

POLL TAXES

Today: Two Years Ago
\$589 Paid Polls \$589
770 Exemptions 149

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Today's News
TODAY

Meters Favored

Downtown Parking Would Be Limited By Some Citizens

Two to one, the citizens of Big Spring are in favor of the installation of parking meters downtown, if an informal survey of 220 persons selected at random in the downtown district is any criterion.

Opinions stacked up thus:
For the system 134
Against the system 66
Undecided or unconcerned 20

On the whole, those in favor of the system criticized the acute lack of parking space in the shopping district now and the habit of some workers of monopolizing one place all day, and considered the increased revenue such a system may bring to the city.

Opponents of the idea chiefly objected to the nuisance of dropping in a nickel every two hours under penalty of fine, pointed out the town was too small to support parking meters and predicted it would drive business away.

Many on both sides, and particularly workers and owners of stores in town, spoke of the need for parking lot facilities to ease the shortage of all day parking space.

Opinion was not noticeably divided along occupational lines. A break-down of the tabulations reveal 24 clerks and salesmen against the suggestion and 12 for a direct reversal of over-all figures; eight managers, owners and operators of stores against and 14 for; six housewives against and 16 for. Workers in outlying sections and farmers were nearly three to one in favor.

A restaurant owner claimed he lost trade from people who could not find a place to park in front of his place for the cars of the clerks who worked next door, and a theater manager wanted to know what driver could sit through a show in peace worrying about an overparking ticket.

The assistant manager of one store demanded: "Want to drive away our trade?" while the manager of the same store applauded the meters as insuring a turnover in shoppers several times a day.

Busy housewives complained of having to tour the town too many minutes hunting a place to park in front of the store, while other busy housewives were hesitant to pay five cents for five minutes parking.

The colored hotel porter said, "Suah, put me down for it," and the traveling salesman, thinking of other towns where it had been tried, was doubtful a system would work out in a town of this size.

A city bus driver wanted to know if it would stop people from parking in the bus stops and a soldier asked what would the city do with the money.

It was apparent during the poll that not only did opponents outnumber those against the idea, but they also answered with more enthusiasm, remarking "I've been waiting for something like this to happen. Sure am for it."

This enthusiasm was dampened by a skeptical carpenter who muttered "Just wait until they have the fool things awhile. They'll be cussing them in a month."

Reviewing The Big Spring -Week-
Joe Pickle

Since somebody is going to say it anyhow, we should like to know, now that the army has contacted the moon by radar, if there is anything to this cheese rumor.

Through Saturday 3,589 poll taxes had been paid, only a few more than for the same date two years ago. We're going to have to rush to crowd 2,000 or more in the next four days, but it will be an easy matter if everyone who ought to be the best possible type of citizen will attend to this responsibility.

Incidentally, those who formerly held "permanent" exemptions in town are reminded that they must secure these exemptions each year. Deadline, of course, is Jan. 31. Persons who moved to Texas last year should have secured theirs by now. (See THE WEEK, Page 10, Col. 4)

Vote As You Please, But Be Able To Vote
4 days remain in which to pay poll taxes or secure exemptions. Get yours Monday.

Pay Agreements Ease Trouble

Three Planes Span Continent In Record Time

Jet Craft Cross Country In Four Hours, 13 Min.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26 (AP)—The transcontinental flight record was shattered today by three US Army jet-propelled planes, which streaked from Long Beach, Calif., to LaGuardia Field at speeds approaching that of sound.

All three planes were Lockheed P-80 pursuit ships. The one piloted by Col. William H. Cunniff, flight test official from Wright Field, O., flew non-stop and covered the 2,470 mile distance in four hours, 13 minutes and 26 seconds—584.83 miles an hour. Two others stopped at Topeka, Kan., for refueling.

The previous transcontinental flight record, 2,464 miles from Burbank, Calif., to Floyd Bennett Field, Brooklyn, in five hours and 27 minutes, was established last Dec. 11 with a Boeing B-29 bomber.

Even the two pilots who stopped for fuel at Topeka today beat the old record by comfortable margins. Capt. Martin C. Smith of Kidder, Mo., another Army test pilot from Wright Field, covered the distance in four hours, 38 minutes and 25 seconds, and Capt. John S. Babel, a fighter pilot of the 412th Jet-Propelled Fighter Group at March Field, Riverside, Calif., made it in four hours, 23 minutes and 54 seconds.

Babel, who stopped four minutes at Topeka, made an average speed of 561 miles an hour. Smith stopped six minutes at Topeka and averaged 540 miles an hour.

Most of the time the planes flew at altitudes of 35,000 to 41,000 feet. Col. Cunniff's non-stop flight (See JET, Page 10, Col. 5)

Polio Fund Drive Makes Headway

Several checks toward the March of Dime drive for the National Infantile Paralysis fund have been received, Carl Blomshield, chairman, said Saturday. Blomshield stated that special gifts may be sent to him as well as Ira Thurman and Jimmy Greene.

Collections by Boy Scouts were begun at the three R & R Theaters Thursday and approximately \$225 had been collected through Friday night, Arthur Caywood, manager, said.

Picture trainers for the campaign were late in arriving at the State and Texas theatre causing their collections to be delayed until Saturday.

The annual drive began Jan. 17 and Blomshield hopes for heavy donations before the campaign closes Thursday.

Committee members have plans for downtown collections this week, including the placement of material and containers scheduled to be put out Monday.

MAN IN HOSPITAL WITH GUN WOUND

J. I. Riley was admitted to a local hospital Friday for gunshot wounds in his left knee, inflicted by a 22 rifle.

Police quoted the man as saying a woman had fired the gun.

Denies "Sleeping Off A Jag"

Short Refuses Blame, Says Lack Of Information Caused Disaster

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 (AP)—Maj. Gen. Walter C. Short denied today that army and navy officers were "sleeping off a jag" when Japan blasted Pearl Harbor. He blamed the disaster on "100 per cent failure" by Washington to get vital information to Hawaii.

Short named Gen. George C. Marshall, 1941 chief of staff, Lt. Gen. L. T. Gerow, war plans chief, and Maj. Gen. Sherman Miles, intelligence head, as the men he had chiefly in mind when he testified the war department tried to make him the "scapegoat" for Pearl Harbor.

Answering a question by Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.), the former army commander in Hawaii identified a scapegoat as: "Someone they saddled the blame on in order to get it off themselves."



ARMY-NAVY CHIEFS AT TEXAS DINNER—General and Mrs. Dwight Eisenhower (left), Dale Miller (center), retiring president of the Washington Texas State Society; Fleet Admiral and Mrs. Chester Nimitz (right) attend a dinner of the Texas State Society in Washington. Both Eisenhower and Nimitz were born in Texas. (AP Wirephoto)

Bible Conference Program Begins Monday Morning

Dr. F. Crossley Morgan speaks in two services today as a prelude to the Bible conference which gets underway Monday at the First Presbyterian church under sponsorship of the Big Spring Pastors association.

He speaks at the First Presbyterian church during the morning worship and will be the speaker at the union service at 7 p. m. in the First Baptist church.

The conference proper begins at 10 a. m. Monday when Dr. Morgan, a widely recognized expounder of the Scriptures, begins a series of five studies of some great Psalms. He will recite Psalms 2, 23, 46, 57 and 137, in order named, in successive services at the same hour through Friday.

The evening services, also at the Presbyterian church, will deal with "some great subjects." Monday Dr. Morgan will talk about the "Supreme Tragedy in a Church's Life." Tuesday, "The Christian Warfare, or, Fighting the Devil." Wednesday, "The Pivotal Fact of the Christian Faith." Thursday, "The Terms of Christian Discipleship," and Friday, "The Second Coming of Christ."

Dr. Morgan is a native of London, England. Most of his formal education was in that country. He came to the United States in 1919 and was ordained the following year. For more than two score years he was a Bible teacher and a pastor until little more than a year ago he resigned to devote his full time to Bible conferences in the belief that understanding of the Scriptures was the fundamental step in Christian endeavor.

OIL PUBLICIST DIES IN TULSA

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 26 (AP)—Ernst Klappenbach, 52, oil publication official, died today.

Klappenbach was vice president of the Petroleum Publishing Co. and advertising manager of the Oil and Gas Journal. He was known in oil circles throughout the United States.

Man Named to Senate While In France Plans To Seek Office Again

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Mason-Dixon Line Endures At Fete

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President James A. Koch, of the Yankee club, made up of 300 students from 26 northern states, called off a ceremonial and theoretical abolition of the Mason and Dixon line, after university officials directed the club not to hold the program under statutes of Robert E. Lee and Jefferson Davis.

Supreme Commander Says: Jap Land Reform Program Failing

TOKYO, Sunday, Jan. 27 (AP)—Japan's land reform program, ordered by General MacArthur to give the little farmer a chance to own his own land, has not come up to requirements, the agriculture division of headquarter's natural resources section reported today.

It marked the second straight day of critical comment by that section, which yesterday charged the Japanese government and fishery officials were trying to break out of the restricted fishing areas assigned since the surrender.

