollars' worth of oil. The imagination of the nation was captured and Fort Worth, as the gateway to this new Glocconda, reaped much of the benefit. Oil companies and individual operators established their headquarters here; refineries were built and pipelines were laid to Fort Worth. And so the city became what it has continued to be ever since, a great center of the mighty oil industry of the Southwest.

How did the T&P play a part in bringing this about? Many years before, coal had been found at Thurbur by the Texas & Pacific Coal Company, the name being chosen in honor of the mines' chief customer, the T&P railroad. W. K. Gordon, superintendent of the coal company, believed there was oil at Ranger and, for his company, he drilled the discovery well. So the T&P railroad, as the main customer of the coal company, helped make possible the finding of the great oil field.

And the T&P, as the only railroad into Ranger during a large part of the boom, hauled the vast amount of freight from Fort Worth and other points which enabled wells to be put down around Ranger, Eastland, Desdemona and Breckenridge; and thousands of excited fortune-seekers packed the T&P passenger train from Fort Worth to the oil fields.

In the 1930's the T&P completed a great construction program in Fort Worth, the chief features being the 13-story station and office building and the terminal warehouse. The interior of the station makes it one of the most beautiful in the country and the terminal warehouse has the largest floor space of any building

in Fort Worth. The expansion program, carried out during the depression, was an \$8,000,000 reaffirmation of the T&P's confidence in the future of Fort Worth. The large payroll of the railroad is an important factor in the city's prosperity.

So, through the years, the T&P has maintained its tradition of service and has kept pace with growing needs, one of the latest advancements being the Texas Eagles. The progress stories of Fort Worth and the T&P have been inter-twined ever since the first train rolled in. Truly, the hand of Destiny was on the throttle that day — for it was then that the great city that was to be really was born.

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Safety Razor Made Safe
NORTHAMPTON, Mass (UP) — A locking, suicide-proof safety razor has been developed at the Veterans Administration psychiatric hospital here. The two attendants who worked it out say it will save ,000 man hours a year for staff members now obliged to shave their charges.

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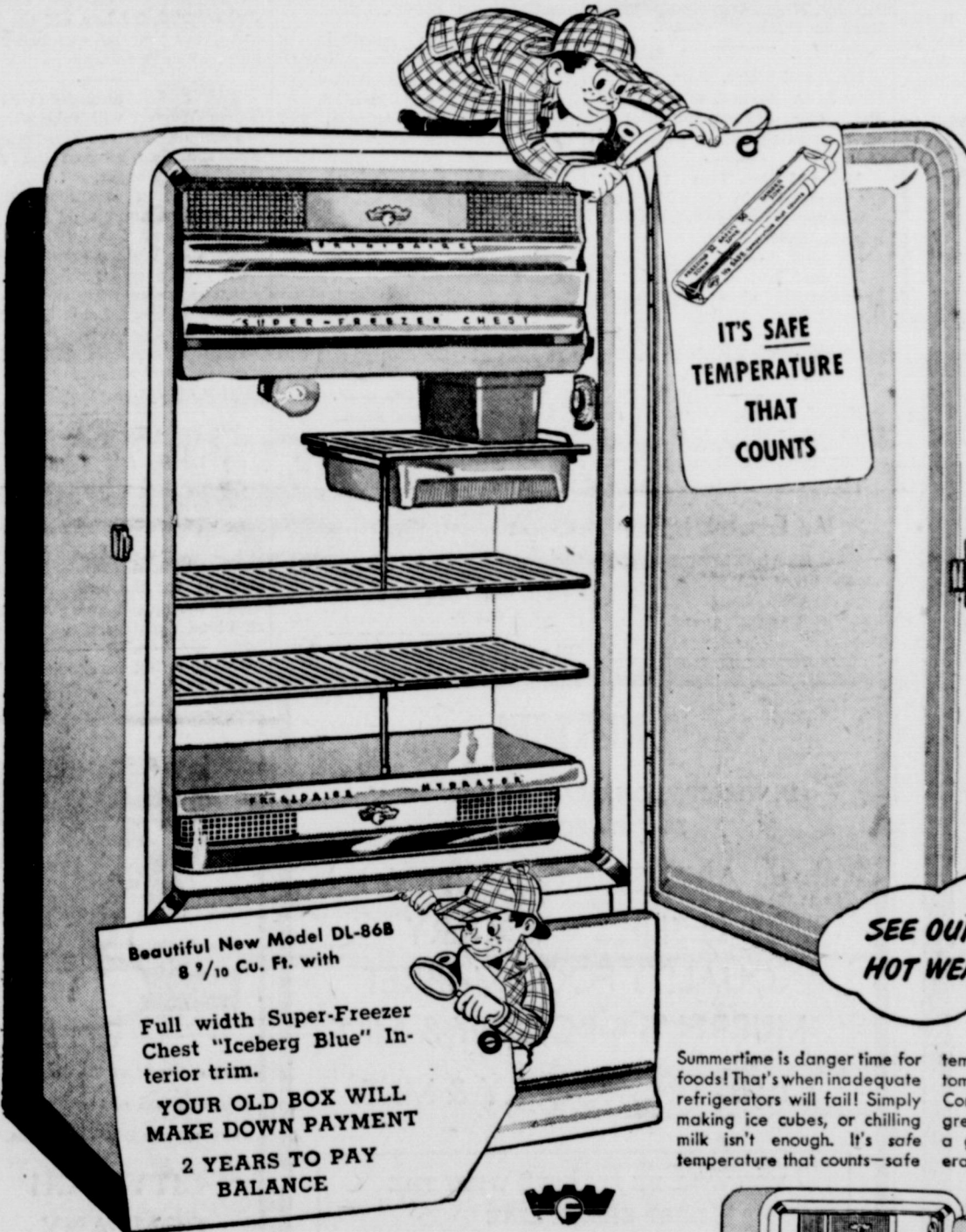
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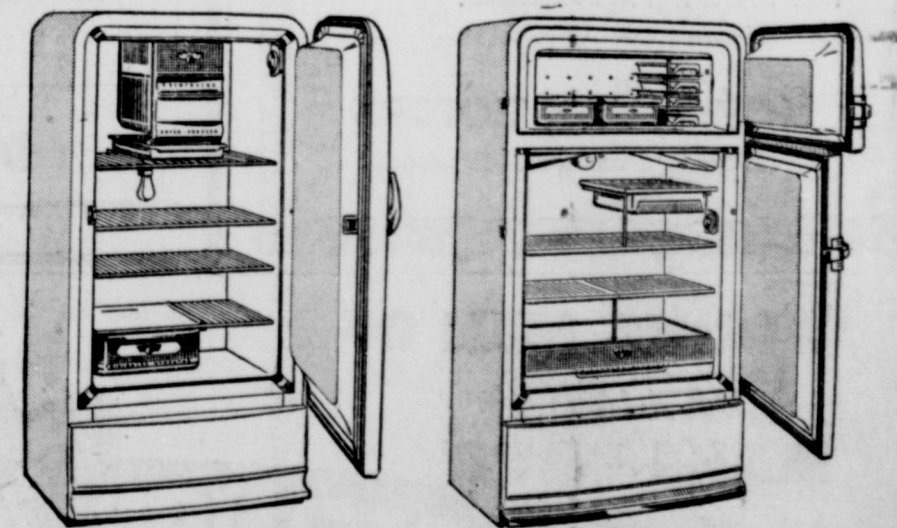
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Woman's Page

