

Fifth Of Manufacturers In US Report Price Cuts

Mrs. McLean, Hope Diamond Owner, Dies

WASHINGTON, April 26. (AP)—Mrs. Evalyn Walsh McLean, fabulous social figure who wore the evil-omened Hope diamond for a luck charm, died tonight at the age of 60. She spent her first years in a two-room log cabin and spent a good part of her later years in a mansion designed to entertain royalty. Death came peacefully at 5:15 p.m. (CST) from pneumonia at her Georgetown residence, where she had been ill for several days. She collected gems by the handful and pawned them often. She had the great 44 1/2 karat Hope diamond blessed by a priest and claimed it brought her good fortune, but never would let her children touch it. She entertained the world's notables at lavish parties at the family's "Friendship" estate, and bought sandwiches for bonus

Results Of Survey By NAM Told

NEW YORK, April 26. (AP)—The National Association of Manufacturers said today one out of every five members replying to a questionnaire reported price cuts had been made since the first of the year on at least one product while the remaining four answering had made none. The NAM said the questionnaire was sent on April 10 to its 16,563 members, and that the survey is based on replies from the first 5,742. It showed: 1,194 members reporting price cuts, or 20.8 per cent of those replying. 4,450 reporting no price cuts, or 77.2 per cent of those replying. Ninety-eight or two per cent of the questionnaires blank. The members were not queried on whether they had made any price increases. Manufacturers said the main reasons they could not make price cuts now were: first, the uncertainty of costs and supply of materials; second, uncertainty as to future wage scales; and third, low labor efficiency. Earl Bunting, NAM president, said the survey was made because the public was "being thrown off the track too much by rumors" and was indulging in a "little postwar hysteria over the high cost of living."

'Fruitful' Plan To End 'Phone Strike Readied

Beirne Expresses Hope For Accord Before Monday

WASHINGTON, April 26. (AP)—Federal conciliators said tonight they are carefully developing a program "which may be fruitful" in bringing an end to the 20-day old telephone strike. Peter J. Manno, and William N. Margolis, two conciliation service members, expressed that view after a conference with the striking National Federation of Telephone Workers and telephone management representatives. Both men, added, however: "The situation still continues to be most difficult but certainly not hopeless." Secretary of Labor Schwellenbach had taken a hand in the negotiations in which the government is seeking to break the impasse between the American Telephone and Telegraph company, parent of the Bell system companies, and the unions. Earlier in the day, Joseph A. Beirne, president of the NFTW, said: "I am hopeful that between now and Monday we'll get an agreement." Just what the conciliation program which Manno and Margolis mentioned might contain was not revealed.

Three Corporations Grant Wage Boosts

TEXAS CITY RACKET

'Buzzards' Profit On Dead

TEXAS CITY, Tex., April 26. (AP)—Angry highway patrolmen today sought persons they described as "buzzards" who have been stealing money and jewelry from property envelopes of persons killed in the April 16 disaster here. State Highway Patrolman Foster Nelson also said that "so-called private investigators" are offering to locate missing bodies for relatives for \$200 each. "It's a vicious racket," Nelson said, "and we're trying to stop it." Nelson and Patrolman O. C. Wheeler have been placed in charge of a property room at Camp Wallace, where all articles and cash taken from dead bodies have been placed in envelopes for safekeeping. The contents of the envelopes are listed on the cover, and the envelopes placed on tables. Nelson said today that the highway patrol has been in charge of the room only for the past two days, and that prior to that time, someone had gone through the envelopes and taken money and jewelry. "The envelopes no longer contain what they are supposed to," Nelson said. "The contents do not tally with the list on the cover." He mentioned specifically the loss of one diamond engagement ring from one envelope, and ten \$10 bills from another. He said an investigation is underway. Referring to private investigators, he said they have converged on Texas City, and are offering to locate missing bodies for \$200. Some he said were legitimate investigators, retained by relatives. Others, he said, were just "racketeers." He said the highway patrol was investigating, and would try to stop the practice. Re-cue workers continued to drag harborfront slips and the bay. Nine more bodies were found yesterday, and six Thursday. Work of identifying 117 bodies continued at the temporary morgue at Camp Wallace. Mayor J. C. Trahan told the Coast Guard investigation board at Galveston yesterday that 433 people had been killed, and 128 were still listed as missing.

GE, Chrysler Grant 15-Cent Hike To Workers

790,000 Covered By New Contracts In Big Industries

By The Associated Press
General Electric, the Chrysler Corporation and the Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation Saturday granted their employees wage boosts approximating 15 cents an hour, bringing to more than 790,000 the number of workers in three major industries who have reached agreements at that figure. The General Electric agreement for a 15-cent boost covered 125,000 employees in 14 states. The Chrysler contract, similar to one signed by General Motors Tuesday, provided a 15-cent increase plus six paid holidays and other changes and affects 70,000 production employees in five states. The agreement with Jones and Laughlin, the nation's fourth largest steel producer, covered 25,000 employees in the Pittsburgh area and provided for a 12 1/2-cent boost plus other benefits which made the total "more than 15 cents." The wage pattern set by previous increases in the electrical, automotive and steel industries, and followed in Saturday's settlements, compared with a predominant pattern of 13 and 18 1/2-cent boosts granted last spring at the peak of the postwar strike wave. Although 30-day strike notices were filed in some industries this year, the 1947 agreements were reached without the series of crippling walkouts that marked 1946. In the current three week telephone strike, Joseph A. Beirne, president of the National Federation of Telephone Workers, expressed hope that some settlement of the communications walkout might be reached before Monday. The NFTW originally asked a \$12-a-week increase and later reduced demands to \$6 or approximately 15 cents an hour. Meanwhile in Washington the Senate Republican policy committee announced plans to push a general labor bill to passage this week and said it would hold a Wednesday night session if necessary. General Electric announced previous to Saturday's agreement that "as a result of contemplated wage increases" the company would be "forced to raise prices about seven per cent on an average." A union spokesman said the union believed "there is no justification for an increase in prices. Our financial settlements were modest ones." The GE agreement completed the contract settlements reached by the "Big Three" of the electrical equipment manufacturing industry. A similar wage boost previously was granted 75,000 Westinghouse and some 30,000 General Motors employees. The 15 cents hourly wage increase pattern also has settled the contract problems of 140,000 US Steel employees, 70,000 Bethlehem workers, 14,000 at Youngstown Sheet & Tube, and 12,000 at Weirton Steel. PARIS, April 26. (AP)—Vietnamese rebel fighters in a sudden strike at the southern tip of French Indo-China ambushed a convoy 40 miles south of Saigon and killed 44 persons, including two ministers of the Cochinchina government, French dispatches from Saigon said today.

Scout Round-Up Success Despite Muggy Weather

Well over half a hundred Boy Scouts from various troops in the Buffalo Trail council, many of them weary from several hours of participation in competitive events, began to trek homeward Saturday afternoon at the conclusion of what local Scout leaders called one of the most successful annual Round-Ups ever conducted.

JayCees Fulfill Quota For Relief

The Junior Chamber of Commerce made good on its thousand dollar goal for Texas City relief Saturday with a special downtown solicitation that netted \$288.55. This, together with receipts from the benefit show sponsored by the JayCees Thursday, boosted the total to \$1,017.85. Bill Cox, president, announced. Under the direction of Selwyn Leeds, JayCees hawked the downtown area in a brick campaign Saturday. Several merchants donated merchandise, which the Jaycees auctioned. Gross proceeds went into the fund.

Reviewing The Big Spring -Week-

Deadline for tax renditions is June 1, but its time now to attend to this chore if you have not made your rendition. Much confusion can be avoided at taxpaying time if the agencies are advised of your property, otherwise parcels you have sold may be charged against you. While the late frost of 10 days ago did sharp damage to the fruit crop, the biggest orchard in this area — the Von Roeder 74-acre spread of some 3,000 trees — came through with no appreciable loss, according to Nolan Van Roeder. Once several years ago we wrote a dismal drouth story one Saturday night and before the papers were out Sunday morning a soaking rain had fallen. We'd like to see that repeated, for small grain is in a critical stage. Timely seasoning will mean a big yield, despite slight frost harm and some damage from sand. Continued dry weather will reduce benefits largely to pasturage. The T&P has instituted free coffee on trains, taking a tip from the airlines. If these developments keep up, passenger transportation services will be offering a native African to fan you with a palm leaf and call you "Sahib" at no extra charge. Total loads from the clean-up campaign reached 218, the city reports. This is a good lick for a more attractive city. It's up to residents to keep up the good work. Incidentally beautification has made substantial progress. Several thousand shrubs, roses and trees have been delivered by nurseries this spring. Evaluation of the Big Spring high school last week indicated that it is doing a pretty good job. Most pointed recommendations were for addition of courses, which have not been offered because of lack of

A total of 34 troops were represented at the 21st renewal of the annual Round-Up, despite weather conditions that threatened to limit activity. Individual Scout registrations for the event totaled 632 and 60 adult leaders of the council were present. Troop No. 2 of Big Spring, which operates under the supervision of Cecil Nabors, scoutmaster, won high scoring honors in the competitive events. Other blue ribbon aggregations were Troop No. 3, Troop No. 5 and Troop No. 9 of Big Spring; Troop No. 51 of Midland; Troop No. 55, Troop No. 56, Troop No. 72 and Troop No. 81, all of Odessa; Troop No. 130 of Pease. All events were conducted with a minimum of confusion. Scout leaders said, making it possible for judges to follow the pre-arranged schedule. The Round-Up activity was climaxed at noon Saturday when a barbecue, furnished and arranged by the Big Spring chamber of commerce, was served to the Scouts, their leaders and visitors. The entire group was served in exactly eight minutes by a crew supervised by Nat Shiek. The Odessa district boasted the largest representation at the Round-Up, with approximately 175 Scouts. There were 141 scouts from the Big Spring district present. Troop No. 5 of Big Spring had the largest troop delegation, with 59 boys registered. At the conclusion of the Round-Up, H. D. Norris, local Scout field executive expressed appreciation to local business men, the chamber of commerce, the Junior Chamber of Commerce and other individuals and organizations who assisted with the program and furnished materials.

Trial To Decide Ball Park Use

Whether or not local baseball teams will be able to use the Highland park plant now under construction will be decided in a trial on its merits in 70th district court, which opens Monday. When the school board announced plans to authorize construction of a \$15,000 stadium on its property north of the football field, a group of persons living in the area applied for a court injunction on the grounds that the facility would create a nuisance. The money was to be raised through public solicitation. Judge Cecil C. Collins denied the injunction after an all-day hearing in which 47 witnesses paraded to the stand. The plaintiffs, Charles Tompkins et al, then asked for a trial on merits.

Judge Davidson Gives Talk Here

T. Whitfield Davidson, federal judge of the Northern District of Texas appeared here as principal speaker at the regular luncheon meeting of the 70th Judicial District Bar association at the Settles hotel Saturday. Judge Davidson, speaking on the "limitations of governmental powers," stressed loyalty to the Constitution to his listeners. He pointed out that the difference in the United States and the dictatorial powers of Europe was that no one branch of the government encroached upon the power and jurisdiction of the others. The speaker was introduced by Judge Cecil C. Collins, who is president of the 70th Judicial District Bar association. Also appearing on the program were Wanda McElhannon, who sang two numbers, and Paul Ricker, guitarist and vocalist. Mrs. McElhannon was accompanied by Helen Duley the piano. Approximately 35 members of the associations, including representatives from Midland and Odessa, attended the luncheon.

Resignation Of Dr. Smith Accepted

AUSTIN, April 26. (AP)—Acceptance of the resignation of Dr. Henry Smith, professor of English and history, plus progress in building construction plans marked the monthly meeting of the University of Texas board of regents here today. The resignation of Dr. Smith, who quit last month because he said he was in "complete disagreement" with the present administration of the university, was accepted without comment.

School Analysis Reflects Past Shortages Of Funds

Financial problems reared their head, indirectly in the summation of the Big Spring high school evaluation criteria Friday afternoon. Many of the friendly criticisms and recommendations by Dr. Doyle D. Jackson, Lubbock, head of the Texas Tech placement bureau, professor of psychology and education and a veteran of some 26 scholastic evaluations, tied in with the Big Spring district's financial conditions in the past. On the whole, however, the committee of 20 administrators and educators, rated the high school average and above, and Dr. Jackson candidly told the faculty, trustees and guests that the school rated definitely better than the average of those he had evaluated. Here is the crux of his report: Commendations— wholesome spirit among faculty and students; classroom teacher performance; student assembly programs; administration and supervision; band and choral groups and Spanish and Latin over-all program; students well informed on current happenings (Dr. Jackson thought this significant); department of homemaking on equipment, tidiness, leadership and methods. Recommendations— Continue and expand the program of guidance, increased teacher training or travel during summer; more equip-

Local Aerocade Will Visit 11 Westex Cities

An aerocade composed of private planes in this area will visit 11 West Texas cities and towns today to advertise the local Air Fair, scheduled for May 3-4 at the Municipal airport. The group planned to leave the Municipal port at 8 a.m. Vernon Smith, chairman of the chamber of commerce aviation department, reported Saturday night. Smith said a number of private flyers here had made arrangements to participate in the Air Fair booster trip, and all who wish to fly with the group will be welcomed for all or any part of the trip. Several flyers at points on the route have indicated that they will join the group at their respective airports. Landings are planned at Midland, Odessa, Monahans, McCamey, San Angelo, Coleman, Abilene, Sweetwater, Lubbock and Lamesa. Plans for the Air Fair are progressing rapidly, Smith said. Dealers and distributors of private planes from a wide area will exhibit new models. Local aviation enthusiasts also are negotiating with army air force officials at March Field, Calif. in an effort to get two Jet P-80's here, for the occasion. The military authorities have requested detailed information on the fair and receive consideration. Other army planes also probably will be here.

Marshall Drafting Conference Report

WASHINGTON, April 26. (AP)—Secretary of State Marshall flew home from Moscow today and took off almost immediately for a quiet Carolina resort to draft important reports to Congress and the nation on the foreign ministers' conference. These reports are expected to bear heavily on relations with Russia and with the attitudes made clear at the Moscow meeting, which ended largely in disagreement. President Truman interrupted a river cruise to meet Marshall. "I am most happy to receive you back with us," Mr. Truman told his top cabinet officer at the airport. "I am very well pleased with what you have been doing. I know when you make the report to the country, the people will also be pleased. That report will be broadcast from 7:30 to 8 p. m. (Central Standard Time) Monday night, 24 hours after a private report to the President and congressmen at the White House tomorrow night. After a round of handshaking with Marshall and members of the delegation who returned with him, Mr. Truman resumed a Potomac river cruise aboard his yacht, the Williamsburg. Marshall conferred at the State Department for 20 minutes with Undersecretary Dean Acheson and then flew off to Pinehurst, N. C., for a reunion with Mr. Marshall. Thus Marshall's account of his interview with Premier Stalin and his estimate of the results of the seven-week conference of foreign ministers will be given to congressmen at the same time the President himself hears it.

Rancher Is Shot In Mineral Wells

MINERAL WELLS, April 26. (AP)—R. L. (Bob) Crossland, prominent Palo Pinto county ranchman, was shot in the head and critically wounded today as he sat in his car at a downtown street crossing here, waiting for a traffic light to change. A. W. Newman, whose divorced wife married Crossland April 13, surrendered to police at the scene of the shooting, giving a patrolman his pistol. District attorney Sam Cleveland said that Crossland was sitting in the right front seat of his car, driven by his son, when his assailant drove up beside him and opened fire. Crossland, a pistol bullet in his brain, was taken to a local hospital. Physicians held little hope for his recovery.

PEOPLE IN TEN STATES MINUS HOUR AS CLOCKS TURNED AHEAD

By The Associated Press
Most people in ten states, and some people in six others, today were minus an hour of time they won't regain until Sept. 28. Clocks were turned ahead an hour early today in parts of the 16 states, most of them in the northeast, but most people in the south, west and midwest spurned daylight saving time and still operated on standard time today. Also staying on standard time were railroads, air and bus lines, which predicted little confusion and said long-trip schedules would remain about the same. Only in commuting areas having daylight time were changes expected, with schedules printed in standard time but in most cases shifted one hour. Four, radio networks will go on daylight time but most stations in standard time areas still can broadcast programs at regular times, since at least three of the chains play to make recordings for that purpose. Clock-fixing at 2 a. m. today affected most of the residents of New York, Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Delaware, Vermont and Pennsylvania, and some residents of Maryland, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Tennessee and Michigan.

Norman Thomas Hits Back At Wallace

NEWARK, N. J., April 26. (AP)—Norman Thomas, former general secretary of the Socialist party, tonight described as an "amazing assumption" the assertion by Henry Wallace that the United States has embarked on a doctrine of imperialism. He said it was "an amazing assumption that it is the United States government which is imperialistic, whereas the Russian dictatorship is really, in Mr. Wallace's phrase, "a directed democracy."

Temple Man Heads Texas JayCees

FORT WORTH, April 26. (AP)—Frank Butler of Temple was elected president of the Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce at the annual convention here Saturday. The JayCees voted to hold their convention next year in El Paso, and endorsed the candidacy of John Bell Shepard, Gladewater, for the presidency of the US Junior chamber of commerce.

Rochester Telephone Operators Will Return To Work On Monday

ROCHESTER, N.Y., April 26. (AP)—The Genesee Valley Telephone Workers Union today approved a proposal for settlement of a strike against the Independent Rochester Telephone Corporation.

More than 700 employees, chiefly maintenance workers, will return to their jobs Monday morning. They have been on strike since April 7, date of the nationwide walkout of the parent National Federation of Telephone Workers.

Union officials have said the membership accepted the settlement this morning by an overwhelming vote.

GUARD RECOGNIZED
WASHINGTON, April 26. (AP)—Wyoming will be the first state that has all its national guard ground and air units federally recognized, the war department said today.

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Survey Of Big Spring Business Shows Little Buyer Resistance

There is no buyers' resistance in Big Spring, generally speaking, a survey by Herald staff members has disclosed.

Shoppers may comment on prices, but on the whole they pay, although they are not engaging in promiscuous purchases as during the war. As stocks become more varied and plentiful, buyers, and women in particular, are refraining from buying ahead.

There have been spotted declines in actual merchandise volume, but price increases have kept the dollar volume up or above the comparable figures of a year ago. There are exceptions, of course.

Meats, fats and oils seem to be the points on which most purchasers are stiffening. Some appliance operators note an increasing sales resistance. But by and large, the parade of customers proceeds on an even keel.

Apparently there has been slight variance in food tonnage, although prices are up 15 to 20 per cent. Housewives are growing more critical of mark-ups and show a tendency to shy away of items which have zoomed. Here buying is confined to bare needs. Decline of sales in these categories (again it is meats, fats and oils, principally) has been offset by heavier buying of items which have exhibited stability or which have actually decreased in prices. This volume has not suffered, thanks largely to canned goods.

One grocer recently marked up an article and was deluged with complaints. At the same time he had slight reductions on approximately 50 others. The silence was astounding, but he didn't mind for sales boomed on these quotations. After all action speaks louder than words.

Women appear to be catching up on their purchases rather than "striking." Most prices have remained fairly stable in women's wear, although high hide and labor costs have made shoes a notable exception.

There has been a moderation in prices of lingerie. Quality has increased in undies and dresses, and mildy is now giving a pre-war eye to quality and workmanship. Nightgowns now are billowing in floor-lengths, having been bobbed above the ankle and reduced to the roominess of a bologna skin during the war.

In order to overcome prices which stood to cut volume, several merchants are narrowing margins to maintain the flow. One concern said there was a moderate drop in volume, but this was forecast a year ago by national headquarters. New styles and colors are expected to overcome the backlog some women have stashed away. For instance, new hose shades (like silvery dew) are due to make the missus forget the bountiful supply of nylons she has, especially when new ones blend perfectly with her summer wardrobe. Change in styles always have kept the little lady from being satisfied with her wardrobe, and merchants don't expect female nature to change.

As for men's wear, the presence of white shirts on the shelf do not indicate the customers are staying home. On the contrary, it is a case of more plentiful stocks and a return to pre-war tempo of buying.

While lists for new automobiles are not growing at the early post-war rate, names are being added. Buyers, however, show more of a disposition to put the gimlet eye on "suggested" accessories. Used car dealers bemoan a condition which they say makes this about the cheapest place in the country when it comes to buying the second-hand machines. They claim that their newer vehicles, which find their way shortly after the initial sale to their lots, are going for \$200 less than in California.

Accessory and appliance dealers don't know whether it is the phone strike or buyer resistance, but something is dulling business. One

New Locations Are Staked In Coleman

Two new locations were staked in the Coleman Ranch pool of Mitchell county, where a young area has yielded nearly a dozen producers in half a year.

Cecil Guthrie moved in on his No. 1 Lucy - Mildred Coleman, 1,650 feet from the south and 330 feet from the east line of the north half of the southwest quarter 0 section 76-97, H&TC. Jess Wilbanks located his No. 1 Lucy-Mildred Coleman 330 feet from the east and south lines of the west half of the southeast quarter of section 75-97, H&TC.

Another wildcat for eastern Howard county was in prospect, but no formal announcement was made.

Six miles southwest of Big Spring, Stanolind was moving in materials and gassing pits for its No. 1 T. H. Gaskins, a projected 12,300-foot Diesel-electric rotary test with Noble Drilling company as contractor. The test is between the Moore (Harding) and Morita pools and is to seek the Ellenburger.

Cosden Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Chester L. Jones, section 60-20, LaVaca, in the northwest corner of Mitchell county, drilled at 5,895 feet in lime with no appreciable charges.

Having completed No. 1 Dora Roberts for 10-12 barrels daily as a shallow test, Duncen Drilling Co. spudded No. 3, Dora Roberts, 330 feet from the west and 990 feet from the south line of section 129-29, W&NW, in the Howard-Glasscock area and was at 200 feet.

Ray Albaugh and Duncan No. 1 J. A. Graves had a fishing job at 5,470 feet in section 48-43-4n, T&P, in southeastern Dawson county. The exploration is slated for 6,500 feet and has run structurally high, although it has had no shows.

Ray Oil Company No. 1 Scott-Mitchell, a northern outpost for the East Howard pool and located in section 43-30-1n, T&P, was at 1,650 feet. Cecil Guthrie No. 1 TXL, southeastern Howard county wildcat in section 43-30-1a, T&P, drilled at 2,620 feet in lime.

Seaboard No. 5 Sprayberry, drilling in the Sprayberry pool of southeastern Dawson county, set oil string at 3,927 feet. Duncen Drilling has the contract on the well.

Activity continued high in the Coleman Ranch pool with Butram, et al drilling five tests. The operators' No. 2-A Lucy - Mildred Coleman, section 70-97, was at 2,840 feet with 1,200 feet of oil in the hole. No. 3-A Lucy - Mildred Coleman was at 2,395 feet; No. 4-A Coleman at 2,360 feet in lime; No. 5-A Coleman at 2,050 feet in lime. No. 6-A at 1,850 feet in lime. C. T. McLaughlin, 330 feet from the southwest corner of the north half of the northwest quarter of section 70-97, H&TC, passed 2,150 feet in lime.

The Dr. Cooper No. 1 Scott, 330 feet out of the southeast corner of southwest quarter of section -29, W&NW, southeast Howard, was at 1,595 feet.

Korean Denies Aid Promised

SEOUL, April 26. (AP)—Syngman Rhee, conservative Korean independence leader, denied today Shanghai newspaper reports quoting him as saying he was promised \$600,000,000 in US aid for Korea by President Truman.

"Mr. Truman didn't promise me anything," said Rhee, who recently returned from conferences in the United States. "I didn't even see him during my latest trip to the United States."

"What I said in Shanghai," he added in an interview, "was that the United States government was considering aid for the Korean people which we will accept gratefully if extended."

Pair Convicted On Charge Of Rioting

UKIAH, Calif., April 26. (AP)—William Phillips, Jr., 30, and John Bundt, 43, both of Fort Bragg, were convicted by a superior court jury today of rioting and of assault with a deadly weapon upon non-striking redwood lumber workers.

The conviction of riot carries a maximum sentence of two years in jail on each count; assault with a deadly weapon is punishable by one to 10 years in the state penitentiary.

Partition Talks Seen For Congress Party

NEW DELHI, April 26. (AP)—Leaders of the All India Congress party, until recently steadfastly for a united India, as against the Moslem league's demand for an independent Moslem state of Pakistan, have begun evident preparations for possible partition talks involving detailed proposals for the division of the two important provinces.

Plans for the division of Punjab province into approximately equal territorial halves along the line of the River Chenab have been placed in the hands of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, Congress leader, and vice president of India's interim government for study and consideration, an informed Congress party member said today.

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Minister's Wife Dies At Bay City

Mrs. Mildred Goodman, wife of the Rev. Horace C. Goodman, died in Bay City, Texas, early Saturday. Services will be held sometime Monday.

Long time residents of Big Spring, where the Rev. Goodman had been pastor of the Trinity Baptist church, the Goodmans have been in Bay City several years where he is a Baptist pastor. Survivors include the husband, two sons, Horace Goodman, Jr., and Jimmy Goodman; and one daughter, Joy Goodman. Mrs. Goodman was a niece of Mrs. J. L. Haynes, Big Spring.

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Father Divine To Celebrate Anniversary

PHILADELPHIA, April 26. (AP)—Father Divine, billiard-bald, five-foot negro evangelist and self-styled "god," will celebrate the first anniversary of marriage to a 22-year-old white girl with a seven-hour-banquet of 350 courses.

Divine was wed to attractive, blonde Edna Rose Ritchings of Montreal last April 29, but he told shrieking followers at the time it was "in name only."

"God is not married," he preached. "It's true, it's beautiful," his followers shouted.

Tuesday at Pinebrook, N. J.—one of several properties he owns and calls his "heavens"—Divine and his bride will entertain hundreds of members of his religious cult.

An aide disclosed that 60 barrels of chickens will be served.

On his marriage license, Divine gave his age as 41—but he insists he was wed to his late first wife "on June 6, 1882."

