

Alleged Russ Agent Won't Take An Oath

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. (AP)—Gerhard Eisler refused to tell a house committee under oath today whether he is the "No. 1 Communist" in America, but former associates—including one who said she is his sister—declared he was for many years Moscow's top agent here.

Shouting that he is a "political prisoner," Eisler threw into turmoil an inquiry by the House Un-American Activities Committee into Communist operations in the United States.

First Gasoline At Special Rate To Leave Friday

The first trainload of gasoline in American history to move under special rates will pull out from Cosden Petroleum Corporation's refining plant here Friday afternoon, consigned to the company's new bulk plant at Sweetwater.

Loading of 4,000 barrels of gasoline was to be started at the refinery's docks late this afternoon and the Texas & Pacific Railway company, which has secured a special trian-lot rate for Cosden Petroleum products, will start switching sometime after noon Friday.

Thus, the T&P will begin its "pipeline on wheels" experiment, authorized by the Texas railroad commission last Dec. 23 for a period of one year. Considerable nationwide interest is being focused on the test by the rail and petroleum fraternities.

Under the rate principle approved by the state commission for intrastate shipments, the products from Cosden will move at savings up to 60 per cent over previous carload lots. For example, the rate to Sweetwater from Big Spring will be 3 1-2 cents per cwt whereas under previous carload schedules the rate was 8 1-2 cents per cwt.

At the eastern terminus, according to Cosden plans, the rate to Orme (Arlington) will be 11 cents cwt against 25 cents cwt for the best previous quotations.

Doug Orme, traffic superintendent for Cosden, said Thursday that the company hoped to ship from 100 to 150 carloads during February to its Sweetwater blending unit. When the plant at Orme and those at Abilene and Sweetwater are completed, the company hopes to attain a volume of around 600 cars per month. The Friday shipment will be 20 cars, the minimum permitted as an experiment.

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Jester Proposes Quail Tax Stamp

AUSTIN, Feb. 6. (AP)—Gov. Beauford Jester said today he will recommend to the legislature that quail hunters in Texas be required to affix a \$1 state quail tax stamp to their hunting licenses.

Revenue from the tax would go to protection and propagation of quail in the state, Jester said.

Colonel Is Arrested Carrying Jap Jewels

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 6. (AP)—An army colonel with an excellent record in the Pacific campaigns and Japanese occupation was under arrest today while customs officials and the army pursued investigations resulting from seizure of \$210,000 in Japanese diamonds. The jewels, customs officials said, were found on the officer's person and in his safe deposit box.

The San Francisco Port of Embarkation said the officer, Col. Edward J. Murray of Palo Alto, had been placed in "technical arrest and confined to quarters" on direct orders from General MacArthur.

Murray, Tokyo dispatches said, was officer in charge of the Bank of Japan, in the vaults of which were millions in gold and silver bullion and diamonds held in occupation custody.

Murray arrived here Monday aboard the SS Westminister Victory. Collector of Customs Paul Leake said customs agents seized \$10,000 worth of Japanese diamonds in his watch pocket and \$200,000 more from his deposit box.

Leake said Murray was traced through a previous sale here of \$20,000 worth of smuggled diamonds. He said the officer, while being questioned, had intimated he considered the diamonds "legitimate loot."

The Customs Service has been working on the case, Leake said, since it was discovered some time ago that some diamonds had been unloaded in the San Francisco market.

O. Max Gardner, US Ambassador To Britain, Dies

Envoy Was Due To Sail For England Today

NEW YORK, Feb. 6. (AP) A. Max Gardner, 64, died of coronary thrombosis today at his Hotel St. Regis suite a few hours before he was to board the liner America to sail for his new post in London as United States ambassador to Great Britain.

The death was first announced by the White House, where Presidential Secretary Charles G. Ross said President Truman was "deeply grieved and shocked."

"I have lost a loyal and devoted personal friend and the country

has lost a great American," the President said in a statement. Presidential Secretary Charles G. Ross said Mr. Truman had not had opportunity to give any thought to a successor to Gardner.

He gave this reply when a reporter asked if an early appointment might be expected.

Gardner, former Undersecretary of the Treasury and one-time governor of North Carolina, was stricken at 3 a. m., and the family immediately summoned a physician at the hotel staff who called a heart specialist. He was placed in an oxygen tent. Death came at 8:20 a. m.

With him at the time were Mrs. Gardner and their son, Ralph, who were to have sailed with him; Fred Morrison, his law partner, and Mrs. Morrison. A daughter, Mrs. U. C. Burgess, of Short Hills, N. J., was enroute to the hotel when he died.

Gardner, named to the diplomatic post a month ago to succeed W. Averell Harriman, now Secretary of Commerce, came to New York Tuesday afternoon. He was a guest of honor yesterday at a luncheon given by Eric Johnston, head of the Motion Picture Association.

His trip to London would have taken Gardner to scenes he first visited 42 years ago when he and some other members of the University of North Carolina football squad worked their way across on a cattleboat.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6. (AP)—The United States held firmly today to its demand that a proposed arms limitation commission must not overlap on the assignment of the United Nations atomic energy commission.

An informed source disclosed the American stands as six United Nations security council delegates went into closed session at 10:15 a. m. CST. They are attempting to untangle a council snarl on the proper way to begin studying arms limitation and reduction of armed forces.

It was said that the United States would abandon its demand that a special committee of the council be set up to write rules for the commission in favor of a Belgian compromise proposal.

3,000 French Said Killed In Orient

MANILA, Feb. 6. (AP)—The Vietnam, high command, in a broadcast heard here today by the Associated Press, claimed the French had lost 3,000 men killed or wounded in the Indochina fighting since December in four heavy drives to capture Hanoi from the Vietnamese.

The Vietnam Resistance committee at the same time conceded they had lost 1,500 regulars and "self-defense youths" killed and wounded, with more than 50 villages set afire and several thousand homes destroyed.

Indictment Against Negro Is Quashed

GONZALES, Feb. 6. (AP)—Judge Lester Holt of 25th district court today quashed an indictment on a charge of murder brought against Charles Henry Jackson, a Dallas Negro, on the grounds that the grand jury which indicted Jackson did not have a Negro as a member.

Louis Jones, another Negro indicted in the same slaying case, was sentenced in June to death in the electric chair and the sentence was upheld by higher courts. The execution has been stayed pending the outcome of the trial held today. Jones did not make the same defense plea.

STATE ROAD BIDS

AUSTIN, Feb. 6. (AP)—The state highway department today scheduled road projects for bids Feb. 18 and 19 estimated to cost \$7,140,000.

Demos Shout Protest; Two-Term Limit Debated



TRAIN AFIRE—Flames shoot from the window of a Southern Pacific passenger train after it struck an oil truck and caught fire near Fresno, California. Four persons were fatally injured and 90 others hospitalized following the crash. (AP Wirephoto).

Senate Okays Arnold After Talk Of 'Deal'

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. (AP)—The Senate Finance Committee unanimously approved today President Truman's nomination of Herbert Arnold of Dallas to be collector of internal revenue for Northern Texas.

Arnold appeared before the committee. He was accompanied by Senator Connally (D-Tex.) who had recommended his appointment. Opposition to the appointment previously had been expressed by Senator O'Daniel (D-Tex.).

The committee's action was made known by Connally. Attending the committee's closed-door meeting as witnesses supporting the Arnold nomination were Arthur Tritt of Amarillo and Carl Estes, Longview, Texas, newspaper publisher.

Arnold has been acting collector of internal revenue at Dallas since the death a year ago of W. A. Thomas.

Chairman Millikin (R-Colo.) told reporters discussion of the nomination had centered around recent automobile deals involving Arnold. Millikin said they were brought to the committee's attention by Connally so that all the facts would be known.

The transactions, Millikin continued, apparently were the basis for O'Daniel's objection to Arnold although O'Daniel had never discussed the matter with the committee.

France Supports Small Nations

LONDON, Feb. 6. (AP)—France aligned herself with Britain and the United States today in supporting demands of small allied nations for a more active part in drafting peace treaties for Germany and Austria.

The big four foreign ministers' deputies, laying groundwork for the ministers' meeting in Moscow next month, were advised of France's views in a proposal submitted yesterday by Maurice Couve de Murville.

Under his proposal, the deputies would create consultation committees of the four big powers and other "states concerned" and, while proceeding with treaty drafting, would supply full information to the little nations through these committees and would seek their advice when their interests were involved.

Teacher Killed In Her Classroom

MADILL, Okla., Feb. 6. (AP)—Sheriff Joe Everett declared Wednesday there was "no need for a coroner's inquest" in the school-room shooting of Mrs. Jessie Laird, 40, and her estranged husband, Ellis Laird, 62, and issued a verdict of murder and suicide in the case.

Mrs. Laird, a teacher at the Camrose elementary school here, was shot to death in her classroom in the presence of several of her first grade pupils.

TWO INFANTS DIE

TYLER, Tex., Feb. 6. (AP)—Two infant daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Edison G. Lee died of suffocation early today in a fire which Fire Chief Henry Ginn said he believed was caused by a lighted cigarette.

LEGISLATOR 'FEELS BAD'

Governor's House Leaks

AUSTIN, Feb. 6. (AP)—Another housing problem popped up in the House of Representatives today—this time the governor's house.

Rep. W. A. (Cap) Williamson of San Antonio presented a concurrent resolution asking that a committee of Senators and Representatives inspect the governor's mansion to determine the extent of repairs needed there.

He related that the roof leaks over the bed (Sam Houston's); that the kitchen is in a bad state of repair and that the whole place was generally run down.

Rep. Sam Hanna of Dallas declared he could see no point in appointing such a committee.

"They've already told us the mansion is about to fall down. We might just as well tear it down and build a new one," he said.

"Sam, you just feel bad this morning," Speaker W. O. Reed suggested.

The House passed the resolution.

Floor Leader Asks Members To Relax

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. (AP)—With Democrats shouting objections, the House went ahead today with legislation submitting a constitutional amendment that would clamp a two-term limit on the presidency.

There was no roll-call vote on a Republican motion to proceed with two hours of debate, but scores of Democrats opposed it on a voice vote after their floor leader, Rep. Rayburn of Texas, advised members to "wait a little while and cool off."

Republicans sponsors said they were certain of the two-thirds vote necessary to send the proposal to the Senate late today.

Asserting that the amendment would deny future generations the right to select whom they please for the presidency, Rayburn said: "Let us not lightly change a document that has served us well."

The debate extended to a Senate judiciary subcommittee, where Senator Wiley (R-Wis.) declared "too long occupancy of the presidential office always makes for danger of dictatorship."

Wiley appeared in support of his resolution, which is a duplicate of the one before the House. He said it "merely puts into writing in the constitution a custom which the American people have observed throughout their history prior to President Roosevelt's tenure."

Democrats, squaring away for the opening of debate on the GOP-sponsored constitutional amendment, called it "politics" and said it would "shackle" future voters.

Republicans claimed they have more than the required two-thirds majority. The same margin is needed in the Senate to submit the proposal to the states—36 of which must ratify it before it can become law.

Some House Republicans said privately, meanwhile, that President Truman has put them on the spot by repeating his recommendation for a law to make the Speaker of the House and the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Senate next in the presidential line of succession.

Mr. Truman addressed his new request yesterday to Speaker Martin (Mass.) and Senate President Vandenberg (Mich.), both Republicans.

He said the same need for revision of the 60-year old succession law exists now as when he first proposed it June 19, 1945.

May Be Barred

LONDON, Feb. 6. (AP)—The Italian Tenor Beniamino Gigli may be barred from Britain if his 1943 book "Why I Am A Fascist" is found to be non-fiction, the House of Commons was informed today.

Student, Girl Are Asphyxiated

AUSTIN, Feb. 6. (AP)—Two persons were found asphyxiated here about 1 a. m. today.

The dead were identified by Police Sergeant A. E. Garrison, Jr., as Nixon Manning Rhodes, 25, a senior engineering student at the University of Texas from Corpus Christi and Vada Ernestine McElyea, 25, an employee of a local hospital.

Two students who shared an apartment with Rhodes discovered the bodies and immediately began giving artificial respiration. Firemen used special respiration equipment for more than half an hour before the couple were pronounced dead.

Physician Dies In Plane Crash

SHAMROCK, Tex., Feb. 6. (AP)—Dr. J. L. Huff, 30, Shamrock osteopathic physician, was killed and his partner, Dr. M. S. Couch, 29, was injured last night when their plane crashed a mile and a half north of here.

The plane, piloted by Couch, struck a power line near the Red River bridge.

Plan Chlorine Plant

HOUSTON, Feb. 6. (AP)—Dow Chemical company was granted a Civilian Production Administration permit today to construct a chlorine plant at Velasco, to cost approximately \$8,000,000, it was announced today.

Senators Okay 140 Of Jester's 193 Appointees

AUSTIN, Feb. 5. (AP)—The Senate came out of a 55-minute executive session today to announce they had confirmed approximately 140 of the 193 names submitted by former-Gov. Coke Stevenson as interim appointees.

Sen. Buster Brown of Temple said the Senate "failed to act" on 11 of the names recommended by his nominations committee last Monday.

Included in the 11 names were seven members of the State Board of Public Accountancy, three members of the State Board of Education, and Jack Warden of McKinney, nominated for the State Barber Board.

Brown said the nominations committee would meet again Monday afternoon to consider the remainder of Stevenson's appointees. Immediately after the executive session the Senate approved a House concurrent resolution to adjourn until 10:30 a. m. Monday.

Engineer Dies Beneath Train

SHERMAN, Feb. 6. (AP)—Frank Murley, 51, Sherman, railroad engineer for the Frisco Railroad, was reported killed instantly early today when his locomotive overturned and pinned him beneath it near Scullin, Okla.

Merritt Watson, Sherman brakeman, and James Potts, Sherman fireman, were reported injured and in an Ada, Okla., hospital. Watson had a broken foot and Potts was burned.

Uninjured were O. E. Saylor, brakeman, Sherman, and J. A. Calhoun, conductor, of Denison. The accident occurred at 4:30 a. m. today. The freight train was southbound from Tulsa. Early reports from Ada said the locomotive and 45 cars were derailed.

Woman In British Cabinet Post Dies

LONDON, Feb. 6. (AP)—Ellen Wilkinson, minister of education and second woman ever to serve in a British cabinet, died today.

She entered a hospital yesterday, suffering from bronchitis. Her death was attributed to a heart attack.

Peppery, red-haired and tiny, Miss Wilkinson was incredibly hard-working, but she had been in ill health for months. Her death was the first to occur in Prime Minister Attlee's cabinet since it was formed in August, 1945.

A member of a Manchester working class family, she trained to become a teacher but entered politics instead and won a seat in Parliament in 1924.

Although she stood only four feet, nine inches tall she had made a career of badgering those persons and organizations which opposed the causes she championed, and her flaming red head was known the length and breadth of this island—and in America, too.

"No woman in the whole of Britain has been more active, more persistent or more annoying," someone once said of her, and it pleased her.

The only other woman who ever served as a cabinet minister was Miss Margaret Bondfield, who was minister of labor in 1939.

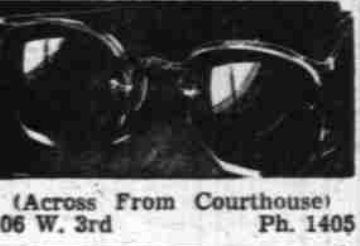
Before entering the cabinet, Miss Wilkinson had served as a parliamentary secretary, first to the ministry of home security, and was a delegate to the San Francisco conference on the United Nations. She served as a delegate to the first United Nations assembly in London in January, 1946.

The court renewed an invitation to the National CIO also to become a party to the suit. However, he said, he has received no word from that organization and that his offer will not remain open indefinitely.

