

## Court Orders Ouster Of Chrysler Strikers

### Writ Is Made Returnable Wednesday

#### Sit-Downers To Take A Vote On Whether To Obey Injunction

#### PROPERTY RIGHT IS CITED BY THE JUDGE

#### Law And Order Menaced By Union Group, He Asserts

DETROIT, Mar. 15 (AP)—Circuit Judge Allan Campbell today granted an injunction calling upon sit-down strikers to evacuate the plants of the Chrysler Corporation in this area which they have occupied since last Monday.

"No compromise," Judge Campbell held that even if the Wagner labor relations act "is valid" it "still does not give the defendants (sit-down strikers) the right to occupy property."

Judge Campbell declared "respect for law and order and for the courts is menaced."

"There must be no compromise," he said.

He outlined the points raised by the defense in its claim that the corporation did not come into court with "clean hands," including the corporation's refusal to grant exclusive bargaining rights to the United Automobile Workers.

"That fact," he said, "does not deprive the plaintiff of the right to the use of its property," and "therefore the corporation does come into court with clean hands."

#### Returnable Wednesday

The injunction was made returnable at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday. The Wayne county sheriff must serve it on the strike leaders before that time.

Several hundred union men, massed in the third floor corridor of the county building, accepted the decision quietly.

George S. Wilson, president of the Dodge local, asked if the sit-down strikers would obey the evacuation order, said:

"A vote will be taken on that question in the Dodge plant tonight."

If the sit-down strikers refused to evacuate the plants, the corporation might apply to the court for writs of attachment, providing for arrest of the strikers on charges of contempt.

#### Wage Hikes In Effect In The Steel Industry

(By the Associated Press)  
Nearly a million men and women went to work today in United States industrial centers fortified by the knowledge that their wages had been raised substantially.

Steel workers were the chief beneficiaries of wage increases aggregating \$155,115,000 annually, which became effective for an estimated 725,077 toilers.

Effective today, 850,000 workers in the steel industry will receive 10 cents per hour, furnishing their pay envelopes by \$120,000,000 over the period of a year.

Led by the "big four"—Swift, Armour, Wilson and Cudahy—the packing industry jacked its scale to 62 1/2 cents per hour. To the four packs of 750,000 workers, the increase will mean an addition of \$2,000,000 a year to payrolls. Hormel Company added \$1,000,000 annually to the wages of its 3,700 employees. The Euston Packing Co. boosted its annual payroll \$200,000 with raises to 50c.

## Weather

WEST TEXAS—Mostly cloudy somewhat warmer in north and west portions. Freezing in south-east portion tonight; Tuesday cloudy, probably rain in west portion, warmer.

EAST TEXAS—Fair in east portion cloudy in west portion tonight except slightly warmer in extreme northwest portion, frost, temperature freezing or lower in north and 30 to 34 in south portion.

TEMPERATURES		
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	p.m.	a.m.
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Sunset today 6:54 p. m.; sunrise Tuesday 6:25 a. m.

## BAPTIST PASTOR RESIGNS TO TAKE PT. ARTHUR POST

### TO LEAVE HERE



REV. R. E. DAY

## AFOL Chief To Speak For Court Change

### William Green To Be Called Tuesday As Witness Before Committee

WASHINGTON, Mar. 15 (AP)—Labor chief William Green will go before the senate judiciary committee tomorrow to advocate enactment of President Roosevelt's plan to reorganize the federal courts.

His scheduled appearance was announced today by Com. Chairman Ashurst (D-Ariz.) who said he would be followed on the stand by Justin Miller, president of the federal bar association and former dean of the Duke and University of Southern California law schools.

The committee hearing was in progress today. Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.) has been chosen by opponents of the plan to begin presentation of their case next week.

Renewed attention of the senate was focused on the controversy today when Senator Norris (Ind-Neb.) proposed a constitutional amendment to limit terms of judges to nine years and legislation to require a two-third vote of the court to invalidate laws.

The constitutional amendment would be submitted for ratification by state conventions.

Calling life tenure for judges "a relic of absolute monarchy," Norris suggested amending the constitution to limit appointments to federal courts to nine years.

If senate opinion should favor a longer or shorter term, he said, the change would meet no objection from him.

Opponents of the administration bill allowing enlargement of the supreme court unless older justices retire quickly added the Norris proposals to the many they are studying as alternatives.

Senators Van Nuys (D-Ind.) reported some progress in the attempt to agree on one or more amendments to which the democratic opposition might support in a body.

After conferring with other democratic opponents in his office, Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.) disputed assertions by administration spokesmen that it would take much time for them to get together on specific amendments.

"Our crowd could get together on an amendment like that," he said, snapping his fingers sharply.

"If the president would recommend any reasonable amendment, congress would submit it to the people and could provide for action by state conventions in less time than will be used in debating this bill of his."

## INSURGENTS DRIVE ANEW FOR MADRID

NAVALCARNERO, Spain, Mar. 15 (AP)—General Francisco Franco ordered a general advance all along the Jarama front southeast of Madrid today in a drive coordinated with a new push against the beleaguered capital from the Guadalajara sector on the northeast.

## Rev. Day Will Leave Place He Has Filled Six Years

Rev. R. E. Day, pastor of the First Baptist church for more than six years and dean of local ministers, Sunday resigned his position to accept a call from the First Baptist church of Port Arthur.

His resignation, accepted in church conference, was to be effective April 15. Acting to take immediate steps toward calling a pastor to succeed Rev. Day, the congregation named George Gentry chairman of a pulpits committee, and Mrs. E. Reagan, Mrs. J. C. Douglas, Day Cornelison, and Nat Shick to serve with him.

In resigning Rev. Day, pointed out that during his entire ministry, he had served in one place where there had not been serious financial or church problems existing when he was called. Members of the Port Arthur congregation alluded to a breach in that church when they wrote the local church that Rev. Day was being called in "time of great need in our church."

Here, since 1930, when reaction from the depression and a building campaign had set in, during his ministry here the membership has had a constant growth and the church debt refinanced on terms within reach of the congregation.

In special services last Nov. 15, he celebrated his sixth anniversary as pastor and the 60th anniversary of the founding of the church. On Nov. 25 he was honored by Rowan Layne college when Dr. Tom Taylor, president, conferred the doctor of divinity honorary degree upon him.

"There are ties in this city and church that are hard to break," said Rev. Day in submitting his resignation, "but I feel in my heart this is the call of God. I pray your new preacher will lead you in things I have not been able to do."

State Leader  
Rev. Day returned from Port Arthur only last Tuesday where he had conducted a 10 day meeting. He recently had rejected an invitation of the state board to join the state evangelist staff.

Among Baptists Rev. Day is recognized as one of the state leaders. He served terms as first vice-president of the state convention, chairman of the key finance committee, and as a member of the executive committee. During his pastorate here, he brought such outstanding representation here as Dr. George Truett, Dr. William White, Dr. Roy Angel, and the late Dr. G. L. Yates.

## SALT WATER SPRAY NOW COMING FROM GREAT WEST TEST

Westbrook and Graham No. 1 Great West, wildcat oil test in section 48-32-1N, T&P, four miles east of here, has taken another unusual turn.

It is now blowing out a salt water spray from its depth of 1,460 feet, in anhydrite. Until five days ago it was discharging a cloud of fine white sand.

Monday noon the salt spray, plainly visible for more than a mile, was heavy enough only to deposit a fine film on the surrounding country. It was not flowing, as rumors of a storm at sea.

The flow was believed to have increased to some extent since it first started five days ago.

The well blew in with an almost pure nitrogen gas flow of 285,000,000 cubic feet on Feb. 17 and three weeks later was still gaged at 85,000,000 cubic feet a day. Roar of the air from the well is intense enough to make conversation difficult 100 yards away from the well.

## Earhart Flight Is Delayed By Storm

OAKLAND, Calif., Mar. 15 (AP)—Amelia Earhart today postponed the start of her 27,000-mile globe circling flight until tomorrow because of a storm at sea.

The aviatix reached her decision after consulting a weather map following Pan American's postponement of two scheduled flights.

Because of the storm 600 miles off the coast Pan American delayed the takeoff of the Hawaii Clipper for Honolulu, en route to Manila, and the exploratory plane for Australasia.

Thomas Reed, forecaster at the San Francisco weather bureau, said the storm was in the path of the flight and would be marked by gales and headwinds for the heavily laden plane.

Start of the trip was postponed yesterday afternoon, disappointing 10,000 persons who had gathered at the airport.

## Continuation Of Cold Spell Is Predicted

### Freezing Weather Forecast For This Section Again Tonight

### MERCURY HITS LOW OF 26 IN B'SPRING

### Damage To Fruit Crop Is Feared; No Estimate Of Loss Yet

Continued cold was in prospect for West Texas tonight with freezing temperatures forecast for this section and even lower readings for the northern portion of the state.

Low of 26 Here  
The mercury dipped to a low of 26 degrees at the airport Monday morning, and had climbed only to the 30-mark at noon. It was feared that fruit was heavily damaged by

LAKIN, Kas., Mar. 15 (AP)—Give southwestern Kansas two more weeks like the three or four, farmers said today, and there'll be no more serious dirt and dust storms the rest of the season.

Encouraged by another snow that covered fields an inch or more last week-end, farmers were optimistic over chances for a fair wheat crop and for prospects of spring crops.

The severe weather, but agricultural authorities believed other crops escaped serious damage. It was too early, however, to estimate the damage to the fruit crop. The Associated Press reported that some fruit growers in the northern section of the state planned to use smudges tonight.

Young oats and corn were damaged in many sections, and the sudden cold wave was hard on lambs. No great losses had been reported, however.

A cloud blanket over most of the state sheltered blossoming fruit trees somewhat.

18 At Amarillo  
Amarillo reported 18 degrees Monday morning, the coldest in the state, with Brownsville reporting the highest reading, 42.

The mercury dropped to 32 at San Antonio, El Paso and Palestine; to 29 at Dallas and Fort Worth; to 28 at Del Rio, Houston and Beaumont, and to 40 at Corpus Christi and Galveston.

McKinney reported 27 degrees minimum this morning; Abilene, 27; Palestine, 30; Van Alstyne, 27; San Angelo, 28; and Corsicana, 30.

The cold wave came on the heels of rain which held up spring planting in some areas.

For the south portion of the state 30 to 34 degree readings were forecast for tonight, with the exception of the west coast and the Rio Grande valley where the mercury was expected to range from 34 to 36.

Whether warmer weather was promised the extreme northwest section of the state, which bore the brunt of last night's cold wave.

## P. O. DEDICATION SET FOR MARCH 27

Formal dedication of the federal post office building here has been set for March 27, Postmaster Nat Shick said Monday.

Karl A. Crowley, solicitor general of the post office department and considered one of the highest officials in the post office department, has accepted an invitation to make the dedicatory address.

Shick said that other outstanding postal officials would be here for the affair. He is outlining a program of entertainment for the visiting dignitaries.

## COTTON PRICES UP A DOLLAR A BALE

NEW YORK, Mar. 15 (AP)—Cotton futures prices bounded upward \$1 to \$1.50 per bale to new peaks since June, 1936, during early dealings today on the most active general buying experience during the present upward move.

The strength originated abroad, where all of the foreign markets were sharply higher.

Predictions of large world consumption of all kinds of cotton with steadily increasing takings of the American staples, as well as fears of inflationary developments contributed to the advance.

The March position sold up .30 of a cent a pound to 14.68, and may gain 24 of a cent to 14.77, while in the new crop October delivery advanced .25 of a cent selling at 13.45 cents.

