



TEEN-AGE DOPE HEARING—Dr. Victor H. Vogel, (up-left), medical director of Public Health Service Hosp., Lexington, Ky., tells Senate Crime Committee that an epidemic of teen-age drug addiction is raging in big cities. (Committee members (l-r) Sen. Alexander Wiley; Sen. Herbert O'Connor; Chair. Richard M. Moser; and Sen. Estes Kefauver. (NEA Telephoto).

FBI PUTS ANTHONY BRANCATO ON "10 MOST HUNTED LIST"

WASHINGTON, June 27 (UP)—The FBI today put Anthony Brancato, a "lazy but tough hoodlum" who was one of four gunmen who robbed a Las Vegas gambling spot last month, on its list of "10 most hunted" fugitives.

Brancato, 36, of Kansas City, Mo., was described as having been "connected with illegal gambling enterprises for years." Brancato's fingerprints were found on a paper sack left at the scene of the robbery of the Commission Race Book at the Flamingo Hotel in Las Vegas. Witnesses also identified him as one of the men who escaped with loot estimated at from \$3,500 to \$35,000.

Committee Will Approve Bill

WASHINGTON, June 27 (UP)—The House Judiciary Committee moved today toward approving a bill to take the rich tideland oil deposits away from the federal government and give them to the states.

Backers predicted that the committee would approve the bill after a fight and that the House would pass it in a fresh defiance of President Truman, who vetoed one such measure in 1946 and has said he is ready to do it again.

Rep. Francis E. Walter, D., Pa. sponsor of the bill, said it would have enough House support to override a veto. He was not sure, however, of the necessary two-thirds vote in the Senate, where a committee is still considering the tideland issue.

Walter's bill would revoke three Supreme Court decisions and give coastal states dominion over submerged lands from low tide mark to three miles offshore — 10 1/2 miles in the case of Texas.

The land off the Texas, Louisiana and California coasts is rich in oil which those states covet.

However, the Supreme Court, in separate decisions for each state, has ruled that the submerged lands are federal property, giving the government the right to grant leases and collect royalties.

Walter's bill would retain for the federal government the land farther offshore, from the three mile limit (10 1/2 for Texas) to the edge of the continental shelf. That would include most of the shallow Gulf of Mexico. However, states get a share of the income from oil operations on the continental shelf.

Tollett on the "most hunted" list. Tollett was killed in a June 3 gun battle with a State Highway Patrolman at Redding, Calif. He had been sought since escaping on Nov. 22, 1949, from the McNeil Island, Wash., federal penitentiary where he was serving a 25-year term for robbing two Oregon banks of \$100,000.

A complaint charging the hot-tempered Brancato with unlawful flight to avoid prosecution was filed in Las Vegas on June 8 after the FBI developed evidence that he had fled Nevada following the robbery.

Brancato left Kansas City in 1928 and went to California, but later returned to the city of his birth. While in California, he was arrested several times after gangland killings, but later was released.

The FBI said, the murders about which he was questioned included those of Benjamin ("Bugzie") Siegel in June, 1947, and Edward (Neddie) Herbert two years later.

The FBI warned that Brancato probably is armed and should be considered dangerous. He is 5 feet, eight inches tall, weighs 170 pounds, and has black hair is receding and thin on top. His eyes are brown and his complexion is dark.

Police Release Two Suspects

AMARILLO, June 27 (UP)—Police released two suspects today after a nine-year-old girl failed to identify either as the man who had lured her in his car and raped her three times.

The assailant released the girl about 10 miles from town and attempted to run over her with his automobile. Officers said the girl was picked up June 25 by a man described as being about 30 years old.

A wide search throughout the Panhandle is being conducted for the suspect.

FLATWOODS CLUB PLANS BAKE SALE

The Flatwoods Home Demonstration Club is sponsoring a bake sale and a rummage at the Manhattan Cafe in Eastland, Saturday morning.

All proceeds go toward the support of the club's candidate for Queen for a Day of the annual Old Rip Horned Toad Derby.

Assessment Plan Approved Tuesday By 378 To 313

SAM SNEAD IS FAVORED

OAKMONT, Pa., June 27 (UP)—A week-long scramble for the 33rd PGA Golf Championship opened today with slammmin' Sam Snead favored to win the 36-hole qualifying medal for the second straight year.

One qualifying round today and another tomorrow will slash the field from 140 to the 63 who'll challenge Defending Champion Chandler Harper of Portsmouth, Va., in the match play rounds beginning Friday.

As champion, Harper was exempt from qualifying for match play but almost any player in the starting field rated a better chance for the title than the ailing, 37-year-old defender. His game has disintegrated so completely, he had to take pre-tournament lessons from old Bobby Cruickshank in a forlorn hope of pulling his game together.

