

Borah Says M. P. Loan Made 'Under Pressure'

Court Holds Texas Trust Laws Valid

AUSTIN (AP)—Judge J. D. Moore, in district court here ruled that the Texas anti-trust laws are constitutional, in a hearing on the suit of Attorney General Allied to expel fifteen major oil companies from the state and to collect penalties of \$17,800,000.

Ritchie Cuts Maryland Tax

Local supporters of Gov. Albert Ritchie in an effort to meet a deficit of more than a billion and a half dollars. Numerous States and municipalities have been forced either to curtail or abandon of an inability to increase taxes or borrowed money.

Local Supporters of Four-Time Governor Issue Statement

The concern of almost every United States citizen today is the increase in all forms of taxation, Federal, State and City. The United States Government is now engaged in an effort to meet a deficit of more than a billion and a half dollars.

Southern Beauty



Virgil Dodd left her Birmingham, Ala. home to become an author instead she became a featured dancer on Broadway.

J. A. Baggett, 64, Is Buried

Former Howard County Sheriff Commits Suicide

Funeral services were held in Dallas Monday morning for James A. Baggett, 64, former sheriff of Howard county who shot himself to death Saturday in the backyard of his home in Oak Cliff, Dallas.

Entrance To Cave Under Austin, Tex., Relocated After Being Lost 52 Years

AUSTIN — The wonders and beauty of long-lost Walsh cave said to be the largest cavern in Texas and to extend under the whole of this town, have been restored to the public through the recent discovery of one of its entrances.

Lence Gives Address For K. T. Members

Charles L. Klapproth Acts As Prelate; Many Visitors

Right Eminent Sir Knight W. R. Lence of Abilene delivered the sermon at the joint Easter service of Big Spring Commandery No. 31 and Midland Commandery No. 88 Knights Templar, at the First Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mexican Tigers Open On Diamond

The Mexican Tigers, local semi-pro club, opened their 1932 season by defeating Coahoma Sunday afternoon in a tightly-contested game 8 to 7.

Power Lines Break, Execution of Negro Delayed Three Hours

HARRISBURG, Penn. (AP)—After a delay of nearly three hours because a snow storm broke down power lines, Quincey Wallanda, was executed in the penitentiary at Bellefonte, for the murder of his wife.

Searchers Find Body Of Farmer

GRUVER, Texas (AP)—Searchers found the body of Sophus Brandzik, 65, farmer, about three miles from Caldwell Creek, where he had abandoned his truck Saturday night, in the last spring blizzard.

STUDENTS ON 'RESEARCH' TRIP TO KENTUCKY



These Columbia university students are shown as they prepared to board a bus for the Kentucky coal strike districts to do "sociological research." They planned to meet students from other sections of the country in Knoxville, Tenn., and proceed with them into Kentucky where authorities refused to allow them to enter.

Garner May Take Floor

Go-Between In Baby Case Visits Lindy

Bacon Rind, Chief Of Osages, Is Dead

PAWHUSKA, Okla. (AP)—Bacon Rind, 84-year-old chief of Osage Indians, died of cancer and pneumonia here today. He had been tribal leader for half a century, and knew many presidents.

Japanese May Not Continue Within League

TOKYO (AP)—It is learned the government has decided to refuse to furnish the League of Nations with a statement of its side of the controversy with China as required when China invoked Article 15 of the league covenant recently.

Port Arthur Fire Fatal To Babies

PORT ARTHUR (AP)—John Merwin Brevell, 3, and Jim Wilford Brevell, 3 months, burned to death in a fire that destroyed their home Monday morning. The explosion of a gasoline stove was responsible, and their mother was unable to save them.

Broken Cam Delays Sunday Plane Here

American Airways' eastbound passenger and mail ship was delayed 2 1/2 hours here Sunday evening due to a broken cam on a cylinder of the center motor. George Webb mechanic at the local airport, and helpers, put in a new cylinder in an unusually short time and Pilot Woodall proceeded to Dallas with five passengers, all from California.

Methodist Revival Campaign Concluded

The First Methodist church's pre-Easter revival campaign was closed Sunday at services marked by record attendance.

Attention Of Senate Called To Conditions

\$12,800,000 Extended By I. C. C. After Having Refused Once

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator Borah called the Senate's attention to the recent \$12,800,000 loan of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to the Missouri Pacific, saying the Interstate Commerce Commission approved the loan only after strong pressure was used.

Mrs. Satterwhite Dies At Age Of 90; Funeral Tuesday

Funeral services for Martha Jan Satterwhite, wife of D. S. Satterwhite, who died at 8:45 a. m. Monday at the age of 90 years, 13 days, will be held from the home of T. E. Satterwhite, a son, Tuesday at 10 a. m. with burial in the Masonic cemetery here about noon Tuesday.

Lionel McKee Given Surprise Birthday Party By Friends

Mrs. Lionel McKee and Graham Foosebe were co-hostesses at a delightful surprise birthday party Friday evening, honoring Mr. McKee.

Conductor Stricken By Apoplexy, Street Cars Collide, 8 Hurt

DALLAS (AP)—Six negro passengers were injured as R. A. Terrell, a street car motorman dropped unconscious from apoplexy, the car striking another car, as it continued on its way.

The Weather

By U. S. Weather Bureau Big Spring, Texas March 28, 1932

Table with weather forecast data including temperature, wind, and precipitation for various times of day.

WEATHER CONDITIONS, T.A.M. High pressure covers the central portion of the country with a low moving in from southwest.

Thousands Of Children At Easter Egg Hunt

What old-timers said was one of the largest crowds ever assembled in the city's history turned out Sunday afternoon and made of the Herald-Ritz Mickey Mouse club's Easter Egg Hunt an outstanding success.



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**The Job Riots**

NEWS of the clash between police and unemployed men at the gates of the Ford plant on the edge of Detroit is tragically disturbing—not because it indicates any new danger from violent Communism, but because it proves that we have not yet learned how to deal with desperate men who cannot get jobs.

There were Communist agitators in the mob at Dearborn, of course it goes without saying that the fighting, if not definitely caused by them, was at least right in line with their ideas.