## SUSPECTS HELD IN SHERIFF SLAYING

LONGVIEW, Mar. 15 (AP)—Two suspects in the slaying of Sheriff Alex Brown of Marion county Wednesday, were held here today.

A woman held in jail as a material witness named one the "trigger-man" and the other as the "pay-off man."

## FORMER LOCAL WORKER AND MOTHER QUIZZED IN SLAYING

### 18 LIVES LOST IN W. VIRGINIA MINE TRAGEDY



A crowd of several hundred persons who gathered at the blasted Macbeth coal mine at Logan, W. Va., in which at least nine men met death, are shown intently watching for rescue workers to emerge from the mouth of the entrance to the mine. Note the hearse near the entrance. Eleven bodies had been recovered, and rescuers continued efforts to bring out seven more. (Associated Press Photo.)

## President, Like Other U. S. Citizens, Breathes Sigh Of Relief As He Completes His Income Tax Returns

WARM SPRINGS, Ga., Mar. 15 (AP)—President Roosevelt heaved a sigh of relief with untold numbers of fellow citizens today as his income tax sped northward by plane to beat a midnight deadline.

Electing to make out his own return this year without the aid of a White House tax report, the president worked over the annual headache producer for several hours yesterday before a logwood fire in his Pine Mountain vacation cottage.

With his check for the full amount of the undistributed levy inside a White House envelope, the return was sent to Atlanta

with the daily presidential mail in charge of a special postal inspector.

There, it was transferred to an army plane for the north. He was understood to have made a separate return instead of a joint one with his wife.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 15 (AP)—Treasury officials checked closely a last-minute flood of income tax returns today in the hope March receipts would help put the government on a balanced budget basis for the remainder of this fiscal year.

Revenue authorities estimated more than 3,000,000 returns—half the total expected—would be filed during the day. All offices will remain open until the midnight deadline.

March receipts are expected to aggregate \$840,000,000, the largest total since World war days. If this estimate is borne out, officials said the treasury may not have to borrow any additional funds this fiscal year.

From the March collections, Secretary Morgenthau intends to retire \$300,000,000 of maturing discount bills and pay about \$160,000,000 interest on the public debt.

## COURT PUTS OFF VITAL DECISIONS

### Speculation Stirred By Refusal To Review Labor Case; Texas Granted Right To File Bill In Green Litigation

WASHINGTON, Mar. 15 (AP)—The supreme court stirred speculation among administration officials today by refusing to review eight new cases challenging constitutionality of the Wagner labor relations act which the government won in lower courts.

Simultaneously the tribunal postponed until at least March 29 a final decision on validity of the Wagner labor and railway labor laws as presented in five cases already argued.

Supreme court attaches quickly emphasized that today's action of refusing to review the new controversies did not necessarily indicate the court's views on the litigation. There are a number of reasons which might make the court decide to pass on litigation.

A final ruling also was postponed for at least two weeks on constitutionality of the Washington law establishing minimum wages for women. Action was delayed also on a petition for reconsideration of the 4 to 4 decision upholding the New York unemployment insurance act.

## Queen Marie Seriously Ill

### 'Mother Of The Balkins' Suffering Attack Of Influenza

BUCHAREST, Rumania, Mar. 15 (AP)—Dowager Queen Marie is ill of influenza, her physicians announced after consultation today while officials denied emphatically foreign reports that she had been poisoned.

The queen's temperature was about normal and her heart action satisfactory, the physicians said in an informal statement. She was described as "seriously but not dangerously ill."

Saturday morning her condition was said to have taken a turn for the worse and a high fever developed.

Two physicians were in constant attendance on the dowager queen, mother of King Carol II, and a Vienna specialist was reported en route to Bucharest.

Court circles, while making no effort to minimize the seriousness of the queen's illness, said she was not considered in immediate danger of death.

Shortly after the listing of a stringent censorship that had been in force throughout the night, her condition was described reliably as "stationary."

## P-TA ELECTION IS SLATED TUESDAY

Election of officers and other business matters of importance will be taken up at the Junior High Parent-Teacher association Tuesday afternoon. The session will begin at 8:30, in the junior high building.

## Franchise Tax Boost Debated

### Opponents Lose Narrowly In Effort To Strike Enacting Clause

AUSTIN, Mar. 15 (AP)—House opponents of a bill to provide an increase of several hundred per cent in the franchise tax on corporations failed by two votes today in an effort to strike out the enacting clause. The vote was 66 to 68.

The proposal still was pending when the house recessed for lunch. Supporters defended it as a reasonable means of obtaining about \$10,000,000 in needed revenue while opponents contended it was unfair and unnecessary.

The bill proposed to increase the levy to five per cent of net income or one-tenth of one per cent of gross assets, whichever was larger. The house adopted amendments to change the one-tenth to one-twentieth and exempt fraternal benefit societies and state banks.

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## GREEN CASE

WASHINGTON, Mar. 15 (AP)—The supreme court granted to Texas today the right to file a bill of complaint against three other states in an effort to determine for taxing purposes the legal domicile of the wealthy Edward H. R. Green at the time of his death last June.

A previous Texas motion was denied because the justices decided the state had failed to show, on a basis of its complaint, that it would be unable to collect an inheritance tax from the Green estate, without going outside Texas to collect it, even if the court found that he was domiciled in Texas. Green was the son of Hetty Green.

The new Texas petition set forth in support of its contention, that tangible property of Green in Texas was valued at only \$6,000, while the inheritance tax liability was estimated at \$5,226,544.

The state also argued that if New York, Massachusetts and Florida—which also claimed Green as a legal resident—succeeded in collecting the taxes first, there would remain an insufficient amount to satisfy the Texas claim.

## PARK FACILITIES ARE RESERVED BY LEAGUE

Reservations were made today by the Howard County Intercollegiate league to use the city park tennis courts and playground ball diamond Saturday and the city auditorium March 24 in connection with league contests.

Norman C. Maleschek, Forsan, announced a special meeting of the league executive committee for Monday at 7:30 p. m. in the county superintendent's office to consider changes in the league meet schedule.

## Knox Named In A Forgery Charge Here

### Arrested At Dallas, Is Questioned In Death Of Grandmother

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### Mrs. Lillian Knox Also Held On Warrants Al- leging Forgery

DALLAS, Mar. 15 (AP)—Quizzing of Mrs. Lillian Knox and her son, Hiram Ambrose, 28, continued today in connection with the slaying of Mrs. Mary S. Knox, 91, her mother-in-law, last Friday.

Mrs. Lillian Knox and Hiram were arrested Sunday. Later her 19-year old chauffeur was arrested for questioning.

### Will Is Forged

Ambrose was wanted in Big Spring as a suspect in a forgery case.

The holographic will executed by the elder Mrs. Knox Jan. 28, 1936, was filed for probate. The will left \$5 each to Mrs. Knox and six grandchildren. The remainder of the estate, estimated at \$75,000, was divided equally between the Reynolds orphans home and the City Temple Presbyterian church.

The grandson was arrested yesterday by Will Fritz, inspector of detectives, in the attic of his mother's home. He was held on a forgery warrant issued in Big Spring on Jan. 23.

Later his mother, Mrs. Lillian Knox, 47, surrendered on warrants charging she forged the name of her mother-in-law to checks totaling \$1,153 last October.

### Ready To Help

She told Deputy Sheriff Bill Decker she gave herself up in the interest of justice and to aid, if possible, in the solution of the slaying. "I want them to catch the man who did it," she said.

Fritz said Knox was arrested as he was changing clothes. He said the man submitted to arrest without comment.

Mrs. Knox told reporters that for past few years she has operated a private dining room in her home. Previously, she said, she was active in woman suffrage work, having donated \$200,000 to the cause in East Texas.

The body of the elder Mrs. Knox was found Friday in her home where she lived alone. She had died of a fractured skull. She was the widow of a pioneer Texas lumber man, who amassed a fortune in operations in South and East Texas.

## Held Jobs Here With Park Services, WPA

Hiram A. Knox, wanted here to face an indictment charging forgery, is well known in Big Spring. He came here first in July of 1934 when the CCC camp was established on the state park site at Seelye mountain. He became an office assistant to Thompson H. Richardson, superintendent of the national park service. Subsequently, he rose to the rank of a junior assistant on the park technical

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### 28 Killed In Manila Blast

#### Score Others Missing After Explosion Wrecks Fire-works Plant

MANILA, Mar. 15 (AP)—Twenty-eight persons were killed in a terrific explosion of a Chinese fire-works plant today at Passay, a suburb of Manila. Some officials estimated 20 to 30 were missing. Fire followed the explosion. The force of the blast was felt over a radius of two miles. Most of the victims were Filipinos, women who had no chance to escape through the one exit of the plant. Police reported a number jumped from windows into a swamp, where they were trapped in mud and water and were drowned. The explosion literally tore the plant asunder. Numerous bodies were buried in flaming wreckage. When the embers cooled somewhat, firemen and soldiers dug in to the twisted mass of debris. Several hours after the explosion fire continued to burn on one side of the plant. Firecracker explosions were frequent as flames reached storage places.

### DIVORCE LINKED IN PROBE OF SLAYING

CANTON, O., Mar. 15 (AP)—Detective Captain Elmer E. Clark announced today Deuber S. Cable, Canton contractor, had told of his companionship with a 45-year old divorcee held for questioning by authorities investigating the shotgun slaying of Cable's socially prominent wife. Included in Cable's account, Captain Clark said, was a statement that he had shared an apartment in Akron with the woman, who today was held in jail.

It was in this apartment, police declared, that Prosecutor A. C. L. Barthelme reported the finding of evidence which he said pointed to a "jealousy motive" in the slaying, and the possibility that a "hired assassin" fired into a window of the Cable residence home last Thursday night, the shotgun blast which fatally wounded Mrs. Cable. The woman, Barthelme said, had admitted using the apartment for trysts. She denied any knowledge of the slaying, he said.

### DISBAND COMMITTEE ON MARITIME SAFETY

WASHINGTON, Mar. 15 (AP)—Secretary Roper disclosed today the national committee on safety at sea had been disbanded. This action, Roper said, followed a resolution to that effect by the national accident prevention conference, an organization formed by the commerce secretary at President Roosevelt's suggestion. The committee was a sub-group of the conference, an organization devoted to mobilizing public opinion behind accident prevention. Roper said, however, there would be no let-up in the government's safety program.

### FLOGGING SENTENCE FOR WIFE-BEATING

CUMBERLAND, Md., Mar. 15 (AP)—This city was stirred today by speculation as to whether Gilbert Crabtree, accused wife-beater, would take 10 lashes on his back. The first flogging sentence here in 21 years. The fact that the county physician had not been ordered to examine the prisoner and that Crabtree still has a week in which to appeal sentence led the citizens to wonder whether the punishment actually would be inflicted. Crabtree, taciturn, 45-year-old WPA worker, was charged with beating his ill wife, mother of six.

### PROBE OF NEPOTISM IS ORDERED BY HOUSE

AUSTIN, Mar. 15 (AP)—The house of representatives today ordered a legislative investigation of charges of violation of the anti-nepotism laws. The resolution, by Rep. Ben F. Cathey of Quitman, called for the appointment of a committee of five representatives to conduct the inquiry. Cathey said it was "openly charged" that wives of men on the state payroll likewise were working for some state department and drawing salaries under their maiden names. The committee would be authorized to summon department heads and examine employment records.