200 \$100 Plates Sold For Relief

NEW ORLEANS, April 26. (AP)—Two hundred plates already have been sold for the \$100-a-plate dinner here next Wednesday to raise \$50,000 for Texas City relief.

W. A. (Bill) Coker, relief committee chairman, expressed the belief that with \$20,000 now on hand, the goal will be reached.

The entertainment, which will feature a 2 1/2 hour show of all-star performers, will be held in the Blue Room of the Roosevelt hotel, which seats 450 persons.

Frank Sinatra's radio show will be broadcast coast-to-coast in connection with the dinner. Jack Benny will be master of ceremonies.

Other stars appearing are Mary Livingston, Phil Harris, Alice Faye, Eddie "Rochester" Anderson, Phil Silvers, Marjorie Reynolds, Gene Autry, Jean Sahlon and Jane Powell.

The entire proceeds will go to relief of the explosion-wrecked city and there will be no federal tax on the tickets.

Baptists To See Film On Life Of King David

"The Sweet Singer of Israel," the pictorial story of the life of King David, will be shown at the First Baptist church at 8:40 p. m. today following the evening worship.

The color movie was produced by the school Bible students under Elizabeth Akers as a class project.

Soldiers Poisoned

FRANKFURT, Germany, April 26. (AP)—Two additional victims today brought to 16 the total number of US soldier-prisoners stricken by a poisonous "punch" believed made from anti-freeze in the US Army's Mannheim stockade.

Two Boats Collide

SSINGAPORE, April 26. (AP)—The small freighter Tainan Maru, former Japanese ship now chartered to a Malayan company, collided with another small vessel off Singapore today and at least two persons were reported dead.

25 Local Lions To Attend El Paso Meet

Approximately 25 members from the Big Spring Lions club are due to leave here next weekend for El Paso, where the last convention of district 2-T will be held prior to division of the largest district in

Lions International.

President Otis Graff has announced that the club anticipates chartering a bus for delegates. At the convention two district governors and convention cities will be named, one for district 2-T-1, the northern part of the current district, and 2-T-2.

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Rotary Ladies' Day Program Planned

Regular fifth Tuesday Ladies' Day program will be observed Tuesday by the Rotary club, Pres-

ident Fred Keating has announced. He reminded members of the club to bring their wives as guests for the luncheon meeting. Roy Townsend is the club's program chairman for the month.

TIMES at Johnnie Griffin's—adv.

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DEPARTMENT MANAGERS SUGGESTIONS!

Although there are over 400 items reduced in price for "America's Greatest Sale"—WARD WEEK—the following items have been chosen as outstanding values by each of the department managers for the last week of

WARD WEEK

MRS. MELTON, lingerie dept. manager—suggests:



BEAU DURA PANTIES 59c
Ward Week Value! Flare, briefs and cuff panties of run-resistant Spun-lo rayon. S-M-L.

MR. ROBINSON, shoe dept. manager—suggests:



Gay Fabric OXFORD 1.57
Reduced from 1.89 Washable red, blue or brown duck play shoes for children. Rubber soles. 8-4-3.

MR. HAMIL, men's wear dept. manager—suggests:



FINE WHITE SHIRTS 2.97
A Ward Week Value! They're the best! Smart shirts made of top-quality fabrics, sanforized so they won't shrink over 1%. Sizes 14 1/2-17.

MRS. McCORMICK, infants and children's dept. manager—suggests:



KNIT DIAPER VALUE 2.47
Regularly Were 2.98 Buy these absorbent, soft cotton knit diapers now! Ideal for use at night.

MR. NANCE, work clothing dept. manager—suggests:



MATCHED OUTFITS 4.64
Ward Week Special! Made for long wear... and sanforized. Dress-type collars.

MR. BRYANT, Hardware dept. manager—suggests:



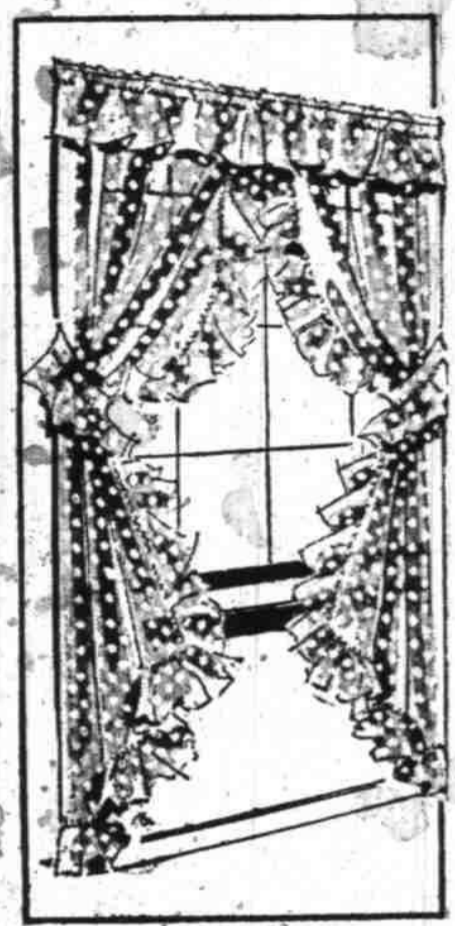
REG. 37.50 SOCKET SET 30.49
Reduced for Ward Week! A 50-piece socket set of alloy-steel. Has 1/4 and 1/2-in. drive. Steel box included.

MRS. JONES, Housewear dept. manager—suggests:



ALUMINUM ROASTER 1.17
Reduced for Ward Week! Holds 5-lb. roast. Mirror-finish outside; sun-ray finish inside. Heats quickly.

MRS. SMITH, drapery and curtains dept. manager—suggests:



DOTTED PRISCILLAS 3.37
Regularly Priced at 3.98 Handsome with chenille spreads! Fine sheer marquisette, full of thick, fluffy dots. Snowy white. Each side, 45" x 90".

MR. TINGLE, furniture dept. manager—suggests:



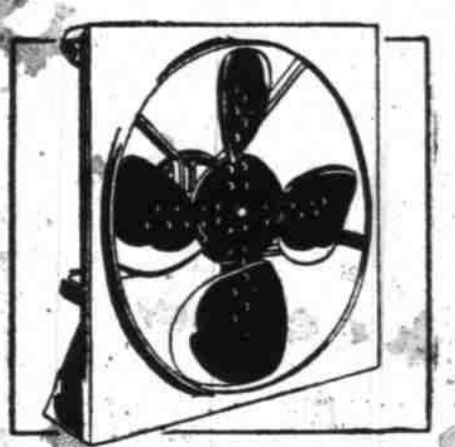
STEEL LAWN CHAIR 5.19
Special Purchase! Extra-roomy with form-fit seat and back. All steel in colorful baked enamel finish.

MR. SPEARS, sporting goods dept. manager—suggests:



HAWTHORNE BIKES 39.88
Regularly \$42.95 10% down Full size models with double-bar frame, headlight, chain guard and rear carrier.

MR. STRATTON, plumbing and heating manager—suggests:



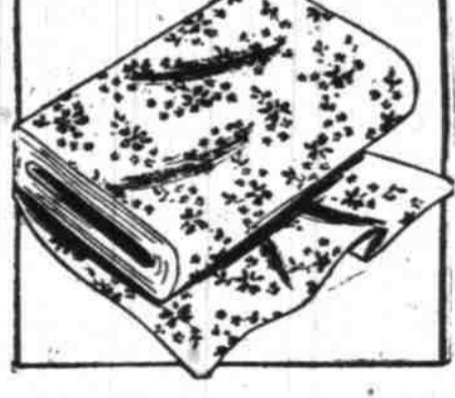
WARDS ATTIC FAN 36-in. 87.50
Brings in plenty of cool, fresh air. Forces out hot summer air. Built durably... to last! See it!

MRS. COOPER, fashion dept. manager—suggests:



COTTON HOUSEDRESSES 2.98
Vat-dyed; washable prints; bright spring florals on light grounds; zipper styles in 144 in. Swing Skirts. Misses sizes 12-18.

MRS. McCAULEY, piece goods dept. manager—suggests:



SPUN RAYONS 77c
Regular 89c Crisp, linen-textured spun rayon prints. Wide selection of patterns.

MR. JENNINGS, automotive dept. manager—suggests:



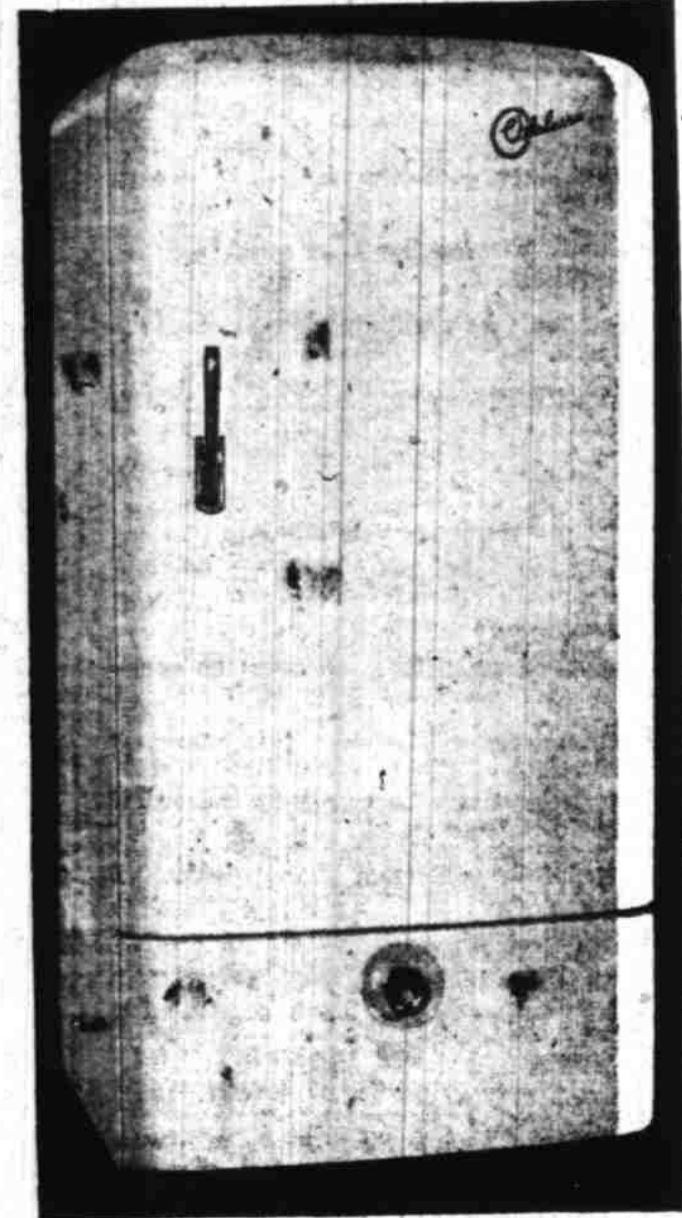
WINTER KING 11.88
Reg. Price 13.75 Exch. "Standard"—guaranteed 21 months. 45 heavy duty plates, 100 amperes.

MR. MATHENY, appliance dept. manager—suggests:



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Senator Says US Has Only 200,000 Combat Soldiers

WASHINGTON, April 26. (AP)—Chairman Gurney (R-SD) of the Senate Armed Services Committee, estimated tonight that the United States has only about 200,000 ground combat soldiers and five groups of long-range bombers.

Gurney explained that this actual fighting strength is out of an overall total of about 1,000,000 troops, of whom 400,000 are in the Air Force. The difference between the combat strength and the total is accounted for by service and support troops and men in training.

The estimate was given in a broadcast with Rep. Thomson (D-Tex.) of the House Armed Services Committee for NBC's weekly program, "Our Foreign Policy."

Gurney said that the five "very heavy bombardment groups" in existence in this country are "all more or less operational." (The five groups presumably refer to the opponents of the Strategic Air Command, with bases in Maryland, Texas and Colorado, and using B-29 bombers.)

In addition, said Gurney, "we also have in the United States four fighter groups and two night fighter groups." (The size of an air group varies widely with missions and conditions but in wartime a group often contained about 30 airplanes or three squadrons.)

Asked what form an attack on the United States today might assume, Gurney answered: "The chief dangers would be from sabotage and subversion within and possibly some long range air attacks. In the future, of course, ultra-modern long range bombers and guided missiles could make destructive attacks on our vital industries. These air attacks might be our first experience of the war. They could be followed up by airborne troops dropping within our borders and, of course, later by attempts to invade us in force with ground troops."

Thomson, answering a question about the possibility of panic arising from atomic bombing or air attack, said that "civil defense in specific cities and towns is primarily a local responsibility. A strong National Guard and reserve, as well as universal military training, would increase the defense potential of local areas in addition to increasing our current strength."

56 Customs Jobs May Be Abolished

WASHINGTON, April 26. (AP)—Senator Aiken (R-Vt.) today closed 56 well-paying jobs in the customs bureau as political plums and announced plans to knock them off in an economy shakeup.

Aiken is chairman of the new Senate Expenditures Committee which already has recommended that the bureau be "thoroughly overhauled and reorganized" in order to operate during the next fiscal year within a \$3,500,000 slash in its operating funds.

The political plums, Aiken told a reporter, are posts of collectors of customs and "other political appointees that are costing the government more than \$400,000 a year."

"The Expenditures Committee is going to examine into these political jobs at length," Aiken said. "We may recommend that they be abolished."

A pound of coal converted into electricity will keep a 100-watt electric bulb going more than seven hours.

CONCRETE USED FOR FERTILIZER

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 26. (AP)—A concrete example of the pitfalls of gardening was offered today by Mrs. R. H. Rainey.

Her two young sons zealously spread a bag of fertilizer among their young plants.

"Only it wasn't fertilizer. It was cement."

190 Million In State Projects For '47 Awarded

AUSTIN, Tex., April 26. (AP)—Residential construction projects boosted the weekly total of building awards to \$19,955,073 and brought total construction for the entire year 1947, to \$190,178,943, the Texas contractor, construction trade magazine reported today.

Awards for 1,416 one family residences costing less than \$7,000 each totaled \$9,912,528, while engineering and non-residential awards combined totaled only \$8,252,817.

Second biggest individual total was in public buildings awards with \$2,410,223. Business buildings, hotels, hospitals, and industrial buildings valued at most of the non-residential awards.

The Bureau of Business Research reported a 23 per cent upsurge in the February-to-March comparisons. Dallas led the list with permits valued at \$4,485,292 for the month of March.

Vaccination For Small Pox Urged

Dr. P. E. Sadler, director of the Midland-Ector-Howard county health unit Saturday urged parents to give early attention to small pox immunization for children.

"There is no need to be unduly alarmed about any possibility of a small pox epidemic when we have as successful immunization as small pox vaccine," Dr. Sadler declared.

A vaccination often protects an individual for life, the health unit director said, but as a safety precaution persons should be re-vaccinated every seven years.

Dr. Sadler advised that children be vaccinated as early as possible. A child under three years old rarely shows any reaction to the vaccine, he said.

Miracles Reported

CAIRO, April 26. (AP)—Le Progrès Egyptian, Cairo newspaper, said today that a man paralyzed 10 years became able to walk and that a nine-year-old child blind since birth gained his eyesight in two St. George's Day miracles Wednesday in the Greek Orthodox St. George's church.

Shoppers Flock To Newburyport

NEWBURYPORT, Mass., April 26. (AP)—Retail merchants reported sales 40 per cent above a normal Saturday today as hundreds of shoppers from surrounding communities flocked into town to participate in Newburyport's anti-inflation experiment.

Norman J. Randall, executive secretary of the old seaport city's development council said inquiries concerning the 10 per cent price cut plan were flooding in from communities spread from coast to coast.

Most of the inquiries, he added, were from communities of less than 50,000 population and he said that he believed the smaller cities and towns were most interested because their merchants were "closer to the people."

Newburyport has a population of 15,000 but is the shopping center for about 45,000.

The "Newburyport Plan" under which retail merchants have cut prices 10 per cent across the board, started last Tuesday. It was scheduled to run for 10 days but sponsors of the idea are considering indefinite continuance. Action on continuing the plan will be taken at a meeting Monday.

School

outcome checking could stand strengthening.

Floyd Honey, Lubbock, commended the organized service to aid students in meeting problems and suggested that a plan be followed in this direction, even to adding non-teaching staff members (particularly for health aid). He said the guidance director should be full time, there should be school nurse (even though part-time, at first), that a cumulative record of the student background should be kept; that home room participation be expanded in student government; that there be an increase in PE intramural activity.

Mrs. Laura Traywick, Odessa, found the library in capable hands, aided by a strong student committee. Reference and fiction departments were strong, but bound current periodicals were cited as a need. She also suggested the study hall not be held in connection with the library, and that all teachers make fullest use of the library.

The school plant was well located and in healthful condition, said E. H. Buttes, Lubbock, deputy superintendent. The separated hearing plant was commended highly, as was the care of the bus. He recommended correcting outdated lighting facilities; addition of special equipment (for vocation shops, music, etc.); improvement of grounds; better toilet facilities.

The administration, staff and supervisors were found above the average in qualification and instruction by Homer Milliken, Lubbock. He commented favorably on the average tenure of 7 1/4 years among all personnel; also on the in-service training. The professional staff, he said, headed to be enlarged slightly, and some non-instructional professional staff members should be added. The budget was adequate for current but not expanding needs, he felt, and added that thought should be given to teacher tenure and leave of absence. Wider use could be made of the bus, he thought, and suggested some expansion of supervision. Business management was praised, as well as the school's public relations.

Airline Changes Flight Schedule

Schedule changes on all four American Airlines flights serving Big Spring go into effect today, it was announced by Woodrow Campbell, local AA manager.

The eastbound morning flight will depart at 9:39 a. m., 20 minutes earlier than formerly. The evening flight, eastbound, has been moved back 35 minutes, and will now depart at 9:32 p. m.

The morning westbound flight is nearly two hours earlier than formerly, is scheduled at 11:12 a. m. effective today. The evening westbound flight is some 25 minutes later, with departure time henceforth at 8:52 p. m.

China Paper Struck

SHANGHAI, April 26. (AP)—Publication of the British-owned North China Daily News was halted today by a strike of mechanical department employes as businessmen predicted general labor trouble in this inflation-ridden city.

In 1899 it required 7.05 pounds of coal to generate one kilowatt hour of electricity. By 1946 this had been reduced to 1.3 pounds.

Markets

LIVESTOCK
 FORT WORTH, April 26. (AP)—Cattle—Compared with last week's top: beef steers and yearlings 24 to 26, heifers 23.00, cows 17.50, stocker yearlings 20.25. Week's bulk: steer and yearling steers and yearlings 20.00-23.00, medium 18.50-19.50, medium and good cow and heifer 17.50-20.00, medium 13.50-14.50.

Calves—Compared with last week's top: good and choice 19.00-22.00, practical top 22.50, medium 12.50-17.50, good and choice stocker calves 17.50-20.00.

Hogs—For week: Butcher hogs 2.75 to mostly 2.25 lower, acres and pig 2.50 lower. Week's top: Butcher hogs, 24.50; stocker hogs, 21.50; closing hogs, 20.50, stocker pigs 18.00-22.00, good and choice 22.50-25.00, medium 21.50-22.25, good and choice 18.00-21.00, medium 17.00-20.00, stocker pigs 18.00-22.00.

Sheep—For week: Spring lambs 80-100 higher, short lambs as high as 90, shorn feeders 18.75, shorn ewes 18.50, shorn feeders 18.50, shorn ewes 18.50, medium and good shorn lambs 18.00-19.00, medium and good shorn ewes 7.50-8.50.

COTTON
 NEW YORK, April 26. (AP)—Cotton futures gained 15 cents to \$1.20 a bale in slow dealings today.

Upturn was supported by unfavorable private crop reports, growing tightness and spot cotton supplies, and formal confirmation of a government inquiry for 40,000 bales of cotton for UNRRA.

WALL STREET
 NEW YORK, April 26. (AP)—In one of the slowest sessions for the past three years, the stock market today emerged from a somewhat spotty week with mild irregularity persisting.

The list rallied selectively in the forepart of the week but subsequently fell steadily. Early in the session the market eventually chilled when the question arose as to whether widespread pay boosts combined with mounting pressure for voluntary price reductions, price ceiling and headline news, business and foreign affairs remained handicaps.

Radiator Cap Stabs Woman To Death

ATLANTA, April 26. (AP)—An ornamental radiator cap on the hood of an automobile stabbed a negro woman to death here.

The victim was listed as Ines Fleming, 32. The woman, a pedestrian, was pierced through the heart by the cap as the car made a left turn.

Police are holding the driver on charges of reckless driving.

Officers Released By China Reds Tell Of Spy Trial

NANKING, April 26. (AP)—Two American assistant military attaches, freed after 55 days in Chinese Communist hands in Manchuria, said today their captors convicted them of being spies in a strange court martial and kept them in solitary confinement 54 days.

Aside from threats of torture during the repeated trial sessions and verbal abuse which included calling them liars, the Communists treated them decently, the Americans related to correspondents.

The two, Maj. Robert E. Riggs of Chicago and Capt. John W. Collins of Evanston, Ill., were captured north of Changchun March 1 and released to an American party Thursday. They flew to Nanking Friday and reported to the embassy before being permitted to tell publicly of their experiences.

US Oil Man Sets Andes Flight Record

BUENOS AIRES, April 26. (AP)—A Douglas A-26 attack bomber owned by a United States oil man established a new speed record today for a flight across the Andes Mountains from Santiago, Chile, to Buenos Aires.

The plane, owned by Howard Kock of Houston, Tex., and piloted by John Leake Erwin, covered the 730-mile direct line route in 2 hours and 30 minutes. A British South American Airways plane claimed the previous record of three hours and one minute.

It requires about 108 minutes for the sun's meridian to cross the United States.

Details

schools and Texas Tech, San Angelo college and Howard Junior college, that "we have a great opportunity — you have pointed the way." He said the administration and faculty must utilize the report (which covered one wall of the assembly room), "raise your lip and our time will have been wasted."

The committee applauded when he told of the board having launched a broad building planning program, but added that it would be useless unless provision was made for more good teachers to serve in new buildings.

Dr. J. E. Hogan an Dan Conley, board members, briefly expressed thanks to the committee and appreciation of the survey. Visitors included C. G. Parsons, superintendent, and Gordon Griggs, principal, Garden City; H. E. Barnes, Knott superintendent; G. D. Kennedy, Forsan superintendent; and Dewey Martin, board member.

The Week

Contributions to the disaster funds continue to come in. Although the bulk has gone into a central fund, it is difficult to know the exact total for several institutions have given through their own agencies. However, around \$3,500 to \$4,000 has been raised here thus far.

Whether the cantata, "Big Spring," is presented at the Tennessee penitentiary so that its composer, Frank Grandstaff, can hear it for the first time rests with prison officials. A request has been presented for permission to allow the T&P male chorus put on the program.

Rep. R. E. (Peppy) Blount advises that the county free library bill (HB 676), which would permit a levy for library purposes out of the permanent or general fund, has been reported favorably by the committee on counties. Blount introduced the measure on behalf of Howard counties.

Seventy-three members of the House (none of them from this section) voted for an amendment last week which all but killed hopes for restricting and continuing a defiance of the constitution which has persisted for three decades. These probably will be paying glowing tributes to the constitution in their next campaign.

Automobiles have to be carried piecemeal on the backs of coolies over the mountains to reach Nepal, a state in India.

Palestine Police Officer Killed

JERUSALEM, April 26. (AP)—Two young Jews who fired from a passing taxi cut down a senior Palestine police officer today as he stepped from his automobile in Haifa, bringing to 14 the death toll in a week of vengeful warfare against the British by the Jewish underground.

The Jewish agency, political representative of the Holy Land's 600,000 Jews, was reported preparing new proposals to the Palestine government for combating terrorism. These include establishment of security patrols by armed members of Hagana, the reputed 60,000 strong clandestine Jewish "defense army" which works closely with the Jewish agency, a reliable informant said.

A. E. Conquest, head of the Haifa criminal investigation department, was shot twice in the abdomen by his assailants, whose taxi crashed into a traffic island as it sped from the scene. The two men leaped out and escaped on foot.

Conquest, a veteran of 18 years service on the police force in the seaport of Haifa, succumbed to his wounds in a few hours.

The Jewish agency's plan for combating terrorists was expected to be offered to the Palestine government Monday.

Social Democrats Win

TOKYO, April 26. (AP)—Japan's Social Democrats surprised themselves today by winning 143 seats in the House of Representatives, giving them pluralities in both houses of the new Diet.

Weather Forecast

DEPT. OF COMMERCE WEATHER BUREAU

Big Spring and vicinity—Continued cloudy and not quite so cold with occasional scattered showers. Expected high today 65, low Sunday 48. High Monday 74.

WEST TEXAS—Considerable cloudiness, scattered showers and thunderstorms Sunday. Monday partly cloudy and warmer. Scattered showers South Plains and Pecos Valley eastward.

EAST TEXAS—Cloudy, occasional rain Sunday and Monday. Warmer Monday. Moderate to fresh northeast winds on the coast becoming southeast Monday.

Local sunset today 7:34 p. m.; sunrise Monday 6:03 a. m.

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How The Telephone Strike Can Be Settled

Question: Why are telephone workers still on strike?
 Answer: They are still on strike because union leaders won't accept the company's offer to arbitrate wages—the union's main demand.

Question: Why do union leaders refuse to arbitrate?
 Answer: Because they want the company to make a wage offer before hand.

Question: Is the company willing to do this?
 Answer: No.

Question: Why not?
 Answer: Because the company believes its prevailing wages are good and well in line with community wage levels.

Question: Has the company offered to allow someone else to pass on the wage question?
 Answer: Yes. That is one of the main purposes of arbitration.

Question: In case a board of arbitration found an increase should be granted, what happens?
 Answer: The arbitrators decide the amount of the increase.

Question: Supposing the company reached full agreement with the union, would that end the strike?
 Answer: No, not at once.

Question: Why not?
 Answer: The union states it has delegated to another group—the policy committee of National Federation of Telephone Workers—its right to approve wage and other demands for its thousands of members.