But it is simply idiotic to suppose that a majority of the 3000 men who marched to the plant, or even a stable percentage of them, went out with any idea of provoking violence, or took with them any positive desire to see the existing framework of American society torn down.

They may have some of those ideas now, but it is very doubtful that they had them before the fight. They were simply distracted men for whom America today has no work. They wanted, somehow, to get out of the slough of despond; they wanted jobs, and if they couldn't get them they at least wanted to dramatize their plight and express their feelings.

But organized society had no way of meeting them but by using force. It killed four of them, wounded 15 or 20 more and threw 15 into jail.

By doing this what did it accomplish?  
It made a lot of those 3000 permanently bitter. It gave the Communist organizers throughout the country a tremendous lot of new fuel for the sputtering fire that they are trying—with scant success, thus far—to start. It enormously emphasized the sad fact that organized society sometimes seems a lot readier to hit jobless men, over the head than it is to keep them from going hungry.

A newspaper photographer who covered the procession from its start said:  
"As the men formed they were a jolly lot, some laughing and joking as they marched to Dearborn. Marchers who laugh and joke are not dangerous. When organized society does its best to make them stop laughing and joking it is acting with supreme foolishness."

**They Don't Speak Our Language**



**BOY CRAZY**  
by GRACE PERKINS

**Chapter 30**  
**INTERLUDE: LUNcheon**  
"Oh, how rich!" giggled Judy. "Come on into our place and we'll tell you, and have a drink. But listen! One goo-goo eye out of you in Tom's direction and all is over between us."  
"Except in public," coaxed Hope. "I must goo-goo to my husband in public."  
"Yeah? Well, control yourself!" Hope dressed with high concern. She night, blessing her wisdom for her heavy packing, cursing the lack of a maid and the small quarters shared with Millie Seabrook. But when at last she emerged, dressed in pale pink lace, assured by the ecstatic bliss that "you-look divine," she and Tom went arm and arm into the dining-salon and were seated at a rail table on the balcony of the dining-room. Judy had made her effective entrance, and coyly permitted Tom to order her wine and light her cigarette, then Hope realized that Dickey and his father were seated directly opposite her on the other side of the balcony.  
Dickey was looking at her again! His eyes unbelieving—she gazed steadily straight back at him.  
A voice in her ear started. Tom trying to talk to her. But she could not tear her eyes away. . . .  
Until she saw Dickey turn to his father and say something. Puff down his napkin and push back his chair. A second later Dickey had left the dining-salon!  
She turned then, in spite of Hickey's troubled gaze. Turned to Tom, who was irritably pointing out Judy, who, according to the plan, was seated at a single table a few feet away.  
She gave a nit-witted smile to Tom, and nodded stupidly. Hearing herself inviting Judy over to join them.  
She picked her way through the meal, conscious of Hickey's eye fixed on her throughout the endless dinner.  
"It worked!" she mumbled excitedly to the bride and groom. "I worked. I won't need Tom as my husband much longer. He got up and left the room, Judy. Sure! that means he's jealous—he cares!"  
"Pipe the way his father is watching you," Judy admonished. "Maybe that doesn't mean anything?"  
"Say, couldn't we talk about our romance?" suggested Tom over the soup. "You know—just a few words here and there?"  
Hope lifted her wine glass.

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"May I propose a toast?" she said solemnly. "To the dearest kids in the world who let me butt in on their honeymoon. And I'd do as much for you two, Gor forbid!"  
Not once again that evening, however, did Hope catch a glimpse of the Dales. Not at the dance, not in the bar, nor out on deck, nor in any of the saloons. Discouraged, she relinquished a fatigued Tom to Judy around eleven o'clock and went to her own cabin. Only to receive a radio at midnight that made her bluer than the sea.

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**JOHN HOWARD ROSS**  
To which Hope sent a scrawled answer via her stewardess. YOU SHOULD KNOW BETTER THAN TO PUT ON THE SAME SHOW TWICE STOP DON'T BE SILLY YOU ARE AS BADLY OFF WITHOUT A DAUGHTER AS I AM WITHOUT A FATHER STOP MONEY ISN'T EVERYTHING HOPE

The radio messages she received thereafter, as a counter-distraction to her main interest in life, burned up the ether between the old home in Westchester and the ship that was ploughing farther and farther toward the old country. Papa Ross had plenty to say.  
Mama Ross, too, sent fragile radio every time she thought of it, protesting against Hope's behavior; asking where Hope had left her car, whether Hope had warm clothing with her, and finally threatening to follow Hope across on the next boat. But Goody didn't follow up her parents' outbursts with a single word, and in one way Hope felt comforted.

Goody and she had grown closer in the last few years. It was a triumph when Goody sent her own prissy little wire telling Hope that he wished her luck, and would be happy if Hope really won her love at last.  
But what was more to the point never once did Hope hear from Rusty.  
Meantime three days more or ship-board had brought things to a most distressing pitch.  
Dickey had shown up with a girl, a very startling, vivid, husky-eyed one with whom Dickey played deck-tennis, shuffleboard, bid at the ship's auction during the evening

**QUEEN**  
Today - Tomorrow

**SHE HAD TO TAKE THE WORST OF LIFE TO GET THE BEST OF IT!**

**PLAY GIRL**

Sassy pawing her hair as comfort. It was impossible to sleep. Impossible to stay in that stateroom. Out on one of the farthest edges of the uppermost see-sawing deck, Hope wrapped herself in blankets like a cocoon, and let the salt sea spray and the salt tears right out between them.  
It was nearly three a. m. when at last she stiffly got to her feet and headed against the wind to the shelter of her cabin.  
Millie, as might be expected, was awake when she entered.  
"Something too grand for word happened to you tonight," murmured the school-teacher. "You won't believe it?"  
"I don't know?"  
"I was just right there, when they called it out. Only it was under the name of Mrs. Thomas Post and your friend Judy explained that you had asked her to play for you just to turn your luck."  
Hope scowled. So Judy had believed and had announced widespread that even a bride has her pride, yes? Well, who could blame her? And who cared? (Copyright, Grace Perkins)  
Fate and the captain throw Hope and Dickey together — tomorrow. An electric situation results.  
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The Mozelle Beauty Shoppe is located on West Second street in the Petroleum Building. It is owned by Miss Elizabeth Owens. The phone number is 666.  
Miss Owens has been in the beauty work business in Big Spring for seven years and her shop has been in the Petroleum Building for the past two and a half years.  
The Mozelle specializes in Eugene Permanents Waves and have a new machine. They also do hair cutting and all kinds of beauty work. The shop is modern throughout and has the very latest equipment for all work. Two operators are on duty every day.