The Japanese still have until March 15 to submit a complete land reform program which must meet headquarter's approval before being instituted.

La. Col. Hubert G. Schenk, chief of General MacArthur's natural resources section, said that in the four and a half months since surrender, the Japanese had submitted six requests for revision of fishing areas. Four were denied.

Schenk asserted that some of the requests were for areas so far from home islands that there could be no doubt the Japanese were aiming to lever their way back into the world market—although their argument was the need of increasing Japan's home supply of sea products.

One fisheries concern, he said, wanted the right to operate off northern Australia, in the Indian Ocean and off the west coast of Mexico.

"It is apparent," said Schenk, "that since most of the fish taken by Japanese in distant waters before the war went to markets outside Japan, the Japanese must have needs through operation of home-based fleets in an area somewhat similar to the one in which they now are permitted to operate."

Meanwhile the Japanese government had its hands full trying to placate public discontent over the food situation, which flared up again recently in a raid by some 3,000 persons on a former arsenal in which food was stored.

Kyodo news agency said investigation showed that the commodities seized by the citizenry belonged to former workers there, and that arrangements for distribution were made before the raid.

The government promised in the future to ration stocks of concealed food and warned sternly against mob action.

He said that as a "loyal soldier" he had been forced to keep silent for four war years while bearing "the burden of public censure."

The committee now has questioned all major army-navy figures connected with the Pearl Harbor debacle.

Federals Seize Packinghouses; Work To Resume

By The Associated Press
Texas' packinghouse workers have ended their week-long strike and will return to work tomorrow following government seizure of at least two Texas plants yesterday.

Prompt reopening of the strike-halted Fort Worth stockyards was in prospect Saturday night as livestock handlers prepared to return to work under government seizure of the yards. Telegraphic notice of his designation to operate the yards under government control was awaited by W. L. Pier, president of the Fort Worth Stockyards company, following announcement by the department of agriculture, Washington, that the yards were being taken over.

A. J. Pittman, district director of the United Packinghouse Workers Union (CIO) said instructions had been issued from union headquarters at Chicago for the livestock handlers to resume work.

Only flaw in the otherwise brightening labor picture in the state was a report of violence in Houston.

Two non-striking workers at the Hughes Tool company were attacked and beaten by two men they said they recognized as Hughes workers before the strike. Five men were arrested by police.

The packinghouse strike is expected to end tomorrow. Pickets appeared as usual at the Armour & Company plant and the Ratliff Pure Food Products Co. in Fort Worth yesterday after government seizure shortly after midnight Saturday.

But during the early afternoon headquarters of the packinghouse workers union (CIO) said it had received back-to-work orders from national headquarters.

Workers were told to return to their jobs Monday.

The Texas plants originally listed in President Truman's seizure order were not all taken over yesterday. The list had been in error.

Three of the five mentioned for government seizure were not strikebound, and one which was involved in a strike was not listed. Yesterday, only strikebound plants were taken over, and those few of labor difficulties were not seized.

LARGEST SUB RETIRED
WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 (AP)—Retirement of the 3,000-ton Nautilus, largest United States submarine and first to sink a Japanese aircraft carrier, was announced by the Navy tonight.

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Tax Collections Near New Record

With only four days remaining in which to pay current taxes with or incurring penalty and interest, indications Saturday were that a new collection record would be established at the county tax assessor-collector's office.

The vast bulk of the current roll already has been received. The roll totals \$271,212.02, while receipts to date which include some delinquent accounts, aggregate \$268,975.06.

The tax collector's office in the courthouse will remain open noon hours every day through Thursday and Thursday night until midnight to handle tardy payments and polls.

After that time, no more poll taxes will be accepted or exemptions applied for. All county, state and school taxes paid after that day will be penalized with interest at a rate of six per cent per annum. Thus taxes paid in February will be increased by 1 1/2 per cent of the total taxes.

Approximately \$105,570.70 of the total assessment collected will go to the state; \$103,623.44 will remain in the county; \$62,017.88 will be appropriated to the use of the rural schools in the county.

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This order was issued after acting President T. S. Painter of the university received a petition from the Texas division of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, asking that the ceremony be held somewhere else on the campus.

Labor Chief Sees 'Significant Trend'

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 (AP)—Secretary of Labor Lewis B. Schwellenbach saw the Ford and Chrysler wage settlements tonight as representing "a highly significant trend."

Optimism over prospects of a "break" in the long labor-management deadlock was equally unqualified in other government offices.

This view was tempered only slightly by the assertions of CIO-United Automobile Workers officials that they would not accept the 18-cent hourly wage increase agreed on in Ford plants as the basis for ending the two-months-old General Motors strike.

Schwellenbach's opinion was expressed in a formal statement: "The settlement of wage controversies between the Ford Motor Company and the Chrysler Corporation and the United Auto Workers-CIO represents a highly significant trend."

"The companies and the union are to be commended in these settlements, which were arrived at through genuine collective bargaining between the parties."

"This and the conclusion of the glass strike last Monday and the St. Louis trucking strike last Friday plus a vote to return to work of the two unions in the packinghouse industry pending a fact-finding report is one of the most important occurrences since the close of the war."

"In existing disputes in other major industries the American public will be served best through recognition by both the companies and the unions that speedy reconversion depends upon early settlement of their controversies. Full employment can be achieved only in this manner."

President R. J. Thomas of the CIO-UAW, shortly before his departure by plane for Detroit, said "General Motors' settlement will have to be higher than Ford's. He said GM's current rates are lower than the Ford scale."

Vice President Walter Reuther, director of CIO-UAW's General Motors Division, told reporters: "We'll not settle with GM for less than 19 1/2 cents." This is the figure recommended by the Presidential fact-finding board in the GM dispute.

Union sources, before announcement of the 18 1/2-cent Chrysler settlement had predicted agreement on some such basis.

Ex-Soldiers Take Part In Steward Memorial Rites

Memorial services will be held at 7:30 p. m. today for Lt. Ralph Steward at the East Fourth Baptist church, where he held his membership.

Lt. Steward recently was reported dead by the war department after a review of records in his case. He was a bombardier on a B-26 which operated from a French base.

Before entry into the service, he was a star on the 1939 and 1940 football teams.

Returned servicemen will have prominent parts on the program this evening. Rev. James R. Clark, pastor, will bring the message. Lt. Steward was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Steward.

VOTE TO JOIN DISTRICT
KILGORE, Tex., Jan. 26 (AP)—The Sabine school district in Gregg county voted today to join the Kilgore Junior College district and be subject to a tax of 20 cents on each \$100 valuation for the college's support. Taxable property in the Sabine district totals \$1,133,272. The vote was 80-51.

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DALLAS, Jan. 26 (AP)—The War Assets Corporation is accepting no more applications by veterans for surplus army cars, officials announced today.



LADY ASTOR—Lady Astor, retired member of the British parliament, points for emphasis during a press conference in New York. She told interviewers that despite strikes and unrest: "Underneath, America is sound." (AP Wirephoto)

Nominees Chosen For C-C Directors

Names of 30 men were placed in nomination Saturday for chamber of commerce directors.

The selection was made by retiring directors of the chamber, who constitute the nomination committee. The committee likely had the distinction of being the last to serve in this capacity, for proposed-by-law changes would henceforth constitute the hold-over directors as the nomination committee.

Nominee lists will go out to the membership this week for election of 10 of the number. These will join with 10 holdovers and at least five others to be elected by the new board. Again, if by-law changes are approved, the new directorate could set up to 10 additional members.

Nominated for places on the board were:

Marvin Sewell, V. A. Merrick, Arthur Caywood, J. B. Collins, G. W. Dabney, A. S. Darby, Wiley Curry, Ted O. Groebel, G. H. Hayward, Victor Mellinger, Ted Phillips, Joe Pickle, Louis H. Price, R. B. Reeder.

T. J. A. Robinson, C. L. Roden, W. J. Sheppard, C. J. Staples, Charles Sullivan, Adolph Swartz, R. F. Townsend, Doyle Vaughn, L. B. Edwards, Elmo Wasson, George White, H. P. Wooten, Marvin M. Miller, D. D. Douglass, Harold P. Steck, Marvin Saunders.

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Iranian Case May Be Dropped

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The new note, dated Jan. 26, was disclosed shortly after Premier Ahmad Qavam Es Saltaneh, a long-time friend of Russia, was elected new premier of Iran. Ahmad Qavam announced he would seek direct negotiations with Russia on the dispute with the Soviet Union, giving rise to speculation that his government might withdraw or defer action on the complaint put before the security council.

The new 2,000-word note, it was understood, was delivered to the council by the Iranian delegation on its own initiative, in reply to a Russian letter yesterday. The Soviet letter opposed security council consideration of Iran's complaint, on grounds that the Soviet position in Iran was legal and justifiable under Soviet-Iranian treaty, and favored direct negotiation of the dispute by Russia and Iran.