The government's intervention came over the objection of Edward Lamb, attorney for the pottery workers who began the suit in 1941.

The company made no objection to the government's intervention but reserved the right to oppose similar petitions from any other organization, including the CIO.

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FBI Officers Won't Forget Sheriff Lane

By **TEX EASLEY**
WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. (AP)—G-men who conduct training course here for peace officers from over the country won't forget Sheriff T. W. (Buckshot) Lane of Wharton.

They already know him by reputation when he enrolled Jan. 6 for the 12-week school conducted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Detective magazine and radio shows had spread his fame as the daring, unarmed officer who tackled the pistol-waving gangster Pete Norris in the Wharton jail Christmas Eve of 1945 and thwarted a jail break.

But they were surprised to find him no long, lanky 6-footer. He is 5 feet 7 inches and weighs 145

pounds. His quiet manner and low voice are characteristics you wouldn't expect in a sheriff who also had emerged a hero in the Luling bank robbery case of 1937 and in other encounters with outlaws.

The friendly, good-natured Texan told this story on himself. He figured it would be mighty cold up here in Washington compared with south Texas, so he came prepared.

"On our first day in the FBI school they ran us into a big room for a physical exam and told us to trip off down to our shoes and shorts," he laughed. "Well, it had to come out then. I had on long handled underwear. I had to use the arms and tie them around me the best I could."

On the serious side, the Texas sheriff gave his fellow peace officers a few good pointers at one of the discussion periods.

One subject he brought up was traffic tickets. He believes they can be used to educate and engender cooperation for law enforcement, as well as for making a lot of motorists unhappy if not angry.

The traffic tickets he issues, Lane explained, are divided into three sections with a stub on which the officer retains complete data of each case. The section given the motorists depends on the circumstances:

One imposes a penalty for a flagrant violation. One is for issuance to drivers of cars with defective equipment, and is to be signed by a garage operator and returned to the sheriff's office when repairs are made.

Storage Building To House 4-H Club Show Here

Members of the Howard County 4-H club adult committee announced today that the annual club livestock show will be held in a storage building near the West Texas Livestock Auction company.

The 4-H adult group had been asked by the Howard County Fair association, sponsors of the show, to make arrangements for a show site.

At the same time County Agent Durward Lewter announced that the show would begin officially at 9:30 a.m. Feb. 11, when lamb entries will be judged. Judging of the steers has been set for 12:30 p.m.

Meanwhile a special committee of the Fair association began making arrangements for the club sale, which will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Feb. 12. Early indications are that 44 club steers and several lambs will be offered for sale.

SHAW HAS NEW PLAY
LONDON, Feb. 6. (AP)—George Bernard Shaw, at 90, has finished a new play but he won't say what it's about other than that it's a "tropical comedy."

The third section is a "courtesy warning," especially for out-of-county or out-of-state motorists. It points out the traffic regulations and bears catch phrases emphasizing the need for extra care when approach school buses and driving sanely to prevent highway deaths.

SPORTS SHOTS

Huffman May Go To Columbia U

DALLAS, Feb. 6. (AP)—The gambling "fix" has reared its head in Texas high school football.

One coach was approached last fall with an offer of three \$1,000 bills if he would see that his team held the score to a certain figure in a coming game. And the full-back of the team also was approached. Both refused.

Circumstances of the incidents prevented possible prosecution of those making the offers, we are told.

Here's how it happened: The coach was informed that "friends" wanted to see him in a hotel room. He went there but upon being admitted saw only one man—a man he did not know.

The man was quite pleasant and finally showed him an envelope with the three bills in it. He stated his proposition. The coach declined and left. But he told about it.

Don't be surprised if Berl Huffman football coach and head basketball mentor at Texas Tech, turns up at Columbia University next fall.

Lou Little, Columbia's head mentor, is looking for an assistant. He was interested in both Huffman and Marty Karow, Texas A&M football assistant and head cage coach.

Little attended the meeting of the rules committee at Camp Mystic, representing the American Football Coaches Association. While there he inquired about the two Texas men.

Trade Stimulus

NANKING, Feb. 6. (AP)—Premier T. V. Soong today announced the government was granting a 100 percent subsidy to Chinese exporters in an effort to give immediate stimulus to the nation's faltering foreign trade.

SUBSIDIES FOUR BILLION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. (AP)—The agriculture Department said today farmers will receive about \$4,000,000,000 from marketings and government subsidies during the first two months of this year.

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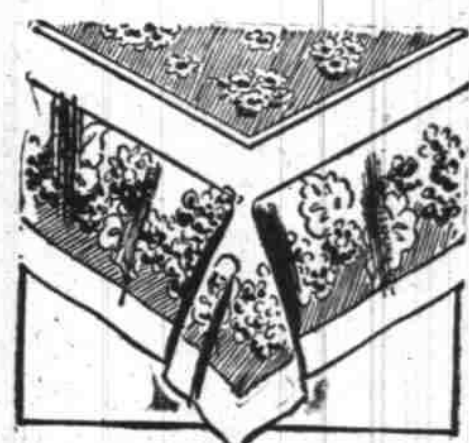
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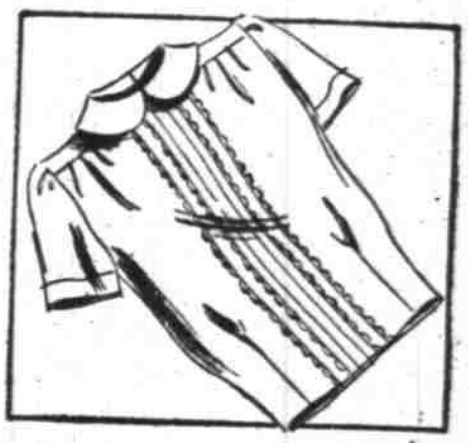
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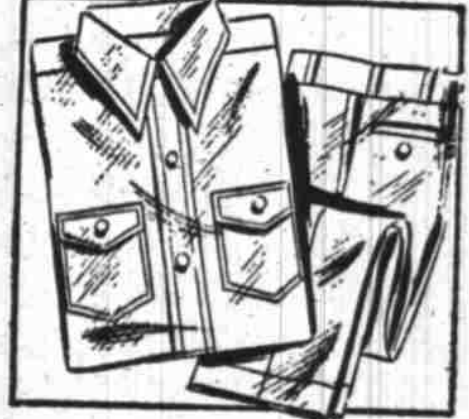
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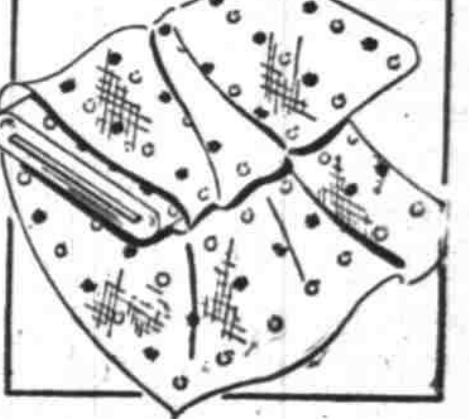
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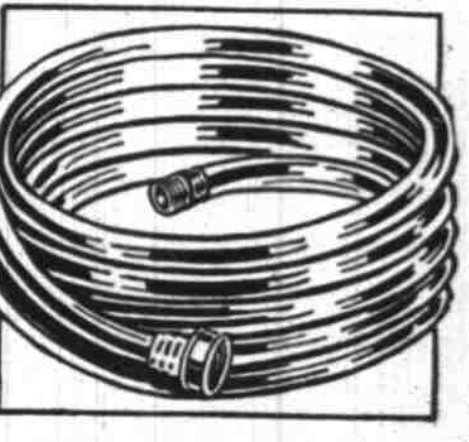
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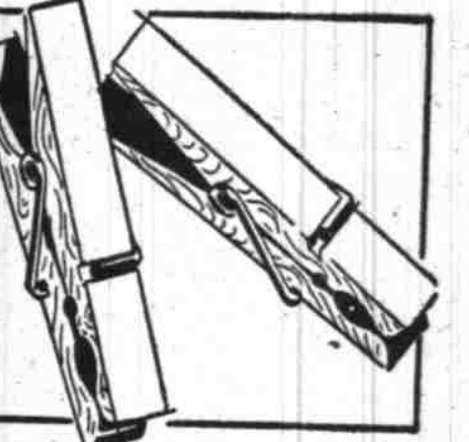
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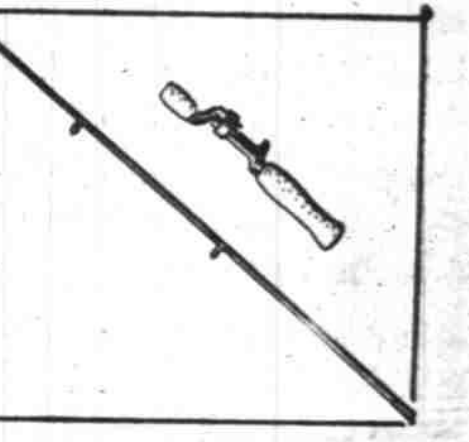
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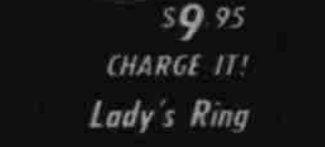


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P-TA Council Members Told School Lunchroom May Close After March 1

Representatives of the various Parent-Teacher units in Big Spring gathered at the high school Wednesday for a council meeting and were told that unless appropriations are provided to assist in the lunchroom program here, the project may be abandoned after March 1.

W. C. Blankenship, superintendent of schools, said Thursday that reimbursement from the government cannot be expected after allocations are received for February and March, and that present participation in the program can not support the project.

Approximately 185 students and teachers eat at the cafeteria, and Blankenship believes that the number would have to be increased to 250 meals per day before expenses could be met without state or federal aid.

Popularity of the school lunch room project and the opening of many new cafeterias were cited as the principal reasons for the depletion of funds.

Mrs. Jimmy Mason council president, was in charge of the session and read letters from senators and representatives concerning the raise in pay which the organization is seeking for teachers. All expressed their desire to support the measure.

A nominating committee was elected and the group includes

Mrs. A. L. Cloven, chairman, Mrs. L. D. Jenkins, Mrs. Zollie Mae Rawlins.

It was announced that the deposit required at the Howard county library had been discontinued and that children could now check out books free of charge.

All local units reported plans for Founder's Day programs during the month.

"Triumphant Bachelor"

Little Theatre Group Completes Casting For Initial Production

The YMCA Little Theatre group has completed casting of the three act comedy, "Triumphant Bachelor," which will be presented here soon by the organization.

Mrs. Don Seale, theatre chairman, announced Wednesday that the initial rehearsal will be held tonight at the YMCA at 8 o'clock.

Heading the cast as leading man for the Owen Davis, comedy will be Wallace Jackson, and supporting roles will be played by Stanley Cameron, Lloyd Hawkins and Gerald Anderson.

The feminine cast includes Mrs. W. L. Thompson, Mrs. Lawrence Welles, Mrs. E. B. McCormick, Margaret Crouch, Joy Lane, Irma Gideon and Mrs. Lloyd Hawkins.

The bachelor story is only one of Davis' plays which were Broadway successes. "The Nervous Wreck," and "Ice Bound," were favorites with local selection which opened at the Baltimore theatre in New York and was acclaimed by critics for its good lively dialogue and amusing circumstances.



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District Workers Institute Today

A district workers institute is being conducted at the First Christian church today for the purpose of giving instruction to Sunday school teachers, officers and church board members.

Around 100 persons representing 10 churches in the district were to attend, according to announcement by the pastor, the Rev. Lloyd Thompson, who states that G. S. Schurman, former pastor of the local church will direct the course.

Also here to participate in the school will be Joe Babb, state director of religious education; Mrs. Bessie Hart, state secretary of the Woman's Missionary society; and John Mullins, of the Texas Christian Missionary Society.

Piano Selections Highlight Meeting

The Allegro Music club met at the First Baptist church Monday afternoon for a musical program which consisted of piano solos.

Marilyn Miller, president, introduced the program which included selections by Larry Evans, Evelyn Wilson, Miss Miller, Myrna Jean Talley and Joyce Ann Anderson.

New members attending were Larry Evans and Evelyn Wilson, and it was announced that choral practice will be held at the church Saturday, Feb. 15 at 10 a.m.

Sponsors and members present were Mrs. J. E. Hardesty, Mrs. M. B. Beam, Mrs. H. M. Jarratt, Betty Humeycutt, Margaret McDonald, Marilyn Miller, Jody Smith, Larry Evans, Peggy King, Mary Frances Norman, Evelyn Wilson, Patricia Lloyd, Sylvia Brigham, Myrna Jean Talley, Joyce Ann Anderson and a visitor, Nancy Bivings.

Mrs. Winters Hostess To Vincent Society

Mrs. Willis R. Winters was hostess to the Vincent Baptist Missionary society which held a business and social meeting Monday afternoon.

The session opened with the group singing "We've A Story To Tell To The Nations," and Mrs. M. A. Cate brought the devotion from Hebrews 11.

Mrs. J. C. Shepherd resigned her post as recording secretary in order to accept the office of stewardship chairman, and Mrs. B. O. Brown was named in her place.

Plans were made for the study of the book of rural life, "They Starve That Others May Eat."

Mrs. Jim Hodnett and Mrs. O. J. Ingram were introduced as new members and others attending were Mrs. R. T. Shafer, Mrs. S. J. Harding, Mrs. R. T. Lewis, Mrs. George Read, Mrs. Ben Brown, Mrs. O. J. Ingram, Mrs. Jim Meador, Mrs. J. C. Shepherd, Mrs. B. O. Brown, Mrs. A. L. Fortson, Mrs. Willis Winters, Mrs. Jim Hodnett, Mrs. M. A. Cate, Mrs. L. K. Osborn, Mrs. Willis R. Winters, and visitors, Mrs. Sophie Cupp of Dallas, Mrs. Bud Brannon and Mrs. Jessie Jones.

Hayride, Wiener Roast Attended By SS Class

A Sunday School group of the Airport Baptist Church was entertained Tuesday night with a hayride.

The group met at the church with Bud Rostick, teacher in charge of the entertainment and proceeded to the James Findley home for a wiener roast.

Attending were Bud Rostick, Bonnie Gill, C. L. O'Brien, Clarence Taylor, Bobby Dyess, Janie Warren, Peggy Carter, Gary Warren, R. H. Carter, Wanda Taylor, Kenneth Howze, James Duley, Joan Hood, Wayne Burleson, Don Allen, Dot Huggins, Joe Taylor and Jo Ann Kilgore.

Lex James, Maroon Walker, Hollis Yates, John Stewart, Lee Axten, Sonny Daviels, George Franklin, James Findley, Wayne Johnson, Barbara Olson, and Fred Franklin.

Coming Events

- THURSDAY FIFTH CHRISTIAN district workers conference to be held at local church.
- KOUPLES DANCE CLUB meets at the country club at 8:30 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Elvis McCarry and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Harwood, hosts for evening.
- FRIDAY HAPPY GO LUCKY sewing club will meet with Mrs. Marvin Sewell, 1102 Spruce more at 3 p.m.
- SUSANNAH WESLEY CLASS meets at the First Methodist church at noon.
- TRAINMEN LADIES meet at WOW hall at 2:30 p.m.
- AFTERNOON BRIDGE club will be entertained in the home of Mrs. Roy Tidwell at 2 p.m.
- LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION meets at 2 p.m.
- FRIENDSHIP CLASS of the First Baptist church will meet for a Mexican luncheon at 12 noon.
- SATURDAY BETA SIGMA Phi Valentine dance will be held at the Bettles hotel; Jack Free and his orchestra, formal dress optional.
- HOWARD COUNTRY JOE meets at the home demonstration office at 2 p.m.
- SUNDAY JUNIOR WOMAN'S FORUM entertains Modern Woman's Forum with a tea from 2 to 3 p.m. at St. Mary's Episcopal parish house.

