

## North-South Air Service Is Delayed

### City Greets First Delivery Of Star- Route Airmail

Inauguration of service on a north-south airline through Big Spring had been held up indefinitely Thursday, but the city had celebrated the start of a new airmail delivery plan with arrival here Wednesday afternoon of the first bus carrying star-route airmail from points west for connection with American Airlines planes.

Had Weather  
Essair, Inc., operator of a proposed passenger and express line between Houston and Amarillo, with stops at Austin, San Angelo, Big Spring and Lubbock, announced that its first trip was cancelled out at Houston because of unfavorable weather. Sam Marshall, Jr., president, said in Houston that service would start as soon as he completed details of organization over the route.

Marshall was to fly the route, making stops at all points, before ordering inauguration of regular service. The date of starting was not announced. The first schedules had been set for Thursday. Meanwhile, an informal celebration took place Wednesday afternoon with the start of star-route delivery of airmail—believed to be the first service of its kind in the nation. A Greyhound bus from the west brought 23 pounds of airmail into the local airport—mail from Monahans, Odessa, Midland and Stanton—for dispatch on American Airlines' two afternoon ships.

The bus service speeds its airmail deliveries for those towns to the west, and they greeted the accommodation with a motorcade Wednesday afternoon. Some 40 people, from Monahans, Midland and Odessa formed a motorcade to accompany the initial mail haul, and were greeted by a like number of Big Spring folk at the airport. There was no formal program, but a general expression of gratification of faster service on airmail.

The towns dispatched 12 pounds of mail on the eastward plane, and 11 pounds west. Monahans had six people in the motorcade, Odessa six and Midland about 30. Postmasters of the towns—W. T. Henderson of Odessa, Allen Teibert of Midland and Nat Shick of Big Spring—were on hand to see the new service inaugurated. Buford C. Leach, drove the bus carrying the first star-route mail, and Homer Rader, veteran AA pilot who has shared in many airport celebrations here, was at the controls of the big eastbound plane which received the first consignment.

## Negro Held In Radio Thefts

### Is Charged With Burglarizing Five Residences Here

A wave of radio thefts appeared stopped here Thursday with the charging of a negro on five counts of burglary. Tommy Daniels, Jr., arrested by the sheriff's department following a month's investigation, was booked on charges of burglarizing five local residences since Dec. 31. Deputy Sheriff A. J. Merrick said that five of the radios reported lost had been recovered, leaving only two missing. There were indications that these would be found and returned to their owners.

First radio theft was reported by E. Marshall on Dec. 31. Next L. A. Eubanks lost a radio on Jan. 12. Then George Martin on Jan. 21, John T. Dillard on Jan. 29 and J. H. Franklin two days later. All of these were recovered, the sheriff's department reported.

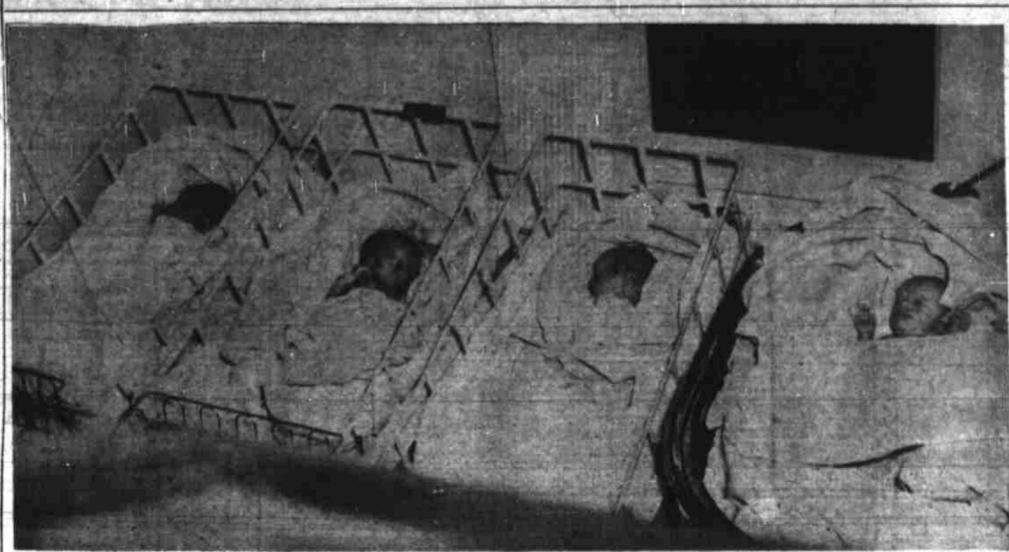
Investigation showed that the radios had been "pawed" to various persons for small amounts in the guise that money was needed to pay house rent. They were, of course, never reclaimed.

## DR. RAINEY VISITS TEXAS U. CAMPUS

AUSTIN, Feb. 2 (AP)—Dr. Homer Pries Rainey, president-elect of the University of Texas, appeared on the campus of that institution today, shook hands with members of the staff, met students Pat, Mike and Molly O'Daniel, children of Governor W. Lee O'Daniel, and faced a battery of newspapermen in "prexy's office."

Currently director of the American Youth Commission in Washington, Dr. Rainey said he hoped to finish his work with the commission in time to take over the presidency June 1.

## HERE THEY ARE, FOLKS! TEXAS' FIRST GIRL QUADRUPLTS



Four lusty-lunged tiny girls believed the first all girl quadruplets born in Texas were born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Badgett of Galveston. They are shown in this photograph in their special nursery at St. Mary's Infirmary a few hours after birth. The photographer was allowed no closer than the transom

through which he made the shot. They likely will spend the first two weeks of their lives in this specially controlled room and visitors forbidden. Dr. W. J. Jinkins attending physician was as astonished as the parents, preparations having been made for the arrival of triplets. The father is a construction company foreman. (Associated Press Photo).

## PROUD PAPA NAMES QUADS, THEN WONDERS WHICH ONE IS WHICH

GALVESTON, Feb. 2 (AP)—Proud Papa W. E. Badgett, 25, a little stunned when it happened but happy when friends hailed him as the father of Texas first quadruplet girls, named his daughters last night and wondered today who was who. Alike as peas in a pod, the youngsters gurgled in nursery cribs while Papa Badgett tried to determine which was Joyce, Jeanette, Joan or Geraldine, the names he and Mama Badgett gave the four girls last night. Joyce weighs 3 pounds 13 ounces; Jeanette 3 pounds 14 ounces; Joan 3 pounds 14 ounces, and Geraldine, 4 pounds 9 1/2 ounces. Papa Badgett, construction foreman, admitted it would be troublesome to pick them up and weigh them every time he wanted to know them apart. Such are the first problems of the father of quadruplets.

The girls were hungry today and fumed and yelled for a little snack long before breakfast time. The doctors watched them closely and said apparently the four were in the pink of condition now that they have all undergone blood transfusions. The 36-year-old mother, too, was reported doing well. Gifts poured into the hospital. The Badgetts expected triplets and were surprised no end when the stork brought four charming daughters. But Papa Badgett grinned with pride today as he announced the tiny girls would be reared as four normal sisters, and buckled down to work to earn enough money to keep them in house, home and clothes.

## Little Change Foreseen In Farm Act

### Policy Likely To Remain Despite Much Opposition

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 (AP)—Administration leaders in congress expressed growing belief today that a substitute farm program, such as a "cost of production" system, would not be enacted at this session. "If there are going to be any major changes in the crop control act, I think they probably won't be effective this year," commented Chairman Jones (D-Tex) of the house agriculture committee. Two factors were emphasized by Rep. Hope (R-Kans), senior minority member of the house committee. "While there is a great deal of opposition to the present act," he said, "this opposition comes from such divergent sources that it seems to me unlikely opponents will be able to effect any immediate, major change. It also seems to me that it would be poor politics for the republicans to advance any substitute program at this time."

The administration is expected to see FARM LAW, Page 6, Col. 5

## FINAL APPROVAL ON RELIEF FUND

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 (AP)—Congress gave final approval today to a \$725,000,000 relief appropriation to carry WPA through June 30. The measure now goes to the White House.

## Weather

WEST TEXAS—Cloudy and unsettled, colder in southeast portion with freezing tonight; Friday generally fair, continued cold.

EAST TEXAS—Cloudy, probably rain in central and south portions, colder tonight with freezing in northwest and north-central portions Friday morning; Friday generally fair in north, cloudy in south portion, colder in southeast.

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Sunset today 4:51 p. m.; sunrise Friday 7:19 a. m.

## O'Daniel Assailed For Statement On Clemency

### Grants Negro A Reprieve, Cites Punishment-Of Waiting For The Chair; Solon Is Bitter About It

AUSTIN, Feb. 2 (AP)—Rep. Jo Ed Winfree of Houston, chairman of the penitentiaries committee of the house of representatives, today stonily condemned Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's statement yesterday in connection with granting a 30-day reprieve to a negro sentenced to death. "The statement attributed to the house floor," is the most heinous, foulest and most inhuman thought that has emanated from the brain of a man in this state in the last two decades."

O'Daniel said in a press statement that "few forms of punishment could be more harsh than to see certain death staring you in the face day and night for 30 days and I therefore grant a 30-day reprieve in order that Winzell Williams may suffer that dreadful punishment 30 days before he is relieved by death in the electric chair." The governor opposes capital punishment. Under the constitution, however, he has no power to set aside a death sentence unless the pardon board recommends it. He can grant only one 30-day stay.

Winfree recalled that "when a schoolboy I read of despots in Rome putting people to death in the arena to see their suffer."

The 47-year-old Houston lawyer and stockman said he was not speaking as head of any committee, but "as a state representative, a friend of 7,000 forgotten men in the state penitentiary and for the best interests of the state."

Williams was convicted of murdering E. B. Atwood, Dallas county dairyman, while he slept. O'Daniel said the crime was a heinous one "for which no punishment."

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## Escape Pen Second Time

Dallas Killer Makes  
Getaway From Huntsville Prison

HUNTSVILLE, Feb. 2 (AP)—Robert Lacy Cash, 24-year-old Dallas killer whose will-o-the-wisp activities kept state penitentiary officials on the jump, escaped the prison system again today. He hid behind a door while his squad mates trudged out into the fields of Harlem state farm and a few minutes later made his break for freedom. He dashed from the building, raced 100 yards to a car parked near the guards' quarters and sped away in it to the Houston-San Antonio highway two miles distant. Captain Ed Seay, reporting the break, said the car Cash stole belonged to J. M. Holcomb of Sherman. (The machine, a Chevrolet coupe, bore the license number 478-002).

State police, the highway department and Dallas officers were notified. Guards sped after the fugitive in automobiles, but hours after the escape no trace of Cash was reported. Cash, serving a life sentence for slaying a Brooklyn salesman, Harry Leon Helfman, in Dallas Nov. 15, 1937, and throwing the body into a sewage pit, escaped last October 16 by posing as a soda pop salesman at a prison rodeo. The disguise won him an exit through the main gate, but he was captured a few days later in Dallas. He said he had escaped to establish his innocence. He was registered into the penitentiary under the name of Robert Lacy.

THEY HAVE COLDS  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 (AP)—Cold, rainy weather kept Vice President Garner and Representatives Rayburn and Mansfield confined today, although colds with which they have been suffering were reported greatly improved.

## Wintry Blast Sweeps Down From North

### Temperatures Fall Here; Snow And Rain In Panhandle

The Big Spring area shared in a wintry blast Thursday, as snow, rain and plummeting temperatures besieged the northern part of Texas. The weatherman predicted the advance would continue southward tonight. As a brisk north wind blew, temperatures slipped here during the morning, a low of 36 being registered at noon. Heavy snow fell at Lubbock, where the mercury dipped to 27 degrees, a 25-degree drop from yesterday's high. The snow followed a sleet barrage.

Snow flurries drove the mercury down to 22 degrees at Plainview during mid-morning while Electra recorded a one inch snowfall. A heavy mixture of rain sleet fell at Gainesville in 33-degree weather while as far down as Corsicana rain and colder weather was reported.

Snowflakes also dropped from Quanah to Iowa Park and from Burk Burnett to Fredericks, Okla. Wichita Falls also reported readings. Borger had a 27-degree temperature but skies were clear. Sherman and Dallas reported sleet and 40-

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## BORAH'S CONDITION IS 'SATISFACTORY'

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 (AP)—Sen. William E. Borah of Idaho, ill of grippe in a Washington hospital, was reported this morning to be in a "satisfactory" condition. His personal physician said last night there appeared to be no threat of pneumonia.

## DID GROUNDHOG SEE HIS SHADOW OR DIDN'T HE? YOU MIGHT SAY YES, OR YOU MIGHT SAY NO

Big Spring folk could take the groundhog legend just about any way they wanted to Thursday. It was Br'er Groundhog's day—if you believe in such. And, there was a little sunshine filtering through clouds early in the morning; so those sticklers for technicalities might assert that the little animal saw his shadow. If Br'er Groundhog wasn't out at the right time, though, he didn't see that shadow, for clouds obscured the sun most of the day. So, is winter with us another six weeks? You guess!

GOBBLER'S KNOB, Punxsutawney, Pa., Feb. 2 (AP)—Br'er Groundhog—the Punxsutawney one—saw his shadow today and that, legend has it, presages six more weeks of winter. Chiefs of the Punxsutawney Groundhog Lodge announced the

## Complete Bill To Abolish Tax Office

### Measure Now Goes To Governor For Executive Action

AUSTIN, Feb. 2 (AP)—The senate today completed passage of a bill to abolish the office of tax commissioner, concurring in house amendments by a vote of 26 to 2.

The office will be eliminated immediately upon signature of the measure by Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel. The bill probably will reach the governor's office early next week after completion of clerical details.