Harper has won only \$600 all year. In the U. S. Open at Birmingham, Mich., his first round was so hopeless he refused to turn in a card.

Although Snead was the popular choice to lead the two-day qualifying test, Lloyd Mangrum of Chicago and Big Jim Ferrier of San Francisco still were co-favorites to bag the crown in the nerve-racking match play rounds. Their fellow pros figured them to be more readily adaptable to the well-trapped Oakmont Country Club layout of par 72 and its huge, undulating greens.

Mangrum is the year's top money winner with a total of \$13,873.83, and Ferrier, PGA champ in 1947, is second approximately \$2,000 back. They're well ahead of the rest of the tournament gold hunters.

Lee Worsham, 1947 U. S. Open champion and host pro, expects the medal-winners to break par 144. The course plays considerably easier—shorter and with fewer traps—than it did for the 1935 National Open. That's the year Sam Parks won it and Oakmont got a reputation for being a killer.

Waco, June 27 (UP)—A suspect in a cattle rustling case shot himself to death yesterday while sheriff's deputies surrounded a house to arrest him.

V. O. Vickers, 53, of Ft. Worth, had been named in a charge filed by investigators of the Southwestern Cattlemen's Association at Arlington.

He apparently hid through the night at a son-in-law's home and then barricaded himself in a bathroom. When officers broke into the room, they found Vickers dead, a 410-gauge shotgun by his side.

A justice of the peace returned a verdict of suicide.

A special assessment of \$1 per month on each water meter of the city, with proceeds to go to the Eastland Hospital Fund, was approved, 378 to 313, in an election held at the City Hall, Tuesday.

The assessment is for a period of three years and is designed to raise approximately \$46,000 for the Eastland hospital fund.

Voting was not as heavy as some had expected with only slightly more than half, 691, of the 1285 meters being represented in the final tabulation.

City Manager I. C. Heck said that action on the measure will be decided at meetings of the hospital committee and the city commission. The ballot called for the assessment to go into effect with the July water bill.

Heck pointed out that when the measure goes into effect, individuals may pay their entire \$36 for the three year period in a lump sum and the addition will not be made to their water bill. In this way the donation could be figured off the individual's income tax.

Those who are unable to pay the additional \$1 are provided for in the assessment plan, and their payment will be taken care of by the Civic League and by individuals who voluntarily donate to this cause.

The hospital committee presented the proposed assessment to the city commission for consideration at a June 16 meeting. At that time the commission heard views from those approving the measure and those opposed, but delayed action on the plan until a meeting June 18 when all the commissioners could be present.

At the June 18 meeting, the commission set an election for June 26 with the people to decide the issue. Only those persons paying a water bill were eligible to vote in the election.

Two large positions of opposition were that the measure would be an unfair burden on some citizens and that some preferred to pay the lump sum rather than have it placed on their water bill.

Both of these objections were met, with the placing in the plan a clause providing that those who would be unable to meet the increase will be provided for, and that the entire amount may be paid in a lump sum.

The hospital committee, city commission and city manager tried to answer any questions concerning the plan and the hospital which were asked them.

The hospital will be city owned, it is explained, operating under the supervision of the city commission.

Collie Tells Of Legislature

Turner Collie, representative of the 106th district, from Eastland, discussed the proceedings at the meeting of the state legislature which closed this month after a five month session, at a meeting of the Eastland Lions Club, Tuesday noon, in the Fellowship Room of the First Methodist Church.

Collie said that this session of the legislature was the hardest working of any he has attended. A total of 571 bills were passed by the group.

One of the most important of the bills, Collie continued, was the re-districting bill. The bill effects this area in that there will be only one representative henceforth from this area where there have been two.

Other bills of importance he spoke of at the meeting, included the trucker's bills and the bills on criminal codes.

Collie was introduced to the club by L. E. McGraw.

Youth Loses Legs In Pipe

RIO GRANDE CITY, June 27 (UP)—Reynaldo Garza, 14, was recovering today after an irrigation pump sucked him through 24 feet of ten inch pipe and chopped off both feet.

The accident occurred last Thursday when the youth was swimming near the pump intake. Both legs were amputated just below the knee at a hospital but he was recovering, doctors said.

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Representatives Critical Of U.S. Administration Correspondence

Correspondence between representatives of the citizens of this area reflects their views on the present national situation.

Representative T. M. Collie of the 106th district, Eastland, in a letter to Omar Burleson, 17th Congressional district representative in the U. S. House of Representatives, wrote as follows:

"Dear Omar: I have just read a statement in today's paper which quotes Secretary Marshall as stating that 'United States preparedness is lagging dangerously' and 'is quite certain the nation is not ready to fight in a World War' and blasted Congressional delay on military measures.

