

## British Parachutists Invade Italy

### But Mission Fails As Fascists Mop Up Well-Armed Troops

ROME, Feb. 14 (AP)—A landing of British parachute troops armed with machine-guns, hand-grenades and dynamite to blow up communications and vital water supply facilities in lower Italy was reported today by the Italian high command, which said that all were captured "before they could cause the serious damage which they intended."

The British were said to have clashed with guards of the Italian look-out service and in this clash a civilian police deputy and another civilian were killed, the daily communique said. The attempt, by "nuclei of parachutists," as the high command described them, took place on the night of Feb. 10-11.

(British military circles in London said they knew nothing about such an attempted landing.)

The communique did not give the number of parachutists or the exact place of the attempt. It referred only to the "Calabria-Lucania" region.

The world's largest aqueduct system, the Appulian Aqueduct, runs through Calabria and Lu-

cania provinces, which form the toe and arch of the Italian boot. Two big hydro-electric plants, supplying power for railroads in southern Italy, also are in this region and they, too, have been British objectives.

The Appulian Aqueduct carries drinking water at a rate of 142-177 cubic feet per second for 152 miles from Copous Springs which are the source of the Sele river. A reservoir at Caposela collects water for the main aqueduct which is tapped by 1,507 miles of subsidiary aqueducts running to the cities of Foggia, Bari, Brindisi, Taranto and Lecce.

Before the aqueduct was built—the construction took place 1905-1928—the area was insufficiently supplied with drinking water, rainfall disappearing in the limestone plateau.

In recent years the aqueduct has helped land reclamation and irrigation projects to fulfill Italy's food needs. It is in this region now that Italy is seeking greater crops, not only for herself, but also to help supply Germany.

## New Drivers' License Law Is Approved

AUSTIN, Feb. 14 (AP)—A widely supported bill tightening the automobile drivers' license law and providing for addition of 200 state highway patrolmen will go before the house of representatives on an unanimous favorable committee report.

The house highways and motor traffic committee acted last night shortly after a two and one-half hour hearing. All of those speaking in the jammed committee room asserted that the bill would materially curtail traffic deaths.

Several committeemen said that the measure might evoke considerable floor discussion and therefore should be recommended immediately.

Neither branch of the legislature was in session today but both had mapped plenty of work next week on important matters.

Bills to abolish the "bat" in the state prison system were in the hands of a sub-committee of the senate penitentiaries committee. The main committee, after listening yesterday to a protest of Dr. S. M. Lister, chairman of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, and Mrs. J. A. Wessendorf of Richmond, president of the Texas Congress of Parent-Teachers were among the speakers in behalf of the drivers' license measure.

Asserting the bill would tighten restrictions on applicants for licenses, Walsh said it would "help us get automobiles out of the hands of lawbreakers and responsible motorists."

Under the bill, a private driver's license would cost 50 cents a year and the money would be used to hire extra patrolmen and administer the law. Backers of the proposal said it was modeled on the uniform drivers' license law now in effect in 36 states.

## Houston Air Field Enlargement Due

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 (AP)—Additional facilities at Ellington Field, Houston, Texas, to cost approximately \$166,000, were authorized by the war department today.

Officials said the additional work was made necessary by an increase in officer and enlisted personnel since other construction was started. The additional buildings authorized include three barracks, two mess halls, officers' quarters, two administration buildings, operations buildings, infirmaries, and a warehouse. Strength of the garrison eventually would be about 4,100 men, the department said.

## Seven Killed In Oxygen Explosion

DU QUOIN, Ill., Feb. 14 (AP)—Seven men were reported killed today in an explosion in the liquid oxygen plant of the United Electric Coal company.

The victims were identified by company officials as James Thornton, Lyle Cook, his brother, Russell, Lew Barker, John Bailey, John Rappasi, and Nelson Todd.

## Weather Forecast

U. S. Weather Bureau

WEST TEXAS: Fair tonight and Saturday except cloudy in south portion Saturday; somewhat warmer tonight in north portion.

EAST TEXAS: Fair, except increasing cloudiness in west and central portions, frost in extreme east portion nearly to coast, warmer in west portion tonight; Saturday generally cloudy, showers in west portion and near lower coast, warmer in east portion. Gentle to fresh northerly winds on the coast becoming southeasterly.

LOCAL WEATHER DATA

Highest temperature yesterday, 63.

Lowest temperature today, 56.4.

Sunset today, 6:31.

Sunrise tomorrow, 7:28.



ITALY AND SPAIN IN AGREEMENT—Premier Mussolini of Italy (right) chats with Generalissimo Franco of Spain (center) and Spanish Foreign Minister Ramon Serrano Suner during their meeting at Bordighera, Italy. From Rome came the announcement that Mussolini and Franco were in complete agreement on the wartime roles of Italy and Spain.

## Arbor Day Custom Of Planting Revived By Local Organizations

### Domestic Use Of Raw Cotton Sets Record

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 (AP)—Reflecting heavy military and civilian demand for textiles, consumption of raw cotton by American mills was reported by the census bureau today to have totaled 843,274 bales in January establishing a new monthly record. The previous record was 776,942 bales, established in March, 1937.

Consumption of cotton by domestic mills for the six months ending January 31 totaled 4,427,291 bales, compared with 4,011,936 in the corresponding period a year ago.

Cotton consumed during January totaled 843,274 bales of lint and 114,144 bales of linters, compared with 776,472 of lint and 104,536 of linters during December last, and 731,793 of lint and 90,848 of linters during January last year.

### ABClub Hears Roger Plaisted

Roger Plaisted of the Red Cross was guest speaker for the American Business Club luncheon Friday at the Settles hotel and talked on the need of accident prevention. M. Carnohan, who was in charge of the program, introduced the speaker.

Robert Hailey, ensign in the U. S. Navy, who is en route to San Francisco and then to the Hawaiian Islands with the navy, made a short talk.

Mrs. Joe Birdwell announced the P. F. A. sponsored picture show, "No, No, Nanette" to be held at the Ritz February 20th. The club voted to sponsor as individuals, the Arbor Day to be held February 21.

### Tree Planting Day Fixed For February 21

It's hard to estimate the value of a tree, especially in a country like West Texas. Nothing adds quite as much to the general appearance of a place or a town as trees.

It used to be that people made a practice of planting trees on an appointed Arbor Day, made quite a ceremony of it, too, for after all a tree is something.

Various individuals, organizations and institutions have responded to the idea to revive the Arbor Day custom here, and Friday, Feb. 21, has been fixed as the "official" tree planting date in Big Spring.

## Visual Education Class Scheduled

Dr. L. E. Cooper and J. F. McDonald, director of Extension at Texas Tech, will be guests at a meeting Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at the Settles hotel to organize a class in visual education.

The class is being opened with the cooperation of the city and county superintendents and all teachers of the Howard county and Martin county schools have been invited to attend.

If the enrollment is adequate at the preliminary meeting Monday night, Dr. Cooper will give the first lecture. The course is open to graduates and under-graduates and will give 3 semester hour credits. The course is to cost \$15.

## Shipyard At New Orleans Planned

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 14 (AP)—Plans were speeded today for construction of a six-way shipyard on the industrial canal westward to build 25 cargo ships within the next two years for the United States Maritime commission as part of the emergency ship building program.

Contract for the huge program which brings New Orleans into the forefront as a ship building center was signed in Washington yesterday by N. O. Pedrick and Theodore Brent, officers of Louisiana Shipyards, Inc., and Admiral Emory S. Land, chairman of the Maritime commission.

## British Planes Hit Albanian Targets

ATHENS, Feb. 14 (AP)—British headquarters in Greece announced today that "the heaviest and most successive bombing of the Albanian campaign" was carried out yesterday and the preceding night with Tirana, Albania's capital, and Durazzo, the principal port remaining in Italian hands, as principal targets.

Heavy bombers attacked aerodromes at Tirana and Durazzo in night raids, hangars and airframe buildings being hit," the communique said. "Four twin-engine bombers were destroyed by fire at Tirana."

## Charged With Fraud—Investment Firm Head Faces Trial

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14 (AP)—Handcuffed between two detectives, Robert J. Bolts was returned from Rochester, N. Y., today to answer fraud charges in connection with an investment business in which authorities say clients lost \$2,500,000.

The 54-year-old socially prominent investment counselor, known among associates as "Honest" Bob Bolts, was arrested on a Rochester street yesterday after a 16-week search and was turned over to two Philadelphia detectives there last night.

## Gravity Surrounds Reception Of New Japanese Ambassador

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 (AP)—The rapidly mounting tension in the Far East gave an unexpected touch of gravity today to Admiral Kichisaburo Nomura's appointment to present his credentials to President Roosevelt.

