

Full Year Of Peace Reviewed

Nation Observes Victory Day With Prayers

By The Associated Press Without formal pause, the nation joyfully yet prayerfully observed the first anniversary today of victory in World War II.

One year to the day after he proclaimed Japan's unconditional surrender, President Truman asked Americans to dedicate this first "Victory Day" to prayer and high resolve that:

"The cause of justice, freedom, peace and international goodwill shall be advanced with undiminished and unremitting efforts, inspired by the valor of our heroes of the armed services."

While military men and others were paying tribute to the men who fought and died to bring the war to its conclusion, Mr. Truman's reconversion director toted up the balance sheet to see what a year of peace has meant to the home front.

In a statement last night, John R. Steelman recalled the four objectives of a year ago and outlined the "record of progress we have made."

1. Jobs for all those willing and able to work: "We have reached substantially full employment and have created nearly five million new jobs in the process."

2. A steadily rising standard of living: "The yearly production rate of goods and services for civilian use has increased more than \$30,000,000,000. Total construction and production of some goods has quadrupled."

3. Stabilization of our economy: "We have successfully avoided the deflation which threatened when war plants closed their doors. Inflation remains a constant threat."

4. Increased opportunities for farmers and businessmen: "Almost a quarter of a million new businesses were established in the last half of 1945. Farmers are looking forward to bumper crops, and can sell at good prices all they can grow."

Looking to the future, Secretary of the Navy Forrestal declared:

"We must firmly resolve to keep ourselves strong for the tests of the future until the United Nations is an accomplished fact."

Secretary of War Patterson and Army Chief of Staff Eisenhower sent messages of congratulation to General MacArthur in Tokyo.

There and throughout Japan, the people of that conquered nation shared a seemingly common belief that they are better off than any hoped they would be a year ago.

MacArthur himself withheld a summary of the first year of his stewardship for the Sept. 2 anniversary of the actual surrender ceremony aboard the battleship Missouri.

But in an order to his troops, the supreme allied commander said today is more than a day of victory.

"It is," he said, "one of thanksgiving, on which we bow our heads in extreme humility and thank God that we, of democratic faith, have demonstrated to the world that peace can be gained and kept by governments established from and by the common people."

Austria Would Speak PARIS, Aug. 14 (AP)—Austria applied today for permission to present her views to the Paris Peace Conference, particularly regarding the Italian frontier. A plenary session of the conference probably will consider the request this week.

Weather Forecast Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY—Partly cloudy with widely scattered thundershowers tonight and Thursday. Little change in temperature. Probable high today 102, low tonight 78, high Thursday 105.

TEMPERATURES Abilene 103 78 Amarillo 93 65 BIG SPRING 104 78 Chicago 80 51 Denver 83 55 El Paso 94 73 Fort Worth 98 78 Galveston 92 82 New York 72 61 St. Louis 72 65

Sunsets today at 7:31 p.m., rises Thursday at 6:10 a.m.



SPY CAPSULE STUDIED—Three soldiers peer from a German drop container being studied at Wright Field, O., by the US Army. The 490-pound, 10-foot long unit is designed to carry three men strapped horizontally in hammocks. Nose (right) is made of rubberized tubing to cushion landings. Special parachutes lower the container in an upright position after its release from a plane. Men are 1st Sgt. Larry Lambert (top) Beckley, W. Va.; Cpl. Harry J. Brickheimer (left), Athens, Wis., and T-S Robert L. Gilbertson, Eau Claire, Wis. (AP Wirephoto).

Bulgaria And Hungary Present Claims To Greek Thrace Before Peace Parley

BULGAR PREMIER FRANKLY ADMITS 'SHAMEFUL ALLIANCE' WITH NAZIS

PARIS, Aug. 14 (AP)—Bulgaria formally presented a claim to the Paris peace conference today for the present Greek territory of western Thrace and was supported by the Soviet Ukraine delegate. Frankly admitting a "shameful

alliance" with Germany during the war, Bulgarian Foreign Minister Georgi Koullishev nevertheless maintained that the Bulgarian army "did not fight on any front against the anti-Hitlerian coalition." He asked that his nation be accorded the status of an allied co-belligerent, the same as that sought yesterday by Romania, another defeated German satellite.

Western Thrace is a narrow strip of territory along the northern coast of the Aegean Sea which gives Greece a common frontier with Turkey.

D. Manuilsky, chief of the Ukraine delegation, charged that Greek policy was "instigated from abroad" and protested against her "demands for foreign Balkan soil."

Greece swiftly dissented. Her chief delegate, Premier Constantinos Tsaldaris, accused Bulgaria of international crimes and declared the draft treaty for the country which was allied to Germany in the last two wars was "too light for a country which associated herself with the German aggressor."

It was expected that Hungarian Foreign Minister Janos Gyongyosi would make an appeal for "basic human rights" on behalf of his nation this afternoon.

British To Stick To Present Policy In Palestine

LONDON, Aug. 14 (AP)—The British cabinet heard reports from the chiefs of the army, air force and navy of a tense situation in the Holy Land today and agreed, an authoritative source said, to stick to its present course "however much the position deteriorates."

The three armed services will continue to take "whatever measures are necessary" to implement the government's decision to end unauthorized entry of Jewish refugees into the Holy Land, the informant said.

Three persons were killed and seven wounded at Haifa yesterday when riotous mobs of British military cordons guarding the port while 1,000 immigrants were taken off their ships and put aboard troop transports for shipment to detention camp on the island of Cyprus.

While the cabinet was in session a foreign office spokesman said President Truman's decisions on the British-American cabinet plan for division of Palestine into four provinces possibly would arrive today.

The foreign office also announced that Britain had "approached the US state department about six weeks ago on the publication of appeals in United States newspapers calling for financial contributions to aid illegal Jewish immigration into Palestine."

"The nature of the state department's response is not yet known to me," the spokesman said.

Coffee Goes Up 10 To 13 Cents By OPA Order

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14 (AP)—OPA today authorized immediate retail price increases on coffee, ranging from 10 to 13 cents a pound.

The increase results from:

1. Cancellation of an import subsidy of 3 cents a pound. The subsidy was discontinued when the price control law lapsed July 1.

2. An increase of about 2 cents a pound authorized for importers June 28. This increase had not been passed on to retail levels.

3. A further increase of about 3 cents a pound in importers' ceilings authorized today as an inducement to increased coffee importation.

The amount of the retail increase will vary depending upon method of distribution of coffee, OPA said.

The agency authorized an increase of 10 1/4 cents a pound for processors of roasted coffee, coffee compounds, soluble coffee and soluble coffee products.

OPA said that wholesalers and retailers, including retail wagon route sellers, may apply their new regular percentage markups to the new, higher cost of coffee.

Gunshot Wounds Fatal To Wealthy Racing Publisher

CHICAGO, Aug. 14 (AP)—James M. Ragen, 65, wealthy racing news publisher who recently declared that Al Capone still controlled Chicago gambling and vice, died at 5 a.m. (CDT) today in Michael Reese hospital of shotgun wounds inflicted by assassins June 24.

Ragen had told State's Attorney William J. Tuohy he had prepared and filed away affidavits of evidence involving a syndicate controlled by "the Capone family," and that the evidence would be delivered to federal authorities in the event of his death.

Ragen, who boldly defied efforts of a gang of hoodlums to muscle into his business, had offered \$25,000 reward for the arrest and conviction of the gunmen who had fired upon him from a camouflaged truck.

A previous attempt on his life was made last April 29. Then he eluded two gunmen in an auto chase on the far south side, where he lived with his wife and six sons and daughters.

The successful June 24 assault came after Ragen, riding alone and trailed by his bodyguards, stopped for a traffic light at South State Street and 39th Street (Pershing Road).

An old truck pulled to the right of the guards' car and halted to the right of Ragen's. Suddenly the tarpaulin on the left side of the truck was pulled open. Muzzles of two shotguns were thrust out and two blasts were fired into Ragen's car.

Identity of the assailants has never been discovered.

Lions To Develop Several Play Courts

Members of the civic improvement and the boys and girls committees of the Lions club Tuesday evening accepted the responsibility of developing some playground courts at the Salvation Army playground, W. 5th and San Jacinto.

Due to be undertaken as a club project are tennis courts, basketball, roquet, and horseshoe pitching courts. In addition to the actual work, it was indicated that provision would be made to protect the play areas from drainage.

Coahoman Suffers Back Injury In Fall

O. D. O'Daniel of Coahoma suffered a back injury Tuesday afternoon when he fell on the corner of Second and Main streets. Authorities in the hospital to which he was taken for treatment report his condition good today.

Bear Club Rodeo

WACO, Aug. 14 (AP)—The third performance of the 11th annual Bear Club Rodeo opens here this afternoon with a parade headed by a troop of mounted riders from Corsicana. Beauford H. Jester, candidate for governor, is scheduled to lead the Corsicana group.

Cafes Must Submit Price List To OPA

Workers at the local price control board today reiterated a warning that cafes and restaurants are required to submit price lists to the OPA, despite several changes in the new price control set-up.

The price lists are required in accordance with amendment 13 to the restaurant MPR 13, copies of which are available at the local board. According to the regulation the lists already are overdue.

The information the lists are to contain is divided into three points: The meal, food item or beverage being priced; the class in which it belongs; and prices of new meals, food items or beverages, together with the method of computation, setting forth the current raw food cost and the margin used.

Recruiters Attend Monahans Program

A party composed of Capt. Eugene Safford, Sgts. Oliver Goodman, James McNeill, David Lillard and Richard Stewart and Julia Mae Cochran left this morning for Monahans where they will represent Big Spring at a VJ day celebration taking place there.

The city's entry in a bathing beauty revue being staged there, Mrs. Martha Cochran Hardin, was to appear before the judges along with the other contestants at 6:30 o'clock this evening.

The Monahans fete was to be an all-day celebration and will be climaxed this evening with a street dance.

Red Spider Menace Spreads In County

The infamous "red spider" is branching out.

Reported first on the Ellis Iden farm near Vealmoor, the little beast has now spread to the cotton fields in other sections of the county and is threatening to wipe out the entire cotton crop.

Local experts figure that the spider will destroy what little cotton the county has been able to "make." If it doesn't rain within a few days, the farmers have been told they can fight the little pirate with a sulphur dust.

Several Events On 4-H Club Field Day Schedule

Howard county 4-H club members will compete in several events Thursday at a field day to be held at Coahoma.

The days activities will begin at 9:30 a.m.

With preliminary plans for the field day drawn by County Agent Durward Lewter and the adult 4-H club committee, details of the program have been worked out by citizens of Coahoma.

Contests will be held in identification of dairy and beef cattle, hogs and flection of grasses, seeds, parts sheep, and dairy cows, ewes, muttons, beef steers and beef breeding cattle will be judged for quality.

Nathan's Jewelry store of Big Spring will present a Sheaffer pen and pencil set to the club member winning most points in the contests.

A barbecue, furnished by the 4-H club organization and to be prepared by citizens of Coahoma, will be served at noon. Some 200 club members, parents and visitors are expected to attend.

Union Meeting Holds Up Stock Exchange

NEW YORK, Aug. 14 (AP)—A mid-morning-union meeting which voted in favor of calling a strike "at any time" disrupted floor operations at the New York Stock Exchange for two hours today.

Unionized employees of the Stock Exchange were absent en masse when trading opened on a limited basis at 10 a.m. (EDT) members had to trade directly with each other when the Exchange's Stock Clearing Corporation declared itself unable to accept the delivery of securities.

Slaughter Group Recalls Fields For Testimony On Dummy Companies

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14 (AP)—The house surplus property committee today began unweaving a maze of evidence about "dummy corporations" and how they helped speculators make money on excess war goods.

Elaborating to newsmen, Slaughter said:

"There are a whole bunch of these firms we don't even know exist, except on paper. We want to ask Fields specifically about them, and find out some more about his highly unusual operations."

Slaughter added that Fields would be asked to "try and re-



ORGANIZED HATE IN THE NAME OF LIBERTY? COMPARES KLAN AND STORM TROOPERS—Daniel Duke, assistant attorney general of Georgia and special prosecutor in that state's court case to revoke the national charter of the Ku Klux Klan, holds a Klan mask and a newspaper as he declared at a press conference in New York that "the Klan carries on where Nazi Storm Troopers left off." Duke said he was in New York to look into the question of direct ties between the German-American Bund and the Klan immediately prior to World War II. (AP Wirephoto).

