

# TAX REMISSION PLAN VOTED BY THE SENATE

### Weinert's Proposal Evokes Sharp Debate; New Liquor Enforcement Statute Adopted By The House

AUSTIN, April 14 (AP)—The senate voted today to remit half of state property taxes for general fund purposes to Harris county for 10 years, then plunged into debate on a measure remitting all the state general fund levy to all counties for five years.

The general proposal, by Senator R. A. Weinert of Seguin, brought the charge from Senator Joe Hill of Henderson it was designed to "commemorate another scheme" to take taxes off the utilities, big property owners, and slap them on the little man.

The Weinert measure would authorize remission to counties only if they reduced their local property tax to effect a revenue reduction equivalent to one half of the money remitted by the state.

Recalling senate passage of a sales tax, Hill said adoption of the general remission bill would tax bread and meat of the people and remove the property tax for absentee landlords, big property owners, pipelines and other interests.

"You have met yourself at a legislative Waterloo," he shouted. "Pass this bill and you will completely reverse the taxing policy of this state."

Hill added the situation was made acute by "retreat of some members who had until lately stood firm against a sales tax." He was referring to some senators who once voted against the sales impost and later approved it on final passage.

"This tax remission looks fine for home consumption," he said. "You're supposed to represent the people but just who are you representing?"

In calling up his bill, Weinert pointed out some 40 counties now receive remission of state levies and asserted his proposal would remove discrimination.

"Harris county is the richest county in the state and if we can afford to give it state taxes why not treat all counties the same way," Weinert said.

Questioned by Sen. R. A. Lanning of Jackboro on how the state could replace the general fund loss resulting from tax remissions, Weinert answered with another question:

"How is the legislature going to replace the money it just gave to Harris county?"

Legislative enactment of the Weinert bill would remit approximately \$3,000,000 annually to the counties.

A bill designed to tighten liquor law enforcement meanwhile sailed through the house and now goes to the senate.

Rep. John J. Bell of Cuero, the bill's author, warned that a breakdown of enforcement threatened because of conflicting penalties in existing statutes. The bill would eliminate these conflicts and generally strengthen regulations.

No effort was made to attach an amendment legalizing sale of liquor by the drink in counties desiring.

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### RELIEF FUND BILL IS SIGNED BY FDR

WASHINGTON, April 14 (AP)—President Roosevelt signed today the measure making available an additional \$100,000,000 for relief.

The amount, recently approved by congress after a long controversy, was \$50,000,000 less than President Roosevelt originally had asked.

The request was cut by coalitions of republicans and economy-minded democrats.

The president said the reduction would force a cut in the number of work relief jobs.

Senate economy leaders claimed, however, that \$100,000,000 plus money which the WPA has already been granted would permit the agency to maintain its program without reductions.

### What Is Your News I. Q. ?

Each question counts 20; each part of a two-part question, 10. A score of 60 is fair, 80, good. Answers on editorial page.

1. This is part of the biggest cargo of gold sent to the U. S. Why was it shipped?

2. Who lunched on carrots and apples and ran five miles on his 22nd birthday?

3. How (a) Germany, (b) United States, or (c) Great Britain approved plans for building the world's mightiest battleships?

4. Whom did Jane Alice Peters marry?

5. What act ended Great Britain's "appeasement" and isolation policies in Europe?

# Soviet Lineup In Alliance Is Thought Near

### British, Russian Officials In Parley; Military Talks Planned

LONDON, April 14 (AP)—British efforts to bring Soviet Russia into a grand alliance against nazi-fascist expansion were reliably reported to have made good progress today after a long conference between Foreign Secretary Viscount Halifax and Soviet Ambassador Ivan Maisky.

This was the second development in Britain's efforts to put sharper teeth in her policy with France for European collective security against aggression.

The first, reliable reports said, was British pressure for military staff talks among Polish, Rumanian, Greek, French and British experts.

Maisky, seemingly pleased by the flat British-French guarantee yesterday to help Rumania defend her independence, asked for the conference with Lord Halifax.

After he left, a British spokesman said:

"There is no reason to believe that Russia may not join the alliance within the next few days."

The proposal for staff talks was said to be the first move in the general attempt to translate British-French guarantees of military aid to Poland, Rumania and Greece into terms of potential planes, soldiers and strategy.

Envoys of the guaranteed states have been told of Britain's desire to expedite detailed military arrangements, one well-informed source said.

Meanwhile, United States Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy called on Prime Minister Chamberlain, congratulating him on the declaration in the house of commons yesterday in which he extended the pledges to Greece and Rumania. The commitment to Poland was two weeks old.

Following the conference with Kennedy, Chamberlain and his wife left for the weekend at his country estate, Chequers. The prime minister's relaxation was broken a week ago by the Italian invasion of Albania.

The pledges to Greece and Rumania met angry receptions from fascists and nazis.

It was understood here that British envoys in Berlin and Rome had been instructed to take every opportunity to impress on Germany and Italy the seriousness of the new pledges. Some persons in the diplomatic quarter said they specifically feared Germany might think Britain bluffing and might try to test the declaration by attacking Poland—an action they asserted could only mean war.

British officials particularly were eager that Germany should note that Britain did not even give a guarantee so specific as the pledges now given to Rumania, Greece and Poland.

### TO DIE IN CHAIR

HUNTSVILLE, April 14 (AP)—Jesus Herrera, 48, Wilson county tenant farmer, will be electrocuted at midnight for slaying 11-year-old Hope Elizondo, La Vernia school girl, May, 1938.

The child was assaulted and slain on her way to school.

Herrera was originally scheduled to be executed March 16 and was granted a 30-day reprieve March 15.

### German Fleet On Maneuvers

BERLIN, April 14 (AP)—An official communique disclosed today 32 German fleet units, exclusive of auxiliaries, were to leave home ports for one month of foreign training off Spain, Portugal, Spanish Morocco and Tangier, Internationalized zone of Morocco.

The spring maneuvers, the communique said, would revive an "old tradition of the German navy—interrupted by the Spanish civil war."

The naval force will leave next Tuesday for Kiel and Wilhelmshaven bases, it was announced.

Reports that some vessels already had left Kiel and were en route today for a rendezvous off Spain's Atlantic coast were said to have resulted from "confusion" over status of the maneuvers.

The maneuvering force will include two battleships, two cruisers, six destroyers, 15 submarines and auxiliary craft.

Paris and London were said to have been advised of the maneuvers.

Plans for the exercises were carried forward while the naval press called Britain anew for her policy of guaranteeing eastern European nations against any aggression of the Rome-Berlin axis.

Commenting on yesterday's guard-

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# FDR PROMISES ECONOMIC PROTECTION FOR ALL NATIONS IN BOTH AMERICAS

### TWO HELD IN NARCOTIC RAID



Jack Colburn, left, a patrolman of the Kansas City police department, and Angelo Donnell, right, operator of a saloon in the shadow of the temporary federal building in Kansas City, are shown as they appeared before the United States commissioner there following their arrest with others in a federal roundup of narcotics ring suspects. Donnell was unofficially known as the "mayor of ninth street."

# Long Under Fire, City Manager Of Kan. City Resigns

### M'Elroy Says He Had Been Thinking Of Quitting 'For Months'; Gets Blame For City's Wide Open Crime

KANSAS CITY, April 14 (AP)—Henry F. McElroy, who resigned today as city manager in the midst of a federal-state vice crusade, propped his feet on an end table at home today and casually told reporters "I'd been thinking of resigning for months."

McElroy himself had not been mentioned in connection with the investigations of the federal grand jury which last Friday indicted his political sponsor, Democratic Boss T. J. Fendergast, on income tax evasion charges.

But his administration had been attacked bitterly for years. Fusion candidates in the last two city elections blamed him for "wide open crime." Wednesday the Kansas City Star demanded in a front page editorial "a fundamental change in attitude in the man at the top (McElroy)—or a change in the city manager." The Star said Police Director Otto F. Higgins, "only carries out orders."

Yesterday, Mayor Bryce B. Smith, normally only a figurehead in Kansas City's manager form of government, boldly announced:

"I have decided to step beyond the limitations of the city charter and take an active part in the administrative affairs of our municipal government."

"Kansas City is clean now, and it is going to stay clean."

Five hours later Smith disclosed McElroy's resignation to reporters. Kansas City has been in the national crime spotlight for years. There was the 1933 Union Station massacre of four officers and a gangster. There was the 1934 city election killing. There were gang murders.

The 1936 election frauds brought a federal grand jury investigation. More than 200 persons, including some Fendergast lieutenants, were convicted, pleaded guilty, or pleaded no defense.

This spring, federal and state investigators converged on the city.

### Petit Jurors To Be Summoned Thursday

A change in court plans Friday necessitated a change in the date for jury call for the initial week of April 20th district court, convening here Monday.

District Clerk Hugh Duberly said that petit jurors originally summoned for duty at 9 a. m. Tuesday would not be called until 9 a. m. Thursday.

District Judge Cecil Collins, who left Friday noon for Wink on business, said he anticipated a rather heavy docket for the second term of the year in Howard county.

Forty-three criminal complaints have been filed for action by the grand jury, District Attorney Martell McDonald announced. The number, a near record for the county, includes several complaints against a negro for radio burglaries.

### HEADQUARTERS FOR CITY AT WTCC SESSION ESTABLISHED

Big Spring headquarters for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention in Abilene May 18-19 have been established at the Wooten hotel in that city, Nat Shick, convention chairman, and J. H. Greene, chamber of commerce manager, announced here Friday.

The two spent Thursday in Abilene making advance arrangements for Big Spring delegations which will push this city's invitation to the regional chamber to hold its 1940 party here.

Greene made reservations for a dozen rooms and urged those who wish reservations at Abilene hotels to do so immediately or contact the chamber of commerce office.

In addition to Big Spring, Mineral Wells is actively seeking the 1940 gathering and El Paso has indicated a bid for the convention. Greene and Shick were hopeful of a record delegation from Big Spring to the Abilene meeting.

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# Berlin, Rome Charge U. S. Meddling

### Sharp Retorts Heard After Roosevelt's Pan-American Talk

BERLIN, April 14 (AP)—German government circles said President Roosevelt's address today before the Pan-American Union "clearly revealed him as the 'master wire-puller behind the anti-German encirclement policy.'"

Hejdemer Canning, the president's official Nazi retort to the president's Pan-American day speech in Washington indicated that sharp rejoinders probably would be made.

"To assert that the encirclement of a peaceful nation was impossible," they said, "was a negation of history."

"Before 1914 Germany was encircled through a Franco-Russian alliance behind her back while she was pursuing peaceful aims."

The German dissent apparently was in answer to a passage in which the president said:

"... There is no such thing as encircling, or threatening, or imprisoning any peaceful nation by other peaceful nations."

ROME, April 14 (AP)—Fascists charged today President Roosevelt's address was new evidence of what one called "provocative meddling" of the United States in Europe.

In reply to it they cited Monday's editorial assertion by Virginia Gayda, who often reflects Premier Mussolini's mind, that if the United States did not stop "interference, Italy and Germany would mix in the affairs of the United States."

PARIS, April 14 (AP)—Sources close to the French government said today they considered President Roosevelt's declaration that the new world could help Europe avoid war to be an avowal of support for French-British efforts to halt aggression by collective security pacts.

Foreign ministry officials heard a re-broadcast of the speech and the cabinet ordered the speech and an extensive translation be carried by all state-owned French stations.

### Jas. M. Slattery Named To Lewis' Seat In Senate

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 14 (AP)—Henry Horner today appointed Senator James M. Slattery of the Illinois commerce commission to the United States senate to succeed the late James Hamilton Lewis.

Slattery, 60-year-old Chicago attorney, has been a close personal and political friend of the governor for a quarter century. He managed the 1936 and 1938 campaigns of Governor Horner's democratic organization in Cook county.

The senatorial appointment is effective immediately and for the period until the general election in November, 1940. Then Illinois will elect a senator to complete Senator Lewis' term ending in 1942. Lewis died suddenly Sunday in Washington.

### FLORIDA CANAL FUND FAVORED

WASHINGTON, April 14 (AP)—The house rivers and harbors committee approved today a bill by Chairman Mansfield (D-Tex.) to authorize completion of the \$200,000,000 Florida ship canal.

Representative Green (D-Fla.) said the vote was 10 to 6.

The Mansfield bill would authorize appropriations from time to time to complete the controversial waterway project.

The measure was based upon a favorable report in 1937 by the former chief of army engineers, Maj-Gen. Edward M. Markham.

The president, under the bill's provisions, would be asked to determine before the canal is completed whether tolls should be levied on transiting ships.

Mr. Roosevelt had suggested these charges as a means of paying off the construction costs.

Green said Mansfield promised to take necessary steps to obtain a house vote on the bill soon.

### ASSESSED FIVE YEARS

BOERNE, April 14 (AP)—J. T. Halbert of Crystal City was given five years in the penitentiary yesterday by a jury which tried him for slaying the Rev. B. C. Holloway at the Halbert residence last September.

Halbert pleaded self defense.

# NEW CONDEMNATION OF AGGRESSION IS VOICED IN TALK

### Lets The Old World Know That This Hemisphere Will Defend Its Peace

WASHINGTON, April 14 (AP)—President Roosevelt pledged the nation's economic support today to any Pan-American country whose freedom is threatened by "economic pressure" from abroad.