Although an ambassador's first visit to the White House normally is a diplomatic formality, Mr. Roosevelt has frequently utilized such occasions for extended talks with new envoys. The threatened crisis in the west Pacific and the fact that the president and the new Japanese ambassador are old friends made it unlikely that the meeting would be a perfunctory one.

## Methodist Men Slate Banquet

The annual Men's Bible class banquet will be held at 7 o'clock Friday night at the First Methodist church. Dr. L. U. Spellman of San Angelo is to be guest speaker.

George White will be toastmaster. Members are invited to bring their wives as guests for the banquet.

## New Aviation Classes Open Here Soon

### Chamber Of Commerce To Sponsor Fourth Ground School

Preparations were being made here Friday for launching the city's fourth ground school as a part of the Civilian Pilot Training program.

All persons between the ages of 19 and 25, as of Feb. 1, are eligible to enter the class as competitors for flight scholarships. Cost of the course will be \$1.95 for text books and \$6 for a Civil Aeronautics Administration physical examination.

In the event those who have participated in a previous ground school course here wish to join the class, they will not be required to take a new physical examination.

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## War Fuses Smolder In Far East, Balkans

### Germany Presses Yugoslavia For Passage Of Nazi Troops

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, Feb. 14 (AP)—Germany was reported today to be pressing Yugoslavia to open to gray-clad Nazi divisions along the Danube river the historic Vardar river road of conquest to Greece and the eastern Mediterranean.

Diplomatic quarters said they had received reports that Germany wants the Yugoslav route in addition to unopposed passage through Bulgaria so her troops could reach as many points as possible in Greece and the Mediterranean sector. These quarters expressed belief the Bulgarian route already was assured.

### Ships To US From Manila Overcrowded

Australian War Cabinet Holds Secret Meeting

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 (AP)—President Roosevelt told a press conference today that the new warnings to Americans to get out of the Far East represented a repetition of previous warnings.

He made this observation when asked whether the warnings were merely a routine repetition or as a result of increased gravity of the Pacific situation.

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## Senate May Ask Hull To Give Report

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 (AP)—Senator Wiley (R-Wis.) suggested today that the senate hold a "closed executive session" next week to receive from Secretary Hull and his assistants "a report on world conditions."

Wiley told the senate that there should be a "realistic appraisal of our whole American-British relations" in connection with the forthcoming debate on the administration's aid-to-Britain bill.

## Ethiopians Claim Growing Power

CAIRO, Egypt, Feb. 14 (AP)—Ethiopian (patriot forces) co-operating with the British "are steadily extending the spheres of their control" in the campaign to wrest Ethiopia from the Italians, the British command reported today.

## Fort Worth Man Fatally Stabbed

FORT WORTH, Feb. 14 (AP)—Jessie Leon Owens, 31, was fatally stabbed in an altercation today at a highway night spot, near here. He was given a blood transfusion soon after arrival at a hospital with Ed Thurn, ambulance driver, the blood donor.

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## Bride Complimented At Gift Tea In The Home Of Mrs. Mills

STANTON, Feb. 14 (Sp1)—Mrs. Josephine Houston presided at the bride's book. Other members of the house party were Kathryn Barfield, Marjorie Blackerby, Mary George Morris, Virginia Atchison, Ruth Kelly, Alice Mae Widner and Ruby Atchison, Mrs. T. E. Bentley and Mrs. J. E. Moffett.

A program presented during the afternoon consisted of songs by Sue Jane Zimmerman, Lou Yena McCoy, and Joe Jones. Mary Sue Moffett and Becky Bentley presented the gifts to the honoree.

Included on the invitation list were Mrs. Earl Burns, Mrs. Walter Henson, Mrs. J. D. Poe, Mrs. John Priddy, Mrs. Fillmore Epley, Mrs. Earl Huston, Mrs. George Bond, Mrs. Elizabeth Graves, Mrs. John Epley, Mrs. A. W. Keitling, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Calvin Jones, Mrs. J. T. Mills, Mrs. Margaret Moffett, Mrs. Floyd Smith, Mrs. Harry Halp, Mrs. A. L. Houston, Mrs. J. H. Zimmerman, Mrs. G. B. Shelbourne, Mrs. Eva Joyner, Mrs. John Atchison, Mrs. Alta Henson, Mrs. E. Mims, Mrs. J. J. Henton, Mrs. Hobbs Hamilton, Mrs. E. T. Hill, Mrs. Ray Simpson of Midland, Mrs. Otis Blackerby, Mrs. Walter Kelley, Mrs. Owen Kelly, Mrs. Ben Carpenter, Mrs. S. T. Stroud, Mrs. Jim Tom, Mrs. Tommie Foreman, Mrs. Bill Etheridge, Mrs. H. A. Houston, Mrs. Ferg Atchison, Mrs. Morgan Hall, Mrs. Earl Douglas, Mrs. E. Price, Mrs. B. P. Edson, Mrs. Arlo Forrest, Mrs. Bart Smith, Mrs. Raymond Bennett, Mrs. J. Bickley of Greenville, Mrs. J. L. Hall, Mrs. A. R. Houston, Mrs. Bob Schell, Mrs. P. L. Daniels, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. D. Rogers, Mrs. Flora Morris, Mrs. John Poe, Mrs. H. A. Poole, Mrs. Chas. Eberhard, Mrs. Jim McCoy, Mrs. O. C. Turner, Mrs. Evelyn Woodard, Mrs. Poe Woodard, Mrs. Clark Hamilton, Mrs. R. G. DeBerry, Mrs. J. H. Kelly, Mrs. G. T. Hall of Big Spring, Mrs. Horace Blocker, Mrs. Ogal Avery, Mrs. Andy Widner, Mrs. J. B. Lamar, Mrs. Gilbert Graves, Mrs. Robert Anglin, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Mrs. Earl Powell, Mrs. J. E. Kelly, Mrs. Earl Eiland, Mrs. W. W. Eiland, Mrs. J. D. Richards, Mrs. Paul Peeler, Mrs. V. Y. Sadler, Mrs. G. L. Thompson, Mrs. J. B. Collier, Mrs. J. C. Safe, Mrs. Woodford Sale, Mrs. J. R. Sale, Mrs. Barney Mims, Mrs. Atchison, Miss Mamie McDurman, Miss Mina Cason, Miss Bernice Cason, Miss Margie Richards, Miss Ida Joyner, Miss Angela Schell, Miss Loretta Schell, Miss Erlene Peters, Miss Maude Alexander, Miss Mildred Wright, Miss Mary Frudie Story, and Miss Tommie Keitling, Fannie Lucky, Lela Hamilton.

## College Heights Has Candlelight Ceremony

A candlelight ceremony observed Founder's Day for the College Heights P-T-A when members met Thursday night at the school. Mrs. H. G. Keaton gave a talk on the founders of the Texas Congress of Teachers and Parents.

The devotional was given by the Rev. C. F. Morton and a special number was given by the West Texas trio composed of Mrs. H. E. Blount, Mrs. F. J. Gibson and Mrs. J. L. Billings. The trio sang "The Great Divide."

Martelle McDonald, guest speaker, talked on "Responsible Participation in Our Democracy."

A nominating committee composed of Mrs. R. E. Blount, Mrs. M. A. Cook and Letha Amerson was chosen. The sixth grade room pupils taught by Letha Amerson won the room count.

A Valentine motif was used in the table decorations and cake and punch were served.

Others present were Mrs. F. M. Gray, Mrs. Joe Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Adkins, Mrs. Alton Underwood, Mrs. Aultman Smith, Mrs. Clinton E. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nall, Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blount, Mrs. Billings, Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Jimmie Tucker, Mrs. Keaton, the Rev. Morton, A. O. Womble, Mrs. J. L. Cockerell.

Mrs. O. L. Nabors, Mrs. M. A. Cook, Helen Reese, Mrs. J. C. Velvin, Hazel Rockwood, Mrs. C. H. Parker, Mrs. Joe B. Harrison, Neal Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Watson, Letha Amerson, Mrs. W. D. Berry, Mrs. J. D. Faulkner, W. C. Blankenship, Mr. and Mrs. Martelle McDonald, Sally Keller.

What Not Club Has Its Party In Coahoma In Home Of Mrs. Smith

Mrs. Phil Smith entertained the What Not Club in her home in Coahoma Thursday and Mrs. Frank Adcock won high score. Mrs. Bob Satterwhite was second high scorer and Mrs. John Matthews binged.

Mrs. Ralph Hamilton was a guest and refreshments used hearts for decoration. Others playing were Mrs. Jimmy Bunch, Mrs. E. H. Thorpe, Mrs. Leonard Coker, Mrs. Lonnie Coker.

Joan Pickle Given Two Parties On Her Birthday

Joan Lewis Pickle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randall Pickle, was honored on her tenth birthday anniversary Thursday afternoon with a Valentine party in her home.

The table was decorated with the birthday cake and four red candles in white holders were around the cake.