**Chalk Test Gets Water**  
Two Tests In Eastern Howard County Spud In During Week

Otis Chalk's No. 1-A fee, on the northwest edge of the Chalk shallow pool in Howard County shut down for orders last week at 1,650 feet in red sand after encountering two and one-half barrels of salt water hourly from 1,628-50 feet. It probably will be abandoned.  
The test had a showing of oil from 1,242-50 feet and an increase

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from 1,392 to 1,406 feet. It is 330 feet from the south and east lines of section 96, block 29, W.&N.W. Ry. Co. survey, a quarter of a mile due north of Magnolia Petroleum Co.'s No. 8-A Chalk, a producer, located 990 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the east line of section 113, block 29, W.&N.W. Ry. Co. survey.

Continental No. 4 Overton had not begun drilling plug at 2,150 feet, the reported top of the lime, where 8 1/4 inch casing was cemented with 125 sacks. Standard tools are being rigged up. Location is 1,270 feet from the north line and 1,455 feet from the east line of section 5, block 32 township 2 south, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey.

Two tests in eastern Howard County, spudded the middle of the month, were drilling. F. H. E. Oil Co.'s No. 1 Denman had reached 965 feet in lime. It is 320 feet from the north line and 2,310 feet from the east line of section 14, block 30, township 1 south, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey. R. J. E. Wallace and others' No. 1 Bell, 1980 feet from the north line and 2,640 feet from the west line of section 12, block 30, township 1 south, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, had drilled to 420 feet in redrock.

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Co-Ed Class Story Series Concluded

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roses and pansies by the class as an Easter gift. A large attendance is requested next Sunday so that the members may set a date for the April social meeting.

Those present were Misses Irene Knaua, Agnes Currie, Fern Wells, Vallia True, Iona Drake, Melva Gene Handley, Mary Allen Smith, and Jeanette Barnett; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Tazewell; Misses Lee Weathers and Graham Foosee; and John Carlton.

THIMBLE CLUB POSTPONED Due to the meeting of the Susanah Wesley Sunday School Class social Friday afternoon the members of the Thimble Club, many of which are in the class, will not hold their meeting until next Friday.

Athens was founded by private traders.

Texas Company Leases Crockett County Acreage

OZONA—Leasing by The Texas Co. of 4,874.5 acres in east central Crockett county from Dr. and Mrs. A. Hebling of San Angelo has been consummated.

The block acquired by The Texas Co. starts four miles southwest of Ozona and is between the Ozona-Juno and the Ozona-Pandale road.

The land leased by The Texas Co. from Dr. and Mrs. Hebling consists of the west half of section 15, block QR, TT Ry. Co. survey, 33.4 acres; section 14, block QR, D&SE Ry. Co. survey, 66.8 acres; the east part of section 18, block QR, TT Ry. Co. survey, 627.3 acres; section 16, block QR, TT Ry. Co. survey.

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Easter Attendance Good At All City Churches

Attendance at the churches and Sunday schools for Easter Sunday attained a high mark. The Methodists reported 507. The Christians had a crowded auditorium.

BRIDGE CLUB CORRECTIONS Mrs. P. W. Malone will be hostess to the Ski-Hi Bridge Club Saturday morning for a bridge-breakfast at the Crawford Hotel, and not the Cactus Club as announced.

Adams Family Picnics Sunday At Moss Springs The members of the J. E. Adams family of Coahoma and their friends observed Mr. Adams' birthday Sunday with a picnic at Moss Springs.

BLUEBONNET CLUB MEETS Mrs. W. D. McDonald announced that she will entertain the members of the Bluebonnet Bridge Club on Tuesday instead of Wednesday of this week.

Dennis Leads Steer Track Team To Victory In Meet At Barnhart

Big Spring Performers Get 52 1-2 Points After Arriving Too Late For Sprint And Hurdle Events

By BLONDY CROSS BARNHART — Tack Dennis and the Big Spring High School Steer Track and field invitation meet at Barnhart Saturday too late to participate in the sprints and hurdles events, but cornered the major portion of the points.

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1021.1 acres; the east part of section 23, block QR, HEAWT Ry. Co. survey, 664.1 acres; section 25, block QR, J. H. Gibson survey, 664.1 acres, and the east part of section 28, block QR, EL&RR Ry. Co. survey, 627.3 acres. More land has been leased in Crockett county by oil companies since the first of the year than in any West Texas county and leasing is continuing, due largely to a growing belief that a great wildcat soon will be started along the lines of blocks UV and WX, G&SF Ry. Co. survey, production in the Ordovician. The world's deepest oil wells, in Reagan county to the northwest, produce from lime of that age. The recent purchase by three companies of 2,200 royalty acres in blocks UV and WX has been considered as giving credence to the deep wildcat rumors.

Of all ornamental minerals jade is most prized by Chinese. A railroad that paid 16 per cent in 1927 paid 2 per cent in 1930. Blackfoot Indians are eating U. S. buffalo from Yellowstone. The 1931 rye crop was short the world over.

San Angelo ran two teams in the mile relay. The number 1 club grabbed first honors by a wide margin and the number 2 quartet finished second with Big Spring's relayers third. But the San Angelo team was disqualified because a non-participating member of the squad paced (from the sidelines) one of the Bobcat speeders a few yards. The number 2 team was classed as running merely an exhibition race and was not allowed pointage. As result Big Spring was awarded the first place. Eldorado was given second place pointage, Midland third and Ozona fourth.