Today's Iranian note declared: "The refusal of the Soviet government to allow passage of Iranian security forces through part of Iranian territory is clearly a breach of the Tripartite Treaty of Alliance of 1942, and the Declaration of Tehran, by which the Allied powers undertook to respect the territorial integrity, sovereignty and political independence of Iran."

The Iranians said the Soviet delegation had mis-translated or misquoted the Iranian note of Dec. 1 so that "the sense has been so altered it is exactly the opposite of what was said in the note." The Iranians said Russia quoted Tehran as denying Soviet interference, while the opposite was the truth.

Northern Iran is occupied by Soviet troops, and Tehran charges that Russians prevented the movement of Iranian troops into Azerbaijan to deal with the uprising there.

New Premier To Deal Directly With Soviets
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Sinatra's Singing, Kelly's Dancing Starred In State's "Anchors Aweigh"

Bobby Soxers and grownups alike should be pleased with lavish technicolor production, "Anchors Aweigh," which is being featured at the State theater today and Monday.

For the younger filmgoing brigade, there's Frank Sinatra, singing several of the currently popular songs, while the inimitable Gene Kelly is brought into focus for the entertainment of his admirers — and they are legion.

Sinatra and Kelly are cast as two sailor buddies. Sinatra permits Kelly to do the thinking for the duo most of the time, which doesn't work out so well on occasions.

Kathryn Grayson, quite a thrush in her own right, lands a romantic role opposite the two stars and precocious little Dean Stockwell is around to act as Kathy's little brother.

Jose Iturbi, the noted pianist-actor, has a major part in the proceedings, too.

Kelly's dance with a mouse painted into being by one of the MGM cartoonists is a sight to behold.

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THE WEEKS PLAYBILL

RITZ
Sun.-Mon.—"Pardon My Past," with Fred MacMurray, Marguerite Chapman.
Tues.-Wed.—"Man Alive," with Pat O'Brien, Adolphe Menjou.
Thurs.-Fri.-Sat.—"Dakota," with John Wayne, Vera Huba Ralston.

LYRIC
Sun.-Mon.—"Spanish Main," with Maureen O'Hara, Paul Henreid.
Tues.-Wed.—"Rhapsody In Blue," with Joan Leslie, Robert Alda.
Thurs.—"Zombies On Broadway," with Bela Lugosi, Wally Brown.
Fri.-Sat.—"Along The Navajo Trail," with Roy Rogers.

QUEEN
Sun.—Spanish language show.
Mon.-Tues.—"Kid Millions," with Eddie Cantor.
Wed.—"Strange Mr. Gregory," with Edmund Lowe, and "Boys Reformatory," with Frankie Darro.
Thurs.—"Man In Halfmoon Street," with Nils Astor, Helen Walker.
Fri.-Sat.—"Man From Music Mountain," with Roy Rogers, Pat Brady.



Riotous fun is supplied by these three in "Pardon My Past," movie appearing at the Ritz theater today and Monday. They are, left to right, Fred MacMurray, Marguerite Chapman and Bill DeMarest. Others in the cast include Akim Tamiroff and Rita Johnson.

MacMurray Has Dual Role In Ritz Film

The dual role in motion pictures (one actor playing two parts in the same movie) are coming back into vogue in Hollywood.

"Pardon My Past" — Mutual Production's film appearing at the Ritz theater today and Monday — has Fred MacMurray taking a dual part.

Built exclusively for laughs, the vehicle features Marguerite Chapman, Akim Tamiroff, William Demarest, Rita Johnson, Harry Davenport and Douglass Dumbrille.

The story breaks the barrier when Fred is mistaken for a twin brother, a rich wastrel about whom Fred knows nothing.

A gangster (Akim Tamiroff) abducts him to regain a \$12,000 unpaid debt. MacMurray and William Demarest, a pal, are relieved of their \$3000 savings, which had been intended toward purchase of a mink farm in Wisconsin.

Bent on regaining their money, the pair unwittingly go to the home of Fred's twin, who is absent in Mexico.

The family, quite a menagerie, all take him for his twin and more complications ensue, not the least of which is Fred's falling in love with Miss Chapman.

Leslie Fenton, in the director's chair, contributes a commendable job.

RADIO NOTES

Today's best listening over KBST — Orson Welles, 12-13 p. m. . . . Darts for Dought, 3 p. m. . . . Mary Small Revue, 3:30 p. m. . . . Radio Hall of Fame, 5 p. m. . . . Drew Pearson, 6 p. m. . . . Walter Winchell, 8 p. m. . . . LaGuardia Speaks for Liberty, 8:30 p. m. . . . Theatre Guild, 9 p. m.

"The Front Page," by Ben Hecht and Charles MacArthur, a robust drama of hard-drinking newspapermen, with Melvyn Douglas and Michael O'Shea playing the leads, will be heard as The Theatre Guild on the air presentation.

The story concerns a tough, hardy city editor and his talented but irresponsible star reporter assigned to cover the execution of the murderer of a Negro policeman. Heldy Johnson, the reporter, learns of the convict's escape, and, by bribing an assistant warden, scores a beat in getting an inside story.

As one who knows from personal observation, Orson Welles will discuss current transportation problems when his Almanac is heard today. Welles, a veteran traveler, will speak on all phases of the problem — from both the GI and civilian standpoints.

Author Jerome Beatty's curiosity as to how Tom Breneman's Breakfast in Hollywood retains its small-town, neighborly wholesomeness, even though it is broadcast from the heart of Hollywood, has led to an absorbing article in the February issue of American magazine.

In answer to Beatty's question: "What is your trick in handling people?" Breneman states in the article: "Smile at 'em. But actually, I don't want to know."

A psychiatrist from a great clinic came out here a few months ago and told me he recommended Breakfast in Hollywood to psychoneurotic servicemen, because it helped them to learn to like the home folks again. That was a great compliment.

"I never had tried to analyze my methods and I asked him whether he could help me. Maybe, I thought, if I discovered how I happened to get people to talk, I could do it better. He told me never to try it; that if I ever learned what made me tick I'd become self-conscious and flop. So I still do nothing but get out there and gab."

Even if he so desired, Tom

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Memorial Services For World War II Planned At ACC

Don H. Morris, president of the Abilene Christian College, Abilene, has announced that the school will hold a memorial service for its 37 ex-students who lost their lives while in the uniform of their country during World War II. Time of the service is set for 7:30 p. m. Feb. 5, and will be held in Sewell Auditorium on the ACC campus.

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FEATURETTE & NEWS

Ring Had Youngster Worried For While

PHILADELPHIA Jan. 26 (AP) — Thirteen-year-old Johnny Willis tried a racer bearing—made of the hardest cast steel—on his right index finger. Then he couldn't get it off.

Ten hospital physicians and internes failed in removal efforts. So did the hospital's engineer.

"I broke their four biggest saw blades," said Johnny.

Firemen took over—but their files couldn't dent the ring.

Finally, a machinist, using a high speed electric drill and grinder, cut it loose.

"I didn't think they'd ever get it off," Johnny related. "I thought they'd have to cut my finger off."

Rodent-Proofing Crew Finishes Work In One Section Downtown

A crew of men, working to rat-proof downtown blocks for the city, have finished the section between Main and Rannels and 4th and 5th and are now working on the block between Main and Rannels and 3rd and 4th. City Manager B. J. McDaniel reported Saturday.

Studio Couch Burns In Scurry Blaze

A carelessly tossed cigarette caused a small blaze in the apartment of H. R. Billingsley at 1310 Scurry Friday about noon, firemen reported.

Slight damage was done to the paper of one room by the smoke resulting when the studio couch burned.

Resignation Accepted

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 (AP) — President Truman has accepted the resignation of Murray W. Latimer, chairman of the railroad retirement board. It is effective as of January 15 last.

Latimer will continue to serve the government as research director of the guaranteed annual wage study being made by the advisory board of the Office of War Mobilization and Reconversion.

To Blanch Almonds Pour Boiling Water Over Shelled Almonds, Permit Them to Stand Until the Brown Skin is Loosened, Then Blanch the Almonds by Pulling Off. Soak Blanched Almonds in Cold Water in the Refrigerator to Whiten.

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Andrews Union Pool Is Given Extension

By JOHN B. BREWER
 SAN ANGELO, Jan. 26. — Completion of a half mile southwest outpost to the Union pool in northwestern Andrews county and of a half mile north-northwest extension to the Anton field in southeastern Lamb county, both producing from the Clear Fork, were among principal West Texas developments this week. A three-eighths mile northwest extension to the Landon (San Andres) pool in southern Cochran county was in prospect.

Operations were slowed down by snow, the heaviest in two years in some areas.

Lion Oil Co. No. 1 H. A. Redus estate, southwest extension to the Union pool in Andrews, C NE NE 22-A31-psl, was finished with a daily pumping potential of 100 barrels of 41 gravity oil from pay between 6,935-7,432 feet. It had been treated with 16,500 gallons of acid by stages.

