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SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—Standing in his stall on Spendthrift Farm, hard by Lexington, Ky., Bernborough is reminded of Phar Lap in more ways than one. He is as big as was Phar Lap—17 hands, one inch—and narrowly missed the tragic ending of his illustrious predecessor.

Although Phar Lap died almost 20 years ago, Australians speak of him in hushed tones. Many of the land down under inexplicably suspect he met with foul play. Phar Lap, a national idol in his native land, was shipped to this country for the \$100,000 Agua Caliente Handicap, won it laughing with the speed of a prairie wind to take his place among the world's top money winners.

Phar Lap, the picture horse, was headed east to tackle America's handicap starts when in northern California he was poisoned fatally while grazing on sprayed grass.

Bernborough, Phar Lap's modern counterpart in Australia, has a phenomenal winning streak, and was also headed this way for meetings with Armed, Assault, Styxie, and other big shots when he was asked to carry the impossible burden of 150 pounds in the 12-furlong Caulfield Cup at Flemington.

Brian G. Maguire was one of many thousands present at Flemington the day Bernborough kicked his left foreleg with his right hind leg and chipped the sesamoid bone. The real reason for Bernborough's breakdown, reports Maguire, "was his owner's selfish action in running him in the Caulfield Cup under such a tremendous load. The Caulfield Cup is one of the hardest races to win on the Australian calendar. It is a sprint for the first six furlongs for position, and a sprint home over the final six. To have any chance a horse must be in the first half-dozen at the halfway mark."

Knowledgeable racing men had no hope from the time his weight became known.

Knowing of the accident, Jerry G. Mayer paid A. O. Romano, Sidney night club proprietor, \$100,000 for Bernborough's stud purposes.

When Bernborough arrived in southern California, Mayer and veterinarians were amazed that, for some totally inexcusable and inexplicable reason, his chipped sesamoid bone had been neglected for four months.

For a spell it was feared Bernborough would be of no use even as a stallion, but, leased to Leslie Combs 2d for three years, skilled attention saved him.

Like Phar Lap, Bernborough was denied the opportunity of tackling American stockouts. But, unlike Phar Lap, this great Australian at least has the chance to produce his kind.

FUNNY BUSINESS



"And when someone sits across from you on a street car, just pull the shade!"

WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(NEA)—Secretary of State George C. Marshall's recently announced intention to complete transfer of U. S. military government in Germany from the War Department to the State Department has moved one step nearer with the departure for Berlin of Assistant Secretary of War Howard C. Petersen. He carried with him first plans for shifting the U. S. zone from military to civilian control. These plans were worked out in conjunction with Maj.-Gen. John H. Hildring, assistant secretary of state for occupied areas.

In Berlin the plans will be discussed with Gen. Lucius D. Clay, U. S. commander in the European theater, and his political adviser, Robert C. Murphy. Murphy would probably be in line to succeed Clay as top American official in Berlin when the transfer of authority is made.

If the preliminary plans are acceptable to Clay and Murphy, further steps to complete the administrative transfer will be made on Petersen's return to Washington, in the next few weeks.

Should the shift from military to civilian control be made within the next few months by the U. S., its zone would be the first in occupied Germany to demilitarize. It would be a significant step in the process of democratizing Germany.

THIS shift would not mean the withdrawal of American armed forces from Germany. Policing of the U. S. Army would still be necessary. Only the officials concerned with political affairs would be changed. In some cases this might merely mean that officers now on the job would be permitted to carry on their work as civilians.

While the U. S. Army now has less than 60,000 officers and men in its zone in Germany, only about 6000 of them are directly concerned with military government. This number is being constantly reduced as Germans are permitted to take over more self-government.

The problem of securing competent personnel for administrative jobs in the government of occupied areas will be the most difficult problem which the State Department will face in taking over control from the War Department. It will extend from the top right on down. For Assistant Secretary Hildring is resigning his job in the late summer.

It might be an advantage to the government if it would keep at its desk the man who is most experienced and best grounded in all the problems of U. S. military occupation. During the war General Hildring was on active duty with the general staff, in charge of military government. He took off his uniform and moved to the State Department in February 1946 at the request of Secretary James F. Byrnes, to carry on his work.

This shift in the directing head of U. S. military government at the policy-making level comes at a moment when Germany is more in the news than at any time since the shooting war was on. It is still America's number one problem.

What is happening in Germany means just as much to the isolationist corn and wheat belts of the midwest as it does to the more internationally minded seaboard. For every bushel of grain or every ton of coal now shipped from the U. S. to Germany has its effect on the price of bread and the size of the tax bills here at home. By a strange quirk of the war, prosperity in the victorious U. S. is again tied up with Germany's poverty.

