

### Parent-Teachers Accept Big Spring's Bid

Delegates and Mother Singers returned Friday from Abilene where they had been attending the 19th annual conference of Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers of District Six to report a successful three-day meet.

Honors to Big Spring came in the form of the acceptance of the invitation presented by Mrs. Hayes Stripling, to hold the 19th conference here. Mrs. W. W. McCormick, Big Spring's nominee for vice president, was installed Friday morning as one of the seven vice presidents of the district by Mrs. Joe Wessendorf, state president. Mrs. L. E. Ryerley of Midland is the new president.

Awarding of certificates for Parent-Teachers for a Democracy, the fact that Big Spring ranked second in the district and received the award based on 12 hours of study in parent-education Abilene was in first place.

Mrs. W. B. Younger, local city council president, met with the Board of Managers on Friday morning when the invitation to hold the 1941 conference here was accepted.

Thursday afternoon a tour of the colleges and a progressive tea was held with visits at McMurry, Hardin-Simmons and A. C. C. At A. C. C. a program was held and the evening session was given there.

## CALENDAR Of Tomorrow's Events

- MONDAY**  
**WESLEY MEMORIAL Methodist** W. W. S. will meet at 2:30 o'clock at the church.  
**FIRST CHRISTIAN Council** will meet at 8 o'clock at the church for a missionary program.  
**EAST 4TH BAPTIST W. M. U.** will meet at 1:30 o'clock at the church to study the book, "Helping Others to Become Christians." Mrs. V. Phillips and Mrs. E. Elmer Dunham will conduct the study.  
**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN Auxiliary** will meet at 3:15 o'clock for Bible study at the church with Mrs. Bill Edwards in charge. An officers meeting will be held at 2 o'clock at the church for the Officers Training corps with Mrs. S. L. Baker in charge.  
**ST. MARY'S UNIT of St. Mary's Episcopal church** will meet at 3 o'clock at the parish house. Mrs. Shine Phillips will give the devotional and Mrs. H. S. Faw will have the program. Mrs. Charles Koberg is to be hostess.  
**FIRST METHODIST W. M. S.** will meet in circles at 3 o'clock at the church for a World Outlook program. Circle Two is to be in charge.  
**ST. CATHERINE'S Unit of St. Thomas Catholic church** will meet at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. J. M. Morgan, 1800 Scurry.

## 'Put Your Foot' Dinner Given Saturday Night

Mrs. Jim Friend, Mrs. E. E. Fahrenkamp Are Hostesses To Affair Preceding The Program Dance at The Country Club

"Put Your Foot" dinner was given Saturday evening in the Jim Friend home preceding the program dance at the Country club by Mrs. Friend and Mrs. E. E. Fahrenkamp.

## Sorority And Guests Are Entertained

Sponsors Give Bridge Party Friday Night

Mrs. Bea LeFevre and Mrs. Dave Eastbourne, sponsors of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority, were hostesses Friday evening at a bridge in the home of Mrs. LeFevre in Forsan for members of the sorority and their guests.

Elizabeth Northington won high score for members and Mary Burns won low score. Mrs. Virginia West was high scorer for guests and Mrs. Roy Bruce won low award.

## Friday Sewing Club Organizes In Home Of Mrs. O. Bryant

A membership of eleven women met Friday in the home of Mrs. Orville Bryant to form the Stitch in Time Sewing club which is to meet every other Friday.

## Bantam Club Gives A Dance On Friday Evening Here

Members of the Bantam club entertained with a dance Friday night at the Heaton Dance Studio. Chaparrons were Mrs. Cal Boykin, Mrs. C. W. Deats, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dickerson and Mrs. J. C. Velvin.

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SPECIAL FOR APRIL ONLY

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Latin-American influence appears above in a spectator sports costume. Designs in the blue and red printed skirt were inspired by native handwork.

## The South American Way Is To Be Noted In Summer Modes For Play And Evening

Latin-America Glamor Strong Style Influence

By ADELAIDE KERR AF Fashion Editor



A sombrero-and-lariat printed white shirt (right) is topped by a blue sash, red blouse and turban, and colorful costume jewels, to make a dinner costume.

You can be a Latin from Manhattan in your play clothes this summer if you like. North America's quickened interest in her neighbors south of the border has resulted in a lot of smart play and evening clothes with a strong Mexican and South American slant. They were largely inspired by visits to those countries, made in New York and may point the way to one of the summer's most colorful fashion trends.

Some spectator sports and casual evening clothes are made of gay plaid and block-checked ginghams. The block checks were inspired by some of the vivid skirts worn by the Brazilian chanteuse, Carmen Miranda, and their colors were taken from the painted robes on statues of angels in a seventeenth-century church, tropical birds' plumage and flower motifs—all in Brazil. There also are some plain round-necked blouses designed to be worn with long dinner skirts and the heady turbans and splashy seed costume jewelry that Miranda made famous.

But the mass of the South American influence on North American clothes stems from the ideas brought back from a trip to Mexico and South America by Truman Bailey (artist, author and photographer), and developed by a group of New York clothes manufacturers.

Here are beach, spectator sports and informal evening clothes made of plain and printed cottons and spun rayons gay as a Spanish

## Stanton Club Names Delegate To Midland

Study Group To Be Represented At Federation

STANTON, Mar. 29 (SpI) — The Stanton Study club met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Bartley Smith for an important business session and program on "Deep South Notes."

Presiding in the absence of the president, Mr. Earl Powell, who was out of town, was Mrs. J. E. Kelly, vice president. In the business meeting, Mrs. Charles Slaughter was elected as delegate to the Eighth District convention in Midland, April 3, 4 and 5. Mrs. Ernest Epley was chosen as alternate. The club contributed to the Penny Art Fund and pledged to the District Student Loan Fund. Plans were made for a Southern Art Collection to be exhibited in Stanton in July, the earliest date the collection is available. Report was made concerning a recent purchase of books for the county library, which is sponsored by the organization. Thirty-two volumes of both fiction and non-fiction were bought from the Book Stall in Midland, by the club.

A guest speaker on the program was Mrs. John F. Priddy, who spoke on "Our National Government, as a Southerner Sees It." Mrs. Calvin Jones discussed the article, "Smoke Over Alabama," and Mrs. Poe Woodard told of "Early Living Conditions in Arkansas." Mrs. Ernest Epley gave "When the Meadow Grass Is Blue" and Mrs. J. E. Kelly gave a most interesting account of her trip, recently made to New Orleans, Natchez and other interesting southern points.

The next meeting will be on April 10, meeting with Mrs. Arlo Forest.

Those present were Mrs. Noren Anderson, Mrs. Phil Berry, Mrs. Ernest Epley, Mrs. Arlo Forest, Mrs. Elsie Gikerson, Mrs. Calvin Jones, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. J. E. Kelly, Mrs. H. A. Poole, Mrs. Charles Slaughter, Mrs. Poe Woodard, Miss Maude Alexander and two guests, Mrs. Allen Smith and Mrs. Paul Jones, and Mrs. John F. Priddy.

