

### Acces Probably to Charge Mental Cruelty

## Shirley Temple and Husband Plan Divorce as Marriage Goes on Rocks

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 13 (AP)—Shirley Temple's marriage is on the rocks, her attorney announced Thursday.

The 21-year-old actress and John Agar have separated, Attorney George Stahlman said, and he is drawing up divorce papers. He said the grounds have not been determined.

A close friend, however, said she probably will charge mental cruelty.

The blond one-time child star, who in recent years has made a comeback as an adult, was married to Agar, also an actor, Sept. 19, 1945. Their daughter, Linda, was born Jan. 30, 1948.

There have been rumors for several days that all was not well with the marriage, but in recent night club and other public appearances the pair seemed happy.

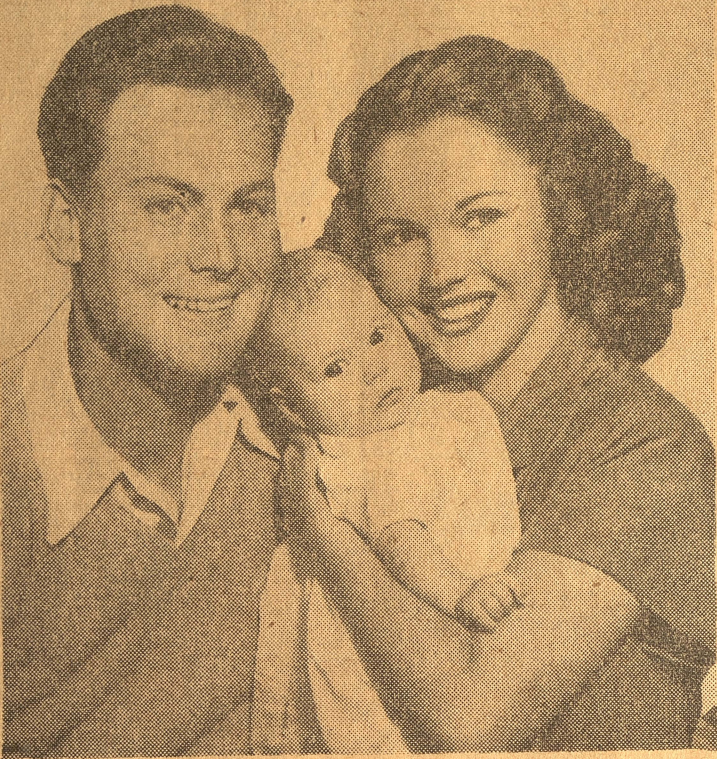
The curly-haired Shirley was an actress at 4, a star at 5, the No. 1 boxoffice attraction at 6 and for four straight years received Academy Awards for the best performance by a child. Then she ran into the awkward early teens, but returned to the screen as a star again as she bloomed into young womanhood.

Shirley's romance and subsequent marriage was followed by millions who had watched "Little Miss Marker" grow up. She was only 17 when she and Agar, then 24, were wed. He was a sergeant in the Air Force, but shortly was released and he quickly got film assignments.

His wife once said he was "a natural" and would go farther in pictures than she, but so far his roles have not been outstanding.

Their wedding was a mob scene out of a De Mille movie. Approximately 5,000 persons lined the streets, giving police a bad time. But Shirley—who has never been a lover of such excitement—soon got her wish. She and Agar got their own home, and ultimately their daughter. She said her one ambition was to raise a family.

Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Temple, live here, as does Agar's mother, Mrs. Lillian Agar, formerly of Lake Forest, Ill.



**HAPPY TRIO THEN**—Film Star Shirley Temple, her husband John Agar and their daughter, Linda Susan, as they appeared before the couple's separation and before Miss Temple's attorney gave notice of a divorce petition.

# 12 U. S. Fliers Die in B-50 Crash in Britain

## NIMITZ HITS A-BOMB AS 'MAIN WEAPON'

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13 (AP)—Fleet Adm. Chester W. Nimitz advised Congress Thursday that America's battle plans must assume "we will be less ready for war at its outbreak" than Russia. Nimitz did not mention Russia by name in a statement sent to the House armed services committee. But there was no mistaking what nation he had in mind in speaking of "our probable opponent" in event of war.

He questioned the effectiveness of the atom bomb and urged that it "not be considered as our main weapon of offense."