Condemning aggression as "ridiculous" and "criminal," Mr. Roosevelt extended this government's promise of protection for the Western Hemisphere, already given for military attack, to inroads through business and commerce.

On annual Pan-American Day, the president gave the old world a "living message" from the new world of a "will to peace" which "will have a voice in determining the order of world affairs."

Mr. Roosevelt spoke to the governing board of the Pan-American Union in the marble Pan-American building. Without naming the aggressor nations or their dictators, but referring to statements recently made by Hitler and Mussolini, the chief executive stressed the ties binding Europe and the Americas.

His words, as if a reply to advocates of American isolation, were: "The American family of nations may also rightfully claim, now, to speak to the rest of the world. We have an interest, wider than that of the mere defense of our sea-ringed continent. We know now that the development of the next generation will so narrow the oceans separating us from the old world, that our customs and our actions are necessarily involved with hers."

"Beyond question, within a few scant years air fleets will cross the ocean as easily as today they crossed the closed European seas. Economic functioning of the world becomes increasingly a unit; no interruption of it anywhere can fall, in the future, to disrupt economic life everywhere."

"The past generation in Pan-American matters was concerned with constructing the principles and the mechanisms through which this hemisphere would work together. But the next generation will be concerned with the methods by which the new world can live together with the old."

"The issue is really whether our civilization is to be dragged into the tragic vortex of unending militarism punctuated by periodic wars, or whether we shall be able to maintain the ideal of peace, individuality and civilization as the fabric of our lives. We have the right to say that there shall not be an organization of world affairs which permits us no choice but to turn our countries into barracks, unless we are to be vassals of some conquering empire."

"The truest defense of the peace of our hemisphere must always lie in the strength of our own character."

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### PILOT IS KILLED AS PLANE CRASHES

SHREVEPORT, La., April 14 (AP)—Second Lieut. Coale Frow Smith, 23, Barkdale Field reserve pilot, was killed last night when his speedy fighting plane crashed near Alden Bridge, 15 miles north of the air base.

Authorities said the plane, a single seater Curtiss P-36-A of the type which recently was dived by a Barkdale Pilot at a speed estimated by officers to have been more than 600 miles per hour, crashed head-on into the base of a tree, exploding into flames.

It was estimated the stubby little combat plane was traveling at about 200 miles per hour when it struck the tree in a glide.

### SCHOOL TAX OFFICE MOVING TO CAMPUS

Saturday will be moving day for the Big Spring Independent School district tax office.

The office, which has been located in the downtown area for more than a decade since becoming a separate tax collecting unit, will be removed from the old city hall to the new administrative building on the northwest corner of the high school campus.

### Weather

WEST TEXAS—Mostly cloudy tonight and Saturday, occasional showers in southeast portion; cooler in extreme north portion tonight and in north portion Saturday.

EAST TEXAS—Cloudy, local showers tonight and Saturday; cooler in extreme northwest portion Saturday.

### Temperatures

	Thurs.	Fri.
	p.m.	a.m.
1	77	65
2	79	65
3	79	65
4	80	67
5	79	67
6	73	65
7	73	65
8	73	65
9	71	70
10	69	72
11	68	74
12	67	77

Sunset today 7:15 p. m.; sunrise Saturday 6:17 a. m.

### Airline Group Calls Strike

NEWARK, N. J., April 14 (AP)—Striking mechanics of the Eastern Air Lines picketed at two of the nation's busiest airports today but line officials reported all flights were heavily loaded and holding to schedules despite the walkout which started at 11:01 p. m. CST.

A. F. Martin, president of the Air Line Mechanics Association, International, an independent union, said 88 per cent of the line's first two shifts of mechanical workers at the Newark, Washington, Atlanta, Ga., and Miami, Fla., airports had joined the strike for higher wages and other demands.

Captain Eddie Rickenbacker, president and general manager of the line, estimated 82 of the line's 250-odd maintenance men had walked out on the midnight shift and said strikers were replaced by mechanics from the company's overhaul shops at Miami.

Martin said specific figures would be available when the union learned what action the 4 p. m. shift takes in the strike—the first system-wide one in commercial aviation history.

Rickenbacker said negotiations had reached an impasse over the matter of wages, declaring, "I can't see what I could, but would not give any more."

He declined to reveal the employees' demands or his offer.

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SOCIETY CLUB ACTIVITIES

THE WORLD OF WOMEN

FASHIONS ORGANIZATIONS

Mrs. Carl Strom Is Hostess At Affair

Spring Garden Flowers Decorate Country Club At Thursday Afternoon Luncheon-Bridge

Using old-fashioned garden flowers, the ballroom of the Country Club was changed into a flower garden Thursday when Mrs. Carl Strom entertained with a one o'clock luncheon-bridge.

Tables, pink and yellow hals were used as set cups and pastel-colored napkins were marked with the name of the hostess.

CALENDAR Of Tomorrow's Meetings

Saturday 1800 HYPERION CLUB will meet at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Omar Pittman, 1411 Runnels.

ALLEGRO MUSIC CLUB will meet at 10:30 o'clock with Jean McDowell, 1210 Scurry.

Reaper Class Honors Mrs. T. N. Culwell On Birthday

Mrs. W. L. Calloway and Mrs. T. P. Musgrove were hostesses to the Reaper Sunday school class of the East 4th Baptist church when members met for a monthly social in the Musgrove home.

Flowers Decorate Home Of Mrs. M. Stewart At Harmony Club Meet

Pansies, poppies, cornflowers and calandulas decorated the rooms when Mrs. Merle Stewart entertained the Harmony club in her home Thursday.

Mrs. H. W. Smith won high score and Mrs. Seaman Smith received low score. Mrs. E. E. Clay and Mrs. Boyd McDaniell received cut prizes and Mrs. Walter Wilson binged.

The hostess served a salad and sweet course and members present were Mrs. Clay, Mrs. Ben Cole, Mrs. Hugh Duberly, Mrs. McDaniell, Mrs. Seaman Smith, Mrs. H. W. Smith, Mrs. Herbert Whitney and Mrs. Wilson.

Royal Neighbors Plan Trip To Monahans

Making plans for the team to go to Monahans April 22 to put on drill work, members of Royal Neighbors met Thursday at the W. O. W. hall.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Claude Wright and her committee and attending were Mrs. E. W. Burleson, Mrs. J. P. Byers, Mrs. W. L. Busbee, Mrs. Don Mason, Mrs. W. M. Gage, Mrs. Roy Wilson, Mrs. R. J. Barton, Mrs. J. S. Nabors, Mrs. Frank Early, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Shalby Hall, Mrs. Rupert Hallbrook, Mrs. Hershall Petty, Miss Oeal Wilson and Miss Margaret Cooper.

Stanton Study Club Has Bible Day Program

STANTON, April 14 (Sp1)—Mrs. Jim Tom was hostess Thursday afternoon to members and guests of the Stanton Study club for a Bible Day program.

In the business session, a nominating committee was appointed by the president consisting of Mrs. J. E. Kelly, Mrs. Poe Woodard and Miss Maude Alexander. Mrs. Poe Woodard was elected by the club as delegate to the Eighth District convention which is to be held in Fort Stockton April 24, 25 and 26.

A new study for next year was discussed by the club, and will be voted on at the next meeting. As a feature of the Bible day program, Mrs. Woodard reviewed Lin Yutang's "The Importance of Living." Facts about the life of the author were given by Mrs. Paul Jones.

Those present were Mrs. Floyd Smith, Mrs. Fillmore Epley, Mrs. Edmund Tom, Mrs. J. E. Kelly, Mrs. Guy Elland, Mrs. Charles Slaughter, Mrs. M. E. Thompson, Mrs. Calvin Jones, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Woodard, Mrs. Tom, Miss Maude Alexander, and one guest, Mrs. Larry Cloutier.

Cactus Rebekahs Plan Hobo Party For April 28th

Planning a "hobo" party for April 28th and having team practice for initiation of seven candidates to be held next Thursday, members of Cactus Rebekah lodge met Thursday at the Settles hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Madison of Sweetwater were honor guests. Mr. Madison is Grand Master and Mrs. Madison is president of the West Texas Rebekah and Odd Fellow association No. 2.

The "hobo" party is to start behind the Busy Bee cafe in the alley and all members are to come appropriately dressed and will be fined if they do not comply with the ruling. The group will go from there to the east viaduct. The party is for Rebekahs, Odd Fellows and their friends.

Attending were Mrs. Cassa Gentry, Mrs. Nora Guley, Mrs. Anna-bell House, Mrs. Gracie Lee Greenwood, Mrs. Mabel Hall, Mrs. Pearl Hair, Mrs. Marjory Neal, Mrs. Minnie Dyer, Mrs. Carrie Rippe, Mrs. Mamie Lovelady, Mrs. Annie Wilson, Mrs. Maude Jackson, Mrs. Lucy Simmons, Mrs. Willie Nellie, Mrs. Rama Long, Mrs. Rosalie Gilliland, Mrs. Lovie Barlow, Mrs. Lillie Opal Sides, Mrs. Vera Walker, Mrs. Maude Wood, Mrs. Mildred Anderson, Mrs. Artie Kinman, Mrs. Gladys Judd, Floyd Judd, Orville Walker, L. L. Guley.

Guests were Mrs. M. Madison and Dora Madison of Sweetwater, Mrs. Maggie Richardson and A. Richardson, all of local lodge No. 284.

Forsan Study Club Has Discussion On Education

FORSAN, April 14 (Sp1)—"Education" was the topic of discussion when the Study club met in the music room of the high school Tuesday with Mrs. W. E. Dunn as leader.

The motto for the day was "A boy is better unborn than untaught." Mrs. Lois O'Harr Smith spoke on the subject of "A Child and His Money" and "Training Children for Citizenship" was discussed by Mrs. George Johnson. Mrs. Ira Lee Watkins told how a child learns by imitation.

Plans were discussed to send delegates to the Fort Stockton convention for Federated club women. Members present included Mrs. Lloyd Burkhardt, Mrs. Ira Lee Watkins, Mrs. L. L. Martin, Mrs. Harvey Smith, Mrs. W. K. Scudday, Mrs. Paul Johnson, Mrs. Bill Conger, Jr., Mrs. W. E. Dunn, Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. R. L. Carpenter, Mrs. J. D. Leonard and Mrs. Cleo Wilson.

Beta Sigma Phi Holds Waffle Supper In Zafanotis Home

For a waffle supper and game party, members of Beta Sigma Phi sorority met Thursday evening in the home of Anne Zafanotis.

Fortunes were told and various games played. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. William Dehlinger, Mrs. H. D. Zafanotis and Patsy Zafanotis.

Attending were Mrs. E. R. Whaley, Clarinda Mary Sanders, Dorothy Le Fovee, Maxine Reigold, La Fern Dehlinger, Jimmie Goldman, Betty Pat Barker, Anne Zafanotis, Marguerite Alderson, Mary Burns, and Evelyn Merrill.

Mrs. Hare Entertains For Daughter Thursday

Mrs. Leo Hare entertained her daughter, Nita Caris, with a party in her home Thursday on her birthday anniversary.

Outdoor games were played and appetizers taken of the group. Cake and ice cream were served to Eddie Mack Dyer, Jan Burns, Jimmy Clayborne, Joy Wilson, Joe B. Howell, C. L. Girdner, Jean Reynolds, and Obie Jean Hare.

Assisting were Mrs. Ligo Brothers and Mrs. B. A. Riggs. Others attending were Mrs. Howell, Mrs. Girdner, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Dyer, Mrs. Clayborne, and Mrs. Reynolds.

RUBINOFF IN ABILENE SATURDAY



Dave Rubinoff, and his violin, comes to West Texas this weekend, appearing in the Hardin-Simmons university auditorium at 8:15 Saturday evening. Above Rubinoff is seen with his famous Stradivarius violin, which is insured for \$100,000. The noted violinist, star of radio and screen, will be accompanied by the famed piano team, Fray and Braggiotti.

Who's Who In The News

Mrs. W. W. Grant and daughter, Euna Lee, have returned from San Francisco, Calif., where they attended the world's fair and visited with Mrs. Grant's daughter-in-law, who has been ill. They report they enjoyed the fair very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson and son, Wallace, will spend Sunday in Snyder with her mother, Mrs. J. P. Whitmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Ford of Amarillo, parents of Mrs. W. J. Seabourne, returned Thursday to their home after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Seabourne.

W. N. Crosthwait of Abilene was a business visitor here Thursday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee. Mr. Lee left Friday for Roscoe on business.

Mrs. E. W. Currie, who has been in Dallas this week, is expected to return this weekend.

Mrs. D. Wolfe after a two-week stay in Dallas has returned home. Mr. and Mrs. E. Richardson, who have been visiting in Kemp and Houston, are expected to return this weekend.

Miss Jewell Barton is spending her vacation in Central and South Texas points, including Austin and Bertram. She will return in about two weeks.

Mrs. Doll Hatch returned Wednesday evening from Pasadena, Calif., where she has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Robb, for several weeks. Her son, Ebb Hatch, and wife, remained in California for a longer stay.

Mrs. Ed Studer returned Wednesday evening from Odessa where she spent several days with her husband, Ed Studer.

