

Garden Addition Club Executive Committee Discusses Patterns Votes Contribution

The Garden Addition Home Demonstration Club studied patterns Wednesday at a meeting in the home of Mrs. C. O. Pace.

Mrs. G. H. House presented the program on "Fitting a Pattern" and Mrs. K. G. Miller illustrated pattern alterations. Mrs. C. H. Pearson was named delegate to the Texas Home Demonstration Association meeting to be held April 28 in Monahans. Mrs. D. D. Orth was chosen as alternate.

New members are Mrs. Jim Deavenport, Mrs. A. W. Moore and Mrs. Orth. Guests were Mrs. T. G. Calhoun, Mrs. Harry Pace and Mrs. Lloyd Frierson. It was announced the next meeting will be held February 25 in the home of Mrs. K. G. Miller, 2618 Mariana Street.

Others present were Mrs. Sherman Chapman, Mrs. W. E. Hollis and Mrs. Adrian Scoggins.

The executive committee of the North Elementary Parent-Teacher Association voted Wednesday to contribute \$10 toward sending the City Council president to the forthcoming National Convention.

The group met in the home of Mrs. C. S. Killgore. A report on the officers to be elected in March was given by the nominating committee, W. D. Ladd, North Elementary principal, explained two bills pertaining to teachers salaries which are now before the legislature and urged those present to write their Representative and Senator.

Those attending were Mrs. Ellis Scooby, Mrs. Delmar Aday, Mrs. Keys Curry, Mrs. Joe McSpadden, Mrs. James E. Peck, Mrs. Olympus Young, Mrs. E. M. Bradberry, Ladd, Mrs. Cal Glass, Mrs. A. A. Jones, Mrs. L. F. Uhrig, Mrs. Sam Giesey and Mrs. B. B. Seawright.

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Beverly Reynolds

Former Midlander To Wed Californian

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Reynolds of Henryetta, Okla., have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Beverly Jeanne, formerly of Midland, to Joseph F. Asiano of San Francisco, Calif.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Asiano of Mill Valley, Calif.

The wedding is planned for February 21 in the St. Michaels Church. Miss Reynolds attended the University of Oklahoma and East Central State College in Ada, Okla., where she received her degree in primary education. She has taught in Midland at Sam Houston and West Elementary Schools.

Asiano attended Ohio State University in Columbus, Ohio, where he received a degree in foreign commerce. He belongs to Sigma Nu Fraternity. Asiano served in the European theater during World War II.

The couple will live in San Francisco where Asiano is employed in the field of foreign commerce.

Attendants for the wedding will be Mrs. James Kerr Anderson of San Angelo, sister of the bride-elect, matron of honor; Allyce Chambers of Midland and Mrs. Gerald Smith of Henryetta, bridesmaids.

Leonard Asiano of New York N. Y., will serve as his brother's best man. Groomsman will be James Kerr Anderson of San Angelo and Dr. George E. Reynolds, Jr., of Oklahoma City, Okla. John D. Smith, also of Oklahoma City, will be vocalist.

Reception Fetes Lloyd Waynicks On Anniversary

A reception held Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd E. Waynick honored the couple on their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Waynick were married February 9, 1928, in Leveiland. She is the former Ethel Fields of Lubbock. Among the reception guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. Clyde Ragland, who were attendants at the Waynicks' wedding.

Members of the houseparty were Mrs. Lura Jo Kennedy, who presided at the guest register; Mrs. George A. Fields and Mrs. Winston Manuel, who served the refreshments, and Mrs. L. M. Speed, Mrs. Bryant Gordon and Mrs. Floyd Waynick.

The serving table was covered with a linen cutwork cloth imported from Edinburg, Scotland. Silver appointments were used. The centerpiece was an arrangement of silver with white shasta daisies, carnations and stock.

Approximately 60 guests attended, including Waynick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Waynick.

Out-of-city guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. Clyde Ragland, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Scroggins, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Waynick, Phil Waynick and Delores Scroggins, all of Lubbock; Mrs. Bryant Gordon of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stoneback, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gold and Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Harris of Monahans.

PEO Chapter Hears Review

Mrs. D. A. Ross reviewed the book, "Recollections of Three Reigns," by Sir Frederick Ponsonby Wednesday at the meeting of the BS Chapter PEO.

The group met with Mrs. Glenn Mershon. Guests were Mrs. Frank Ittner, Mrs. H. F. Patterson, Mrs. C. Bingham, Mrs. J. D. Novotny, Mrs. Robert P. Shirley and Mary Nell Geunther. It was announced the next meeting will be held at 1:15 p.m. February 25 in the home of Mrs. M. S. Metz, 1706 West Princeton Street.

