



HORSE SAVED FROM FLOOD—Glen Dooley (front) and Harold Adams lead a horse from a submerged barn in Missouri Valley, La., as flood waters covered the farm six feet deep. The horse was led ashore to a high pasture. (AP Wirephoto).

Odom Nearing Coast In Non-Stop Flight

Wayne White's Champ Steer Brings \$1537

Wayne White sold his grand champion steer of the 16th annual fat stock show at San Angelo today for \$1,537.50.

Two department stores, Cok-Rushing-Greer and Hemphill-Wells, joined to pay \$1,500 per pound for the show's top calf, which had a sale weight slightly in excess of 1,000 pounds.

Young White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph White, Coahoma, had shown the calf, T-O Wiley, to a reserve championship in the 12th annual Howard county club boy show here, two weeks ago. He had the additional distinction of being the first Howard county boy to cop an out-of-county grandchampionship this year.

Checks, Cash Taken From Bottling Plant

Several checks and a small amount of cash were taken from the Barq's Bottling plant, 2101 Lancaster, in a Sunday burglary, police reported this morning.

Exact time of the burglary, which was discovered early Sunday night, had not been established. Checks valued at \$360 and about \$15 in coins were reported missing.

The burglars cut through a door, reached in and opened the lock to gain entry, officers said.

AMENDMENTS DEFEATED

Third School Bill OK'd By Senate

AUSTIN, March 7. — The Senate today passed the third of the Gilmer-Aikin public school bills 77 to 2, after foes gave up their effort to delay it with a series of amendments.

The bill by Senator A. M. Aikin, Jr., of Paris, to provide the money for the revolutionary education program, goes now to the House.

Two other Gilmer-Aikin plan bills approved by the Senate are awaiting public hearings by the House education committee. They reorganize direction of the school system, and set up a minimum program of education.

Senate opponents of the Aikin bill were defeated 18 to 8 in an effort to amend the measure to guarantee payment of the \$55 per capita for schools as the law now pro-

City Budget Soon To Be Presented

Local residents are due to learn shortly how much money will be required to operate their municipal government during the next fiscal year.

City Manager H. W. Whitney said he hoped to present the new budget to city commissioners at their March 22 meeting. The new fiscal year begins on April 1.

Strong Tailwind Aids Flier As He Evades Storms On Record-Seeking Hop

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7. — Distance flier Bill Odom made contact with a Coast Guard flying boat approximately 450 miles off the California coast at 12:15 p. m. today and sped on for an estimated landfall in the San Francisco area around 4:45 p. m.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7. — Distance flier Bill Odom, riding a strong tailwind on his record-seeking non-stop flight from Honolulu to New Jersey, was reported only 750 statute miles off the California coast at 10:30 o'clock today, "away ahead of schedule."

The late report came from Radio Station KGO, whose beam Odom is following into San Francisco.

He is being pushed along by a 25-mile an hour tailwind and luckily has avoided stormy weather north of his course.

Last Jan. 13, when he was forced down far short of his goal on his first light plane record attempt, Odom ran into unexpected headwinds about 1,000 miles off the coast. His gasoline supply was consumed and he landed at Oakland.

This time, carrying more gasoline and, thus far, getting far better mileage from it, prospects of his reaching his objective at Teterboro, N. J., appear far better.

An escorting B-17 turned back to Hawaii at the 1,000-mile mark after reporting Odom was at 7,500 feet and finding the weather much better than it was in his last attempt to set a new small plane distance record. He was forced down in that attempt on Jan. 13 at Oakland by bad weather over California's mountains after flying 2,401 miles—a new record in itself.

Odom planned to ride the beam of Radio Station KGO in San Francisco to the West Coast. Another military plane from the coast was scheduled to pick him up about 1,000 miles from San Francisco.

The balding, 29-year-old flier eased his gasoline-heavy Beechcraft off the runway at 7:05 last night. Assured favorable tailwinds most of the way, he expected to be over San Francisco in 17 hours, on the ground at Teterboro in 22.

Yugoslavia Charges Hungary Provoking Border Incidents

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, March 7. — Yugoslavia accused Hungary today of provoking border incidents.

Borba, organ of the Communist Party, disclosed a protest note sent to the Hungarian government Feb. 23. It apparently was one of a series of exchanges on frontier troubles during the past three months.

An earlier amendment by Senator Gus Straus of Hallettsville was killed on a point of order that it had no bearing on the money bill.

On final passage, only Straus and Senator Kyle Vick of Waco voted against the bill.

AMERICAN WARSHIP FLIES SOVIET PENNANT

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The old Milwaukee is the first of 586 American naval vessels loaned the Russians during the war to come back to the United States.

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GOP Attacks Truman Stand On Filibuster

Brewster Says It's Nothing But Political Affair

WASHINGTON, March 7. (AP)—Republicans charged President Truman today with trying to put them on a political spot by advocating a majority gag on Senate debate.

In a belated cut at what he called a presidential curve, Sen. Brewster of Maine suggested that maybe the administration never had any intention of fighting to a showdown a southern filibuster—aimed at long range at the President's civil rights program.

"If they really wanted to break a filibuster, why didn't they start in January?" Brewster asked. "And why did the President throw into the stew the idea of limiting debate by a simple majority vote? If they want to drive every thoughtful citizen into the southern camp, that's the way to do it."

Sen. Wherry of Nebraska, the GOP floor leader, teed off on the President along the same lines in a week-end statement.

He said the President's proposal "raised the question of whether he really wants a practice cloture (debate limiting) rule or is insisting upon the impossible in order to have a bogey-man for political purposes."

There seems little doubt that the President's statement—plus a plug from the CIO for majority limitation on debate—drove some Republicans into the opposition camp on a forthcoming test in the Senate.

This showdown may come if Vice President Barkley rules that a debate limiting cloture petition applies to the present southern Democratic filibuster against a motion by Sen. Lucas of Illinois, the Democratic leader, to take up a rules change.

Donaldson Will Present Postal Rates To Group

WASHINGTON, March 7. — The House Postoffice Committee called in Postmaster Gen. Donaldson today to present the administration's case for a \$23,275,000 boost in postal rates.

The biggest parts of the increase would come from newspapers, magazines and advertising matter. The letter rate would stay at three cents.

But the government is figuring on making you put a two instead of a one-cent stamp on a postcard. And the rates for parcel post packages would go up \$39 million worth.

There would be boosts, too, for money orders, special delivery, C.O.D., and registered and insured mail.

Publishers would pay an extra \$75 million in postage in the first year. Another \$50 million would be added in the second year.

Third class rates, for advertising circulars and the like, would go up \$65 million a year.

President Truman has said the government needs the extra money to help make up the gap between income and expenses in the postal services.

Shanghaied American Sailor To Hong Kong

CANTON, March 7. — James Patrick Ryan, American sailor who said he was shanghaied into the French Foreign Legion 19 months ago, was taken to Hong Kong yesterday to be placed aboard a U. S. warship.

Ryan had been listed as a deserter from the Navy. He said he missed his ship, the U. S. S. Dickson, in Italy in 1947.

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West Acts To Meet Any Russian Move

WERE FIRED BY STATE DEPT.

Says U.N. Hiring Some 'Poor Risks'

WASHINGTON, March 7. — Sen. Mundt (R-S. D.) said today the United Nations has hired some people who were fired by the State Department as security risks.

Names of several such persons, Mundt said, are in the files of the House un-American Activities Committee. The senator is a former member of the committee.

For some time, the committee has had investigators trying to find out whether foreign governments have been using the United Nations as a shield for spying on this country.

"I believe," Mundt told reporters, "we should take up with the United Nations the question of Americans who are employed by it and get an agreement that when Americans are hired, they will be screened by the State Department."

Mundt said he thought that France, for instance, or even Russia, should have the right to screen French or Russian employees who are put on UN rolls.

His remarks were another aftermath of a spy case which broke over the week end. It developed this way:

Judith Coplon, a Justice Department employe and Valentine A. Gubitchev, a Russian engineer on the UN staff, were arrested by the FBI in New York Friday night. They were accused of stealing American secrets involving security data.

In Miss Coplon's purse the FBI found a package of typewritten summaries of information from confidential papers.

Atty. Gen. Clark announced the arrests Saturday.

A few hours later it became known that the un-American Activities Committee had received a report from an investigator in September, 1948, mentioning Miss Coplon and several other persons in the office where she worked. The report said this was the office of alien registration. However, a Justice Department official said she was assigned to the foreign agents registration division only about 18 months ago. She previously worked in the anti trust division in New York.

Tonight, there will be a box supper and barn dance for students and their guests, beginning at 7:30 p. m. in building 506. Sponsors of the affair are the Spanish and German clubs.

Tuesday night, a program will be sponsored by the Veterans club and Wednesday night a hayride by the sophomore class.

On Thursday, the school paper, El Nido, will publish its largest edition, 16 pages, and will distribute copies to the public.