### SHIPS ARE MISSING, IN AUSTRALIA AREA

TOKYO, Mar. 15 (AP)—The Japanese consul general at Sydney, New South Wales, called the foreign office today 30 Japanese and 20 Australian ships had been missing off Goulburn island, 240 miles east of Darwin, Australia, since March 10. The consul general expressed fear a storm had cost the lives of the 270 Japanese subjects and the 130 members of the crew of the Australian ships.



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### Outlaw Turns Painter In Oklahoma Penitentiary



George Kimes, convicted bank robber and killer, has developed artistic ability during the 11 years he has been in the Oklahoma penitentiary at McAlester. Perched on a stool, he has been retouching a mural damaged by fire. He is under sentence totaling 75 years. (Associated Press Photo)

### Got Drunk While On Murder Jury



Mrs. Mary Plettner, 45-year-old housewife (above), adjudged intoxicated while on the jury hearing the trial of Mrs. Helen Wills Love, found guilty of the second degree murder of her secret husband, awaited sentencing with Mrs. Love on a court contempt charge in a jail cell adjoining the convicted woman. She is shown after she was adjudged drunk in the jury room. (Associated Press Photo)

### In Strange Sleep For Fourth Day

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Mar. 15 (AP)—Helen Wills Love, who boasted "I can make myself die whenever I want to," began the fourth day of a strange sleep today. Insensible to pain or sound. For a second time, her trance-like condition prevented her from being taken to court for a scheduled sentence to prison for seven years to life.

The 31-year-old woman was convicted of second degree murder in the fatal shooting of her secret husband, Harry A. Love, last New Year's eve. Since she slipped into the coma last Thursday night, all organic functions of her body have ceased, aside from breathing and blood circulation. Medical opinion differed here on whether she willed herself into the coma.

**Dog In Fence Trap 11 Days**  
KENTON, O. (UP)—A dog owned by Marco Winken, farmer, near here, caught its hind legs between the two top wires of a woven wire fence not far from home and hung there 11 days until freed by a neighbor. Placed temporarily on a light diet, the animal recovered.

**Skin Irritants Named**  
ST. LOUIS (UP)—Dresses, furs, leather handbags, and occasionally dyed lingerie in many instances are responsible for the wearer's skin becoming inflamed. Dr. Norman Tobias, instructor in dermatology at St. Louis university, declared at symposium of the St. Louis Medical society.

College Park, Ga., one of the busiest traffic centers in Georgia, went through 1936 without a single automobile accident fatality.



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### FARMERS HAVE REAPED OVER 2 BILLION IN AAA PAYMENTS

WASHINGTON, Mar. 15 (AP)—Agricultural Adjustment Administration officials said today benefit payments to farmers since the agency was created in 1933 have passed the two billion dollar mark. A staff of workers is busy sending out checks for the \$470,000,000 being paid farmers who cooperated last year in the soil conservation program. Congress has been asked to provide another \$500,000,000 for benefit payments this year. AAA records showed corn-growers had received \$520,000,000 of this, \$485,000,000 was in rental and benefit payments and \$42,000,000 under the government purchase program. Cotton ranked second with \$480,000,000, and wheat third with \$300,000,000. Federal sugar programs accounted for \$86,000,000; tobacco, \$62,000,000; rice \$10,000,000, and peanuts \$5,000,000. The AAA has spent about a half billion dollars in removing and conserving surpluses, drought relief and disease eradication, operation of the cotton pool, feed and seed plans, and refunding processing taxes. Although there has been no cattle program, more than \$140,000,000 was used in buying drought and diseased cattle and another \$5,000,000 for sheep and goats. The AAA also has bought more than \$24,000,000 worth of butter, eggs, cheese and other dairy products, most of which were distributed to persons on relief. The payments in dollars by states included: New Mexico \$6,235,314; Oklahoma \$76,327,019; Texas \$261,398,963. A half million acorns were planted on Oklahoma farms this winter as part of the soil conservation service erosion control program. More than 48,000 pounds of black walnuts are being planted on Oklahoma farms by soil conservation workers.

### Strong Opposition Awaits Lewis Unionization Drive In E-Tex Oil Fields; Many Workers Against It

Editor's note: The East Texas oil field, major unit of the vast petroleum industry, awaits John L. Lewis' announced drive to unionize the oil industry under the C.I.O. flag. Herewith is another story dealing with conditions and sentiment found during a survey of the field.

KILGORE, Mar. 15 (AP)—Implacable opposition awaits John L. Lewis' thrust into the East Texas oil field. Major and independent operators, contractors, and most significantly, a bulky portion of workers themselves are bluntly on record against his forthcoming drive to unionize the oil industry as a Committee for Industrial Organization affiliate. An "it can never happen" sentiment, tacked to a "we're satisfied" attitude, permeates the world's largest field.

Operators and contractors, except for brief warnings that unionization efforts will be cold shouldered, maintain an apathetic attitude towards a threatening situation. Immediately after the executive committee meeting of the International Oil Field, Gas Well and Refinery Workers Union at Houston April 5, Lewis' hand-picked organizers will start combing the field for members. Five thousand workers are on their rolls now, claim East Texas union leaders, who predict the field would have a 20,000 membership by June. Some major companies indicated they would listen to employ grievance committees; others insisted mention of union negotiations would mean immediate dismissal for employees holding cards. Veteran drilling contractor J. J. Jenkins, who said he was voicing sentiment of the field's five biggest contractors, sharply commented: "We don't plan to negotiate with them at all. Workers will be automatically fired when they join the union. This is one place where a sit-down strike can amount to exactly nothing. We'll just haul in our rigs and stack them up. We can all get along quite a spell without them. I'm afraid, however, the workers couldn't afford to miss many weeks pay checks. They realize they can't get along without working."

**Wages And Hours**  
"Instead of a Christmas bonus, contractors raised drillers' pay to \$8 and \$11 a day. They work eight hours. Those wages and hours are better than what we understand."

Major companies cautiously guarded against quoted statements but privately opined loyalty would smother union efforts. Independent contractors, contacted here and at Tyler, were more outspoken. They feared little trouble from employes receiving "the best wages, homes and paid utility bills," but indicated demands for union recognition would cost them their jobs. Sentiment matched that of a recent statement, Frank Phillips, president of the Phillips Petroleum company, made before the American Petroleum Institute that "threats of forming oil unions are far-fetched, unnecessary and not justified."

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# Society WOMAN'S PAGE Fashions

## Reading + Writing

**By John Selby**

Richard Aldington, who recently spent some time in Connecticut, seems to have used part of the time on a new novel.

The title is "Very Heaven." Mr. Aldington writes it in an almost Huxleyian manner—there are long soliloquies for the central character in particular, and these explore all sorts of realms. The difference between Mr. Huxley and Mr. Aldington, in temper, is that Mr. Aldington is less proud of his erudition. When he sets young Chris' mind writing, he does not retire abruptly to the sidelines, licking his chops and saying under his breath, "See how very clever am I."

We meet Chris as he is leaving his college. He is, in fact, calling on his tutor and he knows that the tutor thinks him rather handsome, and that handled correctly, Chapaton would probably advance the money necessary to stay in college. And Chris, with the irresponsible savagery of youth, deliberately irritates the tutor, and goes home.

Unfortunately, he finds a hopeless situation there. The family is faking paralysis as a means of escape. His mother is nastily marrying Juliette, the daughter of the family, to a title and a lot of money. Gwen, who is a friend, is helping with the "arrangements," and is more than glad to throw herself at Chris' head. The boy's mother thinks this might solve the last remaining problem, and stands ready to try what might be called the barger game in reverse on her own son.

The party moves to London for the wedding. Many things happen to and around Chris, who is, in fact, must be admitted, more than eager to talk about them. There is a delightful scene, incidentally, when Chris attempts to give Gwen the theoretical bases for sexual attraction while Gwen tries her best to pull the conversation down to cases. There also are harsh and bitter scenes such as that between the horrified Juliette and her brother after Juliette discovers what her hardy bought husband has done with her.

In fact, there is a feeling of life and living about the book, in spite of its extreme talkiness.

"Very Heaven," by Richard Aldington (Doubleday, Doran; \$2.50).

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- Monday Evening**
- 4:00 Dance Hour. NBC.
  - 4:15 Pacific Paradise. Standard.
  - 4:30 Xavier Cugat and Orchestra. NBC.
  - 4:45 Olive M. Broughton. Accordion.
  - 5:00 Ferde Grofe's Modernistic Varieties. NBC.
  - 5:30 American Family Robinson. WBS.
  - 5:45 Dance Ditties. NBC.
  - 6:00 Dinner Hour. NBC.
  - 6:30 Musical Program.
  - 6:45 Curbatone Reporter.
  - 7:00 Eventide Echoes. Standard.
  - 7:15 Mexican Orchestra.
  - 7:30 Mellow Console Moments. Jimmie Willson.
  - 7:45 Newscast.
  - 8:00 "Goodnight."
- Tuesday Morning**
- 7:00 Musical Clock. NBC.
  - 7:25 World Book Man.
  - 7:30 Rhythm Makers. NBC.
  - 7:45 Devotional Service.
  - 8:00 Just About Time. Standard.
  - 8:15 Home Folks Frolic. NBC.
  - 8:30 The Gaieties. Standard.
  - 8:45 Joey and Chuck. NBC.
  - 8:50 Hollywood Brevities. Standard.
  - 9:00 This Rhythmic Age. Standard.
  - 9:15 Tuning Around. Standard.
  - 9:30 Jerry Shelton, Accordion. Standard.
  - 9:45 Lobby Interviews.
  - 10:00 What's the Name of That Song? Jimmie Willson.
  - 10:15 Newscast.
  - 10:30 Texas Wranglers.
  - 10:45 Song Styles. Standard.
  - 11:00 Mary Wade Cooper. Piano.
  - 11:15 Morning Concert. Standard.
  - 11:30 Weldon Stamps.
  - 11:45 Dreamers. NBC.
- Tuesday Afternoon**
- 12:00 Gypsy Strings. Standard.
  - 12:15 Zenith Belle Time.
  - 12:45 Art Tatum, Piano. Standard.
  - 12:45 George Hall Orchestra. NBC.
  - 1:00 Snooping Around.
  - 1:15 String Ensemble. Standard.
  - 1:30 Sunshine Duet.
  - 1:45 Nat Shilkret's Orch. Standard.
  - 2:00 Serenade Espagnole. NBC.
  - 2:15 Male Chorus. Standard.
  - 2:30 Sportscaat.
  - 2:45 Newscast.
  - 3:00 Afternoon Concert. Standard.
  - 3:30 Sketches in Ivory.
  - 3:45 Three Brownies. Standard.
- Tuesday Evening**
- 4:00 Dance Hour. NBC.
  - 4:15 Jimmie Grier's Orch. Standard.
  - 4:30 Rhythm Rascals. Standard.
  - 4:45 Mrs. Charles H. Cauden.
  - 5:00 Cocktail Capers. Standard.
  - 5:30 American Family Robinson. WBS.
  - 5:45 Dance Ditties. NBC.
  - 6:00 Concert Hall of the Air. NBC.
  - 6:15 Jimmie Willson, Organ.
  - 6:30 Dance Program.
  - 6:45 Curbatone Reporter.
  - 7:00 John Vantine, Songs.
  - 7:15 Pete Shaw and Wes Fargo.
  - 7:30 Rhythm and Romance.
  - 7:45 Newscast.
  - 8:00 "Goodnight."

## Cottage Prayer Meeting Places Are Announced

Announcement of the schedule for cottage prayer meetings on Tuesday, first of a series of four days services beginning at 9:30 o'clock, has been announced as follows by the Methodist church.

