

STIRLING STILL CRITICALLY ILL.
FORT WORTH, Sept. 27.—(AP) Former Gov. Ross S. Sterling was resting easily although still in critical condition in a Fort Worth hospital.

JOHNSON SEEKS SUPREME COURT HEARING.
HOUSTON, Sept. 27.—(AP) James V. Allred and another attorney for Lyndon Johnson, are taking the senatorial election fight to the United States Supreme Court, the Houston Post said it learned yesterday.

Tentative plans, a Johnson attorney told the Post, are to make application for a stay and a writ of prohibition. If secured, the writ would temporarily nullify an injunction granted by Federal district Judge T. Whitfield Davidson which at present is keeping Johnson's name off the Nov. 2 ballot as Democratic nominee for United States Senator.

The Post's Washington Bureau learned that there would be a hearing in Washington Tuesday at which two of Johnson's lawyers would be present.

CHINESE WAR ROLLS AGAIN.

NANKING, Sept. 27.—(AP) The Chinese government acknowledged reluctantly Sunday the Communist capture of Tsinan in a military ravage which shook Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's regime to its foundations.

It was predicted in Nanking that Chen's forces, variously estimated at 220,000 to 330,000, would strike next at Suichow, 170 miles south of Tsinan. It is a major government base and the last important city barring the route to the Yangtze.

EXPULSED OFFICIALS ARRIVE IN VIENNA.

VIENNA, Sept. 27.—(AP) Two American oil company officials expelled from Hungary on charges of sabotage arrived in Vienna Sunday.

TWO TEXANS TRY FOR AIR RECORD.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Sept. 27.—(AP) An endurance flight aimed at breaking the world's record of 721 hours which has stood for 18 years will be sponsored by the Texas private flyers association.

Two Dallas members of the association, Fred Vinmont and Bert Simons, will fly a specially adapted Luscombe four-seater single engine plane. They hope to stay in the air at least 1,500 hours, double the previous record, or "as long as we can." The present record was set in 1934 by Al and Fred Key of Meridian, Miss.

The TFFA voted to sponsor the flight at their annual convention here.

The plane, the Texas Flier, "has been equipped with a bomb-bay opening through which it can be refueled from a convertible car while in mid-air."

HYDERABAD CHARGES COMMUNICATIONS GAG.

PARIS, Sept. 27.—(AP) Hyderabad representatives in the United Nations charged Saturday that India has imposed censorship over communications in and out of the princely state.

India's invasion of Hyderabad was taken before the Security Council last week by a delegation headed by Nawab Mohi Nawaz Jung, former foreign minister of the state. He slipped out by air before dominion troops started the invasion.

BURMA GUNBOAT LEVELS VILLAGE.

RANGOON, Sept. 27.—(AP) A government spokesman said Sunday the gun of the Burma navy frigate Mayu had practically leveled the village of Syriam, one and a half miles south of the capitol on the Irrawaddy River.

PROGRESSIVES CHARGE ABUSION IN GEORGIA.

ATLANTA, Sept. 27.—(AP) Seven workers for the Henry A. Wallace Progressive Party claimed Sunday they were abducted and forced to leave Columbus, Ga., at pistol point.