Valentine games were played and present were Ronald Knous, Beverly, Peggy and Billie Jean King, Betty Lou McGinnis, Dorothy, Rosa May and Wanda Taylor, Sue Caroline Wasson, Charles Moody, Don Pickle, Richard Deane.

J. E. Nutt, Mary Nell Deason, Mary Louise Rose, Joy Barnaby, Janice Nalley, Louis Barnett Rix, Jr., Thomas Rix Pickle, Mrs. Coy Nalley, Mrs. W. N. King, Mrs. Joe Pickle, and the two grandmothers, Mrs. Arthur Pickle, Mrs. H. L. Rix.

Joan was also honored at a dinner party Thursday night in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Arthur Pickle. Attending were Beverly and Peggy King, Janice Nalley, Ronald Knous and Donald Pickle.

Visit Parents

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Barnett of Dallas are here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wasson. Mrs. Wasson has been ill at her home for several days.

Liquid fire was used in the siege of Syracuse in 413 B.C. and in the siege of Rhodes in 304 B.C.

Howard County Federation To Have Program

A patriotic program will be held for the Howard county federation meeting Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the judge's chambers.

Mr. W. J. McAdams is the leader. A salute to the flag will be given and "God Bless America" sung. Mrs. Oble Bristow will read a paper on "Heart and Soul of the Constitution," by Sol Bloom. National airs will be played on the accordion by Mrs. Larson Lloyd.

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## Ticket Sales For PTA Show Get Underway

Ticket sales for the P-T-A. Council sponsored picture show, "No, No, Nanette," to be held February 20th at the Ritz, are getting underway, according to council representatives.

During the week, representatives have contacted the Lions club, American Business club, Kiwanis and on Monday will meet with the Rotary club to distribute tickets.

Each P-T-A. president has selected four women to assist in selling the tickets and a \$5 prize is being offered by J. H. Green, to stimulate selling of the tickets, to the two women who sell the largest number. Funds will be used for the spring conference to be held here on April 8-10.

## Miss Laneous Notes

By MARY WHALEY

After our recent sandstorm, we have put our inventive mind to work and have another gadget that we are going to get the patent on soon. It is to resemble a diving helmet only will be of glass-like substance so that one can see through.

It will fit securely over the head and about the neck so that the wind can blow its 85 miles an hour without ruffling a hair. Folks can walk about with their eyes open and yet keep the sand out.

This will be a crude little arrangement at first but later on, after it is perfected we can add decorations, maybe a flower or two to make it look more like a hat. Women would always rather be stylish than comfortable.

But this invention would be for men as well as women. Men could stand upright instead of bent over at an angle to keep their hats on their heads.

Then as an added attraction on these "no blow bonnets" we could add paper weights to be hung from women's skirts at spaces of every few inches. Then no matter which direction the wind comes in, women will be able to walk gracefully without worrying about our skirts.

We think our idea will receive the unanimous applause of the world, or at least West Texas, where walking in the wind has a woman on the spot. The wind goes waw and she has a split second to make up her mind whether to lose her hat or her dignity.

Our invention would take the element of chance out of it.

Bridal Shower Given For Mrs. Franklin

A surprise bridal shower was given for Mrs. J. E. Franklin by the members of the Church of God Woman's prayer meeting held in her home Tuesday afternoon.

Attending were Mrs. Odella Wagner, Mrs. Oble Lawson, Mrs. Dave Pierce, Mrs. George Ely, Mrs. W. H. McMurray, Mrs. Hale, Mrs. W. W. Smith, Mrs. S. T. Franklin, Mrs. Rex G. Kustion, Mrs. H. G. Russell, Mrs. J. D. Briggs, Mrs. Cook.

Mrs. Willie Digby, Mrs. Colter, Mrs. Joe Lee, Mrs. Juanita Gilbert, Onita Franklin, Fay and Mae Smithers, Mrs. S. P. Denton and the honoree.

Sending gifts were Mrs. Odell Buchanan, Mrs. Rattiff.

Variety Club Gives Farewell Gift To Mrs. M. Carnohan

Mrs. M. Carnohan entertained the Variety club in her home Thursday with a Valentine bridge and high score was won by Mrs. T. A. Pharr, Mrs. L. B. Dudley won second high score and Mrs. H. A. Stegner binged.

Ten guests were Mrs. Earl Bibb and Mrs. W. C. Henley. Members presented Mrs. Carnohan with glassware as a farewell gift. Mrs. Carnohan is leaving Saturday for Abilene where she will make her home.

Others playing were Mrs. Joe Birdwell, Mrs. Merie Dempsey, Mrs. Jake Bishop, Mrs. Rupert Phillips, Mrs. Charles Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Driver and Mrs. George Handley left Friday morning for Hobbs, N. M. Mrs. Handley was returning to her home after a visit of several days with Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Collins. Mr. and Mrs. Driver will return Saturday.

## Daily Calendar Of Week's Events

FRIDAY  
WOODMEN CIRCLE will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the W. O. W. hall.  
MODERN WOMAN'S FORUM will meet at 7:30 o'clock with Mrs. G. O. Sawtelle Wooster Apartments on Main.

SATURDAY  
HOWARD COUNTY FEDERATION will meet at 2 o'clock at the judge's chambers.

## West Ward Has Tree Planting Ceremony On Campus Thursday

A tree planting ceremony was conducted by Olive Ann Hale for the West Ward P-T-A when members met at the school Thursday afternoon. The tree was dedicated to the founder of Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, the late Mrs. Ella Caruthers Porter of Dallas.

Mrs. C. W. Deats was in charge of the program and pupils of Mundt's room gave a song, "Our Valentines" and the elementary choral club gave a song, "A Message to the Fish."

Mrs. L. A. Deason read an article, "Imagining for Peace—A Possibility."

The primary choral club sang "Chuff, Chuff," and Mrs. C. R. Moad discussed citizenship at home.

Mrs. W. W. McCormick presided during a business session when a nominating committee including Mrs. Cecil Penick, Mrs. Justin Holmes and Mrs. E. E. Shanks, was elected.

The group also voted to furnish material and make supplies for the two West Ward school choruses. Announcement was made concerning the P-T-A. Council sponsored picture show February 20th, "No, No, Nanette," by Mrs. Della K. Agnell. In charge of ticket sales at the school are Mrs. E. H. Montgomery, Mrs. H. D. Stewart, Mrs. Randall Pickle, Mrs. Deats.

Mrs. Della K. Agnell's room won the room count. Others present were Mrs. F. E. Timmons, Mrs. R. C. Hill, Mrs. W. C. Kibbough, Mrs. Lewis Murdock, Mrs. C. L. Kirkland, Mrs. H. Justif Holmes, Mrs. B. F. Carr, Mrs. M. C. Knowles, Mrs. L. L. Redwine, Mrs. C. C. Harris, Mrs. J. E. Kitt, Mrs. T. B. McKinnis, Mrs. L. R. Slaughter, Mrs. Claude Epler.

Mrs. H. D. Drake, Mrs. R. L. Baber, Mrs. C. F. Ingram, Mrs. E. E. Shanks, Mrs. Bill White, Mrs. Horace Beene, Mrs. Roy Wilson, Mrs. R. G. Burnett, Mrs. Neel Barnaby, Mrs. S. L. Thurman, Mrs. Marschel Howell, Mrs. D. W. Anderson, Mrs. Roy Lee, Mrs. J. B. Lamb, Ethel Lee Potter, Ruby Lee Sherrad, Ernie Sherrad, Mrs. M. E. Boatman.

Mrs. Joe Dorton, Mrs. R. A. Weinkauff, Mrs. J. M. Taylor, Mrs. A. T. Bryant, Mrs. R. W. Brown, Mrs. J. H. Fryor, Mrs. M. C. Prevoy, Vera Winn, Mrs. Harry Montgomery, Mrs. S. T. Hogg, Mrs. Guy Howie, Mrs. J. J. Payne, Mrs. J. D. Briggs, Mrs. A. W. Pearson, Mrs. Zora Carter, Mrs. Leighton Mundt, Mrs. Gene Gardner, Mrs. George Brown, Billie Suggs, Lee Antley, Mrs. H. H. Rutherford.

Mrs. R. C. Anderson, William R. Dawes, Jack Holladay, Mrs. H. D. Stewart, Mrs. Agnell.

## Officers Attend Special Meet Of Royal Neighbors

Three officials were special guests Thursday at the Royal Neighbors meeting at the W. O. W. hall and included Mrs. Myrtle Estes Carter of Abilene, Mrs. Martha Archibald of Abilene and Mrs. Myrtle McMillan of San Antonio.

Mrs. Jack Henry and Mrs. A. M. Richardson were voted in as new members. Mrs. Carter made a talk to the organization concerning insurance and policy.

