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Kerrville Police Force Resigns Following Row

KERRVILLE, May 9 (UP)—A two-man police force preserved law and order in Kerrville today following the resignation of the chief of police and his entire crew of patrolmen in the wake of a parking violation incident.

Pierre Hoggett, prominent Kerrville cattleman, was at liberty today following the resignation of the chief of police and his entire crew of patrolmen in the wake of a parking violation incident.

The city council requested the resignation of Chief of Police W. M. Hobbs and his four patrolmen at a special session Friday night.

The department upheaval followed the arrest Thursday of Hoggett for illegal parking in front of a fire station, according to Patrolman Steven Forrest.

Forrest said he asked the cattleman to move his car. A "scuff" resulted, the policeman said. Joining in the fray was M. D. Brown, a state liquor control board inspector for this area.

Forrest said he "subdued" Hoggett and took him to jail with the assistance of Brown. The charge was filed against Hoggett, who was later released under bond.

At its special meeting, the city council voted to request the transfer of Inspector Brown to another district.

Chief Thompson said today that he hopes to fill the vacancies in the police department later this week.

The second in a series of play-off games between Comanche and Ranger to determine the district championship will be played in Ranger Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Ranger won the first of the series at Comanche Friday night and if the local nine win here Tuesday, they clinch the championship. But if Comanche wins the Tuesday game a third game will have to be played.

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FORD TURNS DOWN OFFER TO MEDIATE CIO STRIKE

DETROIT, May 9 (UP)—The Ford Motor Company today snubbed all offers to mediate the strike against its two key plants, increasing prospects of a prolonged walkout that in 10 days will leave 100,000 U. S. workers idle.

In 30 days, the strike's effects will be felt throughout the world. The company said that the walkout of 62,200 CIO United Auto Workers against its River Rouge and Lincoln-Mercury plants is a matter for company-union negotiations. It is willing to meet the union and submit the dispute to arbitration.

The strike, now in its fifth day, forced the company to begin a wide program of plant shutdowns and layoffs in 16 states and Canada, starting tonight.

In a clear cut statement, John Bugas, Ford vice president in charge of industrial relations, rejected offers of city officials to arrange mediation sessions.

The walkout began Thursday in protest over an alleged speedup which the union said endangered workers.

Bugas said the company's contract with the union contained provisions for negotiating grievances over production schedules.

"There is no issue in the current strike which cannot be quickly, promptly and peaceably handled by the established procedure," he said. "Therefore, we see no need to turn the matter over to individuals or groups outside the contract machinery, whatever their motive for offering to help."

One of the offers was made by Mayor Orville L. Hubbard of suburban Dearborn, with whom the company has been at odds for some time. Hubbard, with UAW President Walter Reuther, led a "solidarity" parade of about 6,000 strikers past the struck Rouge plant last night. After the parade a rally was held in front of the union's hall.

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Anniversary Of First Atlantic Flight Observed

LISBON, May 9 (UP)—The U. S. Navy's record-breaking patrol bomber T-4C Corsair arrived from the United States today on a flight commemorating the first Atlantic air crossing just 30 years ago.

Sixteen hours and 50 minutes out of Floyd Bennett Field, New York, the twin-engine Lockheed Neptune landed at 10:30 A. M. (6:30 A. M. EDT).

Aboard the T-4C as a passenger was Admiral Albert G. Read, retired. Thirty years ago he flew the same route aboard the trail blazer NC-4, a four engine seaplane. It took 19 days to go from the Rockaway, Naval Air Station to Lisbon.

The next month Captain John Alcock and Arthur Whitten Brown made the first non-stop Atlantic flight. Both were knighted for the flight. They left St. John's, Newfoundland, June 14, and landed at Clifden, Ireland, 16 hours and 28 minutes later.

The Transatlantic flight was piloted for today's flight by Cmdr. Thomas D. Davies, Chevy Chase, Md., who flew the big Navy bomber on its record non-stop hop of 11,256 miles from Perth, Australia, to Columbus, O., in the fall of 1946.

The Turtle flew 3,109 miles and used 2,641 gallons of gasoline. U. S. Ambassador Lincoln McVeigh, his wife, members of the embassy staff and a group of Portuguese air and naval officers welcomed the Turtle.