Humble No. 2 J. R. Leftwich, the Anton extension in Lamb county, registered a daily pumping potential of 245 barrels of 29.7 gravity oil plus 10 barrels of basic sediment and water. It topped the pay at 5,620, drilled to 5,988 feet and was acidized with 12,000 gallons by stages. Location is the C SW NW 32-1-R. M. Thompson, half mile north and quarter mile west of Humble No. 1 Leftwich, producing north offset to Humble No. 1 J. A. Jackson, the discovery.

Humble No. 1 A. M. Arnold, C NE NW 120-A - R. M. Thompson, one mile west of No. 1 Jackson, was abandoned dry at 6,002 feet. Stanolind No. 1 Birtie T. Brown,

three-eighths mile northwest of Stanolind No. 1 J. F. Edwards, opener of the Landon pool in southern Cochran county, swabbed 75 barrels of oil and 18 barrels of water in six hours after treating with 3,000 gallons of acid between 5,040 and plugged back depth of 5,077 feet. Location is 830 feet out of the northeast corner of section 14-L-psl.

Gulf No. 1 Taylor, 1 1-4 miles north and slightly west of No. 1 Edwards, recovered lime and slight shows of oil and water in clogging from 5,109-29 feet. It was to drillstem test. The outpost was reported unofficially to be lower on the San Andres than the discovery.

Texas Gulf Production Co. No. 3 C. S. Dean, in league with 113, Potter county school land survey, one-third mile southwest of the firm's No. 1 Allie Slaughter, a completed producer three miles west of the Dean sector of the Slaughter pool, cemented 5 1-2 inch casing on bottom at 4,968 feet, in the top of the San Andres pay zone.

Superior of California staked location in west central Andrews county for No. 1 Eva Coopwood, slated 8,500-foot wildcat, C NE NE 4-A47 - psi, one mile south-southwest of Stanolind No. 1-P University, a Devonian strike south of the Fullerton 8500 (Devonian) field.

Drillstem testing frequently as it deepened to 7,856 feet, Shell-Texaco No. 2 Ratliff & Bedford, C SE NE 4-73-psl, in southwestern Andrews county, continued to show oil and salt water in the basal Permian. The proposed Ellenburger test is 7,867 feet southeast of No. 1 Ratliff & Bedford, opener of the Bedford (Devonian and Ellenburger) field, which also indicated production in the lower Permian and the Silurian.

Dekalb No. 1 W. E. Jones, slated 8,000-foot wildcat in Andrews

only a quarter mile east of the Lea county, N. M., line, C NW NW 15-A40-psl, recovered 15 stands of sulphur water in drillstem testing the lower Permian from 6,789-6,838 feet, it was reported unofficially. It drilled ahead below 6,938 feet in lime.

Stanolind rigged up a rotary to deepen through the pre-Permian, possibly to the Ellenburger, a test on the northwest edge of the North Goldsmith field in Ector county that Grisham-Hunter Corp. of Abilene abandoned dry at 6,494 feet, in the lower Clear Fork, in 1944. The wildcat C SW SW 10-45-2n-T&P, originally No. 1-B R. B. Cowden, has been redesignated Stanolind No. 1 Grisham-Hunter.

Texaco No. 1-D TXL, C SW NW 27-45-ls-T&P, 1 1-8 miles southeast extension to Ellenburger production in the TXL field in west central Ector county, was to perforate 5 1-2-inch casing from 10,790-890 feet for the first testing leading to completion.

Phillips No. 1-E-A TXL, C NW NW 49-45-ls-T&P, 1 3-4 miles southeast of Texaco No. 1-D, TXL, recovered 3,549 feet of salt water and 637 feet of drilling mud, with no shows, on a 90-minute drillstem test from 8,996-9,050 feet, reportedly in the Devonian. It drilled ahead.

J. T. O'Neal of Lubbock plugged No. 1-B K. Stoker in Garza county at 3,050 feet in lime after getting no appreciable shows. The test was in the C NE NE SW 5-5-GH&H, one mile east and one location south of O'Neal No. 1 K. Stoker, which marked a one-mile east extension to the northwest part of the Garza field.



PRINCESS — Princess Margaret Rose (above) is the younger daughter of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth of England. Her older sister is Princess Elizabeth.

Annulment Sought In Marriage Of UT's "Miss Texas"

AUSTIN, Jan. 26 (AP) — Mrs. Ethel Mae Below has filed suit in 53rd district court to annul the marriage of her daughter, Polly Below, University of Texas freshman who was named Miss Texas in a Port Arthur beauty contest last August, and who was married to George Clinton Greenwood Monday afternoon.

The petition stated that both bride and groom are only 19 years of age.

Mrs. E. C. Overstreet, guardian of Greenwood, said Miss Below asked her consent to the boy's marriage. She then signed an affidavit consenting to the marriage, required by the county clerk in issuing a marriage license to an under-aged person, she said.

Hearing of the petition for annulment has not been set.

American Press Not Allowed In Manchuria

PEIPING, Jan. 26 (Delayed) — American correspondents still are on the outside looking into Manchuria. From this distance the view is somewhat obscured.

Chinese authorities here were notified that Moscow has no ban on American correspondents visiting Mukden and other Manchurian cities and writing stories of what they see. However, two of the highest Chinese government generals here are reluctant to take action themselves.

Chinese officials here stated with the quintessence of politeness "the premature presence of American newspapermen in cities

where establishments are not taken over (by the Chinese government) and where the scars of ill will remain may handicap negotiations" between Chinese and Russian authorities.

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Sandy Polaski Learns To Blow The Bagpipe

EDINBURGH, Scotland. (AP) — Even soldiers of the Polish army learned to skirl the bagpipes during the war.

Pipe Major Williams Ross, M. B. E., noted Scottish bagpipe instructor, reports that he taught 713 pipers from British Dominions and other countries. The courses were sponsored by the Pibairachd Society at Edinburgh Castle. Ninety-three Canadians learned to pipe.

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State's Congressmen Urged To Support 36th's Request For Mark Clark Probe

AUSTIN, Jan. 26 (AP)—Col. H. J. Miller Ainsworth, president of the 36th Division association, today urged members of the Texas delegation in congress to concur with the association in its resolution critical of the order under which many Texans were killed in the crossings of the Rio Grande.

He sent a copy of the resolution to each member, with this letter: "Enclosed you will find the resolution passed by the 36th Division association assembled in convention at Brownwood, January 19, 20 and 21. I would also like to call your attention to the fact that the Texas senate unanimously voted to uphold the resolution.

"I take it and accept it for the division as a mandate on myself to see that this investigation is held and I would also like to add had

not been presiding at the time the resolution was adopted at the convention I would have been one of its active sponsors and supporters. I pledged myself many months ago to attempt to rectify a policy which made such an operation possible.

"It is my hope that the entire Texas delegation will concur with us in this matter for I know if they do there will be no question as to whether or not this investigation will be held. I am also enclosing my statement which was made immediately when General Mark Clark's nomination for permanent rank as a major general came before your august body. The statement is self explanatory and I hope that you consider seriously and see that no criticism comes to General Clark until the true facts in the matter have been properly heard. x x x"

Opium Burned

PEIPING, China, Jan. 26 (AP)—Almost a million ounces of opium went up in smoke here today, but not in the pipes of addicts.

Chinese officials said 960,000 ounces of the drug seized from Japanese and Chinese puppet stores in Peiping would be destroyed in a public ceremony at the polo grounds.

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Week's Business 5 MORE NEW CONSTRUCTION PLANS LISTED

Another sizeable building job will start this week, it was announced Saturday.

Mark Harwell has let the contract to Suggs Construction Co. for a 50x120 foot fire-proof building to be erected in the 200 block on Runnels street. Estimated cost will be approximately \$30,000. The structure will house Harwell's electric company in one half. With a cordova cream shellstone finish, the design calls for two separate business fronts. Harwell's shop will have tile-floored display space in the front, work shop and store-rooms in the rear. It will be a concrete and brick tile masonry project with steel joists.

Suggs is starting work in Garden City Monday on a brick and tile cafe building for Harry Tweedie. The building will be on the Midland-Sterling City highway and will cost approximately \$8,000. In a few days, Suggs starts work on a 20x40 brick and tile building for Southwestern Investment company at 410 E. 3rd. It will be an office building and will have tile flooring.

Cecil McDonald has secured a permit from the city to erect a tile and brick structure at 206 Johnson, at an estimated cost of \$10,000. It will house an auto-repair shop.

March 15 is the date set for construction to begin on El Rancho Motel, which will be located on the west highway. The concern will have 16 units for rent, and architect's drawings already have been made.

Eberly-Curry funeral home has been issued a \$7,500 construction permit. They will demolish an old frame building and rebuild with concrete. The building will be used as a garage and storage unit for caskets.

Workers in the county clerk's office experienced another busy week, as warranty deed filings totalled \$81,280. Building permits for the city were up again at \$29,025 for the week.

Livestock market witnessed one of the most active weeks of the season, as more than 900 head of cattle were sold at the weekly auction of the Big Spring Livestock Commission. Buyers were plentiful and market was considerably stronger than the previous week.

In the 18th century, English was considered too modern a language for dignified prose literature. There was particular opposition to putting the Bible into English.

