

Dixie Revolt Hinges On Civil Rights Plan

Angry Southern Governors In Fighting Mood As They Wait To Call On M'Grath

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—The wallop behind the Dixie revolt appeared to hinge today on whether any of President Truman's civil rights program becomes law.

Angry southern governors frankly proclaimed their "fighting mood" as they waited to call democratic national chairman McGrath on the carpet at a midafternoon session (1:30 p. m. CST) with newsmen on hand to witness the fireworks.

But two Dixie senators who are active in fanning the flames told a reporter privately that if congress does nothing about such things as anti-lynch, anti-poll tax and anti-discrimination bills, the insurrection may never amount to much.

On the other hand, they agreed that if any of those things are written into law — and they look

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—Four Southern governors demanded today that President Truman call back from Congress his request for anti-lynching, anti-poll tax and other civil rights legislation.

for that to happen — there will be "real trouble" for Mr. Truman in the South.

As an example, one of these senators said the legislature in his state undoubtedly would vote to remove the name of both the president and his running mate from the ballot. The voters then would cast their ballots for presidential electors who could vote as they choose.

There are increasing signs that the southerners fear they have been caught in a political cross fire from which they may not be able to escape.

A secret Senate poll has convinced some of them that their most effective weapon — the filibuster — may fall because of lack of Republican support.

The House usually passes one or more civil rights measures in each Congress. But the southerners have always been able to talk them to death in the Senate.

Strangely enough, the southerners don't blame the Republicans for trying to run the steamroller over them.

Instead, they contend that President Truman forced the issue by his demand for action. The southerners reason that the Republicans must accept that challenge or lose the minority vote in the North both parties are angling for.

The Dixie governors waiting to see McGrath came here under orders from the southern governors conference to lay the South's complaint before party headquarters and demand an answer.

New Cold Spell Hits Panhandle

Another cold spell moved down on the Texas Panhandle today. The weather bureau said a double front moving across New Mexico would drop temperatures below freezing over the Panhandle and sections of West Texas tonight.

A minimum of 22 degrees was forecast for the Panhandle. Near freezing was expected in sections of North Texas. A minimum of 38 degrees was predicted for the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

Rotary Committees To Plan Conference

Committees named to effect arrangements for the district Rotary conference here on March 28-29-30 will meet at 7:30 p. m. today in the Settles hotel, local Rotary club officials announced this morning.

Jim McCulloch, Snyder, district governor, will be present to assist in mapping plans for the three-day event.



NAMED JAPANESE PREMIER Hideo Ashida, (above) foreign minister and president of the moderate democratic party, was elected prime minister of Japan. He polled 216 votes to 180 for former prime minister Shigeru Yoshida. (AP Wirephoto).

Two Traffic Accidents Top Texas Violence

Two traffic accidents accounted for nearly half the reported toll of 13 persons killed violently in Texas over the week-end.

Three men lost their lives in an automobile accident near Mineral Wells Saturday night and three Negro men were killed Sunday when their truck and a Texas and Pacific passenger train collided within Fort Worth's city limits.

Everett L. Hales and Thomas W. Tatum were killed instantly when their automobile failed to make a curve on Wynn mountain near Mineral Wells Saturday night. John W. Walker died Sunday morning in a Mineral Wells hospital.

The three men were all residents of Long Beach, Calif., en route to Houston.

The truck in which the three Negroes were riding and the passenger train were in collision at Handley about 5:20 p. m.

The men were tentatively identified by police as Sherman Johnson, 52, Walter McBride, 39, and Charles Armsted, all of Fort Worth.

Another automobile-train collision resulted in the death of James Gilbert Rountree, 21, Saturday. The accident occurred near Austin.

Arthur Harris, 26, and Otto Schafstahl, about 40, were killed in separate traffic accidents in Houston Saturday night.

Police said Harris' delivery truck overturned, crushing the driver's head.

Schafstahl died when the vehicle in which he was a passenger collided with another automobile.

Miss Pauline Cook, 18, of Groveson, Texas, a student at Fort Arthur College, was killed Saturday night when the automobile in which she was riding was in collision with a truck.

Clifton D. Fowler, 28, Otis Chalk, Texas, was killed near Big Spring when his automobile plunged into a cattle guard.

P. L. (Toby) Campbell, Jr., 16, was crushed to death beneath a huge boulder Saturday near San Angelo while on a hunting trip.

Robert L. Evans, 33, died Saturday night in Beaumont of injuries received when struck on the head by a falling timber at the Pure Oil company plant at Smith Bluff.

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EXAMPLE FOR WORLD

Warren Praises Unity Of Americas

LAREDO, Feb. 23. (AP)—The principles which have brought "unity and understanding" to the republics of America should be extended to all nations, Gov. Earl Warren of California urged here.

Warren, Republican presidential candidate, stood on the United States - Mexico border yesterday and said these principles were: "First, the principle of non-interference by all countries with the freedom, the sovereignty and the internal affairs of others; and

"Second, the principle of solidarity."

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Allies Begin West Germany Talks Today

Meet Is First Diplomatic Sign Of World Split

LONDON, Feb. 23. (AP)—The United States, Great Britain and France begin a conference today on western Germany's future. It is the first formal diplomatic acknowledgement that the world has divided into two parts.

For the first time, Russia is absent from official talks on the future of the countries—Germany, Japan, and Italy—that gambled their military powers upon world conquest and lost. In her empty chair is piled a batch of reasons:

(1) Inability of the Big Four to get together on a peace treaty for Germany at their foreign ministers' council meeting which ended here in December.

(2) U. S. determination to give western Germany a big part in the Marshall Plan for European economic recovery.

(3) A plain-spoken Soviet accusation that the Marshall Plan is part of an "imperialistic" American plan to "enslave Europe."

(4) Formation of the communist international information bureau (cominform)—eastern European spokesmen for communist-dominated countries—to coordinate an attack upon western democracies.

Lewis W. Douglas, ambassador to London, is representing the U. S. in the three-power conference. The Benelux countries—Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg — have been guaranteed a hearing.

Russia protested the talks would violate an agreement made at Potsdam in 1945 for four-power decision on Germany.

The United States and France turned down the protest. In a diplomatic note made public in Washington Saturday, under secretary of state Robert Lovett said Soviet failure to "observe the principles of economic unity" in Germany impelled the other three powers to organize Germany's economy for German and European recovery.

French foreign minister Georges Bidault gave a somewhat similar reply Friday.

Upon the conference depends, to a major degree, the Marshall Plan and Britain's proposal for a five-power pact and a western European union.

The U. S. wants to use Germany's industrial potential, manpower and resources to help rebuild Europe.

German DP's Are Given Warning

BERLIN, Feb. 23. (AP)—The U. S. Army warned displaced persons in west German camps today they are getting a bad reputation abroad because of their crime rate. It urged them to cooperate in a law enforcement drive.

The Army's warning, issued for publication in all authorized displaced persons newspapers in the U. S. occupation zone, said most DP crimes are committed by a small minority. It appealed to law-abiding elements to report and apprehend criminals.

The notice said the "unfavorable sentiment against displaced persons developed in the United States and other countries" is endangering their opportunities for emigration.

German and military government public safety reports frequently have blamed displaced persons for a crime rate disproportionate to their numbers. Black marketing and theft head the list of crimes.

Six Die In Fire

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Feb. 23. (AP)—Six persons in one family—four of them children—perished early today when flames swept their 16-room house on fashionable Brewster street.

CANDIDATE FOR MATADOR MAYOR BRUTALLY FRANK ABOUT AMBITIONS

MATADOR, Feb. 23. (AP)—Something new in Texas politics! Douglas Meador, publisher of the Matador Tribune, has announced as candidate for mayor of this bustling little city in the big ranch country.

Texas editors have gone into politics before this, but wait... Doug, lean and lanky, a philosopher and poet of the range lands, friend of editors, news men and multitudes of others, far and wide, has something new...

"As a slight inducement to voters I offer to refund the city the \$600 yearly salary which goes with the office," said Meador's announcement.

"Also in event of my resignation, impeachment or assassination, the city will have no investment in my training and administration."

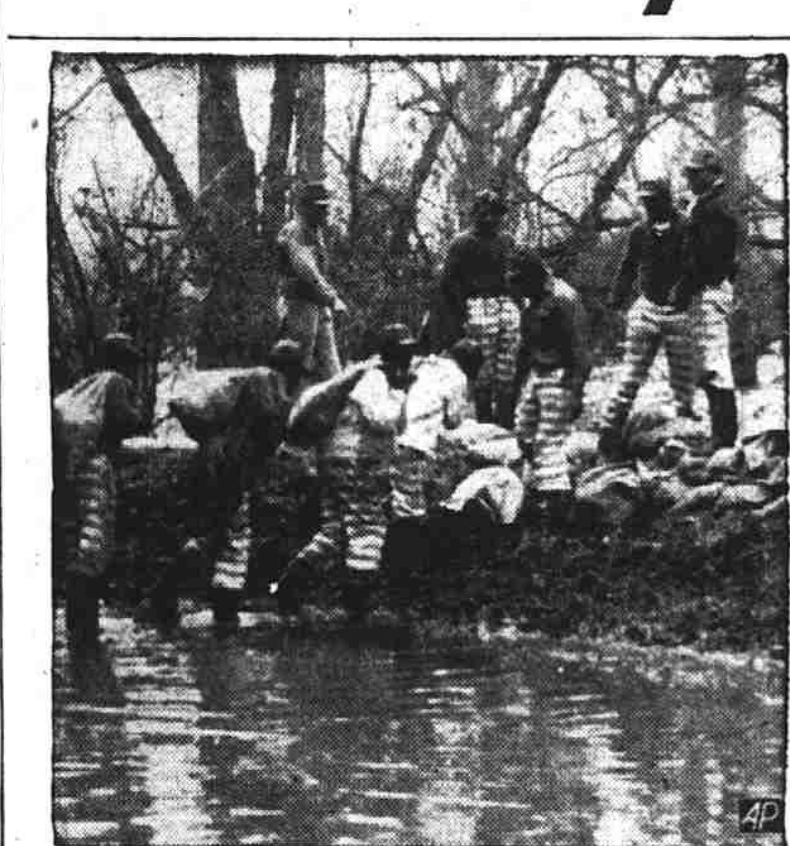
Candidate Meador further confessed: "I have no income besides my little two-by-four newspaper and I need the \$600, as many of my creditors will testify, but I sincerely feel that mayoring of Matador at present should be an honor job."

