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**WEATHER**  
Partly cloudy Tuesday night and early Wednesday with a few showers in West Texas. Not much change in temperature. Maximum temperature Monday was 92 degrees, minimum 73 degrees. Minimum Tuesday 72 degrees.

## Spy Hunt Leader Accuses Truman

### President Trying To Conceal Facts, Says Rep. Thomas

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Rep. J. Parnell Thomas (R-NJ) Tuesday accused President Truman of trying to "conceal" from the people the facts on Communist spying.

In a statement, Thomas also said the House Un-American Activities Committee has reports of "still another espionage ring" not yet mentioned in Capitol Hill hearings.

As committee chairman, Thomas said his statement while the committee itself was reported seething with a behind-the-scenes row over a "leak" of information on a closed session. One member said some one—a committee member or staff aide—had "violated an oath."

### Alabama May Skip Truman

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman's lieutenants were said Tuesday to have about given up hope of winning a place on the Alabama ballot.

With organized labor helping out, a move is under way here to put up a slate of 11 pro-Truman electors in opposition to a group pledged to vote against the President.

But Senator Sparkman (D-Ala.), who opposed the President's civil rights program, told a reporter he doesn't believe there is any way short of a special session of the State Legislature to get Truman supporters on the ticket.

He noted that the Democratic electors already chosen are pledged to vote for Gov. J. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, the States' Rights nominee.

Administration leaders were reported to have come to the same conclusion as Sparkman after quiet checks. The question has been put to Alabama's attorney general.

But even if a Truman ticket is not on the ballot, some Administration leaders think if Alabama's 11 votes were needed to elect Truman over Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, the weight of Southern public opinion would swing toward the Democratic nominee.

### Polio Cases In Texas Are On Increase

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texas had its worst polio week of the year last week, with 90 new cases in 33 counties reported, state health officials said Tuesday.

Five counties reported polio for the first time in 1948.

Harris County cases jumped from nine the previous week to 19.

The 1948 official total now stands at 1,132 cases, only 142 short of the 1,274 recorded in 1947, the all-time record.

Approximately one month of hot weather—the weather in which polio seems to flourish—remains.

Health officials for a time thought the dread disease might be on the decline following the report of 30 cases for the week ended July 10. But Tuesday the disease appears to be increasing in Central and West Texas.

**Incidence By Counties**  
Counties reporting cases for the first time last week were Brown, Hamilton, Sherman and Swisher, one each and Runnels, 2. The incidence in other counties: Bell 5, Bexar 2, Cameron 3, Childers 2, Dallas 4, Gillespie 5, Gray 5, Howard 2, Lubbock 3, McLennan 3, Navarro 2, Nueces 3, Tarrant 5, Taylor 3, Travis 3, Wichita 2, Wilcox 2. The sick, Elida, Jefferson, Jim Wells, Limestone, Milam, San Patricio, Willbarger and Zavala, 1 each.

### Refuses To Return



(NEA Telephone)  
Hungarian Olympic swimmer Emeric Sztamari is one of the team members reported to have decided to remain in Britain. Two Czechs and three Hungarians are said to have balked at returning to their native countries.

### Envoys Silent On Parleys

MOSCOW—(AP)—The representatives of Britain, France and the United States conferred again at the American Embassy Tuesday.

A reliable informant said no meeting with Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov is expected Tuesday night. Observers, as much in the dark as ever about the previous four-power talks, expressed belief the length of Monday night's session indicated the conferees were getting down to concrete problems.

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Monday's conference was the sixth with Molotov. It was the longest since the negotiations began last June 22, lasting three hours and 45 minutes. The Western envoys first met with Molotov July 31. He was present also at the August 2 meeting with Prime Minister Stalin, which was followed by meetings with Molotov August 6, August 9, August 12 and Monday night.

None of the Western envoys would comment as they left the Kremlin in a drizzling rain Monday night.

There has been no official indication as to how the talks are going. The Western diplomats have been silent on the progress of the conferences throughout the prolonged negotiations.

### Babe Ruth Dies

By M. L. STEPHENSON  
NEW YORK—(AP)—Babe Ruth is dead.

The one-time Yankee slugger, wasted by two years' illness and almost constant pain, died of cancer of the throat at 6:01 p. m. (CST) Monday. He was 53.

A priest who administered the last rites of the Roman Catholic Church said, "The Babe has been prepared since July 21 for his death."

Ruth never knew he had cancer, however.

More than 100 children who were gathered outside Memorial Hospital Center for Cancer and Allied Diseases walked sadly away from the end stage.

They were representative of the thousands of young and old who had stood vigil in relays outside the hospital where their stricken idol lay suffering. Millions of others over the world had kept rooting for the Babe.

A mass for Ruth will be held Thursday morning in St. Patrick's Cathedral.

Ready Memorial Programs  
His body was removed to a funeral chapel early Tuesday.

Two radio network memorial programs are scheduled for Tuesday night—NBC from 7 to 7:30 p. m. (CST) and ABC from 7:30 to 8. President Truman led the nation in paying tribute to the Babe, who batted his way to major league baseball immortality during 22 playing years.

The President's message of condolence—the first of many received at the Ruth residence said: "A whole generation of boys now grown to manhood will mourn the passing of the home run king of the baseball world."

Ruth had all the qualities of a hero, and as an example of clean sport was an inspiration to tens of thousands of rooters of all ages all over the country. x x x

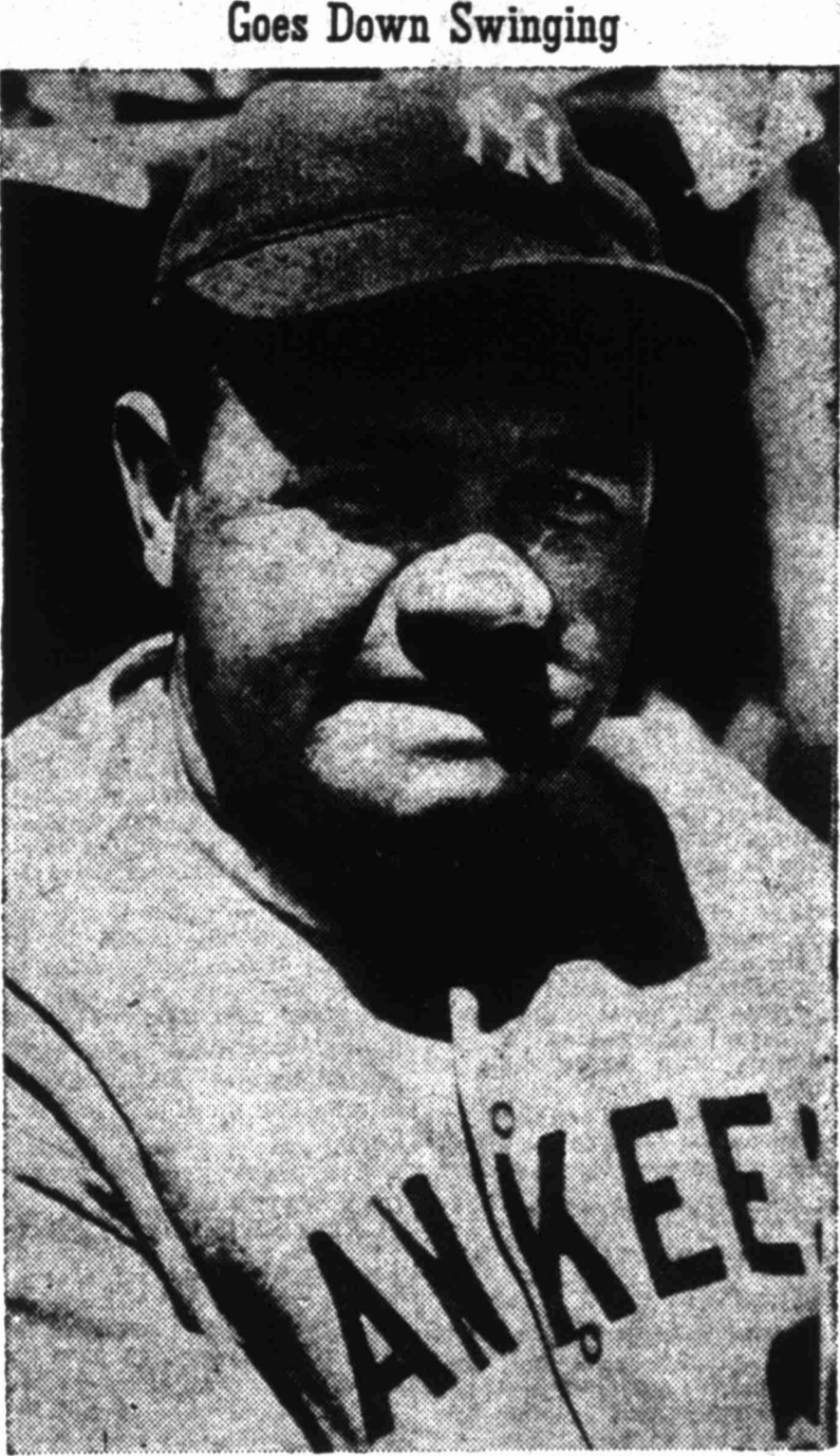
The President told Ruth's family: "To you and to all who mourn with us, I offer this assurance of heartfelt sympathy."

**Death Caused By Cancer**  
Ruth lapsed into unconsciousness shortly before death came.

At Ruth's bedside when he died were his personal physician, Dr. Hayes Martin; another physician, Dr. Lotin Rasmussen; the priest and two male nurses.

Doctor Martin revealed that death was caused by cancer. Throughout the Babe's illness the exact nature of his ailment had not been disclosed.

At the hospital when the end came were Ruth's wife, Claire; his (Continued on page 10)



(NEA Telephone)  
Babe Ruth, baseball's great, died of a throat cancer in a New York hospital. In two years, the Babe fought against disease as he fought on the baseball diamond, game to the end. This character study was made when he was with the Yankees in 1930.

### Petroleum Unit Of Navy Reserve Is Organized Here

Twenty-five Midland and Permian Basin Naval Reserve officers have requested and received orders to the new Volunteer Petroleum Unit Number 8-1, it was announced by Capt. William W. Studdert, USNR, commanding officer.

This is the first group of its kind established in the petroleum industry, and is part of the Navy's program to provide an adequate trained force of reserve officers and enlisted personnel with petroleum experience who will be available for mobilization in the event of an emergency.

Membership is open to all petroleum personnel, regardless of Naval Reserve classification, and it is expected that in the event of mobilization, members of this unit will be assigned to duty in billets where petroleum knowledge and experience are required. Since members are regarded as receiving their training daily, there is no required attendance at drills, but a program of lectures and meetings is planned. There is no pay provided, but credit for participation is given as in the Organized Reserve.

Applications are desired from the Permian Basin area, and information may be obtained from Captain Studdert, or from Lt. Cmdr. William V. Byrd, USNR, phone 539, or write box 1687, Midland.

**Members Listed**  
Already on the roster of the unit (with rank) are: Neel G. Barney, chief carpenter; William V. Byrd, LSDR; Robert D. Fitting, lieutenant; William P. Foster, lieutenant; Walton P. Goodman, LCDR; Harold B. Grigsby, ensign; James V. Hardwick, lieutenant (jg); James H. Hartman, lieutenant (jg); Charles A. Hill, PC; Frank M. Jackson, LCDR; Charles M. Lineham, lieutenant; Lee M. Love, ensign; John C. Mann, Jr., ensign; James D. Martin, LCDR; Harold Y. McClure, lieutenant; Horace P. Norman, lieutenant (jg); Carol W. Payne, lieutenant (jg); Clyde M. Pederson, lieutenant; Robert C. Schmidt, lieutenant; Ewel H. Stone, LCDR; James R. Story, lieutenant (jg); Williams W. Studdert, captain; Hans Wippler, LCDR.

### Highway Group To Push Road Widening Job

Representatives of the Highway Committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce will appear before the State Highway Commission at its August 26 hearing to urge the widening of U. S. Highway 90 between Midland and Odessa at the earliest possible time. It was decided at a meeting of the committee Monday afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce office.

County Judge Clifford C. Keith and Chairman E. H. Barron were authorized to attend the commission hearing in Austin. Representatives of the Odessa Chamber of Commerce and the Ector County Commissioners Court will be invited to accompany the Midland group.