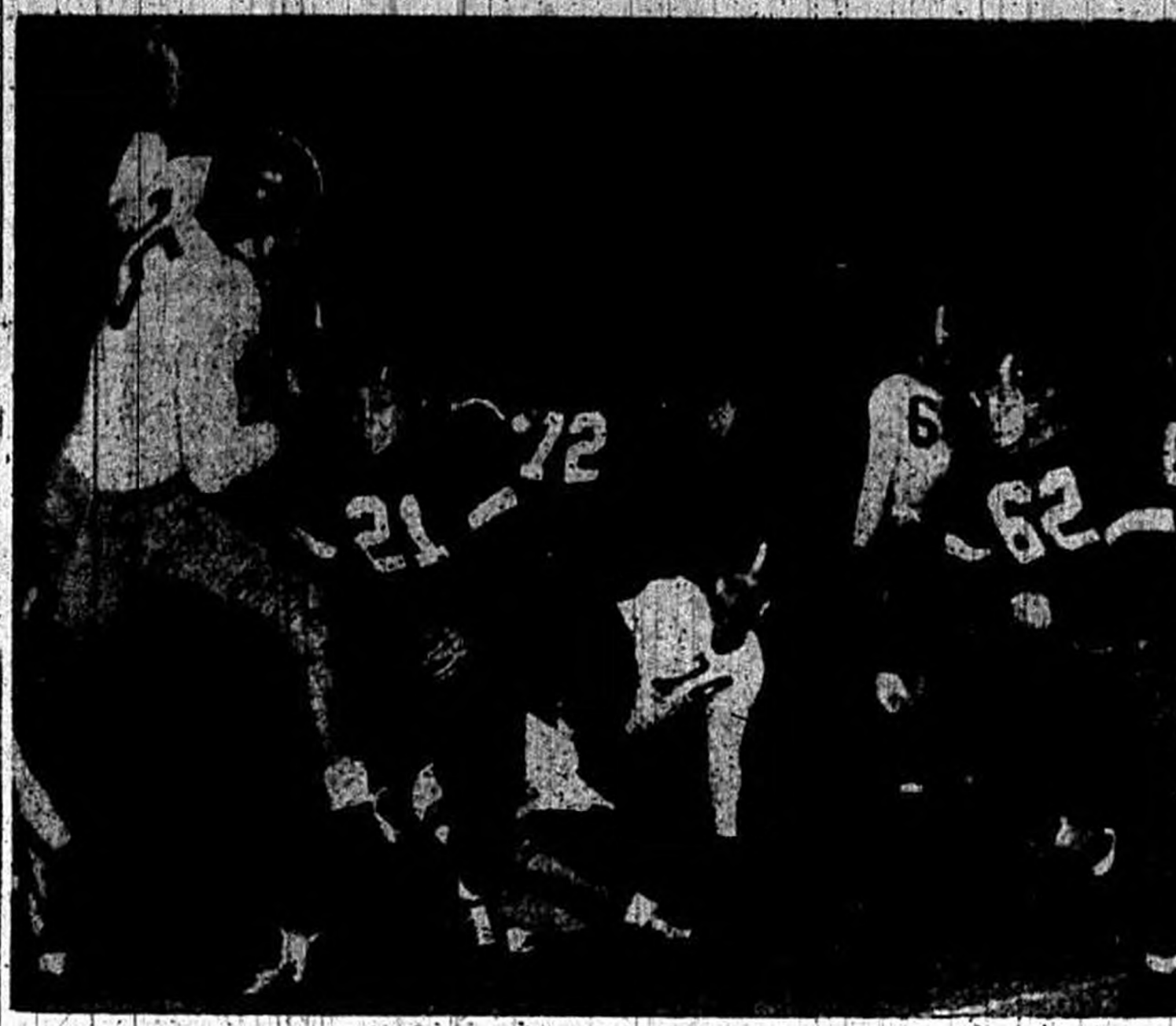
Paul Endcott of Detroit, Mich., one of the seven, said the abduction was carried out by nine men who represented themselves as Columbus detectives.

The seven, said Endcott, were to a point near Hamilton, Ga., where they were placed in a car and driven by one of their own party, Tom Baker of Washington, D. C., and ordered to drive to Atlanta and not return to Columbus.

FRENCH STILL HAVING TROUBLES.

PARIS, Sept. 27.—(AP) Communists and Rightist followers of Gen. Charles De Gaulle tangled in fistfights Saturday night while Premier Henri Queuille broadcast an appeal against strikes periling his wobbly cabinet.

The Premier asked workers to stay on jobs despite their distress over wages and high prices.