O'Daniel was given credit for passage of the proposal in a speech yesterday by Clint C. Small of Amarillo, dean of the senate.

Proponents estimated elimination of the department would effect a saving of more than \$50,000 a year. The small band of opponents contended it would result in a loss because of a reduction in tax collections. The comptroller will take over the duties now performed by the tax commissioner.

The house overrode one of its committees for the first time by voting to print a minority report on a bill calling for a \$10,000 appropriation to aid in prosecution of an anti-trust suit against four Texas cement manufacturing companies.

Rep. Paris Smith of Bay City, who led the fight for keeping the bill alive, said the only question "was whether you want the attorney general to investigate this trust." Opponents insisted the attorney general could handle the suit with part of his regular biennial appropriation. The appropriations committee had voted against the bill.

The house overwhelmingly adopted a resolution calling for a committee to investigate steadily increasing gasoline tax refunds. Rep. Lonnie Alsop of Carthage, author of the resolution, said he believed the law could be amended in such a way that refunds would be substantially reduced.

Bills introduced in the house included one by Rep. W. E. Pope of Corpus Christi to repeal the chain store tax law and another by Rep. George Howard of Houston amending the statute licensing professional engineers.

## BOSQUE COUNTY MAN IS PROPOSED FOR HIGHWAY POST

CORSICANA, Feb. 2 (AP)—The name of Carl L. Lovelady, county judge of Bosque county, is to be submitted to Governor O'Daniel today as a candidate for the post of Texas highway commissioner. The announcement was made here by Paul H. Miller, Navarro county judge.

Judge Lovelady is secretary-treasurer of the County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas.

## VOTE TO MAKE STATE AUDITOR APPOINTIVE

AUSTIN, Feb. 2 (AP)—The senate voted 23 to 4 today to make the state auditor appointive by a legislative committee instead of the governor.

Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel had recommended the move. If the bill receives more than 100 affirmative votes in the house it will become effective as soon as the governor signs it.

## Movie-Radio Fight In The Offing? There's Talk As Zanuck Takes Tyron Power Off The Air

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 2 (AP)—If the barring of Tyron Power from the air means Producer Darryl F. Zanuck wants the movies to start a war with radio, it appeared today he will have it.

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Zanuck's action, announced yesterday, will remove his vyper-star after next Sunday from a dramatic program on which he has been appearing. The producer said he was taking cognizance of many protests from film exhibitors, who contend that when stars are on the air patrons stay home to listen to them. Radio sources, however, said Power quit the program in an argument over introduction of a commercial announcement between acts of his play.

Zanuck contended stars as well as exhibitors suffer, "because it is so hard to get adequate material for their programs, especially when they must present something new each week."

In recent years, radio and films have hired freely of each other's talent. Jack Benny, Gracie Allen, Bob Burns, Bing Crosby, Cecil B. De Mille, Rudy Vallee, Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy, Eddie Cantor, Al Jolson, Robert Taylor, Edward G. Robinson, are equally familiar to screen fans and radio listeners.

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## HOT CONTROVERSY RAGES OVER SALE OF U. S. PLANES

### Roosevelt Calls Conference On Army Needs, While Republicans Call For Further Explanation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 (AP)—President Roosevelt called a White House conference on army needs today, amid a crackling dispute on the sale of American-made planes abroad.

Members of the house appropriations subcommittee, which will frame the war department appropriation bill, were there. Louis Johnson, assistant secretary of war, presided then by a few minutes.

White House officials said Chairman Taylor (D-Colo) of the house appropriations committee requested the discussion. They added they did not believe the meeting would be as all-inclusive as the secrecy-shrouded gathering of the senate military committee Tuesday.

Secretary Morgenthau, who administered the treasury's \$2,000,000,000 stabilization fund, denied today it had been used to help France or any other power buy military supplies or merchandise in this country, "directly or indirectly."

Asked whether the stabilization fund might have been involved in the French plane deal, the secretary said: "The stabilization fund has not been used directly or indirectly or in any way whatsoever to help any country make any purchase of merchandise."

The stabilization fund, created out of the profit of dollar devaluation in 1934, conducts foreign exchange market operations in an effort to stabilize the dollar in reference to foreign currencies.

Morgenthau said secrecy was necessary to the fund's operations, adding that its usefulness would be lessened by the full publicity advocated by Senator Lodge (R-Mass) and others.

Republicans demanded that the senate military committee summon airplane manufacturers to clear up the question of whether army orders and foreign orders both could be handled.

Senator Austin (R-Vt) said the five republican members of the committee wanted first hand information because this was a vital question in the controversy over proposed sale of the latest type of military planes to France.

The projected sale aroused a stormy debate in the senate yesterday, with critics of the president demanding that he state his foreign policy publicly.

An assertion that the domestic armament program would be slowed considerably if planes were sold to France was made by a member of the senate military committee, who declined to be quoted by name.

On the other hand, G. Grant Mason of the Civil Aeronautics Authority, was reported to have testified that even if the French purchased 60 light bombers, they could obtain delivery long before the end of the war.

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## ROBT. PRAGER FIRST PURCHASER OF NEW LICENSE PLATES

Robert Prager gained the distinction Thursday of being the first person in Howard county to secure his 1939 license plates. He was issued No. 679-051, the first in a series of 6,000 numbers for the county.

McCall Gary, Dallas, who maintains a legal residence in Big Spring, secured the first commercial tag No. 112-501. These license plates may be bought during the month of February but may not be placed on cars until March 1. All motor vehicles must have them on not later than April 1.

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## HE ESCAPED



William D. Fagin, 28, above, a mule skinner, raced to safety with his mule when the roof of a mine near Ficher, Okla., started falling. Five other miners were trapped and lost their lives; two others were injured.

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AUSTIN, Feb. 2 (AP)—Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel today appointed Raymond L. Dillard of Mexia, to serve out the unexpired term of Tom L. Beauchamp on the state parks board.

Beauchamp was appointed secretary of state by Governor O'Daniel last year.

READ AND RHONE FEATURE GOLDEN GLOVES BOUT TONIGHT

The Sports Parade

By HANK HART

Especially pleased over Ellis Read's showing against determined Allen Steff in the Golden Gloves boxing show last night were Trainers Bob Stinnett and Roy Stice.

Patrons hardly got a look-in at Rhone last night as he disposed of DeWain Cox in less than a round last night. His victory was not impressive since his opponent offered no resistance, went down with the first flurry of punches, was counted out on one knee.

Alton Bostick and Bobby Martin, Big Spring's hopes in middle and feather divisions, respectively, withdrew from competition due to interference with school work.

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Random notes on the survivors: Ynes Yanes, flyweight, Big Spring—With Bob Stinnett's coaching, Ynes is boxing much better than he did last year.

Bob Weaver, flyweight, Kermit—This may be the boy to upset Yanes... Has a powerful left hand that doesn't always connect.

Jim Harrison, feather, Colorado—This protégé of Truett Fulcher fights much in the manner of the heavy champion. Uses no form, depends on his ability to slug it out to win his matches.

Edgar Griggers, feather, Kermit—Keeps that right in opponent's face at all times... Is in good shape and keeps cool... Prefers to let opponent carry fight.

Jack Childress, feather, Midland—This boy has most of the requirements for a good feather but lacks stamina... Uses his height and reach to good advantage.

Dixie Jaye, feather, Monahans—A wild swinger, favors a left hand, saves strength at all times... Knows when to rally.

Ellis Read, lightweight, Big Spring—A finished product... Has everything required... Only questionable weakness is body... Can shift attack at a wink.

Ruffian Rhone, lightweight, Kermit—Had little opportunity with DeWain Cox, Grand Falls, last night... May be open to a left hand punch... Must be considered a distinct threat, however.

Richard Gibson, welter, Big Spring—Possesses best defense in the tournament... Needs only a layup punch to go places.

Like Read, he can switch attack and is learning "in-fighting." Junior Gibson, welter, Grand Falls—A rock... Must possess great right hand... His looping

KING PIN IS IMPRESSIVE WITH KAYO

The kayo victories of Ellis Read and Ruffian Rhone, who tonight will meet for the lightweight title, featured the semi-finals of the Herald-Cosden Golden Gloves boxing tournament in which three Big Spring boys survived along with a quartet of Malcolm Bridges' Kermit delegation, two Coloradoans, as many Monahans products and solitary swingers of Grand Falls, Midland and Crane.

One division crown bearer has already been decided. He is Truett Fulcher, Colorado, defending Texas Golden Gloves champion, who dusted off Wilmer Jenkins, willing Snyder youth, in less than a heat in Wednesday's final bout.

Rhone, a former Olympic boxer, is all they said he was and his bout with Read this evening looms as the main event of a card that is expected to draw the largest crowd of the four-day tournament into the spacious auditorium. He had little chance to open up in his single bout last night, disposing of DeWain Cox, Grand Falls, in exactly 33 seconds. Rhone bounced across the ring, caught Cox almost on the ropes with a body attack and Cox dropped to one knee for the count.

Read had a much tougher customer to handle but he accomplished the job effectively. Allen Steff, another Grand Falls laddie, gave and took for two rounds with the little champion but he failed to report for the third. Read was stalking him from the start, switching his attack smartly from head to body and Steff never managed to get in but one clean blow, that a stiff right squarely on the button that momentarily stunned the Big Spring.

Falls To Report Ellis several times ripped Steff's head with jolting uppercuts that had the Grand Falls scrapper hanging on. The invader's magnificent defense pattered late in the second and he took a terrific beating around the mouth. The steam was gone from his punches and when he retired to his corner he decided not to return.

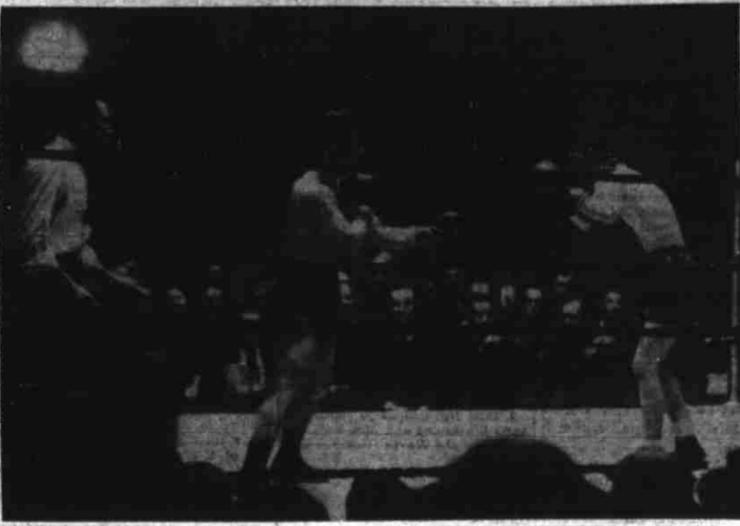
No less sensational was Richard Gibson's one round job of Leslie Cochran, Monahans, in a welter go. GIB powdered Cochran's face and body constantly with both hands from the beginning and the visitor hit the resin four times before he stayed there. It is becoming increasingly evident that the Big Spring boy is not going to be beaten as long as he can't be hit and he's not going to be hit as long as he features the attacks he's had used thus far.

Two of the local boys sailed out of the running but departed the difficult way. Red Wallace, middleweight, faltered before the attack of Monahans' C. J. Seale in a match so close that it could have gone either way while Dolores Yanes was outpointed by Bob Weaver, Kermit, in a flyweight match. That duel, too, was close and came after a slip decision of the judges.

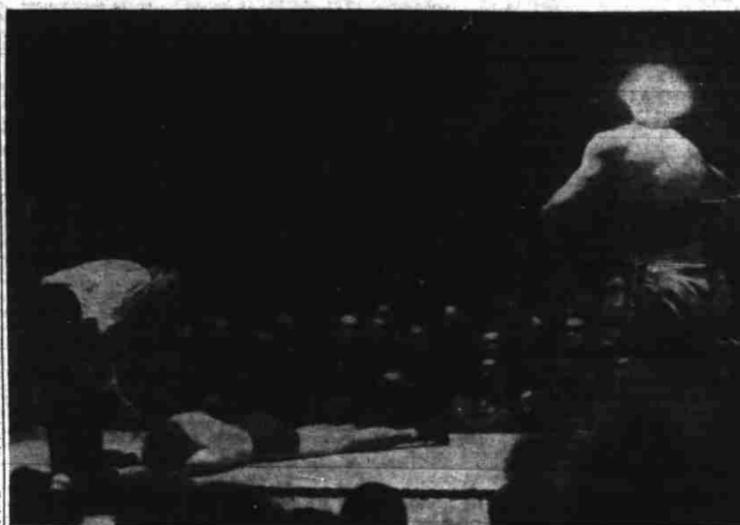
The evening's first walk saw Ynes Yanes, Big Spring flyweight, qualify to meet Weaver by earning See HEAD, Page 9, Col. 1

Directors of the local WT-NM baseball league franchise are awaiting word for the executive committee's first meeting of the new year. Comes the following wire from league headquarters in Dallas: "RETEL I AM WAITING NEWS OR MORE DEFINITE PROGRESS AT AMARILLO AND OTHER PROBABLE SITES FOR LOCATION OF WINK AND HOBBS FRANCHISES. I SHOULD LIKE TO HOLD MEETING AS SOON AS POSSIBLE NOW BUT AM DELAYING FOR REASONS NAMED. THINGS LOOK GOOD. FIRMLY BELIEVE LEAGUE WILL BE MUCH STRONGER THIS YEAR. X X X MILTON E. PRICE (President)

GOLDEN GLOVES ACTION



IT WAS GIVE AND TAKE. Flurry of action in this prelim match between Lammey's O. B. Maxwell, left, and Bobby Martin, Big Spring, feather. Martin won out by scoring knockdowns in the second and third rounds.