Just before Nimitz' statement was read, Adm. R. A. Spruance, retired head of the naval war college, had frankly spoken of Russia and warned that a war with the Soviets could not be won quickly, easily or by the A-bomb alone.

Spruance questioned in fact

whether the United States would want to drop atomic or conventional bombs in mass fashion. For if war did come, Spruance said, the aim of the United States would be to free the peoples of enemy countries from Communist dictators.

Mass bombing, he went on, would destroy thousands of the people the United States was fighting to free.

The views of the two admirals were received as the Navy was winding up its case against present military policy that places heavy emphasis on the Air Force high-flying bomber, the B-36, designed to deliver the A-bomb.

The committee agreed to hear all rival defense ideas to the Navy's next week.

The Air Force will then get in its reply. Secretary of Defense Johnson also will testify then. Chairman Vinson and Secretary Johnson held a long conference Thursday morning. Afterward, Vinson announced the schedule for the next phase of the committee's inquiry into military policy.

Vinson said that beginning next week the committee will hear General Eisenhower, General Bradley, Secretary of Air Sympington and Air Force officers.

Then, he added, "Secretary Johnson will give the committee and the country" his views.

In Crossfire.

Johnson, as civilian boss of all the armed services, is caught squarely in the crossfire of the angry controversy over military policy.

He also has come in for harsh words from some Congress members but has cut back appropriations that the lawmakers made for the Navy.

Vinson publicly accused Johnson Wednesday of making "a grandstand play" by economizing on Navy funds. He said the committee "is to have a lot to say about this."

As these storm warnings were raised on Capitol Hill, the Navy arrayed the last of its top brass before the committee to wind up its case against what it terms an "unbalanced" defense policy too heavily weighted in favor of strategic bombing and the B-36.

First, however, Vinson ordered Vice Adm. Robert B. Carney to tell the committee who signed the Pentagon order that directed an \$800,000,000 slash in defense appropriations for the fiscal year ending next June 30 — before Congress had even approved them.

Vinson's blast at Johnson and those he called Pentagon "bureaucrats" was touched off when Carney testified he had received no opportunity to discuss the proposed cuts until last Thursday, the day the hearings began.

Carney is a deputy chief of naval operations, and also chairman of the joint chiefs of staff budget advisory committee.

Decision Awaited.

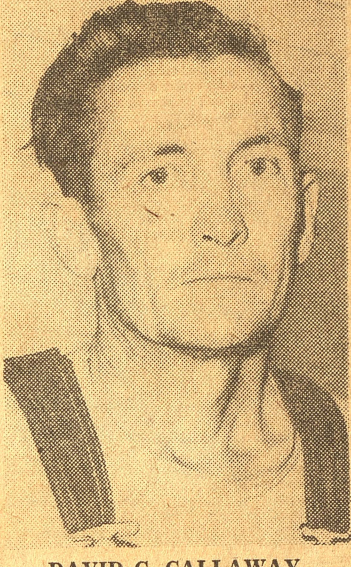
The appropriation in which the cuts were made is still awaiting a House-Senate decision over the size of the Air Force.

Apparently, Vinson declared, Johnson decided, "without any notice to the committee," that the armed services needed less than they said they needed.

Vinson charged that Congress thus was bypassed "for the purpose of making a grandstand play" to the taxpayers, and he added sharply:

"I don't like that kind of business. It's not treating Congress fair."

The House group was jolted by the testimony of Adm. Richard L. Conolly, Navy commander in European waters, that the whole Navy wouldn't do him much good at its present strength if hostilities should break out in his zone.



DAVID C. CALLAWAY.

## Globe-Flying Lucky Lady With Group in Training

ISLEHAM, England, Oct. 13 (AP)—A U. S. Air Force B-50 bomber with a load of live bombs dived into a wheat field Thursday and exploded with a roar heard 12 miles away. All 12 crew members were killed.

The plane, designed as the atom-bomb carrying version of the B-29, was on a 180-mile practice mission to the North Sea island of Helgoland with twelve 500-pound bombs.

Villagers said the plane appeared to burst into flames just before it dropped through a light ground fog and struck the field.

Flaming bits of the four-engine craft were blown hundreds of yards in all directions from the huge central crater dug by the blast.

