

Hoover Opposes Further Bonus Legislation

McAdoo, Stopping Here, Praises Garner Indicates Veto If Bill Passed

Says Two Billion Appropriation Would Undo Economy Efforts

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Hoover announced he was absolutely opposed to enactment of further veterans' bonus legislation.

He indicated he would veto such a measure if passed by congress.

The president said passage of the suggested bill for an outlay of two billions would undo "every effort that is being made to reduce government expenditures and balance the budget."

He read a formal statement to this effect at the regular press conference.

Big Spring American Legion Post And Chamber of Commerce Express Opposition To WTCC Bonus Letter

More than two hundred and fifty members of the William B. Martin Post 185 of the American Legion and other ex-service men voted enthusiastically Monday night in favor of a resolution "condemning the tax committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for their recent stand upon the payment of the adjusted service certificates."

A few minutes before the legislators had voted their appreciation of the resolution adopted by the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce directors, which was read to the post by Carl Blomsheld, both a member of the American Legion and a director in the Chamber of Commerce.

The legion hall was crowded with shouting, excited men when the meeting was convened promptly at 8 o'clock by Post Commander Whaley. A few minutes of routine business brought forth no outstanding announcements and the commander reviewed rapidly and briefly the situation with which the Legion was confronted.

Whaley went on to describe the action taken by other posts in this vicinity immediately following the publication of a statement from the tax committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce that they would not favor the payment of such service certificates and would in no way assist in the forwarding of such a movement.

"Stamford" Whaley declared, "has said that their Legion activities will let the state know that they are the home of something else besides the seat of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce."

Colin Heard

John Colin, sergeant-at-arms, leaped to his feet immediately after Whaley had declared that the house was open to discussion of the action of the West Texas body and proposed that a resolution be adopted similar to those adopted by other posts, strongly condemning the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for their action.

"I do not believe," Colin said, "that this action represents the true feeling of the members of the chamber of commerce themselves. I believe that there are smarter men in that body than are on that committee."

Colin's measure was promptly seconded but before the question could be put before the house for a vote several members had clamored for the right to be heard, and on open discussion resulted. Bob Eubanks pleaded that no step be taken that might be misconstrued as a commercialization of the American Legion, and Mr. Bryant suggested that no resolution be voted.

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Steer Track Men To Enter Angelo Meet

The Big Spring High cinder artists, stamped as favorites for the district title by their performances in the Barnhart and Midland Invitational meets, were drilling for the San Angelo relays this weekend with expectations of capturing their third track championship of the year.

The surprising show of Forrest, Coburn, and Richbourg in the Midland and Barnhart affairs led Coach Olin Bristow to predict a district title for his charges provided "Tack" Dennis continued to set a strenuous pace in the race for individual honors. Dennis has scored 39 points in two meets this season, winning first places in the javelin, discus, and shot, and placing in the 400 yard dash and the 110 yard high hurdles.

Concentrating their efforts upon the discus, javelin, shot, broad jump, high jump, and high hurdles the Bovines have swept to two impressive victories this season. Forrest and Coburn, neither sensational men last season, have developed into sure punt winners in the high jump and broad jump. Coburn cleared six feet at Barnhart and Forrest went almost as high, while both went over twenty feet in the broad jump, tying with Chandler of Ozona for first place. Hopper and Harris make up two capable mates for Dennis in the weight events while R. P. Curry is developing into an excellent hurdler.

Bristow was still in dire need of a sprinter as he sent his charges through a stiff workout Monday afternoon. Heibsen, Coburn, and Phillips make up a trio of entries, but the Bovines have gleamed few points indeed from the running events this season. Curry in addition to the hurdles takes on the half-mile event with fair success, and Cecil Reid, district mile champion, may round into shape for meets later in the season.

Intermediaries Continue Effort To Return Baby

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—The Rev. H. Dobson Peacock left by airplane for his home at Norfolk today.

He flew here yesterday and then motored to Hopewell, New Jersey to confer with Colonel Lindbergh on the baby Lindbergh kidnaping, saying he had been negotiating with them.

The state police reiterated that Lindbergh doubted the importance of the proceedings, but there was no direct statement from Colonel Lindbergh.

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—A posse of farmers and three deputy sheriffs were searching the woods twelve miles west of town for a negro who had twice attempted to attack Mrs. F. E. Alford, wife of a dairy worker. He came about dusk Monday seeking for food and then attempted to attack her, but when the woman screamed and ran for her husband he fled.

He again appeared Tuesday, but fled again when the woman screamed.

Income Tax Receipts Above Expectations

WASHINGTON (AP)—Income tax collections through March 27 totaled \$189,941,065.73, the treasury announced. This was about \$15,000,000 more than preliminary estimates.

The latest treasury estimate has been placed at \$190,000,000 for the month of March and with five remaining days it is now apparent that this estimate will be exceeded.

March 25 income tax collections totaled \$1,076,998.48 to bring the total for the fiscal year 1932 to \$848,062,480.14 as compared with \$1,498,401.12 for the corresponding period of the fiscal year 1931.

Thirty-Three Dollars Added To Fund For Scenic Drive Work; More Needed

Thirty-three dollars more in the Scenic Drive repair and unemployment relief fund was reported Tuesday morning by B. F. Robbins, who is devoting most of his time to this effort.

Mr. Robbins reported work was suspended Tuesday dusk to the high wind but would be resumed Wednesday. Sufficient funds are on hand for several days' more of work for unemployed men, who are obtained through the American Legion's unemployment relief offices here.

Donations, a dollar or less for each person, may be turned in to Mr. Robbins at the Chamber of Commerce, the Weekly News office or the Herald office.

Additional donors are T. S. Currie, R. W. Currie, Ira Driver, J. W. Aderholt, Dr. G. T. Hall, W. A. Farver, Dr. W. B. Hardy, Crawford Store, Dr. W. T. Mann, Dr. C. D. Baxley, Brunswick Domino Parlor, Cowden Insurance Agency, L. E. Coleman, L. A. Wright, Broadway Studio, Jack Hendrix, W. A. Gilmore, C. S. Blomsheld, Lone Star Cafe, W. B. Sullivan, Jones Dry Goods company, Hilo Hatch, Rev. J. Richard Spann, Frank Pool, Fred Polacek, Frank Johnson, Mrs. J. P. Watkins, Big Spring Weekly News, Walter Vastine, Dr. Pepper Bottling company, B. W. Boyd Grocery company, Tom McDougall, S. B. Stone.

The Weather

By U. S. Weather Bureau
Big Spring, Texas, March 29, 1932.
Big Spring and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight, Wednesday cloudy and much colder.
West Texas: Partly cloudy, warmer in southeast portion tonight, Wednesday cloudy, much colder in north portion.
East Texas: Cloudy, warmer in east and south portions tonight, Wednesday unsettled, showers and colder in north portion.
WEATHER CONDITIONS 7 A.M.
A trough of low pressure extends from New Mexico to North Dakota, but is not causing precipitation. Temperature are moderate over the entire country. Precipitation has occurred in Ohio, New England and the northwest states.

Time	Temp.	Wind	Clouds
1:30	59	54	54
2:30	57	54	54
3:30	55	54	54
4:30	53	54	54
5:30	51	54	54
6:30	49	54	54
7:30	47	54	54
8:30	45	54	54
9:30	43	54	54
10:30	41	54	54
11:30	39	54	54
12:30	37	54	54

Highest yesterday 72.
Lowest last night 24.
Precipitation none.

