

# War Probe Report Drafted; May Leaves For Kentucky

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (AP)—Senate war investigators—still busy pursuing new leads—put the finishing touches today on what originally had been intended as a final report.

Meanwhile members indicated renewed interest in when they might be able to question Rep. May (D-Ky.), who left his sickbed here unexpectedly last week for a rest at his Pres-tonburg home.

Chairman Mead (D-N.Y.) said a comprehensive resume of the committee's work to date would be forth-coming shortly, to be followed by several others.

He told reporters the current report once was to have concluded the committee's work, but that recent developments pointed to many yet to come.

The newest proposal for the committee's consideration was a request by Senator Taylor (D-Ida) that it inquire into what Taylor termed "deprivations on the national treasury" by the nation's railroads in the form of "excessive freight rates paid by the armed services."

Taylor called on the bureau of budget to institute prompt steps through the department of justice for recovery of "overcharges."

In writing Mead, Taylor called particular attention to the "late committee" of the army transportation corps, which he said was composed largely of officials of the carriers who were in uniform during the war and who negotiated rates "with their former and future employers."

Mead told reporters he expects to hear Friday from May's physician as to when the chairman of the house military committee will be able to submit to questioning. A family spokesman at Prestonburg described May as "quite ill."

The Kentucky lawmaker is under subpoena by the senate committee to tell under oath of his wartime activities in behalf of the so-called Garson munitions com-

## Missouri Race Rates National Political Interest

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (AP)—

Voters in six states mark primary election ballots tomorrow, but President Truman's if-he-right-wrong tag on Rep. Roger C. Slaughter pinpointed national attention on Missouri's fifth district.

Slaughter's renomination bid is a democratic contest, but the republicans tossed in a barb when GOP National Chairman Carroll Reece said at Salt Lake City last week that "the PAC, the Pendergast machine and the president" have combined in a "purge" attempt.

Rep. Truman announced his opposition to Slaughter at a news conference here last month in which he cited the Missouri democratic opposition to administration measures.

This race has overshadowed in national interest the bid of another of Mr. Truman's friends, Senator Frank P. Briggs (D) for renomination in a four-way contest.

James P. Kern of Kansas City is seeking the republican senatorial nomination with party organization support.

Labor takes a front seat in the Virginia democratic primary the same day, where Senator Harry Byrd is seeking renomination for his third full term.

There is political firing in four other states tomorrow.

In Kansas prohibition has come back as an issue, propelled by efforts of former Gov. Harry H. Woodring to win the democratic governorship nomination on a state-store liquor sale platform.

Rep. Frank Carlson, house ways and means committee member, William L. White, an engineer, and H. W. Turner, a former section hand, are after the republican gubernatorial nomination.

In New Hampshire, Harry Carlson, former assistant to Secretary of Commerce Wallace, is seeking the democratic gubernatorial nomination in a contest with F. Clyde Keefe.

The CIO-PAC is in the West Virginia democratic primary with an endorsement of Senator Harry M. Kilgore's bid for renomination. But the more powerful United Mine Workers organization there has declined to back either Kilgore or his opponent, J. Buh Shahan.

The republican senatorial nomination is being sought by Thomas Sweeney and Claude R. Hill, a critic of the PAC.

**Strafing Plane Down**

BATAVIA, Java, Aug. 5 (AP)—Indonesian antiaircraft gunners downed a strafing Dutch Mitchell plane during a native attack on the Semarang airfield, the Netherlands East Indies army said today. Six members of the crew were killed.

**Killed In Crash**

AUGUSTA, Ga., Aug. 5 (AP)—Marris S. Stacey, 30, of Lakeland, Fla., and a native of Luling, Tex., was killed in an airplane crash near Waynesboro, Ga., yesterday morning.

Plans are in the making for a joint celebration between Howard and Glasscock county officials and people marking the opening of the Big Spring-Garden City road. The president said a personal invitation to participate had been extended to the highway commission and state highway engineer.