Others attending were Mrs. W. M. Bosworth, Mrs. James N. Allison, Mrs. Andrew A. Bradford, Mrs. W. H. Brimm, Mrs. Van Camp, Mrs. John Casselman, Mrs. Clint Dunsagan, Mrs. W. Dave Henderson, Mrs. Paul H. Kolm, Mrs. Glenn E. Mershon, Mrs. Metz, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. James M. Clark, Mrs. C. F. Underwood and Mrs. R. H. Nordhausen.

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Girl Scouts Hold Party Series

Elections and Valentine parties were the features of Girl Scout troop meetings this week.

Anita Frizzell was chosen president of Intermediate Troop 39. Others elected were Nancy Conner, secretary; Shirley James, treasurer; Mackie Gibbs, reporter, and Clara Butcher and Betsy Monroe, housekeepers.

Mrs. Roy C. Jeter's Brownie troop held a Valentine party with members of the negro Scout troop as special guests. Valentine parties also were held by Intermediate Troop 42 and Brownie Troop 48.

Troop 74 met in the Little House with 16 members attending. Mrs. J. H. Mosley is the troop leader.

Members of Troop 51 made satchet Valentines for the girls at the State Orphans Home in Corsicana and wrote friendship cards to Girl Scouts in Japan. Intermediate Troop 43 also wrote friendship cards to Japanese children and worked on the requirements for the dramatic badge.

Mary Lou Jennings was hostess at the meeting of Brownie Troop 72. The girls had a Valentine party at which they played games and decorated a Valentine box for the Midland Day Nursery.

Brownie Troop 38 made paper bag puppets with which they presented "The Three Bears" and "Snow White and Rose Red." Members of Brownie Troop 65 wrote cards to Japanese Girl Scouts.

Brownie Troop 37 named the following officers: Ann Wood, president, and Faye Sloan, Carol Davis and Betty Snow, cleanup committee. Cards were written to the Brownie Scouts in Japan.

The cooked chopped giblets from chickens or turkey may be ground and mixed with mashed hard-cooked egg and mayonnaise for a sandwich spread.

Bride-Elect Is Feted With Tea

Alice Ruth Walls, bride-elect of George Johnston of Wichita, Kan., was feted Wednesday with a tea given by members of the Welcome Wagon Garden Club.

The tea was held in the home of Mrs. W. D. Gill. Mrs. L. L. Worden and Mrs. Ernest Evinger, co-hostesses, received the guests and Mrs. M. F. Barber and Mrs. H. E. Rothrock presided alternately at the refreshment table.

Piano selections during the afternoon were furnished by Mrs. L. K. Trogden and Mrs. Evinger. Carrying out the Valentine motif, the refreshment table was covered with a red cloth with an overskirt of red tulle. It was centered with white artificial fluff holding an arrangement of red carnations, hearts and tall, red candles.

The hostesses presented the honoree with a gift of her silver. Mrs. Jamie Hancock of San Angelo, area representative of Welcome Wagon, Inc., was a guest.

Miss Walls is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Walls.

Attending, in addition to those previously mentioned, were Mrs. O. T. Adams, Mrs. J. C. Antonelli, Mrs. R. B. Cornell, Mrs. L. T. Derrington, Mrs. J. F. Dickerson, Mrs. W. W. Evans, Mrs. J. T. Gist, Mrs. Othel Griffith, Mrs. Cyrus Helm, Mrs. J. S. Knauer, Mrs. Calvin Lawrence, Mrs. J. E. Lewis, Mrs. F. C. Lochte, Mrs. C. H. Morgan, Mrs. J. E. Mundv, Mrs. R. M. Nugent, Mrs. C. H. Pearson, Mrs. F. W. Perrin, Mrs. L. W. Randerson, Mrs. C. J. Zabick, Mrs. M. L. McMillan, Mrs. W. E. Hollis and Mrs. George Gibson.

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Daddy Ringtail And All That Goes Up

Mugwump Monkey, the monkey boy, was in a far corner of the Great Forest, talking with a monstrous giant. When Mugwump asked the giant whether he was danger-

ous, the giant said oh my yes he was.

"Why," said the giant, "I'm so dangerous, even I am afraid when I'm out by myself sometimes, with no one with me to keep me out of mischief."

"Is there anyone with you now to keep you out of mischief?" Mugwump asked.

"Do you think you can do it?" asked the giant.

"No sir," said Mugwump, and as the giant began to worry for fear he might get into mischief and do something to hurt Mugwump. The giant said he wasn't very smart, not at all smart like a giant ought to be. Why, said the giant, there was once a giant who was so smart and so strong he could throw a rock so high in the air it would never come down. Yes, and this smart giant could even squeeze water out of a rock, the dangerous giant told Mugwump.