Friday night will bring the annual celebration to a climax. Guests have been invited from Stanton, Snyder, Loraine, Lamme, Colorado City, Knott, Ackery, Flower Grove and Westbrook. A reception committee will welcome the guests and the program will begin at 2 p. m. with a tour of the college. At 4 p. m. the Kangaroo Club will be held with Johnny Anglado, Judge, presiding. T. D. Weaver and Bill Horton will serve as prosecuting attorneys.

The sheriff and his deputies will bring the charges against the prisoners. After the Kangaroo Club, a visiting band will give a concert which will be followed by a barbecue and a dance in the gym. At that time prizes will be awarded the boy with the best beard and the one with the "most fuzz."

There will be a prize for the most appropriately dressed couple of the evening.

McMahon said it was his personal desire that the couple "spend the remainder of their lives" in a Michigan prison. Life is the maximum sentence in Michigan, while New York has a death penalty.

New Revolt Denied In Paraguay Circles

BUENOS AIRES, March 7. — The Paraguayan embassy denied today published reports that a new revolt had broken out in Paraguay.

Dispatches Sunday from the Argentine frontier town of Formosa said there had been uprisings led by Colorado Party members unsympathetic toward the all-civilian provisional government of Filipe Molas Lopez.

School Patrons Urged To Cooperate In Enumeration

A final appeal for cooperation of school patrons in a speedy and complete scholastic enumeration was voiced Monday by W. C. Blankenship, superintendent.

Approximately 60 elementary school teachers will take to the field at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday (elementary schools will be dismissed at that hour Tuesday and Wednesday) to make the bulk of the personal contact.

Currently the state pays \$55 per capita for each approved scholastic, and more than half of the district's revenues come from this source. All children, regardless of marital status, attendance, etc., who will have attained their sixth birthday on or before Sept. 1, 1949 and those who will not have become 18 before that date, are to be enumerated.

Old-Time Cowboy Taken By Death

DALLAS, March 7. — B. E. (Cyclone) Denton died at his home here yesterday.

He was an old-time cowboy, buffalo hunter and trail driver. Denton was born at Hog Creek in what is now Parker County. He left home when he was 18. That was in the early 1870's.

General To Report From Philippines

MANILA, March 7. — Maj. Gen. Albert M. Jones, chief of the joint United States Military Advisory Group to the Philippines, will leave by air for Washington today to report to Gen. Omar Bradley and the joint chiefs of staff.



TO DISCUSS PACT—Foreign Minister Gustav Rasmussen (above), of Denmark, will leave Tuesday for Washington to seek the best possible basis for Denmark's final attitude toward the projected North Atlantic pact, a government communique in Copenhagen announced.

sen's visit to the U. S. will have the same purpose as Norwegian Foreign Minister Halvard Lange's talks with State Department officials last month, Copenhagen informants said. (AP Wirephoto).

Air Force Is Slated To Get Special College

WASHINGTON, March 7. — A special college all its own is in prospect for the Air Force, now unhappily sharing the bed at West Point and Annapolis.

But it will be "a number of years" before air cadets can order their Air Force academy rings.

Secretary of Defense Forrestal warned that for the present the air students will have to go on getting their military education at the old-line Army and Navy strongholds.

He said yesterday an air academy has the backing of the national military establishment. His public announcement of this fact indicated that it also has the approval of the budget bureau and President Truman.

An advisory board on service academies, whose vice-chairman is Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, has been asked to report before the end of this month, indicating that legislation will go to Congress soon after April 1.

"Since there can be no question concerning the need for an expansion in the capacity of the present academy system, and since West Point and Annapolis cannot, for physical reasons, be expanded substantially beyond their present size, it has been decided to support legislation authorizing the establishment of a third, air academy," Forrestal said.

Munich Spy Trial Will Resume Today

MUNICH, Germany, March 7. — An eight-man U. S. military commission today resumes its spy trial of eight Europeans charged with gathering American military information in Germany for a foreign power.

Capt. Otakar Feifar, the chief prosecution witness, has testified nearly all the data collected in Germany went to Russia. He also linked the Czechoslovakian intelligence officer, fled Czechoslovakia last November, bringing with him secret files.

The defendants are three Czechs and five Germans. Three are women. All have pleaded innocent. The prosecution claims all made confessions before the trial started.

B-29's Are 'Enemy'

LONDON, March 7. — U. S. B-29 bombers flew as the "enemy" in a war games test of Britain's Scottish air defenses today.

MOVE STIRS SPECULATION

New Big Four Meet Seen In Red Shift

MOSCOW, March 7. — Foreign observers here speculated today whether the dramatic shift in Soviet foreign ministers might bring about new efforts to arrange a meeting of the Big Four Council of foreign ministers.

Tied in with this question was discussion of whether the appointment of Andrei V. Vishinsky as successor to V. M. Molotov might lay the groundwork for another try at solving the Berlin problem and the whole German question.

Molotov handled the last top-level discussions of the Berlin situation in Moscow last summer, but Vishinsky was present at most of the four-power meetings.

(The Russians have made a meeting of the big four foreign ministers on all German problems one of the conditions for lifting their Berlin blockade.)

The appointment of Andrei A. Gromyko to the second spot in the foreign ministry meanwhile was viewed as an indication no sweeping change in Soviet policy is in prospect.

Gromyko has been an outstanding spokesman for the policies of Molotov, who, on the basis of official announcements so far, continues in his all-important jobs as first deputy prime minister and member of the policy-making politburo.

The announcement of Gromyko's promotion early yesterday caused no surprise at the U. S. Embassy where the opinion already had been expressed that he was a likely candidate to step into Vishinsky's spot.

Gromyko, smooth and soft-spoken, has been a vice minister under Molotov since December, 1946. He served as Russia's chief delegate to the United Nations from 1946 to 1948.

Complete Scholastic Census Important To Local District

This week teachers in the elementary grades tackle a tough and important problem in conducting the annual enumeration of scholastics in the Big Spring Independent School district.

Personally contacting the parents of around 3,500 youngsters is no small matter, especially since the results of the census must then be checked against enrollment (to make sure there have been no omissions) and against the roll as a whole (to avoid duplications).

Because it is such a big job and because the financial implications of the census is so vital, it should be incumbent upon parents to co-operate to the fullest extent. One way in which aid can be given is by remaining at home after 2:30 p. m. on Tuesday and Wednesday. Of course it would be better if it were not

necessary to dismiss the grades earlier on these two days, but experience has taught that this is the most practical manner for efficient work.

Importance of a complete census is attached to the \$55 per capita apportionment. This school year this amounts to about \$204,000 for the local district. Failure to list scholastics simply deprives the district of this revenue without at the same time relieving it of the responsibility of educating those scholastics. In a district beset with financial worries, as has long been the case here, it is necessary to do everything humanly possible to get a near perfect census. After all, each one listed brings in as much money as home listed on tax rolls at \$3.650.

Proposed Water District Bills Safeguarded By Vote Requisite

Proposed bills for creation of a water district to permit cities in this area to jointly attack water problems are now nearing final draft. Copies of the suggested measure have been received by R. T. Piner, chairman of the executive committee of the Colorado River Municipal Water association.

An analysis of the bill show that it includes the salient points upon which the executive committee agreed upon here a month ago. These include a directorate of eight, definition of the scope of the district in impounding, processing and distributing water; right of eminent domain; authority to issue bonds and mortgage district property; responsibility to fix sufficient rates; permission to rent or lease production facilities from cities.

There is one significant thread running throughout—the safeguard devolving to the people on all crucial issues. This is true in the case of district participation in the first place. It is true in the matter of issuing bonds which would be secured wholly or in part by ad valorem levies. It is true in the case of cities petitioning subsequently for annexation by the district. Thus, due provision is made for the people to have the final say on crucial issues.

Regardless of what happens to the joint-city water proposal at a later date, it seems wise and expedient to press forward now for the enactment of legislation which would legalize the district and in turn permit cities to do business with or through it. The legal machinery will be required before we have need to see if we can find a way to fire it up and use it.

Nation Today—James Marlow

Estimated Tax Return Another Of Those Forms To Be Filed

WASHINGTON, (AP)—THE ESTIMATED tax return. What is it? Who must do something about it?

Some people, besides filing their 1948 income tax return by March 15 and paying up any tax owed, must—

Also by March 15 file an estimated tax return—it's called a "declaration of estimated tax"—on their 1949 income and pay on that too.

Who's in this group? Two kinds of people:

1. Those, like landlords and doctors, who won't have any tax at all withheld from their 1949 income.
2. Those, like wage-earners and salaried people, who'll have some tax, but not the full tax for 1949, withheld from their pay.

BECAUSE "ESTIMATE" MEANS JUST what it says, the people in the two groups must do this by March 15:

1. Estimate that their 1949 income will be and what the tax on it should be.
2. Then start paying—in four installments—the difference between the tax withheld from them, if any, and the full tax they'll owe for 1949. The other payments are due June 15, Sept. 15, and Jan. 15, 1950.

The idea is to have everyone on a pay-as-you-go system. Those with full tax withheld from them, will have paid in full by the end of 1949.

