

Italian Delegates Recalled From Geneva

House Opens Floor Debate On Farm Bill

Refinancing Measure Not Inflationary, Says One Of Authors

WASHINGTON, May 12 (AP)—Terminating the Frazier-Lemke farm debt bill a "nonpartisan measure," Rep. Lemke of North Dakota told the house today that "this is not inflation unless every federal reserve bank note issued is inflation."

Lemke, starting debate on the controversial measure, said he had information from a high authority connected with the federal land bank that the biggest part of five million dollars of farm indebtedness would be liquidated unless the bill is passed, and that 15 to 20 million persons would be driven from their homes.

8 Million New Currency When the democratic house leadership failed yesterday by a 67-vote margin to prevent consideration of the bill that would call for the issuance of \$3,000,000,000 in new currency, no resistance was offered to a rule under which the topic was brought up for debate today.

Members of the Democratic high command contended, however, that yesterday's balloting was no real test and that the bill would be defeated on the vote on passage next Wednesday or Thursday.

Passage Is Seen On the other hand, Lemke said he expected the measure to command even more votes on passage than it did Monday.

"There aren't 75 members who know what the bill is about," he said. "I'm satisfied that after we have explained it, the membership will realize it is not inflation and that it will mean the salvation of the farmers and of the nation."

(The bill would authorize issuance of new currency for refinancing existing farm indebtedness, with farmers paying the government 1-1/2 per cent interest and 3-1/2 per cent principal over 47 years.)

First, by a 145 to 134 standing vote, and then by a 220 to 153 roll call ballot, the house agreed yesterday to Lemke's motion to take the bill away from the rules committee, where it had been pigeon-holed since early last session.

"On the Spot" Immediately the chamber shouted down the opposition to adoption of the rule allowing six hours of debate. To the expressed surprise of Speaker Byrns, there was no record vote on this.

Asserting that it had been argued that a vote for the bill would put many members "on the spot," Representative Palmer, South Carolina, said the measure as far as he was concerned, he was on the spot when elected.

"The house should consider the bill on its merits," he said. Then, replying to statements that the measure is inflationary, he asked who made such assertions.

"The money changers," he roared in answer to his own question. Under the present law, said Representative Palmer, Massachusetts, the federal reserve system has "the power to inflate billions," so "we need not worry about a small \$3,000,000,000 of currency."

Gets 2 Years For Forgery

Man Loses Suspended Sentence When Given Term Here

O. L. Payne, under a 2-year, suspended sentence in Lubbock county, pleaded guilty Tuesday to a charge of forgery and was sentenced by Special Judge Charles Sullivan to serve two years in the state prison.

District Attorney Cecil Collins said that Payne would be required to serve the 2-year suspended sentence in Lubbock, giving him a total of four years.

Payne was returned here two weeks ago from Monahans when he refused to come to Big Spring for trial after having been released on bond.

Wednesday the case of John Johnson, O'Donnell, will come to trial for the fifth time. Four previous trials of the Lynn county deputy have resulted in mistrials when juries were unable to agree whether he was guilty or innocent of the murder of B. O. Best in Dawson county in May, 1934.

With Judge Charles Klapproth III at his home in Midland, Sullivan probably will hear the case.

MAN ARRESTED IN WAXAHACHIE CASE

W. K. Allen, arrested Monday at Cosham by Deputy Bud McKinney, was returned to Waxahachie officers to face statutory charges. Waxahachie officers came here immediately after being notified of Allen's arrest.

Robinson Admits Kidnaping Of Mrs. Stoll, Is Returned To Louisville To Face Charge

SLEW CHILDREN?



James H. Robinson, Jr., (above) was said by Portland, Maine, police to have confessed slaying Mary Prox, 7, at Waterville, Me., and Anna K. Knights, 13, at Fairfield, Me. (Associated Press Photo.)

Last On U.S. 'Wanted' List Taken In California

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 12 (AP)—Bunk Gardner, federal district attorney here, said this afternoon he would seek the death penalty for Thomas Robinson.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 12 (AP)—Thomas H. Robinson, Jr., was brought here by a department of justice agent by airplane today from Glendale, Calif., where he was captured last night as a kidnaper of Mrs. Alice Speed Stoll, Robinson, whose confession of the \$50,000 kidnaping of Mrs. Stoll on Oct. 10, 1934, was announced by J. Edgar Hoover, head of the bureau of investigation, at Washington, was rushed between two federal agents toward downtown Louisville.

Sought Men First Hoover said Robinson told the agents his first plan was to kidnap C. C. Stoll, father-in-law of his victim. Finding Stoll was not at home, Hoover said the man's story continued, Robinson went to the home of Stoll's son, seeking a possible second male victim. Not finding the younger Stoll, Hoover said, Robinson decided to abduct his wife.

Last of the major public enemies wanted by the government, Robinson was taken last night without the firing of a shot, although federal men said he was armed. With his capture, federal agents wiped clean their major "wanted" list. In a week and a half, Alvin Karpis, Harry Campbell and William Mahan have been arrested.

Robinson had on his person when arrested \$4,560 of which \$4,200 was kidnap ransom money, Hoover said. The kidnaping suspect, who is known to have masqueraded as a woman at times, had been living in Glendale, Calif., for the past two months under the name of "John Simons."

Robinson, known as a "lone wolf" criminal, had been hunted by the "G-men" nearly two years since the \$50,000 kidnaping of Mrs. Stoll, wife of Berry V. Stoll, Louisville oil man, and niece of Frederic M. Sackett, former United States senator and former ambassador to Germany.

Traveled Alone Unlike the gang kidnapers, Robinson had no underworld cronies or confidants. His practice of appearing in the disguise of a woman made the chase doubly hard. He had once been confined to an insane asylum.

The Robinson chase covered most of the United States, with reports of the appearance of Robinson or the "blond woman" disguise he used coming from many scattered cities.

Hoover said at one time that part of the ransom money "has turned up from time to time."

Both Robinson's father, T. H. Robinson, and his wife, Mrs. T. H. Robinson, Jr., were investigated in (Continued On Page 6)

TOOK MAHAN



Wayne L. Listerman, 29, (above) reputedly the youngest G-man, head of the bureau of investigation office in San Francisco, whose agents captured William Mahan, convicted in the kidnaping of 9-year-old George Weyerhaeuser. (Associated Press Photo.)

Retail Trade Is Stronger Over Nation

Agricultural Situation Is Improved With General Rainfall

WASHINGTON, May 12—Retail trade was sharply better than the previous week under the impetus of farmer weather in most sections of the country, but wholesalers were much more reserved, according to nationwide reports to the department of commerce.

The agricultural situation continued to show improvement as general rains stimulated crops. Country implement dealers in Minnesota were unable to fill orders, according to the Minneapolis report. Cotton planting progressed satisfactorily in the South and Southwest and excellent growing weather prevailed in the Northwest. Heavy fruit damage as a result of recent freezes, was reported by Louisville and Cincinnati.

More Construction A vast program of construction was under way throughout the country with residential building predominating. New Orleans reported a gain in residential construction of 700% in April over last April; Rochester's gain was 83%; Omaha, 431%. Houston permits of \$8,366,498 to date this year exceed the entire year 1935. In Cleveland the total for the four months of \$5,868,435 compared with \$15,953,979 in the 1935 period. In the same four months period, St. Louis had a gain of \$375,000 over last year. In Detroit, permits for the week of \$1,094,000 compared with \$278,000 in the same week last year. Louisville reported FHA approval of 840 loans in 115 Kentucky counties for \$6,001,136 and plans for a new 100-room hotel in Covington, Ky. New suburban residences predominated in Chicago and four pre-fabricated steel houses were exhibited. Substantial gains over the previous and 1935 week were also reported by Dallas, Fort Worth, Atlanta, Indianapolis, Boston and San Francisco. There was moderate slowing up in Philadelphia and Cincinnati, compared with last week.