Garbage Collection Charge Established

The city of Big Spring will, beginning September 1, assess fees for collection of garbage from homes and business houses.

The commission Tuesday afternoon passed on an emergency ordinance which sets out various sanitary requirements and setting up a schedule of fees.

Since the city instituted garbage collection several years ago, it has made no charge. The service, City Manager B. J. McDaniel reported, cost some \$24,000 last year, will run more than \$30,000 this year. Anticipated revenues from the new fees are fixed at about \$24,000.

For residential pickup of garbage and trash, the monthly charges will run as follows: Single family Rea, \$5.00 Duplex, Triplex, per Unit, \$10.00 Garage Apartment, \$10.00 Group Housing (inc. Tourist Courts with Cooking) per Unit, \$10.00 3 or more Family Apts., per Unit, \$10.00

The charge is to be incorporated into the municipality's monthly water bills.

A sliding scale for business houses, based on size of building and type of business, sets up downtown collection fees ranging from \$2 to \$10. Nominal fees are set up for churches, schools and colleges.

Remainder of the lengthy ordinance covers sanitary requirements, including provision of covered garbage cans of specified size, etc. The city, under terms of the ordinance, is to make collections from residences twice a week, daily.

Violation of the new ordinance is termed a misdemeanor, subject to fine up to \$100.

City Bus Fare Upped To 8c By Commission

Fares to be charged by the J. M. Bucher Bus Lines serving the city of Big Spring will be advanced a week from today on August 21, from a flat 5c, to 5c for children from five to 12 years of age and 8c for others. Children under five years ride free.

The city commission approved this new rate by formal action Tuesday afternoon, and at the same time voted to extend the Bucher bus franchise for five years from its expiration date of December 9, 1946. Under the terms of the extension, Bucher will pay \$720 year municipal franchise tax.

The fare increase was voted after Bucher appeared, with operating statements to support his plea that he could not operate without a loss under the old 5-cent tariff. Commissioners examined rates charged by a dozen or so other Texas cities, found these varying from 5 to 10c, with most of them at 7 and 10c.

Under the 8c fare, the bus lines will make no extra charge for transfers, and will provide service at the same cost to the Ellis Homes district. The bus operator also has agreed to provide school bus service for that area west of the city limits.

Bucher requested the franchise extension to make possible the purchase of new equipment. He hopes to add new buses as soon as he can get them, he told the commission, and said he could purchase better equipment if he had assurance of an operating privilege. The city franchise is not exclusive.

Man Falls To Death

DALLAS, Aug. 14 (AP)—A man identified by police as John Franklin Moore, 51, of Tulsa, Okla., fell 11 stories to his death from the Santa Fe building here today. Justice of the Peace W. L. Sterrett returned a verdict of suicide.

Child Hit By Car; Injuries Slight

Little Sharin Powell, age 4, was taken to a hospital Tuesday afternoon for treatment of bruises and lacerations sustained when she was struck by a car on East Third street.

It is believed she is not seriously hurt. Apparently she darted in front of the moving vehicle.

Three More Trees Subscribed By Veterans

Three more subscriptions to the veterans Memorial Tree fund were noted Wednesday.

Earl J. Lusk designated his tree for his brother, Joe Lusk. Dr. L. R. McIntire designated his gift in memory of Captain Richard Clark.

The contribution from J. D. McWhirter was not designated. Gifts for tree and planting should be turned in to Dr. C. W. Deats by veterans.

Past Matrons Attend Evening Lawn Party

Past Matrons of the Order of the Eastern Star were entertained with a lawn party at the home of Mrs. Gladys Daimont Tuesday evening.

Birthday Party Honors W. Hall In Coahoma

COAHOMA, Aug. 13 (Sp) — Winston Hall was surprised recently when a group of friends gathered at his home honoring him on his 18th birthday.

Following the party, Mrs. Hall served refreshments to Sue Wise, Bernice Turner, June Stamps, Betty Pearl Kidd, Betty Joyce Woodson, Billy Bates, Everett Self, Clovis Phinney, Jr., Johnson B. Hall, Billy and Troy Baker, Vernon Lee and Charles Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Cochran spent the weekend with Mr. Cochran's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Cochran of Woodson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rainwater and daughter of Ranger were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Spears.

W. E. Millam of Brownwood spent several days in Coahoma recently with his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Farris.

Bill Hunter was a patient in a Big Spring hospital last week, but has returned to his home here. Mrs. Marie Kelsey of Denton, former band director in Coahoma school, was in Coahoma last week directing the band students in their practice for the Big Spring rodeo.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fletcher had as their guests this week their grandsons, Joe Scott and Ray Benton Simpson of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McKinley of San Angelo are visiting here with Mrs. McKinley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Roberts. The McKinleys are just returning from a two-months vacation in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Shive and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Layfield attended the winners' convention held in Abilene this week.

Man Sullivan and James Hunter left Thursday for Los Angeles, Calif., where they plan to go to work.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Hossley, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guss Martin here the past month, left Sunday for West Virginia, where they will make their home.

Edie Farris of Goldthwaite spent last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Farris.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Birkhead and son, Thomas Austin, left Saturday for a week's vacation to be spent at various points in Texas.

Miss Donna McCann has as her guest this week Miss Peggy Loughlin of Monument, N. M.

Mrs. Charlie Graves and daughter, Betty Jean, are spending this week in Brady with her mother who has been quite ill recently.

Ira McQuary accompanied by June Stamps visited in the Bradley McQuary home in Abilene this weekend. Miss Ray Neil Hale returned home with them.

Mrs. Houston Crocker of Monahan visited here Friday with her mother, Mrs. Cora Echols and daughter, Mrs. Paul Woodson. The Woodsons and Mrs. R. B. DeVaney spent Sunday in Monahan visiting the Crockers.

Melvin Whitaker of Houston is visiting here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Spears.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bates and son, Billy, are making a trip to Fort Worth and Gatesville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Conner of Hobbs, N. M., were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Armstrong Sunday. Mrs. Gotcher, who is the mother of Mrs. Conner and Mrs. Armstrong, returned to Hobbs with the Conners, following a month's visit here.

Mrs. Charlie Brook of San Antonio has been visiting here with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Burrell Cramer. They also had as weekend guests Mr. and Mrs. Ted King and daughter of Louisiana.

Tired, 'All-In'—Listless Feeling Brought To Halt

As Vibrant Energy is Released To Every Muscle, Fibre, Cell

Do you get up in the mornings still tired, feel down-and-out all day? Have you checked-up on your blood strength? Overwork, undue worry, cold, flu or other illness often wears down the red-blood-cells.

Every day—every hour—millions of tiny red-blood-cells must pour forth from the marrow of your bones to replace those that are worn-out. Low blood count may affect you in several ways: no appetite, underweight, no energy, a run-down condition, lack of resistance to infection and disease.

To get real relief you must keep up your blood strength. Medical authorities, by analysis of the blood, have by positive proof shown that 555 Tonic is amazingly effective in building up low blood strength in non-organic nutritional anemia. This is due to the 555 Tonic formula, which contains special and potent activating ingredients.

Also, 555 Tonic helps you enjoy the food you eat by increasing the gastric digestive juice when it is non-organically too little or a anti—thus the stomach will have little cause to get balky with gas, bloot and give off that sour food taste.

Don't wait! Energize your body with rich, red-blood. Start on 555 Tonic now. As vigorous blood surges throughout your whole body, greater freshness and strength should make you eat better, sleep better, feel better, work better, sleep better, have a healthy color glow in your skin—firm flesh fill out hollow places. Millions of bottles sold. Get a bottle from your drug store. 555 Tonic helps Build Strong Health.

Hostesses for the monthly meeting were Mrs. Annabel Eberley, Mrs. Nora Williamson and Mrs. Daimont.

Mrs. Emily Andrews opened the meeting with prayer and guests were introduced. They included Mrs. Florence Read of Coahoma, Mrs. Grace Adams, Kansas City, Mo., Mrs. Jeanette Newman, Winchester, Ind., Mrs. Bonnie Allen and Mrs. Veda Carter.

Mrs. Euta Hall, president, was in charge of the meeting that included reports by various committees.

Mrs. Frances Fisher told the group that the organization packed around 500 refugee dresses at the Red Cross, along with sweaters which will be shipped overseas. No serious illnesses were reported among members, and new visitation committee appointed included Mrs. Pearl Urey and Mrs. Beulah Carnrike. The telephone committee for the month is Mrs. Ruby Read and Mrs. Ortry Boatler.

Games were played and refreshments were served to Mrs. Edith Murdock, Mrs. Dorothy Hall, Mrs. Verda Mae McComb, Mrs. Rose Stringfellow, Mrs. Beulah Carnrike, Mrs. Ruth Eason, Mrs. Leona Benson, Mrs. Ruby Read, Mrs. Lera McClenny.

Mrs. Euta Hall, Mrs. Agnes Young, Mrs. Minnie Michael, Mrs. Frances Fisher, Mrs. Willie Mae Dabney, Mrs. Willie Mae McCormick, Mrs. Pearl Urey, Mrs. Maude Brooks, Mrs. Emily Andrews, Mrs. Blanche Hall, Mrs. Mary Notestine, Mrs. Mae Hayden, Mrs. Brownie Dunning, Mrs. Sylvia Lamun, Mrs. Nettie Mitchell, Mrs. Ortry Boatler, Mrs. Lula Leeper.

Housewarming Given In Bill Bostick Home

Mrs. Dan Bostick and Mrs. Bill Ellison were hostesses for a housewarming given Monday afternoon for Mrs. Bill Bostick in her new home.

Mrs. C. A. Tonn assisted the hostesses with refreshments and games were played.

Those attending were Lynelle Sullivan, Mrs. Henry Robinson and children, Mrs. Arnon Maynard, Mrs. Paul Eslinger, Mrs. Johnny Burns and son, Johnny, Mrs. Della Pool and daughters of Dallas, Mrs. J. J. Dearing, Mrs. Dan Greenwood and daughters.

Post Office Wives To Meet

The National Federation of Post Office Clerks will meet with Mrs. Grady McCrary, 211 East Park Thursday afternoon at 3 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

Breakfast Given For Bride-Elect

A miniature altar scene, complete with bride and bridesmaid, was the centerpiece used at a breakfast given by Mrs. Herbert Johnson for Miss Sara Maude Johnson, bride-elect, at the Settles hotel Wednesday morning.

Fern and Peruvian lilies ornamented the arrangement which rested on a reflector. Place cards were small mirrors bearing names of each guest and napkins bore the inscription, "Sara Maude and George, August 19."

Miss Johnson and George M. Houghton, Jr., will be married in a formal ceremony at the First Presbyterian church on the evening of August 19. Herbert Johnson of the Church of Christ will conduct the service.

Those attending the breakfast were Mrs. Dave Lillard, Mrs. Andre Arcand, Betty Williams, Mrs. Billie McNamara, Wanda Rose Bobb, Mrs. Tommie Elliott, Mrs. Iva Johnson, Mrs. George P. Mizell, Mrs. Tommy Gage, the honoree and the hostess.

Mrs. Carter Receives Rush Orders To Report For Her Trip Overseas

When her orders finally did come through, they came in a hurry for Mrs. Dee Carter, who left early today for Fort Hamilton, N. Y., with her two sons, bound for embarkation headquarters, New York. She will leave from the east coast to join her husband, Lt. Dee Carter, stationed at Nordenham, Germany.

Mrs. Carter was notified Monday of a mix-up in orders, and two separate passports were being arranged for her trip abroad. The application was corrected and Mrs. Carter was asked to be in New York not later than Sunday, August 18.

Having been in Abilene for the weekend, she spent a busy Monday doing last minute packing and thinking of a million things she probably had left undone even though she has been processing since April.

Wives ordinarily receive their notices to report, and are given 10 days to reach the port of embarkation, but because of her delay and correction of the passport orders, Mrs. Carter was advised to start at once.

Mrs. Carter, whose picture appeared in Sunday's Herald with her children, Dee Kent, 5, and Larry, 3, will be the first American woman to live in Nordenham, Germany, and her husband writes that he has rented an eight-room home for their occupancy, complete with a housekeeper and maid.

Allowed 350 pounds of baggage.

