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Lilienthal Faces Congressional Committee



Chairman David Lilienthal, extreme right, of the Atomic Energy Commission faces members of the Joint Congressional Atomic Energy Committee in Washington. From left to right, are: top, Senators Bourke Hickenlooper; Richard Russell, Brien McMahon, chairman; Representatives Carl R. Durham, vice chairman; Chet Hofffield; W. Sterling Cole; Melvin Price; Charles Elston and Henry M. Jackson. (NEA Telephoto)

EARL STEWART, CHAMPION GOLFER, PRAISES RANGER'S TOURNAMENT

BY RUTH W. DUCKER

"One of the best tournaments that I've ever played in" was the way Earl Stewart, holder of several amateur golf championships, expressed his opinion of the Ranger Country Club's annual invitation tournament to a Times reporter Wednesday.

Stewart, an employee of the Premier Oil Refining Company with headquarters in Longview, is here working out each day for the 15th annual invitation tournament which opens at the Ranger Country Club tomorrow and runs through Sunday. Wednesday Stewart played the 18 hole course in 68 but he modestly says that that doesn't mean anything. "Tomorrow it may be 78," he said.

Of his chances in the tournament, he said that he didn't hope for too much since his job with Premier comes before golf now and he isn't playing as much as he did during his championship days. However, Stewart is the man that kept Gene Towry going for 25 holes last year before Towry took the championship.

"Gene played a wonderful game last year," Stewart said, "and probably will again this year," he added.

Asked what he thought of the set of prizes for this year's winner, the sandy haired golfer said "It's the most wonderful set of prizes that I ever competed for."

He said that contrary to opinions of most people, it isn't the golfers that make the tournament, it's the people that put them on. "And I've never seen a finer spirit over a tournament than right here in Ranger." "The people certainly go all out for it here," he commented.

Stewart said that the course at the Ranger Country Club is in fine condition and one of the best in West Texas. He said that he used to avoid West Texas tournaments because he didn't like the wide open ranges for a golf course, "but Ranger's is different," he pointed out adding that the hazards were plentiful enough to make the game interesting.

While Stewart belittles his playing now the list of championships that he has amassed in the few years that he has played in amateur tournaments stacks up to an impressive record. He won the state amateur championship at Wichita Falls in 1947, the 1946 and 1947 invitation tournament at Beaumont, the Abilene and Corsicana invitation tournaments in the same years, the Longview and Kilgore invitationals, the Texas PGA open in Lubbock in 1946, the Premier Oil Refining Company's invitation at Longview in 1946 and the Longview invitation tournament in 1947.

Still the little man claims that his lack of practice will dim his chances here this year.

Accidental Shot Kills Texan

KOBE, Japan, June 2 (UPI)—Recruit Walter P. Williams, 29, of (1156 Renick St.) Waco, Tex., was killed at Camp Carver today by a bullet accidentally discharged from a sentry's carbine.

The sentry, Recruit William L. Pearson, Wynne, Ark., told Army investigators his weapon discharged when he attempted to move it from his right shoulder.

The bullet entered William's right armpit and came out through his left arm. He had been assigned to the Kobe Quartermaster's Depot.

A little vinegar or ammonia on a damp cloth is better than soap for cleaning mirrors.

Long Session Holds No Fears For Truman

WASHINGTON, June 2 (UP)—President Truman said today he is prepared to stick it out here all summer if necessary while Congress works on his legislative program.

At the same time, the President said any plan to appeal directly to the people for support of his program has been shelved. He said there is no prospect of that plan being revived now.

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Weak Cool Front Drops Mercury

A weak cool front shoved into the Texas Panhandle and across the upper south plains early today. Bringing a notable decline in temperatures, but there was no promise of relief from heat for the remainder of the state.

Low morning temperatures included 47 at Dalhart and 52 at Amarillo, both in the Panhandle, and 61 at Lubbock, in the South Plains.

The cool front extended from western Oklahoma into the Texas Plains, but it was of low caliber and its strength was dissipated rapidly. It will provide only slightly cooler weather for West Texas and a slim portion of the northwest section of East Texas.

Rainfall was a commodity of which Texas had precious little, if any, during the past 24 hours. U. S. Weather Bureau records showed none.

The maximum temperature range yesterday afternoon was from 82 at Guadalupe Pass to 106 at Presidio. Minimums this morning varied from Dalhart's 47 to a 79 at Galveston.

One Killed, Four Hurt In Ft. Worth

FORT WORTH, June 2 (UP)—One person was killed instantly and four others hurt in two separate traffic accidents here early today.

Simon Oliva, 26, TCU graduate student, died when a car hit a light pole at a three-way intersection. His death was the 21st for Fort Worth so far this year.

Three Carswell airmen were injured when their car struck a house being moved on White Settlement Road. Pfc. W. D. Stout, 20, of Success, Ark., was critically injured. He was the driver.