"I covet the honor of being mayor of the city in which I was born, I am proud of Matador."

In his first campaign statement Meador said, "this is perhaps the most ill-advised desultory political announcement since Henry Wallace launched the third party."

He also promised to make no campaign speeches, but the eyes of West Texas are on the Meador campaign at Matador.

Bitter Jerusalem Virtually Paralyzed



LEVEES SANDBAGGED — Negro convicts on Mississippi chain-gangs are shown hard at work, shoring up levees along the Yazoo river with sandbags. Due to such efforts, Greenwood, Miss., is thus far high and dry, although Yazoo flood waters have inundated 400,000 acres of farm and timber lands in nearby areas. National guardsmen are patrolling levees, alert for any sudden breaks. (AP Wirephoto).

RENT CONTROL

President Urges Stronger Curbs

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—President Truman today urged a 14-month stronger rent control law, along with extension of financial aid to home building.

In a special message to Congress, Mr. Truman asked that this emergency action be coupled with a long-range housing program to produce 1,000,000 dwellings a year for the next decade.

"We must adopt them together so that they may work together," the presidential message said. "We must take orderly progress, not a staggering, uncertain series of starts and halts."

Rent control expires February 29. Republican leaders have agreed to push through a 30-day extension of the present law this week. This will give time for study of a bill pending in the senate for a 14-month extension of ceilings to April 30, 1949 on a modified basis.

Mr. Truman asked for "more CHRISTIANSTED, St. Croix, Virgin Islands, Feb. 23. (AP)—President Truman declared today that renewal by congress of the charter of the Virgin Islands company is essential to stabilization of the economy of these islands.

housing at lower cost, both in the immediate future and for the long run."

He set before congress this five-point objective: 1.—"To continue and strengthen rent control.

2.—"To stimulate a higher volume of home building on a sustained basis with special emphasis on rental housing, with proper safeguards against possible inflationary effects.

3.—"To reduce building costs. 4.—"To assist communities in providing low-rent housing for families in the lowest-income groups. 5.—"To aid cities in rebuilding and modernizing run-down areas."

Less than 15 percent of the 840,000 new homes built in 1947 were rental units, the president said, and "almost no housing at all was built for low-income families."

CLUBWOMEN TO MEET

AUSTIN, Feb. 23. (AP)—Advance reservations indicate a large attendance at the Junior Clubwomen's conference in Fort Worth March 1, according to Mrs. John J. Perry of Sweetwater, president of the Texas Federation of Women's clubs.

Services were held at 3 p. m. Monday at the First Baptist church in Coahoma for J. R. (Bob) Parrish, 81, prominent rancher in the Coahoma vicinity for 30 years.

Mr. Parrish died Saturday at 2 p. m. following an extended illness. Services were in charge of the Rev. J. P. Baker, assisted by the Rev. Reaves, Eberley Funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Parrish is survived by his wife; five sons, Pearl Parrish, Big Spring, Carl Parrish and John Parrish, Coahoma, Charles Parrish, Westbrook, and Jack Parrish, Richardson, Calif.; and two daughters, Mrs. Curtis Thomas, Coahoma, and Mrs. Russell Davis, Sparenburg.

Burial was in the Coahoma cemetery and pallbearers were G. W. Dawson, George Bacon, John Plummer, Alvin Bird, Hoyt Roberts, John Sherrod, West Warren and Dink Cramer.

Alarms Keep City Firemen On Move

City firemen were kept on the move again during the weekend, with two alarms recorded Sunday night and another this morning.

At 10 p. m. Sunday a trash box at a service station at 1900 Gregg street caught fire but was extinguished without damage. A short circuit in wiring was blamed for an automobile fire at 11 p. m. at 101 East 3rd street which also resulted in no damage.

A railroad car was damaged slightly at 6:20 this morning in another fire believed to have started from a short circuit. The car was standing on a T & P track near the west viaduct.

Louisiana Demos To Vote Tomorrow

BATON ROUGE, La., Feb. 23. (AP)—Louisiana Democrats will nominate a governor and six other state officers tomorrow after one of the most bitter campaigns in the state's history.

The democratic nomination means election in Louisiana.

The race for the gubernatorial nomination has been by far the most discordant—highlighted by charges of income tax fraud, vote buying, ballot box stuffing and a million dollar libel suit.

Seeking the nomination are Earl K. Long, brother of the late Sen. Huey P. Long and titular leader of his brother's faction, and Sam H. Jones, Lake Charles attorney who heads the anti-Long forces.

City Patrolled By Three Races

JERUSALEM, Feb. 23. (AP)—Jerusalem was virtually paralyzed today as gun-carrying Arabs, Britons and Jews patrolled a city made bitter and tense by yesterday's bombing of the Jewish sector, in which at least 52 persons died.

Rescue workers clawing at the wreckage of two hotels, three apartment houses and scores of shops along two blocks of Ben Yehuda street extricated nine more bodies today, boosting to 52 the number of dead. At least 88 injured have been dug from the debris.

Haganah workers at the scene said there possibly were more victims in the rubble.

Arab leaders said their commands set off the two truckloads of explosives which caused the blast but Jews seemed convinced that the British were somehow responsible. Nine British soldiers were killed in retaliatory gun fighting after the explosion and three Jews lost their lives. The death toll for the day thus stood at 64.

Streets were mined and a tripled guard stood duty at British security zone gates and at vital administrative and military buildings.

Jews worked feverishly to strengthen their own barred wire and cement block barricades.

All Jewish sections of the city were ordered out of bounds to the military. Jews warned even British police to stay out unless accompanied by Jewish police.

Irgun Zvai Leumi, extremist underground group, proclaimed: "As from today all British personnel, military and police, entering Jewish sections will be subject of execution."

The already crippled civil administration was rendered virtually non-existent as the city was blocked off into three zones of war.

Belief spread among Jews that the British had a hand in the explosion as the Jews claimed they did in the Palestine post blast on Feb. 1.

Jewish rescue workers refused to use British firefighting and debris clearing apparatus rushed to the scene. One of the first British policemen to arrive after the blast was beaten. British correspondents were threatened.

Later in the day five British soldiers were killed and six injured when a mine shattered their army truck.

Two RAF troopers were fatally shot near the gate of the British security zone. A chaplain was wounded and his army driver killed by gun-fire near the Jewish agency building.

There was no official estimate of the damage caused by the Ben Yehuda blast. A Jewish source said it amounted to "millions of pounds."

Rescued Pilot Is Gaining Strength

BROWNSVILLE, Feb. 23. (AP)—Esteban De Leon, Mexican pilot rescued Thursday after nine days on a rubber raft in the Gulf of Mexico, was recuperating rapidly today.

Still weak, De Leon said he couldn't eat enough to satisfy his hunger. Physicians pronounced his physical condition normal.

His companion and the pilot of the plane, Neil Womack of Brownsville, jumped from the raft while delirious three days after the plane crashed.

STATES LINE UP

Congress To Hear Tideland Protests

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—Nearly 70 state officials, headed by nine governors, lined up today to tell congress that the states should be given outright ownership of oil-rich offshore lands within their boundaries.

While the federal government has made no claim on inland submerged lands, state attorneys general contended that title to inland and offshore lands under water has the same basis in law; and if the federal government can claim one it can claim the other.

That accounts for the interest of inland states in the issue and presence of Gov. Frank Carlson of Kansas City and Gov. Ben T. Laney of Arkansas to support state-ownership personally.

Other governors expected to appear before the committee are Earl Warren of California, W. Preston Lane of Maryland, R. Gregg Cherry of North Carolina, J. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, Beaumont H. Jester of Texas, William M. Tuck of Virginia and Millard Caldwell of Florida. Many others will send personal representatives.

Leave SCS Alone To Do Its Good Work

For a time it looked as if Dr. Hugh H. Bennett had labored too well. Drafted into service by the department of agriculture as head of the Soil Conservation Service, Dr. Bennett has done a thorough and a marvelous job—so much so that some other agencies would like now to take his branch over in the guise of economy.

Putting Positive Stress On Democracy

Dr. John W. Studebaker, U.S. commissioner of education, has come forward with a suggestion that education in this country come forward with a positive approach to democracy to counterattack some of the darts from totalitarian sectors.

