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ARMLESS HERO WITH FIANCEE—Sgt. William G. Harrell of Mercedes, Tex., Marine who lost both arms on Iwo Jima and to whom President Truman presented the Congressional Medal of Honor, chats with his fiancée, Miss LaRene Anderson of Vallejo, Calif. They plan to marry at Vallejo Feb. 16. (AP Wirephoto).

Settlement Of Steel Strike Expected From New Policy

Peace Formula Provides Speedy Relief In Price

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (AP) — American industry will get speedier price help under the government's new stabilization formula, but it imposes stern wage controls in an effort to head off inflation.

The revised wage-price policy provides that in general pay hikes must be federally approved if they are to qualify as a basis for offsetting price increases.

The formula also stipulates that, in order to win approval, wage or salary boosts must be within the general pattern established in individual industries or local areas since the end of the war.

In many cases these increases have ranged from around 15 to 18 per cent.

To the worker, all this means that collective bargaining will go on pretty much as usual, but there will be a top limit on how much more pay he can hope to get.

As for industry, heretofore only a small part of such pay increases could be used as the basis for asking immediate price relief.

Companies had to wait six months before applying for higher prices to offset the lion's share of any major wage jump.

Now the six-month wait is out. For industries or companies which will not be in full production for some time, the immediate price increase must be large enough to assure a full year's profit equal to its average earnings during a pre-war base period.

In virtually all industries this base is 1936-39.

Wage controls of the double-barreled formula are considerably tighter than those previously in existence.

While a boss may grant a wage boost without getting the government's approval, the fact that he does bars him from any price relief in the future on the basis of that pay adjustment.

New OPA Chief Takes Over As GOP Move Fails

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (AP) — A big, genial guy from Kentucky took over OPA today and found himself greeted with encouraging tidings from Capitol Hill.

The new boss is towering six-foot four Paul Porter whom President Truman drafted temporarily from his job as chairman of the Federal Communications Commission to head the constantly sniped at and much attacked Office of Price Administration.

The good news awaiting him is that OPA has just won its first house victory of 1946—an achievement OPA's legislative backers interpreted as heralding an ultimate vote to continue OPA beyond the June 30 limit fixed by existing law.

The victory was an important test of strength, for it involved a strong republican drive to refuse OPA an additional \$1,854,000 this fiscal year, largely to finance an enforcement blitz on black markets.

The GOP drive failed and the house voted the funds late yesterday.

The new OPA chieftain long has made no secret of the fact that he believes the general price level should be held firmly in check, so the capital expected he would hew close to the policies laid down by his predecessor, Chester A. Bowles.

Strictly speaking, the 41-year-old Porter was only sure of his new job for about 20 weeks, but legislation to extend OPA's life beyond June 30 now is pending in the house banking committee and should be ready for the floor soon.

Aerocade To Land At Municipal Port

The 30-plane aerocade due here Sunday morning at 9:45 will land at the municipal airport on West Highway 80, Matt Harrington, president of the Big Spring NAA chapter, has announced.

"We are anxious to have a large group of Big Spring people on hand to greet the Fort Worth delegation," Harrington said. Those who can be present are asked to come to the airport administration building on the highway, and not the bombardier school.

The Fort Worth party will be on a tour of seven West Texas cities boosting the annual Southwest Exposition and Fat Stock Show and the Southwestern Aeronautical Exposition, to be held March 8-17.

Congress May Present China With US Ships

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (AP) — China's postwar navy may have as its beginning 271 small American ships, if congress gives its approval.

Six destroyer-escorts are the largest vessels on the list Chairman Vinson (D-Ga.) of the house naval committee made public today.

The Georgian gave reporters the information as he urged the rules committee to clear the "Chinese navy" bill for house action next week.

The naval committee already has approved the bill, which would allow the president to furnish the vessels to China either by sale, exchange, lease, gift or transfer, and to provide the necessary training and technical personnel.



EX-PRINCE AND BRIDE-TO-BE—Former Prince Carl Johan of Sweden greets his bride-to-be, Mrs. Kerstin Wikmark, 33-year-old Swedish newspaperwoman, upon her arrival in New York aboard the Boogabilla. He renounced his rights to the Swedish throne to marry Mrs. Wikmark, a divorcee. (AP Wirephoto).

Auto Industry Studies Policy

DETROIT, Feb. 15 (AP) — The auto industry today studied President Truman's new wage-price policy while the National Labor Relations Board resumed hearings on union charges of unfair labor practices against General Motors Corporation.

GM officials took the stand again as the NLRB probed relations between the CIO United Auto Workers and the auto company — whose 175,000 production workers have been on strike since Nov. 21.

Spokesmen for auto manufacturers maintained a "no comment" attitude as they digested the administration's revised wage-price policy, but UAW spokesmen wasted little time in condemning it.

"They could have figured that policy out in 30 minutes instead of 30 days," declared UAW President R. J. Thomas, who termed the revised wage stand not "any policy at all."

Spokesmen for the auto companies evinced keen interest in the new rules permitting them to seek price adjustments if their wage increases are federally improved.

GM, whose production lines were idle for the 87th day by the walkout of its workers, kept an especially close watch on the Washington development.

Rumors of an early settlement of the long, costly strike flooded the motor city in the wake of the Washington announcement Thursday night.

Special Federal Labor Mediator James F. Dewey continued his separate meetings with GM and UAW officials but there was no indication of an early resumption of full negotiations.

The UAW, which turned down GM's 18 1-2 cent (16.5 per cent) offer Tuesday, apparently had not budged from its demands for a 19 1-2 cent (17.5 per cent) boost—the figure set by a presidential fact finding board which reviewed the strike.

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Higher Wage-Price Line Said Factor

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Providing price increases for industry to cover government-approved wage hikes, the new reversion formula, a White House spokesman said, supplies the basis for ending the walkout of 750,000 CIO-United Steelworkers—largest single strike in American history. Other high officials said approval of a steel price boost of approximately \$5 a ton would be a factor in the settlement.

The president said the new policy was designed to cope with a reversion situation in which "vitaly needed production is lagging" and collective bargaining "has broken down" in many key industries.

It calls for these broad changes in the nation's approach to the wage-price question:

1. Wage increases must be approved by the national wage stabilization board. And this board must see that they do not exceed the pattern of pay boosts in an industry or area since V-J—about 16 to 18 per cent.

2. Higher price ceilings will be granted manufacturers immediately—instead of after six months—to insure profitable operation after an approved wage increase is granted.

3. OPA Administrator Bowles becomes director of the re-created Office of Economic Stabilization and is charged with laying down the specific rules for the new policy.

4. Paul A. Porter, chairman of the Federal Communications Commission, and a staunch hold-the-line man, steps into Bowles' OPA shoes.

5. The wartime OES is revived to replace the Office of Stabilization administrator previously headed by John C. Collet.

To cap this denouement of a month-long drama of conflict among subordinates, the president appealed for firm holding of the new and higher line to avoid "the misery and danger of inflation."

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Evacuation Of Soil Asked By Lebanon

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He told the 11-nation peace agency that the presence of British and French troops constitutes "a permanent menace of meddling in the internal affairs of a member of the U.N.O." and declared that their presence is "not dictated by military necessity, nor by agreement of the governments, nor by international accord."

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Lt. Gen. Smith Named To Fill Russian Post

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (AP) — President Truman turned today to his favorite school of diplomacy—the military—to fill one of this country's toughest foreign posts. He named Lt. Gen. Walter Bedell Smith as ambassador to Russia.

The tart-tongued 51-year-old soldier who rose through the ranks to become General Eisenhower's chief of staff in the tense war years, will succeed dapper, wealthy W. Averell Harriman.

Less than 12 hours after he reached Washington from a diplomatic mission to the Far East, Harriman gained presidential acceptance of a resignation he first submitted last April in order to return to private business.

In picking Smith for the important Soviet post, Mr. Truman appeared bent on a diplomatic policy of delivering United States views to foreign governments in the plain-spoken language of an army commander—and by a man trained to weigh American production and military might into on-the-spot decisions.

The trend toward appointment of diplomatic representatives from the forces has been attributed in some quarters to the influence of Adm. William D. Leahy, personal chief of staff to the president.

It will not be "Beetle" Smith's first diplomatic chore nor his first relationship with the Russians. Eisenhower assigned to him the task of signing the German surrender at Reims on behalf of the United States. He performed a similar assignment earlier at the Italian capitulation.

Smith is one of the few non-West Point men to rise to the rank of lieutenant general. He was working in an auto company when he enlisted as a private in the last war.

Both the state and the defense directed their questions at her through an interpreter.

Appointed to the jury for the case are L. B. Dempsey, Ollie Anderson, C. R. McClenney, L. W. Croft, W. J. Goodson, Rex Edwards, Boone Home, M. A. Cook, H. L. Derrick, A. F. Gilliland, C. H. McDaniel, Jr., and C. L. King.

Charles Warren Coffey, 20, tried yesterday on the charge of failure to stop and render aid to Adolphus Gregory in a hit-and-run death case that occurred here last Dec. 2, was given five years' suspended sentence in a trial by jury.

Court docket is expected to be cleared by week's end.

Last rites will be said at 2 p. m. Saturday for Mrs. Mary Smith, who died suddenly at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Alfred Miller, in Susanville, Calif. Services will be held at the Ackerly Methodist church with the Rev. Howard Holwell, Midland, officiating. Burial will be in the Ackerly cemetery with Eberley-Curry funeral home in charge.

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CUPID'S HELPER IN DIVORCE CASE

JOLIET, Ill., Feb. 15 (AP) — Circuit Judge James V. Bartley, looked at the list of 80 divorce suits filed from Jan. 1 to St. Valentine's Day.

Rallying to Cupid's defense, Judge Bartley ordered a 30-day cooling off period. That amount of time must elapse after filing, he said, before he will hear any divorce case.

Freddie Hamm Picked Up, Held For Forgery

Freddie Hoyt Hamm, picked up here Thursday by members of the sheriff's office on a charge of check forgery, is being held in the county jail pending word from military authorities at Fort Bliss.

Hamm, a 16-year-old, allegedly is absent without official leave from that Army installation.

Gonzales Fined \$100 For Illegal Sales

A fine of \$100 and costs was levied in a county court this morning against Leonardo Gonzales, who pleaded guilty to the charge of selling beer to a minor.

In addition, Gonzales' beer and wine license was suspended for ten days.

HARRIS ON TOUR

James E. Harris, district supervisor of typhus control for this area, with headquarters in Lubbock, is in Big Spring on a routine tour of the district.

ANSWERING BLUE BOOK CHARGE

Peron Claims Braden Had Vast Argentine Spy Ring

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 15 (AP) — Presidential Candidate Juan D. Peron accused Spruille Braden, assistant US secretary of state, last night of having headed a "vast spy network" while he served as US ambassador to Argentina and of blackmailing Argentine merchants into contributing funds to support his "subversive work."

At the same time, Peron and Foreign Minister Juan I. Cooke issued flat denials that Peron or the Argentine government had dealt with the Nazis, as charged in a Blue Book issued by the US State Department.

Peron, former vice president in the government of President Edelmir Farrell, also declared that Brig. Gen. John Lang, former military attache at the US embassy, was expelled from Argentina "for proved espionage against Argentina and other friendly countries."

(The US State Department said last night it had no immediate comment to make on Peron's statement. Lang could not be reached for a statement.)

In a statement in the newspaper La Epoca, which is supporting his presidential aspirations, Peron said that Lang "was not able to defend himself against the ac-

cusations, which were completely proved."

Peron also charged that his political opponents in the forthcoming election were planning an outbreak of violence, which would be blamed on him.

"In this event," he added, "our program would win within 48 hours by revolution."

Cooke, assertedly speaking for President Farrell as well as himself, said Argentina had been unable to obtain an official copy of the Blue Book, and declared the manner in which the United States charges had been made were in violation of diplomatic procedure.

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College Heights P-TA Has Founder's Day Meet

Judge Collings, Guest, Discusses "Managing Moods"

An evening program was presented at College Heights school Thursday in observance of Founder's Day, followed by a social hour.