INTERMEDIARIES IN BABY HUNT



Rear Adm. Guy H. Burrage (left), John Hughes Curtis (upper right) and the Rev. H. Dobson Peacock, all of Norfolk, Va., were reported to be negotiating for the return of the Lindbergh baby.

Location Staked For Myers-Greene Test On Denman Lease; F. H. E. Well Down 1,300 Feet; Others To Start

Preparations are being made to spud S. L. Myers and Greene Drilling company's No. 1 L. C. Denman 2675 feet from the north and 2320 feet from the east line of section 14, block 31, township 1 south T. & P. survey, eastern Howard county.

This test is south of the Greene Gatty No. 1 Denman producer which was completed more than a year ago. It is still further south and slightly east of Lee Harrison's No. 1 Denman, most recent completion in that vicinity.

F.H.E. Oil company's No. 1 Denman, located between the Harrison well and the Myers-Greene location is reported drilling ahead from 1,300 feet.

Lee Harrison is preparing to begin his Denman No. 2, a direct spud location from his No. 1 producer.

The Myers-Greene test is located on a lease formerly held by Atlantic Oil Producing company. Frank Greene, well-known Fort Worth operator, traded a half-interest in a completed well to S. L. Myers in return for drilling the well. Greene will be in charge of operations, returning to Big Spring to make his headquarters.

The F.H.E. company's test is on a lease in which it interest was acquired from Reese Allen of Wichita Falls.

Wolters Asks Fight Against Gas Leggers

Suggests Comptroller Be Given 75 Men For Work

AUSTIN (UP)—Brig. Gen. Jacob F. Wolters, recently in command of the national guard forces in the East Texas oil fields, here proposed that the state comptroller be given a force of at least 75 men to break up gasoline bootlegging.

The bootlegging of gasoline without payment of the four cents a gallon tax, has reached alarming proportions, General Wolters said. He estimated that Texas is losing at least \$2,000,000 a year it should collect in tax.

Part of the evasion is done by false entries, partly by mixing with kerosene, and part by hauling at night.

State highway department forces have ordered strict enforcement of an old law requiring all gasoline containers hauled over the road to be plainly marked with the name of the owner. This law, first enacted as a safety measure, is found to help prevent tax evasions.

General Wolters proposed that the next legislature provide a sufficient enforcement staff to stop the bootlegging. He suggested that the pay of the enforcing officers be taken out of the gasoline tax instead of being made by general appropriation.

Reputable oil companies in other states are cooperating with the state officials in combating the bootlegging. They cannot expect to compete with bootlegged gasoline, it was explained.

Jap Aviator Dies In Fall

Captain Nagoya Planned Pacific Flight For Large Sum

NEW YORK (AP)—Captain Y. Nagoya, Japanese aviator, was killed when his plane fell at Water Mill Basin, near Floyd Bennett airport.

He had started to Newcastle, Delaware, to have a factory make final adjustments to his plane, as he planned to fly across the Pacific for the \$25,000 prize offered by the newspaper, Hochi Shimbun.

S. A. & A. P. Seeks To Abandon 21 Miles Of Gonzales-Chinler Line

WASHINGTON (AP)—The San Antonio and Aransas Pass Railway company and the Texas and New Orleans Railroad asked the Interstate Commerce Commission for permission to abandon 21 miles of a branch line from Gonzales to Shiner, claiming that highway traffic was causing the line to lose money.

Woman, Fixing Tire, Struck By Automobile; Both Legs Fractured

LAMPASAS (UP)—Mrs. Bowman Ater, Burnet, was in a serious condition at an Austin hospital today following an accident on the Burnet-Marbel Falls highway in which both her legs were broken.

Mrs. Ater and Mrs. Joe Hayes, also of Burnet, were changing a tire on their car dusk when another machine collided with theirs.

Democrats Can Win With Texan, He Declares; 'Grub' Is Termed Dominant Issue

Ovation Given Speaker By House

WASHINGTON (UP)—Speaker Garner received an ovation as he took the floor for the first time since he was elected speaker.

He begged the house to enact the revenue bill to balance the budget. He said the worst taxes the house possibly could levy would be better at this time than none.

The Texan reminded the house that markets weakened and the dollar weakened in foreign exchange after the house dispute over the sales tax last week.

The committee on ways and means offered a revised bill. It increases first class postage rates, reduces exemptions on surtaxes and levies new excise taxes on a variety of articles.

First Task Must Be Improvement Of Farm Conditions

William G. McAdoo, who stopped at Big Spring airport more than an hour Tuesday morning said he was on his way back to California to take the stump for Speaker John Garner of Texas.

The former secretary of the treasury, enroute in his private plane from the east, stopped here for words their reports before continuing to El Paso. His high-speed Lockheed monoplane had confronted a stiff head-wind out from Fort Worth, delaying him to a "slow" pace of 230 miles in an hour and fifty minutes.

The McAdoo party left Greensboro, N. C., at 8 o'clock Monday morning, reaching Fort Worth at eight hours—a distance of 1208 miles.

McAdoo characterized the most vital public issue in one expressive word—"grub."

"If the Democrats nominate Garner for the presidency, I am sure the party will win a great victory. No one can tell how this convention is going to come out, but Garner—aside from his fitness for the office, for he has character, ability and courage—has not been involved in any of the party feuds which have hampered election of a Democrat to the presidency in the past 12 years," he declared.

Seven Robbers Get Rich Haul

\$25,000 Cash, \$125,000 In Securities; Oklahoma Bank Robbed

MINNEAPOLIS (UP)—Seven men carrying four machine guns robbed the suburban branch of the Northwestern National bank of \$50,000 cash and at least \$125,000 in securities. They fled in an automobile.

"We are not going to have a revival of prosperity until we do some thing to improve the condition of the farmer, especially those growing the basic products. When this is done, they will have the means to purchase goods, the wheels again will start turning, all workers will have employment and business will flourish once more."

If the Democrats nominate a weak man the Republicans probably will win again, notwithstanding the widespread dissatisfaction with President Hoover's administration, McAdoo predicted.

Japanese Claim Chinese Arguing On Minor Points

SHANGHAI (UP)—The Japanese consulate claimed the Chinese were not attempting peace negotiation; by arguing minor military points and refusing to accept responsibility to make terms.

The conference was adjourned until Thursday.

Two men wearing overalls, robed a bank at Meeker Wednesday, and one of them is believed to have been "Pretty Boy" Floyd.

Cashier Sellers said that neither of the Shamrock bandits were Floyd.

Hoover Sure Of Texas' 49 Votes In Convention

DALLAS (UP)—President Herbert Hoover will receive the 49 votes of the Texas delegation at the Republican national convention "with only the gesture of a struggle," E. C. Toothman, director of the state party organization, said.

Force Dispatched To Protect Mukden

CHANGCHUN (AP)—Japanese forces here and at Mukden were called out to attempt to halt the advance of 7,000 rebels toward Changchun in an attempt to overthrow Henry Pu Yi, former Boy Emperor and titular head of the new Japanese sponsored independent Manchuria.

The rebels were apparently about to seize Nungun, 35 miles away.

New Ford V-8 To Be Shown In 200 Cities Of North America March 31

DETROIT—The new Ford V-8 will be shown to the public of 200 cities in the United States and Canada Thursday, March 31.

Announcement of the date, made today by Edsel B. Ford, president of the Ford Motor Company.

John Wolcott, local Ford dealer, was in Dallas Tuesday attending an advance showing of the new models.

brought to a culmination months of preparation on the part of the Ford organization, which is giving employment to 100,000 Ford workmen.