Reagan Named As Director

Reelected As City And District Representative Of WTCC

R. Reagan of Big Spring, long-time leader in the West Texas chamber of commerce, has been re-elected to two directorships in the organization. At the WTCC convention in Amarillo Monday, Reagan was named to serve another year as Big Spring's official representative on the regional chamber's board, and also was re-elected as director for district six, comprising several counties in this immediate area.

MORE TIME GRANTED FOR CONSTRUCTION CITY RADIO STATION

Notice that an application for extension of time for construction of the municipal police broadcasting unit had been granted was received by City Secretary H. W. Whitney Tuesday. The extension order called for beginning of construction on May 15 and completion by October 15. Call letters will be KCAM and the station will have a power of 50 watts with unlimited time. The federal communications commission approved the city's application for the station last year and granted the extension so that the cost could be included in this year's fiscal budget.

DIES ON THE GALLOWES FOR DOUBLE SLAYING

MANCHESTER, Eng., May 12 (AP)—Dr. Buck Ruxton died on the gallows of the Strangeways jail today for the "Devil's Boettch" slaying of his wife and accomplice, last September.

Diverting Of Money Lowers General Fund

Outgo For Officers Salary Nearly Double Fee Receipts

Shrinkage of the vital general fund and the sharp increase in the total balance was disclosed in the April county treasurer's report approved Monday by the commissioners court.

While the cash balance was swelling from \$68,715.24 to \$94,556.50 from all of 15 funds, the general fund total dropped to \$1,833.89 as compared to \$3,888.50 in March. The figure is a new low for the fund at this time of the year.

To Salary Fund Drain on the general fund is due in a measure to the diverting of special fund money, normally used for general fund purposes, into the officers salary fund.

Through April expenditures from the officer's salary fund amounted to \$11,369.39 against receipts of \$5,324.53 from fees of officers. In addition to the fee receipts, County Treasurer E. G. Towler is holding a warrant on the state for \$801.73 which eventually will be paid to the fund.

Under the salary system to which the county changed the first of the year, officers no longer receive state fees. The state, however, can compensate the county up to 14 cents per capita for the lost source of revenue. Thus far the state has shown no great haste in doing that, the \$901.73 warrant being the only advance.

The \$25,000 increase in the total balance at the end of April was due largely to automobile license tag payments which were reported for the month, leaving the road and bridge fund with a \$13,093.69 balance and the highway fund with \$37,881.59.

Balances by funds at the end of April as shown by the report follow: Jury \$9,221.78; road and bridge \$13,093.69; general \$1,833.89; road fund \$2,280.85; good road \$5,548.42; highway \$37,881.59; jail improvement \$394.82; permanent improvement \$1,821.65; courthouse and jail \$586.75; Howard county viaduct \$1,406.88; special No. 1 \$5,824.82; special No. 2 \$1,658.16; special No. 3 \$1,114.58; tractor and grader \$2,763.46; and officers salary \$7,455.14.

Reagan, Glasscock Counties Grouped For Farm Program

H. F. Kothmann, newly appointed agent for Glasscock and Reagan counties, was here Tuesday obtaining farm records from the county agent's office.

Kothmann, who will maintain headquarters in Big Lake, will have charge of administration of the federal soil conservation and building program in both Reagan and Glasscock counties.

All previous records, with the exception of C. A. P. and Bankhead forms, were turned over to Kothmann by M. Weaver, adjustment assistant who has had charge of the federal farm program in Glasscock county.

The new agent said that he would administer the Glasscock county program from Garden City. Previously many of the farmers in Glasscock had expressed a desire to have their program handled from Big Spring since they come here for trading.

PRESIDENT TO MAKE A TRIP TO CANADA

OTTAWA, Ont., May 12 (UP)—President Roosevelt will pay an official visit to Canada June 8, it was announced today.

It will be the first time a president of the United States has visited Canada officially. The date was set tentatively and will be changed if congress has not adjourned then.

Borah Stages Last-Ditch Fight For Ohio Delegates

State Offers Test On Democratic Bolt From The 'New Deal'

WASHINGTON, May 12 (UP)—Sen. William E. Borah is fighting with his back to the wall today for a share of Ohio's delegates to the republican national convention and the prestige buckeye backing would give him when the GOP meets in Cleveland June 9.

Voters in four states are winding up the pre-convention primary phase of the national political campaign. Three of the polls are important in the contest between Borah and the leading republican contender, Gov. Alf M. Landon of Kansas.

Primaries are taking place today in Ohio and West Virginia. Oregon, apparently safe for Borah, votes May 15. New Jersey ends the primary period May 19. A fifth primary remains scheduled for Florida June 2, but it is limited to democrats and will have no national significance.

Remove Governor's Pardon Power, Is Allred's Argument

Educators At WTCC Meet Rap Youth Program

AMARILLO, May 12 (AP)—Removal of the absolute power of pardon from the hands of the governor was recommended today by Gov. James V. Allred in a speech before the West Texas chamber of commerce convention.

Allred's address was the highlight of the second day's session of the convention which had attracted thousands.

Efforts of the National Youth administration to provide higher education to sons and daughters in families on relief was criticized as "generally fruitless" in a resolution submitted by educators to the convention.

Turned Over To Schools It was recommended that "all this educational effort of worthy youth be transferred to control of high school and colleges."

Referring to the "freshman college effort," in which "help is limited to youth whose families are on relief," the resolution said "in general this effort is fruitless, because in the first place youth in these families are lacking in ambition for education and will not exert the effort necessary for a college education. In the second place the expenditure places a premium upon being upon relief rolls and penalizes ambitious youths who have fought with their parents to remain off the relief rolls."

Presidential Possibilities Brownwood and Wichita Falls were active today in seeking supporters in their bids for the 1937 convention.

Discussion on possibilities for next president to succeed Ray H. Nichols of Vernon centered on three men today after C. M. Caldwell of Abilene, first vice-president and the man considered in line for the position, announced he would not accept the presidency.

Prominently mentioned were John J. Gallaher of Graham, Milburn McCarty of Eastland and J. S. Bridwell of Wichita Falls.

Convention visitors were finding plenty of entertainment to go with their business. Three dances were held last night and three more are slated tonight. The pageant, "Cavalcade of West Texas" also was to be presented again this evening. The horse races are attracting crowds.

Preliminaries were under way in the "My Home Town" oratory contests.

\$7,810 IN PROSPECT FOR SCHOOLS HERE IF PER CAPITA RAISED

Big Spring schools may receive an additional \$7,810 if the state board of education passes a supplemental \$250 apportionment appropriation Saturday in its called meeting at Austin.

The board has made supplemental apportionments in the past but never when the state was paying the \$1750 limit as this year.

Attorneys for schools in Big Spring, Austin, Houston, San Antonio, Dallas and Fort Worth have held that the \$1750 is not really a limit and have persuaded the board to convene for the purpose of considering the matter.

At the present time the state available school fund has a surplus of approximately \$4,000,000.

ONE KILLED, 5 HURT IN MEXICO FIGHTING

MEXICO CITY, May 12 (AP)—Despatches from San Juan Del Rio, Queretaro, reported today that one man was killed and five wounded in a clash between a crowd and bodyguards of former Governor Saturnino Osornio.