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Mrs. Black Accepts English Position In Crowell School

Mrs. Lola Black of the State Department of Public Welfare has submitted her resignation effective August 1, and has accepted a position as teacher of English in the Crowell High School.

Mrs. Black has been with the Welfare Department here since 1945, and has been serving a portion of Eastland, all of Carbon, German and Desdemona and their surrounding territories as field worker.

Mr. and Mrs. Black will move to Crowell in the very near future. Their daughter, Jimmie, who was a member of the spring graduation class of Eastland High School will enroll at Hardin College at Wichita Falls in September.

Mrs. Black said that they regretted leaving Eastland and hoped that they found as many lovely people in Crowell as they found and learned to love in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Elliott have purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs. Black, which is located at 516 South Bassett Street.

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Miss Steen Hostess To Members Of Methodist Class

Miss Merle Steen was hostess to the Young Adults' Class of the Methodist Church, last Friday Evening at the home of Mrs. A. F. Taylor, where she resides, and entertained the group at an ice cream social.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Henderson, Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Bailey and children, Marilyn and Robert, Misses Maxine Smith, Rosie McCoy, Jamie Smith, Mary Audrey, Wanda Couch, and Ross Rucker, Ed Steele, Mrs. A. F. Taylor and the hostess Miss Steen.

Mr And Mrs Collings Move To New Home

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collings moved to their new home in Hill Crest, which was the first of the new GI homes being built in the building program to be completed, last week end.

Open house was held several weeks ago showing the house, which was furnished for the occasion by Willy Willys Furniture Mart and Pullmans'.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler and Brenda have moved into the residence on East Valley Street vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Collings.

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Mr. and Mrs. John E. McNair of Houston, whose wedding was July 2nd in Houston. The bride is the former, Miss Evelyn Blanchard of Eastland and Houston, daughter of Mrs. Maud Blanchard of Eastland.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cornelius and daughter LaVerne have returned from a 10 day trip to Colorado, where they visited in Denver, Grand Lake and spent several days in the Rock mountains. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Cornelius' niece, Mary Jo Meeks of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gamble, Mrs. J. O. Earnest and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maxey left Sunday for a vacation trip to Pecos N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Childress are vacationing in, Colo. Mr. Childress is recuperating from a recent siege of Malta fever.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Taylor of Brownwood, dean of Men at Howard Payne College, and brother of the late A. F. Taylor, spent the week end here visiting with Mrs. A. F. Taylor.

Mrs. J. W. McNally and son, Scott are visiting this week in

Big Springs

Week end guests here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tow were their son Donald, Mrs. Tow and Donna Joan of Temple, who also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Alton and with Mrs. Tow's mother, Mrs. J. B. Cowan, 650 South Green Street.