Strikers Ask Meet

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 6. (AP)—The striking CIO United Auto Workers Union at the Allis-Chalmers manufacturing company plant today requested a meeting with management representatives tomorrow morning "to continue negotiations."

Food Index Up

NEW YORK, Feb. 6. (AP)—The Dun & Bradstreet food index advanced \$6.29 for the week February 4 from \$6.18 the previous week and compared with \$4.12 in the comparable week a year ago.

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College Heights P-TA Meet Slated Tonight

A Founders Day program to be presented by students of the fifth grade class will highlight the meeting of the College Heights P-TA to be held at the school at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting has been designated as a Father's night observance, and special attention will be called to Boy Scout Week during the program.

P-TA officials have announced that the nursery will be open and an attendant provided for children.

Mrs. J. H. Hodge To Be Club Guest

Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, of Midland first vice president of the Texas Federation of Womens Clubs, will be a guest at the Junior Woman's Forum tea which will be held Saturday afternoon at St. Mary's Episcopal parish house.

Hours will be from 3 to 5 p.m., and guests will include members of the Modern Woman's Forum and club women from Midland who will likely accompany Mrs. Hodge to Big Spring.

Sweetheart Party Friday

The Airport W.M.U. will entertain with a sweetheart party Friday evening at the church parsonage.

The party is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. and members and their guests who will attend are asked to bring Valentines for secret pals and for their husbands.

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If the very first bottle doesn't show the simple, easy way to lose bulky fat and help regain slender, more graceful curves; if reducible pounds and inches of excess fat don't just seem to disappear almost like magic from neck, chin, arms, bust, abdomen, hips, calves and ankles, just return the empty bottle for your money back. Follow the easy way endorsed by many who have tried this plan and help bring back alluring curves and graceful slenderness. Note how quickly bloat disappears—how much better you feel. More alive, youthful appearing and active.

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Coke Party Planned At Class Meet

Plans for a coke party were discussed Wednesday when members of the Philathea class met at the First Methodist church for a covered dish luncheon.

Hostesses for the day were Mrs. R. F. Blumh, Mrs. Murph Thorp, Mrs. Stanley Cameron and Mrs. Bill O'Neal. At a business session which preceded the luncheon, the class discussed the social gathering which will be held in the home of Mrs. Zollie Boykin, the latter part of February.

A letter from the Methodist home at Waco which was read, told of the urgent need for good used clothing for children in the orphanage. Contributions will be left at the home of Mrs. George White for shipment to Waco.

Those present were Mrs. W. N. Norred, Mrs. Haley Haines, Mrs. Jackie Bishop, Mrs. M. E. Ooley, Elizabeth Stanford, Mrs. Roy Carter, Mrs. Albert Dillion, Mrs. W. C. Carr, Mrs. C. R. McClenny, Mrs. R. D. McMillan, Mrs. Lewis Murdock, Twila Lomax, Mrs. S. R. Nobles, Mrs. C. M. Weaver, Mrs. J. D. O'Bar, and Mrs. H. D. Norris.

Mrs. A. J. Cain, Mrs. A. C. Moore, Mrs. Henry Long, Marie Gordan, Mrs. R. B. Reeder, Mrs. Z. M. Boykin, Mrs. Joe Pickle, Mrs. Fred McGowan, Mrs. Bill O'Neal, Mrs. George White, Mrs. R. F. Blumh, Mrs. Charles Watson, Mrs. H. V. Crocker, Mrs. Murph Thorp, Mrs. Lina Flewellen and Mrs. Stanley Cameron.

Two Are Hostesses For Forsan Club

FORSAN, Feb. 6. (Sp.)—The Forsan Study Club met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. F. C. Iserman with Mrs. J. B. Sowell as co-hostess.

A study of Russia was continued and roll call was answered by naming a famous Russian artist or musician.

Mrs. J. D. Leonard was in charge of the program which included talks by Mrs. Jeff English on Russian art, Mrs. Frank Tate, Russian literature and Mrs. Harry Miller, Russian women.

The club will meet with Mrs. Harry Miller Wednesday Feb. 12 for a Valentine Tea at which time Mrs. Ben LeFever will review "Britannica News."

Those attending were Mrs. E. N. Barker, Mrs. Bill Conger, Jr., Mrs. O. N. Green, Mrs. E. A. Grissom, Mrs. Bob Goodwin, Mrs. J. T. Holladay, Mrs. W. L. Johnson, Mrs. G. B. Hale, Mrs. Ray Freeborne, Mrs. C. V. Wash, Mrs. English, Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Tate, Mrs. Sowell and Mrs. Iserman.

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CHIMNEY HOWLS JUST LIKE CAT

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 6. (AP) Instead of drawing, Mrs. Alma Carson's stove-flue howled.

Mrs. Carson aired out the smoke, put out the fire, and dragged out a cat.

Susannah Luncheon

Members of the Susannah Wesley class are reminded of a covered dish luncheon which will be held at the First Methodist church Friday at noon.

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Keglers Enter SBA Tournament

Three members of the Douglas Hotel team and two Cosden stars will invade San Antonio Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 22 and 23, to compete in the Southwestern Bowling Association tournament.

They are Stan W. Wheeler, Ward Hall and Jake Douglass of the Innkeepers and Luke LeBlau and E. B. Dozier of the Cosdens.

The five are also ticketed for a trip to the ABC tournaments in Los Angeles in a few weeks.

Gene Howe To Speak To Sportsmen Feb. 13

LAMESA, Feb. 6.—Gene Howe, publisher of the Amarillo Globe-News and a nationally known sportsman, will be guest speaker at the Feb. 13 meeting of the South Plains Sporting club, which meets at the Dawson county court house.

Howe will show films of his visit to Alaska.

All members of the club have been urged by Howard Humphrey, secretary, to be on hand.



DOG WATCH—Carlo, mystery dog of Buena, Wash., spent six months at this highway signboard scanning every passing car for a glimpse of the master who dropped him off and drove away last summer. The dog made friends with townsfolk but refused to leave the signboard except to eat. Recently an unidentified couple with two children coaxed him into their car.

Senate, House Leaders Split Over Tariffs

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. (AP)—Senate and House Republican leaders gave evidence today they may be marching down different roads on one important phase of foreign policy—the State Department's right to lower tariffs without consulting Congress.

Despite an effort by GOP Senators Vandenberg and Millikin to patch up a compromise aimed at preventing outright repeal of the reciprocal trade agreements act, House leaders ordered a full review of the program after a conference with Speaker Martin (R-Mass.).

An announcement by Chairman Knutson (R-Minn.) that the Ways and Means Committee will begin hearings February 24 behind closed doors apparently signalled displeasure with the Vandenberg-Millikin compromise.

This proposal, reportedly approved by Under Secretaries of State Dean C. Acheson and William Clayton, would put an escape clause in agreements with other countries and provide for tariff ruling appeals to the president. Thus the president, and not Congress, would retain final authority, a point some House members have indicated they don't like.

The reciprocal trade program aimed at building up world trade—permits the State Department to cut tariffs as much as 50 per cent

in return for similar concessions from other countries.

Vandenberg is said by friends to regard the Republican decision on whether to retain or repeal of the trade program as likely to determine whether the bipartisan foreign policy he advanced as an adviser to former Secretary of State Byrnes will continue.

Apparently involved too is a desire by Vandenberg to keep the Republicans from laying themselves open to probable Democratic attempts to tab them as isolationists in the 1948 presidential campaign. Vandenberg has been mentioned as a possible GOP presidential nominee.

Lorraine Wins

COAHOMA, Feb. 6.—The Lorraine Independents turned back the Coahoma Independents, managed by Truett DeVaney, here last night, 24-17. The two teams meet again Wednesday at Lorraine.

Leftists Attack Frontier Post

ATHENS, Feb. 6. (AP)—Press reports from Ioannina, in northwest Greece, quoting military authorities, said today that a Leftist band 300 strong attacked a Greek border post on the Albanian frontier. Captured 29 soldiers and forced the other 36 to abandon their position.

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Weekend Of Cold Weather Forecast Throughout Nation

CHICAGO, Feb. 6. (AP)—Minimum temperatures in the central plains state were about 25 degrees higher today than yesterday, but a new cold wave was moving southward to bring a weekend of frigid weather to most of the nation.

The second cold wave entered Iowa and Nebraska this morning, giving residents of those states scarcely a breather between icy blasts, since only a day of moderation preceded its arrival.

The new cold spell will persist a little longer than the one which still clutches at the eastern section of the country, forecasters said. They predicted "rather severe cold" through Sunday in the midwest, and said the east would experience some warming today, but that it would be "considerably colder" on the east coast by tomorrow night.

As the new cold wave moved across the nation, a wide section, including parts of the south, remained in the grip of frigid weather. The US Weather Bureau said temperatures in Florida were sufficiently low to kill most of the truck garden produce, but added

that the citrus crop probably was not damaged a great deal. In Miami, where most living accommodations are unheated, the temperature dropped to 32.

The severe cold belt extended from the Mississippi Valley eastward to the Atlantic Coast.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Lem's Dogs vs Thad's Chickens

Running a newspaper, you get to know a lot about human nature.

Thad Phipps was in the other day, all burned up. Wanted me to run an item on how Lem Martin's dog had raided his chickens again, and ought to be put away by law.

I told him: "Lem was in on Saturday. Said you shouldn't be allowed to keep those chickens so close to his house—and in a residential zone, at that."

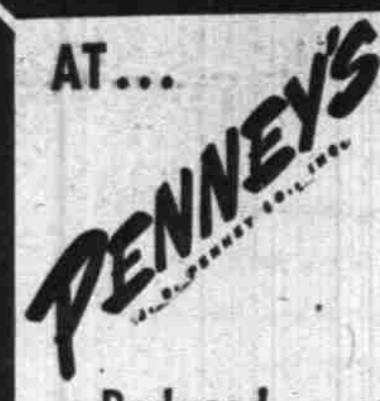
Thad shuts up right pronto then. And that very evening I see him making his peace with Lem

at Andy Botkin's Garden Tavern—over a friendly glass of beer.

From where I sit, anyone can find something in his neighbor to complain about. (Some folks may even disagree with Thad's right to enjoy that glass of beer with Lem!) But where would we be if everybody tried to have a law passed against everything they disagreed with? We wouldn't have many neighbors left!

Joe Marsh

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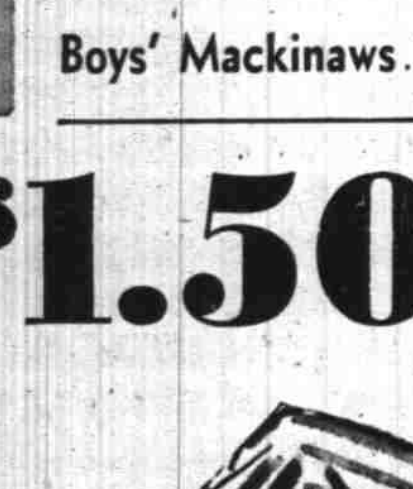


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START OF KNOTT'S NEW PHONE SERVICE IS EAGERLY AWAITED

KNOTT, Feb. 6. — This north-west Howard county community is looking forward to an early beginning of a new telephone service which will provide direct connection with long distance points through the Big Spring exchange as well as local service.

It will be the first complete telephone exchange in the history of the community.

W. D. Berry of Big Spring who KEYS made at Johnny Griffin's.

installed the system here, has announced that all local equipment is ready for operation. The telephone service will be instituted as soon as materials for connecting the lines to the Big Spring exchange arrive.

All wiring and service materials installed in the community are new, and local calls will be handled through a dial system. Toll calls to and from other points will be channeled through Big Spring.

Berry said he had hoped to begin the service on Feb. 1, but a delay in shipment of one piece of equipment has necessitated a postponement.

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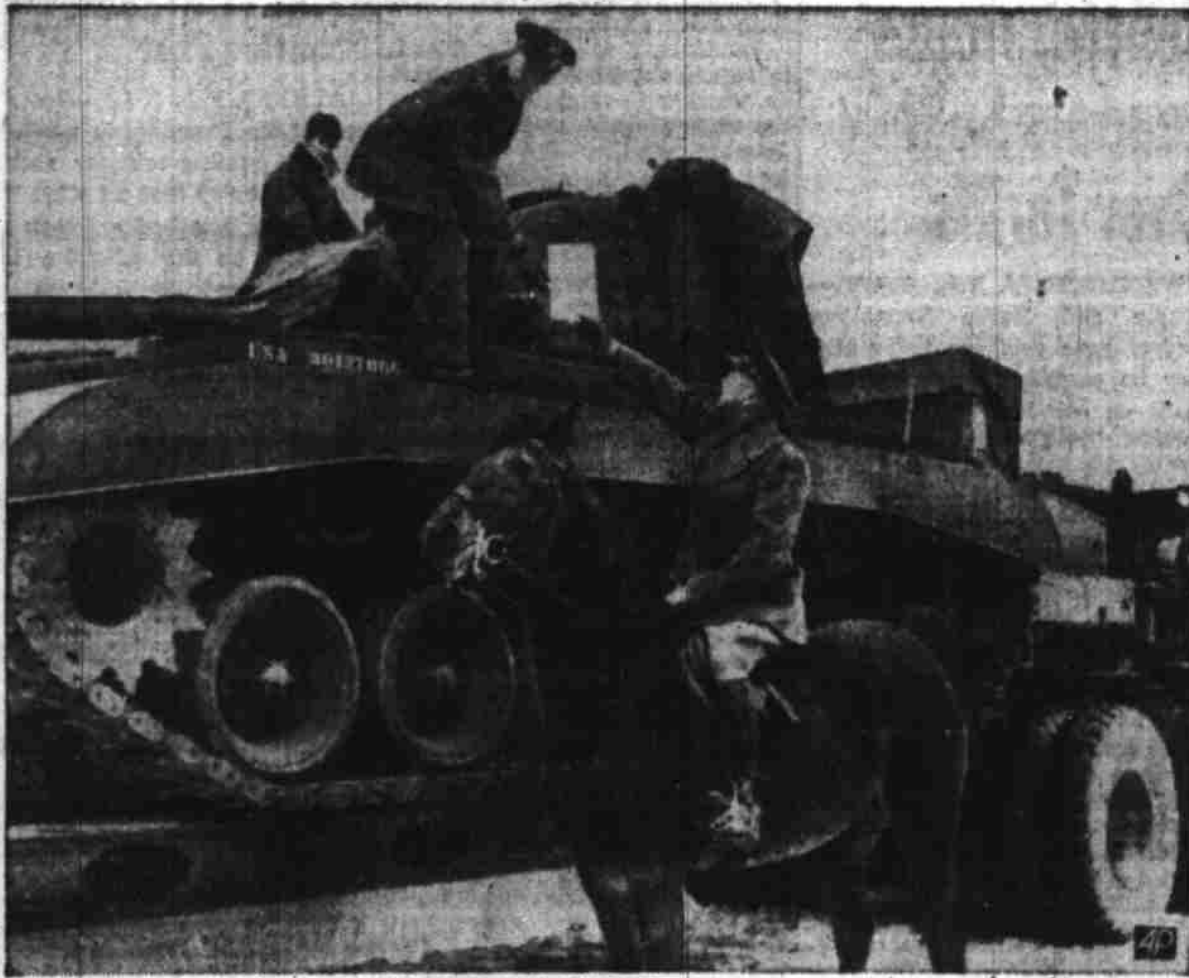
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HCJC Final Exams Today

Last of the final examinations for the first semester at the Howard County Junior College will be held today, and Friday enrollment for the second semester starts. Enrollment will get underway at 8:30 a.m. and continue to 4 p.m. Friday, said E. C. Dodd, president, but there will be an additional period from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m., primarily for those anticipating evening school registration. However, others who cannot enroll during the daylight schedule will be permitted to take advantage of the evening hours.