Successful Tourney The meet was directed by L. V. Gentry, Barnhart coach and high school principal. William Roger Bissett, Crockett County sheep king was the starter. Superintendent W. C. Mitchell of Barnhart was the official scorer.

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100-yard dash—Friend (Ozona), White (Sonora), Logan (Eldorado), Teague (Mertzon), Time, 11.4. 50-yard dash—Friend (Ozona), Logan (Eldorado), Gafford (Eldorado), Teague (Mertzon), Time, 6.1. 440-yard relay—Midland (S. Midkiff, Riley, Collins, Montgomery), Eldorado (Logan, Smith, Carr, Gafford), Barnhart (W. Miles, Frank Owens, Meadows), Mertzon (Teague, Gray, Lindley, James), Time, 55.5. Full-up—R. Scott (Sherwood), W. Miles (Barnhart), J. Miles (Barnhart), Gregg (Mertzon), Time, 30. High jump—Teague (Mertzon), Logan (Eldorado) and Gafford (Eldorado) tied, Carr (Eldorado), Height, 5 feet.

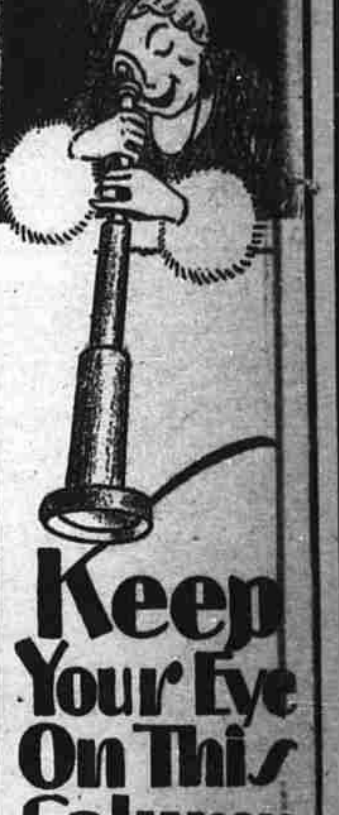
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## RELAY RECORD HOLDERS



Associated Press Photo  
Left to right are Josephine McKim, Marjorie Lowe, Olive Hatch and Norena Forbes. They were photographed during a swimming meet at Long Beach, Cal., where they set a new world's record for the girls' 400-yard relay event. They swam the distance in 5 minutes 25 seconds, lowering the former mark by more than 4 seconds.

## Would Be American Australian Prodigy



Associated Press Photo  
Vivian McGrath, 15 (above), is called the Ellsworth Vines of Australia, so brilliant has been his play in Australian tennis championship matches.  
Conchita Montenegro, film actress, took time out in Chicago to fill out an application for American citizenship. Conchita was a dancer in Spain before entering the talkies.

## TENNIS QUEEN OPENS CAMPAIGN



Associated Press Photo  
This unusual action shot shows Helen Wills Moody, world's premier woman tennis player, executing a neat backhand shot during her first practice of the season at Pasadena, Cal. Helen this year is aiming at her eighth national singles title.

## REG'LAR FELLERS



## Red Hot Proof

by Gene Byrnes

## PA'S SON-IN-LAW

## Con This Be The Solution!

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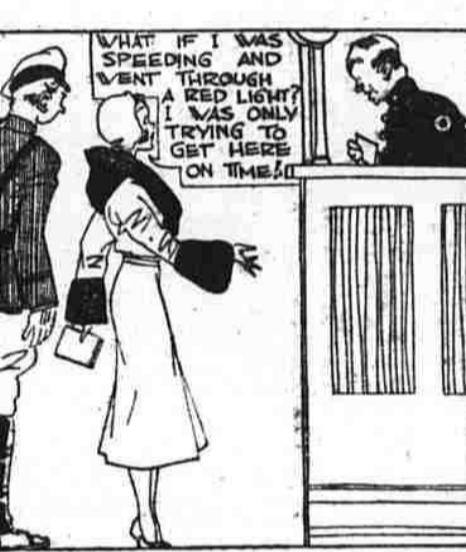


## DIANA DANE

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## Cash Or Terms

by Don Flowers



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## The Diamond Drill

by John C. Terry

RECENT HAPPENINGS  
Scorchy finds that the dynamiting of the mine by Dick Craver has imprisoned Mr. Brown, Betty's father, and six miners.  
Believing them alive, Scorchy brings a Diamond Drill into play with hope of boring to their living tomb, six hundred feet under the mountain, to supply air, liquid food, and a means of communication.



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## Dad, The Gloom Chaser

by Fred Loeb



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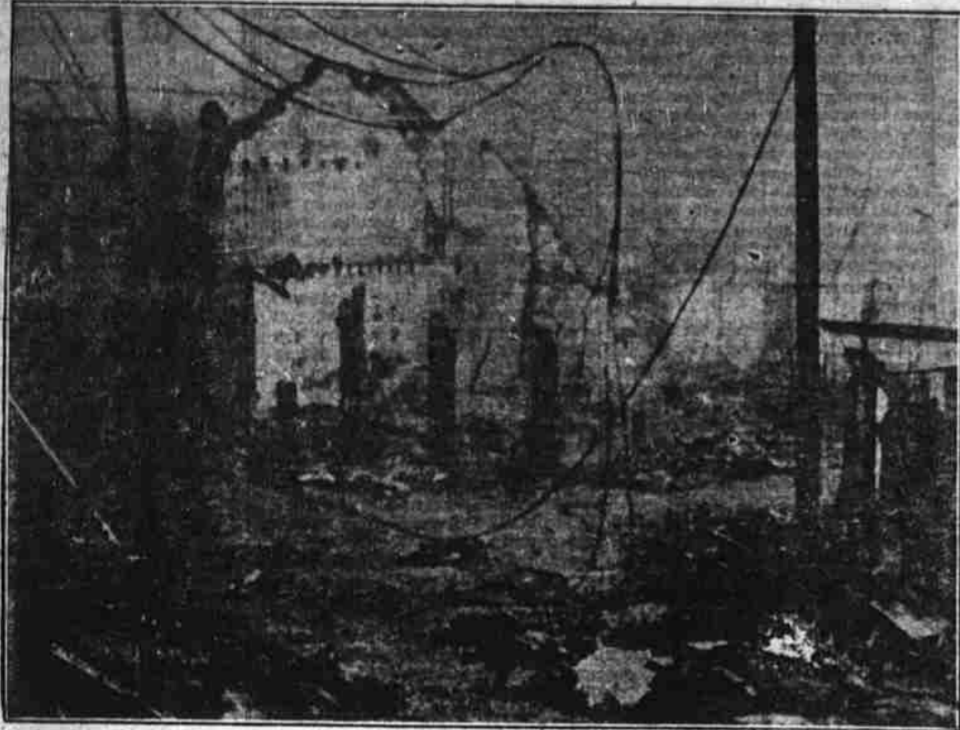
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# NEWS OF THE DAY IN PICTURES

