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Well...  
I Dunno,  
But...

Howard Oliver tells us that Plainview has nearly completed its program of airport development under the federal aid plan and that it's gonna be a swell port. At present planes are landing in a field so that improvement work can progress as rapidly as possible.

Furthermore, he says that on a recent Sunday afternoon jaunt by plane with Harlan Phillips and C. C. McKeever, they visited a number of airports, some of them in such places as Lubbock and Odessa and that one fact stood out when the trip was over. The fact was that there's more activity at the Ranger airport than at any of the number that they visited.

With reference to our program Howard said, "I think it would be the greatest mistake that we could make, to turn down the opportunity that we have to improve our airport."

Others are expressing themselves on the subject and we quote: "We sure ought to go ahead with the program if we are to progress. Benefits from an improved airport are inestimable. We can't predict as to the vastness of its value to the town." Willard Swaney, owner and operator of Swaney's Pharmacy and Ross Pharmacy.

"Frankly, I don't see why anybody would want to turn the program down. It's definitely a progressive step and a backward step if we turn it down. It's a thing that will touch all of us one way or another. An improved airport will eventually mean that feeder lines will stop here and that means air mail, freight and passenger service. It cost us money to build our highways, but we fought to get 'em, not to keep 'em out. The same is true of other means of travel. It's for it 100 per cent." George Campbell, owner and operator of the Ranger Farm Equipment Store and co-owner of the Ranger Livestock Commission.

"I'm for it, I'll back it anyway I can, even with donations to the extent of my ability. I'm for anything that means progress and this is progress." P. T. Smith, manager of the C. P. Cloud and Son Bonded Warehouse and co-owner of the Ranger Livestock Commission.

"I'm sure for seeing our airport improved. It's something that we have to do to keep pace with the times. It's just as important to us now as improved highways and railroads were in other days." James Ratliff, A. J. Ratliff Feed and Seed business.

"Well, I've been working on the aviation committee and with the engineer who drew up the plans for the improvements, and have met with the city commission concerning the matter. I think it can be done and think that it should be done." F. P. Brasher, Sr., one of the owners of the Ranger Furniture Exchange.

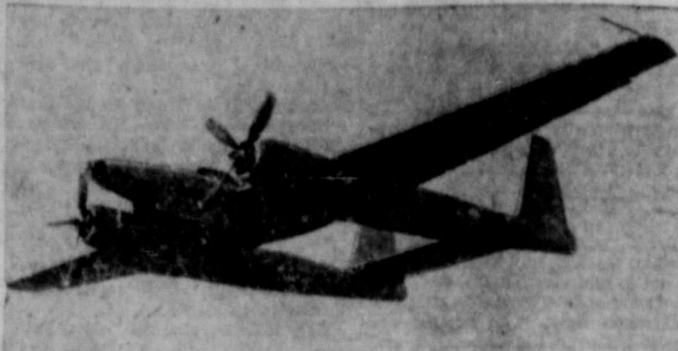
"Frankly, I don't see how we can afford to turn it down. We've got the opportunity to be the aviation center between Fort Worth and Abilene and if we don't take the opportunity that we have, some other town will and we'll be so far behind we'll never catch up. We should take the lead now and be a jump ahead. If the city commission feels that they can't raise their part of the funds, we might work out a plan for raising half of the funds by subscription and let the city put up the rest. At any rate, we ought not to quibble about it, but get together and work out something to do about it. Joe Nussle, lawyer.

"I'm definitely for the improvements. To stand in the way of the program would be just like those that fought the railroads years ago. We can look back now and see how foolish that was. Mack has shown us what can be done with an airport. Single handed he's done it a busy center and made this airport known all over the country. I believe it can be done and it should be." J. E. Meroney, wholesale dealer for Sinclair products.

"I am definitely for the airport improvements program. I realize that the city commission has a real problem to handle but I believe it can be done and I am willing to help anyway I can." T. J. Anderson, Chevrolet dealer.

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## Hughes Flies as Senator Watches



With millionaire plane-maker Howard Hughes at the controls, the XF-11 photo reconnaissance plane, above, zooms over the Hughes airport at Culver City, Calif., during a test flight. Watching the demonstration was Sen. Harry P. Cain (R. Wash.), member of the subcommittee which just recessed its investigation into Hughes' war contracts for the XF-11 and the huge flying boat. Below, Senator Cain and Hughes pose for photographers in front of the XF-11 just before the test. The senator said his unscheduled visit was to look over the two disputed planes. (NEA Telephoto).



## LEE ASKS FOR INVESTIGATION OF CHARGES

LIVVERNO, Italy.—Lt. John C. H. Lee announced today that he had asked the war department to investigate charges against his administration of the Mediterranean theater by Robert C. Ruark, Scripps Howard columnist, in a series of articles described by Lee as "misleading."

In his first official statement on the Ruark articles, Lee said that the "unwarranted attacks" which presented "a completely distorted view" demand refutation from sources outside his command.

"I have read the articles criticizing the Mediterranean Theater which I command," Lee's statement said. "The author of these articles spent 19 days in the theater."

"He spent 16 hours in Leghorn, did not go to Viareggio, spent approximately 48 hours in Venezia Giulia, one week in Rome, eight days on the island of Capri—where no military installations exist."

"As a result of this meager visit, the author has seen fit to write misleading articles which have been presented to the public."

## AID TO BRITAIN MUST FIT MARSHALL PLAN

WASHINGTON.—Top American officials said today that any help America gives Britain on the economic front must fit into the Marshall plan.

The statement was made as American and British representatives began discussions looking toward revision of the \$37,750,000, 100 British loan agreement to enable Britain to conserve her rapidly vanishing dollar supply.

The 12-member British delegation, headed by Sir Wilfrid Eady, of the British Exchange, arrived here by plane yesterday for the conferences.

Their arrival coincided with news that the British cabinet held an extraordinary week-end conference at No. 10 Downing street in London, reportedly on Britain's economic situation and the forthcoming conferences here.

Eady and Sir Gordon Munro, financial attaché of the British embassy, conferred this morning

## Mother Of Mrs. Crouch Dies, Funeral Today

Mrs. Emily Beck, 73, died at 11:30 p.m. Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Annie Hull, in Abilene, after a long illness.

Mrs. Beck was the mother of Mrs. W. F. Crouch of Ranger. Funeral services were held at the Kiker-Warren Funeral home Monday at 2:30 p.m. Burial will be in the Sweetwater cemetery by the side of her husband, who died on July 6, 1942.

Survivors include a son, W. J. Beck of Bryson; two daughters, Mrs. Hull and Mrs. W. F. Crouch; and three brothers, R. E. Bradbury of Abilene, A. E. Bradbury of Mount Vernon, and J. S. Bradbury of Snyder.

## Circus Committee Asked To Meet

Howard Oliver, general chairman for arrangements for the coming of the Gineville Circus has called a meeting of all committee members tonight at 7 o'clock at the Gholson Hotel. He stated today that it is important for every member to be there and urges them to make their plans to that effect.

Americans consume 50,000,000 pounds of meat daily—when it is available.