Stationed at Sculthorpe. Burning gasoline set fire to a ring of farm buildings and to 60 tons of stacked wheat. Windows shattered and plaster ceilings fell in Isleham houses. Fire equipment was summoned from near-by Newmarket, 60 miles north-east of London, and from Cambridge, Mildenhall and Oxfordham.

The U. S. 3rd Air Division in London said the plane crashed at 9:25 a. m., only a few minutes after it left Lakenheath Air Field, seven miles away in adjoining Norfolk County, for its Helgoland mission. Both British and American aircraft regularly use Helgoland for live bombing practice. Helgoland was a Nazi submarine and anti-aircraft base during the war.

The 3rd Air Division said this was the first accident involving a B-50 since the 43rd Group of these craft arrived Aug. 18 from their Tucson, Ariz., base. The group is stationed at Sculthorpe, Norfolk County, for 90 days of operational training. A B-50 bomber crashed near Fairbanks, Alaska, last Dec. 22, killing all 10 men aboard.

The 3rd Air Division withheld the names of Thursday's dead until next of kin are notified. It also declined to furnish the nickname of the plane, since this would serve to identify the crew to persons familiar with the 43rd Group when it was in Tucson. The B-50s usually bear nicknames, the most famous of which is "Lucky Lady," which flew non-stop around the world earlier this year.

Bodies Are Recovered.

A Royal Air Force rescue squadron recovered the 12 bodies from the smoking, twisted wreckage within two hours after the crash.

The plane, one of the newest types in the U. S. Air Force, is designed to carry conventional bombs as well as the atom bombs. The RAF threw a guard around the wreckage to protect secret equipment.

There was no immediate indication of the cause of the crash. Air Force headquarters said weather in the area was foggy, with visibility of about an eighth of a mile.

The U. S. Air Force has approximately 5,000 men in Britain at bases established after the Russians began their blockade of Berlin. Some of the men formerly were used to service planes on the Berlin airlift, before the Russians lifted the blockade last summer.

The group of 30 B-50s, led by the "Lucky Lady," arrived in England to relieve a group of B-29 Superfortresses which was part of the heavy bomber force stationed in Britain for operational training.

The U. S. Air Force now has two groups of B-29s and one group of B-50s in Britain. All are at three bases in Norfolk County—Sculthorpe, Lakenheath and Marham.

The B-50 ranks next to the huge B-36 among U. S. long range bombers.

## Man Is Identified Here in Slaying

A 41-year-old transient cotton picker, held here on a robbery charge, Thursday was identified by fingerprints as suspect in a Big Spring murder last month.

He is David Crockett Callaway, charged Sept. 27 in 70th Judicial County in Howard County with the bludgeoning slaying the day before of Hope Leonard, 49, Big Spring trucker.

Callaway denied guilt in the murder while questioned in county jail here Thursday by Deputy Sheriff John Roberts and newspaper reporters.

Was in Big Spring.

He admitted leaving Big Spring around the slaying date but said rain at that time spoiled prospects of cotton picking.

Callaway also admitted he had served three months of a two-year sentence "assessed" him in East Texas in 1930 for a forgery and passing conviction. He said he was a native of Palestine and had tramped over the state recently, staying briefly in Lamesa, Lubbock and Colorado City in the last few weeks.

The suspect said he came to Fort Worth last Thursday. He was arrested here the next day and charged in Justice Hurley's court with two other men as suspects in the assault robbery of Norman Daniel of Reliance Hotel.

Denies Knowing Victim.

His fingerprints were sent to the Department of Public Safety in Austin, and a report received here Thursday said the prints checked with those on file in Big Spring of the murder suspect.

Callaway's prints were taken there a few days before the murder when he was arrested on a drunk charge, according to Howard County Chief Deputy Sheriff C. E. Kiser.

Kiser said Callaway was seen with Leonard shortly before the slaying.

Several Uses.

Plane Will Aid Highway Patrol Work.

AUSTIN, Oct. 13 (INS).—The State Department of Public Safety has provided a new definition of Texas Highways—anywhere a plane can fly.

Director Homer Garrison Jr. announced Wednesday that the highway patrol has added a new Navion single-engine airplane to its plan of operations.

It will be used for spotting criminals from the air, flying investigators to the scene of a crime, and for disaster work.

