Texas Optimism Is Shaded As Oil Wells Produce Only 12 Days

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Houston, Tex. — (UP) — With Texas wells producing oil only 12 days a month, Texas optimism is shaded a bit, but there isn't the gloom and doom that pervades Wall Street.

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Texas blames oil imports for its controls on oil coming into the U.S.

Meantime, the gas industry is flourishing and the producers are keeping much of their output within the states from which it comes to avoid federal control.

This means less gas for northern states and is one of the big reasons why many industries are moving into the Southwest, according to the experts here.

Firm Contracts

Selling in states which produce it without federal controls permits the producers to make firm contracts without interference, and big markets are being developed.

Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Kansas are the big producers and consumers, using some 50 per cent of their output in their states. Thus only half of the gas is left for distribution to other states of the nation.

Back in 1930 only 25.7 per cent of the gas produced in Texas was consumed there. Today the state uses 52.1 per cent of its output at home.

In Texas one aluminum plant and one chemical plant use as much gas as the cities of Detroit, Milwaukee, and Kansas City combined.

The oil refiners are big consumers of gas themselves. Other large users aside from aluminum and chemical companies are synthetic rubber and steel plants.

New Industries

It is pointed out as new industries are located in the gas producing states, new consumer population grows and still more gas is needed to the detriment of the other states which could use natural gas from southwestern supplied pipelines.

Texas would welcome a natural gas bill which would permit pipnng gas to other states without the domination of the federal authorities, but it apparently isn't banking on a bill.

It is worried about oil imports and is advertising to set forth its side of the oil question.

The Texans hold that reduction of the Texas oil allowable is harmful not only to the Texas economy, but also is detrimental to the nation's well being in event of a national emergency.

Low production, it is pointed out, keeps down earnings and slows drilling for new wells. Government efforts to curb imports, Texans assert, have not shown any substantial results.

Jacob S. Coxey led an army of 2,000 unemployed persons from the Midwest to Washington in 1894 and was arrested for walking on the grass at the capital.

Court Records

MUNICIPAL COURT

Tommy Carlyle Natwick, 235 North Ivy st., drunk in public, $50.

David Dahl, violation of basic rule, $10.

Margaret Lee Brenner, violation of basic rule, $10.

Kenneth Ray Connell, violation of basic rule, $10.

Homer Harley Fryrear, disobeyed traffic signal, $5.

Rosemary Doolen, disobeyed stoy sign, $10.

John August Jackson, violation of basic rule, $10.

Melvin Wayne Johnson, violation of basic rule, $10.

Charles Ross Every, violation of basic rule, $10.

William Marion Stragey, violation of basic rule, $15.

Alfred Fosdal, disobeyed stop sign, $5.

Elver Fay Hoald, excessive noise, $10.

Arlene Marie Reames, failure to yield the right-of-way, $10.

Gerald Keith Perkins, disobeyed traffic signal, $5.

Earl William Hobbs, disobeyed traffic signal, $5.

Hazel Me Millard, driving on learners permit, $10.

Homer August Mary, violation of basic rule, $10.

DISTRICT COURT

Ralph Floyd Champion, violation basic rule, $15.

Bob Ray Burton, improper muffler, $15.

Marvin Albert Green, failure to stop at stop sign, $10.

Warren Dale Govenor, failure to operate on right side of highway, $15, bail.

Stanley Leo Lewman, failure to stop at stop sign, $10.

Samuel Gene Bell, reckless driving, $30.

Harold Lee Harris, overload, $125.

Theodore Stroud Doremas, no motor vehicle license, $6.

Joe D. Winslett, no motor vehicle license, $6.

Lewis Ray McGonagle, failure to dim lights, $10.

James Aaron Clark, failure to dim headlights, $10.

Elmer William Summers, defective mufflers, $15.

Bennie Tyler Adams, violation of basic rule, $15.

CIRCUIT COURT

Catherine E. Stroh vs. Forrest H. Stroh, divorce complaint.

Phylip Louis Lausten vs. Dorothy Faye Lausten, divorce decree.

Nora O'Leary Brabbin vs. David B. Brabbin, divorce complaint.

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATION

Albert Theodore Sylvia, Happy Camp, Calif., and Geraldine Mary Kennedy Dalton, Happy Camp, Calif.

LeRoy James Sheppard, box 73, Fee st., Butte Falls, and Patricia Allen Moore, box 131, Butte Falls.

The chances of rolling a seven in a game of dice are one in six.