## U. S. ATTACKS INTERFERENCE WITH VOTERS IN HUNGARY

WASHINGTON.—The United States took another slap at a Soviet satellite today with a charge that the Communist-controlled Hungarian government is conducting a "whole disfranchisement" of non-Communist voters.

The obvious intent of the government in depriving eligible voters of their right to cast ballots is to make certain the Communists get control of the new legislature "regardless of the outcome of the balloting," the state department said.

Hungary's national election is scheduled to be held Aug. 31. Selden Chapin, American minister to Hungary, was instructed to seek an interview with Hungarian Prime Minister Legos Dinnyes to urge him to correct "electoral abuses." The state department said it understood the British minister would make a similar protest.

## Eastland Wins, Ranger Defeated

Softball fans enjoyed a twin-bill at Fireman's Field, Eastland Saturday night. In the opener, Eastland defeated Stephenville, by a score of 11 to 10. Abilene took the night-cap from Ranger, by a score of 10 to 4.

Box score:  
First Game—STEPHENVILLE

	AB	R	H	PO	A
Price, 2nd	5	2	2	4	1
Goodman, c	5	1	3	6	0
Lackey, 1st	4	1	0	7	0
Sullivan, p	4	2	2	0	4
Scott, lf	4	1	1	0	0
Self, 3rd	4	1	3	0	1
Stone, cf	3	1	1	0	0
Garrett, ss	4	0	1	1	2
Noland, rf	4	1	1	0	0
Totals	37	10	14	18	8

Second Game—RANGER

	AB	R	H	PO	A
Jr. At'burn, 2nd	4	0	0	0	0
Seymore, lf	4	0	0	1	0
Townsen, rf, cf	4	0	0	1	0
D. Arterburn 3rd	2	1	0	1	3
Bradshaw, p, cf	3	1	1	1	4
W. Arterburn, ss	3	1	0	1	1
Poyner, c	1	1	0	7	0
L. Williams, rf	1	0	0	0	0
B. Williams, p	2	0	0	1	1
Daskevich, 1st	3	0	1	7	0
Totals	27	4	2	18	9

ABILENE

	AB	R	H	PO	A
Beaver, ss	4	0	1	2	4
L. Williams, cf	3	2	1	0	0
Ground, 3rd	4	1	1	0	0
Lee, lf	2	1	1	0	0
Reel, rf	3	0	1	0	0
Winkles, 2nd	1	0	0	2	1
Morris, 2nd	1	1	1	0	1
Davidson, c	5	2	1	9	0
Nutt, 1st	3	1	0	10	0
Meyers, p	1	2	1	0	3
Crandel, p	1	0	0	1	1
Totals	26	10	8	21	11
Ranger	0	0	0	1	3
Abilene	2	4	1	3	0
R H E	4	2	4		
	10	11	3		

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

Cattle 5100. Fairly active, mostly steady, cows strong. Good fed yearlings and heifers 25.00-24.00. Good fat cows 15.50-17.50.

Calves 3100. Best fat calves strong, other steady. Good apt choice fat calves 18.00-23.00.

Hogs 700. Slow, generally 25.00 lower on all classes. Top 27.25 for few lots selected 190-230 lbs. Other good and choice 180.270 lbs 27.00.

Sheep 4900. Mostly steady, some fat sheep weaker. Medium and good slaughter spring lambs 20.00-22.50.

# Cuba Backs Hemisphere Collective Action Plan

## PETE JENSEN DIES SUDDENLY IN COLORADO

Word was received Sunday night of the death of Pete Jensen, prominent in oil circles and long time resident of Ranger.

Mr. Jensen died very suddenly at a resort near Gunnison, Colorado, where he and Mrs. Jensen had just joined friends for a vacation.

According to reports reaching Ranger, Mr. Jensen with friends was fishing from a boat, when he suddenly complained of a terrible pain in his head. The complaint was the last word he uttered and he had passed away before he could be removed from the boat. Among the friends with them at the resort were Mr. and Mrs. Ervin McCaslin of Borger, formerly of Ranger.

The Jensens had just recently been at their home in Ranger and from here went to Oklahoma City where they were called by the serious condition of Mr. Jensen's brother who had been injured in a car accident. From there they went on to Colorado.

Plans are to return the body to Ranger for funeral services either Wednesday or Thursday and then the body will be taken to Missouri for burial. It was understood that a washout on the highways would delay the party in getting back to Ranger.

Mr. Jensen came to Ranger from Altus, Oklahoma about 20 years ago and had operated a casing piling crew around Ranger and in West Texas for a number of years. Recently he and Mrs. Jensen had been spending most of their time in Oklahoma, Kansas, and Missouri where they have wheat farms and other oil interests.

During his years in Ranger the deceased had been very active in the Elks Lodge, having served as an exalted ruler at one time.

Besides Mrs. Jensen he is survived by two brothers and a number of nieces and nephews.

Just before press time this afternoon it was learned that the body of Mr. Jensen is being sent to Ranger by train and will arrive here on the Sunshine Special Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Jensen is driving overland with the McCaslins and will arrive sometime Wednesday. It was stated that the condition of the roads up there made it necessary to send the body by train and forced Mrs. Jensen to take a round-about way home.

No funeral arrangements will be made until Mrs. Jensen arrives.

## Columnist To Publish Works In Book Form

Eastland County can now claim an author in its own right, along with Boyce House, Miss Elsie Glenn, whose newspaper column, "Heartsease" appears in a number of local papers, has announced that The Naylor Publishing Co., San Antonio will release her first book early this fall. The book is in gift edition form, a compilation of her column, will be of regulation size, beautifully bound in black and white, paper jacket and will be about 200 pages.

Miss Glenn stated that her decision to bring out the book was prompted by numerous requests from her daily readers for the book in time for use as gifts at the Christmas Holidays and other gift occasions.

The Eastland National Bank is now accepting advance orders for gift book edition copies and the book retails for \$2.00 per copy. Since copies are limited, advance order must be reached the Eastland National Bank not later than September 1st. Checks or money orders should be addressed to "Heartsease" Eastland National Bank in order to reserve a copy of the book that gives every indication of being well received.

## Pioneer Airline Traffic Still On The Climb

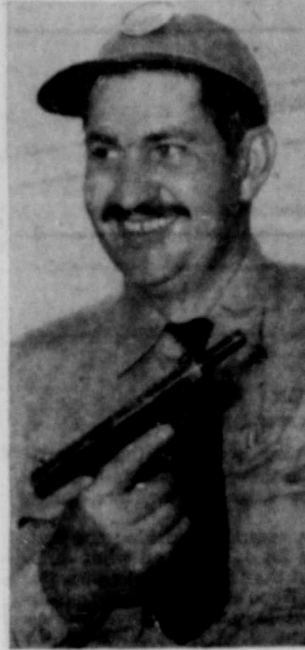
HOUSTON, Texas.—Continuing gains in passenger traffic are shown in figures for the month of July released today by Robert J. South, president of Pioneer Air Lines.

During June the company established new records for passengers carried only to have them exceeded in July. This trend of constant increases has been continuing since the company began operations two years ago.