Greene touched on highlights of the recent Southwestern Institute for chamber of commerce managers, pointing to responsibilities of the chamber in various fields of community development.

## Wife-Slayer Returned To County Jail Here

Earl Hamilton Williams, confessed wife-slayer who has commuted between the Howard county and Glasscock county jails several times since he was taken into custody July 7, made another Sunday afternoon.

Glasscock officials decided to move him to Big Spring until his trial gets underway Sept. 3. He was brought here and placed in charge of Sheriff Bob Wolf.

## Arson Investigated In Frisco Hotel Fire

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 5 (AP)—Acting Fire Chief Martin Kearns said today there was evidence of attempted burglary and possibly arson in the second hotel fire here within a week.

The blaze Saturday started in a basement of a tavern, and flames spread to unoccupied rooms above the Pioneer House, a five-story building which has not been lived in since a fire swept through it a year ago.

## BRITISH CLAMOR FOR SALVAGE FROM CRIPPLED AMERICAN SHIP

LONDON, Aug. 5 (AP)—The derelict American freighter American Farmer limped toward England today under her own power and in escort of a US destroyer, with the British loudly claiming her as perhaps a \$4,500,000 salvage prize.

A maritime legal battle was shaping up in the dim of British newspaper headlines which complained American ships had taken over the collision-battered freighter after a midget British vessel had her in tow.

The 8,358-ton American Farmer and the freighter William J. Riddle collided 700 miles west of Land's End Wednesday. A passing ship took off the crew of 50 and six passengers and the British freighter Elizabeth B. 2,039 tons came alongside, at-

tached towlines and started puffing and heaving away toward Wales. Soon afterwards the US destroyer Perry, the US lines freighter American Ranger and a tug arrived. The Elizabeth radioed its home office:

"A crew from the American Ranger boarded the derelict and ordered our crew to leave, hauled down our ensign and hoisted the American flag." The British admiralty said they thought the message referred to the British merchant marine flag and not the Union Jack.

The Farmer carried \$2,000,000 worth of wheat and dried eggs for England and London papers estimated the ship was worth \$2,500,000 additional.

She probably will dock in the Bristol area by the weekend.

Additional forms for the cotton crop insurance reports on Howard county acreage have been received by J. G. Hammock, adjustor, and will be completed as quickly as farmers declare their losses at the AAA office.

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The first 50 affidavits for farmers experiencing complete losses were finished and audited last week and Hammock said he expected to complete the remainder of the task by Friday.

Farmers can expect a return on their claims within 303 days, Ham-mock stated.

KENEDY, Aug. 4 (AP)—Dallas Huskey, Karnes county rancher, has been charged with murder here in connection with the death last Friday of Phillip Duckett, furniture store employee.

Huskey was freed under \$5,000 bond.

Duckett was killed by four shots from a 12-gauge shotgun Friday night as he walked from a downtown Kenedy cafe.

**July Savings Bonds Top Monthly Average**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (AP)—Americans bought \$752,985,000 in savings bonds during July, topping all months since January by a wide margin, the treasury reported today.

The figure covered combined sales of the E war bond, F and G series, which exceeded total cash-in by \$252,804,000.

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**TEMPERATURES**



# Severe Earthquakes Felt In Caribbean

MIAMI, Fla., Aug. 5 (AP)—A radio message from Ciudad Trujillo reported that a fresh tremor shook the Dominican Republic at 9:20 a.m. (EDT) today in the wake of yesterday's violent earthquake in the Caribbean area.

Pan American Airways in Miami said a message from its Ciudad Trujillo airport described the temblor as being "of slight intensity." No further details were given.

Available reports indicated that yesterday's series of quakes apparently centered in the deepest hole in the Atlantic ocean and was so intense that it knocked out a recording seismograph in St. Louis, more than 2,000 miles away, but caused little surface damage.