QUICK FINISH. J. B. Curry rests in a neutral corner while Referee Bob Royall completes his tally over Marvin Daugherty, Knott, in a lightweight welter preliminary match. It was the second knockdown of the first round for the Lamson boy and qualified him for the semi-finals.

Yanks To Be Tougher Than Ever, Says Joe McCarthy

Gallagher And Hildebrand To Be Tested

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP)—Marse Joe McCarthy, down to a mere 186 pounds, ambled in from the banquet circuit today and made no bones about his calm confidence the Yankees are a shoo-in for their fourth straight baseball championship.

Joe figures, as every manager does, his pitching will tell the story this season. That Yankee pitching is just about as good as you'll find in the league. Thinking it over, Marse Joe rubbed that big square Irish jaw of his and decided he'll string along with Ruffing, Gomez and Monte Pennon for the nub of the season. Who wouldn't?

McCarthy is particularly high on his rookies, and is particularly sold on Joe Gallagher, wallowing out of the Pittsburgh Pirate outfielder who won last year.

Waner, rated one of the best linkmen among the baseballers, was a strong favorite to repeat, but in his path stood such formidable opponents as Wes Ferrell, the New York Yankee pitcher who won the inaugural tournament at Sarasota in 1936; Jack Russell, Chicago Cubs moundman, and Helms Munnah, Brooklyn outfielder.

JOE KIRKWOOD, TRICK GOLFER, IS CANDID CAMERA ADDICT

Now that Texas is seeking a state poet laureate, Golfer Joe Kirkwood, the trick exhibitioner who plays the local country club a visit Saturday afternoon, might well qualify. Joe-Joe claims to be as good as there is in stock. Next to shooting the grand old Scotch game and dribbling with a candid camera, the Australian likes nothing better than to compare his pen with that of John Masfield or H. Wadsworth Longfellow. And—he can swing a neat line when the urge arises, has evidence to back it up.

Joe has played over most of the leading golf courses of the world, has made candid snapshots of some of the more interesting places, written about them. All in all, his has been an interesting experience that got it's start back two decades ago. Joe recently said he had played over more than 2,600 different courses, a record in itself.

The Aussie can shoot shipshape golf, too, when the heat is on. During his time he has bagged the Australian, Canadian and North and South Opens.

Debuted At Pinehurst His first American appearance was at Pinehurst in 1921. He initiated his trickery by driving a golf pellet off a watch (a good one) and hitting a ball out of a person's mouth, and if you think the latter trick is not hard, then try it with your favorite relative. Since, he has added hundreds of weird tricks.

He really got his start in golf trickery back on his home course in Melbourne, Australia, where the club house was used for a convalescent home for wounded soldiers. Entertaining these injured men was a problem so they often called on Joe to show them the finer points of golf. His trick shots were crude at that time, many of them being just his regular slices or hooks but they gave him an idea.

He's playing around over this sector perfecting his game for the coming Texas Open tournament at San Antonio.

Sports Roundup

By EDDIE BRIEZE

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP)—Prof. Artie McGovern has the right idea... Pictures show him beginning his career as trainer of the Dodgers by massaging the splinters out of their heads... Mike Jacobs intends to run fight shows in the Garden all summer to take care of the world's fair rush (he hopes)...

Correction: Art Rooney says that year ago Whizzer White returning \$5,000 of his \$15,000 salary is pure bunk... Joe Jacobs flew in from Detroit last night to head the Max Schmeling welcoming delegation... "Evil Eye" Finkle, who goes about the country putting the old hex on fighters, will tell you how he does it via the airways next Thursday night.

Natie Brown hit Detroit swearing he is not going into the tank for Tony Galento tomorrow night... Good schools—All over the country have appropriated Jack-

sonville High's famous basketball show, "A Ticket, a Ticket, We Crave Another Basket"... Extra-Hamilton Junior High of Houston rang up 138 points the other night... Can anybody tie it?

The Philadelphia Evening Bulletin is exactly right—you can't blame Pop Warner for upheavals of nature such as Pitt, Villanova and that fellow Davey O'Brien... Dick Freeman prints it in the Houston Chronicle, so it must be so... A member of a foursome at Hermann park was about 150 yards from the green on the 18th hole... He sliced badly... The ball hit the trunk of a tree, and bounced back at the golfer... Enraged, the gust swung at the ball, connected squarely in mid air and, believe it or not, the ball sailed down the fairway, onto the green and—into the hole... And with that one school is positively out.

CAGE RESULTS By the Associated Press Sam Houston Teachers 40, San Marcos (Tex) Teachers 30. Daniel Baker 21, Hardin-Simmons 23. North Texas State 44, Stephen F. Austin 27.

Dauids, Forsan's Foe, Talented

Featuring numerous tricks concocted by Bill Steinecke himself and others that are naturally accumulated after long practice, the House of David Bearded Beauties move into Forsan Saturday night to give fans of that area the sort of basketball that has made them famous throughout the continent. Their opposition will be formed by an independent club of Forsan. The fray, with admission prices at 25 and 35 cents, will begin at 8 p. m. or immediately following a clash between high school teams of Coshoma and Sterling City.

Probably the most talented performer is Manager Steinecke, who learned his tricks at DePaul university, before taking up the basketball profession in Pittsburgh and Detroit. Billy has been associated with the Benton Harbor, Mich., for a decade. He indicated he believed that he had gathered his best team. The Beauties, not to be confused with George Johnson's crew, are making their first trip to Forsan. The Saturday show will probably be their only West Texas appearance.

Steers Defeat Garden City

Savage Leads Second Half Uprising

The Big Spring Steers got their offense clicking in the last two periods to defeat Garden City's Bearcats, 42-26, in an exhibition basketball fracas at the local gym Wednesday evening.

The invaders held the locals on fairly even terms through the first half but Bobby Savage started peppering the goal after the rest period and the others chipped in with valuable assistance. Savage dropped in seven field goals and a gratis pitch in the final 16 minutes of play and took high scoring honors for the tilt with 21 points.

The Kats' Ratliff sparked their futile rally, scoring ten points. In a preliminary game Coach John Daniel's reserves beat the Garden City second string after a courageous second half rally. Trailing 7-10 as they went into the final period Owen Brummett played a leading role that resulted in an 18-16 triumph. Brummett pumped in five points in that last half.

Box score (B game): Big Spring—fg ft pf tp House, f 1 0 3 2 Brummett, f 2 1 2 4 Seage, f 1 1 1 1 South, c 1 1 4 3 Watson, c 1 0 2 2 Fostick, g 2 0 2 4 McGuire, g 0 0 2 0 Martin, g 3 1 4 7 Rowe, g 0 0 0 0 Totals 19 4 21 42 Garden City—A. Cox, f 0 1 2 1 Cook, f 0 0 0 0 Ratliff, f 5 2 2 10 Swindall, c 2 1 1 5 B. Cox, g 0 0 0 0 Medina, g 1 0 1 4 Bell, g 0 1 4 1 Totals 10 6 10 26 Referee—Charles Smith.

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Moore Loboes Face A Busy Schedule

Meet Wayland Tonight, Game Carded With Big Spring

MOORE, Feb. 2—The exhibition basketball games between the Moore Loboes and the Wayland Junior college quintet of Plainview here Thursday evening will get underway at 7:15 p. m. Coach Arch Phillips announced.

A game between the reserves will follow the feature tilt. Admission will be 10 cents.

The Wayland teams move to Garner the following evening for a clash with Floyd Burnett's Hill Billies, who will exhibit there Saturday.

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Colorado Is Defeated By Forsan Five

Nixmen In Easy Win; Junior Team Tie In Long Battle

FORSAN, Feb. 2—Forsan school teams and the Colorado representatives came out even-Stephen in three basketball games here Wednesday evening with Brady Nix's first stringers coping an easy decision in the feature go, 37-12.

Colorado's reserves made off with the honors in the game of the "bench-warmers," 28-15, while the junior teams played to a 16-16 draw, quitting after four extra periods of play.

The game of the youngsters had one of the strangest finishes ever seen on the Forsan courts. Tied at 15-15 at the end of the opening period the two quintets battled through three extra periods before Bobby Cowley, Forsan star, and Colorado's Cooper committed a double foul. Each in turn sunk their free toss offerings. The two teams finally quit play, Colorado had taken an 8-3 lead at the end of the opening period, were in front, 16-8, at half time and were still leading at the finish of the third quarter, 15-11.

In the feature tilt the Wolves stopped Hollis Parker, dangerous Forsan center, without a point but they couldn't hobble Aquilla Fleet-Lake, Tommy McDonald and Carleton LaBett. McDonald was high with ten points.

The Bisons were trailing, 2-5, at the finish of the first eight minutes of play, were still behind at half time, 6-7, but their stock took a turn for the better in the third quarter. They tallied ten points and went out in front, 16-8.

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SOCIETY CLUB ACTIVITIES

THE WORLD OF WOMEN

FASHIONS ORGANIZATIONS

Philathea Class Gives Shower For Miss F. Ferguson

First Methodist Church Scene Of Farewell Party

A shower for Miss Frances Ferguson and a devotional by Mrs. J. C. Holden, foreign missionary, were features of the Philathea Sunday school class meeting Wednesday morning in the parlors of the First Methodist church which was followed by a covered dish luncheon.

STOMACH UPSETS?

Fort Worth, Texas — A. J. Williams, 1201 Lee Ave., says: "I suffered from acid indigestion and sour stomach, had no appetite and felt out of sorts. After using Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery I had more pep, slept better at night, my stomach no longer troubled me and I felt fit as a fiddle. Get it in tablets or liquid from your druggist today. See how much better you feel after using this tonic."

joined in singing the latter song. The review of "All This and Heaven, Too" by Rachel Field which was postponed last month will be given this month according to plans announced. The date will be set at the convenience of the reviewer, Mrs. W. J. McAdams, who was called from the city due to the illness of her father.

Plans for a social affair to be held next Wednesday evening for Mrs. C. A. Bickley of Abilene, former teacher of the class, were discussed and will be completed at the class meeting Sunday morning.

Guests and members were seated in groups about the numerous luncheon tables that were laid with the Valentine motif prevailing.

Registered were Mrs. Hayden Griffith, Mrs. Preston R. Sanders, Mrs. Fred Mitchell, Mrs. O. O. Craig, Mrs. Pat Harrison, Mrs. Albert Smith, Miss Frances Ferguson, Mrs. J. P. Ferguson, Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Haynes, Mrs. R. E. Satterwhite, Mrs. F. L. Eudy, Mrs. Merle J. Stewart, Mrs. N. W. McCleskey, Mrs. C. R. McClenny, Mrs. S. R. Nobles, Mrs. Duke Rogers, Mrs. Jake Bishop, Mrs. M. E. Cooley, Mrs. K. R. Woodford, Mrs. J. A. Pruitt, Mrs. Tom Buckner, Mrs. Lloyd Wasson, Mrs. R. F. Bluhm.

Although famed as a mining state, Colorado's principal activity is agriculture.

Maurice Bledsoe Is Honored With Surprise Birthday Party At Home

Maurice Bledsoe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sol Bledsoe was honored with a surprise party recently in observance of her 17th birthday anniversary. Patsy Mims and Mrs. Willard Hendrick were hostesses at the affair given in the Bledsoe home.

Mrs. Veldeva Childers To Have Mid-Winter Recital Here Friday

Pupils of Mrs. Veldeva Childers will be presented in a mid-winter recital to be given Friday evening at the First Presbyterian church at 8 o'clock.

- The public is invited to attend the recital. The program is as follows: 1. (a) Bohemian March, Mareah; (b) Carnival of Venice, Paganini; (c) Love's Old Sweet Song, Molloy; Violin ensemble—Anne Whetstone, Keith Slaughter, Henry Alton Thames, Bob Loper, J. C. Loper, Jr., Earl Roy Stephens, Bob Johnston, Wynona Reeves, Reba Hull, Jean McDowell, Billie Marie Harrison, Dick Clifton, Stanley Haynes, Durwood Haynes. 2. Priscilla (Corbridge)—Henry Alton Thames. 3. Mary Jane Waltz (Heltmann)—Edd Bloomer, Stanton, Texas. 4. Director's Choice March (Liddicoat)—Dick Clifton. 5. Etta Waltz (A. B. Kraemer)—Emelie Earl Scott. 6. The Cello (Mattingly)—Thelma Lane Scott. 7. In the Sweet Bye and Bye

Reports From Committees Are Heard At PTA

Units Meeting Standardization Requirements

For reports from committee chairmen and to make plans for February, the Parent-Teacher Association Council met Wednesday at 6 o'clock. Preceding the meeting, the P.T. A. Chorus met to learn new songs for appearances to be made in the spring.

The South Ward representatives reported a membership of 108 members and the high school of 105 members when the Council convened. All units told that they were meeting requirements for standardization.

Mrs. R. E. Blount reporting for the radio committee announced that a choral group under the direction of Miss Lurleen Paxton, composed of seventh grade pupils, would broadcast on a 15-minute program on Feb. 10.

Mrs. Wayne Pearce, speaking for the College Heights school, told of a benefit party to be given at the Crawford hotel on Feb. 8. The by-laws of the group were revised and subsequently adopted. Attending from Central Ward were Miss Huggins, Mrs. H. E. Howie, and Mrs. R. V. Middleton; West Ward, Mrs. Bob Phillips, Mrs. W. W. McCormick, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. Bart Wilkinson, and Mrs. Della Agnell; North Ward, Mrs. Roy C. Williams and Mrs. M. E. Boatman; East Ward, Mrs. Johnson Troup; South Ward, Mrs. W. E. Younger; College Heights, Mrs. Alton Smith and Mrs. Wayne Blount; High School, Mrs. H. W. Smith, Mrs. Bernard Lamun, and Mrs. Hayes Stripling. Also attending were George Gentry and Superintendent Blankenship.