Mrs. H. G. Foshee has as a guest her sister, Mrs. A. E. Loffer of Naples, Tex.

Explanation Not Given Withdraw

SAFETY CHIEF



H. H. Carmichael, (above) assistant adjutant general, was made director of the Texas public safety department, succeeding L. G. Phares who retired to end a controversy led by Texas sheriffs. Phares remained as head of the state highway patrol.

Dodson Test In Glasscock Is Abandoned

Wildcat's Showings Had Caused Brisk Lease Play In Area

Fleetborn Oil corporation No. 1 Floyd C. Dodson, wildcat in the southeast corner of section 13, block 34, T-3-S, T. & P. survey in Glasscock county, was ordered abandoned Tuesday, according to reports.

The test had been drilled just past 3,400 after setting five-inch casing at 3,155 feet. Running high and missing the salt while picking up two shows caused a spirited leasing play around the test and as far south as the Sterling county line.

Southern Oil corporation No. 1 Edwards, extension test one a trend between the East Howard and Chalk pools, was drilling at 2,775 feet in line Tuesday after having picked up three shows, the last two at 2,640-50 and 2,663 feet. First show was encountered higher than in surrounding tests. In the adjacent Moore No. 1 Snyder trend was abandoned last year, best pay was found at 2,850 feet.

A string of tools lost Monday night after a three-day fight with cavings had been recovered Tuesday afternoon in the Stanton No. 1 Edwards shallow sand test in the Edwards pool of northern Glasscock county. The well is bottomed at 735 feet in red beds and will be carried to 1,000 feet in hopes of picking up sand production between 900 feet and that depth.

Woodley Petroleum company No. 1 M. S. King wildcat three miles southeast of Stanton, was abandoned last week at 3,312 feet after striking another flow of sulphur water.

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Revision Of Fox Bill Is Foreseen

WASHINGTON, May 12 (AP)—Secretary Wallace today submitted new tax recommendations to the senate finance committee coincident with fresh indications that the house revenue bill would be revised drastically.

Pointing toward such rewriting was the understanding that President Roosevelt informed Chairman Harrison of the senate finance committee yesterday that it was up to congress to determine tax methods of raising the revenue he requested.

Action Causes League To Adopt Milder Attitude On Situation

GENEVA, May 12 (AP)—Ba Pompeo Aloisi, chief Italian delegate to the league of nations, announced J. A. C. Avenol, league secretary general, that he and his colleagues had been instructed to leave Geneva.

He indicated his orders from Premier Mussolini. The Italian action came soon after leading members of the league council drafted a resolution which, in effect, condemned Italy's annexation of Ethiopia.

Don't Know Reason When Avenol asked him the exact significance of the withdrawal Aloisi replied, "I don't know."

Until their train left, the Italians insisted they could not interpret Mussolini's command. An Italy spokesman earlier told the Associated Press the situation was becoming most difficult, and that Italy might be "forced" through consideration of national dignity to leave the league.

Continue Sanctions? Council members, sensing the dropped a plan to pass a resolution drafted at a secret midnight session, arranging instead for a presidential declaration to be rescinded, without directly condemning Italy, made clear the league stand by previous decision and intimating that sanctions will continue.

British delegates were reported as urging the league to resist Italy's claim to sovereignty. Resistance by the league, said the British, means:

1. The league does not recognize Italy's claim to sovereignty of Ethiopia.

2. The league does not recognize the continued existence of Emperor Haile Selassie's Ethiopian government.

Walk Out If Duce demanded the outright removal of the Haile-Ethiopian dispute from the agenda, no Ethiopian state. The only sovereignty is Italian.

But with quiet stubbornness the council voted to keep the Ethiopian problem on the agenda. Aloisi walked out of the league council session yesterday with the assertion that Italy could not discuss the African situation in the presence of Ethiopian delegates.

60 Here For Cosden Meet

Officials Of Oil Company Make Talks At Sales Parley

Approximately 60 from 30 West Texas towns were in Big Spring Tuesday for a sales conference of dealers, jobbers and others associated with the Cosden Oil corporation. The all-day meeting was featured by talks on various phases of the company's activities during the morning session; a luncheon program, and a trip through the Cosden refining plant this afternoon.

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Weather

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday.

WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday except unsettled and cooler in Panhandle Wednesday.

EAST TEXAS—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday.

TEMPERATURES table with columns for Mon. and Tues. and rows for 1 through 15.

Sunset today 7:34 p. m.; sunrise Wednesday 5:50 a. m.

Around And About The Sports Circuit

By Tom Heasley IMPROVEMENTS are to be made at the Country club this year...

ANOTHER FAHLEY is scheduled this week, at which a new Country club manager probably will be elected...

W. C. BLANSHENSHIP, school superintendent, made the remark recently that it may be necessary to do a little work on the football field before fall in order to make it drain properly...

BLONDY CROSS, leather-necked gripper from the Concho, had this in Tuesday morning's San Angelo paper: "Jack Gorman is not much of a wrestler..."

"The young man on the Big Spring paper has erred gravely. Instead of being 'not much of a wrestler,' he is one of the cleverest, smartest and most adroit mat-

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"BIG SPRING'S SWEET AIR DENTIST" "SWEET AIR" Assures QUALITY DENTISTRY AT LOW PRICES SAYS DR. HARRIS

PHILLIPS LISTED AS FAVORITE

MINERAL WELLS, May 12. (Sp) -Feminine golf starts from the far corners of West Texas gathered here today for the opening of the second annual tournament of the Women's West Texas Golf association.

OILERS, SETTLES EASY WINNERS -Cosden Oilers went to the head of the class in the Muni softball league last night, running wild over Continental, 25-5.

Sponsor Dance -The Big Spring Women's Golf association will sponsor a dance at the Country club tomorrow night to raise funds for the invitational golf tournament.

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DOWN AT San Angelo they've started the old belt trick again. Backfinks had a big bet that was supposed to represent the championship or something or other. He probably had it made himself.

CROSS IS getting so feeble even his squawks sound bad. IF THAT semi-final match is on the level Gorman won't win a fall.

Southern California Track Coach Has Too Many Stars For Positions On His "All-Time" Squad

(This is the seventh of a series of stories on the all-time all-star selections of the nation's leading college track coaches.) By ALAN GOULD (Associated Press Sports Editor) NEW YORK, May 12 (AP)—Dean Cromwell's only apparent embarrassment, when it comes to selecting Southern California's all-time all-star track team, is to find enough places to go around.

Here's the Trojan all-star list, with Cromwell's selections given in order of preference in each event: 100—Frank Wykoff, co-holder of world record of 9.4 seconds; Charles Kelly, former world record-holder, and Olympic champion, 1920; and Howard Drew, also a co-holder when 9.6 was fastest on record.

Gates To Big Leagues May Open For Another Bob Smith

ATLANTA, Ga., May 12. (AP)—Gates to baseball's big leagues may swing wide in a few years for another Bob Smith. Bob, Jr., 17, and freckled-faced, is making a lot of noise hereabouts as a "no-hit, no-run" prep league pitcher.

Fort Worth, May 12 — The Horned Frogs of Texas Christian university lost a football game to the Mustangs of Southern Methodist university last November 30, but they've been getting revenge ever since.

Fourteen times since that date the Frogs have competed with the Ponies in one sport or another, and the Christians have been on top in 12 of the 14 encounters.

His no-hit, no-run game was against Columbus Industrial High School, Columbus, Ga., and he has two 4-hit games to his credit—against Atlanta's Commercial High school.