Ronald Pruet Takes Gulf Job

Ronald Pruet, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Pruet, who has just received his degree in petroleum engineering at Texas Technological College at Lubbock, has accepted a position with the Gulf Oil Company.

He will report to the Tulsa, Oklahoma office, for his assignment to duty and location of his assignment will be determined while he is in Tulsa.

Breckenridge Filled

BRECKENRIDGE, Tex., June 2 (UP)—Recent heavy rains have completely filled the \$200,000 Breckenridge Lake, completed late last year.

Stephenville Plane Missing; Search Started

DALLAS, June 2 (UP)—The Civil Air Patrol will begin a methodical search today for T. C. Elkins, prominent Stephenville, Tex., industrialist whose plane has been missing since Sunday on a flight from Hot Springs, Ark., to Dallas.

Aboard the missing plane with Elkins, about 50, was Pilot Ben Ferguson, 25, Navy Air Force veteran of World War II.

Elkins and Ferguson left Hot Springs Sunday at 6:15 A. M. in a dark maroon-colored Stinson single-engine plane belonging to the City Flying Service of Stephenville.

They took off under adverse weather conditions, and shortly thereafter all fields in the area were shut-in because of a storm.

The Cap said the search began south and southwest of Hot Springs. Air rescue units from Giggs Field, El Paso, will cooperate in the search.

The license number of the plane was NC97642.

Elkins owns a manufacturing plant in Stephenville. He is a big marketer of spark plugs and automobile parts in the Southwest.

Cap said it had not been advised the plane was overdue and unreported until yesterday.

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Homecoming Plans Going Forward

E. F. Arterburn, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce committee for the annual homecoming here July 29-31, stated today that plans are moving ahead for the event and much enthusiasm is being aroused over it.

One of the features of the homecoming will be a fiddler's contest to be held at Willows Park Saturday afternoon, July 23. First prize in the contest will be \$15 and second prize will be \$10.

Tentative plans are for a barbecue to be held following the contest with a charge for admission. Details concerning the barbecue have not been completed, it was pointed out.

Another feature of the homecoming that has been planned is the awarding of prizes to the largest family present at the Friday night performance of the Jaycee's Rodeo which will run concurrently with the homecoming. The prize for the largest family will be \$25 and another prize of \$15 will be given to the person that has come the greatest distance to the homecoming. This prize will be awarded at the Friday night rodeo performance.

Those who plan to compete for the above mentioned prizes will be asked to register for entrance at the Gholsen Hotel where a booth for registering will be set up.

All persons who have the names and addresses of former Ranger residents are asked to leave them at the Chamber of Commerce so that literature can be mailed to them.

Says Economic Stability Lies In Third Party

NEW YORK, June 2 (UP)—Whittaker Chambers testified at the Alger Hiss perjury trial today that Hiss in 1935 procured documents from the State Department in the name of the Senate Munitions Investigating Committee which were turned over to the alleged head of the Soviet underground in the United States.

Youth Plans Fight On Bad Literature

FORT WORTH, June 2 (UP)—A group of Fort Worth teenagers today planned a tea case in a move to ban what was termed obscene and sexy literature from newsstands in the city.

Conrad Kalmacher, president of the Junior Catholic Youth Organization, said he planned to confer early next week with Dist. Atty. Stewart Hellman.

He said he and other members of his group planned to act as complainants in a test case which would place the matter before the county grand jury in determining what material to ban from newsstands.

In 1948 the potato chip industry consumed about 20,000,000 bushels of potatoes.

There is no soil on the moon.

PRELIMINARY SURVEY AS TO SITES AND COSTS TO GET UNDERWAY SOON

WICHITA FALLS, June 2 (UP)—Efforts were underway today to bring President Truman to Wichita Falls for a giant rally in connection with a "Building Democracy" program June 9-11.

Sponsors of the program said Sens. Tom Connally and Lyndon Johnson of Texas were working to obtain the President's acceptance.

Citizens of northwest Texas and southwest Oklahoma are to take part in the program, Mrs. H. W. Weir of Wichita Falls, general chairman, said.

The program will be based on a premise that government begins at a local level, and that problems should not always be submitted to national or state governing bodies.

Among personalities who have accepted invitations to be present are Govs. Beauford Jester of Texas, Roy Turner of Oklahoma, and Sid McMath of Arkansas; India Edwards, Washington, executive director of the women's division of the Democratic National Committee, and Mrs. John L. Whitehurst, Baltimore, former national president of the general Federation of Women's Clubs.

Man Sought In Shooting After Family Quarrel

KAUFMAN, June 2 (UP)—State and County officers combed bottomlands between East Fork and the Trinity river today for a 30-year-old man who shot three persons last night following a family quarrel.

None of the injuries was serious. Sheriff Fred Guthrie said the victims were struck by shotgun pellets fired from about 100 feet at a tenant house on the farm of C. L. Wilson in the Combine Community near here.

The injured, all from Combine, were R. W. Walker, L. D. Gragson and J. N. Ballentine.