Episcopal Church Chooses Vestrymen At Sunday Meeting

At a congregational meeting of the Episcopal church held Sunday, the following were chosen as vestrymen: V. Van Gieson, C. S. Blomshield, R. B. G. Cowper, B. O. Jones, Monroe Johnson, E. V. Spence, Walter Vastine, Jack Hodges, Seth Parsons, Carlson Hamilton, Bill Dawes and Edmund Nosteline.

Needle Point Club Plans Valentine Party Feb. 11

Making plans for a Valentine party for their husbands, members of the Needle Point club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Doyle Vaughn.

Mrs. C. E. Balch Is Hostess To Her Circle

Mrs. C. E. Balch was hostess to the Friendly Sewing circle Wednesday afternoon when it met in her home, 309 1-2 Owen. Mrs. Christensen was the only guest.

Sis Clements Home From Tech, Meets With Post-Deb Club

Sis Clements, a member of the Post-Deb club home from Tech for the day, met with the club when it convened in the home of Bobby Taylor Wednesday.

Class To Meet

The Susannah Wesley class of the First Methodist church will meet at 3 o'clock Friday in the parlors of the church. They will conduct a business and social hour.

Guest Of Brother

Mrs. Ray Baldwin of Jasper, Tex. is visiting her brother, Dr. E. O. Ellington, for several weeks.

Mrs. Carl Strom Entertains The Bluebonnet Club

Red and white were the colors carried out in the decorations and heart-shaped boxes were favors when the Bluebonnet club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Carl Strom.

Mrs. Charles Watson had high score. Mrs. J. B. Hodges won consolation, and Mrs. Jimmie Tucker blinged.

Mrs. Roy Tidwell Meets With Her Former Club Here

Mrs. Roy Tidwell, a former member, was present when the V-S club was entertained Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Willard Smith.

Mrs. Carl Merrick had club high score and Mrs. A. D. Webb had second high score. Mrs. Leon S. Cole blinged.

Mrs. G. A. Glenn And Mrs. Stalcup Guests Of Club

Mrs. G. A. Glenn and Mrs. Harry Stalcup were included as guests when the Wednesday Bridge club met with Mrs. W. M. Gage.

Mrs. Westmoreland Is Honored With A Birthday Affair

Mrs. J. A. Westmoreland was surprised with a birthday party when the Daisy Sewing club met in the home of Mrs. Harry Montgomery Wednesday.

Three Guests Meet With Justamere Club Wednesday

Mrs. Joe Pond, Mrs. Shine Phillips and Mrs. R. B. G. Cowper were included as guests when the Justamere club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Carl Blomshield.

1938 Bridge Club Meets With Mrs. C. Guthrie

Mrs. Cecil Guthrie was hostess to the 1938 Bridge club when it met Wednesday in her apartment at the Settles hotel.

Mrs. Halstead Guest At Sew Achile Club Meet

Mrs. Dolly Halstead of Wichita Falls was included as only guest when Mrs. Joe Howell entertained the Sew Achile club in her home Wednesday.

Returns To Ardmore

Miss Stella Willingham, who has been living with Mrs. E. C. Gaylor here for the past year has returned to her home in Ardmore, Okla. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wiggins and son, Kenneth Ray. The Wiggins will visit with relatives in Ardmore for a few days before returning home.

"Star In The East" Reviewed By Minister

Auxiliary Holds Supper And Book Review At Church

To hear Dr. D. F. McConnell review "Star in the East," and for a supper served by the auxiliary, 95 persons met Wednesday evening at the First Presbyterian church.

The book, written by Dr. D. Fulton, a missionary in the East, deals with the growth of Christianity in Japan, China, and Korea. It tells first of the work of pioneer missionaries and continues to present day work in the field. Dr. McConnell brought out the author's viewpoint that the present undeclared war being waged between China and Japan today has furthered the work of the gospel and has removed opposition to missionaries in China. "The light of day is appearing in China," quoted Dr. McConnell, "and the star has risen in the eastern sky."

A free-will offering was taken amounting to \$24.35 which is the self-denial offering from the group for foreign missions.

The committee in charge of the supper was Mrs. R. V. Middleton, Mrs. A. A. Porter, and Mrs. Carl Strom. They were assisted by Mrs. Neil Hilliard, Mrs. C. D. Dunagan, Mrs. L. E. Morris, Mrs. H. D. Stanley, Mrs. N. J. Allison, Mrs. Emory Duff, and Mrs. G. D. Lee.

Others registering were Beulah Cantrike, W. E. Cantrike, C. R. Dunagan, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pritchett, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Heater, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Koons, Mrs. Raymond Winn, Dr. and Mrs. McConnell, Mrs. R. V. Tucker, Maurine Ward, Mrs. R. K. Mueckler, Mrs. L. S. McDowell, Herbert W. Whitney, Mrs. Anna D. Whitney, Mrs. W. F. Cushing, Mrs. Otero Green, Mrs. E. L. Barrick, Mrs. J. O. Tammitt, Mrs. Blanche Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Piner, Clara Seccreat, Mrs. R. L. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Currie, A. A. Porter, Mrs. George Chollar of Fort Worth, Mrs. J. E. Friend, Carl Strom, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McComb, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Fahrkamp, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stipp, Lucile Donnell, Emory Duff, Mildred Chestam, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Strain, Mrs. Frank Knuss, Mrs. Herschel Pottery, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Boatler, Sarah McClendon, Ruth Thompson, Elsie Falk, Mrs. Tom Donnelly, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Jr., Ralph Sheets, Jesse Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Hank McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Talbot, S. A. Melton, Dell McComb, E. O. Ellington, Mr. and Mrs. Dorothy Carmack, Ann Talbot, Constance McIntire, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Peeler, Agnes Currie, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Porter, Billy Kent, W. H. Crenshaw, and Richard Thompson.

L.A.P.M. Install Officers Here At Night Meeting

For installation of officers, the Ladies Auxiliary of Patriarch Militants met Wednesday evening at the Odd Fellows hall.

Mrs. Dora Madison of Sweetwater was installed as president and Mrs. Leota Johnson of Midland as vice president. Mrs. L. L. Gully, secretary and Mrs. Willie Nell, treasurer, were both installed.

Others included Mrs. Amanda Hughes of Knott, chaplain; Mrs. Roseanne Fuller of Midland, secretary; Captain C. O. Fuller of Midland, officer of the guards; Col. J. B. Nell, Jr., officer of the day; Major D. C. Lykina of Midland, drill captain; and Mrs. Ella Lloyd, musician.

American Legion To Postpone Meet Until Monday Night

The regular meeting of the American Legion auxiliary which was scheduled for Thursday evening has been postponed until Monday evening when the group will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the Settles hotel.

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ADDITIONAL TICKETS PURCHASED FOR RURAL DINNER

An encouraging amount of interest Thursday increased the list of...

Big Spring men buying tickets to the Moore community dinner next Tuesday evening to 33.

the women of the Moore community. Arrangements were being completed for the local portion of the program for the neighborly visit to Moore.

Those making reservations Thursday were George T. Thomas, J. W. Eirod, Arthur Woodall, Ira Driver, Dan Hudson, J. D. Elliott, Nat Shick, T. B. Currie and J. B. Harrison.

CAR REGISTRATION ABOVE LAST YEAR

While new car sales have lagged over last year, registration of passenger vehicles has shown a decided increase, records at the county tax collector's office showed Thursday.

Registration of passenger cars in 46 days ahead of last year in reaching the 6,000 mark. This figure was reached on Feb. 1, whereas a year ago the 6,000 passenger license was not issued until March 15. On Feb. 1, 1938, there had been registered 5,768 passenger vehicles.

MAN ABOUT Manhattan

by GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK—Short short story in quotes: News item: "Ethel Waters, blues singer, has been signed for the role of Hagar in Guthrie McClintie's forthcoming production of 'Mama's Daughters,' a dramatization of Dubose Heyward's novel of negro life along the Charleston, S. C., waterfront. Miss Waters' previous experience has been confined to revues, nightclubs, and concert halls. She has never appeared in a straight drama on the legitimate stage."

"I'm no actress. I don't know how to act. I get choked and dizzy and I don't know what's going on when I get up there... I wanted to start from the beginning. I wanted to work my way up. I wanted to try a straight play. Does it sound crazy to come right out and say I pray-

ed? Does it sound crazy?... Listen, Missie, I won't feel no offense if you put down I'm a little screwy."

"Ethel Waters, in an interview. "Ethel Waters put aside her famous nightclub and revue capers last evening to tread the old boards of the Empire theatre in her debut as a dramatic actress, an eventful occasion which turned at the final curtain into an ovation for the star. To that general uproar I would like to add these ink-stained asides for a performance of such warmth, and power, and simplicity that it ultimately swept, along with its very reticent and sprawling tragedy."—John Anderson, critic.

"Last night was Ethel Waters' triumph. The Ethel Waters who has enriched many a musical comedy and revue with her eloquent singing of negro songs, who gave a concert not long ago at Carnegie Hall, came to the old Empire theatre as a dramatic actress in 'Mama's Daughters,' and established herself as one of the finest of actresses, white or black."—Arthur Pollock, critic.

"Those of you who know Miss Waters as a superb singer of songs in musical revues will be amazed to see at the Empire theatre a new Ethel Waters, singing spirituals with artistry and genuine emotion and acting a demanding role magnificently."—Robert Colman, critic.

"There is, to be sure, small opportunity... for display of Miss Waters' ability to stir the heart with her voice, but in the main the drama demands a great deal more than that. It requires sustained acting through two and a half hours, during which she is almost constantly on the stage, and almost constantly engaged in playing upon the emotions of the audience. She met all these demands so capably, so sincerely, and so simply that there were apparently no dissenters in the audience that cheered her at the final curtain."—Sidney H. Whipple, critic.

"Again and again she seems in her own person to be writing Hagar for the Heywards' next play. Even when the text is no more than a scenario for a silent movie, she manages to turn it into a talkie. Her very pantomime can be so eloquent that it seems wired for sound."—John Mason Brown, critic.

Note: If Miss Waters is really on the level about not being able to act, she ought to drop all those critics a note and put them wise. After all, even critics appreciate a tip now and then.

New Tire Hailed As Contribution To Auto Safety

Introduced to the motoring public a few weeks ago, the new Firestone Champion tire, a product of years of speedway experience and laboratory research, has already won the recognition of American motorists as one of the truly great safety contributions in the history of the motor car, according to Tom Cook, manager of the local Firestone Auto Supply & Service store.

"Although smartly streamlined and ultra-modern in appearance, with a revolutionary new Gear Grip tread pattern, most of the major structural advantages of the new Firestone Champion tire are not outwardly apparent," explains a Cook. "Headlining these new structural features is a revolutionary new type of cord called 'Safety Lock.' It is constructed of fine quality cotton fibre, tightly twisted by a new process into strands of high tensile strength. Treated by the famous Firestone patented process of gum-dipping, the 'Safety Lock' cord is still further strengthened and each fibre is locked in every cord, each cord is locked in every ply and the plies are locked together to form the body of the tire. The result is a much stronger tire body that provides the utmost in blowout protection. In addition, the new Gear Grip tread is inseparably locked to the Safety-Lock cord body.

"Because of the stronger cord body, tread thickness has been increased without danger of separation. This feature, aided by the use of a new and tougher tread stock provides a substantial increase in non-skid mileage."

COAHOMA STUDENTS WILL PRESENT A PROGRAM SUNDAY

COAHOMA, Feb. 2—Students in the first seven grades of the Coahoma school system will be presented Sunday at 4 p. m. in a program of song, Emilee Ramsey, director of public school music in the elementary grades, announced today.

The program will consist mainly of group numbers with special selections by the various classes. The program is the first of its type attempted in the Coahoma schools this year, but others are planned, said Miss Ramsey.

Coahoma patrons and Big Spring people were invited to attend the program which will be held in the Coahoma high school auditorium. There is to be no charge.

TRUSTEE ELECTION DATES ARE FIXED

Two unofficial school trustee elections are due to be held within the next week, Anne Martin, county superintendent, said Thursday. Friday from 4 p. m. until 6 p. m. such an election will be held at the Chalk school to determine sentiment for selection of a successor to the late Otis Chalk, for whom the school is named. Monday an unofficial vote is slated for Vealmoor to find a successor for Paul Boggan, who has moved out of the district into Dawson county.

D. W. Hayworth was the choice of voters last Monday at Moore to succeed G. J. Couch, resigned, who moved into the Fairview district.



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Fancy CARROTS Large Bunches ... 2c

GRAPEFRUIT 126 Size ... Dozen 15c

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Texas CABBAGE Lb. .... 1 1/2c

TOMATOES No. 1 Can 5c No. 2 Can 7c; 3 for 20c

APRICOTS Gallon Can ... 38c

CRISCO 3 lb. Can ... 49c

ORANGES Sunkist 344 Size ... Dog. 10c

Banner Creamery BUTTER Lb. .... 27c

SPINACH OR GREEN BEANS

No. 2 Can 10c 3 For 25c

Del Monte Golden Bantam CORN Vacuum Packed 15c 2 For ... 25c

Gold Bar PEACHES, PEARS APRICOTS No. 1 can ... 10c

Chuck Wagon CHILI BEANS 8c .... 2 for .... 15c

CREAM MEAL 20 lb. Sack ... 38c

Pillsbury's PANCAKE FLOUR 1 1-4 lb. Sack ... 9c 4 lb. Sack ... 19c

MOTHER'S OATS Large Package Premiums ... 25c

Vienna Sausage Can ... 5c

Potted Meat 2 Cans 5c

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Yams East Texas Kiln Dried lb. 3c

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Plymouth COFFEE 1 lb. pkg. 15c

Peaches Campus No. 2 1-2 Can 12 1/2c

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### ITEMS FROM MOORE

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bender and family have moved to Big Spring to make their home.