Thus, it is reasonable to believe that its absorption by the extension service would prove more expensive in the long run. As for putting control nearer the people, as proponents would have you believe, it should be noted that control of the conservation program at the moment is in districts, headed by locally elected supervisors. That's a lot closer than state headquarters for a land-grant college's extension service.

Let us hope that the SCS is left alone to work with landowners in the locally autonomous districts. If it will be given ample peace and support, in time it will almost work itself out of a job and the nation into greater security.

tunities in our schools to let girls and boys actually work at democracy. They develop a wholesome respect for it; they are not strangers to it when they are later asked to assume duties of citizenship.

The Nation Today—James Marlow

Texas' Married Couples Get Break

WASHINGTON (AP)—Once more married couples in the community property states get a break on their Federal income tax.

individual income, the higher the tax. So in this case the tax on the husband's \$50,000 is \$25,137. The tax on the wife's \$50,000 also is \$25,137.

Affairs Of The World—DeWitt MacKenzie

Moscow Marks Time For Elections

Moscow seems to have softened temporarily the violent Red tactics aimed at establishment of communist governments in Italy and France.

only be done with the backing of an army. So the communists must move more circumspectly in their campaigns in Italy and France. This doesn't mean that the disruptive tactics of the Reds will cease, but rather that they will work quietly and by indirection—as they are doing in the United States.

Texas Today—William C. Barnard

Counties Feud Over 'Heart Of Texas'

There's a fine feud always going on in central Texas between three neighboring counties—McCulloch, Brown and San Saba—over which should bear the designation, "Heart of Texas."

office method of locating the center of an irregularly shaped area such as Texas. "Cut the outline of the state, accurately, out of cardboard, hang the cardboard map from pins stuck through all the extreme points, one at a time.

Short Will

BOSTON, (U.P.)—A 12-word will, scrawled on the back of an undertaker's business card, is the subject of a legal battle here.

Soil Exper Glum

MOUNT BERRY, Ga. (U.P.)—J. W. Stone, farm superintendent of Berry College, said in an address that if Russia or any other country wants to attack the United States, it should wait 100 years.

'I'M A LITTLE BIT UP IN THE AIR MYSELF'



Around The Rim—By The Herald Staff

Interesting Monikers

Most people are familiar with the fact that the majority of the names passed on by their forebears, especially those of English, Scot and Irish heritage, originated in the long ago from a man's trade or his line of business.

example, there are such names as Lyons, Leopard, Lamb, Badger, Bull, Fox, Koons, Buck, Peacock, Raven, Wolf, Hogue, Buzz, Roach, Crane, Bird, Crow, Dove, Drake, Fryer, Wren, (A) bat and Martin.

Washington Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

Demos Talk Mutiny Against Truman

VICTORY FORECAST On February 16, Henry Wallace's American labor party candidates scored one of the most significant political victories of the past four years when he beat all other contenders in the solid Democratic Bronx.

heats on the West Coast, then the myth about renominating the little man already in the White House will be pricked for good. THOMAS'S PAL Senator Homer Ferguson has been striking pay dirt in closed-door hearings on senator Elmer Thomas of Oklahoma and his broker-crony speculators.

Hal Boyle's Notebook

Second Childhood Hopes

NEW YORK (AP)—Too many years ago today in a big old wooden house on Michigan avenue in Kansas City an interesting thing happened to me.

garden, a field mouse, a pet squirrel. I have been bowled over by a brunette and run over by a blond and-run scooter on ice skates, a romantic couple on ice skates, a speeding U. S. Army motorcycle in Paris and a slow milk-wagon in Greenwich village.

WASHINGTON—Henry Wallace's thumping victory in the Bronx, hitherto a sure-shot stronghold of the Democratic party, has put a cold and clammy hand on the November hopes of Democratic leaders.

Other words, American historical precedent has recognized the fact that the vice president of the United States is usually a political accident and has treated him as such when it came to new nominations to the nonaccidental job of president. QUILT PARTY Other gossip going the rounds of Democratic leaders sounds like this: "Let's be frank and admit that the present democratic coalition is a patchwork quilt, kept together by hairpins and bailing wire. But it has to stay together in order to win."

In Hollywood—Bob Thomas

Predictions On Oscar

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Throwing caution in all directions, let's sit down and try to dope the Academy Award winners.

Gregory Peck ("G. A.") but because a winning picture often sweeps the state and because of his great popularity, I'll lay a buck on Peck. But remember—I've been wrong before.

But now, it quite apparent that Henry Wallace can steal votes even out from under the nose of that versatile veteran, Ed Flynn, long boss of the Bronx, the Democrats are beginning to figure that there's no use putting their money on a losing horse.

And in 1932 it took a major depression and an inept Republican to put a Democrat back in the White House, after which it took the strong personality and leadership of Franklin Roosevelt to keep us there. "That strong personality is now gone. And we're going to have to get a new strong personality back at the helm if we are going to win in 1948."

Takes Beating

ATLANTA, Ga. (U.P.)—When workmen climbed the state capitol dome to repaint the giant "Goddess of Peace" statue, they found her body pierced by 38 bullets apparently inflicted by high-powered rifles.

Aids Needy

NEEDHAM, Mass. (U.P.)—As a good-neighbor gesture, this town has sent a ton of food and clothing to the citizens of Needham Market, England.

The Big Spring Herald

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Child Gets Life

BOSTON (U.P.)—The gates of Massachusetts' century-and-a-half-old state prison have closed on the youngest life-term prisoner ever admitted to the institution.

WORD-A-DAY

By BACH

MANSUETUDE (man' sue-tud) noun MILDCNESS; MEEKNESS; DOCILITY; TAMENESS




Phillips Tire Now Offering Two More Lines Of Batteries

The Phillips Tire Co., 211 East Third street, is offering automobile owners two quality brands of batteries now.

The firm still maintains its stock of dependable U. S. Royal batteries, and during the past season the Zermac brand has been added to the available list. Zermac batteries are manufactured in West Texas, with construction designed especially for weather conditions in this area.

Cooked vegetables make excellent salads. Lima beans marinated in French Dressing, for instance, and served on a bed of shredded lettuce, are good with a fish dinner. A grating of onion may be added to the vegetable as it is marinating if the dressing does not already contain onion.



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Plants Help To Get Early Start

Key to a head start on spring is held by Caroline's Flowers through an assortment of bedding plants.

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Now is the time for transplanting pansies, for they should be blooming in a very few weeks,

and before the end of March the season will be at its peak. Stock, too, should be out as soon as possible, and of course, snaps have an advantage if put out early enough to get a good root system established, although they do not bloom until later.

Caroline's also specializes in bulbs, with gladiolus the seasonal offering. It is too late for tulips, hyacinth, narcissus, which should have gone out in the autumn, but the time is just right for getting glads in the ground.

Of course, Caroline's still features its pot and cut flowers at all seasons of the year, with a wide assortment always available for discerning customers. Patrons will find that hydrangeas, azaleas and daffodils are exceptionally lovely at this time.

Expansion Does Not Dim Phillips Tire Services

Although making plans to move into a new building now under construction, the Phillips Tire Co., 211 East Third street, is not neglecting the business of the hour.

Consequently, one of the largest stocks of automobile tires assembled here since the war is now available at the firm's present location. Phillips carries products of the U. S. Rubber Co., and featured now is the new post-war Air Ride, a premium grade automobile tire that incorporates all of the latest facilities of safety and durability. Local automobile owners are invited to visit the firm where they can obtain complete information concerning the various types of tires, trade-in plans and other data.

Phillips also keeps a complete stock of tires and tubes for trucks and tractors. Supplies are available in all lines for immediate delivery.

In addition to sales of new tires and tubes, a complete repair service, ranging from operations required for ordinary punctures to complete recapping, is offered.

Top grade materials applied by the best types of mechanical equipment are used in all repair work, which is effected under supervision of competent personnel.

Bob Keheley Is Named Foreman Of Driver Shop

Bob Keheley, who boasts long experience in truck repair work, has recently been added to the staff of the Driver White Truck company, 1600 E. Third St., as shop foreman.

Keheley heads a team of craftsmen ready to tackle any kind of work on heavy-duty vehicles, whether it be complete engine overhaul or the addition of a safety tank. The concern specializes in the White make of truck but is prepared to handle any kind of project.

Curtis Driver, owner and manager of the establishment bearing his name, will take orders and guarantees reasonable delivery for any one of several makes of new White trucks. The vehicles, of course, can be custom-built and will conform to specifications.

The size of the trucks available through the agency range from 15,000 to 55,000 gross pound rating. Driver's also has a special department for complete washing and greasing of the road gooliaths. Many truck accessories, including Willard batteries, American safety tanks, fifth wheels, transport trailers and winches, are available at the concern. The safety tanks range in capacity up to 50 gallons.

Business hours at Driver's are from 8 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. Business telephone number is 1681.

Urges Replacement Of Attlee Regime

LONDON, Feb. 23. (P)—H. Pollitt, general secretary of the British communist party, urged Saturday that prime minister Attlee's socialist regime be replaced with "a new labor government of the left."

Britain's economic crisis is "the result of the reactionary policy of the ring wing leaders of the labor government," Pollitt told the party's national congress.