The seventh grade was in charge of the program and presented a play, "Light for Tomorrow." Those participating were Margaret McDonald, Peggy Toops, Don Logan, Kitty Roberts, Beverly Jones, Marilyn Miller, Johnnie Berry, and Billie Swindell.

The entire group sang "My Tribute" and Kitty Roberts and Larry Evans played piano selections. Judge Cecil Collings, in speaking of "Managing Our Moods," advised the members of the unit that the most important thing in life is to manage moods and control minds.

At the short business meeting Mrs. R. F. Blumh, Mrs. W. P. Edwards and Mrs. Martelle McDonald were selected for the nominating committee. The seventh grade won the room count.

The refreshment table was covered with a lace cloth and the large birthday cake, decorated with yellow roses and green foliage, was flanked with arrangements of yellow, green and white candles.

Those attending were Judge Collings, Neal Cummings, Betty Collins, Mrs. W. D. Berry, Mrs. J. H. Jennings, Mrs. H. V. Crocker, Mrs. A. J. Cass, Mrs. C. B. Nunley, Mrs. R. F. Blumh, Mrs. J. L. Swindell, Mrs. Bob Satterwhite, Mrs. Shelby Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Martelle McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Clout, Mrs. H. G. Keaton, Mrs. G. T. Hall, Mrs. Ada Harrison, Mrs. George White, Mrs. M. S. Toops, V. A. Whittington, Vernon Logan, Lee Nuckels, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lovelace.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Miller, Mrs. J. A. Wright, Mrs. L. G. Talley, Mrs. Iva Hunneycutt, Mrs. B. T. Chance, Mrs. Earl C. Evans, Mrs. Tracy Roberts, Mrs. Henry F. Young, Mrs. M. J. Stratton, Mrs. Clyde McKeachan, Mrs. S. W. Wheeler, Mrs. R. L. Trapnell, Mrs. Joe Bledsoe.

Brownie Troop 19 Has Valentine Social

Sylvia Brigham was named "Cupid" at the Valentine party given for Brownie troop 19 in the First Baptist church Thursday afternoon.

The group played games, made Valentines, and had a Valentine box. Refreshments were served.

Those present were Nelda Kay Thomas, Alice Ann Martin, Mary Jo Cochran, Sylvia Brigham, Gay Jones, Marybeth Jenkins and a visitor, Patsy Beam. Mrs. L. D. Jenkins is leader of the troop.

X. Y. Z. Has Game Social

An arrangement of red and white snapdragons and stock formed the centerpiece for the table at the monthly meeting of the XYZ club Thursday evening in the Settles hotel.

The Valentine color scheme was carried out further with plate favors of corsages composed of red and white sweet peas. Valentines were placed along the table.

Mrs. W. D. Caldwell won high in 42, and Mrs. Clyde Thomas won high in bridge. Mrs. Jack Thompson and Mrs. T. J. Dunlap binged.

Guests present were Mrs. L. H. Steward Jr., Mrs. Paul Turner, Mrs. W. C. Carr, and Mrs. Polly Carnahan.

Members attending were Mrs. Charles Girdner, Mrs. Eugene Thomas, Mrs. A. McNary, Mrs. O. L. Nabors, Mrs. W. B. Younger, Mrs. Jack Thompson, Mrs. J. D. Jones, Mrs. W. N. Norred, Mrs. J. B. Apple, Mrs. A. H. Ryle, Mrs. W. D. Caldwell, Mrs. O. J. Coley, Mrs. Ray Griffin.

Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Mrs. Walker Bailey, Mrs. M. O. Spears, Mrs. Royce Bridwell, Mrs. Charles N. Stagg, Mrs. G. H. Vineyard, Mrs. L. D. Chrane, Mrs. Ted Phillips, Mrs. Lloyd White, Mrs. G. G. Morehead, Mrs. Clyde McMahon, Mrs. Jimmy Jennings, Mrs. T. J. Williamson, Mrs. Otto Peters, Jr., Mrs. C. O. Nalley, Mrs. George Thomas, Mrs. T. J. Dunlap.

Mrs. Fred Haller, Mrs. Douglas Orme, Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Mrs. Jimmy Stagg, Mrs. Woody Campbell, Mrs. Lee Harris, Mrs. Jack Johnson, Mrs. Ray Whitlock, Mrs. Roy Reeder, Mrs. Arthur Caywood, Mrs. Andy Arcand, Mrs. V. A. Whittington, Mrs. Ray Shaw, Mrs. Doyle Vaughn and Mrs. Dick Wiseman.

Mrs. Bill Thomas was complimented at a tea shower Wednesday evening in the home of Mary Griffin.

The pink and blue color scheme was followed and the lace covered table was centered with an arrangement of pink carnations and blue snapdragons.

Mrs. Ray Griffin presided at the guest register. Mrs. Cona Taylor served coffee and Mrs. Ray Griffin and Mary Griffin assisted in serving.

Those talking during the receiving hours were Janell Merrill, Helen Wolcott, Leeta Walker, Ima Deason, Mrs. H. E. Dunning, Barbara Waits, Mrs. Clyde Waits, Sr., Mr. Raymond Dunagan, Mrs. W. M. Gage, Betty Crenshaw, Evelyn Merrill, Blanch Richardson, Mrs. Ralph Fowler of Lubbock, Mrs. Carl Peterson of Lamesa, Mrs. B. C. Burke of Vernon.

Mrs. Alice Banta of Lamesa, Mrs. Herbie Smith, Mrs. Joe Fisher, Mrs. B. Eckhaus, Mrs. B. Fisher, Mrs. Charles Koberg, Mrs. W. E. Carnrike, Mrs. Skeeter Salisbury, Mrs. Lillian Bowen, Billie McLamar, Mrs. T. A. Harris, Mrs. Cuba Womack of Lubbock.

Marjorie Lawwell, Dorothy Hall, Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Jr., Mrs. E. Taylor, Mrs. Ruby Caldwell, Loren Lynch, Mrs. Lucian Underwood, Mrs. Mickey Beale, Mrs. A. F. Hall, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. R. J. Michael, Mrs. Della K. Agnell, Mrs. Walter Pike, Mrs. George Thomas.

Toni Lynn Easterling, Mrs. R. B. Reeder, Mrs. Annie Lea Sanders, Mrs. Cona Taylor, Mrs. Ray Griffin, Mrs. Weldon Carmichael, Mrs. Charles E. Davis, Mrs. W. L. Womack, Mrs. Sallie Thomas, Jo Vaughn, Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Sr.

First Christian Choir Has Social

Following choir practice Wednesday evening the members of the First Christian church choir were entertained in the church at an informal social hour.

The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth and was centered with a bowl of daisies. The Valentine theme was followed in refreshments. Mrs. L. M. Brooks and Mrs. Bill Bonner served.

Those present were Ima Deason, Fannie Sue Hall, Virginia Wood, Zaida Brown, director, Mr. and Mrs. Justin Holmes, Justin Allen, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Clay, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Champ Rainwater and Julie, Mrs. George Dabney, Mrs. Wacil McNair, Mrs. Mary Ezell, Mrs. L. M. Brooks, Mrs. Ollie Eubanks, Mrs. O. B. Sales, Mrs. Bonner, Mrs. E. L. Bohannon and Mrs. Brooks.

Bykota Class Has Monthly Meeting

The Bykota class of the First Baptist church met Thursday evening in the home of Leitha Amerson and Lorena Huggins.

The meeting included a short business session followed by an informal social hour.

Attending were Mrs. P. D. O'Brien, Louella Morgan, Grace Mann, John Lou Callison, Eva Lee Sledge, Edith Wright, Holly Morgan, Neil Brown, Theo Sullivan, Marjorie Pinkerton, Lillian Shick, Zaida Brown, Clara Pool and the hostesses.

Scotts Return From Trip

Mrs. Owen Scott and her son, John Owen, have returned from a trip to New Orleans, La., and Effingham, Ill. They were accompanied to New Orleans by her mother, Mrs. R. D. Ulrey. They attended Owen Scott's graduation on Jan. 26 from Officer's Training School for the army transportation corps. He received his commission as a second lieutenant. Lt. and Mrs. Scott then went to Effingham where they visited his mother. He is now stationed at a New York port of embarkation.

Herbert Newman Speaks To West Ward P-TA

Founder's Day Observed By Unit Thursday Afternoon

Herbert Newman, minister of the Church of Christ, was guest speaker at the regular meeting of West Ward Parent Teachers association Thursday afternoon when it observed Founder's Day.

In discussing "Managing Our Moods" Mr. Newman told the P-TA that "we are what heredity, environment and will power made us."

The speaker expressed the opinion that the greatest of the three is will power.

The meeting was opened by a devotional by R. C. Crain, and Mrs. H. H. Rutherford sketched briefly the origin and history of the P-TA.

Burke Plant sang "When Pa Was Courtin' Ma," accompanied by Mrs. Ann Gibson Houser, and Patsy Tidwell sang "Some Sunday Morning," accompanied by Mary Ann Attaway. Mrs. Cecil Penick's fifth grade Spanish class gave the play, "The Boy Who Ate Green Apples," in Spanish.

Mrs. C. E. Johnson presided at the business meeting at which time the unit voted to contribute \$25 to the high school P-TA for the lunchroom project. Plans were made for an April Fool carnival.

Those present were Mrs. Roy Tidwell, Mrs. Minnie Lee Hall, Mrs. E. O. Sanderson, Mrs. George Mitchell, Mrs. Rutherford, Mrs. Bascom Bridges, Mrs. Marshall Poth, Mrs. E. T. Reynolds, Mrs. M. E. Cheek, Mrs. C. P. Ward, Sr., Mrs. J. D. Light, Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. Durward Lester, R. C. Crain, Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Mrs. C. R. Moad, Mrs. W. L. Vaughan, Mrs. Burke Plant, Mrs. Penick, Housay, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. M. C. Thomas, Mrs. A. O. West, Mrs. C. R. Biffer, Mrs. Charles Parks, Mrs. D. W. Evans, Mrs. A. M. Rippes, Mrs. H. L. Wilkerson, Mrs. E. H. Hinkle, Mrs. J. O. Yeatts, and Mrs. R. O. Melear.

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Mrs. Alice Banta of Lamesa, Mrs. Herbie Smith, Mrs. Joe Fisher, Mrs. B. Eckhaus, Mrs. B. Fisher, Mrs. Charles Koberg, Mrs. W. E. Carnrike, Mrs. Skeeter Salisbury, Mrs. Lillian Bowen, Billie McLamar, Mrs. T. A. Harris, Mrs. Cuba Womack of Lubbock.

Marjorie Lawwell, Dorothy Hall, Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Jr., Mrs. E. Taylor, Mrs. Ruby Caldwell, Loren Lynch, Mrs. Lucian Underwood, Mrs. Mickey Beale, Mrs. A. F. Hall, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. R. J. Michael, Mrs. Della K. Agnell, Mrs. Walter Pike, Mrs. George Thomas.

Toni Lynn Easterling, Mrs. R. B. Reeder, Mrs. Annie Lea Sanders, Mrs. Cona Taylor, Mrs. Ray Griffin, Mrs. Weldon Carmichael, Mrs. Charles E. Davis, Mrs. W. L. Womack, Mrs. Sallie Thomas, Jo Vaughn, Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Sr.

Airport Baptist WMS Has Meeting

Airport Baptist WMS met in the home of Mrs. B. J. Phillips Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. J. Alexander and Mrs. K. S. Beckett spoke at the meeting. A refreshment plate was served.

Those present were Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Beckett, Mrs. E. Spears, Mrs. A. L. Leonard, Mrs. W. E. Fielder, Mrs. T. H. Gill, Mrs. L. B. Brooks and Mrs. B. J. Phillips.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Gill.

Sunday Services

Subject for the sermon at the morning worship of the First Presbyterian church will be "The Necessity of Creative Anxiety." Rev. J. E. Moore announced Friday. There will be no Sunday evening worship services at the church.

Intermediates Have Social

The intermediates of the First Methodist church will meet in the basement of the church Friday at 7:30 p. m. for an informal party. Leaders in the department are Mrs. G. T. Hall, Superintendent, and teachers, Mrs. Felton Smith, J. T. Baird and Betty Jo Glenn.