WASHINGTON, May 9 (UP)—President Truman seemed, if anything, to be stepping up the tempo of his work today.

The chief executive, who celebrated his 65th birthday anniversary yesterday, was up early and took his usual morning walk by 7 A. M. EDT.

He walked for 30 minutes through comparatively deserted downtown Washington at an even faster pace than his usual brisk 120 paces a minute, Army style.

One secret service man who accompanied the president shook his head and said: "He really walked this morning. We had trouble keeping up."

Walking is Mr. Truman's principal exercise for keeping fit. He still swims in the White House pool, but the walking keeps his weight down to a trim and hard 175 pounds.

His physician, Brig. Gen. Wallace H. Graham, says he would like the president to take a little of that poundage off. And he'd like the president to slow his pace.

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Funeral For Pink Stafford Held Sunday

Last rites for Pink Stafford of Ranger were conducted Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Church of Christ with Floyd J. Spivy, minister of the church, officiating. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery with Killingsworth in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Stafford who had been a resident of Ranger for 30 years was born in Handley on May 24, 1880. He died in the West Texas Hospital in Ranger Friday, May 6, 1949. Until illness overcame him several weeks ago, he had engaged in the cattle trading business. He was a member of the Church of Christ. On July 23, 1918 he was married to Amanda Elizabeth Woods in Ranger.

Survivors are Mrs. Stafford, a daughter, Mrs. Imogene Ivy, both of Ranger; a sister, Mrs. Ida Williams of Greenville; three brothers, Bud Stafford, Roy Stafford and Fred Stafford all of Stephenville; two grandchildren, Eddie LeRoy Jacoby of Houston and MacArthur Jacoby of Ranger. Pallbearers were Sig Faircloth of Eastland, Lowe Wallace, Reid Campbell, Virge Johnson, Raymond Long, and A. D. Wynn, all of Ranger.

Trucks, Jeeps Requisitioned By Shanghai

SHANGHAI, May 9 (UP)—Shanghai garrison headquarters requisitioned private trucks and jeeps for military purposes today after losing Kashing, defense anchor point 50 miles southwest of Shanghai, to the Communists.

Other Communist forces continued a series of probing attacks against Kunshan, northern defense bastion 30 miles west. At last reports Kunshan still was in government hands although the Communists were believed making preparations for a major assault.

The order requisitioning the vehicles of both public and private organizations instructed firms to send their cars to a concentration point at north side park immediately. Vehicles which are not sent will be confiscated, the order said.

Garrison headquarters promised to return the vehicles after a week's service. Among the American firms ordered to turn over their vehicles to help the defense of Shanghai were the Texas Company, Henningsen, Produce, Standard Vacuum Oil Co. and the Bakelite Chocolate Shops.

Jury Digs In For Murder Trial

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia. May 9 (UP)—A jury of nine men and three women moved into Linn County Court house today and prepared to remain there until the murder trial of Dr. Robert C. Rutledge, Jr., St. Louis, is ended.

As a "segregated" jury, the first in District Court here in 21 years, they cannot leave the premises and will eat and sleep in the courthouse.

Rutledge is accused of the fatal shooting of Hyron C. Hattman, 29, St. Louis, during a quarrel over Rutledge's wife in a Cedar Rapids hotel room last Dec. 14.

The defendant's stepmother, Mrs. Robert C. Rutledge, Sr., joined her husband, prominent Houston physician here yesterday. Rutledge's wife and her father and step mother, Dr. and Mrs. Howard B. Goodrich, Hannibal, Mo., returned last night after leaving Cedar Rapids over the week end.

2 Men Fined On Drunk Charges

Two men were arrested over the weekend by Eastland County State Highway patrolmen in connection with drunk charges, according to the Sheriff's office.

One man, of Fort Worth, paid a fine this morning of \$50 and costs and had his driver's license suspended for six months in Justice Court, for driving while intoxicated. The other man paid a \$25 fine for being drunk in an automobile.

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Cause of the accident was not determined.