One report said five temblors hit Ciudad Trujillo, capital of the Dominican Republic, yesterday, with one of the temblors lasting 45 seconds.

Reports of a tidal wave lacked any confirmation here.

Dr. Marion Gilmore of the army and navy's hurricane service in Miami said the heart of the quake was either north or south of Puerto Rico or quite possibly in the Milwaukee deep, 30,246 feet below sea level and 50 miles off the northeast coast of Santa Domingo.

The United States coast and geodetic survey lists the Milwaukee depth as the deepest point in the Atlantic ocean. It was discovered in 1939 by the U. S. cruiser Milwaukee while on naval maneuvers.

Dr. Gilmore said that if the earthquake centered under the sea, tidal wave would possibly result.

The shock was so severe that it put out of commission seismographs at the U. S. naval station at Puerto Rico at 1:49 p. m. (EDT), at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, at 1:53 p. m. (EDT), and in Trinidad at 1:53:46 p. m. (EDT).

Pan American Airways' installation at San Juan reported that the shock could be felt for three minutes while the walls shook, but that no damage was apparent. A brief power failure occurred in San Juan.

**Stock, Cowboys Pour Into Town For Big Rodeo**

Last of the stock for Big Spring's annual rodeo arrived this morning, and featured performers and cowboys from a wide area began pouring into town to make final preparations for the opening show Wednesday night.

The arena will get a good soaking tonight and will be sprinkled each night for the remainder of the week. Charlie Creighton, chairman of the rodeo association, said, which will insure spectators of dust-free performances.

Dorothy Cash of Beaumont and Pauline Nesbitt of Fort Worth, both accomplished trick riding artists, have arrived in Big Spring, and they will be featured on the specialty program.

Another act to be staged here, which has gained wide acclaim throughout the country, features Mr. and Mrs. Buff Brady of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ramsey of Hollywood, Calif. Their specialty is trick, acrobatic roping.

Large crowds have been indicated by heavy sale of box tickets, with only a few left this morning. They are on sale in Ira Driver's office in the First National bank building.

**Cotton Clothing Prices Increase**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (AP)—Cotton clothing price increases of six to eight per cent and a 17 per cent boost in the cost of household linens were forecast by OPA today as it ordered higher textile ceilings into effect immediately.

The increase for cotton textiles required under the new price control law, averages about 16 per cent, OPA said.

The 17 per cent retail increase expected on household linens will apply on cotton piece goods.

OPA plans to make higher retail ceilings effective soon.

**Slaughter Elected Eastland Constable**

Jess Slaughter, former sheriff of Howard county, was elected to the office of constable at Cisco in Eastland county in the recent first democratic primary, it has been learned here.

Slaughter, who now lives on a farm west of Cisco, won by a huge majority. He served several terms during the '30s.

**THREE COURT-MARTIALED**

TOKYO, Aug. 5 (AP)—The Pacific area command, US Army (PACUSA), announced today that three postal clerks have been sentenced by court martial to dis honorable discharge, forfeiture of pay allowances and one year imprisonment on mail theft charges.

Members of the county school board gather at the courthouse at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday to pass final judgment on scholastic transfers within the county.

More than 260 transfers have been made to date and the board is expected to approve most of them.

Committed to attend are W. F. Cook, Moore; Bob Asbury, Elbow; L. L. Underwood, Luther; J. D. Gilmore, Forsan; and B. F. Logan, Big Spring.

**Weather Forecast**

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

**BIG SPRING AND VICINITY:** Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday, not much change in temperature. High today 98, low tonight 75, high tomorrow 98.

**EAST TEXAS:** Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday. Scattered afternoon thunderstorms near upper coast. Gentle to moderate southerly winds on the coast.

**WEST TEXAS:** Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday. Warmer in Panhandle this afternoon.

**TEMPERATURES**

	Max.	Min.
Abilene	100	80
Amarillo	90	75
BIG SPRING	99	78
Chicago	86	60
Denver	97	55
El Paso	95	69
Fort Worth	100	80
Galveston	97	80
New York	85	71
St. Louis	90	73
Sunset tonight 7:38 p. m.; sunrise tomorrow 6:06 a. m.		