Refreshments were served and others present were Mrs. J. E. Nares, Mrs. Shelby Hall, Mrs. R. L. Halley, Mrs. J. T. Byrns, Mrs. A. M. Runyan, Mrs. Oma McCormick, Mrs. L. S. Bonner, Mrs. E. O. Hicks, Mrs. J. W. Orr, Mrs. E. W. Burleson. Mrs. Claude Wright.

## Southwest And Its Fiction Is Program For Stanton Club

STANTON, Feb. 14 (Sp1)—The Stanton Study club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Calvin Jones for a program on fiction of the southwest. Mrs. Earl Powell, president, presided over the business meeting, and the club decided to buy new books for the Martin county library, which is sponsored by the organization. Mrs. Powell also appointed a nominating committee to choose officers for next year, by the next meeting.

On the committees were Mrs. Jim Tom, Mrs. Arlo Forrest and Mrs. Robert Anglin.

Mrs. Ode Hazlewood was director of the program for the afternoon, and also gave an interesting account of "Humor and Tall Tales of the Southwest." Mrs. Earl Powell told of narratives of the early days, and read a story of West Texas by O. Henry. Mrs. J. E. Kelly discussed prominent novelists of the southwest and told of several of the books they had written.

Present were Mrs. P. L. Daniels, Mrs. B. F. Smith, Mrs. Robert Anglin, Mrs. Ode Hazlewood, Mrs. E. Kelly, Mrs. Ode Hazlewood, Mrs. Powell and the hostess.

## Study Club To Give Coffee For Head Of Federated Clubs

FORSAN, Feb. 14 (Sp1)—Mrs. J. D. Galt led the lesson on Peru at the study club meeting Tuesday afternoon and Mrs. I. L. Watkins talked on Peru and Lima.

Mrs. H. D. Williams discussed the University of San Marcos and Mrs. Harry Miller told of the Bolivian Museum. Mrs. Bill Conger and Mrs. C. B. Connally discussed the subject of the education of Latin America and the Lima conference.

The club voted to act as co-hostess with the Sterling City club to entertain Mrs. J. W. Walker, state federated club president, with a coffee on February 18th at 10 o'clock in the home of Ethel Foster of Sterling City.

The group also voted to sponsor a bridge and forty-two tournament on the evening of March 4th. A box of clothing was packed for the Mexican mission.

Others present were Mrs. Lloyd Burkhardt, Mrs. T. L. Campbell, Mrs. W. B. Dunn, Mrs. Paul Johnson, Mrs. Lloyd Rippey, Mrs. W. K. Scudday, Mrs. C. C. Kent, Mrs. H. A. Smith, Lois Smith, Mrs. Cleo Wilson, Margaret Johnson, Ila Bartlett.

The modern steam locomotive contains about 7,500 parts.

## Study Group Has A Lesson In War And Democracy

A double lesson on "Ships that Sail in the Sea" and "War, What and Who to Make It," was given for the College Heights Study group at the school Thursday.

Mrs. E. E. Fahrenkamp led the discussion on "Ships that Sail in the Sea" and pointed out that even as great a nation as the United States couldn't march through history alone and insulated from outside influences.

Mrs. H. G. Keaton had the discussion on the second topic and told that war is caused by individuals and that the world must relearn the way of democracy.

Others present were Mrs. J. F. Jennings, Mrs. S. R. Nobles, Mrs. M. A. Cook, Mrs. Aultman Smith.

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Mrs. Aubrey O. Nichols entertained her son, Garry, in the home of Mrs. Joe Barbee on his eighth birthday anniversary Thursday afternoon.

Balloons, red valentine suckers and napkins were favors. Games were played and Jo Anne Queen gave readings.

Others present were Gary Lee Bialack, Jimmie Frank Wilson, Gene Balch, Lillra Queen, Patjo Jo Barbee, Jo Ann Queen, Margaret Nichols, Peggy Rose Barbee and Billy McMillion.

Sending gifts were Bettie Sue and Dee Jon Davis, Dewey Ray Phelan and George Bugg.

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By the Associated Press  
Only twice-beaten Southern Methodist and down-trodden Texas Christian stand in the way of Arkansas' mighty Razorbacks as they roar down the stretch of the Southwest conference basketball race.  
The Porkers won their eighth straight last night with a 48-43 decision over the Rice Owls, thus reaching the two-thirds stage of the campaign without a conference loss.  
The defeat toppled Rice from mathematical consideration and left only S. M. U. with much of a chance of stopping the Razorbacks. But the Mustangs would have to take two games from the Porkers to get into the title running. Winless T. C. U. also has two games with Arkansas.  
Texas, loser of three games and resting in third place in the standing, plays Baylor's four-times beaten Bears at Waco tonight to wind up the week's play.  
Rice made it a battle last night against the tall Porkers with Frankie Carswell keeping the Owls in the game, even until the final minutes, with his sharp-shooting.  
Carswell was high scorer with 18 points. Gordon Carpenter, Arkansas sophomore, was runner-up with 15.

# Recreational News

The Sew and So club had its regular meeting at ABC park Tuesday. After a short business meeting, the group enjoyed a Valentine party. Mary Lou Redwine won the prize for tearing out paper and musical hearts. Louis Patton won in the candy valentine hunt. Prizes were candy hearts. All the children received valentines from the box. Others present were Dorothy Brown, Polye Brown, Peggy Myers, Grace Atkinson.  
The ABC park midweek basketball team defeated Michigan Plaza Tuesday afternoon 21 to 14. Outstanding players for the winners were Ben Kirkland, Marvin Wright and J. D. Matlock.  
The City-WPA recreation department is organizing the arts and craft classes at the city auditorium. Materials have been obtained, and are now available for those who are interested in woodwork. A leader in arts and crafts will be in charge to assist the amateur craftsman in his work from 2 to 6 p. m. each week day, Monday through Friday.

# Cleveland Signs Catcher At \$16,000

CLEVELAND, Feb. 14 (AP)—Rolie Hemesley packed his bags for spring training today and stuffed into his pocket a contract calling for the highest salary ever paid a Cleveland catcher.  
President Alva Bradley of the Indians announced Hemesley had signed after a long-distance telephone call from the catcher's farm home near Dixon, Mo.  
Bradley said Hemesley had been promised a bonus if he had a "good year." The contract was reported to call for \$16,000, with \$1,000 hanging. The popular catcher was believed to have received \$13,500 plus a \$1,000 bonus last season.  
Finland had more rain in November, 1940, than in any other month since 1848.

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# Sports

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# AMERICAN VOLLEYBALL Sissy Game Compared To Turkish, Says Man Who's Played Both

AP Feature Service  
PARKVILLE, Mo. — John J. Karakash, Park College director of athletics and a former Turkish college valley ball team captain, has little respect for the American version of valley ball.  
"The way they play it over here, it's something sissy," he says.  
"Many times in Istanbul I have seen a player carried out when a smash over the net caught him in the face. I've been taken out in the same way. It's a big game over there. Crowds of 15,000 attend championship contests."  
Karakash's comments explain his vicious style of play, a style that often enabled him single-handed to defeat a team of six American boys.  
To Park's 500 students he is known as "Mr. Chain Store" because his Greek name sounds so much like "cash and carry." To Park's faculty members he is known as a lecturer, scientist, educator, and linguist as well as an athlete.  
For four years he was the champion javelin thrower of Turkey with a toss of 217 feet. While a student at Robert college in Istanbul he also played soccer, competed in track, and with his brother held the national doubles rowing championship.  
Karakash, 25, was studying electrical engineering in Turkey when a scholarship brought him to Duke university where he was graduated in 1937 after winning the Southern conference javelin throw.

# LAMESA BASEBALL CLUB HAS SEIGE OF MANAGER TROUBLE

LAMESA, Feb. 14 (Sp) — The Lamesa Lobos are having manager trouble.  
Sometime ago, it was thought Hack Miller had been obtained to serve as catcher-manager during the 1941 season, but now it begins to look as if he will be unable to get a release from his present employer, the Meridian, Miss. club.  
Officials at Lamesa have been striving for weeks to get his release. It has been ruled that Meridian is under no obligation to release Miller, although one of the club's officials had given a verbal promise to do so.  
Popular demand for Miller is so great here that officials have asked Meridian to name a price for releasing his contract, and if the figure can be reached, Miller will be bought.  
Should efforts to obtain Miller fail, officials of the Lamesa club are already negotiating with another prospective manager. One or the other will likely be signed up by next weekend.  
Following are officials of the Lamesa club: J. H. Harp, president; L. B. Vaughn, vice president; Leo Randall, secretary; Dr. R. F. Nix, assistant secretary; Bill White, publicity director.  
He's Refugee From Sandwich  
PASADENA, Calif. — Oliver B. Prickett, formerly of the Pasadena Community Playhouse cast, then of the Hollywood Film colony, is back in Pasadena, a refugee from a sandwich. In the first role assigned him, he was required to eat a double-decker clubbush sandwich all the while conversing. The scene had to be shot 12 times—with a fresh sandwich for each shot. But Prickett will return to Hollywood.