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3 Sons in Service

MORLEY, Mich. (UP)—Joining the armed forces is nothing new in the family of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ticombe. Their boy Sidney has joined the Army, making a total of eight sons they now have in the various branches of the plating pre-Spanish ruins in the remote jungle area known as Mexico's "Lost Paradise."

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By United Press

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It's a Bird



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TEXARKANA, May 9 (UP)—Charges of murder by automobile were filed against Charlie Bradley, 20-year-old Nash negro, in connection with the death early yesterday of Billy Cain, 17, of Clarksville.

MARSHALL, May 9 (UP)—Election of Clarence Braden of Jefferson as First Texas District Commander of the American Legion climaxed a regional convention yesterday.

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AUSTIN, Tex., May 9 (UP)—Marvin Norway, a 19-year-old Pergstrom Air Base Corporal, drowned yesterday at Barton Springs swimming pool.

His body was recovered by life guards some 45 minutes after witnesses said the youth apparently was seized with cramps.

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Gene Kinzie, right, of Wilmore, Ky., shows his new electrically-driven wheelchair to fellow disabled veterans Dexter Aylesworth, left, of Oxford, Pa., and Ernest Jensen, of New York, at Walter Reed Hospital in Washington. The new-type wheelchair, which has two speeds forward and one reverse, was presented by two Keyser, W. Va., residents.

HIGHWAY POST OFFICE



To speed the mail between points not served by regular common carriers, the government has ordered a fleet of these new highway post offices. Every facility of a railway mail car, sorting tables, pigeon holes, and bag racks are all a part of the complete facilities found aboard one of these modern mail coaches that travel the highways instead of the rails. The White coach shown at the top has just recently been put into service in the Midwest. Engineers of the Timken Roller Bearing Company were called in to design the bearings that will enable the new post offices to roll with a minimum of maintenance.

Gorman Oil News

By Buena Van Winkle

The Jay and Parker Company are now on a fishing job. Yesterday it was engine trouble. They have decided now that some kind of nemesis is after them. But the boys still have their 2590 feet of hole and are fishing away.

The operators who are attempting to float the water flooding campaign in the south part of Kirk field, including J. W. Baldwin, W. R. Johnson and W. R. Pennington and Walters have hit a snag in securing an engine large enough to pressure the water into the structure. They thought to have made a deal with Premier but up to this morning nothing had been accomplished.

Quietly and on the side lines almost, the work of securing machinery for the recycling plant is going forward.

Commercial Production Co. No. 3, R. S. Sanders drilling at 1,600 feet.

McClung No. 1 Miller Estate in Erath out north of Stephenville about 11 miles drilling at 3,149 in the top of Marble Falls with a show of oil. They really have a good well there.

R. H. Patterson will spud in about Sunday on his No. 1 James out from Rucker.

His body washed ashore during the week-end and was discovered by beach strollers. A week-long search by volunteer rescue workers, the Coast Guard and members of the boy's family had been made.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Halmbacher. Other survivors include one sister.

The rotating earth speeds up occasionally, then slows down a little. Nobody knows why. In the long run, it is slowing down. The slow-down averages out to about 1-1,000 of a second in 100 years says the National Geographic Society.

McClung No. 1 Rube Christian will probably be ready to be spudded in this week end also, since all machinery is moved in on location and the rig and all is about up and ready to go.



This handsome 18th Century lamp with an base of handturned and hand carved knotty pine in a mellow antique finish, is a stunning accent in either a traditional or modern room. Drum shade is hand made of tortoise shell parchment lined with gold foil. Characterizing the new trend to taller table lamps, this lamp is 34 inches high which is a good height for reading or any activity where proper light is needed.

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Olympia Out Of Preakness Race

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 9 (UP)—Olympia, the pre-derby favorite that ran sixth in the big race, will not be entered in the Preakness at Baltimore Saturday, it was announced here today.

Fred W. Hooper, the colt's owner, said "we decided to send him back to New York to rest for a few days." He declined further comment.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 9 (UP)—The Preakness previewing and prognosticating society was torn between two factions today as turfdom's attention shifted to the Saturday running of the classic race here.

On one hand there was the "Praise Ponder" clique which was quite willing to concede the triple crown to the Calumet Colt on the basis of his longest victory in the Kentucky Derby.