## Some Lessons In Conservation

Previously, we have taken the position that dry years—1946 apparently is a case in point—should impress upon all of us the wisdom of conservation more effectively than the years of plenty.

The reason for this is simple. Moisture is the controlling element for productivity in this country. When it is absent, our chances for agricultural production decrease in direct proportion to the length of its absence. It is easy to associate the importance of water conservation with welfare of crops and ranges.

This is the key to our conservation problems, not that water conservation is by any stretch of the imagination the only thing that matters. Indeed, preservation of the soil and its fertility is the ultimate goal. This can be done only by curbing and prevention erosion and by intelligent crop management. So far as we are concerned in this country, we can almost kill all the birds with one stone when we set out to conserve our economy like a cancer.

There are too many hard examples in case to ignore this truth. To be blind to it is to commit a slow but sure form of economic suicide.

## Mob Murder Form Of Anarchy

When the president ordered FBI men sent into Georgia to investigate what that state's law enforcement officers were doing about bringing lynchers of four negroes to justice, a hue and cry went up among some who considered it an intrusion into the realm of state domain.

The Dallas News has put the finger on the crux of the case in pointing out that while the president had no warrant of law to support him, the constitution does change the

**The Nation Today—James Marlow**

## Congress Defines Who Is Lobbyist

(Editor's Note: This is the second of two stories of the lobby act which congress passed but which will leave a lot of people wondering.)

**WASHINGTON, (AP)—**Washington is loaded with lobbyists. Most of them, but not all, are frankly out in the open.

Congress has just passed an act aimed to make them all come out in the open.

They'll have to register themselves as lobbyists with congress and tell where their money comes from and where it goes.

All this will be a record open to the public.

The act defines a lobbyist as anyone—individual or corporation—who:

1. Receives money for the "principal purpose" of influencing legislation.

2. Or whose "principal purpose" is to influence legislation.

Many people who don't consider themselves lobbyists may, under the terms of the act, find that they are lobbyists and have to register.

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# Refiners Move Into Finals Of Ackerly Softball Meet

## Fulenwider's Inside-Park Homer Gives Loboes Split With Clovis

LAMESA, Aug. 5—Lamesa and Clovis, the Loboes' only serious competitor for the league basement, split a doubleheader here Sunday afternoon before a small crowd of 630 fans, Lamesa taking the first contest with a 4-run rally in the eighth, 9 to 7, and Clovis coping the seven inning aftermath 12 to 5 on the 5-hit.

## Coaching School May Be Rotated

CORPUS CHRISTI, Aug. 5 (AP) Indications are that this will be the last time the Texas coaching school is held on a bid basis.

More than 600 mentors here for the sixteenth annual clinic opening today will discuss a plan of rotating the school among the six Texas members of the Southwest conference.

In the past, the city making the best offer got the clinic, but President Bobby Cannon of the Texas High School Coaches association says he is receiving a favorable response from the Southwest conference members of the new plan.

Cannon points out that this will insure a central location, will eliminate any claim of favoritism among the colleges and will solve the housing problem since the conference schools can take care of the coaches in their dormitories. The only guarantee will be sale of a certain number of tickets for the annual all-star football game matching high school squads.

Other matters up for discussion include the question of setting a minimum salary for coaches and either removing or raising the limit on the amount that may be spent for awards to high school athletes.

Cannon said the minimum salary plan was for the purpose of insuring the coaches a living wage in the years when the going gets tough and the schools move to cut coaching salaries. At this time the pay is considered high enough for coaches making from \$3,000 to \$5,000 a year.

Cannon's idea would be a minimum of \$2,000.