BOB GOODE leaps through a hole in the Tech line on a six-yard gain Saturday night before being brought down by Tech fullback J. W. Thompson (21) and Milburn Haydon, (62), left guard. Watching the play from the ground is Jimmy Flowers (74), Aggie tackle.

Election Ballots Distributed, Collected, Counted Tonight

All dormitory students will vote for their dorm Senator and seven Senators-at-large tonight. Ballots will be distributed this afternoon by dorm masters in non-military dorms and by the highest ranking man in the corps dorms. Charles Kirkham, election committee chairman has announced. "All ballots will be picked up at ten tonight."

OFFICIAL BALLOT NON-DORMITORY STUDENTS

(Scratch out all but 1 name)

STUDENT SENATE
(Scratch out all but 1 name)
BRYAN FIELD ANNEX

Marvin L. Stone

DAY STUDENTS
(Mark out all but two names for this area)

Richard B. Davis
Marvin W. Hagemeier
Alonso H. Hodgson, Jr.
Lindsey J. Lipscomb

Robert J. Ransom, Jr.
Jacob M. Russell
Rex M. Wacker
Weldon E. Williams

COLLEGE VIEW
Manroe C. Neff
D. M. Seligman

TRAILER AREA
Richard D. Hodges

VETERANS VILLAGE
Harry Roney

SENATORS-AT-LARGE
(Scratch out all but 7 names)

Richard L. Alterman, Law
Paul B. Berry, Jr. Dorm 8
Joe B. Goulet
J. A. Davis, Dorm 7
Richard E. Denney, Dorm 9
W. H. Barnes, Dorm 10
W. P. Dickson, Puryer
Joseph H. Crane, Dorm 12
Harry G. Doran, Jr., Milner
Madley Edgar, Mitchell
Don Frenkeling, Law
Fred Hambricht, Dorm 6
Lauren Hobbs, College View
Ben Hopson, College View
James P. Jones, Dorm 15
Dick Joseph, Dorm 6
Cecil D. Kelly, College View
Walter T. Wendlandt, Dorm 11

Bernard Kitchens, Dorm 11
Sam Lanford, Dorm 6
Mickey McGuire, Dorm 6
Monte Monerief, Dorm 15
Joe H. Nagy, Dorm 10
John E. Orr, Dorm 12
J. Doug Pitcock, Dorm 9
Daniel A. K. Proctor, Dorm 9
Marvin G. Rice, Leggett
Clayton L. Selph, Dorm 4
John D. Shoemaker, Dorm 2
Frank M. Smith, Jr., College Sta.
Jack V. Smith, Dorm 11
Richard G. Taylor, Dorm 4
Purvis J. Thrash, Dorm 9
Jack W. Tomlinson, Dorm 17

STUDENT LIFE REPRESENTATIVE
(Only non-military students may vote in this race. Scratch out all but three names)

Harvey J. Chelf
Charles R. Holbrook
Charles Howard
Cecil Huey
Marvin Kuers
Dean S. Mathews

Charles R. Mitchell
Albert C. Ricks
Sam A. Rowe
Edward Sacher
Jack V. Smith
Jerry Sutherland
Robert L. Watters

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This ballot must be filled out and turned into Student Activities dropped into Box 294, Faculty Exchange, before 5 p.m. Tuesday.

Signature of voter

Expansion Plans, More Money For Center Reviewed by Board

The System Board of Directors of A&M approved appropriations and recommendations for expansion within the far-flung system at a meeting Friday morning in the Plaza Hotel in San Antonio.

The initial phases of the meeting centered about the Student Memorial Center. Construction was begun last week on the \$2,000,000 structure.

The Board approved three proposed measures to financially back the construction work. The first approval was given to a motion for the sale after July 1, 1949 of A&M development fund bonds. The bonds will have attained a value of \$185,938 by that date.