Keith explained the status of the much needed highway improvement project, and said the Midland County Commissioners Court has agreed to purchase necessary right-of-way when the deeds are presented.

**Survey Underway**  
S. C. Dougherty, resident highway engineer, said a crew now is engaged in surveying for the project.

Chamber of Commerce directors, at a recent meeting, authorized the Highway Committee to take such steps as necessary in pushing the road widening job to completion.

A meeting of company and union labor negotiators were set tentatively for Wednesday in Chicago.

Instructions to walk out followed by just a few minutes union announcement that "International Harvester will have a three-day strike in the North considering" the union then said Harvester had rejected further negotiations and that the strike was on.

Just a short time earlier, the union had announced a postponement of the walkout set for 7 a. m.

### 24,000 Harvester Workers Called Out On Strike Tuesday

CHICAGO—(AP)—Twenty-four thousand CIO United Auto workers were called out on strike at seven International Harvester Company plants Tuesday under a last-minute change in signals.

The company reported the strike had halted production at six of the plants but that the factory at Ft. Wayne, Ind., employing 5,000 persons was operating.

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### Greeks Expect Drive Against Communist Rebels To End Soon

ATHENS—(AP)—Government spokesmen said Tuesday there is little doubt the Grammos campaign against Communist rebels will end soon, and successfully for the Greek Army.

A general staff spokesman said the defense line shows the whole southwestern sector of the front had crumbled and War Minister George Stratos told the Cabinet Monday night the guerrillas were abandoning war material and wounded in unorganized flight.

Spokesmen said the rebel perimeter in the North had been whittled down to 22 miles and Stratos said the Army had captured the highest peak in the Grammos mountains, once a major stronghold of the rebel chief, Markos Vafelias.

Tuesday's general staff communique, however, said only that National troops were in close contact with guerrillas at the summit of the 8,000-foot peak and a spokesman said the troops were 200 yards from the top. The communique said advances had been made all around the Grammos perimeter.

Hear Jimmy Morgan Tonight 8:00 p. m. Open Air Revival. First Baptist Church—(Adv.)

### Truman Signs GOP Anti-Inflation Bill

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman signed into law Monday the credit curbs he called only "a tiny fraction of what we need" to reduce the inflation.

But when the new restrictions on time payment buying and on bank reserves will go into effect remains to be determined.

Some version of the old one-third-down-and-only-15-month-to-pay rule probably will return some time next month.

The Federal Reserve Board said it will lay down all the rules and fix an effective date later this week.

The board will administer the anti-inflation bill passed by the special session of the Republican-dominated 80th Congress earlier this month.

The President said the bill represents only a "feeble response" to the demands of the people for strong

### Negro Attacks Dallas Couple

DALLAS—(AP)—William A. Slack, 28-year-old battery company employee, was splashed with acid and his young estranged wife was kidnapped by a huge negro early Tuesday as they sat in an automobile and discussed their marital problems.

Slack told officers the negro threw acid on him while pointing a shotgun, then took his wife to an old model truck and drove away. Slack, almost blinded and in agonizing pain, walked and crawled almost six miles across town to the home of a relative with whom he lived. At about the same time Mrs. Slack appeared at the Johnson home.

Johnson called police, who took the woman to a hospital. Slack was taken to the hospital by relatives.

**PRESIDENT TRUMAN PLANS VACATION TRIP**  
WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman will leave Friday on a three-day cruise to rest and work on plans for a country-wide campaign for the presidency.

He will cruise down the Potomac, into Chesapeake Bay, through the Chesapeake-Delaware Ship Canal and into Delaware Bay.

### Tulsa Man Is New Odessa CC Manager

ODessa—(AP)—Freston V. Korn, Jr., Tulsa Chamber of Commerce executive, Tuesday accepted appointment as manager of the Odessa Chamber of Commerce. The post has been vacant since the death of M. J. Bensfield April 6. Korn, 36, now is manager of the Tulsa Chamber's Governmental Affairs Department.

**There's No Place Like Home**  
PITTSBURGH—(AP)—It's a bit crowded but Mrs. Anna Brandon, 65, of Ingram has set up home-keeping in the hallway of her home.

A victim of her own generosity, Mrs. Brandon rented the first floor of the house in the belief the second-floor tenants were going to move.

The second-floor tenants didn't move, and she left Mrs. Brandon with nothing but the hall.

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### Former Citizen Dies In Mineral Wells; To Be Buried Here

Mrs. Jack West of San Antonio, formerly of Midland, and a sister of Mrs. E. W. Estes of this city, died Monday night of a heart attack in a Mineral Wells hospital, where she had been undergoing medical treatment.

An early-day Midland resident, Mrs. West moved to San Antonio a number of years ago. She was well known in Midland and vicinity.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a. m. Wednesday in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel here. Interment will be in Fairview Cemetery.

Survivors include the husband; two sisters, Mrs. S. W. Estes, Midland; Mrs. George Brantley of Carlsbad, N. M.; and a brother, Ace Draper, of Hebronville, Texas.

### Community Chest Drive Scheduled October 1-15

Midland County's second annual Community Chest campaign will be held October 1-15, directors of the organization decided at a meeting Monday afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce office. Chairman Robert I. Dickey presided.

Organizations of a welfare and social nature who wish to participate in Community Chest funds next year are invited to submit proposed budgets and programs of activities at a meeting of the directors scheduled at 8 p. m. September 2 in the Chamber of Commerce.

Organizations participating this year are the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Youth Center, Salvation Army and Goodfellow.

Attending the meeting were Dickey, Mrs. Drue Dunn, secretary, W. Ily Pratt, W. Dave Henderson and F. V. Thorson.

### SE Sterling Project Has O. & G. Shows

Cole-Darden Oil Company and Westlund & Johnson, Inc., No. 1 E. T. Foster, Sterling County prospector, three and one-half miles northwest of the Marvin field, ran a five and one-half hour drillstem test in the Wichita-Albany lime at 4,306-4,463 feet.

Recovery was 21 stands of drilling mud. Operators reported that the bottom 12 stands of the fluid was heavily cut with oil and gas. Samples and drilling time charts indicated that the petroleum came from the interval at 4,267-4,395 feet.

Operators planned to wash the possible producing zone with 1,000 gallons of acid, and test further. The project is 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 26, block 13, SP&R survey.

### Richardson & Bass No. 1 Neal Reaches Devonian

Richardson & Bass No. 1 Neal, East-Central Upton County Ellenburger exploration, about seven miles northwest of the Bessenden field, and 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 9, block Y, GC&SP survey, topped the Devonian chert at 10,509 feet, an elevation of 2,736 feet. The project is making new hole (Continued on Page 10)

### ★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

**WIESBADEN, GERMANY—(AP)—An American Air Force fighter pilot was reported killed Tuesday when his parachute failed to open after he bailed out of an F-47 Thunderbolt about 30 miles northeast of Munich.**

**NEW YORK—(AP)—The bodies of 5,864 American war dead, including many who fell in the bitter fighting for St. Lo, are scheduled to arrive at the Brooklyn Army Base Thursday aboard the U. S. Army transport Lawrence Victory.**

**AMMAN, TRANS-JORDAN—(AP)—Jewish forces heavily attacked Arab Legion positions at Deir Abu Tor in Southern Jerusalem Tuesday and were thrown back with "several hundred killed," an official statement said late Tuesday.**

**SOFIA, BULGARIA—(AP)—The Bulgarian Red Cross announced Tuesday it is not participating in the International Red Cross Conference at Stockholm, Sweden, as a protest against participation of "Fascist Spain."**

**Arabs, Jews Fight Big Artillery Duel**  
JERUSALEM—(AP)—Jews and Arabs fought an artillery duel for five hours Tuesday.

The battle began at dawn. Arab fire battered Jewish positions along the entire corridor which cuts the Holy City from North to South.

The Israeli Army made no report on the Jewish return fire, but Jewish artillery was audible throughout the engagement. Automatic weapons fire cracked from both sides.

**16 ABSENTEE BALLOTS**  
Sixteen absentee ballots for the August 28 Democratic Primary election had been cast Tuesday morning, County Clerk Lucille Johnson reported.

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## Vary Potato Salad Recipes To Keep Dish A Family Favorite

By GAYNOR MADDOX  
NEA Staff Writer

Potatoes are superabundant now. Serve them regularly—in many different ways. Potato salad is a perennial favorite and here are two very different ways of making it.

**Potato Salad**  
(Serves 8)

Four cups diced cooked potatoes, 1 1/2 cups diced celery, 1 cup sliced olives, 3 hard-cooked eggs, diced, 1/3

cup chopped onion, 1 teaspoon salt, 2/3 cup mayonnaise, 8 lettuce leaves, 8 radishes.

Toss together in a bowl the potatoes, celery, olives, eggs, onion and salt. Add mayonnaise and lightly mix. Place a lettuce leaf in each of eight glass deep pie dishes. Fill each lettuce leaf with potato salad. Garnish with radishes.

**Tyrolian Potato Salad**  
(Yield: Approximately 6 Portions)

Six medium-sized new potatoes, 2 tablespoons olive oil, 1 tablespoon vinegar, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper, 1 tablespoon onion, finely chopped, 1/2 cup celery, finely diced, lettuce.

Cook potatoes in rapidly boiling salted water until tender. Drain and peel. Cut into small cubes. Make a marinade of remaining ingredients. Turn over warm potatoes and let stand until thoroughly cooled. Heap in lettuce cups.

**Dressing**

One cup milk, 1 tablespoon butter, 3 tablespoons cornstarch, 3 tablespoons cold water, 2 teaspoons dry mustard, 1 teaspoon salt, dash of cayenne, 1/2 cup beer.

Heat milk with butter. Mix cornstarch to a paste with cold water. Add to milk with seasonings. Cook over hot water, stirring constantly until thick. Cool. Add beer slowly, beating until smooth. Force through a sieve if necessary. Serve on potato salad.

## Rankin News

RANKIN—Earnest and Joe Salmon, formerly of Rankin, visited friends here Monday. Earnest is attending Sul Ross in Alpine and Joe, who has spent the summer with his mother, Mrs. Laura Salmon, in Fort Davis, will return to TCU in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and daughters of Alpine were weekend guests in the Omar Warren home.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Johnson left Sunday for their home in Oklahoma after having spent several months in Rankin with the National Geophysical Company. Mrs. Johnson was employed as bookkeeper at the Harris-Luckett Company during their stay here. They were accompanied to Midland by Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Barfield.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mims of Midland visited Rankin relatives Sunday on their way to the Boys Camp Meeting in the Davis Mountains.

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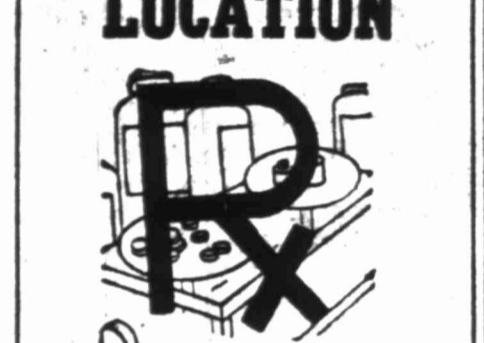
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## Elementary Students Register This Week

First grade students who will attend North, South and West Elementary Schools will register Wednesday and Thursday at their respective schools. Supt. Frank Monroe announced.

First graders whose last names begin with the letters A through M will register Wednesday, and N through Z students will register Thursday.

Second, third, fourth and fifth grade students who are entering Midland schools for the first time will register at their respective schools Friday.

Parents are invited to accompany the students. Monroe urged the cooperation of parents and students in registering promptly and on schedule.

For a festive dessert top lemon pie with moist canned or fresh shredded coconut.