District No. 1, Mrs. J. F. Meador, captain—Service at Meador home.

District No. 2, Mrs. G. E. Fleeman, captain—Service at Fox Stripling home.

District No. 3, Mrs. V. H. Flew-ellen, captain—Service at Flew-ellen home.

District No. 4, Mrs. T. E. Paylor, captain—Service at R. L. Warren home.

District No. 5, Mrs. J. L. Hudson, captain—Service at Hudson home.

District No. 6, Mrs. F. C. Cates, captain—Service at Pete Johnson home.

District No. 7, Mr. G. W. Felton, captain—Service at A. J. Cain home.

District No. 8, (oil field), Mrs. W. A. Underwood, captain—Service at Underwood home.

All women of the city are invited to join with this church in the services of which Mrs. N. W. McClemey is general chairman. The prayer program is being held in connection with the revival services now being held at the First Methodist church. Large crowds have attended the meetings held thus far. Music is under direction of L. B. Clough.

This evening the Rev. C. A. Bickley will preach on the subject, "Bringing Others to Jesus." Special musical number will be given by Mrs. Bernard Lamun who will sing "The Ninety and Nine." The public is invited to attend the services that begin at 8 o'clock.

## Junior Study Course At 4th Street Baptist Is Taken By Thirty Pupils

Thirty pupils were enrolled in the Junior Study Course sponsored by the East Fourth Street Baptist church according to a check made at the completion of the school Friday.

Twenty-six of the B.Y.P.U. student members were present for a weiner roast, meeting at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Temple Rodgers, which was a closing feature of the weeks' study. The roast was held after the group had played many contests and hunts through the hills. Assisting were Homer Finley, educational director of the church, and Mrs. Mel Thurman, superintendent of the junior department of the Sunday school.

## CALENDAR OF TOMORROW'S MEETINGS

- Tuesday**
- REBEKAH LODGE meeting 7:30 at the I.O.O.F. hall.
  - JUNIOR HIGH Parent-Teacher Association meeting 8:30 o'clock at the school building.
  - ST. THOMAS Altar Society meeting 2:30 o'clock at the church.
  - ORDER OF Eastern Star meeting 8:30 o'clock at the Masonic hall.
  - PIONEER GIRL Scout troop meeting 3:30 o'clock at the Episcopal Parish House, Mrs. H. S. Faw is leader.
- BLUEBONNET PARTY**
- The benefit 42 party to be given at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening by the Bluebonnet class of the First Christian church will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Baxter, 1005 Johnson street, instead of at the home of Mrs. W. K. Edwards as was previously announced.

**NEWS**  
by R.B. Reeder

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Go to your neighborhood drug store today. New also, tablets for 11 & 11.25. Write to Dr. Peck's Clinic, Buffalo, N. Y.

## Mrs. Douglass Named To State Board 3rd Term

Mrs. J. C. Douglass was appointed for the third consecutive term to serve on the tuberculosis state board of health by officers of the Texas Tuberculosis association at the annual meeting held in Tyler the past week-end. This term expires in 1940.

Mrs. Douglass has been chairman of the Howard county association for several years. She was accompanied to the meeting by Miss Iva Jane Lytle, nurse from the state department of health, and Mrs. Della K. Agnell, ward school teacher.

Three hundred doctors and lay members were present for the educational program and emphasis was placed on the need of county health nurses and more sanatoriums. While Texas now has 1,000 sanatoriums and 2,000 clinics for tubercular patients, there is still an urgent need for more places in which to treat sufferers and to prevent spread of the disease.

A report from the state records on the death rate in the state from the disease since 1907, when the first work in treatment was begun, shows that the rate has been lowered from 200 to 60 to each 1,000 population.

In counties where a health nurse has been maintained the rate shows much less than in counties where one is not employed. Not only do the nurses check on tuberculosis but on all diseases of children that may be cured if checked in time. By this means of detection, infected children may be isolated from the others, thereby preventing spread of communicable diseases.

County chairmen were urged to work toward maintenance of a health nurse if their county did not maintain one. Howard county does not employ a nurse as present.

## IOOF Groups In Convention

Over 1200 Registered At Opening Sessions At Corsicana

CORSICANA, Mar. 15 (AP)—The ninety-seventh annual session of the Texas grand lodge, and the forty-third annual session of the Rebekah assembly I. O. O. F., of Texas, opened here Monday morning with a joint session. At 11 o'clock 501 members of the Texas grand lodge and 735 members of the Rebekah assembly had registered, in addition to a large number of other visitors.

W. P. McCammon, chairman of the local arrangements committee, presided at the joint session, and addresses of welcome were made by Mayor J. S. Murchison; Paul Moore, noble grand, Corsicana lodge No. 83; Mrs. C. B. Couch, vice grand home Rebekah lodge No. 128, matron of the order's orphan home here, and by C. B. Couch, superintendent of the home.

Response to the addresses of welcome were made on behalf of the grand lodge by H. L. Carpenter, Greenville, grand master, and on behalf of the Rebekah assembly by Mrs. Frances Thomson, Corpus Christi, president of the assembly.

The first meeting of the grand lodge opened at 11 o'clock and was continued in the afternoon.

## R. H. Miller Honored On Anniversary With Tacky Party At Home

Honoring her husband, R. H. Miller, on his birthday anniversary, Mrs. Miller entertained surprise tacky party at her home Saturday evening with members of the Deuce club as guests.

The group assembled at the L. E. Terry home and arrived at the home of the honored guests attired in "tacky" clothes. The evening was spent playing kiltizer bridge and keeno.

Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Shelle Barnes and L. R. Terry for costumes and to Mrs. Terry and Mrs. Shipman for game scores.

Refreshments were served in paper sacks to Mr. and Mrs. Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Shipman, Mr. and Mrs. George Crosthwait, Mr. and Mrs. Watson Hammond, Mrs. B. P. Franklin, Mrs. Barnes and the honored guest.

## J. D. Peck And Bonnie Ruth Shortes Married

J. D. Peck of Foran and Miss Bonnie Ruth Shortes of this city were married Saturday evening in the parsonage of the First Methodist church by the Rev. C. A. Bickley.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Shortes of near Big Spring. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Peck of Foran.

The couple will make their home in Foran where Mr. Peck is employed.

## BOYKINS RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Boykin and daughter, Joan, returned from Rochelle Sunday evening. Mrs. Boykin and Joan have spent the past 10 days there with Calvin, Jr., and Bobby, who are attending school in that city and staying with their grandparents. Mr. Boykin motored there Friday.

## The Queen Is Played

Since their first feeble flickerings, many movies have been built around queens. For instance:



Dramatic—1912  
Sarah Bernhardt As Queen Elizabeth



Glamorous—1917  
Theda Bara As Cleopatra



Moody—1933  
Greta Garbo As Queen Christina



Realistic—1937  
Flora Robson As Queen Elizabeth In "Fire Over England"

## Rescue At Sea Is Given High Praise

HONOLULU, Mar. 15 (AP)—A smoothly-executed heavy seas rescue was praised today while eight passengers from the fire-swept British freighter Silverlarch unconcernedly made plans to continue their interrupted "round-the-world" voyage.

The Silverlarch was due here today under convoy of four navy destroyers.

The voyagers, including two elderly persons, were taken aboard a launch from the cruiser Louisville Saturday when fire in the No. 3 hold of the freighter broke out for the third time and led Captain F. H. Henderson to ask for immediate assistance.

## Caught a Cold?

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## Governor Of Louisiana At Stock Show

Leche Has Horses On Exhibit In Fort Worth Horse Event

FORT WORTH, Mar. 15 (AP)—Gov. Richard W. Leche of Louisiana inspected prize animals at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show here today.

Governor and Mrs. Leche arrived Saturday and were joined yesterday by Dr. J. B. Francioni and Col. Harry Tayden of the agricultural department of the Louisiana State university. They had been traveling over South and West Texas ranches, purchasing blooded stock for the university herds.

Governor Leche, a rodeo enthusiast, will repeat his 1936 award of an engraved pistol to the champion cowboy of the rodeo. He attended the Saturday night rodeo and horse show, and was present for both shows yesterday.

At yesterday's matinee performance, Governor Leche saw the two horses he is exhibiting in the horse show take first and sixth place in the plantation class.

The governor was emphatic in his support of President Roosevelt's suggested supreme court reform.

"The people gave their mandate on the nature of legislation they want passed, and elected a president and a congress to pass it," he said. "It isn't right for a court to sit back and rule against things the people want."

## TEXAS FEDERATION OF LABOR SUPPORTS FDR'S COURT PLAN

AUSTIN, Mar. 15 (AP)—The Texas federation of labor stood squarely behind President Roosevelt's court reform plan today.

The executive board, meeting here yesterday, endorsed the Roosevelt proposal and condemned by resolution a recent address before the legislature by Sen. Tom Connally attacking the court plan.

The board also chose Wallace Reilly, who resigned as a member of the state unemployment compensation commission, as executive secretary.

W. B. Arnold, president, said the

## Personally Speaking

Mrs. Charles L. Bryant, who recently underwent an operation, is steadily improving at her home, 1008 Scurry street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Coleman and daughter, Beulah, of Midland visited with their son and brother, Ray, who is ill in a local hospital. He will be moved to his Midland home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Less Whitaker and children, Jeanne and Junior, returned to their home in Amarillo after spending several days with Mrs. L. T. Deats and other relatives here.

Mrs. O. D. Cordill has returned from Eastland where she has spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Morgan. She took Mrs. Morgan to her home after her appearance in the style show here last week.

Mrs. Quinn Walker and daughter, Miss Myra, of near Big Lake, were guests of friends here during the week-end.

Miss Robert Ritchey of Kermitt is the guest of Miss Veda Robinson and other friends here.

Mrs. John L. McAllen is critically ill of double pneumonia at the Bivings hospital. Her child, born last week, is doing nicely.

## INJURIES FATAL

PADUCAH, Mar. 15 (AP)—Mrs. Forrest Fleming, injured when a train struck a stalled truck near Quannah Wednesday, died today in a hospital here.

Charles Fleming, 3, was killed instantly and Mrs. M. L. Mitchell died three hours later. M. L. Mitchell, driver of the truck, remained in critical condition.

## IN NAGPUR

NAGPUR, India, Mar. 15 (AP)—Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh arrived by train today from Calcutta and were met at the station by G. P. Burton, financial adviser to the central provinces government.

group suspended local units of labor organizations affected by the suspension order voted last summer by the executive council of the American Federation of Labor.

## Road Mishap Takes 3 Lives

Texans Are Killed As Auto And Bus Collide Near Rhame

RHAME, Mar. 15 (AP)—Funeral services were arranged today for three victims of an auto-bus accident near here yesterday.

The accident occurred as the Dallas-bound bus from Amarillo and the automobile met on a sharp turn.

The dead: Steve L. Russell, 36-year-old druggist, Miss Christine Hoosier, 25-year-old nurse, and Paul Longley, 18-year-old high school student, all of Dallas.

Russell was to be buried at Corsicana, where his wife was buried six weeks ago. Burial for Miss Hoosier was planned at Frost Kites were planned at Dallas for Longley.

Miss Inez Tyler, 27-year-old nurse, was sent to a Dallas hospital. Her condition was described as not serious.

The automobile party was en route to Wichita Falls to visit Miss Tyler's family.

None of the bus passengers was injured.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Goldman and daughter, Jimmie Lou, are in Dallas where they expect to spend several days while Goldman is attending to business matters.