Truman, Churchill Due Missouri City Relives Glory Of Civil War Days March 5

Missouri City Relives Glory Of Civil War Days March 5

FULTON, Callaway County, Mo., Jan. 26 (AP)—There hasn't been such a stir in the kingdom of Callaway since Jeff Davis spoke here back in 1875.

That was an historic day. This "detached section of the Confederacy" had seceded from the Union during the war between the states. It got the name of "Kingdom" for that bold act. And after the war was over, Fulton went wild in greeting the deposed Confederate president.

Next March 5 it's going to go wild again, for Winston Churchill and President Truman will be here—Churchill to deliver the Green Foundation lecture at tiny Westminster college and the president to introduce the former British prime minister.

Both will receive honorary doctor of laws degrees.

Two of the world's most famous men will put their affairs of state aside for a day to come to a little town in interior America.

When they reach the shaded, sloping campus of Westminster college where 102 men are enrolled this semester, they will find their auditorium is the bare college gymnasium. President Francis L. McCluer figures extra bleachers can be squeezed in to accommodate 3,500 for the great day.

A public address system will be installed to carry Churchill's words to the throngs outside.

To help house guests of the college, Dr. McCluer has reserved about 200 additional rooms in

neighboring towns of Jefferson City, Mexico and Columbia, each about 25 miles away.

He doesn't know where the rest of the expected thousands will go. Mayor J. Frank Hensley says the churches will be asked to help feed the crowds expected to pile in on this town of about 6,500.

Complicating the situation is the fact that buses provide the only passenger service into Fulton: They come on US 54, the only main highway here.

Back in September, 1875, when Jefferson Davis came, several ladies "embraced and kissed him with genuine heartfelt reverence, akin to adoration," according to an old newspaper account.

Thus far the Church-Truman program has no place for kissing,

although Col. Nathaniel Townsend reckons "some of the girls might give Winnie a buss." Townsend was 10 when Davis spoke here and recalls it as one of the greatest days in his life.

And how does it happen that little Westminster bagged such celebrities as Mr. Churchill and Mr. Truman?

That goes back to a conversation President McCluer had one day last fall with Thomas H. VanSant, a member of the college board of trustees.

They were talking about reviving the Green Foundation lecture, endowed by Mrs. John Finley Green of St. Louis, in memory of her husband, an attorney who was one of the school's most distinguished alumni.

This is how VanSant recalls his talk with his friend, "Bullet" McCluer:

"Bullet and I were discussing various people we might ask to come and deliver the lecture. I said 'if you want to shoot at the moon, why don't you get someone like Winston Churchill?' Bullet laughed and we went on talking about others.

"Next day he came back and said, 'Say, you know if I thought we could get an invitation to him, I'd be willing to try to get Churchill.' And that's the way the idea was born."

VanSant put the proposition up to his old friend, Harry Truman. Twice the banker had managed Truman's senatorial campaigns in Callaway county and twice he had carried the county for him. The president said sure, he would be glad to forward the invitation. And he did.

What the former prime minister will discuss will be up to him. By custom, the Green lecturers choose their own subjects.

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George Thomas In Attorney's Race

George T. Thomas, who expects to be released from duty with the army soon, Saturday formally announced that he would be a candidate for county attorney. His candidacy was announced for the democratic primaries.

In his announcement statement, Thomas said:

"While serving my first term as county attorney, I left the office to go into the army in March, 1944. I expect to be discharged in a few months and certainly would appreciate being elected to this office for a second term.

"I did my best to conduct the people's business entrusted to me in an efficient, businesslike, courteous manner while I served as county attorney. If elected for a second term, I will continue such efforts to make you a good county attorney. I will be deeply grateful for everyone's consideration and support."

Many precious moments may be saved during the breakfast rush if dry ingredients for muffins or pancakes are mixed the night before.

Bailey Seeking Superintendency

Walker Bailey announced Saturday that he will be a candidate in the democratic primaries for the office of county superintendent of schools. He is serving out his first term in the office.

His announcement statement follows:

"The last four years, school boards and school administrators have had many varied and difficult school problems confronting them as a result of the war emergency. The post-war era promises just as many, if not more, complex problems for solution, and educational institutions and their administrators will certainly have their share of them.

"In 1942, when I announced I would be a candidate for the office of county school superintendent, I promised, if elected, an honest, impartial, efficient, and practical administration of the county schools. In asking the voters of Howard county for re-election this year, I reaffirm this pledge. If re-elected, your school problems, large or small, will continue to be handled in a courteous and practical manner.

"I am grateful to the voters of the county for your many favors in the past and will appreciate an opportunity to serve you again as your county superintendent."

Dalton Mitchell Attends Funeral Rites Of Abilenan

Dalton Mitchell was in Abilene Saturday to attend final rites for Mrs. J. R. Moulton, Abilene, who passed away in that city at 6 o'clock Friday evening.

The body was taken overland later to Nelanda for interment. Mrs. Moulton visited here several times.

Disabled Veterans Assured Appliances

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 (AP)—The Veterans Administration today promised disabled war veterans an adequate supply of best quality artificial appliances "even if the federal government has to go into the artificial arm, leg and eye business itself."

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J. T. Williams Succumbs Friday

John Thomas Williams, 67, died at 3 p. m. Friday in a local hospital after a five week illness. The body is to be shipped to Long Beach, Calif. for burial.

Mr. Williams had been a railroad man for about 40 years, and a resident of Big Spring for the past seven years. He was born June 15, 1878 in Howard County, Missouri.

Eberly-Curry Funeral Home is in charge of services which are pending.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Betty Williams; a brother, Earl Williams of Armstrong, Mo.; four sisters, Mrs. Lobe Malone of Armstrong, Mo., Mrs. Joe Robinson of San Francisco, Mrs. Powell Newby of Kansas City, Mo., Mrs. S. I. Miller of Marshall, Mo.; one niece, Mrs. Leland Woolley of Pacatello, Idaho.

Korean Newsmen Taken To Task

SEOUL, Korea, Jan. 26. (AP)—Korean newspapermen reported today they had been taken to task by Col. Gen. Terenthy Shtikov, chief Soviet representative on the Joint Allied commission for Korea, who charged the Rightist press with misrepresenting Russia's position.

They said Shtikov spoke at a conference he called for members of the Korean press, to which representatives of the American press were not invited.

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TWO CONFERENCES ON SENIOR SCOUTING SLATED THIS WEEK

Two conferences on Senior Scouting will be conducted this week by the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America. It was announced Saturday by P. V. Thorson, scout executive. The first conference will be held at Odessa on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. and the second will be at Colorado City Thursday at 7:30 a. m.

Capt. Robert Bronar, training liaison officer, Air Scout program for region 9, will be present for both conferences and will speak on Air Scouting.

Ray Steinhorn, Odessa district commissioner, will preside at the Odessa conference. Charles Watson, council commissioner, will serve as chairman for both conferences. All commissioners, dis-

trict chairmen, organization and extension committees, senior Scout leaders and any others interested in Air Scouting, Sea Scouting or Explorer Scouting are invited to attend either or both conferences.

The Odessa conference will be in the county court room and the Colorado City meeting in the chamber of commerce rooms.

George Holland of Dallas, deputy regional scout executive, will give the main address at the annual meeting and banquet of the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, to be held Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. in the Settles hotel.

Holland has had a long career in Scouting having served ten years as a scoutmaster and several years as a field executive and scout executive. The council business session will be held at 5:30 p. m.

Persons planning to attend the banquet are asked to contact H. D. Norris, field executive, before 9 a. m. Tuesday. Norris may be reached at the chamber of commerce office.



JAPS DEBARK AT HOMELAND—Jap servicemen scramble over the side of a barge as it docks at Uraga, Japan, after a voyage home from Borneo, Palau and the Philippines where they saw action. Masks are worn to help prevent disease spread.



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Elimination Of Price Ceilings On Lumber Asked By Lawmaker

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26. (AP)—Immediate elimination of price ceilings on lumber production and making more available for home building.

If lumber ceilings were removed, he said, many small lumber mills which were forced out of business during the war would begin operating again. In addition, he declared, such action would result in lumber firms selling more in the United States, reducing their exports which now can be sold in foreign countries without ceilings.

Arnold also announced opposition to legislation by Rep. Patman (D-Texas) which he said calls for appointment of a "housing czar" and would prevent citizens from spending a large per centage of their savings on homes at inflated prices. That, he asserted, means a government price ceiling on houses.

JET PLANES TO BE SHOWN
WASHINGTON, Jan. 26. (AP)—Army Air Force headquarters today informed Senator Connally (D-Tex) that the AAF will display jet-propelled aircraft in the aviation exposition at Fort Worth March 8 to 17.

Wolcott Asking For Re-Election

John F. Wolcott said Saturday that he would seek the democratic nomination for re-election to the office of county tax collector-assessor.

He recounted the county's record of having had well over 90 per cent collections on the roll for many years, an accomplishment which has won commendation of state officials.