## B.&P.W. To Have Sunday Evening Dinner Here

Business and Professional Women will be entertained, Sunday evening at 6 o'clock with a dinner in the home of Mrs. C. T. Tucker, 611 Ayford, with Jewel Barton, Fern Wells and Annabel Lovelace as co-hostesses. The group will hold regular session at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the chamber of commerce with a program scheduled to be given.



Here is Carmen Miranda in one of the white crepe blouses designed as a background for costume jewels made of South American seeds. Above it goes a turban suavely wound of green crepe coils.

## Guests Arrive For Weekend Visits With Friends And Relatives Here

Weekend visitors in Big Spring were numerous this weekend and some of the local folk hit the open trail for a two-day vacation while the weather was warm and spring seemed around that well-known corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Hall left Sunday for Dallas where they will be on business for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Rogers and daughter, Billie Duke, left this week for Chickasha, Okla., where they will remain until June. The family will leave then for Memphis, Tenn., where they will make their home.

Mrs. M. E. Anderson and daughter, Janice, are spending a week or ten days in Amarillo visiting Mrs. Anderson's sister, Mrs. Selvin Allen.

John Homan of Little Rock, Ark., left for his home Saturday after a visit of two weeks here with his brother, W. H. Homan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Woody and son, J. W., and Mrs. Don Gerwick and son, Jack, of Kermit are weekend guests of Mrs. Annabelle House and Mrs. Jeff Williams. Mrs. Woody and Mrs. Gerwick are sisters of Mrs. House and daughters of Mrs. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Earnest and children, Joe Edwards and Barbara Ann, of Hobbs, N. M., are spending the weekend as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McAdams and Mrs. Joe B. Howell.

Mrs. Hazel Benson had as a guest until Saturday, Mrs. Ben L. Morgan of Fort Worth, who spent several days here.

Vernon Smith and Mr. and Mrs. La Vell of Odessa returned Friday from a two-day business trip to Dallas.

Mrs. E. B. Hodges is in San Antonio visiting her sister, Mrs. J. P. Raynor. She will go on to Denton

## Lilac Is Winner In Popularity Poll By Club

Flower To Be The "Official" Shrub For Town

If the sentiment of those who voted is an authentic trend, Big Spring favors the lilac as its "official" shrub.

That variety led all others, in a week-long poll conducted by the local Garden club, in an effort to build public cooperation in the planting of a single shrub in a civic beautification program.

Second to the lilac was the red bud; queen's wreath was tied with crepe myrtle for third, and lantana, flowering peach and cedar got votes. Suggested shrubs by Garden club members were the lilac, redbud, queen's wreath and lantana, but any others were invited from voters.

The response to the ballot was disappointingly small, but Garden club members are hoping to carry on their shrub planting campaign regardless, confident that more people will join in the spring program to help beautify the city. Further details of the civic beautification aims will be worked out when the organization meets on Tuesday.

## Committees For Sale Named By Sub Debs At Saturday Session

Lilacs decorated the home of Ruth Ann Dempsey Saturday afternoon when the Sub Deb club met to discuss the April 12th skating party and to appoint committees for a sale to be held soon.

Marie Dunham, Janice Slaughter, Caroline Smith and Vilo Rowe were named on the committee.

Ruth Ann Dempsey played the piano and sang "Campus Shadows" and Caroline Smith sang "Deep Purple." Anna Belle Edwards gave a reading.

Veal loaf, salad, hot rolls and pie were served and others present were Kathleen Boatler, Patay Stalcup, Jacquelyn Faw, Champe Phillips, Gloria Conley, Lovella Shultz, Chessie Miller, Kathleen Underwood, Vivian Ferguson and Sara Lamun.

## Lomax Blue Bonnet Club Is Organized By Group Thursday

Officers were elected Thursday afternoon when a group of women met at the Lomax gymnasium to organize the Blue Bonnet club in the Lomax community. Mrs. Heister Hull is to be chairman and Mrs. Oliver Baugh vice chairman.

Mrs. Glassel McDaniel is secretary and the reporter is Mrs. Ford Coates. Mrs. Clovis McDaniel and Mrs. T. Williams are to form the invitational committee.

Problems of sewing and quilt times was set for each Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the gymnasium. Mrs. Hull is to be first hostess on April 4th.

Others present were Mrs. Charlie Wood, Mrs. Helen, Mrs. Leonard Alcorn, Mrs. Joe Melvain, Mrs. T. Williams, Mrs. Oliver Vaughn.

## Philathea Class To Have Business And Luncheon Wednesday

First Methodist Philathea class will meet at 10 o'clock Wednesday at the church for a business session and luncheon.



MRS. W. W. MCCORMICK

## Federated Clubs To Have Annual Meet In Midland

Eighth District Session To Last Three Days

MIDLAND, Mar. 30—With members of the Midland City-County Federation of Women's Clubs as hosts, the fourth annual convention of the Eighth District, Texas Federation of Women's clubs, will be held at Midland April 3, 4 and 5. The program announced by Mrs. H. W. Morelock of Alpine, Eighth District president, and Mrs. D. S. Beeman of Fort Stockton, district chairman, will have as its theme "Fifty Years of Service."

Following a district board meeting Wednesday at 1 o'clock, all convention visitors are to be the guests of the Midland City-County Federation at a golden jubilee tea at the home of Mrs. O. B. Holt.

For the president's evening program in the crystal ballroom of the hotel, addresses will be given by Mrs. Morelock and by Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland, state president. Mrs. L. C. Britte of Marfa will introduce distinguished guests.

Formal opening of the convention on Thursday morning is to be followed by reports of officers and standing committees, a message from the general federation director, Mrs. R. J. Turrentine of Denton, and an address on the Big Bend National park movement by Mrs. Louis J. Wardlaw of Fort Worth, state chairman of the Big Bend National park movement.

An outstanding social event of the session is the old southern dinner in the crystal ballroom of the Scharbauer Thursday evening, with Mrs. James Goodman of Midland as hostess and Mrs. Maurice Schwartz of El Paso as toastmistress. Miss Evelyn Oppenheimer of Dallas will be presented in a book review of "The Nazarene" Thursday evening as speaker for the fine arts evening program.

Mrs. Hal C. Peck of Midland, chairman of conservation, and former member of the state game, fish and oyster commission, is to speak at Friday's luncheon honoring junior club women at which the Midland Woman's Wednesday club and junior club women will be hostesses. Election of district officers and selection of the 1941 convention place will conclude the three-day session Friday.

Among the state officers expected to attend the Midland meeting in addition to Mrs. Perkins, Mrs. Turrentine and Mrs. Wardlaw are the following: Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview, state treasurer; Mrs. O. H. Carlisle of Houston, appointive board member; Mrs. Greenleaf Fisk, Abilene, state art chairman; and Mrs. Nancy Rupley Armstrong of Houston, who represented the federation on a recent "good will" tour of South America by six.

## Piano Pupils Give Recital In The Mansur Home

Piano pupils of Mrs. Roy Wilson were presented in a recital Friday evening in the home of Mrs. H. D. Mansur in a program of piano and vocal numbers with an accordion solo by Charlotte Williams.

Donald Williams and Billie Bob Rogers played a cornet and clarinet duet.

Lula Jean Billings gave a brief talk on the life of Stephen Collins Foster and the group sang several of his songs with piano pupils playing the accompaniments.