Tel-U Club Meets With Mrs. Dee Davis Here

Mrs. John Griffin was included as the only guest when Mrs. Dee

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How To Win Friends: Don't Play Bridge If You Don't Know How

By MARY WHALEY Did you ever watch a game of concentrated bridge? You know where the players sit tense, surrounded with crushed-out cigarettes and the air electric with the battle of mind against mind. I played in a game like that—once.

In the middle of getting set or setting someone else, I thought of a good story and interrupted with "I heard a good one the other day—" But that is as far as I got. The bulging eyes of my opponents and the shocked surprise of my partner cut me short and I sank in my chair and buried my face in the cards. Since that day I just sit on the side lines. "It's better that way," murmur my friends who have played with me.

However, once I spent a weekend on a ranch and it rained all the time I was there. I was the fourth person barring the third

help and the others had no choice. Toward Sunday when it was time to go, they were helping me pack my bag and were quite sure the roads wouldn't be too bad to start right away.

Since then others have tried to insist that I play and that they don't mind playing bridge with a novice but I'm considerate and thoughtful and have refused every time. "Just give me a good book," I reply. When we leave everyone is happy. They still think I should have played and I know. I was smart not to have attempted it.

Maybe I have the wrong attitude of life but it comes under my classification of how to win friends and how not to influence them concerning my bridge playing.

Four Guests Are Included At What-Not Club

Mrs. Carl Madison of Kermit, Mrs. W. S. Satterwhite, Mrs. D. W. Weber and Miss Cleo Lane were included as guests when Mrs. Robert Satterwhite entertained the What-Not club in her home with a bridge party.

Mrs. W. S. Satterwhite had high score for guests and Mrs. Phil Smith had high score for members. Mrs. Weber binged and Mrs. Lonnie Coker had low score for club members.

Springtime was the motif carried out in the decorations and refreshments and others present were Mrs. Andy Anderson and Mrs. W. J. Seabourne.

Club Members Meet For Luncheon-Bridge Here

For a no-hostess luncheon and bridge, members of the club formerly known as Siemper Fidelis met recently at the Colonial Hostess Room with Mrs. Harry Adams in charge of arrangements.

Spring decorations were used and high score was won by Mrs. Jim Chapman, Mrs. M. Parker binged. Mrs. Raymond Noah of Monahans was included as the out-of-town guest. Other guests were Mrs. J. E. Brigham, Mrs. J. E. Burnam, Mrs. Bob Lee, and Mrs. Carl Mercer.

Others present were Mrs. William Dehlinger, Mrs. Frank Pierston, Mrs. Charles Landers, Mrs. Harry Adams, and Mrs. L. N. Milton. The group will meet again on May 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Grimes Are Parents Of Son

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Grimes, residing at Couden camp, at Malone & Hogan Clinic-Hospital Wednesday afternoon, a son. Mother and son are doing nicely.

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# France Puts Spaniards In Legion

PARIS, April 14 (AP)—France, preparing against the chance the new collective security in Europe may not avert war, today started taking Spanish republican fighting men from concentration camps into the famed French Foreign Legion.

Only 200 of the 220,000 warrior refugees were authorized to serve in the legion out of the tens of thousands who applied but officials termed them "the first contingent."

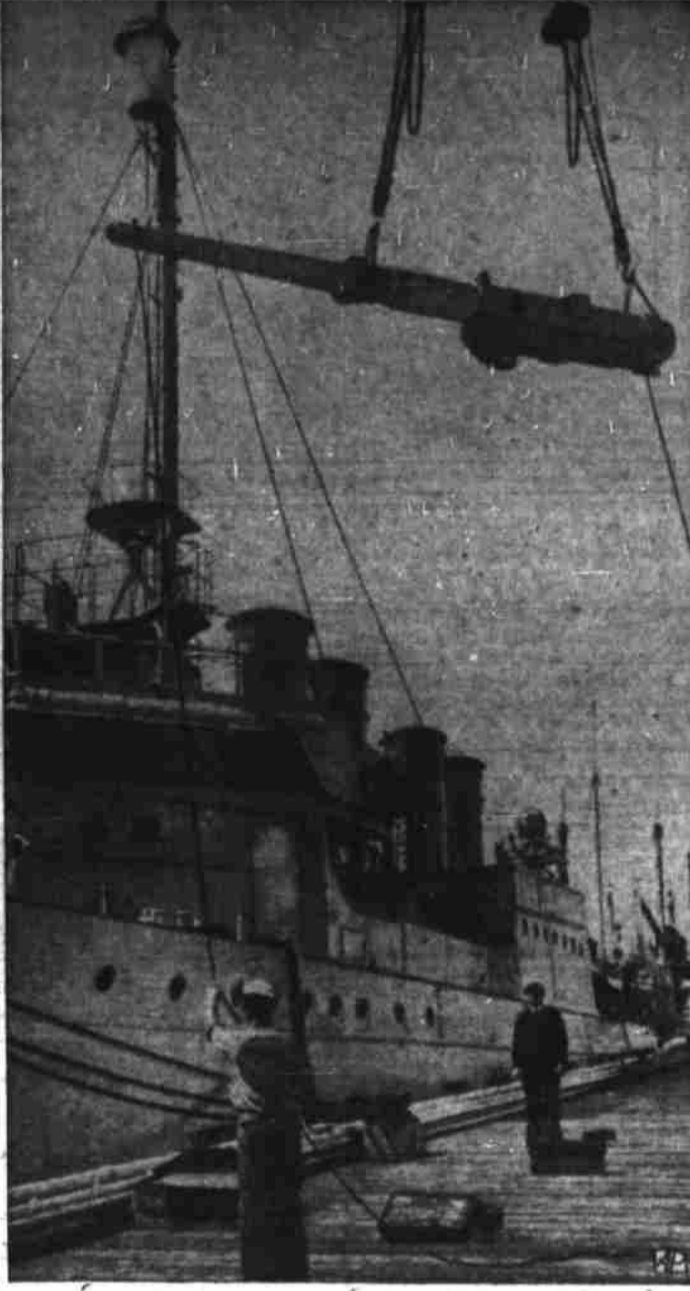
The enlistment move was interpreted in many quarters as a warning that if Italy did not take her troops out of Spain, France would arm masses of the veteran Spanish militiamen.

Having guaranteed protection to Poland, Rumania and Greece against any aggression—a move construed as the strongest warning yet to the Rome-Berlin axis—France made quiet preparations for the worst.

Police patrols went from door to door in Paris, posting directions for quick evacuation of Paris by railroad and highway.

Simultaneously with incorporation of the first unit of Spanish militiamen in the Foreign Legion, Marshal Henri Petain headed back to his post as ambassador to Nationalist Spain, after giving Premier Daladier a report on Italian troops and Italian-German influence there.

He was reported taking back Daladier's message to Generalissimo Franco that unless the Italian troops go home France not only would keep Spanish republican gold and war material now in her custody but would draw further on the "lost cause" army within her borders.



**WORLD WAR VINTAGE** destroyers which were to have been scrapped are now being reconditioned at the navy base in San Diego, Cal., getting new torpedo tubes and new guns such as this 5.5-inch being swung aboard. The 49 destroyers, each weighing 1,500 tons, are being overhauled for possible emergency service at a cost of \$1,000,000. Their top speed is 35 knots.

## KBST Extending Broadcast Time

Sunday morning KBST inaugurates a new broadcast schedule which is to be effective in the future. On Sundays the "sign-on" time will be 8:30 a. m. and continuing until "sign-off" time at 10 p. m. Beginning Monday morning the weekday broadcast schedule will be from 7 in the morning until 10 in the evening.

This increase in broadcast hours will enable KBST to offer its listeners an added variety of programs.

The Sunday morning additions will include: 8:30—"Friendly Chats" with W. Lee O'Daniel; 9—"Neighbors" with Blanchard Meese; 9:45—"Hillbilly Swing"; 10—"Dick Harding"; and 10:15—a program from Northwestern University.

## RICHBERG HOPEFUL MEXICO OIL DEAL WILL BE SETTLED

CLEVELAND, April 14 (AP)—Donald R. Richberg, former NRA administrator, expressed "faith" today an agreement on compensation for expropriated properties will be reached between oil companies and the Mexican government.

Richberg, counsel for Standard Oil Co., and British oil interests in conferences with the Mexican government, reviewed the discussions in a speech before the National Petroleum association.

"x x x I prefer to be classed as one of God's fools who, believes faith, combined with mental energy, will move mountains," Richberg said.

The former economic counselor to the government defended the United States "good neighbor" policy against criticism that "it embodied vigorous support of the rights of American citizens in Latin-America."

"Our faith must be reciprocated and among good neighbors established principles of good conduct and fair dealing must be equally respected," he said.

Richberg declared he left Mexico not because of a failure in negotiations, but to argue a case at Washington. He asserted "influential persons" are anxious to prevent an agreement on the controversy.

"Since returning to Washington," he said, "I have found it necessary to combat in various ways the private and public activities of those whom I can only describe as influential persons, in and outside the United States, who are exceedingly anxious to prevent an amicable settlement of controversies with Mexico. Such persons desire to augment discord between the citizens and governments of the countries."

"Without expressing any optimism as to future developments, it is fair to say recent discussions with President Cardenas were all carried on in an atmosphere of friendliness, candor and patient tolerance on differing opinions which seems to offer the only hope of arriving at a solution of permanent benefit to all concerned."

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# Development Of Texas Ore Is Studied

LONGVIEW, April 14 (AP)—Nineteen members of a committee of East Texas business and industrial leaders met here today to study possibilities of natural gas reduction of vast deposits of iron ore in several East Texas counties.

Hubert M. Harrison, general manager of the East Texas chamber of commerce, under whose auspices the meeting was called, said the committee was a fact-finding body and a full report would be made soon. Any actual ore development would be left to private enterprise, he said.

Julian D. Madaras, research engineer of Detroit and Henry Loeb, all of Toledo, were here to address the committee. Madaras has perfected a new smelting process, utilizing natural gas, which he asserts requires but one-fourth of the fuel needed in coke blast furnaces, one-fourth the capital outlay, and less maintenance expense.

The chamber announced today O. H. Crismon of Longview would serve as chairman of the ore committee, other members of which include J. K. Wadley, Texarkana; J. E. Laffler, Dallas; H. A. Ferstein, Beaumont; Charles Cobb III, Marshall; W. S. Hanley, Tyler; Walter N. Ford, Houston; D. W. Harris, Shreveport, La.

## Big Crowds At Revival

Crowds are growing nightly at the First Baptist church revival, Thursday night's attendance being more than twice that of Tuesday night when the evangelist, Rev. Hyman Appelmann, delivered his first sermon. After a stirring appeal on the subject of "For Christ's Sake," more than 200 walked down the aisle, Thursday night to the altar, placed their hands on the Jew's Bible to pledge themselves to win a soul for Christ during the campaign.

Friday morning the Jew preached on "Compassion," the Word That Brought Jesus From Heaven. The morning services at 10 a. m., are record-breaking in their attendance. Tonight at the 8 o'clock hour, Appelmann will speak on "The Most Terrible Fact in All the World."

There will be regular services on Saturday, at 10 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Saturday morning the sermon is to be, "The Paralytic of Big Spring." Saturday night the subject is "Did the Jews Crucify Jesus?"

Sunday is to be a red letter day in the church and in the revival. A goal of 600 in attendance has been set for the Sunday school which opens at 9:45 a. m. with a good class, an excellent teacher, a warm welcome for all who come. The Jew will preach at 11 a. m. on "Sin and Salvation." At 2:30 p. m. Sunday there is to be a giant rally at which time the evangelist will tell the story of his life and conversion "From a Jewish Lawyer to a Baptist Preacher." Sunday night the sermon subject is "God's Answer to Man's Sin."

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## Native Russian Has Only Praise For America

Rev. Hyman Appelmann, who is conducting the First Baptist revival here, was the principal speaker before the Thursday session of Big Spring Kiwanians at Crawford hotel. The evangelist, born in Russia, praised America as "the grandest place on the globe."

"I love America even more than you American-born people do," he said. "I say this because I know some of the other countries and their conditions. First I love God, then America."

L. A. Kubanks spoke briefly on "Fair Trade," comparing merchandising tactics of the past with those of today, and explaining how legitimate business would always be head and shoulders above the hallyhood type.

Club guests included H. S. Fatheree and S. E. Pass, Abilene; Frank A. Pelee and H. D. Moore, Amber, Penn., and J. C. Fields, San Angelo.

## Junior College Assn. In Session

FORT WORTH, April 14 (AP)—Nursing as a profession is being chosen by more and more junior college graduates, Miss Dora Mathis, director of John Sealy college of nursing, Galveston, declared today in the concluding session of the Texas Junior College association convention here.

Previously, L. A. Woods, of Austin, state superintendent of public instruction, had described the place of the junior college in the educational program of Texas.

The convention, attended by about 200, closed at noon. It was to be followed at 2 p. m. by the opening of the larger association of Texas colleges meeting. About 150 additional were expected for the junior and senior colleges gathering.

Features of the meetings will be a banquet at 7 p. m. Friday, when brief talks will be made by four new college presidents: Dr. Clifford B. Jones, Texas Technological; Dr. Gordon G. Singleton, Mary Hardin-Baylor; Dr. W. H. Etkina, San Angelo college, and Dr. Wm. Phreay Lee, Southern Methodist University.