Those who must make an estimated return and four installment payments should be paid up in full around the year's end, too.

If you will make \$600 or more this year, and no tax is withheld, you must make an estimated return.

Because that income is so low, you may not owe any tax or have to make any payments. Still, you must make a return.

IF TAX IS REGULARLY WITHHELD from your pay—but you'll get more than \$100 income from which no tax is withheld—you must file a return and figure whether you have to make those install-

Broadway—Mark Barron

Financial Worries No Longer On The Lunt-Fontanne List

NEW YORK—Coming around a corner into the brisk, late-winter breezes of Fifth Avenue a well-tailored figure halted for a moment. It was Alred Lunt. He was beaming, a contrast to his usual gloomy, pessimistic self when he is directing and playing the leading role of a new play. Such as he is doing at the moment with his bride, Lynn Fontanne, in the comedy, "I Know My Love."

He confided: "We have just postponed our Broadway opening until next October 13. Why? Because it will be our twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. Do you know that when Lynn and I were married 25 years ago that I had to borrow \$2 from her to pay for the marriage license? And she still complains that I haven't paid that \$2 back to her."

Other than the \$2 marriage license fee incident, I also remember a sunny day in England when I was riding on a boat train with Lunt and Miss Fontanne from the port of Southampton up to London.

"Do you know that I also paid for our honeymoon?" Miss Fontanne said then. "After we were married in New York, we went to Washington, D. C. to appear in a play there. I told Alred that we should take some sort of honeymoon trip despite the fact that we both needed to go to work at once in the new play. So we hired a horse and carriage and had a wonderful ride through the park along the Potomac

River. At the end of our heavenly trip I had to pay the fee. But it was a very inexpensive honeymoon."

As I well know from 20 years happy friendship with this remarkable couple, neither Lunt nor Miss Fontanne has since been bothered by the economic problems that faced them 25 years ago. But they are now concerned with young actors and actresses coming up in the profession in which they found it so difficult to find a foothold. In the beginning, Lunt was an unknown actor from Wisconsin. Miss Fontanne was not only an unknown actress on these shores, but she was a British alien. Then they found each other, gave those exciting performances together in the stage production of "The Guardsman," and they have been together ever since.

Have they ever played apart since they have been married? Yes, for they have almost always resolved, and kept faithful to, a desire that marriage would never interfere with their careers. So Miss Fontanne, as an exception, originated the role of Nina Leeds in Eugene O'Neill's nine-act play, "Strange Interlude." And Lunt played the leads in "Volpone" and "Marco Millions" without Miss Fontanne. They were, each to the other during those periods, their own most severe and affectionate critics.

MARCH



Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

Louis Johnson, By Past Experience, Should Make Top Defense Secretary

(Editor's Note—The Brass Ring, good for one free ride on the Washington Merry-Go-Round, today goes to Louis A. Johnson, new secretary of national defense.)

WASHINGTON — If past experience is a criterion, no man in the U.S.A. is better qualified to be secretary of national defense today than the boyish, energetic, pipe-smoking lawyer from Clarksburg, W. Va., Louis Johnson.

Johnson has spent a good part of the past 11 years dreaming of the day when he might attain this all-important post, and, based on past record, he deserves it.

A half dozen major moves inside the War Department can be chalked up to Johnson, without which many more American boys would have lost their lives. The most important of these were "educational orders" of munitions.

This was a system by which American industry received small war department orders for tanks, machine guns, artillery, etc., for educational purposes. This gave factories a chance to get their machine tools in shape, with the idea that, following this experimentation, large-scale production could begin in a hurry—if war broke.

Johnson put this into effect as early as 1938, three years before Pearl Harbor, and at a time when U. S. Steel moguls were sitting in Europe working out a world steel cartel with the Nazis.

DEPARTMENT FEUD

He also put it into effect despite the fact that his chief, Secretary of War Woodring, was opposed to war preparation and did not believe that war was imminent.

Johnson's farsightedness, however, enabled the United States to mobilize industry in almost record time and to bear the brunt of supplying the allied armies.

Johnson's other major achievements as assistant secretary of war were pushing airplane production for the French and British long before Pearl Harbor, when Congress was opposed to supplying planes to the allies; urging and pioneering the Alaskan Highway as early as 1938 long before anyone ever dreamed Alaska would have to be fortified; urging increased electric power for war centers; and developing close economic and military ties with Latin America.

During the period he accomplished these things, Johnson, as assistant secretary of war, was in a constant feud with his secretary of war, Harry Woodring. The feud would have been comic had it not been for possible tragic consequences.

Woodring, one of the most likable men who ever came out of Kansas to Washington, and inherited the all-important post of secretary of war by accident—upon the death of George Dern. Something of an isolationist, he was not enthusiastic about a big national defense program. Johnson was.

Therefore, all Johnson's work had to be done either on the side or by going over the head of his chief. Some Army officers, taking advantage of this, played Woodring off against Johnson and vice versa, until it was a miracle that the Army by the

time of Pearl Harbor, was as well prepared as it was.

SMALL-TOWN LAWYER

Like a lot of things in life, Johnson's entry into politics was sheer coincidence. Graduated in law from the University of Virginia, he decided to practice in a town in which he was a complete stranger, and went to Clarksburg, W. Va., in 1912. At the time of his arrival, a local sheriff had been arrested for embezzlement, and a lawyer was needed to act as prosecutor.

Johnson took the job, fought the case up to the Supreme Court, and, as a result of the publicity, ran for mayor of Clarksburg. This was just two years after coming to live in West Virginia. Johnson lost the mayoralty race by about 50 votes, but shortly thereafter was elected to the state legislature and became Democratic leader of the House.

The first world war came. Johnson was mustered out as a captain of the 39th Infantry division, and on the day he retired, he had the nerve to write a letter to the chief of staff telling him how to reform the Army. He will now have a chance to carry out those ideas.

Louis Johnson is a queer mixture of conservatism and liberalism. Since leaving the government his contacts have been chiefly with big business. His clients have been some of the biggest firms in the country: Yet when Johnson went to India as special representative of President Roosevelt he sided with the Indian independence movement and became the great friend of Pandit Nehru and Mahatma Gandhi.

Big, genial, quiet-spoken Johnson works long, late hours, dashes around the country on speaking engagements; and while assistant secretary of war delivered 175 speeches in two years, flying 100,000 miles to make them. Since leaving the government, he has followed a regular routine of spending week ends in Clarksburg, W. Va., the early part of the week in Washington, D. C., and the middle of the week in New York.

Probably Johnson's biggest handicap is his naive trust in people—sometimes in people who have doubled-crossed him. He is inclined to believe that everyone is his friend—though a lot of them aren't.

Johnson is one of the few war department executives who hasn't been afraid to put the brass in their place. Most civilian secretaries of war lean so heavily on the top brass that the constitutional concept of civilian control over the Army is voided. Johnson, however, not only knows the military establishment from A to Z, but isn't afraid to tell the brass where to get off.

ON FILIBUSTER

Utah's Sen. Elbert Thomas, chairman of the battle-torn Senate Labor Committee, stopped in to see the President the other day, and they talked about everything but labor.

The President was considerably more worried, for example, over the southern filibuster. But he was as determined as ever not to give in to southern senators. Thomas agreed that a rebellious minority should not be allowed to hold up the legislative wheels.

Hollywood—Bob Thomas

This Columnator Makes One Academy Selection

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—With the Academy awards less than three weeks away, Hollywood's annual politicking bursts into full swing.

Press agents to the left of me, press agents to the right of me, all volleying and thundering for their pet contenders. Amidst all the sound and fury, let's hop into a shell hole for calm consideration of the five films up for the top award.

"Hamlet," is a superlative job. Only an English cast could present Shakespeare so ably. But it is still Shakespeare.

"Johnny Belinda," is a fine melodrama. Carried by the tender performances of Jane Wyman and Lew Ayres, it remains believable and moving throughout. But it is still melodrama and not a great movie.

"The Red Shoes" presents a wonderful picture of the ballet.

"The Snake Pit" is an arresting study of mental illness. It offers a fine portrayal by Olivia DeHavilland, and a stark view of an insane asylum. But such an advance in film material doesn't necessarily mean it's a prize picture.

"The Treasure of The Sierra Madre" is an inspired work of writer-director John Huston. With rare insight, he shows the

effect of gold lust on the minds of men.

"Treasure" is my choice. But who can fathom the vagaries of the Academy?

WORD-A-DAY
By BACH

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(i-mu-ta-bil) ADV.
NOT SUBJECT TO CHANGE;
UNALTERABLE; INVARIABLE;
NOT SUBJECT TO VARIATION;
AS MARKINGS IN ALL
INDIVIDUALS OF A SPECIES



Around The Rim—The Herald Staff

When Man's Life Has Been Full, He's Ready To Answer Final Call

For George Dingle, it was D Day plus three. Not that time mattered for George any more. Some one had told the man a long while back that time was important in that it was what life was made of. But mortal living was a thing of the past for George and had been for more than 72 hours.