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## Red Womack Scores Winning Counter In Stanton Tilt

ACKERLY, Aug. 5—Cosden's Oilers eked out an eight inning 5 to 4 triumph over the Stanton All-Stars here Sunday afternoon to advance into the finals of the Ackerly Invitational Softball tournament.

The Refiners earlier in the day had rolled over the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Big Spring, 14 to 7, to qualify for the semi-finals. Red Womack, wiry little catcher, provided the margin of victory when he reached Dopey Crow for a single after one man had been retired in the eighth frame. Lewis Heuvel appeared to drive out a long single and Womack was forced to leave the field in Budnick the seventh inning of the first game of a scheduled double header with the New York Yankees when he pulled a back muscle. Feller's injury later was described as not serious and the Tribe expected him to take his regular turn next Thursday.

Pat Stasey and Heuvel made merry at the Vet hurlers' expense. Each drove out a double, triple and home run.

The championship will be decided some night this week. Pete Womack, Cosden skipper, and the Stanton management were to discuss the date with tournament directors today.

Box score (first game):

**Clovis** AB R H PO A E  
Bauer ss . . . . . 5 0 0 2 0 1  
Collins cb . . . . . 5 2 2 4 0 0  
Woldt 3b . . . . . 5 2 3 4 2 0  
Dotlich 1b . . . . . 5 1 3 5 1 0  
Runcie cf . . . . . 5 0 1 0 0 0  
Novotney lf . . . . . 4 1 2 0 0 0  
Skidgel e . . . . . 4 0 2 5 1 0  
Cwik p . . . . . 2 0 0 1 0 0  
Totals . . . . . 28 8 7 18 5  
Cosden AB R H O A  
H. Bostick ss . . . . . 2 0 0 1 1  
J. Bostick ss . . . . . 2 0 1 2 1  
Burns, 2b . . . . . 3 2 0 1 0  
Reed 3b . . . . . 2 1 0 1 1  
Harris cf . . . . . 2 1 1 1 0  
B. Womack lb . . . . . 3 1 1 6 0  
Battle lf . . . . . 4 1 1 1 0  
Rowe rf . . . . . 3 0 0 0 0  
Davis, rf . . . . . 1 0 1 0 0  
Wood e . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0  
Henson c . . . . . 1 1 0 5 0  
Bredemeyer p . . . . . 1 0 1 0 0  
Greider p . . . . . 2 1 1 0 2  
Cwik p . . . . . 2 0 0 1 0 0  
Blackwell p . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0  
Totals . . . . . 41 7 13 24 8  
**Lamesa** AB R H PO A E  
Allaire 2b . . . . . 2 2 0 3 6 0  
Wilcox ss . . . . . 3 3 1 2 2 1  
Scopetone rf . . . . . 4 1 1 0 0 0  
Totals . . . . . 20 12 20 0 0 7  
Clos . . . . . 200 120 200 0 0 7  
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Runs batted in, Woldt 2, Runnels, Skidgel 2, Scopetone, Fulenwider 5, Palmer, Martin 2; two base hits, Woldt, Palmer; home run, Fulenwider; stolen base, Woldt; double plays, Martin to Wilcox, Wilcox to Allaire to Fowler; left on base, Clovis 9, Lamesa 10; base on balls, off Cwik 4, off Dobbs 3, off Huckabee 2; struck out, by Cwik 2, Dobbs 3, Huckabee 7; hits and runs, off Cwik 6 and 5 in plus, off Dobbs 4 and 3 in 2-3, off Blackwell 2 and 1 in 1-3; losing pitcher, Dobbs; umpires, Craig, Smith and Ramsey; attendance, 630; time of game, 1:56.

Second game:

**Clovis** . . . . . 300 252 0—12 11 0  
**Lamesa** . . . . . 010 004 0—5 5 5  
Behnke and Skidgel; Hart and Palmer.

## Major League Leaders

By Associated Press

National League

Batting — Walker, Brooklyn, .378; Hopp, Boston, .368.