**FOSTER BOND**  
D. D. Chambers, returned here from Corpus Christi by Carl Mercer, constable, posted \$300 bond on a bogus check charge Friday and was released.

## Tell Of Fatal Train Wreck

MEXICO CITY, April 14 (AP)—Survivors of a rear-end collision of two National Railway passenger trains 140 miles north of here in which at least 60 persons were injured and 20 killed, reached here today with accounts of the disaster.

A second class wooden car was telescoped by a heavy steel coach. Mr. H. W. Mathies of Modesto, Calif., who was not injured, said they were on the train from Guadalajara which plowed into the rear of the Laredo-Mexico City train near Queretaro early yesterday.

"By the light of fires built beside the track, I counted 17 or 18 dead," said Mathies, an employee of the Southern Pacific Railway. "They were still taking out the injured as we left."

The railroad issued a statement saying 18 lives were lost, but newspapers generally reported 22 or more died, all Mexicans.

Theodore Schultz, formerly of San Francisco, now head of an automobile agency at Guadalajara, was on the train.

"No Americans were killed or injured on either train so far as I could learn," he said.

R. L. Velarde, Pullman conductor on the Laredo train, said there was but one American on his train, W. R. Koch, of Dallas, Tex., who was uninjured.

## Public Records

**Building Permits**  
Mrs. John Notestine to repair glassed-in porch at 416 Main street, cost \$50.

Mrs. Marie Weeg to hang a sign at 1306 Scurry street, cost \$125.

Consepcion Lujan to build a small structure on N. W. Fifth street, cost \$150.

**Marriage License**  
Bert Shive and Hattie Belle Mullens of Big Spring.

**In the County Court**  
Hansen Glove corporation versus Victor Mellinger, doing business as Mellinger's Men Store, suit on account.

**New Cars**  
F. L. Fugh, Ford tutor.

W. W. Allen, Odessa, Oldsmobile dealer.

# AT THE CHURCHES

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN**  
T. H. Graessmann, Pastor  
9:45—Sunday school  
10:30—Morning service. The topic of the sermon will be "Thomas' Unbelief Concerning Christ's Resurrection."  
There will be no services on April 23.

**CHURCHES**  
**FIRST BAPTIST**  
Dr. C. E. Lancaster, Pastor  
Church school meets by departments at 9:45 o'clock. Worship sat 11 a. m. will be broadcast with the Rev. Hyman Appelmann occupying the pulpit. The Rev. Appelmann will also talk at 2:30 o'clock on "From Jewish Lawyer to a Baptist Preacher." Evening worship is to be at 8 p. m. All are invited to worship with us.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**  
D. F. McConnell, D.D., Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 11 a. m. Subject, "A Successful Church."  
Evening Worship, 8 p. m. Subject, "From Glory to Glory."  
Young People's Vespers, 7 p. m. Catherine McDaniel, leader.  
A cordial invitation to all to worship with us.

**ST. THOMAS CATHOLIC**  
506 N. Main  
Sunday, April 16, Holy mass, 10 a. m. Rosary and benediction, 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. F. Dwan, pastor. Sacred Heart (Mexican).  
N. Ayjford and N. W. 8th. Holy Mass, 8:30 a. m.

**FIRST METHODIST**  
Corner Fourth & Scurry  
J. O. Haymes, Pastor  
Church School 9:40 a. m.  
Morning Worship 10:30. The pastor's message will be on the subject "Which Is the Best Church." The young people will meet at 6:45.  
Evening services at 7:45. The pastor will preach on "Experimenting With Life."  
A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES**  
"Doctrine of Atonement" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 16.  
The Golden Text is: "We also joy in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom we have now received the atonement" (Romans 5:11).  
Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Fear not, for I know that ye seek Jesus, which was crucified. He is not here; for he is risen, as he said" (Matthew 28:5, 6).  
The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Our Master fully and finally demonstrated divine Science in His victory over death and the grave" (page 45).

**WESLEY MEMORIAL**  
E. 12th and Owen  
Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
Preaching, 11 a. m.  
Evening worship, 7:45 p. m.  
W. M. S. Monday, 2:30 p. m.  
Ansil Lynn, Pastor.

**MAIN ST. CHURCH OF GOD**  
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Robert E. Bowden, Minister  
We enjoyed a grand Easter service last Sunday, for which we give thanks. All services at the usual hour Sunday. Sunday school, 10 o'clock morning worship, 11 o'clock. Young People's hour at 7:15 and the evening service under the direction of Wm. A. Bixler, a chalk talk artist. Rev. and Mrs. Bixler will furnish their own music, and will give an unusual service. He will draw pictures and talk as he draws. The young people and children will enjoy the special service too. Our mid-week prayer meeting each Wednesday night is interesting and inspirational. You will find a Christian welcome at all these services. Something to think about—How do you think your life will stand the storms of life if it must stand on the kind of foundation you are building NOW?

**FIRST CHRISTIAN**  
Fifth and Scurry  
G. C. Schurman, Pastor  
9:45—Bible school  
10:45—Morning worship. Sermon by pastor. Anthem by choir.  
8—Evening gospel service. Sermon by pastor.  
9—Young people's vespers and social hour.

**Good Progress In Revival Meeting Of Assembly Of God**  
Growth in attendance and interest at the revival meeting conducted at the Assembly of God, West Fourth and Lancaster streets, is reported by the minister, Rev. Homer Sheats. "Rev. N. W. Webb's heart-stirring messages are proving a blessing to many," he said, "and the hymns sung by Rev. and Mrs. Webb also are of great spiritual value."  
The public is invited to attend the services. Sermon topics of Rev. Webb include: Friday night, "Divine Healing"; Saturday evening, "Believing All Things Which Is Written in Law and in the Prophets"; Sunday evening, "Four Kinds of Religion"; Monday evening, "Lays Religion."

**MORE FARM CHECKS**  
Five checks totaling little more than \$300 were received by the county AAA office Friday for distribution to farmers qualifying for conservation and soil building programs.  
The payments brought the total received to date on conservation practices to \$284,000. Approximately 200 payments are outstanding. M. Weaver, adjustment assistant, esti-



**A TOUCH OF NERVES** bothered Mary Martin when she saw her mother (left) in the first row, the slim star of a Broadway comedy, "Leave It to Me," admitted after a recent performance. Mrs. Martin came from Weatherford, Tex., to see the show for the first time and watch Mary do a partial strip-tease while singing her hit song, "My Heart Belongs to Daddy."

## Mussolini's Son-In-Law Regarded As The Likely Viceroy To Albania

ROME, April 14 (AP)—The Italian cabinet today formally approved King Vittorio Emanuele's acceptance of the crown of Albania.

Provision was made for appointment of a lieutenant-general—perhaps Premier Mussolini's son-in-law, Count Galeazzo Ciano—as viceroy at Tirana. Ciano is foreign minister.

If Ciano were named viceroy it was reported the Italian ambassador to London, Count Dino Grandi, would succeed Ciano in the foreign ministry, a portfolio Grandi formerly held.

Ciano has made two flying trips to Albania since that little mountain kingdom was invaded by Italian troops a week ago.

The cabinet ministers approved the draft of a law to make Vittorio Emanuele sovereign of Albania as well as king of Italy and emperor of Ethiopia.

The chamber of fates and guilds and the senate will hold a special session tomorrow to adopt the law which it was expected would be voted by acclamation.

A declaration of Albania's notables is expected to arrive in Rome by airplane Sunday to present the crown formally to the king.

It was announced Count Ciano would make "an important speech" in the chamber session tomorrow.

Fascists expected him to discuss the events of recent days and waited expectantly for a possible disclosure of Italian foreign policy in the light of reaction abroad to the Albania conquest.

**TONSILS REMOVED**  
John Notestine, 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Notestine, 1504 Johnson street, underwent a tonsillectomy and adenoidectomy Friday morning at the Hall & Bennett Clinic.

A. C. Wilkerson, 806 East North Third street, had his tonsils removed at the Hall & Bennett Clinic Friday morning.

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# Elliott Quits Hearst Radio Network

FORT WORTH, April 14 (AP)—Elliott Roosevelt, in a letter addressed to the four remaining stations in the chain, today tendered his resignation as president and director of Hearst Radio, Incorporated. The resignation is effective tomorrow.

Roosevelt's first connection with Hearst was in 1933 when he became aviation editor for the newspaper and magazine properties of the publisher. In 1935 Hearst purchased four stations in the network of the Southwest Broadcasting company, WACO, Waco; KNOV, Austin; KTSA, San Antonio, and KOMA, Oklahoma City, and Roosevelt was made vice-president of the newly-formed Hearst Radio, Incorporated.

KEHE, Los Angeles, and KYA, San Francisco, later were added to the network and these stations also were placed under Roosevelt's supervision. In January, 1938, he was named president of the entire chain which then included WCAZ, Pittsburgh; WISN, Milwaukee; WBAL, Baltimore, and WINS, New York City, in addition to the six mentioned.

The network gradually has been reduced in member stations in recent months and now lists only stations WBAL, WCAE, KNOV, and KTSA.

Roosevelt said pressure of other business made it necessary for him to sever his connection with the Hearst network.

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 8:45 Texas in the World News. TSN.  
 9:00 Half and Half.  
 9:15 Say It With Music.  
 9:30 Jilted Jingles.  
 9:35 Sport Spotlight. TSN.  
 9:45 Easy Swing. TSN.  
 10:00 Jack Free's Orch.  
 10:15 Flute Fete.  
 10:30 Ogden Wash. MBS.  
 10:35 Peter Quill. MBS.  
 10:40 Will Osborn's Orch. MBS.  
 10:50 Goodnight.  
 Saturday Morning  
 7:00 News. TSN.  
 7:15 Morning Roundup. TSN.  
 8:00 Devotional.  
 8:15 Monte Magee. TSN.  
 8:30 Swinging The Fiddle. TSN.  
 8:45 Morning Hymns. TSN.  
 9:00 News. TSN.  
 9:15 Let's Go Shopping.  
 9:30 Abilene Christian College. TSN.  
 9:45 Rosemary Hall. MBS.  
 10:00 Young Artist Club. MBS.  
 10:30 Variety Program.  
 10:45 Sunday School Lesson.  
 11:15 Joschin Gill's Orch. MBS.  
 11:30 Golden Harp. TSN.  
 11:45 Men of the Range. TSN.  
 Saturday Afternoon  
 12:00 News. TSN.  
 12:15 Curstons Reporter.  
 12:30 Bernie Cummings' Orch. MBS.  
 12:45 Radio Garden Club. MBS.  
 1:00 News. TSN.  
 1:05 Palmer House Orch. MBS.  
 1:15 Hitmaker's Orch. MBS.  
 1:30 Intercollegiate Debaters. MBS.  
 2:00 From London Music Hall. MBS.  
 2:30 Sketches In Ivory.  
 2:45 Moods In Music. MBS.  
 3:30 To Be Announced. MBS.  
 4:00 News. TSN.  
 4:05 Military Band.  
 4:15 Sammy Kaye. MBS.

8:30 Kiddies Revue.  
 Saturday Evening  
 8:00 Bob Crosby. MBS.  
 8:30 Gene Irwin's Orch. MBS.  
 8:45 Highlights in the World News. TSN.  
 9:00 Bernie Cummings' Orch. MBS.  
 9:15 Say It With Music.  
 9:30 Sport Spotlights. TSN.  
 9:45 Especially For You.  
 10:00 Sagi Vela. MBS.  
 10:30 Fiesta Time. MBS.  
 10:45 Sons Of The Pioneers. MBS.  
 11:15 Hollywood Whispers. MBS.  
 11:30 Max Bentley. TSN.  
 11:45 Symphonic Strings. MBS.  
 12:00 Goodnight.

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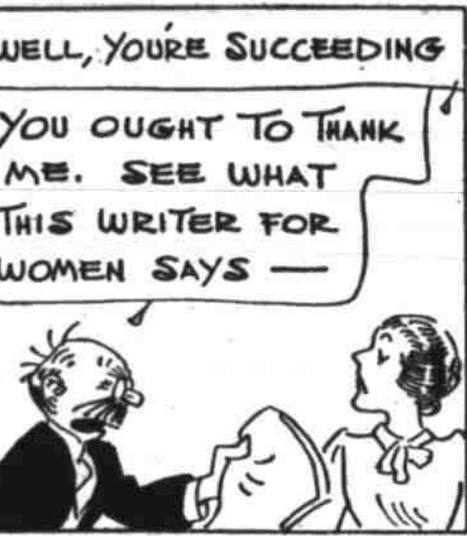
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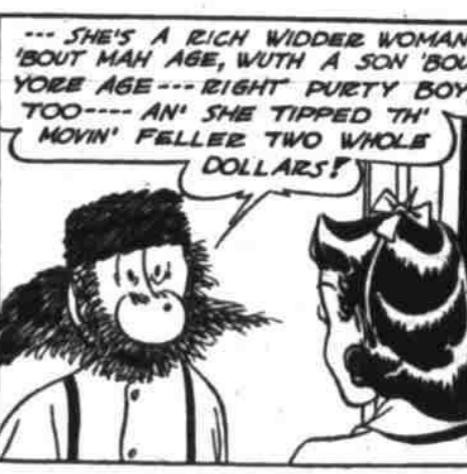


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# BARONS BEGIN EXHIBITION SCHEDULE WITH TEXON SATURDAY

## The Sports Parade

By HANK HART

Good Graves, a Big Spring high school footballer of several seasons back, returned from Brownwood Thursday singing the praises of what he termed "the greatest Howard Payne football team in several years."