### UNDER BONDS ON A NARCOTICS CHARGE

HOUSTON, Feb. 2 (AP)—Dr. George R. Taylor of Angleton, physician for the Texas prison system, was under \$1,500 bond today on a charge of violating the federal narcotics act.

### COAHOMA NEWS

G. M. Borwell has gone to Denton on a business trip.

### RICHLAND NEWS

A. M. Bryant took the examinations in the extension course being offered by Howard Payne college in Big Spring.

### Fairview News

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Thomas were in Dallas over the weekend, when Mrs. Thomas had her eyes tested by a specialist who has been treating her.

### OKLAHOMANS STUDY STATEMENT ON WATER PROJECTS

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 2 (AP)—Oklahoma state senators today pondered a message from Secretary of Ward Woodring in connection with flood control projects.

### COAHOMA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dunham are the parents of a boy, born Friday at the Big Spring hospital.

### COAHOMA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Turner, Johnnie Bob and Virginia Sue have returned home after spending a week in Winfield, Kan.

### COAHOMA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Devaney and Mr. and Mrs. Smith Cockran attended the tournament in Garden City last weekend.

### COAHOMA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stamps and children visited with Mrs. Stamps' brother, Odie Wolf of Monahan last weekend.

### MRS. ROOSEVELT THE BEST TIPPER

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP)—Half-way dining car workers gave the palm today to Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt—as the most generous tipper among women patrons.

### JANE GETS WISE TO WHAT MEN WANT IN COFFEE



JANE, I HAD THE SWELLEST COFFEE YESTERDAY—THE NEW RADIANT ROAST MAXWELL HOUSE. YOU NEVER TASTED ANYTHING SO RICH AND MELLOW IN YOUR LIFE!

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Sugar	48c	Bacon	20c
Tobacco	10c	Cutlets	29c
Corn Flakes	8c	Liver	25c
Coffee	25c	Cured Ham	29c
Meal	10c	Sausage	15c
Butter	15c	Roast	17c
Catsup	10c	Steak	15c

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Scoggins and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Newton and Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Newton attended the funeral for Mrs. J. R. White at Coahoma Friday.

### SAFEGWAY'S LOWER PRICES

Sugar	10 lb.	47c
Corn	Brand	3 Cans 19c
Brooms	Wallingford	Each 17c
Cake Flour	Swans-down	Reg. Pkg. 21c
Baking Powder	Calumet	16 oz. Can 21c

### BEANS 'N RICE

At Special Sale Prices for a Whole Week

Pinto Beans	58 oz. Pkg.	25c
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Blue Rose Rice	3 lb. Pkg.	15c

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Grapefruit	Texas Seedless 64 Size	4 for 15c
Winesap Apples	180 Size	Doz. 17c
Russet Potatoes	10 lb. Meah Bag	29c
Fancy Yams	6 lbs.	25c
Cabbage	lb.	1c
Fresh Carrots	2 Bunches	5c
Rutabaga Turnips	lb.	4c
Yellow Onions	3 lbs.	10c

### SAFEGWAY'S LOWER PRICES

Mammy Lou MEAL	10 lb. Bag	25c
MEAL	20 lb. Bag	39c
Kitchen Craft FLOUR	12 lb. Bag	37c
FLOUR	24 lb. Bag	65c
FLOUR	48 lb. Bag	\$1.19
Purity OATS	42 oz. Pkg.	15c

### SAFEGWAY'S LOWER PRICES

Tender Hockless	Sugar Cured	Pound 19c
Picnics	Dressed	27c
Fat Hens	and Drawn	Pound 49c
Fryers	Dressed	Each 49c
Sausage	100% Pure Pork	lb. 15c
Cottage Cheese	lb.	10c
Fresh Oysters	pr.	23c
Side Bacon	Sliced	lb. 23c
Beef Roast	Prime Seven	lb. 19c
Sliced Bacon	Corn King	lb. 20c
Sliced Bacon	Sunvale	lb. 24c
Dried Apricots	lb.	23c
Dried Peaches	2 lbs.	25c
Dried Prunes	3 lbs.	19c
3 Minute Oats Lg.	Pkg.	17c
Silk Tissue	3 Rolls	10c
Vigo Dog Food	16 oz. can	5c
French Mustard	2 Jars	25c
Jell-Well Dessert	4 pkgs.	15c
Choice Branded Beef Steak	Loin - Round or T-Bone	Pound 29c
Crackers	Fresh Crisp	lb. 15c
Lifebuoy Soap	3 Reg. Rolls	19c
Crystal White Soap	6 Giant Bars	23c
Fluffiest Marshmallows	2 Cello 1 lb. Bag	25c

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Bugs - McKinney	Piggly Wiggly
Hodges Grocery	Frank Pool Food Market
B. O. Jones Grocery	Reed Grocery
Lakeview Gro. & Mkt.	Robinson and Sons
Linck's Food No. 1	Safeway Stores

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of Big Spring were Sunday visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Langley.

### SHORTENING

4-lb ctn	39c	8-lb ctn	77c
Stokelys Kraut	10c	Delmaiz Corn	10c
Finest Quality No. 2 1/2 Can	10c	Green Giant Peas Big Tender Peas No. 308 Can	15c
		Lux Flakes Saves Colors Large Pkg.	23c

### SALEWAY

Airway Coffee Fresh Ground 3-lb bag ..... 42c

# O'Daniel

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would be too severe." The state board unanimously recommended against a commutation to life imprisonment.

## "DOING ALL RIGHT"

HUNTSVILLE, Feb. 2 (AP)—The excitement over Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's language in granting a 30-day reprieve to Winsell Williams, killer awaiting death in the electric chair, failed to reach the negro's death cell today.

Informed the governor granted the reprieve so Williams "may suffer this dreadful punishment" of seeing death "staring him in the face day and night for 30 days," the negro said.

"In spite of what Mr. O'Daniel said, I'm doing all right." He asserted "I'm feeling pretty good," and said he was appreciative "from my heart" for the stay of sentence.

Williams admitted his guilt in the killing of a Dallas man, but said trembling fingers, and not wilful action, caused him to shoot the dairyman, E. B. Atwood.



**MECHANICS WENT FOR 'GREASY' PIG**, but not very successfully when a small porker lubricated with hair oil was turned loose during a sports event at Sydney, Australia.

# Groundhog

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sun? The sun wasn't shining today anywhere in this area." The legend of Gobbler's Knob started 41 years ago when seven men got together, bought a keg of beer and climbed to the knob to hunt groundhogs. They routed out one, fried it in butter and ate it.

They liked the jaunt so much they founded a club that eventually grew into an organization of 500, including many notables.

Over in the eastern part of the state, there are rival groundhog "prophets" at Quarryville and another in the Lehigh valley at Allentown.

The Quarryville lodgemen, as custom dictates, will not announce the forecast until tonight.

Lodge members at Quarryville voted Vice President John Nance Garner an honorary member this year.

Senators Austin, Nye of North Dakota, Holman of Oregon, Gurney of South Dakota, and Bridges of New Hampshire. All of them said, however, they did not favor divulging military secrets.

The republicans announced they favored a policy of selling war supplies to all countries truly neutral.

By implication they exempted Japan, although the neutrality act has not been invoked in the Sino-Japanese struggle. Plane manufacturers voluntarily stopped sales to Japan last summer at Secretary Hull's request.

The republicans proposed three stipulations to foreign sales: that the United States have priority use of all new devices and new developments, that it have the right to cancel any contract if it became apparent the sales would injure the United States, and that all sales be for cash.

## DICK NORTON GOES TO DALLAS POST

## Controversy

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The army would have funds available for its own new craft. Senator Barkley of Kentucky, the democratic leader, told the senate during yesterday's argument there was no truth in intimations foreign sales would retard development of the army air corps to its proposed 5,500 planes.

He declared plans in this country had sufficient capacity to take care of army needs and fill foreign orders.

Senator Clark (D-Mo), pressing for publication of most of the record of the committee's inquiry into the projected plane sales to France, was promised united support in this move by the republican committeemen. They are

## HOME BAKERY IS DISCONTINUING BUSINESS

James Currie, owner of the Home Bakery, said Thursday that he was discontinuing operations here for the time being, having sold a portion of his equipment.

The remainder of his baking machinery has been stored. The bakery enjoyed a long period of business activity here. Currie having served Big Spring and area for the past 16 years.

## Mrs. Hall Gives A Birthday Party For Daughter

STANTON, Feb. 2 (Sp) — Mrs. Morgan Hall entertained with a party Wednesday afternoon honoring her daughter, Jo Jon, on her fourth birthday anniversary. After an afternoon spent in playing various games a large birthday cake was cut. Favors of candy and valentines were presented to the guests.

Those present were Olga Joy and Danna Sue Daniels, Mariann Forrest, Sheila Epley, Nancy Lee Shortes, of Odessa, Gene Moses, Marlene DeBerry, Joan Jones, Patsy Cawthron, Mary Lynn Hamilton, Louena McCoy, Yotsie Barfield, George Bond, Jr., Bobby Bryan, John Dale Kelly, Gilbert Sadler Graves, Johnny and Zand, Leroy Gibson, Holt Priddy, David McPherson, Ray Simpson, Jr., James McCoy and John Cal Woody.

## Stanton Man Honored On His Birthday

STANTON, Feb. 2 (Sp) — Celebrating the 49th birthday anniversary of L. M. Estes, Mrs. Estes entertained Sunday with a dinner at their ranch home.

Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hall, Jo Jon and Jerry Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Luna, and Mary Jo Luna, of Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Sadler, Russell and Billy Jake Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Miller Self Estes, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Houston, Ned Herrington, Wilmer Price, Wayne Williams and Josephine Houston.

## Mrs. Slusser In Charge Of Firemen Ladies Meet

Announcing that Mrs. Ada Arnold's team were winners in a contest being staged, members of the Ladies Society of the B. of L. F. and E. met Wednesday afternoon at the W. O. W. hall with Mrs. Gladys Slusser presiding in the absence of Mrs. Minnie Skalkley.

Others attending were Mrs. Dora Sholte, Mrs. Frances Deason, Mrs. Beale Powers, Mrs. Birdie Adams, Mrs. Minnie Barbee, Mrs. Susie Welson, Mrs. Flora Jones, Mrs. Willie Pyle, Mrs. Alice Mims, Marvin Louise Davis and Mrs. Slusser.

## Zinnia Embroidery Club Meets With Mrs. Porter

To piece quilts and embroider, members of the Zinnia Embroidery club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. John Porter.

Two new members, Mrs. Louie Chapin and Mrs. J. W. Denton were present. Refreshments were served to the new members and Mrs. Bob Wren, Mrs. F. F. McCullough, Mrs. W. J. Anderson, Mrs. C. E. Morgan and Mrs. Porter.

Mrs. Chapin will be next hostess in her home near Cosden refinery.

## Public Records

Marriage Licenses  
H. H. Tucker, Big Spring, and Oleta McNeese, Stanton.  
Walter Moore, Big Spring, and Mildred A. Fojtik, Big Spring.  
Beer Application  
Hearing set for February 7 on application of L. L. Miller to sell beer at place one mile west of town.

New Cars  
Manuel Jabor, Ford sedan.  
Charles Marshall, Chevrolet sedan.  
H. R. Wilson, Chevrolet sedan.  
Jewel Shirley, Dodge sedan.

## Hospital Notes

Big Spring Hospital  
Master Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Vick of Coahoma, was admitted to the hospital Wednesday for treatment.

W. V. Jones of Stanton, who has been in the hospital for several weeks for treatment, has returned to his home.

Dwight McCann of Coahoma, who underwent major surgery recently, is doing nicely.

Douglas Cauble, residing north of Big Lake, was admitted to the hospital for treatment of a head injury received when he collided with a post while riding a horse on a ranch early Thursday. Several stitches were required to close a wound on his head.

Mrs. Alva Ford, member of the nursing staff, is spending her vacation visiting relatives in Brownwood.

More than 16,000,000 acres have been approved for government purchase for national park purposes since 1911.

# MARKETS

## Wall Street

MKT—WALL ST. . . . .  
NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP)—The stock market put on a recovery jog today that enabled selected issues to record gains of fractions to around 3 points.

While Wall Street seemed much less apprehensive over foreign developments, many speculative contingents appeared content to remain in neutral territory pending more concrete evidence from abroad that conciliation is to take the place of war-like gestures.

Steels led the hand-over-hand climb in the stock list, accompanied by selected motors, rails, utilities and specialties.

## Livestock

FORT WORTH, Feb. 2 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle 1,500; calves 600; plain and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 6.50-8.25; most butcher cows 4.00-5.50; killing calves 5.00-7.50; stock steer calves 8.00-8.75.

Hogs 100; top 7.25, paid by shippers and small killers; packer top 7.25; packing sows steady. Sheep 1,200; good and choice wooled lambs mostly 5.00; shorn lambs 7.00; shorn yearlings 6.50; shorn 2-year old wethers 5.50; shorn aged wethers 4.25; fleshy feeder lambs up to 7.25.

## CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Feb. 2 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Hogs 8,000; top 8.15; good 350-550 lbs. packing sows 8.50-7.00.

Cattle 4,000; calves 1,000; extreme top 13.50 paid for long yearlings; heifers best around 10.50; vealers 10.50-12.50.

Sheep 10,000; top 9.40 to traders; packer top 9.35; bulk 9.25 down; slaughter ewes 4.00-7.50 mostly; good to choice lambs mostly 9.15-9.5; early top 9.50 to small killers; bulk slaughter ewes 4.75-9.0; small lots 5.00.

