



The Moore Park rink was a popular spot Sunday

### Chief Of Staff Says Tank Breakdown Rumors Not All True, Hopeful Of Future

PORT KNOX, Ky. (AP) — Chief of Staff Gen. J. Lawton Collins said Monday the army was forced to "gamble" when it ordered production of new tank designs before service tests were made but that initial "serious deficiencies" have been overcome and the gamble won.

A speech prepared by Collins for delivery at the annual meeting of the United States Armory Assoc-

lution clarified a situation produced by reports many light and medium tanks failed to pass inspection.

The chief of staff explained that when the Korean war started there were no light tanks in production; no medium tanks had been produced since World War II although about 800 World War II Pershing Mediums were being equipped with new engines, and heavy tanks were "still only on paper."

The decision was to make a family of three new tanks—light, medium and heavy.

The general said that "despite our troubles we are still a year ahead of the time schedule we would have been on had we waited for complete test and development before going into production."

Heavy tanks, Collins said, have not been given as high priority as the lights and mediums. However, "limited production" is scheduled to begin early this year and initial testing of the pilot model heavy is underway at the Army's Aberdeen, Md., Ordnance Proving Ground, he said.

Until 1951, Nepal, on Tibet's southern border, had been governed by a hereditary prime minister for 104 years.

### Stassen Predicts Taft GOP Win

NEW YORK (AP) — Harold E. Stassen said Monday night that Sen. Robert A. Taft (R-Ohio) is "clearly out in front" in the race for the Republican presidential nomination.

Stassen, president of the University of Pennsylvania, told television interviewers that Taft is his chief opponent in his own bid for the nomination.

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### Quads Born To Arkansas Wife

NASHVILLE, Ark. (AP) — A surprised, 38-year-old farm wife who was expecting twins gave birth to quadruplets Monday night.

The babies, three boys and a girl, were born to Mrs. Haggai Ponder, the mother of eight other children, at her small farm house 2 1/2 miles north of Murfreesboro, Ark., 20 miles from Nashville.

Dr. M. D. Duncan, who was with Mrs. Ponder at the time, said the mother was doing nicely.

Dr. Duncan said he was just as

surprised as the mother. He also was looking for twins.

The father, Leonard Ponder, 41, and three women neighbors took the babies to a Nashville hospital where they were placed in an incubator. An attendant said they were doing well.

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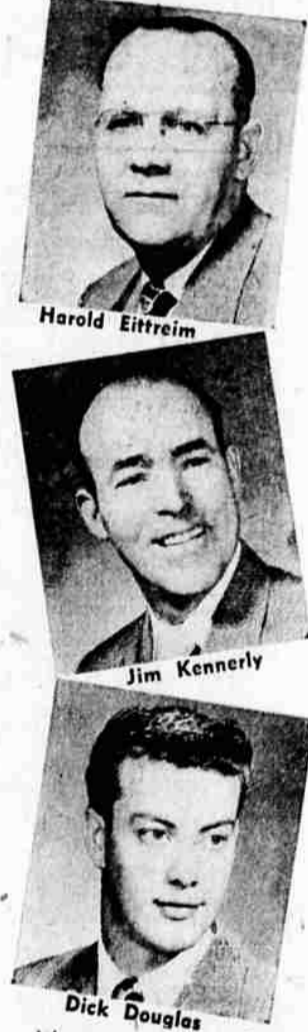
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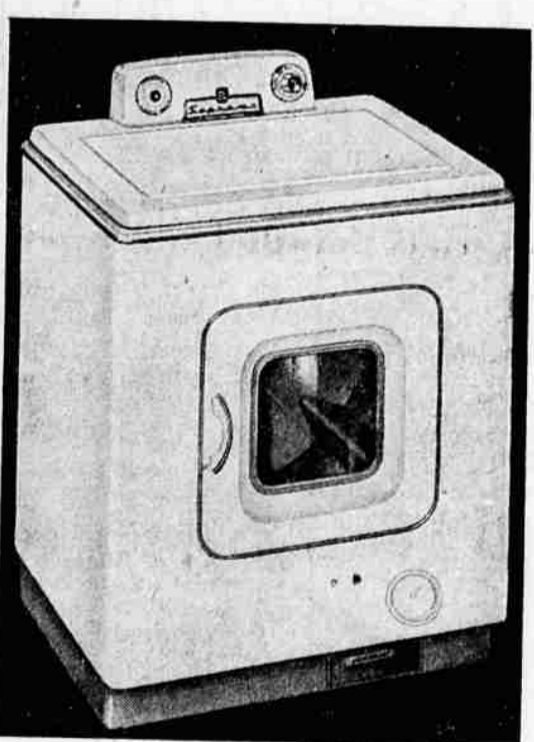
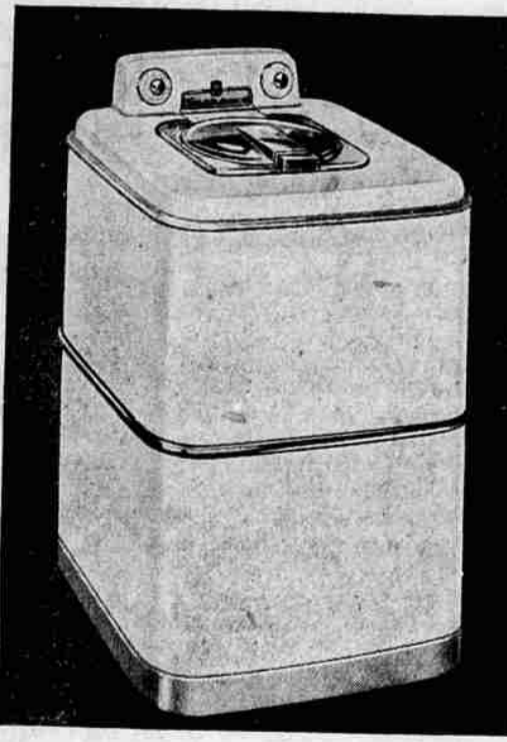
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