Good did not attend school the past semester but participated in the spring drills under Jack Keaton, who will be eligible next September. He's a guard.

According to the local boy, the Jackets will have them three deep at every position this fall, should, with ACC, scrap for the Texas Conference crown.

The Brownwood team's offense is built around James Minor, a lightweight Tahoka speedster, a leading candidate for Little-America honors. Another back to follow, says Good, is Jack Hext, a former Dallas Tech wonder.

Keaton had scheduled a game with Fresno State of California but a conflict in dates with the East Texas Teachers game caused a cancellation.

Up in Canyon Al Baggett has probably his greatest West Texas Teachers' team in spring training. The Buffaloes have recently been admitted into the Alamo Conference. Don't be surprised if Baggett's team goes undefeated.

Trying for a guard berth on that Canyon team is another Big Spring youth, Warren Lockhart, who was a member of the school's most powerful freshman team in history last fall. He's picked up about 30 pounds since he played here under George Bown three years ago.

For a time last year Warren aspired to go into professional baseball, worked out under Charley Barnabe, but lost out due to lack of experience.

Like the Howard Payne offense Canyon's attack will be largely built around one man—Foster Watkins. Watty was one of the nation's best passers last fall.

THE SUSPENSION OF TEMPLE HIGH SCHOOL FROM THE INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE FOR THE 1939 SEASON IS OF MORE INTEREST TO BIG SPRING THAN THE AVERAGE FAN THINKS. WATCH FOR DEVELOPMENTS CONCERNING THE LOCAL SCHOOLS' SCHEDULE AS A RESULT OF THE DECISION HANDED DOWN BY THE STATE COMMITTEE.

The local baseball pilot, Tony Rego, was born in Honolulu, Hawaii, spent the first 16 years of his life in the islands.

Rebellion in the ranks! Pilot Rego has suddenly been faced with an outbreak of hostilities "twixt those boys whose sentiments are with the "south" and the youngsters loyal to the Yankee country. It's all in good fun, however. Billy Capps, the Comanche, Okla., boy who sometimes entertains with his

## McCarvey And Hilger Gain Victories

DALLAS, April 14 (AP)—Fourteen Texas pugilists await the bell which will send them into the finals of the Southwestern AAU tournament here tonight.

In second round fights last night Carl Hilger, state Golden Gloves middleweight titlist of the Dallas Athletic club, knocked out Oscar Williams of Brownwood in the main event.

Four other knockouts and four technical knockouts were tallied.

Buddy Cole of Dallas knocked out Victor Perez, Waco flyweight, in the second round Wayne Penn, Fort Worth featherweight, took the measure of Jimmy Wilson of Tyler in the first round.

Clive Blackwell of Amarillo fell before the knockout blows of T. B. Stanford, state Golden Gloves bantamweight titlist from Fort Worth, in the first stanza.

Other results included: Lightweight — Allen McCarvey, Dallas, defeated Ted Johnson, Amarillo Franklin Mills, Waco, scored a second round technical knockout over Bowen Branson, Fort Worth.

## Scribes Say Yankees Are 'Sure Thing'

NEW YORK, April 14 (AP)—If you're looking for a "sure thing" the major league baseball writers give you the New York Yankees to win the American League pennant. In fact, the writers believe all the teams will finish right where they did last year.

Of 90 scribes voting in the 13th annual Associated Press poll, 78 picked the world champions to finish first for the fourth consecutive time and the other 12 saw them in second.

The writers showed almost as much unanimity in naming the Boston Red Sox as the next best team in the league. Two foresaw them nudging out the Yanks and 66 figured they would see up second.

In fact, the most concern among scribes was whether Detroit or Cleveland would take third and whether Washington or Chicago would finish fifth. The consensus was Cleveland third and Detroit fourth.

Washington was a strong choice for fifth but the White Sox got a wider range of votes—being picked everywhere from third to eighth. The St. Louis Browns also found a friend who cast a vote for third.

For any readers who came this far looking for a surprise, there were 32 writers who more or less consistently picked the Philadelphia Athletics to finish out of the cellar. Of course there were 58 others who again handed the Athletics an anchor.

## Longhorns Mow Down Ponies

By the Associated Press  
The Texas Christian University Horned Frogs attempted today to halt the University of Texas Longhorns' stampede toward another Southwest Conference baseball championship.

The Steers moved to Fort Worth after trampling the Southern Methodist University Mustangs at Dallas yesterday, 6-2, for their fourth straight conference victory.

The Texas Aggies clashed at Houston with Rice Institute in another conference game today.

There were 2,374 airports and landing fields in the United States on January 1, 1939.

## Dixie Swartz Slated To Be Hill Choice

REGO TO TAKE ONLY 4 PITCHERS; TEAMS RETURN HERE SUNDAY

Dixie 'Adolph' Swartz, a bespectacled righthander, was slated to get the opening mound call as the Big Spring Barons line up for their first exhibition game of the season Saturday afternoon in Texon against that city's strong Permain Basin league entry.

Swartz is probably in better shape than any of the flingers in Tony Rego's camp at the present time, having worked under Jess Orrorff of the National Baseball School in Los Angeles before coming to Big Spring.

Manager Rego announced Friday that he would take no more than four pitchers to Texon. Others who will probably make the trip are Marvin Keller, Frank Jacot and either A. J. Walker or Clarence Trantham. Both Jacot and Walker may see plenty of service against the Texon club since their southpaw slants may be effective against the powerful Oilers, most of whom bat from the left side of the plate.

The Barons drills gained momentum Thursday afternoon with Rego giving his charges a thorough playing test. High winds handicapped the work but the players remained on the field until about 3:30 o'clock.

Big Spring fans will get their first look at the Barons in competition when they return Sunday for an afternoon fracas with the Texonites.

Probable lineups: BIG SPRING—Quigley or Boyd, rf. Decker, 2b. Capps, 3b. Stacey, m. Arnold, lf. Hughtman, lb. Hobson, ss. Bob Farmer, Bernard or Rego, c. Swartz, p. TEXON—Brown, ss. McCloud, m. McMellier, lf. Kosei, 2b. Hutto, lb. Mays, 3b. Gentry, rf. Ritter or Ward, p.

## Texan Beaten In Frisco Go

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14 (AP)—Thirty-two survivors of blistering elimination rounds battle for America's greatest amateur boxing event tonight in semi-finals and finals of the National A.A.U. championships.

Champions will be crowned in the eight weight divisions. Two of three defending champions still were on hand and most of the favorites came through as expected.

Tonight's gladiators are what's left of an entry list of 182, representing 80 cities in 26 states and Hawaii. Billy Speary of Philadelphia, bantamweight champion the past two years and a smooth and clever boxer, kept in the running with a technical knockout over Eddie Yasul of Honolulu, national junior titleholder in 1937, in the third round.

Fast exhibitions were turned in by the flyweights. Little Nick Trujillo of Denver, hammered out a decision over Tommy Olivari of San Antonio, Texas, with cleaner and stronger punching, and John Forte of Philadelphia knocked out Nick De Posta of Stockton, Calif., in the first round with a left hook.

The South's pig crop increased from approximately 13,000,000 head in 1929 to 16,000,000 in 1938.

## Doug Jones Is Low At Sweetwater 4 Big Spring Golfers In Title Flight

Bristow, Morgan And Robbins Qualify With Medalist

SWEETWATER, April 14—Playing with an injured left hand that had threatened to keep him out of competition and had handicapped his practice, Big Spring's Doug Jones combatted a high wind to take medalist honors in the Sweetwater invitational golf tournament with a three over par 78 here Thursday as four Big Spring stick welders shoved their way into the championship flight.

E. C. Nix, Colorado, had a 78 Sunday but qualifiers prior to Thursday were not allowed to compete for medalist honors.

Other Big Springers firing their way into the top flight with Jones were Obie Bristow, who had a 79, Frank Morgan, who came in with an 86 and Shirley Robbins, who finished with a 79.

Jones' first round opponent in his Friday morning match was to be E. S. Stewart, Post, who came in with a first round 82. Bristow was slated to meet Jack Patton, Sweetwater, Morgan, Jodie Bihl, Lubbock, and Robbins, Red Boat, Abilene.

J. T. Hammett, San Antonio, who defeated Jones in last year's final round, finished with a first round 82 and was to meet Nix.

Dan Hudson, Big Spring, posting a first round 96, was to meet Denton Beall, Sweetwater, in a fourth round flight play.

Championship pairings: Championship Flight—E. C. Nix, Colorado, 75, vs. J. T. Hammett, San Antonio, 82. Joe Pritchett, Colorado, 78, vs. Obie Bristow, Big Spring, 79, vs. Red Boat, Abilene, 85. Alfred Holton, Lubbock, 81, vs. C. E. Hundley, Post, 85. R. L. Lacy, 81, vs. Red Watkins, Abilene, 87. Bob Farmer, Odessa, 80, vs. Paul Comello, 85. R. G. Moulder, San Angelo, 79, vs. Alton Pope, Mineral Wells, 84. J. C. Southworth, 76, vs. Billy Coffey, Fort Worth, 82. Doug Jones, Big Spring, 78, vs. E. S. Stewart, Post, 82. Obie Bristow, Big Spring, 79, vs. Jack Patton, 83. M. O. Borling, Odessa, 80, vs. Jerry Crosswell, Abilene, 85. Jack Stoneham, Abilene, 81, vs. J. Williamson, Lubbock, 86. Bill Thurmond, San Angelo, 81, vs. A. H. Hoardridge, Mineral Wells, 87. Jodie Bihl, Lubbock, 80, vs. Frank Morgan, Big Spring, 86. W. Wilcox, Abilene, 78, vs. Cecil Young, Mineral Wells, 85. James Dixon, Crowley, 77, vs. John Bihl, Abilene, 83.

## STANDINGS TEXAS LEAGUE

Results Yesterday  
Fort Worth 5, Dallas 2.  
Tulsa 4, Oklahoma City 2.  
San Antonio 4, Shreveport 2 (12 innings).  
Beaumont at Houston, rain.

Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Tulsa	1	0	1.000
Beaumont	1	0	1.000
Shreveport	1	1	.500
Fort Worth	1	1	.500
Dallas	1	1	.500
San Antonio	1	1	.500
Houston	0	1	.000
Oklahoma City	0	1	.000

Probable Pitchers:  
At San Antonio: Shreveport, Dickson; San Antonio, Wagener.  
At Beaumont: Houston, Dickson; Beaumont, Stitt.  
At Oklahoma City: Tulsa, Max Thomas; Oklahoma City, Brillheart.  
At Dallas: Fort Worth, Yoeke; Dallas, Demoran.

## BOSTON BRUINS WIN THIRD OVER TORONTO

TORONTO, April 14 (AP)—It was an elated squad of Boston Bruins which trooped homeward today hoping to conclude their Stanley Cup hockey playoffs Sunday with a fourth victory over the Toronto Maple Leafs.

The Bruins left Boston Monday depressed by the fact they had only split even in two games on their home ice and would be at a disadvantage playing away.

The National league champions then proved their ability by sweeping both games in Toronto, the second by a 2-0 score last night.

## CLEAR WAY FOR REGIONAL TRACK AND FIELD GAMES IN DISTRICT MEETS SATURDAY; HOUSE IN STRONG BID FOR SWEETWATER NET TITLE

### Dallas Runner May Establish New Mile Mark

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF Associated Press

Thousands of young fellows ambitious to write records with spiked shoes race through the quarter-final round of Texas schoolboy track and field this weekend.

District meets will be finished up, cutting the field to 1,500 youngsters who go to the regional tournaments next week.

The flying feet of such stars as Grady Tuler of Claude, Ralph Schrimpf of Highland Park (Dallas), Doug Calley of Brady, Ray Hilton of South Park (Beaumont), and G. D. Hopper of Brackbridge (San Antonio) and mighty heaves by T. A. Weems of Rockdale and Bill Barry of Yaleta are beating a steady trail toward state records.

Schrimpf, hailed as the season's premier miler, already has run the distance in 4 minutes 37.5 seconds, and his coach, Floyd Hightower, predicts he will hang up a new mark at Austin when the state meet is held May 5 and 6.

Calley has a 51-second quarter mile. He was state champion in this event last season.

Tyler shows 8.8 seconds in the 100-yard dash. Hilton has a time of 2:05.3 in the half mile. Hopper has a high jump mark of 6 feet 1 7/8 inches. Weems has shaved the shot 81 feet 9 inches and hurled the discus 143 feet 11 1/2 inches, while Barry has pitched the javelin 187 feet 1 inch.

Other good marks are 9.9 in the hundred by Jack Cooley of Kaufman, 22.1 in the 220-yard dash by Frank Farris of North Dallas, 25.7 in the 220-yard low hurdles by Jerry Blair of Beaumont, 22 feet in the broad jump by Tyler, 11 feet 4 inches in the pole vault by Angus Youngblood of Port Neches and 49 feet 1 inch by Al Boatman of (Dallas) in the shot put. The Brady relay team has a mark of 3:11.