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LIBRARY QUIET PLEASE

UP-- THE GUN'S REALLY GOT THE VOLUME!

MRS. BAIRD'S BREAD

Think to ask for... it STAYS FRESH LONGER!

By Wesley Davis



"Let's see you try to do it," said Mugwump, and so the giant did. He picked up a rock and threw it into the air-- up, up, and up until it couldn't be seen any more.

"And now," said the giant, "Mugwump, my boy, you are in terrible danger from me, I'm afraid."

But Mugwump said for the giant not to worry, and the giant prop-

osed he wouldn't. While he was busy not doing his worrying, he picked up another rock, and squeezed and squeezed--until water ran out.

Then he began to worry, however, for fear that he might do harm to Mugwump, but he needn't have worried. Mugwump had known that everything going up just has to come down, and it did.

Down came the rock the giant had thrown, and it hit his head, and the giant wasn't any more, and Mugwump turned over in bed and went on sleeping without dreaming of giants and more, and that is the end of this story. Happy day!

The BIBLE

-Can You Quote It?
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- 1--Yes, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will not be afraid. Psalms 23:4.
 - 2--Before destruction the heart of man is haughty, and before honour is... Proverbs 18:12.
 - 3--For many be called, but few... St. Matthew 20:14.
 - 4--Let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth. St. Matthew 6:3.
 - 5--Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows. Isaiah 53:4.
 - 6--When I became a man, I put away... I Corinthians 13:11.
 - 7--Unto them that are defiled and unbelieving is... Titus 1:15.
- Six correct--excellent. Four correct--good.
- For wisdom, courage and peace read the Bible daily.



MIGHTY MATMAN—Kagamisato, 400-pound former Sumo wrestling champion, stands solemnly in Tokyo as his Japanese pupils proclaim him Yokozuna, grand champion, highest honor in Sumo wrestling. (NEA)

UNCLE EF



Since the inauguration Judge Boles doesn't feel so bad over his grandson having sat on his silk hat, but he still can't figure how he's going to look prominent at funerals and weddings from now on.

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE With MAJOR HOOPLE OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS

ESAD! AT LAST! IT'S TAKING SHAPE-- THE DOMINATING IDEA OF THE CENTURY-- A FEW FEATURES TO BE PERFECTED-- LESS, UM! OUGHT TO BE DIAMOND-SHAPED-- HAK-KAFF!! MARTHA, MUST YOU BARGE IN WITH THOSE PLATES AS I REACH THE THRESHOLD OF A GREAT INVENTION!

LISTEN, MARCONI! THOSE HUNGRY BOARDERS ARE OUT THERE ON A LEASH, WAITING TO SPRING!-- GET YOUR JIG-SAW PUZZLE OFF THE TABLE BEFORE YOU GET CAUGHT IN A BLIZZARD OF CUPS AND SAUCERS!

THIS IS EPOCHAL-- HE DOESN'T KNOW IT'S DINNER TIME--

I DON'T KNOW WHERE TO EAT! IF I GO TO THE BOKNY BOUTS TH COMEDIANS WILL BE THY BEST--OR TH CARD GAMES! WHICH ARE YOU PICKIN'?

I WISH THESE LOOTS WOULD EAT THEIR LUNCH AT LUNCH TIME, 'STOD OF PEEVIN' ALL MORNIN'-- THEN WE WOULDN'T HAVE ANYTHING TO DECIDE!

EATIN' OUT

CHRIS WELKIN

FLIMBERS WANT THE SELECTION OF A CREW FOR THE MERCURY TRIP.

YOU'RE IN BRANDY! I JUST GOT THE GRAPEVINE FROM HEADQUARTERS.

I DON'T KNOW WHETHER I'M SCARED OR HAPPY... MAN, I HOPE HE PICKS ME UP TOO, BARRIE!

I HEAR IT'S EITHER ME OR YOUNG RICHLAND KENT.

HOW ABOUT KENT?

IF ELSON HAD ANY BRAINS, HE'D PICK ME IN WELKIN'S PLACE. CHRIS IS OKAY, BUT TOO CONSERVATIVE FOR A BIG JOB LIKE THIS.

VIC FLINT

I'LL RAISE MY ARM OVER MY HEAD WHEN I WANT YOU TO TURN IT ON--OKAY?

OKAY, VIC.

THIS FIRE FEELS GOOD. NOTHING LIKE A GOOD BRISK BUZZ ON A COLD NIGHT!

BUT THAT FIRE IS NOT GOING TO LAST LONG!

WASH TUBBS

OH, HELLO, EASY! GUESS YOU HAVEN'T SEEN THAT GIRL WE'RE LOOKING FOR AGAIN?