Texas Traffic Deaths Near 2,000

AUSTIN, Feb. 23. (P)—The Count on Texas' traffic fatalities last year edged toward the 2,000 mark Saturday as official reports continued to come in to the Texas department of public safety.

In a preliminary report on 1947 traffic accidents the department counted 1,991 dead, 32 more than in 1946.

Final figures on 1947 casualties are to be released on March 18, the report said.

Despite sharp declines in U. S. deaths caused by tuberculosis about 50,000 Americans died of the disease in 1946.



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WHEN THEN SUPPOSE WE LEAVE OUR LUNCH, TOO?

SOMETHING'S UP, BUZ.

DURING LUNCH AT THE HOTEL, BOOZ RUSHES IN, WHISPERS A FEW WORDS TO SPARROW.

MR. RAL A SHIP!

WELL, WELL THINGS ARE BEGINNING TO HAPPEN, SNEENEY. MAYBE THIS IS THE MOMENT WE'VE BEEN WAITING FOR.

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MEAD'S fine BREAD

OAKIE DOAKS

GEE, NELLIE, I'M SORRY, BUT WE'RE IN AN AWFUL JAM!

A BUNCH OF MEN HAVE PICKED A GREAT, BIG GUY TO FIGHT ME!

...AND IT'S ALL BECAUSE I WENT TO THE GRAND BALL LAST NIGHT AND KISSED EVERY WOMAN THERE!

NELLIE, DON'T LOOK AT ME LIKE THAT! I REALLY DID!!

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SCORCHY SMITH

THE ECCENTRIC BUT SINCERE HASSAN BEN SOBA, SIEK OF EL RUBBADUS, TAKES SCORCHY AND 'MAD' HATTER TO A COMMAND PERFORMANCE AT THE BILLOU BACKSTAGE BARS. THE GRAND VIZIER, PLOTS AGAINST HASSAN WITH TALURES SPES AND KARA, THE DAGGER RANCER...

HUSH! IT IS KARA THE INCOMPARABLE!

HER DANCING IS LIKE THE REFLECTION OF BLOSSOMS IN A POOL!

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FEAR NOT! KARA'S DAGGER DANCE WILL BE FATAL TO HASSAN!

WELL, WHAT'D YA KNOW! THE NEW LOOK COMES TO EL RUBBADUS!

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WHACK

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ANNIE ROONEY

REE, ZERO—WHEN I FIRST SAW HONOLULU, I THOUGHT I WAS JUST DREAMIN' A BEAUTIFUL DREAM—

BUT NO MATTER HOW HARD I RUBBED MY EYES OR PINCHED MY ARM, I DIDN'T WAKE UP—SO I KNEW IT WAS ALL REALLY TRUE—

CAPTAIN DICK SEZ WE'RE JUST GONNA STOP HERE TO GET SOME SUPPLIES AN' THEN SAIL ON TO 'THE LITTLE ISLAND—

—WHERE SQUID RAWLEE AN' HIS WICKED PIRATES CANT EVER FIND US AN' KILL US ALL DEAD—

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DICKIE DARE

THE THREE REBELGARD SCIENTISTS ARE DISAPPOINTED. THEY ARE NO LONGER ABLE TO HEAR THE HEARTBEATS OF THEIR ROCKET. GINIEA PIGS, DICKIE AND NAGS!

SIMPLE XY + Z BEGINS TO COULGEAT OF WHAT? HAH, COMPLEX! HEAD—HURTS!!!

COME, COME, ROGER, YOU MUST FORGET THAT FIRST EXPERIMENT. NEXT TIME WE WILL SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF EXCESS HEAT. MAKE IT WON'T EVEN KILL!

Y A NO REG CEASE OPERY ROCKETS!

THE SUDEN AND SPERCHIC'S 'GOLDEN HARBOR' STOPS AT A DESERT BIRN—

I CAN'T PROMISE, BUT IF IT'S POSSIBLE, YOU'LL GET TO SEE THE HOWNS AT THIS STOP!

MEANWHILE, THE ROCKET GLOWS BRIGHTER AND BRIGHTER! IF ONLY HE COULD DO SOMETHING! BUT, HE CAN'T, SO—

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SNUFFY SMITH

DURN YORE HIDE, LOWWIZIE!! WHY DON'T YE ACT LIKE A HUMPER BERRY PAN GO INITE MY MYPAN TO COME IN TH' HOUSE?

SHE'S TOO MEDDLESGOME TO SUIT ME, AN' THAT'S THAT

I HAIN'T FORGOTT'N' LAS' TIME SHE WUZ HERE—SHE FOUND FAULT WIF MY COOKIN'— FAULT WIF MY WASHIN'— FAULT WIF MY IRONIN'— FAULT WIF MY TATTIN' AN—

DID YE CALL ME, GALL ME?

FETCH ME A HOE, HONEY POT!! YORE THIN-MINDED WIFE'S GOT THESE DETONATIONS PLANTED ON TH' WRONG SIDE OF TH' HOUSE

SNUFFY'S DRAWN IN

DRAWN IN THE BAY WINDOW

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PATSY

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THE TIMID SOUL

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MR. MILQUETOAST'S NEWSBOY IS FULLBACK ON THE HIGH SCHOOL ELEVEN

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GRIN AND BEAR IT

"It's her first one, Otis—Mother will probably be more sensible by the time she's Grandmother of a half a dozen or so!"

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Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Gourmandise
- Old card game
- For what reason
- Billiard word
- Solid water
- Three-toed sloth
- Stow in a vessel's hold
- Pronoun
- Mother Goose's shepherdess
- Charm
- Showing
- Period
- Seasoning
- City in Belgium
- At any time

DOWN

- Indian
- Not sleeping
- Old musical role
- Leaf
- Southern state
- Some of Job's living made from ale
- Langrivy's adjective
- Tranquillity
- Public storeroom
- Among
- Exist
- Dem.
- Gypsy book
- Artificial language
- Inquiry for lost goods
- Anglo
- Finish

Solution Of Saturday's Puzzle

DOWN

- Map
- Buckeye state
- Past
- Flower
- Ice runner
- Rubber tree
- Fluid rock
- Topic
- Greek letter
- Pain
- Convene
- Certain
- Point of the earth's axis
- Ball
- Sweating
- Mexican corn meal mush
- Cognizant
- Catch
- Ice runner
- Baffle
- Demolishes
- Not
- Send out
- Not forming
- Point of the earth's axis
- Fit for
- plowing
- Slender animal
- Monkey
- Dish of meat and vegetables
- Department in France
- Measure
- Support
- Not
- professional
- Measure of length
- Depend
- Clasical ridges
- Total
- Circuit
- Not any

Texas Leads United States In Disasters

AUSTIN, Feb. 23. (AP)—Texas boasts claims to "more and better" of everything were sobered today with the addition of another—the most natural disasters.

In its Texas report to the governor for 1947, the American Red Cross declared Texas "virtually the worst afflicted state in the country" in a year when natural disasters made more headlines than at any time in the past decade.

The Texas claim was bolstered with explosions, fires, tornadoes, windstorms, hailstorms, tropical storms and wrecks.

At the top of the Texas disaster list was last April's Texas City explosion. The Red Cross said it needed 9,000 persons and spent \$1,361,000 there.

Fires were reported as the "most frequent" type of disaster last year calling for Red Cross assistance. Besides homes, they included three forest fires last fall.

Of six tornadoes which added their blight to the state's misfortunes, the Texas Panhandle-Oklahoma twister was recognized as the "most widespread and disastrous."

Aid to victims of all disasters other than Texas City amounted to more than \$250,000, the report said.

Japan 'Wild Tiger' Caught In Sumatra

SINGAPORE, Feb. 23. (AP)—Capt. Inoye, Japanese commander of the "Wild Tigers," has been captured by the Indonesian army in Sumatra and is awaiting trial on charges that his private army killed hundreds of civilians since 1945, an official of the Indonesian republic said Saturday.

The Wild Tigers fought both the Dutch and the Indonesians in Sumatra for two years after the end of the war with Japan. The force was broken up last December, but Inoye escaped.

Hundreds Drown In Turkey Flood

ISTANBUL, Turkey, Feb. 23. (AP)—Flood waters inundating south central Turkey were reported Saturday to have drowned hundreds of persons.

Press dispatches said several villages had disappeared beneath the waters, released when the Seyhan and Ceyhan rivers burst their dykes Tuesday.

Eyewitnesses said numerous bodies were seen floating with the debris.

Forgery Suspect Is Returned Here

Sheriff Bob Wolf returned Friday afternoon from Keokuk, Iowa, bringing with him Ursel E. Higbee.

Higbee, a native of this city, is wanted here on a forgery count. He allegedly passed several bad checks here last Dec. 19.

Briton Sentenced For Helping Arabs

JERUSALEM, Feb. 23. (AP)—A military court sentenced Henry Martin Dixon, 34, to five years in prison for advising British soldier to sell their guns to Arabs. Dixon, a former British soldier, several months ago started publication of a magazine, "Arab World," only to have its first issue confiscated by police as seditious.