WEARING pained expression, Gov. Robert B. Meyner, New Jersey, emerges from Phillipsburg booth after voting. *(International)*

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY
PROBATE DEPARTMENT
In the Matter of the Estate of Rupert J. Henry, II, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I have been appointed Executrix of the above estate by an order made therein on November 13th, 1957; all creditors having claims against said deceased are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified and with proper vouchers attached, to me at the office of Roberts, Kellington & Branchfield, 201-5 U. S. National Bank Bldg., Medford, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated at Medford, Oregon, this 15th day of November, 1957.

Lorraine E. Henry
Executrix

NOTICE OF ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Sanitary Board of the South Bear Creek Sanitary District has ordered an election to be held in said District on December 9, 1957, for the purpose of electing one member to the Sanitary Board of said District to serve for a term of three (3) years. The polling place for said election is designated as Camp-U-Rest, 3761 South Pacific Highway, Medford, Oregon, and the polls shall be open from 8:00 o'clock, A.M., Standard Oregon Time, until 8:00 o'clock, P.M. Standard Oregon Time.

DATED and first published November 8, 1957.

MARGARET SMITH
Secretary, South Bear Creek Sanitary District.

LASSOED BOAT

Flint, Mich. —(UP)— Raymond Clarke, 37, and Cal Sievert, 30, were tossed out of their boat on Lake Fenton when the steering cable broke and the boat made a sharp turn. While the craft circled the men at high speed, Sievert used a rope he was holding to lasso it. The rope caught on the propeller and caused the motor to stall. They got back in, cleared the propeller and returned to shore.

HEART MEASUREMENT

Chicago — (UP) — Radioactive iodine injected into the blood stream enables doctors to measure with 94 per cent accuracy in a few minutes the output of the human heart, according to the Illinois Institute of Technology.

LEGAL NOTICES

No. 10132
NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Jackson
Probate Department
In the Matter of
the Estate of Frank B. Payne, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Guy E. Payne, the duly appointed, qualified and acting Administrator With the Will Annexed of the above entitled estate, under and by virtue of an order duly and regularly made, rendered and entered by the Circuit Court of the County of Jackson, State of Oregon, under date of November 6, 1957, licensing, empowering and ordering him so to do, will offer for sale and will sell at private sale at the office of Roberts, Kellington & Branchfield, 201-5 U.S. National Bank Building, Medford, Oregon, on and after December 11, 1957, for cash in hand and subject to the further order and confirmation of said Circuit Court, all of the right, title, estate, lien and interest that he as such administrator, or said estate, has in and to the following described premises, lying and being situate in Jackson County, Oregon, to-wit:

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Subject to any and all roads, rights of way and easements of record or visible on the ground.

Dated November 8, 1957.

Guy E. Payne
Administrator With the Will Annexed, of the Estate of Frank B. Payne, deceased.

Homicide Charge Is Dismissed by Judge

Grants Pass — (UP) — Circuit Judge O. L. Millard Wednesday dismissed a negligent homicide charge against Ray Lowell Straight of Grants Pass on a motion by Josephine County District Attorney Max McMillan.

McMillan said he had learned there was no valid law for crosswalks on Oregon highways, other than those on streets in cities.

Straight had been indicted by a grand jury after the death of Lloyd Murphy, 15, Aug. 10. The youth was struck by Straight's car as he was crossing the highway on South Sixth street here.

The district attorney said it developed that the crosswalk was not lawful because the State Highway Commission had never adopted a standard design, and no crosswalks were legal other than those at street intersections.

"The way the situation now stands, all crosswalks on Oregon highways are death traps, because the pedestrian, believing he is protected by law, actually is not," the prosecutor said.

McMillan said he plans to take steps to have the law remedied.

Funeral Services Held For Veteran Boat Pilot

Newport, Ore. —(UP)— Funeral services were held today for Capt. Mike J. Lollis, 57, former Columbia river tugboat skipper and pilot.

Lollis died Monday while docking the Calmar line ship Losmar. He had been employed on the Columbia river and Oregon coast for nearly 40 years and went to Newport to become a bar pilot in 1954.

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BALLET IN PUERTO RICO

San Juan — (UP) — The Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo will make its initial appareance in Puerto Rico Oct. 3 when it opens a series of seven programs. The company will present the world premiere of "Brahms Variations," based on Brahms' Variations on a Theme of Handel."

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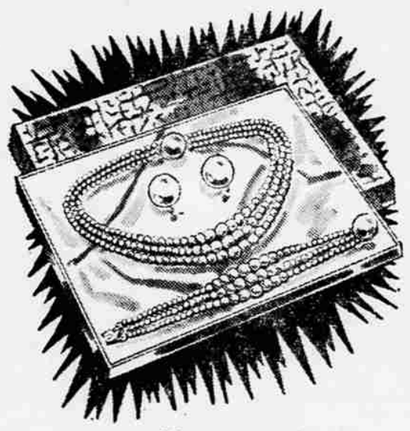
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