Club Holds Formal Rite

Formal initiation for new members of the High Heel Slipper club was held Wednesday night in the home of Muriel Floyd.

Twelve girls participated in the candlelight ceremony. The new members and club members wore informal attire.

The Valentine theme was predominant in the room decorations. Refreshments were served from a lace-covered table with a centerpiece of a large red heart placed between two red tapers.

Attending were Evelyn Green, Jean Murphree, Evelyn Arnold, Mildred Balch, Pat Cochran, Doris Morehead, Ann Blankenship, Muriel Floyd. The new members were Lindel Gross, Nancy Hooper, Dorothy Purser, Sue Nell Nall, Tommie Kinman, Mary Joyce Sumner, Ellen McLaughlin, Earlyn Wright, Joyce Worrell, Nancy Lovelace, Delores Hull and Mary Gerald Robbins.

Valentine Theme Followed At Social In Stiff Home

A short business meeting was held at the regular monthly social meeting of the members of the Homemakers club of the First Christian church Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. J. H. Stiff, with Mrs. J. T. Coldiron as co-hostess.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. J. E. McCoy. Mrs. Stiff presided during the business meeting at which time Mrs. Harry Lees and Mrs. F. C. Robertson were appointed as the visiting committee. The yearbooks were presented.

The dining table was centered with a red begonia around which were arranged red hearts. The refreshment plates carried out the Valentine color scheme.

Members present were Mrs. J. R. Michael, Mrs. Gene Crenshaw, Mrs. C. B. Kirk, Mrs. J. E. McCoy, Mrs. J. D. Benson, Mrs. F. C. Robertson, Mrs. E. L. K. Rice, Mrs. Ida Boone, Mrs. C. M. Shaw and the hostesses.

Retail Credit Group To Meet Here Mar. 3

March 3 has been set as the date of the district No. 2 convention of Texas Retail Credit association to word received Friday by Mrs. L. A. Eubanks.

In charge of the affair will be Carlos Carter, El Paso head of the credit managers division, and M. S. King, Fort Worth, head of the district.

Fort Worth will send a delegation of 30, which will leave that city on noon March 2 by bus. El Paso also is expected to charter a bus to send its representatives.

Evans Have Girl

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. (Bill) Evans are the parents of a daughter, Kathryn Ann, born Thursday at 9:30 a. m. She weighed six pounds, two ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Davis are the paternal grandparents, and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. MacTaggart of San Antonio are the maternal grandparents. Mrs. MacTaggart is with her daughter. The Evans have another child, a boy.

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THE GREAT VIRGIL

"Great Virgil" Show Scheduled For Tonight

Under the sponsorship of the Lions club, the Great Virgil, an outstanding magician, will be presented at 8 p. m. today in the municipal auditorium.

Virgil carries hundreds of equipment and scenic effects and among his featured mysteries are "The Strange Invention," a "powerful electrical ray that causes a human head to disappear;" "The Enchanted Garden" featuring a magic rose bush that grows, buds and blooms in less than a minute;" "Sawing a Woman in Half;" and "Execution on Mars," in which a steel bullet is fired from a powerful rifle to the body of a young woman.

In addition to his variety of illusions, Virgil has a "seance" in which one of his girl assistants is tied to a strong sack and locked and tied in a trunk, and then, while being watched from all sides, changes place with him in less than a second. Virgil has a standing offer of \$1,000 to any spirit medium, who can present a seance that he cannot duplicate by scientific means.

Grade school children were entertained at 2 p. m. in a special matinee showing at the auditorium. Virgil will be aided in the final performance this evening by Julie, an artist and physic wonder, and other members of his company.

Surplus Workers On Steady Increase

Surplus workers available in the Big Spring area increased by 64 during the past week, as the figure maintained a steady climb which has prevailed for several weeks.

Reports from the US Employment Service office show 537 surplus workers on Feb. 13, as compared to 473 the previous week. Current job openings listed numbered 67.

During the past week 111 persons were referred to jobs, and 40 were hired.

Current demands for labor in this area are as follows: four building supplies salesmen, 10 silver salesmen, three linemen, two metal auto body repairmen, two architectural draftsmen, two automobile mechanics, one installation hoseman, one truck driver, one stock clerk, 25 laborers, two stenographers, one sales clerk, two cooks, five nurses aides, two telephone operators, three chambermaids, one bottling machine operator, three waitresses, one PBX operator, and six maids.

Death Confirmed

Relatives have received word confirming the death of Lt. Dale Hutchings, ferry pilot, on flight from Long Beach, Calif. Lt. Hutchings is the husband of the former Peggy Hatcher, who resided here for many years. Mrs. Larson Lloyd, an aunt of Mrs. Hatcher, has gone to Monahans to be with the family.

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City Expenses Slightly Exceed Receipts In First Of Fiscal Year

The city of Big Spring closed the first nine months of its fiscal year with total assets of \$3,639,190.74 and liabilities of \$1,246,575.41, a report shows covering the period from April 1 to Dec. 31 submitted by C. R. McClenny, city secretary, to City Manager B. J. McDaniel and the city commission.

Disbursements in the general fund for the period exceeded receipts, however, by \$5,047.50, leaving \$234,566.59 in cash on hand.

Chief sources of revenue were net tax receipts, \$7,847.79 water revenue, \$134,371.80 fines and court costs, \$17,401.50; gas franchise, \$12,400.59; airport revenue, \$6,128.52; and sale of effluent

\$6,887.78. Total receipts amounted to \$222,167.98.

Major expenditures were salaries, \$69,713.70; street repair, \$10,987.96; electric power, \$19,310.51; and works department control, \$105,889.29. Expenditures tallied \$225,215.28. Disbursements in the works department included \$21,547.02 for the health department; street department, \$17,713.62; water department, \$29,554.98; and sewer department, \$10,762.17.

A total of \$67,012.08 was spent for expansion and improvement of the water works.

The interest and sinking fund received revenues totalling \$103,382.03, while expenditures were \$101,444.00, leaving a net of \$1,938.03, and a balance of \$90,344.98.

The park fund recorded a deficit of \$23.87, with receipts of \$11,362.23 and disbursements of \$11,386.10.

Revenue for the cemetery fund amounted to \$4,071.95 and expenditures \$3,375.00, for a net of \$500.94.

Francis To Conduct Singing School Here

Sunday will be the opening day for a three weeks singing school to be conducted by O. L. Francis of Ahlens in the Wesley Methodist church.

Francis is known throughout West Texas as a song writer and a singing teacher, and will instruct both beginners and advanced classes in singing. Private lessons in piano will be given.

Classes will begin Monday at 7 p. m. A general singing session will be held Sunday at 3 p. m. in the church at 12th and Owens streets.

Explosion Kills One

WICHITA FALLS, Feb. 15. (AP) Funeral arrangements are pending for Clyde Griffin, 42, who was killed yesterday when the Deep Oil Development Company's Chalk Hill gasoline and repressing plant near here exploded and burned to the ground.

Plant For Sale

FORT WORTH, Feb. 15. (AP) — The War Assets Corporation has offered for sale or lease the federally owned aircraft plant near here which was operated by the Globe Aircraft Corporation during the war. The plant cost \$840,000.

RAF Head Decorated

LONDON, Feb. 15. (AP) — Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur T. Harris, wartime commander of the RAF bomber command, boarded the Queen Elizabeth today en route to receive the Distinguished Service medal from Gen. Eisenhower.

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Nation Today— Congress Unemployment Bill Holds Government Responsible For Jobs

Editor's Note: This is the first of two stories explaining the unemployment bill—once it was passed by congress.

JAMES MARLOW
WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (AP)—Congress has passed a bill—no longer called the "full employment bill"—which says the government is responsible for creating "maximum" employment.

Although it is a very much amended version of the "full employment bill" first offered in congress a year ago, President Truman is expected to sign it into law.

It is called now simply the "employment" bill. Even so—despite the evident hostility of congress in committing the government too far—the bill is a landmark in the history of this country, but only to this extent: It commits the government to creating jobs for those who need and want them. The bill itself, of course, doesn't provide any jobs. Nor does it say the government has to provide jobs.

Yet that could be done by the government because the language of the bill, which is broad, doesn't say the government can't do it. This is what the bill does, and does it.

The president appoints three economists of proven ability. They'll be his economic council.

Mrs. Morton Reports Home Burglarized

Mrs. W. B. Morton, 500 State street, reported that her house had been burglarized early Thursday afternoon, police said today.

Listed as missing were a wrist watch, bracelet, ring and possibly other valuables.

Each of the three receives \$15,000 a year. They'll watch the way the country is going, or is apt to go. They'll analyze and interpret economic trends. They'll produce programs to promote "employment, production and purchasing power."

They'll turn all this over to the president and help him draw up a report to congress every year. This presidential report goes to a special joint committee of senators and representatives.

By May 1 of each year, beginning in 1947, this committee must recommend to both houses what it thinks should be done about the president's proposals for the country's economic good.

Then it's up to both houses to decide what shall be done. There were many protests when the "full employment bill" reached Capitol Hill a year ago. The senate first passed its own version. Then the house finally passed a weaker sister version. The bills differed.

So a joint committee of senators and representatives was appointed to go over the two bills, try to reconcile them, and come up with one bill which both houses could pass. This was done.

Now the bill is waiting for the signature of the president, or his veto.

Stock Sale Plans To Be Made Saturday

Final plans for holding the annual county 4-H club stock sale, which climaxes the show to be held Feb. 22-23, will be arranged at a meeting of the special sales committee of the Howard County Fair Association Saturday morning.

Committee members have been asked to assemble in the chamber of commerce office at 10:30 a. m.

Sport Roundup

Leahy Hasn't Many Worries At Notre Dame

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15 (AP)—The optimism that Frank Leahy was displaying over Notre Dame's football prospects last week-end must have dropped a few points when he heard that Frank Yokas, the flashy guard from Rock Island, Ill., high school and St. Mary's Prep-Flight, had signed with the pros. . . . Yokas is the kid who, when asked by Leahy if he thought he'd make good in college football, solemnly replied: "Coach, I'll eat them college kids alive." . . . Leahy still won't have much cause for moaning. If all goes well he can start Johnny Lujack, Phil Colella and Bob Kelly in his backfield and then take his choice of Jim Mello, Gerry Cowhig, Corrie Clatt, John Pinelli and Floyd Simmons at fullback.

Even Swap
When sports scribe Wirt Gammon of the Chattanooga Times was trying to complete his collection of Confederate currency, he wrote to Maurice Bloch, the Selma, Ala., baseball man, for help. . . . Bloch replied: "I presume you want to get up enough for Joe Engel to use in paying off the Cuban ball-players in the hope they wouldn't know the difference." . . . That seems fair enough, considering some of the guys who have been masquerading as ball players the past few years.

Bill Cummins, former AAU hurdling champion who spent six months in a naval hospital, recovering from wounds suffered at Okinawa, is reported planning a comeback effort in the national meet next June. He plans to re-enter Rice in March but will have his last year of track eligibility until 1947. . . . Wonder if there's anything to the story that Christy Walsh's sudden resignation from the All America football league was part of the deal that induced Dan Topping to jump from the National?

Industrial Atoms

LONDON, Feb. 15 (AP)—Harnessing of atomic energy for industrial purposes in about 10 years is predicted by Prof. H. L. E. Oliphant, Birmingham university scientist, who participated in experiments leading to development of the atom bomb.

Building Permits

Saunders Co., to build concrete building at 100 Lancaster, \$10,000. Southwestern Investment company, to build tile and brick office building at 410 East Third, \$4,000. W. A. Bonner, to build frame and stucco store building at 609 Gregg, \$5,000.

Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS: Fair this afternoon and tonight; warmer tonight; Saturday fair, warmer except in Panhandle and south plains. EAST TEXAS: Fair and warmer this afternoon and tonight, Saturday partly cloudy and warmer. Gentle variable winds on the coast becoming east to southeast by Saturday. TEXAS WEST OF GULF PLAINS: Temperatures will average near normal; slow rising trend first half period; colder north portion near end; precipitation light, occurring Monday or Tuesday. BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Fair and warmer this afternoon, tonight and Saturday. High today 65, low tonight 32. High tomorrow 70.