Other week end guests in the Tow's home were Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Skorpenski and children of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hile and sons of Abilene, and last week Mr. and Mrs. Till Harbin of Freer, and Mrs. George Groschloe of Crockett were their guests.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Maynard were their daughter, Mrs. John Davis, Mr. Davis and children Kay, and Mike, Dr. & Mrs. Tom West, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Newman all of Abilene.

Water Comes High
AUBURN, Ala. (UP)—You can sell ordinary water for \$4.50 a gallon if your chickens are laying eggs and if eggs are selling for 50 cents a dozen. According to John Ivey, Alabama Polytechnic Institute extension poultryman, an egg is 66 2-3 per cent water, worth \$4.50 a gallon at 50 cents a dozen.

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TEXAS News Briefs

AUSTIN, July 20 (UP)—A \$4-per-capita payment, totaling \$6,099,450, was released out of the state available school fund yesterday.

State Superintendent of Schools L. A. Woods said the apportionment payment was the eleventh of the year toward the \$55 per capita authorized. A total of \$52 per capita has been released so far.

KINGSVILLE, July 20 (UP)—Ascencion Garza, father of Kingsville's triplets, was back on the job today.

Kleberg county officials released Garza from jail yesterday on condition he would go back to his old job as a pipefitter's helper and pay the hospital bills of a woman he struck with his car. Garza was jailed because he failed to make the payments. The same day he entered the jail his triplet daughters were hospitalized with dysentery. Two of them died.

GALVESTON, July 20 (UP)—A \$60,000 personal damage suit was on file today against the Houston Lighting and Power Co., resulting from alleged injuries to a 14-year-old boy last May 31. Plaintiff was David G. Leake, whose father, D. A. Leake of La Marque, charged that David was badly injured when he steered his motor scooter over a cable lying across a street.

The petition said an electric shock jolted the boy off the machine, and that he was badly injured when he fell.

BAYTOWN, July 20 (UP)—Vance Warren will take over as commander of the Tri-Cities American Legion post the third Monday in August.

His election to succeed Ralph Walker was announced here yesterday. Other new officers are Charles O. Walker and Robert Chase, vice commanders; C. R. Myers, adjutant; Thurman Iekes, finance officer; Louis Van Melder, historian; W. H. Heintschel, sergeant at arms; James Pritchard chaplain, and Grover K. Edge, service officer.

Santa Comes Across
ST. LOUIS (UP)—"Santa Claus" appeared out of season to give blood to a seven-year-old girl suffering from burns. Edward Moran 32, who acted as a volunteer Santa Claus to underprivileged children for the past four years, heard the appeal and gave his 33rd blood donation.

Oregon's first territorial legislature met in 1849 in Oregon City.

Solon Narrowly Escapes Knifing At Union Brawl

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 20 (UP)—Rep. Leonard Irving, D., Mo., narrowly escaped being knifed at a hot carries union meeting that turned into a free-for-all brawl over his policies, police said today.

The dapper freshman congressman from President Truman's home district was in the way of a knife wielding union member when Ralph Dabney, another member, seized the man's wrist and stopped the blow.

Irving had just started to give a financial report to about 500 members of the Hod Carriers, Building and Common Laborers Local. He is its president and business agent.

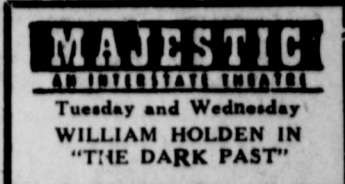
A suit filed by union members against him last Saturday had demanded that he account for union funds.

Two men started heckling him. Others tried to silence them and a small riot started. Police said two men in the hall had to be treated for knife wounds. A dozen squad cars were called to stop the fight.

Irving tried to help stop it. He stepped among the fist-and-chair-swinging men. Dabney said a negro union member slashed at the congressman with a knife.

"You had a mighty close call," Dabney told Irving after grabbing the knifer's wrist and twisting the weapon away from him. The man got away by ducking into the fighting throng.

Police and other union officers



helped Irving halt the brawl. It turned the union into a shambles of broken windows and splintered furniture.

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ONLY ONE OF 'EM—Edith Mae Zilli, 19, of New York, is just one of 35,000 contestants in the annual "Miss Stardust" contest. But if they all look like Edith, the big field for the world's largest beauty contest won't be narrowed down too much.

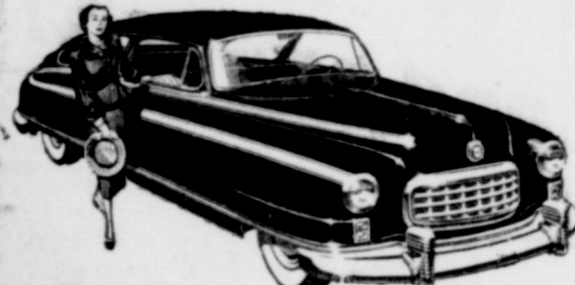
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