It was Dingle's heart that had betrayed him, his doctor had said. In his 55th year, his ticker had quit one night while he slept. He has passed peacefully if suddenly, those who found him had agreed.

Shortly after passing through the gates of Valhalla, George had been informed there would be some delay until clearance for him was obtained up ahead. He was advised to take it easy and make the best of his circumstances. Given no choice Dingle had settled back and begun to think back over his life with the result that the more he thought the unhappier he became.

Soon after his arrival, someone had shoved a brief case under George's arm and told him to hang onto it. He checked on its whereabouts occasionally, feeling it was important.

What made Dingle particularly unhappy was he felt he had been jerked away in the prime of life, just about the time he had learned the luxury of relaxation. Why had fate been so unkind in his case, he asked himself. Why had he not been permitted to enjoy the fruits of his labor? To say the least, his state of mind at the moment wasn't a peaceful one.

At times, he thought about drawing some of his neighbors into conversation. There were plenty of them about, and more coming in all the while. However, he decided his problems were peculiar to his lot and wouldn't be understood by anyone else, so he kept his silence—and brooded.

At length, his thoughts came back to the briefcase. Curiosity began to well within him. What could it contain? He debated about opening it. Why not, he asked himself. No one had told him not to.

Finally, he decided to explore its contents. Glancing around cautiously and with a certain amount of guilt, George made

certain no one was watching, then laid the case on his knee, opened the flaps, plunged his hand inside and withdrew a fat pamphlet.

Would this tell him of the nebulous future? His pulse accelerated with the suggestion. Then his eyes fell upon the title, "The Life of George Dingle." Awe, as all men are, by the sight of their names in print, George began reading.

The booklet proved a verbal capsule of his existence from the cradle to the grave, told simply and without dramatics. It related of his parents, his boyhood, his schooling, his romance with his wife-to-be, his record as a soldier, his marriage, the arrival of his sons and daughters and wove his way through his business career.

As Dingle read on, he lingered over certain passages, quoted in a matter-of-fact way in the biography but which represented episodes in his life he recalled with mixed astonishment and horror. Those portions of the pamphlet kept leaping up at him and exploding like fire-crackers.

In his fifth year, he had fallen gravely sick, so ill that his parents had despaired of his life. During his World War I days as a soldier, he had gone through unscratched while treading the same fields where hundreds fell mortally wounded.

In the early '30's, he had played tag with the Grim Reaper in an automobile crash which had taken the life of one of his best friends.

On numerous other occasions, the Angel of Death, had hovered over him but had passed him by for reasons which now escaped him.

Without attempting to weigh his merits, his 55 years now loomed large and magnificent to him. His closed the booklet, returned it tenderly to its compartment in the kit and buckled its flaps, suddenly realizing he felt better than he had at any time since his arrival here.

Tucking the brief case under his arm, he looked up to see a kindly-looking man gazing at him. He smiled, and leaned over to ask:

"Sir, can you tell me what time we leave?"—TOMMY HART

Notebook—Hal Boyle

Cannibals Have No Post-War Problems; Winners Eat Losers

By GEORGE TUCKER
(For Hal Boyle, Who is Vacationing)

NEW YORK, (AP)—SOME MEN LEFT their war in the Pacific, but Radio Star Lanny Ross brought his back as a souvenir.

What made a bit with the Navy in 1943 ought to be good for the public in 1949, he reasoned.

So he said to Cecil Abel, the missionary at Kwato, New Guinea:

"Cecil, I'd like to have you on my program some time. That is, if we ever get back."

Cecil Abel is a 46-year-old Anglo-Papuan whose idea of running a mission is unorthodox. He doesn't know what denotation he is supposed to be. His idea of saving souls isn't just teaching the natives to sing hymns on Sunday, and going to church.

So the war passed, and one day not long ago Cecil Abel came to the United States.

"I suppose you could say some of my dearest friends are cannibals," said Cecil. "A cannibal who doesn't eat you is inexorably dead."

The Kwato mission was started 60 years ago by Abel's father, who survived head hunters for 40 years and went home to England, only to be killed in an automobile accident.

"I remember my father holding me up when I was a little lad. He was showing me to the cannibals and he cried, 'here's the young man who'll head this mission when I'm gone. You wouldn't eat him would you, if you had the chance?'"

A wrinkled old warrior grinned toothlessly and said, "we have the chance."

Abel explained the early code of the true cannibal like this:

"They eat each other for economic reasons. When one tribe fought another tribe, the winners ate the losers. They had very few post-war problems."

Affairs Of The World—DeWitt MacKenzie

Molotov Change Must Be Taken In International Implications

WHATEVER MAY BE THE EXACT reason for the sensational release of Vyacheslav Molotov from his position as Soviet foreign minister, it strikes me we may take it for granted that it isn't a purely domestic affair.

It portends some development of importance to foreign nations.

There are many guesses as to what is in the wind. Only developments will tell, for Moscow moves in mysterious ways. However, one can see that it might mean a change in foreign policy—either a hardening or an easing of it.

It could be that Molotov, who long has been Stalin's right hand, is being prepared to relieve the generalissimo of some of his duties.

It even might be that Molotov himself isn't well, and is having his task eased.

The thing most difficult to accept is that the change represents a shelving of Molotov. He is one of the original old bolshe-

vists, who came up through the revolution. He always has been close to Stalin and not only has been foreign minister, but premier and member of the all-powerful politburo.

It has been generally expected that when Stalin got ready to retire, his mantle would fall on Molotov's shoulders. Has Molotov suddenly fallen from grace? It's hard to believe he has, though anything can happen these days.

It wouldn't be surprising to see a shift in Russian foreign policy. There certainly is room for a change of policy in Europe, because the Soviet policy hasn't been paying dividends. Western Europe has been recovering economically under the Marshall Plan. And along with that there has been a great strengthening of the defenses against aggression from any quarter.

The morale of the Western European democracies has been moving steadily upward. We get a good indication of that in the projected North Atlantic alliance, to which Moscow objects bitterly.

So it's quite possible Russia may be considering a change of policy towards the West.

Today's Birthday

MARY TERESA HOPKINS NORTON, born March 7, 1875 in Jersey City, one of five children of a prosperous road builder. This dean of women Representatives in Congress has served continuously ever since the ratification of the woman suffrage amendment in 1920. Elected from the district of Frank Hague, she says that he never attempted to dictate to her. She is proud of her record.



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Recollections of his childhood of poverty are found in Henrik Ibsen's great work, Peer Gy.

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Don't Thwart Music Because Of Finances

AP Newsfeatures
So you can't afford music lessons! Are you going to thwart your musical ambitions because of that? "Please don't," entreats Gerald Muller, 16, of Claymont, Del., who continues:
"Any boy or girl with musical talent can help further their interest by taking advantage of opportunities offered through newspapers, radio and television mediums, school orchestras or bands, church choirs, and class lessons in school."
Eventually, you'll get a break. Insists Gerald, who has kept plugging away on the cello, piccolo, piano, organ, tubs, drums and horn since he was eight. Furthermore, he can prove that break business.

At 13 he received the Youth in Music Award given by the Wilmington Music Commission for outstanding pianist of Wilmington. Today, he plays baritone in the school band and cello in the school orchestra. He is organist and choir director at Holy Rosary Church in Claymont, sings in school productions, composed the school alma mater, is manager of a concert club.

A recent winner of a trip to New York based on his interest in

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Eva Le Gallienne To Appear Here Thursday Night

During recent seasons, Eva Le Gallienne, who will appear here Thursday at 8 p. m. in the municipal auditorium, has toured with productions from her own Repertory.
She was last seen on the New York Stage in "Madam Capet," season 1938-39.
In the summer of 1937, she played the role of Hamlet at the summer theatres. She was the first woman to play the difficult part in this country since Sara Bernhardt.
Miss Le Gallienne, who will appear here under the sponsorship of the local Town Hall Association, has this to say of the theatre:
"Regardless of whether or not you are interested in working actively in the theatre, there is much work you can do for the theatre wherever you may be."
"You can help bring back the true meaning to the word Theatre by demanding and supporting true dramatic form, true dramatic art, wherever and whenever you can."
"The theatre is one of the greatest cultural and humanizing forces in the world. Europe, as well as the Orient, has always recognized this."
"There should be in every large community a true Theatre. People's Repertory Theatre, presenting at nominal prices the finest examples of international dramatic art—a place where one can find recreation and mental and spiritual stimulation."
"With your cooperation and understanding from without, we workers within may hope to make the Theatre mean to this country what it means to other countries—an institution cherished and prized by the people, holding a high place in their hearts, minds and esteem."
Miss Le Gallienne's presentation will be the last number of the current Town Hall season and will be open to the public.