DEATH AND DESOLATION PREVAIL IN RUINED CHAPEL AUSTRALIAN HORSE MAKES GOOD ALLEGED SCENE OF HONOLULU 'HONOR SLAYING'



Spectacles of utter demolition such as this are common in the once peaceful business district of Chapel, now laid waste by Japanese artillery and aerial raids. The huddled forms in the foreground are corpses of those who fell in the bombardment.

## FRINGE OF DIXIE TORNADO HITS HAMILTON, OHIO



Six persons were injured and many buildings demolished when a section of one of the freak spring tornadoes that wrought such havoc in the south clipped Hamilton, O. Above is shown a general view of wrecked houses in the residential section. At the right is an unusual example of the storm's effect on a stone house.



## APACHE, INTERPRETER IN COURT



Mac (Golney) Seymour, Apache Indian cowpuncher, is shown (left) at counsel table in the courtroom at Globe, Ariz., where he is on trial for the slaying of Henrietta Schirmer, 23-year-old college research student. At right is Donald McIntosh, official court interpreter.

## CHINESE REFUGEES ON THE MARCH



When inhabitants of a Chinese village north of Shanghai heard the cry, "The Japanese are coming," they packed up bag and baggage and headed for safer territory. This picture shows them on the march to new and unknown homes.



Phar Lap, the great red gelding from Australia, is shown with Jockey Bill Elliott up just after his brilliant victory in the \$50,000 Agua Caliente handicap, in which he set a new track record, living up to extravagant advance notices. Below is a shot of the race's finish, with Revellie Boy second, two lengths back.

## Chicago Tax Assessor He's 'Master Farmer'



J. L. Jacobs, Chicago's city "efficiency expert," has been named tax assessor for Cook county. He faces the big task of remedying the tangled tax situation which caused Chicago's financial plight.



Mrs. J. E. Hoopes, 70, of Muscatine county, Ia., was selected as one of Iowa's ten "master farmers," and is the first woman to win that award in Iowa. She operates a 175-acre truck farm.

## HELPS CHICAGO'S HOMELESS WAIFS



Like the old woman who lived in a shoe, Judge Mary Bartelme of Chicago's juvenile court has so many children she hardly knows what to do. Strict economies necessitated by the city's muddled tax situation make her job all the more difficult. Here she is shown with four of the youngsters she is trying to place in respectable homes.

## Leads Ohio Strikers

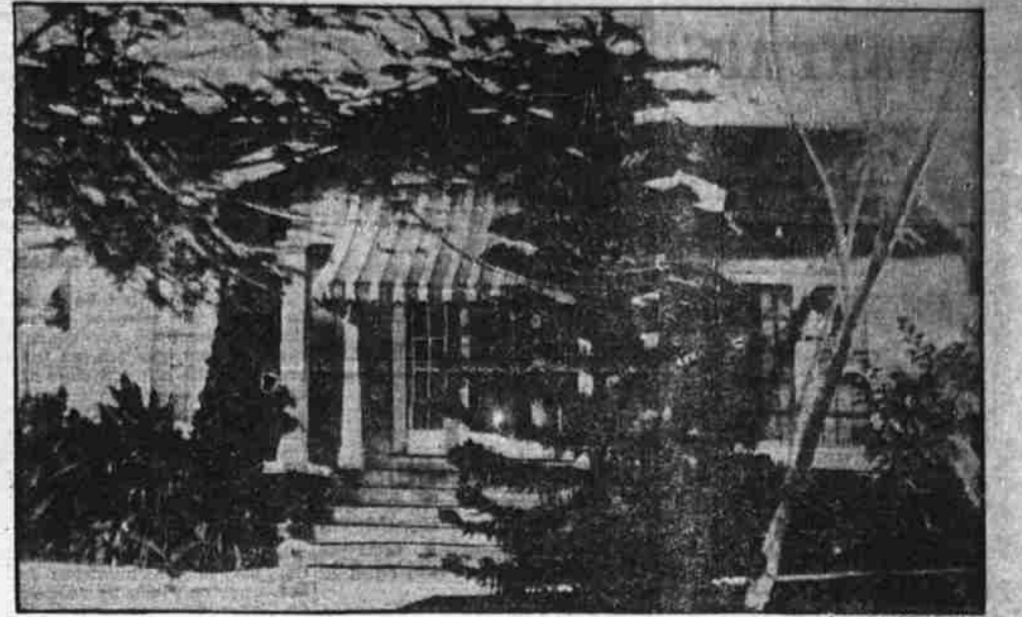


Mrs. Molly Robinson Crain, known among Ohio miners as the "second Mother Jones," is leading the miners who are striking in protest of a pay cut.

## She's A Princess



This little lady is Princess Yori, youngest daughter of the emperor of Japan. She's just 14 days over a year old, and her full name is Atsuko Yori-no-Miya.



This Associated Press telephoto shows the house in Honolulu occupied by Mrs. Granville Fortescue, Washington and New York society matron, who with her son-in-law, Lieut. Thomas H. Massie, faces indictment for the slaying of Joseph Kahahawai, one of five men accused of attacking Massie's wife. Police allege Kahahawai was slain in this Honolulu.