In announcing, he said it was his aim to operate the office and maintain the type of staff that would be necessary to return the maximum of service to both the county and to the citizenship alike.

Wolcott expressed thanks for help friends and supporters have given him in the past and the hope that this same support will be offered him in his race this summer.

Public Records

Warranty Deeds
W. L. Mead et ux to Nora Harding, W 65 ft. of lot 4 and E 35 ft. of lot 5, blk. 8, Park Hill Addition, \$10 and other considerations.
Nora Harding to W. L. Mead et ux lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 35 and 36 in blk. 14 Washington Place addition, \$18,500.
C. C. Varnell et ux to J. N. Malone et ux E 25 ft. of lot 9, blk. 29 Cole and Strayhorn addition, \$275.
Dorothy Lewis to Floyd Lewis part interest in lot 3, blk. 6 Tennyson's addition, \$10 and other considerations.
William B. Currie to James C. Smith lot 1, blk. 48 and E 50 ft. of blk. 51 Government Heights addition, \$225.
Pearl Cole and Joe Cole to T. F. Hill et ux lot 7, blk. 4 Cole and Strayhorn addition, \$600.
R. Lewis Brown et ux to T. Lloyd et ux lot 20, blk 10 Edwards Heights, \$10.
O. R. Bollinger to Mrs. Oma T. Murray part of blk. 13 Government Heights addition, \$200.
Inez Barnard and Easton Barnard to K. L. Manuel part of blk. 36 Government Heights addition, \$1,500.

Marriage Licenses
Herbert Lee Munn and Norma Jean Cherry, both of Big Spring.
Walter Edward Duke, Big Spring, and Mary Louise Storms, Missouri.
Robert Henry Long, Big Spring, and Alma Joy Lawson, Sterling City.

It is estimated that American women will spend more than two billion dollars for cosmetics in 1946.

Hooser Asks For Attorney's Post

H. C. Hooser, county attorney, announced Saturday that he would be a candidate for a second term in the office he now holds: His candidacy will be for the democratic nomination.

In asking for re-election, Hooser expressed appreciation to voters for having conferred on him the honor of serving as county attorney for a two year term.

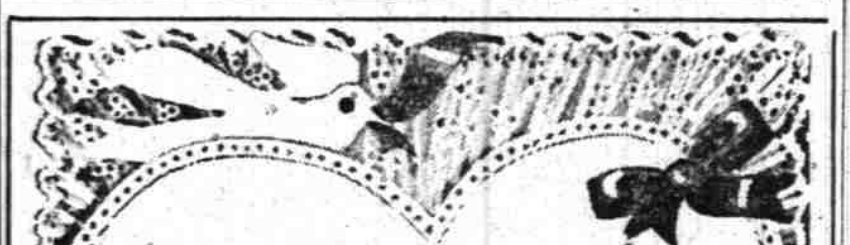
"I will deeply appreciate this continued good will," he said. "If you re-elect me to the office, I promise to serve to the best of my ability with fairness and justice to all."

VANDERBILT DEAN DIES
NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 26. (AP)—Dr. Waller Smith Leathers, 71, dean emeritus of Vanderbilt university's school of medicine and nationally known in the field of public health, died here today.

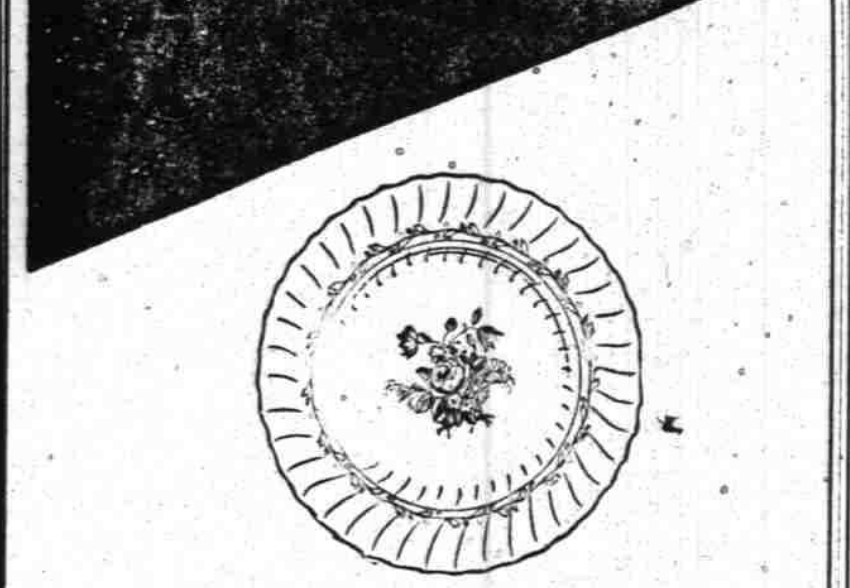
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State Bar To Print Handbook For GI Law Practitioners

FORT WORTH, Jan. 26. (AP)—Directors of the State Bar of Texas voted here today to print 10,000 copies of a refresher handbook for free distribution to law practitioners returning from military service.

The booklets, containing papers on law questions which have undergone change during the war years, will be mailed to attorneys who have been in service. The booklets can be ready for mailing Feb. 15.

The directors also named a committee to select a place for the April 27 meeting and to nominate new officers of the bar. Randolph Carter of San Antonio, vice president of the board, was named chairman. Other members are Frank Tatum of Dalhart, Charles Thompson of McAllen and Homa S. Hill of Fort Worth. They were to meet and report back to the directors at the afternoon session.

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Mrs. Tollett Complimented At Coffee Friday Morning

Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Karcher Hostesses, 150 Guests Call

Mrs. R. L. Tollett was honored at a morning coffee given Friday in room one of the Settles hotel by Mrs. Marvin Miller and Mrs. V. A. Karcher.

Guests were received by the hostesses and Mrs. Tollett, who was dressed in a frock of gray wool crepe, and wore camellias in her hair. Others in the house party included Mrs. Lee Rogers, Mrs. M. H. Bennett, Mrs. E. B. McCormick, Mrs. H. C. Stipp, Mrs. Tommy Neel, Mrs. Dick Lewis of Lamesa and Mrs. Ray Bias of Lamesa.

The table was laid with a white linen cloth, and the centerpiece was a bowl arrangement of blue iris and yellow garzas. A silver coffee service was placed at either end of the table. Those presiding at the coffee services were Mrs. Marvin House, Mrs. Leeper, Mrs. J. B. Mull, Mrs. Shine Phillips.

The piano was arranged with a bowl of calla lilies and birds of paradise, and a basket of acacia, white garzas and purple stock was set on a table. A floor basket of rose and white carnations with purple heather completed the floral decorations.

During the receiving hours Helen Duley and Mrs. Bill Griese played piano selections.

During the reception hours of 10 until 12 o'clock more than 150 guests called.

Clennays Have Girl

Sgt. and Mrs. Jack Clennay are the parents of a daughter born January 21 in a local hospital. She weighed seven pounds and one ounce, and has been named Mary Connie. Mrs. Pearl Hair is the maternal grandmother. Mrs. Clennay is the former Sweetie Hair.

Mrs. Keith Williams Honored At Party In Terry Home

Honoring Mrs. Keith Williams, the former Marian Gregory, before her marriage before Christmas, a bridal gift party was held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Elmer Terry.

Hostesses were Mrs. Tom Buckner, Gladys Cowling and Marguerite Cooper.

The dining table was laid with a lace cloth and the valentine color scheme was carried out in a centerpiece arrangement of red carnations and white stock.

Guests were registered in the white taffeta bride's books by Gladys Cowling. Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Buckner and Mrs. Elmer Terry presiding at the refreshment table, assisted by Mrs. Jimmy Cartwright.

"The Townsman" Given Saturday For Hyperions

John Sedger's book, "The Townsman," was reviewed by Mrs. Rogers Hefley at the meeting of the Hyperion club Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Sylvan Dalmont.

The book was the story of an English family which migrated to the United States and were instrumental in the successful establishment of the town of Meridian, Kas.

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. Charles Ableen, Mrs. R. L. Beale, Mrs. James T. Brooks, Mrs. J. A. Coffey, Mrs. Wiley Curry, Mrs. Lee Hanson, Mrs. E. B. McCormick, Mrs. Shine Phillips, Mrs. R. T. Piner, Mrs. Charles Watson, Mrs. Cliff Wiley, Mrs. B. Reagan, Mrs. Obie Bristow, Mrs. J. B. Young, Mrs. Dalmont and Mrs. Hefley.

Church Of God Begins Revival

Rev. L. L. Rawlings, pastor of the Church of God of Clovis, N. M., will conduct a revival meeting at the Main Street Church of God beginning January 28 and continuing to February 9.

Rev. Rawlings is a graduate of Anderson college and is widely experienced as pastor, evangelist and speaker at youth conventions. Special emphasis will be given to the young people the first week of the meeting.

On Friday, February 1, the young people of the Church of God in West Texas will convene in the Big Spring church for a Youth Rally at 7:30 p. m., ending at noon Saturday.

Truett Thomas will conduct the song service.