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Mrs. Ruby Billings Is Named Honoree At Class Luncheon

Mrs. Ruby Billings, retiring president who is moving to Bourbon, Mo., was named honoree at the First Baptist Mary Martha Class luncheon held in the home of Mrs. Glenn Smith, 901 Runnels. Mrs. J. B. Gordon, new president, was in charge of the business session. Names of secret pals were revealed and gifts exchanged.
The covered dish luncheon was served from a table covered with an Italian cut work cloth and centered with an arrangement of cut flowers in the class colors, purple and gold.
Those present were Mrs. Glenn Smith, Mrs. J. L. Billings, Mrs. C. L. Lumpkin, Mrs. S. M. Fain, Mrs. M. C. Knowles, Mrs. T. E. Atkins, Mrs. Lena Greer, Mrs. J. S. Peden, Mrs. Henry Carpenter, Mrs. John B. Gordon, Mrs. Cecil Long, Mrs. Wayne Williams, Mrs. W. H. Mahan, Mrs. Lila Mae Baird, Mrs. Troy Gifford, Mrs. Boone Horne, Mrs. J. C. Lane, Mrs. D. W. Fuglaar and two guests, Mrs. Al Cloven and Mrs. Anderson.

Mrs. J. D. Benson Is Luncheon Hostess For Forty-Two Club

Mrs. J. D. Benson, 702 East 13th, was hostess to a luncheon held by members of the GM Forty-Two club Saturday. Mrs. George Hall won high and Mrs. A. M. Runyan, low.
It was announced that Mrs. G. W. Dabney, 800 Runnels, will be hostess to the March 16th meeting.
Those present were: Mrs. G. W. Ferrel, Mrs. George Hall, Mrs. A. M. Runyan, Mrs. Wiatt Eason, Mrs. G. C. Graves, Mrs. Harry Lees, Mrs. C. E. Richardson, and Mrs. G. W. Dabney.

Bobby Wallin Given Party On Birthday

COAHOMA, March 7—Bobby Wallin was honored with a party given on his fourth birthday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Wallin Friday afternoon. Refreshments were served.
Those present were Tommy Gentry, Claudine and Martha Bales, Bill Darrow, James Harrington, Bobby and Jimmy Mike Gilbert, Mariann Williams, Rowdy Settles, Roamie Lee Mays, Billie Jean, Joe Nick and Marilyn Devenport, Jean and Michael Peters, Roy Buchanan, Carl and Tommy Wyrick, Bobby Wallin, Mrs. Thurman Gentry, Mrs. J. R. Bales, Mrs. Paul Darrow, Mrs. L. D. Gilbert, Mrs. Oscar Martin, Mrs. Leonard Kinden, Mrs. H. W. Wall, Mrs. Bill Devenport, Mrs. Otto Peters, Jr. and Mrs. Roy Wyrick.

To Be Speaker

Mr. Zolite Boykin, City P-TA Council president, will be the speaker when the North Ward P-TA meets Thursday at 8:30 p. m. at the school. Meeting time has been changed in cooperation with the school census to be taken this

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Jan Fields Named Party Honoree

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THAT'S ALL WE'LL NEED. NOW, WOULD YOU PREFER OUR FIRST HOME TO BE A NIFTY NIFTY ONE LIKE THE NATIVES USE, OR A LONG SHANKY JOB?

SWANKY, BY ALL MEANS.

FRESKO! AND A SHINKY TWO-ROOMER IT'LL BE. WHEEZE! STRIKE UP THE BAND, THE CORNER STONE FOR THE BEST HOUSE IN SAWYERVILLE IS ABOUT TO BE LAID.

NANCY

I LOVE MY NEW FOUNTAIN PEN

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WOW—THIS STRING IS GOING TO GET AWFUL DIRTY

WHAT STRING?

THIS ONE—TO REMIND ME TO REFILL MY PEN ON MARCH 7, 1964

DICKIE DARE

IT'S A LITTLE BOOK BUT IT MAKES ME TO THINK—STRAPE—WHERE IS IT?

KNOW, THEY ARE ONLY PASTE IMITATIONS! NOW OF GREAT VALUE?

OH, PASTOR, THEY MUST BE OF SOME VALUE! THEY GUARDED THEM AS IF OF GREAT WORTH!

OAKIE DOAKS

OAKIE AND KING CORBY HAVE JUST BEEN ADMITTED INTO THE PRESENCE OF HIS HIGHNESS, THE CALIPH OF FUNBAD.

SCRAM, YOU FEMALES! LEAVE ME ALONE IN MY SORROW!

THAT'S APPRECIATION FOR YOU!

LET'S GO, GIRLS!

AS AN HUIZ SAYIN', 'O' HIGHNESS, AN HUIZ BRUNG KING CORBY 'O' UNSUBTAINIA!

AT I-LAST! SOMEONE WHO CAN UNDERSTAND ME!

MEAD'S fine BREAD

LIL' ABNER

YO' TOLE TH' SPIN LATE LIL' ABNER T' STEP INTO THE EMPTY ELEVATOR SHAFT—ANY, NATCHERLY, THE STOODID LOUT DID, YO' FAT BUT CLEVER FEENDS!

CHUCKLE! HE CAN'T STOP US, NOW!

SOMETHING STOPPED US?

THUD!

OH, SORRY! I WAS SITTING ON A WET SPONGE!

BLONDIE

AH-CHOO!

DAGWOOD YOU'RE CATCHING A COLD

AH-CHOO!

WELL, NO WONDER! I WAS SITTING ON A WET SPONGE!

ANNIE ROONEY

HONEST, ZERO—THIS MUST BE THE NICEST COUNTRY IN THE WHOLE WORLD.

NICE TREES, NICE FLOWERS, AN' IT'S FULL OF TERRIBLE NICE PEOPLE—COURSE, THEY ACT KINDA STRANGE.

'CAUSE NOBODY EVER LAFFS AN' NOBODY EVER CRIES—NOBODY EVER COMES HERE 'AN' NOBODY GOES AWAY.

EVERYBODY ACTS LIKE THEY WAS IN A THEATRE—JUST SITTIN' AWFUL QUIET—WAITIN' FOR THE SHOW TO START—

MEAD'S fine CAKES

SCORCHY SMITH

RESET BY MYSTERY AND DANGER IN HIS REORGANIZATION OF RITZANPUS LOGGING INDUSTRY, SCORCHY TAKES THE TO SAVE THE LIFE OF ALL THE WOUNDED EMPLOYEES, COULD THE PURSUIT OF ALL KASH AND HIS REBEL KILLERS WAVE WHILE SCORCHY AND HIS FRIENDS COOPERATE BY RADIO AND AVIATION...

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KARACHI CRATE TO COPILOT! MY POSITION IS 811 BUT I'M SCRAPPING MY CEILING NOW... 10,000 FEET. COME DOWN OFF THAT LADDER WILL 'VA? OVER!

YOU CAN HEAR EM TALKING EACH OTHER IN! A MAN'S LIFE HANGS ON THOSE RADIO WAVES!

LOOK, KARACHI! IF I INTERCEPT YOU DOWN THERE IN THAT WHITE STUFF, WE'LL NEED THAT PLASMA!

SNUFFY SMITH

WHARR'S OL 'TIELESS' TY TYLER THIS MORNIN', FALDYROY?

THE MASTER HAS GONE OVER TO HIS TIE FACTORY TO ATTEND TO SOME URGENT BUSINESS MATTERS, SIR, SHOULD IT CONCERN YOU?

HAW-HAW! I RECKON HE'S DONE GIVE UP THAT TOM-FOOL IDEE 'O' WHIPPIN' OUT ALL TH' MOONSHINERS IN HOOTIN' HOLLER.

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PATSY

I'M SORRY, MR. ISON, BUT MISS TRUOY ISN'T UNDER CONTRACT YET—I HAVE NO WAY TO LOCATE HER.

SO THAT'S BAGGY ISON!

HE'S THE FELLOW TRUOY DOESN'T TRUST—BUT I HEARD HIM SAY HE HAD NEWS FOR HER—MIGHT BE SOMETHING ABOUT MR. RUCY?

EXCUSE ME—BUT I KNOW WHERE TO FIND MISS TRUOY!

YEAH?

GRIN AND BEAR IT



Mister Broger



The Timid Soul



Herald Radio Log

MONDAY EVENING

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District 3-AA Basketball Schedule Opens Mar. 25

District 3AA basketball program will officially get underway Friday March 25, and continue through Tuesday, May 10, it was decided at a special meeting of the executive committee and the coaches at the Settles hotel here Sunday afternoon.

The teams will compete in a double round-robin, with each nine playing the others in a home-and-home series.

The Big Spring Steers will open their schedule at home, tangling with the Midland Bulldogs March 25.

The two teams are starting earlier this year than in 1948 because of the May 14 deadline on district games imposed by the Texas Intercollegiate league.

San Angelo's Bobcats are the defending champions in the conference.