YES, I'LL BRING HER LATER, BUT HERE'S THE TORCH WHO GET THAT FIRE--AND THE ONE TONIGHT!

IT'S A LIE! I JUST HAPPENED TO SEE EM!

THEN EASY TELLS WHAT HE'S LEARNED ABOUT THE SUSPECT.

FINE! THERE'S ENOUGH EVIDENCE TO BREAK HIM DOWN, I THINK. TORCHES OFTEN GIVE THEMSELVES AWAY UNDER QUESTIONING.

LATER HE CONFESSED THE WAREHOUSE JOB WHEN HE WAS CONFRONTED WITH WITNESSES! BUT NOT THE TEMENT--

WAS HE WILL IDENTIFY HIM!

RED RYDER

I'M NOT RESPONSIBLE IF ONE OF MY FREIGHT DRIVERS HELPED ROB AND BURN THE BANK, RYDER!

LET'S HEAR WHAT HE HAS TO SAY, CARRIER!

COME ON OUT AN' TELL US WHAT YOU KNOW ABOUT THE MISSING BANK!

I KNOW WHERE IT IS BUT NOBODY ELSE IS GOING TO GET IT!

ALLEY OOP

THE CREATURE IS A DIPLODOCUS!

THAT'S WHY WE'VE NO CAUSE TO WORRY--IT'S BODY IS MUCH TOO BIG TO COME ON THROUGH TH' TIME-MACHINE!

THEN HOW COME ITS HEADS WAY OUT THE WINDOW?

BECAUSE IT HAS A LONG NECK!

YES, BUT I WISH YOU HAD OUT THE POWER.

WHY? DON'T YOU BELIEVE ME?

OH, YES--

...BUT I DON'T THINK THE DIPLODOCUS DOES!

BOOTS

I'LL TELL MISS PUG YOU'RE HERE!

AW-WO, BOOTS, DO I HAVE TO SEE HIM? ALL THE STUFF EEBER THINKS OF IS FOOD!

NOW, DEAR, HIS MOTHER IS A GOOD FRIEND OF MINE!

AND IT'S SO GOOD FOR YOU TO MAKE NEW FRIENDS! WHY DON'T YOU AND CAMERON TAKE IN A MOVIE?

OHAY! PACK LUNCH, WILL YOU, DORY?

BUGS BUNNY

GUV'NOR, ISN'T IT ABOUT TWELVE O'CLOCK?

YEAH, IN FIVE MINUTES... WAY?

HOW FORTUNATE... THINGS ARE POKY-TAILING NICELY!

CARE TO JOIN ME FOR LUNCH?

CITY GARAGE COLLECTION

I CAN'T TALK YOU IN, DADDY! YOU ACT AS IF YOU'VE SWALLOWED A BOTTLE OF VITAMIN PILLS!

I KNOW! YOU GOT RAISE IN SALARY!

KEEP GUESSING! YOU'RE NOT EVEN WARM!

GOOD MORNING, MISS SPRINGTIME!

GOOD MORNING, RALPH!

RALPH, SHE SAYS! HOW LONG HAS THIS BEEN GOING ON?

BALDRIDGE'S SALLY ANN BREAD

I REMEMBER THE FIRST VALENTINE YOU GAVE ME! IT WAS IN 1935!

IT WAS?

For me? Oh, thank you!

You know (er, gup) I sure like you, Hazel!

And I'm very fond of a certain young man, too!

Boy! Wouldn't he be sore if he knew you were out with me!

ALL I CAN TELL YOU ABOUT THIS MONEY, GIRLS, IS THAT I WON IT IN A LITTLE GAME OF CHANCE.

EASY COME, EASY GO! I WON IT EASY, NOW I'LL SPEND IT EASY.

VEEBERY EASY!

PS... SKIPPER'S HULL IS SO STRAINED SHE'S FILLING UP...

HERE WE BUG-GO...

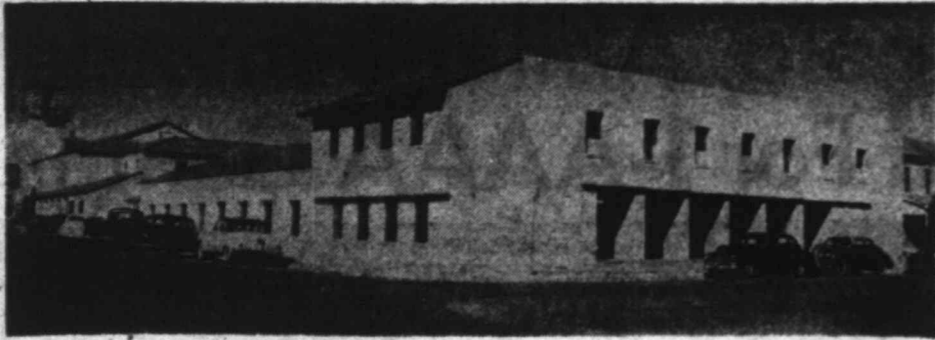
IT... IT WAS A GOOD-GOOD LIFE

I'M DIZZY! SO SICK... THAT ANPUL SWIMMING AROUND IN THE SKY!