Social Calendar For Monday

WESLEY METHODIST WSCS will meet at 3 p. m. for the monthly social in the home of Mrs. Tommy Reeves.

FIRST CHRISTIAN WOMAN'S council will meet at 7 p. m. at the church for luncheon and the regular business meeting.

FIRST BAPTIST WMU CIRCLES will have a business meeting immediately following an executive board meeting at 2:30 p. m. The Lucille Reagan circle will have a luncheon at 1 p. m. at the church.

FIRST METHODIST WSCS WILL meet at the church at 3 p. m.

Munn-Cherry Rites Read

In a double ring ceremony performed in the home of her mother, Mrs. Louis Cherry, Norma Jean Cherry was married to Herbert Munn Friday evening.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. W. E. Best of the Trinity Baptist church.

The bride wore a gray pin striped dressmaker type suit with which she wore black patent accessories and a black Juliet cap embroidered with multi-colored sequins. Her corsage was of red roses. For something blue she wore a blue ribbon, and something borrowed was a cameo ring.

The bride's attendant was Mrs. Pauline Hushin, who wore a dress of black alpaca with black accessories. Elmer Sorrells, uncle of the bridegroom, was best man.

The bride attended Big Spring high school. The bridegroom was recently discharged from the army after 37 months of service in the European theater.

The couple is now at home at 1909 Seary.

Guests at the ceremony were Mrs. Louis Cherry, Cecil Cherry, Howard Cherry, Nannie Lee Cherry, Paula Cherry, Mrs. Nannie Scott, Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery, Vivian Ache, Mrs. Dee P. Carter and sons.

Mrs. H. S. Hatch Dorcas Hostess

The Dorcas class of the First Baptist church met Friday afternoon for the regular monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. R. T. Piner with Mrs. R. C. Hatch as hostess.

The meeting was opened with the singing of the Doxology and Mrs. Joe Barnett gave the opening prayer. Mrs. M. E. Harlan, a visitor of the class, gave the devotional from Isaiah. Following the inspirational program the members discussed future plans for the class.

The Valentine theme was carried out in the refreshment plate and in napkins.

Those present were Mrs. Annie Beasley, Mrs. B. Reagan, Mrs. W. R. Creighton, Mrs. Barnett, Mrs. Bennett Story, Mrs. W. B. Buchanan, Mrs. Mary Ehlman, Mrs. A. T. Lloyd, Mrs. Lina Lewellen, Mrs. Annie Walton, Mrs. Mildred Jones, Mrs. Nellie Barton, Mrs. Hattie Taylor, Mrs. C. E. Courson, Mrs. F. W. Bettie, Mrs. Harland, Mrs. Lizzie Somers of Dallas.

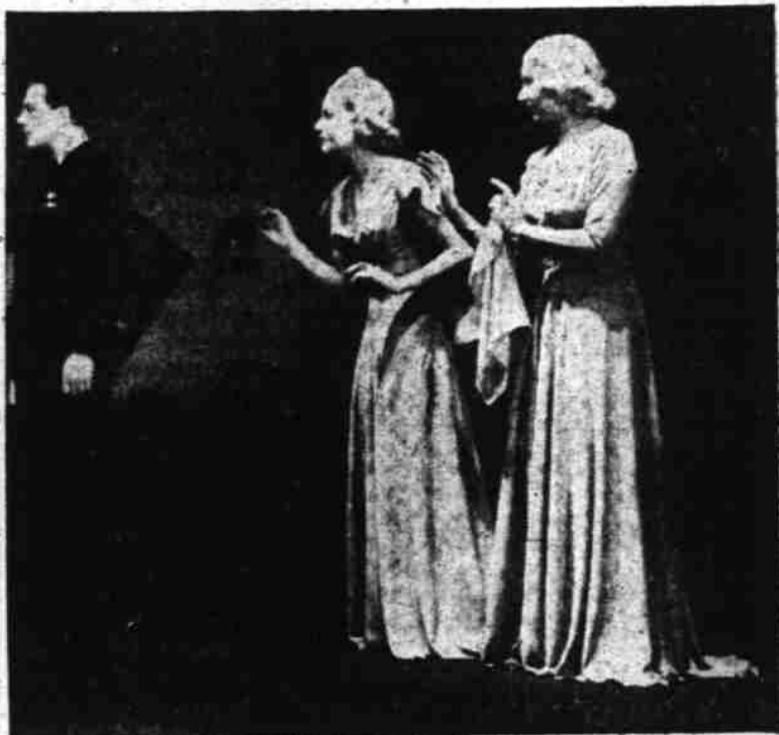
The closing prayer was given by Mrs. Annie Walton.

Gilliland Boys Arrive Saturday

First Lt. Elton Gilliland and Sgt. Dwight M. Gilliland were expected to be by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gilliland, to arrive Saturday with their discharges.

Lt. Gilliland entered the service in 1941 and served on Okinawa with the Signal Corps doing radar work for nearly three years. He left Hawaii a short time before the Pearl Harbor bombing. He received his discharge Friday at Fort Bliss. Prior to entering the army he was taking law at the University of Texas, and plans to complete his work.

Sgt. Gilliland served for three and a half years with the army air corps, and received his discharge at Sacramento, Calif. He attended Texas Tech for one year, and both attended Big Spring schools.



"BLITHE SPIRIT"—The hero, Charles, of Noel Coward's latest comedy to be presented February 12, is haunted by two spirit wives. The play, sponsored by the local B and PW club will be presented at the Municipal auditorium by the Civic Drama Guild of New York City.

Mays-Nunn Wedding Ceremony Read In Double Ring Rites At Bride's Home

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 26 (Sp)—The marriage of Helen Nunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Nunn, to Malcolm Mays was solemnized Sunday afternoon at the bride's home. Rev. C. A. Norcross of Lubbock, uncle of the bridegroom, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an aqua street-length dress with black accessories. She carried a white Bible topped with an orchid.

Josephine Nunn, sister of the bride, was the only attendant. She wore a blue crepe dress with black accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Gene Bland attended the bridegroom as best man.

The vows were repeated under an arch of ivy entwined with pink and white carnations.

Seventy-four guests attended the wedding.

Cosden Chatter

By PERSONNEL DEPT. R. L. Tollett has had a letter from 1st Lt. R. C. (Dick) Thomas, Army Service Forces, Birmingham, Ala. Dick has only 37 points and expects to be in the army for some time to come.

Bill Bostick, who has recently received his discharge from the navy, was a visitor in the office Tuesday. Bill plans to report to his former job in the very near future.

D. T. Evans returned to the office Tuesday at noon after recovering from his recent illness.

First Lt. Carlson-Hamilton has written R. L. Tollett from Calcutta, India. He is now assistant fiscal officer of his base. He has been away 32 months; a greater part of this time has been spent overseas, but he still needs points for shipment home.

Garrett Patton is due back today after taking a week's vacation.

Bob Ward has recently received his discharge from the army and was a visitor in the office Wednesday and Thursday.

Last Sunday, Victor Bales called R. L. Tollett on long distance telephone from New Jersey. Victor is now a captain and is just back from overseas. He expressed his intention to get married, and to stay in the army for a while.

John Q. Roney was admitted to the Big Spring Hospital Monday due to an eye injury.

R. L. Tollett received a long letter last week from Mrs. H. R. Gollnick, the former Alma Borders, who now lives in Fort Worth. She has been ill recently, but has completely recovered and remains a happy matron.

M. M. Miller left Friday on a business trip to Houston and San Antonio. He will be in Dallas Monday for directors' meeting.

R. L. Tollett and A. V. Karcher left Saturday afternoon to attend a directors' meeting to be held in Dallas Monday.

A. J. Bearden has recently received his discharge from the navy and spent Wednesday visiting around the plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conger, Jr., are parents of a daughter born at a local hospital. She has been named Betty Carolyn. Papa is doing well!

R. L. Tollett has had a letter from Bob Coon, who is now out of the navy and who is entering SMU in Dallas in February for chemistry and physics classes in preparation for entering Southwestern Medical School in Dallas next year.

Glynn Jordan received a letter from Fred Stitzel written in Hong Kong, China. Fred has enough points for a discharge and says he is "sweating out" transportation home. He sends his regards to all the Cosden gang.

J. B. Mull and Carl Smith made a business trip to Monument, N. M., Friday.

Group Of Girls Has Formal Dance In Settles Saturday

About 30 couples attended a formal dance given Saturday evening in the Settles hotel.

Hostesses included Jo Vaughn, Norma Henry, Sarah Kelly, Ann Talbot, Betty Bob Ditz, Mary Griffin, Lee Ida Pinkston, Sara Maude Johnson, Wanda Rose Bobb, Barbara Laswell and Marjorie Laswell. Music was furnished by a nickelodeon.

Final Reports To Be Made Next Week At Meeting

Final reports on the high school luncheon project will be made Tuesday evening when committee members meet to complete arrangements for putting the program into effect.

Meanwhile, several other contributions were received, assuring the P-TA council of ample funds to put the project into operation.