## CARDUI

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### THE SPORTS CIRCUIT - Money Put Up For Entry In Westex League

BY TOM BEASLEY  
THE WEST Texas Baseball League may never be a big success but there's been quite a bit of money put up.

Collier Parris, Lubbock sports writer who has been raising league organizers Joe Pate, added insult to injury Sunday by sending Joe the following telegram, collect: "Will take dollar and stay home. Gotta be here to collect rent off park as they are playing marbles here today. Have without three tires and burned thousand gallons gasoline going to league meetings and battery in dead. Interest in baseball here dead as battery. Putting in lights and increasing park for cent-park ball. Need good umpire. You better start running if league is organized. Regards. See you behind the eight ball. Hope you have enough money to pay for this."

Notes from the Midland Baseball Meeting: Odessa baseball fans will meet today to elect officers. Milton Price, the league president, will hire and fire the umpires.

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## SIX TEAMS READY FOR PLAY IN WEST TEXAS LEAGUE

### GARDNER ATTENDS MEETING

BY TOM BEASLEY  
MIDLAND, Mar. 14.—A West Texas Baseball League was organized here Sunday as backers of six teams put up their \$500 forfeit money and \$30 franchise fees with Milton Price, Texas League official who was named president of the West Texas League. Hobbs, Midland, Monahan, Odessa, Wink and Rowell were reported as ready to go and league officials saw the possibility of getting Big Spring and Carlsbad, N. M. Money for the Rowell team was posted by officials of the Beaumont Exporters, acting for Detroit.

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## JOHNNY MCCARTHY IS PRIZE FROM INTERNATIONAL LOOP

NEW YORK, Mar. 15 (AP)—Of all the veteran and fledgling rookies the majors drew from the International League for 1937 trials, New York Giants captured the prize—they hope.

He is 24-year-old Johnny McCarthy, obtained from the New York Yankees Newark farm as a replacement for Manager Bill Terry at first base. Only light clubbing stands between McCarthy and major league success, for he's said to be pretty fancy afield—and improving against southpaw flinging.

McCarthy is rated as a better all-arounder than First-Sacker Lennie Powers whom the Giants bought from Baltimore along with Southpaw Pitcher Cliff Melton, reported improved since tried by the New York Yankees in 1935.

Besides McCarthy and the Baltimore pair, the International's "gifts" to the National League stack up like this:

Braves took Pitcher Bill Harris. Outfielder Frank McGowan and First-Baseman Elbert Fitcher from champion Buffalo. Return trips to the big-time for all three.

Harris pitched a pair of no-hitters—one by day and one at night. McGowan was one of the standout outfielders and hitters of the league.

Cincinnati got Shortstop Robert Miller and Pitcher Jake Mooney from Toronto and Outfielders John Roth and Phil Weintraub from Rochester. Weintraub, who first based for Rochester, was the demoted "Sunday hitter" of the I. L.

Dickshot From Buffalo: Phila took Left-Hander Bob Burke from Albany. Return trip for him, but first N. L. experience.

Pirates recalled Outfielder Dickshot from Buffalo after he enjoyed a great season.

Cardinals got hold of southpaw Bob Weiland, right-hander Ray Harrell, Infielders Jim Brown and Al Cuccinello from Rochester.

Harrell, last two months of 1936 season, was just about best pitcher in the circuit, in player's opinion.

It's Weiland's first trip to National. Cuccinello doubtful about sticking. Brown has a chance.

Red Sox had Babe Dahlgren at Syracuse and recalled him, then sold him to the Yankees. He led the league in triples and played well.

From Rochester Boston got Colonel (Buster) Mills, who led International in batting in runs.

He may stick up there this time. Carl Fischer, up with Cleveland, was a flop in the American association and then set the International on fire at Buffalo.

Without his left-handing Buffalo probably wouldn't have got into the little world series. He dominated the

Heavyweight History Full Of Mix-Ups: (This is the fourth of a series of stories discussing developments in the boxing business, with special reference to current heavyweight angles.)

By ALAN GOULD  
NEW YORK, Mar. 15 (AP)—There rarely has been much logic in the boxing industry, ranging from its early days as a fugitive sport to the post-war era of fabulous gate receipts, social register patronage and ringside racketeering.

## Close Contests Mark Opening Of AAU Basketball Tournament

### TRAINING CAMP NOTES

By The Associated Press  
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Mar. 15 (AP)—The Boston Bees warmed up today in preparation for their Grapefruit league game tomorrow with the New York Giants.

RED SOX HOLDOUTS DOWN TO THREE—SARASOTA, Fla.—Manager Joe Cronin put his Boston Red Sox through their paces today with holdouts reduced to three when Shortstop Eric McNair announced he would sign his contract.

WASHINGTON SPLITS UP FOR INTRA-SQUAD GAME—ORLANDO, Fla.—The Washington Nationals split up today for an intra-squad game, their second of the training season.

COMPETITION KEEN FOR INFIELD ASSIGNMENTS—SAN ANTONIO—Competition for the two infield assignments became keen in the Brown training camp today. Jim Bottomley and Harry Davis are battling for the first sack job, while Gerald Lipscomb is trying to beat out Tom Carey at the keystone spot.

THREE ROOKIES TO BE BROOKLYN REGULARS—CLEARWATER, Fla.—Gossip around the Brooklyn training camp has it that three rookies will be on the regular lineup for the coming season: Gil Clark and Jack Winslow in the outfield and Tony Malinowski at shortstop.

PITTSBURGH STARTS WEEK OF STIFF DRILLS—SAN BERNARDINO, Calif.—The Pittsburgh Pirates started a week of stiff drills today to get ready for Sunday's first game between the regulars and the rookies.

CINCINNATI HOLDOUT READY TO TALK "CONTRACT"—TAMPA, Fla.—General Manager Warren C. Giles of the Cincinnati Reds said today Don Brennan, holdout hurler had telegraphed he would "like to come to Tampa and talk contract."

DETROIT DEAL WITH WASHINGTON FALLS THROUGH—LAKELAND, Fla.—A Detroit, Tiger deal to get Pitcher Buck Newsome from Washington was reported to have met with failure today.

PHILLIES HOLD 2 PRACTICE SESSIONS A DAY—WINTER HAVEN, Fla.—The Phillies returned to a schedule of two practice sessions a day after their first intra-club training game over the week-end.

CLEVELAND INDIANS TAKE THINGS EASY—NEW ORLEANS, La.—The Cleveland Indians took things a bit easier today after handling the New Orleans Pelicans a 11-0 Sunday setback, in which four Tribe hurlers granted only two scratch singles.

WINTER HAVEN, Fla., Mar. 15 (AP)—Word is going around the Grapefruit league that the Cincinnati Reds will figure in a big deal before the season opens, with either Ernie Lombardi or Virgil Davis moving on. Colonel Ruppert's motive, "I'll see you in the movies, Lou," he wants to lead the big league, having "I just about breaks some of the Cardinals' hearts that the management of the somewhat ritzy Osceola hotel at Daytona Beach makes the Gas Houseurs wear coats in the dining room. "We're in society now, sure enough," said Pepper Martin.

Old Larry Lajoie, once a great second baseman and infielder, lives at World, hard by the camp of the Phillies here. Larry must be pushing 60 or better, but if he would report he probably could make the Phils. "They're having trouble keeping Bob Feller from cutting loose at New Orleans. It is so keen to get going every pitch. Connie Mack broadcasts from Mexico City that if Bill Werber is a trouble maker, he'd like to have a whole team of 'em. Mrs. Joe McCarthy can tell whether the Yanks have won or lost by the way he rings the door bell when he comes home. "Schmeling gets his \$40,000. The Yankees will have the most expensive infield in baseball history. With Lou getting \$40,000, Lazzeri, \$18,000, Crossett \$13,000, and Red Rolfe \$11,000, the club will be putting out \$80,000 for the inner works alone. Joe McCarthy still thinks he has the right DiMaggio, but he tips you not to sell young Vince short. Joe got a peek at Joe's brother Saturday and yesterday and believes he is going to make a first class third sacker.

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Rebels Postpone Start Of Practice: The Rebels, local independent baseball team, will hold the initial workout of the season Wednesday. Practice was slated to start today but was postponed because of cold weather. The Rebels will use the East Third street diamond this season.

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Ernie Nevers Goes To Iowa: IOWA CITY, Ia., Mar. 15 (AP)—Ernie Nevers, football coach at Lafayette college, Easton, Pa., notified University of Iowa officials today he has accepted the head backfield coaching position at Iowa. Nevers, former All-America fullback at Stanford university, played under Irl Tubbs, now Iowa head coach, at Central high school, Southport, Wis. He has coached at Lafayette one year.

Woman Killed, Five Injured In Crash: SAN ANTONIO, Mar. 15 (AP)—Mrs. Mack Rogers, wife of a local orchestra leader, was killed and five other persons were injured in an automobile collision six miles west of Columbus yesterday. Mrs. Rogers was returning to San Antonio from Houston with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kennedy when their car collided with one driven by Victor Salter of San Angelo. Mrs. Kennedy suffered a fractured right arm and back injuries while her husband was cut and bruised. Mr. and Mrs. Salter and their child were bruised.

## Milers Clash In Finale Of Indoor Track

### WT TEAM VICTOR IN 1ST ROUND

By HUGH S. FULLERTON, JR.  
NEW YORK, Mar. 15 (AP)—The indoor track season reaches a smashing finale this week when Glenn Cunningham, king of American milers, and Archie San Romani, the heir-apparent, hook up in a pair of duels.

They are slated to meet in the classic Columbian mile at the New York Knights of Columbus meet Wednesday—last big invitation board track event—and again in the Butler Relays at Indianapolis Saturday.

Cunningham, beaten only once at a mile this season and then by his fellow Kansan, will be defending the laurels he won at the Casey meet last year. He will be opposed also by Italy's Luigi Beccali and his perennial rival, Gene Venack.

At Butler Indiana's Don Lash and Ray Sears, Butler summer, are to run against the Kansas pair.

Cunningham warmed up for this week's efforts by capturing two mile races in Canada in slow times Friday and Saturday, winning at Toronto in 4:18.2 and at Hamilton, Ont., in 4:19.3, while San Romani breezed through a 4:27 mile at the Midwest Intercollegiate meet at Naperville, Ill.

In addition to the star milers, the pick of the college and club crowd is due to appear on St. Patrick's day, including seven winners at last Saturday's intercollegiate A. A. A. meet here, three newly crowned Big Ten champions, and one Central Intercollegiate conference titleholder.

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Best of all the prospects are Ira Hutchinson, who won 13 and lost 8 for St. Paul in '36, and Bill Weir, a 24-year-old southpaw who copped four and lost three for the Bees last season. Lou Fette won 25 games for Paul in '36 and is pretty sure to get a full chance.

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TODAY'S ANNIVERSARY—Andrew Jackson born March 15, 1767.

## BETTER QUALITY, BETTER PROFITS

No matter what one may think of William L. Clayton of Houston, who for a time expressed disapproval of the president and his policies, no one can doubt that he is perhaps the best posted man on cotton and its production and uses of any man in the south. So when he speaks on the subject he should be worth listening to and his remarks heeded.

Mr. Clayton has returned from a tour through South America and finds that there is more cotton being produced there than in past years, and that the acreage will probably increase. But he says not yet is there as much cotton grown in South America as the one state of Texas produces.