Highway Patrolman Max Westerman, who used to fly the hump for the Army Air Force, has been named chief pilot.

## Negro Attacks Woman; Suspect Tries Suicide

A husky, young Negro man sexually assaulted a 43-year-old white woman late Wednesday night after breaking into her home on E. Hattie while she was alone.

A 20-year-old suspect, seized in the neighborhood shortly after the attack, later tried unsuccessfully to hang himself in city jail.

The woman was to be taken to police headquarters Thursday in an attempt to identify the suspect as her assailant.

The housewife said she was forced into a perverted act and attacked two other times on her bed within a 30-minute period after the intruder seized her at about 11:30 p. m.

She said the Negro threatened to kill her after the assaults, dragging her through the house, but left after forcing her to promise she would not call police.

The woman's husband was away from here on business, and another part of town. Police were notified, and Detective A. C. Howerton escorted the woman to City-County Hospital.

She suffered severe throat bruises, Howerton said.

The Negro entered the house by lifting off a window screen. The woman said she failed to see her brother from her pet dog warning barks of her pet dog and first saw the trespasser when he approached her bed.

During the attacks, she said, the Negro mentioned he had been in military service and said he had been intimate with white women before.

The victim described the Negro as weighing about 180 pounds, 25 or 30 years old and said he was dressed in soft brown clothes. He wore a cloth around his left hand, she said.

The suspect, arrested three blocks from the scene of the attack, generally fits the description. He was apprehended by Radio Patrolmen J. A. Carpenter and L. N. Price at 12:20 a. m.

Officers were alerted by a call from Robert T. Brown, 904 Evans, after a Negro man tried to enter his house.

Police said the suspect, shortly after he was placed in a cell, fashioned a noose from his shirt and tried to hang himself. The shirt was torn apart.

Other Negro prisoners in the cell told Howerton that before the suicide attempt the suspect cursed and said, "I ought to be dead!"

Investigators were comparing fingerprints of the suspect with those found at the assault victim's residence.

## Johnson Hits Pressure Drive in Behalf of Olds

BY LESLIE CARPENTER.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—There was no immediate indication Thursday whom President Truman will name to the Federal Power Commission after the Senate's overwhelming rejection of Leland P. Olds shortly after midnight by a vote of 53 to 15.

The president probably will make an interim appointment to the commission after Congress goes home, it is believed.

The Senate debated the Olds renomination as a commissioner for almost five hours before snoring the New Yorker under with 53 negative votes. A high point of the debate was a speech by Senator Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas, chairman of the subcommittee of the Senate Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee which heard testimony on the Olds nomination for more than a week and voted seven to nothing against confirming him.

50-Minute Speech.

In his 50-minute speech, Johnson took note of the all-out pressure campaign President Truman and Democratic Party Chairman William Boyle conducted to get the Olds nomination through the Senate.

"The lash of the party line," said the Texas senator, "can be painful, but, as for myself, I know that the lash is not so painful as the sting of a conscience which is ignored. Some men may be willing to consider loyalty a greater virtue than integrity; I do not."

Johnson referred to Olds as "I-am-the-law" Olds.

The Senator was referring to Olds' lobbying campaign on Capitol Hill seeking backing for his opinion that the FPC should control the production and gathering activities of independent natural gas producers who sell their gas in "arm's length" transactions.

"Assumed Control."

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## Negroes Sue School At Euless

Parents of 14 Negro school children living in Mosher Valley filed suit in U. S. District Court here Wednesday seeking to enjoin the Euless Independent School District from requiring the children to attend Fort Worth schools while school facilities for whites are maintained in Euless.

The suit names County Supt. O. H. Stowe, Fort Worth Supt. of Schools J. P. Moore and the Fort Worth Independent School District, Euless School Supt. O. B. Powell, his board of trustees and the Euless district, as defendants.

The suit asks the court to declare the board's failure to provide school facilities for Negroes while doing so for whites unconstitutional and asks that a permanent injunction be issued preventing operation of the white school without operation of a Negro school, prohibiting further discrimination against Negro children, restraining the school district from requiring the children to go to Fort Worth to school, preventing transfer of funds from Euless district to Fort Worth district, and setting aside the contract between Euless and Fort Worth permitting the transfer.