A total of 5,858 passengers provided 1,565,019 revenue passenger miles of flight during July as contrasted with 5,627 passengers flying 1,504,969 revenue passenger miles in June. In July 1946, 1,761 passengers flew a total of 508,054 revenue passenger miles, which illustrates the growth of Pioneer Air Lines in the past 12 months.

Express shipments during July were up to 11,828 pounds carried from the previous record in June when 11,777 pounds were flown. Pioneer carried 28,927 pounds of mail during July.

## Victory for Navy



Chief Petty Officer John A. Young, of Seattle, Wash., and the USS Battleship Iowa won the War Department's national trophy individual pistol match at Camp Perry, Ohio, by scoring 276 out of a possible 300. He is the first Navy man to take the title in over 40 years. (NEA Photo).

## Thieves Tearing Down What The Jaycees Built

Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce are much perturbed over the fact that some body is taking things from the rodeo arena.

Recently it was discovered that one of the flood lights, bracket and all, had been removed from the arena and all of the water troughs are missing. Efforts are being made to locate the articles in as much as they are very expensive and difficult to replace. Officers are keeping a vigil at the arena in an effort to apprehend those who are thus meddling.

## Directors To Meet

The regular meeting of the directors of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce will be held at the manager's office Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

All directors are especially urged to attend.

Bees were introduced into Boston in 1670.

## A New Flag for the UN



The flag of the new dominion of Hindu India is raised in the circle of banners at the United Nations' Lake Success, N. Y., headquarters. Proudly hauling the green, white and saffron standard aloft is Dr. P. P. Pillai, permanent representative of India to the UN. Looking up at the flag is British delegate, Sir Alexander Cadogan. At left is Mrs. Pillai in native India costume. (NEA Telephoto).

## NEW MATTER OF ECONOMIC PEACE THREATS IS CONSIDERED

PETROPOLIS, Brazil.—Cuba planned to announce today her strong support of a United States proposal that would make all collective action short of force mandatory on all of the western hemisphere.

Guillermo Belt, Cuban delegate, expected to set forth Cuba's position at the Inter-American defense conference.

Belt especially will praise Secretary of State George C. Marshall's proposal for eliminating all "escape clauses" except for use of armed force. He previously had favored making collective action mandatory only on those who voted for it.

"Belt will deliver his address at today's plenary session, and probably will be the first delegate here to speak formally on the Marshall proposal. He will take the opportunity to boost Cuba's proposal that economic as well as military aggression be considered a threat to peace.

The conference got down to work this morning with the first meetings of its committees.

Committee one, on which T. M. Connally represents the United States, received from Connally a memorandum of a "possible method of work for the committees," dividing up various parts of a proposed treaty among three groups.

Committee one would handle principles and procedures of peaceful settlement, the preamble and protocol articles. Committee two, on which Sen. Arthur Vandenberg represents the U. S., would handle the acts and threats of aggression and measures to be taken. Committee three, on which Warren Austin represents the U. S., would handle procedures and agencies for executing the treaty, including voting procedure and methods of consultation.

## Asks Suspension Of Death Order For Bulgarian

SOFIA—Maj. Gen. Walter M. Robertson, American member of the Allied Control Commission, today suspension of the death sentence given Nikola Petkov, Bulgarian opposition leader, on charges of plotting to overthrow the government.

Robertson dispatched a letter to Russian Lt. Gen. Alexander Cherepanov, acting chairman of the commission, demanding that he instruct the Bulgarian government to suspend the sentence pending a review of the case by the commission.

"On the basis of information available, it appears to be a gross miscarriage of justice," Robertson wrote.

## Jaycee Meeting Tonite Important

The regular meeting of the Ranger Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at the Gholson Hotel.

Matters pertaining to the coming of the Gineville Circus will be discussed and it is important that every member of the organization be present.

## The Weather

Partly cloudy.  
Temperature at 1:30 p.m. today:  
Maximum 95  
Minimum 77  
Hou's Reading 93  
Temperature for the last 24 hours ending at 8:00 a. m. today:  
Maximum 98  
Minimum 79



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WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(NEA)—Some time next fall, the Department of Agriculture hopes to present the House Committee on Agriculture with its recommendations for a brand-new, long-range U. S. farm program.

Several months of hearings before this committee during the last Congress brought out a lot of words on what U. S. farm problems are. But they produced no answers. Chairman Clifford R. Hope of Kansas was frankly a little disappointed that pressure of other legislative business kept his committee from getting more done. It heard only from the farm organizations and pressure groups. To supplement the testimony of these lobbyists, a special sub-committee under Charles B. Hoeven of Iowa will tour the country during the congressional recess. Six weeks of hearings will be held in six regions—New England, the South, Midwest, Southwest, Pacific Coast and Rocky Mountains. They will return to Washington for further hearings in the fall.

In reviewing the evidence collected thus far, Hope says that everyone is strong for soil conservation and thinks the federal government should do more to aid farmers.

Without having any very definite ideas, a majority would like to have the parity formula revised. One idea is to include labor costs, but not on the old Pace amendment formula. The Grange has an idea for a moving five-year index that would automatically adjust itself to changing conditions. This would not be a fixed, five-year plan, but a flexible program that would not freeze production of crops that aren't needed.

THERE is some sentiment for taking the payment of farm benefits out of the hands of the federal government and giving it to the states. Handling it on a matching-funds grant-in-aid basis has been suggested. This is in line with current Republican trends to decentralize administration of many federal activities, as in the proposed bills to aid education and health, up next session.

The school lunch program and Vermont Sen. George Aiken's plan to revive the food stamp plan for aid to families with incomes under \$40 a week are both supported by many farm organizations. They view such plans as a solution for possible farm surplus problems.

Nobody seems to have any yen to bring back production controls. Everybody wants full production, with guaranteed markets. They don't want the bottom to fall out as it did in 1930. A few people want all government controls and support removed for a return to an absolutely free farm economy.

There is no agreement on what the new farm price support program should be. Some want full 100 per cent parity price support. Others think 90 is high enough. Still others think both figures too high. They believe that to freeze support prices at too high levels encourages overproduction.

THIS issue is only one of the political fights that lie ahead of the farm program. Southern Democrats with cotton interests at heart are getting more high-minded all the time. They are leaning away from the Democratic low-tariff reciprocal trade program.

On the other hand, the wheat bloc, which is normally Republican and high-tariff minded, has also shifted. Because wheat farmers must have export markets for bumper crops, they have come to realize there must be imports to pay for those exports. Therefore they want freer trade and lower tariffs.

There are 27 members of the House Agriculture Committee, and there are probably 27 ideas on this whole range of subjects. Yet this is the group which next year must write America's new farm program. Obviously, they'll have to compromise.

If prices stay high, there will be a great temptation to do nothing. Also, the politicians will be inclined not to stir up controversial farm issues in an election year. It's an American tradition, of course, to do nothing until you get in trouble.

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—One close to the National League's front office says John Edward Reardon hardly endeared himself to Ford Frick by his attitude after waving Ron Northey home to cause the Cardinals to protest the key game with the Dodgers in Brooklyn.