He also finds that the quality of Texas cotton, as regards staple, is being lowered rather steadily. He attributes this to planting of too many varieties, of planting seed from cotton that was not up to standard and that may have been injured before maturity by adverse weather conditions. It is plain from his statement that the interests of the Texas cotton grower would be served by growing as nearly one variety as can be done profitably, and by making more careful selection of seed than has been the custom in the past.

That is good sense. Any person who grows crops of any sort, cotton or what not, knows that the better the seed the better the product. And quantity production is not always the most profitable for if quality be neglected the additional labor required to harvest the quantity will make the profit much less than if quality were given first consideration.

Mr. Clayton thinks consumption of cotton will increase. Texas producers can profit from that increase more if they will produce better quality.

Steps in the right direction are being taken by scattered groups of Texas farmers. In Howard county, some growers are making plans for one-variety cotton communities. If they can prove such procedure nets greater profit, their example probably will be followed generally. Real value to the state as a whole, however, will not result until the growing of better quality cotton is made widespread.

## Man About Manhattan

By GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK—Local good-time Charlies and out of town drummers who find themselves attracted to some toothsome baby in the Minsky burlesque chorus will meet with a fine snubbing if they amble back stage and attempt to put through any self-introductions.

However, all is not as barren as it may seem. Taking pity on disconsolate tourists and fearing that the Lonely Heart societies may be over-subscribed, the ladies of the Minsky line have arranged a questionnaire which must be filled out and submitted before anyone may hope for the pleasure of a lady's company for the evening.

Judging from some of the queries, however, it might be less exhausting to one's bankroll to purchase outright an interest in the show, and then, in one's capacity of co-producer, inveigle one of your employees to go out with you.

For, in addition to your name and address, there are 22 questions concerning which the girls confess an overwhelming curiosity. "Do you dance?" is a natural. "What is your salary?" comes immediately to the point. "Of a more personal nature is, "Are you interested in matrimony?" and "Are your intentions honorable?"

Another affirmative craved by the lasses is, "If she agrees to meet you can you guarantee her safety?"... Then they want to know, "How much do you usually spend on girl friends?"

Too there is the question of family. "Have you any dependents?"... "Must you give part of your salary to your home?"

Now we get down to the real business at hand. "Which girl in our show are you anxious to meet?" (the red head, third from the left, second row)... "Why do you like her?" (Well, I dunno... Maybe it's because she makes me think of a valentine I once got from a little girl in pigtails, back in Idaho.)

"What evenings do you have free?"... "What are your personal hobbies?"... "Do you gamble, drink, smoke?"... "Have you a car?"... "Are you affiliated with any church?" And, finally, "Are you a citizen of the United States?"

There it is, mates. After writing all this out, you can turn it in to the Minsky management or sell it as an autobiography to a New York publisher. Worse have been printed.

However, the girls don't think this is a bit too much to ask, especially in times like these. "Sure," they say, "the Lord protects the walking gill, and it's a mighty comforting thought at times. But, there's just one thing wrong with it. It doesn't say a word about Minsky burlesque chorus girls."

# NEWS

BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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## NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

Scramble seen for 1940 democratic nomination. Many presidential candidates already being advanced. Roosevelt's third term renunciations stirs interest. Call for disarmament conference considered unlikely.

## Epidemic

WASHINGTON, Mar. 15 — The presidential race seems to be an insect with a bite but no sting. It leaves a very pleasant but obvious rash on the bite. On some victims lately, it also appears to have developed symptoms of the advanced stages of White House mald's knee.

No political health survey of Washington is needed to disclose that an epidemic, both of the rash and the knee, is current here. How far the disease has spread became evident the other day when one whose name has been among those mentioned for the democratic nomination took off his coat and frankly discussed his chances with friends. He disclosed he had gone to the extent of lining up state delegations and could now count several as sure. He even named them.

The situation is developing so fast that far-sighted political doctors plainly foresee a scramble for the democratic nomination among many favorite sons of many states. In that event, they know the burden will probably fall upon President Roosevelt of meeting a draft. Roosevelt movement as the obvious compromise, or else he will have to designate a successor who will be acceptable to all the clamoring factions.

The matter, of course, is being much discussed backstage in connection with Mr. Roosevelt's repeated recent renunciation of any such ambitions for himself.

## Stage Banners

Some inside developments also have been noticeable which bring at least two new favorites into the picture. A politician high in the new order, who should know what he is talking about, is idly mentioning the name of Senator Moore of New Jersey. Also, since the steel strike was settled before Governor Earle of Pennsylvania had a chance to get to it, a group of well informed politicians are asking why Senator Guffey himself is being overlooked as the favorite of the Keystone state.

Phillipine High Commissioner McNutt of Indiana likewise left behind him here a number of friends who are suggesting he will not remain in the Philippines long enough to spoil his contacts. He will be back on home ground, looking after his chances, in a year, they say.

When you add these New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Indiana names up with those of Iowa's Henry Wallace, Michigan's Governor Murphy and other local political characters in other sections whose state banners are being waved freely, the trend of the coming fight is obvious.

## Disarmament

The house boom for a disarmament conference caused some international observers to suspect it was an administration trial balloon. The facts indicate the reverse.

The resolution suggesting that the president call a disarmament conference sprouted from a hot debate on the floor over the navy appropriations bill. It was introduced only as an answer to a republican taunt about large naval expenditures. It declined immediately to support the measure, sent word to League Leader Rayburn to have it killed.

What was suspicious was the later statement of house foreign affairs Chairman McReynolds that it might not have been a bad idea, and the story in a London weekly stating flatly the U. S. would call a conference.

The fact seems to be the powers that be here have something indefinite in mind and do not want their hands forced.

## Competition

The scramble for preferred positions in Mr. Roosevelt's promised series of diplomatic appointments is becoming rather hectic on the inside. The fever of some who believe they deserve promotion is running so high that one or two vacant jobs may be left open indefinitely. If they are not, there will at least be one resignation from the service.

## Anguish

The mutual exchange of insults between Hitler's press and Mayor La Guardia of New York is said to be causing considerable mental anguish to State Secretary Hull. He leans to the wise old theory that such thing only stir trouble without arriving at a conclusion. Those around him say he would not have presented the protest against the German newspaper articles, were it not for the fact that demands were made upon him by two ladies. Hull is a traditional Tennesseean.

The frank way in which officials here privately look at the situation is simply this:

La Guardia is running for reelection. Hitler is always running for reelection.

# The Timid Soul



## Hollywood

Sights and Sounds By Robin Coons

HOLLYWOOD — Offhand, the cynic could divide the film population of Hollywood into two groups. The first would comprise those who want to run away from fame and popularity to a Little Ranch Away From It All. The second would include those who want to escape from the Little Ranch and come back to it all.

It is not surprising to find Robert Taylor, already in the first group, Taylor, three years ago a stage-struck devotee of Pomona college theatricals, used to read of the goings-on of film celebrities and dream various dreams. He confesses now that pictures of what Hollywood calls "glamour" trooped across his mind's eye in splendid procession.

But now— He leaned against the wall of a White House ballroom on the set of "This Is My Affair," and deliberately summed up his discoveries about that "glamour" business.

## Film Life Bores

"When I was in college," he recalled, "I thought it would be great to be a film star and go to all those places frequented by film stars—the Troc, the Brown Derby, the Cocoanut Grove, Palm Springs, Malibu Beach and the rest. But they are just—a pain in the neck."

With that beginning, the next pronouncement was not the least amazing.

"I want a ranch," he said. Taylor is co-starring in this film with Barbara Stanwyck, his real-life heart. The couple, thus united on celluloid for the second time, have made one request of William Seltzer, the director; that the production schedule be arranged so that their off days will coincide.

No Wedding Gift And instead of spending those days in the places that held so much appeal in another day, Taylor takes Barbara horseback-riding, on automobile rides, and ranch-shopping.

He declares that the ranch, when he buys it, will be a wedding present. It will be, he insists, just an ordinary ranch, with a ranch-type house, corrals and other necessary buildings. A place, in short, where he "can get away from the noise, excitement and crowds" while enjoying his place in the Hollywood sun.

## New Kind of Role

Robert Montgomery is busy on his most unusual role—in "Night Must Fall." He explained, after rehearsing a scene in which he arrests a woman, that he is playing a man who is a detective. He is playing a man who is a detective. He is playing a man who is a detective.

"Like to know what I've got in this bag?" he asked. "Don't tell—it would spoil everything."

I promised, and he told. Already afflicted with sniffles, I scurried off to bed with the revelation. And now, between sneezes, I hear myself cackling crazily. Imagine Bob Montgomery—my own conception of Little Jack Horner—playing that kind of role!

William Powell and Myrna Loy, who have appeared as married couples in five pictures, often receive fan mail addressed to "Mr. and Mrs. William Powell."

As an ornament for her evening slippers, Elissa Landi has a silver buckle fashioned to hold a small cluster of real flowers.

Florence Rice keeps a perpetual score of the solitaire game she plays. She's about even.

## Daily Crossword Puzzle

Solution: Yesterday's Puzzles

ACROSS

- Article of jewelry
- A Hamlet of the tribes of northeastern America
- English river
- City in Holland
- Prevailing winter wind
- Adriatic
- Large hall
- Spirit
- Greatly
- Actually
- Anger
- Bitter herb
- Annual or periodical
- Ship's prison
- Unprofessional
- Consumed
- Short for a Brazilian city
- Deeds wrongfully
- Coarse broken part of fax or hemp
- Medieval shield
- The birds
- Weapons
- Whimsy
- Self

DOWN

- Look
- Not busy
- Wicked
- The white pepper
- Shrewd
- Knack
- Uncommon things
- American soprano
- Appointed to arrive
- Negative vote
- Built
- Small projecting part of a larger member
- Edges of a roof
- Science of healing
- Minute particle of matter
- Blount
- Intelligence
- Bored
- Coral
- Without affection
- Kind of song
- Turkish commander
- Put in vigorous action
- Edges of glacial drift
- Mental picture
- Stiva after
- Paint
- Feminine name
- Male child
- Eligible
- mountains in the Philippines

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## SUPERVISION OF RAIL HOLDING COMPANIES IS RECOMMENDED

WASHINGTON, Mar. 15 (AP)—The senate railway finance committee today giant transportation holding companies should be federally supervised or forbidden altogether.

The committee suggested further studies, however, before "a clearly defined policy" is written into law.

In a preliminary report, the committee outlined the tangled history of the nation's greatest railway empire—the sprawling 25,000-mile Van Sweringen system—and asserted the recent auction sale of its controlling securities may have been illegal.

As Chairman Wheeler (D-Mont) laid the report on the table, the senate prepared to debate a recommendation of its audit committee that an additional \$150,000 be appropriated to finance the investigation.

Wheeler's inquiry already had cost \$100,000, nearly all to unearth the complex fiscal background of the 249 interlocked Van Sweringen enterprises.

The committee is planning to study 24 other "typical" railway systems.

# ESCAPE IF YOU CAN

BY FREDERICK JACKSON

Chapter 33

## BLUFFING THE BARONESS

"Come, now," said Bigelow, as they returned to Anne's car. "You knew your New York better than I do. What can you find good French cooking? I'm just a little tired of unseasoned American dishes. I know the food is fresh and wholesome, but it doesn't seem to tickle my palate."

Anne reflected. "There's Savignin's," she suggested. "I think you'd like the food there. And it's quiet and they won't mind our not being dressed."

So they headed for Savignin's, and as the stout proprietor himself conducted them to a table in the corner, they discovered the baroness and Lyman L. Strong dining together at a table that they passed en route. They had their heads together and were obviously absorbed in earnest conversation.