# SCHEDULES

Trains—Eastbound  
No. 2 7:00 a. m. 7:25 a. m.  
No. 6 11:10 p. m. 11:30 p. m.

Trains—Westbound  
No. 11 9:00 p. m. 9:15 p. m.  
No. 7 7:25 a. m. 7:55 a. m.

Buses—Eastbound  
3:05 a. m. 3:10 a. m.  
6:29 a. m. 6:34 a. m.  
9:25 a. m. 9:45 a. m.  
10:40 p. m. 10:45 p. m.

Buses—Westbound  
4:00 a. m. 4:00 a. m.  
9:45 a. m. 9:55 a. m.  
3:05 p. m. 3:10 p. m.  
7:45 p. m. 7:54 p. m.

Buses—Northbound  
9:41 a. m. 9:45 p. m.  
3:10 p. m. 3:30 p. m.  
7:53 p. m. 8:00 p. m.

Buses—Southbound  
2:35 a. m. 7:15 a. m.  
9:20 a. m. 10:15 a. m.  
4:35 p. m. 3:25 p. m.  
10:35 p. m. 11:00 p. m.

Plane—Eastbound  
6:04 p. m. 6:09 p. m.

Plane—Westbound  
7:37 p. m. 7:47 p. m.

MAIL CLOSINGS  
Eastbound  
Train ..... 7:00 a. m.  
Truck ..... 10:40 a. m.  
Plane ..... 8:51 p. m.  
Westbound  
Train ..... 11:00 a. m.  
Train ..... 7:30 a. m.  
Plane ..... 7:21 p. m.  
Train ..... 8:45 p. m.  
Northbound  
Truck ..... 7:30 a. m.  
Star, Rural Routes—9:00 a. m.

# Default Puts Piper Ahead At Ft. Worth

Brady Piper, 159 pound middleweight champion of the Big Spring district golden gloves meet, advanced through the first round of the state meet at Fort Worth Thursday night by default, his opponent failing to show up.  
At the same time, another Big Spring contender, Clifton Patton, heavyweight, failed to show up and Jay Turner of Sweetwater advanced by default.  
Two winners of the local district journey will enter the ring at Fort Worth tonight, according to schedule—Charles Watson of Colorado City, lightweight, and Ynes Yanes, flyweight.  
Saturday, Jimmy Harrison, bantam, and James Cooper, welter, both of Colorado City, and J. W. Coates of Big Spring, light heavy, will enter the fracas.

PORT WORTH, Feb. 14 (AP)—Aubrey Poole of Houston, defending heavyweight champion, meets the guy figured to give him his strongest test of the golden gloves tournament in tonight's second round.  
Poole, who took out Roy Priolo, Amarillo high school football player, by a knockout in opening battle last night, meets Jay Turner, Sweetwater star, who won by default over Clifton Patton of Big Spring.  
This will be one of 32 bouts cutting the original field of 160 boxers to below the hundred mark.  
Richard Menchaca of Fort Arthur, national bantamweight champion last year, squares off with Roger Sanchez of San Antonio tonight. Menchaca punched out a decision over Harold Lawler of Tyler in the opening round while Sanchez was beating James Russell of Wichita Falls.

# SPORTS ROUNDUP

By EDDIE BRIEZY  
NEW YORK, Feb. 14 (AP)—Take it from your Uncle Dudley, Joe DiMaggio is just as good as in the Yankees fold. This Mike Kaplan from up Boston way should move to New York. He's boxed here seven times and has yet to drop a decision. Jack Doyle, the "wizard of odds," may not fool with a baseball book this year because of the uncertainty of the draft. In Toledo, where Byron Nelson spends his spare moments, they've chartered a special pullman to go to Fort Worth for the national open in June. Many others will make the trip via auto. Lou Nova is back in town, all dressed up and no place to go.

# Rubinoff Will Give Matinee For Children

The afternoon of Feb. 26 will be a red letter day in the lives of several hundred school children in Big Spring and vicinity. Rubinoff is coming to town and a lot of them will get to cut a class or two for their school's turn-out for the special matinee performance.  
Lloyd Brooks, chairman of ticket sales, yesterday named John Coffee and Herschel Summerlin to head activities for the matinee performance.  
Exceptionally low admission prices are being offered for this performance, which will be for students and teachers only.  
The Rubinoff concert is being brought to Big Spring by the Kiwanis club, all proceeds above concert costs going to the club's underprivileged children's fund.

# Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS  
1. Obliteration  
2. White border  
3. Indians  
4. One who stares open-mouthed  
5. Volcanic island  
6. Out of the way  
7. Wrong; preda  
8. In green  
9. Tidy sleep  
10. Saddy  
11. Saddle  
12. Star  
13. Cylindrical  
14. Toward  
15. Series river  
16. The yellow  
17. Plural ending  
18. Scotch chemist  
19. Distressed  
20. Negative  
21. Canvas shelter  
22. Repeated  
23. Border trim  
24. Border trim  
25. Showers  
26. Thrive; pedic  
27. Addie  
28. Mean  
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30. Riddle  
31. Strained  
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# Garner, Forsan Play Crucial Game Tonight

# Championship Of County May Be Determined

Baseball championship of Howard county may be decided tonight in a clash between the crack Garner and Forsan teams, although finals in the tournament at Midway will not be staged until Saturday evening.  
Based on season's records, either Garner or Forsan is hoped to be stronger than Coahoma, holder of a bye in the first round of the tournament set for 7:30 p. m. However, the Bulldogs from Coahoma are capable of pulling a surprise.  
Both the Garner and Forsan teams have thrived through an active schedule with only four losses, and those to strong teams. Forsan has a slight edge by virtue of a victory over Garner last week in the Garner tournament, which the Buffaloes won. Garner has a tournament victory to his credit, having socked up the Garden City set-6.  
Fans look for a fast, furious and close game in the Midway gym, the winner being favored to sail on through to the county title and to the district tournament in Sweetwater Feb. 21-22. Big Spring does not compete in the city-county tourney since Howard county is operated on the city-county unit system in interscholastic cage play.  
Garner and Forsan junior boys also will play this evening, meeting Coahoma Juniors Saturday for the title. Garland Hannaford, Midway, will call the games.

# Texas Relays Plans Begin To Shape Up

AUSTIN, Feb. 14—With Lawson Robertson, famous University of Pennsylvania and three-time Olympic coach, installed as head referee, the 14th Texas Relays are beginning to shape up. Date of the University of Texas annual track and field extravaganza is April 5.  
Special events this year will include another hurdles race between Fred Wolcott of Rice and Boyce Gatewood of Texas hot rivals during their three varsity seasons, according to Director Clyde Littlefield's preliminary plans.  
Dimpled Knees To Be Covered  
WORLD, Wyo. — Band uniforms with shorts that show dimpled knees of girls may be all right in warmer climates but not in World. T. J. O'Mara, superintendent of the school, said it got too cold in Wyoming for shorts and that all girl band members including the drum majorette would have full-length trousers when the band got new uniforms.

# Lookin 'em Over

Although the 1941 baseball season will get underway with no radical changes in rules and regulations governing organized members of leagues throughout the nation, the months have brought a few shakeups.  
Main changes have been connected with the signing and recommendation of players by the officials of one club for those of another, not that these items have actually undergone a readjustment but have only been clarified.  
But, the 1941 baseball season is due to mark the beginning of something that has been neglected for so many years—that is, increasing the game's appeal to the youngsters of the nation.  
Spade work along this line has already been done by those interested in the sport who were quick enough to see the handwriting on the wall.  
Service clubs have sponsored knothole gangs in various cities, and these have resulted in a measure of benefit for all concerned, but as yet a concerted effort by all baseball organizations has been lacking.