Continued the Texas senator: "This is not an occasion in which a powerful Senate holds sway over a helpless, mild public servant; this is clearly an occasion when the Senate must determine whether it shall retain its right to help make the laws of the land or whether that privilege shall be forfeited to Leland Olds."

Articles Cited.

Johnson turned briefly in his speech to the radio articles Olds wrote in the 1920's for the Federated Press, left-wing labor service, some of which appeared in the Daily Worker, Communist newspaper. Johnson recalled that during Olds' testimony before the Turn to Johnson on Page 8.

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—Associated Press Wirephoto. OTIS MASON.

## Father Fears Child Is Dead

COLESVILLE, Md., Oct. 13 (AP).—"I can't help thinking that he's met with foul play and will never be found alive."

Those words were spoken by the father of 6-year-old Otis T. Mason, who disappeared from home Tuesday night.

The father, Leray Mason, a plumbing and heating contractor, said the boy suffered from a thyroid condition, and once had been hospitalized to keep him from choking to death.

"We had always been expecting something but we never believed it would be like this," Mason said Wednesday night. "I'd like to believe he's lost in the woods—yes, I'd like to—but I can't help thinking he's met with foul play and will never be found alive."

Soldiers and Marines, aided by two airplanes, joined civilians in combing heavy woods near the Mason home Wednesday.

## 2 Slain and 5 Wounded In Poker Game Holdup

MUNCIE, Ind., Oct. 13 (AP).—Two men were slain and five others were wounded, one seriously, early Thursday when two gunmen attempted to hold up a poker game in a downtown cigar store.

The gunmen fled after firing more than a score of shots at the 10 men who, Police Chief Harry Nelson said, were playing cards in the rear of the store. Later one of the gunmen, wounded in the hail of bullets, was captured and removed to a hospital. Nelson said he orally admitted his part

in the shooting. No charge was placed against him immediately.

Nelson identified the dead men as Theodore Raines, 43, a Muncie restaurant owner, and Dewey Wills, 54, an unemployed laborer.

Raines was shot through the heart and fell dead beneath one of the three card tables in the rear of the "New Deal" cigar store. Wills, hit several times about the abdomen, staggered to the front of the store and fell fatally wounded.

Nelson identified the captured gunman as George E. Gratzler, 27,

of Bedford, Ind. Gratzler, weakened from loss of blood, was taken to Ball Memorial Hospital. He was suffering from a bullet wound in the abdomen.

Nelson said Ralph Frazier, owner of the cigar store, told him one of the gunmen had been in the rear of the store and when the second gunman entered he drew a gun. Frazier said he shouted "Watch that man with a gun," and both gunmen started shooting. He said they fled without taking any money after firing between 20 and 25 shots.

## THINK IT OVER

BY B. M. STANSFIER

Not one of the rules of success will work unless we work.

## THE WEATHER

(By the United States Weather Bureau)

Sun sets Thursday at 5:59. Sun rises Friday at 6:33. Highest temperature Wednesday 74; highest a year ago 79. Lowest temperature Thursday morning 50. Barometer 30.15, rising.

Fort Worth and Vicinity—Fair and not quite so cool Thursday afternoon through Friday. Highest afternoon temperatures in upper 70s. Lowest Thursday in middle 50s.

West Texas (West of the 100th Meridian)—Fair and warmer Thursday afternoon. Partly cloudy Thursday night and Friday. Cooler in Panhandle Thursday night and in Panhandle and South Plains Friday.

East Texas (East of the 100th Meridian)—Partly cloudy Thursday afternoon, night and Friday. Warmer in northwest Thursday afternoon. Cooler in extreme northwest portion Friday.

## BREEDEN MURDER INDICTMENT TO STAND, HELLMAN DECLARES

A move to dismiss a murder indictment against Billy Joe Breeden, 21-year-old wife slayer now confined in Wichita Falls State Hospital, will not be granted at "this time," District Attorney Hellman reported Thursday.

Hellman, who assigned Assistant District Attorney Lindsey to investigate Breeden's present condition, said Attorney Otis Rogers, who represented Breeden in an insanity hearing in Criminal District Court, made the dismissal move at the request of the confessed wife slayer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin N. Breeden.

Rogers said the parents made the request because the murder

indictment is impeding and retarding Breeden's mental improvement in the hospital. A check of Breeden's condition last week by the Star-Telegram revealed that hospital attaches feel Breeden is "in no condition to stand trial and has shown only slight improvement."