Schrimpf will have plenty of trouble in the mile as indicated by the time made by Fred Bartlett of Port Arthur in the district meet. Bartlett ran the distance in 4:37.8.

There are 32 districts, more than half of which are to hold meets this week. The first four place winners in each event in the district tournaments go to the regional meets. The first four places from there go to the state meet, which draws over 350 entries.

The state Class B meet will be at Denton May 5 and 6. More than 600 athletes will compete there.

## Temple Ousted

AUSTIN, April 14 (AP)—Temple high school today faced a year without football or basketball, following a ruling by the interscholastic league executive committee that the school was guilty of "recruiting" and "unauthorized control" of athletes.

The decision, handed down yesterday, was on complaint of Holland high school, a league member, which filed a formal protest February 7, alleging Temple had broken league regulations on "recruiting" players and "supervision."

Charges the Wildcats had violated the "amateur" rule and had induced a Holland basketball player to enroll at Temple were dismissed.

The suspension will apply only to football and basketball participation, league officials pointed out.

TEMPLE, April 14 (AP)—We have been made a victim of circumstances," Coach Les Cranfill of Temple high school said after the State Interscholastic league executive committee suspended Temple football and basketball teams for a year.

Cranfill called the action a "great injustice."

Other officials did not comment on the suspension.

Temple's football team last fall was a semi-finalist in the state championship play-offs.

Also ruled ineligible for interscholastic football or basketball games next year were nine members of Temple grid and cage squads: Pat Stephenson, Herbert McKinley, Raymond Simms, Emory Roper, E. N. Hairston, Charles Skelton, Melborn Deavers, Charles Goode and Leo Lewis.

The penalty inflicted on Temple is a drastic one seldom employed by the league. It means Temple cannot meet any school in the league in basketball or football games next year. Under terms of the ruling, Temple's suspension will be continued unless certain conditions are remedied.

The committee found Temple's athletic organization "not administered and controlled during the current year by the superintendent of schools as league rules prescribe."

The ruling said it found an athletic council composed of school officials, the coach and townspeople supervised Temple's athletic teams, and also cited an unpaid balance of \$300 in tuition of 13 football and basketball transfers on the Temple athletic roster as a further breach of league rules.

In the league's report also frowned on long trips for school teams and suggested a specific rule to correct the practice.

Gilbertville, Ky., is the site for one of ten dams in the Tennessee Valley Authority system.

## Singles Star Holds Victory Over Sivley

Coach Wayne Matthews and the Big Spring high school tennis team left Thursday afternoon for Sweetwater where first round play in the District Five interscholastic league meet was scheduled to begin this morning.

Accompanying Matthews were Marvin House, Jr., expected to make a strong bid in boys' singles play, Jack Woods and Hollis Bowen, boys' doubles team, and Roe Taylor, who will enter into girls' singles competition.

House is an outstanding threat for the title won last year by Jo-Jo Elrod, Sweetwater. Elrod is back this season but is entered only in doubles play. Billy Gibbs is weakening the Sweetwater colors in singles competition.

Early Victory  
Gibbs defeated House in the finals of the Abilene high school invitational tournament several weeks ago but the local boy has improved steadily since. Rufus Sivley, Abilene, is also an outstanding threat for the championship honors. House holds an early season victory over the Abilenean.

Alton Bostick is expected to be Big Spring's only entry in the track and field games, which get under way Saturday. Bostick will enter the broad jump.

Snyder's well-balanced team rules as an outstanding favorite to gain team honors.

Champions of nine counties and athletes of three independent schools are eligible to send representatives to the games.

Forsan, which won team honors in the Howard county meet several weeks ago, will send only Hollis Parker, broad jumping specialist.

Two other Howard county schools, Coahoma and Garner, are expected to supply only representatives in the tennis meet. Leidon Dunn, boys' singles player, and Barham Frasier and Kathleen Sullivan, girls' doubles team, will represent Coahoma while Bonnie Lee Smith is a singles' entry from Garner.

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## "How Does Gehrig Look?" Question Most Frequently Asked In Baseball

By GAYLE TALBOT  
NEW YORK, April 14 (AP)—The question most frequently asked of a correspondent just returned from the baseball training camps might surprise you. In the last week I've been asked 30 times: "How does Gehrig look?"

A few want to know if the Cincinnati Reds really have the stuff to win the National league, to which the invariable answer is yes, providing their pitching lives up to promise. But most of the fans ask after the old "Iron Horse" and with mixed feelings.

The Yankee supporters inquire hopefully, because many of them never saw the three-time champions play with anyone except Lou on first base and, because they honestly dread the day when he must step down for a younger man.

The others—those who never have liked the Yanks much, anyway, and would like to see their strange-hold on baseball broken—ask because they see in Lou's eventual retirement the beginning of the end for the bombers.

To both camps the answer is Gehrig, approaching 36, has slowed up dreadfully and has been

brooding for a month over his inability to hit, but he will be on first base next week and will remain there unless Manager Joe McCarthy absolutely has to take him out.

McCarthy, though he would deny it instantly, is a sentimental Irishman. He will be a sad man the day he doesn't write Gehrig's name on the slip he hands to the head umpire.

Nothing but an injury to Gehrig or a collapse of the Yankees such as is difficult to imagine will get Lou out of the line-up this year. McCarthy will keep him in there as long as the club is in the race, though he doesn't hit over .350 and fields only the balls that are hit right down his gullet.

McCarthy can afford to be sentimental, or so it seems. The champions have an embarrassment of hitting, and anything Gehrig does along that line will be so much gravy. They have in Joe Gordon a great second baseman, a kid who can go so far to his left and come up with the ball that few spectators will ever realize he's helping Gehrig with the chores.

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ANOTHER HEARING ON OIL PRORATION

In view of some statements being made by Jerry Sadler, newest member of the Texas railroad commission, agent of the oil proration situation, it behooves West Texans to look to their interests at the April 17 commission hearing.

Mr. Sadler, evidently not quite satisfied yet as to the field allowable he and a fellow commissioner, Lon A. Smith, fixed for the current month, is calling now for "expert advice, information and testimony" at the next hearing.

It is up to West Texas to see that this does not happen, and to let Commissioners Sadler and Smith know that West Texas as long as it is given a just proportion of production and anything like a fair "break" in commission rulings, will continue to do its part in orderly development of oil resources.

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Screaming For Their Supper; These Girls Finds It Pays To Yell, In A Radio Studio



CHARLOTTE MANSON, MADELEINE PIERCE, ALICE RINEHEART

By JACK STEINNETT, AP Feature Service Writer. NEW YORK—Almost all women scream but only a few make a living out of it. These aren't women who just out loose under the inspiration of temperament or threat of physical harm, either. They scream to order. Their radio's professional screamers and at a moment's notice they can come through with anything from a newborn baby's whimper to the jungle-shattering screech of a maiden about to be embraced by a boss constrictor.

NEWS I. Q. ANSWERS: 1. The \$56,000,000 gold cargo carried by the liner Manhattan from Europe to New York was termed "refugee gold" because owners sought safety from war scares.

PLAINVIEW BOYS VISIT KAS. CITY L'STOCK MARKET: KANSAS CITY, April 14 (AP)—A day of sight-seeing and inspection of Kansas City's livestock market by the 40-member Plainview, Tex., calf club was climaxed here last night with a dinner as guests of the Kansas City Stock Yards company and the Kansas City live stock exchange.

GULCH GOES SISSY: GRANTS PASS, Ore., April 14 (AP)—When motorists complained they couldn't locate Panther Gulch, residents of Williams, Ore., were mystified. Then they discovered the road sign had been altered to read "Pantle Gulch."

FIREMAN KEPT BUSY AT HIS OWN HOME: NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 14 (AP) City Fireman J. P. Chestnut was off duty, at home, when a fire broke out there. He did the natural thing, called the fire department.

TRAINER INJURED, ACT CONTINUES: PORTLAND, Ore., April 14 (AP)—A lion trainer completely continued with his act before a breathless circus audience tonight after a lion had sunk his teeth six times in the man's left leg.

PICKPOCKETS BUSY: SCRANTON, Pa., April 14 (AP)—Two persons, listening to Dale Carnegie tell how to influence people, were relieved of \$151 last night by pickpockets.

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On The Record The Herald's Serial Story Old Home Week Murder

By Dorothy Thompson, By Phoebe Atwood Taylor

(Miss Thompson's column is published as an informational and news feature. Her views are personal and are not to be construed as necessarily reflecting the editorial opinion of The Herald.—Editor's Note).

THE FACTS OF LIFE—II. A large part of the tactics of the Nazi-Fascist revolution has been taken from the communists. The immensely greater effectiveness of the Nazi revolution lies in a great improvement of those tactics; in the deceptive pretense that Nazism is a protector of private property, and in its greater appeal, therefore, to the more influential classes; in the much greater organizational and commercial power of the Nazi-Fascist countries, particularly of Germany and Japan; and in the more menacing armed forces, together with immensely greater willingness to use it.

The political and economic aspects of this revolution were designed by the Nazis, not by their collaborators. The reason why Italian Fascism was tolerated for years by the world was because their weapons had not yet been designed.

The Nazi Reich claims sovereignty over everybody of German blood anywhere in the world. It asks from all people of German blood an allegiance prior to the allegiance which they give to any country of which they are the citizens. This is not merely something that one suspects. It is something substantiated by actual decrees of the Third Reich respecting Germans living abroad, and backed up by a special organization for that purpose.

Those who wish to familiarize themselves with the decrees—and all Americans should do so—should purchase the English translations of some of them which are available in book form.

Nazi activities outside Germany are consolidated under the official direction of the foreign division of the National Socialist party. Just as all Germany is divided into Gaus, or districts, each with a leader, so there is a "Gau Ausland," or foreign division, whose leader, Ernst Wilhelm Bohle, is a member of the German foreign office and shares jurisdiction over all members of the German foreign service wherever they may be in the world.

All German diplomatic and consular representatives are, therefore, not only representatives of Germany, as a state, but are representatives of the Nazi Fascist revolution.

This official German organization, an instrument of the state and the party, has gathered into its ranks all pre-existing organizations.

This organization does not confine its activities to German citizens living in other countries, but reaches out to all "racial comrades."

The headquarters of this foreign political division of the Nazi revolution is in Stuttgart. From there contacts are established with people of German origin and with Nazi sympathizers throughout the earth.

From these immense amounts of printed propaganda invade all countries, including the United States. Pro-Nazi organizations, and in particular the German-American Bund in this country, take their "general line" of policy from this headquarters.

Furthermore, all other agencies of the German government—the Student Exchange Service, the Academic Exchange Service, lecture bureaus, travel organizations, commercial offices, and the diplomatic and consular corps—are enlisted for the purpose of establishing in this country and elsewhere a group of German racial comrades and their sympathizers, whose primary loyalty is to the Third Reich.

On April 20, 1937, the "Deutsche Wissenschafts Erziehung und Volksbildung," a publication devoted to German science, issued the following decree from the minister of science and education:

"Every scientist, etc., who has made a lecture tour or study trip abroad, must submit a report of his trip, together with two copies, to the respective faculty or institution. I reserve the right to ask for these reports. Reports which contain important political or politico-cultural observations or suggestions must be sent to me immediately without special request."

Another decree on foreign travel, issued by the same minister, orders everybody traveling abroad to get in contact with the local representative of Germany and with the foreign organization of the Nazi party.

Dr. Friedrich Lange, speaking as a representative of the "Volkshund fuer das Deutschtum im Ausland," wrote in May, 1937:

"We will never call German people who are citizens of foreign countries aliens, but racial comrades! German people will always remain racial comrades even if foreign citizenship is forced upon them."

The program was made perfectly clear in the speech by Bohle at Stuttgart on Aug. 30, 1937, who said:

"We only know the concept of the complete German who as a citizen of his country is always and everywhere a German and nothing but a German. This makes him a National Socialist...not countries or continents, not climates or environment,

but blood and race determine the German mentality."

The "Buttgarter," National Socialist Kurier, on Aug. 12, 1937, wrote:

"We want to bring the Germans in the United States who in part have become alienated from the German Fatherland...back to the community of blood and fate of all Germans. To this end the spiritual regeneration of the Germans after the model of the homeland is necessary."

"When we have attained this goal we will organize the Germans in order to give them, after the completion of their spiritual regeneration, economic reinforcement and political schooling."

"German Americans, thus prepared...shall then be used under our leadership in the coming struggle with communism and Jewry in the reconstruction of America."

Again it must be remembered that in the National Socialist ideology democracy and communism are one and the same thing, and anti-Semitism is the slogan under which all Nazi activities are carried forward.

The attitude of the Third Reich towards Germans in this country is the exact opposite of the attitude of the German republic and of the

Chapter 86 KAY CONVALESCES. "And Win," Weston continued, "was going to get paid ten dollars for broadcasting on the radio. What do you think of that, Win? Ten dollars!"

"Got more'n that'n m'pocket the right now," Win returned airily. "Got m'p'oll tax, an' enough to live six months on, keep y'ten dollars."

"His tone indicated that ten dollars was so much pig feed. Jeff laughed. 'I admire his spunk. Let him off, Weston. Assey's right. Enough is enough. Don't you agree, Brinley?'"