Smith says he is building no baseball "air castles," emphasizing that he is too young to think seriously of a career. "I want to go to the University of Georgia," he declares, "and get a degree. By that time, if I decide I'm good enough for the big leagues, I'll try to make them."

With their mother, the three boys move to Boston during the summer to be with the elder Smith. "We keep up with dad in the papers," says young Bob, "and, naturally, we are awfully proud of him. I'm glad he is a baseball player."

Sailor Watkins Grapples Ray Meyers Here Tonight

PHILADELPHIA, May 12. (AP)—The injury to Third Baseman Higgins in the Athletics was unfortunate, but if the accident hadn't happened Connie Mack might not have discovered that he had in Russell Peters one of the best looking youngsters to come up in the American league.

Another newcomer to the Athletics has caused a bit of a sensation in the American league. He is Harry Kelley, a 23-year-old rookie pitcher. His prize effort so far is the 3-hit game he turned in to beat Wesley Ferrell and the Boston Red Sox.

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MEYERS

Ray Meyers, clean-cut neck-twister from Kentucky, making his first swing along the southwest grappling trails, will match holds with the old ring-warrior, Tex Watkins, in the main event of the Big Spring Athletic club's card tonight.

Dutch devotes most of his time to promoting, making matches, and officiating. He's getting a little too old to keep going in the ring for more than a few minutes at a time.

Meyers is known as the Kentucky speedster, and is said to be a clean, scientific bender. Watkins scowls, runs for the ropes, and uses illegal tactics.

The sailor's best match here last year was with Gene LaBelle, the Frenchman. LaBelle had been going good until Watkins came along and let loose a knock-out punch.

Gorman is an old veteran. He's wrestled for many years in this section of the country. He faces Dick Trout of the navy in the semi-final.

prizes to this game of baseball, known to an old-timer like Connie Mack. Plenty of Southern league observers rate Kelley a better pitcher than Al Milnar, the Cleveland rookie who was a sensation in the Southern league last season with a string of 17 consecutive victories.

British Field Rated Strong In Open Play

LONDON, May 12. (UP)—With the opening of a crowded golf season, the British are looking to one of their stars to keep the major title, the British Open championship, in this country.

After 10 successive years of United States' victories, the title was won back in 1934 by Henry Cotton. Alfred Perry kept it here last year.

These two are among the half-dozen who are expected to provide the vanguard of the British defense at Hoylake, Cheshire, June 22-26. Others include Percy Alliss, Alfred Padgham, the three Whitcombe brothers, Charles, Ernest and Reginald, and W. J. Cox.

The last time the championship was played at Hoylake was in 1930 when Bobby Jones annexed it as one of the four major titles he acquired that year for an all-time record.

Cotton ranked at top of the seven British players mentioned. Cotton is given the best chance of winning—as he has been given for the last five years. Cotton is an "automatic" golfer, always trying new swings, styles and stances.

At Prestwick last year, he spent a month on the course before the tournament, practicing 36 holes a day. When the tournament came along he blew up in the concluding rounds. It was believed that he had over-trained.

Cotton would not enter any competitions last year so that he might concentrate on the Open. This year he has entered every tournament and again has altered his style.

He is said to be a vastly improved player not only as regards shot production, but in the matter of temperament. In the last six months he has lengthened his swing and effected a radical change in his putting style.

Higgins Went Out In Favor Of Russell

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As it was, Connie was desperate and was forced to gamble on the untried Peters. The youngster from Albany, of the International league, was just one of many ob-scure rookies on the roster at the training camp. His minor league record was anything but impressive.

But when he stepped into Frank Higgins' spot at third he did a neat job of filling the veteran's shoes. He fielded his position every bit as well as Higgins had, and at the plate hit well above the 310 mark which the latter was batting when forced to the sidelines.

Rogers Hornsby, manager of the St. Louis Browns, picked Peters and Buddy Lewis of the Senators as the two best-looking prospects to come up in the American league this season. Peters had a brief tryout with the Senators in 1933, but Clark Griffith was not impressed.

With Albany last season he hit a mere .213 in 83 games. He's a big fellow and plenty fast. No one will begrudge Connie his find.

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Eleven were spent in the Southern league. Mack picked the pitcher up last fall in the draft after he had won 23 games while losing 13 for Atlanta. He worked in 44 games, pitching 319 innings.

Years ago, Kelley had a trial with the New York Giants but failed to make an impression on John McGraw. His curve was not enough, he was told. He needed speed, or something to take the place of speed.

DUTCH TO REFEREE MAIN GO

PHILADELPHIA, May 12. (AP)—The injury to Third Baseman Higgins in the Athletics was unfortunate, but if the accident hadn't happened Connie Mack might not have discovered that he had in Russell Peters one of the best looking youngsters to come up in the American league.

As it was, Connie was desperate and was forced to gamble on the untried Peters. The youngster from Albany, of the International league, was just one of many ob-scure rookies on the roster at the training camp.

His minor league record was anything but impressive. But when he stepped into Frank Higgins' spot at third he did a neat job of filling the veteran's shoes.

He fielded his position every bit as well as Higgins had, and at the plate hit well above the 310 mark which the latter was batting when forced to the sidelines.

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Young Bob Proud Of Having Hurlled A No-Hitter

ATLANTA, Ga., May 12. (AP)—Gates to baseball's big leagues may swing wide in a few years for another Bob Smith. Bob, Jr., 17, and freckled-faced, is making a lot of noise hereabouts as a "no-hit, no-run" prep league pitcher.

"Shorty" Doyal, boys high school coach of the young son of the Boston Bee's finger, believes the youth is potential big-time timber, saying: "In my opinion, young Bob is the best baseball prospect the Atlanta prep league has developed. He has made remarkable strides in the last year."

Then Doyal recalled that the league has turned out such top-notchers as Go-Go White, of the world champion Detroit Tigers and Luke Appling of the Chicago White Sox.

A right-hander like his father, Bob, Jr., has a delivery that has sent many an enemy batter back to the bench hitless. His record thus far this year is five victories and two defeats.

His no-hit, no-run game was against Columbus Industrial High School, Columbus, Ga., and he has two 4-hit games to his credit—against Atlanta's Commercial High school.

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RESULTS YESTERDAY

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CLUBS

1930 Hyperion Club Ends Year's Work With Fine Arts Recital At Country Club Monday Evening

Members of Other Two Federated Clubs And Few Invited Guests Hear Program With Hostess Group

One of the most attractive fine arts programs ever given in Big Spring was given by the 1930 Hyperion study club Monday evening at the Country club with an Abilene artist in a unique Centennial program.

The artist was Miss Dorothy Mathews, sister of Mrs. Aldo Green of Big Spring, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. Mathews of Abilene.

Mrs. M. H. Bennett and Mrs. Fry Hurt were hostesses for the evening and were assisted by the singing president, Mrs. Ira Thurman, and the president-elect, Mrs. A. Woodward, in meeting guests the door. Also in the receiving line were Mrs. R. V. Middleton, Mrs. Clara Secrest and Mrs. W. C. Kunkinship, members of the entertainment committee.

The Country club was decorated with roses and larkspur. Tall floor vases holding a colorful bouquet of white, blue and pink flowers were placed beside the openable doors.

Members of the Hyperion club, Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority, and a few invited guests were present for the program. Mrs. Thurman introduced the artist.