"I have, and feel sure that the great majority of the people of the nation have lost all the confidence they ever had in the integrity of the present administration.

"Why is it that after six years of spending multiplied billions of dollars for defense we are 'lagging dangerously' in preparedness and not ready to fight? It occurs to me that the administration is mainly carrying out the policy of

spending, taxing, so the people will vote and vote. It is the policy of the political machine, in which the president was schooled, of getting the votes regardless of everything else.

"Why does the president's secretary have to blast Congressional delay in military matters when they have given them everything they have asked? Why do certain members of Congress from Texas have to follow the administration when it has repudiated everything the Democratic party has stood for since the days of Thomas Jefferson?

"I sincerely believe that another term for the present administration will utterly destroy not only the Democratic party but the government as well.

"Please pardon this outburst, but I am convinced that we are utterly without leadership and people are confused and disgusted with the whole business and do not know what to believe, Yours sincerely, T. M. Collie."

Burleson's reply is as follows: "Dear Turner: Your letter of May 14th is certainly appreciated, and I can well understand your feelings with reference to the preparedness program which has been described by Secretary Marshall as 'lagging dangerously'.

"There are parts of our preparedness effort which have failed miserably, and the fact that of over forty billion dollars spent on the military since 1946, less than nine billion has actually gone into fighting weapons. The remainder has been for everything from administration on up. About twenty billion has been in the general category of maintenance.

"Of course, at the present time much of it is in the contract stage and should move more rapidly. Something like a year ago, Mr. Johnson, who was then the Secretary of Defense, testified before my committee that we had new types of tanks rolling off the assembly line and that certain types of guns were then being produced. As it turned out, the tanks have

just recently been furnished, and it was sometime after the beginning of the Korean War before one of the new guns to which he referred were ever used.

"Congress has given the military about everything for which it has asked, and although they can give a lot of explanation, it still does not get the job done. I believe, however, rapid improvement is being brought about at this time.

"There is no question but what there is a great lack of confidence in the Democratic administration. It is to the point that if our top leaders said or did anything constructive and worthwhile, I doubt if the people would listen to it. That has prompted me to appeal to Secretary Acheson to resign. I think that would be one of the first steps toward unity which we certainly need for the tremendous tasks which lie ahead. The 'politics as usual' which has been in evidence in the Administration is positively sad in these critical times.

"Of course the Democrats are not alone in this sort of thing because there are plenty of Republicans doing the same thing. Some of these old line politicians had rather seemingly gain an advantage than anything else. Some times I actually feel they are blind to all other considerations.

"Sincerely yours, Omar Burleson."

US Outnumbered By Six To One

FORT WORTH, June 27 (UP)—An all-out war with the Communist nations would find the U. S. fighting man outnumbered by six to one, a Washington Naval Official warned yesterday.

Cmdr. Clifford T. Peterson, Chief of the Naval Material and Planning Branch, said that only industrial production could overcome such a handicap.

Peterson was here for the Armed Forces small business exhibit which opened this week and continues through Saturday.

Partial mobilization often is harder on small business men than total mobilization, he said. But, he added, the partnership between business and the military now must be renewed.

UN Should Make Peace With Selves Before Trying To Settle Korea

Before the United Nations can make peace with the Communists they are going to have to make peace among themselves. Unless they present a united front they have small chance of coming out of any negotiations with an honorable settlement of the Korean War.

A diplomat in Washington summed it up this way: "We are trying to get our side lined up firmly so we can act promptly when we know what Malik means."

South Korea, the nation that has suffered most from the current Communist aggression, already has taken its stand. It opposes any kind of settlement that leaves Korea divided by the 38th Parallel.

Mr. Newell passed away about nine years ago but his wife has been keeping up the work they started a number of years ago.

Mr. Burton was born January 20, 1893 and passed away in Houston, June 26, 1951. He was a veteran of World War I.

Services will be at Killingsworth's Funeral Chapel, Thursday morning at 10 a.m. with Rev. Garland Lavender, of Ranger officiating.

He is survived by his widow Mrs. Grace (Bales) Burton, of Austin, formerly of Ranger; one daughter, Grace Burton of Austin, two sons, Paul of Corpus Christi and Walter of Austin; two sisters, Mrs. W. G. Walker, Los Angeles and Mrs. J. P. Mills of Arizona; three brothers, Nolan and Charles of New Mexico and Earl of Iowa.

Communist Resistance Grows Stiffer In Korean War Today

By Earnest Hoberrecht United Press Staff Correspondent

TOKYO, June 27 (UP)—Communist Resistance stiffened in Korea today and front-line officers predicted a new Red offensive within two weeks.