# RADIO LOG

Friday Evening  
5:15 Twilight Serenade.  
5:45 Alvin Roy Orchestra.  
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.  
6:15 To Be Announced.  
6:30 Sports Spotlight.  
6:45 News.  
7:00 Uncle Bob Your Mutual Statesman  
7:30 Laugh 'N' Swing Club.  
8:00 Songs of Billie Davis.  
8:15 Reminiscing In Rhythm.  
8:30 I Want A Divorce.  
9:00 Raymond Gram Swing.  
9:15 News: Harry Wismer, Sports  
9:30 The Lone Ranger.  
10:00 News.  
10:15 Goodnight.  
Saturday Morning  
7:00 Musical Clock.  
7:30 News.  
7:45 To Be Announced.  
8:00 News.  
8:05 Musical Interlude.  
8:15 Musical Impressions.  
8:30 Rainbow Trio.  
8:45 Pals of the Golden West.  
9:00 Organ Melodies.  
9:15 Morning Devotions.  
9:30 Sunday School Lesson.  
10:00 News: John Agnew, Organ.  
10:15 BBC News.  
10:30 U. S. Army Band.  
11:00 Musical Interlude.  
11:05 Dr. Amos R. Wood.  
11:10 Music by Willard.  
11:30 "11:30 Inc."  
12:00 Saturday Afternoon  
12:15 Curstone Reporter.  
12:30 BBC News.  
12:45 Concert Miniatures.  
1:00 Carnegie Tech Symphony Orchestra.  
1:30 Banner Birthday Club.  
2:00 Cumberland Valley Chorists.  
2:30 Diplomacy of the Western Hemisphere.  
3:00 To Be Announced.  
3:15 McLannan Handicaps.  
3:45 Edna O'Dell, Songs.  
4:00 News: Prelude to Stardom.  
4:30 Teatime Tunes.  
4:45 Current Events Forum.  
Saturday Evening  
5:00 Sagmaster Comments.  
5:15 Pappy's Boys.  
5:30 News in the World of Religion.  
5:45 Henry Bell Orch.  
6:00 The First Offender.  
6:30 Spotlight.  
6:45 News.  
7:00 The Green Hornet.  
7:30 Boake Carter.  
7:45 To Be Announced.  
8:15 Tommy Dorsey Orchestra.  
8:30 "Contact" Dave Elman.  
9:00 Chicago Theatre "Prince of Pilsen" Marian Claire: James Melton.  
10:00 Goodnight.  
Valentine thought—  
We wish DIMAGGIO would sign. And thus become Barrow's Valentine.  
Social note—  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCarthy will leave Buffalo a week from today for a six weeks' stay in St. Petersburg, Fla.

# Gus Dorazio's Manager Says Louis Doomed

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14 (AP)—Gus Dorazio's manager followed precedent today and claimed Joe Louis's heavyweight championship—three days before the Philadelphia fighter battles the brown bomber here Monday night.  
Exuding confidence and clouds of cigar smoke in a 15-round monologue—some distance the fight is scheduled—Joe Martino, the manager, asserted:  
"Just as sure as I'm smoking this 'ropie' I have the next heavyweight champion of the world."  
Martino is convinced Dorazio's style of fighting out of a crouch—and a newly-discovered, hard right hand—is bound to worry Louis.  
"It isn't something he's been practicing," he said when reminded that other Louis foes have attempted to crouch. "It's his natural way of fighting. That's all. And his new right is a killer."  
"They've been saying Gus isn't the right opponent for Louis. What about Patsy Perron, Bob Pastor, Arturo Godoy, Al McCoy, Red Burman. They all fought Louis, didn't they?"  
"Well," exploded the voluble little handler, "look what Gus did with those guys!"

# Dawson Cage Tournament Gets Started

LAMESA, Feb. 14 (Sp) — The Dawson county basketball tournament got underway here last night with two games to start the ball rolling toward the finals here Saturday.  
Winner of the O.K. and Grandview game and the Key and Woody game were to clash in a final tussle of the nine-grade group Saturday. In the opening round of the class A group, Union and Klondike were pitted against each other with the winner to meet Lamesa in the second round. Friday evening Sparenburg and Dawson were to meet.  
Saturday evening winners of the Lamesa and Klondike-Union victor and the Sparenburg-Dawson game were to tangle for the county championship and the right to compete in the district tournament set for Lubbock next weekend.  
Lamesa wound up its pre-tournament schedule Tuesday by dropping a game to Odessa by a 27-21 count.

# Westbrook, Roscoe Will Play Tonight

COLORADO CITY, Feb. 14 (Sp) — Roscoe and Westbrook will play off at Westbrook Friday night to determine the interscholastic league basketball championship of Mitchell county. Roscoe is attached to Mitchell county for interscholastic league athletic purposes.  
Colorado City's Wolves were eliminated Tuesday night by Westbrook, the score being 14-11. Roscoe defeated Lorraine at Roscoe Wednesday night 20-14.

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**Civil Service Jobs Listed**  
Recently announced federal jobs available through the civil service commission include:  
Radio inspector, \$2,600 a year.  
Assistant, \$2,000 a year.  
Staff dietitian, \$1,900 a year.  
Senior and assistant chemical analyst, \$2,000 and \$1,820 a year, respectively. (Five optional subjects, precious metals assaying, analysis of ore and metals, coal, petroleum and gas.)  
Inspector, naval civilian police, \$2,800 a year.  
Engineer (steam-electric), salaries from \$1,320 to \$2,600.  
Mechanic-learner, San Antonio air depot, \$50 a month (with opportunities for training).  
Radio mechanic, \$1,820 a year.  
Aircraft mechanic, \$4.08, \$7.60, \$7.12 a day; aviation metalmith, \$3.94, \$6.18, \$7.68 a day; helper, aircraft mechanic, \$5.28, \$4.50, \$4.32 a day; helper, aviation instrument makers, \$5.28, \$4.50 and \$4.32 a day, for employment at Corpus Christi.  
Additional information about all these jobs may be obtained from the civil service secretary at the Big Spring postoffice.



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Editorial—

Why Not Revive Old-Fashioned Arbor Day?

Coming of spring, with its drowsiness and sandstorms, reminds us of an old custom that seems to have been lost in the shuffle of modern innovations.

Daybook—

Magnesium To Play Important Part In Defense

WASHINGTON—Why all the fuss about magnesium, anyway? The federal government has begun anti-trust actions against several big corporations, alleging they conspired to keep prices up and pooled patents to keep others from manufacturing magnesium.

It's Temperamental Magnesium is temperamental. Metallurgists are just lately beginning to overlook its bad habits and appreciate its good qualities.

As a pure metal, it has some unusual properties. It's the only metal that burns freely in air, which heretofore limited its use in industry.

Production Limited In alloys, it imparts its powder-puff lightness to the compound, but loses its pyromaniac habits.

Garden City Man Goes To Hospital GARDEN CITY, Feb. 14 (Sp)—S. R. Cox has gone to San Angelo for treatment in the Shannon hospital.

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Man About Manhattan—'Genesee Fever' Is New Type Book For Author Carl Cramer

By GEORGE TUCKER NEW YORK—Carl Cramer whose last book was "The Hudson" of the widely known River series, is writing a novel and the time of the action will be shortly after the American Revolution.

Hollywood Sights And Sounds—At 109 Years Old, Barbara Won't Set Records For Cinema

By ROBBIN COONS HOLLYWOOD—By now M-G-M or R-K-O. should have closed a deal for "Panama Hattie," giving either Shirley Temple or Joan Carroll the child's role.

Care In Filling Draft Forms Is Asked By Board

A request that men sent questionnaires for selective service take those questionnaires to members of the county advisory committee has come from the local board through Bruce Frazier, chief clerk.

Herald Serial Story by Allen Eppes Magic Spring

Chapter 24 MARGO DECIDES And a new man to meet, Margo thought, that was an inducement. A new man, and a lot of dancing and yachting and riding.

Among Interesting Texas Places—Salado, In Bell County, Is Historical Town

By the Associated Press When Central Texans talk of historical treasures, they think of Salado first. Salado is on highway 81 and one of the heaviest streams of traffic in Texas splits it every day of the world.

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'March Of Time' Shows Slavery In Nazi Areas

"Uncle Sam—The Non-Belligerent," latest March of Time release, is showing today and Saturday at the Ritz theatre in Big Spring. The film, which presents a picture of the problems that face the United States in giving aid to Britain, shows how Europe's 85 million conquered people have been reduced to slavery and are being worked to the limit of their endurance to build the new Nazi Germany.

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**Woman's Column**

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Eggs Fried on Masse SMITHFIELD, R. 1.—A quarter-million eggs were fried when fire destroyed the Rogier poultry plant.

**Wildcat Spuds Near Colorado City**

COLORADO CITY, Feb. 14 (Sp) C. E. Casbolt at No. 1, J. E. Franklin, wildcat two and a half miles southwest of Colorado City, was spudded with an 18-inch hole shortly before noon Thursday.

The test, located in the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section 20-27, T&P survey, is approximately 3,000 feet. It has a standard rig and a full crew.

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**Lamesa Scouts Get Awards**

LAMESA, Feb. 14 (Sp)—Fifteen Lamesa Boy Scouts were given advancement in a court of honor Wednesday night. C. C. Terry was chairman.

Advancements recognized were: Tenderfoot—Oatus Roberts, Jr., Eugene Eudy and Lorayne Morris. Second class—Robert White. First class—Sam Lattimore, Joe Lee Kelly and Tucker Phinixy.

Merit badges — Allan Barnard, Paul Cameron, Aubrey Hardwick, Douglas Hardwick, Billy Joe Norris, Joe Terry, Robert Kirk and Marvin Standefer.

Star—Billy Joe Norris. Life—Douglas Hardwick. Eagle—Aubrey Hardwick.