City	Max.	Min.
Abilene	60	29
Amarillo	51	23
BIG SPRING	45	26
Chicago	24	3
Denver	48	25
El Paso	55	25
Fort Worth	58	36
Galveston	59	41
St. Louis	37	10

Sunset today 6:23 p. m.; Sunrise tomorrow 7:28 a. m.

ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY
HOUSTON, Feb. 15 (AP)—Clifford E. Butler announced last night that he would be a candidate for state comptroller. He said he would file today with William E. Kittrell, secretary of the state democratic executive committee.

RETURNS FROM A&M
T. R. Rose of the city department, returned Wednesday night from College Station, where he has been attending the Texas Waterworks short course for the past 10 days.

BUTTER BE MINE, MY VALENTINE

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 15. (AP)—Carol June Plumb squealed with delight when she opened a five-pound valentine from a friend on an Idaho farm. The inscription "You Butter Be My Valentine," accompanied a heart made of butter.

Boys Town Planning To Double Program

BOYS TOWN, Neb. (UP)—A \$3,063,000 building program that will more than double the size of this home for delinquent boys is being planned by Father E. J. Flanagan, founder of Boys Town. The new program will more than double present facilities for housing and teaching the citizens of Boys Town, Father Flanagan said. Included in the plan are an administrative-welfare building, a reception center, a new high school, dining hall, grade school and 25 cottages, each of which will house 20 boys.

The new buildings will be constructed on a 97-acre site east of the present 50-acre installation. Construction is expected to begin soon.

Know Your Money

A combination picture-lecture session on "Know Your Money," sponsored by the banks, chamber of commerce and local merchants, is slated for 7:30 p. m. today on the Settles mezzanine. J. W. Burdette of the US Secret Service, will be on hand to conduct the affair, to which the public is invited.

Trio Entertains At AB Luncheon

A trio composed of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Rogers and Jeff Hendrix, accompanied by Dreda Miller at the piano, provided vocal entertainment for AB club members attending the regular Friday luncheon at the Settles hotel.

The threesome have been committed to offer a singing program at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Wesley Methodist church.

It was announced that the Wesley church would sponsor a three weeks' singing school beginning at 7 p. m. Monday. Director will be O. L. Francis, Abilene.

Announcements ran in a musical theme. Felton Underwood, a member, told the gathering the Midland Music club would be featured on a Tuesday night program at the First Methodist church here.

New members greeted were Mack McKinney, Vernon Smith and Dr. T. J. Williamson.

Visitors included Ross Conner, Schuler Powis, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix and Miss Miller.

Midwest Cold Wave Moving In On East

By the Associated Press
A cold air mass which brought bitter cold to Minnesota and Wisconsin was moving out slowly Friday carrying its chill load eastward.

Prodding the cold mass was a collection of warm air just east of the Rocky Mountains. This warm mass brought early morning temperatures of above 40 in Montana.

At Duluth, Minn., it was 20 below, Minneapolis had 10 below and Green Bay, Wis., registered 3 below.

Weather forecasters said fringes of the cold air would reach as far southward as the Carolinas and northern Georgia. Much lower temperatures were forecast for the upper tier of southern states.

Clear weather followed Thursday's storm which lashed the eastern section of the nation with gale-like winds, and caused several deaths and much property damage.

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Construction Men Form Association

Construction employers of the community, some 30 of them, met in called session at the Settles hotel last night to form what henceforth will be identified as the Howard County Contractors' association, a unit purported to lend full support to President Truman's home building program.

Another meeting of the association will be held at 7:30 p. m. next Tuesday in Room 1, Settles hotel, at which time the wage scale setup will be discussed in length.

F. H. Talbot was named president of the group and as such will preside over future sessions. Other officers named are Arlie Suggs, vice-president; A. McNary, secretary-treasurer and a board of directors consisting of Bud Tucker, Bill Bonner and J. P. Jones.

E. B. Ribble, who represented Big Spring at a meeting of West Texas contractors Wednesday evening in Abilene, spoke briefly on what transpired at that conclave.

The association is open to all crafts.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Feb. 15. (AP)—(USDA)—Cattle 600; calves 200; common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 11.00-14.00; most beef cows comprised low grade offerings selling from 9.00-10.00; good and choice killing calves 13.00-15.00; common and medium grade 10.00-12.75; culis 8.50-9.50.

Hogs 800; steady; top 14.65 on good and choice weights above 160 lbs. Few lighter butchers 13.00-14.50; good sows 13.90; pigs 13.90 down.

Sheep 15.00; active and strong; medium and good slaughter lambs 12.50-13.75; latter price the day's top, few common kind 11.00-50; other killing classes scarce.

Simms

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churches in Big Spring and Coahoma, the First Christian and Wesley Methodist churches.

Dr. Simms had many varied duties, including that of financial agent to raise money and complete the Congregational Hospital at Des Moines, Iowa; field secretary of the American Tract Society; field agent for Near East Relief; and with the YMCA during World War I at Camp Doniphan, Okla.

For 16 seasons he was a Chautauqua lecturer, being asked in many instances to repeat his address, "The Call Path." He was author of several books, including "What Must the Church Do to Be Saved?" (1903), "The Bible from the Beginning" (1929), "The Bible in America" (1936). Dr. Simms owned one of the largest collections of versions of the Bible and its parts in English, a collection containing over 300 versions and now on loan to the Virginia Library of McCormick Theological Seminary, Chicago. At his funeral, Scriptures will be read by Rev. James E. Moore, First Presbyterian pastor, from some of the most famous versions.

Dr. Simms was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha, the Masonic lodge and Eugene Field Literary Association, and had been listed in "Who's Who in America" continuously since 1907.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, B. G. Simms, Sacramento, Calif., and Rev. P. Marion Simms, Jr., Big Spring. Mrs. G. S. True, Big Spring, is a sister-in-law.

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DOCTOR CATCHES PATIENT'S MEASLES

GERRING, Neb., Feb. 15. (AP)—Dr. W. E. Holms, director of the Scotts Bluff county health unit, is the victim of his own investigations.

Checking a reported case of German measles, he contacted the disease and is now confined to his home.

British Fired Upon

HAIFA, Palettine, Feb. 15. (AP)—R. O. Cafarata, British superintendent of Haifa police, and a British constable escaped injury today when their automobile was fired upon from a truck which appeared suddenly from a side street. The constable returned the fire, but the attackers escaped.

TOMORROW NIGHT BERLIOZ—FRANCK RADIO CONCERT

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Editorial—

Challenge Up To People

The city commission, in re-stating its paving policy, has confronted the property owners of Big Spring with a challenge. Under the cash-in-advance first approved, even under a modified version of it, we felt that there were binding limitations. There was the possibility of blocking any extensive program either on the part of those who were unable or unwilling to meet requirements. Now the procedure has been broadened to include the application of general paving laws whereby paving can be ordered after proper hearings. No one ever questioned the wisdom of applying the soundest means possible to arrangements for paving, and thus it will be well and good for as many as are able to follow the cash payment plan to adopt it. There doubtless will be others who will volunteer leins against their property to insure paving, and this will be paper which the city can hold or turn into cash through regular financing institutions. It has seemed to us that both of these groups would not present the complete picture necessary for a broad paving program. The avenue is now opened to furnish this unanimity. Now that the city commission has adopted this policy, the issue is placed squarely up to the people. The city has opened the door for an extensive amount by announcing that bids would be asked so that if private contractors can under bid the city or if the city is confronted with more paving demands than it can handle, the demand can be met. All of us have done a lot of talking about paving. The time for action is here. How

much paving do we want? Well, that is a question which must be answered with proof rather than wishful thinking.

Why The Parade Of Smut?

Recently the Christian Science Monitor received a note from a reader who wanted to know why it was necessary for authors to constantly have characters smoking or sipping at a cocktail. The Monitor observed that one of the chief harms lay in the fact that many of our books have circulation in other countries and that those not familiar with the American scene would get the idea that all Americans were puffing and sipping all the time. We don't propose to argue whether this sort of thing is representative of the American scene, but it does bring up another point. Why do such a high percentage of the so-called best sellers have to resort to parade of infidelity, offenses against common decency, and such other assorted smut? We contend that this sort of thing is the exception rather than the rule, although admittedly it does happen. Not all interesting people are expert adventurers on the double standard. Not all interesting subjects are saturated with vice. It seems to us that too many modern writers are fitting into a pattern. They lack the imagination and creative genius to do something different. Somebody could write a truly great and enduring book on people who more nearly portray the average strata of life. Such a book or books might not immediately be among the best-sellers, but in time when the reading public had time to sweep aside cheap cobwebs, they would be as much in demand as the parade of bawdy house trivia dished up today in the guise of literature.



With The AEF: Britons In India—Those Who Earn, Those Who Learn

By HAL BOYLE BOMBAY, Feb. 15 (AP)—Two types of Britons serve under the imperial banner in India — those who come only to earn enough to retire again to England and those who learn to love this vast troubled land and make it their adopted home. I've met both since I settled down in a small hotel along the Bombay waterfront near a building which once served as American army headquarters here. Each of the two men had spent some 20 years in India. One was a small, active, middle-aged Londoner who just returned from England after six months leave, and he was still homesick for the fogs of his mother country. His ambition was to save up \$20,000 so he and his wife could return to England and open a small business of their own. The other side of the Englishman in India was represented by my roommate — Bombay is so crowded it almost is impossible to rent a single hotel room — Walter R. Rudd, 52-year-old electrical and mechanical engineer. Rudd is a cheerful man, ruddy and plump, who has fought for

Washington Merry-Go-Round— Secretary Ickes Has Last Battle

By DREW PEARSON WASHINGTON—Two back stage developments contributed to the resignation of Harold Ickes, the turbulent, two-listed "curmudgeon" who has held office longer than any other member of the Roosevelt-Truman cabinets and who has been secretary of the interior longer than any other man in history. One factor was President Truman's statement in a press conference that Ickes had not consulted him regarding the testimony he planned to give the senate regarding Ed Pauley. Real fact was that Ickes showed Truman the telegram he had received from Senator Walsh, chairman of the naval affairs committee, and told the president that he would have to tell the truth. Truman replied: "Yes, tell the truth, but be as gentle as you can with Pauley."

the government these days, his choice was considered excellent. However, when Ickes placed Myer's name before Truman, it was referred to patronage czar Bob Hannegan. This further netted the secretary of the interior, who believes his department should be above partisan politics. This incident, on top of the Pauley appointment, increased his determination to part company with the Truman administration. Rooseveltians Rebel Behind all this, however, is a growing dissatisfaction among many Roosevelt men inside the government. Many have expressed themselves privately as fed up with recent Truman appointments and with administration shilly-shallying regarding the wage-price-strike picture. The appointment of three White House politicians — Ed Pauley, George Allen, and Commodore Vardaman—to very high government positions has caused more inside criticism among men of the Ickes-Wallace school than anything Truman so far has done. For many months, Ickes has been urged by outside friends to leave the government. He has had offers from radio networks and from newspaper syndicates. One of his more recent and most important offers came from liberal groups (including the CIO's Political Ac-

tion Committee to head up a liberal organization as a sort of Judge Landis for liberal politics. It is now probable that this will be accepted.

Chicago Convention For many months a row has simmered behind the scenes between Ickes and his cabinet colleague Bob Hannegan, which, although quiescent of late, was hot and stormy at one time. It has now flared up again. Hannegan's friends now claim that Ickes' feud against Pauley dates back to the Chicago convention which, after a hot fight, finally nominated Truman for vice president. During the early days of the convention, Ickes had come to Chicago pledged in a battle for Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas. Hannegan, in turn, had come pledged to nominate his fellow Missourian, Harry Truman. Hannegan also had in his pocket a letter from the president of the United States mentioning both Truman and Douglas as men who would give strength to the ticket. Roosevelt did not give Truman any special preference in that letter. But before the convention opened, Ed Pauley convinced Hannegan not to make the letter public. Instead, Pauley asked Hannegan to make an oral statement that he had a letter from Roosevelt giving his endorsement to Truman. Hannegan followed this advice. He made an oral statement that Roosevelt had endorsed Truman and he did not make public the Roosevelt letter endorsing both Truman and Douglas until the Truman boom had up such momentum that it could not easily be stopped.