## Cotton

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 2 (AP)—Cotton futures moved slightly higher during most of today's session but prices weakened in late trading and the market closed steady to 1 point net higher to 3 points lower.

	High	Low	Close
Feb	8.56	8.53	8.54
Mar	8.25	8.20	8.21
July	7.95	7.91	7.92B-88A
Oct	7.58	7.53	7.53
Dec	7.58	7.57	7.54B-56A
Jan	7.57	7.57	7.57B-59A
Feb (New)	7.61	7.61	7.61B-63A
May (New)	7.63	7.63	7.63B-65A

B—bid; A—asked.

## NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP)—Cotton futures closed 1 higher to 4 lower. Open High Low Close  
Feb . . . . . 8.39 8.44 8.38 8.39  
Mar . . . . . 8.08 8.15 8.08 8.10  
July . . . . . 7.78 7.85 7.78 7.81  
Oct . . . . . 7.45 7.47 7.42 7.42  
Dec . . . . . 7.48 7.49 7.44 7.44  
Jan . . . . . 7.49 7.50 7.49 7.46N  
Spot nominal; middling 8.99. N—nominal.

## Farm Law

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to offer a few amendments to the present law intended to improve its operation.

One probable amendment will deal with commodity loan policies, which have led to sealing of 11,000,000 bales of surplus cotton under government loans to growers. Critics assert this has retarded sales of cotton both at home and abroad.

The administration may propose to give upwards of 4,000,000 acres of this cotton to growers according to make sharper reductions in 1939 planting than now planned.

Another suggested amendment would exempt small wheat producer from strict marketing control provisions.

The administration has hopes of getting other cotton and wheat producing nations to agree on a program designed to adjust world production to needs. World cooperation of this kind, officials said, would make the American farm law more effective in restoring prices.

## Tax Collections Are Ahead Of Last Year

Gains in tax collections were reported over a year ago by the city and Big Spring independent school district Thursday after mail payments were figured in totals.

The school district with \$71,767.15 collected in current taxes, plus \$1,420.73 allowed for discounts on payments in October, November and December, showed 82.9 per cent collected on a \$88,420 roll. This was well above the 76.5 in 1938. In addition delinquent collections since September amounted to \$6,878 to give the district approximately \$78,000 in revenues for the fiscal year, about \$7,000 up from last year.

Collections amounting to 76.5 against 76.2 per cent for a year ago were reported by the city in receiving \$61,511 as compared to \$60,118, or a gain of \$1,392 in current taxes.

## COMMITTEE FORMED

Organization of the chamber of commerce highway committee, one of the key units of the chamber, was accomplished in a meeting Wednesday under the direction of Grover C. Dunham, chairman.

Objectives for the year were discussed by the group and matters of immediate concern were talked.



**BRITAIN'S ROMEO**, Bryan Grover, who was jailed in Moscow after he had made an unauthorized flight to Russia in an old plane to plead for reunion with his Russian-born wife, Eleena, is shown with Mrs. Grover in London. They married in 1933, then separated when Grover, an engineer, went to Iran. All pleadings for reunion, made through diplomatic channels, had been in vain.

## Feeder Stock On The Block

Better Prices In Evidence At Denver Show

DENVER, Feb. 2 (AP)—Heartened by generally better prices brought by fat stock sold this year at the National Western show, stockmen put 85 carloads of feeder stock up for auction today and expected them to bring an average of \$2,500.

The feeder auction, one of the most important of the annual show, brought stock fatteners here from most of the Corn Belt states.

Because of improved prices, stockmen were predicting total sales at the National Western would reach \$3,000,000.

The 60 Hereford breeding bulls sold Tuesday for \$42,500—including Colorado Domino 697th for \$4,500—will be shipped to 13 states. They will go to improve herds in Nevada, Oregon, Texas, Utah, Kansas, Iowa, Montana, Nebraska, North and South Dakota, Maryland and Kentucky.

The average price for 17 cars of hogs, \$8.03 a hundredweight, was a drop from last year's \$9.06 average, but buyers paid an average of \$11.04 for 12 carloads of fat cattle, compared with \$8.50 last year, and \$9.94 for 16 carloads of sheep, compared with \$9.18 last year.

## See Little Basis For Impeachment Of Secy. Perkins

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 (AP)—Some members of the house judiciary committee said privately today they had found little justification so far for impeachment charges which Rep. Thomas (R-NJ) filed against Secretary Perkins.

But, they asserted the committee had not yet decided whether to take any action.

Thomas accused Miss Perkins, Gerard D. Reilly, labor department solicitor, and James L. Houghtling, immigration commissioner, of "high crimes and misdemeanors" for suspending deportation proceedings against Harry Bridges, San Francisco CIO leader.

Thomas contended Bridges was a communist alien. The labor department explained it delayed action until the supreme court decided in another case whether membership in the communist party was sufficient grounds for deportation.

## FREEZE THREATENS

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2 (AP)—Sub-freezing temperatures in Southern California citrus groves early today threatened damage to the navel orange and lemon crops still on the trees.

Orchard heaters burned on a wide front in the "orange empire" to repel the cold wave.

Growers started smudging operations as early as 10 o'clock last night.

Protection of vegetables against frost in Imperial Valley was advised after flurries of snow fell east of Calexico yesterday for first time since 1932.

Agriculturists were cheered by the weather bureau's forecast of warmer temperatures tonight.

## CALENDAR

FRIDAY  
LONE STAR LODGE will meet at 2:30 o'clock at the W. O. W. hall.

# ACKERLY NEWS

Mrs. Graham has returned home after a visit with her sons in Clarksburg and Winterset. She also visited in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowell Britton have moved to Ackerly.

Mrs. John Stewart's condition is reported improved, after a turn for the worse last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jobe and daughter, Ruth, were Big Spring visitors last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilcrease were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Gilcrease, at Band.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hambrick visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Whitmire, at Shumake Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Holmes and daughter, Doris, attended church at Highway Sunday.

L. C. Hambrick and family visited a daughter, Mrs. Roscoe Moore, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Graves and family were in Lamesa Wednesday.

Joe Monroe visited L. C. Hambrick Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Tacker and her brother, Oscar Jones, are newcomers to this community.

Judd Myles visited relatives here over the weekend.

The first quarterly conference was held at the Methodist church Sunday. Presiding Elder Hootens preached to a large crowd.

Mrs. Baum and son, Thad, have moved into their new home.

Ila Margaret Coleman was a Sunday guest of Jerry Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Watts and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Coleman of Big Spring visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman, last Sunday.

The W.M.U. met with Mrs. R. R. Cumble Monday afternoon. An interesting program was presented.

Farmers of this community are busy putting up their land for spring planting.

Rev. and Mrs. R. R. Cumble attended the funeral of Mrs. E. G. Riechbour in Big Spring Sunday afternoon.

M. E. Dwyer has recently moved to Ackerly from Flower Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Oake, Kay, and M. E. Dwyer made a trip to Big Spring last Sunday.

A large crowd was present for services at the Ackerly Baptist church last Sunday. Rev. Cumble presented certificates to those who had completed the first book in the series of study courses being given at the church. These went to Mrs. Jim Bell, Mrs. Pyles, Jessie and Gertrude Stump, Mrs. Archer, Mrs. Theo Ashby, Clarice Hambrick, Mrs. Adams and Miss Crain.

Earnest Pakvado and Fred Darron of Bartlett visited Mr. Pakvado's father last Sunday.

Mrs. H. B. Adams was taken to Lubbock Monday for medical treatment.

Mrs. Eddie Criswell was hostess to a shower Monday afternoon to honor Mrs. Ray. The honoree received many nice gifts.

## Visits Daughter Here

Rev. J. W. Hayes of Colorado spent Monday here, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. F. Walter Henckel. Mr. Hayes is moving to Eagle Pass soon to reside.

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## ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL

Wooden Chandler, residing on West Third street, was admitted to the Malone & Hogan Clinic-Hospital Thursday for treatment.

## CONDITION IMPROVED

Miss Altha Ford, route 2 Big Spring, is doing nicely following a major operation performed Thursday morning at Malone & Hogan Clinic-Hospital.

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 8:35 Uncle Happy and His Toy Band. TSN.  
 8:40 String Trio. TSN.  
 8:45 Patton Lewis Jr. MBS.  
 8:50 Say It With Music.  
 8:55 News. TSN.  
 9:00 Bill Fields. TSN.  
 9:05 Jack Fren.  
 9:10 The Green Hornet. MBS.  
 9:15 The Great Waltz.  
 9:20 Cadden Vagabonds.  
 9:25 Golden Gloves.  
 10:00 Goodnight.

Friday Morning  
 7:00 News. TSN.  
 7:15 Morning Roundup. TSN.  
 7:30 Devotional.  
 7:35 Monte McGee. TSN.  
 7:40 Radio Bible Class.  
 7:45 News. TSN.  
 7:50 Gall North. TSN.  
 7:55 Our Children. TSN.  
 8:00 Singing Strings. MBS.  
 8:05 John McCall. MBS.  
 8:10 Grandma Travels.  
 8:15 Piano Impressions.  
 8:20 Variety Program.  
 8:25 Comet Rice Potpourri. TSN.  
 8:30 News. TSN.  
 8:35 Balladeers. MBS.  
 8:40 Neighbors. TSN.  
 8:45 Novellette. TSN.  
 8:50 Men of the Range. TSN.  
 8:55 Friday Afternoon News. TSN.  
 9:00 Curbetons Reporter.  
 9:05 Pinto Pete.  
 9:10 The Great Waltz.  
 9:15 Jack Fren.  
 9:20 As You Like It.  
 9:25 Texas Hotel Orch. TSN.  
 9:30 Adolphus Hotel Orch. TSN.  
 9:35 Marriage License Romances. MBS.  
 9:40 Frank Vanay. MBS.  
 9:45 Market Report.  
 9:50 Richard Liebert.  
 9:55 Good Health and Training. MBS.  
 10:00 Sketches in Ivory.  
 10:05 Midstream. MBS.

8:30 Wayne & Dick. MBS.  
 8:45 Book A Week. MBS.  
 9:00 News. TSN.  
 9:05 Buccaneers.  
 9:15 Johnson Family. MBS.  
 9:20 Music Art Series. TSN.  
 9:25 Friday Evening News. TSN.  
 9:30 Sunset Jamboree. TSN.  
 9:35 Uncle Happy and His Toy Band. TSN.  
 9:40 Texas in the World News. TSN.  
 9:45 Fannie Grofe.  
 9:50 Say It With Music.  
 9:55 News. TSN.  
 10:00 Bill Fields. TSN.  
 10:05 Lutheran Quarter Hour. News. TSN.  
 10:10 Friday Night Frolic. TSN.  
 10:15 Jimmy Dorsey. MBS.  
 10:20 News. TSN.  
 10:25 Cowboy Jamboree.  
 10:30 There's a Law Against It. MBS.  
 10:35 News. TSN.  
 10:40 Lloyd Snyder. MBS.  
 10:45 The Lone Ranger. MBS.  
 10:50 Goodnight.

A tree on Charles Calderwood's grove near Princeton, Fla. bears six different varieties of citrus fruit, including limes, grapefruit and oranges.

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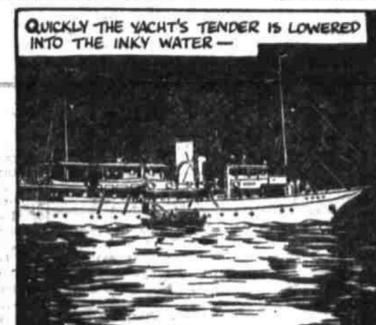
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COTTON AND ITS COMPETITION

Much thoughtful head-scratching followed presentation of an unusual display at the convention of the National Cotton Council in Dallas last week.

Does it not follow that the whole object of American foreign policy must be to preserve this unique security? Is there anyone who will dispute that?

What is the actual situation which we wish to maintain? We have a Navy, a very good Navy.

ORGANIZED AID IN CONGRESS

Agriculture, business and industry of West Texas, the Southwest and the entire South have good cause to be cheered by a recent news item from Washington.

It said that sixty members of the house from the South and West had met and organized to fight for national equality of railroad freight rates.

West Texas, a region that suffers perhaps more than any other because of unjust freight rates, was interested in the news from Washington.

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By Walter Lippmann

(Mr. Lippmann's column is published as an informational and news feature. His views are personal and are not to be construed as necessarily reflecting the editorial opinion of The Herald.)

AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY IN THE MAKING; THE CRITICAL CHOICE

If the American people understood thoroughly how exceptionally fortunate their position in the world, there could not, I am convinced, be any serious division of opinion among responsible men about the aims of American policy.

Our position is unique because no power is capable of attacking us. It is true that American traders have interests in China that we are unable to defend.

This gives us a security which is unique. Where other nations may feel that they would be off an attack if they were challenged, we are able to feel that we cannot even be challenged.

Does it not follow that the whole object of American foreign policy must be to preserve this unique security? Is there anyone who will dispute that? Is this not the touchstone by which every question of foreign policy and of armaments must be decided?

What is the actual situation which we wish to maintain? We have a Navy, a very good Navy. A Navy quite capable of defending our coasts and our vital maritime highways in the Pacific Ocean.

Such a combination does not now exist. It is true that Japan and Germany and Italy are allies, but whatever they may think of us, their alliance is directed not against us but against Great Britain and France and China and Russia.

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A wide three-round decision over Grand Falls' Bobby Lambeth, Texas punisher Lambeth with a long right early in the go, then later came under Lambeth's defense. He was at a disadvantage in both rounds and fought bravely. The little Mexican was bleeding after having absorbed several jabs in the third but came out the fresher.

Weaver, in the second go, was missing a lot of the time but he managed to stack up enough points over Dolores Yancey, to win. Dolores was rushing only in the third round.