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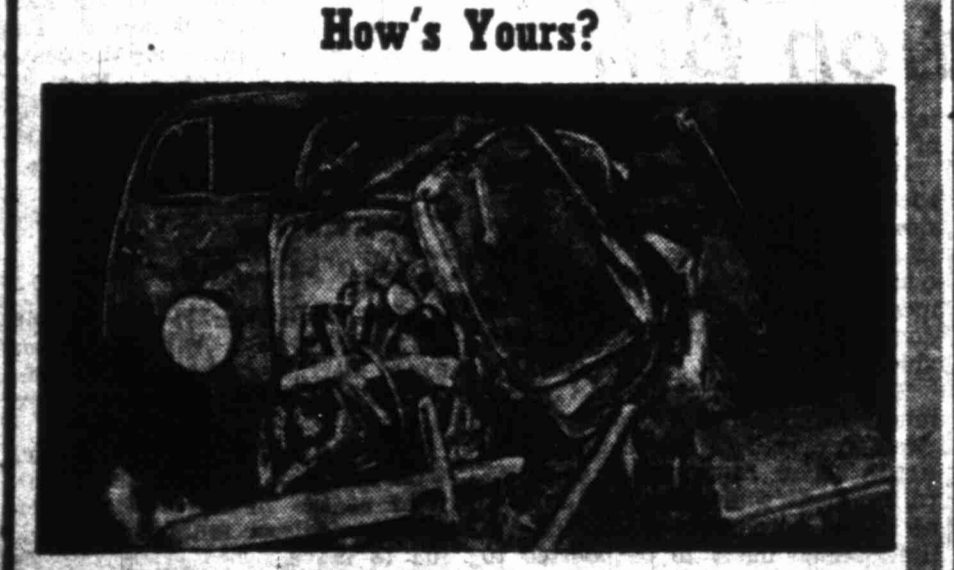
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## New Aids Recondition Lifeless Hair



By ALICIA HART  
NEA Staff Writer

Does your hair reboke you for your Summer follies with a lack-luster look and curls as dry as wood shavings? If so, the time is ripe to ply the hair brush—put one in each hand—and to use the extra aids you need for reconditioning your hair.

To the old but dependable routine of brushing, experts of a leading cosmetic company specializing in a scientific program of skin care suggest adding three new aids designed to restore snap and sparkle to lifeless hair. One aid is a cream which literally puts a scalp in the pink. A scalp-glow cream, applied between

partings of hair with an orange stick, brings a quick rush of blood to the scalp. As soon as a pink glow appears, you are ready for step No. 2. That's a dunking in the basin accompanied by two latherings with a vegetable oil shampoo.

For the best results, this shampoo should be followed by a hair-dressing rinse, which is step No. 3 for restoring lost luster. A teaspoonful of the luster-making stuff mixed into two quarts of warm water and used for the final rinse has an almost magical way of combating dryness and of coaxing softness and sheen back into brittle locks.

Restoring luster to lifeless hair starts with vigorous double-brushing, above. Next, special cream applied to scalp with cotton swab, bottom left, stimulates circulation. Third, after shampoo, a teaspoonful of hair-dressing is measured into rinse water, top left, to combat dryness.

## He Prefers Western Marks



This Berlin news vendor moved his stand out of a good location in a railway station in the Soviet sector of Berlin, when the Russians told him he could only accept Eastern marks. Now established on a street in the American sector, he collects preferred Western marks. The East-West currency squabble increases the tension in Berlin. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent Erich Engels.)

## Aircraft Communicator Openings Are Listed

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.—The Civil Aeronautics Administration has openings for a number of qualified single men as aircraft communicators in Alaska, at starting salaries of \$3718 a year.

Successful applicants will be assigned to the 45 airways communications stations operated by the CAA along Alaskan airways. Men selected will be in line for eventual promotion to higher-grade jobs paying up to \$6540 a year.

Basic qualifications for the job are the ability to transmit and receive International Morse Code at minimum speed of 30 words a minute; to touch typewrite at 35 words a minute; and 18 months of aeronautical communications experience or an acceptable equivalent in education and experience.

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## Midlander's Mother Dies In Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Craver and children, 408 North Carrizo Street, left Monday afternoon for Terrell, Texas, to attend funeral services for Mrs. Craver's mother, Mrs. L. C. Ingram of Terrell, who died suddenly Sunday night while on a vacation trip to Fall River Lodge, Colo. Funeral arrangements had not been completed late Monday.

## CITY WATER SERVICE IS RESTORED AT KYLE

KYLE, TEXAS.—(P)—Water service was restored here early Tuesday morning after Kyle had gone more than two days without a local water supply.

A municipal pump went out of order early Saturday afternoon, and residents were furnished water by two water wagons.

## Coming Events

**WEDNESDAY**

The Adult Choir of the First Methodist Church will rehearse at 7:15 p. m.

Boy Scout Troop No. 152 will meet at 7:30 p. m.

The Adult Choir of the First Presbyterian Church will rehearse at 7:30 p. m. at the West Elementary School.

The Star Study Club will meet for a covered dish supper at 7 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Clyde Hambleton, 410 North Main Street.

**THURSDAY**

The Youth Choir of the First Methodist Church will rehearse at 7 p. m.

The B&PW Club will have a watermelon party at the home of Mrs. Mae Fromhold, 904 West Storey Street, at 7:30 p. m.

**FRIDAY**

The Young Adult Fellowship of the First Methodist Church will have a business meeting at 7:30 p. m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building.

The Iota Beta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority will sponsor a western dance from 9 p. m. to 12 p. m. at the American Legion Hall. Tickets may be purchased from members of the sorority or at the door. The public is invited.

The Ladies Golf Association will have its regular weekly luncheon at 1 p. m., preceded by golf at 9 a. m. Mrs. A. N. Griffith and Mrs. J. H. Conine will be hostesses.

**SATURDAY**

The regular Children's Story Hour will be held at 9:30 a. m. in the Children's Room of the Midland County Library.

## GOT QUICK RHEUMATIC RELIEF WITH MERTOX

"For the past 16 years I have been bothered with frequent rheumatic pains in my left shoulder. This trouble later spread to my right shoulder also," writes Mr. J. C. Kirkland of Dallas. In my work I have to use my arms a lot, and my shoulders were beginning to stiffen up. After taking Mertox Compound for a short time this condition was quickly corrected, so that now I am free from rheumatic trouble and free of the aches and pains. I was also troubled with gas and bloating, which were very painful. I felt tired and run-down; just seemed to have no life or pep at all. Had severe headaches, too. The gas would seem to press against my heart and lungs and make it hard to breathe. Now I can eat anything, even meat, which was impossible before taking this splendid medicine. My bowels are now regular and I do not have to get up at night as I did before."

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## CHILD BORN TO POLIO PATIENT IS DOING FINE

PORT WORTH—(P)—The baby boy born to Mrs. Walter Kermit Rogers, 22, a polio patient, here Saturday is doing fine.

Mrs. Rogers was down here July 17 from her home in Roswell, N. M. Almost paralyzed when she was admitted to the Polio Hospital, she was in an iron lung until last Thursday.

## HOT FLASHES?

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## City Council Of Beta Sigma Phi Plans Style Show

The Midland City Council of Beta Sigma Phi held its monthly business session Monday evening on the mezzanine of the Scharbauer Hotel. Jane Marie Johnson, president, presided.

The constitution of the council was read, considered, and placed in form to be presented to the local chapters for voting.

Additional plans were outlined for cooperation with local charitable organizations in the clothing depot. The public is urged to keep this depot in mind, as a clothing drive for the needy of Midland County will be launched in the near future.

Attendance contests for the next Beta Sigma Phi year were discussed, whereby the chapter with the best attendance record will be entertained by the two losing chapters.

Discussion of the annual Fall style show occupied most of the evening, and two tentative dates for this event were presented—September 20 or September 27. Other pertinent arrangements were made in this connection.

Representatives of the three Midland chapters attending were Mrs. A. L. Barr, Mrs. Charles Reeder, Mrs. Noel Cason, Mrs. J. H. Pine, Aileen Maxwell, Melba Knippling and Lafara Harblson.



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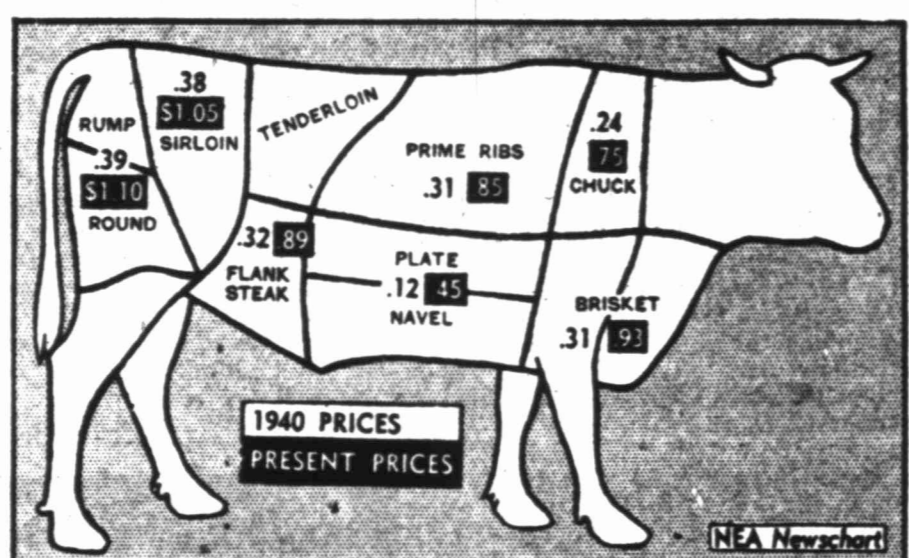
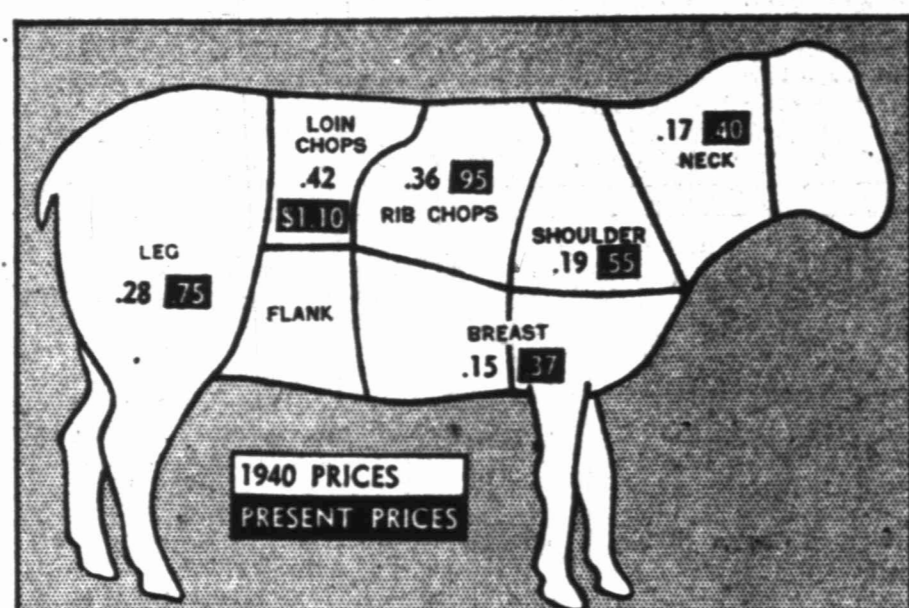
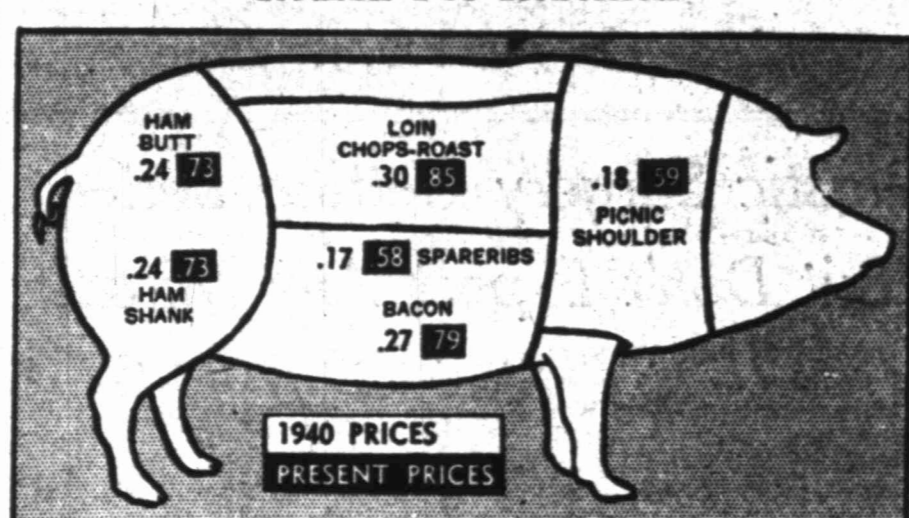
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## Reason For Rebellion



The "petticoat rebellion" against the high price of meat is sweeping the country. Here's why. Cut by cut, and chop by chop, these charts show the changes in price between 1940 and now.