Breeden has been confined since April 1947, when a jury found him insane at the time the trial but sane at the time his bride, Ruth Morris Breeden, was killed, Feb. 13, 1947.

The jury's decision placed Breeden in the institution until such time he recovered sufficiently to be pronounced sane and stand

trial for the strangulation of his wife.

Attorney Al Clyde, who was District Attorney at the time of Breeden's sanity hearing, said Thursday that if the indictment were dismissed, it would be "a travesty of justice."

Hellman said the investigation into Breeden's condition, made at Rogers' request, showed that dismissal of the charge could not be done.

Breeden, who surrendered himself at the Fort Worth police station after the slaying of his wife, an expectant mother, has been granted carpenter work on the outside grounds of the state hospital, it was reported.

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LED FIGHT AGAINST OLDS — Senators Edwin C. Johnson of Colorado, left, and Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas who led the fight which resulted in refusal of the Senate to confirm Leland Olds for a third term as a member of the Federal Power Commission.

### Man Held in Bank Robbery Called Sane

James Clifton Wheeler, 27, under federal indictment here for the \$3,032 robbery of the Weatherford Citizens National Bank in 1947, is no longer suffering from any psychosis, the superintendent of St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Washington advised U. S. District Attorney Frank B. Potter here Thursday.

Immediate steps will be taken to return Wheeler to Fort Worth, and a trial will be held as soon as possible, Potter said.

Wheeler was adjudged mentally incompetent on Dec. 26, 1947, in U. S. District Court here, and was committed on application of the U. S. district attorney to St. Elizabeth's in February 1948.

Potter was advised by the superintendent that Wheeler is now "of sound mind and no longer in need of hospitalization for mental disorders."

### Armed Forces Medical Men to Visit 8th AF

Dr. Richard L. Meiling, director of medical services for the secretary of defense, will visit 8th Air Force headquarters Saturday.

Dr. Meiling will be accompanied by an assistant, Brig. Gen. Albert Schwichtenberg, and Maj. Gen. Harry Armstrong, acting surgeon general of the Air Force.

He is expected to arrive here Friday night to discuss medical aspects of B-36 operations. Saturday morning he will be given tactical briefing by staff officers and a medical briefing by Col. Dan Flickinger, flight surgeon of the 8th Air Force. He also will be briefed on medical problems encountered in maneuvers in the United Kingdom and Alaska.

### Girl Killed in Dallas Crash

DALLAS, Oct. 13 (AP).—Miss Jo Anna Brannon, 15, of Mesquite, was killed and three other teenagers were injured in an auto accident early Thursday.

Deputy Grady McMahon said the car, driven by James Douglas Lenamond, 17, left the highway near the Naval Air Station and overturned three times. Its five passengers were thrown from it.

The injured were Jerry Hunt, 16, crushed hand; Leo Whalley, 17, bruises and lacerations, and Miss Francine McKinney, 18, fractured pelvis.

Miss Brannon is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brannon, two brothers and four sisters.

The accident ended Dallas County's run of 36 deathless days on highways.

### Mexican Choir Boys Arrive For Appearances Tomorrow

It took a group of Good Neighbors to bring real harmony to the City Hall.

They brought it Thursday with their singing of classical and Mexican folkore music.

The Good Neighbors are the 22-member Infantil Mexicano (Mexican Boys Choir) of Mexico City, directed by 29-year-old Rogelio Zarsoza.

Arriving by special bus from Dallas at 11 a. m., they stopped at City Hall, where they were greeted by Mayor Deen, City Councilman McKinley, City Manager Jones and Sprousser Wynm, honorary consul for Mexico in Fort Worth.

Then they gathered around the council table for a preview of their free concert at 8 p. m. Friday at Will Rogers Memorial Auditorium. Their selections were "The Cradle Song" and Mexican folkore numbers.

There were only 18 of the boys — 8 to 14 years of age — at the City Hall. Four remained in Dallas for the day to appear in the public schools.

Organized in 1945 at the school of Zarsoza, the choir has toured 15 months in Latin America.

They began a five-month goodwill and cultural tour of the United States and Canada a month ago. From Fort Worth they will go to Austin to serenade Governor Shivers.