Miss Mathews gave groups of drawings selected for their historical background in showing the various cultural phases of the development of Texas. In each she appeared in costume. Her first costume was that of an Indian maiden, her second a Spanish senorita with mantilla; her third an old Mexican woman relating the legend of the Mexican flag. She then appeared in a frontier woman's sun-bonnet garb. Her last appearance was in an evening dress, as she presented the Texas woman of 1836.

During her readings Miss Eleanor Anselmy played accompaniment. Mrs. Anselmy also gave an interlude of Brahms' rhapsodies.

The selection of the material for the reading arose to a splendid climax in Bruce Barton's tribute to Texas, which the artist chose for her finale. The music added an emotional value that charmed the listeners.

Included in the readings were the end of the Texas bluebonnet as visible has told it and Karle Wilson Ficker's splendid and well-known poem, "Song of the Forerunners," and "Janabelle Fortune's romantic story of the rose window of San

Students At College Are Showered

E. Fourth Baptist W. M. S. Circles Bring Gifts

Two circles of the East Fourth Baptist W. M. S. met Monday afternoon. Circle five met with Mrs. F. L. Turpin for a handkerchief shower for the local students at Mary Hardin-Baylor college.

Mrs. Turpin gave the devotional and Mrs. George O'Brien taught the lesson in the book of Samuel, Mrs. Ben Carpenter, president of the W. M. S., was a guest.

Others attending were: Mmes. F. S. McCullough, H. Reeves, J. R. Phillips, Bob Wrenn, C. M. Gray, T. N. Caldwell, W. D. Thompson.

The Kate Morrison group met in the home of Mrs. Ira Martin, 603 Douglas street, with the hostess giving the devotional. She read from second Samuel 12: 1-16.

The members packed a box of cookies and candy to send Ruth Cotton at Mary Hardin-Baylor and brought four towels to send Miss Musgrove, a missionary in Baylor hospital, Dallas. An offering of 68 cents was taken for Buckner's Orphanage home.

Present were: Mmes. C. W. Adkins, C. E. Seed, J. M. Tate, R. C. Burnett and Temple Rodgers.

Mrs. W. J. Ray Hostess To Florence Day Circle

Mrs. W. J. Ray was hostess Monday afternoon to the members of the Florence Day circle of the First Baptist W. M. S. Members commenced the study of "In the Vanguard of the Race."

Present were: Mmes. R. E. Day, R. C. Hatch, I. A. Fuller, C. D. Herring, R. V. Hart and R. V. Jones.

Roy Carter is in Dallas on business.

Miss Mathews worked up this selection as her senior recital in McMurry when she finished her work there. She has completed her work, specializing in expression, and will obtain her bachelor degree this June. Her accompanist is also a McMurry senior, who will finish in June. Miss Anselmy's home, however, is in Dumas, Texas.

Both artists have appeared in this recital in many West Texas towns, as a result of the many tributes paid the originality of the idea when Miss Mathews first gave it in Abilene.

Present for the program were: Mmes. Ralph Houston, Horace Reagan, Charles A. Frost, Hayes Stripling, J. Y. Robb, J. C. Loper, H. C. Keaton, C. W. Cunningham, W. C. Cousins, Wm. Fahrnkamp, V. H. Flewelling, R. Homer McNew, E. Reagan, R. T. Piner, J. B. Young, Turner Wynn, B. T. Cardwell, Lee Hanson, Roy Carter, Thomas J. Coffee, Ira Driver, Geo. G. Sawtelle, C. A. Bickley, Seth H. Parsons, Bishop L. Bailey, El Paso, W. E. Carnrike, J. L. Hudson, Waldon Green, W. J. Mathews, Abilene, C. S. Blomshield, H. W. Leeper, Tom Helton, J. D. Biles.

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AMERICANS FACE ETHIOPIAN RIOTS



Beating off the vicious assaults by native plunderers in Addis Ababa that followed the collapse of Haile Selassie's army against Italian invaders, these Americans were in hazardous position. Top, Walter E. Tanner of New London, Conn., (left) and J. M. Anslow of Arlington, Mass., (right) radio men at the American legation. Below, Cecil F. Cavanaugh, Philadelphia, radioman (left) and John Spencer, Grinnell, Ia., (right) once the Negus' adviser, cited in dispatches as "fearlessly" repulsing rioters at the legation. (Associated Press Photos)

Home Demonstration Council Party Held At C.C.C. Hall Is Well Attended

Auxiliary Outlines New Year's Work

Sessions Held In Homes Of First Presbyterian Women

The members of the woman's auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church met in circle sessions in homes of the members Monday afternoon. The groups filled out year books and made plans for the coming church year.

Mrs. H. D. Stanley was hostess to the Dorcas circle and gave the devotional.

After the business meeting she served refreshments to the following: Mmes. Ida Mann, L. S. McDowell, L. A. White, G. D. Lee, T. Currie, James Little, R. V. Watkins, H. H. Rutherford and A. A. Porter.

Mrs. Porter will be the June hostess.

Kings Daughters

Mrs. D. F. McConnell was hostess to the Kings Daughters. The meeting opened with meditations from Isaiah 61:8. During the business session the circle members reported 127 visits made, two trays carried to the sick and 17 bouquets.

Mrs. A. E. Loffer of Naples was a guest. Members present were: Mmes. H. H. Moser, Eloise Arnold, R. T. Piner, T. E. Pierce, H. G. Foose, Sam Baker.

Ruth Circle

The Ruth circle met with Mrs. E. L. Barrick, newly elected chairman who presided over the business meeting and led the devotion. Her theme was "Man Created in God's Image."

Mrs. W. G. Wilson was elected secretary-treasurer. The group decided to make tea, towels, pillow cases and aprons for the orphanage.

The hostess was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Brooks, and her grand daughter, Lorena Brooks, in serving punch and cake.

Present were: Mmes. D. A. Koons, Hal Farley, W. G. Wilson and H. W. Caylor.

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New Mission Study Is Begun By Circle

Mrs. W. A. Miller was hostess to circle one of the First Methodist W. M. S. Monday afternoon. Mrs. C. E. Shive gave the devotional.

The members commenced the study of a new book, "Toward Christian America." Mmes. Fox Stripling, Miller and J. C. Waita, Sr., gave the first two chapters. Members were asked to bring money to pay for their books at the next meeting which will be in Mrs. Shive's home next Monday.

Present were: Mmes. Dell Hatch, Stripling, A. C. Bass, Nellie Burns, C. E. Johnson, Lee Smith, Waita, and Shive.

Mrs. W. B. Buchanan Is Hostess To M. W. Circle

The Mary Willis circle met at the home of Mrs. W. B. Buchanan Monday afternoon to bind a quilt. Mrs. Theo Andrews gave the devotional, the 17th chapter of Luke. Others attending were: Mmes. J. A. Soykin, C. S. Holmes and Una Covert.

Open House Held At Welfare Nursery Cottage This Week; Public Invited

The women of the First Methodist W. M. S. and of the Woman's Benefit association were hostesses this morning at the Welfare nursery cottage open house. At noon the members of the Rotary club went down to view the youngsters.

Mrs. T. E. Pierce, local director of the cottage, was also hostess for the service club group.

In the afternoon the P. T. A.'s sent hostesses and so did the First Christian W. M. S.

Tomorrow the West Side Baptist W. M. S. and the American Legion auxiliary will act in the capacity of hostesses. The Lions will go down after their luncheon. Mrs. Pascal Buckner will be there to receive them.

Mrs. Allen Hull and Mrs. John Corcoran representing the V. F. W. A. will greet the guests, assisted by members of the East Fourth Baptist W. M. S. in the afternoon.