Ford manufacturing and assembly plants are supplied by 5,300 other manufacturing plants throughout the country.

One of the chief factors in the Ford announcement is the confidence shown by Henry and Edsel Ford, that a measure of business revival is possible to the country at this time.

"We know exactly what the car will do," Mr. Ford said. "One of our objectives has been to develop an eight cylinder engine with plenty of horsepower and yet so simply designed that its simplicity will be its main feature as its speed and power. That enables us to build and sell it at a price to fit the average man."

Gib Eoren, Squaky Reynolds and Franklin Orr are visiting friends in Dallas.

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Jimmy At Bat



Mayor James J. Walker of New York is in Hot Springs, Va., for his health. He is shown prepared to pitch out a long drive during a game of one-o-cat.

Home Town Talk

Even a woman agreed with us the other day when we surmised that more women's organizations have been busted up because the members were more interested in who ran it than in what it accomplished than from all other cause put together.

but that doesn't apply to women's clubs only. Men's outfits are equally susceptible; so are towns even states, the nation.

We know a lot of people who'd rather join something than to find a gold brick in the road; but just let them stay in a few weeks and not be named the chairman of some thing and their ardor cools.

A lot of people are always interested in "who's running the town." But that's as far as their interest goes. They don't care how it is run, but who's running it. Is it some guy we like or don't like? Some man we know well or don't know well? Some fellow who was a good friend to our great uncle or some guy who had a spat with our grand father or third cousin?

Yeah, and in smaller communities, especially a lot of people get their wires all messed up until they just can't keep from asking whether a fellow in public position is a member of this or that church or of which service club, or whether he's lived in the town four or forty years.

You know, this business of members of various service clubs watching other clubs and perpetually pointing with pride to how much our club has accomplished compared to that other one, reminds us as aforesaid, of those old-time brush-arbor religious debates down in the black land belt.

You know a lot of times after two protestant brethren of different denominations battled with oratory and struck many a hefty blow with the sword of the scriptures through three or four summer days and nights one of 'em oftentimes end, smiling benignly and observing "oh, well, we're bound for the same place anyhow."

Which goes for service clubs, regardless of which song they sing.

Not that we don't think service clubs can and do perform a lot of worthy deeds; they're just like all organizations, you got to go through a lot of chaff to get at the small grains of good grain.

We trust that the resolution adopted Monday evening by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce will make clear the organization's position with reference to the bones of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce public expenditures committee pulled when it got over-ambitious and, in spite of the tremendous volume of work confronting it right here in West Texas, launched out to try to have something to do with whether the soldier's bonus is paid or not.

We're sure a lot of ex-service men understood that position anyway. But, some of the boys are sort of anxious once in a while to get hold of something to hop on Chambers of Commerce with anyway and of course they didn't overlook that one.

The bonus question had not and has not been submitted to the local C.C. board. As it appears to us a matter outside the realm of its jurisdiction.

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REDUCING BY REDUCING.
WHAT is called one of the most comprehensive programs of tax reforms ever submitted by competent authorities has been drawn up for submission to real estate boards throughout the country. It is the work of Simeon E. Leland, authority on public finance, who is connected with the University of Chicago.

The Leland program contains thirty major recommendations which are designed to eliminate duplication in government reform the tax system and work out a system of government superior to the current brand.

Of special interest to Texans is the recommendation that counties be consolidated in every state. This means that groups of two or more counties would "throw in together," arising from the multiplicity of county governments found in every state, and especially in Texas. There are 254 counties in Texas, each with its own set of officials, records and governmental machinery. This is a burden on the taxpayers, and a good many able men contend that it is an unnecessary burden; that the work of two or more counties could be performed by one set of officials, thereby saving the cost of separate governments.

While such a step is not without precedent, and the legal difficulties in the way are minor, it will require a long, hard campaign to sell the idea to the taxpayers, owing to the political considerations involved, and the petty jealousies that exist among the counties. It is in this mood, however, to cut a few corners and chop off a few expensive appendages, and now would be a good time to move toward the end envisioned by the Leland report.

Consolidation of counties with one another, and of cities with counties is the next obvious step in the battle to reduce costs by cutting down the overhead.

Woman Hitch-Hiker Poisoned Him, Says Man in Hospital Here

A man giving the name of E. C. Fuller underwent treatment in a local hospital Sunday for effects of poison which he declared was given him by a woman hitch-hiker whom he picked up on the Broadway of America west of here.

The man appeared at the Big Spring airport and asked attendants to direct him to a physician.

Rabbits are easy prey to hawks after a forest fire.

Girl's Strength Seemed To Give Out; Back Ached
"My mother gave me Cardui because my health was poor," writes Mrs. Lizzie Newsome, of Augusta, Ga. "I was a pale and sticky girl, suffering with backache. My strength seemed to give out."
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Y-YES, I QUITE UNDERSTAND YOUR RELUCTANCE TO LEND BOOKS. I DON'T BLAME YOU AT ALL. IT'S TOO BIG A RISK

HE FINDS ONE OF HIS OWN BOOKS IN A FRIEND'S LIBRARY AND ATTEMPTS A SUBTLE METHOD OF GETTING IT BACK

BOY CRAZY

by GRACE PERKINS

SYNOPSIS: A sudden decision hurries Hope Ross on to the boat carrying her friend, Judy, on her honeymoon. Dickey Dale, whom Hope wed only to have the marriage set aside by her father, also is on board—and Hope has decided to find out whether he still cares for her.

Chapter 31. BADGE OF CONQUEST
On her bed Hope found the usual daily telegram from her mother, and an envelope of ship's stationery. This she tore open tremulously, finding it only an invitation from the captain to lunch with him the next day.

She went the next noon, mostly because her winnings had caused such excitement among those she knew, and partly because Judy and Tom were also invited, and it was necessary to show Judy that there was no ill feeling.

Others had evidently been invited and had gathered before her arrival. Even as the captain himself came forward to greet Hope and Judy and Tom, Hope saw Sassy standing, glass in hand, watching her. Saw Dickey rise.

The captain turned to introduce them, but Hickey came forward hand outstretched.

"I know Miss Ross," he said gaily. "I've been tempted to speak before on this trip, but our meeting was so long ago I was afraid—"

"Why, who could forget you, Mr. Dale?" Hope smiled up at him, her heart beating a trip-hammer. "Oh, Dickey? How do you do, Dickey? It is too late to congratulate you on your show? Please meet Mr. and Mrs. Post. My old friend, Judy Hunt. Perhaps you remember. And Tom Post, who is almost nice enough for Judy!"

Automatically she felt herself go through the motions. But though the captain was a masterful host, and Lillian Toff's punching-bag conversation kept the room buzzing, Hope held on to the arms of her chair, and simply could not reach out to accept a proffered cocktail.

She heard the captain's words and heard herself answer:

"I'm afraid—I'm seasick. I must ask you to excuse me. I'm sorry."

Unsteadily she started to rise. And blessed Judy for the gesture that caused Tom to sink gracefully back in his chair instead of leaping to her assistance.

Another form rose swiftly. Another hand was under her arm. Another voice was telling her to watch the narrow, twisting stairway.

Quite gently he guided her down the corridor and threw open her stateroom. She caught at his arm for support so that he had to enter with her.

A white streak leaped from the berth. And Sassy, huge and proud and soft-eyed, scratched at the rug and bowed before them.