The Chinese Communists poured men and material into a new build-up area North of the old Central Korean "Iron Triangle" for the sixth straight day.

"They can hit us anywhere at any time in any strength," one Allied briefing officer on the Central front said.

Most estimates at the front placed the enemy's kick-off day in the second week in July. The Reds seemed to be planning a new assault down the Uijongbu Corridor toward Seoul, former capital of South Korea.

The Chinese mounted a very strong screening force in front of their buildup and even were digging in on the flatland just South of Pyongyang, Northern apex of

the former "Iron Triangle" and 29 miles above the 38th Parallel.

Defense of level ground is a complete departure from former Communist tactics in Korea, and indicated the Reds' determination to keep Allied probes from disrupting their attack buildup.

However, the Communists showed some signs of preparing to abandon their outer defense line below the big Bastion of Kumsonng, 17 miles east of Pyongyang, presumably for a stronger line farther north.

Enemy resistance stiffened considerably on the eastern half of the front. Only one UN patrol could probe north any considerable distance. It struck three miles ahead of the UN lines.

Elsewhere, the Communists opened up with machine-guns and mortars on patrols 1,000 yards and less in front of UN positions.

Allied Troops North of Hwachon sparred to a standstill with elements of an estimated Communist regiment — about 2,500 men. North Koreans drove the Allies off one hill in the area in a bitter hand grenade battle.

Fifth Air Force fighters gave close support to the UN ground forces. They killed or wounded approximately 400 enemy troops up to 6 p.m. (4 a.m. EST).

Other Allied planes knocked out eight vital enemy rail and road bridges on the Communist supply and reinforcement routes from the North. Two were heavily defended spans east of Pyongyang, the North Korean capital.

Mennonites Camp Near Mex Border

LAREDO, June 27 (UP)—Some 62 members of eight Mennonite farm families camped here today awaiting passports to go through Mexico to Honduras.

The families, traveling in three house-trucks, entered Mexico with only tourist visas, and the Mexican government "requested" them to leave.

BURTON SERVICES THURSDAY 10 A. M.

The body of Mr. Avon A. Burton, of Austin, will arrive in Ranger at 1 a.m. Thursday morning by train.

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They have asked the Canadian Government for proper passports.



AFTER BATTLE CLEAN-UP—After furiously engaging Chinese troops on a "heavy" patrol, men of a tank crew clean their tank. Sgt. Bud Tackett, Pikeville, Ky., is on the ramrod while unidentified tanker from Detroit, Mich., breaks down the 30-caliber ammo and Cpl. Enoch DeFratras, Pottsbor, Texas, cleans the machine guns. (NEA Telephoto).

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Sheriff Is On A Spot

AUSTIN, June 27 (UP)—The Sheriff of Galveston County testified that he never raided plush Maceo-controlled gambling dens because "they wouldn't let me in."
Sheriff Frank Biaggne poutfully explained to a House Crime Investigating Committee that a doorman barred him at the entrance. "I went to the Balinese room. It's a private club," he explained, "and they told me I wasn't a member and wouldn't let me in."
Rep. Waggoner Carr of Lubbock caustically asked the burl

sheriff to relate what happened. "I talked to the man," Biaggne said. "I asked him, 'how about getting in?'" "And he says to me, 'nothing doing,'" Carr inquired. "And what did you say?" Carr inquired. "Nothing," answered Biaggne. "I just walked away." "They got a book there," he added. "Sort of like a hotel registry and my name ain't in it."
Biaggne was asked if he had ever filed any gambling complaints against Maceo-owned gambling spots. "No sir," he answered. "Have you ever raided them?"

Two Honored By Texas A&M

COLLEGE STATION, June 27 (UP)—Mrs. B. M. Harris of Plainview and John W. Carpenter of Dallas received special 4-H Club recognition yesterday from the Texas A&M Extension Service.

The presentation was a part of a 4-H roundup, and Mrs. Harris was honored for work as a state 4-H Chairman in Hale County. Carpenter was recognized for providing camping facilities for 4-H and other groups at Lake Trinidad.

"No, sir—only when we were with the Rangers." That, he explained, was "six or seven years ago."

The sheriff pictured himself as a long-suffering man, heavily burdened with problems.

Take prostitution, he said. He said he had made nine raids this year. But people complained. "I would get calls from businessmen and they would say, 'what are you trying to do—start something?'"

"They would tell me they want those women left down where they are."

"I can't shoot them," the sheriff told the committee. "I can't kill them. All I can do is arrest them and I do that."

However he spoke highly of Galveston County Grand Juries.

The juries, Biaggne said, draw "our best businessmen . . . the cream of the crop are on our grand juries."