Rotarians Hear Of WTCC Efforts For Water Conservation In West Texas

H. E. Nix of the branch office of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in Fort Worth was the guest speaker at the Rotary Club meeting in the Gholsen Hotel at noon Wednesday.

Nix spoke on water conservation in West Texas and told of what his organization is doing to conserve water in this section of the state. He said that currently the West Texas Chamber of Commerce is making a survey of eight West Texas towns, including Ranger to determine just how much money the towns are losing each year because of insufficient water supplies. They have already determined that the eight towns together are losing over \$2,000,000 annually because of insufficient water supplies.

He explained that when the reports on all of this information are completed they will be taken to Washington in an effort to get laws passed that will place municipalities on the top of the preference list for water from reservoirs constructed with government flood control money. At the present time, Nix said, power plants have priority.

"We must industrialize West Texas," Nix said, "because we've just about reached the saturation point in agriculture, and we must have plenty of water for industries."

O. G. Lanier arranged the program and introduced the speaker who was also a visiting Rotarian. Other guests were W. P. Brown of Corsicana and William H. McAnally of Cisco.

Asks Aid In Strike Trouble

BEAUMONT, Tex., June 2 (UP)—Brown and Root Construction Co., asked Beauford Jester and the Department of Public Safety today to provide safeguards for non-union employees, after a brief skirmish with union members Tuesday forced work stoppage at a construction project here.

Hermann Brown, president of the construction firm, said he would call on Gov. Jester in Austin. Brown said city police and the Jefferson county sheriff's department both had declined to offer protection to the men, all Houston carpenters.

The trouble started when a bus-load of the carpenters was stopped by some 150 union men as it left the grounds of the Texas-Eastern Transmission Corp., late Tuesday A car allegedly forced the bus to the curb, and irate union members buried bottles through the open windows.

The union is a garment commonly worn next to the skin by both sexes in classical times.

It was pointed out today that the preliminary surveys are completed and the feasibility of the project determined, an election will be called in Ranger to elect directors for the district. When the directors are chosen, then they determine whether or not the district will accept the attachment of Eastland and if the attachment is voted by the directors then Eastland directors will be elected. Directors from the two towns will then proceed to direct the operations of the district.

It has been emphasized that revenue from the sale of water in the district will be sufficient to retire all bonds without the necessity of additional taxes, thus easing the burden for all concerned.

Similar programs have been under consideration in Ranger, since the town became conscious of the serious insufficiency of its water supply during the recent drought. Eastland, also faced with a water shortage during the drought, became interested in the project and appointed a committee of men to work with the Ranger committee. Both city officials and the Chambers of Commerce in the two towns are cooperating in the project.

The Ranger committee is composed of representatives of the city and Chamber of Commerce and are Pickrell, L. R. Pearson, J. A. Bates, W. F. Croager and Lester Crossley. Pickrell is chairman of the water resources committee of the Chamber of Commerce and was also appointed by the city as its representative to work on a water supply. He is also Ranger's director to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

The Eastland committee is made up of H. J. Tanner, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, L. E. McGraw, Grady Pipkin and Judge P. L. Crossley, Eastland county judge.

Reuther Recovering In Detroit Hospital



Victor Reuther, educational director of the UAW who was shot by an unknown assailant, is visited by his wife Sophie and his brother Roy. Doctors say Reuther will lose the sight of one eye. Detroit police continue a city-wide cleanup campaign in effort to uncover the gunman who have taken shots at two Reuther brothers. (NEA Telephoto)

The Weather

East Texas — Partly cloudy this afternoon and tonight, a few widely scattered thundershowers in northeast portion. Not quite so warm in northwest portion this afternoon and tonight. Friday partly cloudy, scattered thundershowers in southeast. Moderate to occasionally fresh southeast and south winds on the coast.

West Texas — Fair this afternoon, tonight, and Friday. Not quite so warm east of the Pecos tonight.

Temperature at 1:30 p.m. today:
Maximum 80
Minimum 74
Hour's Reading 89

RANGER DAILY TIMES SPORTS

Joe Neel Sports Writer

Rangers To Play 3rd Game Tonight

The Rangers will try for their third straight win tonight when they tangle with the V.F.W. team from Breckenridge at eight o'clock at the Ranger field. So far this season the Rangers have won both of their starts. They have defeated the IX team of Breckenridge two times by the score of 2-0 and 12-10.

Jack Littlefield or Bobby Gene Williams will be on the mound for the Rangers. Williams pitched the Rangers to their 12-10 win over the IX team last week. Littlefield has yet to play his first game of the year with the Rangers however he pitched for the Rangers last season and will probably see action in tonight's game.