Possom Kingdom Dam And Christoval Attract Forsan Residents On Trips

FORSAN, Aug. 14 (Sp)—Fishermen for a weekend trip to Possom Kingdom dam were M. M. Hines, Bobby Asbury, Rayford Likes, Robert Bardwell, Woodrow Scudday, G. L. Monroney, Carlton King, Bob Asbury and George Odum of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller, Tommie and Billie Dan, Mrs. Bobby Asbury and Johnnie Bob, Mrs. Woodrow Scudday, Gerry Dee and Berney, Mrs. M. M. Hines and Mrs. Pearl Scudday spent Saturday afternoon and night in Christoval in the park for an outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith of Robert Lee were with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith over the weekend.

Jan Livingston has returned from a visit to Denver City. Capt. and Mrs. Walter Sowell of San Angelo were here the last of last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sowell and girls.

Eldred Prescott of Hobbs, N. M., was home over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Prescott.

Mrs. Kenneth Cowley and Martha Ann have returned from a visit to Alvord with relatives. Sgt. Kenneth Cowley arrived Sunday for a few days visit with Mrs. Cowley and Martha and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cowley and Bobby. Sgt. Cowley is being transferred by the Army.

Les Griffith of Amarillo was here the first of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Griffith.

Mrs. Clara Butler visited the Carlsbad Caverns over the weekend. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Shepman of Fort Worth. Mrs. Shepman is a niece of Mrs. Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dunn and Carl of Christoval visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dunn Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Galey and family accompanied, by Mr. Galey's sister, Lela Galey of Colorado City, left a few days ago for a vacation trip to Denver, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crumley and family will leave this weekend for Carrizo, N. M., on vacation. Mrs. Crumley's mother, Mrs. S. C. Crumley, Sr., will accompany them there for a visit with another son.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Creelman are parents of a baby girl born Monday morning in a Big Spring hospital, weighing seven pounds, 10 ounces. Mr. Creelman is an employee of the Sun Ray.

Mrs. H. E. Butler and Hubert will move this week to Kermit to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dickinson are on vacation with her mother and other relatives in Doole.

Mrs. C. L. Loftin and Annie Mae have been in Oil City, La., for the past two weeks. Mr. Loftin plans to join them this week-end to spend his vacation there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Long have returned home from a visit in Brownwood with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Patterson and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud King and sons, Claud Jr., Eddie Ray and Larry Jo will leave the last of the week, vacationing in Chroma, Colo. with Mr. King's brother and family. Claud Jr. has received his naval discharge recently from Norman, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wise and family of Borger have moved here, being transferred here by the Continental Oil Co. and working with the office force in the east camp.

The basenji, a breed of hunting dog from Africa, is unable to bark but can growl loudly when irritated.

Tonn Learns Of Son Born In London, Eng.

James C. Tonn of Big Spring has been advised that he and his wife are the parents of a son born July 22 in London, England.

The infant weighed eight pounds, eight ounces at birth and has been named James Alfred.

Mr. and Mrs. Tonn were married in October, 1945, while Tonn was stationed with the army air corps in England. Mrs. Tonn and their son will come to Big Spring to make their home when the child is six months old.

Visits And Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Rogers, James, Jr., and Eleanor of Napa, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tornabene and son, Fran, of Albuquerque, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. Preach Martin and other friends last week. James, Jr., recently received his discharge after serving with the Fifth Marines.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Baxter, Dick and Ann from Lubbock have been visiting the W. B. Martin family and other relatives.

Jan Dickerson spent Tuesday visiting with friends in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Tate are visiting here with Mrs. Tate's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Long, enroute to Arizona from Baltimore, Md.

Clifford Clark, resident of Phoenix, Ariz., who has been visiting here with his sister, Mrs. W. D. Caldwell, left Tuesday night for Littlefield where others of his relatives live. He will also spend several days in Belton before returning to Phoenix.

Mrs. Etoile Martin is enroute home from Long Beach, Calif., where she had been visiting her brothers, Alton and Russell Lavelle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Allen have returned from Temple where Allen underwent physical examination at the Scott-White clinic.

Mrs. John Davis and daughter, Mary Louise are in Temple.

Mrs. Mack Gray and daughter, Gwen, of Coffeyville, Kans., have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Lamun. Mrs. Gray is Lamun's sister.

Mrs. Lena Koberg is visiting in Fort Worth with her son Dr. O. W. Koberg.

Thomas Edward Underwood arrived by plane Tuesday evening from California after receiving his discharge at San Pedro, Calif., Saturday, August 10. Underwood, former seaman first class, served 11 months on Guam. While in California he visited with an uncle A. Underwood in Los Angeles. He is the son of J. E. Underwood and Louellon Underwood.

WCS Will Serve Supper Tonight For Brotherhood

Women of the WCS of the Wesleyan Methodist Church will entertain the Men's Brotherhood with a supper at the church tonight at 8 o'clock.

Arrangements were discussed Monday at a meeting of the group presided over by Mrs. Cecil Nabors in the church parlor.

Mrs. J. E. Duggan was the leader for the afternoon opening the year book program with a talk on "A Call—Laborers for Peace."

Following the singing of "Jesus Is Calling," Mrs. C. R. Donaldson gave the devotional from Isaiah 6:8 and John 4:34, 35.

Mrs. Marjorie Guffey, Mrs. H. D. Drake and Mrs. Jack King took parts on the program. Mrs. Duggan closed with another talk on the work in foreign countries and Mrs. Arthur Pickle gave the closing prayer.

Member present were Mrs. Drake, Mrs. King, Mrs. Pickle, Mrs. Ben Whitaker, Mrs. W. L. Porterfield, Mrs. W. W. Coleman, Mrs. Cora Shelton, Mrs. Nabors, Mrs. Tommie Lovelace, Mrs. W. D. Lovelace, Mrs. Donaldson, Mrs. Duggan, Mrs. Guffey, Mrs. E. R. Cawthorn.

Former Franklin County Residents Plan Reunion

Former residents of Franklin county now living in the area will hold a reunion at the Big Spring City Park Sunday afternoon, Sept. 1.

Barbecue and a discussion of old times and friends will be featured. All former residents are invited to attend.

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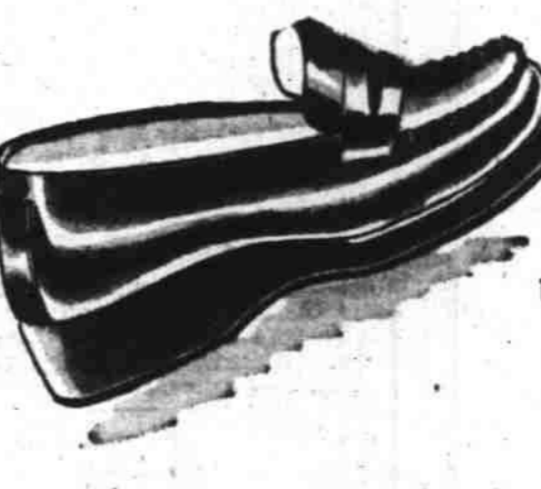
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COMMUNITY CHEST ORGANIZATION PROPOSED; SECOND PARLEY SET

Preliminary discussions on financial campaigns by various agencies Tuesday resulted in a declaration that at least three local units propose a community chest.

Hot News

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With this as a starting point, a meeting has been called for Tuesday, Aug. 20, with representatives of social and service organizations invited to participate in a more exhaustive discussion. While no official commitments were sought at the initial meeting, called by K. H. McGibbon, chairman of the chamber of commerce public affairs committee, representatives of the YMCA and Salvation Army were prepared to favor an attempt at one major fund drive.

Points advanced in behalf of the chest idea included a reduction of solicitation of business and individuals, reduction of demands upon civic workers for campaign efforts, coordination of efforts through budget analysis, more educational emphasis in preparation for the effort.

AFL Suggests Cleaning Congress

CHICAGO, Aug. 14 (AP) — The American Federation of Labor's executive council today was on record favoring "a sweeping congressional housecleaning."

Although emphasizing "that the AFL will continue its non-partisan political policy" the council, in a statement issued at its quarterly meeting, directed that "the political activities of the AFL, both on local and national bases, be expanded and intensified."

AFL President William Green later told newsmen "we are not hooked up with any political party and never will be."

"We will not cooperate" with the CIO's Political Action Committee, he declared in answer to a question. "We will carry out our own campaign."

Public Records
 Marriage Licenses
 Booker T. Washington, Big Spring, and Mrs. Lucy Louise Ross, Miami, Fla.
 James W. Miller, Big Spring, and Terry Lola Bell Barnes, Abilene.
 In 70th District Court
 Thelma Firth vs. T. S. Firth, suit for divorce.
 New Car
 Seven-Up Bottling company, Ford truck.

Texas Today—

Thief Gets There First At Grand Opening Of Store

By JACK RUTLEDGE
 Associated Press Staff

Double takes; or little items in the week's news you may have missed but shouldn't: Crime marched on, for one thing. W. W. Carpenter of Dallas planned a grand opening of his new jewelry store, but someone beat him to it, broke in, took \$1,200 in choice merchandise. . . . A Mexia service station operator was luckier, outbuffed three holdup men who demanded his cash. They did, however, roar off in a huff without paying for gasoline they bought. . . .

Then there was the case of the law and a Houston woman. She wished they'd make up their mind. She was ordered to tear down a residence-store which had been termed a fire hazard, but when she sought to comply, a judge issued a restraining order prohibiting her to do it because it would make about 30 tenants homeless. . . . The cities of McAllen, Mission and Edinburg also had a brush with boondoggling. The government offered to sell the three cities a nearby air field— which the cities already owned. Next, the government offered to lease the field to the cities which, by a recent order, already were leasing it. . . .

The shortage of men is over, A. & I. coeds say. Registration for the summer term there had 457 men, 278 women. It was so hot at Wellington (112 degrees) that nine baby chicks were hatched from eggs laid under a canna plant. . . . A woman moved from Illinois to Dallas, and part of her possessions included 16 barrels of elephants—2,647 miniature elephants. . . . A hen in Hillsboro adopted four kittens, is raising them. . . . 30,000 cases of canned horsemeat with gravy were shipped from Galveston to Bremerhaven. . . . Three airplanes landed in the heart of Harlingen, paraded up main streets under their own power to advertise Air Day Sept. 7. . . . The first issue of "Texas Week," a weekly news-magazine, was offered on newsstands Friday.

County Cash Balance Lower Than In July

Howard county wound up with a cash balance of \$90,745 for the period ending July 31, figures released today by County Auditor Chester O'Brien and approved by the commissioners' court showed. Expenditures for the month of July totaled \$23,375.47. Of that amount, \$9,746.59 went into the road and bridge fund. The cash balance showed a decrease of \$12,373.53 over the preceding month.

Immunization Urged For All Scholastics Before School Opens

Parents were urged Wednesday by Louise Horton, nurse for the city-county health unit, to make sure that their children have been immunized against diphtheria, typhoid, smallpox and whooping cough before school starts.

This is particularly important for children who are entering school for the first time, she pointed out, not only as a personal preventative but also from the point of general precautions.

Parents who had children examined in spring clinics for pre-school children were urged to have items checked on the forms attended to before the start of school. It will avoid rush and confusion of the last week if the family physician is consulted now.

Two Additional Trees Subscribed By Vets

Two other subscriptions of trees have been announced by Dr. C. W. Deatz, head of the veterans Memorial Tree fund.

Miles E. Moore, Jr. subscribed for a tree in memory of his brother, Eugene W. Moore. Sam Goldman's gift was undesignated. Gift of \$8 to care for a tree and its planting is being undertaken as a veterans' activity.

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City Tax Rolls Completed; Board To Fix Values Starts Work Monday

Tax rolls for the current fiscal year have been completed, and the equalization board to fix values for both the city of Big Spring and the independent school district will start its sessions next Monday, Aug. 19.

Coke Party Planned At Meeting Of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority

A coke party to be held in the Jake Douglas home August 20, was planned Tuesday evening when members of the local chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi met at the Settles hotel.

Class Supper Held In Ross Hill Home

The Gleaners class of the East church met in the home of Mrs. Ross Hill Tuesday evening for a covered dish supper and monthly class meeting.

Local Delegates In Amarillo For Meet

Six delegates from the Howard County Home Demonstration club left early Tuesday for Amarillo to participate in the three-day state meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration association which is being held there.

Mrs. Sheppard Presides Over Rebekah Meeting

Mrs. Wilma Sheppard presided over a meeting of the Rebekah Lodge which was held at the WOW hall Tuesday evening.

general, tax values for the agencies will be increased slightly. The equalization board, in fixing values, will hear property owners who wish to object to any changes.