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JEWEL THIEF IS CAPTURED

NEW YORK, June 27 (UP)—A debonair jewel thief who robbed the same ritzy store twice bragged today he had planned to make \$1,000,000 and then retire.

But the loss of his expensive Panama hat cut short the diamond studded career of Arthur Chesler, 34, before he had reached the half-way mark.

Chesler who looked like a handsome movie actor, forgot to retrieve his sporty chapeau when he made an empty-handed retreat three weeks ago from Schlumberger, Inc. Jewelers where he had scooped up \$362,000 worth of gems in two previous holdups.

Painstaking detective work traced the hat to the store where it had been purchased by Chesler. A picture of the thrice-married Chesler was picked up from one of his former wives. Witnesses to the robberies identified him.

In the police lineup this morning, Chesler said he came to New York in October, 1950, from Rosenberg, Texas, where he had worked as a radio announcer. He staged his first robbery with an air pistol which he bought in a suburban sporting goods store for \$5.95.

Chesler offered no resistance yesterday when police surrounded a green Oldsmobile convertible he had rented for \$135 a week as he was parking in front of a building where his brother has an office.

However, police found a loaded .45 caliber automatic in the front seat and another .45 in the rear seat.

Occasionally stroking his neat brown mustache, Chesler confessed he was the suave "Mr. Griffin" who had taken the gems at gunpoint from Schlumberger's and revealed he was planning to rob another jeweler, Jay Howard.

Chesler said he also had "cashed" the plush Fifth Avenue residence of socialite Mrs. Harrison Williams to put a storybook finish to his profession as a gem thief. He said he had visited Mrs. Williams' home several times.

DEMOTED ROOKIE UPSET BY EVENTS HAS DISAPPEARED

By Stan Opatowsky
United Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, June 27 (UP)—An intensive search was launched early today throughout New York for big, baseball slugger Walt Dropo, a hard man to hide.

The six-foot, five-inch, 220-pound first baseman, who was optioned by the Boston Red Sox to San Diego of the Pacific Coast League last Monday, was supposed to have flown from New York to San Diego yesterday but he suddenly disappeared.

"Dropo made a reservation on the 4 p.m. flight to the West Coast yesterday," explained an airline official, "but he never turned up. The plane took off without him and he was listed as a 'no show' passenger. He never cancelled his original reservation nor has he made any future reservation."

General manager Joe Cronin of the Red Sox, considerably concerned by Dropo's vanishing act, said the striking first sacker had been in the Red Sox office Tuesday morning and then left by plane for New York.

"We assumed he would make connections for San Diego in New York," Cronin said, "we haven't the slightest idea where he could go."

It was learned that Dropo had

been given specific instructions to be in Los Angeles by midnight last night. He would have arrived on schedule had he taken the plane for which he had made reservations.

Some of his Red Sox team-mates said the husky right-handed hitter, chosen the American League's Rookie of the year in 1950, took his demotion "hard" and seemed upset.

At his Moosup, Conn., home, Dropo's sister revealed that the family was very much worried by his disappearance.

"He hasn't called us since he left Boston," she said, "and we're beginning to be worried. We knew he wasn't too happy about having to go back to the minors but we thought he would be in California by this time. We don't know where he could have gone."

Airline officials said their switchboards had been flooded with calls from various people who sought to learn of Dropo's whereabouts.

"Now, we're concerned ourselves," an official said, "and we have sent two men out looking to find him."

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DesMoines Man Killed In Fall

PORT ARTHUR, June 26 (UP)—E. E. Pearson, 31, of Des Moines, Ia., was killed yesterday when he fell 153 feet from the top of a million gallon water tower being constructed here.

Other workmen said they did not know why Pearson tumbled from the top of the tower. His body slammed into a steel cat-walk before it finally tumbled to the ground.

Pearson was employed by the Pittsburgh - Des Moines Steel Company, and had been working on the project here since April 26. His wife and three children recently came to Fort Worth to visit friends.