On the program were Lula Jean Billington, Maude Mae Wilson, Harry Smith Echols, Mary Marguerite Hayworth, Loretta Faye Rush, Naomi Winn, Beth Mansur.

Guests were Jane Ruth Morrow, Wilma Evans, Donald Williams, Mary La Vern Franklin, Dorothy Lee Day, Paty McDonald, Charlotte Williams, Billy Bob Rogers, Mrs. G. L. Rusk, Mrs. G. W. McGrew, Mrs. Harry Billington, Mr. and Mrs. Mansur.



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# Another View Of Wild West Is Dramatized In 'Virginia City'

Earl Flynn And Miriam Hopkins In Ritz Picture

With Errol Flynn in the type of dashing role that had "Dodge City" breaking records, and Miriam Hopkins awarded the important leading role on the strength of her fine performance in "The Old Maid," Warner Bros. "Virginia City" promises outstanding entertainment as it shows at the Ritz theatre today and Monday.

The background of the film is a page out of America's most gripping historical era, the West during the Civil War. The setting is the colorful, lawless "mushroom" mining town, Virginia City, during its roughest days. The theme recounts an authentic episode which Robert Buckner adeptly wove into the moving screen play. Michael Curtiz, one of Hollywood's most skillful directors, filmed the production.

As a Union Intelligence officer, Kerry Bradford, portrayed by Errol Flynn, is sent to the new Virginia City to track down a gold shipment intended for the Confederacy, sent by Southern sympathizers in Nevada. His romance with the Queen of Nevada's dance halls, Julia Haynes, Miss Hopkins' role, is short lived when the girl has him kidnapped and he learns she is a Confederate spy.

Bradford is taken prisoner on the Southern gold caravan, led by Vance Irby, played by Randolph Scott. When attacked by bandits, led by a notorious guerrilla, portrayed by Humphrey Bogart, it is Bradford who outwits the band and saves the caravan. He refuses to surrender the gold, claiming it belongs to the men who mined it. Held for court martial, it is news of the war's end that exonerates him in the eyes of the North, the South and Miss Julia Haynes.

The impressive supporting cast includes such seasoned players as Alan Hale, Frank McHugh, Gulian "Big Boy" Williams and John Litel.



WESTERN ACTION—This gives you an idea that things happen furiously in "Virginia City," a thriller about the colorful mining town which plays today and Monday at the Ritz. Randolph Scott, Errol Flynn and Miriam Hopkins are seen here in one of the scenes from the film.

## New Doughnut Unit Added By Mead's

Mead's Bakery Saturday announced installation of a new automatic doughnut machine, its product being the well-known May-

flower Donut, popularized at last year's world's fair.

"At every fair some one food product catches on and becomes the popular 'smash hit,'" Bill Mead, owner of the bakery said. "At the 1939 shows it was the Mayflower Donut. Shortly after the fair's opening, word got around that the Mayflower Donut Shop was the popular place to go for a good snack, and from then on this product reigned supreme. Our line is identical with that offered at both the San Francisco and New York fairs, and before that was introduced at the Texas Centennial in Dallas."

Mead invites people of this section to visit the bakery, 112 West Second street, at any time and see the Mayflower Donut in process of manufacture.

"Incidentally, it might be added that addition of this new machine creates employment for more people who spend their money in Big Spring," Mead said.

The new line made its first appearance on grocer's shelves last week.

## Houston Symphony Plays In Angelo Friday Evening

SAN ANGELO, Mar. 30.—The Houston Symphony orchestra will close the season of the West Texas Concert Association here with a concert in the Municipal Auditorium Friday night April 5. Although the Houston orchestra, with a membership of eighty, has been well received at concerts this season in New Orleans, Austin and San Antonio, this is the first time it has appeared so far west. It is the only symphony orchestra scheduled for this section of West Texas this season. Ernst Hoffmann, now in his fourth season as conductor, has announced a program including Tchaikovsky's "Fourth" Symphony, Enesco's "Rumanian Rhapsody No. 1," Mendelssohn's overture to "Ruy Blas," Nicola's "Merry Wives of Windsor" and the "March of the Sirdar" from "Caucasian Sketches" by Ippolitov-Ivanov.

## Frank Morgan Is Featured In Comedy

'The Ghost Comes Home' On Queen's Sunday-Monday Bill

Trials and tribulations dog the tracks of Frank Morgan to create hilarious moments in "The Ghost Comes Home," comical adventure of a small-town merchant enmeshed in New York night life and handed a million to spend on his home town. The picture is featured at the Queen today and Monday.

Morgan plays a timid pet-shop keeper in a small town, henpecked by his wife and bullied by the rest of the family. A friend who has made a fortune in Australia names him to spend a million on the old home town, whereupon he is the target of all the politicians and crooks within traveling distance. He is reported dead in a shipwreck, returns home to find his family spending the insurance money, and the bequest to the town "blows up." Amid comical complications he exposes the town crooks and emerges as Public Citizen Number One when the tumult and shouting are over.

Morgan plays a straight human interest role as the timid storekeeper, the comedy arising out of the various catastrophes that happen to him in his frantic zeal to recover the money, which leads him into hectic adventure in a New York night club, a fight with a policeman, a term in jail, and numerous other tribulations.

William Thiele, who filmed "Bad Little Angel" and other hits, directed the new Morgan comedy,

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## The Week's Playbill

SUNDAY-MONDAY  
RITZ—"Virginia City," with Errol Flynn, Miriam Hopkins and Randolph Scott.  
LYRIC—"Shooting High," with Gene Autry and Jane Withers.  
QUEEN—"The Ghost Comes Home," with Frank Morgan, Billie Burke and Ann Rutherford.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY  
RITZ—"We Are Not Alone," with Paul Muni.  
LYRIC—"Bakers Of The Sea," with Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., and Margaret Lockwood.  
QUEEN—"Invisible Stripes," with George Raft, Jane Bryan and Humphrey Bogart.

THURSDAY  
RITZ—"Saint's Double Trouble," with Bela Lugosi and George Sanders.  
LYRIC—"High School," with Jane Withers.  
QUEEN—"Sued For Libel," with Kent Taylor and Linda Hayes.

FRIDAY-SATURDAY  
RITZ—"Ninotchka," with Greta Garbo.  
LYRIC—"Arizona Kid," with Roy Rogers.  
QUEEN—"South Of The Border," with Gene Autry.

with a stellar cast that includes Billie Burke as the domineering wife, Ann Rutherford as the pretty daughter, John Shelton, Reginald Owen, Donald Meek, Nat Pendleton and Frank Albertson. Comedy highlights include Morgan's encounter with a night club vamp, his fight with a policeman, his return home to be regarded first as a ghost, then as a menace to his insurance-spending family, and the amusing denouement in which he exposes the bullying town banker and is acclaimed by the populace as hero of the hour.

## Jane Withers, Gene Autry Co-Starred

'Shooting High' Is Western Drama Offered At Lyric

With loud "Tippies" ringing in the air, Jane Withers and Gene Autry gallop into town in "Shooting High," the colorful action-romance of the West, which plays today and Monday at the Lyric.