The probable starting lineup for the Rangers tonight will be: Jr. Arterburn 2b, Cole lf, James Townzen, rf, D. Arterburn 3b, L. Arterburn cf, W. Arterburn ss, Neel c, Daskevich 1b, and Littlefield or Williams p.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

By United Press
Yesterday's Results
Texas League
 Dallas 10, Tulsa 9
 Shreveport 9-3, Houston 1-7
 Oklahoma City 5, Fort Worth 3
 Beaumont 2, San Antonio 1
Rio Grande Valley League
 McAllen 4, Corpus Christi 0
 Laredo 11, Donna 9
 Brownsville 3, Del Rio 2
Longhorn League
 Vernon 7, Roswell 4
 Big Spring 7, Sweetwater 0
 Ballinger 7, Midland 2
 San Angelo 12, Odessa 6
East Texas League
 Gladewater 8, Henderson 2
 Paris 15, Tyler 7
 Longview 12, Kilgore 3
 Marshall 8, Bryan 4
West Texas-New Mexico League
 Abilene 9, Borger 8
 Albuquerque 12, Lubbock 8
 Amarillo 12, Lamesa 10
 only one game scheduled
Big State League
 Gainesville 12, Greenville 3
 Waco --, Wichita Falls 5
 Sherman-Denison 17, Temple 2
 Texarkana 10, Austin 7
American League
 Washington 6, St. Louis 5
 Detroit 5, Philadelphia 4
 Boston 3, Cleveland 1
 New York 3, Chicago 0
National League
 New York 11, Chicago 5
 Philadelphia 2, Cincinnati 1

Annual Golf Tourney Opens Friday

MEDALIST QUALIFYING TO BE COMPLETED TOMORROW

The Ranger Country Club's 15th annual invitation golf tournament gets underway at the club's course Friday when golfers will qualify for medalist. Qualifying for medalist must be completed Friday.

Qualifying had already started Wednesday with about 14 players out to make the qualifying scores. Match play begins Saturday morning and will continue through Sunday.

Earl Stewart of Longview, championship contender last year who led Gene Towry of NTSC a merry chase through 25

holes before Towry took the championship, was the first of the top flight golfers to arrive.

A Calcutta pool and barbecue will be held Friday night at the clubhouse and lively bidding on prizes is anticipated.

One of the most elaborate collections of prizes ever offered at a tournament here has been assembled for the winners and the prizes are on display at the Globe on Main Street.

Reporters from the Fort Worth Star-Telegram and from the Fort Worth Press will be on hand to cover the tournament and Joe Neel, sports writer for the Ranger Times will also cover the event.

Heading the list of prizes for this year's tournament is an electric shaver for medalist winner and the championship winner will take home a beautiful silver tea and coffee service.

First flight winner will be given a Zenith radio and the second flight winner will get a silver tea service. Other awards are third flight, an eight place setting of flat silver; fourth flight, a golf caddy cart; champion runner up a 17 jewel Waltham wrist watch; first flight runner-up award, golf cart; second flight runner-up, electric coffee urn; fourth flight runner-up, zipper handbag.

Championship flight consolation, golf cart; first flight consolation, electric coffee urn; second flight consolation, electric mixer; third flight, electric clock and fourth flight, electric waffle iron.

The only native United States plants still directly used in agriculture are pecans, Blueberries, cranberries, raspberries, Concord grapes, sunflowers, some plums and some strawberries.

Something New Has Been Added



Gus Zernial, left, and Gordon Goldsberry are new faces lending a touch of respectability to the White Sox. Outfielder Zernial and 21-year-old First Baseman Goldsberry are among the early American League batting leaders with rousing 360 and 345 averages, respectively. Zernial is from Hollywood, Goldsberry up from Memphis.

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Love's No Longer Loves WORCESTER, Mass. (UP)—Love versus Love read the probable court divorce petition. Mrs. Ruth V. Love was seeking a divorce from Harold J. Love on grounds of intoxication and cruelty.

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Big Fire Sweeps Chicago's Loop

CHICAGO, June 2 (UP)—A four-alarm fire raged out of control for two hours in the heart of Chicago's Loop today.

Four firemen were injured before streams of water from aerial towers quelled the flames in the old Ashland block which was being torn down to make way for a modern bus station.

Billows of heavy black smoke rolled over the downtown area. The smoke was so dense that guests at the Sherman Hotel awoke in fear that the hotel was ablaze. Many went to the street or peered out of windows in their nightclothes to watch the fire.

The fire started in an annex to the Ashland Building near Randolph and Clark streets.

One fireman was hurt severely when a hose line broke, smashing out most of his teeth. He was taken to Hennotin Hospital. Three others were overcome by smoke or suffered cuts and bruises. They were treated at the scene and released.

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Porters of northern India and Tibet, expressing thanks for payment for services, touch their heads to the ground, stick out their tongues and hiss, says the National Geographic Society.

TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

By UNITED PRESS

AUSTIN, June 2 (UP) — A new law regulating the use of seines in the part of Laguna Madre lying within Cameron County went into effect today.

The bill, sponsored by Rep. Menton Murray of Harlingen, was signed yesterday by Gov. Beauford Jester.