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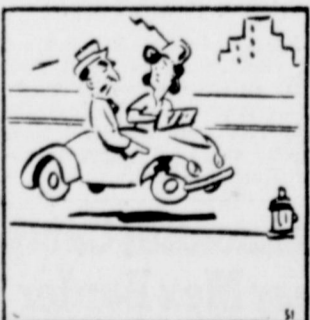
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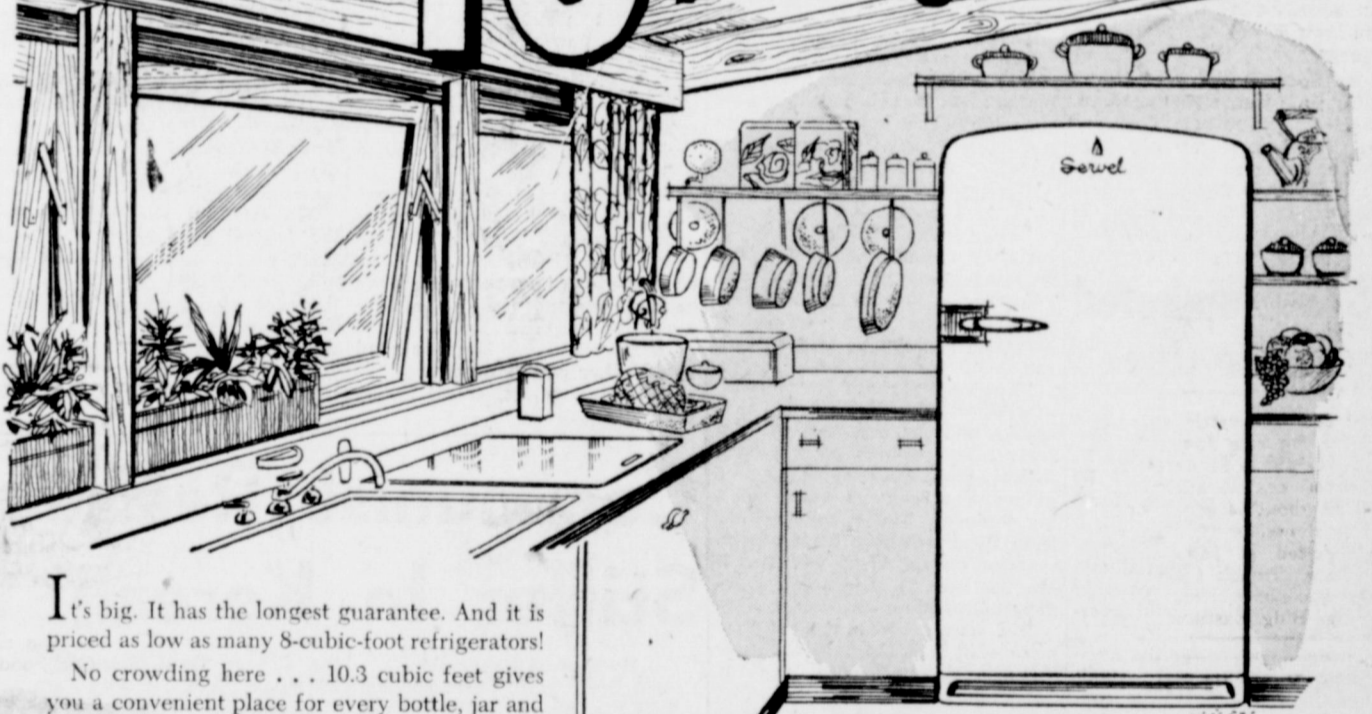


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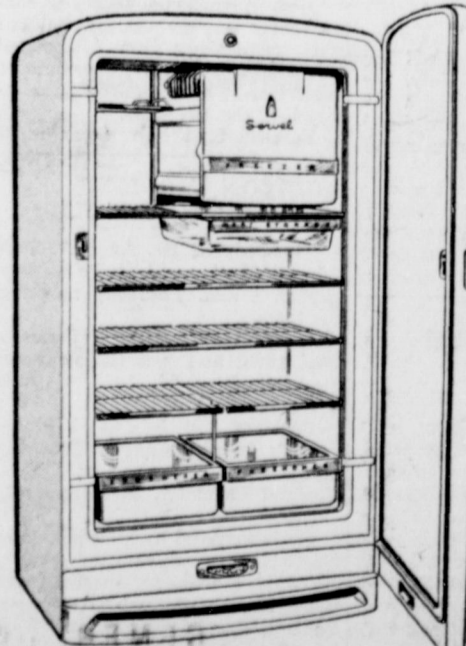
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Garrison Says Galvestor Has Always Been Thorn In His Side

AUSTIN, June 27 (UP)—Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., the boss of the Texas Rangers, said today that Galveston has been "a thorn in my side for years."

Garrison, testifying before the House Crime Investigating Committee, added, "and that's literally true."

"Galveston," he explained, "is the only place where we seem to make no headway."

The Island City's answer to the charges was scheduled to be aired in testimony by 10 Galveston city, county and civic leaders, headed by Mayor Herbert Y. Cartwright.

Garrison bitterly lashed the resort city as members of the House Crime group opened their second day of public hearings into the gambling combine of the late Sam Maceo.

Rangers, Garrison, said, obtained the evidence, but Galveston county authorities refused to follow through on the convictions.

Gamblers, he testified, were "let off with a minimum misdemeanor fine. Within a matter of minutes after the Ranger leave Galveston, business is going as usual."