Hope had not noticed. Her one thought at the moment was a breath of thanksgiving that Millie Seabrook was not in the cabin. But she roused herself as she glanced at Dickey, who was gazing, with an ugly expression on his mouth, at the cat.

"That—that's Sassy!" Hope laughed weakly.

"You still lug him around, huh?" demanded Dickey with a sharp and vicious resentment. "Oh, I've heard about it! You wanted me to hear about it, didn't you? Flaming it up at Harbourn, so that it was the joke of the collegial! You've taken him everywhere and showed him off, trying to make me a laughing stock—"

"But, Dickey—"

Dickey, however, wasn't listening. He was leaping to the cat with a deep flourish.

PARIS AND WE'LL BE MARRIED STOP I'LL TRY TO MAKE UP TO YOU FOR ALL THE UNHAPPINESS I HAVE CAUSED YOU. "HOPE."

And another to Mama Ross, who could barely guess the pressure of dry-eyed grief that traced the words.

MAMA DARLING

I AM HORRIBLY MISERABLE AND I HAVE ASKED RUSTY TO MARRY ME IN PARIS STOP PLEASE COME TOO STOP TELL PAPA HE HAS WON AND I HOPE HE IS SATISFIED LOVE. HOPE.

In black velvet Hope appeared that night. To sit at a large round table with the Posts and the Carters at dinner, and drink champagne, celebrate her winnings, and tell funnier stories than she listened to.

And to laugh—uproariously—at the funniest story of all, that came in the form of a radio laid on the table beside her chocolate soufflé.

HOPE FAIRFIELD ROSS

S. S. PARIS CARE OF FRENCH LINE RUSTY MARRIED HIS FATHER'S SECRETARY THIS MORNING. GOODY.

The radiogram throws Hope in a reckless fever, and she betrays Sassy, tomorrow.

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Murray Gives His Platform

Excerpts From Document Presented By Local Supporters

Local supporters of William H. Murray, governor of Oklahoma, for the Democratic nomination for president, have asked that the following sketches from his printed platform be published:

New issues arise and old issues perish, but the fundamental doctrine of the Democratic party must ever remain one and the same to-day, as when these principles gave its birth—billed in written constitution a government of three departments—legislative, executive and judicial; equal and co-ordinate, to the end that we may remain a government of laws, and not a government of men—such laws to bear equally upon all without regard to class or color; never to be too weak for the strong nor too strong for the weak. We believe in a perpetual union of indestructible states and in local self-government in fullest measure consistent with general public order and stability.

The democracy of Jefferson, the nationalism of Jackson, the progressive economic betterment of Wilson and Bryan, and the liberty of Lincoln, linked with the safeguards to the people and limitations of government, under the federal and state constitutions, which constitution: and all amendments thereto, we pledge to enforce, is the pledge of the Democratic party for the future of America.

All Equal

All citizens of the republic—Catholic or Protestant, Jew or Gentile, pagan or persons of any or no belief, whatever be the race; rich or poor; of high or low estate; are under the same obligations to and are entitled to the equal protection of the laws and of the impartial rights of the constitution. The poor and weak are always, and are now, the subject of special care and solicitude of government.

The constitution, being the fundamental law—the sober second thought of the people—designed by them to establish orderly, efficient government; to define the powers of public officials, and to restrain themselves in moments of passion; and all amendments thereto, have been brought forward at the instance of the people of the several states, and adopted, free from fanaticism or party rancor; we hold that other changes to the constitution or amendments adopted or repealed should come from the people, and receive sanction by the states or people without party coercion.

The Democratic party, in, as the name implies, a party of the people to serve the whole of humanity. It stands equally opposed to the corrupt and the commune, opposed alike to those on one side who want a few to own everything as well as those on the other side who want no one to own anything. It stands for an equitable division of created wealth, under fair competition, regulated by just laws, restraining unscrupulous intellectual cunning and

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We believe that less taxes, more trade, and no trustees are essential to the emancipation and to the prosperity of the underprivileged masses.

We declare the paramount questions of the hour to be to provide for the unemployed; for the security of old age against hardships and poverty; and the economic betterment of the great middle classes threatened with bankruptcy and extermination, which if continued would mean the erection in this fair land of a social system of the old world, with but two classes—the rich and the very poor—and, one poor, always poor, with no hope of advancement—social, financial or political.

The restoration of the great middle classes, we declare, must come through extending credit and banking privileges to the producers who operate the farm, the field, pasture and mines; to independent merchants; to the small manufacturers, and little enterprises; to cease to foster stock and grain gambling and the speculators, who "neither sow nor reap," nor add on

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by the grownups as by the children. Ten prizes were awarded the "luckiest" of our group. The kiddies wish Easter to come again next Sunday. Thanks, Mickey Mouse. We will be glad for you to call next Easter. Respectfully, Sam Leach, M. A. Bear, Oliver Read, W. C. Marsh.

cent of wealth to the nation, no employment labor. To this end, we declare for the repeal of 10 per cent tax, passed in 1875 by a congress serving bondholders and the speculators of Wall street, and which threatened with bankruptcy and extermination, which if continued would mean the erection in this fair land of a social system of the old world, with but two classes—the rich and the very poor—and, one poor, always poor, with no hope of advancement—social, financial or political.

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THE SHOPPING TOUR OF Rambhai Barni

Her name is Rambhai Barni, and her husband is the only absolute monarch left in the world. She has more jewels than the sky has stars, and nothing is unattainable to her if money will buy it.

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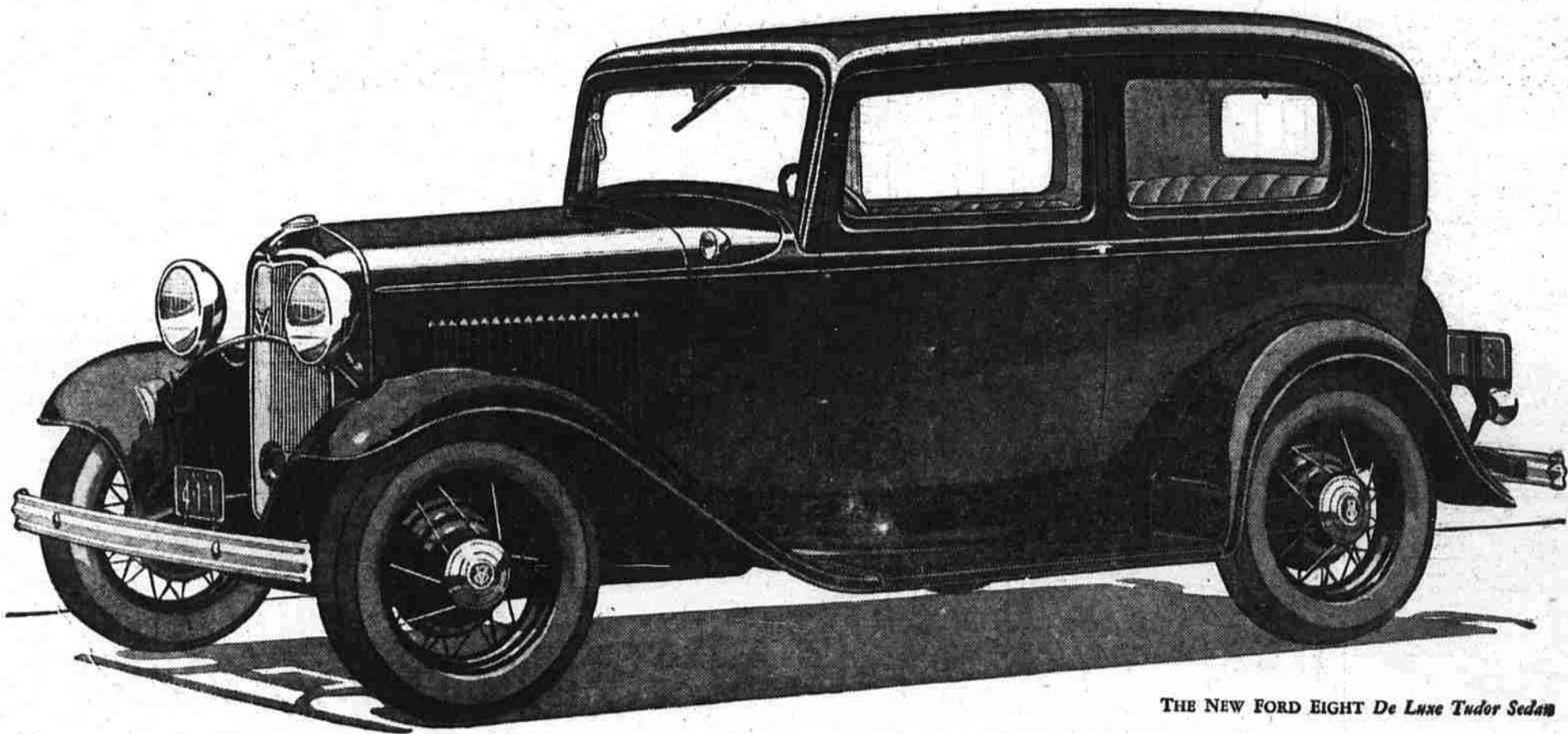
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Negro Residents Thank Mickey Mouse Club For Part In Hunt For Eggs