Runs batted in — Slaughter, St. Louis, .81; Walker, Brooklyn, .78.

Home runs — Mize, New York, .22; Kiner, Pittsburgh, .16.

American League

Batting — Vernon, Washington, .357; Williams, Boston, .351.

Runs batted in — Williams, Boston, .29; Greenberg, Detroit, .24.

**BS Motor To Play In Winters Saturday**

Big Spring Motor's softball nine will travel to Winters Saturday night for a game with an all-star aggregation at 7:30 o'clock.

The Motormen expect to be strengthened for the out-of-town encounter by the return of Charlie Teague, star shortstop.

## Panthers Repel Tulsans, 3-2

By The Associated Press

Fort Worth's Cats yesterday

squeezed home an unearned run

in the 10th inning to defeat the

Tulsa Oilers, 3-2, while the San

Antonio Missions, still trying to

narrow the five-game margin the

Cats hold on first place, slugged

three Shreveport pitchers for 25

hits in romping over the Sports,

20-2.

At Beaumont, Manager Jim

Turner of the Exporters registered

his eleventh victory of the sea-

son as he gave up eight scattered

hits to the Houston Buffs and won,

3-1.

Eddie Karas, who previously

had won one game to five defeats,

gave Dallas only six hits as Okla-

homa City shut out the Rebels,

5-0.

An error by Tulsa's Sal Madrid

let Monty Basgall of Fort Worth

reach first in the 10th. Basgall

went to second on a sacrifice by

George Pfister and to third on a

short single by Charley Samakis.

He was squeezed home on a bunt

by Jay Haney.

San Antonio scored in every in-

ning except the third and concen-

trated on an eight-run rally in the

final tally.

Charley Grant led the Padre at-

tack with five hits in five times up,

while Rube Naranjo had four out

of five. Harry Hatch scored six

of the San Antonio runs.

Beaumont scored in the second

inning on a single by Fred Collins

and a double by Hugh Shelley and

added another in the third on hits

by Joe Muffoletto and Joe Collins.

Fred Collins homered in the sev-

enth for the final tally.

An Exporter error, followed by

Ed Filo's double, produced the

only Houston run.

At Dallas, Karas did not run in-

to trouble until the eighth when

the Rebels filled the bases with no

outs. A strikeout and Bob Moyer's

hitting into a double play ended

the Dallas threat. Dale Mitchell,

Oklahoma City's league leading

hitter, led the Indian hitting at-

tack.

Henderson's Oilers, although

losing to Paris, 9-3, maintained

their two and a half game hold on

first place as Texarkana upset

Tyler, in runner-up position, 11-2.

Lufkin won over the Greenville

Majors, 7-1.

## All Attendance Marks Broken In Major Loops

By The Associated Press

The major league's attendance figures soared to 12,786,000 today — nearly two million more than last year's record total — following a splendid Sunday turnout featuring by Cleveland's standard-shattering 75,959 crowd of which 45,592 paid.

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## Personals

CONSULT Estella, the Reader. Jefferson Hotel. 305 Gregg, Room 2.

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Jack Thomas, H.P.

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CALLED meeting Staked Plains Lodge No. 598 A.F.&amp;A.M.

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work in M.M. Degree.

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FIVE rooms of furniture for sale; extra nice bedroom suite with inlaiding mattress; dining table and six chairs: Stewart Warner Frigidaire; gas heaters, etc. Inquire at the Conoco Service Station in Forson, Texas. Jack Davis.

ONE 1938 cubic ft. commercial electric refrigerator for sale. Templeton Electric, 304 Gregg.

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THE LAW RIDES**Library Announces Change In Hours**

Effective Tuesday the Howard county free library will change its hours, remaining open from 9 to 12 a.m. and from 5 to 9 p.m. Mrs. Inez Ragdale, librarian, announced.

The change was made after an overwhelming number of patrons indicated the cooler hours would be more satisfactory, and will continue until cooler weather or at least until it is found that the change hinders use of the library facilities by the school children.