SHOULD BE LOOKING FOR SHIPS... BUT... MY BRAIN DOESN'T SEEM TO WORK.

HERE WE BUG-GO...

IT... IT WAS A GOOD-GOOD LIFE



DEDICATION PLANNED—The Children's Building of the First Methodist Church, pictured above, will be dedicated by Bishop William C. Martin, Methodist bishop of the Dallas-Fort Worth area, who will speak at the church's 10:50 a.m. worship service Sunday. Completed at a cost of \$150,000, the building furnishes educational space for 350 children.

Reeves Youth's Call Is El Paso Champion

EL PASO—(P)—A Reeves County Future Farmer of America, Donnie Weinacht, showed the grand champion calf at the Southwestern Livestock Show here Thursday, a 776-pounder named Tightwad.

Joe Willis, Odessa, exhibited the reserve grand champion, Elmer, a 1,308-pounder.

Wayne Kinmer, 10, of Rankin showed the grand champion sheep.

Rob Garrett of Chahoma exhibited the reserve grand champion sheep.

J. B. King, a Quarter Horse owned by Jay Parsons of St. David, Ariz., won the Quarter Horse class.

Golden Dan, owned by W. R. Davis, San Angelo, took the grand championship in the stock show class. Beau Mac, owned by R. J. Bauer, Kermit, was the reserve champion.

Miss Belgium Seeks American Citizenship

NEW YORK—(P)—Marianne Mullender, Belgium's entry in the "Miss Universe" contest a year ago, has come back to America to become a U. S. citizen.

Debaring Thursday from the Holland-America Liner Veendam, the 23-year-old, brown-haired beauty said:

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Parks Board Chief Assails Proposed Limit On Lodges

AUSTIN—(P)—State Parks Board Chairman Frank D. Quinn called Friday for House floor defeat of a bill limiting the number of lodging units in state parks.

"All citizens who are interested in the future success of our state parks development program should contact their representatives and urge them to vote against this bill when it comes up," Quinn said in a prepared statement.

Speaker Reuben Senterfitt said the bill, by Rep. Jack Fisk of Wharton, will be on the business calendar when the House resumes work Monday. The measure would kill park board plans for million-dollar hotels in three state parks.

The Legislature adjourned for the weekend Thursday.

The House quit after Rep. Marshall O. Bell fell four-tenths of a vote short of winning permission for a vote on final passage of his bill to strengthen the present Communist Control Law.

Bell's bill would authorize issuance of search warrants to search for potential sabotage instruments or for literature or records indicating Communist activity.

"Witch Hunts" Opposed

Minority opposition was voiced by members who said the measure would allow "witch hunts" and would threaten civil liberties in Texas.

Bell argued his bill would protect the rights of innocent persons while giving the Department of Public Safety power it needs to successfully enforce the Communist Control Act.

The bill was passed by voice vote on second reading. Needing a four-fifths majority to suspend a House rule in order to vote immediately on final passage, Bell mustered a 98-to-25 vote. That left him four-tenths of a vote short of the required four-fifths majority.

Bell's proposal will be the first item on Monday's calendar.

Fort Worth Ex-Con Faces New Charges In Kilgore Holdup

LONGVIEW—(P)—Armed robbery charges were refilled against Floyd Hill, 40, Fort Worth ex-convict, Thursday in the holdup of a Kilgore couple.

Hill also is charged in the \$248,000 swank up of two Cubans in a Fort Worth hotel last October 3.

Technical errors were corrected in a charge accusing him of holding up Mr. and Mrs. Sam Andrews of Kilgore last August. The Andrews lost \$7,250 in cash, bonds and jewelry.

Hill was arrested November 3 in a scrub oak pasture 18 miles northwest of Fort Worth. Officers were waiting for him near the spot where they found a buried cache holding \$128,000 in cash and also defense bonds taken in the Andrews robbery. Fort Worth officers said the cash was part of the money taken from Manuel F. Madriga and Candido de la Torre at the Western Hills Hotel.

The Cubans said they had \$240,000 from ousted Cuban President Carlos Prío Socarras to finance a counter-revolution.

Airman Indicted, Held Without Bail In Lubbock Slaying

LUBBOCK—(P)—Walter E. Whitaker, Jr., 20, remained in jail without bond Friday following his indictment for murder with malice in the slaying of a Lubbock High School girl.