Wayne Bennett was honored on completion of five year's active connection with scouting.

The two local troops are 22, sponsored by the American Legion with Joe Spikes as scoutmaster, and 23, sponsored by the Lions club with Leslie Pratt as scoutmaster.

**New Colorado City Trustee Selected**

COLORADO CITY, Feb. 14 (Sp) Appointment of O. B. Price as a member of the Colorado City school board to fill out the unexpired term of J. M. Doss has been made by the board.

Doss was killed in a hunting accident in early January. He would have served on the board until 1943.

Mrs. J. E. Fort and Mrs. Murph Thorpe left Friday morning for Big Lake to attend funeral services for Mrs. Fort's niece.

The Rev. H. W. Halslip will be guest speaker at the All Church Banquet at Colorado City Wednesday night at the First Christian church.

Mrs. H. W. Wooten returned to her home Thursday from Cowper Clinic where she underwent medical attention. She is reported to be improving.

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**PATSY**

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YOU CAN'T MISS, HONEY! I'VE GOT OVER A THOUSAND FEET OF YOUR CHARM ON THIS FILM...

AND FILE IT IN A SAFE PLACE, MAC!

OKAY, CHEESE!

HEY THERE! WAIT-A-MINUTE, MAC! WHAT DID YOU JUST SAY?!

I JUST SAID, OKAY, CHIEF!!

**SCORCHY SMITH**

YOU COULD NOT LAND A MOSQUITO FOR FIVE MILES AROUND ZIE SPOT YOU HAVE SHOW ME!!

FIVE MILES! MY CALCULATIONS CAN'T BE THAT FAR OFF!!

LET'S SEE...THE MAP IS 40 MILES TO THE FOOT...THEY WERE FLYING AT 200 MILES PER HOUR...SO THEY COVERED 3 AND 1/2 MILES A MINUTE, OR AN INCH ON THE MAP FOR EVERY MINUTE!!

THAT'S JUST WHAT I DID! DREW A LINE TO THE NEXT INCH EVERY TIME YOU CLOCKED A MINUTE!

THEN WHAT...?

WELL I'LL BE... I'VE GOT IT!!

**SUPERMAN**

STILL DAZED AT THE SIGHT OF THE PSEUDO-WATSON, GEORGE BIGS HURRIES TO THE HIDEOUT OF HIS HIRELINGS...

AND WHY SHOULDN'T I WHEN I'VE GOT TWO DOUBLECROSSING BOSS?!

YOU AINT GONE BALLY, HAVE YOU BOSS?

PROVE IT!

IN A MINUTE YOU'LL SEE HIM WITH YOUR OWN EYES!

WELL—WHERE IS HE?

HVA, YOU! WHY, WHAT'S THY MATTER, BOSS? YOU LOOK PEEVED!

DO YOU MEAN BY LETTING WATSON GO?

WATSON IS STILL HERE! HE'S IN THE SAME ROOM WHERE WE LEFT HIM!

**SONNENLAW**

AW—SEE HEAH—AW—I'M TIRED OF DAWD-LING WITH THESE BALLY PAPPAS AND BESIDES IT'S TIME I WAS GOING TO LUNCHON! AW—AND FURTHAN POAH, PEEB—AW—PEEB—

FISHUNT IS THE NAME—FLORENCE FISHUNT! AND—I THINK WE'LL SKIP LUNCHON TODAY!

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TUT-TUT, MISS FISHUNT! I AM GOING TO LUNCH! AW—WHY—W—WHO LOCKED THIS BALLY DOOR?

I DID!

AND IT'S GOING TO STAY LOCKED 'TIL WE FINISH THE WORK! SO COME ON AND GET BUSY!

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News and Comedy

**Fire Destroys Home Of Negro Families**

Fire Friday morning virtually destroyed a railroad car home of two negro families in the 700 block of NW 5th street.

Apparently the blaze originated from a stove in the southeast corner of the structure, according to firemen, and spread over the entire building by the time the alarm reached the station. The blaze was quickly brought under control but not before it had rased the interior.

Shortly before noon a trailer house at the end of W. 4th street caught fire, but the blaze was quickly extinguished before firemen could reach the scene.

**Britain Forbids Rumanian Trade**

LONDON, Feb. 14 (AP)—The British government today banned trading with Rumania, with which diplomatic relations were severed last Monday.

A board of trade announcement said "the provisions of the trading with the enemy act are applied in relation to Rumania as they apply in relations to enemy territory."

"It is, accordingly, a punishable offense," it added, "to have commercial, financial or other intercourse or dealings with or for the benefit of any person in that territory."

**German Air Force Claims Successes**

BERLIN, Feb. 14 (AP)—The German air force battered at British maritime, industrial and military targets from Scotland to Cretaica, Adolf Hitler's high command announced today, while coordinated naval air and naval units pressed their effort to strangle England's ocean shipping.

A previously reported attack by warships on a convoy in the Atlantic resulted in the sinking of 14 armed and loaded British merchantmen totalling \$2,000,000, the daily war bulletin said. The toll had been listed yesterday at 13 vessels.

**Governor O'Daniel Signs Three Bills**

AUSTIN, Feb. 14 (AP)—Signing of three bills by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel was announced today.

The bills created a home defense guard, reserved mineral rights in state lands leased to the federal government for bombing range and other purposes and authorized Galveston to construct a recreation pier over a state owned tidal area in the Gulf of Mexico.

**Twin Sons Born**

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fryar of Ackerly are the parents of twin sons born Thursday afternoon at the Big Spring Hospital. The infants weighed four pounds 10 1/4 ounces, and 4 pounds 10 ounces. The twins are as yet unnamed.

Fryar is a farmer at Ackerly.

**Black Maria Is Blus**

HARRISBURG, Pa. — Mayor Howard E. Millikin "just wanted a change," in the capital city's new police wagon will be dark blue instead of the conventional black.

The round-up patrol replacing the 10-year-old "black Maria" will probably be identified the same way because there will not be much difference in color—except to those who see it every day.

**Magic Spring**  
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denly. "What's more, I am going away."

"When?"

"Just as soon as I can arrange it."

"Where?"

"Up to visit a friend on Long Island. I had a letter from her today. She wants me to come as soon as I can get away. I'll speak to Dad in the morning."

Warren shrugged. "Well, I guess there's nothing I can do about it," he said.

"No, I suppose not," Margo said. "I was hoping you'd accept the New York offer, and go on up when I did. But—"

"But I'm not," Warren cut in, "I think you're terribly stubborn, Warren."

"Sorry, maybe there's a bit of stubbornness in you, also."

"Maybe there is," Margo stood looking out over the smooth lawn. "We just don't seem to agree on anything. Perhaps it's best we never did come to an understanding about marrying. Marriage for us would probably be an awful flop."

"Not if I could help it," Warren said.

Margo turned.

"I don't want to make you unhappy," she said. "But after all, I've lived in Ardendale for years. I know what it's like. It is all new to you. That makes a difference."

"I can understand that, all right. But not I said before, if you really loved me, you'd be happy here with me."

"And if you really loved me," Margo said, "you'd take the offer from the New York hospital."

"All of which shows how we can keep going around in circles," Warren walked over and stood near the girl. "You're determined to accept your friend's invitation?"

"Yes, Warren, I am."

"Very well," Warren said. "There's no need my hanging around any longer." He held out his hand. "Goodbye, Margo. I hope you have a pleasant trip."

"Wait a minute, Warren," Margo said. "I'll make a sporting proposition."

"Go ahead, I'm listening."

"I'll go on up to Long Island," Margo said. "I'll stay for a few weeks, visiting several friends I have near the city. I'll see how I feel about everything—about us. Maybe I won't be so crazy about my sort of life, after I've been here at home."

"Frankly, if you're the girl I'd like you to be," said Warren, "you won't be."

"That remains to be seen," said Margo. "Anyway, you can also see how you feel about life here in Ardendale without me."

"Then—what?"

"Then you'll either come up and take the New York job, or I'll come back to Ardendale."

"In other words, if I don't like Ardendale without you, and you still like your old gay life — I'm to pack up and follow you. Is that it?"

"Yes, Warren."

"And if you find the old gay life is no longer so appealing, you'll pack up and come back to Ardendale—and me?"

"Yes."

"That sounds fair enough," Warren said. "Only I'm going to miss you." He smiled crookedly. "And I'm practically sure I'll never be packing to follow you."

"And I'm practically sure I'll never come back to Ardendale; that is, to settle down."

"All of which brings us to something of an impasse," Warren shrugged. "But we'll make the test. It's about the only thing left for us to do."

Margo looked up into Warren's unhappy face.

"It's better that way," she said, "than for us to marry, and find we've made a terrible mistake. You see that, don't you, Warren?"