Neither did Beans Reardon's co-workers, Jocko Conlan and Larry Goetz, for that matter.

The president of the elder circuit made that perfectly clear when he upheld the protest, ruled the game a tie and ordered it replayed as the first game of a double-header at Ebbets Field, Aug. 18.

"Fairness, common sense and sportsmanship must govern any decision not explicitly covered by the rules," he said.

FRICK did not relish having the umpires dump such a tough one in his lap.

The pennant could easily hinge on his verdict.

The inference is that the use of common sense on the part of the arbiters would have given outfielder Northey an inside-the-park home run then and there. The clubs would have played to a decision that afternoon.

Frick, who severely rebuked Reardon for his totally unwise "coaching" at third base, is also said to be upset about a post-decision rebuttal on the part of the dean of National League umpires.

In his report, Reardon admitted he slowed down Northey, approaching third base on a long drive off the center field railing, enough to keep him from scoring. Goetz and Conlan concurred.

Northey and Manager Eddie Dyer of the St. Louis club as-

'What's There In It For Me?'



Texts On Ceilings Aid Bedridden Vets

WASHINGTON (UP)—Bedridden paralyzed and tubercular veterans now hold classroom sessions in their beds by studying microfilmed textbooks flashed on hospital ceilings.

The Veterans' Administration, which recently initiated the microfilmed textbook study program previously had used 100

films only for entertainment of patients who were flat on their backs. However, VA conceived the study idea and filmed 32 manuals

for bedside courses. The courses include such subjects as English grammar, American government, physics, and electrical and gas refrigeration.

When a patient finishes reading a page, he pushes a button on the side of the projector and the page is "turned." When he is allowed to

leave his bed, he may continue in a regular book where he stopped his microfilm studies.

—READ THE CLASSIFIEDS—

DEATH of a DOLL

By Hilda Lawrence
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XXVII
DR. KLOPPFEL said, "It's blood all right. Deep in that bronze carving. Want me to soak it out and type it?"
"No use," Mark answered. "We can't do anything with it. We can't get a sample for comparison, if you know what I mean. It's better where it is. Even if it belongs to Harris instead of Miller, it's better. It says more."
"Printings?"
"None."
Dr. Kloppfel wrapped the box in a clean handkerchief and placed it in the center of his table. The old-fashioned chandelier shed a cold white light. The box looked like a little coffin, shrouded and lonely.
"Miss Brady's box, stolen from Blackman's. Miss Brady's box." Dr. Kloppfel hated his own words. "You can't accuse that lady of theft. You can't even accuse her of murder. It isn't fitting!"
"Her box did murder once, and tried it a second time. Unless Lillian Harris knocked herself out for a red herring."
"Who?" Dr. Kloppfel said. "You didn't see those heads and I did." He reached out and touched the box gingerly. "It hurt, Mr. East. It was cruel and painful and slow, blow after blow." He withdrew his hand and rubbed it. "What do we do now?"
"Let's act like honest taxpayers and yell help, murder, police. Who was on the case before?"
"Roy, for about five minutes. He's a very busy man. He looked up at the window, shook his head and said, 'Pity.'"

for the House, deficits and so on. And Jewel—" Mrs. Marshall-Gill drew closer to the fire. "Mr. East, I feel uncomfortable even now when I think of it. Venomous, hateful, I can't describe it except to say that she wasn't at all nice. I think she was thinking things about me."
He drew closer to the fire himself. "Go on, Mrs. Marshall-Gill."
"A naughty girl," she said firmly. "I suspect she'd been drinking or smoking in her room, which is forbidden to employees. She went right up again, put me off at the first floor, and went right up again. No apology for keeping me waiting. That's what happens when you coddle these people. Dressed up like one of the boarders, jolting and slouching and probably making faces at me behind that mask. And a beauty spot, too. Impertinence."
He picked his words carefully after that. He didn't want her around his neck, screaming.
"Do you know anything about that beauty spot, Mrs. Marshall-Gill?"
"Know about it? Certainly not. What should I know? Showing off."
Then, "You got in the car at the fifth floor. Do you remember where it went when she took it up again?"
"I remember very well. I watched the little wretch. She lives on second, but she went up to the eighth. That's under the roof. She was going to walk up to the roof and smoke and drink." He gloated silently. "I suppose you talked to Jewel when she took you up to Miss Small's?"
"Why, yes. Why, how strange! She did talk that time, surely, of course, but she did talk. I dare say she'd quarreled with someone in the meantime. They always quarrel, people like that."
"Was she wearing the beauty spot then?"
"Was she—oh, no. I'd have noticed and commented. No, not then. That's probably one of the things she was doing when I was in Miss Small's. Sewing it on, making herself conspicuous. Upstart!"
He reached for his hat.
(To Be Continued)



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OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



FUNNY BUSINESS

BY MERRILL BLOSSER



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BY MERRILL BLOSSER



BY FRED HARMON



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BY V. T. HAMLIN



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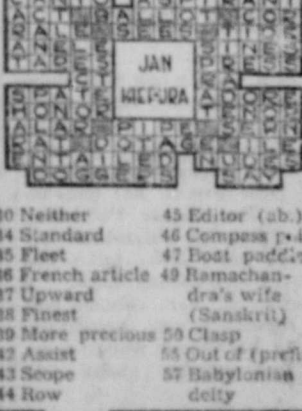


CROSSWORD PUZZLE

British Marshal

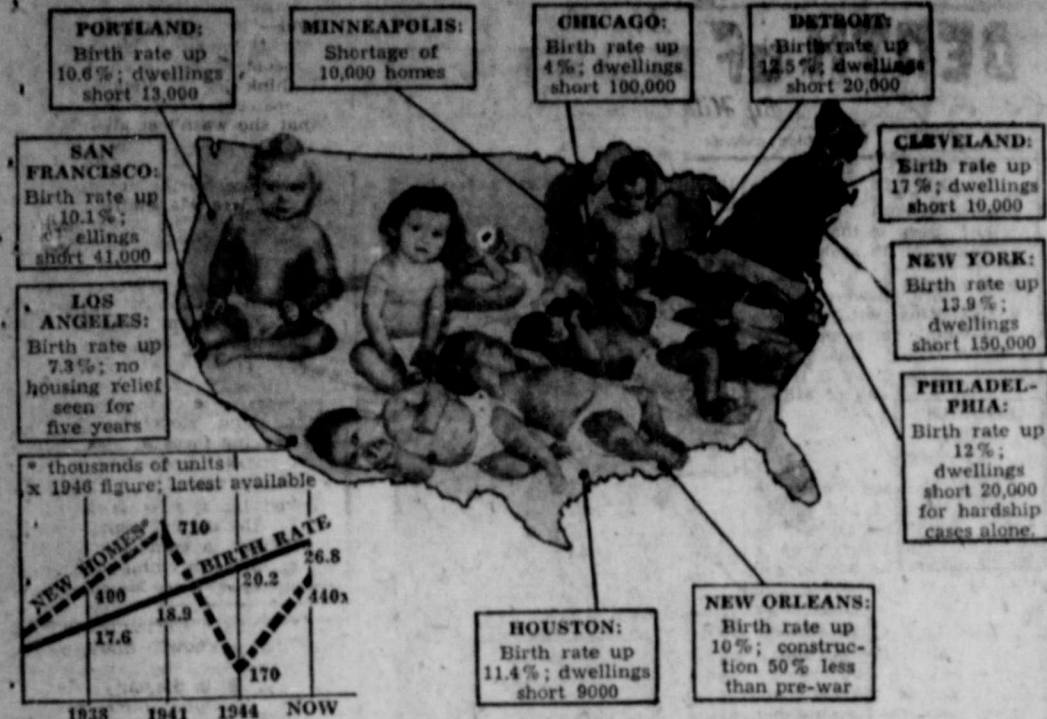
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7 Unlettered
8 Depression language
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11 Beverage
12 Individual
13 Tendency
14 Closed car
15 Hawaiian bird
16 Preposition
17 Punitive
18 He was deputy commander-in-chief
19 Eisenhower
20 Mineral rock
21 Pastry
22 Hurt
23 Cotton fabric
24 Currency
25 Girl's name
26 Notion
27 Silkworm
28 Heavy
29 Sets anew
30 King's home
31 Petty prince
32 Footless animal
33 Carried
34 30 (Fr.)