(1) Hearing of a delegation from the American Business club, who proposed that the club-sponsored westside park be taken over by the city for operation and maintenance and incorporated into the municipal park system.

(2) Hearing of a request from Clarence Ox for enforcement of the ordinance prohibiting all night parking on downtown streets. At present parking is being done on Runnels, between the Settles and Douglas hotels.

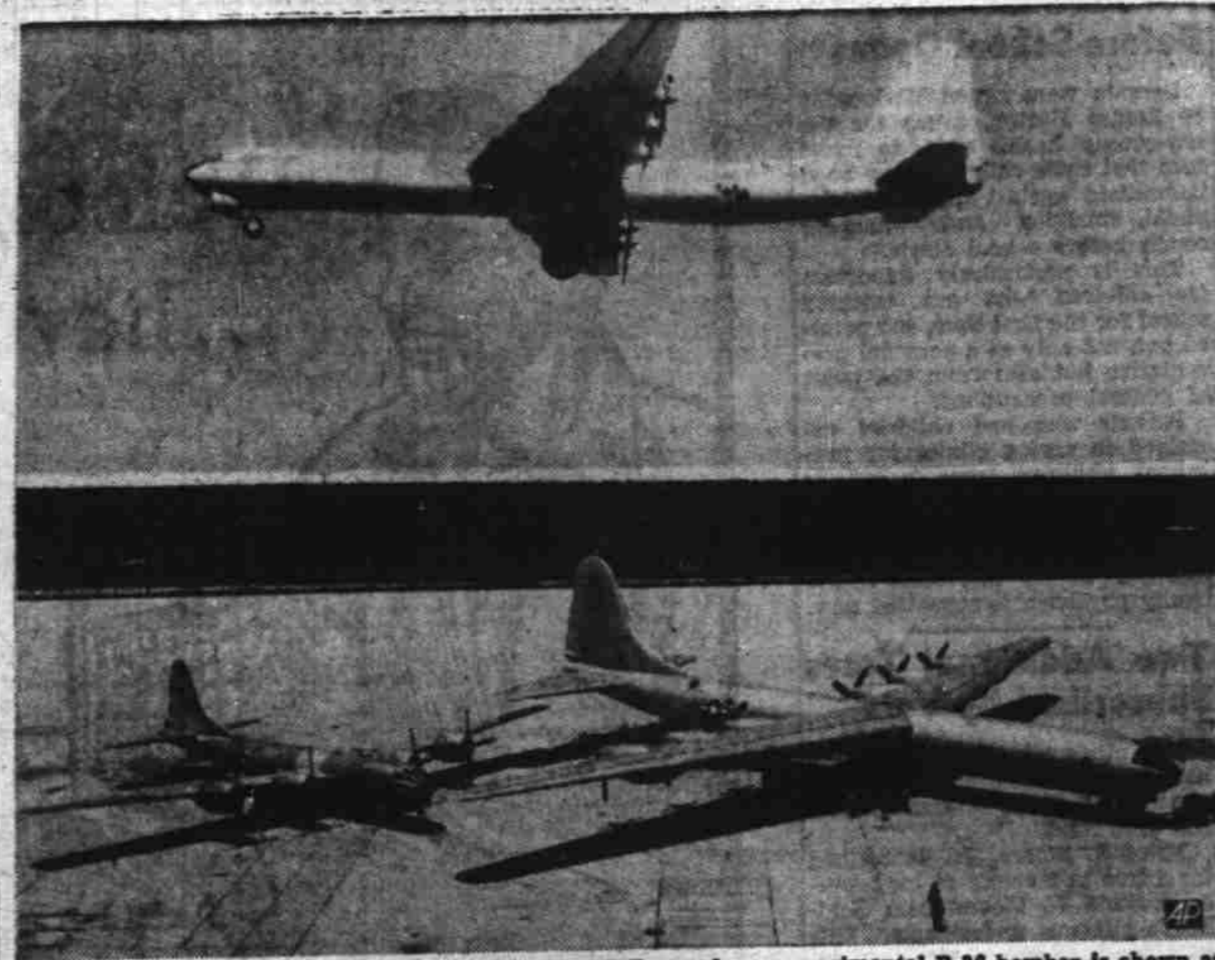
Seven Ex-Champs Among Entrants In National Meet

NEW YORK, Aug. 14 (AP)—Seven former titleholders will be among the 150 golfers who report to the Baltusrol Golf Club at Springfield, N. J., Sept. 9, to match strokes in the National Amateur Championships, last held in 1941.

Headed by defending champion Bud Ward of Spokane, Wash., the previous winners will be excused from qualifying play to be held later this month on 29 courses throughout the country.

Billy Ray Gamble Feted On His Second Birthday

Billy Ray Gamble, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gamble, was recently honored on his second birthday anniversary with a party in the home of his parents.



AIRBORNE B-36; DWARFED B-29—The Army Air Forces huge experimental B-36 bomber is shown as it took off (top photo) on its initial 35 minute test flight at Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 8. The plane is powered by six 5,000 horsepower engines and has an effective range of 10,000 miles. Its size dwarfs a B-29 (left) as the planes are parked near to each other. (AP Wirephoto).

GEORGE WASHINGTON KEPT HIS EYE ON JET PROPULSION EXPERIMENTS

BERKELEY SPRINGS, Ga.—Travelers to West Virginia may wonder if the state wasn't a little ahead of itself back in 1784.

A monument here to the memory of James Rumsey tells of how he obtained a patent in 1790 on a boat which embodied the principles of jet propulsion.

US Must Outlaw Atomic Bombs, Vandenberg Says

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Aug. 14 (AP)—Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg (R-Mich) today urged continued support of the United Nations and declared "we must totally, permanently and successfully outlaw atomic bombs forever."

Addressing a victory day vigil at the University of Michigan's Ferry Field, he said "the sum of the realities" of military developments "can leave no rational mind with any other conclusion than that it is no longer enough for any nation, our own most emphatically included, to prepare for war."

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Aug. 14 (AP)—Cattle 5,500 calves 3,000; medium to good slaughter steers and yearlings steady; slaughter calves and fat cows 25-50c lower; medium to good steers and yearlings 13.00-17.50; medium and good beef cows 9.50-12.50; canners 6.00-7.50.

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 14 (AP)—Cotton futures rallied sharply in the late dealings here today on trade and speculative buying.

Markets

NEW YORK, Aug. 14 (AP)—The stock market today put on a somewhat spotty celebration of the first anniversary of world war victory and, while some favorites made good headway, numerous leaders faltered.

Swede Ghost Bomb Nearly Takes Lives

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 14 (AP)—The newspaper Aftonbladet said yesterday that a "ghost bomb" bursting over a Swedish lake, had nearly caused casualties and criticized military authorities for their failure to explain the nature of the missiles, which have been reported almost daily by observers for the past two months.

Paving Reviewed By Commission

A picture of the city's paving program—present and potential—has been drawn up for consideration by the city commission.

RADIOMAN CALLED BACK FOR ENCORE

BALTIMORE, Aug. 14 (AP)—Raymond Brill, radio car officer, answered a rush call today and helped deliver a baby girl to Mrs. Samuel Catalano.

4-H Boys To Get Awards At Show

A large number of awards, all won during the past season, will be presented to 4-H club members Friday night at the amateur program in the City park amphitheatre, County Agent Durward Lester has announced.

Delay, Silence Killing GI Training Interest

(This is the first of two articles on the GI on-the-job training program, which is lagging sorely locally.—Ed.)

Malone Outlines College Program At Lions Club

Plans have been laid toward making the Howard County Junior College one of the best in the state, Dr. P. W. Malone, member of the board of trustees, declared in an address before the Lions club Wednesday.

feared last week, may stem from a different angle locally, according to reports from a dozen business men and public officials who have sought the program here during the summer.

Gen. Bradley last week expressed concern over reports which he said indicated that unscrupulous, or "borderline" firms were using the GI training program as a means of securing cheap labor.

The first barrier, according to actual reports from local business men who have tried, is securing information. Managers of three of the dozen business firms contacted reported that they had written letters requesting more data on the GI program, all of them two to three months ago.

Typical is the case of a county commissioner, R. L. Nall. With two veterans already working on the job, he said he applied for approval to train them as shovel operators, which would progressively raise their earnings.

The proper procedure for obtaining on-the-job training approval entails the filing of a formal application by the employer by mail to the chief vocational rehabilitation and educational officer, according to information furnished by the US Employment Service office.

Willie Garcia Bonded On Charge Of Sodomy

Willie Garcia, charged with sodomy, has been released from the Howard county jail on \$750 bond.

Roundup Club Gets Six New Members For Local C Of C

Six new members of the chamber of commerce were reported at the meeting of the Round Up club at its regular breakfast session Wednesday at the Settles.

Included were J. W. Phillips, Jr., Big Spring Motor Courts, West Texas Advertising Company, Nathan's Jewelry, Bill Bonner, and King's Grocery.

Bogus Check Charge

George Lewis Jackson, lodged in the Howard county jail Tuesday afternoon, has been charged with passing a bogus check.

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Let-Up Of Emergencies In Peace Time Only Slightly Noticed By Red Cross

The first anniversary of V-J Day finds the Howard-Glasscock chapter of the American Red Cross still going strong with case loads only slightly lower than during the war.

The end of hostilities in the Pacific ushered in a new era, what with discharges mounting month by month, and today home service case loads are only slightly lower than when Big Spring Bomber School was in operation.

Mrs. Moree Sawtelle, executive secretary for the local chapter, states that the office has handled 5,900 cases over a five-year period and has rendered around 15,000 services. About 200 cases were handled each month, 60 percent of which deal with veterans and their families. An average of \$300 per month is loaned by the organization to veterans, their families and service men and their dependents. The majority of veterans calling at the office are seeking information and assistance offered by the government.

In the case of a disabled veteran, who is awaiting a pension, funds are provided for him and his family until the first check is received. Claims a veteran may feel are improperly adjudicated can be re-opened, according

to Mrs. Sawtelle, through the local office, and can be presented by the Red Cross field director at the Veteran Administration.

Since Big Spring is proving to be a large recruiting station, communications service is still large with more men going into the Army. The local office assists with communications between servicemen and their families when normal means of communication are not available, when the use of normal means has not been successful, when an emergency situation justifies the use of special Red Cross facilities, or when the situation is one in which a personal visit or interview by a Red Cross representative is needed.

Case loads including all home service activities such as furlough verification, assistance with government benefits, etc., averaged 183 for the month of May; 178, April; 199, March; 201, February and 222 for January.

Greater interest was demonstrated in the Red Cross swimming program this summer, and Olen Puckett, chairman, has just completed instruction for two classes at the municipal pool.

The end of the war brought a change-over in the sewing department as well. Where volun-

teer workers did knit olive drab sweaters, scarves, face protectors and gloves for service men, and fold bandages for hospitals in combat areas, they are now sewing for refugee children in stricken countries. Recently five boxes filled with 500 dresses were shipped by the Howard-Glasscock chapter for distribution overseas.

"Big Spring has been most fortunate in that it has not faced any tragic disasters, but these disasters continue unabated throughout the U. S.," says Mrs. Sawtelle. "And the Red Cross remains charged by its Congressional Charter for relieving the suffering caused by them." Charles Cirdner is chairman of a local committee for disaster relief, which is prepared to serve when the need arises.

Murder And Suicide Returned In Deaths

JACKSONVILLE, Aug. 14 (AP)—A verdict of murder and suicide has been returned by Justice of the Peace J. H. Odom in connection with the death yesterday of John Weldon Tittle, 40, of Holland, Texas, and his ex-wife, Mrs. Ruth Porter of Jacksonville.

Odom said Tittle shot and killed Mrs. Porter and then died of poisoning. He said Tittle took poison, collapsed in a downtown section and died shortly after reaching a hospital.

Survivors include two sons, Gall and R. M. Tittle, and a daughter, Glenn Deal Tittle, all of Texas City.

Period Allowable Suggested For Field

AUSTIN, Aug. 14 (AP)—The railroad commission today had under advisement a proposal to amend Carthage gas field production rules so that production would be in keeping with seasonal demands.

Receiving endorsement from other operators and the Panola County Royalty Owners association, the Lone Star Gas company plan generally would allow extensive over-or-underproduction from month to month so long as production balanced with allowable within each six month period of the year.

Here'n There

James Sanderson, who volunteered for 18 months' service in the US Army here last January 15, returned home recently for a 15-day furlough sporting sergeant stripes.