The second two measures were designed to pay for the early stages of the work. A motion by C. C. Kruger to approve the use of \$50,000 from the Exchange Store operating fund on the project was accepted.

A sum of \$600,000 from the A&M-University Available Fund was approved for immediate use. This amount was accumulated by withholding \$300,000 from each of the college budgets for the last two years.

The three approved motions will supply sufficient funds for the completion of the first three units of the Center, with the exception of the furniture, it was stated.

W. L. Penberthy, Dean of Men, explained the plans for a proposed 18-hole golf course. The course will help the College to provide on the campus amusement to hold the interest of the students, Penberthy explained.

The members of the board, approved a motion to appropriate \$45,000 towards the total cost of \$75,000.

Their approval was made contingent upon the receipt of \$25,000 from the Former Students Association, who had promised such a sum when they recommended the construction of the course. An additional \$3700 is already available for the course.

The golf course will be located in the present pasture area at the southeast corner of the campus along Highway 6. The horse barn on the location will be renovated for use as a club house.

An appropriation of \$10,535 for the purchase of a plane for the A&M system was approved by the Board.

D. W. Williams, Vice-Chancellor for Agriculture, explained the need for the plane to the directors. He stated that the use of the only aircraft available at present, a Cessna, was not economical unless four or five persons were making the trip. A small plane to handle only one or two persons would be preferred.

The present pavilion will be converted for classroom use.

Two additional tennis courts for JTAG, at a cost of \$2500, were approved.

The relinquishment of the Central Texas Memorial Farm to its donor, the M. A. Cooper, Jr., Foundation, was approved. The purchase of Bluebonnet Farms has greatly diminished the value of the nearby memorial farm.

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Wives of Veterans Offered 4 Courses For College Credit

Four extension courses will be offered to veterans' wives, this semester, Dr. T. S. Mayo has announced.

The Landscape Art Department will offer Landscape Art 320, a course of flower decoration, plant propagation, and flower arrangements. The first class meets Tuesday at 7 p. m. in the Greenhouse opposite the shops.

"Geography of Europe" will be offered if two more veterans' wives make application. All wives interested should call Dr. G. W. Schlesselman, head of the Geography Department.

Education 611, "New Techniques of Teaching," will be offered beginning this evening at 7 in Room 102, Academic Building. If enough wives make application, a psychology course may be offered, Dr. Mayo said.

"Beginner's Conversational Spanish" meets at 10 a. m. Tuesday in Room 124, Academic Building.

Credit for these courses is transferable to other colleges and is applicable on degree work.

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Max Levy, Charlie Winter, and John L. Christensen were appointed as a social committee.

Another meeting is scheduled next Thursday in Room 129 in the Academic Building.

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'Darkhorse' Being Pushed . . .

Eight 'Ugly Man' Candidates Enter Race as Interest Grows

The field lengthened to eight avowed candidates today as the Commentator's "Ugly Man" contest entered its third day of nominations.

The names Calvin Dupree, Bob Noble, Jack Gaugler and Eddie Pella were added over the weekend to those of Snag Gentry, Rupert Hall and Jimmy Stephens.

In addition, a "darkhorse" candidate has entered the fight in the person of one Thomas Carpenter, otherwise known as "gunboat" or "hey, you." Carpenter, distinguished member of the "C" Seniors got his campaign underway with five votes from followers who claimed his "number 12 brogans, shimoo-like physique, and Dracula-like profile, make him our favorite candidate. We've behind him to the limit," stated his backers who wished to remain anonymous for the time being.

"When it comes to an ugly man contest, nature has smiled on Carpenter," one of his self-appointed campaign managers concluded. (The Commentator will furnish the names of all people nominating candidates in the race—for a nominal fee. The "fee" is a subscription to the Commentator.)

Incidentally, as stated when the contest opened, it is hoped that the campaigns will be entered in the right spirit, just for laughs and nothing else. (Except possibly the two tickets to the A&M-Texas game and the two other prizes.)