Question: What is the policy committee of the National Federation?
 Answer: That is a group of 49 representatives of the telephone union from all over the country now assembled in Washington, D.C.

Question: Would the national policy committee approve an agreement between this company and the union representing its employees?
 Answer: They say they would not give approval unless agreements satisfactory to the union leaders had been reached with all other telephone companies.

Question: Do you mean that union officers from Florida and Oregon, from Pennsylvania and Arizona have to approve before the strike can end here?
 Answer: That seems to be the position of the union's national policy committee.

Question: What kind of a bargain is the national policy committee trying to drive?
 Answer: Apparently it hopes to gain nation-wide power over an essential public service with no responsibility to the public for its acts.

Question: The Southwestern Company employees remaining on strike principally in support for this drive for nation-wide status?
 Answer: It would seem so since the strike continues despite the company's offer to arbitrate the main issue—the employees wages.

Question: How can the telephone strike be settled?
 Answer: It can be settled quickly and fairly if union leaders will accept the company's offer of arbitration. Other issues could then be negotiated.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

Youth To Take Over Regular C-C Broadcast

Big Spring youth will take over the chamber of commerce radio program over KBST at 3 p. m. today in observance of Boy and Girl week.

Tommie Kinman will be master of ceremonies, and the program will be composed principally of music. An ensemble made up of voice pupils who are studying with Mrs. Nell Frazier, will sing two numbers. Leslie Cathey will be featured as soloist in "The Night is Young" and the ensemble will also sing "When Day is Done."

Piano solos will be given by Susan Houser and Jim Berry Farmer, and Emman Corrine Tucker and Twila Phillips will present accordion duets. A baritone solo, by Russell Logan will round out the musical program.

Ronald Johnston and Edna Stevenson will each give a talk on "What the Future Means to Me."



WRITER.—Lilla van Saher, (above) Hungarian actress and a graduate of the School of Medicine in Paris, has turned to writing as a career and will live in the U. S.

'Inch' Pipelines To Be Released In Five Days

HOUSTON, Tex., April 26. (AP)—The Big and Little Inch pipelines will be released May 1 by the Tennessee Gas and Transmission company, Gardiner Symonds, president, announced today.

The lines then go to the new Texas Eastern Transmission corporation, which bids \$143,000,000 for them several weeks ago. The new company plans to spend \$40,000,000 on feeder line and booster station construction.

Tennessee Gas obtained the lines Dec. 2 on a four month lease basis after being unable to obtain materials in time to increase the capacity of its pipeline during winter months.

Under Tennessee Gas management 17,000,000,000 cubic feet of natural gas were transported to the Appalachian area.

During the four month period the company paid the federal government \$1,000,000 in revenue, plus \$300,000 in maintenance savings, Symonds said.

The Tennessee Gas president said that materials are now more readily available and that a program for laying a parallel line to the Appalachian area is well under way in seven states. A large part of the construction project is expected to be completed before next winter, he said.

Tennessee has an application pending before the federal power commission to further increase capacity. Such a permit would push 600,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily through Tennessee lines, Symonds said.

SUIT IS GONE WITH PANTS

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 26. (AP)—There may be no law saying so, but an Oklahoma City judge is of the opinion that when the trousers are gone, so too is the suit gone.

And that ruling was the basis of a \$69.87 judgment awarded in a suit, a legal suit in Oklahoma City court today.

The judgment was awarded to an Oklahoma City Oil Company engineer, B. D. Campbell, who sued an Oklahoma City cleaning establishment for the price of a suit, the trousers to which allegedly were lost by the cleaners.

Common Pleas Judge Glen O. Morris, in granting the judgment, overruled the defense's contention that "there is no reason to presume that a man cannot be well-dressed just because his coat isn't exactly the same as his pants."

Breeders Group Re-Elects Full Officers' Slate

The Howard County Hereford Breeders Association re-elected its full officers' slate for another year and made preliminary plans for the organization's next regular sale at an annual business meeting Saturday afternoon in the county agent's office.

Officers re-elected were E. W. Lomax, president, Tom Roden, vice-president, and Leland Wallace, secretary-treasurer.

The breeders tentatively arranged to hold their next annual sale between Feb. 15 and March 1, 1948. The definite date for the sale will be set in accordance with auctioneer schedules for the winter months.

R. E. Martin and Repps Guitler were admitted to the association as new members. Others attending were H. D. Cowden, Charlie Creighton, B. L. Frewitt, Donald Lay, John Phillips, County Agent Durward Lewis, Dixie Cagle, I. B. Cagle, Sam Buchanan, Morgan Gostes, W. L. Wilson, Jr., Lomax and Wallace.

Showdown Set In UN Meet On Palestine Issue

NEW YORK, April 26. (AP)—Britain and the other big powers may be forced to show their hands on the Palestine issue in the special session of the United Nations assembly opening Monday.

Reports from small nations indicated that the Arab League might get some support in its efforts to pin down the British on the explosive issue, either through drawing out the British in debate or inducing a commitment that London would accept the recommendations of a proposed inquiry commission.

Britain and the United States were ready to resist any efforts to throw open the debate with the argument that the agenda called only for discussions of a commission.

As delegates arrived from all parts of the world for the extraordinary session on the Holy Land, Hungary made a surprise move in filing formal application for UN membership.

The first Axis state to seek entry into the 55-nation peace agency, Hungary said in its note that the treaty had been signed.

The UN announced that no action could be taken on the application until the peace treaty had been ratified by the signatory governments. At that time the request will go to the security council for vote and thence to the assembly for a final ballot.

In early May Illinois, wagon freight charges were often \$10 a ton for twenty miles.



REV. D. D. LEWIS

Rev. D. D. Lewis and his Evangelistic singers of Dallas are here in revival meetings at the Assembly of God Church, corner West 4th and Lancaster street. Services each evening at 7:45 from April 26th to May 11th. Each member of the church welcomes you.

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British Political War Underway

LONDON, April 26. (AP)—Prime Minister Attlee's labor government turned to the attack against its conservative critics today in a developing British political war.

Two high-ranking government officers, Attorney General Sir Hartley Shawcross and Fuel Minister Emanuel Shinwell, denounced Winston Churchill personally and the Conservative party generally in separate speeches. They followed a pattern set in a speech yesterday by Attlee who accused Churchill of "meanness," "ignorance" and "obscure imperialism."

In turn, Churchill in a letter to a bye-election candidate today, renewed his charges of "reckless waste and gross mismanagement" by the Attlee regime and declared labor had "made a mockery" of its election slogans.

A statement by a high-ranking laborite that the party planned a "tub thumping" campaign because some cabinet ministers were irritated by the barrage of conservative criticism coincided with reports that Attlee planned to arrange a new general election in the fall, seeking a new mandate to deal with economic problems.

These reports were quickly denied by labor spokesmen who said the rumors were spread by conservatives.

Shawcross denounced what he called "the deliberate organization of underground and anonymous whispering campaigns" and said the conservatives were without policy and leadership. "Nobody really regards Mr. Churchill as the leader of the Tories," he said.

Shinwell said neither Mr. Churchill nor his followers can lead the country in the direction of prosperity.

Churchill said "the harsh and clumsy tobacco tax, which saves so small a portion of our dwindling American loan, is only a part of the price our under-nourished citizens will have to pay for maintaining an army of state officials to regulate, harass and pry into every enterprise."

Thomas Edison built his first model of an electric locomotive in 1880.

Six County Boys To Attend Legion Boys' State Week

Applications for six Howard county boys to attend and participate in the American Legion sponsored Boys' State week activities at Austin on June 8-15 were submitted Saturday.

Three boys from Big Spring High School and one each from the high schools at Knott, Coahoma and Forsan will attend the event. Their expenses will be paid by the four Big Spring service clubs and the local Legion post.

During the week in Austin, the boys will be quartered at the state school for the blind, and will take part in a number of model government projects at the Capitol.

Applications were submitted for Gordon Madison, B. B. Lees and D. Lamar Turner of Big Spring, Clarence Hays of Coahoma, Robert Baker of Forsan and Max Roman of Knott.

Archbishop Raps Russ

CANTERBURY, England, April 26. (AP)—Dr. R. G. F. Fisher, archbishop of Canterbury, said today Russia's "distorted conception of justice and good neighborliness" were hindering reorganization of world peace and economic activity.

Negro residents are urged to attend a meeting of the Colored Civic league which will be held at the Lakeview school Sunday at 2 p. m. Civic Improvements on the north side of town will be discussed, and Frank Miller will preside over the session.

SANITATION VS. TRUCK LAWS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 26. (AP)—The dignity of the law is in the middle.

About 20 of Springfield's garbage trucks can't pass state safety tests for 1947 license plates until some defective vital parts are replaced. The parts are unobtainable.

Investigators have stopped some of the trucks but no one has stopped the flow of garbage to cans.

"It's embarrassing," says Frank Lock, street commissioner. "It's the law," says the secretary of state's office. The trucks still chug along.

FARES PLEASE

ALLENTOWN, Pa., April 26. (AP)—Palmer Warren Snyder and his wife and small daughter, Joan, have solved their housing problem.

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Farm And Ranch News

By WAGIL MONAIR
Total fruit losses in the area resulting from frost on April 17 were not so extensive as first reports indicated. Nolan Von Roeder reported this week losses in his orchards at Knapp were slight. In fact, he thought it doubtful that the total potential yield was affected at all by frost. The Von Roeder orchards account for a major portion of the entire fruit crop of this section. Early reports reaching Big Spring indicated that the heavy peach crop there was damaged seriously.

Jimmie Eason, who has a num-

ber of young fruit trees at his place east of Big Spring, said this week that his fruit sustained no losses. However, Eason put out several smudge fires on the night of the frost.

Virtually all peaches at the US Experiment Farm were lost, however. Fred Keating, superintendent at the farm, said he estimated the peach loss there at 100-per cent. The fruit trees at the experiment farm are on a location that is particularly vulnerable to the weather.

Ira Wasson shipped 600 head of stocker cattle Saturday from the West Texas Livestock Auction company to the Wasson ranch in New Mexico. A crew of workers spent several days last week shipping up and branding the shipment. The shipment was composed chiefly of stocker steer yearlings with some cows and calves.

Texas stockmen may have another cattle parasite problem on their hands, according to a recent report from US Department of Agriculture entomologists. The scientists say they have discovered an African cattle parasite, the "tail louse," in Florida and Texas, and that heavy infestations of the pest can be a serious threat to cattle production. The lice sap cattle of their vitality and can make them too weak to walk if infested heavily.

How the louse got to the United States is a question, the entomologists say. Previously, it was known to exist only in West Africa, where it was discovered in 1915. It has been most recently reported in Texas. The lice infest the brush of the animal's tail, and stockmen can recognize serious infestations by the matted appearance of the tail. Sprays containing 1.5 per cent DDT, in a wettable powder form, are being recommended for control of the pest. The entomologists say that although the tail is the central point where the lice gather, spraying the entire animal thoroughly is advisable.

The farm labor service already is concerned over the possibility of heavy demands during the Texas wheat and cotton harvest seasons. The Texas wheat and small grain acreage is an estimated eight per cent larger than the record acreage of 1946, and J. B. Kidd, farm labor field assistant, says more outside combines will be needed this year than ever before. Crop conditions also are far above average. A full 98 per cent of the wheat crop is reported in good condition and the remaining two per cent is rated fair.

With a record cotton crop already up in the Rio Grande Valley and other growers planning increased acreage, pressure on the available cotton harvest labor supply is expected to be as heavy as it was during the war years.

Recruiting Army

LONDON, April 26. (AP)—A foreign office spokesman said today that information reaching London indicates an effort is being made by communists in Romania to recruit a "Citizen Army" from persons who formerly were members of the Fascist Iron Guard.



SIGNS OF THE TIMES—Just like the youngest generation of a few years ago took over war talk and war play, now they're taking up picketing to get what they want. John Malloy, young son of the Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence Malloy, prefers ice cream to spinach so he takes up the modern way of getting it. Hoping it will be successful, his sister, Margaret dons her "Me Too" sign and joins the picketing tour around the Malloy home at 801 S. Church St., Paris, Texas.

Miss Thelma Boone Former Coahoma Resident Dies

Thelma Boone, former retail training specialist for the University of Texas division of extension, returned here Saturday after having completed the basic course in life insurance at the Institute of Insurance Marketing at Southern Methodist University.

Miss Boone joined her mother here before proceeding to San Angelo, where she will be assigned to the district office of the Kansas City Life Insurance company, with which she became affiliated on March 24.

She is to return to SMU in August for additional schooling and advanced work on programming, business, insurance, taxes and trusts. The course covers 12 months, one-third in school and the balance in supervised field work.

The first institute was started in 1945 at Purdue by A. R. Jaqua, who is director at SMU. Some 500 have been enrolled from 38 states and Miss Boone is among the first women to be enrolled in these courses.

Arrangements are incomplete, but neither of the Williams brothers will be able to attend the rites. Haddon, who lived at Coahoma prior to 1916, was found dead in a pasture by his wife. Apparently he had dismounted from his horse when stricken, presumably by a heart attack.

Mrs. Zula Patterson, Los Angeles, a sister-in-law, who was visiting here at the time word of Haddon's death was received, left for Chelsea, Saturday morning. She was accompanied by two sons, Vernon Patterson and Erwin Patterson, and their wives.

Crystal Club Meets At Park
Mrs. B. H. Williams and Mrs. C. R. Fuglar were co-hostesses at a steak barbecue held for the Crystal club Friday night in City Park. Several games were played and Mrs. T. F. Horton found the prize in a treasure hunt.

FINDER'S KEEPERS WITH TAX MONEY

CHICAGO, April 26. (AP)—Albert T. Anderson, 77, lost his wallet containing \$99 and turned over all the money over to the finder. His loss occurred in the county treasurer's office while he was there to pay his taxes. When Anderson returned several days after the loss, he found the wallet and money waiting for him. He handed the money back to the treasurer.

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National Grange Asks 'Economy Of Abundance'

WASHINGTON, April 26. (AP)—The National Grange handed Congress today a sweeping farm program calling for a national "economy of abundance."

Albert S. Goss, Grange master who presented the plan to the House Agriculture Committee, said potential surpluses from a 35 per cent increase in farm production "when and if war-caused demands cease" constitute "the heart of the farm program."

"If farmers are to produce that abundance, which the nation needs to maintain a high standard of living, they are bound to be occasional surpluses," Goss said in a statement.

"If we permit these surpluses to run wild, and be used to force commodity prices to levels below production costs... we are in for trouble."

Goss told the committee "we want as little government interference as possible, largely limited to preventing economic pressures or aggression which might make it impossible to obtain agriculture's objectives." But he added that "will require some government aid or protection."

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The Texas Butane Dealers Association urges you to drop in to see your local gas dealer as soon as possible. Consult him before you buy any system. He knows butane and propane, and he will do everything he can to cooperate with you for next winter—Now!

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FAMOUS YACHT REFITTED—The yacht Sea Cloud, owned by Mrs. Marjorie Post Davies, wife of the former envoy to Russia, is shown after reconversion at Bethlehem's Ballimore yard from wartime service, during which it saw convoy duty on the run to Murmansk.

Forsan Service Club Holds Organizing Meet

Formal organization of the Forsan service club was completed at the third meeting of the new group Thursday evening under C. V. Wash, president. Wash announced various committees which will serve in the organization, which launched one of its projects by posting \$42 toward a Texas City relief fund. At the last meeting constitution and by-laws of the club were adopted. Motion is "Foresight, Sincerity, Co-operation." Five new members were introduced, bringing the membership to 42. Various women's groups serve the club, the home economics department of the school, the Forsan Study club and the Home Demonstration club having been hosts at the meetings thus far. Officials said meals had been excellent. The club meets every other Thursday evening. Officials of the club are Wash;

M. E. Perry, vice-president W. B. Dunn, secretary-treasurer; and E. N. Baker and D. F. Yarbrow, directors. These are the committees: Food—Frank Honeycutt, E. A. Grissom, Frank Thiele. Membership—Lloyd Peek, Jeff English, L. M. Hayhurst, L. W. Moore. Program—M. E. Perry, Harry Miller, Joe Holladay, Glenn Whittenburg. Publicity—C. J. Lamb, T. D. Weaver, G. L. Monroey. Hospitality—J. D. Gilmore, A. P. Oglesby, Jack Wise, M. M. Hines. Aims and objects—G. D. Kennedy, O. W. Scudday, L. Huevel, Johnson, J. D. Leonard.

Sweden To Produce Uranium From Slate

STOCKHOLM, April 26. (AP)—The Swedish Atomic Commission declared today that this country soon would be able to produce large quantities of Uranium from slate. In a report to the government, the commission proposed the establishment of an atomic energy corporation owned by the state and private interests. The report said that as a result of a Parliamentary appropriation of 2,000,000 crowns (\$550,000) for research, Sweden now was able to produce limited amounts of uranium from materials here and that mass production could get underway in the near future.

China To Get US Naval Vessels

WASHINGTON, April 26. (AP)—President Truman today authorized the navy to give China an un-

specified number of naval vessels and floating dry docks. His order also authorized the navy to detail not more than 100 officers and 200 enlisted men to assist China in naval matters.



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SHERMAN, April 26. (AP)—Mrs. Arthur Todd, 44, was burned to death at her farm home near here last night when a gasoline stove exploded.

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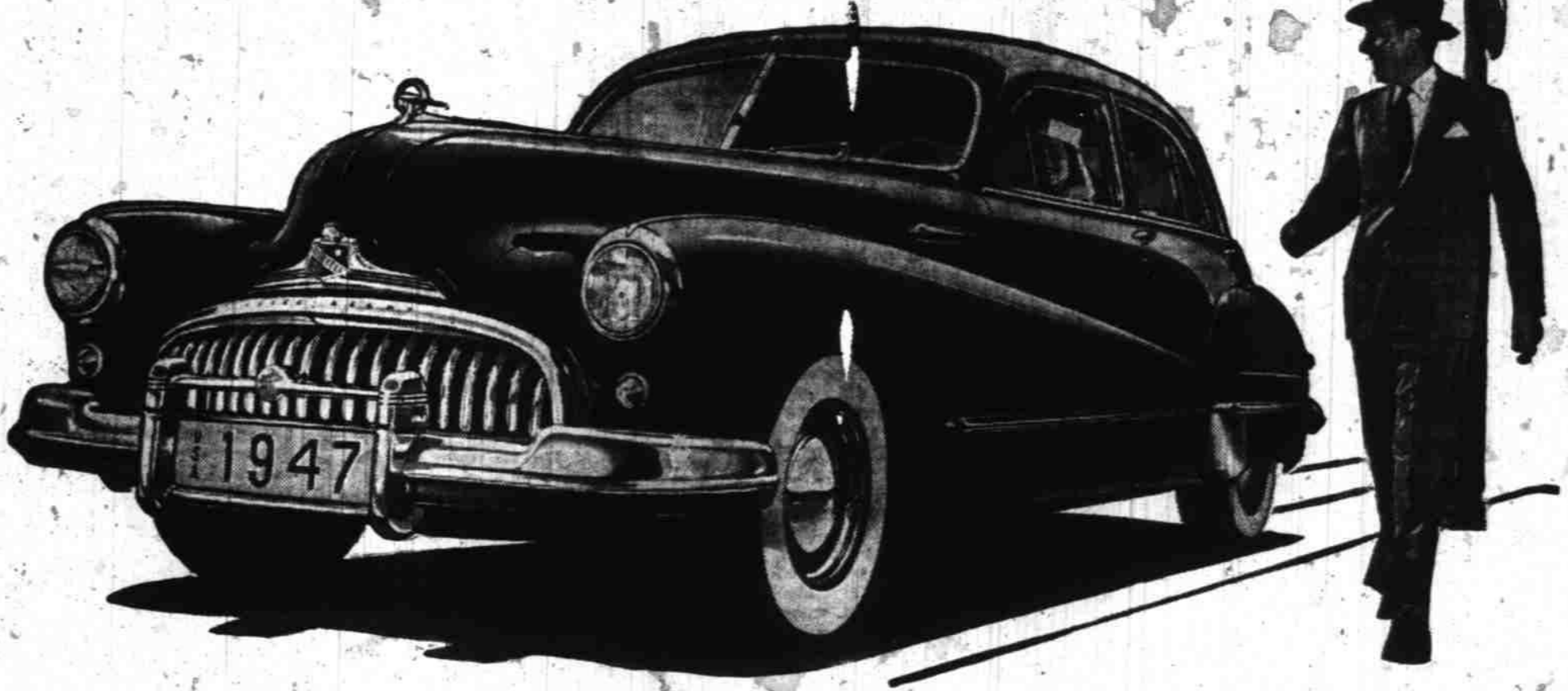
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Steers Beaten In Track Meet

Ablene's Eagles overpowered the Big Spring Steers by a point margin of 81 1/2 to 44 1/2 in a dual track and field meet here Saturday morning, winning eight blue ribbons on the 12-event program.

The pole vault and the shot put were not held due to the fact that Big Spring could not field entries.

Mule Stockton's resident team had to do without the services of Ernie Ache, star sprinter; Howard Nuckles, 880-yard runner; Ray Russell, miler; and Harold Berry, pole vaulter.

B. B. Lees' 11 Wins, 12 To 0

Fair times were registered in all three distance races and the mile relay. Fish of Ablene maneuvered ahead of Jim Bill Little, Big Spring, in the 440 and stayed here, covering the distance in a respectable 53.2 seconds.

Leon Leopard was never pushed in the 880 but broke the tape in 2:04.9 minutes, which is better than he had been able to do most of the time.

Donald Webb and James Fanlin, both of Big Spring, ran one-two in the mile with the winner completing the race in 4:48 minutes.

Perhaps the most thrilling event of the day occurred in the final morning show, the mile relay. Fish gave the visitors a commanding lead as the leadoff man and his mates, Tricky and Herring, had built up the advantage to something like 30 yards when the two anchor men, Edgington of Ablene and the Steers' Leopard, took the batons.

Leopard ate up the distance all the way around and then beat out the Steers with a tremendous kick in the home stretch. He covered the lap in an amazing 52 seconds. Time for the Big Spring team was 3:35.5 minutes.

Fish was the high point man of the meet with 12 points, having scored firsts in the 440 and broad jump, had a leg on the winning sprint relay team and comprised a part of the runnerup mile relay quartet.

Summary: 200-Yard Run—Edgington (Ablene) 1:21.5; 400-Yard Run—Webb (Big Spring) 1:26.8; 800-Yard Run—Leopard (Big Spring) 2:04.9; 1 Mile—Leopard (Big Spring) 4:48; 1.5 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 8:00; 2 Mile—Leopard (Big Spring) 13:04.9; 4 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 26:48; 8 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 55:00; 10 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 1:35:00; 12 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 2:04:00; 15 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 2:33:00; 20 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 3:35:50; 30 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 5:15:00; 40 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 7:00:00; 50 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 8:50:00; 60 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 10:40:00; 70 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 12:30:00; 80 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 14:20:00; 90 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 16:10:00; 100 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 18:00:00; 110 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 19:50:00; 120 Mile—Webb (Big Spring) 21:40:00; 1 Mile Relay—Leopard (Big Spring) 4:48; 2 Mile Relay—Webb (Big Spring) 9:30; 3 Mile Relay—Webb (Big Spring) 14:00; 4 Mile Relay—Webb (Big Spring) 18:30; 5 Mile Relay—Webb (Big Spring) 23:00; 6 Mile Relay—Webb (Big Spring) 27:30; 7 Mile Relay—Webb (Big Spring) 32:00; 8 Mile Relay—Webb (Big Spring) 36:30; 9 Mile Relay—Webb (Big Spring) 41:00; 10 Mile Relay—Webb (Big Spring) 45:30; 11 Mile Relay—Webb (Big Spring) 50:00; 12 Mile Relay—Webb (Big Spring) 54:30; Pole Vault—Leopard (Big Spring) 10.0; Shot Put—Leopard (Big Spring) 30.0; Discus—Leopard (Big Spring) 120.0; Javelin—Leopard (Big Spring) 40.0; Broad Jump—Leopard (Big Spring) 15.0; High Jump—Leopard (Big Spring) 4.0; 50 Yard Dash—Leopard (Big Spring) 15.0; 100 Yard Dash—Leopard (Big Spring) 18.0; 200 Yard Dash—Leopard (Big Spring) 26.0; 400 Yard Dash—Leopard (Big Spring) 1:05.0; 800 Yard Dash—Leopard (Big Spring) 2:05.0; 1 Mile Dash—Leopard (Big Spring) 4:48.0; 1.5 Mile Dash—Leopard (Big Spring) 8:00.0; 2 Mile Dash—Leopard (Big Spring) 13:05.0; 4 Mile Dash—Leopard (Big Spring) 26:48.0; 8 Mile Dash—Leopard (Big Spring) 55:00.0; 12 Mile Dash—Leopard (Big Spring) 2:04:00.0.

Arcaro Seeking Fourth Victory At Louisville

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 26. (AP)—Derbytown started icing up the julep cups today for what may be the fanciest Kentucky Derby of them all, come next Saturday.

It looks like a field of about 15, headed by Faultless and Phalanx. Colonel Matt Winn says there'll be 20,000 to 20,000 more on hand than last year, when 105,000 had their feet stepped on at the picturesque Churchill Downs racing plant out near the edge of town. This could make it an all-time Derby record 125,000.

The crowd record won't be the only one they'll be taking shots at in this 73rd run for the roses, either. If heedy Eddie Arcaro can boot Phalanx up to that paying teller's window for the large slice of the \$100,000, he'll be the first jockey in history to ring the bell here four times. He's done it in the past with Lawrin, Whirlaway and Hoop, Jr., and is tied with Handy Earl Sande and the great negro rider, Ike Murphy, at the head of the parade.

And if Faultless should hit the jackpot, it will mark the fourth winner for plain Ben Jones, the Missouri magician who trains the spee-gees as if he could speak their language. That would move him up to a training tie with Derby Dick Thompson for the top spot.

To most folks hereabouts, it looks as if it's going to be either Phalanx or Faultless, too. They're one-two in the winter books.