A committee of negro men has asked The Herald to print the following:

To the Mickey Mouse club: We the negro population of the city take off our hats to you for the Easter hunt. We were there with 65 children and the fun was shared

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DAZZY WARMS UP HURLING ARM



Associated Press Photo
Dizzy Vance, veteran speedball pitcher, is shown in his characteristic windup pose at the Brooklyn Robins' camp at Clearwater, Fla. The Dazzler, despite his 38 years, expects to have a good year on the mound.

Kidnaping Starts Feud



Associated Press Photo
Three University of Missouri students were shot, one seriously, as an aftermath of the "kidnaping" of Mary Louise Butterfield (above) who had been chosen queen of the engineers' dance. The shooting was blamed on rivalry between law and engineering students.

Sharp-Shooter



Associated Press Photo
Bill Strickland, who this year took over Catfish Smith's job as center of the University of Georgia's basketball team, averaged 12 points a game for the first seven games of the season.

AT YANKS' TRAINING CAMP



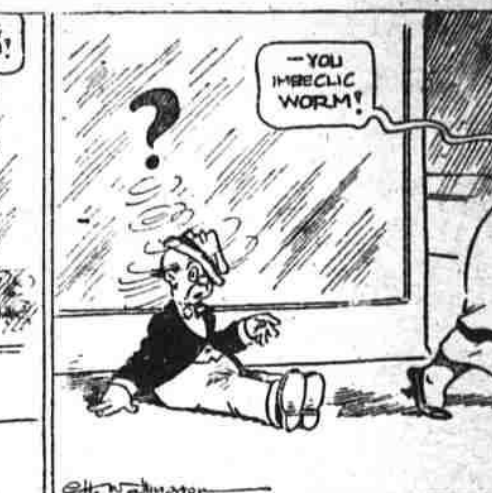
Associated Press Photo
The yearly business of taking winter kinks out of muscles has started in the New York Yankees' camp at St. Petersburg, Fla. Here's a well known trio resting on the sidelines. In case you don't know, left to right: Babe Ruth, Manager McCarthy and Lyn Lary.

REG'LAR FELLERS



by Gene Byrnes

PA'S SON-IN-LAW



by Wellington

DIANA DANE



One Big Happy Family

by Don Flowers

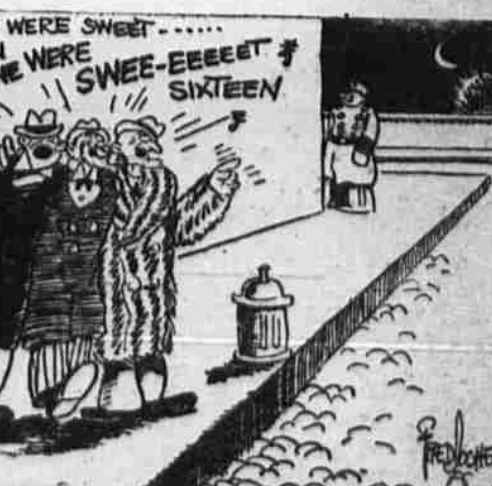
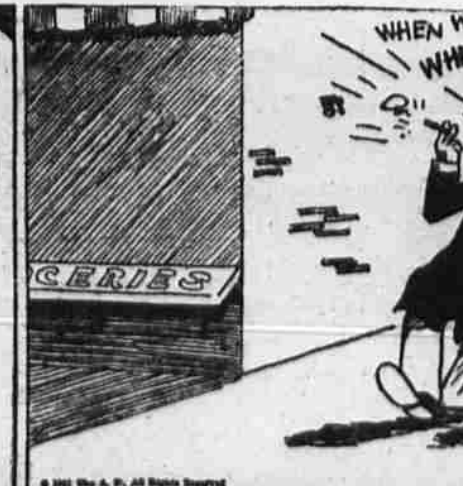
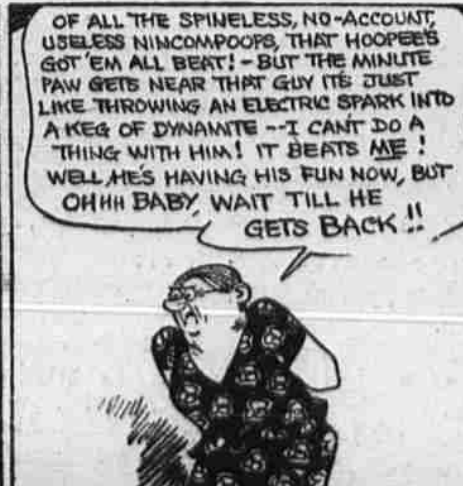
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Good Speed

by John C. Terry

HOMER HOOPEE



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Political Announcements

THE DAILY HERALD is authorized to announce the following candidates...

For State Representative 91st District: PENROSE B. METCALFE

For County Commissioner (Precinct 1): L. H. THOMAS

New Officers Are Installed At Close Of Auxiliary Year

Sale Of \$25,000 Warrant Issue Planned To Provide Payment Of Teachers' Salaries On Schedule

Big Spring Independent school district will issue \$25,000 of maintenance warrants...

The board of trustees adopted the plan at a meeting Monday afternoon after it had been thoroughly studied by attorneys...

Three-fourth of the delinquent taxes on the 1930 and 1931 rolls totaling \$55,666.10 will be pledged as security for these warrants.

Dr. E. O. Ellington, president of the board, speaking for the trustees, issued an urgent appeal to the public that the warrant issue be bought as quickly as possible...

Three-fourth of the delinquent taxes for 1930 and 1931 collected, will be placed in a separate fund to be appropriated exclusively to payment of these warrants...

The monthly payrolls can be met without difficulty if these warrants are sold, it was declared.