## American Legion Auxiliary Names New Officers

Mrs. Bertie Sexton was elected president of the Women's Auxiliary of Woods W. Lynch Post No. 19 of the American Legion for 1948 at a meeting Monday night in the American Legion Hall.

Other new officers are Mrs. Vivian Steele, vice president; Mrs. Margaret Haney, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Velma Smith, chaplain; Mrs. Irene Allen, sergeant-at-arms; Mrs. Rita Pessel, historian; Mrs. O. M. Luton, parliamentarian; and Mrs. Mary Buttry, reporter.

Mrs. Iva Noyes, acting president, called the meeting to order, and Mrs. Luton offered the opening prayer.

Five new members joined the auxiliary, Mrs. Marie Butler, Mrs. Mary Buttry, Mrs. Helen Jones, Mrs. J. S. Jones and Mrs. Untie Bell.

It was announced that an installation tea will be held August 28 at 8 p. m. in the American Legion Hall.

Two delegates, Mrs. Vivian Steele and Mrs. Ethel Shelton, were elected to attend the American Legion Convention in Corpus Christi next month.

## Day Camp Attendees Make Shell Bracelets

A full morning of handicraft was enjoyed by 115 girls at the Girl Scout Day Camp meeting Monday at Cloverdale Park.

While some of the girls finished the lanyards begun Friday, others did shell work under the direction of Mrs. Lloyd C. Mills and Mrs. Royce Blackmon.

The older girls made plexiglass bracelets and barrettes and mounted them with shells. The Brownies did the same work with plastic, and some made pipe cleaner figurines.

Archery lessons under the direction of Herbert Buder were continued in preparation for the archery tournament which will begin Wednesday. Two girls from each of the eight units will be selected for the final playoffs Friday.

Wednesday, the older girls will make charm strings and the younger girls will work in clay. Plans for the evening cook-out to be held Friday will also be discussed.

## C. W. FOUNTAIN, JR., FETED WITH PARTY ON FIFTH BIRTHDAY

C. W. Fountain, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fountain, 2106 West Washington Street, was honored by his parents Monday afternoon with a party on his fifth birthday.

The three-layer birthday cake was decorated with pink and white frosting. Funch and ice cream also were served.

Present were the honoree, William James Bearden, Doris Lee Fountain, Hazel Kay Long, Andy Landrum, Garry Landrum, Susan Wilson, Timmy Throckmorton, Sandra Montgomery, Jessie Sims III and Vera Margaret Bush.

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## Social Situations

SITUATION: A neighbor proudly offers you something from her garden and it is something your family is not particularly fond of. WRONG WAY: Refuse the gift with the explanation that neither you nor any of your family care for that particular vegetable.

RIGHT WAY: Accept the gift, rather than risk offending the giver. This is the more gracious way to handle the situation.

## VISITOR FROM HONOLULU

Mrs. W. F. Neukirch of Honolulu was a weekend visitor of Mrs. Emma Mancill.

A member of the oak species grown in the western Mediterranean area yields cork.

# Society

MISS CARROLL SANDERS, Editor

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## Rome Wedding Rumored for Them



Rumors say that Tyrone Power and Linda Christian, Hollywood stars now making a movie in Rome, will be wed there very soon. The two pause during a sightseeing tour of the Italian capitol. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent Albert Biase.)

## Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fikes of Odessa on the birth Friday of a daughter, Janice Lynn, weighing seven pounds, six ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Armstrong on the birth Monday of a daughter, Linda Carol, weighing six pounds, nine ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldredge Estes, Jr., on the birth Saturday of a daughter, Virginia Ann, weighing seven pounds, 10 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Carpenter on the birth Sunday of a son, Chris Ray, weighing five pounds, eight ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Booth on the birth, Sunday of a son, Robert Lynn, weighing nine pounds, 10 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Smith on the birth Sunday of twin daughters, not yet named, weighing three pounds eight ounces, and three pounds, six ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Tolliver on the birth Monday of a son, Gary Ray, weighing four pounds, six ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Smith on the birth Monday of a daughter, Paula Anne, weighing seven pounds, 10 ounces.

## Meat Boycott Leader Is Ordered To Rest

DALLAS — (AP) — Mrs. R. D. Vaughn, leader of a week-long meat boycott by housewives who want lower prices, has been ordered to take a vacation by her physician.

The 71-year-old woman was told to forget about the campaign she headed and to rest.

A throat irritation brought on by nervousness and exhaustion forced Mrs. Vaughn to take to her bed Monday night.

## VISIT'S DAUGHTER HERE

Mrs. Onis Hittson of Breckenridge is in Midland visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Aldredge Estes, Jr., and little granddaughter.

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## Coke Stevenson Flays Congress Vote Record Of Lyndon Johnson

HOUSTON — (AP) — Former Gov. Coke Stevenson, after attacking his opponent's voting record in Congress, carried his runoff campaign for the U. S. Senate Tuesday into Liberty County and Beaumont.

In a statewide broadcast Monday night, Stevenson said the Congressional Directory shows that Lyndon Johnson failed on three occasions to support anti-Communist action in the House of Representatives.

"The Communists are busy in this country," said Stevenson. "They have been all along. The light is now being turned on some of their activities, and we are gradually learning more about the whole shameful mess."

"That is why it is so important that you send a man to the United States Senate you know and you can depend on to fight Communism."

Reminding his listeners that he has pledged himself to try to cut down the tax bill, Stevenson said: "It will take a lot of calculating to do it—the same kind of calculating I did as governor when we were able to wipe out a big deficit in the General Fund revenue, building up a \$35,000,000 cash surplus, more than double appropriations for old age assistance, and increase school teachers' salaries, all without taxes ever being increased one penny."

Stevenson said he has never hesitated to accept his nickname, "Calculatin' Coke."

"As a public official," he said, "I've always tried to do enough calculating to enable me to serve the people of Texas to the very best of my ability."

"When you send me to the United States Senate you may be sure that Coke Stevenson will continue to do a lot of calculating."

"I'll calculate about the best way to keep the United States out of war."

## CHINESE GOVERNMENT TROOPS RECAPTURE TOWN

SHANGHAI — (AP) — Government troops driving northward along the Grand Canal have recaptured the town of Sze yang, their first major victory in a new campaign against the Communists in Kiangsu Province, military headquarters reported Tuesday.

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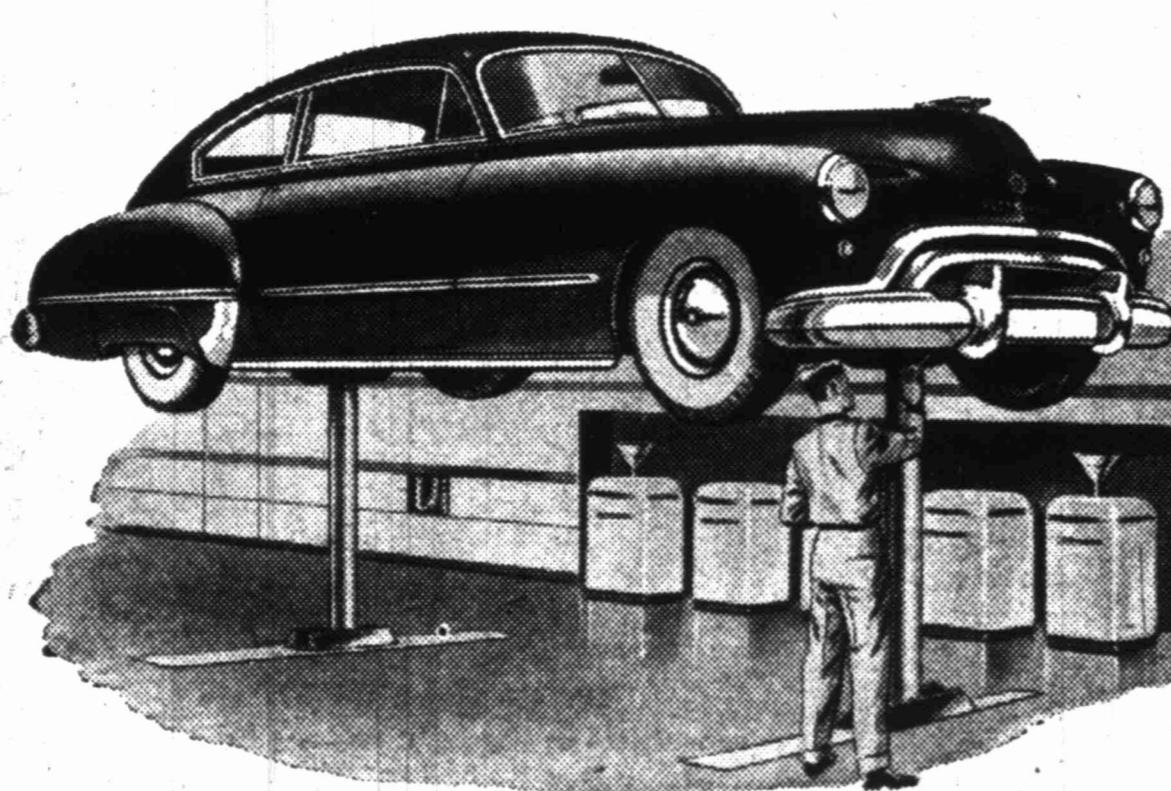
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Thou shalt not be affrighted at them: for the  
Lord thy God is among you, a mighty God and ter-  
rible.—Deuteronomy 7:21.

'Big Stick' Display

One New Jersey town has advertised its air raid  
siren for sale. That looks as though there still were opti-  
mists in this world. But, for every one who is so confi-  
dent, there are several who take it for granted there will be  
another war soon.

We sent 60 B-29s to Britain. Presumably they went  
just for training, but by coincidence there they are, pro-  
tected by British warning system and fighter forces, right  
where they could fly at a moment's notice to Berlin, or  
elsewhere. A lot more B-29s are being taken out of their  
costly plastic protective coatings.

The B-29 is the Air Force's workhorse for any long-  
range bombing. It is the plane that would be used to  
move A-bombs from here to there if we had to do that in a  
hurry. We have quite a few A-bombs, apparently.

We have sent 57 P-80 Shooting Star jet fighters to  
Germany on a Navy escort carrier. The armed services  
have warned that they need gasoline in a hurry, and if  
there is any delay in delivery they will just take it. We  
have a schedule that would get draftees onto ocean-going  
transports within 12 weeks after induction.

In the light of what is happening in Berlin, these are  
disheartening signs of the times. They, plus what little  
leaks through the iron curtain about Russia's activities,  
make us wonder what the New Jersey town has in mind  
in offering its siren for sale. Do they want a bigger, better  
one? Or don't they read the papers?

The preparations being made by us and the British  
can, of course, be described as militaristic, provocative.  
We know they can, because the Communists and fellow  
travelers are describing them that way. They can be con-  
sidered as preparations for inevitable war. We know  
they can, because some hotheads, and some who are just  
plain scared, consider them that way.

Actually, they are neither. They are sensible, essen-  
tial, and very minimum acts of preparedness. They will  
not cause war. They will not encourage war. They are  
designed to avert war. They fit into the prescription for  
peace offered by the late Theodore Roosevelt: "Speak  
softly, and carry a big stick."

We and the British are speaking softly. We are  
taking from Moscow a pushing around that only a patient,  
peace-loving, self-confident people could or would endure.  
We've waited a long time, and only now are we turning to  
the corner to get out the big stick.

We're still speaking softly, but we need now to show  
Russia—and also the smaller nations that need encourage-  
ment to resist Soviet pressure—that our hole card is an  
ace. We're not boasting, and we're not bluffing.

Preparations for defensive war are disturbing. But  
they're less disturbing, to anybody but an ostrich, than  
leaving ourselves wide open for another and more dis-  
astrous Pearl Harbor.

Must Be Something To It

It's 30 years now since Bill Taylor's itching feet got  
the best of him, and, after 24 years of not unhappy mar-  
ried life, he lit out for far places as a 47-year-old sailor  
in World War I. When he didn't come home his wife got  
a divorce. Bill left the sea, settled in a little Ohio town,  
became mayor and then judge.

Fifty years after he was married, he got to thinking  
about the girl he left behind. He went to Boston, searched  
for three years, found her, and they were remarried.