Final period for regular enrollment will be from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday. Dodd is hopeful that virtually all the registration chores can be attended to this weekend, although the college is prepared to handle any later enrollments.



HORSE GETS WALKING PAPERS—Lt. Col. Gerald Peterson, astride a Michigan State College R.O.T.C. cavalry horse, accepts delivery of this medium tank, first of several motorized vehicles which will replace the mounted cavalry at the R.O.T.C. training unit at the East Lansing school. The delivery papers are being handed to Col. Peterson by Major George Sapora.

Two Additional Evening Classes Are Planned At Junior College

Two additional evening school classes at the Howard County Junior college are in prospect for Tuesday evening.

Advance inquiries have indicated that the class in beginners conversational Spanish will be organized that evening as well as one in blueprint reading. Mrs. Dorothy Wilson, supervising principal of the Kate Morrison Americanization school and a graduate of Texas School of Mines at El Paso, is to be instructor of the Spanish class. Mrs. Wilson was for several years associated with the Fabens schools, has been a long time resident of the Border area and speaks Spanish fluently. She succeeds Howard A. Cox, HCJC Spanish teacher, as instructor since Cox's teaching load will not permit additional duties.

Noreliffe Meyer, a graduate of Texas A&M college and formerly associated with the city engineering department before joining a contract firm here, is to teach the blueprint reading class. Any person interested in the course should be at the college Tuesday evening, according to E. C. Dodd, president of the college.

A total of 17 teachers have enrolled to date in the seminar course on elementary education, and efforts are being made to secure senior college cooperation to assure graduate credits. The class meets on Saturday. A class, pri-

marily for teacher certification requirements, is being taught in government by L. J. Wells, and enrollment is still possible in this course, said Dodd.

Another Class In Vocational Agriculture Set

A second class in vocational agriculture is to be organized at the Howard County Junior college under provisions of the Howard County Vocational school, of which E. C. Dodd, college president, is coordinator.

Dodd announced that the services of Lawrence J. Adkins had been secured as instructor. Adkins, a graduate of Big Spring high school and West Texas State Teachers college where he was an agriculture major, recently was separated from the army after extensive overseas service in the Pacific theatre as a captain.

A portion of the class, which is being taught by J. C. Webb at Knott, may be transferred to the one meeting on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings in Big Spring.

Requirements for enrollment are that the (veteran) applicant be engaged in farming activity at the present time, inasmuch as the course is on-the-job-training. If current trends continue it is possible that a third class may be organized in vocational agriculture, said Dodd. The second class is in process of organization now.

Stimson's Writing On Atomic Bomb Will Be Aired

One of the most significant documents of modern times and one which already has received nationwide editorial attention will be aired for the first time when "The Decision to Use the Atomic Bomb" by former Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson is heard on World Security Workshop, tonight at 9 o'clock, over KEST.

The customary dramatic format of the series will be discarded in favor of a simple reading of the article, which currently is appearing in Harper's magazine so that listeners may feel the full impact of Stimson's words in describing the actual happenings, the confidential memoranda and conferences leading up to the government's decision to use the A-bomb on Japan.

No other man is better qualified to review the events of the hectic months preceding the Hiroshima bombing or better equipped to relate the weighty responsibility of deciding whether or not to use the A-bomb than Stimson, who as secretary of war at the time was the man who made the recommendation to the President.

Banquet Here Will Honor L. LeTourneau

Ministerial members of the Big Spring Pastors association are conducting sale of tickets now for a banquet at 6 p.m. on Feb. 12 in honor of L. G. LeTourneau, internationally famed layman.

LeTourneau is coming here on Feb. 12 to address a laymen's meeting (although it is open to the public) at the city auditorium at 8 p.m. He will fly here in his private plane, arriving a quarter of an hour in advance of the meeting.

An industrialist of considerable renown because he has invited and manufactured a large portion of massive earth moving equipment now in use. LeTourneau nevertheless fills scores of speaking engagements each year. He averages flying 200,000 miles per year in making addresses to church and lay groups. LeTourneau, who has declared "God is my senior partner," has been object of many feature articles in magazines of national circulation.

Laymen wishing to attend the banquet in his honor (seating has been limited to 150) may secure tickets from their pastor.

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Search Continues For Missing Plane
 RICHMOND, Va. Feb. 6. (AP)—Search for a two-engine navy transport plane missing since Tuesday with 10 aboard centered today in an area 10 miles southeast of Richmond where an army reserve flyer reported seeing what appeared to be the wreckage of a plane.
BILLION DOLLAR MARK
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. (AP)—The government's operating surplus of income over outgo went above the billion dollar mark today.

Over Half Million Gathered By Tax Collecting Groups
 Local tax collecting agencies have taken in well over half a million dollars on the 1946 roll, combined records of the city, local school and county tax collector offices showed Thursday.
 Final figures on the school collections showed \$152,110 received, or 87.95 per cent of the \$172,293.15 levy. This compared with \$126,448.76 or 94.95 of a \$134,423 levy last year.
 City collections were \$145,599.26, or 89.5 of the total levy for the year, compared with a 94 per cent collection a year ago. As with the schools, dollar volume was up due to increases in the rolls.
 The county, collecting also for the state and common schools, showed \$249,495.27 received, or approximately 90 per cent of the combined rolls. As with the city and schools, the percentage was off about five percentage points.
 Total collections on the rolls amounted to \$547,205.47, a recapitulation showed Thursday. Some additional may be received on last half payments. As it now stands, the three collecting agencies are shy by about \$63,000 of a perfect collection.



WHAT A LIFE—A black swan swims in circles at Lincoln Park zoo in Chicago to keep the ice from closing in on its bathing place as the thermometer neared zero.

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Fair Committee Plans 4-H Show
 A special committee composed of Howard County Fair Association members began plans today for the annual 4-H club livestock show to be held Wednesday following the show and awarding of prizes.
 Early indications were that many Big Spring businessmen will purchase club animals this year.
 On the sales committee are Fred Keating, fair association president, M. M. Edwards, Repps Guitler, V. A. Merrick, D. D. Douglas, C. A. Walker and R. V. Middleton.

Cheaper Cuts Good On Budget Cutting Mood
 When milady's in a budget-cutting mood, it's worthwhile to choose some of the cheaper cuts of meat. Seasoned with imagination and cooked with care, these often can be served with as much pride as the finest steaks or roasts.
 Food specialists of the US Department of Agriculture tell us these less tender cuts—round steaks, rump cuts, shanks and neck slices, to name a few—require long, slow cooking in a covered pan, with water or steam. They say, too, if you're using the same kind of meat often, you can make it look and taste different not only by varying the style of cooking but by changing the seasonings. Experimentation with herbs and spices is in order when the cheaper cuts are used. Onions and green pepper are fine flavor teammates, too.

Burmese Minister Objects To Treaty
 RANGOON, Burma, Feb. 6. (AP)—Transport Minister Thakin Ba Sein said in an interview today he would resign from the government's executive council and would devote his party's efforts toward smashing the agreement with Great Britain, granting Burma virtual independence.
Premier Chosen By Pole Leader
 WARSAW, Feb. 6. (AP)—Boleslaw Bierut, newly reelected president of Poland, today chose Socialist Josef Cyrankiewicz premier and asked him to form a new government. Cyrankiewicz will report to parliament Saturday.
Airline Head Quits
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. (AP)—The resignation of T. B. Wilson as chairman of the board of directors of Trans World Airlines effective Feb. 15, was announced today. He will remain as a member of the board, TWA said.



SINGER—Joan Stern, who studies opera singing in New York, vacations on a beach at Boca Raton, Fla.

Austin Reorganizes Delegation To UN

NEW YORK, Feb. 6. (AP)—Warren R. Austin, United States representative to the United Nations, is reorganizing the large US delegation into a closely-knit, highly-centralized organization with the blessing of President Truman and Secretary of State Marshall, it was reported today.
 It is said Austin's aim is to put the United States delegation, scattered over Manhattan under different chieftains, under one roof, literally as well as figuratively.
 Thus Austin, as the United States representative "at the seat of the United Nations," would report to Mr. Truman, and Secretary Marshall and would keep firm control over the doings of all US representatives of United Nations councils and commissions.
 The delegation in the future will be known officially as the United States "mission" to the United Nations.
 The delegation chief, a former Republican senator from Vermont who has been concerned in United Nations planning since the formative days of Dumbarton Oaks, has one headache now—that of filling the post of deputy to the United Nations Atomic Energy Commission.
 Informed sources have indicated that John M. Hancock, No. 2 man on the US Delegation to the Atomic Energy Commission in the tenure of Bernard M. Baruch as delegate, is under consideration.
 Austin has conferred with Hancock, but both so far have kept their counsels private. Hancock is away from New York on a business trip.
 When completed, the US delegation may line up this way:
 Austin—chief, delegate and representative of the United States in the important arms limitation talks.
 Herschel V. Johnson—deputy for security council affairs, where he gained considerable experience as acting delegate of last year. Johnson is a former ambassador to Sweden and is a career diplomat.
 Francis B. Sayre—representative on the trusteeship council, which is set to meet for the first time next month. Sayre is a veteran diplomatic adviser and recently was with UNRRA.
 Francis Biddle—representative on the economic and social council, which meets at Lake Success Feb. 28. Biddle is a former attorney general and recently served as the United States member of the military tribunal which tried the Nazi war criminals. He was named to succeed John G. Winant, former ambassador to Britain.
 Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt—representative on the commission of human rights, currently its chairman.
 The nomination of Sayre and Biddle would be confirmed by the Senate.

HORATIO ALGER CAN MOVE OVER

TWIN FALLS, Idaho, Feb. 6. (AP)—Manager A. J. Meeks of the Twin Falls office of the Idaho State Employment Service thought the man asking for construction workers appeared familiar.
 "Haven't we met before?" Meeks asked?
 "Yes," was the reply. "I was in here about a year ago to apply for a job and you got me one at the construction company. Now I own it and I'm looking for more help."
Armed Bandits Rob Chinese Express
 PEIPING, Feb. 6. (AP)—Three armed bandits staged a bold robbery of the Peiping-Tientsin Express Tuesday they shot and killed the engine stoker and escaped with thousands of dollars in money, jewelry and other valuables stripped from the stunned passengers.
25 Million Cars
 DETROIT, Feb. 6. (AP)—There were 25,152,527 passenger cars registered in the United States in 1946, according to R. L. Polk & Co., automotive industry statisticians.

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Denazification Law Is Passed
 VIENNA, Feb. 6. (AP)—The Austrian parliament passed unanimously but under protest today a denazification law as amended by the Allied Council. The statute had been under consideration since last July 26.



PREXY—Hedy Roche, New York model, goes for a hamburger after being selected Miss Prexy of the campus by the student body of Bergen, N. J., Junior College.

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Salvation Army Adopts New Procedure Plan
 A new manual of organization and procedure to be followed henceforth was adopted by the Salvation Army advisory council in a meeting at the Army citadel Wednesday afternoon.
 The 15-member council was divided into groups of three, these groups to serve, respectively, one-year, two-year and three-year terms. Additional officers also were provided for.
 R. W. Whipkey was elected chairman of the council to serve for the ensuing year, as successor to R. T. Piner. Iva Huneycutt was named vice-chairman; Robert Stripling secretary, and Piner treasurer.
 Three-year members of the board include Piner, Stripling, R. R. McEwen, J. H. Greene and Wayne Williams. Two-year members are C. W. Grigsby, Horace Reagan, Cliff Wiley, J. L. LeBleu and W. C. Blankenship. One-year members are Whipkey, Huneycutt, Mrs. L. A. Eubanks, Ray Griffin and G. H. Hayward.
 The council will function under direction of an executive committee to include all officers, the immediate past chairman, and various committee heads. Finance, membership, property and youth-welfare committees are to be named.

Transjordan Prime Minister Resigns
 LONDON, Feb. 6. (AP)—The Transjordan legation announced today the resignation of Ibrahim Pasha Hashim, Transjordan prime minister, and appointment of Samir Pasha Rifai as his successor. Legation spokesmen said they did not know the reason for the change.
On Courtesy Call
 MANILA, Feb. 6. (AP)—Vice Adm. Sir Denis Boyd new commander of the British Pacific fleet, paid his respects to President Manuel A. Roxas yesterday during a brief visit to Manila.
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CHICAGO, Feb. 6. (AP) — R. B. Heehler, 34, a painter, got a ticket for speeding in suburban Oak Park at 4:35 p.m. yesterday. At 4:59 p.m. he got a second ticket for the same traffic violation.

Four hours later the policemen who gave him the second ticket said they saw a car snaling about eight miles an hour, impeding traffic. They curbed it and found Heehler was the driver.

Heehler will get a chance to explain all three charges to an Oak Park Justice.

WHAT GIVES 'ROUND TOWN

By Leatrice Ross

A number of social activities are planned for this weekend by various clubs. The Rainbow Girls have arranged for use of the Y headquarters Saturday evening when they will have a ranch party. The affair is for members and their guests, everyone being preferred in the western attire. . . Friday evening will see a wicker roast in progress at Rebecca Rogers' home, hosting the High Heel Slipper club. That group's annual Valentine dance is dated for Friday night, the 14th, at the Settles. . . Beta Sigma Phi sorority dance is this coming Saturday night, also at the Settles ballroom. Formal dress is optional. . . Girls in the Sub Deb club were at Rose Nell Parks' home Friday evening for something different in eating out — a Pot Luck dinner. Partaking of food were Jane Stripling, Beverly Stulting, Jean Pearce, Patsy Thompkins, Patsy McDaniel, Rose Nell Parks, Mattie Jean Queen, Ann Currie, Betty Hewitt, Billie Jean Younger, Mary Louise Davis, Betty Sweeney, Dot Wasson, Dot Cauble.

One of Tip Anderson's buddies, Cpl. Ray Yandly, from the old home-town, Slaton, was in Big Spring Saturday evening and most of Sunday. Ray is stationed with the army intelligence at Goodfellow Field, San Angelo. This marked their first meeting since '24. . . Charles McLarin and James Fred Flippen were with guns and a road map Tuesday afternoon. It looked like big-time hunting, but Charles says it was for rabbits.

The dance given Friday night by Elmo Wasson for the college sported a floor-full of students from other schools as well. Ardis McCasland, representing Texas U. related countless jokes which he says his archeologist prof told the class. Joanne Rice, also from the university, stood by and commented that you can always pick out a college-student by the conversation he becomes involved in. . . A few of the dancers: Dalpha Gideon (TSCW), Nathan Richardson (TU), Bill Merrick, Kathleen Underwood, Evelyn Green, Zack Gray, Letka Holcombe, Charles Davies, Bobbie Green, Dee Thomas, Bill Hix, Anna Clarie Waters (TSCW), Janice Yates, Lynn Martin, Tommie Tomlinson, Cella Westerman, Melvin Newton, Evelyn Huddleston, Doris Blalock, Harry Echols.

Meef Slated To Organize Library Club

An open meeting for the purpose of ascertaining if there is sufficient interest to organize a Friends of the Library association has been called for 3 p.m. on Feb. 15 at the YMCA building.

The meeting was called Tuesday by a temporary committee which had been summoned to explore the possibility of an advisory organization for the Howard County Free Library.

Object of the proposed unit would be to foster movements, activities, legislation, etc., which would be beneficial to the welfare of the library as well as to advise with the commissioners court.

Thus, all persons interested in the development of the library are invited to participate in the meeting at which the temporary committee felt the public would have ample opportunity to express itself as the need of such an organization.