That little strategy may have tipped the scales of American history. If it had not been for Ed Pauley's advice, another man might be in the White House today. Also, it definitely tipped the scales of friendship between Ickes and Hannegan. Hannegan's and Pauley's friends will never like Ickes and it's more than mutual with him. (Copyright, 1946, by the Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Today And Tomorrow-- Stalin's Plan For Russia

By WALTER LIPPMANN There is no mystery now about the central purpose of the Soviet Union. The main issue, which appeared to be and probably was for a time genuinely in doubt, has been decided. The issue was whether, being invulnerable after the defeat of Germany and Japan, the Soviet Union would give priority to improving the standard of life of its own people or to the development of military power. Stalin's speech announces the decision to devote the next fifteen to twenty years to developing the military power of the Soviet Union. While there is to be an "expanding" production of goods for mass consumption, he makes it quite clear that this purpose is secondary and subordinate to the development of a military potential "against any eventuality."

ment for the Soviet system is not that it has raised the standard of life of the people but that it has created the industrial basis of military power much faster than this has ever been done or can ever be done, by private capitalism. Stalin does not pretend that the Russians live better, or nearly so well, as do the people of western Europe and North America. Nor does he argue that the Soviet industrial system is as productive, even for military purposes, as the American. His argument is that only by the Communist method could there have been in so short a time so much military industrial power in so backward a country. He would admit that the American industrial system is stronger than the Russian but he would point out that it took us fifty to seventy-five years to develop it. He has told the Russians, and his remarks will be pondered in all the industrially backward but densely populated countries of Asia, that Communism, Russian style is the one and only quick way for a backward people to become a great military power.

Washington— THE STRIKE IS ON THE STRIKER

By JACK STINNETT WASHINGTON — Strikes cost the companies money. In most instances they cost the public, the consumers, considerable deprivation, if not money. But the man who really pays for the strikes while they're in progress is the striker. There is a rather general misconception that the unions pay the strikers while they are making their no-work demonstration. Except in the cases of a few comparatively small old-line unions that have built up tremendous strike funds, out of which they can pay the strikers a meager \$10 to \$15 a week, this isn't so. All unions have strike funds. In some instances these run into millions of dollars. But unless the local union welfare committee determines that the striker is desperately in need of help, neither he nor his family gets any financial aid. What happens then to a striker? He draws on his savings. He gets credit. If the strike drags out, he goes on the soup line, provided either by his union or by the local chapters of welfare organizations. In the General Motors strike in Detroit and other cities observers tell me that there have been very few cases of eviction. The landlord waits for his rent. The grocer extends credit, not only caring the striker's books but often contributing to strike kitchens and emergency relief. It is only in rare cases that a striker takes a temporary job during a strike. Within a union this is frowned upon. He doesn't loaf. He works on the picket lines or otherwise does strike chores but he doesn't get paid for it. Life, health, hospital and other insurance benefits must be met by the striking workers. In a few instances, the companies maintain the worker's share of these payments, taking it out of the pay of the striker after he returns to the job. It's apparent that any worker who has been on strike for any length of time is going to have to work months and maybe longer than that to make up for his accrued debts. This is something union officials don't care to talk about. When they discuss it at all, they admit off the record that some injustices result, but that in the long run it's a question of the

Broadway— DER BINGIE WAS DER LOSER

By JACK O'BRIAN NEW YORK — No one can say Bing Crosby didn't have one whale of a good time while he was here on his recent lengthy visit. He managed to squeeze in quite a lot of work, such as recordings and management conferences, but during the idle hours — well, Bing got the old red paint out and lathered it on the happy Rembrandt at the annual geniuses' convention. The Greater loves this big town, even though his heart, soul, career, wife and children are headquartered mostly in Hollywood. While he was here he touched every base. Night after night he traveled the town, sitting with Damon Runyon in the Stork Club, watching the rhumba addicts in El Morocco, jawing baseball talk with Mel Ott, Horace Stoneham and that bulky encyclopedia of sports, Toots Shor. One morning there were some dozen or fifteen of us who abandoned Toots Shor's restaurant at 4 a. m., the legal hour at which Big Toots is permitted to have all the stay-out-lates into cabs and droshkies and head for Reuben's, Lindy's or that new center of Cafeteria Society, the Marian Cafeteria on Sixth Avenue—beg pardon—Avenue of the Americas. This morning in mention the gang included Johnny Burke and Jimmie Van Heusen, who won last year's movie Oscar for their music in "Going My Way"; assorted innocents like myself, Jack Adler, the Broadway attorney; and a sprinkling of people who were just plain on their way to work, instead of just playing. Now I would not like to suggest that anyone was anything but just happy, and I will admit that 5 a. m. hardly is the time for a singing contest, especially between Toots Shor and Bing Crosby, for most people naturally would take the stuffy attitude right off that it would be no contest. However, the rules of this tuneless tilt, laid down by Toots himself, was for general noise, not for any delicacy or quality of tone. Toots, a towering testimonial to fatty foods, climbed atop a table and started singing "Bess, Where

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HOUSTON, Feb. 15 (AP)—J. M. Fry of La Porte was released from county jail yesterday after a habeas corpus hearing before Criminal District Judge Langston King in which a judgment and fine returned against Fry Sunday were declared void under common law. Judge King ruled that Fry had been illegally held since, according to common law, any criminal judgment except in some jury verdicts of another criminal trial is void if rendered on Sunday. Fry, who had been serving out a fine of \$200 in county jail, applied for the writ.

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Courtney Cops A Pair

Stanton Bisons Win At Coahoma

COURTNEY, Feb. 15.—Courtney won two games in District 9-B's basketball tournament here Thursday night, retaining to down Forsan, 25-19, after trouncing Knott in opening round play, 16-13.

Other results saw a highly favored Stanton club have a hard time to throwing back Sterling City, 19-13, and Garden City gain backing by dropping Coahoma, 22-7.

Knott was due to get another chance against the Courtney club at 9 o'clock this afternoon. Five games are on today's card, with one semi-final game due to be unraveled at 8 o'clock tonight.

Garden City was to provide the acid test at 1 o'clock this afternoon. The two teams were due to be followed out to the court by Knott and Courtney, who in turn were to give way to Coahoma and Sterling.

By agreement of the coaches, two defeats are needed to eliminate a team from tournament play. Stanton's respected Bisons experienced a lot of trouble from Sterling but went to the fore when Avery's game waxed warm.

Knott took its lumps but Roman came through with the game's high-scoring laurels in the "Flow-boys" test with Courtney. He had three field goals. Cross and Welsh both dropped in four points for the winners.

Courtney and Forsan staged the

Coahoma Girls Defeat Knott, 26 To 21

Coahoma's crack girls basketball team triumphed over a stubborn Knott contingent, 26-21, in the local gymnasium Thursday afternoon to win the Howard county championship.

The Coahomans grabbed off an early lead and, despite some nifty shooting by Knott's Jane Kemper, managed to maintain that advantage all the way. They were in front, 20-12, at half time.

Miss Kemper collected 16 points for high scoring laurels. Gaye Barr of the Coahoma club was just behind with 14.

Knott 21: G. Barr 5, 4, 11, 14; Kidd 1, 1, 0, 3; Turner 3, 0, 0, 6; Wolf 1, 1, 0, 3; Davis 0, 0, 0, 0; Buchanan 0, 0, 0, 0; F. Barr 0, 0, 0, 0; Woodson 0, 0, 1, 0; Lindsey 0, 0, 0, 0.

Totals 10 6 12 26; Knott 21: Kemper 6, 4, 3, 16; Chapman 0, 1, 0, 1; Long 2, 0, 1, 4; Ditto 0, 0, 0, 0; Allred 0, 0, 0, 0; Bearden 0, 0, 0, 0; Conway 0, 0, 1, 0.

Totals 8 5 5 21; Half time score — Coahoma 20, Knott 12.

Orange Man Gets Coaching Post At Midland High

MIDLAND, Feb. 15. (P)—Bagnas Milan, former head coach and athletic director of Orange high school, was named football coach of the Midland high school Bulldogs Thursday.

Milan succeeds Gene McCollum, who resigned to go to Hardin-Simmons University as its basketball and assistant football mentor. He will report here Monday.

Hank Greenberg Accepts Terms

NEW YORK, Feb. 15. (P)—Big Hank Greenberg has signed a Detroit contract calling for a salary of around \$60,000 for 1946, but there are still at least 25 recognized major league baseball hold-outs today.

The latest to announce dissatisfaction is Bill Nicholson, slugging outfielder of the Chicago Cubs, who disclosed yesterday that his new contract calling for a slash in his paycheck wasn't "quite acceptable."

Nicholson joins Rudy York, Boston Red Sox first baseman and 1943 American league home run champ; Vern Stephens, St. Louis Browns' shortstop and 1945 homer king; Dixie Walker, Brooklyn outfielder and 1944 National league batting champ; George Stirnweiss, New York Yankee second baseman and American league batting leader last year; Hal Newhouser, Detroit's star left-hander, and Marty Marion, Sterling St. Louis Cardinal shortstop, as the most prominent of the hold-outs. Newhouser was voted most valuable in the American league the past two years while Marion won the award in the National league in 1944.

They're still playing football in Los Angeles. Last Sunday a service all-star club edged out an eleven captained by Lenney Washington, negro star, 14-13, in a charity tilt played before 28,000 in the Coliseum.

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Johnny Baker, who coached Fourth Air Force's mighty club last fall, will work with head coach Dude Groot as an assistant next fall.

Pejo Fight Planned

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 15. (P)—Tony Mar, defeated for the light-weight championship of Mexico last week by Carlos Malacara, announced last night he would go to San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 24 and that he expected to meet Willie Pep, world lightweight champion, there in a match to be arranged by Billy Davis.

The mediaeval kings and nobles used wood block monograms and printing inks to stamp their approving marks on charters and other official papers.

Longhorns Entertain Bobcats In District 3AA Swan Song

Two Fives Take Court At 8 P. M.

Big Spring high school's Sagers and the neighbors from down the road — the San Angelo Bobcats — sing their swan song in District 3-A basketball play tonight at the local gym. Game time is around 8 o'clock, or immediately after a preliminary test between the reserve squads of the two institutions.

John Malaise's melon manipulators will be out to make it four league wins for the year. They've lost eight, one of which was to the Cicho river gang.

Next week the two quintets descend upon Abilene for the district tournament, which is expected to be all Abilene. San Angelo has been rougher than the Bobcats all semester but even the Bobcats are expected to have to yield to the

Apperson Outpoints Smith At Ft. Worth

FORT WORTH, Feb. 15. (Sp)—Bob Apperson, welterweight, became the first Big Spring fighter to ever win a Golden Gloves match in a state meet when he outpointed Ralph Smith, 138, Temple, in three rounds.

The victory put the Goodfellow Field soldier into the quarter-finals.

Six knockouts and three technical knockouts featured the second round of the 1946 Texas Golden Gloves tournament here last night.

Gilbert Areche (De la Cruz) of San Antonio, defending flyweight champion, dropped Ernie Parkey of Lubbock for the count in the second round.

Henry Kagawa, a flyweight from Houston, disposed of Adair Gilbert of Amarillo in 28 seconds of the opening round.

Joe Garcia of Houston in 28 seconds of the opening round.

Joe Garcia of Houston and Rudy Lara of San Antonio made impressive wins in the bantamweight class. Garcia scored a technical knockout over Logan McKinsey, Brownwood, and Lara knocked out Hollis Davis, Ft. Worth, in the third round.

Presley Darnell, Fort Worth, who held the state 175 pound title in 1944, knocked out Helvin Nobles of Brownwood in a lightweight but. In the same class Billy McCoy, Houston, knocked out Wayne McDonald of Waco.

One of the roughest scraps of the evening was the decision of Cotton Gunter of Dallas over Ralph White of Lubbock.

Golden Gloves Results: 115 Pounds: J. T. Collins, 117, Dallas, knocked out Harry Surratt, 118, El Paso, (1), Lubbock (1).

Bill Dorsey, 119, Wichita Falls won by default from Raymond Snohhus, 119, Waco.