HARLINGEN, June 2 (UP) — Valley farmers predicted today that the first bale of cotton would arrive in the Lower Rio Grande area around June 10 or 12 . . . if the rains hold off.

A bumper cotton crop of 500,000 bales for the valley was also forecast by J. A. Alderdice, head of the Pink Boll Worm Inspection Service here.

CORPUS CHRISTI, June 2 (UP) — Give another cheer for the helicopter.

A Navy helicopter yesterday rescued a flight instructor after his TBM Avenger had crashed on Padre Island near here.

B. F. McGinnis, Big Falls, Va., the pilot, was not injured. He blamed the crash of the Cabanis Field trainer on engine trouble.

WICHITA FALLS, June 2 (UP) — Funeral arrangements had not been announced early today for Donald Kelly, 51, head of the Texas Coas Geological Department for many years.

Kelley died in a Wichita Falls hospital yesterday.

Says Smoke Seen Before Ship Blew Up At Texas City

GALVESTON, Tex., June 2 (UP) — A "Kind of a sulphur fume" came from the hole of the steamship High Flyer before it blew up at Texas City April 17, 1947, a Houston police sergeant testified yesterday in the \$200,000,000 damage suit against the federal government.

Sgt. J. E. Kent was "one of several witnesses summoned here in the lengthy litigation, an aftermath of the costly disaster.

Kent said that due to darkness, he was unable to identify the color of the smoke.

Earlier, a warehouse worker, E. J. Kinser of Texas City, testified he had seen deep orange smoke, the same color as the ammonium nitrate fertilizer blamed by plaintiffs for setting off the blasts, coming from the freighter Grandcamp.

Kinser said he had noticed that the bags of fertilizer were often so hot as to be uncomfortable to handle. In handling the paper bags, he said they often broke open because they became brittle

To Complete Okra Trial Jury Today

GEORGETOWN, June 2 (UP) — Completion of a jury in the trial of Clifton Okra, Dallas Negro charged with criminal assault was expected here today with testimony possibly opening tomorrow.

Three more jurors were chosen from a group of 50 talemans yesterday, making a total of nine so far. Earlier attorneys exhausted a special venire of 144 men.

Henry Wade, Dallas county assistant district attorney, said he expected the jury to be rounded out today.

Okra, 25, was charged with criminally assaulting Mrs. Moselle Slack last Aug. 17. Her husband, William, lost sight in both eyes after acid was hurled in his face.

Yesterday Okra got new support with the addition of another defense attorney, Nile Hall of Dallas, counsel for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