Garrison, together with Ranger Clinton Peoples, related in detail a raid made on Sept. 12, 1947, on the swank Balinese Room, a plush gambling and night club spot operated by the Maceo interests.

The evidence, Garrison said, was good enough that "if it had been

in any other county in this state an indictment would have been returned and a conviction obtained."

But he said that the county attorney at that time, identified for the committee as Sherwood Brown refused to accept a felony complaint on grounds a grand jury wouldn't return an indictment.

"What he was saying," Garrison told the committee, "was that that sort of thing hadn't been done, and he didn't intend to set the precedent."

Galveston County authorities, he said, rejected felony complaints but accepted misdemeanor complaints.

The defendants, Garrison testified, were "let off" with minimum fines paid by the Maceo interests.

Garrison and Peoples described in detail precautionary measures taken at the Balinese Room to protect the establishment against raids by Texas Rangers.

Gambling equipment could be disposed of in a matter of seconds, Peoples said, "and you couldn't have ridden a motorcycle (from the front entrance to the rear gambling room) back there fast enough to catch them."

Operators of the Balinese Club, Garrison said, were jauntily confident.

"They would recognize the Rangers at the door and say, 'come right in . . . we're glad to have you,'" he explained.

"As the Rangers walked into the

club," he added, the band would usually strike up the "Eyes of Texas."

McMurray Plans Nine Game Slate

ABILENE, June 27 (UP)—McMurry College will play a nine-game football schedule this fall, coach Wilford Moore announced today.

The Indians will open at home against New Mexico Western, Sept. 15, and end the season at Las Cruces, N. M., Nov. 17 against New Mexico A&M. The only other out-of-state game the team will play will be at Hattiesburg, Miss., against Mississippi Southern, Oct. 6.

Police Put Out Statewide Pickup

SAN ANTONIO, June 27 (UP)—The San Antonio police department today broadcast a statewide pick-up for a family believed implicated in the Saturday stabbing of Rosendo Gonzalez Moreno.

Homicide officers said the family of five, and two boys who had been boarding with them, were believed en route to northern tomato fields in a red and black truck.

Officers said a young male member of the family and his attractive sister had been identified as the pair involved in the scuffle and fatal stabbing in the lobby of the downtown Brady Building.

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Methodist WSCS Celebrates 11th Birthday With Party At Church

Members of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church celebrated their 11th birthday of the organization, Monday night when they entertained with an ice cream supper in the fellowship room of the church.

Mrs. James Horton, fellowship chairman, and general chairman, welcomed the members and guests and introduced Mrs. H. L. Hassell, president, who expressed her appreciation of all members to the guests and friends for joining in the birthday celebration. She presented a gift of crystal to the Rev. and Mrs. Bailey, in love and appreciation of their service to the Church and to the Community, on behalf of the group.

Mrs. Horton introduced each of the chairman of the 12 tables, who in turn explained the decorations and presented a stunt or some form of entertainment. Each table was decorated depicting the tradition of each of the 12 months and each person present was seated at the table of their birthday month.

The entertainment consisted of solo, group singing, history of the flag, readings, wedding songs, and the crowning of the May Queen.

Table chairman assisting Mrs. Horton and the month represented were: Misses. Bailey, January; Mrs. C. W. Hoffman, February; Mrs. Cecil Collins, March; Mrs. Hassell April; Mrs. O. M. White, May; Mrs. C. E. Stinchcomb, June; Mrs. N. P. McCarsay, July; Mrs. Horton, August; Mrs. Frank Castleberry, September; Mrs. E. J. Turner, October; Mrs. W. J. Broussard, November; and Mrs. Milburn Long, December.

Home made ice cream and cake was served to 125 persons, following the program.

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Carolyn Ducker Honored With Pre-Nuptial Shower

The Community Club House was the setting for a bridal shower Saturday evening, June 23rd, honoring Miss Jane Carolyn Ducker of Mineral Wells, bride-elect of Charles Brown, formerly of Ranger.

Hostesses were Meses. John Gholson, M. H. Hagaman, J. R. McLaughlin, A. E. Crawley, J. E. Matthews, Leslie Hagaman, and David D. Pickrell.

Guests were greeted in the foyer of the club by Meses. Gholson, Crawley, Hagaman and McLaughlin, and as they entered the main party room the receiving line continued with Mrs. David D. Pickrell, Carolyn Ducker, Mrs. John Ducker of Mineral Wells, mother of the bride-elect, Mrs. W. M. Brown, Sr. of Ranger mother of the bridegroom-to-be, Mrs. W. M. Brown, Jr. of Eastland, Mrs. L. M. Williamson of Cisco, grandmother of the bride-elect and elect's aunt of Cisco.