Joe Garcia, 118, Houston stopped Logan McKinsey, 117, Brownwood (2).

126 Pounds: Armond Goetter, 126, San Antonio, beat Coy T. Thompson, 124, Lubbock.

Lloyd Denman, 126, Waco, outpointed Francis Flowers, 126, Tyler.

Don Sniff, 126, Corpus Christi, stopped Billy Works, 122, Harlingen (1).

Jimmy Hamilton, 127, Amarillo, outboxed Edward Saltera, 126, Houston, 112 points.

Gilbert Areche (De la Cruz), 113, San Antonio, knocked out Ernie Parkey, 112, Lubbock (2).

Ted Dorsey, 112, Wichita Falls, outpointed Rudolf Cortez, 96, Harlingen.

Louis Allen, 113, Beaumont, outboxed Lawrence Byrum, 112, Tyler.

Frankie Di Marco, 113, El Paso, defeated Kenneth Bryant, 112, Waco.

Fred Morales, 113, Temple, beat Don Johnson, 113, Brownwood.

pointed Ralph White, 147, Lubbock.

Light Heavyweight: Presley Darnell, 169, Fort Worth, knocked out Melvin Nobles, 172, Brownwood (2).

Billy McCoy, 172, Houston, knocked out Wayne McDonald, 168, Waco (2).

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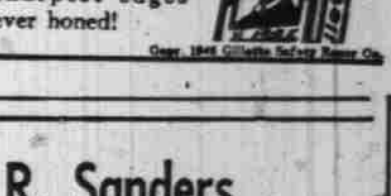
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LOOKING 'EM OVER

Executive committee of the West Texas Golf association will meet in Mineral Wells around March 1 to pick a site for that unit's renewal of the West Texas Invitational golf tournament.

Up to that time, bids will be taken from the various West Texas affiliates for the show, which was last held in Sweetwater in 1941 and won by J. T. Hammett, then representing the Philpeco country club.

As a member of that committee, Shirley Robbins of the Big Spring Country club will sit in on the session. The local club will probably bid for the attraction, last staged here in 1933, but is not expected to be given serious consideration until the back nine is sodded and becomes a part of the course.

The event is most certain to be conducted in May this year and likely as not Odessa will play host, since the Ector county club is in good standing with the association.

Hammett copped the bunting in '41 by subduing youthful Bobby Davidson of Sweetwater in the finals, 8-7, after Bobby had pulled the herculean upset of the tournament by edging Bill Horton, Abilene, in the semi-finals, one up.

Robbins represented Big Spring at the show along with Obie Bristow, Herman Stewart and Jake Morgan.

Robbins will be eligible to attend the confab at Mineral Wells along with Dwight Hunter, San Angelo; Stayton Bonner, Wichita Falls; Lee Henry, Abilene; E. H. Creager, Mineral Wells; Dr. J. N. Arvin, Brownwood; and Allen Guinn, Mineral Wells.

The latter trio serve the association as officers: Creager is secretary-treasurer; Arvin, vice-president; and Guinn, president.

More than 200 golfers can be expected to take part in the show. Most of the settlements in West Texas will be represented.

The warm weather is slowly bringing out the masher-wielders for the ringer tournament being conducted at the club this month.

Something like 28 golfers had qualified for the meeting through Wednesday. Obie Bristow's 73, one above regulation figures, represented the best score posted to date.

The tournament will continue for the remainder of the month. Cash prizes are in the offing for the winners.

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Bruins Closer To Loop Crown

By the Associated Press

The conference-leading Baylor Bears were forced to come from behind, last night and play an overtime period to turn back fifth-place Texas A. and M. 54 to 48 in a Southwest conference basketball game at College Station.

The Aggies were in front with 25 seconds to go when Bill Johnson took a pass from Bill Halley to score the tying points at 46 to 46.

Arkansas plays Oklahoma A. and M. tonight in a non-conference game and tomorrow Baylor plays Texas Christian and Southern Methodist takes on Texas.

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Advertisement for MARVIN HULL MOTOR CO., located at 207 Goliad.

Advertisement for CLARK MOTOR CO., located at 215 E. 3rd.

Banks Will Close

Monday, Feb. 18 at 1 P.M.

So officers can attend
Bankers Convention
at San Angelo

BANK HOLIDAY

We Will Be Closed Throughout The Day

Friday February 22

in observance of
Anniversary of Birthday of
George Washington
A Legal Holiday
First National Bank
State National Bank

CHURCH OF CHRIST

1401 MAIN STREET
Herbert L. Newman, Minister

PLAIN GOSPEL SERVICES



SUNDAY SERMON SUBJECTS:
10:45 a. m.—"Dangers Confronting The Church"
7:30 p. m.—"Relationship of Faith and Obedience in the Plan of Salvation"



Morning 11:00 - 12:00

"The Days of Thy Youth," Ecc. 12:1.
This is to be an evangelistic sermon to Boy Scouts and other young people. Scouts will be recognized and used in the service.

Evening 7:30 - 8:30

Sure Anchor for the Soul, Heb. 6:9.

First Baptist Church

Everybody's Church Sixth & Main

YESTERDAY

Most of us were little children and our parents were anxiously watching our progress in day school and Sunday school. They were determined that we should grow up to be good and useful citizens, and to this end they spared no effort or expense.

TODAY

We are the anxious parents trying to live up to all they taught us, and be to their grandchildren what they were to us. We will never be able to repay them for all they did for us, except as we pass it on to our children. Remember if your child has the right kind of parents, YOU are his only chance!

TOMORROW

The finished product of our parental labors will be the citizens who will be running the schools, churches, business establishments and social order of the day. What manner of men and women they are to be THEN depends very largely on the kind of parents we are NOW!

The churches of Big Spring invite you to attend and worship with them at any and all services this coming Lord's Day.

Big Spring Pastors Association

Recruiting For Marine Air Arm Underway

A famed fighting arm of the service during the war, Marine Corps Aviation, now formulating its peacetime plans, launched a nationwide recruiting drive which started February 10.

Adoption of the special enlistment plan is new to the Marines and it was devised to encourage men interested in the technical and mechanical side of aviation to enlist or re-enlist in the Corps "for duty in aviation units only." Marine Corps headquarters states.

Under the plan, anyone accepted for duty with an aviation unit will first undergo recruit training. After that, he will be assigned to an air unit where his special skill can be put to the best possible use.

Full information on the requirements and opportunities of Marine aviation is available at the Marine Corps Recruiting Office, Room 10, Post Office Building, Abilene.

Call JACK at 100 for PRINTING (A4V)

Church Of The Nazarene

4th & Austin
W. R. McClure, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
N.Y.P.S. 8:15 p. m.
Preaching 7:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting
Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
You are cordially invited to attend these services.

Jessie J. Morgan Insurance Agency

Fire, Automobile, Casualty Insurance
Savings Thru Dividends
CITY, FARM and RANCH LOANS
Phone 1095
206 Lester Fisher Bldg.

Wes-Tex Electric Co

Home Appliances Authorized
General Electric Dealer
Sales and Service
304 Gregg St. Phone 448

Now In Our NEW LOCATION

306 GREGG ST.
for Expert Electrical Work See

R. H. CARTER

306 Gregg Phone 938-7

MEXICAN and INDIAN ART BELLS CURIO SHOP
213 Rannels St.
"South of the Saway" JEWELRY SOUVENIRS

'Rotarian' Marks 35th Anniversary

CHICAGO, Feb. 15 (Sp)—Oldest of all service-club publications on the globe, the Rotarian magazine is currently celebrating its 35th anniversary. It is the official organ of Rotary International, the world-wide association of 5,600 individual Rotary clubs which pioneered the service-club field.

In its three and a half decades, during which it has mirrored two world wars and a world-wide depression, the Rotarian has grown from a small 12-page newspaper with 3,000 subscribers to a modern 64-page monthly which reaches more than 250,000 business and professional leaders in some 60 countries. It is published in both English and Spanish editions.

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Puckett & Cantrell Architect and Engineer

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We Exchange or Repair Them
Faster - Better - Cheaper
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406 E. Third Phone 328

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We have new motors and a good stock of Genuine Hudson parts.

J. W. CROAN Motor Service
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WE KEEP THE LATEST MAGAZINES and NEWSPAPERS
We Now Dye Shoes Make Them Look Like New
We Now Have Henry Jones, a "Real" Shine Boy Working for Us.
MOTT'S NEWSTAND
216 Rannels Street

WE INVITE YOU
To do your own Laundry at the BROOKSHEIR HELP-UR-SELF LAUNDRY: Hours: 8:30 a. m. to 7 p. m.
Will Do Wet Wash As An Added Service
BROOKSHEIR WASHETERIA
"Where Washing Is A Pleasure"
609 E. 2nd Ph. 9532

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Repairs All Types of Adding Machines and Typewriters
306 Gregg St.
Night Phone 896
John M. Nobles Billy J. White

L. I. STEWART Appliance Store
All Types Electric & Gas Appliances Dealer
Butane Gas
213 West 3rd Phone 1021

We Specialize In ROUGH DRY and WET WASH.
SMITH'S HELP-UR-SELF LAUNDRY
207 W. 4th Phone 610

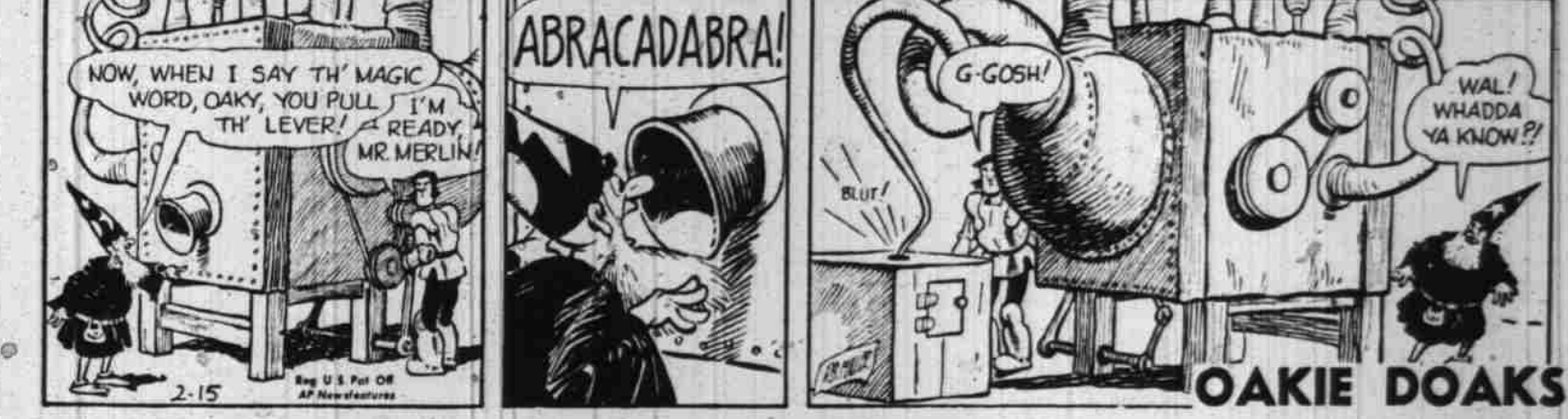
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HERALD CLASSIFIEDS GET GOOD RESULTS AT LOW COST---CALL 728

Automotive

Used Cars Wanted

1940 OLDSMOBILE SEDAN
Has radio, heater and nearly new tires. Ceiling price \$1272.00

1941 MERCURY TUDOR SEDAN
Has heater, customized tailored seat covers. A nice automobile. Ceiling price \$1231.00

WE WANT TO BUY SOME GOOD USED CARS
See us before you sell.

Bob Fuller Motor Co.
600 East 3rd Phone 9689
Future Home of New Kaiser
Frazer Automobiles

\$1000 cash for some late used car; must be in good condition; no dealers. Phone 64, Roy Pearce.

Used Cars For Sale
FOR SALE—1936 Chevrolet Tudor; new tires; radio and heater; good motor; worth the money for service. See at 202 Lexington.