Bill's wife must have been quite a gal, to bring him  
back after so many years. Bill must have been quite a  
lad, to be forgiven after a 30-year desertion. And, come  
to think of it, there must be something to that institution  
of marriage, despite the kicking around some folks give it.

UN Mediator crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words.

Does Anyone Know The Answer To This One?



Johnson Says Voters Must Choose Between Political Philosophies

WASHINGTON—Thirteen cases of political pressure  
or intimidation against school, college and university  
teachers who have taken an active part in support of Henry  
Wallace's Progressive Party are now on record. In addi-  
tion to which two preachers have lost their pulpits for  
showing an interest in the third party movement.

All such cases so far re-  
ported have been from the  
Eastern part of the United  
States, but 10 have been in  
the South. Aside from the con-  
stitutional "freedom of speech" guar-  
antees involved, these cases have  
raised again the old controversy over  
academic freedom—allowing teachers  
and professors complete freedom  
of thought, without censorship from  
higher authorities.

This year's cases of faculty in-  
timidation are by no means con-  
fined to backwoods institutions. Col-  
umbia University, Northwestern,  
Williams College, Oglethorpe and  
University of Georgia are among  
the tonier institutions of learning  
involved.

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the State Teachers College, Lyndon,  
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The DOCTOR Says

Plastic Surgery Getting Better

But Don't Expect Any Miracles

By EDWIN F. JORDAN, M. D.  
Written for NEA Service  
During the first World War, plas-  
tic surgery developed rapidly. The  
disfiguring injuries caused by battle  
resulted in the development of in-  
genious special surgical methods,  
both to restore function and repair  
disfigurement.

Between wars, plastic surgery con-  
tinued to advance. Many people,  
who were born with disfiguring de-  
fects or received injuries from acci-  
dents, required plastic surgical re-  
building. The challenge was met.

Many different methods were used,  
such as taking a cartilage from the  
ribs to use in rebuilding a nose or  
ear.

Often Takes Years  
During and since World War II,  
progress in plastic surgery has con-  
tinued at an ever-increasing pace.  
There are thousands of cases on  
record in which the nose has been  
changed from a repellent sight into  
a respectable feature. Ears, lips  
and many other portions of the an-  
atomy have also been rebuilt by  
plastic surgery.

Many of these operations require  
periods of months or even years to  
complete, and involve several se-  
parate operations. Patience on the  
part of both surgeon and patient is,  
therefore, necessary.

Not all attempts to repair or re-  
construct are successful. Someone  
who has to undergo plastic surgery  
should not expect a miracle. Amaz-  
ing results are common, but the per-  
son who is considering plastic sur-  
gery should listen carefully to what  
the surgeon has to say concerning  
the probable results.

As greater experience is gathered  
in this field, greater skill will be  
offered to the patient needing this  
type of treatment. Pioneers in this  
field have every reason to be proud  
of their accomplishments.

THE DOCTOR ANSWERS  
By EDWIN F. JORDAN, M. D.  
QUESTION: How dangerous is  
a shadow on the lung in a seven-  
year-old child?  
ANSWER: The answer to this  
question lies in what has caused  
the shadow, and how large it is.  
If properly treated, early tuber-  
culosis in children generally re-  
sponds well.

Q—Why does the Gothic style  
of architecture lend itself so per-  
fectly to temples of worship?  
A—Because its pointed arches  
and spires seem to point upward  
to God.

Q—What is the correct designa-  
tion of our national legislature  
Congress or the Congress?  
A—In the Constitution, "the  
Congress" is always used.

Q—At the time of the first  
World War armistice, was General  
Pershing in favor of pushing on  
into Germany?  
A—Yes. General Pershing stated  
that Germany was near collapse  
and her leaders not to be trusted,  
and therefore we should take full  
advantage of the situation and  
continue our offensive until we  
compelled the unconditional sur-  
render of Germany.

Q—Is there a pure race of peo-  
ple in the world today?  
A—Anthropologists do not be-  
lieve that any absolutely pure  
race exists.

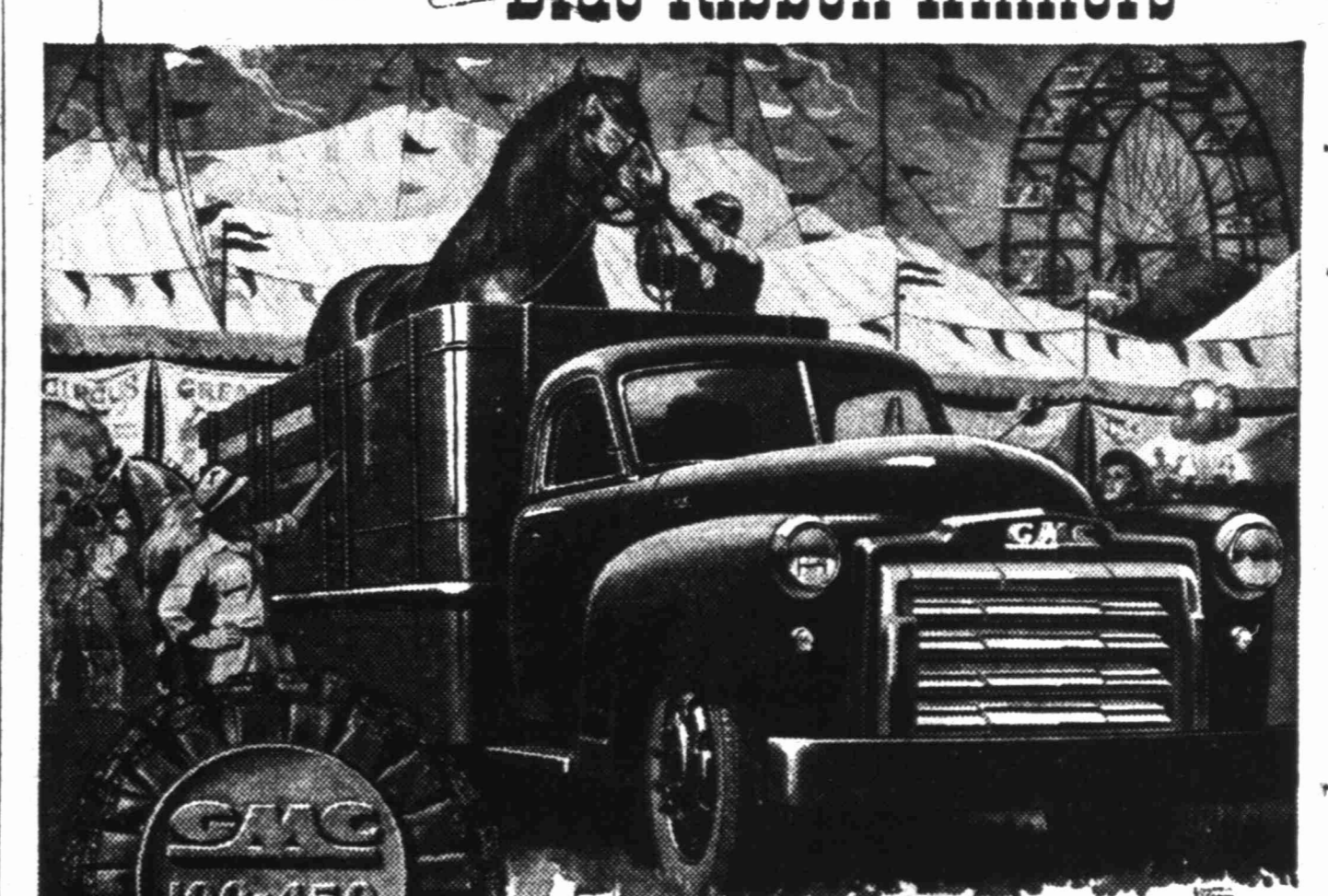
Q—What kind of a drink is  
yerba mate?  
A—It is an aromatic beverage  
prepared in South America from  
the leaves of the Paraguay Tea  
and has a stimulating effect on the  
drinker. The tree belongs to the  
holly family.

French Press Hails  
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# The STANDINGS

**MONDAY'S RESULTS**

**Longhorn League**  
 MIDLAND 11, SAN ANGELO 8  
 Big Spring 4, Del Rio 2  
 Odessa 5, Vernon 3  
 Ballinger 4, Sweetwater 1  
**West Texas-New Mexico League**  
 Lubbock 11, Albuquerque 8  
 Amarillo 11, Pampa 6  
 Borger 10, Abilene 6  
 Clovis 10, Lamesa 5

**Texas League**  
 San Antonio 7, Fort Worth 3  
 Tulsa 10, Shreveport 3  
 Oklahoma City 4, Beaumont 3  
 Dallas 2, Houston 1

**National League**  
 Brooklyn 6, Boston 3  
 St. Louis 9, Chicago 7  
 Cincinnati 5, Pittsburgh 2  
 (Only games scheduled)

**American League**  
 (No games scheduled)

**TUESDAY'S STANDINGS**

**Longhorn League**

Team	W	L	Pct.
Big Spring	72	44	.621
Odessa	67	50	.573
MIDLAND	61	55	.547
Ballinger	61	55	.526
Vernon	60	58	.508
Sweetwater	55	62	.470
San Angelo	54	64	.458
Del Rio	53	63	.458
West Texas-New Mexico League			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Albuquerque	74	42	.638
Amarillo	67	50	.573
Lubbock	66	52	.559
Pampa	64	51	.557
Abilene	64	54	.545
Borger	51	65	.440
Clovis	50	66	.437
Lamesa	41	77	.347

**Texas League**

Team	W	L	Pct.
Fort Worth	73	49	.608
Tulsa	73	51	.589
Houston	69	55	.557
San Antonio	60	63	.488
Shreveport	60	64	.484
Dallas	54	70	.435
Oklahoma City	53	70	.431
Beaumont	51	74	.408

**National League**

Team	W	L	Pct.
Boston	62	47	.569
Brooklyn	58	47	.552
St. Louis	59	49	.546
Pittsburgh	59	50	.545
New York	54	52	.509
Philadelphia	52	56	.481
Cincinnati	47	62	.431
Chicago	43	65	.398

**American League**

Team	W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	67	42	.615
Philadelphia	67	45	.598
Boston	65	45	.591
New York	61	46	.570
Detroit	52	55	.486
Washington	44	65	.407
St. Louis	43	64	.402
Chicago	36	73	.330

**TUESDAY'S SCHEDULE**

**Longhorn League**  
 SAN ANGELO AT MIDLAND  
 Odessa at Vernon  
 Del Rio at Big Spring  
 Sweetwater at Ballinger

**Texas League**  
 Fort Worth at Houston  
 Tulsa at San Antonio  
 Beaumont at Dallas  
 Shreveport at Oklahoma City

**National League**  
 Boston at Brooklyn  
 St. Louis at Pittsburgh  
 New York at Philadelphia  
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# Sports

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## EDWARD G. BARROW—

### 'Now That The Babe Is Gone, There's Nothing Left For Me'

By JOE REICHLER

RYE, N. Y.—(AP)—One of the saddest things in life is to outlive your children.

Thus declared Edward G. Barrow, retired president of the New York Yankees and the man who converted Babe Ruth from a pitcher to an outfielder and started the "King of Swat" toward fame and fortune.

"The Babe was one of my children, you know. Base-ballycally speaking. First Lou (Gehrig), and now the Babe."

"Of all the players I have been associated with in my 50-some odd years in baseball, Ruth, together with Gehrig and Hans Wagner, stand out as the greatest," said the bushy-browed former baseball executive, who managed the Boston Red Sox when Ruth was a member of the team.

"There never has been anybody like Ruth and there never will. And not only for his home run feats, either. The Babe was a wonderful, natural, versatile ball player. He could do everything on the diamond and do it well. He had what is called baseball brains. He never made a mistake on the ball field. He knew instinctively just what to do."

It was during the 1918 season, Barrow's first at managing the Red Sox, that he switched Ruth to the outfield.

Like A Big Baby

"Yes," admitted Barrow. "I believe I had a lot to do with the Babe's success, both on and off the field. He was like a big baby when I first met him back in 1918, even though he already was an established big leaguer. He was such a big, good-natured, overgrown, mischievous kid. Perhaps that is why I loved him best of all."

"The babe loved to play. That was one of the reasons for his greatness. I'll never forget the day I called him into the office to persuade him to give up pitching for the outfield," mused Barrow. "It was the biggest gamble I ever took in my life but I never had reason to regret it."