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SUNDAY MORNING

6:00 KBST-Headline Edition KRLD-"Beulah"	7:45 KBST-Music of Manhattan KRLD-A. Godfrey Show	9:45 KBST-Serenade KRLD-Screen Guild Theatre WFAA-Fred Waring
7:00 WBAF-Supper Club	8:00 WFAA-Voice of Firestone	10:00 KBST-News KRLD-News WBAF-News
8:15 KBST-Allen Roth KRLD-Jack Smith Show WBAF-Evening Melodies	8:30 KBST-On Stage America KRLD-Radio Theatre WFAA-Telephone Hour	10:15 KBST-Memory Lane KRLD-Tommy Fidler WBAF-Jamboree
8:30 KBST-Lens Ranger KRLD-Club 15 WFAA-Smile Program	8:45 KBST-On Stage America KRLD-Radio Theatre WFAA-Telephone Hour	10:30 KBST-News for Theatre KRLD-Hubbly Hub Parade KRLD-Musical Notebook
8:45 KBST-Lens Ranger KRLD-Edw. R. Murrow WFAA-News	9:00 KBST-Lead A Band KRLD-Radio Theatre WFAA-News	10:45 KBST-News for Theatre KRLD-Hubbly Hub Parade KRLD-Musical Notebook
9:00 KBST-News KRLD-Edw. R. Murrow WFAA-Cavalade of America	9:15 KBST-Lead A Band KRLD-Radio Theatre WFAA-Dr. I. Q.	11:00 KBST-News for Theatre KRLD-Hubbly Hub Parade KRLD-Musical Notebook
9:15 KBST-Sports News KRLD-My Friend Irma WFAA-Contested Hour	9:30 KBST-This is Adventure KRLD-My Friend Irma WFAA-Contested Hour	11:15 KBST-News for Theatre KRLD-Hubbly Hub Parade KRLD-Musical Notebook
9:30 KBST-Melody Parade KRLD-My Friend Irma WFAA-Cavalade of America	9:45 KBST-This is Adventure KRLD-My Friend Irma WFAA-Contested Hour	11:30 KBST-News for Theatre KRLD-Hubbly Hub Parade KRLD-Musical Notebook
9:45 KBST-H. Co. Health Unit KRLD-A. Godfrey Show WFAA-Voice of Firestone	10:00 KBST-Screen Guild Theatre WFAA-Fred Waring	11:45 KBST-News for Theatre KRLD-Hubbly Hub Parade KRLD-Musical Notebook

TUESDAY MORNING

6:00 KBST-Musical Clock KRLD-Texas Roundup WBAF-News and Home	8:00 KBST-News KRLD-News WBAF-News	10:15 KBST-Portraits in Melody KRLD-Arthur Godfrey WBAF-Road of Life
8:15 KBST-Musical Clock KRLD-News WBAF-News	8:30 KBST-Fresh Fruit KRLD-Ministry WFAA-Pascinatia Rhythmic	10:30 KBST-Claudia KRLD-Grand Slam WBAF-Jack Bernb
8:45 KBST-Musical Clock KRLD-Screen Guild Theatre WFAA-Fred Waring	9:00 KBST-News KRLD-News WBAF-News	10:45 KBST-News for Theatre KRLD-Hubbly Hub Parade KRLD-Musical Notebook
9:00 KBST-Musical Clock KRLD-Coffee Time WFAA-Sib Woolley	9:15 KBST-News KRLD-Coffee Time WBAF-Fred Waring	11:00 KBST-News for Theatre KRLD-Hubbly Hub Parade KRLD-Musical Notebook
9:15 KBST-Religion in Life KRLD-Sagebrush Serenade WFAA-Early Birds	9:30 KBST-News KRLD-Coffee Time WBAF-Fred Waring	11:15 KBST-News for Theatre KRLD-Hubbly Hub Parade KRLD-Musical Notebook
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TUESDAY AFTERNOON

12:00 KBST-News KRLD-News WBAF-News	2:00 KBST-Ladies Be Seated KRLD-Double or Nothing WBAF-News	4:00 KBST-Platter Party KRLD-Musical Notebook WBAF-News
12:15 KBST-Bing Sings KRLD-Double or Nothing WBAF-Murray Cox	2:15 KBST-Ladies Be Seated KRLD-Double or Nothing WBAF-News	4:15 KBST-Platter Party KRLD-Musical Notebook WBAF-News
12:30 KBST-News KRLD-News WBAF-News	2:30 KBST-Paul Whiteman KRLD-Coffee Time WBAF-Pepper Youngs	4:30 KBST-Platter Party KRLD-Musical Notebook WBAF-News
12:45 KBST-News KRLD-News WBAF-News	2:45 KBST-News KRLD-Markets & Weather WBAF-Right to Happiness	4:45 KBST-Platter Party KRLD-Musical Notebook WBAF-News
1:00 KBST-Walter Kierman KRLD-Cornbread Matinee WBAF-Today's Children	3:00 KBST-News KRLD-News WBAF-News	5:00 KBST-Platter Party KRLD-Musical Notebook WBAF-News
1:15 KBST-Radio Bible Class KRLD-Cornbread Matinee WBAF-Women in White	3:15 KBST-News KRLD-News WBAF-News	5:15 KBST-Platter Party KRLD-Musical Notebook WBAF-News
1:30 KBST-Bride and Groom KRLD-Cornbread Matinee WBAF-News	3:30 KBST-News KRLD-News WBAF-News	5:30 KBST-Platter Party KRLD-Musical Notebook WBAF-News
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Longhorn Loop To Function As Eight-Club Organization

Del Rio Gains Last Franchise

The Longhorn baseball league, which blossomed into life last year as a six-club, added fresh petals Sunday and gave evidence in other ways that it is becoming of age. Del Rio was admitted to the Class D organization at yesterday's meeting of club directors in Abilene. Admission of the Valverde county club automatically qualifies San Angelo for play.

The directors also voted to increase the player salary from 15 to 16 men and the salary limit from \$2,250 to \$2,600, the limit provided by the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues.

The Del Rio franchise will be operated by Bill Lacy, who formerly had been reported as signed to skipper the San Angelo club. Angelo is still without a field pilot but C. West, owner, said that would be taken care of shortly. Lacy said his club probably would become known as the Giants. A former member of the New York National league club, he hopes to affiliate his team with that organization.

Angelo is still independent but West intimated that he might effect an agreement with Beaumont of the Texas league.

The officials did not agree on a 1948 schedule but will convene in Abilene again next Sunday for that purpose.

The league formally opens play on April 21. Other teams of the circuit and the organizations with which they will work include Big Spring and the Washington Senators; Sweetwater, Shreveport Sports; Vernon, no affiliation; Midland, no affiliation; Ballinger, Cincinnati; and Odessa, Dallas.

Pat Stacey and Claud McAden of Big Spring were present at the convocation.

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With TOMMY HART

The American team finished a lagging third in the recent Winter Olympics games in Switzerland. They are expected to do much better in the track and field games in London this summer. However, they can by no means wind up high man on the totem pole simply by taking a boat trip to England and showing up for the classics.

There is every indication the Yanks will meet strong opposition in most every event, especially in the sprints. Seven men of other countries have run the 100 meters in 10.5 seconds or faster in recent months, to cite an example. (Melvin Patton of USC is America's best bet at that distance.)

Herby McKinley of Jamaica, who will probably represent Great Britain in the Games, isn't doing so well in the 400 meters races now but he'll be the favorite in the Olympics.

The French and the Danes will be overpowering in the 800 meter race, the Swedish stars will give Gil Dodds and other Americans a lot of argument in the 1500 meter event.

The Yanks have never won the gruelling 5,000 meter race and certainly will be rated the underdogs this year. A Czech by the name of Zatepek has already beaten the Olympic record by 14 seconds. Our boys are supposed to fare even worse in the 10,000 meter gallop.

DILLARD A FAVORITE IN OLYMPIC HIGH HURDLES
Prospects will be looking up for the USA in the high hurdles what with Harrison Dillard, a Negro, in the swim, but the 400-meter low hurdles may go to Arifon, a Frenchman, who has covered the distance in 52.1. The Swedes and the Finns are also strong there.

Our boys will be favored in the pole vault, the javelin throw, the broad jump and the discus throw. England has a good bet in the high jumping event in Alan Patterson, a Scot. Russia may turn up with the top shot putter. The decathlon appears to be wide open.

LOCAL BOXERS INVITED TO MIDLAND SHOW
Local fisticuffers have been invited to participate in an all-West Texas boxing show at Midland, which comes off March 4, 5 and 6. The scrappers can compete in any one of three classes: High school, novice or open.

Director of the program is Thomas H. McMullan. Entries should contact him in care of Box 427, Midland.

From the mailbag:
"Here's bragging! It took me eight seconds to pin both shoulders of your man Pat O'Dowdy to the mat (on the table) and he stayed unconscious for one hour. This was accomplished by one punch known as the 'Pentothal Jab.'"

"While rassing in Amarillo about nine days ago, Pat ruptured a blood vessel in his left thigh, he had a terrifically swollen leg. When he started running a high fever, an incision and drainage was done under pentothal anesthesia. He wanted me to tell you he would be up and ready in a couple of weeks."
E. H. STRAUSS.

Dr. Eddie Strauss is the same fellow who played a whole of a third base for the Big Spring Motor company softball team a couple of seasons back. Pat will probably vouch for the fact that he swings a wicked needle.

LOCAL FEMS PLANNING TO ENTER WIBC TOURNAMENT
Several local women's bowling teams are counting on taking part in the annual WIBC tournament in Dallas, which starts April 8. This year marks the first time the show has ever been staged in these parts.