Sanderson is a non-commissioned officer in the basic training section at Camp Coke, La.

Mars is 4,200 miles in diameter as compared with the earth's 7,900 miles.

Vet Benefits Open For Reenlistments

Veterans who re-enter active military or naval service still are eligible for many benefits of the servicemen's readjustment act where these are not incompatible with service, the Veterans administration said today.

They can have education or training with tuition fees and supplies paid by the government, and guaranteed loans to buy homes and in some cases even a loan to buy a farm or business.

However, veterans on active duty cannot receive readjustment allowances for unemployment, subsistence allowances while in school or training, disability pensions and VA hospitalization and medical treatment, since this care will be received from the Army or Navy.

The VAA pointed out that a veteran's active service credit will continue to accrue after he re-enters the service so that when he is ultimately released, he may be eligible for some of the benefits now denied him.

Never Rains But Pours

WORCESTER, Mass. — Miss Anne McMaster applied for scholarships at six colleges, figuring that the law of averages would favor her at least once. She won all six.

Supporters Air Views On Jester, Rainey Campaign

By The Associated Press

There are only two candidates for governor in next week's runoff election, but the radio battle on the campaign is a free-for-all.

Homer P. Rainey and Beauford H. Jester devote quite a bit of attention to the radio but each is receiving a large amount of assistance.

Last night, Atty. Gen. Grover Sellers, who ran third behind Jester and Rainey in the July primary, took to the air to tell Texans that he would vote for Jester in the run-off.

Tonight, former Gov. James V. Allred has his turn to "state the facts" as to his connection with the gubernatorial campaign.

Friday night, Jerry Sadler, former railroad commissioner who was defeated for governor last month, will tell why he is going to vote for Rainey.

Both Rainey and Jester have radio men travelling with them on their state-wide, fast-moving tours.

Last night, Jester, at Coleman, expressed gratification over receipt of Sellers' endorsement, stating that "we see eye to eye on the kind of democracy we need in

Cornelius Pleads Guilty On DWI Count

John H. Cornelius, stopped Sunday by members of the state highway patrol, entered a plea of guilty to the charge of driving while under the influence of intoxicants and was fined \$50 and costs in county court.

Cornelius' operator's license was suspended for six months.

Texas, meaning there can be no Islam except Americanism and Texasism."

Later, before an audience on the Coleman county courthouse lawn, Jester charged that Rainey had changed both his platform and his tactics in the run-off campaign.

At a rally in downtown Corpus Christi's Artesian park, Rainey denounced Jester's "people's path" platform as a "petroleum path" and charged that "it smells of magnolia, blended with natural gas."

The former university president declared that what Texas needs "is not a path but some four-lane highways, better teacher salaries and better old age pensions."

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Social Security Change Means More Pension Money For Texans

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Amendments to the Social Security law passed in the final hours of the 79th congress may mean up to a \$5 monthly boost in payments to thousands of Texans receiving old age assistance.

An analysis of the revised act made by congressional legislative experts at the request of Rep. W. R. Poage of Waco discloses that the state may receive additional funds from the federal government and use the money either for increasing payments to those already receiving aid, or place additional persons on the roll of Texans getting help.

Inasmuch as some legislative steps may be necessary in Texas for its old folks to enjoy maximum benefits of the law, Poage sent a copy of the act and analytical report to Gov. Coke R. Stevenson.

"The most vital item in the whole act, in so far as payments to the old people of Texas are concerned, is the provision that the federal government will hereafter pay two-thirds of the first \$15 per month, which is paid to any one individual," the Waco congressman wrote Stevenson.

"This means that where the federal government has heretofore paid \$7.50 out of each \$15 per month payment, it will now pay \$10 and the state will only pay \$5, or two-thirds of any lesser

amount. For instance, the federal government will hereafter pay \$8 out of a \$12 payment.

"The act does not specify whether the additional federal aid shall be used to increase the number of those to whom payments will be made or to increase existing payments. Congress has left that decision to the states."

If the course of increasing benefits to those already on the old age assistance rolls is followed, persons who would have been getting \$30 monthly—with state and federal government matching dollar for dollar, would henceforth get \$55. If the state adopts the alternative program, it will be possible to add more names to the roll, and pay each new beneficiary \$15 per month, said Poage.

"I would of course, feel it inappropriate for me to express my opinion as to which course our state should follow," Poage added. "I have every confidence in our state government and in the officials who guide its destinies."

The new provision of the law under which the federal government puts up two-thirds rather than a fifty-fifty contribution to states, incidentally, was urged two or three years ago by Senator Tom Connally and tentatively adopted in the Senate, but never got through to passage at the time.

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Big Spring (Texas) Herald, Wed., Aug. 14, 1946

Eiland New Agent For Martin County

STANTON, Aug. 14—James D. Eiland has assumed his duties as farm agent of Martin county.

He succeeds Hubert Marshall, who resigned several months ago to become agent of Wheeler county. George A. Bond, who was agent for Martin county before entering the service, was seriously injured in a car mishap the day before he was to have returned to his duties following Martin's resignation. While he was convalescing, Bond was appointed head of the agriculture department of the San Angelo Junior college.

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In fact, for one reason or another, saving almost seemed impossible until... along came War Bonds and the Payroll Savings Plan!

Then suddenly you discovered it was really easy to save—when your savings were deducted from your pay envelope every week.

Pretty soon, too, you found you were accumulating more savings this way than you ever had before. Like Topsy, your Bond savings just grew and grew.

Well, wouldn't it be a good idea to keep a good thing like this going?

You can still buy U. S. Savings Bonds just as you bought War Bonds—through your Payroll Savings Plan. You get the same safe investment, same high returns. \$25 for every \$18.75, when the Bonds mature.

And it's certain you'll never find an easier or a surer way to save!

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With zipper and pleats. Sizes 6 to 14.	Sanforized shrunk. Sizes 6 to 12.
Wrinkley Bath Crystals 47c	Miss Prep Rayon PANTIES 32c
Makes hard water softer and adds delightful fragrance.	Sizes 4 to 12
Men's Mexican All Leather SANDALS 33c	Ladies' Canvas SANDALS \$1.00
Mostly Large Sizes	REDUCED
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Why The Issue Is Unresolved

It has been one year since we fought over the brow and walked into what we prayed would be the dawn of a new day.

Beyond us lay the ghastliest carnage in human history.

Beyond us was a righteous challenge.

Today we are still poised on the brink, looking down and with increased misgivings. It is time to ask ourselves: "Why?"

Why did our men fight, suffer, bleed, die? Because it is impossible for thinking people to be completely neutral on fundamental issues. We fought because we were attacked; but the truth is that we were intellectually at war before Pearl Harbor.

Regardless of our individual interpretations, we believed in freedom and the dignity of the human soul. Our belief that "all men are created free and equal and endowed with certain inalienable rights... liberty and the pursuit of happiness" has been affronted by outrages against the brotherhood of mankind.

Thus, the issue was one of idealism. Individually, men fought for various reasons—revenge, fear, patriotism, hate, adventure, necessity—but the struggle was rooted in

incompatible evaluations of the individual. It was a combat of morality.

It is no wonder that the termination of mass physical violence did not resolve the issue.

It is no mystery that our celebrations were more conventional than spontaneous. From this we have wandered into hesitation and bickerings of the human family.

Why? Because not enough people the world over have grasped the fact that we must stand on the Truth that Love is a requisite of Peace. Apart from this realization, which is altruistic and vain in the absence of faith, we cannot stand solidly and purposefully.

As we look from a better perspective of time, we should clear the cobwebs from our thinking and make an honest attempt to rise above the petty things, realizing that a righteous and enduring victory must be won with clean hands; that we must "first cast out the beam" from our own eye in order to "see clearly to cast out the mote" that is in our brothers' eye. Selfish minds of men and nations do not understand this.

The Nation Today—James Marlow

On-Job Training Leads To Fraud

(Editor's Note:—This is the first of three articles describing the On-The-Job Training Program for Veterans.)

By ROWLAND EVANS, Jr.

(Substituting for James Marlow) WASHINGTON, (AP)—General Bradley, administrator of veterans' affairs, is worried about the

On-The-Job Training Program. On-The-Job training is one of the many benefits afforded veterans of World War II by the GI Bill of Rights. It provides for a government subsistence allowance payable to any veteran who participates in a job-training situation.

The only stipulation is that the job the veteran takes can lead

within a reasonable time to a better job. But employers who conduct job-training programs do not have to guarantee the veteran a better job.

Almost any company or individual employer can be approved to give On-The-Job-Training. The approval is not given by the Veterans administration (VA), but by the state in which the company is located.

The subsistence allowance paid by the government amounts to \$65 or \$90 a month, depending upon dependents.

The allowance is payable for a maximum for four years.

At no point during training may the veteran's salary plus the subsistence allowance exceed the pay of a fully-trained worker. As the veteran's salary increases, the subsistence allowance is cut.

General Bradley said in a speech last week that the On-The-Job Training program "threatened to become a national scandal."

Some unscrupulous employers get themselves approved to give job-training. Then they hire veterans under the job-training program and deliberately cut entry wages so that the total of wage plus subsistence allowance equals what non-veterans are getting for doing the same type of work.

Employees doing this save themselves \$65 or \$90 a month for each veteran they hire under the program.

State approval agencies are not supposed to give the nod to any outfit seeking approval unless it can show that a workable training program has been set up.

But actually many so-called "training programs" are neither programs nor do they give training. One veteran training to be an auto mechanic, spent months cleaning up around the auto shop, washing windows and doing similar odd jobs. He never got near an automobile, much less a motor.

(Tomorrow—Some vets take the rap, others get the gravy.)

Hal Boyle's Notebook

Circus On In Germany

By JAMES DEVLIN (For Hal Boyle)

HERFORD, Germany (AP)—Without peanuts and popcorn, an estimated two dozen circuses are bringing some cheer to the civilian population and occupation troops in Germany's drab, ruined cities.

The estimate is that of Mario Jean Mayerhoff, manager of the Althoff circus playing here.

Mayerhoff is an anti-Nazi born in Berlin of Argentine parents. The young veteran of Osweston and Dauchau said his father was Enrico Mayerhoff, of Buenos Aires, and that he has an American aunt, Mrs. Betty Atlas, of Chicago.

Mayerhoff spoke ruefully of hardships under which the circuses operate. He said a number of the great shows suffered serious bomb damage, and that few had any wild animals left.

Food is scarce for both artists and animals. Transportation is a constant problem. Much of the equipment is old and battered.

Yet, the show goes on.

The Althoff circus is typical of the postwar shows. Its one tent, with German flags of blue, white, red, white and blue horizontal stripes flying from its peaks, is surrounded by horse-drawn trailers in which the performers live.

It is more intimate than larger shows. German men, women and children and British troops sit on benches placed so close to the ring that sometimes tankbark is kicked into their laps.

Americans notice two main differences from their type of shows. The music is provided by an orchestra instead of a band. And the clowns are vocal, often halting to tell jokes instead of relying solely on pantomime.

Horse acts predominate, including one in which two horses give themselves a well-balanced ride on a see-saw. Chilly Feinold, blonde star of the show, rides a horse which dances a foxtrot to "Lili Marlene" and a waltz to "Blue Danube."

Another blonde, Rita Kambach, spins around on a star atop a ten-foot pole balanced on the shoulders of a partner.

Troops and civilians alike are spontaneous in applauding the thrillers and laughing at the jokes.

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Visiting Agents Due At 4-H Field Day

At least three and possibly four visiting county agricultural agents will attend the 4-H club field day Thursday at Coahoma.

County Agent Duward Lester said today that John Eiland of Martin county, H. A. Fitzhugh of Glasscock county and J. M. Starr of Sterling county, all agricultural agents, have accepted invitations to attend.

Residents of Coahoma are preparing a barbecue for the noon meal. The day's activities are scheduled to begin at 9:30 a. m.

Howard county club members will compete in judging dairy and beef cattle, grasses and seed during the day.

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FIRST COUNTY BALE IN TOWN

Howard county's first bale of 1946 cotton has been harvested and brought to town, but it probably will be Monday before it is ginned.

George Billalbo brought the bale in Tuesday from his farm about seven miles northwest of Big Spring. Officials at the Gutter gin said their equipment would not be ready for operation for several days, however, and it is doubtful if they will gin the bale before Monday.