"I said, 'Babe, I know how you love to pitch, but I believe it would be best for you as well as the team if you turned to the outfield.' He said 'Eddie, why can't I play both places. I'll pitch and play the outfield the other days.' And he did—all that season."

Barrow sold Ruth to the New York Yankees in 1920 and followed him to New York the following season.

"What can I add," he asked. "I have nothing but good to say of that lovable person. It broke my heart when Lou died. Now that the Babe is gone, there's nothing left for me."

## Major Leagues—

### Brooks Pick Up Ground On Loop Leaders

By The Associated Press

The best shortstop in baseball? Pee Wee Reese, "Natch." Boudreau, Marion, Rizuto? "Never hold of dem bums." That's the sentiment of followers of the Brooklyn Dodgers Tuesday.

Reese is the fair-haired boy of Dodger rosters and the backbone of the club's infield.

The popular shortstop played a leading role in the Dodger's 6-2 triumph over the Braves in Boston Monday night, starting a four-run rally with a triple and handling eight chances flawlessly.

The triumph cut the Braves' lead to two games over the runner-up Brooklyn.

With the Dodgers leading 2-1, Reese, who is batting a cool .300, opened the eighth inning with a triple off relief pitcher Bob Hogue. Before the frame ended the Dodgers had scored four runs to sew it up.

The third place St. Louis Cardinals also gained ground on the Braves, moving to within two and a half games of Billy Southworth's crew as a result of their 9-7 conquest of the Cubs.

In the only other game played in either circuit the Cincinnati Reds downed the Pirates 5-2.

## Longhorn League—

### First Division Clubs Triumph

By The Associated Press

The first division of the Longhorn League teed off on the lower bracket Monday night, winning by close to comfortable margins.

Ballinger clipped Sweetwater 4-1; Big Spring blasted Del Rio 8-4; Midland swamped San Angelo 11-5, and Odessa polished off Vernon 5-3.

**Demaret Bests Greiner In St. Paul Playoff**

ST. PAUL, MINN.—(AP)—Otto Greiner, the comparatively youthful Baltimore Pro, lost by two strokes Monday to Jimmy Demaret in the playoff for first prize money of \$2,450 in the St. Paul Open.

Greiner and Demaret were forced into the playoff after they tied Sunday with 27½ in 72 holes of play.

Demaret ended the playoff with a four-under-par 68, while Greiner shot a 70.

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# END COLT SERIES IN TUESDAY GAME—

## Jones Sparks Midland Win

The Midland Indians and the San Angelo Colts meet at 8:30 p. m. Tuesday in Indian Park for the second and final tilt of a current series. Harold Webb of the Tribe is going to throw Ernie Nelson at the visitors. San Angelo is expected to counter with Derwood (No-Hit) Cox or Jimmy Baker.

Midland will be out to stretch its win string a bit more and San Angelo would like some revenge.

Ken Jones, a little ball of fire, and Sam Van Hoozer, with a "double-clutch" pitch, led the Midland Indians to a 11-5 victory over the San Angelo Colts in Indian Park here Monday night.

Jones was all over the place. With the stick, he got three hits in three trips, including a triple, and drove in three runs. Defensively, he did not make a miscue on his own and he backed up the others. He drew thunderous round after round of applause from the stands for his hustle.

Van Hoozer notched his tenth win of the season. He struck out 10 Colts and walked two. He was in trouble in the fourth frame but came back to win.

Midland broke out in a rash of base hits to definitely chase away a slump-jinx which has been hanging heavy. The slugging Tribe got 14 safeties including five doubles.

**Away Fast**

The Webbsmen were away with a bang. They got one run in the first. Collins singled. Jakes doubled but was caught out at third. Flarito grounded out scoring Collins. Prince flied out.

And the Tribe got fat in the second with five tallies. Mellilo erred on. Pressley singled. Shepherd hit a fielder's choice and Mellilo was safe at third on an error.

Jones hit scoring Mellilo. Van Hoozer hit scoring Pressley and Shepherd. Collins doubled scoring Jones. Jakes walked. Flarito flied out scoring Van Hoozer. Collins was out at the plate. Prince grounded out.

San Angelo came back with five runs in the fourth. Ellis struck out. Cowley walked. McClain doubled. Chappetta was hit by pitched ball. Phillips walked scoring Cowley. Cluley hit a double scoring McClain, Capetta and Phillips. Murphy flied out. Smithhart hit scoring Cluley. Leedy grounded out.

Midland wanted some more and got one in the sixth. Pressley grounded out. Shepherd flied out. Jones walked. Van Hoozer hit. Collins hit, scoring Jones. Van Hoozer hit at third base. And the Tribe got four more in the seventh. Jakes grounded out. Flarito doubled. Prince struck out. Mellilo doubled scoring Flarito. Pressley hit scoring Mellilo. Shepherd walked. Jones tripled scoring Pressley and Shepherd. Van Hoozer struck out.

The box score:

## DOWN SPORTS LANE

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The fans in the stands and the players on the diamond stood with bowed heads in silent tribute to Babe Ruth Monday night in Indian Park.

When the fans learned the greatest home run hitter of all time had died there was a hush of obit's and a hush of then that great silence in respect to one of baseball's greats. Better pens and typewriters than ours will write your tributes to Babe Ruth and will exploit his great performances.

But we say the almost worshipful admiration of little boys will be Ruth's greatest tribute. It was his most noble achievement in baseball to be a friend to the kids. They followed him on a Pied Piper's trail.

The light in little boys eyes when Babe Ruth is mentioned will not go out for a long, long time.

And whoever might take his place must kindle that light. Or there will never be another Babe Ruth.

And we doubt it.

—SL—

Kruger's Player Of The Week contest is catching on with the fans. It is a popular sidelight to baseball in Midland. The contest has three more weeks to run and three more Gruens will be awarded.

Jakes polled 117 votes to win the first week award. Wayne Specht, hard-working catcher, was runner-up with 84 votes. Eddie Mellilo, popular third baseman got 72 votes. And here are the other votes of the fans in the first week's event: Sam Van Hoozer 27, Ripper Collins 12, Julian Pressley 6, Leland Crissman 5, Carriel Nipp 5, Clyde Perry 3, Ernie Nelson 3, Dick Willenberg 1. That's a total of 335 votes.

The Olers have obtained a new pitcher, Red Goth, a lefty from Marshall. . . The Olers were seeking a new catcher also at Marshall but in a game he was being watched, the backstop broke a shoulder.

"I said, 'T. J. . . T. J. ex-Abilene High football ace, Bill Rogers and Lloyd King, have joined the U. S. Marines. . . Abilene has 70 football boys working out at home while 40 more are at training camp. . . Seminole High's gridgers will train at Lake Sweetwater. . . A. V. (Pat) Patterson is a coach at Odessa and his son, Jimmy, is the 180-pound hope to replace Townsend. . . Ray Chew, who caught for the San Angelo Colts, was released and he showed up at Greenville in the Big State. . . A Midland fan, visiting in Big Spring called up Tommy Hart, sportscaster there, and told him off for writing that Big Jim Prince was suspended because he was demanding a "playoff" bonus. . . Four high school football teams are training at Corpus Christi: Gladewater, Abilene, Alice and the home eleven. . . The Big Spring Steers have four returning lettermen. . . An umpire recently took a bat and marked off a \$10 sign in the dirt to let a Cuban ball player of the Bronx nine know what one more word would cost him. . . It worked. . . A national checker tourney is on at Brownwood. . . The Alpine Cowboys were eliminated in the national semi-pro tourney at Wichita, Kan. Monday. . . The popular West Texas outfit lost 4-3 to the Camden, Ark. Craftsmen. . . Here are the three-quarter attendance marks of Texas League clubs: Houston 304,965; Fort Worth 262,312; Dallas 214,333; San Antonio 186,135; Tulsa 166,463; Shreveport 144,302; Oklahoma City 138,183; Beaumont 123,359. . . And that's 30 for strays, strumming on a "geetar."

## TEXAS LEAGUE—

### Perkowski Is First To Win Twenty Games

By The Associated Press

Harry Perkowski beat Shreveport 10-3 on seven hits Monday night and became the first Texas League pitcher to win twenty games this year.

The big Tulsa southpaw struck out six and gave up three bases on balls. He has seven losses.

The Shreveport loss sent San Antonio back into fourth place as the Missions knocked off league-leading Fort Worth 7-3.

In other games, Oklahoma City went fifteen innings before squeaking past Beaumont 4-3, and Dallas edged Houston 2-1.

Tulsa backed up Perkowski's pitching with a sixteen-hit attack that included a home run by Tommy Tatum. Jim Kirby hit a homer for the Sports.

Ike Boone's single in the top of the fifteenth inning beat Beaumont.

## TELEPHONE EMPLOYEES THREATEN NEW STRIKE

FORT WORTH—(AP)—More than a thousand employes of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company here meet Tuesday night to discuss the firm's refusal to increase their wages.

A union official said they may take a strike vote.

## MIDLAND

Team	W	L	Pct.
Collins, 2b	3	1	.333
Jakes, cf	4	0	1.000
Flarito, ss	5	1	.833
Prince, 1b	5	0	1.000
Mellilo, 3b	3	2	.600
Pressley, rf	4	2	.667
Shepherd, if	2	0	1.000
Jones, c	3	2	.600
Van Hoozer, p	3	1	.750
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## WT-NM League—

### Lubbock Nicks Dukes To Move Up Notch In Loop Standings

By The Associated Press

Lubbock moved into third place in the West Texas-New Mexico League standings Monday night on a 11-5 victory over pace-setting Albuquerque.

Pampa dropped to fourth when it lost 11-6 to Amarillo.

Borger and Clovis won wild games by identical scores—19-6. Borger beat Abilene and Clovis stomped Lamesa.

Umpire trouble marked the Borger-Abilene tilt, with Abilene playing under protest after six and one-third innings. The protest came on one of Umpire Bill Brockwell's decisions. Brockwell ousted Tommy Fox and Fred Fazio from the game.

Wilcy Moore hit two home runs, a triple and a single to drive in eight runs and pace Clovis' easy decision.

## Truman, Fans To Pay Honor To Clark Griffith

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman—and 29,999 other fans—are going to a ball game Tuesday night to honor one of baseball's grand old men, Clark Griffith of the Washington Senators.

The President is expected to say a few words in praise of Griffith; there'll be fireworks, speeches by lesser dignitaries and, incidentally, a game with the New York Yankees.

Funny thing about the 78-year-old Griffith. He's been in baseball 60 years, yet never before has he had a "day" or a "night" set aside in his honor.

But take a gander at his record: Star pitcher—327 games won, 140 lost, to rank among the top dozen pitchers of all time.

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## WALCOTT WILL MEET LESNEVITCH IN SEPTEMBER

NEW YORK—(AP)—The Tournament of Champions has signed Jersey Joe Walcott and Gus Lesnevitch to meet September 21—a hold move that might give the fledgling promotional group control of the next heavyweight champion.

Jersey Joe and the ex-light heavyweight king will tangle on the same card with the Tony Zale-Marcel Cerdan title tilt in Jersey City's Roosevelt Stadium.

To Get Walcott and Lesnevitch to take part in the big fist double-header, the T. of C. guaranteed each \$50,000. At first sight it looks like a costly maneuver since Zale, the middleweight champ, has been guaranteed \$120,000 and Cerdan \$50,000.