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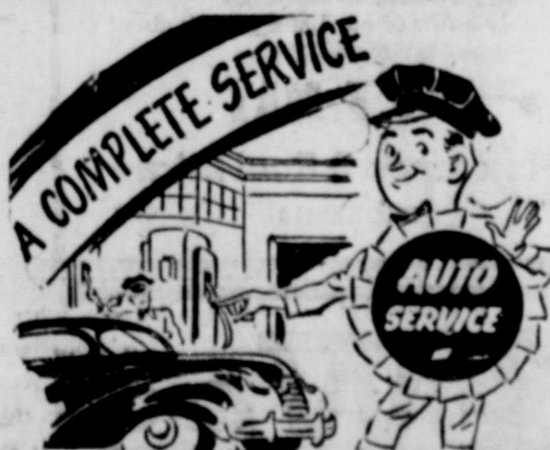
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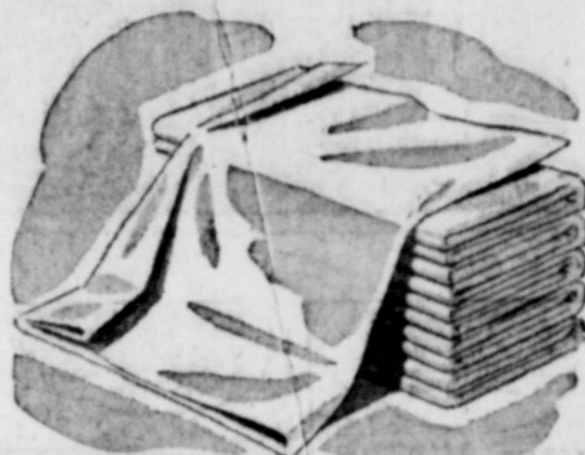
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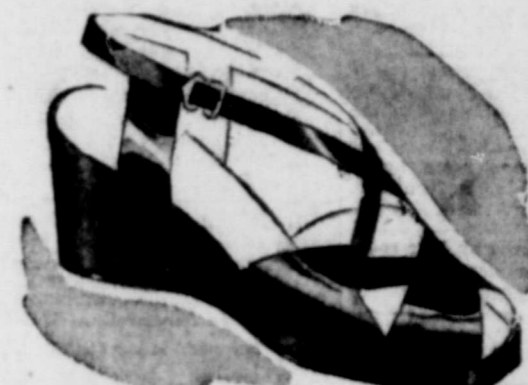
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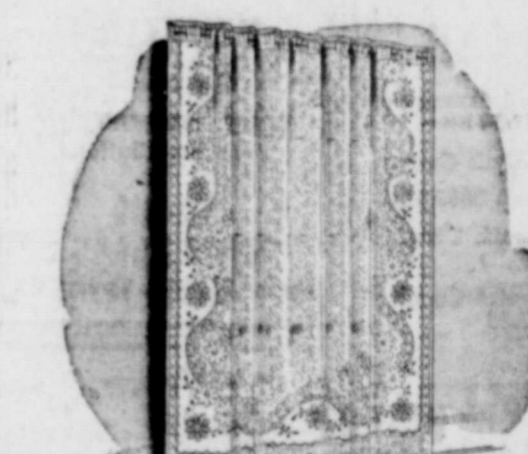
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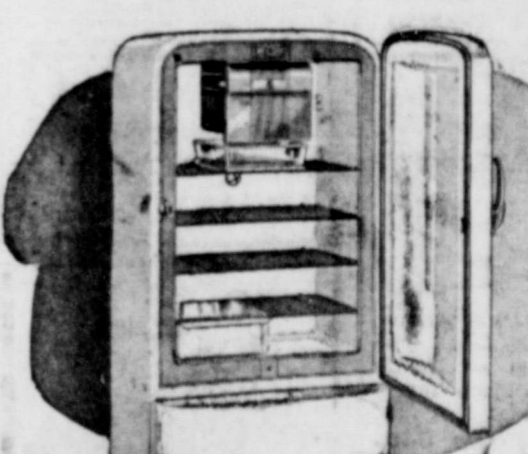
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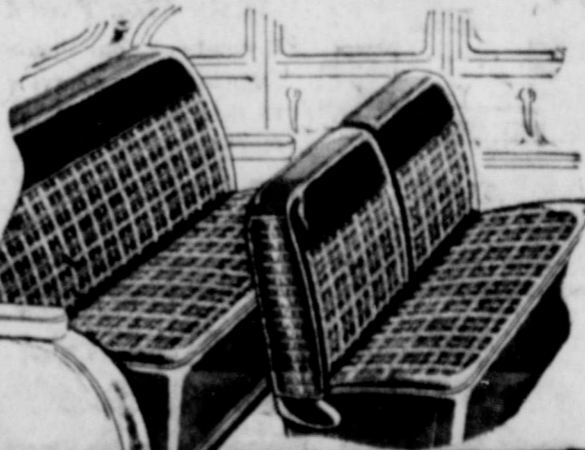
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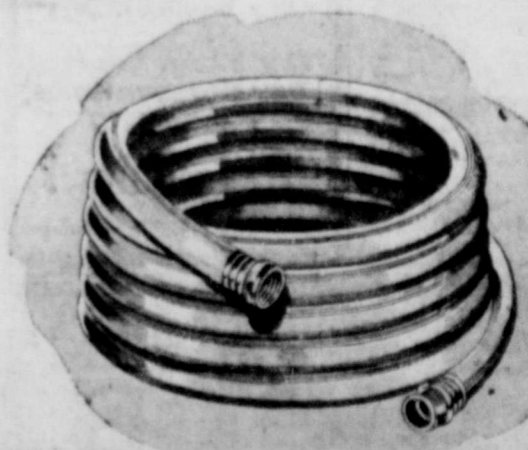
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Thief Gets Shock
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More Wooden Nickels
 ST. MARY'S, W. Va. (UP)—The belles of St. Mary's will pass out wooden nickels to visitors attending the St. Mary's centennial celebration beginning June 30. A reigning "belle" will be crowned at the fete.

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TEXANS URGE ACTION IN WHEAT STORE SHORTAGE

By United Press
Texas congressmen met in Washington today to discuss the state's shortage of wheat storage space.

D. A. Vandean, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, reported receipt of a telegram yesterday from Rep. W. R. Poage of Waco, head of the delegation, informing him they would meet with Ralph Trigg of the Commodity Credit Corp.

At Waco, J. Walter Hammond president of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation, dispatched a telegram to President Truman after the price of wheat skidded to \$1.55 per bushel in those places where harvesting is now in progress.

Vandean's organization appealed to Texas congressmen to obtain surplus military tents to use as emergency storehouses for the bumper grain crop.

The West Texas Chamber prevailed upon the congressmen to make available 100,000 or more tents to wheat growers in 90 West Texas counties. Otherwise, the chamber said, wheat farmers stood to lose at least \$20,000,000 on their crop.

Clear weather has expedited the harvest.

Truman:

Hammond's telegram to Mr. Truman: "I have made an appeal to all other sources for help to no avail. The gravity of the situation and urgency for immediate action would justify unusual procedures and this appeal for consideration by the president."