For District Attorney: GEORGE MAHON

For County Commissioner (Precinct 2): W. A. PRESCOTT

For Constable (Precinct 1): WILL CAVNAR

For Public Weigher (Precinct No. 1): J. F. ORY

For Justice of Peace (Precinct No. 1): CECIL C. COLLINGS

For Constable (Precinct 1): WILL CAVNAR

Members of the Presbyterian Auxiliary met at the church Monday afternoon to install several new officers at the last meeting of the fiscal year.

Mrs. Caylor opened the meeting with a devotional. She was installed as historian, Mrs. Jones as secretary, Mrs. Thomas as chairman...

Local Purina Dealers At Abilene Conference

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Neel and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Burns of the Big Spring Feed and Seed company, attended a district meeting of Purina feed dealers in Abilene Monday afternoon and evening.

Ft. Morgan Girl Weds Oil Man

Lorin Whitehead of Harris, Kansas, and Miss Deborah Stuntz, of Fort Morgan, Colo., were married Saturday evening at the home of the Rev. R. E. Day...

The groom, whose home is in Harris, Kansas, has been with the Continental Oil Co. for several years. He studied electrical engineering at the University of Kansas and received his B.E.E. from that university.

The bride is a Colorado girl. She attended Denver University. Since it was impossible for the groom to leave here at this time she came to Big Spring by train arriving here Saturday afternoon.

The young couple are making their home on East Fifth street.

Indian Battles Are Reviewed At Meet Museum Members

The members of the West Texas Memorial Museum met on the Settles Hotel Mezzanine Monday evening for their regular monthly meeting for March.

After voting to sponsor a sleigh of hand performance as means of raising money for the institution the program was devoted to talk by the various members present.

During the business session the following committees were appointed: nominating, Mmes. Shine Phillips, C. P. Rogers, and Albert Fisher; membership, Mmes. B. F. Will and C. P. Rogers; yearbook, Mrs. J. L. Webb.

Original Patent To Borden County Land Shown Here

Signatures of O. M. Roberts, governor of Texas, and Rhoads Fisher, chief clerk and acting commissioner of the general land office are signed on the original patent to the Texas & Pacific Railway company of the section in Borden county near the Howard county line, or which "Old Soak" is located.

The original copy of the certificate is in possession of Raymond Lyons of Big Spring.

In Borden county known as survey No. 17, township 3 north, block 33, on the divide between the waters of Sulphur creek and Colorado river about 17 miles south and west from the center of county by virtue of land surveyed by the general land office October 25, 1875, beginning south 77 west 1900 varas to corner, thence south 18 east 1900 varas to corner, thence north 13 west 1900 varas to the beginning, hereby relinquishing to the said Texas & Pacific R. R. company and its assigns forever all the right and title in and to said land heretofore held and possessed by the said state and I do hereby issue this letter Patent for the same in testimony whereof I have caused the seal of the state to be affixed as well as the seal of the General Land Office.

Done at the City of Austin on the eleventh day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

Chilton Appointed To Office In 'Snax' Order

T. H. Chilton, official reporter for 32nd district court, has been appointed Superior Zambango Slave of the Order of the Serpents.

Joe Denton of Big Spring, who had been ill since February 1 underwent an operation in Dallas Saturday for removal of a tumor on the brain.

Court Is Opened With Memorial To Fritz R. Smith

The court, members of the bar grand and petit jurors and spectators passed Monday morning at Judge A. S. Mauzey convened the March term of 32nd district court to pay respect to the memory of the late Fritz R. Smith, who was judge of the court when he died recently.

This was the first term of 32nd district special court convened here since Judge Smith's death. Judge Mauzey asked a member of the bar to say a few words in honor of the departed one.

M. H. Morrison spoke briefly, saying that in all the years that Judge Smith presided in Howard county district court he never heard him utter a harsh word to an attorney, litigant, juror, witness or spectator.

The entire assembly rose as a mark of tribute to the departed jurist.

An eight-weeks' term of court was opened with empanelling of the grand jury.

W. W. Lay was named foreman with the following other members: F. O. Jones, H. Noble Read, A. K. Simpson, J. M. Manuel, Robert T. Piner, Arthur Woodall, C. E. Talbot, C. C. Tate, N. G. Hoover, L. A. Ford and Ben Cole.

The court said that District Attorney George Mehon would be unable to work with the grand jury until late this week or next Monday, as he was busy trying a case in 32nd district special court at Gail.

Members of the Big Spring Motorcycle club thanked those who helped them stage the contest.

Pythians Go To Midland To Help Organize Temple

Mrs. Felton Smith, district deputy of the Pythian Sisters, accompanied by several members of the order, went to Midland Monday evening to discuss plans for organizing a temple there, with the Midland Knights of Pythias and Pythian sisters.

After a delightful gathering at which coffee and cake were served, and a picture show party which was tendered the crowd by Mrs. Bonner, the plans were effected but no organization was made.

Those in the party were Mrs. Smith and daughter, Ruby, and son, Felton, Jr., and Mrs. O. R. Bolinger, Mmes. Bill Everett, Elvira Stinson, Ethel Clifton, Basil Bell, C. P. Walters.

Big Spring Study Club Combines Two Programs

The Big Spring Study Club combined the last two programs in its meeting Saturday afternoon at the Settles Hotel. These were the programs on "Forestry" and "The Bible."

Miss Ione McAllister read a splendid paper on "History Between the Testaments." Mrs. T. J. Higgins talked on "What Texas Is Doing About Our Trees."

W.C.T.U. PROGRAM The W.C.T.U. will meet Wednesday evening in the auditorium of the First Christian Church at 7:45.

Personally Speaking

Mrs. Vivian Nichols has as guest, Mrs. Watt Telser and her daughter, Gary Louise of Columbus, Tenn. Mrs. Mary Louise visited Big Spring last summer. Mrs. Nichols will entertain for her daughter and niece with a bridge party Thursday morning.

Mrs. M. A. Berry is spending a week with her son, C. C. Berry in Colorado.

Melva Gene Handley has as guests today, Hazel Ivy and Hazel Hodges, Sweetwater. Melva Gene will be here until Thursday when Mrs. Lee Weathers and Miss Helen Beavers will drive back to Denton, picking up Mr. Weathers at Sweetwater.

A. T. Dickson of Albert M. Fisher company, who was injured by flying debris when a portion of the Ward building collapsed last Tuesday night, is still confined to his home.

D. W. Webber left for Abilene Tuesday afternoon, where he will attend a district meeting of Penney managers. He will return Wednesday morning.

Miss Champe Phillips is reported on the sick list.

Hart Phillips went to Snyder Tuesday on a business mission.

Joye Fisher went to Sweetwater Tuesday morning.

District Manager Biffle of L. C. Burr & Company is here on business.

Mrs. B. F. Willis has as Easter guests, her granddaughters, Marilyn and Alice Jean Myers, of Fabens.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ballafonte are moving to Midland.

Mrs. Max Weisen has returned from a visit with her son in Ranger and daughter in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Jack Hodges is doing alterations and dressmaking again at her home, 309 Johnson. Work guaranteed. Phone 1216-W-adv.

Prize Winners at Flower Show Are Announced

E. B. Ribble has announced the prize winners in the word contest which he conducted in connection with the flower show last Thursday.

Over a hundred contestants entered. The person rating the highest grade was Mrs. David Waido Jones, of 17 1/2 Johnson street, who made \$5. "he received an order for \$5 worth of merchandise to be spent whenever she pleased. The second winner was Bill Turpin, 303 Gregg street, who received a \$3 order. The third winner was Jeanette Pickle, of 1800 Main street, who received a \$2 order.