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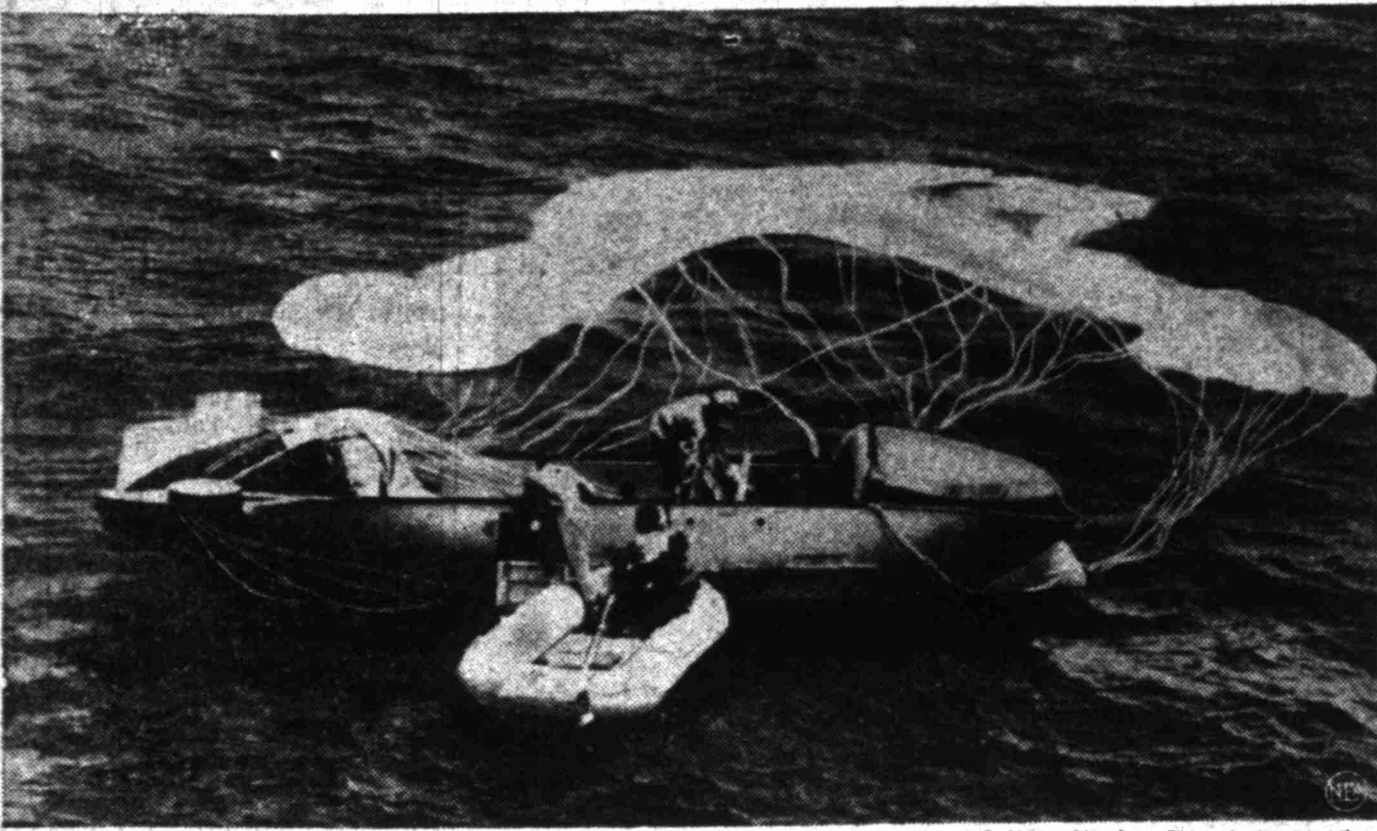
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### Reds Intensify Southeast Asia Communist Drive

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
AF Foreign Affairs Analyst  
Moscow is intensifying its drive to Communize Southeast Asia—that vast and strategic theatre including Burma, the Malay Peninsula, French Indo-China and the Dutch East Indies which we have come to know as Indonesia.

This intensification comes as the Bolshevik offensive in Europe has been slowed to a crawl by the vigorous resistance of the Western nations, bolstered by the Marshall Plan.

The indications are that Asia may become the major battle ground between Communism and Democracy. Your fate and mine may be decided there.

The Reds gave us a hot tip of the importance of this oriental offensive recently when it became known that an Asiatic Cominform had been established at Bangkok, Siam, and that it would direct operations in the Far East.

This Eastern Cominform supplements the European organization that is generally regarded as having been created to take the place of the Cominform, or general staff for world revolution, which Moscow announced was dissolved in 1943—a gesture of "amity" to the Western powers.

Heavy Assault  
As might be expected, Indonesia is coming in for a particularly heavy assault by the Bolsheviks. The Netherlands government having announced plans for the establishment of an independent United States of Indonesia in 1949, this is the witching hour for the Reds to create as much confusion as possible and so keep the situation fluid until Communism can establish a Soviet.

The whole muddled situation in Indonesia was made to order for Moscow. In the first place there is a population of some 75,000,000 scattered among the 3,100 islands of the Dutch East Indies. They have 17 major racial groups, speaking 25 languages and 250 dialects.

The Indonesian Republic, which was established in 1947, claims to represent Java, Sumatra and Madoera, but actually there are six other governments organized in various areas. The result naturally is vast confusion.

FORMER RESIDENT HERE  
T. P. Jones of Edinburg, Texas, a former manager of the Western Union office here, was a Midland visitor Monday. He is on a vacation trip to California and Oregon.

### This Is The Culprit



Take a good look at it, hayfever sufferers. That's the cause of most of your trouble. Magnified 3300 times, that black blob with the sharp points, above, is a ragweed pollen spore. Actually it's only one-half of one-thousandth of an inch across, but it makes a lot of people miserable. The photo of the spore was taken with the Westinghouse Research Laboratories electron microscope in Pittsburgh, Pa.

### Crane News

CRANE—The Crane Church of Christ will begin a revival meeting Thursday with Jessie Powell of Arlington preaching.

The Rev. A. L. Patterson will preach during the coming revival at the Tabernacle Baptist Church. The C. C. Lightfoots left Friday for a vacation trip to Rotan, Dallas and Houston.

Mrs. E. J. Simmons of Crane and her parents of Muleshoe visited an uncle of Mrs. Simmons, who was ill in Austin, recently.

Geraldine Wilson of Wink is visiting an aunt, Mrs. L. F. Mills. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Miller and family will move soon to Odessa, where he has been transferred by Phillips Petroleum Company. Ann Miller will remain in Crane, being employed in the Gulf office.

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### Israeli Court Rules Arrests Lawful

TEL AVIV, ISRAEL.—(AP)—Israel's High Court of Justice ruled Tuesday that the arrest of Peter Bergson, co-president of the American League for Free Palestine, was lawful.

The court said the same ruling applied to the arrest of Yaakov Meridor, second in command of Irgun Zvai Leumi. Both were arrested June 22 after Irgun tried to run an arms ship, the Altalena, into Israel only to have it blasted by the Israeli Army.

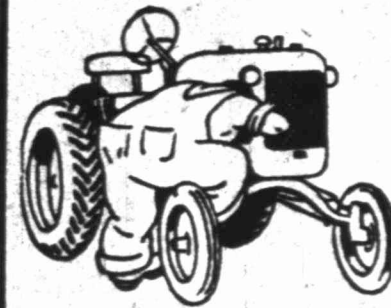
### Ex-Midlander And Others Visit Here

Recent visitors in Midland were Mrs. Ben W. Bean of Rockwall, Mrs. Lucy Blackerby and daughter, Betty, of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Anna Brooks of Dallas.

Mrs. Bean, former citizen and daughter of the late B. K. Willis, Midland rancher, visited Mrs. Mollie McCormick here. Mrs. Blackerby and Mrs. Brooks are daughters of Mrs. Bean.

The three women and child are on a vacation trip and went to Carlsbad, N. M. from here.

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# Bitter Reprieve

By Drexel Drake

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 I took Bindle only a second to decide not to hold out against obvious knowledge. He was convinced Sterling had talked.

"Okay, Lieutenant," Bindle said. "I was out here that night. But why should I mess in on a murder?"

"What time were you here?" Talent asked.

"Eleven o'clock."

"A little late for a social call, wasn't it?"

"Sterling owed me 10 grand and he was giving me a runaround. I came out here to collect."

"Did you collect?"

"Not exactly. Not right away." Bindle frowned, chewed his lips. "I'll spill it all to you, Lieutenant," he said. "It can't help you much, now, but it can't hurt, with Sterling dead."

"Let's have it anyway," Talent encouraged.

"We was sitting here, having a couple drinks. Sterling had the news on the radio. He said he didn't want his wife to hear our voices. Sterling said he didn't have any dough, only what his wife gave him. I needed my 10 grand, told Sterling I had to have it. He said he'd go up and talk to his wife. So he went upstairs."

"And that was some time after 11 o'clock. What then?"

"I waited a long time... begin to think he took a powder. I went out in the hall. I figured maybe his wife wasn't upstairs at all, that he run out on me the back way. I was just starting up the stairs when I saw Sterling come sneaking out of a door, closing it so nobody would hear him. Then he came down."

"Then what, Harry?"

"Sterling threw his wife's diamond necklace down on this table. He said I'd have to take it as security till he could get the dough."

"And you took the necklace?"

"Only for security. Like he said, it was taken that or nothing."

"You took it only for security,"

but you never returned it, did you?"

Bindle scowled. "Sterling never came after it."

"Weren't you supposed to return it to Sterling inside that roll of newspapers?"

"What roll of newspapers?"

"The one you gave the young lady who delivered \$10,000 to you at the Crosstown Hotel?"

"You ain't got nothing like that on me!" Bindle said hotly.

Talent motioned to the detective in the hall and Miss Wilson came in, timidly, pale.

"Do you see Mr. Davenport in here, Miss Wilson?" Talent asked. Miss Wilson's startled eyes rested on Bindle. "He's Mr. Davenport," she said.

"The man who gave you a roll of newspapers for Mr. Sterling in exchange for the package you delivered to him?"

"That's right, Lieutenant."

Talent, on his feet, looked down at Bindle. "But you forgot to put the necklace in those newspapers, didn't you, Harry?" he said. "And you never thought of turning it over to this young lady when she was bringing you a package from Sterling every month during 1941, did you?"

Bindle scowled, made a move to get up, changed his mind.

"How much a month were you collecting from Sterling?"

"He was paying up. He was sending me two grand a month."

"Paying up for what?"

"For what he owed me. That first 10 grand he sent me was hot. He was paying extra because I had to wait so long."

"You knew the first 10 grand was hot and still you hired Joe Steppo to pass out some of it at Belmont. Remember the Lily Francis I mentioned to you this afternoon, Harry?" he said. "She's her boy's friend."

Bindle's eyes flashed poison at Talent. "You're trying to mess me

# McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM K. MCKENNEY  
 America's Card Authority

Several years ago Parks Johnson brought his "Vox Pop" program to the Eastern States contract bridge tournament in New York City. Just recently, I had the pleasure of playing bridge with Warren Hull, who is now associated with Parks on the program.

In the 18 years that this show has been in existence, it has traveled more than a million miles, and Warren says that in every country they visited, they managed to get up a bridge game. He said it was a little cold up in Alaska when he played today's hand, and he also was a little shaky about making the contract. But he handled it well.

He won the opening lead of the queen of diamonds with the king. It looked as if the only problem was the club finesse, but Warren

king of spades... West could have won it and got out with the seven-spot. He had to try to get West to make a mistake.

He led the five of spades, and sure enough, West did make the mistake of not going up with the ace, so dummy won the trick with the eight-spot. Now a spade was led from dummy, Warren put on the jack and West had to win. He had no more hearts. If he led a diamond, Warren would get a sluff and a ruff. He led a club, which of course was right into the lazare position and gave Warren the contract.

was shaky about it, because if it failed, his contract would go down. However, if he could find West with the high ace of spades, of the ace and one spade, he thought he had a chance to make the contract without the finesse.

He cashed the ace of diamonds and ruffed the five of diamonds in dummy, led back the five of hearts and won in his own hand with the queen. At this point, I told Warren that the hand reminded me of one of the questions Parks had asked when we were on the "Vox Pop" program. He had wanted to know "the Washington Monument." The answer is three feet, because the monument is 555 feet tall, and five-spots were playing an important part in this hand.