The grain harvest has started in Texas and producers are faced with prospects of losing millions of dollars because of the acute shortage of approved storage necessary to producers in securing government loans.

"The carry-over of grains from last year and the failure of Congress to give the secretary (of agriculture) authority to acquire storage is partly responsible for the alarming situation."

"The matter is further complicated by the refusal of elevators to accept wheat for government loan although there is ample storage for wheat being bought by elevators at \$1.55 a bushel. Farmers were confronted with the same problem during the 1948 harvest which resulted in the loss of millions of dollars."

"The situation is more critical now. Farmers are insisting that relief be given."

WASHINGTON, June 2 (UP)—Part of the government's "moth ball" fleet may be put into operation this year as floating storage bins for government-owned grain, it was revealed today.

Secretary of Agriculture Charles F. Brannan has asked the U. S. Maritime Commission to "loan" him cargo ships for storing some of the surplus grain taken over by the government under price support programs.

Maritime officials, said the commission is expected to decide the matter soon, possibly within the next five days.

The commission has jurisdiction over the 1,930 vessels in the nation's reserve fleet. These include 1,200 Liberty ships and some additional cargo vessels of different types. Making allowances for some cargo ships which for various technical reasons could not be used for storage, it was estimated that there would be room for perhaps 100,000,000 bushels of grain.

Miles Speaks for Himself
COLUMBUS, O. (UP)—Capt. Miles Standish spoke for himself in municipal court. He pleaded guilty to a charge of intoxication and was fined \$10 and costs. Standish said he was a descendant of Capt. Miles Standish of Early American history fame.

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NEWS FROM GORMAN

Mrs. J. Frank Dean and Mrs. A. A. Anderson and Arnold spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Dean in Waco.

Dr. and Mrs. D. V. Rodgers of Blackwell Sanatorium, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ormsby and both sets of children left late Tuesday afternoon for at least a week's visit and fishing at Rio Doso, New Mexico—I hope we have spelled it right.

In cruising around the corridors of Blackwell Sanatorium Tuesday of this week I was certainly impressed as always by the hustle and bustle of the place. That morning they had already booked 13 operations—and that was scarcely high noon. Back in the kitchen the dietitian Mrs. Maude Martin and her staff were feeding at least 40 or 50 of the hospital personnel, besides about 17 or 20 trays. The sanatorium is well staffed now, since the war—having recently added the department of dentistry—Dr. J. B. Brandon having gone into the sanatorium as head of that department. They now have 6 physicians who are qualified surgeons, they have a thoroughly reliable and proven eye, ear and nose, and throat department with Dr. George Blackwell as acting head of that department. In looking over the list of patients in the sanatorium for that particular day, I

noticed that they ranged all the way from Moran and Albany to Rising Star and Stephenville — I mentioned some of the outposts represented locally, while they were from various other states including Arizona. All in all, that is a very busy and efficient place and we of Gorman and the surrounding territory are justifiably proud of our institution, for we feel just that way about it.

Mr. W. L. St. Clair and daughter Evelyn, will return to their home in Taft, Texas, after having spent the major part of the school year with Mr. St. Clair who is production man for Commercial Production Company in this area.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Belknap are the parents of a baby girl born May 28, at the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. Elmer Herrington is a surgical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Leonard Brashears has been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. G. W. Kimbrough, who has been a patient in the West Texas Hospital, has been removed to her home in Eastland.

Mrs. Howard Lewallen of Thurston is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Donald Wayne Ward of Eastland is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Mitchell of Strawn are the parents of a baby girl born at the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. Onis Littlefield has been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital.

Hospital News

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones and son, Kl, have returned to their home in Denver City after a visit with Ranger relatives and friends.

Kenneth Jones has returned to his home in Abilene after a visit with his father, C. F. Jones.

The Rev. Cecil Ellis and family are in Dallas while Reverend Ellis attends the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Homer Hodges, Mrs. Homer Gay Jr., and Mrs. R. W. Gordon were in Fort Worth Wednesday to meet Mrs. Gordon's daughter, Mrs. Paul Derr and son of Beaumont who returned to Ranger with the party and will remain for a visit.

Mrs. G. M. Stephenson of Cisco was the guest Tuesday of Mrs. Homer Hodges.

Boston Rail Men Walk Off Jobs

BOSTON, June 2 (UP) — Some 2,200 AFL employees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Co. struck today, cutting off bus service to about 500,000 commuters in 78 Massachusetts communities.

A last-minute plea by Gov. Paul A. Dever failed to deter the

2 Desdemona 4-H Boys Selected To Attend State Round-Up at A. & M.

James Ed Buckley and Fred Rogers of the Desdemona 4-H Club have been selected as Eastland County Club boy delegates to the annual 4-H Club Round-up at A. & M. College, June 11 and 12.

Buckley and Rogers were chosen from among the 325 club boys in the county said W. E. Steele, Jr., Assistant County Agent.