Probably the oldest pin-toppler who will take part in the tournament, incidentally, is Mrs. Roma Scott of Anchorage, Alaska, who will soon turn 82. She's been bowling since 1902. She had a 169 average up until she was 79 years of age.

Al Thornton, the Pennsylvania lad who fought — and lost — to LaVern Roach, the Texan, in Miami, Florida, last week was no patsey, as the saying goes, in boxing circles.

Up until he fell victim to the Plainview boy, Al had won 12 of 14 scraps and was considered on his way up the fistic ladder. He was given quite a going-over by LaVern.

STERLING FAVORED
Coahoma Tournament To Begin Thursday

COAHOMA, Feb. 21.—Coahoma's annual Invitational basketball tournament for boys' and girls' teams gets underway at 5:30 p. m. Thursday and continues through Saturday night.

Eight teams are entered in each bracket with Sterling City an outstanding favorite in boys' play and the Stanton girls' a likely choice in fems' competition.

Pairings (in order of draw) and starting time of games:
BOYS' BRACKET—Highland vs. Coahoma, 5:30 p. m. Thursday; Courtney vs. Knott, 8:50 p. m. Thursday; Stanton vs. Ira, 12 noon Friday; Westbrook vs. Sterling City, 2:20 p. m. Friday.

GIRLS' BRACKET—Westbrook vs. Courtney, 6:40 p. m. Thursday; Stanton vs. Highland, 9 p. m. Thursday; Knott vs. Sterling City, 1:10 p. m. Friday; Coahoma vs. Ira, 3:30 p. m. Friday.

The fems' crown will be decided in a game starting at 7:50 p. m. Saturday while the boys' main event is booked for 9:00 p. m.

Douglass Pin-Topplers Gain Hold On First Place In Tulsa Tourney

The crack Douglass Hotel bowling team of Big Spring returned last weekend from Tulsa, Oklahoma, with a firm hold on first place in the 21st annual Southwestern tournament. The show still has three weekends to run.

Jake Douglass' crew banged out a 2741 to assume first place in team play but, by no means, confined their brilliant shooting to that event alone.

In Class A doubles, Douglass and B. Merrell of San Angelo finished in the runnerup spot with a score of 1,184, seven pins back of the leaders, Roy Talley and B. Cook of Angelo.

In Bagtime doubles, the local representatives just about dominated the show. The first 15 teams will share in the \$2,000 prize money and the Big Springers composed a part or 14 of the top 15.

Here's the way the scoring went

Champions Test Texas Quintet Again Feb. 25th

Southwest Conference Champion Baylor has just two more obstacles to overcome for a perfect season, an undefeated conference record that would enhance its chance for a bid to the Regional NCAA tournament without a playoff.

Unbeaten in ten games, the Bears face the University of Texas in Austin Wednesday and Texas Christian in Waco Saturday.

Baylor won the title last week when Arkansas and Texas divided their two-game series.

It was reported from Phoenix, Ariz., Sunday that Arizona has requested a playoff with Baylor to determine the Southwestern representative in the NCAA tournament at Kansas City, Arizona, defeated Baylor earlier in the season.

Eugene Lambert, coach of Arkansas and head of the District NCAA selection committee, announced only that the team picked would come from Arkansas, New Mexico, Texas or Arizona. He did not mention a playoff, flip of a coin or any other means of deciding the entry.

Arkansas ruined defending champion Texas' hopes for a share in the crown by defeating the Longhorns, 54-40. Texas turned around and blasted the Razorbacks' chances at a tie, 54-43.

In other results last week, Texas Christian won its first conference game, over A&M, 46-41; Rice beat Texas Christian, 55-52 and Texas, 54-47; Southern Methodist defeated A&M, 62-26 and Rice, 54-52. Baylor edged Southern Methodist, 51-49.

Arkansas and Rice meet twice this week, at Houston Friday and Saturday. Texas plays Texas Christian in Austin Saturday. The season ends next week with a pair of games.

About the only thing of interest remaining in the conference race itself is Arkansas and Texas' battle for second place and George Kok's individual scoring spree.

Kok, giant Arkansas center, boosted his total in conference play to 190 points last week and ran his season scoring to 426 points. Slater Martin of Texas took over second place in both conference and season scoring, with 128 and 266 points.

PLAYER LEADING SCORERS (conference)

Tom. Rice, c	80	21	121
Heatstian, Baylor, c	43	34	177
Push, SMU, c	42	28	170
Leading scorers (season)			
Slater Martin, Texas, f	190	34	224
Slater Martin, Texas, f	128	34	162
William, Ark., f	85	94	264
Tom. Rice, c	103	61	257
Push, SMU, c	99	45	242

Funk Will Try To Fell Russo At AC Tonight



ACE FREEMAN ... Makes New Start

Audience sentiment at the Big Spring Athletic tonight will probably be about evenly divided when Leon Kirilenko of Moscow, Russia, and Dory Funk of Hammond, Ind., come to grips in the spotlight attraction.

Both boys are villains — meansies with nothing suggestive of a good trait.

Kirilenko's ring manners have been very bad but his luck has been very good. He's compiled a long string of victories here and would have been batting a thousand had it not been for a disqualification he experienced some time back.

Little things like a temporary exile don't seem to bother the Russian, however. He was back the following week, stronger and perhaps meaner than ever.

Funk's successes haven't come as often here as Leon's but he's on his way. He punished Pierre LaBelle last time out in such a way that had the fans on his neck all night long.

In the 8:15 o'clock opener, Ace Freeman of the Bronx, New York, pits his ring craft and stamina against the talented Salvador Flores of Mexico City.

Freeman is back on the circuit after a flying trip to his home. He'll have his dukies full with the smooth Flores, who is as hard to hold as a greased pig.

Abilene, Bowie Play Thursday

Nine of last year's district champions are back in bi-district play in the Class AA high school basketball race.

Only three of the nine made it to the state championship tournament last year and another tough task looms in playoff series this week.

Five of the eight bi-district series to determine eight entries in the State tournament open tomorrow and two more are continued. Abilene (4-AA) wait until Bowdie to start their three-game series at El Paso.

Amarillo (1), Crozier Tech (8) and Thomas Jefferson, San Antonio (15) reached the state tournament last year. Denton (6), Graham (2), Abilene (3), Brownwood (9), Texarkana (11) and Harlingen (16) lost out in bi-district play.

Harlingen already is one down to Thomas Jefferson in bi-district play this year. They meet in the second game tomorrow in San Antonio.

Denton holds one victory over Bonham and can win a berth in the championship meet by winning again in Dallas tomorrow.

Sheppard Announces For Comptroller

AUSTIN, Feb. 23 (AP)—State comptroller George H. Sheppard Saturday announced for re-election.

The 72-year-old comptroller holds the longest official time-in-office record of any state official. He was appointed to the office in 1930 to succeed Sam Houston Terrill and has been re-elected ever since.

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Howard Braum Wins First Money In Cosden Tourney

Buccola Loses To Coloradoan

Howard Braum, Trinidad, Colorado, captured the \$150 first prize money in the 5th annual Cosden Bowling Sweepstakes by compiling a score of 1,537 in his eight games here Sunday afternoon.

Up until Braum made his entry onto the maples, Ted Buccola of Amarillo was the leader with a 1475. Buccola held on to second place to earn \$75.

Big Spring Keglers finished far behind the leaders but three of them wound up in the prize list. Leonard Morgan led the local contingent and crossed the finish line in ninth place with a 1451, good for \$25. Jack Smith, who was tournament director, was one point off Morgan's aggregation, good for \$20, while Dr. K. Swain collected \$18 for a score of 1434, good for 12th place.

The prize winners, with scores and prizes:
Ted Buccola, Amarillo, 1475, Colo., \$150.
Ted Cuccola, Amarillo, 1475, \$75.
George Tate, Lubbock, 1470, \$60.
LeRoy Behrens, Lubbock, 1469, \$55.
J. O'Keefe, Amarillo, and Terrell Matthews, Lubbock, tied for fifth with 1466, each winning \$45.
Sneed Christian, El Paso, 1453, \$35.
Sam Carter, Lubbock, 1452, \$30.
Leonard Morgan, Big Spring, 1451, \$25.
Jack Smith, Big Spring, 1450, \$22.
G. M. Scott, Odessa, 1440, \$20.
Dr. K. Swain, Big Spring, 1434, \$18.
Ed Christianson, Lubbock, 1425 and R. Hoekendorf, Midland, tied for 13th, with 1425, each winning \$16.50.
Jack Welch, Lubbock, 1424, \$15.
M. Standish, Alameda, 1419, \$14.
J. Buckner, Lubbock, 1418, \$13.
Fred Grimes, Amarillo, 1417, \$12.
H. Gerber, San Angelo, 1415, \$11.
Charles Lyles, Amarillo, 1414, \$10.

In all, 101 bowlers took part in the show which extended over two weeks. A total of \$778 in prize money was issued.

Nine persons won \$10 each for compiling high single game scores in each of the shifts. Bowlers who won other premiums were not eligible for those awards.