"No," Brinley said. "No! He's had more care and attention lately than he's had in years, and what thanks do we get for it?"

"You put me up in front of that tin pan on a broomstick? Win referred to the microphone, 'but grammas used y'ay, you can lead a horse to water, but even he won't drink the stuff.'"

Assey and Jeff chuckled. "Consider," Jeff said, "that angle. Suppose Win decides to give some unexpurgated anecdotes over the air. That is very definitely something to think about."

"'bout you,'" Win promised. "'You tell 'em,'" Win promised. "I'll see you, while y'wife was stuck up in the wheel. I seen the two of ya, out 'hind that tent! I seen what y'was up to. 'N' I'll tell."

There was fortunately a chair behind Brinley, and he collapsed into it. "It's a lie!" He tried to speak out manfully, but his voice turned out to be a hoarse whisper. "It's a lie!"

"'Lie nothin'!" Win returned. "I seen you, makin' 'em up. Been 'em all. Girl the feller throws knives at. Furrner, Eyer-talian, or something."

"So that," Assey said, "was where you was, durin' the ferris wheel fun? Just frolickin', huh? J. Arthur, it's lucky for you he told. We couldn't seem to get you placed, an' believe me when I say you was gone!"

"I'll resign," Brinley said. "I'll resign. Only—don't tell Beasie! Don't let Beasie know! Beasie wouldn't forgive me, ever! And it was just—just a—only—I mean—"

"Just what?" "Oh, I'll resign! Beasie said, when I first went into politics, that a slip would mar—I know it means the end of my career. And I did it!"

Brinley said plaintively, "to go to the state legislature." Assey looked at Jeff, who nodded. "Come, come, Arthur," Jeff said soothingly. "no one knows but us here, and look—come along home. We, you come too. You've got to settle about the tags for tomorrow, Brinley, and your accounts. Come on. Forget this. Assey, you take care of Win, will you? We'll explain it officially as a bad cold, and perhaps naive pride'll keep the town folks from telling what they'll know has happened."

"And don't forget," Weston said to Assey, "about the radio!" Dr. Cummings watched the selection leaves and then wandered back into the living room.

"Sometimes," he said, "I wonder how governments exist. If a mid-way girl that gets thrown knives at can cause a flurry like this in town—well, well. What about Win?"

"Chicken Bones?" "Byl can take care of him over at my gunnin' shack," Assey said, "until his shoulder's all right. What're your plans for winter, Win?"

"I been spendin' winters lately," Win said, "up to Philbrick's big barn. Got me a stove off the dump, the kind you stick into the electricity, an' I tell you, it's mighty fine up there. Keep good'n' away."

"So that," Cummings said, "is why the General is suing the light company for winter bills, we'll have to solve some problems for Win."

Assey nodded. "We will, Win, this feller Hamilton's takin' you away, an' you're going to stay at my shack with Byl. Know Byl?"

German monarchy, which preceded it. The old German-American Buerger Bund, which was dissolved during the World War, was active in promoting the Americanization of German immigrants to this country.

It encouraged them to learn English and to assimilate the cultural values in their German background to American life. The German-American Bund encourages the use of the German language. German is spoken in its camps, and its object is to assimilate American life to Nazism.

Given an enormous growth of Nazi-Fascist power elsewhere in the world, these people and their fellow travelers will be a menace in the United States. They are a menace already. First of all, they are a menace to loyal German-Americans. The perfectly well rounded suspicion of them leads to a distrust of all people of German blood, although the overwhelming mass of German-Americans believe in American democracy, Christian civilization and human rights, and detest the Nazis as much as any of the rest of us do.

But they are being put in such an ambiguous position that in many places it is difficult for Germans to get jobs.

This is just one of the things that ought to be dealt with. "The German Reich and American of German Origin," Oxford University Press.

This is the second in a series of three articles. One more follows. (Copyright, 1938, New York Tribune Inc.)

Continued Sunday. The Department of Agriculture in 1939 undertook a program to encourage the production of fiber flax in the United States.

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Missions Win In 12 Rounds

By the Associated Press. A bad bounce helped break up a 12-inning Texas league pitching battle at Shreveport yesterday as the Sports fell before the San Antonio Missions, 4-2, evening the two-game series.

GAS COMPANY TO CONTINUE FIGHT IN RATE CASE

DALLAS, April 14 (AP)—The long legal skirmish between the Lone Star Gas company and the Texas railroad commission appeared far from ended today.

Hospital Notes

Billie Jean Bolinger of Dublin, Texas, underwent a tonsillectomy at Malone & Hogan Clinic-Hospital Wednesday morning.

To Make A Long Tale Short

We've seen houses without chimneys, and heads without a tail; but the coldest thing in winter is a shirt without a tail.

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EXHIBITION BASEBALL. By the Associated Press at Richmond, Va.: New York (N) vs. Cleveland (A).

At Chicago: Chicago (N) vs. Chicago (A).

At Dayton, O.: Cincinnati (N) vs. Detroit (A).

At Evansville, Ind.: Pittsburgh (N) vs. Evansville (3-I).

At Union City, N. J.: St. Louis (N) vs. Union City (Kitty).

At Brooklyn, N. Y.: Brooklyn (N) vs. New York (A).

At Tarboro, N. C.: Philadelphia (A) vs. Williamsport (NYP).

At Lexington, N. C.: Philadelphia (A) 2nds vs. Lexington (NC).

At Worcester, Mass.: Boston (A) vs. Holy Cross.

At Topeka, Kas.: St. Louis (A) vs. Topeka.

Results Yesterday. At Washington: Boston (N) 5, Washington (A) 1.

At Knoxville, Tenn.: New York (N) 13, Cleveland (A) 5.

At Portsmouth: Cincinnati (N) 5, Detroit (A) 7.

At Owensboro, Ky.: Pittsburgh (N) 5, Chicago (A) 4 (10 innings).

At Greenville, S. C.: Philadelphia (N) 19, Greenville (SAL) 0 (7 innings).

At Evansville, Ind.: St. Louis (N) 5, Evansville (3-I) 2.

At Norfolk, Va.: Brooklyn (N) 14, New York (A) 12.

At Tarboro, N. C.: Philadelphia (A) 6, Williamsport (EL) 10.

At Charlotte, N. C.: Philadelphia (A) 2nds 9, Charlotte (PL) 1.

At Newark, N. J.: Boston (A) vs. Newark (IL) cold.

At Topeka, Kas.: St. Louis (A) 9, Topeka 1.

FINANCIAL

15 Bus. Opportunities. FILLING station for sale at 1100 East Third Street.

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FOR SALE. WE have stored near Big Spring one Chekering grand piano, size 67 1/2.

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Miscellaneous. ARE you suffering from asthma, sinus, hay fever, head colds?

FOR RENT. APARTMENTS and rooms. Reduced rates. Stewart Hotel, 210 Austin.

Bedrooms. TWO nice bedrooms at 706 Johnson. Phone 246.

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46 Houses For Sale. APARTMENT house of 8 units; well furnished and close in; for sale.

49 Business Property. FOR LEASE: Brick building at 309 Runnels; also 2500 feet adjoining Settles Hotel on south.

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FOR RENT. EIGHT-room house at 908 Lancaster. Apply 1009 Main.

FOR RENT. FOUR-room furnished house for rent at 2200 Nolan Street. Apply 2107 Scurry.

FOR RENT. FOUR-room house for rent. 802 East 10th. H. P. Wooten. Phone 467 or 1284.

FOR RENT. FURNISHED house; 3 rooms and bath; electric refrigerator and garage.

FOR RENT. SIXTEEN-room furnished apartment or boarding house for rent reasonably to reliable person.

FOR RENT. FURNISHED 3 - room stucco house; electric refrigerator. 307 N. W. 8th Street. Government Heights.

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FOR RENT. THREE large rooms, bath and kitchenette in duplex; close in; \$15 per month.

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Daily Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS. 1. Claret. 2. Clandestine. 3. Utility. 4. Artificial language.

SOLOMON RAIDS TRIPOLI INSET. RA ACT SOLE MY PO. ACT NACRE TAN. PLEA SEE SURE. SERIN SELECTS. CALLERS PACED. INEE ILL LULU. ROD HAILS PER. CI HA DATA VE. UNDER EMERGES. STORM SATTEENS.

DOWN. 1. Prugnet. 2. Bustle. 3. Lower. 4. Lump of earth. 5. Part of a seat. 6. Dutch city. 7. Indian nut-berry.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11. 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57

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The sparkling story casts Loretta as a gay, beautiful young wife and Baxter is her debonaire and ardent husband.

All in bliss until Loretta's friend and music teacher, Cesar Romero, convinces her she can and should sing.

It was in answer to a barrage of fan mail received at the studio after the release of "Wife, Doctor and Nurse," that Darryl F. Zanuck, production head of 20th Century-Fox decided to reunite Loretta and Warner in another film.

Gregory Ratoff was selected to handle the megaphone on the picture, for the famous comedian who has become a successful director.

The supporting cast is headed by Binnie Barnes, Cesar Romero, George Barbier, E. Edward Bromberg, Eugene Pallette and Helen Westley.

TIM M'COY STARRED AT QUEEN, CALLED A TRUE WESTERNER

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He is the only living white man since the death of General Hugh Scott, also a famous plains fighter, who can understand the Indian language, as well as the various dialects of the tribes.



'THERE'LL BE REVOLUTION,' Eric von Choltret, national secretary of the German-American League for Culture, anti-Nazi group, told a Chicago meeting of Czechs and Slovaks.

Aerial Gunnery To Be Practiced Over Gulf of Mexico

SHREVEPORT, La., April 14 (AP)—Aerial gunnery training over the Gulf of Mexico, with new 300 miles per hour fighters will be inaugurated by the 20th pursuit group of Galveston, Tex., Saturday.

Early tomorrow a truck convoy carrying 37 troops and supplies will be sent to the gulf coast city to erect a gunnery camp.

The 50th pursuit squadron, commanded by Capt. Nelson, will move into the camp Saturday. Nineteen Curtiss P-36 fighters, 3 Martin

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Roadway Upsets Blatz Bowlers

In Class A bowling league competition at the Casadena Alleys Thursday evening Roadway Transport trimmed Blatz Beer in three straight games.

Other encounters resulted in a Class B league sweep for Twins Cafe over Prager Beer and victory for Barrow Furniture over Harry Lester in Women's league play.

Class A match: Roadway—H. Brimberry . 194 177 135—506. Meyers . . . . . 143 173 177—492.

Class B match: Twins Cafe—Patton . . . . . 128 150 153—441. Woods . . . . . 172 153 148—475.

Prager Beer—Hayes . . . . . 135 115 129—379. Ogden . . . . . 123 102 111—336.

Barrow—Eason . . . . . 104 107 106—319. Williams . . . . . 106 120 100—334.

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RECREATION NEWS

An East Side softball team has been organized, and is making arrangements for the coming season.

A checker tournament is being conducted on the East Side playground. Preliminaries in junior and senior divisions were played Thursday.

A junior girl's softball team from A. B. C. park will play the girls of the Mexican Plaza on the latter's diamond this afternoon at 4:30.

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**-RITZ- TODAY TOMORROW**

Loretta YOUNG Warner BAXTER IN "WIFE, HUSBAND AND FRIEND"

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ADDED FEATURES

**Texan Compensated For Crop Failure**

AMARILLO, April 14 (AP)—John F. Biggs of Floyd county today was America's first farmer to be compensated for crop failure by the Federal Crop Insurance corporation.

One of 124,000 policyholders in the nation and \$700 in Texas, Biggs will receive from E. R. Duke, state crop insurance supervisor, a check for \$129.23 representing the value of 244 bushels of wheat—his interest in the production of 52.5 acres.

The crop had been stunted by fall drought to begin with, and was wiped out finally by the wind. Insurance cost Biggs \$14.50.

Duke said this settlement will be followed soon by indemnity payments throughout the wheat belt to policy holders whose 1939 crops, for unavoidable reasons, have been damaged beyond possibility of harvest.

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**KING OF CHINATOWN**

Plus: ANNA MAY WONG AND TAMBORETT

**FD Pledges**

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Starting Sunday

**"OUT WEST WITH THE HARDYS"**

**Negro Is Held For Attack On Girl**

CORNICANA, April 14 (AP)—Sheriff Jim Sessions of Fairfield, Freestone county, announced this morning a 33-year-old negro convict was being held in jail for criminal assault on a 16-year-old Teague girl in her home early Thursday.

He would not say what jail, the negro was taken to. He said feeling had been high at Teague, but conditions were rapidly returning to normal.

Sessions said the negro had signed a statement in connection with the case, relating how he held a knife against the girl's neck while she assaulted her. He said the negro admitted burglarizing a number of houses the same night.

Chief of Police Bruce Nutt of Cornicana, who wanted the negro here for burglary, said the man had served one term in the state penitentiary for rape and another for burglary.

**Joint Goat, Cattle Grazing Tested**

TUCSON, Ariz., April 14 (AP)—The cattlemen and the goatman may yet live in harmony on the same ranch if a five-year investigation begun this week is successful.

E. C. Crafts of the Southwest forest and range experiment station said tests would be made to determine if goats and cattle could be successfully grazed together.