But they still have to show up and run around the race track a mile and a quarter, and with \$100,000 hanging on the wire, all of them will be hustling. California, for instance, holds its strongest hand in years with On Trust, a gangling, long-legged looper. He cake-walked in the Santa Anita derby early in March, and if he could make it a carbon copy Saturday, he'd be the first native son of the sun-kissed shores to have the lavender of roses draped on him since Morvich meandered home exactly a quarter-century ago.

These three and nine others are more or less certain to be on hand when the muted brass sends "My Old Kentucky Home" drifting out over the Downs' newly terraced gardens Saturday.

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Texas U First In Two Sprints

DES MOINES, April 26. (AP)—Two track records were ground into the cinders at the 38th Drake Relays today and another was tied as the record breaking field of 2,000 athletes ended their carnival unmatched in performance in the past five years.

A shrit sieved throng of 13,000 basked in the warmth of a welcome sun.

Harrison Dillard, long striding Negro star from Baldwin - Wallace college, Berea, Ohio, holder of six national hurdling titles, smashed the nine year-old Drake record for the 120-yard high hurdles, faultlessly skimming the 10 barriers against a stiff wind in 14.1 seconds.

This blotted the former record of 14.2 established by Freddie Wolcott, Rice Institute, Houston, Texas, in 1938.

Ohio State's quartet of splendid hurdlers—Lloyd Duff, Richard Maxwell, William Seibert and Robert Wright—cracked the second Drake record when they were timed in :59.4 in the 480-yard shuttle high hurdles race. This clipped five-tenths of a second off the former mark hung up by Oklahoma A&M in 1941.

The hardest working runners were the tireless lads from the University of Texas, winners of two sprint relays and second in the long distance events.

Texas' sprint team captured the 440-yard university relay from Baylor by two yards in :41.2, third fastest time for the event in the history of the carnival.

The amazing Texas sprinters came back to triumph in the university half-mile relay in 1:25.9, which tied the meet record made by Ohio State five years ago. Running for Texas in both sprint events were Perry Samuels, Charley Tatom, Allen Lawler and Charley Parker.

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Al Getz Returns To BSAC Monday Night To Tangle With Freeman

Big Al Getz, a familiar figure if not an old friend, returns to the Big Spring Athletic Club Monday evening to meet Ace Freeman, a New York Jewish boy who was quite active here in the '30's.

Getz turned into quite a clown while on a tour of duty here a few weeks ago. He was deliberately offhand but never dull and fans found it difficult not to like him, in spite of the fact that he broke more rules than any other man ever to appear in the local ring.

The Pittsburgh Dutchman meets in Freeman a lad who relies on speed to get him over the board.



ACE FREEMAN ... Returning

Frosh Pilfers Show In 53rd Penn Relays

PHILADELPHIA, April 16. (AP)—Eastern quarters ganged up on Illinois today and kept the Big Nine cinder kings from completely dominating the 53rd annual Penn Relays but the real villain in the plot was a freshman from New York university who shed his army khaki only ten weeks ago.

Although they duplicated their feat of a year ago by winning three of the team championships, the Illinois bid for an unprecedented quintuple victory was thoroughly squelched before an estimated throng of 40,000 at sun-drenched Franklin field.

For the second straight day, it was Reggie Pearman, gangling NYU freshman, who tossed the monkey wrench into the works by slipping past the Orange and blue runners from the Western conference when they least expected it.

Having added the 880-yard relay title to their 440-yard and distance medley championships of yesterday, the Illinois pressed up the four-mile event and shot for the two-mile crown, only to finish in third place behind Fordham and Manhattan.

NYU finished in 8:18.8 in the one mile. Illinois, sparked by McKenley's 47.5 on the anchor leg, was clocked in the same time. Navy was third and Manhattan fourth.

In the two-mile relay it was Fordham's foursome of Francis Leary, Ed Carney, John O'Hara and Jerry Connolly who scored by 15 yards in 7:50.7 as Bill Atkinson of Manhattan out-ran Johnny Twomey of Illinois on the anchor leg to take second by five yards.

Illinois had little trouble chalking up the 880-yard championship with McKenley running the last 220 in 20.6 to finish a dozen yards in front of NYU in 1:26.1.

The only record-breaker of the day was Richard Morgom of New Hampshire, who captured the pole vault with a leap of 14 feet, 3 inches to wipe out the previous mark of 14 feet 2 3/8 inches set by Ralph Ross of Army in 1940.

Friday's Results: LONGHORN LEAGUE: Odessa 13, Ballinger 8. Odessa 14, Sweetwater 8. BIG SPRING at Midland, postponed. WEST TEXAS-NEW MEXICO: Lubbock 22, Borger 2. Amarillo 24, Langston 2. Abilene 13, Abilene 6. Corpus Christi at Pampa, postponed.

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Gun Club Meets Again On May 2

An invitation has been extended to Fred L. West, secretary of the Coleman County Rifle and Pistol club to speak at the next meeting of the Howard County Gun club, which will be held at the Dora Roberts citadel at 8 p. m. Friday, May 2.

Frank Amos, secretary of the local organization, has written to the National Rifle association for details on a certified range. Named to the Range committee were T. J. Dunlap, chairman, Jack Thompson and T. W. Jarratt.

Among those who have already joined the club are S. E. Webb, Jimmy Byers, Edward McCormick, Claude Wright, Sr., Harland Landers, Elwood Carlisle, Frank Amos, C. W. Bell, Doyal Grace, J. D. McWhirter, Tommie Elliott, John Pipes, Roy Low, Lee Woods, Bobby Wright and Billy Bob Redwine.

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Baylor Splashes To 11-3 Victory

WACO, April 26. (AP)—The Baylor baseball team splashed through to an 11-3 victory over Texas A&M here this afternoon on a diamond slushy with mud in the late innings.

The two clubs were scheduled to play a double-header to make up for a game rained out the previous day, but a drizzle that turned into a steady downpour about the 6th inning necessitated calling the second tilt.

Baylor right-fielder Chuck Devereaux smashed out a four-run homer and drove in two other tallies with a single and a long fly to pace the ten-hit Bryan batting attack on three Angie hurlers.

Almost 20 pounds of coffee per capita was consumed in the United States during 1946.

Shelton's safety drove in what proved to be the winning run in the third.

Daylong, who struck out four men, limited the Jayhawks to four hits.

In the other scheduled game, American Legion won by forfeit over American Business Club.

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Feller Shades Detroit Ace In Tribe City Mound Duel

Bovines Beaten By War Birds

Capitalizing on Jackie Barron's first inning wildness and two misc-plays, the Abilene Eagles scored two runs in that round and went on to defeat the Big Spring-Steers, 6-4, in a District 10AAA baseball game here Saturday afternoon.

Sid Goodloe, ace Eagle hurler, limited the Longhorns to four hits but had rough sailing in the fourth when the homelings picked up three runs. He struck out 15 of the Steer hitters.

Barron settled down after his shaky start and combined his slants with those of Marvin Wright to give Goodloe a tussle. The local pair rationed out six safeties.

Eddie Kohanek rapped out a long triple to feature the Big Spring hitting attack.

Horace Rankin accounted for two of the Big Spring runs in the fifth when he singled with Huck Doe and Don Carter up front. The Hess came home shortly thereafter when Pete Fuglar dropped one safely into right center field.

Big noise in the Abilene attack was Gene Landrum, who came up with a brace of singles.

AB	R	H	PO	A
Landrum, ss	2	2	1	1
McFall, 2b	0	0	0	0
Dobbin, 2b	0	0	0	0
Doan, rf	1	1	1	0
Middlebrooks, m	1	1	1	0
Benson, c	0	0	0	0
Ingram, rf	0	0	0	0
Chin, 1b	1	1	1	0
Platter, 3b	0	0	0	0
Goodloe, p	0	0	0	0
Total	24	6	21	2

Pipeline Plays V8ers Monday

The Mundy softball league schedule will be curtailed this week due to the fact that the city's professional baseball team returns home for a long stay.

Four of the muddball games are in the offing. Booked Monday night are Forsan's Cosden Pipeline-ners against Big Spring Motor in the 7:30 p.m. go and Big Spring Hardware and American Business Club in the afterpiece.

Wednesday night, Forsan plays Howard County Junior college in the opener while American Legion and Big Spring Motor tangle in the 9 p.m. bout.

No outstanding favorite for the league title has emerged after the first two weeks of play.

Chibrains Lick Cardinals, 4-1

CHICAGO, April 26. (AP)—Bob Chipman outpitched Harry "The Cat" Brecheen to give the Chicago Cubs a 4-1 victory over the St. Louis Cardinals before a crowd of 34,922 today. Chipman allowed only six hits with the lone run off him a homer by Del Rice. Andy Paiko homered for the Cubs. St. Louis 000 000 100-1 6 0 Chicago 000 110 20x-4 9 2

Brecheen and Rice: Chipman and Scheffing.

Lefty Lee Shackles St. Louis Browns

ST. LOUIS, April 26. (AP)—Thorton Lee, veteran White Sox southpaw, set the Browns down with two hits today, as the Sox took the opener of a three-game series, 2 to 0. Don Kolloway's home run produced the first Sox run in the seventh and Lee singled across the second in the ninth. Chicago 000 000 101-2 11 0 St. Louis 000 000 000-0 2 1


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Several Track Marks May Be Broken May 6

Seerey Clouts Third Homer

CLEVELAND, April 26. (AP)—Bob Feller, Cleveland Indians' fireball artist, hung up his second straight shutout victory today, a three-hit 6 to 0 victory over the Detroit Tigers and beat his arch Interscholastic League foe.

The discuss record appears virtually certain to be smashed and several other marks will be in danger as the best field in years battles through the 14 contests, finals which are scheduled Saturday afternoon.

Gene Salmon of Del Rio already has bettered the discuss record with a throw of 157 feet 3-4 inches. Billy Bless of Thomas Jefferson (San Antonio) and Cleburne Price of North Dallas have done the 200-yard low hurdles in 22.3 — just two-tenths of a second over the state and national record.

Byron Townsend of Odessa has high jumped 6 feet 3 inches within an inch and one-fourth of the record. Corpus Christi has done the mile relay in 3:27.3 — two and one-tenth seconds below the record, and so on as line times and distances were turned in for every event.

Corpus Christi's Buccaneers, who never have won the state championship, and Thomas Jefferson's Mustangs of San Antonio, who have taken two, are generally selected to fight it out for the title.

Lamar of Houston, North Dallas, Paschal and Austin (Houston), the 1946 champion, are other teams pitched to finish high in the point-making.

Best marks of the season to date have included:

High Jump—Byron Townsend, Odessa, 6 feet 3 inches.



Hal Newhouse

Strangler Lewis Takes Rain Check

Raymond Marshall, the Lubbock linkman who succeeded up championship honors in the Big Spring Invitational golf tournament last fall, is shooting a fair game of golf.

He qualified in the Sweetwater show with a 71, two strokes behind the medalist's tally. . . . John Hargis, the Texas-University whiz kid, rated a spot on the Helms Athletic Foundation Collegiate All-American basketball team chosen recently, as did Gerald Tucker of Oklahoma. . . . Athletes of ten different states were chosen on the mythical club.

Ed "Strangler" Lewis, the former heavyweight grappling king, took a rain-check on Promoter Pat O'Dowdy's offer to work a couple of matches here the coming week. . . . He had a previous engagement in Houston but promised to come back this way unless something unforeseen develops. . . . S. B. Escoto, a 16-year-old Alice high school junior, is favored to win the mile run in the state meet this year. . . . He's been covering the distance in some 11:45 times.

Don Webb, the Big Spring boy who placed sixth in the event last year, should do better this time out. . . . The \$55,000 baseball stadium built in Austin has been named Ditch park in honor of Uncle Billy Ditch, longtime TCU diamond coach. . . . Frank Miller is trying to gather in a set of suits he loaned out some months ago. . . . He has designs on starting another independent colored baseball team. . . . Most of the boys who played for him in 1946 are still here, including Harry Dooley, the talented first sacker.

Saturday's Results

By The Associated Press

LONGHORN LEAGUE
Big Spring at Midland, cold.
Ballerine at Odessa, cold.
Sweetwater 15, Vernon 7.

WT-NM LEAGUE
Lubbock 2, Berger 0
Abilene 7, Albuquerque 2
Davis 1, Pampa 7

TEXAS LEAGUE
Beaumont 8, Oklahoma City 3
Shreveport 7, Tulsa 2
St. Louis 2, Dallas 0

AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York 3, Washington 1
Philadelphia 5, Boston 2
Cleveland 6, Detroit 0
Boston 2, St. Louis 0

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Brooklyn 7, New York 3
Pittsburgh 6, St. Louis 0
Chicago 4, St. Louis 3
Cincinnati 3, Pittsburgh 2

The Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Odessa	2	0	1.000
Big Spring	1	1	.500
Midland	1	2	.500
Sweetwater	1	2	.500
Ballerine	0	2	.000

Traspuerto Due To Pitch Today

Jose Traspuerto, dapper right-hander from Havana, will try to curb the big runs in the Odessa attack when the Big Spring baseball Bronchos square off with the Oilers in a 3 o'clock game this afternoon.

The two teams play again in Odessa Monday night. The Hess move to Ballinger for a two-game series starting Tuesday before returning home to officially open the local park Thursday night. Their first game here will be against the Sweetwater Sports.

For the second night in a row, the Broncs' game with Midland Saturday was postponed due to cold weather.

The two teams were on the field in Midland when Managers Pat Stasey and Harold Webb elected to call off the contest.

Roden Defeated By TWC Golfer

SWEETWATER, April 26. (AP)—Doug Higgins, Texas Wesleyan college student of Fort Worth, and E. V. Price, Abilene, tangle tomorrow in the 36-hole final of the Sweetwater Invitation Golf tournament.

Higgins disposed of Doug Jones, Abilene, one-up in quarterfinal play today and then took Bill Roden, Big Spring, two and one, in the semi-finals.

Price defeated Joe Knuckles, Vernon, one up in 19 holes and Charles Royer, Fort Worth, two-up.

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From all indications, the Odessa Oilers are going to give the Big Spring Broncs the most resistance in the race for the Longhorn league flag. . . . The Refiners, boasting owners who will go out and get the ball players if they don't have a team of championship caliber to start with, apparently have good pitching to go with a heavy hitting corps. . . . Harold Webb, Midland skipper, admits he needs help. . . . He's weak at first base, second base, short stop and in at least two positions in the outfield. . . . His catching, at the most, is so-so. . . . Ballinger is obviously even worse off. . . . Sweetwater and Vernon remain question marks. . . . the local skipper, Pat Stasey, isn't standing pat on his lineup but thinks he has fairly good equipment with which to start the season. . . . The league as a whole will improve when the higher minors start cutting loose more ball players, as they will have to do in a short time. . . . The Conley playing outfield for the Odessa team is a son of the ancient Snipe Conley, who managed the Texon team in the Permian Basin league several years ago. . . . Bobby Decker, the former Big Sprinizer, continues to be poison at the dish. . . . The New York red-head, who hit nearly 350 with Berger last year, banded out four hits, including two homers, in Amarillo's conquest of Abilene last Wednesday night. . . . Sammy Malvica, the one-time Midlander, has rejoined the Lamesans in their initial WT-NM league games with the addition of Walt Buckel, a third-sacker purchased from Lubbock. . . . Walt was with Lamesa back in '41. . . . Mario Varona, the new Bronco outfielder, separates his hands about three inches while clutching a bat, a la Ty Cobb. . . . He shows promise as a hitter. . . . When Orrie Moreno, the Hess third sacker, steps to the plate he is most careful not to bang his bat against the plate. . . . Moreno's pet superstition is to tap the ground about six inches in front of the dish, which he does meticulously.

Thomas Setting Hot Mace Mark

DALLAS, April 26. (AP)—Batting leadership in the Texas League are widely distributed through the first two weeks of the campaign with the fellow boasting the most hits, not the top man in percent age.

Chester Wiczorek of San Antonio has bounced out 20 safeties in 52 times at bat for an average of .377, but the real hitting leaders are Leo Thomas and Moe Santomaura of Fort Worth and Al Rosen of Oklahoma City.

Thomas has 14 hits in 31 trips for a .452 mark. Santomaura and Rosen each has 17 in 39 times at the plate for a .436 average.

Tom Warren of Tulsa and Eddie Cole of San Antonio have won the most pitching victories with three each but they also have lost a game. Nine pitchers have won two games and lost none. They are Ed Mizerek and Jack McKinney of Beaumont, Ned Orver and Al Lamacchia of San Antonio, Jack Creel of Houston, Lyman Linde and Ralph McCabe of Oklahoma City, Dwain Shost of Fort Worth and Floyd Giebell of Dallas.

Rosen leads in two-base hits with 11, Hal Epps of Houston and James Robinson of San Antonio are tied in triples with three each, Russell Burns of Beaumont has the most homers with four and Frank Shore of Beaumont tops in stolen bases with five.

Forsan Contingents Institute Drills

FORSAN, April 26.—Four teams have started practice for Forsan softball league play, which officially gets underway Tuesday, May 6.

Present plans call for games twice weekly—Tuesdays and Fridays.

Teams tentatively entered are Magnolia, Lees Store, Conoco and an aggregation captained by Lewis Heuvel and Tilmon Shultz.

Keller Clouts On As Yankees Win

NEW YORK, April 26. (AP)—Charlie Keller drove in two runs with a double and home run to lead the New York Yankees to a 3-1 victory over the Washington Senators today before 30,017 fans.

Young Don Johnson spaced five hits for his second mound win without a loss.

Mickey Haefner, starting Sen hurler, gave way to Buck Newsom in the third inning after Keller harked his home run.

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Knott Gridders Planning Game

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Coach Homer Barnes, whose team is being moved into another six-man district next fall, said he was confident the club would be much stronger than it was a season ago, at which time it served as a dorm for district 7 contingents.

Blackwell Earns Third Victory

CINCINNATI, April 26. (AP)—The Cincinnati Reds rallied for two runs in the eighth inning today on Augie Galan's single after two had walked and an outfield fly to defeat the Pittsburgh Pirates 3-2 before an estimated 15,000 fans. The Pirates turned in a triple play in the second inning, the first of the major league season.

Frankie Gustine hit a first-inning home run to give the Corsairs their only runs. Ewell Blackwell chalked up his third win in limiting the Pittsburghers to three hits.

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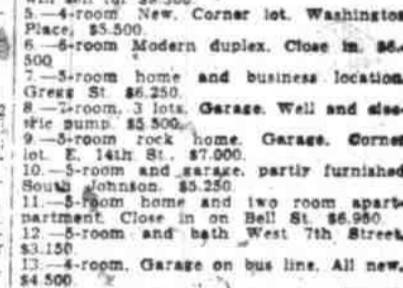
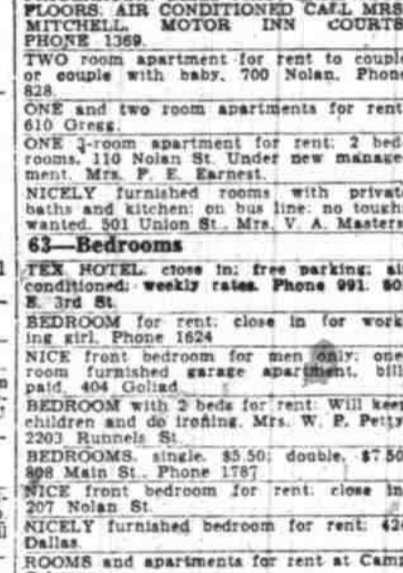
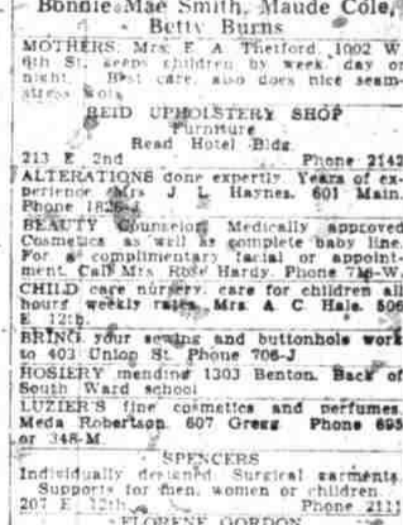
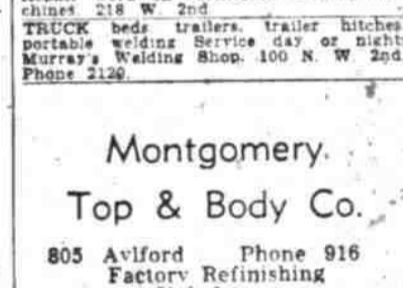
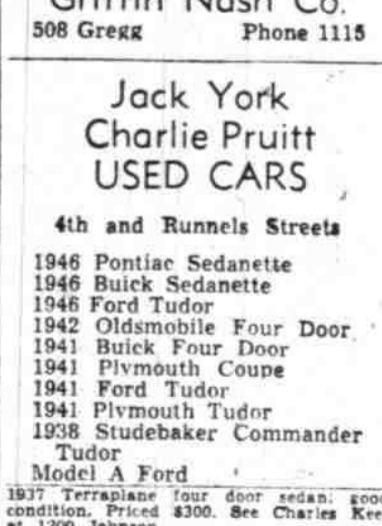
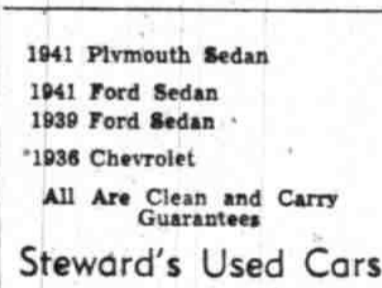
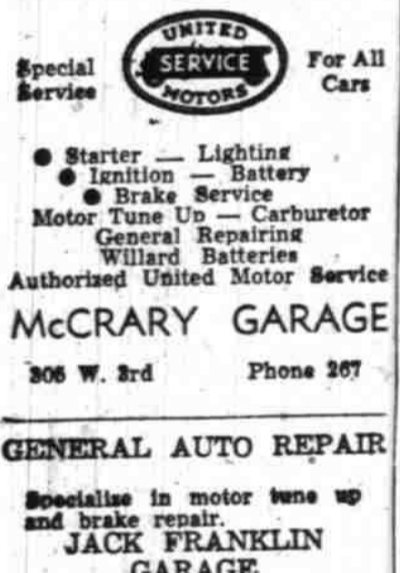
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Policeman, Two Burglars Die In Laredo Shooting

LAREDO, April 26. (AP) — Two burglars, reportedly residents of Mexico, were killed and a policeman was wounded fatally in a battle of flashlights and pistols here early today.

In a darkened grocery store a bullet plowed into the chest of Officer Eugenio Luna, 44, lodging in his spinal cord. He died an hour later.

Three other officers, during a fusillade of 13 shots, killed the two burglars found inside the store.

The dead were identified as Ignacio Gonzalez Chavez, 46, ex-convict recently deported from Huntsville, whose home was Guanajuato, Mexico, and Guillermo Morones Garcia, 22, whose parents live in Nuevo Laredo, Mexico.

Nuevo Laredo police sought two other men who left the grocery store a few minutes before the shooting. They held one suspect.

Magazine Tells Of Vet Hospital Project

A late issue of the Texas Contractor, a state trade magazine, lists the Big Spring Veterans hospital as one of the larger construction projects planned for the near future in the state.

Present plans, according to the magazine, are to advertise for bids on or about May 15 and close bids about June 1. This schedule concurs with tentative plans announced several weeks ago by the Veterans Administration.

Tom Thumb, one of the first locomotives in the United States, lost a race with a horse.

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Jester's First Veto Chops Salary Raise

AUSTIN, April 26. (AP) — Gov. Beauford H. Jester today took the initiative in the spending-taxation issue, chopping down by veto a bill to raise the salaries of district attorneys \$1,000 a year.

He put this realistic punch into his earlier warning this week that the legislature must trim or abandon some of its pending appropriations in view of what he considers his no-tax mandate from the electorate. It was Jester's first veto of the session.

This development climaxed a week in which spending-taxation stood out as the chief issue for the 50th legislature's closing days. Several House members took issue with Jester, saying he had no mandate from the people against taxation.

Jester's veto message said that while he would have enjoyed giving the district attorneys a raise, he was also "seriously concerned over the prospect that appropriation measures now before the legislature may throw the entire state financing program out of balance."

He reminded the legislators that in his original message, he recommended doubling of state expenditures within the bounds of anticipated revenue, in such manner as to leave a balance of \$12,000,000.

Jester recalled that this included \$20,000,000 more for rural aid teachers salaries.

"Subsequently, the legislature passed the so-called per capita bills to raise teachers' salaries," he said. "Under these bills, I am advised that there will be an expenditure of approximately \$51,000,000 more than the present rate. This is \$31,000,000 more than the \$20,000,000 increase which I recommended."

He reiterated his previously expressed belief that this would not equalize teachers' salaries, commenting that under the measures which he filed without his signature, "the teachers in one district can receive an average salary of \$4,249 while teachers in another district received only \$1,655."

He said these measures would not prevent "certain waste and inefficiency which now characterizes our public school financing program," adding:

"Even more serious is the fact that the money of the people of Texas is being paid out to school

district on the basis of the number of boys and girls eligible to go to school rather than on the basis of the number who actually attend."

Jester continued that the increase of \$31,000,000 above his recommendation would mean that other expenditures would have to be cut or omitted in view of his no tax promise.

The governor said that a "rough tabulation" of contemplated appropriations showed they may reach "the staggering total of \$257,000,000," that he had suggested doubling state expenditures, and now the legislature would bring the figure to nearly triple what is being spent now.

Van Stone Will Head Feed Manufacturers

GALVESTON, Tex., April 26. (AP) —Lorne Van Stone, vice-president of the Uncle Johnny Mills of Houston, has been named president of the Texas Feed Manufacturer's Association.

Other officers named here at the concluding session of the group's annual convention include Harry Dobbins, Abilene, vice-president; John McVay, San Antonio, secretary-treasurer; and George McCarthy, Fort Worth; R. E. Wendland, Temple; Wiley Culpepper, Beaumont; and Van Stone, directors.