That is the importance of Herbert Hoover's statement to the House Appropriations Committee. The former President endorsed all that has been done and is about to be done in contributing to German relief and trying to build up German economy. But he calls for new efforts to speed up the process of reconstituting Germany and easing the burden of her upkeep on the American taxpayer. This is the big unfinished business which civilian government will have to take over from the military.

COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

Real Estate Transfers, Marriages, Suits Filed, Court Judgements, Orders, Etc.

INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week: Johnnie Aaron to H. L. Ratliff, deed of trust. Carrie B. Bryant to B. R. Hatton, oil and gas lease. Mattie Baggett to Lone Star Producing Company, right of way. L. P. Barnett to I. S. Ford, warranty deed. F. L. Brown to Ace Lucas, warranty deed. Marie Bryson to Woodley Petroleum Company, oil and gas lease. City of Cisco to Ray Judia, warranty deed. C. V. Compton, to M. L. Short, release of deed of trust. Norma Conway to Daniel Conway, warranty deed. Jack E. Clay to Florence C. Graves, warranty deed. Russell L. Chandler to Luther McCrea, Jr., notice of suit. E. P. Crawford to F. L. Brown, release of vendor's lien. E. P. Crawford to Ace Lucas, release of vendor's lien. Sam B. Cantey, Jr., to C. D. Lane, oil and gas lease. G. C. Cooper to B. I. Marshall, warranty deed. G. C. Cooper to W. R. Gibson, warranty deed.

warranty deed. Felix E. Durt to J. I. Taylor, warranty deed. J. E. Dall to The Public, proof of heirship. Eastland National Bank to E. N. Hull, release of lien. First National Bank, Winters to S. H. Nance, release of judgment. Belle Ferguson to The Public, affidavit. Federal Farm Mortgage Corp. to W. F. Simmons, warranty deed. R. C. Gishman to Dan Childress, warranty deed. A. A. Cossett to W. A. Burkman, warranty deed. Samuel Greer to W. C. Dorsey, bill of sale. H. R. Garrett to W. B. Cates, guardians deed. H. R. Garrett to W. B. Cates, warranty deed. T. A. Graves to J. O. Rice, warranty deed. T. A. Graves to J. O. Rice, bill of sale. W. R. Gibson to B. I. Marshall, warranty deed. Joe T. Harness to George Campbell, warranty deed. Hickok Prod. & Dev. Co. to W. L. Farmer, release of deed of

trust. B. R. Hatton to J. D. Barefield assignment of oil and gas lease. Nola Rebecca Hull to C. R. Simmons, transfer. I. E. Hayley to G. O. Strong, quit claim deed. Myrtle Harrell to Lone Star Producing Company, right of way. J. M. Hooks to The Public, cc probate. Mary E. Hayes to The Public, affidavit. B. R. Jones to Ira J. Grigsby, warranty deed. W. B. Kirk to J. E. Walker, assignment of lien. Ace Lucas to Levi Wilson, warranty deed. G. N. Mahaney to Linton Bengo warranty deed. W. E. Melton to Woodley Petroleum Company, oil and gas lease. A. M. Mayer to Essen A. Fields, Jr., warranty deed. Minnie Bell McLeister to The Public, affidavit. G. R. Nance to O. S. Leveridge warranty deed. G. R. Nance to O. S. Leveridge, warranty deed. Ernest W. Farmer to Harry C. Sheehan, warranty deed. J. M. Rust to L. M. Bunton, release of vendor's lien. J. M. Rust to L. M. Bunton, warranty deed. Charles M. Richter to Carl Angstadt, warranty deed. C. M. Rhodes to George E. Franklin, quit claim deed. J. O. Rice to T. A. Graves, deed of trust. Maurine Mancill Royall to T. A. Graves, quit claim deed. J. C. Reddick to C. D. Lane, oil and gas lease. G. A. Swinson to W. L. Farmer, release of lease. Harry S. Sheehan to C. L. McDonald, deed of trust. Gross R. Scruggs Company v. Nance Motor Company, release of judgment. Weldon H. Starkey to J. M. Flournoy, oil and gas lease. Rudolph Schaefer to J. E. Stansell, warranty deed. J. W. Tanner to S. H. Nance, release of judgment. Jno. W. Turner to The Public, affidavit. Mary Anna Woods to The Public, cc probate. John M. Watson to J. Will Carter, warranty deed. Homer E. White to Lone Star Producing Company, right of way. E. L. Woods to J. Campbell, warranty deed. Dacia Walter to C. A. Brewer, warranty deed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES The following couples were licensed to wed last week: Troy W. Gaswell to Aline Jones, Cisco. S. C. Moore to Mrs. Lorene M. Griffith, Mineral Wells. Truman B. Wilson to Peggy Jane Corn, Gladewater.