In this gay film Hollywood's favorite comedienne and the screen's No. 1 cowboy star ride like demons and shoot like sixty to corral a desperate band of bank robbers, break up a family feud, arrange a love match for Gene and sing as only they can.

Five tuneful melodies are sprinkled through "Shooting High." Gene had a hand in composing three of them. He wrote "Only One Love in a Lifetime" in collaboration with Johnnie Marvin and Harry Tobias and "Little Old Band of Gold" in collaboration with Charles Newman and Fred Gluckman. These two songs serve as solo numbers for Gene. This third song, "Shanty of Dreams," was written in collaboration with Johnnie Marvin. It is one of the two songs sung together by Jane and Gene. Another Withers-Autry duet, "Wanderers," was written by Felix Bernard and Paul Francis Webster.

Jane has a rollicking number entitled "On the Rancho with My Pancho." This number was composed by Sidney Clare and Harry Aket.

Among the players prominently featured are Marjorie Weaver, Frank M. Thomas, Robert Lowery, Katharine Aldridge, Hobart Cavanaugh, Jack Carson and Hamilton MacFadden.

## MRS. HART'S FATHER DIES; SERVICES HELD AT CROSS PLAINS

Funeral services for C. C. Westerman, 86, of Cross Plains were conducted in the Cross Plains cemetery Saturday afternoon. Mr. Westerman passed away at his home Friday night, 9:30 o'clock.

A daughter, Mrs. A. C. Hart of Big Spring, was called to the bedside Friday morning. She was joined by Mr. Hart and son, Howard, for the funeral. Westerman followed his wife in death by seven months.



TWO STARS—Gene Autry, No. 1 cowboy performer of the movies, has assistance from saucy Jane Withers in a picture called "Shooting High," which is offered at the Lyric today and Monday. Gene, as it is indicated here, gets some attention from several young ladies in the picture.

## KBST NOTES—New Emcee On Mutual 'Show Of The Week'

With a new master of ceremonies—Happy Jim Parsons, the "Show of the Week," Mutual's 5-star weekly feature, will feature the rhythms, "rippling rhythms" of Shep and his orchestra over Station KBST and the Texas State Network at 5:30 p. m. Sunday.

For years a favorite of radio listeners as Lazy Dan, The Minstrel Man, Happy Jim Parsons took over emcee reigns last Sunday.

Dave Driscoll of the Mutual staff continues as the program's crisp newscaster.

A Singing Meet, sponsored by the Johnson Street Church of Christ, Greenville, and conducted in Greenville's new \$200,000 Municipal auditorium, will be broadcast over Station KBST and the Texas State Network from 3 to 3:30 p. m. Sunday. Outstanding feature of the singing will be the congregational singing by the entire audience assembled. Rev. V. E. Howard, minister of the Johnson Street Church of Christ, reports.

Other features include the singing of the Boles Orphan Home Chorus of approximately 75 children, the Abilene Christian College A Capella chorus, and others.

Despite statements of the "Philharmonic Players" that their mail quota for 1940 is "one penny post card by April Fool's Day, a full page letter by the Fourth of July, a sponge cake by Thanksgiving, and a box of cookies by Christmas," the Paris Opere House broadcasts heard over Station KBST and the Texas State Network each Monday through Saturday at 7:15 a. m.—is nearing the peak as the biggest mail puller in Northeast Texas.

A quarter-hour of fun and nonsense each morning, the "Paris Opere House" programs, according to the program's origination point—KPLT, Paris, feature "Chuckwaleky and Sleepymuchy on the guitars, Cooperonovitch on the violin, and Popinoff on the base."

## Mrs. Chambers Hostess To The Good Luck Club

FORSAN, Mar. 30.—Mrs. R. A. Chambers entertained the Good Luck Bowling club at her home in the Coeden camp Thursday afternoon.

Embroidery and crochet work was done by the members present, and refreshments were served to Mrs. Carl Tipple, Mrs. W. E. Rucker, Mrs. Leon Barber, Mrs. I. O. Shaw, Mrs. John Kubscka and Mrs. Howard Hobbs. Mrs. Hobbs will be the next hostess.

## Permian Basin Talks Slated Over KBST

The Permian Basin association, which has been offering a series of programs over the West Texas stations KRLH, Midland, KBST, Big Spring, KGKL, San Angelo, and KFYO, Lubbock, each Monday evening at 6:45, is planning a series of short, ten-minute programs to be heard over KBST this weekend, through Tuesday of next week.

This series has featured prominent men in this region of West Texas, who have spent long hours preparing their informative series of talks about West Texas' most prominent industry, have prepared an even more interesting and enlightening series of ten minute talks this weekend.

First of the talks will be at 1 p. m. Sunday, bringing Cliff Wiley, chairman of the local Permian Basin membership campaign, before the microphone. Monday's address at 6:30 p. m. will feature Te Groeb, president of the Big Spring chamber of commerce. Tuesday will bring to the studio Thomas J. Coffee, local Permian Basin director, who will wind up the weekend series.

Fred Wemple, well known citizen of the Permian Basin and former governor of the 127th district of the Rotary International, will be the speaker on the Permian Basin association's weekly program which will be broadcast on Monday evening, April 1st, at 6:45 p. m. This broadcast will go out over the facilities of the West Texas Network which is comprised of Stations KRLH, Midland, KFYO, Lubbock, KGKL, San Angelo, and KBST, Big Spring.

## FINDS NO VIOLATION OF TRUST LAWS

AUSTIN, Mar. 30 (AP)—District Judge J. D. Moore ruled today that the Central Power & Light company, with headquarters at Corpus Christi, had not violated the state's anti-trust laws as alleged by the attorney general's department.

The state based its suit on a contract between the company and the city of Yorktown. The defendant contended successfully that a similar agreement had been upheld by the Supreme Court of the United States and that a contract with a municipality could not be violative of the anti-trust statutes. The attorney general's department gave notice of an appeal to the Austin court of civil appeals.

## QUEEN TODAY AND MONDAY

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John Shelton - Reginald Owen  
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## RITZ TODAY AND MONDAY

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...fearless men rode the range to defend law and order...and beautiful women!

## Errol FLYNN \* Miriam HOPKINS

in "VIRGINIA CITY" with RANDOLPH SCOTT HUMPfrey BOGART ALAN HALE

PLUS METRO NEWS OF THE DAY "BUSY BAKERS" A MERRIE MELODY CARTOON



GHOSTLY COMEDY—Able funster Frank Morgan is featured in the Queen's Sunday-Monday picture, a comedy called "The Ghost Comes Home," but which deals but little with spooks as it tells the story of a small-town merchant having a try at New York night life. With Morgan are such players as Nat Pendleton, Billie Burke, Ann Rutherford and John Shelton.

## FORMER RESIDENT APPEARS IN CAST OF 'VIRGINIA CITY'

Eloise Minch, who has a part in the film "Virginia City," coming to the Ritz Sunday and Monday, is a former resident of this city. She is the daughter of Mrs. M.

V. Martin, who resides at the Broadway Camp, and attended the Big Spring schools. In September 1938 Eloise left here for Arizona to join her father, and when the movie company came to Flagstaff, Ariz., to film the western epic, Eloise was given a bit part.