The nursery is open to the public, to give it an idea of what is being accomplished there. Every-body interested in child welfare is invited to see how these pre-school children are taken care of during the hours their mothers are at work.

Co-Eds Greater Spenders Than Male Students

COLUMBUS, O., (AP) — As a spender of dad's money, a college girl out-does a college boy, say students at Capital university here.

A survey shows that it costs \$98.43 to keep the average girl in school a year, whereas a man spends only \$49.71 annually while acquiring an education.

It's what they eat, rather than what they study, that costs the most. Meals for the average male student total about \$120.44 for a college year, while Betty Coed spends \$5.39 a week for board.

The average girl spends \$2.91 a week for clothes and the average man only \$2.97 a year.

Men students at Capital spend an average of \$18.28 annually for recreation and \$11.89 for refreshments, undoubtedly largely spent on coeds who turn in no bill at all for refreshments and one of only \$9.80 for recreation.

Room rent costs coeds \$89.91 a

Circle Four Meets At Home Of Mrs. E. M. Tate

Mrs. E. M. Tate was hostess to members of circle four of the First Methodist W. M. S. Monday afternoon.

Mrs. C. F. Lechridge gave the devotional on the subject of prayer. Mrs. O. M. Waters conducted an interesting lesson on the first chapter of the new study books with opinion test.

Also present were: Mmes. Russell Manion, Herbert Fox, J. B. Sloan, Sam Nabors, Carl Williams, Ida Rowland, E. C. Masters.

Mrs. Hugh Duncan will be hostess next Monday.

LASKA CASE TAKEN TO SUPREME COURT

WASHINGTON, May 12 (UP)—Ben B. Laska, attorney for the kidnapers of Charles F. Urschel, has appealed to the supreme court

year and college men only \$56.67. Books cost women students more than men, and coeds spend more for stationery than do their male fellow students.

The coeds report they receive 85 per cent of what they spend from home and earn the rest. Men students say their parents pay 60 per cent of their bills.

from his conviction and 30-year sentence on charges of accepting the Urschel ransom money in payment of his fee.

Laska was charged with complicity in violating the Lindbergh kidnaping law. The jury in the federal district court in Oklahoma convicted him. His action was affirmed by the tenth circuit court of appeals in Denver March 27.

Mrs. Willis Taylor, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Morgan for the last two weeks has returned to her home in Clovis, N. M.

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DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Solution of Saturday's Puzzle. ACROSS: 1. Snake, 2. Indian, 3. Feltch, 4. Uncooked, 5. Evergreen tree...

Pensioners Give Ages 104 And 111

EL PASO, May 12 (UP)—The El Paso district office today claimed the two oldest applicants in Texas for old-age pensions—Joe Gallegos, 104-year-old pipe-smoking veteran...

PENICK PROUD OF HIS NETTERS

(By United Press) Daniel A. Penick, tennis coach than whom there is no other, wasn't there to see it last week, but he would have blinked through his spectacles and said, "Well done!"...

Man About Manhattan

By George Tucker YORK—As usual, there was dissatisfaction in the city when Robert E. Sherwood's "Idiot's Delight" won the Pulitzer Award this year...

Jim Wadsworth

Tall, slender, wealthy, the bearer of a famous name, Wadsworth would be a front rank contender for the nomination except for one flaw...

Grid for the crossword puzzle solution, showing numbers 1 through 59 in a grid format.

take his chances with the other possible team mates. But having thumped the Borah drum, he could expect to receive first consideration...

TELEPHONE IS SWIMMERS HELP SAN FRANCISCO, May 12 (UP)—An unique swimming-pool telephone has helped 17-year-old Peggy Neal of San Francisco land two national junior A. U. aquatic championships...

Half Of Nation's Power Controlled By Nine Companies

WASHINGTON, May 12 (UP)—Nine large utility companies control half the nation's electric power and 57 corporations control 90 per cent of the federal power commission reported today in its second volume of a study of holding companies...

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Chapter 25
FLAIN SPEECH

Allan appeared duly in the blue roadster. "I adore you," he said. "You set me wild. Let's drive to the moon together, after we've finished with Granny."

"Any moon you say," she returned, lightly. "I'll keep you to that. I know a lot of pretty hot moons," said he gaily. Presently they were at their destination.

It was an unpretentious author. To Georgia's house, behind a white picket fence. Peaceful, human, shed, reminding her of home. She said so. "I love your Granny's place, it's so like Persia!"

Granny, rising stiffly from a kneeling mat before a bedful of sweet-williams, came forward in a preposterous smock to greet her. Presently Mrs. Morgan, very much as if she were sending a little boy to play in the attic, said, "Allan, my dear, there are some business papers upstairs in your grand father's study that I wish you'd go over. I'll entertain Miss Lanning while you're gone."

Allan, lifting a lazy eyebrow, smiled and went. "How long do you want them to keep me there?" he inquired as he passed the door. "Half an hour," said his grandmother, as coolly. She smiled reassuringly as she turned to Iris, but none the less she got down to business.

"That rather dreadful young woman, Georgia Blair, was here this morning. I have to see more or less of her, as she is on the membership committee of our branch of the Junior League, and her mother and I are on various other committees together.

"It's no secret to you that she would rather you weren't a member of the League, or took part in the Anna Lispenard concert—I believe they are calling it a revue this year. I am a judge of human nature to rather more of an extent than any girl in her twenties."

"I credit you with honesty, breeding and ancestry, as well as your more patent qualities; prettiness and a singing voice and good clothes are easy enough to come by. They interest Allan, naturally, more than the others," said the old lady quietly, while Iris colored high.

"But why do you tell me this?" she asked as quietly, when Mrs. Morgan paused. "I believe in plain speaking. I have hoped for a long time that such a girl as you existed, and that my only remaining grandson would

find and be attracted by her. I have said all this to you because I want to ask for your word of honor that you haven't deceived me about yourself or yours in any way. This amazing old lady stopped talking.

Iris pulled herself together and answered with dignity. "Certainly I give you my word of honor. There's nothing to know about me. I haven't been outside the place where I was born, except to go to Philadelphia, a few miles away, since I was born. Your relative, Mrs. Caldwell, could tell you all about us Lannings."

She rose to go. Mrs. Morgan threw a strong arm around her. "My child, you mustn't be offended. I'm your friend, and I always hoped to be." She kissed her, and Iris, realizing that what she said was true, returned the kiss.

"Did you make a hit with Granny?" said Allan, as they got into the car. "You must be an animal charmer. And now, what about the moon?"

"Things were relaxed and delightful again. "Where are you going to take me?" "Anywhere you say, you good little sport."

But the end was something neither of them had foreseen—the encounter at a service station of Dicky and three of their friends, vociferous over a broken car and appropriating a ride home. Only, as she was dropped at her own door, Allan whispered "Postponed only!" And she nodded.

Next day was one of Camilla's fencing days. It coincided again with one of Owen's days at home, but Iris hoped it wouldn't matter. They were dressed after their swim when one of the maids rapped on the bathhouse door.

"A young person with the costumes, from Madame Phina's," she said. "Oh, bother. I'll have to see her. Phina's going," Iris said. "All right," Camilla said. "I'll wait for you under the striped umbrella."

"In the housekeeper's room," said the maid. Iris entered. And there sat a small stiff figure in errand-girl black. Sigrid, with a devil in her eye.

"Why on earth are you waiting here—and what are you dressed like that for?" Iris demanded. Sigrid lifted a face which Iris saw was deadly angry.