The decision was made with the full approval of county Judge James T. Brooks and the county commissioners.

**Golf Ante Raised**

EL PASO, Aug. 5 (AP) — The ante has been raised for the annual El Paso country club open golf tournament. It will be a \$3,000 event instead of \$2,000 with \$750 first prize for the professionals. Suitable awards also will go to the top amateurs.

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FEATURE NO. 2

**IT'S MURDER!****FOLLOW THAT WOMAN!**

WILLIAM GARGAN  
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A PRESTON STUDIO PICTURE

# Lubbock Highway District Piles Up Near Record Number Of Accidents

Howard county traffic accidents reported to local members of the state highway patrol during the month of July, in contrast to the previous month, totaled only four for the 31-day period and no fatalities resulted.

The county, however, played no small part in helping the 21-county Lubbock district compile one of its worst accident records in years during the first seven months of 1946.

According to figures released by

Capt. E. L. Posey of the district office this week, deaths from traffic mishaps within the district more than doubled over the same period of time in 1945.

A total of 38 persons have met death in automobile mishaps within the 21 counties since January 1. Aggregate for the same period last year was 16. Of the 1946 total, two have died in Howard county. One fatality occurred in January, the other in June.

An additional 215 persons were

injured during the first seven months of this year. In 28 mishaps, Howard county contributed 41 to that total.

A total of 241 accidents investigated within the district costs 105,273 in property damage. Howard county residents suffered property losses estimated at \$18,847 during the seven months.

Lubbock county led the list with nine fatalities, 81 crashes, 46 injuries reported, and property damage estimated at \$27,980.

All of the accidents reported at least one accident since Jan. 1 and 15 of the 21 reported at least one death as result of highway crash.

The report includes only those cases actually investigated and recorded by the highway patrol. It does not include most non-fatal accidents within the cities and towns, where local police usually conduct the investigations and file the reports.

Due to a shortage of funds allocated for highway patrol purposes by the state legislature, and to the condition of equipment, which is old and worn, patrol cars have recently been limited to 100 miles each per day, Capt. Posey said. While he did not attribute the heavy accident increase to this, he believes that it had some effect on the situation.

The following tabulation by counties was given:

County	Accidents	Killed	Inj.
Yoakum	4	1	1
Howard	28	2	41
Lubbock	81	9	46
Hale	18	2	15
Dickens	1	0	1
Lynn	6	1	3
Terry	34	6	28
Hockley	10	5	12
Andrews	1	1	0
Bailey	2	0	10
Crosby	4	1	4
Dawson	18	2	14
Floyd	6	2	9
Garza	4	0	5
Gaines	8	1	6
Kent	1	2	8
Lamb	9	2	4
Motley	1	0	1
Martin	5	1	9

PIONEER — Movie Actress Susan Hayward was selected "Pioneer Girl of 1946" by the Oregon Trail Association after she appeared in a film depicting early days in their state.

**Bradford To Speak**

The Rev. R. Y. Bradford, who recently went to Colorado City in answer to a call as pastor of the First Baptist church there, will speak for the First Baptist Brotherhood at 7:30 p.m. today. Rev. Bradford recently was separated from the army as a chaplain. He held the rank of lieutenant-colonel in the chaplain's corps.

Both candidates had scarcely paused for breath between the first and second primaries.

Jester took off with a radio speech from San Antonio Thursday in which he said that "Texas must choose between democracy and left wing radicalism."

Rainey opened his run-off drive for votes at Austin where he said: "The issue is reaction against progressive democracy, do-nothingism against action."

**Letter To Editor****Corcoran Scores Uncivil Condition**

Dear Editor:

From time to time there appear in The Herald articles on sanitary conditions in Big Spring. I note in Thursday's Herald an article on sanitary conditions in the city schools. Mr. Blankenship states they are in good condition. I wish to take issue on this statement.