## LYRIC TODAY AND MONDAY

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**Fashions**

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sports tops), gay pouch cotton bags, larist and raffia belts. They are fastened with buttons, buckles and clips of plastics or straw in the shape of sombrero, matador insignia, ears of corn and the "animalitos" that march across native handiwork. And they are worn with colorful costume jewelry—necklaces of South American fruit pits tipped with glittering sequins or of painted marbles tied with thick bright cord. Chief evidence of the Latin-American influence on play clothes appears in prints, colors and accents rather than in the line of the costumes themselves. (It's no man-tilla-over-the-head, rose-in-the-teeth affair.) In design, the clothes generally conform to the modern mode with a little Latin-American slant appearing in something like a bolero. However, there's a bright red rose or two to be seen, worn on the head, right over a side or center part with bathing suits, beach togs and informal dinner clothes.

It's unexpected, colorful and smart in effect. Here are a few of the things which are done: Blue sports skirt, yellow blouse embroidered in blue motifs from an Incan pottery topped by a big blue sombrero. Casual dinner costumes combining a white shirt-blouse, a cactus printed skirt and sequins strewn jewelry. Slacks and shirt of sombrero-printed crepe worn with a wrap-around turban of South American red mesh. Rogers' famous Blake home—the big two-story residence in which young Betty Blake was married to Will Rogers, the famous American humorist, 32 years ago—was sold at court action today to satisfy a mortgage. The property was bought by the mortgage-holder, the American National Bank of Rogers, for \$3,062.46 to satisfy a judgment of \$3,007.95 plus court costs.

**Sunday Services In The Churches**

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES**  
Room 1, Settles Hotel  
"Reality" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 31.  
The Golden Text is: "Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning" (James 1:17).  
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God" (Revelation 21:3).  
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the

Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Take heart, dear sufferer, for this reality of being will surely appear sometime and in some way. There will be no more pain, and all tears will be no more pain, and all tears Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
**WEST SIDE BAPTIST**  
E. E. Mason, Pastor  
An all-day service of self denial offering and prayer will be held Sunday by the West Side Baptist church.  
Sunday school hour is at 10 o'clock followed by special song service. Sermon is at 11 o'clock by A. T. Willis and fellowship and dinner hour at 12 o'clock to 1:30 o'clock.  
From 1:30 o'clock to 2:15 o'clock praise and song service will be held with the trio, Sylvia Pond, Claire Nummy and Joyce Mason. Accordion solo is by Marie Baird and a quartet is composed of Lena Greer, Fay Phillips, Ruth Oiser and Lillian Spaulding.  
At 2:15 o'clock J. H. Greene will give the brotherhood address.  
**ST. THOMAS CATHOLIC**  
Masses on Sunday, 7 a. m. and 10 a. m.  
Mass at 7:30 every morning during the week.  
**Sacred Heart (Mexican Parish)**  
Mass on Sunday at 8:30 a. m.  
**FOURTH ST. BAPTIST**  
Across Nolan from City Auditorium  
R. Elmer Dunham, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Training Union 6:30.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m., sermon by pastor. Special music at the morning service will be given by Mrs. Geo. Holden, Miss Deveda Lee Moore, J. Hollis Lloyd and Rev. R. E. Dunham. They will sing, "A Heart That Can Understand."  
Evening service 7:30 p. m. At the evening service new officers for the Training Union will be installed, and two deacons will be ordained, Leonard Teleford and R. G. Rimmer. Guest speaker for the evening will be Rev. W. C. Harrison, district missionary, who will bring the closing message of the ordination service. Other guests will be Rev. Lamb and Deacons D. C. Maupin and Nat Shick of the First Baptist church.  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Fourteenth and Main Sts.  
Melvin J. Wise, Minister  
Bible study 9:45 a. m.  
Worship and sermon 10:45 a. m. Sermon topic: "What It Means to Be a Christian."  
Radio broadcast over KBST 1:15 p. m. Sermon topic: "The Pre-eminence of Christ."  
Worship and sermon 7:45 p. m. Sermon topic: "New Testament Conversion."  
You are always welcome at the Church of Christ.  
**FIRST BAPTIST**  
9:45—Church school meets by departments.  
11:00—Morning worship.  
Anthem, "The Ever Green Pastures of God." Holton. Choir with Mrs. Joe Ratliff and Misses Claire Lou Nummy and Sylvia Pond, soloists.  
7:00—Training Union.  
8:00—Evening worship. Hymn anthem, "In the Quietness," Meredith, by the choir.  
The pastor will occupy the pulpit at each hour of worship.  
**FIRST METHODIST**  
Fourth and Scurry  
J. O. Haymes, Pastor  
C. Newton Starnes, Asst. Pastor  
Church school, 9:40 a. m.  
Morning worship, 10:55 a. m.  
Worship Leagues, 7:00 p. m.  
Evening service, 7:45 p. m.  
The Church School will meet in

classes and departments at 9:40 a. m. At the morning service the pastor will preach on the subject, "Where Does Christ Live Today?" The Young People's choir will sing at the morning service. Special music will be the anthem, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," by Handel. At the evening service there will be a special program on the Psalms, under the direction of Mrs. H. G. Keaton. Talks on the program will be as follows:  
"Introduction of the Psalms"—Mrs. Hayes Stripling.  
"Our Hymns and the Psalms"—Mrs. J. S. McIntosh.  
The congregation will sing several hymns based on the Psalms. Special music by the adult choir and its members is as follows:  
Duet—"O My Soul Bless Thou Jehovah"—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Keaton.  
Solo—"How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings"—Mrs. V. H. Flewelling.  
Trio—"The Lord Is My Shepherd" (Koschka)—Mrs. B. E. Freeman, Mrs. O. D. Cordill, Mrs. John W. Davis.  
Duet—"How Long Will Thou Forget Me, O Lord"—Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Lamun.  
Anthem—"The Lord Is My Light" (Parker)—By the Choir.  
Anthem—"Unfold Ye Portals" (Gounod)—By the Choir.  
**MAIN ST. CHURCH OF GOD**  
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Robert E. Bowden, Minister  
All services at the usual hour Sunday. Sunday School 9:45, and morning worship at 11 a. m. Young Peoples Hour at 7:15 and the evening service with special singing and evangelistic sermon at 8 o'clock. Our Wednesday night prayer meeting will inspire and encourage you. The pastor will fill the pulpit at both services, and will bring God's word to you, that your soul will be fed, your mind enlightened, and your life inspired. A warm Christian welcome always awaits you at God's church. Friend think this over, "If our community is to be more Christian, more devoted to Christian ideals; its social and religious standards more in keeping with God's word, who will make it thus? Each individual citizen is either building up or tearing down Christian principles. What kind of a community would our community be, if every citizen was just like me?"  
**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**  
D. F. McCune, D. D., Pastor  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m. Subject, "Perfection."  
Evening worship, 8 p. m. Subject, "Vital Things."  
Young People's Vespers, 7 p. m. Sunday is the close of our church year. Statistical report must be prepared for Presbytery which meets in El Paso April 23. Sunday is final "Pay Up Day." It is also the time to subscribe the carefully prepared budget for 1940-41. "United we stand," full cooperation of every member of the church is desired and expected. Let's make it a happy occasion by showing our loyalty and interest, by responding with our presence and pledges. Make First Presbyterian Your Church!  
**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN**  
501 N. Gregg  
T. H. Graalmann, Pastor  
9:45, Sunday school and Bible class.  
10:30, Morning service. The topic of the sermon will be: "The Blessings Which Thomas Lost."  
A cordial invitation is extended to all.  
Mrs. Myrtle Settle and daughter, Mrs. A. S. Behrens, of Los Angeles, Calif., stopped here Friday enroute to Bowling Green, Ky., and New Orleans, La., to visit with Mrs. J. H. Hurt.