Van Stone succeeds Wiley Akin of Fort Worth as president.

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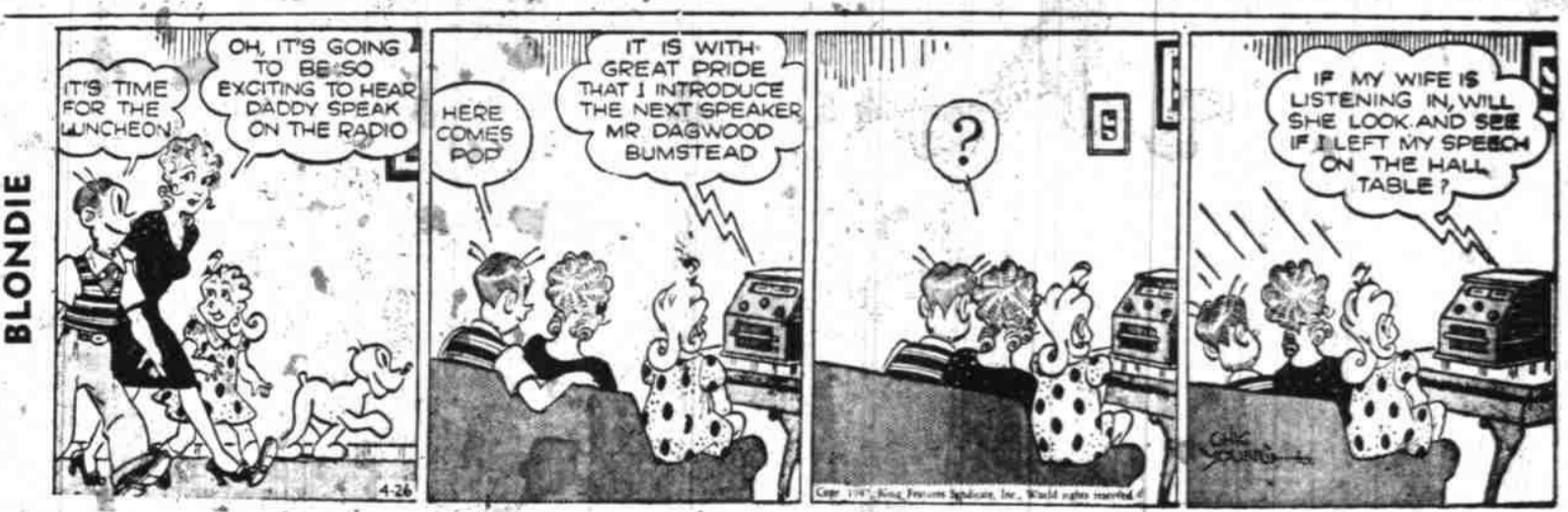
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Southern Terry Andres Pay Seen

By JOHN B. BREWER
SAN ANGELO, April 26.—An indicated San Andres lime strike in southern Terry county by Amerada shared attention in West Texas this week with the leasing of big blocks in Tom Green and Coke counties and staking of a wildcat each in Schleicher, Scurry, Gaines and Andrews counties. A wildcat failure each in Winkler, Yoakum and Concho counties was abandoned.

Amerada No. 1 Sam Adair in Terry county drilled 400 feet into the San Andres, topped at 4,400 feet, 1,180 feet below sea level, before showing oil. On four drill-stem tests between 4,814 and 4,945 feet it recovered 31.4 gravity oil with no water, but also with little gas. Five and one-half inch casing was cemented on bottom for perforating.

The wildcat is in the C SW SW 4-C37-psl, half mile north of the Gaines county line and 8 1/4 miles north of the Cedar Lake field.

Gulf No. 1-HH University, prospective Ellenburger discovery of major calibre in north central Crane county, indicated 315 feet of pay in penetrating the Ellenburger 362 feet to 10,950. It cemented 7-inch casing on bottom before scheduled deepening a few feet more. In one hour on a drill-stem test from 10,850-900 feet the well flowed 162 barrels of oil. It is near the C SW NE 3-31-U, 3 3/4 miles north of the Block 31 (Devonian and Ellenburger) field but on a separate structure.

Gulf staked No. 101-E W. N. Waddell, proposed 10,800-foot test, C SE SE 27-B5-psl, one-half mile north of No. 1-HH University.

W. J. Green of San Angelo completed the leasing of three Tom Green county blocks, approximately 56,000 acres for his son, Howard W. Green, and J. J. Perkins of Wichita Falls at \$1 per acre bonus with 50 cent annual rental. This nearly doubled his purchases in the county. The largest block, of 27,000 acres, extends west from Harriett and includes 18,000 of the J. Willis Johnson estate. Adjoining it on the north and extending into Coke county a block of 17,000 acres was acquired from Oscar Brown and others. Twelve thousand acres, beginning at the west limits of San Angelo, were leased from Mark Pulliam, Barton Craft and others.

Humble reportedly paid the Ralph H. Harris of San Angelo estate a bonus of \$1.75 an acre for 10-year commercial leases of 26,948 acres in south central Coke county that will bear annual rental of 80 cents an acre. North of the block and three miles east of Robert Lee, Union of California No. 1 Jim McCutcheon, slated 7,000-foot wildcat, had drilled below 3,000 feet in lime and shale.

Sun No. 1 Homer H. Jameson, first of three wells in the Jameson (Strawn) pool in northwestern Coke county to encounter heavy gas, also logged the thickest pay, between 6,120 and 6,462 feet, where it cemented 5 1/2-inch casing for perforating. It is in the C SW SW 253-1A-H&TC, quarter mile west of Sun No. 1 Allen Jameson, the discovery.

Jameson joined his three brothers, Allen, Fred and Homer, on each of whose land there is a well, in sharing all returns when he leased 2 1/2 sections in southwestern Nolan county, 2 1/4 miles northeast of the discovery, reportedly for \$20 or \$25 an acre.

Gulf No. 1-D-AA University, C NE SE 42-13-U, registered a daily flowing potential of 1,805 barrels of oil for completion at 8,485 feet to mark a quarter mile south extension to the most southerly Devonian production in the Fullerton field in Andrews county. Half mile further south but three miles south of Ellenburger production, Frankel Bros. of Houston prepared to start a slated Ellenburger test in the C NE NE 43-13-U.

First Devonian oil was shown from 7,975-8,052 feet by Shell No.

1-A Cochran, wildcat C NE SE 34-46-1n-T&P, one mile east and quarter mile north of the most northwesterly Devonian producer in the TXL field but separated from it by a 9,923-foot dry hole.

Honolulu started No. 1 Emma Kirschner and others, slated 7,500-foot wildcat in western Gaines county C SE SE 430-G-CCSD&R-GNG, half mile south of its No. 1 White & Shelton. The latter, which had checked favorably on upper markers, showed sulphur water in the San Andres from 4,700-4,800 feet and drilled ahead to explore the Clear Fork.

Humble spotted No. 1 C. J. Harrell, scheduled 8,500-foot wildcat in Scurry county, C NE NE 78-2-H&TC, 12 miles east and slightly north of Snyder.

A wildcat, probably to 10,000 feet, is planned soon by B. H. Crube of Midland on a 10,360-acre block acquired in eastern Loving county.

The week's wildcat failures include Mid-Continent No. 1 TXL in Winkler county at 8,605 feet, Texaco No. 1 J. H. Samuels in Yoakum county at 5,355 and Bedrick No. 1 Garner in Concho county at 2,237 feet.

Frankfurt To Rebuild Birthplace Of Goethe

FRANKFURT, Germany, April 26. (AP)—Frankfurt is planning to rebuild the birthplace of Johann Wolfgang von Goethe before 1949, the 200th anniversary of the poet's birth, city officials said today. Only the building's foundations remained after Allied bombings. Officials said it would be reconstructed from old photographs. The original furnishings, removed before the destruction, will be brought back.

There are more than 118,000 Indians in Canada.

Mumps-On-Loose Sought In Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 26. (AP)—Oklahoma City police today are on the lookout for a full-faced case of mumps-on-the-loose, attached to a 12-year-old boy who escaped from the city detention hospital.

The husky, dark-haired boy, a parolee from the state training school at Helena, Okla., was arrested this week for theft of \$5 from his mother. He came down—or up—with the mumps and was placed in the detention hospital. Miss Katherine Sylla, superintendent of the hospital said he escaped through an open window.

Juvenile authorities had no fear the boy would get lost—but they were afraid he might get too near somebody who hadn't had the mumps.

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Monsanto's First Quarter Income Up

ST. LOUIS, April 26. (AP)—Monsanto Chemical Company today reported net income of \$4,44,502 for the first quarter of

1947 after a provision of \$500,000 for relief of employees affected by the Texas City blast which destroyed one of its plants. Earnings were equivalent to \$1.19 per share of common stock as compared with 74 cents a share in 1946.

MEET SAID FAILURE PARIS, France, April 26. (AP)—The Moscow four-power conference was described as a failure today by all the Paris papers that commented on it.



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May Fete At Park Thursday

Nineteen Girl Scout troops under the direction of leaders and troop committee members will present a May festival at the city park amphitheatre Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

The public is invited to attend the program which is being held in observance of the first day of May complete with the coronation of the Girl Scout queen, Geraldine McGinnis.

Members of her court will include Mary Martin, Doris Stephens, Joyce Wood, Peggy Toops, Melba Jane Ray and Lillian Rowe, attendants; Agatha Ann Cagle, Edith Lucille Stormes, Londa Coker and Barbara Ann Hale, flower girls; and Annette Boykin, crown bearer.

The high school band will present a concert preceding the program which will include the May pole dances and crowning of the queen.

Members of intermediate Troop Four, directed by Mrs. Carl Smith will present "Soldier's Joy," and Billie Clyburn will lead Troop Five in "Little Brown Jug." "Pop Goes The Weasel" will be presented by scouts of Troop Six directed by Mrs. Rob Adams and Mrs. M. F. Ray with Troop Seven will present their version of "Yankee Doodle."

Scouts of Troop 11, led by Mrs. Bill Earley will give the Virginia reel, and Brownies of Troop 23 will present "Skip To My Lou," with Mrs. G. E. Peacock as leader. "Put Your Little Foot," by Brownies Troop 17, directed by Mrs. George French, will be given with a polka by Mrs. Ross Boykin's Brownie Troop 16.

Mrs. M. S. Toops is in charge of the coronation, and Mrs. Burrell is directing the May pole dance by girls of Troop One. An Indian deer dance will be presented by Troop Nine, directed by Mrs. J. E. Brunson, and scouts of Mrs. L. D. Jenkins' Brownie Troop 19 will give the skit, "Makin' My Livin' In Sandy Land." Brownies of Troop 18 and intermediates of Troop Three will give an Indian dance.

Informal Gift Party Honors Mrs. Williams

Mrs. O. K. Williams was honored with an informal shower in the home of Mrs. J. L. McHenry Thursday afternoon.

Games were played and gifts were presented to the honoree. Those attending were Mrs. Moran Oppegar, Mrs. Gus Oppegar, Mrs. V. N. Fannin, Mrs. Joe G. Carter, Jr., Mrs. R. C. Bowden, Mrs. Horace Holcombe, Mrs. Calvin Sewell, Mrs. L. T. Shoults, Mrs. James Overton, Mrs. J. T. Oats, Mrs. H. McCluskey, Mrs. T. C. Bryant, Mrs. C. L. Draper, Mrs. M. E. Choate Jr., Mrs. C. R. Long, Mrs. J. C. Pye, Mrs. Nora Hughes, Mrs. J. P. Hillier, Mrs. G. F. Bond, Mrs. S. R. Lindsey, Mrs. J. A. Merritt, Mrs. W. E. Hughes, Mrs. Edd Bloomer, Mrs. M. M. Glendening, Mrs. P. R. Stroud, Mrs. J. Edd Kilkerson. A number of friends sent gifts.



SWALLOW TAIL . . . Smart back talk in this narrow silver kid belt dipping into a swank "V" in back.

Shop Is Commended For Merchandising Ideas In Magazine

An article titled "This Little Shop Has Big Ideas" appears in the April issue of the trade publication, *Infants' and Children's Review*, in commendation of merchandising ideas carried out by Big Spring's Kid Shop, operated by Mrs. Eva Pyatt.

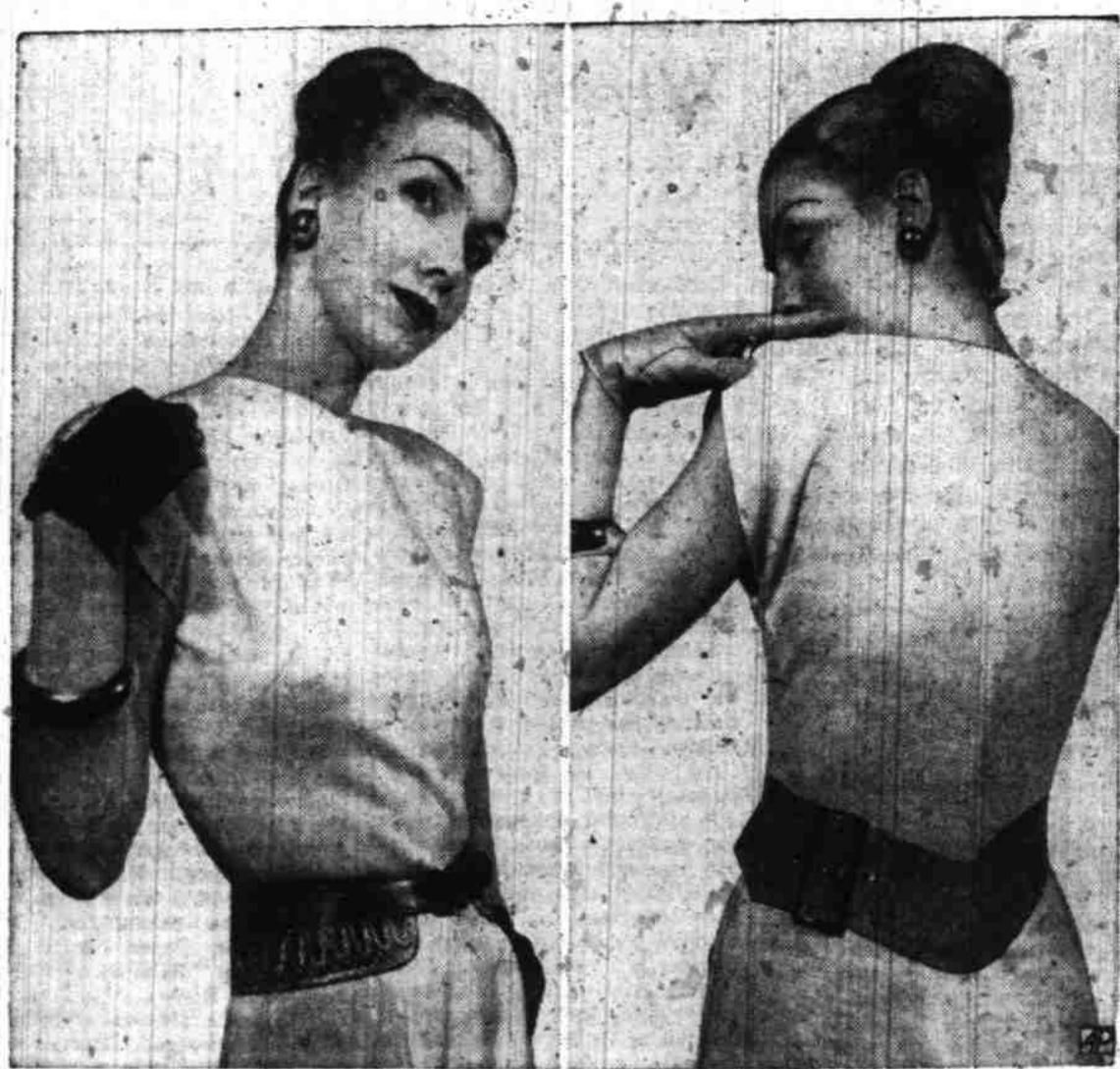
The article, written by Dorothy Stote, editor, covers a three-page spread in the Review's color section, and is illustrated with four photos of the interior and display windows of the Kid's Shop. Mrs. Pyatt's methods of personalizing displays are mentioned in the article, and particularly cited is the system of "naming" the mannequins used for display. Mannequins with individuality include "Carolyn," aged 10; "Bud," a six-year-old boy "Susie," who is three, and the "Baby." Customers are attracted to "that coat Susie is wearing," or "the shirt Baby is wearing," the magazine article recites.

The decorative drum used by Mrs. Pyatt for fitting children also is mentioned as an outstanding merchandising idea. Youngsters can be persuaded with ease to "get up on the big drum and be a model," and thus can be fitted with a minimum of difficulty. Entire layout and display methods of the local shop get mention in the trade article.

Juniors To Have May Day Banquet

The Junior department of the First Baptist church will entertain with a banquet in the church basement Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

The entertainment is being held in connection with a May Day observance and a queen, selected from the department, will be crowned. Mrs. Ernest Hock, with a committee of teachers will be in charge of the entertainment.



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Class Feted At Banquet In Forsan

FORSAN, April 27. (Sp.)—The annual Forsan high school junior-senior banquet was held Friday evening in the school gymnasium using a summer garden motif.

Tables were placed within a simulated rock wall decorated with crepe paper lattice work.

E. N. Baker gave the invocation, which was followed by a vocal duet by Doyleene Gilmore and Gwendolyn Oglesby, members of the senior class.

Donald Gressett gave the toast to the senior class and Charles Long responded to the juniors. Mrs. E. N. Baker sang a solo, "The Old Fashioned Garden," preceding the senior prophecy, "Seeds Planted," read by J. B. Hicks.

"Rocks Moved," a dialogue, was given by Eva Smith, and Haroldine West read the class will under "Tools Left Behind." G. D. Kennedy, superintendent of Forsan schools, spoke to the group on "Finding The Road To Success."

In closing, members of both classes sang "The End of A Perfect Day," and present were J. B. Hicks, Joyce Cleavenger, Donald Gressett, Jerry Duncan, Charles Long, Doyleene Gilmore, Eva Smith, Donald McAdams, Haholdine West, Roy Longshore, Bobby Lou Cathcart, Lucy McChristian Tilda McMahan, Dan Fairchild, Bobby Wash, Gwen Oglesby, Marie Petty, Eddie Ray, Pat King, Leonard, Charles Wash, Pat Lindsey, Jessie Bell McClusky, Nokke Bedell, Rayford Dumas, Sammie Porter, Lavonne Hoard, Dee Anderson, Evelyn Martin.

Bill's Galley Kenneth Baker, James Averitt, Pat King, Ray Prater, Ruth Overton, Eldon Prater, Betty Jo Burns, J. R. McMurry, Martha Eppler, Stanley Hayhurst, Fern Bedell, Kenneth Barnes, Bobby Baker, Norma Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Baker, Mrs. G. F. Duncan, of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. John Overton, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Honeycutt, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Oglesby, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Monroey, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hayhurst, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Hoard, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Wash, Mr. and Mrs. Claude King, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Bedell, Mr. and Mrs. Myrl Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McClusky, Laura Whittenburg, Nell Rogers, Glenn Whittenburg, Mrs. Louis O'Bar Smith, Walter Gressett, Joe Holliday, Mrs. Bleece Cathcart, Gerald Anderson, and Janet Robb of Big Spring.

Fern Wells is attending the state dental assistants meeting in San Antonio this week.



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Seven Births Reported By Local Clinics

Seven births were reported by two local hospitals this weekend. Recorded at Malone and Hogan hospital were three newcomers.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Whitborn became the parents of a daughter, Sylvia Lee, Tuesday, April 22. Her weight was six pounds, six ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. William Weaver announced the birth of a son weighing six pounds, seven ounces on the same day. Michael William was selected as his name.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shultz Tuesday was a daughter, Linda Ann, weighing six pounds, six ounces.

Reported from the Cowper-Saunders clinic Saturday was the birth of Jerry Carl Dalton to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dewey Dalton Tuesday. The child weighed seven pounds, three ounces.

Two days later Dalton's son, James McNoah Dalton and Mrs. Dalton became the parents of a daughter, born at the hospital. The child was named Delores and weighed eight pounds, 14 ounces.

Marva Frances Marsh was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leroy Marsh Thursday. Her weight was seven pounds, 14 and one-half ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fannin announced the birth of a daughter, Thelma Jean on Thursday also, and weighing six pounds, five and one-half ounces.

Birthday Party Given For Mary Beth Davis

Mary Beth Davis celebrated her 12th birthday anniversary at a party in the home of her parents, Mrs. C. Earl Davis Thursday afternoon.

Birthday cake was served with other refreshments to Mary Ann Moore, Lawan Mitchell, James Meek, Jeanne Osborne, Eric Walker, Annabel Boutwell, Mariann Smyrl, Nell Rose Harris, Alton Richardson, Betty Ann Cooper, Royce Coyle, Richard Walker and Mary Beth Davis.

Assisting Mrs. Davis were Mrs. Walter Smyrl, Mrs. Bill Walker, Mrs. E. V. Walker and Mrs. Roy Black.

Sewing Club Meets With Mrs. Morris

The Variety Sewing club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. Paul Morris in her home.

Gifts were presented to Mrs. Audie Lee Lewis who celebrated a birthday anniversary, and refreshments were served.

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Ten Pledges Initiated Into Beta Sigma Phi At Formal Ceremony

The Beta Omicron chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority initiated 10 pledges in a formal ceremony conducted Saturday evening at the Settles hotel.

They included Janet Robb, Robbie Piner, Martha Frazer, Clarice McCasland, Helen Fleming, Louise O'Daniel, Mrs. Maurice Jones, Mrs. Mary Lee Purser, Mrs. Corrine South and Mrs. Frankie Nobles.

Residents Make Reservations For Opera In Dallas

Eight persons from Big Spring have made reservations to attend three performances of the Metropolitan Opera Company in Dallas, May 1-2-4. It has been announced from the Metropolitan headquarters in Dallas.

The world-famous opera company is on tour for the first time since 1940, with a unit of 300 artists. Opening night, May 1, it will present "Lakme" starring Lily Pons with a supporting cast of Irene Jordan, Felix Knight and Giacomo Vaghi. "Lakme" will be supplemented with ballet.

Wagner's "Lohengrin" is scheduled for Friday evening, May 2. Members of the cast are Helen Traubel, Herbert Janßen, Torsten Ralf, and Margaret Harshaw, Sunday matinee performance will be Puccini's "La Bohème" with Licia Albanese, John Brownlee, Frances Greer, Ferruccio Tagliavini.

Attending from Big Spring are Eddie Lou Haug, Leatrice Ross, Martha Frazer, Janet Robb, Mary Ann Goodson, Duke Neel, Charles Sherwood and Olney Thurman. The group will leave Wednesday afternoon and are to return Sunday evening.

Pastors' Association To Meet Early Monday

A meeting of the Big Spring Pastors' association has been called by President W. L. Porterfield for Monday at 9 a.m. in the First Christian church, Capt. Olvy Shepard, secretary, announced Saturday. Several important items of business are due to come up at the session. Several new members are in prospect, also.

Eager Beavers Meet For Weekly Sewing

The Eager Beaver Sewing Club was entertained in the home of Mrs. Marvin Daugherty Thursday. Members spent the afternoon sewing and a refreshment plate was served to Mrs. Lee Roy Findley, Mrs. J. D. Kendrick, Mrs. R. I. Findley, Mrs. Roy Spivey, Mrs. Lesley Clayton, Mrs. Lucian Underwood, Mrs. R. G. Burnett, Mrs. R. E. Hillburn, Mrs. Royce Johnson, Mrs. H. D. Bruton, Mrs. Ben Jennings, Mrs. L. M. Wright, Mrs. Ben Daugherty and the hostess.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Lee Roy Findley on May 1.

IN SAN ANTONIO

Dr. and Mrs. E. O. Ellington left for San Antonio Saturday morning to attend the Texas State dental society meeting.



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Trainmen Ladies Tacky Party Tuesday Night
The Trainmen Ladies lodge will entertain with a tacky party and cake walk Tuesday evening at the WOW hall.
A quilt will be given away and refreshments will be served. The party starts at 8 p.m.

Tackling Juvenile Delinquency At The Beginning Much Easier

By ADELAIDE KEER
AP Newsfeatures Writer
If Evelyn Adlerblum had been content to become a bridge-playing housewife, something which may change many lives might never have been done. But Mrs. Adlerblum used her time between the chores of housekeeping and motherhood to do work she saw before her, extending it step by step.

The result, after 20 years, is an experiment in child development sponsored by the National Committee for Mental Hygiene as an official demonstration for the New York City Board of Education. Mrs. Adlerblum says it can result in changes in the public school curriculum.
Put in capsule form, it is an effort to locate the causes of children's character quirks and iron them out before they have done the damage that produces juvenile delinquency, social misfits and—in extreme cases—criminal action and insanity.
The experiment stems from something Mrs. Adlerblum learned from the depression. After her marriage to Cullen Adlerblum, a New York physician, she had won a Columbia university B.A. and was lecturing on books to YWHA girls at a time when they were wrestling with depression problems. She saw how characters buckled in the heat of adversity and thought what a boon it would be if they could be shaped in youth to get along with others and withstand life's storms. So she went back to school, studied counseling and emerged with an M.A. from Teachers College, Columbia.

After she tried out her theories in a New York YWHA nursery school the Vocational Adjustment Bureau (a subcommittee for Mental Hygiene) asked her to tackle the present experiment—first of its kind ever tried in a public school.
It was begun in 1943 in the kindergarten and first grades of Public School 33 on West 28th Street. Mrs. Adlerblum joined the teacher in class, spent weeks watching the children, noted the behavior problem children, talked to them, discussed them with the teacher and interpreted their character quirks to her. Mrs. Adlerblum also took the children in groups of five into a play room for story-telling, drawing, conversation and dramatic play and watched their reactions.
There was bombastic Johnny.