Answer to Previous Puzzle





### Lots of Babies With No Place to Live



The critical housing situation is in no way eased by the fact that America's birth rate is steadily rising. Small chart at lower left shows how the birth rate keeps zooming upward (solid line), while construction of new homes has not yet reached pre-war levels (dotted line). All birth rate figures for the cities mentioned are based on the increase between the 1929 rate and today's rate.

### Starts Early On Art Career

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (UP)—Patricia Kelley is not yet 13 but she is fast becoming one of the city's leading young artists.

Patricia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kelley, began drawing when she was seven.

Although bird scenes are her specialty, she is doing some portrait work. Patricia works mostly with pencil. Her 14-year-old brother, Chapman, sketches with charcoal.

Patricia finds time from her hobby to play a little baseball—she prefers that game to such tame indoor sports as playing with dolls—go on picnics, ride horseback and look after three Collie puppies. And, too, she is learning to cook, after a fashion. She made some cream puffs. They stuck to the pan, "so we had up-side down cream puffs," she said.

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### Health Officer Urges Diphtheria Immunization

AUSTIN, Texas — Education of the public to the value of diphtheria immunization has resulted in lowering the incidence of this dread disease, but Texas still had over 1500 cases of this preventable disease last year according to records in the Texas State Department of Health.

"It is a generally accepted fact among public health authorities," Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said, "that any community may control its death rate from diphtheria. Immunization has been proved a safe and effective preventive measure. Wherever immunizing treatment has been extensively used, diphtheria has steadily decreased. "The most forceful weapon in the control of diphtheria is prevention through immunization, rather than cure of the disease after it has developed. Children can be protected against diphtheria by the use of what is known as toxoid. Young children are particularly susceptible to the disease. Accordingly, as soon as a baby is six months old, the parents are advised to take it to the family physician and have it immunized—protected, by the use of toxoid. Older children in the family who have not had the protective treatment, should be immunized also, and this should be attended to now before the school season begins. This immunizing agent is absolutely safe to administer; there is only a slight local reaction; and practically no constitutional or troublesome after-effects. It confers a life time immunity in the majority of cases. To be certain that im-

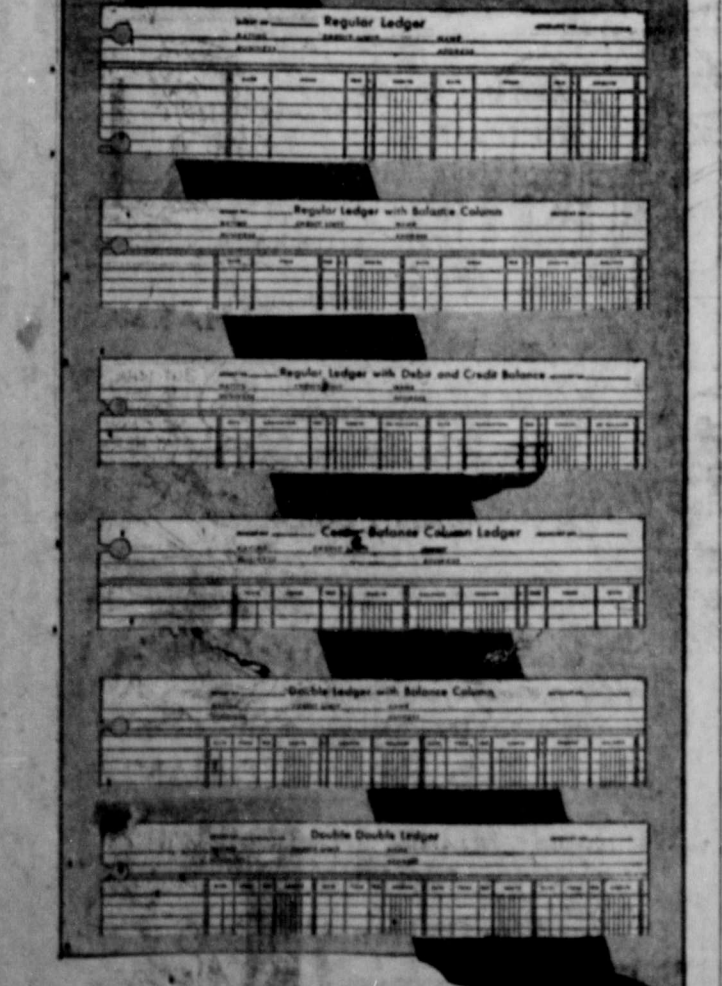
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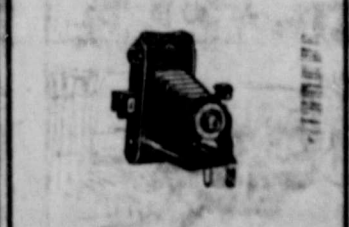
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munization is complete, however, the child should be taken back to the physician six months after the toxoid was administered, and given the Schick Test.

"It is within the power of the parents of this State, cooperating with their physicians and public health departments, to eliminate diphtheria from Texas."

Traffic on South Dakota highways is up 20 per cent from last year, the state highway commission revealed.

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### Over 3,000 In A & M 2nd Term

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (UP)—Enrollment for the second summer term at Texas A. & M. College is 3,155, H. L. Heaton, registrar, has announced. Included are 2,800 veterans attending under the government program and 45 women. Classes will end Aug. 29, with registration for the fall semester scheduled for the next day. Classes will begin Sep. 15.

### Heartsease

Verily, Verily, I Say Unto You  
The man was angry, ragged, seething with resentment. Where had he failed? Why did others have more than he? Why, by God, he'd reached a pretty pass... he actually had no shoes.

A sardonic snarl crossed his ravaged face.

"Allright, I'll beg!"