The proposal stems from an effort by the commissioners court to ascertain what is possible in support of the library.

12 Persons Get Rabies Treatment

McALLEN, Feb. 6. (AP)—Twelve persons in Hidalgo county are completing their series of pasteur treatments after having been exposed to dogs later found to be infected with rabies, County Sanitarian R. N. Hancock of McAllen said today.

Hancock said the heads of seven dogs in the county have been sent to the state laboratory in recent months and that six have been found to have rabies.

Music Convention

GALVESTON, Feb. 6. (AP) — The annual clinic-convention of the Texas Music Educators Association opening here today is expected to attract 1200 music students and instructors for its sessions.

West Texas Woman Is Snowed Under

Mrs. Richard Hearne, the former Fern Smith, is seeing a lot of snow for a West Texas woman. . . Hearne is attending the University of Wisconsin at Madison, and they reside near there. On Jan. 30 a 13 1/4-inch snow blanketed the area, ending the mildest winter in 80 years. An additional inch and a half followed along with a thunderstorm which peppered some hail. This gave way to eight below readings.

In clippings sent to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Smith, drifts were shown over cars. There was some consolation, however. One old timer at Madison recalled that in the historic snow of 1881 there had been upwards of six feet of snow on the ground at one time. It was so heavy that 18-inch ice on ponds gave way under its weight.

Oil-Producing Crops To Be Tried

McALLEN, Feb. 6. (AP)—Sesame and other oil-producing crops will be tried out on an experimental basis in the Rio Grande Valley, the Agriculture Committee of the McAllen Chamber of Commerce announced.

The committee said Cabot, Inc., which operates a vitamins plant near here, will make the acreage available for the plantings.

The committee is also considering growing soybeans for use in mixed stock feeds.

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Christian Women Have Bible Study

The Young Women's Circle of the First Christian Church met in the home of Mrs. A. A. Marchant Tuesday evening for a Bible study. Hostesses were Mrs. Ethel Shadd and Dorothy Broughton.

Mrs. Shelby Hall opened the program with a prayer. Mrs. Cliff Wiley was in charge of the Bible study which was followed by a short business meeting.

A Valentine theme was featured in decorations of refreshment plates which were served to Mrs. Shelby Hall, Mrs. Ethel Shadd, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Murdock, Jr., Dorothy Broughton, Mr. and Mrs. Russ Mouglin, Mr. and Mrs. Julius F. Neel, Mrs. Lloyd H. Thompson, Mrs. Cliff Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. Hack Hudgins, Betty June Thompson, Mrs. Jewell Lewis, Mrs. Elsie Caywood, Mrs. Lavern Hill, Mrs. Harvey Hoosier, Jr., Mrs. W. D. McNair, Miss Virginia Wood, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Marchant, Henry Holmes and a visitor, Mrs. J. C. Lane.

Garden Program Geared To Peacetime Needs

This week—February 2 to 8—is National Garden Planning Week, a good time for homemakers to blueprint their home food production plans for 1947. Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson made a good point when he said, "This year many gardeners, relieved of the pressure of war and other emergencies, can go at their job for the pleasure of it, producing more for quality than quantity."

In other words, the 1947 garden program is geared to peacetime needs. The goals are to insure better nutrition in many millions of American families, provide low income families more fruit and vegetables, assist in meeting the cost of living, foster nutrition education and aid in developing cultural values.

Detectives Told Slaying Details

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 6. (AP) — Chief of Detectives Duke Carter announced last night that a 26-year-old San Antonio parking lot operator had made a statement concerning the slaying of Carey Horton, 65, a nightwatchman, whose body was found Monday morning.

Carter said that the man was arrested last night on three robbery charges.

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LONG HAIR VOGUE

HAKODATE, Japan, Feb. 6.—Middle school youth here rebelled against close-cropped haircuts, and Kyoto News Agency today forecast the long hair vogue—a la Hollywood—may sweep the nation.

CONSUMERS NEEDED
WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. (AP)—The bureau of agricultural economics said today the nation may produce more industrial and agricultural products this year than consumers will buy at present prices.

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Piping Hot Apple Dishes Good On Nippy Nights

By **CHARLOTTE ADAMS**
Associated Press Food Editor

What a joy it is to have lots of apples after the shortages we've experienced during the last few years! Apples make the perfect winter dessert, because they are so good served hot. A meal which ends with a good, sweet, piping hot apple dish is a satisfying meal! Here are a few good apple recipes to help keep your menus varied.

APPLE CUSTARD PIE
7 to 8 large, tart apples
1 cup extra-sweet golden corn syrup
1 8-inch unbaked pie shell
1 tablespoon cornstarch
1 tablespoon sugar
1 cup light cream
½ teaspoon cinnamon
Fare, core and quarter apples. Place in saucepan with corn syrup. Cover and cook over low heat until apples are tender, stirring occasionally. Remove cover and cook until mixture is thick, stirring often. Cool slightly and pour into unbaked pie shell. Meanwhile, com-

bine cornstarch and sugar. Blend with a little of the cream, then add the remaining cream. Cook over hot water, stirring constantly until mixture coats the spoon. Pour over apple mixture. Sprinkle with cinnamon. Bake in a hot oven (400 degrees) thirty minutes, or until pastry is brown.

WINTER LUNCHEON SALAD
1 13-ounce can tuna fish
2 cups diced apples
1 cup diced celery
2 cups shredded lettuce
½ cup broken walnut meats
Mayonnaise or salad dressing
Lettuce
Stuffed olives
Drain oil from tuna and flake. Combine tuna, apples, celery, lettuce and nut meats. Add enough mayonnaise or salad dressing to hold ingredients together. Arrange on lettuce. Garnish with stuffed olives.

APPLE ROLY POLY
2 cups biscuit mix
½ cup honey
3 large, tart apples
¾ teaspoon cinnamon
¼ teaspoon nutmeg
¼ teaspoon cloves
2 tablespoons sugar
2 tablespoons butter or margarine

Prepare biscuit mix as directed on package. Roll out lightly on floured board into oblong a quarter of an inch thick. Spread with honey to within an inch of the edges. Pare and core apples, chop fine, and spread on dough. Combine cinnamon, nutmeg, cloves and sugar and sprinkle over apples. Dot with butter or margarine. Roll up like jelly roll. Bake in greased pan in moderate oven (350 degrees) forty minutes. Slice and serve hot with plain cream. Serves six.

CALAVO SUPPER SALAD BOWL
2 calavo pears
Lemon juice
Salt
2 cups cubed grapefruit segments
3 cups diced unpeeled red apples
1½ cups cubed fresh or canned pears
Lemon Honey dressing
Cut each calavo into halves lengthwise and remove seed and skin. Sprinkle fruit with lemon juice and salt. Cut 3 halves into cubes. Cut remaining half into lengthwise slices. Combine calavo cubes, grapefruit, apples and pears into a salad bowl and toss together lightly. Arrange calavo slices over top. Serve with blended honey and lemon juice in equal portions.

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Not only is there no "fair-weathering" but there is no warning at all when it comes to snacker's appetites. That yen for a bite-to-eat is apt to hit most any time, and that's no time to find the cupboard bare.

Why risk crestfallen faces when well-filled cookie jar can mean happy smiles and satisfied tummies. Here's a splendid recipe for Peanut Butter Pinwheels that you can put together in minutes. And because everyone really goes for their delicious nutty flavor, you better make them up in double batches.

PEANUT BUTTER PINWHEELS

- 1/2 cup shortening
- 1/2 cup peanut butter
- 1/2 cup brown sugar, firmly packed
- 1/4 cup corn syrup

1 egg, slightly beaten
 1 cup sifted all-purpose flour
 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 Cream shortening and peanut butter. Add sugar and corn syrup, creaming until thoroughly blended. Beat in egg. Sift together flour, soda and salt and stir into first mixture. Chill for 2 hours. Then shape into 1 inch balls. Place balls on greased or oiled cookie sheet and press each flat with a fork dipped in cold water. Bake in moderate oven of 375 degrees F. for 10 minutes, or until cookies are brown and done. Makes about 4 dozen cookies.

In 1905 the United States drilled new oil wells at the rate of 45 daily. In 1946 a new oil well was started every 23 minutes on the average.

Easing Of Limit For Reclamation Projects Asked

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. (AP)—Officials of the two water users associations urged Congress today to ease restrictions on the size of reclamation project farm units.

Robert W. Sawyer, Bend, Ore., president of the National Reclamation association, said the present 160-acre limitation should not be enforced in instances where the reclamation bureau furnishes a supplemental water supply to "establish economies" and where farms of greater size have been farmed by one family over many years.

The limitation should continue to apply, Sawyer told the House reclamation and irrigation subcommittee, to public domain areas that are newly developed by the bureau.

New, Latin American Chicken Salad Just Right For Tasty Party Plates

Now that the holidays are over, and we've had more than our fill of rich foods, candies and pastries, the thought of a salad luncheon or dinner should be very appealing. We've probably added an inch to our waists and a few pounds here and there, and have made a determined New Year's resolution to lose both these unwelcome additions.

United Fruit's Middle America Test Kitchen suggested Latin American Chicken Salad, — a meal in itself which satisfies both our hunger and our sweet tooth. The secret lies in the combination of fruits — pineapple and avocado — with chicken, the flavor pointed up with lemon juice and capers and olives. Either left-over cooked chicken or canned chicken can be used.

Avocados really come into their own in Middle American recipes, which is only to be expected considering that the avocado originated in Mexico, and has been cultivated and enjoyed there for several hundred years. The Indians were growing them in their tiny gardens all the way from Mexico to Peru then the Spaniards arrived.

Latin American Chicken Salad, hot baking powder biscuits or cream cheese and nut bread sandwiches, and lots of hot coffee would

make ideal refreshments for your next bridge party and make your guests ask — "How do you do it?"

- Latin American Chicken Salad
- 1-2 cups diced cooked chicken
 - 1-2 cups diced celery
 - 3-4 cup diced avocado
 - 3-4 cup diced pineapple, canned or fresh
 - 2 teaspoons lemon juice
 - 3-4 teaspoon salt
 - 1 tablespoon capers
 - 3 tablespoons chopped pimiento
 - 1-2 cup mayonnaise
- Lettuce cups
- Mix together lightly chicken, celery, avocado and pineapple. Add lemon juice, salt, capers and pimiento to mayonnaise and blend. Add to chicken mixture and toss lightly. Serve in crisp lettuce cups. Makes 6 servings.
- Note: Sliced olives can be substituted for the capers, if desired.

SCRAP PRICES SOAR

NEW YORK, Feb. 6. (AP)—The scramble of steel companies to bid up steel scrap in distant territory has led to some of the highest delivered prices for scrap on record, the iron age. National Metal Working Paper, reported today.

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ROCKY RIDING IN HIGH WINDS

CHICAGO, Feb. 6. (AP)—Lt. Carl Bell of the state highway police station in suburban Blue Island and two officers stopped their car when they noticed a man piling rocks into his old model auto.

John Hoyt, 55, of Urbana, Ill., explained that the strong winds made driving difficult and his 100 pounds wasn't enough to hold his car steady and keep it on the road. To remedy the situation he decided to put several hundred pounds of rocks into his car.

The officers helped Hoyt load the ballast and then watched him drive away — without swaying at all.

Rest Rooms Used For School Class

DALLAS, Feb. 6. (AP)—The housing shortage in the Ft. Worth elementary schools has made it necessary to stagger classes and to hold class sessions in the halls and even in rest rooms, Ed Williams, business manager of the Fort Worth independent school district, said here, but predicted considerable relief through the purchase of seven buildings at Camp Howe, Gainesville, Texas, from the War Assets Administration.

A 95 per cent discount from the current market value allowed the schools resulted in a final purchase price of \$846.25 conditioned that the structures be used for educational purposes by a tax supported institution, explained C. N. Townsend, Jr., acting chief, institutional branch of the Dallas office of REA property.

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Rhubarb	Fancy California	Lb. 12¢
Yellow Onions	Colorado Spanish	Lb. 4¢
Cauliflower	Texas Snow White	Lb. 13¢
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Turnips	With Tops	2 Bn. 13¢
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Pickles	Magie Nip	24 oz. Jar	12¢
Dressing	Kruehess Salad	8-Oz. Jar	15¢
Fancy Rice	Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg.	16¢
Coffee	Airway Fresh Roasted	1-Lb. Pkg.	35¢
Coffee	Nab Hill Luxury Blend	1-Lb. Pkg.	38¢
Spinach	Emerald Bay Fancy Quality	No. 2 1/2 Can	15¢
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Apricots	Evaporated Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg.	49¢
Prunes	Evaporated Small Size	1-Lb. Cello	23¢
Raisins	Sun Maid Seedless	16-Oz. Pkg.	30¢
Soup	Campbell's Tomato	10-1/2 Can	10¢
Mackerel	Avalon	No. 1 Can	23¢
Tamales	Yon Camp's	No. 300 Can	25¢
Catsup	Red Hill Tomato	12 1/2-Oz. Bot.	21¢
Coffee	Admiral	1-Lb. Can	47¢
Cheese	Shepherd Cream Spread	5-Oz. Jar	20¢
Crackers	Nabisco Premium	1-Lb. Pkg.	23¢
Bread	Mrs. Wright's Extra Tender	24-Oz. Loaf	14¢
Biscuits	Bellard's Oven-Ready	10-1/2 Can	11¢
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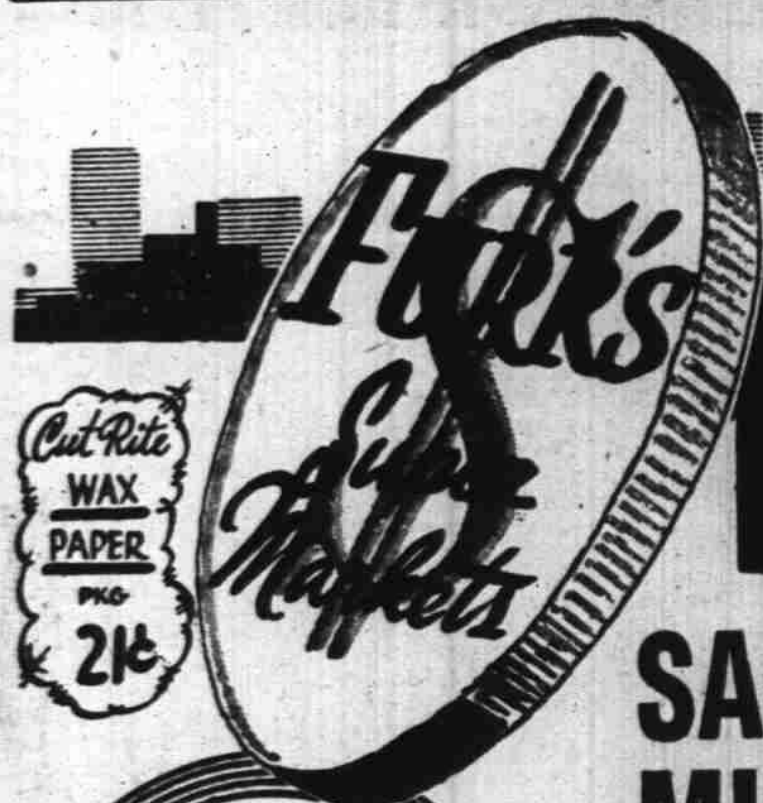
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Modernizing Must Mean Staffs

Among the points mentioned in the address of Gov. Beauford Jester to the legislature was the need for modernizing the eleemosynary system of the state. "All of our eleemosynary institutions," he said, "are in great need of improvements."

Accordingly, he recommended an additional appropriation of \$7,719,686 with approximately two-thirds earmarked for the first year of the new biennium. Including in his recommendation was a tuberculosis sanatorium for East Texas, plus the acquisition of buildings from the army for providing more space for other eleemosynary purposes, notably for the mentally ill and the senile patients in such institutions.