"What we want to do," she went on, "is to give the children a good emotional and mental start, to help them shape a sound character foundation that will stand firm in both fair weather and storms."
"We know that certain children are selected as behavior problems are coming along quite well—often much better than their brothers and sisters who did not have this help."
"This experiment could have definite and constructive influences on the school curriculum. We see that children need warmth and more individual attention and understanding in the school program, especially in the early grades. This would lead to smaller classes (of about 20 perhaps), more mental hygiene training for teachers and the kind of class-room programs that is set up to free the emotional needs. It would give the child a chance to laugh, move about and learn through everyday practical problems."

Eighth Graders Feted At Coahoma Banquet
COAHOMA, April 26. (Sp.)—The seventh grade class entertained members of the graduating eighth grade with a banquet Thursday evening at the high school gymnasium.
Mrs. Eleanor Garrett, seventh grade teacher, was in charge of arrangements for the dinner which was served by the home economics class.
Elvon DeVaney acted as toastmaster and Royce Acuff gave the welcome address. Paul West responded for the honored guests, and Hugh Wallace read the class prophecy. The class will be given by Fay Lindley.
Other numbers on the program included piano selections and a reading by Mrs. C. H. DeVaney.
Guest speaker for the evening was Paul Sweatt, vocational agriculture teacher.
Around 70 persons attended.

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WHAT GIVES 'ROUND TOWN

By Leatrice Ross

The Texas City Benefit Show Thursday evening at the city auditorium aggregated the talents of some 25 young people and has become one of the most talked-of programs of its kind in many months.
Duke Neel and his orchestra played pre-curtain and intermission music. Performances were varied. . . . The Four Sharps, a quartet composed of Murph Thorp, Jr., Bobo Hardy, Pat Lamb, and George Worrall, sang three melodies in their barbershop style. For the last number the boys wore derby hats, carried gill-tipped canes and sang to Beverly Stutling, who stroled across the stage in an 1890-mode dress. . . . Harry Echols, of the piano fingers, played a composition of his own.
Peggy Lamb, who gave two solos, could not have seen this—but four very small children stood up in their seats wide-eyed when she began to sing. . . . Other performers were Jan Masters, Ann Crocker, Susan Houser, Wanda Lou Petty, Bert Plant, James Lee Underwood, Larry Evans.
Couples seated among the vast audience: Laverne Hampton, John Bill Gray, Colleen Davidson, James Thomas, Frances Wilson, Dewey Stevenson, Francis Robb, Bill Hix, Jerry Barkston, Mickey Butts, Letha Holcombe, Charles Davies, Carolyn Cantrell, Zack Gray, Bobbie Green, Dee Thomas, Evelyn Green, Tip Anderson, Betty Ray Nall, Ray Dunlap.
We were among the first Thursday evening to see Letha Holcombe's engagement ring. She and Charles Davies sat near the back of the auditorium—whether to avoid the crowd or to snare people and show the gem, we do not know.

Neel, Eddie Lou Haug, Mary Ann Goodson, Leatrice Ross, Martha Fraser, Janet Robb, Charis Sherwood and Olney Thurman. . . . They are to return Sunday evening.
Practice on the third act of the senior play "Come Over To Our House," will come up Monday. . . . Preparations are afoot for the summer session of Howard County Junior college. An interesting item to note is that HCJC will have air-conditioned classrooms this summer! This is not an enticement added to lure students; however, the cooling units are left-overs from the days when the buildings comprised the post hospital.
Dancers at the High Heel Slipper club barn dance Friday evening: Jack Stripling, Harold Jones, Mary Beth Morgan, James Brooks, Bobbie Dyess, Harry Weeg, Jo Barnaby, James Holley, Norma Jones, Joe O'Brien, (home from H-SU for the weekend), Mary Robbins, Jimmie Jones, Betty Lou Hewitt, Pat McDaniel, Sue Nall, Jerry, Don Rogers, Mae Barnaby, Gill Sawtelle, Maryanna Whitaker, Jimmie Moorehead, Rebecca Rogers, Joe Dick Merrick, Nancy Hooper, Larry Hall, Rosalyn Beale, John Currie.

Coal was used in the United States shortly after the Revolutionary war, but it was not marketed widely until development of the railroads about 100 years ago.
Tests indicate that an acre of cotton can be produced with 30 hours labor with machines compared with 130 hours of hand labor.

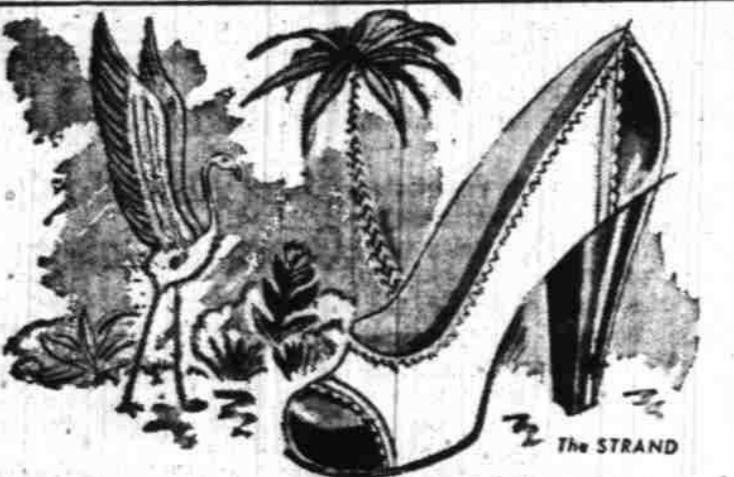
Make This Home Recipe To Take Off Ugly Fat

It's simple. It's amazing, how quickly one may lose pounds of bulky, unsightly fat right in your own home. Make this recipe yourself. It's easy—no trouble at all and costs little. It contains nothing harmful. Just go to your drugstore and ask for four ounces of liquid Barconate (formerly called Barcol Concentrate). Pour this into a pint bottle and add enough grapefruit juice to fill the bottle. Then take two tablespoonfuls twice a day. That's all there is to it.
If the very first bottle doesn't show the simple, easy way to lose bulky fat and help regain slender, more graceful curves; if reducible pounds and inches of excess fat don't just seem to disappear almost like magic from neck, chin, arms, bust, abdomen, hips, calves and ankles, just return the empty bottle for your money back. Follow the easy way endorsed by many who have tried this plan and help bring back sluring curves and graceful slenderness. Note how quickly bloat disappears—how much better you feel. More alive, youthful appearing and active.

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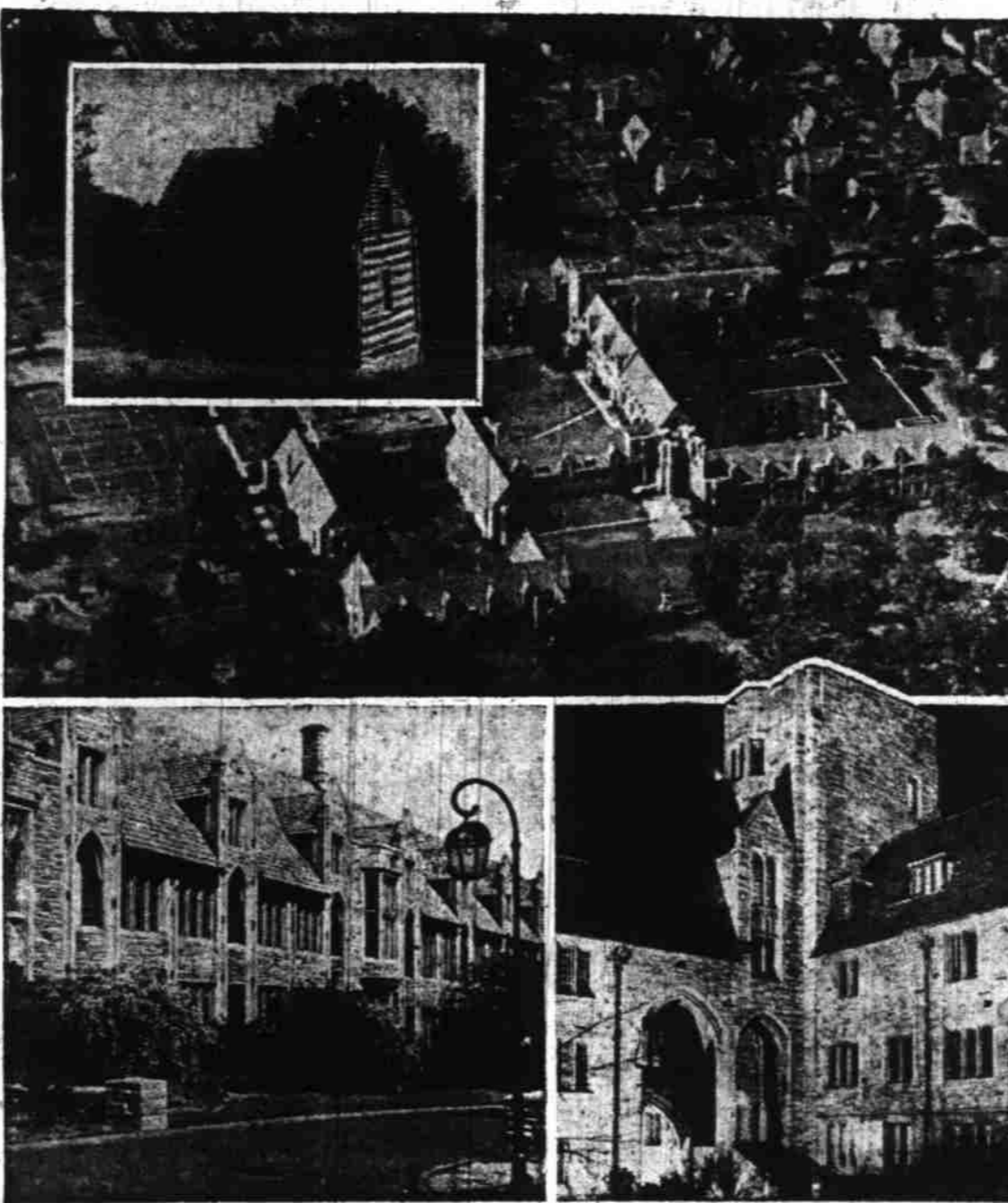
Ackerly P-TA To Sponsor Operetta In School Gymnasium Tuesday Night

ACKERLY, April 26. (Spl.)—E. E. Brasher and George N. White. The Ackerly Parent-Teacher Association is sponsoring an operetta at the Ackerly school gymnasium Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock and the spring program will include a coronation of the school queen and the presentation of her court.

Mrs. J. M. Bradley is directing the production with the assistance of Miss Mayme Clanton, Mrs. George N. White, Mrs. H. C. Chowning, Mrs. Carl Albert, Mrs. Baggett, Miss Louise Bollinger, Mrs. L. L. Higgins, C. L. Mitchell,

The majority of the children in school will participate on the program and each class in high school will enter a girl in a contest for school queen. The winner will participate in a coronation ceremony with her escort chosen from the winning class. Flower Grove, Klondike, Knott and Sparenburg have each been invited to send a prince and princess for the ceremony. High school students will act as pages and court jesters with pre-school children as train bearers and flower girls.

Cowboys, Indians, Scot highland dancers, with a Hawaiian chorus, Negro skit, Dutch and colonial dancers will be presented with elementary children giving "Miss Mary and Her Gardeners," "Old King Cole And His Fiddlers," "The Old Woman Who Lived In The Shoe," and "Rainbow Fairies." Special numbers will be presented by Mrs. Valeria Sharp Pratt's expression pupils of Lamasa and the grand finale will include the entire cast.



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Millions Of Babies Create Boom On The Market For Infant Wear

By DOROTHY ROE
AP Science Writer

With the national birth rate expected to break all records in 1947, the question of baby clothes is a major problem for harassed young mothers attempting to assemble proper layettes.

Manufacturers are striving manfully to meet the unprecedented demand, but with five million extra babies born during the war years and close to three and a half million expected to swell the census this year, supplies of essential baby needs still are short.

However, the prospective mother who does her baby shopping early should be able to gather together the necessary items without too much difficulty. Supplies are definitely much larger than at this time last year. And manufacturers are working overtime to keep

up with the demand.

The essentials such as diapers, nightgowns, shirts and wrappers will be the hardest to find, of course. But most stores are keeping an almost adequate supply on hand these days. And if it is not possible to buy enough diapers, the mother may always solve the problem by two alternatives—signing up for a diaper service or laying in a supply of disposable diapers.

If one store doesn't have enough of the required articles, they usually can be found at another. And those dress-up items such as dainty, lace-trimmed little dresses and exquisitely embroidered sacques and bonnets will be readily available.

Don't worry if you haven't a large and elaborate layette for the new baby. Doctors say the fewer clothes a baby wears during the first few months of life, the better—except in cold weather, of course. If he is clean, warm and dry, your baby will be happy, whether or not he is equipped with a dozen hand-made dresses and an imported coat and bonnet set.

Most young mothers find that the baby has more freedom if he is dressed only in shirt and diapers most of the day—and in hot weather even the shirt may be omitted.

For showing Baby off to company, of course, you'll want a few dainty, hand-made little dresses with obsequious lace trimming (for a little girl) or the finest embroidery on a tailored looking

little button-front model (for a boy).

Pure silk is back for those beautiful little coat and bonnet sets, in pink, blue or white, for making the baby look like a real angel when you take him calling. Baby clothes are fun to make or buy—but don't buy too many. Remember, he'll soon out-grow them all.



NEW PASTOR: Pictured above is the Rev. Jesse J. McElreath who has assumed duties as pastor of the Airport Baptist church. Reared in Howard county, the new minister studied at Wayland college and has been serving as pastor at a Plainview Baptist church. He succeeds the Rev. Edwin Spears who accepted the post as educational director at Pampa.

Mrs. R. H. Snyder Class Hostess

Mrs. R. H. Snyder was hostess to the Home-makers' class of the First Baptist church Friday afternoon in her home.

Mrs. M. E. Harlan gave the devotional and Mrs. Snyder, president, was in charge of the meeting.

A quiz was entertainment during the social hour which followed.

Members present were Mrs. M. E. Harlan, Mrs. M. C. Stulting, Mrs. Ethel Bartlett, Mrs. G. C. Potts, Mrs. V. W. Fuglaan, Mrs. R. C. Hayes, Mrs. Roy Green, Mrs. J. C. Smith, Mrs. B. H. Snyder.

Centennial Sermon Today At St. Paul's Lutheran Church

A special centennial sermon will be delivered by the Rev. O. H. Horn this morning when St. Paul's Lutheran church joins with other Lutherans in the Missouri synod for the 100th anniversary of the organization.

The pastor will base his morning sermon on the scripture Psalms, 100, and special music will be presented by the children's choir under the direction of Mrs. Travis Aaron.

Sunday afternoon, the Rev. Horn will deliver a special radio address over KBST at 1:45 o'clock.

The pastor has extended an invitation to the public to join the congregation in its centennial celebration and worship with the congregation at both morning and evening services.

According to an ancient myth, cotton bolls were once lambs which reached down and grazed until the stalks grew too high and then starved until their bodies turned to fleece.

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Forsaners Report News Of Visitors

FORSAN, April 26. (Sp)—Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Painter have returned from Temple.

Mrs. Vera Harris visited her father, G. C. Gaskins, in Odessa this past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dunn and Carl of San Angelo were recent guests of the J. P. Kubeckas.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Porter were visitors in Coleman this week.

Clayton Stewart of Poteau, Okla., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. West Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dunn were San Angelo visitors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Williams of Midland visited the Bill Congers this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Longshore and Roy visited in Sterling City recently.

Mrs. B. R. Wilson and Mrs. Arthur Barton and son were in Dallas this week. Mrs. C. M. Adams returned home with them.

Mrs. Mutt Scudday and daughter, Yvette, of Brownfield visited Mrs. Pearl Scudday this week.

Donnabel McRae of Lubbock was a recent guest of Bobby Cathcart.

Cleo Mae Camp visited Peggy Painter recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller have returned from Oklahoma where they visited.

Mrs. Ruth Hillier of San Angelo is the weekend guest of Aquilla West.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conger and children are weekend guests of Conger's sister, Mrs. John Cole on a ranch near McCamey.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Shreive have been visiting in Odessa.

Darrell Adams and A. P. Oglesby are in Brownfield this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Shaw of Wickett were recent visitors in Forsan.

Permits For New Construction Dwindle Steadily

Building activity declined sharply last week, with most permits issued by the city covering only small repair projects. Permits for new construction have dwindled steadily since the first of the month. Total estimated cost figures for the week amounted to only \$6,370. The year's aggregate is \$321,920.

Warranty deed figures also were pushed to equal the small showing of the previous week, with seven instruments covering property with a total value of \$5,280. The warranty deed total for the year is \$1,917,051. Twelve new automobiles and four new trucks were registered at the county tax assessor-collector's office.

Cattle receipts regained strength during the week, with both local auction concerns drawing normal runs. Prices were shaky, however, bringing the first noticeable break in the market in several months. Although market declines for the most part were slight, buyers made more critical selections in their bidding.

50 Italians Attend Mass Of Mussolini

LISBON, Portugal, April 26. (AP)—Fifty Portuguese Italians attended a mass today for Benito Mussolini.

A sponsor of the observance told a reporter that 500 invitations had been sent out but that they were "sabotaged."

Several persons gave the fascist salute in the church. Women wore buttonhole badges and Mussolini's initials on their jackets.

Censors had forbidden newspapers to publish notices about the mass, but the fascist weekly Nacao devoted a double-page spread to articles praising the former duce.

Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Green Co-Hostesses For Party

The Happy Dozen Crochet club met recently in the home of Mrs. Wilson with Mrs. Roy Green as co-hostess.

After a short business session, a social hour was held and refreshments were served.

Those attending were Mrs. Roy Cooke, Mrs. Luther Ledbetter, Mrs. W. A. Abat, Arleen Barron, Ruth Ann Abat, Donald Lovelady and the hostesses.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. D. T. Evans with Mrs. Sam Palmer as co-hostess.



IN COLORADO: Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Jones and daughters, Ann Louise and Frances Kaye, have moved to Canon City, Colo., to make their home. Mrs. Jones and daughters are pictured above.



CELEBRATE 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: Pictured above are Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Watson of San Angelo who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at a dinner given in their honor recently. Among the five children attending the celebration were Mrs. Sam Field and Mrs. Bill Odum of Big Spring.

Guerrilla Forces Get New Leader

ATHENS, April 26. (AP)—Two Athens newspapers published reports today saying that Nicholas Zachariades, secretary-general of the Greek communist party, had assumed command of a large guerrilla band in the Grevena area, replacing "General Markos."

The ministry of public order, which said it had been seeking schiarades for several weeks in connection with a libel charge, commented that it had heard the same report, but had not been able to confirm it.

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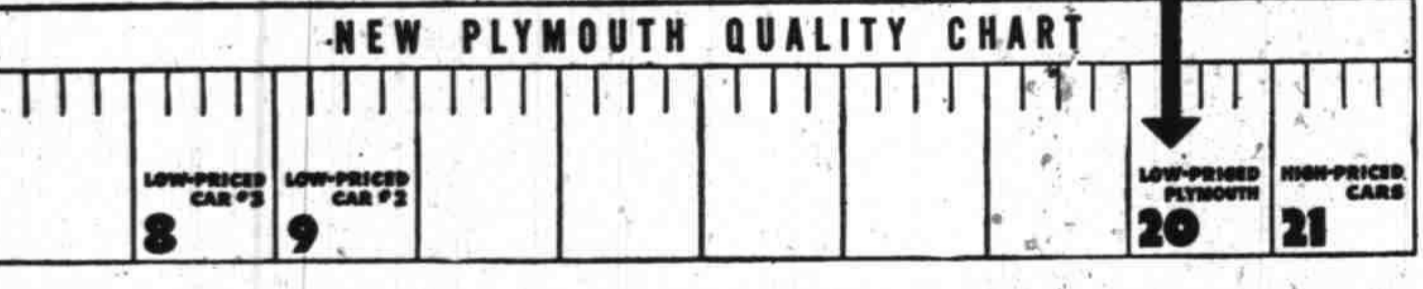
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her neck. It did not bother her greatly at the time but later her body began to bloat and her legs stiffened. Her case was diagnosed as stomach trouble but treatment did her no good. Convulsions then began and she lay in an unconscious state for several days. Recovering from the convulsions, she found herself paralyzed to the point of helplessness. This time her case was diagnosed as tuberculosis of the spine, and she was told nothing could be done for her. Desperate, her parents carried her to a Chiropractor who insisted on a spinal X-ray. The X-ray did not reveal any sign of tuberculous but did show a badly subluxated vertebra. This was adjusted to its normal position. Within a few days a great improvement was noted and in three weeks she could walk with crutches and a few days later completely unassisted. Within two months she was perfectly normal.

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Junior College Grade Sheets Handed Out

Grade sheets for the first nine weeks period of the second semester were given out from the bookroom Saturday at Howard County Junior college.

Previously grades were given personally only to those students over 21 years of age; other reports were mailed to the student's parents or guardian.

There is a town named "Broadway" in England.

Everybody In US Seems Rich After Tour Of Europe

Late in January Ward Williams closed out an iron lung and health exhibit here and left of the political Queen Elizabeth for a two months' tour of part of Europe. Docking at New York recently he blinked his eyes asked himself: "Are all these guys millionaires?"

No, it was just the United States, but everyone seemed a millionaire by comparison. It began to dawn on him that poverty and squalor surrounding him on two months of travel had become his standard measure, and that "if anyone was just half an American when they went to Europe, they would come back 100 per cent American."

Conditions are simply beyond comprehension of the average US citizen, he said. In most countries, black markets are openly embraced, and England alone is making a determined fight against the illegal market.

So fixed is the black market in Italy that residents of Naples proudly call their municipality "the city of thieves." There are three exchanges in Italy—the legal rate of 220 lire per dollar, 378 lire per dollar on the tourist rate, and 800-700 lire per dollar on the blackmarket. Naturally, there is great effort to get on the black market with American dollars.

The tourist, however, finds it difficult if not impossible. In France the traveler is required to declare his currency (and subjected to search for verification). Any excess is confiscated, and all might be in event of excess. Upon departure, official stamps for every exchange must be shown. He had

an offer of \$10,000 in American dollars for a new Cadillac delivered in Paris, "but how would anyone get a new Cadillac into France?"

Williams, accompanied by his wife, was on a tour of England, France, Switzerland and Italy searching for circus and show talent for the Ernie Young theatrical agency in Chicago. He found a veritable gold mine of acts, which despite extreme poverty "put most of our acts to shame." The escape-hungry Europeans swamp entertainments, one night spot in Paris having provided a standing room for 300 extra patrons nightly.

Here there is a 60 per cent tax on cover charge, so operators circumvent it by a nominal admission, followed by a costly bottle of champagne regardless of whether the customer wants it. Living expenses are terrific, too, for in Paris board and room cost from \$50 to \$80 per day.

In Milan a hotel room was quoted at 1,500 lire per day. But when the bill was presented, charges of 800 lire for heat, 500 for bath, and 15 per cent for service were added.

On one 400-mile trip by automobile out of Naples, his agent, a comparatively well-to-do individual, bought a lamb in Southern Italy to transport home, explaining "we haven't had meat in a month, and this is our Easter dinner." The agent's children got a half glass of milk for breakfast, a bowl of soup for lunch, and spaghetti with perhaps some leafy vegetables and a slice of bread for supper—hardly the equivalent of one good meal. The agent, incidentally, wore shoes which he had bought seven years ago.

This explains why scores of businessmen staunchly think Mussolini and Hitler were great men. "Under Mussolini we ate three meals a day, now only one," they said.

After 10 p.m. two men ride in the front seat of Milan taxis, one to drive, the other to guard against robbery—not money but of clothing. It got to where drivers were left naked by patrons desperate for clothes.

Even in unhappy England hunger is not uncommon. On one occasion Williams, having lunch with Laurel and Hardy (Europe is the resurrection ground for dead movie careers), ordered black coffee.

"You want white coffee, don't you?" asked the English waiter. Williams repeated his black coffee order.

"Please," said the waiter, "take white coffee. I need the milk to drink."

Switzerland was the bright spot, clean, modern and industrious. There, Williams could dial long distance, on his own phone, to almost any point in Switzerland.

Elsewhere the job of rehabilitation is tremendous. A US Steel representative told Williams the English steel industry was 30 years behind the US, that France's was on a par with 1890. This sets the pace for most industry and poses an almost insurmountable problem.

Williams does not concern himself with international politics, but having seen millions who would do anything—yes—anything—for food and clothing, he came away with the impression that "you've got to get something in a man's belly before he can think and talk sense."

But back in a land where there is soap and food and unscarred buildings, Williams is adjusting his thinking to the fact that there is such a thing as a strike.

Boy And Girl Week Underway

The local observance of Boy and Girl Week got underway Saturday following a special program Friday at the American Business club's regular meeting, with H. D. Norris, scout executive as guest speaker.

"The church, the school, and the home influences are of great importance in shaping character," Norris stated. "But the need for responsibility and independence begins early with children. Scouting is the healthful, Christian outlet."

In order that scouting programs locally may be successful, they must have leadership, Norris urged. It is the responsibility of organizations such as the American Business club to support every type of program that tends toward the higher ideals.

Norris introduced Billie Bob Watson and Eddie Hickson, both holders of the God and Country scout award, and explained how scouting and Christian works go hand in hand.

Benny McGlasson, visiting scout from Penwell to the jamboree here, played the five regulation bugle calls.

In regular business, Ray Griffin, ABClub president, announced the committee representatives for the joint civic club barbecue to be held at Howard County Junior college, May 9.

Delbert Shultz was introduced as a new member and guests were Don Burk and Ace Ryan.

The average dining car carries about 2,400 pieces of table and kitchenware.

Legion Pushes Campaign For Universal Military Training

An all-out campaign for enactment of legislation for universal military training is being launched by the American Legion, and National Commander Paul H. Griffith is requesting active support from all Legion posts.

The current issue of the organization's paper, "The National Legionnaire," devotes several pages to the UMT campaign, providing promotional material for local posts and legionnaires to fight for a congressional statute.

The Legion emphasizes that its proposal is not compulsory military service, but a program for national security.