SUITS FILED The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week: City of Cisco v. Security National Fire Insurance Company, garnishee-suit v. C. W. Hibbert, order of dismissal. Cisco Independent School District v. O. S. Carroll, order of dismissal. Jonell Brasher v. James A. Brasher, judgment. Paul Amos Dotson, judgment.

Q's and A's Q—Who was the first United States citizen ever to be made a saint of the Roman Catholic Church? A—Mother Frances Xavier Cabrini, canonized in Rome July 7, 1946. Although she was born in Italy, Mother Cabrini took out citizenship papers after her arrival in America. Q—What is meant by the moon's perigee and apogee? A—Each month the moon is said to be in perigee when nearest earth and in apogee when farthest from earth.

Q—What is meant by Union Security in labor parlance? A—Protection for the union against loss of members. This would include a contract clause involving maintenance of membership, union shop, or closed shop. Q—What are the four types of jet propulsion units? A—Turbo-jet, ram-jet, pulse-jet rocket. Q—What is the source of the word "jeep"? A—The letters "G.P." which stood for "General Purpose," painted on the sides of the first U. S. Army quarter-ton reconnaissance cars. Q—Is it possible for a layman to be elected Pope? A—Any male Catholic regardless of color or race is eligible. If a layman were selected he would have to be ordained and consecrated. Veterans Aid Veterans WASHINGTON, D. C. (UP)—Eighty-seven per cent of American Red Cross personnel assigned to assisting veterans in presentation of claims for government benefits are war veterans, national headquarters reported.

ORDERS AND JUDGEMENTS The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week: Muri Dean Hancock v. Wesley Hancock, judgment. City of Cisco v. Security National Fire Insurance Company, garnishee-suit v. C. W. Hibbert, order of dismissal. Cisco Independent School District v. O. S. Carroll, order of dismissal. Jonell Brasher v. James A. Brasher, judgment. Paul Amos Dotson, judgment.

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BY MERRILL BLOSSER



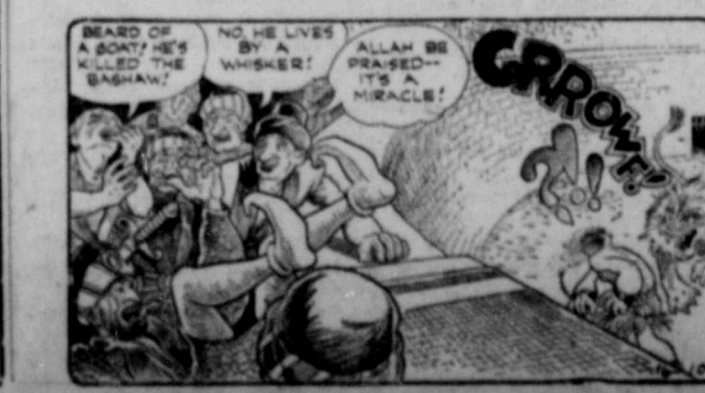
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Airport News

Donald Harrison has enrolled in the GI flying school at the Ranger Airport.

Bill Lester who is working for his commercial license at the Ranger Flying Service school, made a cross-country flight to Clovis, New Mexico Sunday.

James L. Higginbotham was granted a private license at the GI flying school Saturday.

Thomas N. Parker of Mingus has been granted a commercial pilot's license at the Ranger Flying Service, GI flying school.

Attorneys Ask For Court Recess

By United Press

TOKYO—The war crimes tribunal trying former Japanese Premier Hideki Tojo and other wartime leaders took under advisement today a defense plea for a sixweek recess. Defense attorneys said they were exhausted after more than a year of steady court work.

SOCIETY

Bible School Opens Monday; 132 Present

One hundred and thirty-two students were present Monday for the first day of the Vacation Bible School of the First Baptist Church. The school, which will continue through Friday of this week, is held each morning from 8:30 to 11:30, and all boys and girls, ages 4 to 16 inclusive, are invited to attend.

Friday night commencement, a short program, and a display of the handwork made during the week, will be held. All parents and visitors are invited.

Saturday afternoon a picnic for all students of the Bible school will be held at the Willows Park.

J. O. Y. Union Has Outing Mon.

The J. O. Y. Training Union of the First Baptist Church was entertained Monday evening with a skating party at the Cisco rink.

The group met first for supper at a cafe and then drove to Cisco. Those attending the affair were: Rosemary Bruce, Pauline Cooke, Betty Jean Jones, Zella Faye Stephen, Oaida Brown, Billie Faye Pounds, Dorothy Penn, Myra Sue Lee, Jane Clinton, Norma Jean Heinlein, Lloyd Beck, John Shirley, Bill Lester, Wesley Walker, Johnnie Wheat, Kenneth Jones, and the sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Robinson.

PERSONALS

Robert Lawson and George Beighley were in Elizaville fishing Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cogburn had as their guests for the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gilbert and son, Jerry, all of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shaw of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cogburn, and son Kenny, of Ranger.