Three experimental plots will be established, one open to grazing, one fenced and closed to grazing and the third a panel plot relocated each growing season. It is hoped to determine to what extent goats injure vegetation and how they may be combined or alternated with cattle grazing.

**Goodwill Group To Plan Next Dinner**

Good will committee of the chamber of commerce will go into session at 4 p. m. Monday in the chamber offices to lay plans for a good will dinner to be held in the Garner school at Knott on April 25.

Charles Frost, committee chairman, urged any person interested in the affair, whether a committee member or not, to attend the parley.

Owing to the popularity of the rural dinners and to the numerous invitations received from communities, the chamber is forced to double up this month, holding two dinners. On May 9 another affair is scheduled for Center Point.

**Railroad Brief To Be Mailed Saturday**

Brief compiled by the local chamber of commerce in support of its protest against the Texas and Pacific Railway company's application to discontinue two daily passenger trains between Big Spring and Sweetwater will be dispatched to Austin not later than Saturday night.

Following a hearing by G. F. Petet, railroad commission examiner, on March 18, time was granted in which to file a brief with the commission in support of the protest.

**CO-OP GIN MEETING SLATED SATURDAY**

Annual meeting of the Cooperative Gin and Supply company will be held at 3 p. m. Saturday in the W.O.W. hall. It was announced today Sidney Smith, manager, urged all persons associated with the company to attend the session.

**VAUGHN MOVING HIS PLANT TO MAIN ST.**

Doyce Vaughn, young Big Spring business man whose sweet shop trade has experienced unusually steady growth, is moving his plant from 1506 Runnels to 103 Main street. He is installing additional and new equipment at the downtown location. Vaughn also operates units in East Tule and south of here.

**McElroy**

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city. Gov. Lloyd C. Stark, charging vice conditions "stink to high heaven," ordered the attorney general to investigate.

A county grand jury indicted Pendergast's Jackson county (Kansas City) prosecutor, W. W. Graves, on charges of neglecting duty. It indicted two county (administrative) judges on charges of misusing county funds.

Circuit Judge Allen C. Southern ordered gambling raids. Operators of two of the city's largest gambling houses were indicted. Virtually every other gambling joint closed voluntarily "until the heat's off." They're still closed.

Judge Southern said "only an edge of the curtain has been raised," estimated the annual gambling profits at \$20,000,000.

Last Friday, Pendergast and R. Emmett O'Malley, former state insurance superintendent, were indicted on income tax evasion charges. O'Malley, Pendergast-sponsored, had been ousted by Gov. Stark.

Wednesday, federal agents seized \$400,000 in narcotics here, and arrested seven men they named as heads of a nation-wide ring. Yesterday they confiscated 300 gallons of untaxed alcohol in "Little Italy," the northside sector where Pendergast began his rise to political power.

Speculation that the nine-member city council might not accept McElroy's resignation arose. "Five votes are necessary to accept. With one member ill, the Star said a 4-4 deadlock appeared possible at today's caucus."

**German**

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antees to Greece and Rumania, the newspapers declared Britain was bluffing.

Officials said they did not expect the warships to enter the Mediterranean further than Tangier during the maneuvers but it was not excluded that some units might cruise in the Mediterranean afterward.

These sources insisted the games had no connection with present international affairs.

The press said the guarantees such as Britain has given to Poland, Greece and Rumania—the Greeks and Rumanian commitments were given yesterday—had not been asked for by "the small nations" and were worthless.

Although France has given parallel commitments, the brunt of the press attack was against Britain.

**Tax Plan**

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such sale. The general opinion was that there was no chance for sale by drink legalization at the current session.

The bill provided liquor elections could be held in a county or precinct once every two years. At present, they can be held every year. Elections could be called either on motion of a county commissioners' court or on a petition of 30 per cent of the qualified voters.

A proposal which drew criticism was one stipulating that the liquor control board administrator might force a six-month closing of beer sale premises after cancelling the permit of a beer dealer on those premises.

Rep. Max Boyer of Perryton questioned wisdom of giving any department head the right to deny a man use of his real estate for six months. The provision however, was left in the bill.

Reps. G. H. Little of Amarillo and R. R. Donaghy of Vernon attacked another provision of the bill which they contended gave the liquor control administrator too much authority. They said that provision would authorize the administrator to deny a beer sale permit merely because he believed the applicant might violate the law. Bell replied that the clause differed in no particular from the present law.

**CITY AUDIT MAY BE FINISHED THIS WEEK**

D. P. McAlpine, member of the firm of McAlpine and Carter, said Friday that the audit of the city's books would probably be completed by the end of the week.

With two helpers, McAlpine has examined the city records for the past fiscal year, doing the work in less than a week. However, city officials conceded it was one of the most thorough audits ever given the city books. The auditor and assistants will return to Dallas where his firm is engaged in a detailed audit of the Dallas municipal affairs.

**Business Club To Have Barbecue At Park Tonight**

To discuss the barbecue to be given this evening at the city park for members and their guests, the American Business club met Friday noon at the Settles Hotel with C. A. Amos and Charles Frost in charge of the program.

Three pupils of Mrs. Anne Gibson Houser gave a musical program that consisted of a solo by Betty Jean Underwood and a song by Bert Thorpe. Eva Jane Darby gave an accordion solo and sang one number. Betty Jean Underwood and Bert Thorpe also sang a duet.

The club voted to meet next week on Thursday at the request of Dr. Obermiller of Ponca City, Okla., district governor of the American Business clubs, who will meet with the local group at that time.

Approximately 25 persons attended.

**LEAVES ARMY FOR TRY AT POLITICS**

MEXICO CITY, April 14 (AP)—Gen. Juan Andres Alameda, military governor of the state of Nuevo Leon, announced today he had requested leave from the army to devote his time to politics.

General Alameda, generally credited as a conservative, is expected to become a candidate for reelection in a year of legislative elections.

**HOUSTON LADS HELD**

Two lads, 16 and 14 years of age, were held here Friday pending advice from Houston. They told authorities that they had left their homes in Houston on Tuesday. Officers took them into custody Friday in a call from a local grocery store where some articles had been stolen.

**MARKETS**

**Wall Street**

NEW YORK, April 14 (AP)—The drift was downward in the stock market today as Wall Street suffered another mild attack of Euro-spiritism complicated by intermittent ebullience apparently resulting from cloudy domestic business trends.

While declines ranged to 3 or more points at the worst, selling pressure was light throughout. Modest buying support arrived and substantially reduced or cancelled forenoon losses in many cases.

Securities at London, Paris and Amsterdam weakened before the opening in New York, providing a cue for the early move here. A fair amount of liquidation of American securities from abroad was reported by commission houses with foreign connections, but this was believed to have been completed in the first hour. From then on the list loafed.

The widening breach between the so-called democracies and totalitarian states inspired some speculative contingents to get out of the market over Saturday and Sunday.

**Livestock**

CHICAGO, April 14 (AP)—(USDA) Salable hogs 8,000; uneven; 5-15 lower than Thursday's average; mostly 10-15 off; top 7.25; good to choice 180-230 lbs. 7.00-7.25; 240-270 lbs. 6.85-7.10; 280-340 lbs. 6.60-6.90; good 400-500 lbs. packing sows 6.10-6.25.

Salable cattle 1,000; salable calves 300; slow, drafty cleanup trade at around steady prices; receipts principally truck-ins; few leads steers offered 8.50-10.50; heifers scarce; mostly common to medium grades; 7.50-9.00; slaughter cows 6.25-7.00; good cutters and cutters 4.50-5.75; heavy sausage bulls 7.25; selected weighty vealers 10.50-11.00.

Salable sheep 8,000; late Thursday fat lambs steady to weak; top 10.40 to packers and shippers; good 9.75-10.25; 100-113 lbs. lambs 9.65-10.25; only finished offerings under 103 lbs. above 10.00; clipped lambs 8.50; higher steady; indications 15-25 higher; bids and sales 10.10-25; best held 10.50 to 10.65 and better; sheep steady.

**Cotton**

NEW YORK, April 14 (AP)—Cotton futures closed 1-3 lower.

	High	Low	Last
May	7.99	7.93	7.94-95
July	7.72	7.56	7.68
Oct.	7.44	7.29	7.40
Dec.	7.39	7.24	7.35
Jan.	7.39	7.26	7.35N
Mch	7.42	7.40	7.40

Spot nominal; middling 8.69.

**NEW ORLEANS**

NEW ORLEANS, April 14 (AP)—Cotton futures eased off after a slight opening advance and final prices were steady at net declines of 2 to 3 points.

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	8.10	8.10	8.06	8.07B-08A
July	7.84	7.84	7.79	7.80
Oct.	7.55	7.56	7.51	7.51
Dec.	7.49B	7.49B	7.45B-47A	7.45B-47A
Jan.	7.49B	7.49B	7.45B-47A	7.45B-47A
Mch	7.49	7.49	7.49	7.50B-52A
May new	7.56B	7.56B	7.52B-54A	7.52B-54A

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**6 Charged In P.O. Robberies**

FORT WORTH, April 14 (AP)—Postoffice inspectors J. A. McCullough and A. G. Curry today announced the arrest of six men in connection with the robbery of eight West Texas postoffices in which more than \$725 in cash and stamps was stolen.

The men are Dave V. Walden, 27; Otto Knight, 35; E. R. Smith, 32; Bert Simpson, 33; John T. Herod, 27, and J. D. (Dutch) Streetman, 30, all of Abilene.

Streetman was arrested Monday at Phoenix, Ariz., and the others, arrested prior in Abilene, were then arraigned before the United States commissioner at Abilene. Streetman is to be removed to Dallas as are the others.

The cases will be presented to a federal grand jury in Dallas in May, Curry said.

The men allegedly broke into the Bradshaw postoffice twice in May, Curry obtaining \$125 cash and \$25 in stamps on their second visit, to start the series of burglaries.

In the following 59 days, they allegedly obtained \$112 in cash and stamps at the Welview postoffice; \$4 from the Cleo postoffice; \$85 from the Goldshore postoffice; \$16 from the Byvester postoffice; \$410 from the Santa Fe depot, and burglarized the postoffice at Maryneal.

**KILLS WOMAN AND SON, THEN SELF**

RICHMOND, Ind., April 14 (AP)—A complex domestic snarl, Police Captain Ervin Houseman said today, apparently drove Theodore Thurston, 52-year-old WPA worker, to murder Mrs. William Boggs, 39, with whom he had lived several years but never married, and their 14-month-old son, then commit suicide in their five-room apartment here.

Their bullet-torn bodies were found last night by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Woods of Richmond, who had planned to take three-year-old Thurston and twice-married Mrs. Boggs to prayer meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Woods, like other friends, had thought the couple was married.

Mrs. Woods told Coroner Russell Hiett, who indicated a verdict of murder and suicide would be returned, that Mrs. Boggs left Thurston last week following a quarrel and stayed away "two or three days."

"I got her to agree to return to him Saturday night," Mrs. Woods said. "She did, and then Sunday they both promised to go to prayer meeting with us."

**LAW INSTITUTE IS SCHEDULED**

FORT WORTH, April 14 (AP)—Attorneys from throughout Texas are expected here Monday and Tuesday for a law institute to be conducted under sponsorship of the Fort Worth and Tarrant County Bar association.

Attorneys from as far away as Corpus Christi and the Texas Panhandle have signified they will attend.

The institute is to be conducted by Herbert F. Goodrich, vice-president of the University of Pennsylvania and dean of its law school.

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**Hospital Notes**

Big Spring Hospital

Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Cross of Stanton, April 10 at the hospital, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Phillips of Stanton at the hospital April 12, a daughter.

Mrs. Louis McKee of route 1 Big Spring has returned to her home after receiving treatment at the hospital.

V. L. Burrus of McCamey, employe of the Shell Pipeline company, was in the hospital to have a piece of steel removed from his leg.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Morton of Camp Rock camp at the hospital Thursday afternoon, a daughter.

F. W. Henson of Stanton underwent major surgery at the hospital Friday morning.

Mrs. Theron Hicks and baby daughter, born at the hospital April 8, have returned to their home, 609 1-2 Main street.

Mrs. Herschel Summerlin of route 1 Big Spring, who has been in the hospital for treatment, has returned to her home.

Mrs. W. H. Badgett of route 1 Colorado has returned to her home after being in the hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Frank Rutherford has returned to her home at 704 Main street, after receiving treatment of injuries received in an automobile accident.

Baby Lee Hill, 5, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hill of Monahans, who underwent a double mastoid operation at the hospital Wednesday morning, is doing nicely.

Miss Billie Sikes of Seminole Texas, who has been in the hospital for treatment of an infected arm, has returned to the home of her mother, Mrs. G. W. Sikes, of this city.

Mrs. F. O. Harms, 811 Ayflore street, is in the hospital for treatment.

**Reorganizing Plans Asked By Roosevelt**

WASHINGTON, April 14 (AP)—President Roosevelt called on federal department heads today to submit by April 25 plans for reorganizing government bureaus.

The action was his first step toward exercising the reorganizational powers recently granted him by congress after two years of bitter controversy.

Less than two weeks was allowed officials to turn in their plans, he learned, because Mr. Roosevelt hopes some regrouping of bureau may be accomplished before congress adjourns.

The law requires that all executive reorganization orders be subjected to congressional consideration for 60 days before they become effective. Disapproval of branches is required to invalidate an order.

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