Nominating ballot will run in the Battalion every day until the nominations close Thursday, September 30. The five nominees with the highest total of voters will qualify for the runoff. The runoff will be held Thursday, October 7th.

In the primary, any person may vote as many times as he can get his hands on ballots; but the runoff race will restrict voters to one ballot apiece.

Leggett Hall
William D. O'Mara, Harvey V. Risien, and Fred S. Thurmond, Jr. Migger Hall

Ted G. Davis, Joseph S. O'Connor, Charles J. Pace and Ralph L. Shannon.

Mitchell Hall
Art E. Howarth, Stanley L. Rogers, C. V. Slagle, Michael P. Williams and B. A. Wyatt.

Puryer Hall
Roy A. Carter, Jr., William F. Egan, and Charles D. Kirkham.

Walton Hall
T. A. Banta, Robert E. Boyd, J. L. Duller, Davis M. Elson, Harold Hildebrand, and Thomas J. Legor.

Bryan Field Annex
Marvin L. Stone.

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College View
Wilbur A. Fritz, Monroe C. Neff, and D. M. Seligman.

Trailer Area
Robert E. Nelson and Richard D. Hodges.

Veterans Village
Harry Roney.

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The following list of students failed to meet all the qualifications which are set up for the Student Senate:

Kenneth W. Davis, Jerry Sutherland, John W. Tippit, Albert C. Ricks, Lloyd E. Baker, Elbert R. Baugh, D. N. Brown, C. H. Burke, Claude E. Lawrence, Jr., R. S. Williamson, Jr.

Avant Elected Junior President
Doyle Avant was elected president and Bert Huebner was elected vice-president of the Junior Class in last week's elections.

The Juniors selected Bob Sykes as their secretary-treasurer and Bruce Simoneaux as social chairman.

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ASME President Will Lecture Here

"The Engineer's Opportunities" will be the subject of an address by G. E. Bailey, national president of the ASME, when he addresses an ASME meeting at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, in the Chemistry Lecture Room.

Bailey, honorary member of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers, London, England, has made many outstanding accomplishments in work of the efficient utilization of coal.

Among these accomplishments is the development of a boiler meter as an aid to efficient combustion. This meter, now used all over the world, is built by the Bailey Meter Company, which he founded.

Having been influential in the education of young men for the profession of engineering, Bailey has written several papers dealing with the curricula and policy of engineering schools.

Many academic honors and engineering awards have been conferred upon Bailey including Doctor of Engineering from Lehigh University, 1937; and Doctor of Science from Lafayette College, in 1942. He was awarded the ASME Medal of the Society in 1942 for achievement and leadership in steam and combustion engineering.

Accompanying Bailey is Professor L. Helander, head of the Mechanical Engineering Department for Kansas State College and vice-president of the ASME.

Both Bailey and Professor Helander will be guests of the ASME here from Tuesday at noon until Wednesday morning.

Agriculturist Editor Needed

An editor for the 1948-49 Agriculturist is needed. Roland Bing, manager of student publications, has announced.

All prospective applicants from the School of Agriculture should file their applications with Bing before 5 p. m. Wednesday, he said.

The Student Agricultural Council will elect an editor Wednesday night from the list of applicants.

Air Force Reserve Will Present Film

The training film "Air Power and Armies" will be shown at the regular meeting of the 305th Composite Squadron, Air Force Reserve Lt. Col. W. L. McCulley, Air Force liaison representative has announced.

The meeting will be held at 7 p. m. tonight in Room 301, Goodwin Hall.

Representatives from Ft. Worth will be present to describe the work of Flight Service with the aid of a training film, McCulley added.

Accountants Hear Leland in Chicago

T. W. Leland, head of the Business and Accounting Department, here, presented a discussion of refresher courses at the meeting of the American Institute of Accountants in Chicago, September 22.

Leland also served as chairman of the committee on refresher courses at the Institute.

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