When a ball game is being played on the North Ward school diamond, some of the Mexican spectators use the doorways of this school building for a toilet. I have seen the janitor of this school take a hose and wash the doorways out before the children could enter the building.

I informed Mr. Blankenship of this condition four months ago. The city health officer also has been notified of this condition and states it is a case for the police. Can you inform me whom we should contact to stop this practice? Everyone from the janitor to city manager knows this condition to be a fact.

Steve Corcoran,  
810 N. Scurry.  
(Conditions described by Reader Corcoran would constitute a public nuisance, subject to law enforcement action. The Herald deplores such practices; recognizes two problems: Catching offenders and educating or compelling offenders to sense of decency—Ed.)

**B And PW To Plan For District Meet**

Business and Professional women will hold their regular meeting Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Jewel Barton, 606 E. 16th.

Constitution and bylaws changes are due to be voted upon in a business session, and tentative plans for entertaining the district conference in October will be discussed by members.

**Markets**

NEW YORK, Aug. 5 (AP) — Stocks, with scattered exceptions, executed a moderate retreat in today's market.

Comforting to the bulls was the fact that dealings were slow from the start. Declines of fractions to a point or so predominated near the fourth hour.

Eight successive rising sessions, brokers said, inspired a certain amount of profit cashing on the idea that the upswing had placed the list in a defensive position. Business prospects, earnings and dividends continued as selective bidding incentives.

**More Births Recorded Than Deaths Here**

Someone estimated recently that the population of the world was doubling every 60 years. Howard county—at least for the first six months of 1946—has done more than its share.

From Jan. 1 through June 30, a total of 325 births within the county were registered at the county clerk's office. For the same six months, records of 109 deaths went into the books.

**Livestock**

FORT WORTH, Aug. 2 (AP) — (USDA)—Cattle 6,800; calves 3,600; slaughter steers, canner and cutter cows mostly steady. Fat cows, slaughter calves and medium and low grades yearlings weak, early bids and sales 25-50 lower. Stockers slow, about steady, except replacement calves dull.

Medium and good slaughter steers and yearlings 13.00-17.00; common grades 8.50-12.50; medium and good fat cows 9.50-13.25; bulls 8.00-13.00. Good and choice fat calves 13.50-15.50; medium 12.50-13.50. Common 18.00-22.50; stocker calves, yearlings and steers from 10.00-14.50.

Hogs 1,000; active, butcher hogs steady to 50 higher than Fridays average. Sows steady, stocker pigs weak. Little demand for light pigs. Top 25.00. Bulk good and choice 180 lbs. up 24.50. Good and choice 145-175 lbs. 22.00-24.25. Sows mostly 22.00. Stocker pigs 17.00-18.00.

Sheep 13,000 slow, spring lambs steady to 25 lower on medium to good grades, common springers around 1.00 lower. Medium and good ewes 50-100 lower, cull to common ewes steady. Medium and good spring lambs 14.00-16.00; common and medium springers 10.00-12.50.

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**Firemen Extinguish Three Small Blazes**

Big Spring fire department was called to 910 Johnson street at 12:05 a.m. Sunday, where a small blaze was extinguished without damage. The fire started from a cooking stove in servants quarters, when grease in the oven ignited from a burner.

Another trip to the Morris Salvage yard was made at 7:45 a.m., when the coal, which has been burning under the surface for several days, blazed up again.

At 8:20 a.m. a trash fire was extinguished without damage at 706 Johnson, and at 11:50 a.m. a tourist cabin was damaged slightly at 910 E. Third when a towel fell on a cooking stove burner and started a fire.

John Wood, member of the state highway patrol who was transferred from here to Pecos late last year, was a Big Spring visitor this morning. He is now located at Van Horn.

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E. A. Miller and Frances Tucker of the Howard county FHA office are attending a two-day session of supervisors and clerks in Abilene. They will return Tuesday evening.

AGED PIONEER DIES

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