Whitaker, an Air Force cadet and son of a well-to-do Hartford, Conn., executive, was indicted Thursday in the January 8 death of Joyce Fern White, 18.

The young cadet led officers to a lonely spot on the prairie near here and dug up her body 30 days after she disappeared. The girl had been strangled with a venetian blind cord.

Whitaker had known the girl while he was stationed at Reese Air Force Base here. He was transferred to Lackland Air Force Base at San Antonio three days after the girl disappeared.

Hudgins Named Head Of Brahman Breeders

HOUSTON—(P)—The Brahman Association Thursday elected Edgar H. Hudgins, Hungerford, president. Other officers are Cecil K. Boyd, Devers; S. Paul Cornelius, Coleville, Calif.; and Santiago V. Perez, Havana, Cuba, vice presidents; Houghton Brownlee, Burnet, treasurer; Margaret Sunday, Houston, recording secretary, and Harry P. Gayden, Houston, executive secretary.

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Sailor Tells Of Human Torch Leap From Blazing Freighter

By WILLIAM C. BARNARD
 YOKOHAMA, JAPAN—(P)—Survivors of four mysterious explosions at sea that blasted sheets of flame through the American freighter President Pierce landed here Friday with tales of heroism, panic and a sailor's ordeal by fire and icy waves.

Fire still smoldered in one hold of the Pierce as an investigation was started. Investigators said there was no suspicion of sabotage.

One of the three seriously injured crewmen, Seaman Earlwyn Jooey of New London, Conn., and Del Mar, Calif., said he was knocked unconscious by one blast and came to on the deck, his clothes blazing.

A human torch, he ran to the side and dove into the icy Pacific. He watched in horror as the Pierce moved slowly away and almost out of sight.

Then it turned around and started back. Jooey, chilled to the bone and almost despairing of his life, thrashed the water wildly to attract attention.

He was plucked out of the sea and returned to the still-blazing ship after almost two agonizing hours in the salt water.

No Passengers Injured

A small boat from the naval transport Barrett, summoned by an SOS, bobbed up and down on 20 foot waves and removed the nine American passengers, Jooey and two other injured crewmen, and a fourth crewman suffering from pneumonia.

None of the passengers—seven of whom were women—was injured.

One of them, Mrs. Charlotte Mahoney of Swanton, Vt., said, "The passengers were very panicky and badly frightened but eventually things were pretty well organized."

First Mate Ben Norton of San Francisco said the explosions "hurled debris from the forward hatch all the way to the rear of the ship."

Capt. Fred Willarts of Walnut Creek, Calif., was sitting in his cabin. Norton said, when "a fiery blast came in through the porthole and burned him on the face and hands. It knocked him off his chair."

Norton said he and the captain ran out on the deck "ducking and dodging flying debris."

The captain was burned painfully

There were two explosions before he got on deck. As he passed No. 3 hold a third explosion sent a burst of flame engulfing him.

"It was like I was caught up in a big black fire cloud," Jooey said. "It knocked me 10 feet and it knocked me out."

When he regained consciousness and saw his clothes were on fire he "made a bee line for the rail and I went right over it into the ocean with a life preserver in my hand."

Norton said he knew there was a man overboard, but the crew was so busy putting out the fire there wasn't time to pick him up until later.

In his youth, George Washington surveyed the streets of his home town, Alexandria, Va.

The entire forward part of the ship, including the bridge and salons, was seared. Big blisters of paint were peeled from the ceiling and the walls and bridge.

When the first explosion rocked the ship, Jooey was in his bunk in the forecastle.

"It was about 1:15 Thursday afternoon," said Jooey, 24, "when someone shouted 'Fire!'"

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Trial Of Colonel In Flight-Pay Case Nears Completion

PORT WORTH—(P)—The court martial trial of Lt. Col. Ralph R. Taylor, accused of falsifying a flight record to draw flying pay, was expected to end late Friday. The inspector general of the Eighth Air Force, Col. O. H. Reimann, and two former officers of the Ninth Bomb Squadron testified for the prosecution Thursday. John D. Sullivan Fort Worth, and Orville C. Rogers, Dallas, formerly served under Taylor when he commanded the bomb squadron. Taylor now is with the 19th Air Division after being relieved of his squadron command. Two other officers were tried on similar charges last week. They were found guilty and fined \$1,500 and \$3,000 respectively.