1939 Plymouth DeLuxe Coach; new motor; new paint job. R. L. Metcalf, 610 Gregg.

1936 Ford four-door for sale; 5 good tires, and good motor. 1500 Settles.

1936 Ford; fair condition; four tires and spare. See at 511 Douglas.

For Exchange
IF you have a car to trade for a building's place for residence, write P.O. Box 743.

Announcements

Lost & Found
LOST: Pair of child's gold-rimmed glasses. Reward. Call 2049.

LOST: Brown Jersey coat; with both ears marked; short horns; \$10.00 reward. Oscar Self, Coahoma.

Personals

CONSULT Estella, the Reader. Heffernan, Hotel, 2303 Gregg, Room 2.

MR. O. L. Frances, song writer and singing teacher, will teach a singing school at Wesley Methodist Church, 1206 Owens St., beginning Feb. 18; reasonable tuition. See C. W. Rogers, 805 W. 18th. Phone 1561-R.

I WILL not be responsible for debts made by anyone other than those made and signed myself. C. Peoples.

GOOD old smoked pit barbecue, southern fried chicken, and choice steaks at Walter Green's Hilltop Place, located 408 N.W. Ayford.

Lodges

Ben M. Davis & Company Accountants - Auditors 817 Mims Bldg., Abilene, Texas

WE buy and sell used furniture; specialize in repairing sewing machines. We have Singer parts and supplies. Phone 260 607 E. 2nd. Pickle & Lea.

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Big Spring Rendering Service

OSBORNE REPAIR SHOP We do welding and automotive and DIESEL ENGINE REPAIR. Contractors equipment a specialty. 201 N. Austin St. Phone 118

SEE Virgil Graham for auto and tractor work—1108 East Fifth; 2 blocks south and 1/4 block east of Coca-Cola bottling plant. All work guaranteed.

FOR insured house moving, see C. F. Wade, 1/4 mile south Lakeview Grocery on old highway. We are bonded. Phone 1684.

AUTOMOBILE painting, top and body work. Also general overhauling and repairing. 1312 E. 3rd. 2039-W.

VACUUM CLEANERS

Serviced in 10 towns for patrons of Texas Electric Service Co. Why not yours?
G. BLAIN LUSE 1501 Lancaster Phone 16

LET me recondition your saw with Foley Automatic saw filer. Knives and scissors also sharpened. Weeks Repair Shop, basement of Iva's Jewelry, Phone 322

FOR all kinds of painting, 1611 Scurry, Phone 574

IF YOU NEED

New mattresses or need your mattress renovated; free estimation given; all work guaranteed.
Big Spring Mattress Factory 611 W. 3rd Phone 1764

EXPERT kodak finishing and enlarging. Culver Studio, 105 E. 9th.

FOR the best house moving, see John Durham, 823 W. 8th.

Announcements

Business Services
FOR paperhanging jobs, large or small, call 1012-W. Mrs. Carl Grant.

I pump cesspools and underground tanks, 213 or 214 North Goliad. S. S. Patton.

Woman's Column
NURSERY LAND
Mrs. Russell and Mrs. Beene, 705 E. 13th, will keep children anytime of day or night. Phone 1855-J

EXPERT in remodeling Fur Coats; years of experience. Mrs. J. L. Haynes, 601 Main.

BUTTONHOLES
Covered buttons, buckles, belts, spots, nail heads, and rhinestones.
Aubrey Sublett, 101 Lester Bldg. Phone 380

WILL keep children by the day or hour, special care. 606 11th Place. Phone 2010.

I KEEP children 25c per hour or \$1.25 per day or night; extra good care. 1002 W. 6th St.

MRS. Tippie at 305 Johnson St. does all kinds sewing and hemstitching.

BRING your alterations to 507 Main, Apt. 3.

HEMSTITCHING, buttons, buckles, eyelets, belting, belts, spots and nailheads. 305 W. 18th. Phone 1545, Mrs. LeFevre.

LUZIER'S fine cosmetics and perfume. Meda Robertson, 408 W. 6th. Phone 348-J.

APRONS: Visit our apron shop for your apron needs in your home and for gifts. We have it. 411 Johnson.

BRING your ironing to 1107 East 16th St. \$1.00 per dozen; shirts 15c each. Ruth Jackson.

Employment

Help Wanted—Male
Boys over 12 years old for Big Spring Herald routes. Short hours—good pay.

See T. J. Dunlap Circulation Department
BOY 16 years or older for after school and Saturday work. See McManis, Herald office.

Help Wanted—Female
WANTED: Elderly couple or elderly lady to take care of in my home. 308 Jones.

WANTED: Maid to clean house 6 days a week. Phone 1597-J.

FULL time housekeeper needed to care for 4 year old daughter and apartment; room and board; moderate salary. Phone 368.

WANTED: Veteran up to 27 years of age. Work and travel resort country. Free transportation. Average earnings \$60 a week. Must be reliable. See Mr. Wilson, Crawford Hotel, Room 324, 2-12 p. m. and 4-6 p. m. Apply Friday only.

WANTED: Practical nurse to keep house, care for two children on ranch; all modern conveniences; good pay, plus room and board. Interview at Big Spring Hospital, Room 12. Mrs. Bob Ballenger.

MAID wanted: Salary and services; quarters furnished. Apply 1508 Nolan.

P.B.X. operator wanted at Settles Hotel.

Employment Wanted—Male
MAN with family wants job on ranch or stock farm; has had lots of experience with cattle, sheep and can operate tractor. Write Box L. J., Herald.

Employment Wanted—Female
WANTED: Full or part time office work; 8 years experience with public accountants. Write Box M.D.R., Herald.

For Sale

Household Goods
SEE Creath's when buying or selling used furniture; 20 years in furniture and mattress business in Big Spring. Ring 710 E. 3rd. Phone 602.

25,000 B.T.U. new gas heaters, \$22.50; two burner electric hot plate, \$7.00; electric churn; complete with jar, \$17.50. Army Surplus Store, 114 Main St.

THE best that is made, 55 lb. staple cotton tuftless mattress; full size; all new material, \$29.50. On sale at Army Surplus Store, 114 Main St.

COMPLETE line of Pyrex ovenware; new Pyrex flavor-saver plate just received. S. P. Jones Lumber Co., 409 Goliad. Phone 21.

WANT to Sell: Sink, hot water heater, breakfast room table and four chairs; Bentwood living room suite with divan, and two chairs; chest of drawers, 106 W. 8th or 711 Scurry.

MAYTAG washer for sale; first class condition. Jones Laundry, between Lakeview and Ellis Homes.

FOUR-piece bedroom suite; studio couch; 50 lb. ice box; gas cook stove; breakfast room suite; iron bedstead with springs. 811 E. 17th.

SIX rooms of furniture for sale; including dining room, suite; 2 bedroom suites; piano, and washing machine; other items. 1900 Johnson. Phone 1197.

HIGHCHAIR for sale; car seat; all metal collapsible buggy; new play pen; bed and man's new suede jacket, size 38. See at 1104 Runnels, or call 32.

Musical Instruments

UPRIGHT Piano for sale. Phone 191 or 1439.

Building Materials
COLORADO SAND AND GRAVEL
From yard or bit Big Spring Sand & Gravel Yard, 600 East 2nd St. Phone 1785. Night call 1801-W.

Pets
ONE registered golden buff Cocker Spaniel for sale. 1410 11th Place.

For Sale

Poultry & Supplies
FRYERS for sale; large fryers, both chicken and rabbits; on foot or dressed; cafe business solicited. Jack Roberts 1 1/4 blocks south Adams Garage, Coahoma, Phone 133.

Farm Machinery
1938 Model B. John Deere tractor for sale; priced to sell, \$700. R. W. Senter, Rt. 2, Big Spring; 1 mile south Elbow.

TWO row stalk cutter and feed mill for sale. 506 West Abram St.

FARMALL tractor and implements; two cows and calves; over 200 chickens and lease on 85 acres with good 4-room house; near town; \$1450. See or write W. C. Lepard, Box 743, Big Spring, Texas.

Miscellaneous
BUTANE Systems for sale; natural gas; butane heaters. Fraley & Co., Lamesa Highway.

Bring Your HATS TO LAWSON Factory Methods
Expert cleaning and blocking; correct trimming and styling; 16 years experience as a hat maker and renovator.

LAWSON HAT WORKS 903 Runnels

MOTORCYCLES rebuilt; parts; Bicycle parts; almost any kind. LAWSON MOWERS sharpened. Cecil Thibon Motorcycle & Bicycle Shop, 1602 E. 15th. Ph. 2052

FARMERS! TRUCKERS! Buy Tarpaulls at greatly reduced prices. Army Surplus Store, 114 Main St.

FOR SALE: Good new used radiators for popular make cars and trucks. Guaranteed. Peurifoy Radiator Shop, 901 E. 3rd. Ph. 1210.

HAND TOoled LEATHER Purses Belts Also Repair Work DOVE LEATHERCRAFT 115 Runnels

ALL kinds of plumbing supplies; water heaters, pipe, lavatories, sinks. S. P. Jones Lumber Co 409 Goliad. Phone 214.

HAVE a good stock of Fairbanks-Morse windmills and tanks. S. P. Jones Lumber Co., 409 Goliad. Phone 214.

TEXAS oranges for sale; small sack 60c; grapefruit, small sack, 50c; spuds, 10 lbs, 50c; 100 lb sack, \$4.00; East Texas lemons, 10 lbs, \$4.00; California Sun-kist lemons, 20c dozen. Save at the Birdwell Fruit and Vegetable Store, 206 N.W. 4th St. Phone 507.

ONE Acetylene and Electric welding machine; mounted on frame and wheels; can be towed behind car or truck. Powered by V-8 Ford motor. All in A-1 shape including tires. Priced to sell. Universal Body Works, 1506 W. 3rd.

ONE 3 1/2 h.p. Champion \$47.50; one 4 1/2 h.p.; one Neptune motor, \$87.50. These motors in good running condition; also electric jet water pumps; in stock. Call 738 or see at 107 E. 22nd.

JUST arrived, new 1946 wall paper; good stock to select from. S. P. Jones, 409 Goliad, Phone 214.

PRE-war blonde maple bedroom suite for sale; Singer sewing machine in excellent condition; window size air conditioner; practically new; other household goods. Phone 1139-W or see 401 Nolan.

CARLOAD of composition shingles just received. See Mr. Walter at MONTGOMERY WARDS.

TWO-row stalk cutter and feed mill for sale. Call at 506 Abram St.

2 BUTANE bottles and one regulator for sale; \$60 cash. Call Wolf's Store, Vincent, Texas.

NEW fur coat for sale at a bargain; never been worn; size 14. Phone 641 or 1294.

MISC. FURNITURE FOR SALE
—Nice Bed Room Suite
—Good Washing Machine.
—Small Kitchen Table.
—Almost New White Kitchen Cabinet for Dishes.
—Occasional Chairs.
—9x12 Congoletum Rugs.
—Large Piece Plain Pattern Congoletum.
—Apartment Gas Cook Stove.
—Kitchen Table and Two Chairs.
—Small Refrigerator.
—Nice Studio Couch.
—Half Size Good Iron Bedstead.
—Extra good condition ivory enameled Cook Stove.
Will sell these articles separately or make a good price on all of them together. Phone 960.

JATE'S NURSERY 1201 West 3rd
Chinese Elm trees, 35c and up, complete stock of fruit trees.

FOR good fertilizer, call 1437. For sale: 2-wheel trailer; can be seen at 2500 1/2 S. Scurry.

Wanted To Buy

Household Goods
FURNITURE wanted. We need used furniture. Give us a chance before you sell, get our prices before you buy. W. L. McCollister, 1001 W. 4th. Phone 1261.

Radios & Accessories
WANTED: Used radios and musical instruments. Will pay cash for anything. Anderson Music Co., phone 656 or call at 115 Main St.

Miscellaneous
WILL trade large tricycle for small one. Phone 1472-J.

WANTED to buy: Used bicycles and radios. Call 9570. Jerry Metcalf, 610 E. Second St.

For Rent

Apartments
23 ft. house trailer for rent; private bath; furnished; bills paid; Inquire Lawson Hat Works, 903 Runnels.

VERY desirable bedroom for rent; outside entrance; couple, man or woman. Phone 1892-W. 801 E. 17th.