## Suspect Sought in Killing On Way to World Series

AMARILLO, Oct. 13 (AP).—Texas and New Mexico officers searched Thursday for a man they believe lured a friend on a World Series trip and killed him, leaving the body alongside an Illinois road.

Alfred E. Clark, 23, of Boise City, Okla., was found dead Wednesday beside a country road three and a half miles south of Jerseyville, Ill.

He had been shot through the head and robbed.

It was learned in Clayton, N. M., where Clark worked in a restaurant, that the suspect told him he had World Series tickets and would share them and pay the expenses, if Clark agreed, and they left Oct. 3.

Officers began looking for Clark last Saturday after a Dalhart girl reported the suspect had kidnaped her and pistol-whipped and robbed her date. The girl said papers in the car driven by the man identified it as Clark's.

The girl said she had known the suspect in Clayton and in Montana.

George French, a farmer, discovered Clark's body Wednesday, nearly running into it with a plow. Coroner Rodney Jacoby estimated Clark had been dead about a week.

Clark had mailed postcards to his parents as late as a week ago. His sister received a letter dated Oct. 4 and mailed in Houston, Mo. The letter said he and his friend were on their way to St. Louis, where they believed the series would be played.

Juanita Groves, 19, of Dalhart, reported Saturday that she was with Otis Weston, a date, about two miles west of Dumas Friday night when the suspect drove alongside their car and fired into it. She told Sheriff J. A. McMurry of Dumas the man ordered them out, beat Benson with his pistol and took his billfold. Then, the girl said, the suspect forced her into the car with him.

She said he drove to Vega, about 45 miles west of Amarillo. There, the girl said, she knocked out the suspect with a fire extinguisher after they stopped at a tourist court.

She went to Vega officers, who accompanied her to the court. As they arrived, the suspect drove away, heading west. The officers did not pursue.

The girl said they told her that if she wanted to charge him with kidnaping her she would have to go back to Dumas.

She arrived back in Dumas about 6 a. m. Saturday and made her report to Sheriff McMurry.

### Huff Freed on Bond in Mail Fraud Case

Robert Merrill Huff of Fort Worth was released on \$1,000 bond Wednesday after appearing before federal authorities in Dallas on a charge of using the mails to defraud.

The complaint, which also named H. A. Martin and Robert L. Burch, both of Fort Worth, was signed Sept. 28 by Postal Inspector Earl Wilkes of Fort Worth. Martin and Burch made \$1,000 bond each the day the complaint was filed.

Huff was in Chicago on Sept. 28 and returned here voluntarily to face the charge, U. S. District Attorney Frank B. Potter said.

The cases, which charge Huff and his two companions with "devising a scheme to defraud persons who could be induced to purchase capital stock of the Ellenberger Exploration Enterprises, Inc., to obtain money and property by means of false pretenses and promises," and specifically with mailing such material last year from Fort Worth to Anton A. Rosenberger in Wichita, Kan., will be presented to the next regular term of the grand jury here early next year, Potter said.

### Marine Receives Appointment to Naval Academy

Ross G. Alexander, U. S. Marine Corps private first class, has received an appointment to the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis and is now in preparatory training at Newport, R. I.

Alexander is the son of Mrs. J. Knox Alexander of 2511 5th Ave. He is a 1948 graduate of Paschal High School, and has served in the Marine Corps for a year.

Alexander, who will be 19 on Oct. 23, has been stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center in Illinois and at Camp Pendleton at Oceanside, Cal.

### Three Commissioners To Attend Convention

County Judge Brown, County Engineer Cook and Commissioners Owens, O'Farrell and Henderson announced Thursday they will attend the annual state convention of the County Judges and Commissioners Association in Galveston Oct. 16, 17 and 18.

Commissioners Court will meet Saturday in lieu of the regular Monday meeting.

The court also awarded a \$4,147.13 contract to Fargo Oil & Grease Company for lubricants and grease supplies for the coming year. General Fuel Company received a similar award on their bid of 10 3/4 cents per gallon bid on diesel fuel for county equipment.

### BIRTHS

Babies born in Fort Worth Wednesday:

All Saints Hospital.  
Boys—Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wilds, 109 Raymer, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Childers, 2927 Yucca, Mr. and Mrs. Herman DeHart, 3928 Alamo, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cooper, 4601 Ryan Ave., and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hamm, 5113 Langley Rd.  
Girls—Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Law, 545 Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Shurtz, 1720 Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Vandenberg, 1824 S. Adams.