"Did you see—" asked Bigelow, under his breath as they sat down. "Yes. She's with Thorne Dryden's lawyer. What do you suppose that means?"

"She's probably pouring her tale into his willing ears," said Bigelow. "Did you call up your lawyer, by the way, and ask him to issue a warning?"

"No. I had no chance to do it as we made such an early start this morning. Besides—on thinking it over—I wondered if I would dare start a suit against her for slander. She might like me to do just that on the chance that things would come out."

"No harm to threaten," said Bigelow. "The good old American game of bluff, you know."

"But if she calls my bluff, won't it be tantamount to a confession that I have something to hide—if I don't sue?"

"It's tantamount to a confession if you don't even threaten," Bigelow pointed out. "You know."

"Yes, I suppose that's true," agreed Anne. "And a bluff might work."

"Yes, of course." "Let's take the offensive. A surprise attack will sometimes win when just watchful waiting won't. Let's send the waiter with a note asking them both to come and speak to us. And accuse her of spreading slanderous stories. Intuition isn't proof, you know."

"All right, if you think best," agreed Anne. She wrote a line on the back of a card and they dispatched it by the waiter. They saw it delivered and the startled looks and excited comments that were exchanged as it was read. Evidently, the baroness and Strong were doubtful about the advisability of accepting the invitation. Strong seemed to be arguing against it. But in the end, they came.

"Take Legal Proceedings!" "Not wearing your mink coat this evening, Baroness," said Bigelow by way of greeting as they approached.

The baroness had had something on her lips to say, but his opening shot bewildered or confused her and the words died unuttered. The light of defiance faded in her eyes to be succeeded by a look of startled inquiry.

"Please sit down," said Anne, promptly, following up this advance. "Mr. Bigelow—Mr. Strong. She did not know that they had already met; Bigelow had never told her of his interview with Strong and Strong perceived this at once, but he merely bowed without speaking. They all sat down.

"I asked you to come and speak to me," Anne went on then, "because I have been told you are spreading a malicious slander about me."

"I say only what I think," answered the baroness, scintillatingly, her color rising. "When my opinion is asked, I speak what is in my heart."

"What you think of me," said Anne, "is of no consequence whatever. But to accuse me of murder is a vile slander."

"It is what I believe!" cried the baroness passionately, her eyes burning.

"But what you believe has no weight in court, Mr. Strong," said Bigelow coldly. "Mr. Strong will tell you that. The question is, have you proof of the statements you have been making?"

"Not yet. You have been clever," answered the baroness, "but I will find proof. I will not stop until I find it!"

"Do I understand that you suspect me of assisting in Count Vronski's murder?" asked Bigelow. "You know best what part you played in it," answered the baroness.

"Yes, and whether I played any part at all," said Bigelow. "But you don't! And unless you can back up your accusations with evidence strong enough to convince a court of law, I advise you to retract your wild statements and to remain silent. Miss Phelps and I have no intention of submitting to your ridiculous assaults upon us. Unless they stop at once, we'll take legal proceedings!" cried the baroness furiously.

"Very well. The scandal will be unpleasant but we will certainly be exonerated and then I shall apply to the court to have a commission appointed to investigate your mental condition."

"What?" gasped the baroness, paling.

"Only a mad woman could conduct such a campaign," Bigelow assured her. "It is obvious to anyone that you can only succeed in persuading people that you are madly jealous. . . . Perhaps that is your purpose? Perhaps you have something to conceal and you think you can do it by launching this attack?"

She gazed at him, frowning. "I don't know what you mean," she gasped phlegmatically. "I have nothing to conceal!"

"You had better be quite sure of that before you force us to take legal action against you," he answered, shrugging.

Strong had not spoken, but he had listened carefully to every word and it seemed to Anne that he glanced at the baroness now with a new interest in his eyes.

"I don't think there is anything to be said," Anne put in, now. "Only this," added Bigelow. "Unless we have a written apology from you tomorrow, baroness, we must take legal action. Is that quite clear?"

"Quite," said the baroness grimly.

She turned and left them. With a little bow, Strong followed her. He had remained clear of the whole proceeding.

"Do Over The Studio"

"Well—" breathed Anne, anxiously looking at Bigelow.

He shrugged. "I think I frightened her a little and I think Strong may urge her to send an apology. But I don't know. Did you think she looked disturbed when I hinted she might have something to hide?"

"Yes, definitely."

"So did I," he murmured. He sat silent, as the waiter served them. Then, when the man had gone again, he turned to Anne.

"How long have you had your studio?" he asked.

"About a year and a half," answered Anne in surprise. "Why?"

"Wouldn't you like to do it up differently? I mean, completely alter the color-scheme and decorations and furnishings?" he asked.

"I was thinking of giving it up as a matter of fact," admitted Anne.

"I shouldn't do that. Not for the time being," said he. "But I would do it over. Have the walls repainted and the floors refinished."

She frowned a little. "You mean—in case there should be an investigation there—?"

"I don't think anything would come to light," he answered reassuringly. "But nowadays they have such scientific methods of testing blood stains, and so on. It could do no harm to set the painters to work. And it might be fun."

"But wouldn't it do harm? Wouldn't it attract attention? And arouse suspicions?"

"I don't see why. People do get tired of their rooms and alter them about—even quite innocent people."

"Yes, of course. I'll attend to it tomorrow," Anne decided.

"But I shouldn't mention the plan to anyone until the work is actually under way—not to anyone, you understand—not even to your mother."

"Why not to mother?" asked Anne, startled.

"Only that she might mention it in turn to somebody else, and you can't very well ask her not to without lending the matter enormous importance—just what we don't want to do."

"Yes, I see," Anne said. "But I can't think whom she could repeat it to—that would matter."

"Well, there's her maid—Doris."

"What do you know about her maid, Doris?" asked Anne in surprise.

"Only what Walters confided," "Walters—?"

"He suspects she has been in touch with Chief Inspector Hagedorn about something—he doesn't know what."

"When did all this happen?"

"Yesterday."

"Why didn't you tell me? And why haven't you mentioned it before?"

"Walters didn't want to distress you or your mother. That's why he told me. And I didn't think it was terribly important. I know she couldn't know anything about the murder. But if she is in touch with Hagedorn—and we can't rely on her to hold her tongue—we must make sure she doesn't get hold of any important information to pass on."

"Yes, rather," breathed Anne. "I've never trusted Doris. I've said so to mother many times. And mother doesn't like her either. But she does seem beautifully—and she is marvelous with mother's hair."

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Company Unions Are Scored As Means To Halt Labor Drive workers will in some cases be asked to sign away their rights under power-of-attorney, or otherwise. "This will legally hog-tie the worker."

MAUD, Okla., Mar. 15 (AP)—Oklahoma oil companies were criticized today by the state council of the International Oil Field, Gas Well and Refinery Workers of America for what the council said was an attempt to prevent a unionization drive by instituting company unions and "in some instances raise wages."

The council of the state union which is affiliated with John L. Lewis' Committee for Industrial Organization, announced a C.I.O. drive would get under way in Oklahoma soon.

In a prepared statement, released by C. H. Chaffin, secretary of the Seminole union local, the state council said: "The oil workers, a powerful C. I. O. group, condemn the effort of companies to force 'yellow-dog' contracts down unorganized men's throats. Such efforts are being made in an eleventh hour repentance move of companies who are accompanying such contracts with wage increases in many cases."

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Oh, what an awful looking car somebody has parked in front of our house! I think I'll call up the police. Darned outrage!

Oh, Joe! Come here quick! What is it?

Look at that perfectly marvelous car somebody has parked in front of our house! Gee, I hope people will think it's ours!

PA HAS BROUGHT YOU-SHIM IN FROM THE MID-WINTER TO STAY HERE AT THE HOTEL! SINCE HE'LL HAVE NOTHING TO DO HERE I THOUGHT YOU MIGHT USE HIM AS YOUR VALET.

AW-THANKS AWFULLY, OLD SWEET, BUT—

—THE HOTEL HAS PROVIDED A MOST COMPETENT CHAP FOR MY EXCLUSIVE USE! A COURTESY SHOWN ONLY THE MOST DISTINGUISHED GUESTS OF THE ESTABLISHMENT, I BELIEVE!

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WHY OH, I-I-ER- BY JOVE, I-I DO SEEM TO BE A BIT S-SLEEPY!

HOW SIMPLE AND NOW-IF HE CARRIES HIS LUCKY COIN ABOUT IN HIS POCKETS, IT SOON SHALL BE IN MY POSSESSION!

THANKS, BUDDIE— AND CALL ME RIGHT BACK IF I GAIN ANY MORE VOTES ON CUDDLES—

OH, BOY! I'M GONNA TELL POPS YA MIGHT BE TH' QUEEN O' TH' PROM YET!

WAIT, DOOLEY! DON'T GO IN THERE— DAD DOESN'T WANNA BE DISTUR—

I TOLD YOU NOT TO... YEAH... BUT WHY DIDN' YA TELL ME POPS WUZ MAKIN' OUT HIS INCOME TAX??!

SURPRISED IN THE ACT OF TAMPERING WITH SMILES' NEW PLANE, THE MYSTERIOUS PROWLER BREAKS FOR THE HANGAR DOOR, WHERE SCORCHY IS CONCEALED IN THE DARKNESS

SCORCHY! HE'S HEADIN' FOR THE DOOR!!

TRAPPED!

IF ANYBODY TRIES TO STOP ME NOW, I'LL --- !!

WATCH OUT, SCORCHY!— HE'S GOT A GUN!!

WELL, MR. QUICK, WE SURE OPENED THE HOOPEE WHOOPEE CLUB WITH A BANG DIDN'T WE? THESE AREN'T CIGAR COUPONS— THIS IS REAL MONEY!

AS I SAID TO YOU ONCE BEFORE, MR. HOOPEE, YOU OUGHTTA BE ON BROADWAY!

MEANWHILE AT THE PALACE HOTEL HOMER'S RIVAL, AL PHIPPS, IS RECEIVING A CONFIDENTIAL REPORT OF THE SITUATION...

THAT GUY'S HUNG ONE ON YA, AL, WITH THAT NIGHT CLUB! GETTIN' HIS HOTEL AWAY FROM HIM AINT GOIN TO BE ANY CHILD'S PLAY!

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# RITZ TODAY LAST TIMES

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STARTING TOMORROW

## VICTOR McLAGLEN Nancy STEELE

Water CONNOLLY Peter LORRE

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TUNE IN "CURBSTONE REPORTER" KBST 6:45

# LYRIC TODAY LAST TIMES



## WILL ROGERS 'DOCTOR BULL'

with LOUISE DRESSER VERA ALLEN MARIAN HAYMON

ADDED: PARAMOUNT NEWS "MICKEY'S CIRCUS"

STARTING TOMORROW "THE ACCUSING FINGER"

# Knox

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service staff. Knox left here when the camp was first abandoned by the CCC in December of 1935. He returned here the following year to take a post with WPA as a project supervisor on the high school beautification job.

His connections with WPA ended, he secured a position with Templeton & Cannon, contractors for the federal postoffice building in October as timekeeper.

**Forgery Complaint**  
According to a complaint filed with Justice of Peace Faucett Knox was alleged to have forged endorsements of men who formerly were employed by the company or who never worked for the company. As timekeeper, he had access to the check book. The complaint was filed on Jan. 13 and a warrant issued Jan. 22 after a 70th grand jury had returned a bill of indictment.

He disappeared from here early in January and had been object of a search since.