And on the other hand there was the wait - til - next - week crowd, really Brooklyn baseball fans at heart, who insisted that Olympia is still the three-year-old of the year despite his sixth place finish in the derby.

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McCLENDON WINS FIRST IN SHOT PUT AT A&M

The Ranger Junior College, track, tennis and golf teams returned from A & M Saturday night with several wins to their credit. The biggest win was Johnny McCleendon's first place in the shot put. Johnny tossed the little steel ball 40 foot and 8 inches, two inches farther than the nearest rival.

Jimmy Crawley tied for third place in the high jump. Jimmy went out on 5-10. He added a point and a half to the Ranger Junior College total. Jerry Cook went fourth place in the pole vault. He went out on 10-16. Cook would probably gotten higher had he not take a spill in the high hurdle race earlier and hurt his knee. Cook was in second place in the high hurdles going over the fourth hurdle when he fell.

Bailey Woods placed fourth in the broad jump with a leap of 20-6 1-2. Incidentally Bailey is leading in the hundred dash at the 80 yard marker by a yard and a half, however he could not keep up the torrid pace and failed to place.

The sprint relay team had some tough luck when Williams and Cunningham failed to make the proper connections threw them out of the race. They failed to place despite some splendid running by Cunningham and Woodard.

The tennis team, composed of Arterburn, Williams and Deaton advanced to the quarterfinals in the singles and Arterburn and Wil-

Women Golfers Qualifying Today

FORT WORTH, Tex. May 9 (UP)—Qualifying begins today in the 28th annual amateur championship tournament of the Women's Texas Golf Association, with some 112 contenders on hand.

Curtis Cup Member, Polly Riley is the favorite.

Yesterday, Mrs. Frank Goldthwaite and Mrs. Riley, both of Ft. Worth, won the first gross in the tournament's four-ball warmup, in which about 60 players participated.

Their combined score was 154. Miss Riley stroked through with a 75, while Mrs. Goldthwaite took a 78.

was far from official. Trainer Ben Jones—remember, he's the same fellow who said Ponder had no business in the derby—said yesterday he has not yet made up his mind.

However, the railbirds at old Pimlico Race Track didn't take that indecision seriously and already were prepared to establish this son of Pensive as the favorite for the Blackeyed Susan ball come Saturday.

At any rate, the manner in which Ponder ripped open the derby promised one of the largest Preakness fields in recent years—perhaps 12 to 14 horses. Last year only three were paraded to the post for a futile challenge of Citation.



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liams teamed up to go to the semifinals in the doubles matches.

Ray Gafford Wins PGA Tournament

DALLAS, May 9 (UP)—Ray Gafford of Fort Worth overcame two formidable foes—his aching back and Byron Nelson—to take the Texas PGA golf championship and \$1,200 first money yesterday.

Gafford sailed in with a 72-hole total of 275 over Dallas Athletic Club country club layout to nip Nelson at the finish.

They were tied going into the final 18, but Nelson wound up with a 70, one under par for the day, and a four-day score of 277.

Gafford, whose back was under treatment for a sprain during part of the tournament, put a 68 with his previous 207 to top the cash. He was nine under par for the 72 holes.

Nelson's second place showing was worth \$750. The gentleman farmer from Roanoke, Tex., set forth for New York to play in the Goodall Round Robin this week after losing his Texas crown to the Fort Worthian.

In women's competition, Fatty Berg, of Chicago topped the field with a final round of 39-36—75 and a total of 296, eight under par.

Two strokes back was Louise Suggs of Lythia Springs, Ga., while Betty Jameson of San Antonio was third with a 303 total.

Babe Didrickson Zaharis of Denver was fourth with 304, and Betty Mims White of Dallas, the only other woman pro, took fifth place with 329.

Miss Berg won \$300, \$100 more than Miss Suggs. Miss Jameson received \$100. Mrs. Zaharis \$75, and Mrs. White \$50.

Middlecoff Talk Of Golf Circles

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. Va., May 9 (UP)—Slim Cary Middlecoff took on a new luster today as professional golfer's Golden Boy.