And he went out into the street. Some damned, poor beggar already had the corner he'd picked out... the best corner in the block for begging.

Scowling, he approached the ragged bit of humanity crouched in the half dark. The beggar made a mistake; he held up his torn cap to receive the offering.

"Get up, bum! Move along... this happens to be my corner!"

The man with no shoes glared definitely at the ragbag on the sidewalk.

"I can't, I have no feet."

The man without shoes stood

very still. A drowning sound tore from his throat.

"I've got a quarter, brother... I'll go get us some food!"

His bare feet slapped eagerly across the pavement.

The screaming of car brakes rent the air as he fell under the wheels.

The man without feet bent his head in his hands.

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## Woman Mayor Wants Women To Study Politics

**AVALON, N. J. (UP)**—New Jersey's only woman, mayor thinks every woman should take an intelligent interest in politics.

Mayor Edith M. Greenan, of Avalon, considers voting by women "a duty to be performed only if they study both government and politics."

"There is so much politics in government that no one can really understand government unless he also understands politics," she said.

Mayor Greenan warned that women who aspire to politics "must have the humor of a clown and the hide of an elephant."

## Mother-Daughter Diplomatic Team



The new Hindu India dominion has sent its first diplomatic delegation to Moscow. The ambassador to Russia is Mrs. Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit, left, who becomes the only woman ambassador in the Soviet capital. Her daughter, Miss Chandra Lakha Pandit, right, acting as her mother's press attache, forms the other half of the mother-daughter team. (NEA Telephoto).

## Queen of Them All



Nineteen-year-old Molly Brady, of Bayonne, N. J., displays her crown and the attributes that won her the title of America's 1947 Pin-Up Queen in national finals at Palisades Park, N. J.

## Army Post Sets Up School System From Nursery To Junior College

By Bill Coughlin, United Press Staff Correspondent HONOLULU, T. H. (UP)—

One of the army's most ambitious experiments in education is being conducted at Schofield Barracks, which will soon have a complete school system ranging from a nursery school to a junior college.

In a setting that already looks more like a college campus than a military establishment, the army's first junior college will open its doors next month.

Attendance at the schools is not limited to service personnel and their dependents, but is also open to civilians in the surrounding communities who are willing to pay the tuition.

The junior college will be operated on the same basis. In its first day of preregistration on July 30, more than 120 students from

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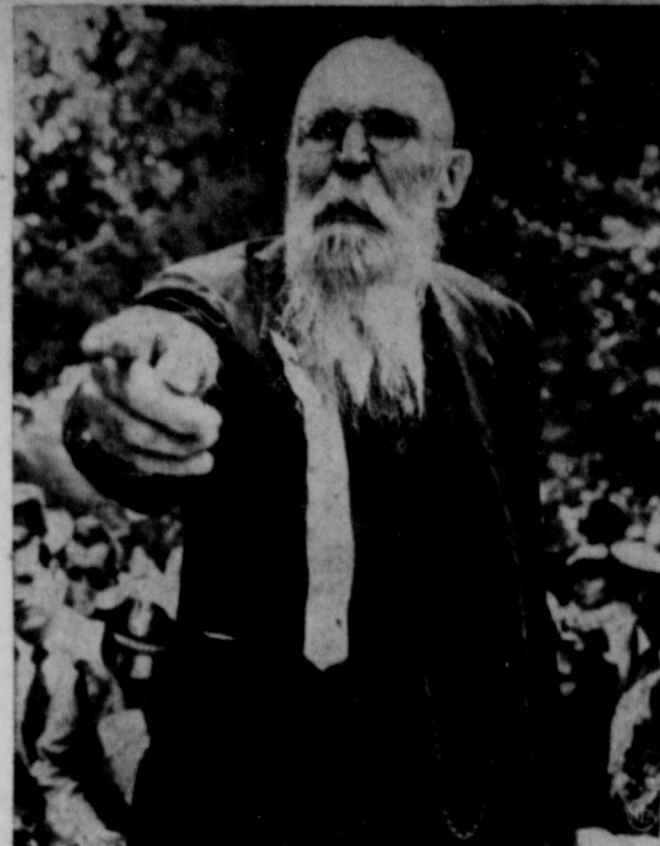
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## He's Telling 'Em



Bearded like a Biblical prophet, 66-year-old Shelby Ever Gragg, North Carolina preacher, points an accusing finger at a known bootlegger and sounds off about the evils of drink. Elder Gragg was one of a number of religious speakers at the annual "Singing on the Mountain" festival at the base of Grandfather Mountain, Linville, N. C. Every year since 1924 mountain folk of North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, Kentucky and Georgia have gathered there by the thousands to sing and listen to music and oratory.

States and three foreign countries signed up.

Most of these were servicemen from Schofield and nearby military bases, but a large number were civilians. The Veterans' Administration has approved the college and already some veterans have enrolled under the G. I. Bill of Rights.

The school will offer courses leading to degrees of Associate of Arts or Sciences, and expects to be quickly accredited when it opens on Sept. 15.

The idea for the college originated with the post commander, Brig. Gen. Wayne G. Smith.

In its setting, 25 miles from Honolulu, the college students will have a hard time convincing themselves that they are on an army post instead of a beautiful campus.

The base already has one golf course and another will be ready soon. The largest motion picture theater in the islands is at Schofield.

The post has its own riding academies and swimming pools which are open to the students. There is a 13,000-seat indoor boxing arena, adjoining a modern gymnasium.

The post also has its own bowling alleys and tennis courts and the prowess of its athletic teams is well known here.

A large library, housing more than 20,000 books and increasing at the rate of 2,000 volumes a month, will be available for the use of students at the Schofield junior college.

A staff has been lined up, each instructor holding at least a master's degree. Only two of the instructors are military men.

## Army, Navy Outfits Merge On Their Own

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C. (UP)—

The Army and Navy here didn't wait for Congress to pass the unification bill—they went ahead and merged on their own.

Forced to move from their old quarters, the Army ground forces organized reserve corps found a new location in a vacant store building.

A few days later the Naval reserve headquarters was forced to move, too. The Navy wasn't so lucky. It could find no place to go.

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# DEATH OF A DOLL

By Hilda Lawrence

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XXVIII

MARK stood with his back to the fire and looked at the four men who were sitting around the table. He had talked steadily for an hour.

"That's all for now," he said. "You'll have to wait until tomorrow for the rest."

"Are you waiting for tomorrow yourself?" Roberta asked pointedly.

He said there was nothing else he could do. With Foy in Hope House and Foy's boys patrolling the Hope House halls, nothing could happen.

Nick shuffled his feet. "I've been thinking," he said. "What happened to the costumes, Mark?"

"That's in my little book. That's one of the things for tomorrow. That, Plummer, Harris, and the girl named April." His voice was strained. "Tomorrow, I'm counting on tomorrow. . . There's that blue suit, too. I don't know why it should vanish. She wasn't wearing it when she died. I can't see another girl stealing it, but it's gone."

"The one she spilled tea on?" Beulah asked.

"Yes."

"The answer to that is positively childish. It's at the cleaners. Don't worry about it. Bessy and I will get it for you tomorrow."