They were:
Luke LaBieu, Big Spring, 213
Conn Isaacs, Big Spring, 216;
Grady Norris, Sweetwater, 214; T. Brown, Odessa, 225; Jim Payne, Odessa, 216; W. Young, Fort Worth, 213; Virgil Reagar, Amarillo, 207; Marcus Woods, Big Spring, 219.

Ex-Convict Pays For Killing of Girl

SAN QUENTIN, Calif., Feb. 23 (AP)—Thomas N. McMonigle handed the warden a note denying he killed a baby soxer, then paid with his life for the crime.

White faced and glassy eyed, the 37 year old ex-convict said to be helped Friday to the penitentiary's gas chamber, to which the state of California condemned him for the sex killing of Thora Chamberlain.

and Clark Norman, Lubbock, 200. Ted Buccola had the highest single game score of the tournament. He compiled a 247 last week.

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ED HOUSER HIGH

Bovines' Record Showed 18 Wins In 26 Starts

Big Spring high school's basketball Steers stored their togs for another year after taking Odessa to a cleaning in the finals of the District 3AA consolation round. The victory gave them 18 wins as against eight defeats over the season.

Their favorite victim over the campaign was that same Odessa team, which they pummeled three times in as many tries.

In all, the Bovines scored a total of 921 points in their 26 games, compared to 765 for the opposition.

Johnny Malaise's Steers defeated every quintet which beat them, with the exception of Lubbock, Temple and Thomas Jefferson of San Antonio. The Lubbock club twice measured them.

The Steers scored their two most decisive victories over Pecos, 58-26, and Snyder, 42-10, and suffered their most humiliating defeat at the hands of San Angelo in the district tournament, which won, 48-32.

Captain Eddie Houser lacked eight points of getting 300 points during the campaign. Eddie collected 117 field goals, 58 points on free pitches, missed 48 gratis tosses and had 66 personal fouls called against him.

Three other members of the team collected over 100 points each.

Player PG FT PFM PF TP
Houser 117 58 48 86 292
Turner 69 42 34 65 180
Berry 47 28 42 65 120
Little 47 13 37 33 107
Lee 46 11 21 17 81
Miller 40 18 21 17 81
Madison 12 8 15 37 32
Rabb 7 7 8 13 16
Anderson 5 0 0 0 0
Hale 3 1 4 8 7
Carter 3 1 4 8 7
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Scout Drive Nears \$20,000

Boy Scout Ranch solicitation reports totalling \$1,638.05 advanced Big Spring's campaign figures just short of the \$20,000 mark today...

Funeral Is Held For H. D. Fowler
Funeral was held at 2 p. m. today at the Church of Christ for Hollis Durwood Fowler...

Army Has Special Plan For Veterans
Veterans who have had overseas service can enlist directly in one of eight U. S. Army units now stationed in the United States...

Pfc. Baker Assigned To Unit At Austin
Pfc. William E. Baker, son of Mrs. C. W. Howard, Ligon Oil Co. Rt. 2, Big Spring...

Political Calendar
The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for public office...

Student Is Found Dead In Dormitory
BOSTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—Ann Schoemaker, 21, of Lander, Wyo., a student at Katherine Gibbs secretarial school...

Seeks Re-Election As State Senator
BRYAN, Feb. 23. (AP)—Sen. Alton York Saturday announced for reelection from Texas 14th senatorial district...

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Banquet Seating May Be Expanded

Only three tickets for the annual chamber of commerce banquet, scheduled for Friday night in the Settles, remained unclaimed this morning...

Assault Retired From Track Due To Leg Injury
MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 23. (AP)—Assault, the Texas thoroughbred that parlayed a club foot and a champion's heart into a \$626,620 fortune...

Weather Forecast
DEPT. OF COMMERCE WEATHER BUREAU
BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Cloudy and warmer, cloudy tonight...

Taken Into Custody By Highway Patrol
Ira Rufus Campbell was taken into custody by members of the state highway patrol Sunday and placed in the county jail...

Father Of Former Resident Succumbs
Word was received here Monday of the death of W. H. Yates, Fort Worth, father of Mrs. Grover C. Dunham, former Big Spring resident...

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Big Steel May Be Raked Over Coals

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—Angry republicans may rake big steel over the coals this week for boosting prices.

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Death Claims New York Woman

Death claimed Mrs. Julia A. Bettaker, 67, member of a Clinton, N. Y. banking and farming family, at a hospital here Sunday at 8:40 p. m.

Thornton Grocery Changes Owners
Sale of the Thornton Food Store, 1005 11th Place, by Jess Thornton to H. G. Agee and Ocie Henson, was announced this morning.

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Director Of Museum In New York Explains Non-Objective Painting

BY CYNTHIA LOWRY
AP Newsfeatures Writer

NEW YORK — The Baroness Hilla Rebay von Ehrenweisen presided at a small table in her hotel suite overlooking a Fifth Avenue plaza, ladled cream of split pea soup from a silver tureen and talked about non-objective painting.

"It is like trying to explain music in words," she said, sprinkling croutons on each plateful. "It is cosmic, it is order, balance and it is rhythm. It cannot be explained in words. But looking at these paintings brings to the brain a sense of order and of rhythm. But mostly it brings these things to the soul."

The baroness is the director of the Museum of Non-Objective Painting in New York, established and flourishing under a liberal Guggenheim grant. Alsace-born, this woman of ancient noble family is now an American citizen and officially is Miss Hilla Rebay. The title, however, still seems the more logical form of address.

All over her apartment walls are non-objective paintings — those strange compositions of geometric designs, some in brilliant hues and others stark blacks and whites. Some looked like blue prints of strange machines. But none had any relationship to forms encountered in nature: no human bodies, trees, flowers, sunsets.

"That is it," the baroness exclaimed energetically, waving a soup spoon toward a score of the paintings. "That is why people do not understand. They look for things they have seen in other paintings, the familiar. They do not at first see this pure artistic, cosmic form and force."

People, she declared, must look at paintings of this type as they listen to music, "as something beautiful to reproduce a beautiful scene."

Short, square and with graying blonde hair braided over her rather large head in a typical German manner, the baroness talked fast and violently of the type of art to which she has devoted her whole adult life. The Museum is in the process of moving to a second temporary home where it will await the building of a new home—

museum designed by famed architect Frank Lloyd Wright for only non-objective paintings.

The building, for which the foundation is not yet prepared, will be Wright's first in New York. It is as revolutionary in concept as the type of art it will house.

"It will be all flowing—flowering out to the sky to catch the light," Baroness von Ehrenweisen said. "It will be all ramps, no stairs. There will be no sudden leaving a room with pictures and then, bump! walking down stairs and being in the street. Out of mood."

"The invention and development of the photograph made it unnecessary for the artist to recreate natural scenes," the baroness continued, very much in the manner of a platform lecturer. So the artist is free to paint—and he must be a genius—and create an even purer form of art than music.

"Why? Because the composer can write pure rhythm and beauty but that composed music must be interpreted by a musician and instrumentalist. But the painter sets down his composition himself once and it is forever his own—caught there on canvas."

Coffee was poured as the baroness got around to one of her favorite non-objective theories: the school of painting as a panacea for ills of the brain and the soul.

"People who have such paintings in their home tell us over and over again that they are quieting to the children. They say the children become more orderly," she said.

"You can put such a painting in the cell of a criminal and it will bring his disordered mind to an orderliness. It will reach into his soul and make him a good man."

Psychiatrists, she said, frequently send their patients to the museum so that deranged men and women can absorb some of "this peace contained in the order and quiet of pure rhythm, balance and cosmic calm."

"No one who lives with a non-objective painting can ever ignore it," she continued. "No matter how long it has been hanging, there is something new to be found. When I was young and lived with my family in a castle in Alsace, all around me were great paintings, by Rembrandt and other masters. Guests would take pamphlets and look up the names and then gaze at the paintings in our dining room with respect."

"But one time I took some brown paper and covered up the paintings when just the family was at home. For five days, eating meals in that room, no one noticed the brown paper. That could never happen with non-objective paintings."

Fingertips Will Have New Look This Spring

BY BETTY CLARKE
AP Newsfeatures Beauty Editor

The "new look" will go to your fingertips this Spring. Nails will be shorter. They will be more romantically lacquered in pastel pinks and will have a "new moon look."

There is a trend toward the oval-shaped nails, extending slightly

Two Are Hostesses At Social Sunday

Mrs. John Foster and Mrs. M. H. Carroll were hostesses at a social given for the Concordia Ladies Aid Society of the St. Paul's Lutheran church Sunday afternoon in the Foster home.

Games were entertainment. Prize winners were John Foster, Mrs. Albert Hohertz, Mrs. Henry Fehler, Mrs. R. Hooper and Mrs. W. F. Pachall.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Kurt Kowarske and children, Kurt, Jr. and Janene, Mrs. Henry Fehler and children, Tommy and Geneva, Mrs. R. Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Heckler, Mrs. John Marino and daughter, Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. John Foster, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Pachall, Mrs. Erna Bynum, Glenda Adams, Mrs. Bertha Reuckart, Mrs. Fred Lowke, the Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Hoyer, Mrs. R. A. Pachall, Mrs. Radinoff, Mrs. Albert Hohertz, Mrs. M. W. Rupp, China Carroll, John Foster and the hostesses.

longer than the end of your fingertips. Long pointed nails, in vogue since the American woman started painting her nails with color, have gradually disappeared from the scene.