WAR OF THE FUTURE



Midsummer Nite Dream

NEW YORK — George Hamid thinks Mae West's new play, "Come on Up," would be just the thing for his Million Dollar Pier club at Atlantic City, and is trying to get Mae to bring it there before the summer ends. . . . Dave Goldman, who promoted the "world's shaving contest" at Pallasades Park, was a catcher on a House of David bearded baseball team, a few years ago.

Record companies don't like the new record lending libraries. . . . Pearl Bailey, the year's musical comedy find, probably wouldn't have been in show business at all except for a quarrel she had with her brother, Tap Dancer Bill Bailey, backstage at a Philadelphia theater when she was 15. . . . Walking out after getting married, Brother Bill, Pearl became engaged in a line of young girls and it turned out they were chorists applying for a job. . . . Pearl went along, was hired, became a chorus kicker for several years, later branched into singing and now thinks that an argument in the right place isn't to be sniffed at.

Kelly To Certify Vets For Surplus

John P. Kelly, certifying officer for War Assets Administration, will be at the Veterans Administration office in the Petroleum building Thursday to certify veterans for surplus property purchases.

Veterans are required to satisfy the agent as to eligibility by presentation of honorable discharge, or photostatic copy of the discharge.

Booklets on how to buy surplus equipment will be available. Other information may be obtained from Kelly. Currently a "site sale" of two million dollars of office equipment, hardware and miscellaneous machinery is being conducted at the Fort Worth quarter-masters depot for eligible veterans. Beginning Aug. 19, another site sale of \$500,000 of textiles, hardware, kitchen equipment, etc. will open at Brownwood.

Murphy Would Answer Critics With Publicity

By BOB THOMAS HOLLYWOOD, (AP)—Knocking the movie town is an international pastime, participated in by such diverse personalities as Russian journalist Ilya Ehrenburg, Conductor Sir Thomas Beecham and members of American women's clubs and the English house of commons. George Murphy wants to do something about answering them.

The dancing actor, who is president of the Screen Actors Guild and a leader in the community, claims that answer to such criticism is better-skillet and ineffective; that some people get the impression actors are wife-beating opium eaters and the industry is controlled by (1) the capitalists, or (2) the communists.

"It is strange," said Murphy, "that in a town which abounds with press agents, there is no agency to promote public relations for the industry as a whole."

So he is proposing a motion picture public relations bureau with a governing board including representatives of all phases of the industry. The bureau would inform the world of constructive activities in Hollywood and answer the town's international critics.

"Too many of the public are more impressed by news that an actor lands in jail than by the tremendous contribution the industry made to the war effort," he concluded. "We've got to counteract that."

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS: 1. One of the elements producing a. 2. Fold or wrinkle. 3. Reach a destination. 4. Worshipped. 5. Closed. 6. Bone of the leg. 7. Head covering. 8. Rapeseed. 9. Reach across. 10. Stalk. 11. Vegetables. 12. Sarcophagus. 13. Silent. 14. Cariform fluid. 15. A part of the kitchen waste. 16. Pertain.

DOWN: 17. Traveler. 18. Green mineral. 19. Rock. 20. Dry. 21. Makes into leather. 22. Metal-bearing compounds. 23. Short jacket. 24. Healthy. 25. Spoken. 26. Domestic animal. 27. Absent. 28. Optical instrument. 29. Subsequent sailing. 30. Cattle forth. 31. Ovary. 32. Most recently acquired. 33. Stuff. 34. Sesame. 35. Open. 36. Buy back. 37. Engrossed. 38. Small fish. 39. Inventor of the telephone. 40. One who disseminates. 41. Siberian river. 42. Biblical garden. 43. Self-satisfied. 44. Type of car. 45. Persian fairies. 46. Merchandise. 47. French river. 48. Resembling a mustard seed. 49. Hebrew letter. 50. Gene by poet. 51. Dried. 52. Eaglestone. 53. Conductor's stick. 54. Greek letter. 55. Part of a flower. 56. Leaf of a calyx. 57. Color of green. 58. Pronoun. 59. Turkish Imperial standard. 60. Poems. 61. Elements of food. 62. Sons. 63. Trial. 64. Addition to a building. 65. Tier.

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Washington Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

Austria Suffers From Pauley Blunder

VIENNA (by wireless)—Harold Ickes did the US navy a great favor when he blocked the ebullient Ed Pauley from becoming undersecretary of the navy but, unfortunately, Ickes wasn't able to bar Pauley from other fields of endeavor.

You don't realize how grateful the American public should be to Ickes until you've witnessed Pauley's work elsewhere. All over Europe other Americans are now trying to pick up and put together the broken pieces resulting from Pauley's clumsiness. Here in Austria you see the results of one of his worst blunders.

When any good business firm signs a contract it first brings in expert lawyers to scrutinize that contract from every possible angle. But when the United States signed the contract on German reparations, influencing whether American boys will fight again, we brought in a political pal of Harry Truman's, skilled in buttonholing delegates at the Chicago democratic convention. At Potsdam, Pauley okayed the reparations agreement giving the Russians the right to take German property in various areas—but he forgot to define German property.

In Austria today, Gen. Mark Clark is now trying to atone for that omission. For instance, when Hitler seized Jewish property that property officially became German and now, under Pauley's slipshod agreement, the Russians are carting off Jewish property, claiming it is German. Apparently they think the Jews didn't suffer enough.

Vienna Sings Clark's Praises

Therefore, all Clark has to do is sit back, exercise his veto for 31 days, and the Russians are out of luck. The Austrian edict nationalizing industry then becomes law and the Reds can't seize it.

With the Soviet drive on to take over Austrian industry, Clark phoned Secretary of State Byrnes and got his o.k. on a plan to return to Austria the factories in the American zone. The declaration of Moscow specifies that Austria was dragged into the war by Hitler and is to be built up after the war. So Byrnes agreed that the factories should be returned to Austria. Amid peans of praise from the Vienna press, and with thousands of people watching, Clark held an impressive ceremony at the Hermann Goerring works and handed it back to Austria. Naturally this raised US prestige sky-high and made the Russians and their seizure policy look very sick indeed.

Meanwhile, the Russians have been frantically trying to promote communism in their zone—the wealthiest and largest of all allied occupied areas. The only real progress they have made is through the policy of hiring Austrian workers in Russian-managed factories at a much higher wage level than is paid in other allied areas. In addition—and in a country which is starving, this is all-important—Russian employees get 5,000 food calories per day as against 1,300 for workers in the rest of Austria. Naturally, therefore, Austrian workmen flock to Russian factories whenever they can.

What the Austrian workers don't know is that their extra wages come out of the Austrian treasury and their food comes, in part, from the United States. What happens is that the Russians collect extra occupation costs from the Austrian government and use the money to pay off their factory workers. Also, the Russians get an extra food ration from American sources thanks to the stupidity of UNRRA and our French and British allies.

How Clark Foiled Russians

Another thing Pauley forgot was that in 1938 when Hitler took over Austria, he nationalized all Austrian industry. It therefore became officially German and under Pauley's reparations rules it can be seized by the Russians who are wasting no time in seizing it despite the fact that, actually, it is 100 per cent Austrian. All this has contributed to the head-on clash between Russian and American forces in Austria—a clash which is the most significant in Europe and which may set a pattern for future US-Russian policy.

General Clark, who did his best to cooperate with Moscow at first, has now abounded his original "after you, Alphonse" attitude and is opposing every unauthorized or unfair move the Russians make. When the Red army started to take over Austrian industry General Clark tactfully encouraged the Austrian government to pass a law nationalizing all that nation's industry under the Austrian government itself. This really put the Russians on the spot for, according to the tenets of communism, industry should be nationalized. Thus, while trying to spread communism in Austria the Russians were in the position of going directly counter to communism.

By wanting Austrian industry for themselves, the Russians even had the gall to demand that the Austrian parliament be overruled by the allied armies of occupation. It was at this point that Clark made as neat a use of the famous veto as Comrade Molotov—if anything, neater.

The American commander had persuaded the allied council to adopt a rule that any act of the Austrian parliament shall become law if, after 31 days, the allied council does not overrule it.

Played Into Reds' Hands

Here is the inside story of how this happens: Last winter, General Clark had been feeding the Austrians in the American zone their full calory ration but the French were falling behind and wanted UNRRA to relieve them of the burden. Also the British, though having considerable food on hand proposed selling it to UNRRA and letting UNRRA distribute it in the British zone. This meant, of course, that Uncle Sam would pay 70 percent of the cost since 70 percent of UNRRA's cost is borne by the United States.

All this played right into the Russian hands, as Austria's richest farm lands are in their zone.

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COSDEN FOURSOME WINS POLO TOURNAMENT IN COLORADO

Cosden's crack polo team, composed of Lamesa and Big Spring horsemen, swept all honors in the Fox Hall tournament held at Colorado Springs, Colo., last weekend, a feat that caused the national rating group to add a five-goal handicap to the Texans.

The Oilers completed the grand slam by knocking over the strong El Ranchita quartet of Fort Worth, 9 and 2, after earlier eliminating teams from San Antonio and Dallas.

Dr. M. H. Bennett, Big Spring, made up the starting lineup along with Spencer and E. E. Barron and Gus White, Sr.

Bennett had his handicap raised from one to two goals, which puts him on a par with the Barron brothers. Gus White, Sr., is now a five-goal star, which represents a handicap increase of three goals while Gus, Junior, jumped from three to four.

The Barrons and the Whites remained over in Colorado this weekend to take part in an Open tournament being unveiled there. Bennett returned to Big Spring because of pressing business.

Ferris Claims 20th Decision By Licking A's

By The Associated Press

Dave Ferris, labeled "just another wartime pitcher" when he flopped in his first two 1946 starts, is taking bows today as the first hurler since Cleveland's Wes Ferrell in 1930 to win 20 games in each of his first two complete big league seasons.



Orval Grove

The Boston sophomore's 20-4 record overshadows Hal Newhouser and Bobby Feller and gives him an outside chance at the coveted 30-win season.

Ferris was not as effective as usual last night in downing Philadelphia, 7-5, with nine hits but he had the big guns of Teddy Williams and Johnny Pesky booming at his back. Williams' two doubles helped drive in two runs and Pesky's three hits sparked the 11-hit attack on Bob Savage, at Shibe Park.

Feller's bid for win No. 22 failed when Dizzy Trout blanked Cleveland with three hits for a 1-0 Detroit edge. Bob Lemon finished up after Feller was lifted for a pinch-hitter in the eighth.

Chicago clung to sixth place in the American by sweeping both ends of the first twilight-night doubleheader of the season at St. Louis. Frankie Hayes' two-run single in the seventh enabled Edgar Smith to earn the decision in the opener, 3-2, and Tatt Wright's ninth-inning single cashed in Orval Grove's four-hitter in the second game, 2-1.

Lefty Johnny Schmitz of the Chicago Cubs prevented the St. Louis Cardinals from taking over the National League lead when he blanked them with three hits, 1-0, to outpoint Harry Brecheen, at Wrigley Field. The leading Brooklyn Dodgers were rained out.

Cincinnati's slumping Reds dropped their eighth in a row and fell to within a single game of the sixth place Giants, bowing to Pittsburgh, 3-2.

Wet grounds forced postponement of the scheduled Washington-New York Yankee game and rain washed away the tilt between the Philadelphia Phillies and Boston Braves.

Petra, Guernsey Resume 2nd Round

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 14 (AP)—With each having a set and the finale docketed at 11-games all, towering Yvon Petra, recent French victor at Wimbledon, and stubborn Frankie Guernsey of Orlando, Fla., will resume their second round match in the Newport Casino invitation singles tennis tournament this morning, weather permitting.

That was not the only international court clash halted by yesterday's rain, for Alejo Russell of Argentina, and Eddie Moylan of Trenton, N. J., stood 6-6 in the first set of their second rounder when the courts became drenched.

Before playing conditions became unfavorable, Gardner Mulloy of Miami, the top-seeded domestic entry, put together two victories to advance into the third round. He soon was followed by such favorites as Francisco (Pancho) Segura of Ecuador and the University of Miami, Seymour Greenberg of Chicago, and Ted Schroeder of Los Angeles.

Pierre Pelizza of France, kept pace with that quartet by eliminating James Lichtman of New Rochelle, N. Y., and Frank Krovaleski of Detroit.

Among yesterday's first round victors were Bernard Destremau, the other French tennis mucketeer, and Robert Barnes of Australia, who bested San Stauba of Norway, 6-4, 6-4.