Harris Hospital.  
Boys—Mr. and Mrs. Emerson W. White, 917 W. 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Claude T. Scott, 4413 Standish, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Perez, 3901 Ford, and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Dracoo, 3260 Ocala.  
Girls—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Grizzell, 3227 Ave. H, Mr. and Mrs. Sara, 1400 Daniel, and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Maudin, 2228 8th Ave.

St. Joseph's Hospital.  
Boys—Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Beckham, 4116 Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rippy, 1020 Alston Ave., and Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Nault, 2020 Bluebonnet Dr.  
Girls—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Drake, 864 Cherry Lane, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Holmberg, 210 E. 18th, Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Orlean, 1405 E. Belknap, Mr. and Mrs. Odell O. Williams, 5509 James Dr., Mr. and Mrs. William J. Pike, 2921 E. Wetmore, Gourd, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, R. 1, Box 23A, Arlington.

### PRISONERS FREED TO PICK COTTON

DALLAS, Oct. 13 (AP).—Two Lubbock County farmers found plenty of willing cotton pickers in the city jail here.

The farmers from Idalou, near Lubbock, complained to the Texas Employment Commission that they were unable to get farm laborers and that their crops were ruining in the fields.

Corporation Court Judge Joe Hill heard of their predicament and told 40 men held on various charges that he would set aside their \$100 fines if they would take jobs picking cotton. They agreed.

### Two Brothers Crushed To Death Under Piano

CORTLAND, N. Y., Oct. 13 (AP).—Doug Stebbins, 4, and his brother, Roy, 3, were crushed to death Wednesday when an upright piano their mother was moving toppled over.

The children had been playing on the living room floor in their home.

Their distraught mother, Mrs. Andrew Stebbins, ran a quarter of a mile before she found two neighbors to help her right the piano. The boys were pronounced dead on arrival at a hospital.

### Chemical Fumes Kill One, Overcome Another

CHICAGO, Oct. 13 (INS).—One laboratory worker was killed and another chemist overcome Wednesday night by toxic fumes from a chemical they were processing in a Chicago plant.

The dead man was identified as 24-year-old Hitoshi Yasuda. He was an employee of the Medical Chemical Manufacturing Corporation.

Dr. Bernardo Spieser, 40-year-old company head, was taken to Physicians and Surgeons Hospital where he was revived.

### Youth Suspected in Property Destruction

An 18-year-old youth was being held in city jail Thursday as a suspect in destruction of property.

Tom Carmichael of 2119 E. Myrtle reported to police that the youth and two other boys slashed the front seat of his sedan Wednesday night when the car was parked in front of his home. Wiring also was ripped from the car.

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## 100 Delegates Due at Session Of Oil Jobbers

More than 100 delegates are expected here for the third annual Texas Oil Jobbers Association meeting which opened with registration at 9 a. m. Thursday in Hotel Texas. Sessions will extend through Friday.

K. C. King of Madison, Wis., will be principal speaker Thursday afternoon. A cocktail hour, banquet and informal dance are scheduled for Thursday evening.

John E. Chandler of Wichita, Kan., and Walt J. Kiderman of Bartlesville, Okla., will speak Friday.

E. K. Bennett of Longview is president of the association; M. E. Taylor, Livingston, secretary-treasurer; Paul S. Orlopp, Houston, W. B. Reeves, Combes, and Ted O. Groehl, Big Spring, vice presidents.

## Prayer Opens Warehouse And Transfer Convention

MINERAL WELLS, Oct. 13 (Sp1).—For the first time in its 32-year history, the Southwest Warehouse and Transfermen's Association had a convention opened with prayer by one of its membership Thursday.

El J. Ware, owner of a warehouse and storage business here, pronounced the invocation. He is a Baptist minister and serves a rural church in this area.

Mayor George D. Barber welcomed the 175 delegates to the two-day convention. Curtis Robertson of Oklahoma City received the President O. J. Layer of San Antonio and Secretary W. Scott Clark of Houston delivered their annual reports.

The delegates will be entertained at Seybold Guest Ranch, near here, Thursday afternoon and night, and will hold business meetings Friday.

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