NOTICE OF BANKRUPTCY PETITION FOR DISCHARGE IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

IN the matter of Jesse Louis Collins, doing business as J. L. Collins Pharmacy and Collins Pharmacy, Bankrupt. No. 1619 in Bankruptcy.

OFFICE OF REFEREE Abilene, Texas, March 28th, 1932. Notice is hereby given that Jesse Louis Collins, as aforesaid, of the County of Howard, and district of Abilene, did, on the 26th day of March, 1932, file in the Clerk's office, of said court at Abilene, a petition setting up that he has been heretofore duly adjudged a bankrupt under the act of Congress approved July 1, 1931; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said act and of the orders of the Court touching his bankruptcy, and praying for a full discharge from all debt provable against his estate in bankruptcy, save such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge. On considering the above mentioned petition, it is ordered that any creditor who has proved his claim, and other parties in interest, if they desire to oppose the discharge prayed for in said petition, shall, on or before the 9th day of May 1932, file with the Referee for the Abilene Division of said district, a notice in writing of their opposition to a discharge in the above entitled cause. D. M. OLDHAM, Jr. Referee in Bankruptcy.

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S.T. NOTICE The members of the S.T. Club will assemble in the home of Miss Clara Pool Wednesday evening for a meeting.

'Mamma' Hogs And Bucket Brigades; Nigger - Shooter Rabbit Hunters; Emil Fahrenkamp Now 'Old-Timer'

When Steve D. Ford had charge of the Kiwanis club's program recently he presented a new feature "Home Town Day," which proved quite interesting.

He had as speakers Judge James T. Brooks, long-time resident; Postmaster E. E. Fahrenkamp, native of the city, and the present mayor, J. B. Pickle.

Their remarks brought out a number of interesting sidelights upon the Big Spring of another day.

Mr. Fahrenkamp had all of the 60 men present indicate the approximate length of time they had resided here. Only three had been here more than 35 years, three-fourths of them less than five years and only three were natives—Mr. Fahrenkamp, Lorin McDowell and Willard Sullivan.

"Until I was called upon to talk

today, simply because I am a native of Big Spring, I had never come to look upon myself as an 'old timer,'" said Mr. Fahrenkamp.

Judge Brooks had told of "starting west with no idea of stopping in Big Spring"; of "getting on the train to look around"—that was 22 years ago, and he hasn't left, except to serve in France during the world war.

At The Depot

"I was at the depot when Jim Brooks got off," Mr. Fahrenkamp said. Mayor Pickle had told of the advancements made toward providing adequate supply of water.

Postmaster Fahrenkamp said "back there Joe and Eun Fisher were low-headed kids who had no waterworks. We bought our water at five and ten cents a barrel. I was hauled from the Big Spring."

"We had no electric lights," he said, turning to Carl Blomshild, manager of the Texas Electric Service company. "We used candles in our home and later bought a lamp."

"On this very spot," continued Emil, "I used to hunt rabbits with a nigger-shooter. There was a high rail fence around this place (site of the Crawford hotel) with weeds higher than a man's head. They used to be an iron fence around the old courthouse. There was a hill over there where the city hall now is—with a path leading over it and down to the old school building where Mr. B. Reagan was the superintendent. He was followed by Judge Thompson."

Judge Brooks had said that one of the first sights he witnessed in Big Spring was "a mamma hog" lying on Main street nursing her young.

Those Hogs

"—And about those 'mamma' hogs," Mr. Fahrenkamp continued in his talk, "they used to be our horses. Main street wasn't so far above the sidewalk then—and the sidewalks were of wood. We'd ride those hogs down the street until they dashed under a sidewalk—then the rider would be left hanging."

"J. L. Ward had the first automobile in town," he continued. "We used to help him push it up the hill, always in the hope of getting to ride down it. I never have ridden in that car yet."

"The building where Gully's cafe now is, the First National bank and a barber shop building

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were the only brick structures I recall as a boy. John Wolcott of Fisher's sold you your groceries. Boy, back then, they paid up their bills and whenever dad or mother went to pay the bill the kids awaited their return anxiously because you always got some candy or fruit 'thrown in' when the bill was paid."

"I never dreamed of staying here when I got off that train," Judge Brooks declared. "I walked into Horn's restaurant down there at First and Main. A 'mamma' hog was lying on the street nursing her litter of little ones. Ox-teams were frequent. Great loads pulled by six and seven yoke hauled supplies northward for the ranches.

"Big Spring had about 4,000 people," he continued. "But the town had been incorporated only about one week. So in a day or two at the board of aldermen was the organization of the city government and I acted as their city attorney. I remember one of the hottest discussions was whether hogs would be allowed to run loose. It was finally decided the practice would have to stop."

First Mayor

"A grand man of many lovable qualities, a fine citizen, Mr. George D. Lee, was the first mayor. Buck Johnson and Bill Cole were among the first aldermen," said Judge Brooks.

"The town streets had not been touched for years," he said. "The waterworks were privately owned. The system consisted of a lot of casing. When a hole were in it they just drove a wooden peg in and let it go. When a fire broke out we just wondered how long it would burn. We built a cistern at the court house. We had a fire engine but no fire plugs but we managed to keep the fire down pretty well."

"What was the reason why this town grew?" Judge Brooks asked, and, answering his own question, declared the basic reason was that there was good boiler water here and the Texas & Pacific built its shops here as a result.

"Saloons were voted out of town shortly before I got here," said the speaker. "Ranch interests were predominant then. Later farming developed, and then oil. We were harder hit by the bad conditions of business in 1908 and 1909 than we are now," he declared. "We got back on our feet then and we're going to do so this time."

Hope Stay Here

"I hope all who have come here in the past three or four years will be here as long or longer than some of we 'ol-timers," he said. Oil men say there will be sufficient development here within the next two or three years to put us on a substantial basis. Big Spring has always been a good town and a town is only good to the degree in which it is a good place to live and earn a living," he concluded.

Mr. Pickle, pointing out that one of the improvements wrought by time had been a change to the commission-manager form of government, said that the city was operating on a cash basis and was on a cash basis in spite of existing economic conditions—a fact that he attributed to the efforts of City Manager E. V. Spence.

"We had to cut some corners that were hard to cut," he said, "but we must keep this institution in ship shape. We must forget about bond issue and spending anything not necessary. We will come back if the United States comes back."

Present Day

He told of recent efforts that had resulted in raising the production of city water wells. By using a special pump wells that were pumping 60 gallons per minute have been cleaned of sand and clay and now are making 190 to 220 gallons per minute, he said.

"If you can tell us how to cut water rates and operate on a cash basis we certainly wish you would do so," he said, adding that the commission was studying a special irrigator rate for use beginning next month.

He said he believed that the \$100 spent for operation of Wander Inn

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First Baptist W.M.U. Elects Mrs. Layne

Mrs. Mancill Conducts Interesting Program At All-Day Meet

At the all-day session of the First Baptist W. M. U. Monday the election of officers for the coming year was the most important business.

After two years of efficient administration, Mrs. J. C. Douglass resigned as president and Mrs. Libbie Layne was elected to fill her place. Mrs. J. C. Hunt was elected treasurer. Mrs. R. C. Pyeatt was put in charge of the Y. W. A. work.

The meeting opened with a devotional from the Prayers led by Mrs. Anjiera. Each circle made financial reports.

After a delicious luncheon at the church, the Highland Park Circle had charge of the program with Mrs. M. M. Mancill in charge. An exceptionally instructive and interesting program was prepared on the subject, "Fishes and Offerings" in which most of the members of the circle took part. Little Miss Annie Eleanor Douglass sang a solo.