The national organization has sponsored bills—now before Congress—that require one year's training, or its equivalent, for every young man some time between his 18th and 20th birthdays. Four months of this time would be spent in basic training, and eight months, or the equivalent, in advanced study in military schools, colleges, ROTC courses, or in the armed forces, the organized Reserves, or the National Guard. Choice of army, navy or air force as the field of training, would lie with the trainee.

MAURETANIA SAILS AGAIN
LIVERPOOL, April 26 (AP)—The 35,000-ton Mauretania sailed today on her first post-war commercial voyage. She is due in New York Thursday with nearly 1,200 passengers.

Senate Plans Stiffer Labor Restrictions

WASHINGTON, April 26.—Senator Ball (R-Minn.), predicted today that the Senate will write more restrictions on unions into its general labor bill—and Senator Aiken (R-Vt.) said that would "assure" a Presidential veto.

Ball and Aiken, both members of the Senate labor committee, expressed their views in separate interviews as the Senate got set to resume debate on legislation to curb strikes and limit union activities.

Dr. and Mrs. Wofford Hardy and Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Deats will leave Saturday to go to San Antonio to attend the state dental convention on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

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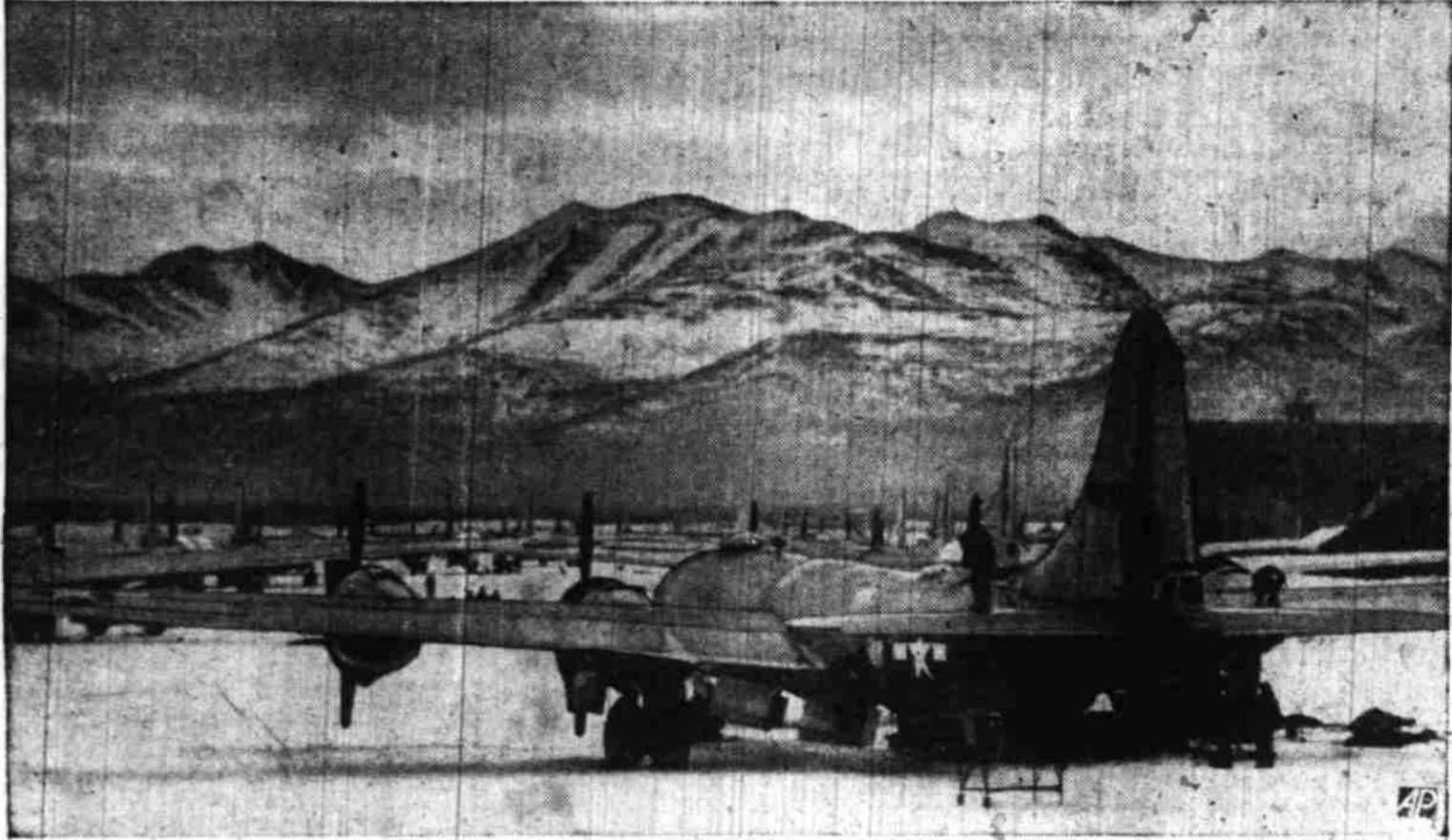


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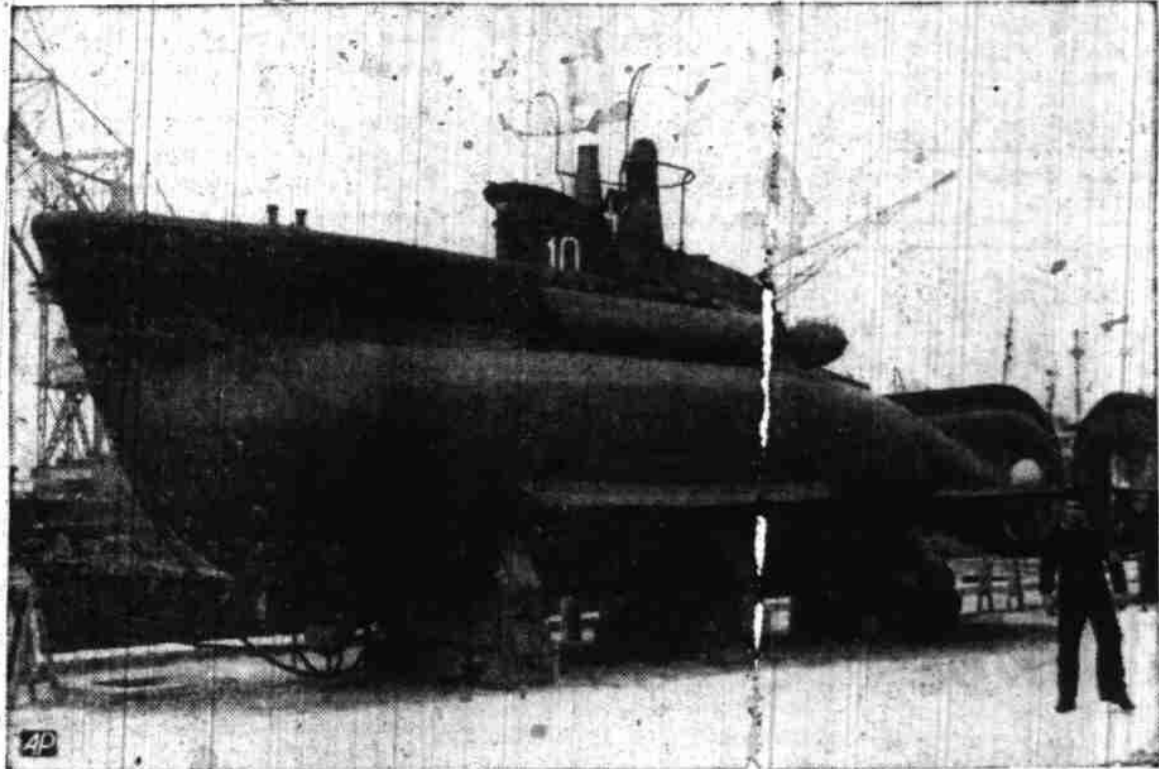
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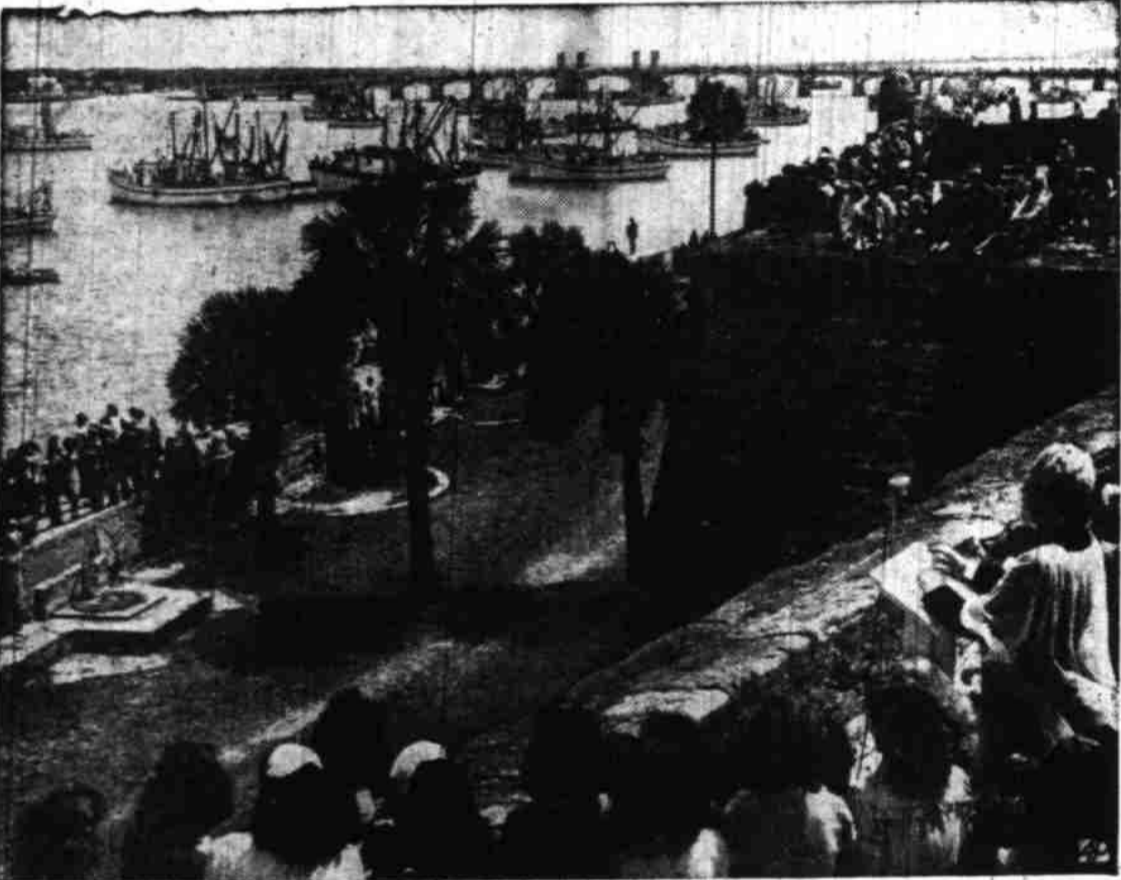
SUPERFORTS IN FAR NORTH—B-29's of the 28th Bomb Group are shown being prepared for flight at Elmendorf Field, Alaska. In the distance the Chugach Mountains form a picturesque backdrop for the Arctic operation.



TWO-MAN SUBMARINE—A 35-ton, two-man Italian submarine, one of several awaiting disposition by Allied powers, lies in the harbor of Taranto, Sicily.



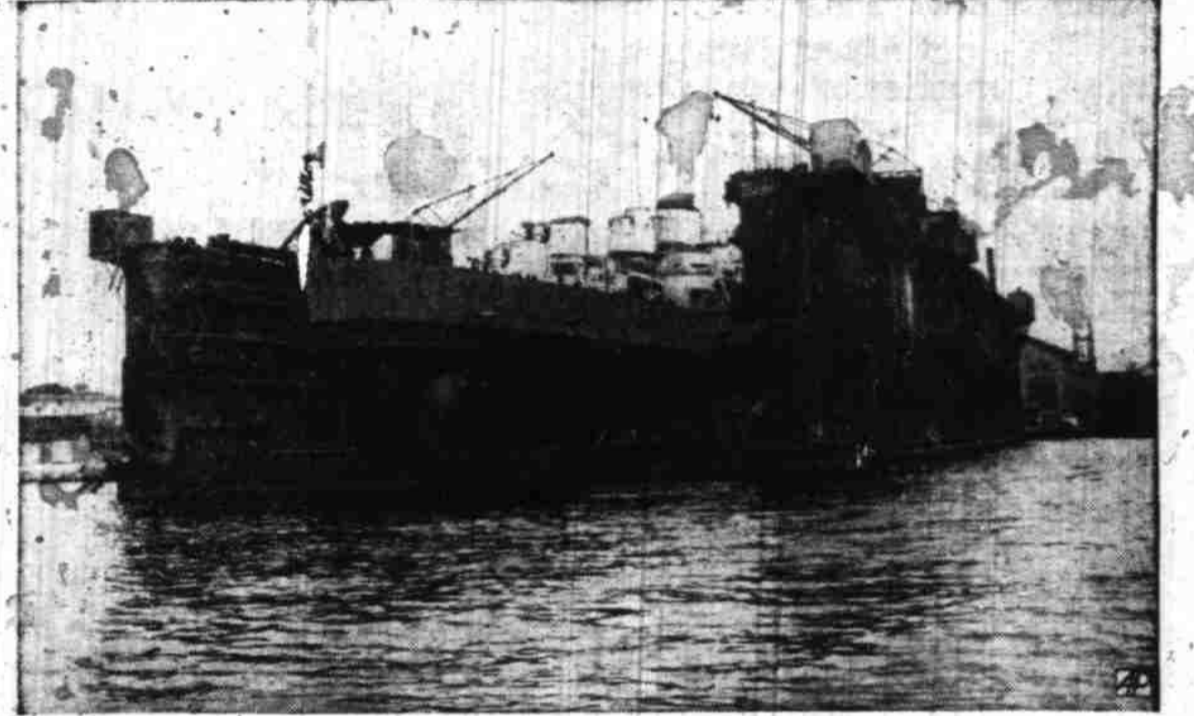
EARLY SAX—In a Belgian musical museum a visitor tries out one of the first saxophones built by Adolphe Sax, famous designer of musical instruments who lived at Dinand, on the River Meuse. Note valves and numerous bells.



BLESSING SHRIMP FLEET—Father William F. Balfe reads the Scriptures during annual ceremonies blessing the shrimp fleet in Matanzas Bay, St. Augustine, Fla.



MINIATURE PETS—Tico and Taco, miniature Chihuahuas weighing but slightly more than a pound apiece, frolic with their owner, Xavier Cugat, orchestra leader. They're really pocket-size pets.



REPAIRING CRUISER—The Italian light cruiser, Scipione Africano, 5,500 tons, awaits repairs in a floating drydock in the Sicilian harbor of Taranto.



SPRING FINERY—Ruthie, the circus elephant, gets a spring chapeau all her own, thanks to the co-operation of her friends, Charlotte Bell (left) of Dallas and Reggie Bogart of Irvington, N. J. The girls are elephant riders in the Ringling Brothers—Barnum & Bailey show.



HOT GLASS BLOWER—In a glass-blowing laboratory at Linden, N. J., John Breda "plays" a trombone-shaped condenser while the flame from a burner reaches 2,500 Fahrenheit. In a year, Breda, who has blown glass since he was a boy, fashions more than 1,000 pieces of glass equipment for Standard Oil laboratory scientists.



FLOWERS—This novel gown was modeled by Ann Miller, motion picture actress, at a Hollywood charity benefit. The flowers are red, blue and pink sweet peas.



SUBWAY BY COLOSSEUM—Close by the historic Colosseum, Rome workmen are constructing a subway which will extend from the central railway terminal to St. Paul's gate.



ITALIAN CADETS TRAIN—Naval cadets go up the rigging of the Italian training ship, Cristoforo Colombo, a three-masted sailing vessel of 3,000 tons.



BABE COMES BACK—Staging a recovery from a neck operation and a serious illness, George Herman (Babe) Ruth, baseball's homerun king, posed for this portrait in New York before flying to Florida for a rest.



OLYMPIAN—This hat, fashioned with plastic paint, was created for Adele Jergens for a movie about life among Greek gods.



BIG DOG WINNER—Patricia Rowe, 3, of Sydney, N. S. W., sits beside Rollo of Warwick, prize-winning Great Dane at the Royal Australian Agricultural Show.

Uncle Remus Tales Brought To Screen By Walt Disney

The immortal Uncle Remus fables long had incited screen adaptation but had to await the development of the proper medium. Now, Walt Disney has evolved a story pattern which answers his own demands for the skillful blending of living characters and art animation. Musical live-action drama, the result is seen in his "Song of the South" in Technicolor, which shows at the Ritz theatre today and Monday.

The story which the producer has finally put before his cameras, is a stirring, colorful, modern story of the deep South. An Atlanta newspaper editor has a charming young wife, whose social life and sense of the proprieties are jolted by the editor's political activities. She takes their son to her mother's mid-Georgia plantation while the father is fighting his professional battles in Atlanta. Bewildered by the parental rift he doesn't understand, their boy runs away.

At this crisis, the power of the

Uncle Remus fables begin to influence the forlorn lad. The wise, amiable, resourceful tale-teller invented by Joel Chandler Harris sets out to save the boy from tragic possibilities. Adroitly he fits his fables of the talking little animals—Brer Rabbit, Brer Fox, Brer Bear and their antic kin of the Briar Patch—to the need of the boy for understanding, affection and counsel. A little neighbor girl also helps with devoted loyalty.

At first, this "intrusion" of the old Negro on the family affair is resented by the unhappy mother, but the grandmother abets him. Uncle Remus' remedial tales set the boy's feet back on the homeward path to bring about eventual family reconciliation.

The fables seen in animated art, are blended into the living action as humorously and completely beguiling, as Uncle Remus narrates them. Music, always used with great understanding and effect in the Disney pictures, adds its own eloquence and story enhancement. Ten numbers, including featured popular lyrical compositions, along with favorite folk songs are heard in the picture.

The living cast has James Baskett in an impersonation of Uncle Remus, with Bobby Driscoll, ten, and Luana Patten, seven, carrying the childhood thread of the human action. Other principals are Lucile Watson, as the grandmother; Ruth Warrick and Eric Rolf as the parents; Hattie McDaniel, Glen Leedy, Mary Field, Anita Brown, George Nokes, Gene Holland, "Nicodemus" Stewart and Johnny Lee.

Most Eskimos live near the coast where they draw much of their subsistence from mammals of the sea.



UNCLE REMUS SAYS—The above sketch is based on scenes from the newest Walt Disney feature-length color fantasy, "Song of the South," which is at the Ritz theatre today and Monday. Combining real-life characters with Disney creations, the film tells the popular Uncle Remus stories.



GAY DAYS OF YOUTH—The State theatre's feature for today and Monday is "Margie," a nostalgic comedy which recalls the flapper days of the twenties, and tells of the hectic times of the teenagers of a generation back. Jeanne Crain is starred, and Glenn Langan, Alan Young and Lynn Bari are supporting players.

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STATE Starting May 6

Queen ENDING TODAY

"Fighting Fury"
also "Kazan, A Dog and The Lone Ranger" "Son of Zorro" (Concludes) and "Last Of Quicans" No. 1

Lyric SUNDAY MONDAY

"LOST JUNGLE"
also "Behind Footlights" and "Post-War Inventions"

STARTING TIMES
At R&R Theatres
Sunday, April 27

RITZ
Feature
1:18 - 3:26 - 5:34 - 7:42
9:50

LYRIC
Feature
1:15 - 2:49 - 4:23 - 5:57
7:31 - 9:06

STATE
Feature
1:18 - 3:19 - 5:20 - 7:21
9:22

The Texas Poll

Free Vote For Vets Favored Over State

By The Texas Poll

AUSTIN, April 26.—Most Texans are in favor of giving veterans of World War I and II a free vote for life.

A bill to do this is now before the Texas Legislature. It was proposed by a young ex-magistrate, Rep. Sid Gregory of Gatesville. More than 20 other lawmakers have signed their names as co-authors. The Texas Poll surveyed public opinion on the proposal by asking a representative cross-section of

the adult population this question: "Let us suppose you are a member of the Texas Legislature: Would you be for or against letting all veterans of World War I and II vote without a poll tax for life?"

The replies:
FOR 62%
AGAINST 33%
UNDECIDED 5%

More opposition to the bill is found among World War II veterans than among non-veterans. Group opinions compare as follows:

% Approving	
World War I Veterans	65%
World War II Veterans	56
Non-Veterans	64
All Men	64
All Women	64

The high degree of veteran interest in the proposal is evidenced by the fact that only two per cent of those interviewed had no opinion. By comparison, seven per cent of the non-veterans had no opinion. Potentially, the Gregory bill would add the names of about 900,000 ex-service men and women to the exempt-poll tax roll. The adjutant general's Department estimates that 195,000 Texans served in World War I and 750,000 in World War II.

(Editor's Note: The Texas Poll in 1940 and again in May, 1946, found that six out of every ten adults were in favor of continuing the poll tax as a general requirement for voting.)



IN "DUEL"—Jennifer Jones, Academy Award winner, bids for further honors with her part in the seven-million-dollar production, "Duel in the Sun," which will have its West Texas premiere screening in Big Spring starting May 6. The picture is booked as a road-show attraction at the State theatre.

Flapper Days Are Recalled In Bright Comedy, 'Margie'

The escapades of teen-agers back in the hey-hey days of the late twenties are recalled with startling clarity in a delightful comedy called "Margie," which is at the State theatre today and Monday.

Jeanne Crain is the star, and the supporting cast includes Glenn Langan, Lynn Bari and Alan Young.

There are many refreshing highlights and amusing angles to this nostalgic story of a younger generation which was characterized as "flaming youth." The period is accurately called up through use of popular music of the times, and many an adult will be carried back to high school days on the wings of favorite songs.

Jeanne Crain is seen as the shy, meek, high school youngster whose braided hair, sack-like overcoat and thick-ribbed stockings don't

prevent her from having a thrilling romance with the school's handsome new French teacher, played by Glenn Langan, a movie import from Broadway.

Lynn Bari appears as the high school's attractive librarian, and Alan Young has a comic role as the young would-be poet who is an ardent worshiper of Miss Crain.

Boston 'Pops' Concerts Will Be On KBST

The Boston "Pops" Concerts will begin broadcasts over KBST beginning Tuesday, April 29. The broadcasts will be part of the summer season of the Boston Symphony Orchestra and will be heard over KBST each Tuesday at 7:30-8:30 p. m., through June 24. Arthur Fiedler will be the conductor.

The broadcasts will come from Boston's Symphony Hall, which will undergo its annual change-over into summer garb at the conclusion of the Boston Symphony Orchestra broadcasts on April 22. Seats will be removed and tables installed where patrons may enjoy light refreshments and light music at the same time.

Newsreels Include Texas City Disaster

Scenes of the Texas City explosion, which resulted in one of the worst disasters in this state's history, are included in newsreel releases which are showing today and Monday at both the Ritz and State theatres. The motion picture camera catches view of the vast devastation on the coastal area.

"Because booking of suitable films cannot be completed, the Ritz theatre is discontinuing its Saturday morning kiddie matinees, the management has announced.

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Clyde Beatty Has Featured Role In Lyric Film

The incomparable Clyde Beatty, star of the Mascot serial, "The Lost Jungle," which is scheduled to open as the Lyric theatre's feature today and Monday, doesn't claim to be the only animal trainer ever to enter a cage with both lions and tigers, but he does admit that he is the first performer ever to mix the big cats in large numbers and also to have both sexes in the cage at once.

Beatty uses anywhere from thirty-two to forty lions and tigers in his circus act. Lions and tigers are natural enemies, and it necessitates much more extensive training to work with them together than it does to put on an act with one species or the other. And by virtue of complicating matters still further, Beatty has brought in lionesses and tigresses, and handling both the girls and the boys is no mean job.

Beatty has had plenty serious scraps on his hands due to a flirtatious lioness or lady tiger, but he manages to keep his cats in pretty good spirits, and, due to careful manipulations, he can foretell when a battle is brewing and often acts a Beatrice Fairfax for wild animals. Beatty is supported in "The Lost Jungle" by Cecelia Parker and a large cast of screen favorites. The entire Hagenbeck-Wallace Menagerie is also part of the show.

The Weeks Playbill

RITZ
SUN.-MON.—"Song Of The South," Walt Disney feature.
TUES.-WED.—"Thrill Of Brazil," with Evelyn Keyes and Keehan Wynn.
THURS.—"Decoy," with Edward Norris and Jean Gillie.
FRI.-SAT.—"I'll Be Yours," with Deanna Durbin and Tom Drake.

STATE
SUN.-MON.—"Margie," with Jeanne Crain and Alan Young.
TUES.-WED.—"Blithe Spirit," with Rex Harrison and Constance Cummings.
THURS.-FRI.—"Cross My Heart," with Betty Hutton and Sonny Tufts.
SAT.—"Fighting Pioneers."

LYRIC
SUN.-MON.—"Lost Jungle."
TUES.-WED.—"The Right Man," with Alan Ladd and Edith Helms.
THURS.-FRI.-SAT.—"Over Santa Fe Trail," with Ken Curtis.

RIO
SUN.-MON.-TUES.—"El Jaguey de Los Ruinas," Spanish language show.
WED.-THURS.—"Lawless Empire."
FRI.-SAT.—"Virgen Roja," Spanish language show.
SAT. MAT.—"Code Of The Lawless," with Kirby Grant.

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Our Period Of Grace Has Expired

Shortly the attention of congress will be directed toward a more serious consideration of universal military training in some form or another. There always has been a sharp cleavage within the United States on the point, and possibly there always will be. At the moment, popular opinion seems to favor some form of compulsory training. This does not represent a fundamental change, but a change in reasoning. The average American citizen has a live and let-live attitude, and compulsion does not conveniently fit into the scheme of things. The proposition which has changed reasoning is a second world conflict within a single generation, and the unsettled state following the most recent conflict.