**'TEEN TOPICS**

**Dance For April 19 Planned By High Heel Slipper Club**

Business was discussed and plans for a dance on April 19th were made by the High Heel Slipper club Saturday afternoon when members met in the home of Dorothy Dean Hayward.  
Marjorie Potter was a guest of the club and played several piano selections. Rosemary Hanson talked on etiquette at balls and dances.  
Sandwiches, cookies and punch were served and others present were Jeanetta Marchbanks, John Anna Terry, Wanda Neel, Evelyn Ann Flynn, Sara Maude Johnson, Verna Jo Stephens, Virginia Douglass, Betty Bob Diltz, Reba Hull, Edna Vern Stewart, Shirley June Robbins.

**Jimmie Ray Smith Gives Party At His Home**

Jimmie Ray Smith entertained a group of friends with a game party Friday afternoon in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith.  
Soda pop, doughnuts and popcorn balls were served as refreshment.  
Present were Jimmie Marshall, Robert Miller, Doris Nell and Patsy Ann Tompkins, Joe McKay, Faye and Buddie Myers, Billie Webb, R. L. Tabor, Patty and Betty Carpenter, Keith Slaughter.  
June Bryant, R. B. Lees, Harry Middleton, Laverne Marshall, Doris Lee, Stutleville, Eoris Jean Whaley, Sylvia McCarty, Joe Brooks and the host.

**Personals**  
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an operation this weekend in a hospital there.  
Jimmy Ray Tamsitt of Midland arrived Saturday to visit his grandmother, Mrs. J. O. Tamsitt, and his aunt, Mrs. W. H. Dugan, for the weekend.  
Mrs. Fiora Runyan of Abilene returned home Saturday after a visit of a few days here with Mrs. Ross Merriott.  
Mrs. J. B. Nall is confined to her home with illness.  
Mrs. Matt Harrington returned Friday night from a two week trip to St. Louis, Mo., and points in Illinois.  
Mrs. Jack Norris is confined to her bed with illness.  
Mrs. G. H. Hayward and Mrs. W. D. Berry returned Friday from Moran where they had been with their mother, Mrs. J. D. Allen, who is ill.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wyatt, Jr., of Odessa spent Friday here.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hayworth had as guests Thursday night, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Woodson of Coahoma.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Stovall and family left Sunday for Dallas where they will make their home.  
Mrs. T. C. Thomas is leaving Sunday for Temple where she will remain for some time. She plans to visit her son, E. L. Brown in Dallas, before returning.  
Mary Beth Stanley of Brownwood, who is teaching school at Barstow this year and is a former Tech student spent Friday and Saturday as the guest of Rosemary Lassiter. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lassiter had Mrs. Mary Bearden of Dallas as a weekend guest.  
Mrs. Freida Bernhard of Dallas, worthy grand matron of Order of

**Jewish Organization To Sponsor Review Of "Rebecca" In Odessa**

The Odessa chapter of Hadassah, a charity organization composed of Jewish women in an area from Elgin Spring to Wink, is sponsoring Mrs. R. Henderson Shuffler in a review of Daphne Du Maurier's "Rebecca" at the high school auditorium in Odessa at 8 o'clock, April 4.  
Hadassah is the Hebrew word meaning Esther and the organization celebrated its 28th birthday last Sunday. The public is invited to attend.

**Wiener Roast Given By Young People's Group**

Young people's department of East 4th St. Baptist church was entertained Friday evening in the yard of Mrs. S. H. Morrison with a wiener roast given by Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Rimmer.  
Outdoor games were played and marshmallows toasted. Approximately 25 persons attended.

Eastern Star, Mr. and Mrs. W. Baldwin of Wichita Falls spent Saturday and Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Fisher, enroute to El Paso.

Lillian Hurt, student at T. S. C. W., returned to school today after spending spring holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hurt.

Mrs. W. R. Ivey is on a fishing trip to Fort Aransas and will return in four or five days.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Winner and daughter, Jana, of Houston arrived here today to visit Mr. and Mrs. Max Jacobs.

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Everybody's Business An organized campaign for membership support from Big Spring and Howard county in the Permian Basin Association is before us this week.

The Permian Basin Association, briefly, is an organization devoted to the safeguarding of existing petroleum assets, and to the developing of new ones to the benefit of this section of West Texas.

In short, the association attempts to do, through union of effort, what no one firm or individual or single interest can do. It seeks to weld the forces of all the oil-producing areas of West Texas into a single piece of machinery to see that this section's greatest natural resource—oil—is made to be of the greatest value to the people who live here.

We long have given every organizational attempt possible to the development of agriculture, which is a worthwhile thing. We always are striving to bring into our towns new industries which will increase the assets of our communities and enlarge our payrolls—which is meritorious.

The Permian Basin Association is striving to promote the orderly development of our resource, to see that this particular oil section gets a fair break with other petroleum producing areas, and to help put the industry on such a stable basis that all the people profit.

The stronger the Permian Basin Association is in membership, the more effectively it can function, the more far-reaching its achievements. Here is an organization in which your membership means an investment for better business and better living. Every West Texan should belong.

Hollywood Sights And Sounds

HOLLYWOOD—Imaginary excursion into the thoughts of a very young man I never have met: I'm eight years old, and my name's Dion, but you can just call me Skipper or Skip.

Mom has ideas about me. Guess she read a book. Was a time when she and Bob looked me down with presents. Then Mom read a book called 'My Son, My Son,' and she didn't tell me why, but she said I had too many things, and so we sent most of 'em away.

Mom knows a lot of girls, movie fans, are nuts about her Bob, but she doesn't mind. Mom says when she goes places with Bob and the girls all squeal like they know the girls aren't squealing for her because she's been around enough to know they don't.

The Thrill That Comes Once In A Lifetime



Leap Before You Look

Chapter 23 QUARANTINED! "Call Dr. Tillman," advised Abe, without interest. "But, Abe, do you know him? Is he good? Does he know his business?"

Washington Daybook

WASHINGTON—I've just finished a 23-cent meal on the United States army—and am I stuffed! First: A note to any man anywhere who's eligible—if you're hungry, join the army.

Second: A note to General George C. Marshall, chief of staff—if you're going to feed 'em like that, you'll have to keep 'em working.

Third: Note to readers—no matter how it sounds, this is no puff for the army. Me, I'm a pacifist. Give me a shooting gallery, with a row of slow-moving ducks and I can't miss.

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When Napoleon was campaigning, he offered 15,000 francs to any person who would show him how to preserve food so it would last for weeks for men on the march.

During the Civil war, soldiers were given a handful of green coffee beans. They had to roast them, grind them between rocks (if they could find any rocks) and brew their own java in whatever they had handy.