"Yes, Margo, I do," said Warren. "I'm going now. May I kiss you good night? Or should I ask if I may have a goodbye kiss? It is 'goodbye, isn't it?'"

"It looks that way," said Margo. She lifted her face. "All right, Warren—goodbye."

Warren drew her to him. He kissed her — held her close for several moments.

Then, without a word, he released her, and went down the steps....

Telling David

After that more or less unhappy visit with Margo Powers, young Dr. Warren McNeill plunged on into the business of carrying out his plans. He gave Dr. Ben his check for one thousand dollars, engaged a letter to place his name on the office door just underneath Dr. Ben's, and then telephoned David at the plant to say he was going to catch a train for Portsmouth.

"I'm going over for that sample of spring water," he said. "The

sooner I get the report, the sooner I can start talking about the sanatorium."

"Fine!" said David. "But don't forget to come back."

"Never fear I'll not be back," Warren said. "From now on all my attention is centered on building up a practice, and trying to make our plan for the Inn a reality."

"Will Margo like that?" David asked. "I mean, not having you show her a little attention?"

"She won't be here," said Warren. "She's leaving for New York some time this week. Visiting friends on Long Island."

To be continued.

**Hospital Notes**

Big Spring Hospital

Donald Allred, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Allred of Ackerly, was admitted Thursday for medical attention.

Joe Marquez, employe of the Big Spring compress, underwent medical attention Thursday.

Mrs. Paul Harper and infant daughter returned home Thursday.

Earl Cook, Garden City, returned home Friday.

**Admiral Stark To Testify In Senate**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 (AP)—The house naval affairs committee decided today to call Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations, for secret testimony tomorrow on the reasons for the navy's desire to establish a new air base in faraway Samoa.

Captain Harry W. Hill, representing Stark, told the committee the \$3,000,000 project, including bombproof shelters for personnel and vital communications centers, was deemed necessary. He said developments of military aviation had brought the Samoan islands into the Pacific "strategic picture" to a greater degree than ever before.

While the improvements intended Tutuila, Samoa, actually were of a "minor" character, Hill testified, they seemed large "because we are starting from scratch."

**ANKLE INJURED**

Mrs. D. S. Orr received medical attention Friday at the Big Spring Hospital for an injured ankle. Mrs. Orr slipped and fell in her home.



**Assembly Of God Pastor To Observe Fifth Anniversary**

Special services Saturday and Sunday will mark the fifth anniversary of the Rev. Homer Sheats as pastor of the Assembly of God church here.

The Rev. H. M. Reeves of Plainview, district superintendent, will be here for services Saturday evening, Sunday morning and evening, and the Rev. R. E. Brooks, Wichita Falls, will speak Sunday afternoon.

There will be a basket luncheon at the church Sunday noon, followed by an old fashioned singing. The public has been invited by the Rev. Sheats to attend.

**Vincent HD Club Names Officers**

Mary Brown was elected president of the Vincent Home Demonstration club Thursday afternoon as that club reorganized after a recess occasioned by a wave of illness in the community.

Other officers elected were Mrs. Willis Winters, vice-president, Mrs. Ben Brown, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Claude Hodnett, council delegate, and Mrs. W. E. Mann, reporter.

Mrs. Winters was announced as living room demonstrator, Mrs. Terrell Schafer as kitchen demonstrator and Mrs. W. E. Mann as home food supply demonstrator. Next meeting will be Feb. 27 at the home of Mrs. Wiley Kinard when Lora Farnsworth, home demonstration agent, conducts a program on yeast breads.

**Livestock**

FORT WORTH, Feb. 14 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle, salable 700, total 800; calves, salable 400, total 500; market generally steady; bulk common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 7.00-8.00; two loads 5.50 lb. yearlings 10.50 on feeder account; load good and choice club yearlings sold in four lots from 10.50-12.50; most butcher cows 5.00-6.50, good kind scarce, canners and cutters 2.25-4.75; bulls 5.00-7.00, including load southern calves 6.50-8.50, good offerings 8.75 upward, culls down to 5.50; good qualified stockers in light supply.

Hogs, salable 1,400, total 1,800; market steady to 15 higher than Thursday's average; late sales showing full advance; top 7.75; good and choice 1.80-2.00 lb. 7.00-8.00; hogs expected to kill out soft and oily 5.00-6.50; pigs steady, 5.25 down; packing sows strong, 6.00-5.00.

Sheep, salable and total 300; receipts mostly lambs and ewes selling weakly; good and choice 4-H club woolly lambs 10.00; good wool 8.50 with common sorts 3.50; other classes scarce.

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**Triplets Born To Texas Couple**

McKINNEY, Feb. 14 (AP)—Triplets were born early today to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith of Wylie, Collin county—but it didn't surprise anyone.

Ten days ago Dr. Dudley Wyson, 34-year-old mother of seven other children, X-rays revealed she probably would have triplets.

Total weight of the two boys and a girl was about 14 pounds—the girl being the heaviest at five pounds, 5 1/4 ounces.

**Public Records**

Marriage Licenses

W. E. Reed, Big Spring, and Mrs. Mary E. Brown, Haskell.

New Cars

C. M. Neef, Plymouth tudor.

T. C. Bryant, Forsan, Ford tudor.

Dona Edwards, Plymouth sedan.

James T. Hardy, Pontiac coupé.

S. W. Boatman, Odessa, Chrysler sedan.

Mrs. Elmer Potter, Chrysler sedan.

H. E. Parker, Kermit, Plymouth sedan.

Horace Garrett, Dodge sedan.

**Wool Market**

BOSTON, Feb. 14 (AP)—The commercial bulletin will say tomorrow: "Moderate business in wool is reported in the local market, chiefly in the finer foreign wools and medium pulled domestic description at firm prices."

Scoured basis:

Texas: Fine 12 months selected 1.07-1.10 fine short 12 months 1.02-1.03; fine eight months 93-95.

Mohair:

Domestic adult graded; first sort 90-85; second sort, 70-72; third sort 60-62.

First kid, 1.05-1.10; second kid, 90-95; third kid 70-75.

Cape winter firsts, nominal; 45-48; kid, 65-67; Turkey fair average, summer firsts, 45-47; cape summer, 46-52; (foreign prices in bond).

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**The War Today—Mussolini Seeks Some Sort Of Aid From Friend Franco**

MUSSOLINI SEEKS... 20...  
By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Mussolini's conference with Spanish Generalissimo Franco has been shrouded with secrecy but it represents an effort on the part of Il Duce to secure aid of some sort, and may portend further action against Britain in the Mediterranean.

It seems clear, too, that this move is the outgrowth of Italy's perilous position as the result of her disastrous defeats and her serious economic situation due to the British blockade. The Italian debacle has necessitated a quick reconstruction of axis strategy.

Since Spain—wounded and hungry from her own terrible civil war—has nothing to give excepting friendship and use of some of her territories as bases by the axis, this presumably represents the specific object of Mussolini's appeal. Such help would be repayment for the aid Italy gave Franco in his successful revolt against the Madrid government.

All of this fits in with the conference today between Franco and French Chief of State Petain. France's vital interest in the developing situation is obvious, but the significant point to my mind is that old Marshal Petain's firm stand against the axis, plus his navy and African forces, has brought his country to the fore again as a figure of importance.

Naturally the first thought that ran through the minds of many people the world over was that the Riviera conferences represented an attempt by Mussolini to secure peace. Franco would be intermediary with England, and Petain's presence would be a necessity.

Some observers abroad stuck to that view today, although it generally was pooh-poohed in the capitals. Still, it wouldn't be surprising if peace were mentioned between the two dictators. We are entitled to say that this idea may represent intelligent anticipation if things don't pick up with Italy soon.

There are several possible moves which the axis might attempt, and one is a squeeze maneuver executed by offensives at both ends of the Mediterranean in an effort to gain control of the Suez canal and the Strait of Gibraltar.

This would involve a German drive to the Dardanelles through the Balkans, and presumably would mean an assault on Britain's "impregnable" rock of Gibraltar and the important naval base which it mothers. Use of Spanish soil as a base would be necessary to run attack on Gibraltar.

It would be surprising if Hitler made any major attack in the Balkans before the weather improved with the coming of spring. Military operations in that area during winter presents fierce obstacles, especially for an army on the offensive.

Present indications are that if the Germans threaten the Dardanelles Turkey will fight, unless Moscow intervenes. The Turks have a fairly well-equipped standing army of 2,000,000 and in the past they have been magnificent fighters. What they lack in mechanized equipment and air power would in some degree be made up by British aerial and naval assistance, or perhaps mechanized land divisions.

There is another aspect of the present situation which we mustn't overlook. Many observers believe that Hitler is trying to persuade Japan to make an assault on Britain in the Far East as a companion piece to the big spring drive in Europe.

Kathleen McEntire of Bangs is visiting here with her cousin, Charles Estes.

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