Miss Betty Lou Hagaman presided at the white satin and silver bride's book which was placed on a table decorated with an arrangement of shasta daisies in double heart design.

Mrs. Leslie Hagaman and Mrs. Mrs. M. C. Williamson, the bride, J. E. Matthews escorted the guests to the refreshment table covered with an imported outwork and lace cloth centered with an arrangement of white peonies centered with a jewel studded platinum colored platinum wedding ring. Silver candlesticks decorated with white candles rounded out the beautifully appointed table.

Alternating at the punch bowl were Miss Billye Jean Crawley and Miss Ann Matthews.

Toward the center of the room stood an uncovered table of fine grained wood artfully decorated with a seven point brass candle-abrum containing white tapers, and a matching brass bowl containing an arrangement of white Gladioli with bronze throats. About the room in various spots were bouquets of beautiful daisies, roses and zinnias in bowls of cut glass and silver.

During the evening Miss Helen McAnelly, Miss Carolyn Pruet, pianists, and Miss Rosemary Bruce, violinist furnished soft music.

About one hundred and fifty guests called during the evening and presented Miss Ducker with many gifts which were displayed on a series of lace and linen laid tables.

The wedding will take place Sunday, July 1, at 4 p.m. at the Episcopal Church in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watkins of Eastland are the parents of a baby boy born at 2:50 a.m. June 27 at the West Texas Clinic.

The mother is the former Miss Dora Leveille of Ranger.

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Marriage Of Former Eastland Girl Betty Mae Overbey, Told Here

A wedding of interest here is that of Betty Mae Overbey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Overbey of Kermit, formerly of Eastland and Pfc. Arthur Dwayne (Pete) Wilson, May 26th in the Methodist Church, Lovington, N. M.

The Rev. Ray W. Ross, pastor of the church, officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white linen and lace dress with white accessories.

Miss Marye Jo Bobbitt was maid of honor and Tommy Overbey, brother of the bride, served as best man.

The mother of the bride wore an aqua dress with black accessories and the bridegroom's mother wore a beige dress with white accessories.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for Colorado Springs for a short wedding trip.

The couple plan to make their home in San Antonio, where Pfc. Wilson is stationed at Lackland Air Force Base.

Both the bride and groom attend Kermit High School. Pfc. Wilson attended Texas Technological College before entering the Air Corps. Mrs. Wilson has been employed by the Bell Telephone Company for the past two years.

Presbyterian's Have Church Program, Supper

The business women of the Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church met at the church Monday evening for a missionary program and a fellowship dinner.

Mrs. C. E. Johnston, president, presided and presented Mrs. C. M. Oakley, who gave the devotional and the special prayer for the National and foreign missionaries.

Mrs. Robert Cooper reviewed the third and fourth chapters of the mission study, "Near East Panorama." Mrs. LeRoy Arnold gave the closing prayer.

The group retired to the church lawn, where the monthly fellowship supper was served picnic style.

Present were Mrs. Johnston and her guest, Mrs. Thelma Castleberry, Mr. and Mrs. Oakley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson, Meses. Robert Cooper, W. E. Cooper, Ar-

Gleaners Class To Have Family Picnic, Thurs.

Members of the Gleaners Class of the First Baptist Church will meet at 7:30 Thursday evening for a family picnic on the church lawn.

Each member was asked to bring sandwiches, potato chips, cookies.

The church nursery will be open for the care of the "little ones" of members.

Hostesses will be Meses. E. L. Graham, E. H. Culbertson, H. C. Westfall, W. M. Jones, Charles Hoag and Bernice Holloway.

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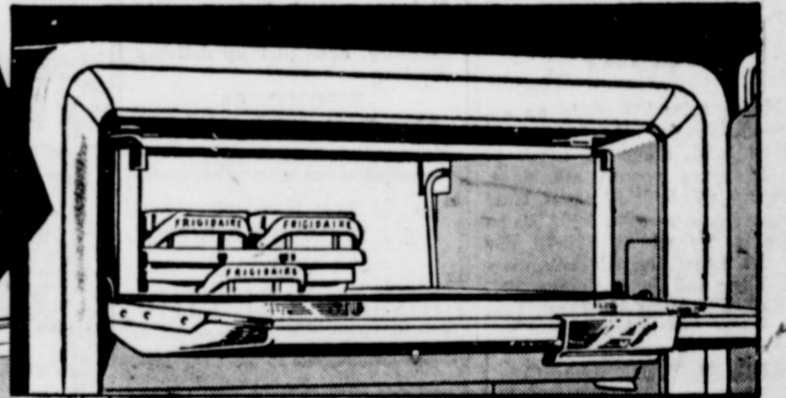
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