With a two-stroke victory over Bobby Locke in the Greenbrier open here yesterday, Middlecoff

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BASEBALL CALENDAR

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 Yesterday's Results:

Texas League
 Shreveport 13, Dallas 6.
 Houston 11, Tulsa 2.
 Beaumont 9, Fort Worth 4.
 Oklahoma City 16, San Antonio 4.
 Big State League
 Sherman 10-6, Austin 1-11.
 Temple 10-6, Texarkana 3-15.
 Wichita Falls 4-5, Greenville 3-6.

Waco 3-8, Gainesville 2-1.
 East Texas League
 Paris 11, Henderson 6.
 Kilgore 8, Marshall 2.
 Bryan 8, Longview 2.
 Tyler 9, Gladewater 4.
 West Texas-New Mexico League
 Abilene 5, Clovis 1.
 Lamesa 7, Borger 2.
 Amarillo at Lubbock, pp'd., wet grounds.

Albuquerque at Pampa, pp'd., wet grounds.
 American League
 New York 12, Detroit 0.
 Boston 10-4, St. Louis 6-3 (1st game 13 innings, 2nd game called end 8th darkness.)
 Washington 7-2, Cleveland 3-0.
 Chicago 11-2, Philadelphia 3-0.
 National League
 New York 10, Chicago 1.
 Brooklyn 8, St. Louis 7.
 Pittsburgh 8-11, Boston 3-8.
 Cincinnati 14-1, Philadelphia 7-8, (1st game 12 innings—2nd game called end 6th, Sunday law).

Longhorn League
 Vernon 3-4, Midland 0-1.
 San Angelo 3, Sweetwater 1.
 Odessa 9, Rowell 4.
 Big Spring 7, Ballinger 5.

Today's Schedule
 Texas League
 Dallas at Shreveport.
 Oklahoma City at San Antonio.
 Fort Worth at Beaumont.
 Tulsa at Houston.
 Big State League
 showed a record of four first places and four seconds in his last 10 tournaments.

His exhibition in the last round of the Greenbrier showed the stuff that wins tournaments. Even with Locke after the first nine holes in the final 18, he played the greens masterfully to finish with a three under par 66 for the round and 265 for the 72 holes.

Locke came in second with a 67 for 267. Then came Pete Cooper of Ponte Verda, Cal., and Joe Kirkwood, Jr., of Hollywood with 270's and Jim Ferrier of San Francisco and Ed Furgol of Royal Oak, Mich., with 274's.

Bullfighter Shares Spotlight With Actress

PARIS, May 9 (UP)—Glamorous Rita Hayworth, in diamonds and black velvet, almost stole the show from a beautiful woman bull fighter at another of Paris' bloodiest bullfights.



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Conchita said later she would spend this week shopping in Paris and then would stage a "real" bull fight next Sunday in Bordeaux.

"I will kill the bull, there will be no more of this fooling around" she said.

Miss Hayworth said Conchita's performance was "really beautiful—a wonderful show."

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Sub-Debs Honor Mothers At Annual Tea Given Sunday

Members of the Sub-Deb Club entertained Sunday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock with the annual Mother's Day tea at the home of Mrs. L. R. Pearson whose daughter, Beth Pearson, is a member of the club and one of the hostesses at the tea.

The home was decorated with arrangements of red roses in the living room and in the dining room the tea table was covered with a Madeira cloth and centered with a cutglass bowl filled with yellow roses and fern placed on a silver mounted reflector. Pink carnations and fern decorated the buffet. Members of the club who are seniors alternated in presiding at the cutglass punch bowl at one end of the table, and at the sandwich and cake trays at the other end.

Senior and junior members alternated in the receiving line and freshmen and sophomore members were in charge of the guest book and junior and sophomore members assisted in the living room and in the dining room.

Music during the tea was furnished by Florence Ashcraft, Wanda Clem, Gloria Graham, Betty Lou Hagaman, Jeanette Kirkpatrick, Beth Pearson, Betty Jo Penn and Carolyn Pruet.