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DESPITE YOUNG GOP'S FUSSES— Texas Republicans Prepare For All-Out Election Efforts

By CLAYTON HICKERSON
Associated Press Staff
The Texas Republican high command has the word out Friday that it means business in coming election campaigns even while some Young GOP members challenged the state leadership. The Republican National Committee from Texas, Jack Porter of Houston, told a cheering Lincoln Day Crowd in San Antonio Thursday that the party would "capture courthouses all over Texas" in next year's elections. And at Austin, David H. Brune, secretary of the Young Republican Executive Committee, said, "I'm not going to quit Republican politics just because Porter doesn't like me."

protege of Porter." He said a compromise last Summer brought some harmony in Young GOP ranks but added that representatives of the Old Guard are fighting for continued voice in party affairs. The battle is expected to come to a head at a meeting of the Young Republican Executive Committee Sunday after the group holds a Lincoln Day dinner Saturday night in Austin. It was such an affair for the senior party members which Porter used as a sounding board Thursday when he said: "Begin working when you get home. Organize every precinct. Start now... We cannot consolidate our gains by waging a campaign every four years. We have a year-round job. Start encouraging prospective candidates to announce in the Republican primaries next year. You will be surprised beyond your fondest hopes." Porter's vocal, cheering crowd of 330 were noisily enthusiastic as he urged them to "nominate candidates for every office" and told them he is laying plans "to get people working in every precinct in Texas." The all-out drive, Porter said, will begin within a week and a Houston office of the national committee will be open to work with the one already functioning in Austin. "There certainly has never been anything in Texas (on the Republican side of the political fence) on the scale we're going at it," the Houston oil man claimed. New Aides Hired As though to prove the statement, Porter's headquarters committee, in session following the luncheon, authorized appointment of an executive assistant to the committee and another organization worker. Porter said the new employees' job would be concerned largely with building GOP strength for next year's elections. The committeeman emphasized what he called Texas "key role" in building a two-party system in the South and throughout the country. "If we fail," he warned, "we will see another Fair Deal Administration of the Truman type—only worse than his." "It's slanderous to call that crowd (the Truman crowd) Democrats," he shouted, and added, "slanderous to Democrats." Porter is a former Democrat himself.



RIDE IN EL PASO—Twenty members of the Midland County Sheriff's Posse are in El Paso for the 1953 livestock show and rodeo. They rode in the grand parade through downtown El Paso, remaining in the border city for the week's program. Here Sheriff Ed Darnell, John Casselman, Jr., W. E. Pittman and Pete Morgan set up a posse banner.

March Allowable Slash Indicated

AUSTIN—(P)—Advance indications Friday pointed to a probable cut in Texas' crude oil allowable for next month. The Railroad Commission reported Thursday purchasers' nominations for March crude have dropped and Texas above-ground stocks have increased. Both factors are expected to have a depressing effect on the March allowable. Nominations were for 3,104,349 barrels daily, down \$3,217 from this month's nominations. The Bureau of Mines estimated March market demand for Texas crude at 2,860,000 barrels daily, off 20,000 barrels from its forecast for February. Stocks of Texas crude as of January 31 were 134,000,225 barrels, up 894,000 from the previous week. Texas' current allowable is 3,231,551 barrels daily. The commission's state-wide production hearing is scheduled here Wednesday. Heads of major importing firms have been asked to prepare to explain their plans to import more than 860,000 barrels daily this year.

Commission Chairman Ernest O. Thompson said Wednesday their reports show some companies are supplanting Texas crude with foreign oil. March nominations exceeded those for February in District 1, Southwest Texas, by 1,859 barrels a day; in 7-B, West Central Texas, by 1,856; and in 9, North Texas, by 1,638. Nominations were down in District 2, Southwest Texas, 4,850; 3, Gulf Coast, 4,843; 4, Southwest Texas, 5,847; 5, East Central Texas, 5,902; 6, outside East Texas, 750; 8, East Central Field, 8,315; 8, West Texas, 11,031; and 10, Panhandle, 2,333.

Big Spring State Hospital Reported 'Badly Crowded'

AUSTIN—(P)—"Badly crowded" conditions at the Big Spring State Hospital were reported Friday by State Auditor C. H. Cavness. His examiners found beds in some wards "not over six or eight inches apart." There was no recreation building and ping pong and game tables have to be placed in the wards. "Considering the crowded conditions, the wards were clean and orderly," the auditor said. A total of 565 safety discrepancies were found by a hospital board engineer, the auditor reported. Of these, 137 were corrected or are being corrected, but the balance would require engineering consideration and planning. The audit covered the period from Sept. 1, 1950, to Aug. 31, 1952. FROM STANTON Mrs. Ted Wright and children of Stanton visited here Thursday.

Clothing Steamed With Chlorophyll

NEW YORK—(P)—Chlorophyll has now become a "secret agent" of dry cleaners to give suits an anti-odor finish, reports the British Information Service here. A special form of chlorophyll is used to treat the clothing at the steaming and pressing stage. A British firm is already shipping 500 pounds of the special chlorophyll by air every week to the United States, says the report.