The World War caught all armies napping, and though canned rations were used—well, ask any of the boys who got into the trenches.

The army's new field rations are something and this is first-hand information, because I've eaten. For breakfast, you get two cans, opening with a key.

For lunch, you get two 15-ounce cans of beef stew. Dinner is breakfast all over again. The next day the order is reversed.

The new rations will get their first practical tryout this spring when the army holds the greatest peace-time maneuvers ever seen in the United States—down in Dixie.

Adolph Zukor was one of the first men in the world to realize famous books and plays with famous actors and actresses would make pictures which made money.

With the growth of pictures came the growth of exploitation of them. At first, simple throw-aways, such as are used for small-store bargain sales, were enough for the infant industry.

The public has not only developed a tremendous appetite for fiction in celluloid, but it has created its own heroes and heroines from among the actors and actresses who appear in the pictures.

This great interest in moving pictures and the people who appear in them is no accidental growth, and the publicity men who have contributed to it have had a comparatively easy time, for they have a product the public wants and people the public wants to know all about.

But she has one advantage over the queen—she always can hire a better publicity man. Publicity men work day and night to make the public feel that they know everything about their favorites.

Daily Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS 1. Inclined walk 2. Corpulent 3. Desert 4. Drug-yielding plant 5. Bar for transmitting force 6. Canceled 7. Quote 8. Asiatic palm 9. Monkeys 10. Important happening 11. Credit 12. General grass 13. Restrains through fear 14. Course grass stems 15. Grammatical case 16. Best coverings 17. Becomes 18. Philippine native 19. Englishman 20. Heated comment 21. Phoebe 22. Horseback 23. Extends a 24. Subscript 25. Direction 26. Uncooked 27. Come on the stage 28. Changes expert 29. Mexican dish 30. Came to rest

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KBST LOG

Sunday Morning 8:00 News 8:05 Musical Interlude 8:15 Uncle Dudley And Elmo 8:30 Governor W. Lee O'Daniel 9:00 Jaco Quartet 9:15 Happy Roy Thomas 9:30 Young and Morrison 9:45 Organ Melodies 10:00 Harold Turner, Piano 10:15 Reviewing Stand 10:30 Sunday Morning Matinee 11:00 Church Services

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# LEAP BEFORE YOU LOOK

By Peggy O'More

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With the assistance of Mrs. Carrington, she should be able to handle the case without a second one increasing your housing problem, and without exposing another member of the family to direct contact. Now is there anything else you would like to say?"

Tom thought of having the family under her feet for two priceless weeks of the rush season; of cooking oatmeal and lathering vegetables with cream sauce, or roasting mutton; stewing tripe; of the Major roaring, Agatha sneezing, Jane sniffing, Of Great-aunt Hannah.

"Plenty!" she cried, and burst into a frenzy of French. The dark brows went up, the brown eyes danced. "So you were overseas during the war," commented Doctor Tillman, and Tom, cbeeka as scarlet as Harold's, watched him depart.

For a few moments she stood, facing a hectic future, then walked into the living room to find Great-aunt Hannah in complete control of the situation.

From her chair, directly under Great-uncle Timothy's portrait, she was knitting and issuing orders. Austin couldn't sleep with the Major because the Major snored. Consequently, they would order another bed sent out from town and Austin would occupy Tom's office.

Agatha was taking the grocery order. Tom turned pale as she listened to all of the hated items go down.

She glanced up at the portrait. For a moment she thought the painted shoulders were quivering, the eyes cinkling. Then she saw it

was the reflection of sunlight on the water outside. But laugh at her, would he? Continued tomorrow.

## UNCLE HANK SEZ

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BROWNIE BOUNDS FORWARD AS THE PUMA'S CRUEL CLAWS GRAZE HER BACK...



## SUPERMAN

ANGERED, SUPERMAN CLEANS UP ON THE GAMBLERS...



## OAKY DOAKS

THESE PEOPLE ARE JUST BEASTS OF BURDEN! NO WONDER THEY GET OLD QUICK!



## DICKIE DARE

DAN IS WHISPERING TO ELECTRA, POINTING...



## PA'S SON-IN-LAW

LET'S GET GOING, LEMMIE! I COME UP HERE TO FIND MY COUSIN, UPPEN ATOM...



## DIANA DANE

YA SAY THERE'S A DOG HOWLIN' IN OUR CELLAR?



## SCORCHY SMITH

OOPE, SLIPPED!



## HOMER HOOPEE

WHAT ARE YOU KIDS DOING IN HERE?



CONFESS! DOES THE WESELY LOAN COMPANY HIRE YOU TO FLEECE ITS CLIENTS?



RACING TO THE LOAN-SHARK ESTABLISHMENT, SUPERMAN MAKES USE OF HIS X-RAY VISION...



## Pay-Off For The Loan-Shark

WELL, WELL! NOT CONTENT WITH ONE RACKET, THEY ALSO STOOP TO PRINTING FAKE LOTTERY TICKETS!



## Jack-in-The-Closet

DAN IS WHISPERING TO ELECTRA, POINTING...



## Somebody's Wrong!

LET'S GET GOING, LEMMIE! I COME UP HERE TO FIND MY COUSIN, UPPEN ATOM...



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DAD, I CAN'T SLEEP THROUGH THAT LAWFUL NOISE!



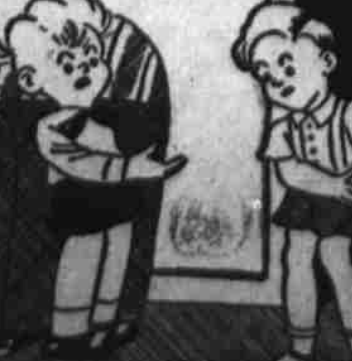
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WHAT ARE YOU KIDS DOING IN HERE?



AFTER TELEPHONING THE POLICE, SUPERMAN SMASHES INTO THE HIDDEN PRINTING ROOM, AND...



## His Mind's Made Up

LOOK AT THOSE GUARDS! WE'LL NEVER GET INTO THE DUKE OF DURK'S CASTLE!



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DAN IS WHISPERING TO ELECTRA, POINTING...



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WHAT ARE YOU KIDS DOING IN HERE?



AS POLICE BREAK IN... THERE'S YOUR EVIDENCE! THANKS! YOU'RE UNDER ARREST, WESELY!



## His Mind's Made Up

LOOK AT THOSE GUARDS! WE'LL NEVER GET INTO THE DUKE OF DURK'S CASTLE!



## Jack-in-The-Closet

DAN IS WHISPERING TO ELECTRA, POINTING...



## Somebody's Wrong!

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### 'Sensations' Yet To Come, Say Nazis

BERLIN, Mar. 30 (AP)—German officials, 24 hours after unleashing a diplomatic blitzkrieg of 16 documents about alleged United States pro-war diplomacy, leaned back tonight in gleeful contemplation and promised even more explosive sensations "soon."

"Nobody need try to prove an alibi to the effect he was misunderstood or that he was misquoted by Polish envoys," said one official, speaking of the documents to come.

Spokesmen would not commit themselves as to precisely what statements would be named in the forthcoming release, although one hinted that the German government is in possession of direct communications by the United States ambassador to Paris, William C. Bullitt.