## WIFE OF OFFICER IN HAWAII TRIAL



This is a new and striking picture of Mrs. Thalia Massie, young wife of Lieut. Thomas Massie, who with Mrs. Massie's mother, Mrs. Granville Fortescue, is to go on trial for the murder of Joseph Kahahawai, one of five men charged with assaulting Mrs. Massie near Honolulu.

## 'Last One In'



Little Miss Carol Hammerstein, daughter of Arthur Hammerstein, theatrical producer, was in such a hurry to baptize her new ribbed bathing suit in the ocean off Palm Beach that she didn't have time to fix her face for the omnipresent news photographer.

## Argentine Star



Nadda Francy (above) plays the leading role in the first talking picture produced in Argentina, which is following the lead of the United States in this comparatively new industry.

## Fasts As Protest



Dr. Fred F. Wolter claims he has eaten only one peanut in the 18 days since he began a hunger strike in Washington to protest against unemployment in general and his own unemployment in particular.

## Knows Her Bible



Fifteen-year-old Fern Huser of Fort Worth, Tex., won the south-wide champion "Bible" at the Baptist young people's union conference "sword drill" in Atlanta for her ability to find passages in the Bible quickly when the book, chapter and verse were mentioned.

## READY TO START COSMIC RAY HUNT



Dr. Arthur H. Compton, University of Chicago physicist and Nobel prize winner, is shown lining up his cosmic ray-detecting apparatus before leaving on a tour of the world's most prominent mountain tops. He intends to take "counts" of cosmic ray frequency and intensity in many parts of the world.

## Mayor Is Nabbed



George R. Dale (above), militant editor and mayor of Muncie, Ind., was arrested, along with his police chief, Frank Massey, on a charge of conspiracy to violate the national liquor laws.

## JAPS MAKE BULLET-PROOF VESTS



Japanese workmen are shown making bullet-proof vests, or cuirasses, for which considerable demand has arisen since recent assassinations in Tokyo.



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**Personals** 2  
NOTICE—Sam Reynolds commu-  
nicate with Miranda Hotel, Mirando  
City, Texas, at once important  
information.  
**Political Notices** 3  
TO THE VOTERS  
I will speak to the unemployed at  
their meeting Tuesday night in  
Jones Valley, S. B. Stone, Can-  
didate for City Commissioner.  
**Business Services** 6  
PIKE'S Electrical Shop, 207 W. 2nd.  
Contracting & repairs. Phone, day  
or night, 144.  
TYEWRITERS; adding machines  
repaired; serviced. O. D. Saborn,  
Haley Hotel, Phone 21.  
**Woman's Column** 7  
TONSOE BEAUTY SHOP'S new low  
prices. Crocheting, permanents 25c  
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manicure 50c. Under State Na-  
tional Bank.

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Logan Hatchery, 105 West 1st St.

**Miscellaneous** 23

ONE small house, to be moved from  
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**Apartments** 26  
FURNISHED apartments on Main,  
Downtown; also four or six room  
furnished house in Highland  
Park. Harvey L. Ritz, phone 250  
or 192.  
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—phone 325.  
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nels. Mrs. Jno. Clark.  
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bills paid. Apply 4th & Nolan.  
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phone; all conveniences; couple  
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2nd floor furnished apartment;  
Apply 1011 Johnson St. or call  
914-W.  
APARTMENT or house, 1008 Perry,  
furnished; very reasonable. Phone  
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**Bedrooms** 28

DESIRABLE modern conveniences  
Apply 511 Grex, phone 325.  
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house near Methodist Church.  
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duplex. Phone 187.  
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ton; also furnished apartment at  
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1802 Grex.  
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O. Johnson. Phone Mrs. Coleman.  
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matic heater; garage; 704 E. 11th  
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able. A. Williams, 219 Main,  
phone 1274-W.  
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THE DAILY HERALD is  
authorized to announce the  
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to the action of the Demo-  
cratic primary, July 23, 1932:  
For State Senator (30th Dis-  
trict):  
CLYDE E. THOMAS  
ARTHUR P. DUGGAN  
JESSE C. LEVENS  
For State Representative  
91st District:  
PENROSE B. METCALFE  
For District Judge: (32nd  
Judicial District):  
JAMES T. BROOKS  
C. P. ROGERS  
For District Attorney:  
GEORGE MAHON  
For District Clerk:  
HUGH DUBBERLY  
For County Judge:  
H. R. DEBENPORT  
For County Attorney:  
JAMES LITTLE  
For Sheriff:  
JESS SLAUGHTER  
W. M. (Miller) NICHOLS  
For County Clerk:  
J. I. PRICHARD  
For County Treasurer:  
E. G. TOWLER  
For Tax Collector:  
LOY ACUFF  
For Tax Assessor:  
JIM BLACK  
ANDERSON BAILEY  
For County Commissioner  
(Precinct 1):  
L. H. THOMAS  
FRANK HODNETT  
For County Commissioner  
(Precinct 2):  
RETE JOHNSON  
W. A. PRESCOTT  
For County Commissioner  
(Precinct No. 3):  
GEORGE WHITE  
For County Commissioner  
(Precinct 4):  
W. B. SNEED  
J. A. BISHOP  
S. L. (Roy) LOCKHART  
LOWIE FLETCHER  
For Public Weigher (Precinct  
No. 1):  
J. F. ORY  
ALVA PORCH  
For Justice of Peace (Precinct  
No. 1):  
CECIL C. COLLINGS  
For Constable (Precinct 1):  
WILL CAVNAR  
H. F. WOOD

**Ritchie**  
(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1)  
ained, but expanded. Today there  
has been no reduction in personnel  
in salaries in the various  
branches of the Maryland govern-  
ment. Economies have been put  
into effect within the past year  
just as they have elsewhere else.  
But they have been the economies  
of sound practice and not of forced  
retrenchment.  
Maryland supporters of Govern-  
or Ritchie believe that of the  
Governor's many accomplishments  
this is the outstanding mark of his  
ability as an administrator. There  
have been times when powerful  
interests in the State have fought  
bitterly for what they believe to  
be a necessary expansion of State  
expenditures. At such times they  
have found Governor Ritchie a  
worthy and determined foe, but at  
most without exception the lapse  
of time has proven the wisdom of  
the Governor's position, and his  
temporary enemies are today in-  
cluded among his most ardent  
supporters.  
It is to Governor Ritchie's finan-  
cial record that Maryland points  
first of all in advancing its Chief  
Executive as a candidate for the  
Presidential nomination. Its citi-  
zens believe that the experience  
and knowledge he has gained in  
administering the financial affairs  
of the State should be placed at  
the service of the nation and that  
his, together with his known en-  
croachment of Federal bureau-  
cracy, will lead to decide economies  
in Washington should he become  
the occupant of the White House.