Back in the Chow dynasty, dowagers used to let their nails grow to such a length that they required gold-tipped supporters. But the new feminine era of longer skirts and padded hips makes the American woman conscious of her lady-like charms.

Besides, the average American girl works for a living, in her home or elsewhere. Though she strives to keep herself well-groomed at all times, she can't afford to take the time or trouble to let her nails grow to the point of being cumbersome.

To get that pretty, well-cared-for look to your nails, leave the moons. Don't cover the whole nail, and leave a snowy white tip. If your nails are ridged or if the tips are inclined to be brittle, and you feel you must cover them with polish to hide these small flaws, make use of a nail buffer. Leave polish off your nails for a few days, and buff them, faithfully. Pretty soon the tip will look as smooth as the rest of your nail.

Blue is going to be a hit color for Spring in fabrics of every description and in fashion accessories. Candybox and ribbon pink nail-polishes, gay as strawberry sodas, will be popular complements indeed.

Few girls buy a lipstick after they already have selected their nail-polishes. Today most of these come in sets and are purchased together. You will find your lipstick and a matching team to flatter the perky pink ribbon bow on your bonnet or a camilla at your lapel.

Body Of Man Is Sent To Dallas

Body of Roy Otto Ashenfelter, 62, Dallas merchant, was returned Sunday evening to Dallas for final rites Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Ashenfelter died at a hospital here Sunday morning, little more than a day after he had turned back from Odessa. He had suffered a recurrence of a chronic condition while enroute to Tucson, Ariz. for a rest.

Surviving are his wife, and three daughters, Margaret Ashenfelter, Pittsburgh, Pa. and Lois and Irene Ashenfelter, 5946 Ross Ave., Dallas. He also leaves two brothers, Louis Ashenfelter, New York, and Henry Ashenfelter, Olympia, Wash.; and three sisters, Mrs. Maynell Hoodriver, Ore., Mrs. Christine Neergard, Seattle, Wash., and Ann Mable Ashenfelter, Dallas. Nalley Funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

Dwight Painter and Darnel Peacock enrolled in North Texas State Teachers College in Denton at midterm. Both are 1945 graduates of Forsan high school and have been working with oil companies.

Events OF THE COMING WEEK

Monday
KILL KARE KLUB meets with Mrs. Roy Lassiter, 810 Douglas at 7:30 p. m.

HIGH HEEL SLIPPER CLUB will meet with Nancy Hooper at 8:30 p. m. SUB-DUB meets with Ann Currie, 50 Hillside Drive, at 8:30 p. m.

Tuesday
OMICRON SIGMA PHI meets at the Beta at 8 p. m.

ORDER OF THE RAINBOW FOR GIRLS will meet at the Masonic hall at 7 p. m.

EASY ACES BRIDGE CLUB meets with Mrs. E. J. Hughes, 1007 Johnson at 2:30 p. m.

ARIZONA BAPTIST WOMEN meets at the church at 3 p. m.

HARMONY BRIDGE CLUB will meet with Mrs. L. L. Roberts, 1022 Wood. EXEMPLAR CHAPTER OF BETA SIGMA PI meets with Evelyn Merritt, 210 W. 15th at 8 p. m.

Wednesday
KIPPY CHRISTIAN CHORUS will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.

LADIES HOME LEAGUE MEETING of the Salvation Army will meet at the Dora Roberts Citadel at 2 p. m.

PARK METHODIST STUDY CLUB meets with Mrs. W. A. Laavel, 1011 E. 16th at 7:30 p. m.

NEW ANDA CHATTER CLUB meets with Mrs. H. V. Crocker, 1710 Benton at 2 p. m.

BIG SPRING GARDEN CLUB meets at the Episcopal Parish house at 2:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHORUS meets at the church at 8:30 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH CHORUS meets at the church at 8:30 p. m.

SUNBEAMS of East Fourth Baptist church will meet at 7 p. m.

Thursday
WESLEY METHODIST WSOB—Circle Two meets in the church parlor at 3 p. m.

WOW CLUB will meet with Mrs. Frank Timmons, 1202 Main at 3 p. m.

NEW SPRING BRIDGE CLUB meets with Mrs. W. W. Inkman, 610 Runnels at 3 p. m.

HAPPY NEIGHBORS will meet at the WOW hall at 2:30 p. m.

DOUBLE FOUR BRIDGE CLUB meets with Mrs. Deane Wall, 102 Dixie at 1:30 p. m.

LOTTIE MOON YWA meets at the church at 8:30 p. m.

EAGER BEAVER SEWING CLUB will meet with Mrs. R. I. Findley at 2:30 p. m.

MARY MARTHA CLASS of the First Baptist church will meet at the church at 7 p. m.

Friday
WOODMAN CIRCLE meets at WOW hall at 7:30 p. m.

MODERN WOMAN'S FORUM meets with Mrs. Charles Roberts, 710 Runnels at 3 p. m.

HAPPY STITCHERS SEWING CLUB meets with Mrs. Paul Loosdon, 707 Abram at 2 p. m.

Saturday
SUNBEAMS of First Baptist church meet at the church at 3 p. m.

Mrs. Carter Gives Review Of Book For Hyperions

Mrs. James W. Carter gave a review of American Literature at the meeting of the 1930 Hyperion club Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. B. G. Cowper.

Mrs. Cowper, president, conducted the business meeting at which the club voted to support the Southern Town Hall Association.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Carl Blomfield, Mrs. Ted Groebel, Mrs. Maurice Koger, Mrs. B. L. LeFever, Mrs. J. Y. Robb, Clara Secrest, Mrs. H. C. Stupp, Mrs. R. W. Thompson, Mrs. J. M. Woodall, Mrs. Carter and the hostesses.

Visits-Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Miller and family had as their week end guests their son, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Collins are visiting in Abilene the first part of the week where he is attending the meeting of the Board of Directors of Abilene Christian College.

Lynelle Sullivan, who is a student of Abilene Christian College spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Balch and daughter, Dorothy D. of Wichita Falls were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey Balch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Elrod, Jr. had as their guests over the weekend her mother and sisters, Mrs. Clyde Cummins and daughters, Denise and Cydelle. Mrs. Elrod is recuperating from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Locke and children, Barton and Phyllis of Dallas spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Mary Locke, and brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Swartz.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wise of New York City, N. Y. were weekend guests of Dr. and Mrs. Ed. Swift. Mrs. P. Marion Simms, Mrs. Sam Baker and Mrs. J. G. Potter were Saturday luncheon guests of Mrs. L. A. Roby in Midland. Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Simms also attended the DAR tea in the home of Mrs. George Glass Saturday afternoon.

Mary Gerald Robbins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Robbins, is reported convalescing in the Big Spring hospital following an automobile accident in Fort Worth recently, where she suffered broken collar bones.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vaughan, Sr. of Waco spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Vaughan, Jr.

Meteor Hits Plane?

LOSBOON, Portugal, Feb. 23 (AP)—Crewmen of a British European Airways plane which arrived here from London last night said their ship was hit by a ball of fire in the air.

Pastor Resigns

The Rev. E. Felton Nelson resigned as pastor of the Mount Bethel Church Feb. 22 effective in 90 days. He came to the church June 23, 1946. He has made no comment as to his future plans or calling.

Frozen whale meat is increasingly used as human food in many European countries.



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Hamilton Wins At N'Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 23 (AP)—Bob Hamilton headed for the next golf tournament at St. Petersburg, Fla., today with a new set of clubs worth \$2,000.

The swinger from Evansville, Ind., got a check for the two grand last night, after stroking the Metairie Country club course well enough with his new sticks to win the \$10,000 New Orleans Open.

Bob, who was PGA champion in 1944, hadn't won a major victory since the Charlotte Open in 1946. But his 280 with the fresh-from-factory clubs gave him first place here by one stroke.

Finishing in a tie right behind him was Fred Haas, Jr., who was playing his home course and had led the first three rounds: Roberto De Viento of Buenos Aires, Argentina, and Lawson Little of Cleveland, Ohio, former National Open champion.

Hamilton bought new clubs because of the recent argument over how deep the grooves can be on club faces under PGA rules.

Deep grooves are believed to give a player added control over his ball, by increasing backspin.

All Hamilton did without the help of the deep grooves in his old clubs was to shoot his best golf.

The tournament ended without any of the current hottest players up in front. But Lloyd Mangrum of Chicago, leading money winner of 1948, got \$600 for finishing fifth with 282 and kept ahead in the financial scramble with \$8,608.33.

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Checker Wizards Meet March 7

The West Texas Match Checker championship will be at stake Sunday, March 7, when A. C. Preston of Big Spring and D. G. Kums, Ropesville, meet in Lamesa.

Preston, a local postman, is the reigning sectional champion.

Preston will probably take part in the fourth annual state checker tournament, scheduled to be held at Hotel Brownwood in Brownwood Aug. 16, 17 and 18. The tournament will be sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce of that city.

Largest checker meet ever held in the South is being planned, according to the sponsors.

Newell W. Banks, Detroit, Mich., world's champion chess and checker blindfold player, will tour Texas starting March 15, it has been announced.

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-REVIVAL- Beginning Monday, February 23. Rev. Cecil Rhodes, pastor of West Side Baptist Church, will do the preaching. Morning Service 10:00 a. m. Song Service 7:30 p. m. Preaching Service 8:00 p. m.

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