March 25—Midland at Big Spring, Lamesa at Odessa, San Angelo at Abilene, Big Spring at Sweetwater, San Angelo at Midland.
April 1—Midland at Odessa, Sweetwater at San Angelo, Abilene at Lamesa.
April 8—Odessa at Sweetwater, San Angelo at Big Spring, Abilene at Midland.
April 15—San Angelo at Odessa, Big Spring at Lamesa.
April 22—Sweetwater at Abilene.
April 29—Midland at Sweetwater, Abilene at Big Spring, Lamesa at San Angelo.
April 29—Lamesa at Odessa, Abilene at San Angelo, Big Spring at Midland.
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April 29—Sweetwater at Odessa, Midland at San Angelo, Lamesa at Big Spring.
May 6—Abilene at Sweetwater, Odessa at San Angelo, Lamesa at Big Spring.
May 13—Sweetwater at Midland, Big Spring at Abilene, San Angelo at Lamesa.

Looking 'Em Over

By Tommy Hart

Don Clark, who completes his Howard County Junior college schooling this spring, has been proffered half an athletic scholarship to go to Texas A & M college, where he performed last week in the State junior college basketball tournament.

Marty Karow, one of the Aggie coaches, wants Don for his ability as a baseball player rather than a cager and promises he'll get a full scholarship, if he makes good.

Clark has had several offers to turn pro—in fact, one of those who'd like to have his name on a contract is Our Town's Pat Stasey. Don desires a career in professional baseball but may turn it down, or at least delay it, until he completes his schooling.

Karow proffered Clark the half scholarship without ever having seen him in action on the diamond. However, he had been told about his ability and knew he was agile enough to be an infielder by watching him on a basketball court.

FEUD BREWING BETWEEN HCJC AND FRANK PHILLIPS

There's quite a feud brewing between the HCJC team and Frank Phillips JC of Borger. The Borger team was in the stands at College Station when the Jayhawks nudged Wharton, 51-50, in the first round of the consolation.

Some of the players later overheard the Borger coach make the remark, "Well, old Davis (Harold Davis, the HCJC coach) lucked out another one." That burned the local athletes to a crisp. Now the Hawks are hoping they'll get a shot at the Plainsmen in the Regional meet at Amarillo this week. The two teams split even in Zone play. Borger has proved invincible at home but has had difficulty in winning on the road. The Phillips team reportedly looked very pitiful in its game with Tyler in the College Station show.

TYLER STARS MAY WIND UP IN SOUTHERN METHODIST

HCJC players heard at the A & M tournament that Jerry Champion and Bryan Miller of the Tyler team would wind up in Southern Methodist university after they complete their schooling there in 1951, that the Mustang coaching staff more or less 'farmed them out' to the Apaches.

Incidentally, the Tyler school boasts 1,100 students—bigger than a lot of senior colleges in the Southwest—and has one of the best athletic programs to be found anywhere.

SUL ROSS LOBOS BOOKED BY TRINITY TIGERS

Sul Ross of Alpine, where Hal Battle, the Big Spring high school product completes his collegiate grid eligibility next fall, is one of the 11 opponents on Trinity university's schedule this year. The Lobos and the Tigers tangle at San Antonio Oct. 15.

That could well be one of the best games of the season since both contingents are coming back with veteran eleven.

Battle, up from Alpine recently, says Herbert Kokernot of Alpine is going all out in preparations for the major league exhibition game between the Chicago Cubs and the St. Louis Browns, March 31. He invites all local baseball fans to be on hand.

Roy Blair, the local coach, will probably play ball for Kokernot at Alpine again this summer, when the school term ends. Blair was active down that way last summer. He's an outfielder.

Tacho Martinez Is Re-Elected Pilot Of Tigers At Sunday Meeting Here

Tacho Martinez was elected Sunday to serve his second consecutive season as manager of the Big Spring Tigers, Latin American baseball club.

Ynez Yanez was named assistant manager, while Elias Gamboa was selected as field pilot for the 1949 season.

Martinez said he planned to devote considerable effort toward strengthening the Tiger aggregation this year. In 1948 the team won 17 of 23 games, opposing the strongest independent nines in West Texas.

The Tigers plan to begin training within two weeks. They already have candidates for several positions, including the following veterans: Pat Martinez, first base; Gus Fierro, shortstop; Isa Mendoza, pitcher; Tom Arista, center field; Tom Fierro, catcher; and Manuel Subia, rightfield.

Only two Longhorn baseball league clubs have yet to select managers for the 1949 season with the naming of the veteran Dick Gyselman as pilot of the Sweetwater Swatters over the weekend.

The two teams still without field bosses are Vernon, where Owner Bob Huntley may assume the reins, and Roswell. Owner Bill Moore is supposed to have some one on the line but not yet actually under contract.

Alex Monchalk will guide the Odessa Oilers' field. Harold Webb will be back at Midland and Pat Stasey at Big Spring. Sam Harshaney has been named pilot at San Angelo while Ballinger will go along with Charles English.

Gyselman is a former major leaguer and for years was one of the Pacific Coasts top players. He was a combination third sacker-first baseman for the Seattle Rainiers.

Gyselman's appointment was announced by Owner Cy Faucett. He skipped the Great Falls, Mont., club in the Pioneer league last season.

Mystery Cloaks Suit Involving Baseball Czar

NEW YORK, March 7. — Organized baseball was threatened today with another legal headache—a multi-million dollar one—but an air of mystery surrounded the latest of the sport's spectacular developments.

John L. Flynn, New York attorney, announced suits would be filed against the national game soon by several players suspended for jumping to the Mexican League three years ago.

He declined to name the men involved but stated that \$5,000,000 was a "low" estimate of the total amount of damages that would be asked.

He said the suits, like the Danny Gardella case which still is pending in the courts, would be based on the contention that banishment deprived the players of a chance to earn a living.

Gardella, pint-sized former outfielder of the New York Giants, sued baseball leaders for \$300,000, contending the game is a monopoly and its reserve clause violates the anti-trust law. A U. S. court of appeals held last month the Gardella case should be heard.

The St. Louis Post-Dispatch yesterday named ten players reportedly ready to file damage suits for an estimated \$5,000,000 through Attorney Flynn.

A few of these players acknowledged they had been contacted about such a suit. Others either said they knew nothing about it or had no comment.

The players were listed as Pitchers Max Lanier and Fred Martin and Infielder Lou Klein of the St. Louis Cardinals; Outfielder Luis Olmo of the Brooklyn Dodgers; Pitchers Sal Maglie, Harry Feldman and Ace Adams and Infielders Roy Zimmerman and George Hausmann of the New York Giants; and Myron Hayworth, a catcher who played with the St. Louis Browns and Toledo of the American Association.

They were all given five-year suspensions for going to the Mexican League in the spring of 1946.

Maglie, a gasoline station operator at Niagara Falls, N. Y., acknowledged he had been contacted and he said: "Whatever Max (Lanier) decided is all right by me. I don't know much about it. However, if the rest of the boys want to sue, I'll go along."

Lanier, in St. Petersburg, Fla., said he had no comment "at this time."

Zimmerman said he had been approached by Flynn but decided not to go along with the plan.

Klein and Feldman said they knew nothing at all about the suits while Hayworth stated, "It's news to me."

The other players could not be contacted immediately.

Told of this reaction, Flynn said he had "several" players ready to file suits and that a story would break in a few days.

Commissioner Chandler, in Sarasota, Fla., had no comment on the matter. Other officials also were silent.

Horses Depart Arcadia Track For North, East

ARCADIA, Calif., Mar. 7. —The exodus to the East and North was in full swing from Santa Anita Park today, its 12th winter meeting, a matter of history.

Newest entry in the book was the triumph of the Argentine marathon runner, Miss Grillo, in the \$50,000 Santa Anita Handicap Saturday.

It was the 40th race in this country for the seven-year-old South American rooster, a victory worth \$38,100 to her owner, Mrs. Barclay Douglas of Newport, R. I., and New York. It also was the last race for the game old mare. She is being retired for breeding.

The victory was a consolation prize for the third place finisher in the \$100,000 Santa Anita Handicap and a reversal of the fashion in the richer stakes.

Vulcan's Forge, I. J. Collins' Golden Chestnut, winner of the Santa Anita, found the mile and one half San Juan distance too long and his top weight of 122 for a four-year-old too much. After banging away on the pace he finished fourth.

Dinner Gong, second in the big 'cap, again finished second. The Foxcatcher Farm's Rose Beam, who could do no better than fifth in the sloppy going a week before, ran third on a strip labelled good.

Today horsemen headed for Golden Gate at Albany, Calif., and to the East.

Eastward bound are Vulcan's Forge; Miss Grillo, to be mated with Al Sabbath's Alsab; Clifford Moore's Old Rockport, good looking colt who won the \$100,000 Santa Anita Derby and is Kentucky Derby talent, and others.

Abe Hirschberg's Dinner Gong is to race at Golden Gate, and others will remain here to await the opening of Hollywood Park in May.



1949 ALL-LONE STAR CONFERENCE CAGERS—Three of the seven member colleges are represented on the official All-Lone Star Conference basketball team for 1949, as selected by the coaches and players. Stephen F. Austin and Southwest Texas placed two men each and East Texas placed one man. The only unanimous choice was Wyatt Dotson, Southwest Texas; Truitt Ingram, East Texas; and Lanky Williams, Stephen F. Austin. Littleton was chosen for the all-conference teams in 1947-1948. Carlisle and Ingram were selected for the 1948 team. Dotson and Williams were selected this year for the first time.