**Blanton's 'Back To Normalcy' Bill  
Attracts Attention In Washington**

WASHINGTON—The "Back to Normalcy Act," introduced by Congressman Tom Blanton of Abilene last week on the eve of contemplated action by the special house economy committee has been attracting a great deal of attention here.  
The bill would reduce all government salaries above \$2,200 a year to what they were prior to the passage of the classification act in 1923 with none to exceed \$7,500 and would abolish the Personnel Classification Board.  
Proposals of the Blanton bill include:  
"This act shall not be construed to reduce the rates of compensation for positions for which the rates of compensation, on the day preceding the effective date of this act, do not exceed an annual rate of compensation of \$2,200, so that all existing salaries of not more than \$2,200 shall not be affected by this act."  
"This act shall not apply to:  
(a) The compensation of any officer of the United States whose compensation, under the Constitution, may not be diminished during the term for which he was elected or during his continuance in office, or  
(b) Compensation paid under the terms of any contract which the United States is a party."  
"That Public No. 595, Seventieth Congress, known as the 'disabled officers emergency retirement act,' be and the same likewise, is hereby in all things repealed."  
"This act shall be known as the 'Back to Normalcy Act' and after its passage the maximum of any statutory salary paid by the government shall not exceed \$7,500 per annum, and hereafter no quasi-governmental institution supervised by and receiving benefits from the government shall pay any of its officials or employees a salary exceeding \$7,500 per annum."  
Congressman Blanton pointed out that in the representative branch of the government there are two employees receiving \$15,000 a year, 538 at \$10,000 a year, 1 at \$8,000, 7 at \$8,000, 9 at \$7,500, 5 at \$7,400, 1 at \$6,500, 6 at \$6,000, 7 at \$5,400, 3 at \$5,200, 16 at \$5,000, 7 at \$4,800, 11 at \$4,600, 7 at \$4,400, 10 at \$4,200, 2 at \$4,000, 104 at \$3,900, 15 at \$3,800, 5 at \$3,700, 46 at \$3,600, 13 at \$3,500, 23 at \$3,400, 35 at \$3,300, 70 at \$3,200, 29 at \$3,100, 34 at \$3,000, 12 at \$2,900, 40 at \$2,800, 43 at \$2,700, 55 at \$2,600, 917 at \$2,500, 121 at \$2,400, 47 at \$2,300, 141 at \$2,200, 4,443 at \$2,100, and 2,241 other employees drawing salaries ranging from \$1,000 to \$2,000 annually.  
The Texas congressman also pointed out that in all of the other civil and military branches of the government, the salaries ranged as follows:  
32 employees, \$15,000 and over  
41 " " 12,000 " "  
4 " " 11,000 " "  
134 " " 10,000 " "  
1,328 " " 9,000 " "  
40 " " 8,500 " "  
216 " " 8,000 " "  
150 " " 7,500 " "  
244 " " 7,000 " "  
309 " " 6,500 " "  
1,943 " " 6,000 " "  
442 " " 5,800 " "  
1,324 " " 5,600 " "  
314 " " 5,400 " "  
510 " " 5,200 " "  
1,602 " " 5,000 " "  
2,034 " " 4,800 " "  
2,605 " " 4,600 " "  
1,714 " " 4,400 " "  
1,335 " " 4,200 " "  
154 " " 4,100 " "  
2,371 " " 4,000 " "  
1,489 " " 3,900 " "  
2,054 " " 3,800 " "  
1,602 " " 3,700 " "  
3,196 " " 3,600 " "  
2,105 " " 3,500 " "  
2,019 " " 3,400 " "  
2,749 " " 3,300 " "  
4,613 " " 3,200 " "  
2,011 " " 3,100 " "  
4,191 " " 3,000 " "  
4,283 " " 2,900 " "  
9,425 " " 2,800 " "  
8,177 " " 2,700 " "  
15,567 " " 2,600 " "  
49,291 " " 2,500 " "  
23,293 " " 2,400 " "  
26,268 " " 2,300 " "  
16,254 " " 2,200 " "  
118,789 " " 2,100 " "  
25,789 " " 2,000 " "  
681,892 Below 2,000

Rogers may survive one or two rounds in the district play, for certainly he is not the worst player in this section. He could, we believe, defeat all but two of the youths that will meet in Abilene April 8. Two is not very many. He does not, however, possess any killing strokes to speak of, playing a consistent, ping-pong game. Which is not the best game in the world to play even when you're the best in the world at it.

There was considerable more interest taken in the county meet this year than of ordinary, and on two or three outstanding performances were submitted by the schoolboy class artists. One youth, Yarbo of Forsan, won places in both junior and senior competition, capturing the junior 50 yard dash and the senior cent. It has been several years since such a feat was turned in. Cecil Neel, now of Texas Tech once won the senior high jump while a student of Junior High. Incidentally, and mysteriously, it was the last first place Neel ever won in track competition.

This Saturday, if present plans do not go astray, the Steer cinder artists will make their bid for fame in the stadium of the San Angelo Bobcats, where an invitational meet is being staged. The Bobcats, we might say, approve highly of invitational meets, either in basketball or track. This year they have won the championships of the Colorado and Lubbock Invitational basketball tournaments and have taken off the Midland relays. We predict victory in the San Angelo classic, but not too enthusiastically. One or two of the local thinkers may not be in uniform for the event, a little matter of school discipline or something of the sort needing to be settled with Generalissimo George Gentry before they can accompany Monsieur Dennis, Forrester, Richbourg, and Co. to the banks of the Concho.