HE NEEDED SMOKE BADLY

NEWARK, N. J.—(P)—A manufacturing firm here has been notified by the Marine Corps that a hill on the Korean battlefield has been named after the cigarette lighter it makes. The name (Ronson Hill) was put on maps after a Leatherneck went on several lone patrols to retrieve the lost lighter his girl gave him before he left the States.

Zee Funeral Rites Held At Merkel

The body of Mrs. Mabel Laverne Zee 45, Midland nurse, was forwarded to Merkel Thursday for funeral services at 2 p.m. Friday. She died Wednesday night at Rankin, where she had gone on a nursing assignment. Mrs. Zee moved to Midland six years ago from Merkel. She was a native of Comanche, Texas. Survivors include a son, Michael; two sisters and four brothers.

High Bond Set By Mexican Judge Keeps Ochoa In Jail

MEXICO CITY—(P)—George Ochoa, Laredo customs broker accused in a double shooting in Texas, said he will remain in jail rather than post bond of 100,000 pesos (\$11,500) set Thursday. The exceptionally high bond was set on a charge of falsifying official documents. The charge concerns a birth certificate Ochoa filed when he claimed Mexican citizenship to avoid extradition to the United States. Ochoa said he did not have the money to post bond and could not even pay the 10,000 pesos premium a bonding company would charge. He said he would have to remain in prison until his case is

tried—a matter of another four or five months. Judge Clotario Margalli did not explain why he set such a high bond. Court attaches said there still is a possibility Ochoa might have to face trial here on the Texas homicide charges. The judge asked Texas officers for a copy of autopsy reports on two men shot in a Laredo hotel in 1949. Ochoa was arrested almost three years ago on a Texas request for his extradition to face the Laredo homicide charges. He won an injunction to keep the government from returning him to Texas. The Mexican government then brought the false documents charge.

More Beds Go Up In Hallways In Texas' Overcrowded School For Feeble-Minded

By MARTHA COLE
AUSTIN—(P)—More beds went up in the hallways, and a place was found this week for five more in the Austin State Home for the Feeble-Minded. Among these five were two boys from a falling-down shack near Van Alstyne, foul with the smell of the mother's cancerous face. Their admittance is the story of Mrs. R. H. Veasey of Van Alstyne, who found the family and wanted to help, and the Denison Herald, who pitched in to help, too. But the story of the Van Alstyne boys can be multiplied in some degree by each vacuous face that belongs to the body of a child who sits in the language of the dull-witted at the home. It's a problem of space and more demands for space. The school has 21 dormitories with a capacity of 1,340. They now are the home of 1,815. And 150 more are on the waiting list. "We admit five to eight a week,"

said the school superintendent, Dr. C. W. Castner. "Last year we admitted 187 and discharged 67. "Someone asks me how long does it take to teach them and return them to normal so they can go back home. "They have nothing normal to return to; they never were normal; they haven't got anything to get well off. "And so more come and few of them leave. The oldest person in the home is a 72-year-old woman who came there in 1917. She grew up old in the home because there were no relatives, nobody to send her to. She has the mind of a three-month-old baby. The school is bound by law to take the feeble-minded from six to 49 years of age, to give preference on admittance to women of child-bearing age and second preference to those of both sexes of scholastic age. Texas started out with not enough room for its feeble-minded and has never caught up. The buildings are two-story, of red brick, fire-proof, neat and clean. The house parent who showed the visitors through each dormitory apologized for even a stray scrap of paper on the floor. "They're good about keeping things clean," she said. "But we are all busy just before supper time. Some of them have to be fed, you know. They're helpless to feed themselves." One little blonde-haired girl about eight years old sat in a child's white rocker and rocked. Her hands were encased in mittens made of mattress ticking and tied to the arms of the rocker. She made no noise, but sat there rocking, trying to get her hands to her face. Her parents have given permission for the mittens' restraint, for unrestrained she pinches herself until her body is covered with sores. Both chronological age and mental age are reckoned in dividing the students into dormitories. "A six-year-old and a 26-year-old can sit down on the floor and play with blocks as easily when both are mentally two years old," Dr. Castner commented. "The hospital and special schools board hopes to erect more buildings on the farm colony out from Austin for the feeble-minded, but the earliest these could be ready would be the Summer of 1954. It isn't a big problem of money, for funds "an come from the special penny-a-pack cigarette tax levied in a special session of the Legislature in 1950. The school operated this year on a \$1,412,105 budget and is asking for \$1,842,556 for 1954. The governor's budget recommended \$1,651,411 for the school. Dr. Castner said he was proud of his staff. It's just space they need.

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