The breakdown on his proposals are not entirely clear, but there is one point to be taken into consideration. It is simply this, that the human factor is quite as important as the material factor in the modernization of our eleemosynary program.

Without any intention of discredit to

those who have labored so valiantly under manifestly super-human loads, it surely must be a fact that we can never hope for real modernization of our eleemosynary institutions until vastly more stress is placed upon specially trained staffs.

The same thing that ails education ails the field of professional service in our state institutions. If the State of Texas wishes to modernize in truth, it must first offer sufficient reward for specialists to enter or remain in state service. As with teaching, there are many capable and conscientious doctors and nurses who have made financial sacrifices in the primary interest of service, but by and large, the field is not attractive enough to induce anything like enough expert talent to deal with these highly specialized problems. Buildings to house our unfortunates certainly are in demand, but all the buildings in the world won't get real results unless there is a staff, adequate in number and quality, to cope with the complex problems.

Association Deserves Due Credit

A word of commendation is in order for the Big Spring Athletic association, which tonight inaugurates the annual series of Golden Gloves bouts.

The public response at the gate will speak adequately for the popular appeal of these athletic contests. Evidences of gentlemanly conduct in the ring will point to lessons in sportsmanship as well as clean, hard competition.

All these qualities do not just happen.

Behind the development of a capable field of entries, the arrangements for rings, seating space, tickets, awards, and the subsequent trip to the state meet by winners is a lot of hard work. From past records we can be assured that this year's tournament will be excellent entertainment for sports fans, for which the athletic association—particularly its wheel-horses—is to be thanked.

The Nation Today—James Marlow—

GOP Attempting Two-Term Limit

WASHINGTON. (AP)—The Republicans seem determined to try to limit a president to two terms in the White House.

There's no law now against three terms or more. But there's a tradition against it, dating back to George Washington who quit after two.

A number of presidents—Jefferson, Johnson, Hayes, Taft, Cleveland—favored a limit on presidential terms.

No president ever had more than two until President Roosevelt won a third term in 1940 and a fourth in 1944.

In those critical years the voters gave Mr. Roosevelt a third and fourth term because they trusted his leadership or feared a change.

The Republicans, citing tradition, had screamed against

those third and fourth terms and called for a ban on any more than two.

The only way it could be done would be by amending the constitution to limit the number of terms. The constitution doesn't set a limit now.

But the Republicans were blocked in Congress where the Democrats kept control until this year.

Now the Republicans are in control, and they're doing something about it. Some Democrats are helping them.

Some Democrats joined the Republicans yesterday in approving—in the House Judiciary committee—a proposal which would do this:

Amend the constitution to limit the president to two terms in

Affairs Of The World—DeWitt MacKenzie

Russia Said Anxious To Disarm

By J. M. ROBERTS, Jr.
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst
Substituting for DeWitt MacKenzie

Russia's maneuvering for position and propaganda purposes in the current discussions at Lake Success need not be taken as evidence that the Soviet is insincere in its disarmament proposals.

That she will attempt to arrive at some agreement in her own fashion, always suspicious of anything a "foreigner" offers and always conscious of the party line, is a foregone conclusion. But in the long run she is probably more anxious for an arms limitation agreement than anyone else right now.

Britain and the United States already have pared their military establishment sharply, and are continuing to do so. Russia has, too, but not to such an extent nor as much as she would like.

To speak of Russia as one of the great military powers now is correct, but an oversimplification. She has a big army, but not well equipped for its size, and incomparably less mobile than those to which westerners have become accustomed. The Germans, in the last months of 1941, knocked out the only really prepared Russian armies except those in the far east.

Russia desperately needs the men now in her army for industrial expansion. She knows productive capacity, rather than manpower, is the real basis for British and American military might, and is determined to be in a position to compete. But now she is behind on her five-year plan, and manpower is a serious

problem.

So, understanding the necessity for an industrial system which can compete with those of the west, Russian disarmament today is a positive force in her drive for equality tomorrow.

But, at the same time, she wants no change in actual military ratios among the powers unless it be in her favor. Thus she maneuvers in the UN security council toward three ends—a world military situation in which she will be safe for some years in applying her manpower to industrial development, a political situation in which she stands before the small nations as a crusader for peace, and an economic situation in which she can draw on the resources of "friendly" (i.e. controlled) neighbors to build up her central strength.

Broadway—Jack O'Brian

Bad Luck Dogs Broadway Actress

LUCKY NOW—Bernice Parks
NEW YORK—Bernice Parks has been Broadway's Number One "Hard Luck Kid" until now.

Practically everything she's accomplished has been accompanied in swift order by lobar pneumonia, a war, or some sort of similar rough luck.

When she jumped into Libby Holman's abandoned role in "Beggars Holiday" four days before its Broadway opening, she still didn't think hard luck had been circumvented.

Bernice has been insured through long experience to anything which might hamper her career just as it seems headed in the correct direction.

When she opened without even a minor casualty at the premiere of the Duke Ellington musical, she was as amazed as if someone had dropped a sand-bag on her noggin.

Tough luck, it seems, has dogged her high-heeled footsteps every time a big chance came by.

Back in Hollywood, she was all set for a role which very nicely could have led to stardom—but she got lobar pneumonia.

Still, there were other offers—night clubs, vaudeville, radio, even some slim chance of further film opportunity.

But after several months her voice didn't turn up more than a discouraging croak. She'd somehow or other added nodules to her vocal cords which impaired

her singing voice. But they turned out to be similar to the nodules which Bing Crosby has on his golden gullet, and in the end that dark cloud in her larynx brightened considerably and she was able to sing better than ever.

Bernice then was booked into the Copacabana, a New York night club famous as a "spring-board" for young talent. She was an immediate hit and Decca Records signed her. But the wartime shellac shortage arrived almost next day and Decca had no time to develop new talent.

The Hard Luck Kid's biggest opportunity arrived when Monte Proser and the Schuberts signed

her to star with Milton Berle in a huge musical called "Spring in Brazil," but the show died a dissonant \$350,000 death, without even getting to New York.

But whatever cynical star has hung over the Parks career to date seems to have found a job elsewhere, for Bernice has won acclaim in a hit musical and has radio, movie, vaudeville, night club and recording offers awaiting the end of "Beggars Holiday."

"I'm still not taking any chances," though, added the careful Bernice, "I'm going to go right on looking both ways crossing a one-way street. It'd be just my luck to find some truck driver backing up."

Men Lose Weight On European Trips

NEW YORK. (AP)—Men of the average have more excess weight to lose than women.

That's what weight statistics on Pan American World Airways passengers flying to food-rations postwar Europe show.

Men ordinarily lost about 10 to 15 pounds on their round-trips to Europe. They average 164 when they leave and in the low 150s when they return.

Women on the other hand have fewer extra pounds to spare and are less affected. They leave New York weighing on the average 134 pounds. They return weighing 131.

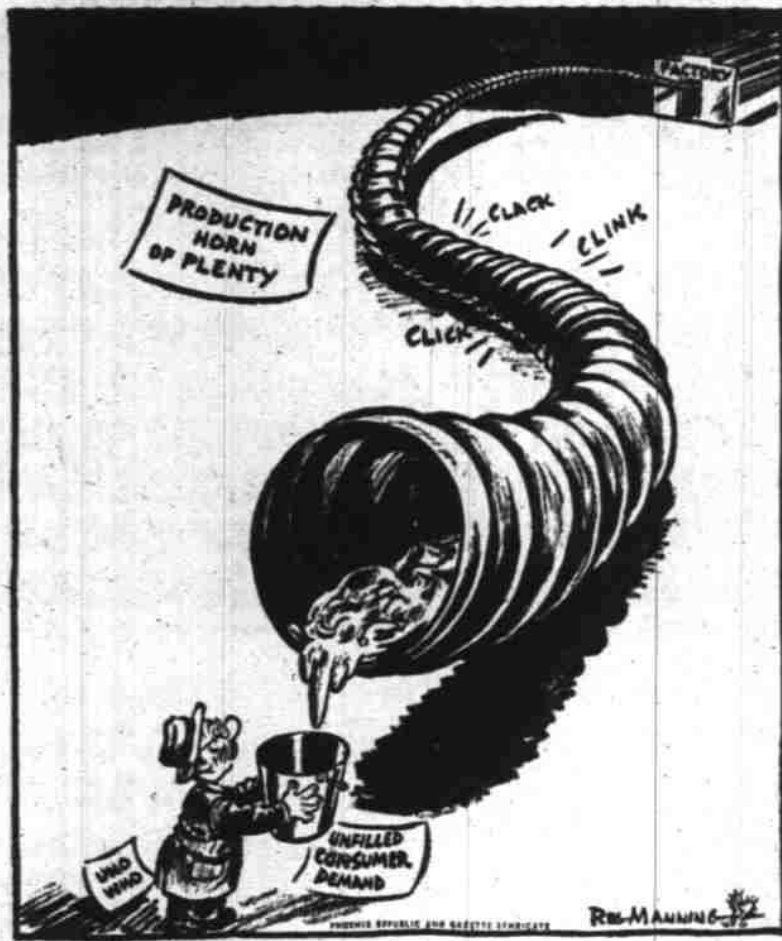
Radio Cabs Prove Aid To Police

LEWISTON, Me. (AP)—Radio equipment installed in cabs by the Union Square Taxi Company to expedite office-drivers communication has proved an unexpected ally of public safety.

When a cabbie was shot Jan. 4 in a holdup attempt by two passengers the slightly wounded driver called for police help by radio, and the pair were quickly captured.

A driver who saw an 18-year-old girl injured by a truck Jan. 8 radioed the taxi dispatcher to send police, who arrived three minutes later to hospitalize the girl.

SOUNDS LIKE IT'S THAWING



Hal Boyle's Notebook

John Adams Started It

WASHINGTON. (AP)—One-hundred and forty-seven years ago President John Adams—a stiff-minded man from New England—moved to the nation's new capital here, bringing along 131 federal employees. That's all there were.

But to some contemporary citizens, opposed to the growth of bureaucracy, even that number seemed like unnecessary padding of the government payroll. They thought the United States could run its affairs on a smaller budget.

At that time the treasury employed sixty-nine people, the State Department seven (they were shoe-horned in with the Treasury office), the Navy fifteen and the Army— which hadn't yet thought up the Pentagon Buildings—eighteen. I don't know what the remaining 22 of the original 131 did, unless they sharpened quill pens.

The 32 senators and 115 congressmen complained bitterly about the housing shortage in a metropolitan area containing 14,000 overcrowded souls.

The railroads of the day—stagecoaches—also had trouble with their schedules. It took one treasury clerk six days to bring his wife and nine children from Philadelphia, the former capital. Present day government workers marvel less at this than how the forgotten clerk ever managed to have a brood of nine on a federal salary.

The woeful misadventures of these government pioneers were their counterparts today in the daily struggles of a vast army of modern federal employees to build a fuller life in still-camped but ever-growing Washington.

For a forecast major post-war population drop in the capital has failed to materialize.

Since 1800 the population of metropolitan Washington has

grown from 14,000 to approximately 1,300,000, spurred by the development of the federal payroll into the area's chief "heavy industry."

Now civic planners say there is a need for 49,000 new dwelling units to accommodate newcomers expected to swell the population to 1,500,000 by 1950, when year long sesquicentennial celebrations will be held to observe the 150th anniversary of the arrival of the federal budget here.

Business men began to revise their estimates of a declining Washington after a wartime survey disclosed that only one out of eight adults had any intentions of leaving.

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Washington Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

Cattle Boat Used On First Trip

WASHINGTON. — Today, ex-governor O. Max Gardner of North Carolina sails for his new post as American ambassador to the court of St. James. His life, from hoeing corn to running the United States Treasury, but this is the first time he has tried his hand at diplomacy.

It is not, however, the first time he has visited England. Exactly 42 years ago, Max landed in England under somewhat different circumstances. He had crossed on a cattle boat as "nursemaid" to 500 seafish steers. (His old friend, Bob Reynolds, later senator from North Carolina, had recruited Max as a cattle hand and then bossed the job.)

Arriving in London on the day the British were holding memorial services for the late U. S. Ambassador John Hay, Gardner hailed a hansom cab and drove out to St. Paul's Cathedral to attend the ceremony. En route he got into conversation with the cab driver who inquired regarding the identity of John Hay.

Gardner might have explained that Hay was former secretary of state and former ambassador to Great Britain. Instead, he replied:

"Hay is the man who wrote 'Little Breeches'."

Then the future US Ambassador to Great Britain recited from memory John Hay's famous poem, "Little Breeches," the story of an Indiana youngster who got lost in a snowstorm when his team stampede and was finally found asleep in a hoxm. The last stanza concludes: "How did he get thar? Angels. He could never have walked in that storm; They jest scooped down and toted him. To whar it was safe and warm. And I think that saving a little child, Is a darned sight better-business."

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ding present. Or he would prefer working on his farm or supervising the school he has endowed in western North Carolina.

Max Gardner, however, will do a great job. When the luxury liner SS America docks with him aboard, the white-spatted British diplomats who meet him will not know that the first time he touched the soil of England was from a cattle boat. And when he talks to prime ministers and potentates on Anglo-American problems, they won't know that his favorite lecture topic at the University of North Carolina was on the science of picking fertilizer for corn and tobacco.

They won't know this. But Max won't hesitate to tell them.

For the new ambassador is proud of his background. And while he already has received 2,600 applications from American society matrons asking that their daughters be presented at the Court of St. James, it is a 100-to-1 bet that Max will get a lot more fun entertaining old friends from North Carolina than "loafing around the throne."

RIGHTING AN OLD WRONG

Secretary of War Patterson has a long memory when it comes to mistakes—especially if he makes them himself. When Patterson makes a mistake, he will do his best to rectify it.

Probably it was a lucky thing for GI's that Patterson pulled a boner about army discharges in a press conference on Guam. For, having made an error, Patterson did his best to make it up to the GI's and the special board to revamp the caste system was one result.

Earlier, the army made a bad mistake on long-range pursuit planes. Major Seversky, the hard-hitting ex-Russian flier, had begged and implored the air corps to build long-range fighter planes, also urged armor plate for bombers. In return he got a slap in the face from General Hap Arnold, then chief of the air corps.

Later, Pearl Harbor caught us with no long-range fighters and with only a start toward putting armor plate on bombers. The mistake not only delayed the war, but cost lives.

Secretary Patterson was not responsible for that mistake, but realizing it had been made, he set out to rectify it. Toward the end of the war he called in Major De Seversky, asked him to undertake an all-but-front study of US air services.

And to further atone for the snub given De Seversky, Patterson is giving him the medal of merit for "exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service to the United States."

Note — Speaking of righting

mistakes, air force officers this week take exception to a recent statement in this column that the air forces aren't enthusiastic over their sub-cabinet rank in the proposed army-navy merger. They say that, on the contrary, they are delighted with this arrangement. The column gladly makes this correction.

TWO-CAR REPUBLICANS

Representative Ewing Thomson, Democrat of Texas, drove into the congressional parking lot last week, spent about five minutes looking for a place to park his car. Finally, he asked a guard:

"Isn't there some place a congressman can put his car? I thought this lot was reserved for members of congress."

"Sure it is, congressman," replied the guard, "but it's different this year. Most of the Democrats used to have a car, but this year the Republicans all seem to have two cars—and they're all in this free parking lot."

ARGENTINE DOUBLE-CROSS

Argentine communist leaders openly boast that they double-crossed Spurr Braden during last year's political campaign, which resulted in the election of Juan D. Peron.