Now in an all-out bid for a first division berth and a 500 won-and-lost average, the Coahoma Stano-Oilers tangle with the Veterans of Foreign Wars in the feature Muny softball league game at the city park tonight.

Game time is 7:30 o'clock.

The Coahomans made a bad start in second half competition, losing their first three ball games. Later, they had to forfeit a pair of decisions due to the fact that several of their key performers left on vacations.

However, they've been playing the finest ball in the circuit in the past few games. They won six times in 13 starts and a victory would put them in shouting distance on a first division berth.

Tonight's other bout will send ABC out against United Body Works. The Clubmen must win in order to remain ahead of the Coahomans. That may be a large order in view of the fact that the Mechanics' fortunes are on the upswing.

Liked Her Plump

MARBLEHEAD, Mass. — A Peach's Point woman reported her bicycle stolen. Police found that her husband had hidden it. He explained that he didn't want her to reduce too quickly.

Bristow Defeats Anderson In City Golf Tournament

Obie To Oppose Moon In Scrap For Final Berth

Lefty Gene Anderson found Obie Bristow's booming tee game too much to handle and lost his Tuesday match to the big fellow at the Muny course, 4 and 2.

The victory enabled Bristow to advance to the semifinals of the City golf tournament where he will face Jimmy Moon sometime during the coming week for the final berth.

J. Gordon has played better golf than he exhibited Tuesday. For that matter, so has Anderson. However, Obie had the shots when he needed them and was always out in front. He held a one-hole edge at the turn and began to effectively crowd the southpaw when they came down the home stretch.

The lower bracket quarterfinal matches have long since been completed. Jake Morgan and Dub Prescott will match their games for the right to the finals.

In other duels completed Tuesday, Bob Hodges moved into the finals of the first flight by thrashing Doug Hill, 3 and 1. Hodges plays the survivor in the John Pipes-Lewis Heugel debate.

H. W. Smith measured Judge Cecil C. Collins, 3 and 2, in second flight play. His next opponent will be the winner of the W. E. Ramsey-Martin Staggis set.

In the consolation of the second flight, Avery Faulkner, displaying his hottest golf of the tournament, hurled G. F. Gideon, 4 and 3, to move into the finals. W. A. Hale and George Tillingham have yet to play in the other semi-final.

In the fourth flight, Joe Williamson edged W. L. Read to gain a semi-final berth. Williamson next faces Bill Horne.

Results Standings

WT-NM League

Borger 30, Abilene 6.
Amarillo 4-5, Clovis 1-4.
Albuquerque 3, Lubbock 1.
Lamesa at Pampa, rain.

Texas League

Houston 6, Oklahoma City 3.
Tulsa 5, San Antonio 0.
Shreveport 1, Fort Worth 0.
Dallas 8, Beaumont 0.

American League

Washington at New York, wet grounds.
Boston 7, Philadelphia 8.
Detroit 1, Cleveland 0.
Chicago 3-2, St. Louis 2-1.

National League

Chicago 1, St. Louis 0.
New York at Brooklyn, rain.
Pittsburgh 3, Cincinnati 2.
Philadelphia at Boston, rain.

STANDINGS

WT-NM League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Abilene	78	33	.703
Pampa	69	42	.622
Amarillo	68	41	.624
Borger	56	50	.528
Lubbock	57	54	.514
Albuquerque	43	67	.391
Clovis	38	72	.345
Lamesa	29	82	.261

Texas League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	82	43	.656
Dallas	74	50	.597
San Antonio	70	53	.569
Tulsa	69	56	.552
Beaumont	59	65	.476
Shreveport	53	71	.427
Houston	47	78	.376
Oklahoma City	43	81	.347

American League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	78	33	.703
New York	63	45	.583
Detroit	61	46	.570
Washington	55	55	.500
Cleveland	53	59	.473
Chicago	50	61	.449
St. Louis	47	62	.431
Philadelphia	32	78	.291

National League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	66	42	.611
St. Louis	64	42	.604
Chicago	56	49	.533
Boston	52	52	.500
Cincinnati	48	57	.457
New York	48	59	.449
Philadelphia	45	59	.433
Pittsburgh	41	61	.406

Major League Leaders

By Associated Press

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Batting — Musial, St. Louis, .374; Kopp, Boston, .364.

Runs batted in—Slaughter, St. Louis, 96; Walker, Brooklyn, 83.

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Batting — Vernon, Washington, .351; Williams, Boston, .345.

Runs batted in—Williams, Boston, 104; York, Boston, 96.

Home runs—Williams, Boston, 31; Greenberg, Detroit, 24.

TAAF Mitten Show Gets Starting Gong

FORT WORTH, Aug. 14 — Pairings will be drawn here this afternoon for the first Texas TAAF boxing tournament since pre-war days. First round events are scheduled for tonight with the finals Friday night.

Among the favorites for team competition are San Angelo, Ft. Worth, Dallas, Port Arthur, Plainview and Tyler.

Other districts represented will be Austin, Abilene, Beaumont, Corpus Christi, Brownwood, El Paso, Galveston, San Antonio and Waco.

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Roden Leads Cup Golfers With 144

Sam Hefner Winds Up Four Rounds With 318 Total

Bill "Red" Roden, the University of Texas golfer who is summing here, has coupled rounds of 73 and 71 together to take the lead at the 36-hole point in the medal play decreed to decide the lineup of the "home" team for the Aug. 30 Hall-Bennett Trophy matches at the country club.

The team's captain, Bill Crook, has posted a 76 after his opening 77 to trail Roden's aggregate of 144 by nine strokes.

Sam Hefner has completed 72 holes of play in trying for a spot on the team. His scores were 78-75-82-83, a total of 318.

Three others have made the rounds three times. Gene Anderson has two identical rounds of 78 to post with a first round 80 for a 236.

Champ Rainwater reports 75-77-76 for 228.

Others who have played and their scores include: Sam Sain—83. Sam McCombs—81. Tommy Neal—80. Jimmy Moon—82-78—161. Bob Satterwhite—79-77—156. Bob Hodges—83-79—162.

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Hank Oana Wins 20th Decision, Cats Blanked

By The Associated Press

Texas League pitchers had a big night last night, turning in three shutouts and two one-hitters as seven of the eight starters won the route.

Shreveport's Bill Gann, a right-hander, and Houston's Roman Brunswick turned in one-hit performances, as the sports were shutting out the league leading Fort Worth Cats, 1-0, and the Buifs were defeating Oklahoma City, 6-2.

Big Hawaiian Hank Oana took his twentieth victory of the season for the Dallas Rebels in setting back the Beaumont Exporters, 8-0. Oana also hit a home run as the Rebels were gathering 18 blows off three Exporter pitchers.

At San Antonio, Tulsa's Chas. Eisenmann handed the Missions their eighth defeat in nine games with a shutout score of 5-0. The win moved the fourth place Oilers within one game of the third place San Antonio club.

Fort Worth's mighty Jay Haney hit a double into leftfield for the only Cat hit off Gann, who now holds a string of 27 and two-thirds scoreless innings. The Fort Worth players reached base on errors and one on a pass.

The Shreveport run that defeated Ed Chandler, ace of the Cats' hurling staff was unearned. The league's leading batter, Dale Mitchell of Oklahoma City, singled off Brunswick in the fifth to prevent a hitless evening for the Houston hurler. Mitchell and Mel Duzabov scored on long flies a few minutes later after an error had sent Mitchell to third and let Duzabov go to second.

San Antonio took eight hits off Eisenmann but could not group them sufficiently to prevent a shutout. The Missions' Chili Wagner matched Eisenmann almost pitch for pitch until the eighth inning when the slugging Oilers rushed across four runs to ice the decision.

The smallest crowd of the San Antonio season, 1,925, saw the Padres, who started their current home stand in second place, continue their backward slide.

Texas League Leaders

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BATTING (100 or more AB)

Player	AB	H	BA
Schenz, TL	431	149	.346
Mitchell, OC	297	98	.330
Newman, SA	408	133	.326
Woyt, FW	329	106	.322
Vezelich, TL	155	43	.319
Donovan, TL	138	44	.319

RUNS: Moyer (DS) 87, Schenz (TL) 85.

HITS: Schenz 149, Maddern (TL) 148.

2-BASE HITS: Schenz 36, Newman (SA) 23.

3-BASE HITS: Sidlo (OC) 12, Greene (TL) 10.

HOME RUNS: Moyer 20, Conatser (DS) 13.

STOLEN BASES: Woyt (FW) 38, Schenz 29.

RUNS BATTED IN: Moyer 79, Maddern 29.

COMPLETE GAMES: Oana (DS), Chandler (FW) 21 each.

INNINGS PITCHED: Oana 223, Chandler 208.

STRIKEOUTS: Van Cuyk (FW) 166, Chandler 139.

GAMES WON: Oana 20, Chandler 17.

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FURNITURE wanted. We need used furniture. Give us a chance before you sell. Get our prices before you buy. W. L. McCoolster, 1001 E. 4th, Phone 1281.
WE are paying above average price for good used furniture and compare our prices with all others. P. Y. Tate's Furniture, 1000 West 3rd St., Phone 1291-W.
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WANTED: Used radios and musical instruments. Pay cash. Call for anything. Anderson Music Co., phone 856 or call at 113 Main St.
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WANT TO BUY Ford Tractors and equipment; give model; condition and price. Write Box H.N., % Herald.
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TWO room apartment and bedroom for rent. 808 Main St.
FOR RENT: 4 nicely furnished apartments; Frigidaire; gas cook stoves; inerspring mattresses; nice and cool. Ranch Inn Courtyard. Opposite American Airline Office at Airport. Phone 9521.
FOR RENT: 1 and 2 room furnished apartments; couple only. 210 N. Gregg.
FOR RENT: 2 room furnished apartment for couple; Frigidaire; bills paid; close in. 605 Main St., Phone 1529.
FOUR room furnished apartment for rent; all bills paid; electric refrigerator; hardwood floors; vacant Saturday. \$75.00. Phone E. L. Newsom, Day and Night Food Stores.
Bedrooms
A NICE quiet bedroom in Edwards Heights on bus line; adjoining bath; kitchen privileges. 424 Dal-las.
TEX HOTEL; close in; free parking; air conditioned; weekly rates. Phone 991, 503 E. 3rd St.
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BEDROOM for rent to two working men; close in. 507 E. 4th St.
NICE southeast bedroom for rent to man only; adjoining bath; close in. 508 Goliad.
COMFORTABLE and newly decorated southeast bedroom adjoining bath. Call at 506 S. Gregg, Phone 106.
FOR RENT: Southeast bedroom; adjoining bath; private entrance; on bus line. 413 E. Park. Phone 2070-W.
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WANTED TO RENT: 3 or 4 room unfurnished apartment or house. See or call Mrs. Hazel Jones at Montgomery Wards.
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\$50 REWARD: Local business man with family of 3 needs rent house; 2 rooms or larger; unfurnished; near Russell Rayburn. E & R Jewelry, 305 Main St. Reward payable when deal closed.
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I HAVE for sale the property corner 710 Main. 50x100 ft.; 2 apartments; good income property. Price \$10,000. One apartment now vacant. J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217.
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Austrian Economy Strengthened Considerably, Clark Reports

VIENNA, Aug. 14 (AP)—Gen. Mark W. Clark, US commander in Austria, said today in his monthly report to Washington that increased employment, reduced occupation costs, a rise in consumer goods production and the American return of vital industries to Austrian control had considerably strengthened the schilling and improved Austrian internal economy in July.

The black market price of the American dollar dropped by the

end of the month from 75 schillings to 55. There has been little further decline in early August, and predictions were heard in Austrian financial circles that the value of the schilling had stiffened by now enough so that it might be expected to find an eventual free market with the dollar at about 40 schillings. The present pegged price is 30 schillings, but this is artificial to the extent that schillings are not on the international market.

Occupation costs were reduced in July from 35 per cent of the Austrian budget to 30 per cent, by agreement of all four occupation zone commanders.

The food situation, "while still unsatisfactory, was somewhat better in July," the report said.

The average consumer received 1,200 calories per day, about 100 calories better than the preceding month.

Negro Indicted In Woman's Death

MINEOLA, N. Y., Aug. 14 (AP)—Ward Beecher Caraway was under indictment today for first degree murder in the slaying of socially prominent Mrs. Marjory Church Logan last July 24 at her fashionable Flower Hill home.