Jim Harrison, Colorado bantam, followed with a wide decision over Ted Shalkowitz, Kermit, in a surprise duel. Shalkowitz was the better boxer but Harrison fought in spurts and had the better of the slugger. Ted's eye was closing as the final bell rang.

In another bantam mix, Edgar Griggers, Kermit, won a narrow decision over Gene Gibson, Grand Falls, exposing a potent right paw. Gib slipped in the opening stanza and remained down for a one count but managed to keep his feet thereafter. He was always on the offensive but Griggers was impressive in the first with three stiff rights that found their mark on Gibson's face and again in the third when he began concentrating on an opening from the right side.

Midland's Jack Childress and Monahan's Dixie Jaye then qualified for the feather finale by scoring over Curtis Miles, Odessa, and Lloyd Gibson, Grand Falls, respectively. Childress punished the smaller Miles constantly with a two fisted head attack that several times had the youngster in a bad way but always he managed to come through on both feet. Gibson lasted until the third with Jaye only to run head-on into a steaming right. Down he went for a nine count. Twice he bounded up but Jaye was always there waiting and finally finished the job in 1:25 minutes. Gib's second ended the fight by tossing in the towel.

The Read, Rhone and Richard Gibson victories followed in succession to get the stage for a short bout between Junior Gibson and Marshall Van Zandt, welter. Van Zandt, a Lamesa boy, was dropped in the first by what Referee Bob Shires claimed was a low blow. He should have quit then for Gibson, who had him from Grand Falls, put over the "convincer" in 25 seconds of the second mill. He took the count face downward.

Garner Loses  
Jess Carnes became the first middleweight winner by tagging Clyde Garner, Monahan, in round one. Garner spent the first few seconds trying to get over a right hand punch but the Odessan opened up in close and soon had everything under control. He battered Garner to the canvas for a nine count, then finished it up with a looping right after 1:45 minutes of fast work.

Seale followed with his disputed victory over Wallace while in the 18th bout Middleweight Roland Harold, Kermit, had to go at top speed all the way to beat down Tildon Roarke, also of Kermit. Roarke was cut badly about the face but his rally in the third had Harold testing his shock absorbers.

In the only light heavy dual Wall Stone, Crane, gave an exhibition of real punching by finishing off John Campbell, Monahan, in less than two minutes. Stone was using a left hook to advantage early, then switched to terrific jabbing in close quarters as the fight progressed.

He finally wore his opponent down in the second and dealt out such punishment that Shires stopped the fight with Campbell hanging through the ropes.

In the final duel Jenkins, giving away 17 pounds, missed constantly with both hands and Fulcher simply followed up with shocking jabs that soon had the Snyder youth in a bad way. He scored four knockdowns before Jenkins finally gave up.

The surgeon who sewed up his instruments inside a patient has nothing on a North Carolina automobile mechanic who left his wrench inside a tire he repaired.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1 Lost and Found

BLACK suitcase left in care man on freight car Big Spring Dec. 2. Party holding please reply care Herald. Reasonable reward.

LIBERAL reward for information leading to recovery of a pathological diagnosing instrument taken from my car last Friday night. Vital Foods, Douglas Hotel.

LOST: Yellow striped Persian cat; name "Mister"; small reward. Return to 813 West 4th.

2 Personals

MISS RAY spiritual readings. She will tell you what you wish to know; can help you in different things. 1108 East Third; Highway 80.

WANT to trade '32 Winchester automatic and '32 Savage Bolt action like new for dental work. Phone 8649.

4 Professional

Ben M. Davis & Company Accountants - Auditors 817 Miss Bldg., Allen, Texas

6 Public Notices

MOVED: From 103 Main Street to 119 Runnels Street (second door south of West Texas Motor). J. W. Elrod Furniture Co.

TO ALL CONCERNED: I will not be responsible for any debts made by anyone other than myself. Ernest Potter.

REMOVAL notice-The Lundy Air Products Co. announces its removal from 2207 Scurry Street to its new location at 109 Lancaster Street in Big Spring. Jesse Bailey, manager.

THE undersigned is an applicant from the Texas Liquor Control Board for a permit to move location from Highway 80, 8 miles east of Coahoma to Highway 9 north of Big Spring. County Line Inn, W. M. Whitlow, owner.

8 Business Services

TATE & BRISTOW INSURANCE Petroleum Bldg. Phone 1230

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STALLINGS Help-Or-Self Laundry. You do 'em or we do 'em. No two family bundles washed together. Free delivery when we do 'em. Phone 610.

WE renovate mattresses for \$1.89 two days only. '35 Ford coupe for sale; trade for team or small house. Big Spring Mattress Co. Phone 1711.

9 Woman's Column

EXPERT fitting & alterations & specializing in children's sewing. Mrs. J. H. Kramer. 303 Johnson.

NOVA MUST KEEP ARM TAPED FOR A MONTH

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2 (AP)—Lou Nova, who became a contender for the heavyweight boxing crown by beating Tommy Farr, had his right arm taped to his side today as a reminder of that fight.

Ray Carlen, Nova's manager, said the fighter would have to keep the arm taped for a month. He suffered a pulled muscle in the face but the seriousness of the injury was not revealed until an X-ray examination yesterday.

BETTY TO PLAY ATLANTA WOMAN

CORAL GABLES, Fla., Feb. 2 (AP)—Medalist Dorothy Kirby of Atlanta, whose par-cracking '79 in the qualifying round tied the women's course record, today faced Mrs. John Arends of Miami in the Miami Biltmore women's golf tournament.

Mrs. Arends eased into the championship flight with a 96.

Patty Berg, winner of this annual winter event for the past four years, posted an 82 yesterday and was matched against Mrs. A. H. Rachlin of Maplewood, N. J., who qualified with a 88.

Among others paired for match play in the first flight were Betty Jameson, San Antonio, Tex. (82) and Mrs. Colson Butler, Atlanta (86).

Poloists Accept Briton Challenge

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP)—After a lapse of two years, competition for polo's famous Westchester cup will be renewed in this country next June.

The United States Polo association announced yesterday it had accepted the challenge of Great Britain for a three-game series at the Meadow Brook club.

RECORD ROSTER  
CINCINNATI, Feb. 1 (AP)—With crossed fingers, officials of the Cincinnati Reds let it be known today they had more ball players signed up for the season than any other major league team.

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HOUSING TRAILER for sale; modern equipped; very reasonable; must sell. See H. A. Moore at Best Yet Cafe.

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26 Miscellaneous

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TWO-room unfurnished apartment with sleeping porch at 802 Nolan. Phone 1752.

THREE unfurnished rooms. Phone 1470. 710 San Antonio Street.

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Sen Twirlers Learn To Bunt

ORLANDO, Fla., Feb. 2 (AP)—Ability to knock the cover off the ball isn't absolutely essential for a pitcher but Manager Bucky Harris of the Washington Senators is convinced every moundman ought to be able to bunt when a roller means a run.

Bringing a score of rookies to the practice field for their first workout today, Harris disclosed a great deal of time will be spent on the art of "laying one down."

"What good's a pitcher that can't bunt?" he demanded. "That's the trouble with most pitchers now, they can't bunt."

The workouts here of young pitching and catching prospects a month in advance of the regular spring training season set a precedent for major league ball clubs.

It's part of a system of close supervision Harris and Owner Clark Griffith have mapped out for the mutual benefit of the players and the team.

BISCUIT SET TO RACE FEB. 18

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2 (AP)—Sea-biscuit's stable has the right to change its mind—and often does—but present plans call for him to make his 1939 debut, two weeks before the running of the \$100,000 Santa Anita handicap, in the \$10,000 San Carlos handicap.

The San Carlos, a mile and one sixteenth event, will be run February 18, and while it usually draws a large, fast field, it offers about the last opportunity for the 'Biscuit to go postward before the big handicap March 4.

Oddities Aplenty To Be Found In Bills And Actions In Legislature

AUSTIN, Feb. 2 (AP)—Oddities aplenty crop out during a session of the Texas legislature, particularly in the opening weeks when floor consideration of important bills is impossible due to the fact they still are in committee.

Odd actions in the first three weeks of the current session include: The house voted to build some sort of a "fence" around that portion of the chamber containing members' desks in the hope decorum thereby would be greatly improved. The first resolution omitted members from the short list of persons to be allowed within the enclosure and adoption of another resolution was required to right that.

Both branches adopted a resolution reserving 120 choice parking spaces in the capital grounds for members and news writers.

The house sent to committee a resolution authorizing some blind man to open a cold drink stand in the capitol. Its purpose is to save the time of page boys sent to buy drinks for members as well as provide a livelihood for some blind person.

The legislature authorized appointment of a joint senate and house committee to select a poet laureate of Texas.

Other house actions: Ordered printed in its journal the invocation at the start of the four-

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Foxx And Vander Meer To Gain New Laurels

BOSTON, Feb. 2 (AP)—Jimmy Foxx, American league batting champion, and Johnny Vander Meer, Cincinnati's two-ply no-hit pitcher, will expand their collection of trophies tonight at the Boston baseball writers' annual dinner.

Foxx will be awarded the Eddie Hurley memorial plaque, which the writers bestow annually on Boston's outstanding major league player, and Vander Meer will receive the Paul Shannon bowl to mark his two consecutive perfect performances against the Bees and Dodgers.

In addition, General Manager Eddie Collins of the Red Sox, will turn over to Foxx the \$500 bonus check that the American league has voted its leading batsman.

NEW PROCEDURE

CHICAGO, Feb. 2 (AP)—Owner P. K. Wrigley became the Chicago Cubs' first holdout today.

Sifting through contracts returned by 11 Cubs, who, despite their failure to sign, insist they are not holdouts, Wrigley declared: "Maybe they are not holding out, but I am."

READING AND WRITING

"THE LITTLE DOG: THE STORY OF ALLAN ROY DAFOS, PHYSICIAN TO THE QUINTPLETS," by Frazier Hunt; (Simon & Schuster; \$2).

It would be nice if one could say that Frazier Hunt's "The Little Dog" is the quintuplest book to end all such. That is of course only a fond dream; there will be hundreds more, most likely.

It's a pleasant product, just the same. For one thing, Mr. Hunt gets rid of the idea most of us would gather from the record, that Dr. Dafos was born at the same time the Quins were born.

But we like him even better as Mr. Hunt paints him in his early life. His father was a physician, and had ambitions for his son. Although the boy did well enough in medical school, he hankered not at all for a tony practice; he buried himself in rural Canada and he stayed there. Most of his patients were as poor as well could be—indeed, through a good share of his life before the miracle happened.

Dr. Dafos's chief income was not from the hundreds of patients he attended on his own. They seldom paid him anything. His income came from the government, which paid him to attend those still poorer.

In wartime Dr. Dafos did a much bigger job than keeping alive the five sisters of Callander. Then he covered 800 square miles in the influenza epidemic, tended more than 1,000 cases, and lost just two. That, when compared with the curious 1918 flu statistics of our more urban centers, gives food for thought.

Mr. Hunt gives a lot of space to the Little Dionnes, as it is proper. It was, he points out, a miracle that they were delivered alive. It was still greater miracle when they lived even a few hours—indeed it looked as if they would not. But when hours became days, and days turned into weeks, the world decided something newsworthy had really happened, and got to work at once rewarding all concerned in the only way the world understands. To wit, with money.

Many physicians are said to have thought it was lucky indeed that the babies had been born in remote Ontario; that otherwise they might well have been "specialized" to death.

A middle step in the flight that leads to the Colorado statehouse at Denver is exactly one mile above sea level.

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SAVES CHILDREN, LOSES OWN LIFE

BERKELEY, Calif., Feb. 2 (AP)—On his night off, Lieut. Charles J. Ortmann of the Berkeley fire department saved three small children of a neighbor from flames but lost his own life.

Ortmann was sitting in his own home last night when he saw flames in the bedroom of the home of G. G. Rodgers.

The fireman rescued Patricia, 4, and Robert and Barbara, 18-month-old twins; then he collapsed and died of over-exertion and smoke suffocation.

He was 44. For 27 years he had been a fireman.

SANDERSON IMPROVED  
R. C. Sanderson, who has been seriously ill of pneumonia, is reported as much improved at a hospital in San Antonio. Sanderson, a retired official of the First National bank, was visiting with his sister, Mrs. Charles W. Hobbs in San Antonio when he was taken ill.

Fouling Success

MT. VERNON, Ill., Feb. 2 (AP)—Doxie Moore's debut in semi-professional basketball was a fouling success.

The rule banishing a player for four personal fouls was waived, fortunately for Moore, former Purdue University athlete.

Moore, who coaches a high school team, had nine fouls called against him. He was fouled 10 times and made good on all attempts.

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Mrs. Ebbersol Of Stanton Is Death Victim

Long Illness Fatal; Funeral Service To Be Friday

STANTON, Feb. 2 (Sp)—One of the most esteemed citizens of Stanton, Mrs. Charles Ebbersol, passed away at her home Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. She had been in failing health for a period of several months, and had been seriously ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Ebbersol was born Lula Maude Elkin, at Bethany, Collin county, Texas, Oct. 26, 1874. She moved to Abilene in 1889, with her parents. It was there that she married Charles Ebbersol, April 21, 1901, moving to Stanton two years later, in 1903. They have two children, Elkin Ebbersol, who now resides in Standard, Calif., and Mrs. R. S. Sullivan of Pecos.

A devout member of the First Christian church, Mrs. Ebbersol's untiring devotion as a mother and friend won her the esteem of the entire community. Before her health failed she took an active part in local clubwork.

Besides her husband and two children, she is survived by four brothers, W. R. Elkin, W. B. Elkin, Frank Elkin and Terry Elkin all of Midland, and two sisters, Mrs. Jack Baird of Dallas, and Mrs. W. P. Gilson of Jackson, Tenn.