At the moment the first feeble steps toward a co-operative world organization is being made. Although progress is discouraging at best, proper faith and support eventually may evolve a strong organization capable of effective police powers. But when this day will come is not known, and it may be distant.

It is the uncertain interim which is a matter of concern. Where there is no epidemic, it may not be necessary to carry a heavy stock of vaccines and anti-toxins; but once infection is rampant, insurance against disease is necessary.

This is somewhat our picture militarily. The

fact that several powers are maintaining strong forces make necessary the maintaining of an insuring force. Another, and more practical, is to have some system of universal training for the logical reason that new blood is essential to proper efficiency and flexibility. This cannot mean complete training, but it can mean training in basic functions so that little time would be lost in complete preparation in event of emergency.

It is entirely possible that such a program for youth could be worked out within the framework of schooling or the national guard, plus some actual time required in camp and field experience.

One danger which should be avoided, however, is to avoid the pitfall of identical training for all youths. It is important that those with special scientific training be channeled so that their minds can be used to far greater advantage in the technical fields. In an atomic age, brains are going to be far more important than brawn. Thus, universal training needs to be flexible enough to utilize the talent of all to the greatest advantage.

Perhaps someday the world will awake to the necessity of universal co-operation to the point that it may replace universal military training. Until then, we need to be ready, for the traditional period of grace for the United States expired in World War II.

"Champagne For Everybody!"



Hal Boyle's Notebook

The All-America Heel

NEW YORK (AP)—The scene is a small Belgian hotel bar on an October night in 1944 just two months and five days before the opening of the "Battle of the Bulge."

The central figure is "Junior," the all-America heel in uniform. "Junior" was one of the "bo-boys" you find in any Army around them is a sucker for believing in what he is fighting for.

"Who wants to be a hero?" he said. "You don't catch me having to pawn any medals after the war to buy a hamburger. They can keep all their pretty little ribbons, too. All I want is to get my foot on that gang-plank going home."

"I'll make a million dollars in the first three months. Most of these clucks will be on the cuff for years when they get back. Not me! I got my line all figured out. But I ain't saying now what it is."

"Junior" was tall, blond and wore a neat uniform that the combat men in the room. His face had a pretty boy look like a movie gunman and there wasn't any crust under his fingernails. There never would be.

He was full of two things—himself, and hot raw cognac at forty-four Belgian francs a slug.

"You gotta have an angle," he said. "Look at these jerks"—nodding at some privates slinging over their beer—"They're always one jump behind! In twenty years they'll all be in the porchouse if the Legion doesn't chop them off a pension. But not Junior."

He said he always had an angle himself. He said he only had made two mistakes in his

life. The first was to bet on a horse that wasn't named Whirlaway.

"But Whirlaway was in the race," he said.

The second mistake came after he built up a profitable business taking pen and pencil sets around to mourning widows and convincing them their late spouses had ordered the sets. The sets cost him a buck apiece and he sometimes nailed the widows for \$7 to \$17.50. He lined up his prospects by reading the obituary notices.

"But I slipped up once," he admitted. "Got careless. I sent around a set to the widow of a guy who had died of paralysis. She knew the old geezer hadn't been able to move his hands for two years and hadn't any use for a fountain pen. That was the second big mistake I made—not checking the cause of death better. They put me in stripes that time—worse than this uniform even—and I spent three months on the rockpile."

"But I was doing all right again when they tapped me for this business. I wangled two six-month deferments before they put the blocks to me."

Most of the ex-soldiers I knew overseas have managed to fit back pretty well in civilian life. I've often wondered what happened to "Junior."

I don't think he got his \$1,000,000 or I'd have heard of it. He may have gone under during the "Battle of the Bulge," but "Junior" wasn't that kind of a boy. Give you odds his mail is still being censored and he's back in his old uniform again—stripes.

Washington Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

Byrd Expedition Turns Up Hero

WASHINGTON.—Diary notes from the Byrd Expedition: Admiral Byrd was chatting with New Zealand's shrewd Prime Minister Peter Fraser. "I guess," said Byrd, "You wouldn't like to see my Brother (Senator Harry Byrd of Virginia) President of the United States." Replied Fraser: "Admiral, if it were you instead of my brother, I would feel differently."

Byrd was genuinely popular in New Zealand, though New Zealanders were certain he was primarily hunting for uranium. US officials were equally suspicious of the Russians, which was why the Byrd-boys hopped off one year early when they learned the Russians were preparing a "whaling expedition." Funny thing was that the Russian whalers actually turned out to be exactly that. One of the world's most critical shortages is fat, and whale oil is especially needed for certain delicate war instruments.

Admiral Byrd got the publicity, but real hero of the expedition was Adm. Richard Cruzen. He did a great job of piloting the ship through the ice... while his only son was killed in a Washington, D. C., motor accident. Cruzen stayed on the bridge, didn't take a minute off as the expedition grazed past deadly ice barriers... Cruzen and Byrd had the same rank, though Cruzen had the real power. His title was "Commander of task force." While newspapers were announcing that Byrd ordered the evacuation from Antarctica, it was Cruzen who really gave the order. Inside fact is Cruzen was sent along by the Navy as a balance-wheel to Byrd's temperament... a driving, fanatical man with tremendous ambition, relations sometimes were tense between Byrd and Admiral Cruzen.

Chief row of the trip was between Byrd and the expedition's aerial geographer, whom Byrd accused of "working against me." The geographer insisted on reducing by several hundred thousand square miles the total area Byrd wanted to claim as having been discovered and explored. The geographer contended this area actually was not surveyed, furthermore that a large part of other areas claimed by Byrd were not surveyed

with any great accuracy... Despite Byrd's ire, he stood pat... When Byrd explored the Antarctic in 1928-30, he announced the discovery of Marie Byrd land and other areas, supposedly claiming them in the name of the USA. But he failed to send the State Department a survey of the land so it could not make the claim official.

First priority after reaching Antarctica was Byrd's flight over the South Pole, even though he had done it before. As a nice gesture he dropped the flag of each of the United Nations. It would have been useless to drop an American flag since Roald Amundsen, a Norwegian, and Robert Scott, an Englishman, had reached the pole many years before on foot, thereby establishing prior claim for their countries... In the rest of the Antarctic, Navy pilots dropped hundreds of American flags with land claims signed by the crews... Scientific members of the expedition criticized Byrd for flying on important missions as a passenger, thereby taking up a seat which could have been occupied by the geographer or scientist... The flight over the South Pole, they contended, was a publicity stunt which hindered other operations.

The scientists claimed the military leaders of the expedition showed little interest in work to be done by geologists, biologists, and aerologists... "I was treated like an alien in my own country," remarked Paul Sigle, a civilian adviser who probably knows more about Antarctica than any other man alive. He has been on every expedition from the first in 1928... Because of the hurried-up departure to out-run the Russians, the Byrd Expedition had poorly installed cameras, insufficient polar training for pilots, and holes cut wrongside up in the Douglas planes, which obscured many valuable aerial photographs.

When Byrd revisited his first Little America camp, he carefully collected the commercial products preserved by natural refrigeration and sent telegrams to each company telling them how well their products had kept. One tobacco company replied with a large financial offer for a Byrd endorsement...

Greenland, says Byrd, is the most strategic land in the world today. His expedition was intended to train personnel for further operations in the north, especially Greenland... Pilots had to learn to navigate near the magnetic poles where their normal compasses were erratic; the crew had to learn to heat engines before takeoffs... This was probably the most successful part of the Byrd trip—though the Army and Navy both had previous experience in Canada.

Byrd's pet phobia is the United Nations. The admiral was in San Francisco when the charter was written, argued then with Senator Connally and Vandenberg... "If the American people ever discover how they have been hoaxed," Byrd says he told Truman, "they will retire to isolation or take vengeance on the leaders who were responsible..." The admiral believes Truman sympathized with his viewpoint but at that time wanted to appease the Russians... "I call that the 'artichoke process,'" he explains. "We appease little by little until now the United Nations is nothing but an instrument by which a totalitarian power can dominate the smaller countries..." When Byrd found strong sentiment for placing Antarctica under a United Nations trusteeship, he said: "I told them 'turn it over to a totalitarian outfit—over my dead body, you will.'" "Never in history," says Byrd, "have people been so defrauded. It is fantastic the way the American people were taken in on this United Nations business."

En route to Antarctica, members of the Byrd expedition were shown movies of a previous expedition. One shot featured explorers staggering through a fierce blizzard of wind and snow. Actually the wind and snow were artificial, made by placing the men behind an airplane propeller... "We are not going to take any shots on this trip," photographers were told... But the last day of the expedition a crew spent several hours jacking the tail of a plane off the ground. Once the plane was level, Admiral Byrd was spotted supposedly dropping flags over the South Pole.

The Odyssey Of Rusty The Tomcat

By FRANK GRIMES

One day recently the wires carried the story of Rusty, a tomcat, who trekked 65 miles, driven by the pangs of jealousy, to regain his lost Eden.

In Scranton, Pa., last June a hotelkeeper sent Rusty to her dancer in Endicott, N. Y., as a pet. All went well at that household until the daughter gave birth to a son last November. Thereafter the baby was the center of attention, and Rusty began to sulk, grew morose, and was consumed with jealousy. On February 1 he disappeared from Endicott, and 10 weeks later showed up in front of the hotel at Scranton, footsore and nearly starved, but obviously glad to be back home.

Some people who haven't been around animals much would snort that this story was an arrant fake, that cats and dogs aren't capable of feeling much less showing the emotion of jealousy. They admit dogs and cats sometimes travel long distances to get back home. That's instinct. They admit they can show fear, or delight, or hatred. But jealousy? Only the highest order of the vertebrates, man himself, is capable of entertaining so base an emotion.

Little they know about cats and dogs. They get jealous of each other and not infrequently they get jealous of human beings. No doubt other animals, especially monkeys, and to a lesser degree horses and cows, are quite as capable of jealousy as dogs and cats. Perhaps this explains why jealousy in humans is denounced as a primitive instinct, one of the unloveliest and most destructive of emotions. Man, an animal like the rest, with two hind legs and a couple of vestigial front legs called arms, is supposed to have mastered many of the primitive emotions like fear, hate and jealousy, which spring from a common base of selfishness, but he hasn't made a great deal of progress with it.

It can be said in behalf of four-footed creatures that they are honest in their emotions than man. They are candid and straightforward. They let themselves go without shame. Man, by repressive will, gets credit for curbing his emotions, but sometimes builds up within himself explosive forces that overpower will and reason and lead to his own destruction. Sometimes, as in the case of a psychotic like Hitler, these explosive emotional forces lead to near-destruction of the world.

When Rusty the tomcat got fed up with the adulation and attention lavished upon the baby, he acted the perfect gentleman and betook himself to other surroundings where his qualities and company would be properly appreciated. The drive of jealousy, fanned by personal disappointment, guided by an instinct for direction, carried him in ten weeks the tortuous 65 miles from Endicott to Scranton.

His personal odyssey paid off in triumphant reward. He did not cry to high heaven for redress. He did not call on the government for help. He did not call a mass meeting or besiege his congressman with telegrams.

With the independent spirit that has characterized cats for thousands of years, Rusty took counsel with himself. Let these silly people go hogwild over a squalling infant if they wish, he decided. As for me, Rusty, a tomcat in good health of mind and body—I'll simply transfer my devotion, time and talents elsewhere. There are field mice and unwary birds along the way. There is water in the streams, and old birds to sleep in. What more could a self-reliant tomcat ask of the world? Babel's? Hmpf; can't even keep themselves dry when it ain't raining cats and dogs.

So Rusty, whose feline instincts are often wiser than man's wisdom, returned to Scranton with his dignity and pride intact.

The Nation Today—James Marlow

New Bill Would Spread Libraries

WASHINGTON (AP)—There's a bill in Congress to help spread libraries so more people can get a chance to read and study.

This bill, sponsored by the American Library Association, was offered in the Senate by Senators Aiken (R-Vt.) and Hill (D-Ala.).

What will happen to this bill, if anything, is anyone's guess. Briefly, this is its purpose:

1. Help the states, with government money, to set up temporary libraries where there is no library service now.
2. Then, if the people in the area want a permanent library, the states or counties can set up a permanent one at their own expense.

In short, the bill would provide

federal money to get people, now without libraries, interested in the benefits of libraries.

The background of all this is given as follows by the Library Association:

Only about 675 of the 3,100 counties in this country have county-wide library service.

So, as a result, 35,000,000 people have no public libraries within reach.

Of those 35,000,000, about 32,000,000 live in small villages or the open country. Here's an example of what's meant:

Arkansas, with an average income of \$1,000 per person, spends only an average of 5 cents per person for library service.

Because of this, the Arkansas library service reaches only 44

percent of its population. Most of those with library service live in cities.

How could this be improved? The Library Association suggests:

The bookless county people—or all the people in a state—could tax themselves a little more to set up libraries.

Tax themselves how much? The Library Association figures: About \$25,000 a year is needed for a library to serve an area with a population of 25,000.

So if 25,000 people in a county taxed themselves \$1 a year they could set up a decent library.

If this kind of tax were spread among all the people of a state, the cost to each person would be much less.

Affairs Of The World—DeWitt MacKenzie

Western Allies Refuse To Retreat

The big four ministers conference, which assembled at Moscow a month and a half ago to frame German and Austrian peace treaties, has collapsed in deadlock and so is being recorded as a failure on major points.

Still, it strikes me that in a broader sense we don't have to take such a pessimistic view. The very deadlock in itself is a mark of vast achievement. It means that the western allies have refused to retreat further in face of the Russian political offensive which already has swallowed a large section of Europe.

We had to reach this point sometime, and it's better that it should come now than later. It would have been better if it had come a lot sooner, for that matter.

Each side blames the other for the stalemate, and sharp words

have been exchanged. US Secretary of State Marshall has charged the Soviet Union with blocking the American-proposed four-power pact to keep Germany demilitarized, and with stymieing the Austrian treaty. And Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov has declared in equally curt language that America has tried to force other powers to sign its pact without amendment.

However, that's water over the dam. The thing which really matters is that the western allies have stopped their retreat. The battle now is likely to be fought on its present lines, without further retreat by the American-British-French group which, it's important to note, has been further unified by the trend of the conference.

This means that we are much

closer to finding out just what the Moscow program of expansion is. Up to now there hasn't been any concrete indication of how far Russia has intended to go, and there could be no such indication so long as the other allies continued to appease and retreat. Human nature being what it is, the Soviet Union was bound to keep right on advancing until it encountered an obstruction.

Now as the result of the determined stand by the western group under leadership of General Marshall, Moscow may be expected to show its hand before long. Russia will pursue one of two courses: either she will make concessions in the interest of pushing Europe on its feet, or she will keep right on pressing for control of more territory and more peoples.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Greek god
2. Strong-smelling
3. Sheep-snapping fabric
11. Penitential
12. Unadulterated
14. Knack
15. Armor piece
16. Articles of faith
17. Vegetable
18. Scout
19. Industrial application
21. Surround
22. Is carried
24. Title of Mohammed
26. Hardened

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10. Meadow
11. Offshoot
12. Organ
13. Vessel or duct
17. In shipbuilding, a temporary cross timber
18. American general
19. Potter's stone
20. Seasons
42. Masculine
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54. Rational
55. River in Poland
56. Dispatched
57. Lohengrin's wife
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1. Low voice
2. Peruse
3. One who prates formally
4. Cubic meter
5. Work
6. Entice
7. Any plant of the life family
8. Modest and serious
9. Fleet
10. Mountain ridge
11. Supports
12. Covers
13. Edisons
14. Edson's middle name
15. Not fat
17. Prickly pear
18. Station
19. Rent agent
20. Nutritious
21. Dry
22. Warmth
23. Endurance
41. Always
47. Summons
48. Greek letter
49. Citrus fruit
51. Hoist
53. So may it be
55. Bird's home
57. In France
58. Region

In Hollywood—Bob Thomas

Hollywood Is Helping Texas City

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Texas City will get a helping hand from Hollywood this weekend, and Jack Benny, Frank Sinatra, Alice Faye and others will play Galveston April 28 and Houston April 29.

Another troupe with Mickey Rooney, Kay Kyser, Diana Lynn and Burns and Allen will follow.

Mary Pickford, whose childhood career is an important part of movie history, is searching for a girl to re-trace her steps.

The great lady of the screen gives all indications of finally getting back to film production after a 10-year lapse and many false starts. Among the pictures on her schedule is the F. Scott Fitzgerald story, "Babylon Revisited," which has an important

role for a girl from eight to 11 years old. Mary will launch a wide search for a gifted girl and plans to nurture her career, with the possibility of reviving old Pickford vehicles.

Errol Flynn's purchase of Navy Island near Jamaica has stirred resentment among some old-time islanders, but apparently it's nothing serious. The actor is happy that his father will be retiring from his teaching post next year and will live on the island paradise.

The civil war is engrossing studios these days, and with good reason: pictures of that period are nearly always good box-office. Several are getting into production and now MGM announces that "The history of

Rome Hanks" will star Lana Turner, Gregory Peck, Van Heflin and Donna Reed.

Poachers Destroying German Forests
BERLIN (AP)—Many German forest, once tended with thrifty and almost-loving care have taken a beating this severe winter from poachers who chop down trees indiscriminately for fire wood.

The famed Grunewald in Berlin's western suburb, already thinned by last winter's authorized and planned cuttings, has been the victim of night pirates who poach in the darkness to elude British and American guards and German police.

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Texas Today—Jack Rutledge

Read A Lively Texas Weekly

For a breath of fresh air, city folks should turn to the lively little Texas weeklies. You'll find down-to-earth items in them that make you feel good inside. Things you won't find in the more businesslike dailies.

Take this from the newly Big Bend Sentinel from Marfa: "Seven airplanes in a row and not a horse in sight," was the comment of a Minnesota man visiting the J. W. Rawls ranch when the Rawls were open house hosts. "I never thought I'd see such a thing."

The Wellington Leader says it is "Texas' greatest newspaper." It's big and bulky and good reading. One of its correspondents writes:

"The women in this community have about got all the sand cleaned out from the little sandstorm last week, getting ready for another one I guess, let's hope the next one has a little moisture."

What is the state's smallest weekly? That's a tough one. In square inches, it might be the Forestburger, printed in Forestburg, Montague county. But the Forestburger is little in size only. It's 10 inches wide and 14 inches deep, but it's packed with news and advertising. Its columnist writes: "Roy Atterbury says that coons are so thick in his part of the country that possums had to put up stop lights to make it safe to go 'simmon hunting.'"

Then there's the Concho Herald, printed at Paint Rock, the county seat. It's a little bigger, 11 by 16. And the Jack County Herald, from Bryson, 12 by 18 it says "all roads lead to Rome... or Jacksboro."

Radio Programs

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The simple pleasures of childhood are innocent and wholesome, and may constitute the happiest memories of later years. Fortunate is that child whose environment tends to promote such happiness.

All too quickly this little boy and girl will grow out of carefree childhood, and will be called upon to face the duties and responsibilities of life. Much will depend upon their early training and environment.

If the principles of truth, honesty and right living are instilled in their minds during these early, impressionable years, they will be prepared to meet the duties, responsibilities and dangers of life as they come.

Every child is entitled to a home in which he can develop a strong character along with his physical growth—a home in which the deep spiritual significance of life is impressed upon him from his earliest years.

Religion should be the guiding light of every home, and children should be brought up in the Church and in the faith and knowledge of God. Thus they will walk safely in life, and their lives will prove a blessing and an inspiration to others.




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THINGS YOUR MOTHER NEVER TOLD YOU!

MOTHER'S DAY is May 11th

MOTHER NEVER TOLD YOU

about her dream of being a movie star. Such a foolish, wonderful dream about flash, bulbs flaring and adoring crowds whispering that's Lola LaLique, isn't she beautiful! Mother never told you—she was too busy getting you ready to star at your first party!

MOTHER NEVER TOLD YOU

about the cruises she used to dream of taking—the "glamour course" and she pored over so longingly. There was always your vacation to plan and pay for, and she was too busy running a private success school for you ever to enroll in one!

NOW'S YOUR TIME TO TELL MOTHER

that you knew all the time the sacrifices she'd been making for you. Show her on Mother's Day that she's really a glamour girl to you. Send her the laciest negligee you can find—a frilly slip—some fabulous perfume—sheerest nylons—a luxurious bag. Make her silent dreams come true—we'll be proud and happy to help!



BIG SPRING'S FINEST DEPARTMENT STORE

Weak, Watery Blood Blamed for Making Men and Women Look and Feel Older THAN THEIR YEARS

How do you feel at the end of a day? Is that old time pep and drive lacking? Have you checked-up on your blood strength lately? Thousands now regard the glowing good looks and vitality through the release of vibrant energy to every muscle, fibre, cell.

Every day—every hour—millions of tiny red-blood-cells must pour forth from the narrow of your pores to replace those that are worn-out. A low blood count may affect you in several ways: no appetite, underweight, no energy, a general run-down condition, lack of resistance to infection and disease.

To get real relief you must keep up your blood strength. Medical authorities, by analysis of the blood, have by positive proof shown that SSS Tonic is amazingly effective in building up low blood strength in non-organic nutritional anemia. This is due to the SSS Tonic formula which contains special and potent activating ingredients.

Also, SSS Tonic helps you enjoy the food you eat by increasing the gastric digestive juice when it is non-organically too little or scanty—thus the stomach will have little cause to get balky with gas, bloats and give off that sour food taste.

Don't wait! Energize your body with rich, red-blood, Start on SSS Tonic now. As vigorous blood surges throughout your whole body, greater freshness and strength should make you eat better, sleep better, feel better, work better, play better, have a healthy color glow in your skin—firm flesh all out hollow places. Millions of bottles sold. Get a bottle from your drug store. SSS Tonic helps build sturdy health.

Girl Widowed By Disaster Tells Of Gratitude For Assistance

"I don't know how to thank all the nice people who have helped me."

The words come from slight, blond Mrs. Oran Helms, who is trying to pick up the threads of normal living after the stunning blow suffered in the loss of her husband in the Texas City disaster.

She told The Herald Friday: "Today I received eight letters from people in different cities who were good enough to send me money. I appreciate their thoughtfulness with all my heart." One woman in Seagraves, sent the young widow \$20 through the Salvation Army. Other gifts were in lesser amounts.

Mrs. Helms, who returned at midweek after a grieving trip to the scene of the disaster, said her plans are as yet indefinite, until she has time to compose herself.

She will stay briefly with a sister at Knott, Mrs. Wayne McNew, but plans to return to Big Spring, where her apartment at Camp Davis has been retained for her. "I cannot say at present what I want to do," she said. "Things were so horrible and so sudden."

Mrs. Helms, 17, has a five-month-old daughter, La Rita. Several organizations and individuals have arranged that the girl and her baby shall have needed assistance.

The Helmses moved to Big Spring in January. He was an oil field worker, had gone to Texas City to get employment, only a few days before the disastrous explosions.

Bus Trip Offered Contest Winners

The American bus line has offered round-trip tickets to Los Angeles and El Paso to the winners of a short story contest sponsored by the Literary Guild at Howard County Junior college.

Entries into the contest, which closes May 8, are limited to students of the college. Mrs. Anne Covey, head of the English department, has been temporarily named judge.

Ticket to Los Angeles will go to the first place winner, and gunner-up will receive ticket to El Paso. Awards are to be announced May 22.

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Philippine Surplus Worth 75 Million

MANILA, April 26, (AP) — A Philippine official estimated today that American surplus property in the Philippines would bring in no more than \$75,000,000, or \$25,000,000 less than the U.S. had guaranteed to give the republic for rehabilitation.

Chairman Placido L. Mapa of the Philippine surplus property commission made the estimate during a tour of surplus depots already transferred to the Philippine government from vast army supplies with an original book value of \$680,000,000.

Officers Released By Reds To Report

NANKING, April 25, (AP) — Two US Army officers came back to Nanking today to report to their embassy on their experiences during the 55 days they were held by Chinese communists in Manchuria.

Maj. Robert Rigg of Chicago and Capt. John W. Collins of Evanston, Ill., assistant military attaches, flew here from the Manchurian capital of Changchun with a brief stop at Peiping to pick up Rigg's wife.

Mrs. Collins greeted her husband at the Nanking airport. Their first child is expected within the next week.

Captured March 1 north of Changchun while observing Chinese military operations, the two officers were released to American officers yesterday.

Propane, Butane Users Urged To Stock Supplies

Users of Butane and Propane gas were urged Saturday to stock their respective systems for next winter during the summer months.

The Texas Butane Dealers Association, in a formal announcement, pointed out that although demands for gas are substantially higher in winter, supplies probably will be about the same for the full year. The association is urging butane users to assure themselves that their respective systems are capable of holding a four-months supply and then stock in advance for the winter months.

Industry uses gas on a year-round basis, the announcement stated, but many home owners are prone to wait until they actually need fuel before re-stocking. Therefore, existing storage facilities may not be sufficient to take care of the winter demands unless home tanks are stocked early.

Hungary Applies For UN Membership

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., April 26, (AP) — Hungary today applied for membership in the United Nations.

She was the first axis nation to seek entry into the peace agency, which now has 53 members.

The application will be referred to the security council which must give approval before a final vote by the general assembly, probably this fall.

First Christian Church Revival Services Begin Today, April 27

The gospel sermons will be delivered by Rev. Lloyd H. Thompson, the pastor of the church.

Miss Zada Brown will be in charge of song services.

Sunday Morning Sermon: "WITNESS TO THE DIVINITY OF JESUS"

Evening Sermon Topic: "How Do You Pronounce C-H-R-I-S-T-I-A-N"

Song Service By Young People



REV. THOMPSON

Other Sermon subjects announced follow: "Heroic Living", "Life's Most Important Questions Answered", "Unconditional Surrender", "Rocks In The Road", "The Unpardonable Sin", "How We May Know The Bible Is Inspired", "New Testament Monuments and Memorials", "The Perils of Power."

A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend. We believe you will enjoy the good singing and receive a blessing from the plain, helpful Bible sermons.

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