The six of hearts was won in dummy with the king, and on the heart ace Warren discarded the five of clubs. He led back the seven of hearts, trumped it in his own hand, and then came the all-important play. If he had led the

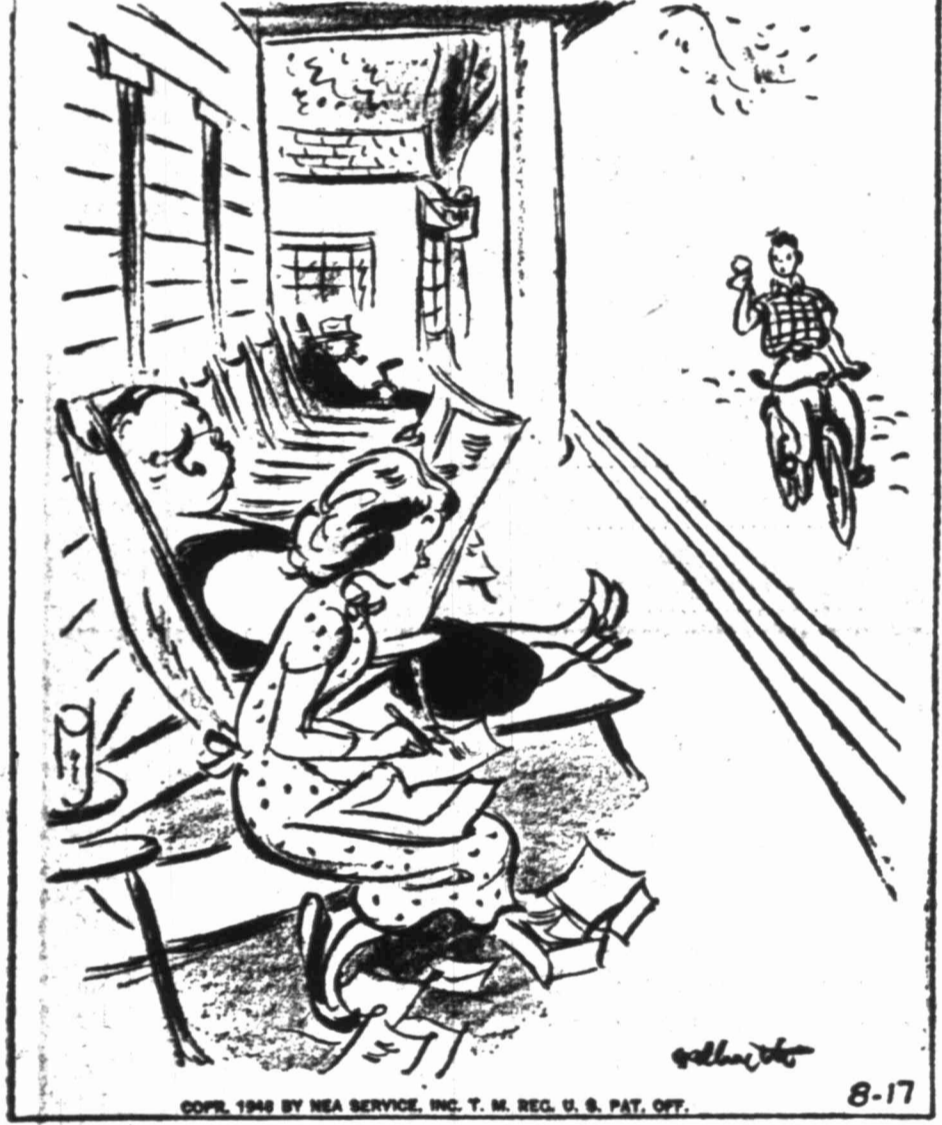
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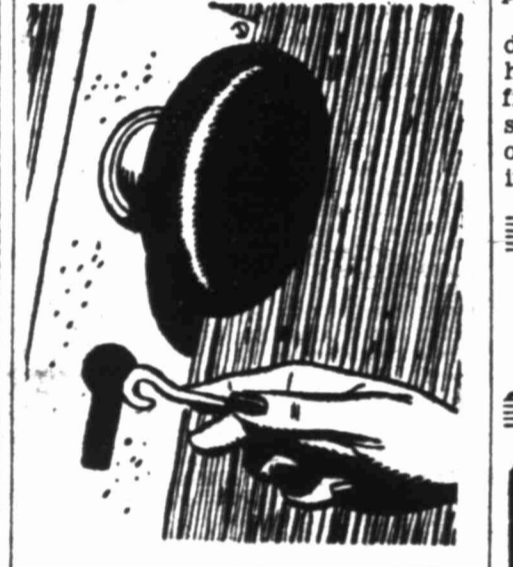


"Dear Hazel: Here comes Charles now—he's the handsomest boy at this resort and he takes me to all the nice places in that big car of his!"

## TRUCK WRECKS BOAT IN FREAK ACCIDENT

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## WHAT WAS BEHIND THE LOCKED DOOR?

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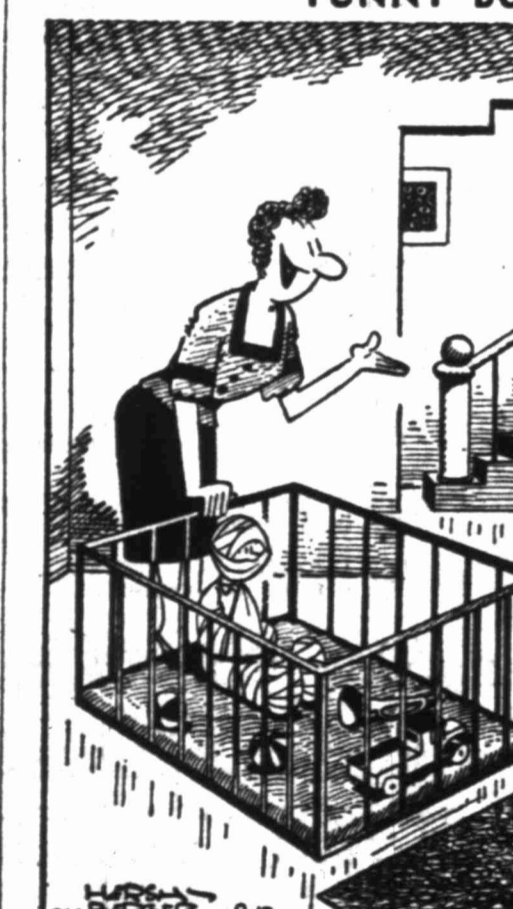
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## TRYST

By Elswyth Thane

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Grand Jury Probes Slaying At Lajitas

ALPINE, TEXAS.—(AP)—The grand jury Monday began investigation of the slaying at Lajitas of Stanley Ray Jeffers, 31, and the wounding of W. L. Babb, 38, who is charged with murder in Jeffers' death.

LOCKS ON BOX CAR OF FEED BROKEN

Williams Feed Store reported to police Tuesday that locks on a box car load of feed were found broken. The company was in the process of unloading the feed and left the box car locked late Monday.

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The Hobo King Has His Portrait Painted



Jeff Davis, left, King Emperor of the Knights of the Road—hoboes to you—poses with his new portrait in Cincinnati, where the Knights held their annual convention.

Montgomery Asks Reserves To Back British Defenses

BLACKPOOL, ENG.—(AP)—Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery asserted Tuesday the world is existing now in "more of a truce than a peace" and called for 150,000 reserves to back up Britain's defenses.

DP's Learn Native Tongue



At Reed Farm, haven for Russian DP's in Valley Cottage, N. Y., George Perkow, 14, a DP, teaches youngsters to read their native language.

Undulant Fever Now Major Disease Among Animals And Man

SAN FRANCISCO.—(AP)—Undulant fever now is 60 times as prevalent as it was 20 years ago when it first became a reportable disease.

Gives General Fair Warning

CAMP HOOD, TEXAS.—(AP)—Maj. Gen. Miller Ainsworth, 36th Division commander, made an unannounced 8:30 a. m. call to a mess hall to make sure rookie cooks were getting breakfast right.

Scattered Showers Cool Most Of State

By The Associated Press An inch and one-half rain, accompanied by high wind, caused a minor flood at Alice Monday night.

Former Treasury Assistant Dies

FITZWILLIAM, N. H.—(AP)—Harry Dexter White, 56, former assistant secretary of the Treasury, died here Monday.

Daily Crude Output Declines Slightly

TULSA, OKLA.—(AP)—U. S. crude oil production averaged 5,501,235 barrels daily during the week ended August 14, a decrease of 2,395 barrels from the previous week.

Five states showed major declines which included Oklahoma, down 3,700 barrels to 424,250.

Livestock

FORT WORTH.—(AP)—Cattle 4,800; cows dill, 1,700; butcher and beef cows dill, weak to lower; other slaughter cattle steady; good and choice fat calves strong to unevenly higher; medium and low grade calves slow and weak; stockers steady to strong; medium grade slaughter yearlings and steers 25-30-30.00; plainer kind 17.00-24.00; butcher and beef cows 16.50-21.00; bulls 15.00-22.00; good and choice fat calves 25.00-28.50; medium grade slaughter yearlings 18.00-22.00; stocker steers and yearlings 18.00-22.00; stocker calves 18.00-22.50; stocker cows 16.00-19.00.

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To Make Plans For Webb Night

The Midland Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a "Harold Webb Night" at Indian Park August 21. A committee meeting is called at 8 p. m. Wednesday in the Chamber of Commerce office to plan the event.

Babe Ruth—

(Continued from page 1) two adopted daughters, Mrs. Daniel Sullivan of New York, and Mrs. Richard Flanders of North Conway, N. H.; his sister, Mrs. Wilbur Moberly of Baltimore, and two intimate friends, James Chapman and J. Paul Carey.

Ruth, who had been hospitalized much of the time since undergoing a neck operation on Jan. 6, 1947, was placed on the critical list last Wednesday when pulmonary complications set in.

Records Still Stand He staged a surprising weekend rally, and on Sunday sat up in an easy chair for 20 minutes while relatives and old friends visited him.

Players and fans paid a standing tribute to the Babe Monday night when word of his death reached the Polo Grounds, where an exhibition game between the Yankees and the Giants was in progress.

The newspaper said doctors tried to save his life with terroperin, and he was one of the first patients to receive injections of the new drug.

Improvement in his condition after the injections was described at first as remarkable, the story said, but the improvement was temporary causing hopes for the new drug to fade.

Memorial Hospital denied, however, that the new drug had been used.

The paper noted that terroperin still is in the experimental stage. It said the lessons learned from its use "may provide valuable clues to the cancer problem, but declared 'doctors cautioned that the drug must not be considered a cure for cancer'."

On July 26, he left his hospital bed long enough to attend the premiere of "The Babe Ruth Story," the film version of his life.

When word of Ruth's death was received, former President Herbert Hoover said at his suite at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel that the Babe was "one of the great sportsmen of the United States."

Japanese Mourning Japanese Of Hero TOKYO.—(AP)—Babe Ruth, who died July 17, was honored in the esteem of MacArthur in the esteem of the Japanese, was mourning throughout this baseball-loving nation Tuesday.

Every Japanese old enough to pull on a baseball mitt loved "Babu Raasu." Every baseball game in the country was halted for one minute in respect to the home run king who died in New York Monday.

Ruth came here in his prime with Connie Mack's All-Stars. They were billeted at the Imperial Hotel, but before checking in Ruth drove to the ball park and started hitting a few while the goggle-eyed Japanese watched.

In four pitched balls into the grandstand, one dropped a spectator as it hit had been shot. Ruth, worried, kept inquiring about the condition of the Japanese until the man regained consciousness.

The incident, played heavily on the Japanese sports pages, drew thousands to the All-Star games, not so much to see baseball as to see Ruth perform.

And the Bambino did not disappoint them. Oriental pitching and Oriental ballparks were made to order for him. His "home runs", as the Japanese called them, have never been equalled there.

WHEN DISAPPOINTED DELAYED ENID, OKLA.—(AP)—Enid's trainload of wheat for hungry Europe, first scheduled for movement here Wednesday, will be delayed more than a month because of elevator congestion at Galveston.

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Puerto Rico Discussed At Meeting Of WSCS

Puerto Rico was the topic of study at the meeting of the WSCS of the First Methodist Church Monday afternoon.

The meeting opened with the call to worship and personal meditation. Mrs. Ralph Smith was in charge of the program.

Mrs. W. E. Chapman discussed the activities of the Methodist Church in Puerto Rico, and Mrs. N. G. Oates spoke on the political status of that country.

The Laura Haygood Circle was hostess, serving refreshments to Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Oates, Mrs. Luther Tidwell, Mrs. W. F. Prothro, Mrs. O. L. Crooks, Mrs. J. W. Thorne, Mrs. Mollie McCormick, Mrs. Tanner Laine, a guest, Miss Ida Bliger, and Mrs. M. Ford, Mrs. O. F. Hedrick and Mrs. D. E. Corley, a new member.

Peanuts are an important money crop in nine states of the United States.

Forest Fire Fighters Plan Use Of Dry Ice

ALEXANDRIA, La.—(AP)—Hard-pressed forest fire fighters planned to hurl dry ice into cloud formations over Central Louisiana Tuesday in an attempt to halt the timberland fires raging out of control.

Assistant State Forester W. M. Palmer said the most serious fire was sweeping through the Camp Livingston reservation, after destroying 1,500 acres of timber on the National Guard Artillery Range.

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