Mrs. J. W. Lawson and sons Joe Charles and Billy Carl spent Sunday visiting in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Brantley and son, Lonnie, of Houston are the guests of Mrs. Brantley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ussery.

Dr. G. C. Boswell and Boone Yarbrough were in Ft. Worth Monday night to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the Athletic Association of the Junior Colleges of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Stevens have received word of the birth of a baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stevens of Ocala, Ga.

Mrs. Harless Gardenhire who is

Missouri City Cut Off By Flood



With all highways into the city cut off, bus service suspended and train movements restricted, residents of Chillicothe, Missouri, watch the Grand River as it rose 14 inches an hour and surpassed the flood stage record of 1909. In the background, the water is up to the windows of tourist cabins at the bend in the river. (NEA Telephoto).

in the Baylor Hospital in Dallas where she recently underwent surgery, is reported to be recovering satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude White have as their guests for the summer, their grandchildren, Jerry Don and Brenda Sue White, of Dallas.

Miss Bernice Bagwell has returned from a trip to Odessa where she visited her father, and to Ajo, Arizona, where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bill Watson, and Mr. Watson.

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NEWS FROM EASTLAND

Mrs. C. C. Perrino of Fort Worth and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Perrino and daughter Margaret of New York City, were recent guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Ferguson. Mrs. C. C. Perrino is the former Miss Jane Ferguson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Ferguson.

Miss Patricia Stephens of Carizzo, New Mexico, is at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Ferguson, as a guest of Betty. Miss Stephens' parents formerly lived on South Seaman, in the W. A. Martin home. They are ranch people and have a ranch in New Mexico.

Mrs. John B. Wright of Kermit is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Jess Taylor and Mrs. W. W. Eddleman. She plans to return home about Wednesday.

Mrs. Annie Day returned Sunday from Portales, New Mexico, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Mollie Morton. Mrs. Day accompanied on the trip home by her son, Sam J. Day and wife.

Mrs. Sam Day, a nurse at McCamey, is visiting relatives in Eastland.

Little Miss La Quita Joy Stephenson visited Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lewis in Abilene Sunday.

Miss Jan Spaulding returned Saturday night from Austin where she attended the Bluebonnet Girl's State of which she was representing the Eastland American Legion Auxiliary.

Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Gordon returned Monday from Fort Worth where they attended the Texas

Central Conference.

Frank Crowell, was a delegate from the Eastland Methodist church, attending the conference in Fort Worth last week.

Mrs. J. F. Williams and daughter, Irene, are in Dallas going through a clinic.

J. M. Sherrill, who underwent a major operation at Hendrick Memorial hospital in Abilene is reported as doing nicely.

Mrs. J. Snyder and son, Lowell, and her daughter, Mrs. D. L. Houle, attended a home-coming in Gordon Sunday. Mrs. Sallie Fisher accompanied them home for a visit with Mrs. Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Pentecost attended a home coming at Gordon Sunday.

Jess Richardson, local dairyman, is recovering from an operation at the Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene. His room number is 213.

R. E. Sikes, who underwent surgery at All Saints Hospital, Ft. Worth, is improving, and Mrs. Sikes returned home Saturday night from his bedside. She will return today to accompany him home Wednesday.

Glenn Rose and wife of Massachusetts, were over night guests of his aunt, Mrs. Fred Maxey and Mr. Maxey recently.

Mrs. Blanche Latimer of Fort Worth and Mrs. Mildred Mitchell of Houston are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McCoy, 112 1-2 North Seaman. Mrs. Mitchell is a niece of Mr. McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lasater spent the past week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Adams at DeLeon. Mrs. Adams is a sister of Mrs. Lasater.

Miss Genevieve Truly left Saturday morning for Wichita Falls where she will join Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bland and little son, John Lloyd, on a vacation trip to Colorado, California, and Oregon. They will return about July 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus O'Dell are fishing this week at Devils Lake near Del Rio.

Mrs. Margarette Hipp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hipp, left today for TSCW, Denton, where she will visit.

BUY U. S. SAVING BONDS

Plastic Earthworm Made To Fool Fish

POZ "LAND, Ore. (UP) — The only artificial fishing worm manufacturer to attend the National Association of Manufacturers' regional meeting here was Hugh Loud, of Detroit.

His product, which "looks like the real McCoy," he said, "and is better than the real McCoy," has been introduced on the shelves of sporting goods stores across the country to meet the needs of fishermen who "like to go fishing, but dislike the early morning chase of anglerworm hunting."

The nightcrawlers are made of red or brown plastic and are patterned after the regional breed of the United States. They're about five inches long and are resilient and "stretchy like regular earthworms, only they're not gooey," he said.

Loud admitted that the artificial nightcrawler is a mean trick on fish. "To them, it must be like biting into a wax apple."

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