Senior members of the club were Beth Pearson, Sue Vaughn, Louise Hill, Nancy Phillips, June Ann Morton, Joyce Harbin, Jane

Hardy, and Gloria Graham. Other members who assisted with the tea were Betty Cox, Barbara Wylie, Nita Creager, La Gene Bates, Jerrie Bowen, Dora Gafner, Gaylia Carter, Patsy Frasier, Jane Ann McMillan, Nell Anderson and those who furnished music.

During the afternoon about 100 guests called.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dennis and granddaughter, Jo Ann Dennis, spent Mother's Day in Goldthwaite.

A. D. Wynn and Glenn Stallings left today for Columbia where they will be employed by an oil company. They made the trip by plane.

John Bourdeau has returned to Houston after a vacation visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bourdeau.

Mrs. A. R. Hickey of Artesia, New Mexico is the guest of her son, Bob Hickey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Taylor and son, Harry Lynn, of Brownwood were the guests Sunday of Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Herman.

Doris Perlestein of Dallas was here to spend Mother's Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Saule Perlestein.

Frances Ann Eubank of Big Spring was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Eubank.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Pearson Jr., and son of Austin spent Sunday with Mr. Pearson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Pearson.

Sorority Invited To Eastland Dance

Beta Phi Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority of Eastland has an invitation to the Ranger chapter to attend a dance in Eastland Saturday night.

The dance will be held on the roof of the Connelise Hotel beginning at 9 o'clock Saturday evening and dress will be formal.

Class Business Meeting Postponed

The business meeting of the Willing Workers Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church, which was scheduled for Tuesday, has been postponed. Another date will be announced later.

Seven Injured In Explosion At Hamilton Theater

HAMILTON, May 9 (UP)—An explosion in a theater building yesterday injured seven persons and touched off a fire that raged for 2 hours and 20 minutes.

In the rubble of the Texan theater owned by H. H. Stroud, investigators sought the cause of the blast. One theory was that escaping gas ignited in an insurance office, housed in the theater building.

Fire Marshall George Chambliss said the definite cause, however, was undetermined.

Six of the injured were released after first aid treatment. The seventh, Milford Zachieschke, 22, was hospitalized for possible head injuries.

Boy May Sleep Through All His Life



Unconscious now for more than a year, 5-year-old Larry Dean Wilson may live on and never awaken, physicians say. His plight results from a brain injury received in an automobile accident on April 27, 1948. He is pictured in the Elkhart, Ind., General Hospital, watched over by his mother, Mrs. Donald Wilson, left, and Nurse Virginia Hursey.

Gilmer-Aikin Education Proposal Sent To House Conference Group

AUSTIN, Tex., May 9 (UP)—A Gilmer-Aikin proposal setting up a minimum foundation program for the state's schools was sent to a conference committee today by the House.

The lower chamber, by a vote of 93 to 36, granted a Senate request that the bill go to a conference committee to work out the differences between the two Houses.

The Senate last week refused to concur in House amendments and called for the conference committee.

Five members each from the House will sit on the committee. The measure, by Sen. Otis Lock of Lufkin, is the only one of three education reform proposals which has not cleared both houses and sent to Gov. Beauford Jester.

The other two Gilmer-Aikin bills now await the governor's signature.

Lock's bill set up a minimum foundation program, a nine-month 12-year system for Texas pupils, and a plan for local support of the program, based on an "economic index."

A total of \$45,000,000 (M) is called for to be paid on the local level toward support of the program.

Damage was estimated at 100,000 to \$150,000 in the block where the Texan was situated. A cafe, a boot shop and a tailor shop were badly damaged by the blast and fire.

Chambliss attributed the relatively low number of injuries to the fact that the Texan's Sunday afternoon matinee, scheduled to begin at 2:15 P. M., was delayed. The movie film was late in arriving.

Six of the seven injured were lined up at the Texan box office when the explosion occurred.

Ft. Worth Livestock

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Too Many Grasshoppers. MINNEAPOLIS, (UP) T. J. Aamodt, state entomologist, said a survey indicates the grasshopper population had built up in Minnesota to a comparison with 1929 and 1930, just prior to the largest outbreak of grasshoppers in the history of the state.

Hens Hold Out Eggs. SELMER, Tenn. (UP)—Malcolm Lambert farmer through this flock was weak at producing until he found 103 eggs between two bales of hay in the mule barn.

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