Expenses of the two will be paid by the Eastland Rotary Club according to George I. Lane, agricultural chairman of that organization.

Buckley, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Buckley, has been in 4-H Club work for five years. He is past president of the Desdemona High 4-H Club. He has had swine, Jerseys and corn as his club projects and has won numerous ribbons on his animals exhibited at County and District shows. He was a state winner in the National 4-H Club Dairy Contest in 1946.

Rogers, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rogers of the Alameda Community, has been in 4-H Club work for the past 6 years. He served as vice president of his club at one time. He has had swine and dairy cattle as his projects. At present he is feeding out a Hereford calf for next year's show. Fred has also won his share of blue ribbons at the County shows it was said.

"The Rotary Club regards it an honor to recognize such outstanding farm boys by sending them to A. & M. College to represent the 325 club boys of our

county," said W. E. Steele, Jr., Assistant County Agent. "The club boys who walked out to enforce their demands for a 15-cent hourly pay boost. The company has asked the workers to take a 10-cent hourly wage cut.

A series of unsuccessful conferences between labor and management officials began late yesterday and broke up early today at the State House.

Annual Fryer Frolic Opened

GONZALES, June 2 (UP) — The first annual Gonzales County Fryer Frolic opened today for a three-day stand with more than 1,600 birds entered in the county broiler show and the 1949 Texas chicken of tomorrow contest.

Gonzales is the South's largest broiler producing center.

Contest winners will be announced tomorrow afternoon. A big parade started the three-day frolic this morning and a "homecoming get-together" at Independence Park is on tomorrow's program.

The frolic will be climaxed Saturday night with a state championship square dance contest in which more than 100 squares will compete for prizes and titles.

Rita And Aly Off To England Derby

PARIS, June 2 (UP) — Prince Aly Khan and his movie

Bonds Set For Pair On Felony Complaints Here

Examining trial was waived Monday by Roy L. Mears and Hillman Bridges, both of Comanche both charged with a felony crime in connection with purchase by worthless check of an automobile from King Motor Co. of Eastland, and Justice of the Peace E. E. Wood set their bonds at \$2,500 each.

The Sheriff's office stated setting of bond was only a gesture as Mears is on parole and Bridges on reprieve from the state penitentiary at Huntsville, and would not be eligible for release if bond was posted.

Both are being held in the Eastland County Jail and will be remanded to the Grand Jury when it convenes later this month. The star bride, Rita Hayworth, left in the prince's private plane today for England to attend the running of the derby on Saturday. They took off from LeBourget Airport this morning and were expected to stop briefly in Leauville.

Gorman Oil News

By Roena Van Winkle

R. E. Patterson drilling at 2,900 feet. Still not sure of findings.

Pepton Oil Co. have set up on the Smallwood tract which may be better known to some as the Dewey tract and it is north and west of Sipe Springs if we have our directions right.

Rochee No. 1 Junior Flies have started up with a cable tool outfit. This lease was taken by Evans of Brownwood we understand and we have no been able to determine if it is a farmout or just what the deal between Rochee and Evans may have been. The Junior Flies lease is about 3 miles southwest of Gorman and down toward Sipe Springs.

The Jay and Parker Company No. 2 T. N. Watt drilling at 2,750 after having the complete cleanup and cleanup job. Commercial Production Co. No. 1 R. S. Sanders drilling at 1,050 feet.

Belt Dison No. 1 G. W. Pinson WOC.

Continental No. 1 N. L. Box, drilling ahead, but so far they have maintained the "tight hole" secrecy which so often characterizes a major operation. We will keep trying to ferret things out, however and report whatever we feel to be authentic.

A clean out machine went out to the No. 1 Moate out at the edge of Gorman Wednesday morning. That well is a very weak operation, even though they have kept it going from the time they installed the pumping unit.

McClung No. 1 Rube Christian drilling at 2,000 feet approximately.

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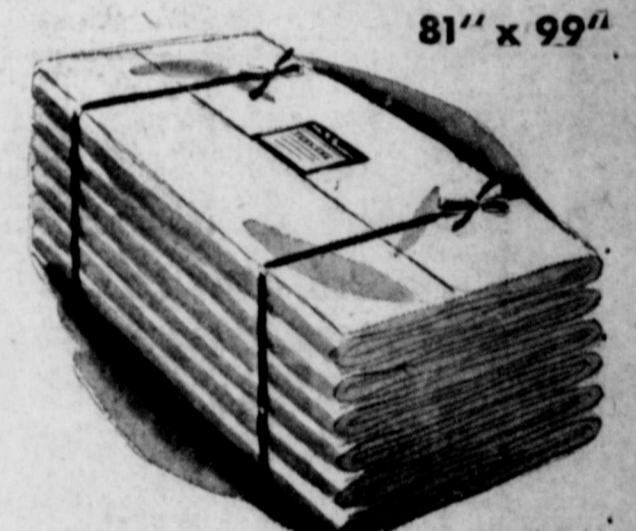
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