He gave her a look full of pity. "May I remind you once more that this is New York?" he said. "There are about a couple of thousand cleaners—"

"There is exactly one cleaner," she answered, "and he is somewhere between Blackman's and Hope House."

He began a weary diatribe on their prospects and was about to cap it with an axiom when she stopped herself in time. Where Bessy and Beulah were concerned, an axiom was an old saw

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"I know," she said humbly. "You were down in the kitchen with Miss Small. I didn't mean anything, Miss Brady, I'm only trying to straighten myself out."

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"Call me at Kloppe's . . ." he said.

MISS PLUMMER looked from Miss Brady to the doctor, and then, fearfully, to the detective.

He was smiling down at her, in a nice way, as if he understood how she felt.

"You want to tell me something, don't you?" he asked gravely.

"Yes, sir." She turned toward him in the bed and faced the door. "I have it on my mind that Ruth Miller was murdered."

No one spoke until he said, "Why, Miss Plummer?"

"I have it on my mind, that's all I can say. And I think the one that did it knows how I feel."

"Do you know who did it, Miss Plummer?"

"No." They had left the door open, and the hall was quiet. She could hear the elevator in the distance. If it stopped at her floor, she'd know. "But I am responsible in a way. I sent her to her death."

He sat beside her on the bed. "Tell me what you mean when you say you sent Ruth to her death."

"It was the night of the party. I sent Ruth upstairs to get the bandages when the chef was hurt."

Miss Brady said, "Ruth? You sent Ruth?"

She answered painfully. "Yes, Miss Brady. I know it was Ruth. She spoke to me, I knew her voice, and she said she didn't know where Miss Brady's room—"

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# COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

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

### INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week: Carl Angstadt to First Federal S&L Assn., deed of trust.

W. I. Angew to C. L. Lloyd, mineral deed.

Jack R. Burnett to O. H. Randel, oil and gas lease.

Paul J. Bleakley, to A. C. Davis, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Eva Bishop to Ella B. Waddell, warranty deed.

A. J. Bassell to J. F. Lee, warranty deed.

Lonnie W. Burks to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.

M. T. Cruce to The Public, cc probate.

Earl Conner, Jr., to Elvy Bowen quit claim deed.

Winnie L. Cox to First Federal S&L Assn., deed of trust.

Cisco Country Club to L. B. Norvell, warranty deed. D. K. Clark to Robert W. Fox, warranty deed.

George Cazeo to Clyde Bond, warranty deed.

City of Ranger to C. B. Pruet, release of paving lien.

Cisco Independent School District to J. E. Spencer, resolution. Eastland National Bank to First Federal S&L Assn., transfer of federal.

J. R. Elder to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

Bill Eyley to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.

T. L. Fagg to C. J. Langlitz, warranty deed.

Federal Land Bank, Houston to O. C. Holcomb, partial release.

H. L. Francis to J. A. Gober, release of lien.

J. E. Free to The Public, affidavit.

John W. Fields to Chas. S. Sandier, deed of trust.

Frances L. Fee to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

C. L. Funderburk to Paul Poe, agreement.

J. A. Gober to W. J. Stacy, warranty deed.

L. V. Garrett to Pink Stafford, warranty deed.

H. R. Garrett to Wayne-Freeman, Jr., mineral deed.

quit claim deed.

L. E. McGraw to W. W. Carney, warranty deed.

S. I. Newton to T. L. Cooper, MD.

R. L. Perkins to J. B. Down-tain, warranty deed.

K. J. Fharr to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

Van Farmer to Lone Star Producing Company, release of oil and gas lease.

C. B. Pruet to Lonnie W. Burks, warranty deed.

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C. B. Pruet to William T. Perrin, warranty deed.

William T. Perrin to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.

J. F. Robertson to C. R. Martin, transfer of vendor's lien.

F. W. Roberts to American Legion, R. S. warranty deed.

E. J. Reich to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

Maurine Mancill Royall to Willie LeRoy Pippin, MD.

Jack V. Stephens to W. B. Wilson, warranty deed.

Charles S. Sandier to Walter W. Shirley, warranty deed.

Carl Stroebel to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

Edith S. Townsend to H. L. King, warranty deed.

H. H. Tompkins to H. S. Drumwright, Sr., warranty deed.

C. A. Waters to Adrian R. Allen, bill of sale.

Hall Walker to E. D. Hess, quit claim deed.

C. M. Williams to H. R. Garrett, MD.

C. N. Wagley to T. F. Cannon, oil and gas lease.

Dan Wende to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

D. C. Wilcox to Clyde W. Langley, release of vendor's lien.

ORDERS and JUDGMENTS

The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:

Eastland Free School, Inc. v. J. S. Anderson, tax judgment.

Eastland Free School, Inc. v. C. B. Dacon, et al, tax judgment.

Eastland Free School, Inc. v. J. S. Anderson, order appointing attorney for defendant.

The State of Texas v. O. G. Arnold, et al, judgment.

## Bearing Down on Britain's Crisis



The gravity of Great Britain's economic plight is reflected in the face of Foreign Minister Ernest Bevin as he strides along Downing Street to a meeting between the British cabinet and national leaders of the miners. They wrestled with the problem of increasing output of coal, backbone of British economy.

quen, put her in the palm of his hand and dumped her into a waiting box car and drove away, the other bees trailing along.

At the time Norris was searching for the queen, the other bees covered his arms, chest, neck and face. But they didn't sting Norris. He explained that bees light anywhere, and the minute one gets caught in the fold of clothing, it becomes excited and sets off a buzz-buzz which attracts the others and the stinging starts.

Hence, if you care to try Norris's stunt, please remove your shirt.

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## Man Shows How To Handle Bees

GRAND PRAIRIE, Tex. (UP)—Bill Norris is a handy fellow to have around when bees get out of control.

Seems hundreds of bees moved in on the police station here and no one was quite sure how to get rid of them until an officer remembered Norris.

Norris removed his shirt and literally dug into the mass of swarming stingers. He located the

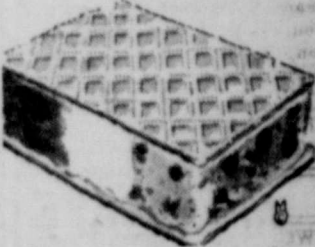
## Big Party Man



John W. Meyers, above, is the publicity man for Howard Hughes who reportedly told Senate investigators in secret session that large sums he spent entertaining high-ranking army officers and government officials was charged to "expenses." He was vacationing in South America when current probe of Hughes' wartime plane contracts started.

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## Fly Through Hurricane



Relaxing in their Hotel room in Huston, Texas, after flying through the hurricane which raging off the coast of Mexico, the crew of the 53rd Weather Reconnaissance Squadron from Bermuda looks over their charts as they plot the center of the storm. Left to right are: S-Sgt. James McIrrath, radio operator; Capt. Joe H. Chapman, Atlanta, pilot; 1st Lt. Jack H. Coston, 1st Navigator, Miami; 1st Lt. George C. Kougas, copilot, New Bedford, Mass.; Back row: Lieut. Thomas A. Mote, 2nd Navigator, Corpus Christi, Texas; T-Sgt. William C. Bingham, Richmond, Calif., engineer and 1st Lt. Dan-nie Taras, weatherman from Detroit. (NEA Telephoto).