Nominally, the local reds were part of the democratic union coalition that supported the unsuccessful candidacy of Jose Tamborini. But communist party officials now claim that they were merely "using" the opposition parties and US Assistant State Secretary Braden as levers in driving a bargain with Peron.

"We could have swung the election the other way in the last two weeks of the campaign," a communist spokesman recently admitted. "But we didn't even try. By then, we knew about the agreement between the Soviet Union and Peron for mutual recognition, and Peron had guaranteed us complete freedom in return for support of his five-year plan.

"Besides, Tamborini as president would have been under the thumb of Braden and the United States, which would have been the worst thing in the world for Argentine workers."

Though this communist claim may appear surprising, it is given some credence by the fact that after Braden left his ambassadorial post in Buenos Aires in August 1945, US Charge d'Affaires John Cabot refused to continue supplying the communists with funds, as Braden had been doing. Instead, he referred all such requests directly to the state department.

Cabot's intimates say that he was well aware of the local reds' plans to sabotage the anti-Peron campaign.

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Texas Today—Jack Rutledge

Texas Couple Start Magazine

A young couple who parlayed a woodwork cleaner called Sani-Wax from a backporch factory into a business they sold in 1945 for \$500,000, this week sat back and proudly thumbed through a 56-page slick paper magazine called "Scene."

It's the newest venture for Wayland and Clyda Boles, of Oklahoma and Texas respectively. The February issue is Volume 1, Number 1.

"Scene" is published in Dallas. It's a professional looking job and could have come straight from the publishing centers of the east.

The magazine is lavishly decked out with cartoons, photographs and color plates and its articles and fiction are by gentlemen of distinction. Name writers, that is.

Wayland Boles is his own editor. His wife Clyda is copublisher and has a lot to say about what goes into the maga-

zine, and how.

Sid Pletzsch (pronounced "Peach") is managing editor. He's formerly from Beaumont, Stanley Walker, former editor of the New York Herald Tribune, is consulting editor. Other editors are Jesse Core, Catherine Casey and Rual Askew, Jr., D. J. Conroy, former marketing consultant to the Puerto Rico insular government, is business manager.

The story of Wayland and Clyda deserves a place in the magazine. It's an interesting as most of the fact and fiction the magazine contains.

They started the hard way, knocked around with one thing and another during the depression, struggled along about as well as the next person but caused no great conflagration until Wayland puttered around with some chemicals and came up with Sani-Wax.

They made the stuff, a wood-

work cleaner, on their back porch. Then they personally began to promote and sell it. It clicked. It grew. The back porch soon grew far too small. They made a Dallas, finance, decided to buy it. He did, and paid their price.

They're well off, and still under 40. But they couldn't remain inactive. They had dreamed of a southwestern magazine. For months they've worked on it. They shot the works. When they figure it should be done right.

Like for example, Wayland's hobby. He loves music. He writes it, and has several very tuneful songs on paper and on wax. So, what he wanted, he bought a Hammond organ, a piano with an electric organ attachment, three radio phonographs and enough records to stock a record shop.

Clyda hopes he doesn't take a fancy to animals. They'd probably end up with a zoo.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Dressed
2. Burrow
3. Scat
12. Crazy; slang
13. Old French coin
14. Clumsy plant
15. Excited
16. Clock in the form of a ship
17. Pieces cut
18. Ages
20. Dense growth of trees
21. White
22. Red planet
23. Arabian garments
24. Ages
25. Pike-like fish
26. At odds
27. Every day

DOWN

28. Inaccurate as to historical placement
29. Term of address
30. Staff
40. Proceeding night
41. Alack
42. One for whom a thing is done
44. Tallish animal
47. Occupant under a lease
50. Out of the way
51. English river
52. Make lace
53. Belonging to me
54. Self

50. Anglo-Saxon slave
51. Entreaty
52. Gypsy
53. Lair

WORD-A-DAY

By MICKEY BACH

SUCCOR
(suk er) VERB
TO HELP OR RELIEVE
WHEN IN DIFFICULTY OR
DISTRESS; COMFORT; AID

SEE REAM SLAB
TAN ERNE TELL
ASSASSIN AULA
FE MET SAT IT
FRAUD SARONG
CLAMP DREAM
GLEE AIDE OTO
RETENDONS ON
AVAILIED HARK
WANTED ENATE
AT SEWAGE OX
BIKE EMIGRANT
UNIT RANA PER
TEDS SPUR ORA

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

DOWN

1. Applaud
2. Theater box
3. Acidity
4. Tenets
5. Mark of a blow
6. Cereals
7. Noisy laugh
8. Abroad
9. Levee
10. Units
11. Repose
12. Exist
21. Conjunction
22. Went by automobile
24. Large lizard
25. Commonplace
26. Tilled land
27. Seed container
28. Ceremonies
29. Living
30. Chinese money
31. Electrical unit
34. Accomplished
35. Genius of the chestnut tree
37. Present time
42. Running talk
43. Joined
44. Ahead
46. Provided
47. Pack down
48. Mailer
49. Not any
50. Particle
51. Gaelic
52. Waterfall
53. Female deer
54. Gone by

In Hollywood—Bob Thomas

Handless Vet To Tour

HOLLYWOOD. (AP)—Harold Russell, the handless veteran who has done fine work in bolstering the confidence of other amputees, hopes to do the same for British wounded. If current plans go through, he will visit England for the premiere of his picture in March, at which time he wants to tour veteran's hospitals there.

Russell says "The Best Years of Our Lives" is his last picture.

"Anything else he would do would be anti-climatic," he told me.

He plans to finish his business course at Boston University next year and then go to work in publicity and advertising for Samuel Goldwyn in New York.

Gene Tierney is becoming increasingly concerned about her back, which has caused her considerable pain recently. It's a condition her doctors can't explain, but she believes she suffered malnutrition in school in Switzerland while she was growing fast. She was using a specially-made, hard bed, but now sleeps on a couch. Standing in front of the camera most of the time, as she does in "The Ghost and Mrs. Muir," doesn't help, and that is why Gene is going to take a long rest in New York

Radio Log

KBST — 1490 Kcs.

THURSDAY MORNING
6:00 Headline Edition
6:15 Elmer Davis
6:30 News
6:35 Sports News
6:40 Music of the Faith
6:45 Jazz Ambassadors
7:15 Serenade for You
7:30 Town Meeting of the Air
8:30 Music of Manhattan
9:00 World Security Workshop
9:30 Serenade in Swintime
10:00 Tomorrow's Headlines
11:30 News Time
10:30 Gema for Thought
11:45 Reading the Range
11:00 News
11:30 Art Baker Notebook
11:45 Hotel Gramercy Tris
12:00 Sun Off

FRIDAY MORNING
6:00 Musical Clock
6:30 News Exchange
7:15 Religion in Life
7:30 Sun Off
7:45 Sons of Pioneers
8:00 Breakfast Club
8:30 My True Story
9:25 Hymns of All Churches
9:45 Sun Off
10:00 Breakfast in Hollywood
10:30 City Drive
10:45 Ted Barker
11:00 Kenny Baker Show
11:30 Sun Off
11:35 Home Makers Music Hall
11:45 Reading the Range

FRIDAY AFTERNOON
12:00 Man on Street
12:15 News Time
12:30 Banner Headlines
12:45 Songs You Know and Love
1:00 Walter Kiernan
1:15 Allan Roth
1:30 Sun Off
1:45 Jumping Jacks
2:00 Ladies Be Seated
2:15 Afternoon Varieties
2:30 Afternoon Devotional
2:45 Sun Off
3:00 Tommy Bartlett
3:30 City Drive
3:45 Downtown Shopper
4:15 Platter Party
4:30 Sun Off
5:00 Terry and the Pirates
5:30 Sun Off
5:30 Jack Armstrong
5:45 Record Reporter

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Gloves Tournament Prelims To Be Reeled Off Tonight

Frogs May Take 18th Reversal

FORT WORTH, Feb. 6. (P)—Texas Christian's hapless Horned Frogs are expected to tie a Southwest Conference basketball record tomorrow night—for losses.

Not only that they may be able to beat the record by the end of the week; in fact, they're expected to.

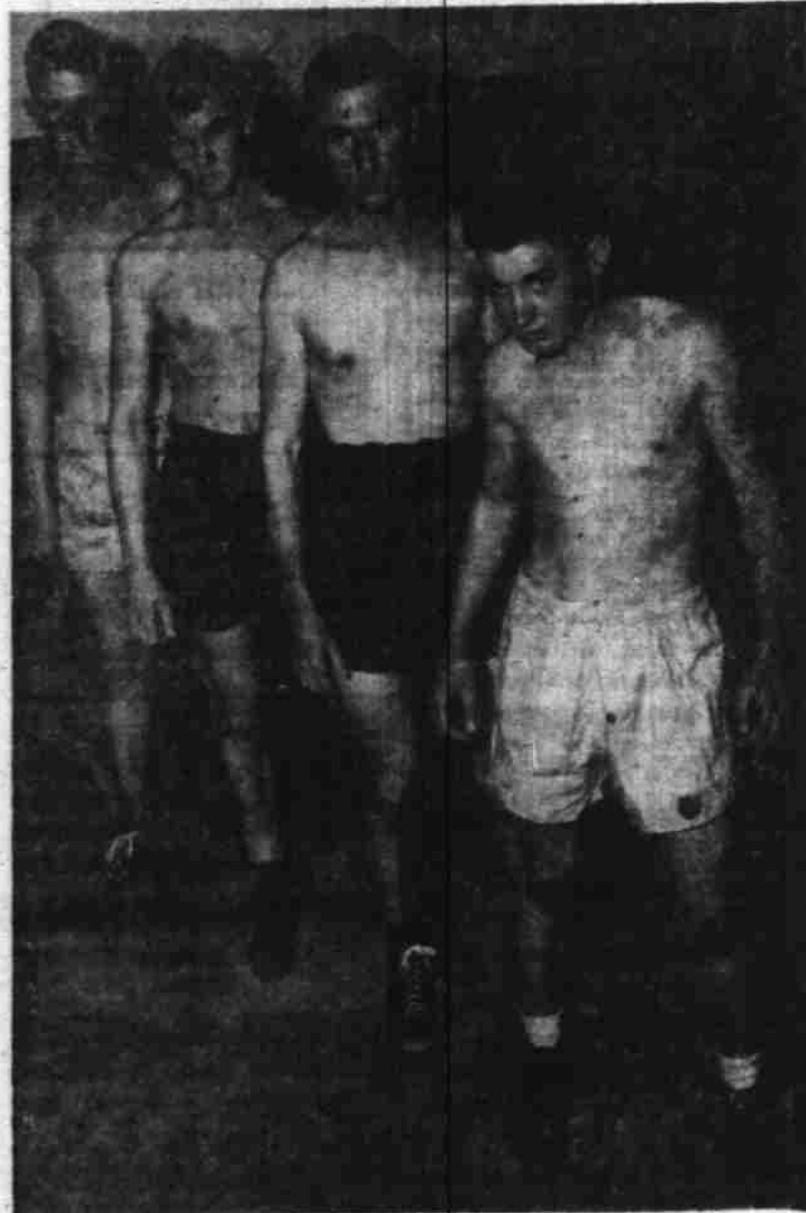
The purple has gone through 17 straight games without a sign of a victory and tomorrow night here takes on Texas, conference leader and loser of only one decision all season—that to high-ranking Oklahoma A&M.

Baylor set the record for defeats in 1945 when the Bears dropped 18 consecutive games.

The Frogs play Rice here Saturday night. Rice doesn't have a very impressive record this season but the Owls have won five games out of sixteen.

NATE LEWIS ILL.
CHICAGO, Feb. 6. (P)—Nate Lewis of Chicago, last of the nation's most colorful and oldest fight managers, was seriously ill today in a Miami, Fla., hospital.

Stricken with a cerebral hemorrhage, Lewis was paralyzed on his right side.



THEY CARRY LOCAL COLORS TONIGHT—Four of the Big Spring mitt slingers who will compete for honors in the district Golden Gloves boxing tournament starting here this evening are, front to back, Carroll Cannon, bantam; Donald Simpson, welter; Jimmy Eppler, light; and Jerry Ford, another 135-pounder. Eppler was the lightweight champion of the high school division last year and will be one of the favorites to repeat. (Photo by Jack M. Haynes).

Record Turnout Is Anticipated

They go to the post tonight, the boys with the cushioned dukes.

The Big Spring Athletic association's annual bash convention, the district Golden Gloves boxing tournament, gets away to a fast start around 8 o'clock at the high school gymnasium with a record field and a record fan turnout in prospect.

Fighters from all over West Texas have been entered in the three-night show. A maximum of 24 championships—eight in each class—are in the offing. Open titlists win handsome trophies and all-expense paid trips to the state finals in Fort Worth. Novice and high school scrappers fight only for the glory, the trophies and the bruises they collect here.

In addition, there will be two sportsmanship awards given at the conclusion of the finals Saturday night. Cosden Oil company is supplying an expensive wrist watch for the man adjudged the best sportsman of all the entries. Big Spring Hardware is proffering a man's toilet kit to the second choice.

Some twenty fights are in prospect for the opening night's program. A few of the gladiators naturally will draw first round byes and will not be required to step into the ring until Friday night.

Most of the battlers will compete in the high school division. There will probably be few open entries and most of those will be in the lighter weights. One outstanding open candidate is Kenneth Grantham, slugging middleweight who won the Oklahoma lightweight title some years back.

George Clutchee, local trainer, has advised Obie Bristow, chairman of the Gloves committee, he will have as many as 12 scrappers ready for competition. They range from bantams to middleweights.

Two of his boys—Jimmy Eppler and Billy Bob Whittington—made excellent showing in the recent Abilene tournament. Their conquerer, Billy Rogers, will compete here as a part of the Shory Lawson stable. Rogers, like the Big Spring pair, is a lightweight.

A leading featherweight contender in the high school class will be Paul Van Sneydy, Coahoma who will tip in at about 123 pounds.

Lawson has advised local officials he is bringing about 12 fighters over from Abilene while as many as 20 entries are due in from San Angelo. Most other towns within the immediate vicinity will be represented here.

The boxers will weigh in from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. at the gym. They will be paired immediately thereafter. Doctors will be on hand at the weighing-in ceremonies to give final physicals.

The public will be admitted to the house from 7 o'clock on, as long as there is room for them. Only 1,200 seats, all of them general admission, will be made available. Prices are \$1.20 adult and 60 cents students.

Bo Sexton of Luceok will be the third man in the ring in all the matches while Patrick O'Dowdy and Bobby Crane will serve as judges.

Texas Sandman Gets Top Weight In 'Cap

ARCADIA, Calif., Feb. 6. (P)—Texas Sandman has been assigned top weight for Saturday's \$50,000 San Antonio handicap of a mile and one-eighth at Santa Anita Park.

W. D. Rorex's Sandman, highly regarded for the \$100,000-guaranteed-to-the-winner Santa Anita Handicap March 1, has been asked to carry 122 pounds Saturday, eight more than he will tote in the big 'Cap. Eddie Arcaro will be aboard, replacing Mel Peterson.

BALDWIN TURNS PRO

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 6. (P)—Burr Baldwin, all-America end at UCLA in 1946, will play professional football next fall with the Los Angeles Dons of the All-America Conference.

The number of goats has increased in the United States until there are more than 84,000 registered.

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With TOMMY HART

Johnny Dibrell, the departing Big Spring football coach, packed a lot of enjoyable living in the 13 years he put in the coaching game.

Born in Colorado City (the son of a Texas Ranger), he never returned there until he assumed the high school coaching post in 1940. He played high school ball at Brackenridge in San Antonio, then went to St. Edward's college, at the time Jack Chevigny was there.