Bears Will Vote Today On Playoff

By The Associated Press
Baylor is to decide today whether it will compete in a district NCAA basketball playoff or call it quits for the season.

The playoff is to be at Dallas Wednesday and Thursday to decide the District Six representative to the Western Regional Tournament of the National Collegiate Athletic Association.

Arizona, Border Conference title, Arkansas and Rice have already accepted invitations to the playoff. Arkansas, Rice and Baylor tied for the Southwest Conference championship.

Baylor Coach Bill Henderson said Saturday that he personally was opposed to the playoff and that he didn't care "whether Baylor played or not." He said, however, he would leave it up to his team.

The players were to decide today. The Waco News-Tribune, in a story by Sports Editor Jinx Tucker, said this morning that Baylor definitely would be in the playoff.

Tucker's story said that the majority of Baylor players were back in Waco yesterday and that their reaction was favorable to the idea. Last year, Baylor defeated Arizona in a play-off for the District Six spot in the Regional Tournament. The Bears won the regional and lost to Kentucky in the finals of the championship tournament.

The regional tournament will be held at Kansas City March 18-19. The NCAA championship will be decided later this month at Seattle, Wash.

Final conference standings:

| Team | W | L | Pct. |
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| Texas | 9 | 3 | .631 |
| Arkansas | 8 | 4 | .591 |
| Baylor | 8 | 4 | .591 |
| Rice | 7 | 5 | .500 |
| Texas A&M | 7 | 5 | .500 |
| TCU | 11 | 6 | .643 |

Leading scorers (season):
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Slater Martin, Texas 145 82 322
Julius Dolittle, TCU 120 86 306
Tom Hamilton, Texas 107 104 300
Jack Brown, SMU 138 71 307

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Bill Tom, Rice 50 42 222
Julius Dolittle, TCU 47 82 189
Slater Martin, Texas 44 29 177
Bob Brown, SMU 53 48 184
Tom Hamilton, Texas 47 82 186

Webber And Detton Team For Tag Match At Sportatorium Tonight

Wrestling Promoter Pat O'Dowdy stages his glossiest match of the winter season this evening, an Australian Tag test which features the return of the redoubtable Vic Webber of Plainview, Tex., and New York City.

Webber steps out of another era when he descends into the local battle pit. The most popular grappler ever to appear here, Webber is in the midst of a comeback following a serious accident that jeopardized not only his wrestling career but his life.

The handsome Vic was seriously injured in a train mishap up east some nine years ago and it was thought for a long while he would go through life a cripple. However, he fought back slowly and today says he's as good as ever. He's confounded the doctors by returning to the ring.

Webber moved to Plainview to turn Promoter and wrestles only as a sideline. Proud of the esteem his station once demanded here, Vic wanted to make certain he attained top condition before risking it before the local folks again. He petitioned O'Dowdy to try him in a team match, so that he might try out his sea legs before he ventured solo.

He's teaming with Glenn Detton, Amarillo arbirer who bears a locally famous family name. Glenn is the brother to Dory Detton, the wheel in the regional wrestling circuit and a wrestler in his own right.

The two go against Billy San-

dow of Toledo, Ohio, and vicious Olan Boynton of Amarillo. Boynton is a crowd baiter and has always been the object of the scale of verbal blasts, locally. There'll be two 20-minute warm-up matches, one of them featuring Webber. The opener goes on at 8:15 o'clock.

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Softball League Makes '49 Plans

Representatives of the Texas Softball league, meeting in regular business session here Sunday, voted to split into two divisions of five teams each for the 1949 season.

Composing the Western division are Lubbock, San Angelo and Fort Stockton. The other two franchises have not yet been granted.

The stern half will be made up of Dilene ad Stamford plus three clubs yet to be picked. League play will get underway Saturday, May 7.

Rankin Is Top Zone Scorer

Morace Rankin, Howard County Junior college's all-Western Zone conference basketball player, led all players in conference scoring with an aggregate of 103 points, records released by Coach Harold Davis of the Jayhawks today showed.

Rankin collected 48 field goals and 17 gratis pitches for his record breaking total. His average was a robust 13 points.

He bested Jimmy Kile, Amarillo, who collected 95 points. Freshman Billy Fletcher of HCJC was third with 88 points while Delmar Turner, HCJC captain, was sixth with 72.

Fletcher led all scorers over the full season with 308 points while Rankin is second with an even 300. Each has at least one game to play.

Following are the records for conference games only:

| Player | FG | FT | Pts |
|----------------------|----|----|-----|
| Morace Rankin, HCJC | 43 | 17 | 103 |
| Jimmy Kile, Am. | 42 | 12 | 95 |
| Billy Fletcher, HCJC | 42 | 12 | 95 |
| Duane Craig, Od. | 35 | 10 | 75 |
| J. Reeves, Od. | 35 | 10 | 75 |
| Del Turner, HCJC | 33 | 8 | 72 |
| Bob Howard, FP | 30 | 8 | 68 |
| Art Schirmer, Am. | 30 | 8 | 68 |
| Sidney Bays, CL | 28 | 7 | 62 |
| Jim Cope, FP | 28 | 7 | 62 |

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Vernon, Roswell Still Without Field Pilots

Only two Longhorn baseball league clubs have yet to select managers for the 1949 season with the naming of the veteran Dick Gyselman as pilot of the Sweetwater Swatters over the weekend.

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Jones To Speak To Buff Grid 11

STANTON, March 7.—Thurman (Tugboat) Jones, new Midland coach, will be the feature speaker at the Stanton high school football banquet, which will be held in the basement of the First Methodist church here Tuesday night.

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School Vehicles Getting Inspection
State highway patrolmen were concerned with the task this morning of inspecting buses and private automobiles used in the transportation of school children to and from classes.

B'Spring Ropers Take Prizes In Angelo Rodeo

Big Spring ropers had fair luck at the San Angelo Rodeo, which terminated Sunday. Sonny Edwards, who finished second for the show in calf roping, collected \$472.50 for his efforts.

Local Youth Takes Job With Armour In Fort Worth

Horace Underwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Underwood, Garden City, has stepped into a job with Armour & Company at Fort Worth following completion of his college work at Texas Tech.

REALLY, IT WAS A PLANE CRASH

EDINBURGH, Scotland, March 7. (AP)—Four ambulances from Edinburgh, Musselburgh and Haddington rushed to nearby Longniddry on a report of a plane crash.

Free Oil Recovered From Vealmoor Test

Free oil was recovered in a new zone of the Vealmoor pool Sunday during a 90-minute drillstem test on the Seaboard No. 1 Mae Zant. The test was run from 7,507-87 feet on a porous section about 200 feet up the hole from the Canyon section from which the Vealmoor Pennsylvania field produces.

City Near Finish On Its Share Of Highway Paving

Big Spring hopes to complete most of its share of a paving project on the Lamesa highway this week. City Manager H. W. Whitney said curb and gutter installations probably would be finished within the next few days.

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Car License Sales Are Going Slowly

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To Campaign For Enforcement Of Garbage Statute

The city-county health unit will continue its campaign against unsanitary garbage cans this spring. C. W. Mason, sanitarian has announced.

Installment Buying Extension Goes Into Effect Today

WASHINGTON, March 7. (AP)—You can go out and buy an automobile on 21 months credit today. Refrigerators, radios and television sets, also had their installment buying limits raised to nearly two years.

Visits-Visitors

Fred Field and family of Crane, and Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Schuessler of North Cowden, have been visiting in the home of Mr. Field and Mrs. Bert Field.

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WEATHER BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Mostly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday; warmer Tuesday. High today 66, low tonight 46, high tomorrow 74. Hazy, temperature this date, 68 in 1929; lowest this date, 19 in 1943; maximum rainfall this date, .25 in 1934. TEMPERATURES CITY Max Min Amarillo 77 56 Big Spring 66 43 Chicago 67 45 Denver 53 30 El Paso 75 50 Fort Worth 71 50 Galveston 76 59 Houston 76 59 St. Louis 80 54 Sun sets today at 6:48 p. m., rises Tuesday at 7:08. EAST TEXAS: Fair north, considerable cloudiness south this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday; warmer north portion Tuesday; scattered showers southeast and extreme south Tuesday. Moderate to fresh northeast to east winds on coast. WEST TEXAS: Considerable cloudiness this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday; a few showers east of Pecos Valley Tuesday; no important temperature changes.