The indictment covered only the slaying but Caraway also is held in the wounding of Mrs. Logan's daughter, Marjory Jeanne, a 26-year-old ex-War sergeant. County Judge Henry J. A. Collins ordered an innocent plea entered on Caraway's behalf after the 23-year-old Charlotte, N. C. negro made no response when the indictment was read yesterday. Caraway immediately was arraigned on the charge and returned to jail pending trial, expected to begin late next month.

Miss Logan is convalescing from bullet wounds in the head and neck.

Retail Sales Increase In Texas In July

AUSTIN, Aug. 14 (AP)—Retail sales by independent Texas stores increased 28.3 per cent in July over sales in July last year, the bureau of business research reports.

Its figure was based on preliminary reports from 665 establishments.

July sales were two per cent under sales for June, but bureau statisticians said this was a normal seasonal decline. July sales held at the consistently high level characteristic of 1946.

Largest gains were in durable goods, motor vehicles, furniture, lumber and building material.

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To Clarence H. Sebring, greeting: You are commanded to appear at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 30th day of Sept. A. D. 1946, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court, of Howard County, at the Court House in Big Spring, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 23rd day of July, 1946. The file number of said suit being No. 5999. The names of the parties in said suit are: Mildred Sebring, as Plaintiff, and Clarence Sebring, as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff alleges 12 months inhabitant of Texas and 6 months in Howard County. Grounds: Cruel treatment. No Property. Two children: viz. Linda June Sebring age 4 years, Gary Lee Sebring age 2 years. Plaintiff prays for divorce and care and custody of minor children. Plaintiff alleges legal marriage.

Issued this the 13th day of August, 1946. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring, Texas, this 13th day of August, A. D., 1946. BEAL, GEO. C. CHOATE, clerk Court Howard County, Texas. By JOE H. BLACK, Deputy.

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Elvis Odell Counts, GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 23rd day of September, A. D., 1946, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Howard County at the Court House in Big Spring, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 5th day of July, 1946. The file number of said suit being No. 5970. The names of the parties in said suit are: Ida Pearl Counts as Plaintiff, and Elvis Odell Counts as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce. Plaintiff alleges bona fide inhabitant in State for year immediately prior to exhibiting petition, and residence in County for six months immediately prior to filing suit. Alleges cruelty on part of Defendant making further living with him insupportable. Asks custody of children born of marriage, Wanda June, age 5, Elvis Odell Jr., age 4, Clarence Lee, age 3, and for a division of community property consisting of 1939 Ford, trailer house, and 8 vacant lots in Harris County.

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Harvin Appointed Guaranty Officer

Appointment of C. M. Harvin as loan guaranty officer of the new loan guaranty division of the Lubbock Veterans Administration office was announced today by Robert W. Sisson, VA regional manager. Harvin, a veteran of World Wars I and II, was discharged recently from the Army, after 52 months of service. A graduate of Texas A. & M. College and former county agent, Harvin was connected with the BA in the rehabilitation division after World War I. He will be assisted by W. J. Wilkerson, also a veteran of both wars. "The guaranty division will be responsible for the examination, acceptance or rejection of applications for the guaranty of loans for purchase of homes, farms or businesses," Harvin said.

CHEWING AIDS WISDOM

MARBLEHEAD, Mass. — High school examinations are really rugged these days. Students taking final tests here were handed sticks of chewing gum "to relieve the tension."

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Dealey Memorial Approved By Weaver
 AUSTIN, Aug. 14 (AP)—Erection of a life-size bronze medallion as a memorial to the late G. B. Dealey, Dallas publisher, in the Hall of State at Dallas has been approved in principle by the State Board of Control.
 Weaver Baker, chairman, said the memorial's design must be submitted before the approval is made final. The request for the memorial was submitted by the Dallas Historical Society, founded by the Dallas news publisher.

Duck Bites Postman: Not Once, But Twice
 DALLAS, Aug. 14 (AP)—A skeptical newspaper reporter was bitten by a duck yesterday.
 L. F. Wilson, mail carrier, had reported that he had been bitten by the duck and accompanied the reporter to the Dallas residence where Wilson said the incident occurred. Upon arrival, they found the duck standing guard on the front porch. The angry duck chased the reporter away when he approached.
 Then the duck bit Wilson again.

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Back Wages Due
 DALLAS, Aug. 14 (AP)—William J. Rogers of Dallas, regional director of the Wage Hour and Public Contract Division of the Department of Labor, has announced that \$601,764 will be paid to 12,890 employees in four southwestern states as back wages under provisions of the wage and hour law and the public contracts act for the year ending June 30.
 In Texas 498 violators of the regulations will pay 9,538 employees a total of \$425,142.

History Made At Dramatic Session In White House One Year Ago Today

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—In the early days of August, 1945, the world was sick of war. There was the irritating feeling that the end was near — irritating because a lot of death and suffering was still necessary to reach that end.
 President Truman was just back from the Berlin meeting of the Big Three. Russia had entered the war against Japan. The American air force was pounding the life out of the Japanese homeland.
 Japan's navy was badly battered, its remnants in hiding. But her ground army was intact and strong, and the home islands still were inviolate.
 The world was puzzled about the new death weapon—the atomic bomb about which the people of Nagasaki and Hiroshima had first-hand knowledge. Europe was a shattered, hungry mass of fearful, miserable people. War producers in the United States were gesticulating and wanted to get back to making automobiles, refrigerators and hairpins.

"Operation Coronet"
 In the secret councils of the American army and navy chiefs, plans for invasion of Japan proper went ahead grimly. They called it "operation coronet"—the crowning move in the long war against the axis. But hope persisted that such a costly operation would prove unnecessary.
 These were the shadows before the Japanese surrender.
 On Aug. 8, two days after the first atomic bomb was dropped, Russia declared war on Japan.
 A day later, President Truman warned the Japanese people that they would be obliterated by the fearsome new atomic weapon unless they accepted unconditional surrender.
 The Japanese cabinet had been meeting regularly in gloomy deliberation. On Aug. 9 there was another meeting, with the emperor, Hirohito told his advisers, in a bland understatement, that the performance of the Japanese military had "fallen short of the plans expressed."
 On Aug. 10, the first break came. The Japanese government offered to accept the Potsdam declaration. The White House revealed the government was consulting its allies on the surrender proposal.
War Goes On
 Tension climbed to a peak—and stayed there for days.
 The negotiations creaked on, via a devious cable route through neutral Switzerland.
 But the war continued. The U. S. third fleet swept the Tokyo area with gunfire and bombs. Russian troops plunged into Manchuria.
 In Washington, Secretary of State James F. Byrnes hustled across West Executive Avenue from the State Department to the White House several times each day, reporting on the latest peace feelers from Japan via Switzerland.
 Early on the morning of Aug. 14 (Washington time), radios crackled in thousands of homes, and front pages landed on as many porches, telling the glad

news that surrender was only a matter of hours away.
 By midday crowds had gathered in LaFayette Park across Pennsylvania Avenue from the White House. The people watched closely as the limousines of top government officials glided in and out of the grounds.
 Inside the broad White House lobby was jammed with reporters and photographers. Most of the reporters were near the breaking point of exhaustion. Their "death watch" had run 24 hours a day since Aug. 8.
 Tokyo had broadcast the surrender, but no one accepted it as official. Tokyo had broadcast false reports many times before.
News of Surrender
 The actual news of the Japanese surrender reached the White House, with Byrnes as the courier, some two hours before it was actually announced. The delay was due to time needed to arrange for simultaneous release of the news in London and Washington.
 It was getting dark outside when the reporters were summoned into the President's office. Mr. Truman was openly nervous as he started to read.
 "I have received this afternoon a message from the Japanese government in reply to the message forwarded to that government by the Secretary of State on August 11," he said.
Full Acceptance
 "I deem this reply a full acceptance of the Potsdam declaration which specifies the unconditional surrender of Japan. In the reply there is no qualification.
 "Arrangements are now being made for the formal signing of surrender terms at the earliest possible moment.
 "Gen. Douglas MacArthur has been appointed the supreme allied commander to receive the Japanese surrender. Great Britain, Russia and China will be represented by high-ranking officers.
 "Meantime the allied armed forces have been ordered to suspend offensive action.
 "The proclamation of V-J Day must await upon the formal signing of the surrender terms by Japan."
 There was a furious dash to the press room telephones and within a few seconds the long-awaited word "peace" spanned the world.
 Outside, in LaFayette Park the emotional lid blew off. Pretty girls kissed absolute strangers. Sailors offered soldiers a swig out of their bottles. Backs were slapped. Old women cried. The exhibitionists danced and cavorted, some of them scandalously.
 Thus, a year ago, ended man's worst experience, to date.

Difference Noted In High And Low Grade Cotton Price

Based on price ranges in Commodity Credit Corporation loan rates announced last May, the difference in the price of high and low grade cotton is too great to go unnoticed, according to a statement released recently by M. Weaver, local AA supervisor.
 When Middling 15/16-inch cotton is worth \$140 per bale or 28 cents a pound, other grades of the same staple length have the following values:
 Good Middling \$142.25; strict Middling \$141.75; Middling \$140; strict Low Middling \$132.75; Low Middling \$116.75; strict Good Ordinary \$104.75; Good Ordinary \$99.
 High-grade cotton production has decreased, Weaver stated. Last year only 4.2 percent of American cotton graded Strict Middling or better and 30.7 percent Middling or better. Weather and the labor shortage were contributing factors. Both picking and ginning must improve, according to Weaver, to raise the grade of the commodity.
 Weaver cited that during 1928 and '29, no less than 48 percent of the nation's cotton was Strict Middling or better white. The proportion has dropped steadily since then, however, except during the 1934-35 season when it returned almost to the previous high level. In 1942-43, it fell to slightly more than seven percent of production. The crop of 1943-44 contained a little less than 15 percent while in 1945 the amount of Strict Middling or better was only 4.2 percent of the crop.

Texas GOPsters Ask State-Held Primary

MINERAL WELLS, Aug. 14.—The State Republican Convention, in session here yesterday, nominated Murray Sells of Gladewater for the United States Senate and Eugene Nolte, Jr., of San Antonio for governor.
 Of 328 votes cast, Nolte received 178 to 150 for Alvin H. Lane, Dallas attorney.
 The convention adopted a platform that called for repeal of the Terrell election law and its replacement by a modern law in which party primaries are all held on one date at state expense.
 The platform called for "the right to run for party office be secured, not by an exorbitant assessment but by a nominal filing fee plus a petition signed by a specified number or percentage of qualified voters."

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Warner In China Has 'No Comment' On Black Market

SHANGHAI, Aug. 14 (AP)—Robert Warner, former naval lieutenant, said here today that he had "no comment" on reports from Germany that the US Army was investigating members of his family in connection with alleged international black market operations.
 The Chinese-owned English language newspaper China Press quoted Warner as saying: "This is the first I have heard about it. Guess I'll just forget about it."
 Warner, who is on terminal leave from the US Navy, has been employed in the supply section of UNRRA's Shanghai office since last July 2.
 (Dispatches yesterday from Berlin said two of Warner's brothers had been detained, one in Berlin and the other in Paris, in connection with an alleged black market ring which extended over three continents. Their father in New York was not detained. The Army's Criminal Investigation Division in Berlin said information on the Warner family had been forwarded, with recommendations for action by US authorities, to Washington and Shanghai.)

GI ON FURLOUGH FINDS WIFE GONE, EVICTION NOTICE AND NO MONEY

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 14 (AP)—A routine weekend pass for a 37-year-old GI turned into double trouble.
 Pfc. John Wilson says he came home to find:
 (1) His wife gone and a note saying she would return "some day" to see their two children.
 (2) An eviction notice.
 The soldier, undergoing treatment at Halloran General Hospital, Staten Island, N. Y., for war wounds suffered in Germany, wants his wife, Elizabeth, 29, "to return to the children."
 "They have no one to take care of them," Wilson told the missing persons bureau.
 The house was empty and the children—Betty Jane, 10, and Diane, 3—were playing in the street when he came home.
 "Mamma told us to play while she went to the store," Wilson said Betty Jane told him.
 "Mamma" didn't come back. Wilson said she hadn't paid the rent—thus the eviction notice.

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Can Visit Pup
 CONNERSVILLE, Ind. — Mrs. Cora Dugan, in a divorce suit, was awarded ownership of "Snookie," a toy collie. However, ex-hubby James Dugan was granted the privilege of visiting the pup at reasonable hours.

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