When Chevigny went to the University of Texas, he took John with him as assistant coach. Among the boys he worked with were Jack Gray (currently basketball mentor at TU), Charley Coates and Bohn Hilliard. John was on the bench that day in South Bend, Ind., when Hilliard led the Longhorns to a 7-6 upset victory over Notre Dame, the first opening day ball game the Irish had lost in 37 years. (They've never lost another).

Dibrell worked like a beaver after coming here in 1942. The school was short of instructors, as well as assistant coaches, and Johnny taught a little, coached a lot. He handled all sports and looked after the equipment. Finally, help returned and eased his burdens a bit.

A coach remains in the public eye as much as a movie actor or a baseball hero. His life is about as private as that of a gold fish, but John enjoyed every minute of it.

The coaching fraternity's loss is the business world's gain. When the school board went on record as wishing him well in his future endeavor, it carried the sentiments of all who knew him.

The Big Spring high school athletic fund wound up with a cash balance of exactly \$2,321.11 as of Feb. 1, according to a statement presented to the school board the other night.

Receipts for the football year, including proceeds from the Sweetwater game, amounted to \$15,085.63 while expenses came to \$12,785.21.

On the credit side, grid games brought in a respectable \$12,817.52. Season ticket sales amounted to another \$1,269. Concessions were worth \$544.56 and programs another \$429. Add to that another \$30.50 for miscellaneous functions.

Percentage cuts by the visiting teams, equipment costs, the expense of hiring officials and a dozen other items cut into the profit but, all in all, the school's team enjoyed a good financial year.

Gerald "Dopey" Anderson, one of Big Spring's better defensive wings in the '30's and later a standout at McMurry college, is entertaining designs on entering the coaching field. He may blossom out as an assistant mentor somewhere in

studio but did not stay in New York long enough to take it.

Currently on the teaching staff at Forsan high school, Anderson may start a boxing team out that way sometime soon. He was an amateur fisticuffer both in high school and college. A welter who carried rocks in his pockets to make the weight limit then, Dopey is up to 190 pounds now and still growing.

If members of the Big Spring Athletic association get one fight like the Billy White-Ken Brophy imbroglio last year, they will consider their Golden Gloves boxing tournament a success.

White laid Brophy among the daisies after a knockdown-drag-out battle that had the fans in frenzy.

The association stands to do much better financially this year than last, when the show ran only two nights. Proceeds from the first two evenings will go toward expenses and paying for the fighters' trip to Fort Worth. The third night is usually velvet.

Profits, of course, will go toward the support of the worthwhile athletic project.

Ram Bowl Over Hawks, 59-29

Held on fairly even terms in the first half, the San Angelo Junior college basketball Rams made full use of their reserve strength to crush the Howard County JayCees Jayhawks with a last half rally here Wednesday night, 59-29.

The loss was the Hawks' fourth in as many starts in Western Zone competition.

Angelo boasted a 24-19 lead at half time.

Ralph Ellis accumulated 18 points to pace the visitors scoring. Johnny Griffin and John Rude were the Hawk standouts.

The two teams will tangle again in Angelo Saturday night.

SAN ANGELO	
Blackmon	14
Jackson	11
James	10
S. Teal	10
W. Teal	10
Rhodes	10
Abilott	10
Hartman	10
Bennett	10
Totals	141
BIG SPRING	
Elliot	11
Rudessel	11
Brown	11
Griffin	11
Siverson	11
Podan	11
Totals	141

Clarence Fox's Grid School To Be Held Here March 1-3

The annual spring football coaching school sponsored by Clarence Fox will be held here March 1-3, he announced Wednesday evening.

Fox has booked Del Morgan, Lubbock, head coach at Texas Tech, and Jack Curtice, coach of Texas School of Mines at El Paso, as instructors for the early season refresher.

Morgan will deal primarily with formation offense and defense, with Curtice helping to outline defense maneuvers. In turn, Curtice will lecture and demonstrate on the single and double-wing and box formations, both offensively and defensively.

Object of the March session is to give mentors new wrinkles on offensive and defensive strategy in the spring rehearsals when they have time to experiment with developments or variations, said Fox.

Reservations are being handled through Fox, and the school starts at 2 p.m. on March 1, in room No. 4 at the Settle hotel. That evening the traditional barbecue will be held and T. C. Root, assistant to the president of Texas Tech and dean of that institution's school of business administration, will

Two class sessions are tick-ticking day, while the final session is set for 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. is from 9 a.m. to 12 noon on March 3 and 1:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. the fol-3, said Fox.



Take Time To Play, Too

All work and no play makes you feel dull. Have a regular bowling night with the boys—and relax here while you exercise.

WEST TEXAS Bowling Center
314 Runnels

Graziano Goes On Stand Today

NEW YORK, Feb. 6. (P)—Rocky Graziano was expected to tell from the witness stand today his own story of a \$100,000 offer to throw a fight.

The knockout-specialist from New York's East Side is one of five witnesses his attorney planned to call today in the state Athletic Commission's hearing to determine whether Graziano violated its rules when he failed to report the bribe offer. The commission has power to impose lifetime banishment from the New York ring.

No doubt Rocky will be asked to explain formally whether he thought the whole fix attempt was a joke and whether, as the district attorney contends, he knew the would-be fixers by name but refused to identify them for fear of possible gangster reprisal.

Graziano repeatedly has asserted he was not afraid; that he did not know the men by name but might have picked them out if the district attorney had given him the opportunity, as he offered, before the case became public.

Junior Hi Five Trips Stanton

The Yearlings, Junior high school's basketball team, are looking around for more fields to conquer after having beaten Stanton Tuesday, 25-12, in Stanton.

Billy Carlisle was the big gun in the Big Spring win, scoring ten points while James Fannin helped with seven.

Jim McWhorter's gang led at half time, 10-6.

The Yearling reserves nosed out the Stanton second stringers, 20-18, with Lenard in the starring role.

The two clubs are tentatively booked to play a return go here Monday evening.

BIXLER TAKES COLGATE JOB

HAMILTON, N. Y., Feb. 6. (P)—Paul O. Bixler, head football coach at Ohio State University, was appointed today to succeed Andy Kerr, veteran head gridiron mentor at Colgate University.

Kerr, tutor of Red Raider grid squads for the last 18 years, retires next June 30.

GRIN AND BEAR IT



"What's she gotta be so fussy about? Other girls her age got two or three husbands by this time..."

MR. BREGER



"If I was you, Doc, I wouldn't believe everything I hear these days!"

HOW TO TORTURE YOUR WIFE



Governor Rejects Extradition Plea

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 6. (AP) Gov. Jim McCard today refused to allow the extradition of Mrs. Modessa Bingham Light, 25, red-haired Dyersburg, Tenn. woman, to face a two-year-old murder charge in New Mexico.

The governor denied the extradition plea of Sheriff Harold Hubbell of Bernalillo county, New Mexico, who asked that Mrs. Light be extradited for the murder of "an old man" in August, 1944.

Hubbell and Kennerly presented an affidavit made by Lewis B. Keith, 35-year-old navy veteran who said he witnessed the slaying and said bleached bones found on the outskirts of Albuquerque in December, 1946, were those of the slain man.

15 Men Splash In Icy Waters

LITTLE AMERICA, Feb. 6. (Delayed) (AP)—Fifteen men, imitating polar bears, splashed and swam for 21 minutes today in the ice-choked, 30-degree water off the Boy of Whales to test new rubber swim suits.

The men were all expert swimmers of underwater demolition team No. 4 with the United States Navy's Antarctic Task Force. They wore heavy underwear, socks and gloves underneath skintight green suits, first designed for the invasion of Japan.

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Bible Study Conducted

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The Northside Baptist WMU met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. L. S. Patterson for a Bible study. Mrs. Patterson presented a talk on the "Lord Supper," and it was announced that members will meet next Tuesday at the church for visitation.

Those attending were Mrs. Carl Majors, Mrs. G. W. Webb, Mrs. Alpha White, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Brandon Curry, Mrs. R. A. Humble and Mrs. Patterson.

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Relief Proposals Top Marshall's List

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. (AP)—Secretary of State Marshall today put legislation for international relief at the top of 27 proposals which he said will be submitted to Congress. He outlined the proposals in a

letter to Chairman Vandenberg (R-Mich.) of the Senate foreign relations committee.

As the No. 2 "urgent item," he listed Senate approval of the Balkan peace treaties, to be signed in Paris Feb. 10.

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Bradley Ponders Temple Hospital

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. (AP)—Existence of important utilities, buildings and an assembled staff will be important factors in deciding whether McCloskey General Hospital, Temple, shall be maintained permanently, General Omar Bradley of the Veterans Administration, said today.

Bradley made his statement in a letter to Rep. Poage (D-Tex.) after a conference with the congressman.

Poage had conferred with Bradley as a result of an administration announcement that the hospital would be continued in operation "for the time being."

At the conference Poage said that although the existing buildings might not be the type desired by the administration, money could be saved by choosing McCloskey as a permanent hospital because utilities are available. In his letter Bradley assured Poage these considerations would "weigh heavily" in deciding the matter.

Miller Is Named To Railroad Post

AUSTIN, Feb. 6. (AP)—The Railroad Commission has appointed K. C. Miller of Austin as its new secretary to succeed L. D. (Sadie) Ransom, who left the position to become assistant secretary to Gov. Beauford Jester.

Miller has been with the commission's oil and gas division since August, 1942. He was formerly in the real estate and furniture business here.

Commissioner Objects To Bill Abolishing Job

AUSTIN, Feb. 6. (AP)—State Agricultural Commissioner J. E. McDonald has termed as "economically unsound" a bill presented in the House which aims at abolishing his job and department.

The bill is by W. R. Moore of Bryan and William Jameson of El Paso would turn the whole agricultural department works over to the board of directors of Texas A&M college. Only exception would be the weights and measures division and its enforcement group which would be given to Comptroller George H. Sheppard.

Moore declared, "because of the large demands of additional appropriations from the state, and Governor Jester's no-tax increase pledge, we must cut costs."

The purpose of the bill was described by Moore as reducing the cost of state government and eliminating current "duplication of services performed by the department and the extension department of A&M."

McDonald said, "the functions of the A&M College and the State Department of Agriculture are similar to the duties and functions of the city public schools and the city police department. One is educational, the other regulatory. Each requires especially trained people for the type of work done."

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As Always, It's Hogan Vs. Field In Tourney

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 6. (AP)—Golf's money men moved onto Brackenridge Park's rugged, 6,400 yards today in the final warmup round before the twenty-first Texas Open—but even today they were playing for cash.

It was the 18-hole pro-amateur, with \$575 in prize money for the top professionals. The field was limited to 100 pros and simon-pures.

Ben Hogan, the Texas mite who whammed golf's big-time circuit for \$42,556.16 in 1946 and currently is leading the 1947 parade with \$6,233.33, was the favorite as usual.

Hogan couldn't pull an upset if he wanted to. He's always tabbed as the man to beat.

All of the top professionals except semi-retired Byron Nelson and Slammin' Sammy Snead were here for a Texas open that offers \$10,000 for the first time. Although it is the oldest tournament along the winter circuit, it never before has posted so much money. Last year the take was \$7,500.

Hogan is defending champion. He shot a 20-under-par 264 last year to grab top money and if he comes through this time, as expected, will become the second man in history to take the Texas Open title twice in a row. Bill Elmhorn turned the trick in 1928 and 1929.

National Open Champion Lloyd Mehlhorn turned the trick in 1923; Tucson Open last Monday, and Amateur Frank Stranahan of Toledo were among the star-studded field which also includes five former Texas Open winners—Hogan, Sammy Byrd, Johnny Revolta, Lawson Little and E. J. (Dutch) Harrison.

Ira Thurman, who has missed very few Texas Open tournaments in the last ten years, took off for San Antonio this morning. He will be joined in the Alamo City by his daughter, Marijo, who is a student in Texas university.

Gloves Entries Now Get Better Shot At Titles

Present-day golden gloves get a better chance at titles than the amateur biff artists of a few years ago, since champions are now declared in three classes.

During the first two gloves tournaments held in Big Spring, all fighters competed in the same class, and a district meet could produce only eight champions. Now a maximum of 24 champions can be crowned, with eight each in the open class, novice class and high school class.

Here is a list of champions crowned in former Big Spring district Golden Gloves tournaments:

1938
Heavyweight—Red Cunningham, Big Spring.
Lightweight—E. P. Lawson, Midland.
Middle—J. C. Wallace, Big Spring.
Welter—Don Aperson, San Antonio.
Light—Ellis Reed, Big Spring.
Feather—Johnny Hooper, Big Spring.
Fly—Willa Gray, Big Spring.

1946
Heavyweight—Truett Fulcher, Colorado City.
Lightweight—Walt Stone, Crane.
Middle—Joe Carnes, Midland.
Welter—Dick Gibson, Big Spring.
Light—Ellis Reed, Big Spring.
Feather—Jack Childers, Midland.
Bantam—Escar Grimes, Kermit.
Fly—Yess Yans, Big Spring.

1948
Open Class
Heavyweight—Aaron Beck, Ames.
Lightweight—L. Joe Neratko, Midland.
Welter—Bob Aperson, San Antonio.
Feather—Frankie Dill, Odessa.

Novice Class
Heavyweight—Jim Watson, Midland.
Middleweight—Billy White, Big Spring.
Lightweight—Jim Wright, Midland.

High School
Lightweight—Dave Bowers, Abilene.
Welter—Don Aperson, Lamesa.
Light—Jimmy Epler, Big Spring.
Feather—Johnny Hooper, Big Spring.
Bantam—Bennett Young, Abilene.
Fly—Jack Turner, Abilene.

Knott Wins Two 21B Loop Tilts

KNOTT, Feb. 6.—Homer Barnes' Knott Hill Billies are making an all-out bid to finish in the first division of the District 21B basketball standings.

Winners over Garden City, 35-18, last Friday night, the Billies came along last week to knock over Forsan's Bufts, 35-30, in a game at Forsan. The trick was accomplished without the assistance of Delbert Harland, star forward, who is favoring an injury.

Knott play the strong Coahoms Bulldogs here Friday evening and then closed out its league season in a battle with Courtney next Tuesday. Barnes takes his charges to the district tournament at Coahoma next weekend.

Only one regular of the Knott team will be lost via graduation this year. He is John Shortes. Three reserves—Leon Riddle, Lewis Reed, Newell Tate—will depart along with him.

Players who will return to the courts for the 1947-48 season are Autov and Howard Shanks, Max Roman, Tom Barnes, Robert Nichols, Darrell Ditto and Harland.

Straffon Plans To Play Again

SHERMAN, Feb. 6. (AP)—Gangling Monty Stratton, hailed for his courage and toasted for his ability, will return to the Sherman twins of the Big State League and his boss, Art Willingham, thinks he will win as many or more games than last season.

Stratton is the fellow who wouldn't let an artificial leg keep him out of baseball and who hung up 18 wins losing eight for Sherman in the circuit that last year was known as the East Texas League. It now is a Class B loop, having been raised a notch.

Monty will report March 12 for spring training but will be keeping an eye cocked on Hollywood where he will go to serve as technical advisor on a film of his life.

"Monty isn't certain when the call for Hollywood will come through," said Willingham, owner of the local club, "and consequently he will be on hand for our opening drills."

Recently Stratton was selected as the "most courageous athlete of 1946" by the Philadelphia sports writers.

The former White Sox pitching star lost his leg when a pistol was accidentally discharged while he was target shooting on his mother's farm near Greenville in the fall of 1938. It ended his Big League career but he continued to pitch baseball in semi-pro ranks. Last year he was signed by Sherman after he had shown great hurling ability in the Houston Post semi-pro tournament.

Stratton is handicapped only in his running. He has to hit the ball a long way to reach first base. However, he turned in a creditable job of fielding last season even on bunt balls, and his pitching was A-1. He started 27 games.



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