Knox took an active part in church work, and was especially well known in young people church circles.

Deputy Sheriff Andrew Merrick said Monday that the sheriff's department here would not ask for custody of Knox pending outcome of the investigation at Dallas. If no charges are filed there, he said, the department here likely will ask for Knox the latter part of this week. Knox is being held on the Howard county warrant charging forgery.

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## Good Fire Record Nets This City A Saving Of \$15,000

In a letter to E. B. Bethel, city fire marshal, Marvin Hall, state fire insurance commissioner, Monday estimated that the city's good fire record was saving policy holders \$14,792 this year.

He said that in 1935 only \$7,827.88 losses on premiums of \$61,870.41 had increased the credit from 12 per cent to 15 per cent. Losses of \$5,994.85 last year on premiums totaling \$59,209.93 earned a 5 per cent increase in credit.

Hall estimated that if Big Spring attained another 5 per cent credit this year (which would entitle the city to the maximum credit of 25 per cent) the saving would amount to \$4,311 to policy holders.

Bethel lauded merchants and fire insurance firms for their diligence in supporting fire prevention measures.

## PUBLIC RECORDS

**Building Permit**  
Henley Machine Shop at 101 Benton street, to repair damage done by fire Saturday, cost \$150.

**New Cars**  
S. C. Hull, Chevrolet sedan, Alvin Walker, Willys sedan, Dee F. Shield, Ford tudor, Morgan Martin, Dodge sedan, F. J. Howard, Ford tudor.

**Oil and Gas Assignment**  
Mettie Miller et al to Dr. G. T. Hall, the southwest quarter of section 44, section 31, township one north, T&P survey.

## BRITAIN BUILDING AIR RESERVE FORCE

LONDON, Mar. 15 (AP)—Great Britain is creating a new air reserve force as part of its huge rearmaments program, commons was informed today.

Sir Phillip Sassoon, undersecretary of air, in presenting royal force estimates for 1937 asserted that "a new volunteer reserve is being recruited with men straight from civil life."

"We hope to recruit more than 800 during the coming year."

He added that during the current year "we intend to train 1,175 pilots in the regular air force."

He admitted that difficulty of obtaining skilled labor was delaying the air construction program.

## MASON BOY'S STEER IS SHOW CHAMPION

PORT WORTH, Mar. 15 (AP)—The grand champion boys' club calf, shown Sunday by Byron Eckert of Mason, was named today as champion Hereford steer at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show.

Eckert competed against professional and college feeders.

Farm boys and girls rolled into Fort Worth meanwhile for 4-H club day.

L. L. Johnson, state boys club agent, estimated 15,000 children would be here if weather conditions were favorable.

Selection of the grand champion steer is to be announced after judging of individual classes of Herefords, shorthorns and Aberdeen Angus steers.

## JONES IN HOUSTON

HOUSTON, Mar. 15 (AP)—Jesse H. Jones, chairman of the reconstruction finance corporation, arrived here today from Washington for a visit of a few days at home. En route to his downtown office, Jones bought a pair of gloves and an overcoat. A cold north wind was blowing.

## DANCES TOO WELL, ELEANOR POWELL IS A 'WALLFLOWER'

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Mar. 15 (AP)—Eleanor Powell, the twin-toed star of movies, lamented today that she is "just a wallflower" when she goes to a party.

"Don't learn to dance too well, or you'll be a wallflower, too," she said.

"I think the male ego is responsible," she said. "On the dance floor, the man is the leader. His steps are your steps. But when he thinks of the tricky routines he sees on the screen he's not certain he can lead into anything like that."

"As a result, you can be dying for a nice, smooth waltz. And no one is man enough to try it with you."

## JACKSON DEFENDS COURT PLAN



Robert Jackson (above), assistant attorney general, reviewed for the judiciary committee in Washington, changes in the number of supreme court justices in the past. He warmly defended President Roosevelt's proposal to reorganize the court in the hearing before the committee. (Associated Press Photo)

## Marquette Coach OKLAHOMA JUSTICE'S FATHER SUCCUMBS

EL RENO, Okla., Mar. 15 (AP)—E. C. M. Phelps, 86, father of Justice James L. Phelps of the Oklahoma supreme court, died here today.

The body will be taken tomorrow to San Augustine, Texas, Phelps' former home, for burial services Wednesday afternoon.

Phelps came here 15 years ago from San Augustine.

Other survivors include three sons, Dr. Joseph T. Phelps, El Reno, Okla.; Thomas J. Phelps, Houston, Texas, and Charles W. Phelps, Fastrill, Texas, and four daughters, Mrs. Thomas Martin, and Mrs. Addie Kane of Port Arthur, Texas, Mrs. Mattie McDonald of Beattyville, Ky., and Mrs. J. M. Marshall of De Ridder, La.

## WIRELESS WEDDING HONOLULU, Mar. 15 (AP)—H. P. Sundstrom and Frances Yesker are Mr. and Mrs. Sundstrom today as a result of a unique wedding service conducted over wireless telephone between here and Pasadena, Calif. Two telephones, with loud speakers, and two ministers were used in the ceremony.

Fourteen-year-old children may wed legally in North Carolina if they receive their parents' consent.

## EDWARD REPORTED PLANNING TO MEET WALLY IN FRANCE

LONDON, Mar. 15 (AP)—The Duke of Windsor is planning a trip to France beginning next week to meet Mrs. Wallis Warfield Simpson, advices reaching London from a trustworthy Austrian source said today.

The informant said arrangements were being made for a reunion in or near Paris between the former King of England and the woman for whom he gave up the throne.

His trip, this source said, probably would be announced as a "three or four day Easter excursion" from the Emsfeld, Austria, estate of Baron Rotachid, his estate of Baron Rotachid, his estate of Baron Rotachid, his estate of Baron Rotachid.

## COUNTIES BID FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENT

AUSTIN, Mar. 15 (AP)—The highway commission heard requests of several counties for road improvements today, but took no action on most.

A delegation from Brown county, seeking a designation from Cross Plains to Brownwood and thence to Richland Springs, was informed the project, if possible, would be worked out with the works progress administration.

Other counties, applications included: Real, highway 4, Leaky North, construction; Ector, highway 51, Odessa south, designation; Dewitt, highway 19, Yorktown to Gillette, improvement; Liberty, highway 146, construction.

Representatives of the U. S. Highway 67 Association also appeared.

## PROFITS UP NEW YORK, Mar. 15 (AP)—Shell Oil Co. and subsidiaries reported for 1936 net profit of \$1,320,514, equal to \$4.42 a share, compared with \$2,955,849, or \$2.76 a share in 1935. Producing properties are in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, New Mexico and Arkansas.

Black-eyed peas and hog jowl is strictly a southern dish for New Year.

## FOR HERALD WANT ADS PHONE 728

# The Markets

### COTTON CLOSE

NEW YORK, Mar. 15 (AP)—Cotton futures closed very steady, 22 to 31 higher.

	Open	High	Low	Last
Mch.	14.66	14.69	14.48	14.69
May	14.12	14.27	14.10	14.25-26
July	13.95	14.00	13.89	13.99-14
Oct.	13.48	13.48	13.37	13.47-48
Dec.	13.40	13.40	13.27	13.37
Jan.	13.36	13.39	13.33	13.37

Spot steady; middling 14.55.

### NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, Mar. 15 (AP)—Cotton futures closed very steady at net advances of 25-33 points.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Mch.	14.31	14.51	14.45	14.54 1/2
May	14.00	14.20	14.00	14.19-20
July	13.86	13.95	13.75	13.94-95
Oct.	13.40	13.45	13.34	13.43-45
Dec.	13.40	13.45	13.35	13.45
Jan.	13.40	13.48	13.40	13.48

B-Bid.

### REPORT BURGLARIES AT SNYDER, S'WATER

Robbery of a Snyder filling station and burglary of at least two Sweetwater concerns was reported to officers here Monday.

The Snyder station robbery was reported Sunday night. Only slight loss in cigars and candy was recorded. Two men were said to have accomplished the robbery.

At Sweetwater, the Piggy Wiggy market lost approximately \$400 in cash and \$500 in checks when burglars blew a safe.

The Dewey Market at Sweetwater also reported losses from burglaries.

## ACTIVE STOCKS

NEW YORK, Mar. 15 (AP)—Sales, closing price and net change of the 15 most active stocks today:

Pierce Pet, 150,000, 1 1/2 up 1-4. Repub Stl, 41,200, 45 down 7-8. NY Cen, 35,300, 51 1/2 down 3-8. US Stl, 27,400, 121 down 1-3-4. Coty, 25,900, 9 1/2 up 3-8. Combust&Sou, 23,200, 3 no. Am Hide&Lea, 24,300, 10 5-8 down 3-8. Texas Gulf Prod, 23,700, 9 1-4 up 1-4. Yellow Trk, 23,700, 34 1-4 down 1-4. Arm III, 21,200, 12 5-8 up 3-8. Amal Leath, 19,600, 8 1-8 down 1-4. Gen Mot, 19,100, 65 3-8 down 1-4. Virg Car Chem, 18,700, 9 7-8 up 1-4. Anaconda, 16,200, 66 1-8 down 7-8. Am Ice, 16,100, 4 1-2 up 1-2.

## LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Mar. 15 (AP)—(US Dept Agr.)—Hogs 21,000; top 10.30; bulk good and choice 100-320 lb. 10.15-25; 150-180 lb. 9.50-10.00; sows 9.40-70.

Cattle 14,000, calves 1,500; top 14.50; odd lot choice to prime steers 15.00; most fed heifers 7.50-9.50; beef cows 6.00-7.50; weighty sausage bulls up to 6.60; selected vealers to 10.00.

Sheep 8,000; indications strong to unevenly higher or 12.75 up for strictly choice headweights; bulk small supply native ewes 6.50-7.25.

FORT WORTH, Mar. 15 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Hogs 1,700; top 9.85; paid by shippers; packer top 9.75; bulk good to choice 180-300 lb. 9.85-85; good 150-175 lbs. 8.40-55; butcher pigs 5.50-6.25; packing sows mostly 5.75.

Cattle 2,900; calves 900; few loads short fed steers 7.25-8.25; load good

Driver Abandons 1914 Model  
KENTON O. (UP)—D. E. Stokes closed the doors regretfully behind his 1914 model automobile. "She's about worn out," he said as he applied for a transfer of his license plates to a newer used car. He had bought 22 sets of license tags for the 1914 model.

Sheriff Calls Roll  
CLEVELAND (UP)—When Sheriff Martin O'Donnell told his army of deputies they'd have to answer roll call on time every morning he meant what he said. Three of them drew a week's suspension without pay for failure to report promptly.

There are 30,000 lakes in Florida. There are 5,737 golf courses in the United States.

Paul Revere, Patrick Henry and John Quincy Adams work for a grocery concern at Richmond, Va.

Fifteen unknown soldiers are buried in one grave at National cemetery, Hopewell, Va.

Out of 11 boys in the chemistry class at Kenbridge, Va., high school, six are named John.

Weight of letters handled by the postal service in the 1936 fiscal year averaged slightly over four-tenths of an ounce.

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It would be even more impractical for you to visit daily all these stores to find out what they have to offer and the price.

And yet you need those merchants' service quite as much as they need your patronage. Contact between seller and consumer is essential in the supplying of human needs. Before a sale can be closed the goods must be offered. Every day, through the advertising columns of this newspaper, the merchants of this city come to your home with their choicest wares. Easily, quickly, you get the news of all that is worth while in the market-places of the world.

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