MARKETS LOCAL MARKETS Cash market: ungraded eggs 36, graded 38; cream 60 cents lb.; fryers, no local trading; hams 24, coconuts 10. No. 1 Mils 12, No. 2 Mils 10, No. 3 Mils 8. LIVESTOCK FORT WORTH, March 7. (AP)—Cattle 1,900; calves 800; active and strong; some sales unevenly higher; calves and stockers strong to 80 cents or more higher; medium to good slaughter steers and yearlings 20.00-26.00; beef cows 16.00-17.50; canners and cullers 11.00-14.00; hogs 21.00; good and choice fat calves 23.00-25.00; common to medium calves 19.00-22.00. Hogs 1,900; mostly steady on all classes; top 21.00; good and choice 19.00-20.00; hogs 20.25-21.00; good and choice 19.00-18 lb. 18.00-20.25; good 20.00-18 lb. 18.00-20.00; sows 16.00-18.00; pigs 14.00-16.00. Sheep 2,000; all classes sheep and lambs fully steady; good and choice wooled slaughter lambs 22.00, medium and good slaughter lambs 20.00; good and choice COTTON NEW YORK, March 7. (AP)—Cotton futures at noon were 15 to 20 cents a bale above lambs with No. 3 pella 22.50; good short lambs, yearlings and two-year-old weathers mixed 20.00-22.00; good short feeder lambs 20.00; medium and good slaughter ewes 12.00. Higher than the previous close. March 22.54, May 22.38 and July 21.25.

LEGAL NOTICE THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: EMIL KRENECK, OREINTINO: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 30 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday the 6th day of April, A. D., 1949, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, at the Court House in Big Spring, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 22nd day of January, 1949. The file number of said suit being No. 6999. The names of the parties in said suit are: Emil Krenck as Plaintiff, and Emil Krenck as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: For divorce, Plaintiff alleges 1 year actual inhabitation in Texas, and residence in Howard County 6 months next preceding filing of said petition, and that she and Defendant August 16, 1947 permanently because his conduct was of such a cruel nature as to render her further living with him impossible; further alleging that Lot 3, Block 9, Boylston Addition, Big Spring, Texas, is her separate property. If this Citation is not served within 30 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. Issued this 18th day of February, A. D., 1949. Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Big Spring, Texas, this 18th day of February, A. D., 1949. Geo. C. Chisler, Clerk. District Court, Howard County, Texas By Melba Reed, Deputy

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Auto Overturns, Two Escape Injury

Two Big Spring residents escaped injury when their automobile overturned at the Moss lake cutoff 3 1/4 miles east of town at approximately 6:15 o'clock Sunday evening but the machine, a 1946 model Ford, was all but completely wrecked.

Father's Night Set

College Heights P-TA will sponsor a father's night, fun and social hour at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday in the YMCA. Lee Milling will be the featured speaker. This announcement was made Monday morning by Mrs. W. N. Norred, unit president.

Commissioners To Austin Hearing

Howard county commissioners court members were enroute to Austin Monday, and thus the weekly session was omitted. They were to attend a hearing on a lateral road bill this evening at the capitol. Several representatives of the Howard county Farm Bureau chapter, headed by Dale Puckett, also were enroute to Austin for the hearing.

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Won't Permit Reds To Claim Property

BERLIN, March 7 (AP)—The Russians will not be "allowed to go poking their noses around" the American zone looking for property they claim the Nazis looted from them, a high American official said yesterday.
 He was commenting on a letter Marshall Vassily D. Sokolovsky, Soviet commander, sent Gen. Lucius D. Clay, blasting American restitution policies and laying claim to widespread properties. The letter was published by Soviet agencies Saturday.
 "What the Soviets are trying to do is to get fishing expeditions into the American zone," the official said.
 Sokolovsky, in his letter to Clay, had asked that three-man teams of the Soviet Restitution Mission be allowed to operate in each state of the American zone, inspecting factories, archives, museums and art galleries.
 An American economics official said the deadline for filing claims for properties looted by the Nazis expired a year ago, but that "exceptionally meritorious cases which cropped up since are being considered."

STUDENT FACES PROSECUTION IN 'BORROWING' OF VALUABLE BOOK

LOS ANGELES, March 7 (AP)—Superior court may decide whether the pilfering of one of the world's most valuable books was a college prank or not.
 Caught leaving a UCLA library window with the "priceless" Bay Psalm Book in hand, Charles J. Glenn, 27-year-old postgraduate student faces prosecution on burglary charges.
 The Portland, Ore., man, arrested Friday night, maintains he "borrowed" it as "part of my initiation in a secret society." He was booked on suspicion of burglary and released under \$2,000 bond to appear in Superior Court Tuesday.
 Librarian L. C. Powell said the Bay Psalm Book is one of 11 known copies of the initial volume printed in the American colonies, dating back to 1640. He said he will recommend "severe" disciplinary action at a meeting today with Provost Clarence Dykstra. The book was part of the freedom train collection.
 "Post-graduate students are usually in universities for more serious things than dog-eating or book stealing or other childish fraternity pranks. This book could have been seriously damaged. It's insured at \$100,000, but it is actually priceless," he added.
 Glenn said: "Obviously, a thief wouldn't steal so rare a book. It couldn't be sold. What could it be but a prank?"

Carbide Workers Go Back To Work

TEXAS CITY, March 7 (AP)—Approximately 3,500 workers will return to their jobs as the result of settlement yesterday of the Carbide and Carbon Chemical Corp. strike here.
 There were 1,400 striking union plant workers. About 2,000 union construction workers employed by the plant had been idle during the 43-day strike because they did not cross picket lines set up by the striking union.
 The company and the union signed the new contract last night. Operators were given an 18-cent an hour wage increase and other classifications received up to 20% cents increase. Before the increase operators received \$1.82 and maintenance men received \$1.95.
 The hikes are retroactive to last Sept. 1 except that operators will receive only 14 cents an hour back pay.

Army Official Ends Sojourn In China

TOKYO, March 7 (AP)—Maj. Gen. David G. Barr, former head of the joint U. S. military advisory group in China, departed for Washington by air today. Thus ended an American effort to strengthen and stabilize the Chinese armed forces.
 Offices maintained in Tokyo for finishing records and other matters connected with the advisory group's activities were closed with Barr's departure.
 He will return to Japan within a month for reassignment under Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

Senate In Recess

WASHINGTON, March 7 (AP)—A Senate recess was arranged today out of respect for the late Sen. J. Melville Broughton (D-NC), 60, who died of a heart attack yesterday.
 Funeral services for the former North Carolina governor will be attended by state and national leaders in Raleigh, N. C., Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

WITCHCRAFT FOILED BY WEIRD CEREMONY
'Hexed' Widow Has Mate's Grave Reopened To Banish Evil Spell

ALTOONA, Pa., March 7 (AP)—A re-opened grave—a burned U. S. Army uniform—a pinch of salt cast on a corpse.
 Those were some of the details of a story unfolded here yesterday—a story centering around a "hexed" widow who is reported recovering from a "spell" cast on her dead soldier husband.
 The story came to light with the disclosure by Bedford County authorities that they had granted permission for the re-opening of the grave of Pvt. Reuben Rock, 29, who died last Jan. 13 of tuberculosis.
 Arthur Dively, father of Rock's widow, attractive Mrs. Rosalia Rock, 22, said that a ceremony performed at the grave Feb. 22 freed his daughter of the "spell" that had brought her close to a nervous breakdown.
 The U. S. Army uniform in which Rock had been buried was stripped from his body and burned, Dively said. Salt was sprinkled on the body to ward off evil spirits. The corpse was then wrapped in a clean white sheet and returned to its resting place.
 After Rock was buried Jan. 16 in the Bulls Creek District near the Blair-Bedford County line, Dively said, his daughter was tormented by her husband's restless spirit. Rosalia, who had been devoted to Rock, was unable to eat or sleep, Dively said.
 Her parents became convinced Rock had practiced witchcraft by charming Rosalia's picture, Dively said. The picture was found and destroyed but apparently to no avail.
 The family decided it had been a mistake to bury Reuben in the Army uniform he had left to Rosalia. Since the uniform was destroyed, Dively said, the noises have stopped and Rosalia is returning to health.

Bridge Keeper Dies

LAREDO, March 7 (AP)—Luis Varela, 78, who died yesterday, started keeping the Laredo international bridge when it was a foot-bridge.
 He was in charge of the bridge over the Rio Grande River during Mexican revolutions from 1911 to 1917, when it was destroyed by fire in 1930 and when the new bridge was submerged by record rises in the river.

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Houston Moves To Check Sale Of Horse Meat

HOUSTON, March 7 (AP)—Charges against people responsible for the sale of horse meat in Houston may be filed early this week, said Dr. Fred K. Laurentz, director of the city health department.
 Dr. Laurentz said one man is chiefly responsible for the return of horse meat sales for human consumption here. "Of course, he had a lot of helpers," Laurentz added.
 Last week 26 of 68 meat samples tested by the city health department were found to be horse meat. The laboratory planned to test 60 more today. The state health department is testing 42 samples in Austin.
 J. Leonard Davidson, a Houston oilman, has called a meeting of civic club officers to possibly form a group to appear before the city council in protest of horse meat sales.
 During the 15th and 16th Centuries, the University of Salamanca in Spain had as many as 8,000 students.

Man Dies In Wreck

HOBBBS, N. M., March 7 (AP)—Clarence Schwab, about 35, of Hobbs was killed Saturday in a highway collision near here. Eight other persons were injured.

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