Yesterday's White Book, made up of 16 documents said to have been taken as spoils of conquest from the vaults of the Warsaw foreign office, purported to quote Bullitt and U. S. Ambassador to London Joseph P. Kennedy at length, the quotes being attributed to diplomatic reports of Polish diplomats in Washington, Paris and London, made in late 1938 and the first half of 1939.

They ascribed to Bullitt the conviction that America would "finish" the war on the side of the allies; to Kennedy a promise to put pressure on the British to lend money to Poland. President Roosevelt by indirection, was declared to have fostered an American war psychosis in order to help the allies in the coming conflict, and to have charged Bullitt to stop any further British attempts at appeasement.

(These reports were wholly denied by official Washington.) Nevertheless, German officials expressed themselves today as completely satisfied with the effects of their surprise move, and let everyone know that, compared to the vintage material that is in the office, yesterday's White Book was "cheap wine."

### Farley To Address Postmasters At Marshall Session

MARSHALL, Mar. 30—The visit of Postmaster General James A. Farley will be the high point of interest for 1,000 Texas postmasters assembled here for their annual convention April 4, 5 and 6 and elaborate plans to welcome the special chief of the mail service have been made by the convention committee, B. G. McElroy, Marshall postmaster and president of the association, announced here today.

Farley will arrive in Marshall shortly before noon by motor car from Longview, on Friday, April 3. He will be met by a detail of state highway patrolmen and local police, and a welcoming motorcade of 100 cars, and escorted into Marshall.

He will be guest of the postmasters at a noon luncheon, and will deliver his address at the city hall auditorium, to postmasters and the public, at 2:30 p. m. The speech will be broadcast over a national radio network.

More than a thousand Texas postmasters and their wives are expected to attend the convention, which opens Thursday morning, April 4, with a general session, at which Smith W. Purdum, fourth assistant postmaster general, a former resident of Texas, will speak. C. J. Taylor, superintendent of railway mail service, of Fort Worth, Mayor Louis Kariel of Marshall and President S. E. Wood, Jr., of the Marshall chamber of commerce, and Fred Mae Langill, postmaster at Terrell, are other speakers on the morning program.

### NEWS NOTES FROM THE OIL FIELD COMMUNITIES

F. D. Lewis, Floyd T. Crabtree, and Mrs. L. Watkins were in Coahoma to serve as judges in the interscholastic league declamation contests Friday.

Neil Manning is spending this week in Sterling City as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Garner and Mr. and Mrs. John Garner. He is a nephew of the Garners.

Mary Margaret Spivy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Spivy, underwent a tonsillectomy in a Big Spring hospital Thursday.

Mrs. W. K. Scudday received major surgery in a Big Spring hospital Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Loper has returned to assume proprietorship of the Forsan hotel dining room.

Rev. Dock Travis, formerly of Forsan, now pastor of the First Baptist church of Cleburne, will conduct a revival at the local church the last two weeks of April.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Coulson of Sterling City visited relatives in Forsan Wednesday.

S. J. Huastis, who has been ill in a Big Spring hospital, was moved home Wednesday and is reported recuperating nicely.

Joe Stewart, janitor of the Forsan schools was called to Louisiana because of the illness of his mother.

Mrs. J. D. Galt and Mrs. Louis A. Mayfield attended the district conference of the Parent-Teacher association in Abilene Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rippey and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Williams were recent visitors in Abilene and Rowden. They visited Mrs. Rippey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hobbs, Sr., and Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. S. W. Sikes, and sister, Miss Ada Sikes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson of Rowden were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carpenter.

Mrs. M. M. Hines, Mrs. Bill McCamy, Mrs. Foster Harmon and Mrs. Guy C. Rainey were golfers on the Continental course Wednesday afternoon.

A crew of men are digging prickly pear and elkhorn cactus from the C. L. West ranch.

Miss Vivian Fern Caldwell of McMurry college, Miss Johnnie Britton of Crane and Dub Coots of Abilene visited Miss Caldwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Caldwell of Oltchalk recently.

Mrs. R. F. Hargrove of Colorado City, Miss Pauline Hargrove of Paducah and Mrs. Paul Hargrove of Arbua, Dutch West Indies visited Mrs. R. P. Hargrove this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Sawdy and daughter, Margaret Louise, were guests of Mr. Sawdy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sawdy of Jenks, Okla., recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Woodson of Dallas are weekend guests of Mrs. Woodson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Hoard, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walls of Abilene visited their son, Otis, and Mrs. Walls this week.

Mrs. Jimmie Payne, teacher in the Chalk school, visited her mother who is seriously ill in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whirley and

### Founders Day To Be Observed By M'Murry College

ABILENE, Mar. 30—Billie Suggs and Myrtle Antley will be in charge of the Big Spring, Forsan, Coahoma, Station portion of the state-wide celebration of McMurry College Founders' Day to be observed by ex-students of the school Friday evening.

McMurry exes from all communities near Big Spring have been invited to Big Spring to join in paying tribute to Dr. James Winford Hunt, founder and first president of the college, and to enjoy a period of informal fellowship.

Highlight of the evening will be an address by Dr. Frank L. Turner, McMurry president, broadcast over the Texas State Network at 8:15 o'clock. At the close of the address, all exes will join in singing the alma mater.

Throughout Texas and in other states, groups will be meeting for a covered-dish supper and observing the same program at the same time.

On the campus, ex-students with Alice Carleton in charge, will conduct the Friday morning chapel service, giving special recognition to the senior class of 1940. In the evening the Abilene exes will hold their reunion supper at the dining hall, then go to the auditorium for the program and broadcast.

A'S LOSE AGAIN  
TUCSON, Ariz., Mar. 30 (AP)—The Pittsburgh Pirates handed the Philadelphia Athletics their fifth straight defeat today, 6 to 4.

### Local Group Will Attend Insurance Company Convention

DALLAS, Mar. 30—Mrs. Belle E. Black and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Higginbotham, of Big Spring, will be guests of Southwestern Life Insurance company in attendance at the company's 38th agency convention in Dallas next week, C. F. O'Donnell, president, announced here today.

The Southwestern Life Club convention will open Wednesday morning, April 4, in the Baker hotel, Leon Rovinsky of Dallas, club president, will preside. During the morning session C. F. O'Donnell, president of the Southwestern Life Insurance company will deliver his annual address to the agency force.

### Dr. W. J. Allison, medical director of the company, is also scheduled to appear on the first day's program.

In the programs to follow on Friday and Saturday other officers and executives of the company are scheduled to speak. Addresses by T. L. Bradford, Jr., vice president and treasurer; E. G. Brown, vice president and actuary; Richard R. Lee, vice president and agency director; R. A. E. Goodman, vice president and director of public relations; Arthur Coburn, vice president; Ben H. Williams, sales director; and R. William Archer, director of publicity, are on the program.

The feature of the noon sessions will be an address by Stanley Foran, of Dallas, on the subject of "Americanism." Walter Woodward, chairman of

### the Texas state board of insurance commissioners and R. G. Storey, prominent Dallas attorney, will highlight the annual banquet of the Southwestern Life Club to be held at the Adolphus Hotel Friday night at seven o'clock.

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