Should the Abilene Eagles enter the meet, as has been presaged from San Angelo, the chances of the Steers will not be so bright. You're welcome for the admission. Mr. Prexy Anderson, the Bobcats are not liable to outpoint Abilene in any meet this year, that is unless they revive basketball and pay no attention to eligibility rules in tennis. Cogdell of Abilene, so we notice as we glance over the results of the school tryouts held last week, ran the century in ten flat, which is dangerously close to being very fast and which is certainly fast enough. Mr. Cogdell can outrun anyone on the Steer team in best of physical condition, we do not hesitate to admit. And almost as certainly Mr. Glenn Wyatt can out-vault Lloyd Forrester, that is if his mark of 10 feet 8 inches is any indication of his ability. Ten feet six inches is a full foot taller than Moosejaw LaFevre if you want a good comparison.

Excuse us while we borrow a

Melva Gene Handley, a 1931 graduate of Big Spring high school, now a student in Texas College for Women at Denton, is spending the spring holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Weathers, in Big Spring and Sweetwater.

San Marino, 33 square miles in area, is the smallest republic.

**CASH  
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**Personally  
Speaking**

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hanson and daughter, Roberts, and a friend spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Strain.  
Evelyn Burnside, of Lamesa, spent the week-end with Miss Clara Secrest.  
Miss Ethel Evans and Walter Barrett spent the week-end in Strawn with Miss Evans' family.  
Melva Gene Handley who has been attending C. I. A. at Denton this year, was a visitor in town Easter Sunday.  
Miss Katie Bell Long spent the week-end in Midland visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. Paul Barron.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Mellinger and family of Merkel spent Easter Sunday with the former's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mellinger.

Mrs. Robert Cannon, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Spence for the past week, returned to her home in San Angelo.

J. F. Wolcott will leave tonight for Dallas, where he will attend a meeting of Ford dealers on Tuesday. He plans to return Wednesday morning.

Tommy Carr of Midland spent the week-end in Big Spring, the guest of friends.

T. E. Jordan, and son, Albert went to Lamesa Monday morning.

Allen Hodges went to Tyler, Sunday, to spend a few days with relatives and friends. He will return Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. I. E. Parmley are attending a medical clinic in Dallas this week.

C. E. Talbot received painful cuts about the face late last week when struck by cavities in a cistern in which he was working.

Mrs. Jack Hodges is doing alterations and dressmaking at her home, 209 Johnson. Work guaranteed. Phone 1216-W.—adv.

**TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF  
UNITED STATES FOR THE  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF  
TEXAS, AT ABILENE**  
In the Matter of Settles Hotel Corporation, bankrupt, No. 1519 in bankruptcy, Abilene, Texas, March 17th, 1932.  
In pursuance of an order directed to me in the matter of said bankruptcy, I will offer for sale at public or private sale, see below all liens and encumbrances, to the highest bidder, on or after 30th day of March A. D. 1932, in Abilene County of Taylor, State of Texas, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. assets belonging to the said estate in bankruptcy, as follows:  
All of Lots Nos. Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block No. Nineteen (19), of the original townsite of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas. (The same being the Settles Hotel Building).  
Said assets to be sold free of all liens and encumbrances, except taxes, at the United States District Court Room in Abilene, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m.  
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R. W. HAYNE,  
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**Santa Fe's "All The Way" Hauling  
System Attacked By Members Of  
I. C. C. Who Dissented In A & S Case**

WASHINGTON—Of the 11 members of the Interstate Commerce Commission, only one was in favor of allowing the Abilene and Southern to extend its line from Ballinger to San Angelo, the 16-page decision denying the application discloses. One commissioner did not take part in the case, another dissented from the majority opinion, and a third concurred only in part. The other eight endorsed the report which declared there was no public convenience and necessity shown.  
Commissioner Frank McManamy filed the dissenting opinion. He also dissented from the majority when the case was decided on Aug. 7, 1930. It was reopened to permit further hearings on the volume of traffic, in December, 1930, and then in December of last year arguments were heard on all of the testimony.  
"San Angelo and the territory served by it are entitled to competitive rail service and the development which will follow will amply warrant the expenditure," Commissioner McManamy declared.  
In his opinion he cited the fact that the chief opposition came from the Santa Fe, and that the greater part of the traffic by rail to San Angelo from Dallas and Fort Worth was moved by way of Temple, a distance of 355.4 miles, as against 248 miles which the Abilene & Southern would offer by way of Ballinger and Abilene.  
He mentioned the tremendous increase in the trucking business in West Texas and added, "Railroads will find it increasingly difficult to retain the traffic if they insist on their right to the long haul to the extent of hauling freight more than 100 miles out of line on a 250-mile journey."  
Commissioner Joseph B. Eastman, who concurred in part with the majority, in his report also attacked the Santa Fe's "all the way" hauling system and said: "A few years ago I think I would have voted unconditionally in favor of the application in this case, on the ground that at a comparatively small expense it would provide a logical extension of an existing railroad line and at the same time bring competition to San Angelo. Under present conditions of railroad poverty and need for conserving all their resources, my inclination is the other way. However, I would not dismiss this application for the present, but suspend action upon it until the Santa Fe has been given a further opportunity to provide good service over a direct route between San Angelo and Dallas and Fort Worth. If it should not avail itself of this opportunity there would then be more justification for granting the pending application."  
The majority opinion discussed in detail the testimony in regard to the business done by San Angelo firms and distributors and the present rail service. It cited the decrease in freight tonnage in recent years and declared that jobbers and branch houses in San Angelo, of a total in 18 West Texas counties by doing from 90 to 95 percent of their business by truck.  
A great deal of evidence was given during the hearings on the prospects for developing the feeding industry in the San Angelo area. Witnesses contended that livestock could be fed profitably in the section in far greater quantity than at present if quick transportation to the Fort Worth market were available, but after reviewing this evidence the report says, "It seems doubtful that cattle feeding near San Angelo can be developed by building the proposed line of railroad."

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