BEDROOM for rent to working girls or men; close in at 808 Johnson.

BEDROOM for rent; close in. Phone 1824.

NICELY furnished front bedroom for rent; adjoining bath; close in on paving; men preferred. 700 Bell St.

FRONT bedroom for rent; close in; for couple only. 503 Johnson.

NICELY furnished bedroom for rent; adjoining bath; to one or two men; on bus line. 1017 Johnson.

Rooms & Board
ROOMS and board; family style meals; visitors welcome. Phone 9662, 311 N. Scurry, Arrington Hotel.

ROOM and Board: Meat and hot biscuits 3 times a day; family style meals; on bus line; 418 Dallas; first street in Edwards Heights.

Two-room unfurnished house and bath for rent to couple only. Apply 407 E. 3rd.

ARMY wife would like to rent sewing machine; for 1 or 2 weeks; best of care guaranteed. Write Box C.L., Herald.

EX-SERVICEMAN, wife and son desire furnished or unfurnished apartment or house. Call J. B. Uelshin, Assistant Mgr. of White's Store.

Desire to rent 4 or 5-room unfurnished house; duplex or apartment; permanent engineer Continental Oil Co. Call Continental Collect No. 6, Forsan.

WANT to rent 3 or 5-room house or apartment; unfurnished. Reference Jones, corner 10th and Scurry. Phone 974.

WANT to rent 4 or 5-room furnished or unfurnished house or apartment; give references; 3 adults. Phone 671 or 1294.

WANT to rent building for sign and paint shop; prefer east part of town. Phone 952-W.

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PEOPLE'S FINANCE & THRIFT CO., Inc. 408 Petroleum Bldg. Phone 721

GOOD 5-room house in town to be moved; bath fixtures complete; priced right. See W. M. or L. C. Yater, 1606 Jennings or in Wright's First Addition. Meet quite St.

Real Estate

Houses For Sale
FOUR-room house and lot for sale. Call at 209 W. 3rd. Close in.

MODERN house; 5 rooms and bath; large rooms; half block of pavement; close to school; located in Lancaster St. V. A. CANT NOW. Price \$3750. For sale by owner. See Harry Zaranofsky, 412 Dallas St. Phone 903. Terms.

WATCH my listings for good values in Real Estate.
1-VERY pretty four-room house and bath; very modern; choice location near school and south part of town.
2-5-room house on corner lot near High School, real good buy.
3-VERY modern 3-room and bath; good location; south part of town. A real good buy.
4-FOR a real investment, two nice 4-room houses on corner lot with large double garage apartment; close in on Johnson St.
5-LOVELY brick home, 6-rooms and bath on Washington Blvd.; lots of cabinets, nice location.
6-A REAL nice duplex; 3 rooms and bath on each side; very modern; near South Ward school; one side completely furnished; real good buy.
7-REAL nice duplex; 4 rooms on one side; 3 on other, this side is completely furnished; very best location on bus line; near South Ward school.
8-VERY modern 3-room house and bath on corner lot in south-east part of town; good buy.
9-REAL nice 6-room house and bath; lovely yard; choice location in Washington Place; priced very reasonable.
10-FOUR-room and bath; good well water; new windmill; large rock tank; wash house; good chicken house and barn on 30 acres good land just outside city limits.
11-NICE 5-room brick home; choice location; double brick garage on corner lot; pretty yard; a real nice home.
12-FOR a good investment; nice 27-room rooming house; 107 ft. front, 140 deep; near Petroleum Bldg.; best location; completely furnished; can be bought worth the money.
13-NICE brick home; 5-rooms, breakfast nook; can be bought with or without furniture; on Lancaster and city bus line. Extra good buy.
14-CHOICE business lot on Running, on Second St.; very reasonable.
15-REAL choice farm, 640 acres, 600 in cultivation; a real pretty rock home with city utilities; just out of city limits; extra good buy. Just let me show you.
16-VERY good small farm, 177 acres; well improved; lots of good water; 3 miles of Big Spring. Phone 1822 or call at 1100 Goliad St. W. M. Jones, Real Estate
THREE desirable homes for sale; good location; down payment; easy terms. Phone 131.

I HAVE customers for any size residence; list your property with me. Office Phone 1217. Residence, 9013F3. J. B. Pickle.

IF you want to buy or sell real estate, call or see Joe Edwards. Several buyers for houses, \$2500 to \$7500. Office 205 Petroleum Bldg. Phone 920. Residence 800 Crawford Hotel.

DRIVE-IN cafe for sale. This place will pay for itself within one year. 3-year lease with option of 5-year renewal at low rent. Building and fixtures \$7,000; Beer stock at invoice. This is a going business now. Shown by appointment only.
SIX-room frame house close in on Main St.; building on back of lot facing Runnels. This is a good buy for home and income.
FOUR-room house and bath with basement; lot 75x100; house in good condition.
SEVEN farms, 120 to 640 acres each.
FIVE-room stucco house; redecorated throughout; one of the best locations in Washington Place. For a buyer who wants the best.
GOOD business location on Johnson between Second and Third Streets. 11-room house in good condition.
FIVE-room house in good condition; good location on Scurry St. MANY other houses, new and old, not listed.
323.7 acre farm for sale at \$25.00 per acre; 143 in cultivation. This is a bargain.
BEAUTIFULLY furnished 5-room brick home on two lots in good location.
THREE bedroom brick house in good location; one of the finer homes in Big Spring.
THREE-room house and bath on 4 lots; near Airport; suitable for chicken ranch and gardening; completely fenced; \$3500.
TWO lots, 1100 block on Gregg St. with small house in rear. A bargain for \$2000.
THREE lots in 1100 block of Scurry St. A real buy at \$1700.
BUSINESS lot on Runnels between 1st and 2nd streets. A good business location.
WILL help you get financing on any of the above listings. HAVE buyers for \$4,000 and \$5,000 houses.
MATTHEWS AND PEELER Room 1, State Bank Building Phone 1172 or 1055 or 326
ROOMING house in Big Spring; good location; good income; mostly furnished.
APARTMENT house, 5 units; net income very good; some terms. J. B. Pickle, Phone 1217.

TWO houses on one lot. Each with four rooms and bath; close in; one house now vacant.
ONE four-room house to be moved.
ONE lot on Washington Blvd.
TWO lots off the Blvd.
JESSIE J. MORGAN 206 Lester Fisher Bldg. Phone 1095

FOUR-room house; 2 lots; modern and newly decorated; would sell refrigerator with house; close in. Phone 1087.
THREE-room house; good shape; about 20 miles out on highway to be moved; \$950. See, or write W. C. Lepard, Box 743, Big Spring, Texas.
THREE-room house and bath on corner lot; has large garden; see E. L. Feathers at 1113 N. Gregg.
NICE five-room house and bath for sale at 1504 Main.

Real Estate

Houses For Sale
A beautiful five-room house and bath; located in south part of town; worth the money.
FIVE-room house on good business lot on West 3rd St. Price \$2700.
FOUR and five-room house to be moved off lot.
A NICE four-room house on two lots close to High School; a real buy.
A NICE four-room and bath on Gregg St.; worth the money. HAVE a number of nice lots in Washington Place; take your pick.
TWO nice apartment houses; paying good income.
NICE duplex on paved street; really worth the money.
FIVE-room rock house on 3 lots; a good buy.
TWO nice business lots with house on each lot; located on East 3rd St.; a good buy.
A GOOD business building to be moved off lot.
NICE 4-room house and bath in Park Hill addition; worth the money.
85 ft. front on East Highway; good place for business.
A NICE 4-room house and bath with furniture; best buy in town.
A NICE 6-room house and bath with brick tile apartment house on back of lot; close to High School; a real buy.
A NICE 7-room house on 2 lots; has 2-3 room apartments at rear; a real buy.
THREE-room house and bath with large garage in sleeping porch; 5 lots; a good buy.
TWO large business lots on Lamesa Highway, worth the money.
THE most modern cafe in Big Spring; doing a good business; worth the money.
140 ft. front; close in on East 3rd St.; an ideal location for business. See about this.
LARGEST scale in Big Spring; doing a tremendous business; priced to sell.
A GARAGE and blacksmith shop, doing good business.
NICE country grocery store and 1/2 acre in corner 75x150; two houses arranged for four families; very good construction and condition and priced less than most places of this value.
2-3 room house and bath; one of the best locations in town for a limited time at a special price.
An ideal 50 acre near the city in the south. Too many things about this property to attempt to describe in this space. Call me if you want an ideal stock acreage.
2 good lots left on Johnson Street; 8 apartments partly furnished; an all-time good revenue piece of property.
11-A very good revenue corner property, consisting of three 4-room and bath apartments; 1-3-room and bath and 1-3-room modern house. Good condition and good revenue all the time because it is located just right.
12-Some close in business lots. CALL me if you want to sell your property. I have a guaranteed proposition. Call me and let's talk it over.
Albert Darby, 409 Gregg St. Phone 960.

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Vegetation Becoming Increasingly Vital In Development, Research

AUSTIN, Feb. 15. —One of Texas' greatest natural resources, often overlooked, is its vegetation. The grasses, bushes, trees and sometimes even the weeds that flourish in the vast reaches of the state have an actual or potential value that will be increasingly important in the postwar resurgence of scientific development and research. Already business men are putting thousands of dollars into

Merit Badges Given In Review At Forsan

FORSAN, Feb. 15.—A board of review was held by Forsan Boy Scouts Wednesday night, and nine merit badges were presented by Scoutmaster E. N. Garrett. Eddie Ray King received three badges: Sherrill Hazelwood, two; Julian Ray Hoisager, three; and Ancil Cathcart, one. Charles Ray Howard and Ancil Cathcart passed second class tests.

Other members present were James Suttles, Wayne Huestis, Raymond Blankenship, Dan Fairchild, Junior Dolan, Ray Whirley, Richard Gilmore, Bob Creelman and Jimmie. Visiting boys were Kenneth Howe of Big Spring and Freddie Joe Slate.

Blalock Congratulates Truman 'Firing' Ickes

MARSHALL, Feb. 15 (AP)—Myron G. Blalock, national democratic committeeman, has sent congratulations to President Truman on the resignation of Harold Ickes as secretary of the interior.

Blalock's telegram to the president follows:

"Congratulations on resignation of (Bull Moose) Ickes. We know he has never been your friend and that republican Senator Tobey could not have known what questions to ask him without Ickes' collaboration. The two days you have allotted him should give Honest Harold sufficient time within which to search department files for all of his prepared political memoranda as well as those filed away in skeleton form for appropriate polishing by other would-be dictators when needed. Warmest regards and good wishes."

Power Magazine Runs Story On Sand Springs

Development in the Sand Springs community during the past four years, since inception of electrical power furnished by the Cap Rock REA Co-Op, is the subject of an illustrated article in a current issue of Texas Co-Op Power, a monthly paper published by Texas Power Reserve Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Carrying a picture of the community center, the article points out that Sand Springs is a REA Co-Op "baby," but community population has grown since electricity became available.

Only one small business and a house or two composed the community before the REA stung lines through the area. At present the co-op is serving approximately 80 residential and commercial consumers.

Gas Price In Mexico

WESLACO, Feb. 15 (AP)—Reports of US tourists that gasoline was selling for as much as \$1.50 a gallon in northern Mexico have been called to the attention of Mexican tourist officials, Paul Vickers, manager of the McAllen chamber of commerce said.

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TP&L To Construct New Power Line

DALLAS, Feb. 15 (AP)—John W. Carpenter, president of the Texas Power and Light company, has announced that construction will begin soon on a 132,000-volt electric power transmission line from Sherman to Trinidad by way of the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

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Western Lumbermen Accused Of Exporting

DALLAS, Feb. 15 (AP)—P. J. Goodnight, Dallas lumberman, declared that west coast saw mills sold 66,000,000 board feet of lumber enough to build 6,600 average size homes, to foreign countries. He said his information came from an unnamed lumber dealer in San Francisco.

Goodnight asserted that since there is no ceiling on lumber exported, mills are sending large amounts out of the country. He also said that large amounts of lumber for foreign ports were passing through southern ports.

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