

Johnson Given 'Favorite Son' Role By State Demos in Dallas

DALLAS—(AP)—The State Democratic Convention ended its session last night after giving Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson everything he wanted but his choice for national committeewoman from Texas.

The senate majority leader won by an easy 1,306 to 524 vote a dispute within his own coalition. The issue was when punishment should be handed out to party leaders who followed Gov. Allan Shivers in his bolt to the GOP in 1952.

Johnson teamed with House Speaker Sam Rayburn in a combination of liberals and conservatives to oust Shivers as Democratic leader in Texas.

An hour before the test vote on Johnson's power over his own forces, the great majority of the convention joined in a noisy 20-minute "Johnson for president parade."

Johnson's leadership was threat-

ened by liberals in his coalition who wanted an immediate housecleaning of the Shivers-controlled State Democratic Executive Committee. Johnson and Rayburn advised that it might be illegal and that Texas Democrats would have a chance at the July local conventions and September state convention to install a loyal Democrat state committee.

The following were named as presidential electors by the convention:

Tom Cummings, Cooper; Houston

More Foresters Needed In South

Forest management in the South will be able to absorb 250 new foresters a year for the next five years, Bob Rhodes of the Range and Forestry Department, Texas A&M College, said today.

"The interesting thing is that most of the new jobs will probably be in private industry," Rhodes said.

The Range and Forestry Department is now completing its first year in offering two years of training in forestry. Students may take their freshman and sophomore work nearer home and transfer to an accredited forestry school to complete the requirements for a BS degree in forestry, Rhodes says.

The State of Texas will pay the out-of-state tuition to any accredited forestry school in the South for two additional years to obtain the degree. The state will also pay the fare for one round-trip each of the two years to the selected school, Rhodes says.

Thompson, Silsbee; G. A. Bodenheim, Longview; Phil Wolford, McKinney; Leslie Hackler, Dallas; Glen A. Williams, Bryan; William Wayne Justice, Athens; Jesse Andrews, Houston; Glen D. Birdwell, Richmond.

R. H. Montgomery, Austin; E. A. Camp, Rockdale; James H. Barren, Arlington; Houston McMurry, Henrietta; John E. Lyle, Corpus Christi; R. E. Bibb, Eagle Pass; Fred Hervey, El Paso; Jim B. Cooper, Blanket; Jerry Johnson, Amarillo; N. C. Outlaw, Post; Mrs. Maury Maverick, San Antonio; E. E. Murphy, San Angelo.

At Large: Dean F. Johnson, Houston; W. O. Cooper, Dallas; Rhea Howard, Wichita Falls.

Committees to screen the convention's "must" business did not meet until late afternoon. Named chairmen were:

Credentials, John B. Singleton of Harris County; permanent organization, Adrian Spears of Bexar County; resolutions, Elmer H. Parish of Wichita County; to nominate presidential electors, Clifton Carter of Brazos County; to nominate national committeeman and woman, Grover Sellers of Hopkins County.

Raymond Buck of Fort Worth was named permanent chairman of the convention and Vann M. Kennedy of Corpus Christi was elected permanent secretary. Dolph Briscoe of Uvalde was made parliamentarian.

Mrs. R. D. Randolph of Houston was named the next Democratic national committeewoman from Texas as forces of Sen. Johnson, who had opposed her, suddenly capitulated.

Street Repair Is Plan For Summer

The Board of Directors of the A&M College System has authorized the college to plan and accept bids on building and repairing several streets on the A&M campus, according to C. K. Leighton, construction engineer for the college.

"A new street extending from Bizzell St. south-west, intersecting Spence St. and ending at Nagle St. is being planned," Leighton said.