Those attending were: Mmes. R. C. Hatch, Libby Layne, B. F. Robbins, T. Mercer, F. F. Gary, E. Reagan, C. K. Hivings, J. L. Anjiera, R. V. Jones, T. E. Dano, J. W. Aderholt, Fannie Gee, I. A. Fuller, W. W. Grant, Geo. Williams, D. J. Dooley, J. A. Boykin, L. A. Wright, Nat Shick, R. V. Hart, Homer McNew, T. J. A. Robinson, W. R. Douglass, M. M. Mancill, V. E. Dyer, A. R. Leper, J. F. Dodge, R. E. Day, C. L. Nummy, D. C. Mearns, J. A. Coffey, Homer Wright, W. A. Baas, H. L. Fulton, W. D. Cornelison, Clarence Hahn, H. H. Squires and C. C. Coffee.

Ex-Home Demonstration Agent Shower Honoree

The members of the Howard County Home Demonstrating Council gave a shower for Mrs. T. A. Roberts (formerly Mrs. Louella A. Good and home demonstration agent) Saturday afternoon at the club house, following their regular March business session.

Mrs. Roberts received many lovely gifts.

During the business meeting, the members held a round table discussion concerning guest room improvements which dealt with bath

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Auxiliary To Legion Holds Good Meeting

Reorganization Effected With New Officers; Committees

The members of the reorganized American Legion Auxiliary met at the mezzanine floor of the Settler Hotel Monday night for one of the largest and most enthusiastic meetings in its history. Twenty-two members and visitors were present.

Mrs. J. S. King, new president had charge of the meeting. Other who took office were Mrs. Dallas Whaley, vice president; Miss Elizabeth Owens, secretary-treasurer; Miss Bertha Welch, chaplain; and Mrs. Frank Powell, historian.

A short program was rendered consisting of a reading by Mrs. Let Weathers, a solo by Mrs. Travis Reed and a dance by Miss Dorothy Frost. Mrs. Bruce Frazier was the accompanist for the evening.

The president announced the appointment of the following committees:

Financial, Mmes. R. E. Blount, Jess Slaughter, C. D. Baxley, J. Y. Robb, Olive Wertberger, R. C. Pyeatt; General welfare, Mmes. C. C. Carter, J. O. Tamsitt, B. W. Welch, Loy L. Gully; membership, J. R. Hull, Frank Powell, J. C. Dunham, L. A. Findley, of Coahoma; Americanism, Mmes. Dallas Whaley, E. W. Anderson; poppy, Mmes. Paul Cunningham and Guy Tamsitt; community service, Mmes. N. L. Stulting and C. K. Bivings; legislature, Mmes. Chas. Deats and Jack Ellipublicity, Mmes. Frank Powell, O. H. Welch, Lindsey Marchbanks; program, Mmes. W. D. Cornelison, Alfred Moody, C. S. Dittz and Miss Mayme Hair.

Delicious refreshments were served at the close to those who are mentioned above and the following: Mmes. Fontaine Hair, R. E. Elshum, Geo. Melear, Tom Coffee, Jas. T. Brooks, O. D. McDaniels of Coahoma; and A. E. Chester and C. D. Parker, of Foran.

First Baptist G.A.'s Meet For Interesting Program

The G. A.'s of the First Baptist Church met at the church Monday afternoon for an interesting program with Lottie Lee Williams presiding. In the absence of Mrs. G. M. Miller, Mrs. J. W. Aderholt was the sponsor.

Dorothy Dean Sain led the devotionals. Clara Lou Nummy gave a reading and Lola Mae Hall sang

a solo. The groups of Betty Dooley and Dora Ann Hayward tied.

Those attending, in addition to the names mentioned above, were Emma Ruth Stripling, Cornelia Frances Douglas, Frances Bledsoe, Lillian Read Hurt, Sylvia Pond, Lydia Ann Duff, Patsy Mims, Isabelle Gartin, Frances Aderholt, Emily Stalcup, Cornelia and Josephine Mitchell, Jennetta and Mary Elizabeth Dodge, Emma Jean and Dorothy Lay, Mildred Lancaster, Jeannell and Joyce Terry.

Radio Program

54.3-WEAF-NBC-660
6:15 p. m., Robert Simmons; 6:30 p. m., Alice Joy; 6:45 p. m., Gollberg; 7 p. m., Sanderson and Crumit; 7:30 p. m., Mary and Bob; 8 p. m., Musical Magazine; 8:30 p. m., Voorhees' orchestra; 9 p. m., Dance hour; 10 p. m., Jesse Crawford; 10:15 p. m., Alice Joy (repeat); 10:30 p. m., Knights of Columbus program; 11 p. m., Ralph Kirby; Buddy Rogers' orchestra; 11:30 p. m., Simon's orchestra.

348-WABC-CBS-800
6:15 p. m., Freddie Ricci orchestra; 6:30 p. m., Sylvia Froos; 6:45 p. m., Morton Downey; 7 p. m., The Club; 7:15 p. m., Layman orchestra; John Kelvin (Dixie network); 7:30 p. m., Kate Smith; Colonel Bud; Songsmiths; 7:45 p. m., Ben Bernie; 8:30 p. m., Crime Club; Mardi Gras; Salonesque; 9 p. m., Voice of 1000 Shades; 9:15 p. m., Male chorus; 9:30 p. m., Shilre's orchestra; 9:45 p. m., Concert program; 10:30 p. m., Olsen orchestra; Morton Downey (repeat); 10:45 p. m., Olsen orchestra; 11 p. m., Sreheim's orchestra; 11:30 p. m., Slasie orchestra.

394.5-WJZ-NBC-760
6:15 p. m., Just Willie; 6:30 p. m., Stebbins boys; 6:45 p. m., Jones and Hare; 7 p. m., Voters' services; 7:30 p. m., Harmonies; 7:45 p. m., Sisters of the Skillet; 8 p. m., Musical classics; 8:30 p. m., Great Personalities; 9 p. m., Dance orchestra; 9:15 p. m., Sponsored program; 9:30 p. m., Paris night life; 9:45 p. m., Pickens Sisters; 10 p. m., Amos 'n Andy; 10:15 p. m., Slumber music; 10:30 p. m., Dream Pictures; 11 p. m., Palmquist orchestra; 11:30 p. m., Agnew orchestra.

TO DOUGLAS, ARIZ.

Harold Wade left Monday for Douglas, Arizona, to take charge of the shoe department of a Hovall Sales company store. He had been connected with that company here nearly two years.

O.C.D. CLUB

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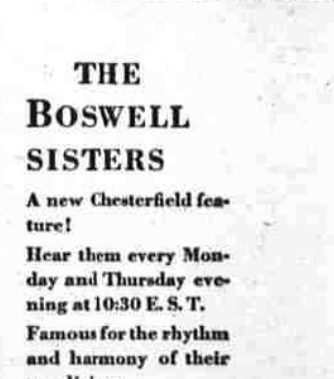
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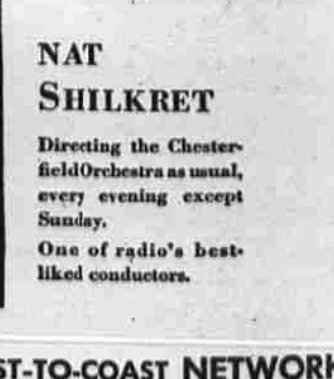
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