"Madame Phina sends me to bring down pagan costumes. I come, properly dressed, to the proper room. When Miss Iris has seen the costumes," Sigrid went on stiffly, "I would be glad if she would ask the young master if I might speak to him. I have something to tell him."

"I have something to tell you, you idiot! Owen's breaking his heart. You're tormenting him to death!"

"And what about me?" She glared at Iris. "Owen talks about gratitude and duty, and all the while he's getting deeper tangled in this life Phina's playing for, with the two of you for pawns. And what do I count, what do I matter?"

"But he loves you and wants to marry you." "Then he has to break with Phina. This is a showdown. Send for him."

Iris rang; she sent a maid for Owen. Meanwhile she tried to reason with Sigrid. "If you love him, why don't you marry him and let him go on doing what he considers his duty to Phina? I think the trouble is you don't trust Owen."

"Trust a man? If you still believe in trusting men you don't know what trouble is; you won't know till whoever it is lets you down. I know. I was married and divorced when I was sixteen. A gentleman who met me across a glove counter, and then let his family divorce and buy me off. Where did you think I got the money to buy into Phina's?"

Owen stood in the doorway. She turned on him, icy anger again. "Owen, I know you will be glad

to hear of any good luck that has happened to me. I have an offer to go to Paris, very advantageous. I am selling out at Madame Phina's. I sail next Monday. We are through, you and I."

"Sigrid—" He caught her in his arms, he bent down over her. Iris slipped away—her last glimpse was Sigrid moving from his arms with a cold finality, and beginning to speak.

Camilla looked keenly at Iris. She laid a big shapely brown hand over Iris's ivory long-fingered one. "You've been wonderful to me, Iris. I shan't forget it. You know, Iris, you're real, no matter what Georgia says. Oh, do be careful of Georgia."

"Why, what else could I be?" Iris said gaily. "As for Georgia, I am as careful as I can be. But I have to see her along with the rest."

Before Camilla's slow voice had begun to answer, Owen was there, standing above the two girls. He was as white as a ghost; he was as angry as Sigrid had been; he spoke to his sister in a voice she had never heard from him.

"You and Phina have succeeded. I see you have Camilla here. You would."

Camilla looked up at him, a little hurt and frightened. "Am I in the way, Owen? I was going in a minute—" she said, meekly.

"No, you're just where you should be." He stood before the two girls, his stern, sensitive young face tight-lipped. "Camilla, will you marry me?"

Camilla never saw his bitterness. She lifted her face to his. It looked as if heaven were shining on it. In that moment she was beautiful. "Why, Owen—Owen, I didn't think you cared—" she put her hand out to him. Iris sprang up and ran.

In the days that followed, Camilla bloomed. The engagement had, by Phina's insistence—and doing—instantly been made public. Iris was afraid Owen blamed her for this too; the only blot on those triumphant days was her brother's attitude of detached civility, instead, the monthly survey of the Associated Press indicates.

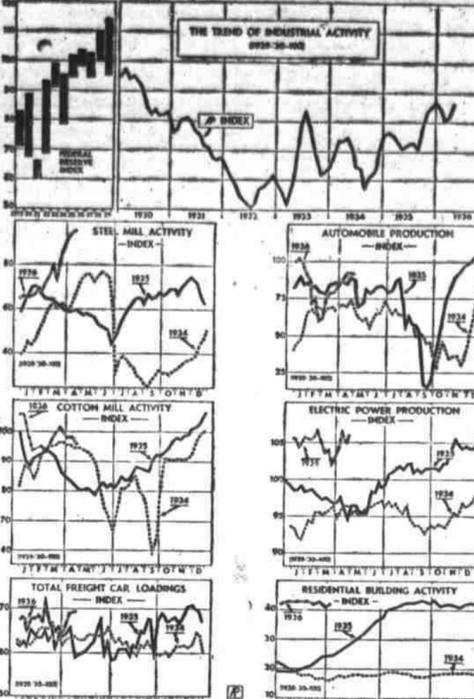
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The current level of automobile output is 20 per cent above the March opening. Freight carloadings have moved up 14.6 per cent from the year's low touched last month. Coal shipments and miscellaneous freight, both mirroring the trend of business, primarily were responsible for the improvement.

Electric power production showed moderate betterment during the period and is within striking distance of its high for the year. Only residential building and cotton manufacturing showed no gain. The latter slipped 8.1 per cent from its March high to a new low for the year in late April. The dip in residential building was slight. Every index making up the AP index closed the month above its 1935 level.

Business Activity Charts Show April As Brightest Since 1930



(By the Associated Press) The clang and rumble of industry during April reached the loudest spring crescendo since 1930 as demand far outstripped earlier estimates, the monthly survey of the Associated Press indicates. The Associated Press index of industrial activity averaged 85.7 for the month, compared with 81.4 last month and 78.6 in the same period a year ago. Steel manufacturers and automobile producers continued to pace the steady upward trend. The persistent rise in steel operations this year has been interrupted only once, when floods swept the steel centers in mid-March. The 44.8 per cent advance since the first of the year has accompanied a booming automobile trade, a pick-up in rail purchasing and sharp increases in the takings of steel by the numerous miscellaneous industries.

ADVANCE—NOT RETREAT

LET INDUSTRY SPEAK Viewed economically, beverage alcohol is a ruinous liability—a parasite. Let the business and industrial world speak for itself. "Booze sellers are the worst competitors of legitimate business. You cannot buy dry goods and wet goods with the same dollar."—Roger Habson, business economist. "Alcohol is a deterrent of both managers and men. We cannot permit it in business or in anyone responsible for business."—Henry Ford.

Increased employment in the brewery industry would take that much away from the soft drink trade and there would be no net gain in total employees of all industries.—Bureau of Business Research, College of the City of New York. Professor Irving Fisher of Yale university, in a diligent search, could not find one reputable economist in the United States to defend the anti-prohibition cause on economic grounds. December, 1926. Prohibition killed the nation's industrial bearings. Repeal is cracking them.

"Whereas, it is recognized that the drinking of alcohol is the productive of a heavy per cent of the accidents and diseases affecting the safety and efficiency of working

men. Be it Resolved, that it is the sense of this organization that it go on record in favor of eliminating the use of intoxicants from the industries of the nation."—National Safety Council.

Prohibition was a boon to legitimate industry—repeal a calamity. "Under the Eighteenth Amendment, our increase in milk consumption was 26 gallons per person."—Statist Abstract U. S., 1930.

The soft drink business increased 307 per cent, the ice cream business increased 281 per cent, and milk consumption increased 26 gallons per person annually under the Eighteenth Amendment."—Statist Abstract, 1914-1932, Dairy Products Council, Inc.

"Consumption of milk declined over 37 million quarts the first, and 59 million quarts the second year of legalized beer."—Milk Research Council, Inc. "In 59 typical cities consumption of milk was 27 per cent below the minimum health requirements."—Recent AAA survey. "Coffee consumption declined over 20 million pounds in 1935 compared to 1934."—New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange.—(Submitted by the local WCTU.)

Sports Fans Must Put Muffler On Squaw

LONDON, May 12 (UP)—rough-and-tumble American sports fan, who believes in a very speech and lots of it, is the great menace to be overcome by cricket can supplant baseball America's favorite sport, bolts Shane Leslie, a scholarly British writer. "The American crowd would, course, barrack (Ed's note: the British for razz) the players' distraction," he writes in his "American Wondersland."