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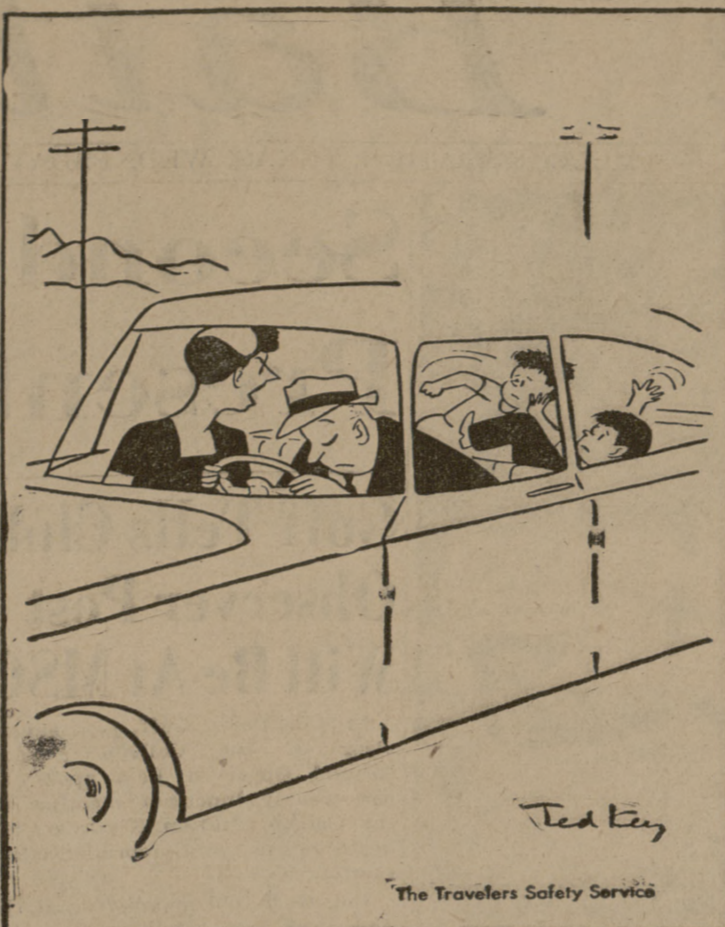
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Faculty Awards

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He was decorated with the Bronze Star. After his military service he returned to A&M for his veterinary work. Served as graduate assistant until he received his DVM degree in 1949, when he was employed as instructor in veterinary anatomy. He was promoted to assistant professor in 1951. One of his associates says, "Dr. Price has also given very freely of his time in aiding students individually and as groups." He is active in professional, civic and church work.

HOLLAND received his MS degree from A&M in 1949 and his PhD degree in 1953. His citation reads as follows:

"After three years of active duty in the U.S. Navy and some commercial chemical engineering experience, he came to A&M for graduate study. After serving as graduate assistant, he was made instructor in 1951. He is now assistant professor. Dr. Holland is not only a successful teacher but he has found time to make valuable contributions in the field of research. The publications covering his research constitute an imposing list."

J. GORDON GAY received his BA degree from the University of Alabama in 1924 and his MA from Vanderbilt University in 1926. His citation reads as follows:

"He has completed a number of

YMCA training courses. At Alabama and Vanderbilt he worked to earn expenses. After two years as director of Religious Activities at SMU, he came to A&M as associate secretary of the YMCA, 1928. Since 1952 he has been secretary of the YMCA. "He has dedicated himself to the raising of the spiritual level of our student body." Under his leadership we have one of the most meaningful Religious Emphasis Weeks in the nation."

ED NOTE: One of the new rooms in the YMCA was named after Gay after the recent remodeling of the building.

Johnson Quipped

AUSTIN—(AP)—Gov. Shivers did not attend the State Democratic Convention in Dallas yesterday, Sen. Lyndon Johnson obviously had control. So he quipped when he addressed the convention of the Retail Merchants Assn. of Texas: "I want to express to you my appreciation for holding a convention that I can attend."



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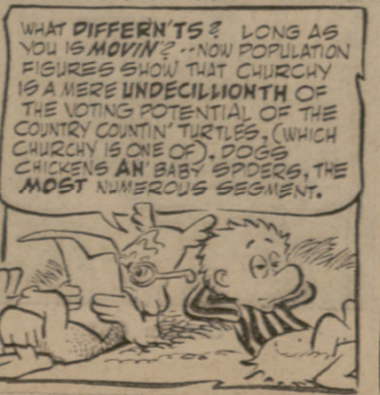
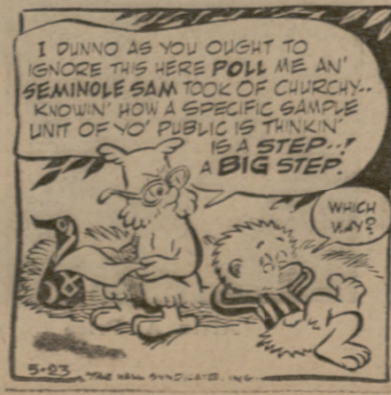
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