Funeral services are to be held at the home Friday afternoon at 3 p. m. Rev. J. E. Pickering, pastor of the First Christian church of Midland, will be in charge of the

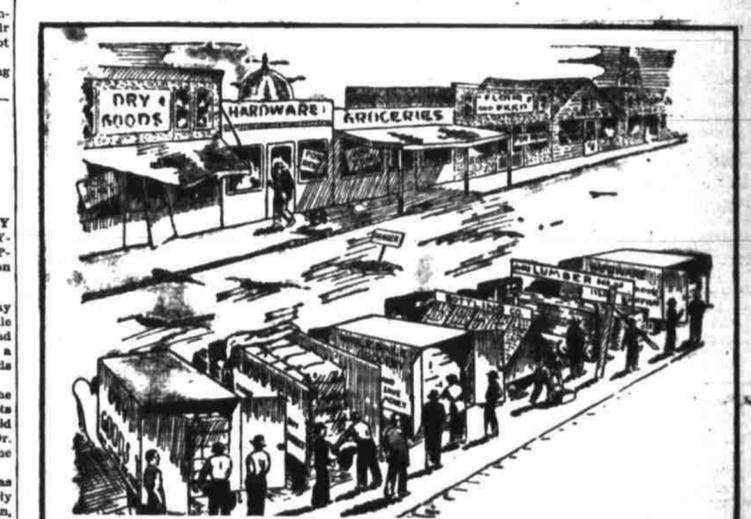
services. Burial will be in Evergreen cemetery under the direction of the Eberly Funeral home of Big Spring. Pallbearers will be Jim Tom, George Lewis, Poe Woodard, Wayne Moffitt, Hilton Kaderli and Edward Morrow.

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What Does the Future Hold for The Smaller Towns in Texas?

What must inevitably be the fate of the small towns and communities in Texas?

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**A Hit-Week Picture!**

**Sees A Good Year Ahead**

**Strom Optimistic After Viewing New Frigidaire Models**

The Carl Strom Home Appliance firm had entered its third year of operation in Big Spring, and the anniversary finds Strom optimistic. Returning this week from the annual district Frigidaire sales convention in Fort Worth, the local dealer said that from all reports he obtained, 1939 prospects for ap-

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**CALIFORNIA FRONTIER**

**PRETTY GOOD TRADER**

LEBENTY, Mo., Feb. 2 (AP)—Riley Walker started out to trade two coon dogs and wound up with a farm.

He traded the dogs for a farm in Arkansas and traded that in turn for 80 acres in southern Missouri.

The University of New Hampshire perfected a new type of concrete made of cement, sawdust and water for use in constructing poultry house floors.

**NATURAL RESOURCE TAX BILL OFFERED IN HOUSE WITH THE SUPPORT OF MANY MEMBERS**

(Herald Austin Bureau)

AUSTIN, Feb. 2—Legislators and lobbyists today closely studied the natural resource tax and old-age pension bill which was introduced Monday with the backing of almost one-third of the members of the Texas house of representatives.

The bill, sponsored by Rep. G. C. Morris of Greenville and 43 other representatives, was a blunt and direct answer to Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's challenge to "pass the transaction tax or find a better way to pay old-age pensions."

Morris' bill calls for an increase in the taxes on oil, gas, and sulphur, and an additional one-cent-per-package tax on cigarettes. It would raise \$18,800,000 in new revenue—\$300,000 for aid to the blind, \$1,500,000 for aid to dependent children, \$2,500,000 for teachers' retirement, and \$12,400,000 for old-age pensions.

Many observers were surprised when 44 house members signed the bill, and a number of veterans predicted that the bill, in substantially its present form, can pass the house of representatives as a compromise revenue measure.

One signer, for instance, was young Rep. W. A. Ferguson of New London, the heart of the great East Texas oil field.

"I have more oil in my district than any other member of the house," Ferguson said. "This bill would raise the oil tax, but I don't believe my people will object to carrying their part of the burden of financing our social security program."

**O'Daniel's Pension Plan**

The bill was bold and astute. Evidence of the carefulness with which the measure was drawn were:

1. The bill includes the O'Daniel pension plan, word for word. By doing this the sponsors can avoid a fight over the pension section of the bill. If any changes had been made, some legislators would say, "I don't like the pension section, so I can't vote for the bill." Now the authors can point out, "The only difference between our bill and the O'Daniel bill is how to raise the money. The pension provisions are identical, but the Governor wants to levy a transaction tax while we want higher taxes on natural resources and cigarettes."
2. The bill attempts to drive a wedge between the political power of the big oil boys and the stripper well boys. Stripper oil wells are those where the production is only a few barrels per day, and where the oil has to be pumped out of the ground at a relatively high cost. In past years attempts to raise the oil tax have failed largely because legislators from areas where there are many stripper wells insisted that a heavy tax increase would force their wells to close down.
3. In the Morris bill, oil produced from wells with an output of more than 20 barrels per day would be taxed five cents a barrel. In contrast, oil produced from stripper wells which produce, by pumping, less than 10 barrels per day would be taxed only three cents a barrel—an increase of only one-fourth of a cent per barrel over the present rate.
4. If this graduated tax, favoring the stripper wells, can be kept in the bill, the forces of the oil producers will be divided and the bill will have a splendid chance of passage in the house.

**Enough Money?**

1. There are many legislators who, while believing in a liberalized pension program, do not believe the state should raise an additional \$10 or \$20 million dollars for pension purposes alone.
2. The Morris bill would raise approximately \$12,500,000 in new pension revenue which is enough to substantially liberalize the program. This money, if matched by the federal government, would allow the addition of 70,000 more names to the pension rolls, and would allow the pension to be increased from the present \$14 level to approximately \$20 a month, or slightly above the national average.
3. Such a program will draw the support of conservative legislators who look with disapproval on over-liberal pensions.
4. In other words, the Morris bill should have these advantages in its present form:
1. It offers legislators a way to raise money for a liberal social security program without either (a) voting for a sales tax, or (b) voting for exorbitant natural resource taxes.
2. It divides the opposition of the oil lobby by giving oil produced from stripper wells a lower tax rate than oil produced from the large and more profitable wells.
3. It will be attractive to legislators who want a liberal pension program but who do not favor any Santa Claus schemes.

**Contest For Sponsors Is Advanced**

**Prizes To Be Awarded Cowgirls During Rodeo Here**

Plans for a record celebration centered around the sixth annual Big Spring Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo here June 23-25 took definite form at a committee meeting here Wednesday.

The chamber of commerce agreed to assume charge of a cowgirl sponsors contest, to secure entries in the new event for the local rodeo, to entertain the guests, promote a big, colorful parade, enlist out-of-town bands and to organize motorcades to organize the annual attraction.

Ira Driver and Jess Slaughter, representing the rodeo association, announced a \$100 saddle as first prize for the sponsor winner. Awards for the other four places had not been decided.

J. H. Greene, chamber of commerce manager, said that the Rodeo Widows, composed of wives of local rodeo officials, would be invited to assist in entertaining the visiting sponsors. Sponsors who desire rooms in private homes will have their wishes satisfied, those in charge of housing said.

C. L. Rowe, chairman of the celebrations committee, Ben Cole and Burke Summers were named as a special committee to arrange parade details. Charles Frost's trade extension committee was made the unit to plan for motorcades prior to the rodeo. J. H. Greene was appointed to secure out-of-town bands and Dan Hudson was selected to arrange for a square dance at the Settles on the evening of June 24.

**LABORATORY CHIEF TO GIVE TALK AT COTTON PARLEY**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 (AP)—Burrus Jackson, chairman of the state-wide cotton committee of Texas, said today D. F. J. Lynch, director of the southern agricultural research laboratory to be established by the government in New Orleans, would address the committee in Austin February 17.

The Texas legislature has granted the committee use of the house of representatives for the meeting. Lynch will discuss with the committee work to be done at the laboratory, Jackson said.

Jackson urged that research for new uses of cotton receive first attention in the laboratory work.

**FORMER BANKER TO BE RETURNED FOR TRIAL IN TEXAS**

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 2 (AP)—Government agents arranged today to return Grover M. Yowell, 53, former banker, to Wichita Falls under a 1932 indictment charging embezzlement of \$75,000 from the Security National bank of Paducah, Texas.

He was arrested here several days ago while he drove a milk delivery truck. Yowell waived extradition and pleaded innocent.

Yowell, using an alias, had worked for the milk firm nearly seven years.

The United States forest service sold \$3,066,694 worth of timber in 1938.

**IN MUSICAL FILM AT RITZ**

Here are scenes presenting the principals in "The Great Waltz," a film story of the life of Johann Strauss, the waltz king, which plays Friday and Saturday at the Ritz theatre. Fernand Gray, Luise Rainer and Miliza Korjus, the latter a European opera star making her debut in American pictures, have the lead roles. Against a background of romantic Vienna, a story well sprinkled with fine music is unfolded.

**A Rolled Rib Roast Of Beef Is Guarantee Of A Good Meal**

By MRS. ALEXANDER GEORGE, AP Feature Service Writer

One of the things America can thank old England for is its liking for roast beef, the aristocrat of meats.

You can't go wrong, when your budget permits, if you serve a juicy rib roast.

One of the best ways of getting a good roast is to patronize a reliable butcher. There are certain tests you can apply in picking the cut of meat, but they're not conclusive. Tender beef usually is well streaked, with clear, cream-colored fat, the flesh is firm to the touch, smooth, fine-grained and glossy.

Freshly cut beef is bright red. When it has been hung—exposed to the air—the meat darkens. Many people who fancy themselves as epicures spurn the freshly cut beef. They say it's not worth eating until the meat is dark. With some it has to be quite dark, too.

**Note the Weight**

Two or three ribs will be enough to serve the average family, four or five for a larger group. Some people like to serve a standing roast—one that is cooked with the bones in it. But if the butcher removes the ribs you get a rolled roast—the meat is tightly rolled and held together with cords or skewers.

It is wise to note the weight of the roast when you buy it. That will help in the cooking. To bring out the flavor of a standing roast, proceed this way:

Wipe the roast with a damp cloth, then rub it well with salt, pepper and flour. For a three-rib piece these are the proportions: a teaspoon of salt, half a teaspoon of pepper and two tablespoons of flour. Put the roast, fat side up, on a rack that's raised a quarter of an inch from the bottom of the roasting pan.

**Roasting Time Scale**

Turn the oven on hot (500 degrees) for the first 20 minutes of cooking; that will sear it. Then lower the heat to 300 degrees and cook according to this scale: 16 minutes to a pound, if you like your meat rare; 22 minutes a pound for medium, and 30 minutes a pound for well done.

You should not cover the pan; the fat not only seasons the roast, but also keeps it moist while cooking. Baste the meat every 15 minutes or so with the drippings.

A rolled roast is cooked in much the same way. But since it doesn't have quite so much fat you'd better put half a cup of water in the roasting pan. And since the rolled roast is thicker than a standing one, add five minutes to the cooking time in each of the classifications just given.

When your roast is done, lift it off the pan. Pour out of the pan all but four tablespoons of fat, and then make your brown gravy in the pan in this manner: Sprinkle in four tablespoons of flour and mix well, add two cups of boiling water and a little salt and pepper and boil the mixture on top of the stove, stirring it frequently.

**Yorkshire Pudding**

Before starting the gravy, be sure to remove from the pan any little burned particles of flour; they would darken the gravy—might even give it a bitter taste. If the pan is too brown, it's better to make your gravy in a separate receptacle.

If you like your beef the real English way, you'll serve Yorkshire pudding with it. Here's a good recipe:

Mix a cup each of flour and milk, two eggs and a fourth of a teaspoon of salt. Pour to a thickness of one inch in a shallow pan generously greased with dripping from the roast. Bake 20 minutes in a moderate oven, basting three times with drippings. Cut into square and arrange them around the roast on the serving platter.

To take the guesswork out of roast cooking, use one of those special roast-meat thermometers. Make an incision so that the bulb reaches the center of the roast and cook until it reads 140 degrees for rare, 160 for medium and 180 for well done.

However, with little practice you can do your beef to a turn without a thermometer.

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**Cows Die Of Poisoning**

**Animals Stricken By Eating Treated Cotton Stalks**

Farmers in the Fairview community must have poisoned their cotton worms too well last summer, for loss of half a dozen cows from effects of the poison has been reported recently.

Dr. Otto Wolfe, Big Spring veterinary surgeon, said that the cows had died from effects of white arsenic poisoning.

Unlike calcium arsenate, used by the vast majority of farmers in combating the record worm and insect infestation of last summer, white arsenic endures either on stalks or in the ground, said Dr. Wolfe.

Accumulations of the lethal chemical occurring where machines were stopped or filled constituted real menaces to stock for they have been known to lick them much as if they were salt licks.

While white arsenic has a potent effect on insects, it maintains its strength and is far more poisonous than calcium arsenate. It has been known to kill cotton crop through incorrect administration, but this is the first season any appreciable loss of livestock has been reported here from it.

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**ANNOUNCING FORMAL OPENING OF FRED ALLEN'S TOWN HALL**

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We are now in better position than ever before to give proper display of home furnishings in all lines, an arrangement that buyers will find most convenient. Too, purchases at the furniture market last month have started rolling in and the next few days will find ELROD'S with one of the most complete stocks of new furniture ever shown in West Texas!

Another event as important to us as our new home is the fact that this month marks our first birthday in Big Spring! So, for a real double-barrel announcement that will be of interest to every one in Big Spring and surrounding trade territory, watch the Daily Herald for formal opening date.

**ELROD FURNITURE**

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**Appreciation**

On this, our Second Anniversary date of opening our business and making our home in Big Spring, we want to express our joy and true appreciation of having the privilege to say—

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