"I watched a baseball game was pained at the expression thrown at the umpire, to say nothing of the desperate ruder screamed at the players, although they were all doing their best. The division into 'fans' and 'players,' he adds, was a hateful and odious distinction. America, "alone condemn game in free-born eyes." The "gentleman" cricketer may be pointed out, in an and He gets a "Mr." before his in the lineup. The profession just a "player," and he must very careful not to get mixed and walk into the clubhouse lo

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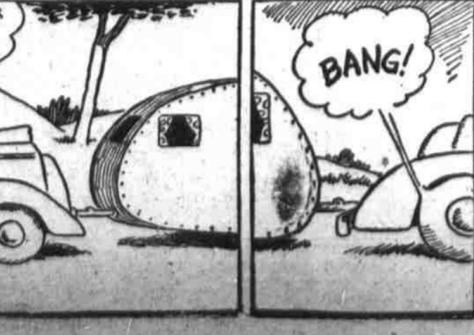
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check, but was stung on the head with a piece of pipe for answer. Bleeding from the wound, Mrs. Stoll was forced into a waiting car, after Robinson left a note in the kidnap room.

Stoll, arriving home later, notified police and relatives.

FBI records showed Robinson's first venture into crime was a \$14,000 jewel robbery, effected under the guise of an officer. Charged with impersonating an officer, he was committed to an insane asylum instead of a jail and the charge later dismissed.

Another jewel theft was charged to Robinson on April 22, 1934.

Tennessee records show Robinson once was committed to the Western State Insane institution at Bolivar.

Baseball Scores

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(Courtesy Casadens)
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A display of Cosden products, as seen above, greeted dealers and agents of the Cosden Oil corporation when they gathered at Hotel Settles Tuesday for a general sales conference directed by officials of the corporation. The gasolines, oils, asphalt, etc., are Big Spring products, manufactured at Cosden's local refinery.

SCHEDULE SOFTBALL STANDINGS

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2nd—Frost vs. Taylor.

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Taylor	1	1	0	1.000
Cosden Oilers	2	2	0	1.000
Shell	2	1	1	.500
Cosden Lab	2	1	1	.500
Frost	2	0	2	.000
Settles	2	1	1	.500
Continental	2	0	2	.000

PUBLIC RECORDS

Building Permits
To Gensberg and Levy to remodel an awning at 110 Runnels street, cost \$100.
To United Dry Goods, to install hardwood floors, change show windows at 215-17 W. 3rd street, cost \$2,000.

New Cars
Herschel Summerlin, Oldsmobile coupe.
Wayne W. Webb, Chevrolet coach.
National Supply company, Chevrolet coupe.
Fred Arrington, Ford tudor.
M. M. Hines, Chevrolet coupe.
Buick Motor company, Buick sedan.
Fred Stephens, Ford sedan.

pontiff said.
"Many are still blind to its snares. Before this immense peril mankind is neglecting to do its duty. All should help defend the cause not only of religion but of human civilization itself."
The pope urged the pilgrims to pray for "better days and liberation from the communistic menace."

TWO MEN AND CHILD DIE IN PLANE CRASH
NEW LISBON, Wis., May 12. (AP)—Herman W. Underdahl, pilot, and daughter, Caroline, were killed in an airplane crash yesterday on the Martin Wood farm, near here.
Underdahl, a retired navy officer here on a visit, had been talking relatives and neighboring farmers on sightseeing flights.

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Job Outlook Brighter For Year's Grads

To 100 Per. More Work Available, Salaries Are Higher

MINNEAPOLIS, May 12.—America's 1936 class of college graduates from 20 per cent to 100 per cent more jobs available than the class of 1935, with starting salaries \$30 a month higher in many cases. The heavy industries show a most striking revival in employment opportunities, with more "outs" visiting campuses to interview promising seniors than at any time in the past several years, according to a check-up of the employment situation at 61 leading universities and technical schools.

Increases in the number of employment calls vary from a moderate pickup to as much as four or five times the number of calls registered last spring, although last year in turn showed a marked improvement over 1934. As against a

range of from \$75 to \$120 initial salaries prevailing last year, business concerns are now offering an average of \$10 a month more in many instances, making a prevailing range of from \$85 to \$130, depending, of course, upon locality, nature of work, and calibre and record of the graduate. "More concerns are offering \$100 to \$125," is a typical comment.

Greater activity in the heavy industries is reflected in the fact that of 39 colleges of engineering and technical institutes, 35, through their placement departments, report increases in the number of positions offered, and 23 report the average level of starting salaries to be up.

The electrical, chemical, oil producing and refining, iron and steel, and general manufacturing industries are the principal fields into which new engineering graduates are being called this year. Construction projects, many of them government work, offer jobs to the civil engineers. Many graduates are being placed in sales work by the heavy industries, usually involving special sales training courses with salary paid during the training course, and a progressive schedule of advancement if satisfactory performance is delivered by the graduate.

Of 38 university departments of business administration, 29 find a definitely larger number of positions offered 1936 graduates. Twentysix report the level of starting salaries to be higher than last year. Marketing and sales offer the

most numerous openings, both in wholesale and retail fields; the placement officials report. Demand for accountants is sharply increased. Fields of business making large demands for graduates of university commerce department are insurance, investment, and finance companies; manufacturing offices, of companies, the rubber, industry, and makers of business machines.

Margaret Sullivan In Comedy Romance At Ritz Theatre

"The Moon's Our Home," a comedy romance taken from a story by Faith Baldwin, plays Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz theatre with the capable Margaret Sullivan in the starring role. The story deals with two international celebrities who have learned to hate each other merely on the strength of their reputations.

As a fiery-tempered, pampered though beautiful screen star, Miss Sullivan refers to a noted world explorer-author over whom millions of women have gone mad, as the "kind of person who would be lost without his hot water bottle." Henry Fonda, as the globe trotter, refers to the screen star as a "phony blonde with a face that resembles French pastry."

They eventually meet under assumed names, and, without knowing each other's real identity, fall in love. They are married, but, almost immediately, their temperaments clash. The bride leaves the bridegroom flat. Relenting, they make a frantic search for each other and the amusing situations which arise from the search, and the manner in which the scrappy pair become reconciled, make "The Moon's Our Home" a lively screen entertainment.

Others supporting Miss Sullivan are Henrietta Crossman, Beulah Bondi, Lucien Littlefield, and Dorothy Stickney.

Robinson

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The kidnap plot, but were acquitted in the fall of 1935.

The ransom note on which the \$50,000 was paid was written on legal paper in legal phrases, and directed that ransom be paid to Robinson's father or his wife.

Posing as a telephone inspector, the kidnaper entered the Stoll home on Lime Kiln road on the outskirts of Louisville about 3 p. m. on October 10, 1934.

After pretending to check telephone connections, he forced Mrs. Anne Woollett, a maid, to accompany him to the second floor where Mrs. Stoll was ill with a cold.

Slugged Victim
Mrs. Woollett was forced to tie the hands of Mrs. Stoll and then the kidnaper tied the hands and feet of the maid. Learning of his kidnap plan, Mrs. Stoll offered a

THEY MAY BE JEEPS

Strange Looking Creatures In Banana Stalk

A new animal with the appearance of a promising mouse and a diminutive squirrel and which might easily be a "jeep" was displayed here Tuesday by Herman Corley.

Corley found a pair of the creatures nested in a stalk of bananas and said that they were commonly known as "bananas 'possums."

BEAUMONT LAWYER IS KILLED IN MISHAP

LULING, May 12. (AP)—John T. Kitching, 46, prominent Beaumont lawyer, was killed last night in a mishap on highway 3 A, when he was thrown through the roof of the automobile in which he was riding and crushed by the machine.

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