## Newcomers Capture Bridge Crown



William E. McKenney, NEA Service bridge editor, and executive secretary of the American Contract Bridge League, presents the winning trophy to Mrs. Max Gutman, left, of Covington, Ky., and Mrs. Leonard Goldstein, of Cincinnati, Ohio, after they won the national women's pairs championship in Brooklyn, N. Y. It is the first major bridge tournament victory for the pair.

## Marauding Wild Hog Furnishes Hunter's Bacon

STEPHENVILLE, Tex. (UP)—What with the high price of bacon, L. R. Pack of Stephenville has a good idea. He went out recently and killed his own—a wild hog which had been damaging crops in the Stephenville-Dublin section of Erath county.

It wasn't easy, however, it took 11 men, two dogs, five bullets and seven hours of searching to complete this mission. Damage was first noticed on the W. L. Payton farm near here, but since the marauder bedded down during the day in the darkest and thickest brush on the creek, Payton couldn't find it.

When the first hunting party was observed, the crafty swine changed its range to G. L. Fagan, Howard Miller and John Davis farms, cutting down corn stalks, eating the ears and uprooting pea-

nuts. On the second hunt, participated in by 14 men, the intruder finally was jumped in a 30-acre meadow. Three 12-gauge shotgun shells and two .22 rifle bullets brought the wild pork down.

Well fed, the animal had tusks two and a half inches long. It was about four years old.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kroshaw, Marlow, Okla., went to California with C. C. McKeever.

Tom Gibson, Graham, came to Ranger to take a Commercial physical examination from Dr. Calvin W. Harris. Langer is the

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The Navy no longer will use a 225 horsepower Stearman to train its beginning students. All students will now begin their flight in a 450 horsepower SNJ. The SNJ is the same as the army AT6 and is a low wing monoplane with retractable landing gear. During the last war, it was used as an advance trainer. Apparently anyone that can fly can do it in one ship as well as another.

Low lever DDT spraying the Omaha area recently achieved results similar to a combat mission when an irate fisherman on Carter lake stood up in his boat and heaved a beer can into the prop of the ship which had to be grounded for five hours to make necessary repairs.

Moderately cool and dry storage is best for pumpkins and squashes.

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## Society-Clubs

### Miss Rogers, Mr. Wilkes Married In Abilene Wed.

ABILENE — Wedding vows were read for Marianna Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer L. Rogers, and Jearl Wilkes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilkes, of Rotan, in a ceremony in the Rogers home in Abilene, Wednesday evening.

The Rev. Marvin L. Boyd, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiated at the double ring service performed before a background decoration of white gladioluses, asters and woodland fern. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a street length dress of teal blue crepe fashioned with a gathered bodice, straight skirt and a wide ruffle extending from the center of the skirt front to the center of the back, and full dolman sleeves.

"Something old" was a diamond lavaliere which belonged to her aunt, Mrs. Joe Pechacek. She borrowed a white Bible from her sister, Evelyn Rogers, and carried it topped with gardenias tied with white satin streamers.

Miss Rogers served as her sister's attendant and wore a dress of fuchsia crepe styled with high draped neckline and gathered bodice, worn with a single string of pearls. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Carl Underhill of Rotan was best man.

The parents of the bride were hosts at a reception following the wedding. The table, overlaid with lace and appointed in crystal, was centered with an arrangement of white asters and fern. The tiered wedding cake was topped with a miniature bride and groom and was served by Billie Joyce Pechacek and Miss Rogers. Guests were registered by Betty Jean Pachacek.

For the wedding trip to Galveston, the bride wore a cocoa brown dress with dark brown accessories. The couple will live in Rotan where Mrs. Wilkes will teach in the high school and the groom is employed by the National Gymnasium Co.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Huis of Ft. Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wilkes, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Morton and sons, Terry and Ronnie, and Dick Bennett, all of Rotan.

Mrs. Wilkes is the granddaughter of Mrs. Lillian Wolfe, of Ranger, and the niece of George Rogers, also of Ranger.

Mrs. Reynolds Celebrates 81st Birthday

Mrs. S. E. Reynolds and Mrs. Ha Ward have returned from a visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. John Sheed in Flainview.

While there Mrs. Reynolds celebrated her 81st birthday. Be-

sides her two daughters, two sons, V. M. Reynolds and Sterling Reynolds, and twenty grandchildren, several grandchildren, and one great grandchild were present for the celebration.

### Andersons Hold Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Anderson were hosts to the Anderson family reunion held at their home in the Colony community this past weekend. This occasion brought all the family together for the first time in fifteen years. Seats were served from picnic tables on the lawn.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Anderson and James of Lometa, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert O'Neal and Lonzo of Moline, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Anderson of Jalisco, Mrs. Dick Smith and daughter, of Odessa, Mrs. Lola Brimberry of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson and son of Eastland, Beauford Anderson of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grounds and children of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Graves of Abilene, Mrs. B. Grounds of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Cole of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Thompson and children of Ranger, Gwenna Faye and Joyce Kay Anderson of Beaumont, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Anderson and sons, Ranger, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Anderson.

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### A Queen, a Crown, a Cry



As her king, Frank Borgesano, left, attempts to present her with her crown she won at New York's annual Baby Beauty Contest of the Educational Alliance, 1-year-old Jo-Ann Parei rewarded his gallantry with a flood of tears. Queen Jo-Ann behaved beautifully until the moment of the coronation—then she squawked. (NEA Telephoto).

joined here by Pfc. Duke cover of Itasca, who accompanied him to San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Latham and son, Dick, accompanied by Mrs. Leo W. Wainwright of Dallas, have returned home after a two weeks vacation spent in Ruidoso and Taos, New Mexico, Colorado Springs, Denver and Estes Park, Colorado, and Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Mrs. W. C. Nichols has as her guest, her brother, Herman Wade, and family of Kermit, Texas.

Mrs. Robert R. Stafford has returned to Ranger after visiting in Groves, Port Arthur, and New Orleans. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stafford and Miss Benelle Stafford of Groves. Mr. and Mrs. Stafford have returned home, but Miss Stafford remained for a visit.

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### Sergeant Prefers Army to Being Indian Chief

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (UP)—But for his long career of Army service, Master Sgt. Hugh Bryan would probably be chief of the Washoes, an Indian tribe in Carson Valley, Nev.

Bryan, foreman of the base maintenance shop at Brooks Army Airfield here, was in line of succession to become chief of the tribe when he first entered the Army in 1918 during World War I.

Except for a short period in 1919 when he attended the Carson City Indian school at Stewart, Nev., M-Sgt. Bryan has been in the Army continuously since his first enlistment.

During World War II he advanced to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. On being separated last January, he reenlisted as master sergeant. He will be up for retirement in two more years, with 30 years of service.

Bryan was stationed in India during World War II and became a close friend of Maharajahdiraja

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