Mrs. J. E. Brigham, council president and treasurer for the drive, said that those wishing to have a part in instituting the luncheon should send contributions to reach P-TA representatives or herself by Tuesday evening.

She called a meeting of the luncheon committee for 7:15 p. m. in the district courtroom.

Among recent donors are Tom Roden, \$100; Willbanks Bros., \$25; Mrs. M. N. Thorp, Mrs. C. W. Creighton, Mrs. D. B. Cox, \$10; Mrs. W. D. Willbanks, Mrs. J. B. Mull, Mrs. Gould Wian, Mrs. Harry Lees, \$5; Mrs. Tom Slaughter, Mrs. M. C. Stulting, M. A. Jabor, Mrs. H. W. Wright, \$5.

Mrs. W. J. Shank Feted On Birthday

Mrs. W. J. Shank was honored on her 78th birthday Friday afternoon with a gift party in the Shank home, Miss Myrtle Richardson and Mrs. J. T. McGee were hostesses.

Gifts were presented to the honoree and refreshments were served.

Those attending were Mrs. Anna L. Robertson, Mrs. Gladys Harrison, Mrs. T. C. Patterson, Mrs. Sallie Sanders, Mrs. Miller Russell, Mrs. Grace Tynes, Mrs. H. C. Penikett, Mrs. Irene O'Brien, Mrs. Willie Atkinson, Mrs. Leonard L. Ware, Mrs. S. D. Kinard, Mrs. B. W. Stutes, Mrs. Millie Watters, Mrs. A. J. Taylor, Miss Lillian Crews.

Mrs. E. C. Evans, Mrs. G. P. Philley Jr., and George and Glenda, Mrs. J. T. McGee, Mrs. J. V. Anderson, Jimmy and Judy, Mrs. C. B. Huffman, Mrs. Jeff Chapman, Mrs. S. C. Adams, Mrs. R. C. Shanks, Mrs. V. A. Masters, Miss Richardson and the honoree.

Ruby Cline Married To Lt. Patillo

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cline have announced the marriage of their daughter, Ruby, to Lt. LeRoy J. Patillo on January 23.

The bride is a graduate of the Garden City high school and was formerly employed by the Walgreen drug store.

Lt. Patillo is the son of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Patillo of Houston. He is now stationed at the Midland air field.

The couple will be at home in Midland.

Coward's "Blithe Spirit" Tickets Now Available

Tickets went on sale Saturday for the production of Noel Coward's play, "Blithe Spirit," which will be given on February 12 in the Municipal auditorium under the sponsorship of the local Business and Professional Women's club.

The play, to be enacted in Big Spring by the Civic Drama Guild of New York City, is now on tour from coast to coast after playing for five years in London, two on Broadway and in Chicago.

A prolific playwright, Coward achieved his latest of his successes in 1941 during five brief days while he was in Wales after his London home had been almost wrecked by Nazi airraiders.

The play began its New York run in November, 1941, after engagements at New Haven, Boston and Washington. The New York engagement achieved 637 performances before the 35-week tour of the principal cities of the United States.

"Blithe Spirit," which delves into the realms of the hereafter, was seen by more than 3,000,000 playgoers during the period when it appeared on the stage in New York and London. Coward himself appeared for a time in the London

stage version, in the role of Charles Condomine. Making his first appearance behind the footlights when he was twelve years old, Coward played such parts as Peter Pan and Little Lord Fauntleroy. After returning from army service after World War I, he wrote, directed and appeared in his own first play, "London Calling."

Others in the sequence of plays from his pen included "Hay Fever," "The Vortex," "This Year of Grace," "Bitter Sweet," "Private Lives," "Cavalcade" and now, "Blithe Spirit."

The cast for the approaching production includes Jane McCloud as Elvira, the troublesome spirit; Raymond Ready, Ann Cratty, Irving-Karesh and Phoebe MacKay. To qualify for a role of the type of tour such as that which the play is taking, each actor must have at least two years of experience on the New York stage.

Tickets for the performance are available at the chamber of commerce offices, Cunningham & Phillips number one and the Book Stall.

LODGE TO HAVE LUNCH

Fireman Ladies will have a covered dish luncheon at the WOW hall Wednesday at 12:30 p. m. Both ladies and men are invited.

BOOKS
The Peacock Sheds His Tail by Alice Tisdale Hobart 2.75
This book will be reviewed by Mrs. Wiley Curry Saturday, February 2, 1944 . . . 3 p. m. at Parish Hall.

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Mexican Novel To Be Reviewed For Church Ladies

"The Peacock Sheds His Tail," a novel of modern Mexico, by Alice Tisdale Hobart, will be the book reviewed by Mrs. Wiley Curry for the members of the St. Mary's Episcopal church on February 2 at the parish house.

The author of "Oil for the Lamps of China," uses the "peacock" as a symbol of the few who once held in their hands the wealth and power of the nation of Mexico. The proud Spanish caste that ruled old Mexico is personified by the Navarro family.

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Mrs. Canning Heads Secretaries Unit, Selected Friday

Elizabeth Canning was named president of the National Secretaries association at a business luncheon Friday in the Crawford hotel.

Other officers for 1946 were Violet Butts, vice-president and secretary-treasurer; Ruby Caldwell, editor of NSA bulletin, "Blowin' Sand"; Gladys Mattingly and Jean Nixon, staff assistants to editor in chief.

Meeting dates decided on were the second and fourth Fridays of each month. Elizabeth Canning was named delegate to attend the first National Secretaries association to be held in Kansas City on Feb. 23 and 24, representing the Big Spring chapter of certified professional secretaries.

Members attending were Gladys Mattingly, Jean Nixon, Lovinell Feather, Ruby Caldwell, Violet Butts, and Elizabeth Canning.

Dr. E. O. Ellington left Saturday night for Dallas to attend the Midwinter Dental Clinic. He will return Thursday.

Claude Eggleston Family Has Dinner Honoring Sons

The Claude Eggleston home at 309 West 10th street was the scene of a family reunion Saturday and Sunday honoring men in the family who have returned from the armed forces, including Lawrence Eggleston, Charles Eggleston, and Reuben Cowan. Billy Eggleston is on furlough from Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Eggleston were married in 1905 and have four daughters and six sons. There are 25 grandchildren.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Eggleston, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ringner and G. W. of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Eggleston, Rhilda and Doris of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Eggleston, Carrol Lee, Phillip Frank, Lacey Ellen and G. C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Eggleston of Kermit.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hardin, Leon, Odell, Jeanne, Delbert, Barbara, Floyd, Hulan; Ruby LeNeil of Pecos; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Eggleston; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cowan, Gordon, Wayne, Mittie Bell and Margie Jo of San Antonio; T-Sgt. and Mrs. Billy Eggleston; and Mrs. Carrol L. Walker and Carrol Jr.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Eggleston and Homer Lee of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Pugh of O'Donnell.



POPE BLESSES NOBLE GUARD—Pope Pius XII gives his blessings to members of the noble guard at a reception for them at the Vatican. The reception is an annual event.

Churches Dispense With Night Rites

"Send Out the Light" by Gounod will be the anthem at the morning services of the First Methodist church. Rev. H. Clyde Smith will preach on "Investing All You Have."

Junior League will have an animated cartoon at 6:30 p. m. There will be no evening services at the church.

At the First Presbyterian church Dr. Crossley Morgan will be in charge of the morning services, and for the evening sermon the Presbyterians will go to the First Baptist church for the service sponsored by the Pastor's association.

Intermediate and Senior young people will have vesper services at 5:30 p. m. The Auxiliary meeting on Monday will not be held.

Ladies Forum Has Round Table Talks At Friday Meeting

For their regular meeting Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. P. Dodge, the members of the Modern Woman's Forum discussed various bills and amendments to be brought up for legislature this year.

Mrs. Dodge served refreshments to the ladies, assisted by Mrs. A. C. Rawlins.

Those present were Mrs. H. Keith, Mrs. Sam Winham, Mrs. R. A. Eubanks, Mrs. Cecil Collins, Mrs. W. F. Cook, Mrs. Tom Coffee, and Mrs. Ira Driver.

Men To Get Chance

AUSTIN, Jan. 26. (AP)—Tired of "picking belles," Margaret Conrad of Houston, editor of the Cactus, University of Texas yearbook, has originated the idea of "picking beaux."

In addition to the traditional section of Bluebonnet Belles, the 1946 Cactus will have a section of glamorous males known as "Bluebonnet Beaux."

INDIANS PARADE
BOMBAY, Jan. 26. (AP)—Thousands of Indians in holiday garb paraded and attended a mass meeting tonight in a quiet observance of the congress party's declaration of independence day.

FIRE OUT OF CONTROL
EVANSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 26. (AP)—A spectacular fire which firemen said was completely out of control was sweeping the Evansville shipyards tonight.

Mrs. James Tidwell and Mrs. Junior Moore and daughter, Darla, returned to Abilene Friday after a visit in the C. H. Tidwell home. Lt. Tidwell will arrive here next week after receiving his discharge at San Antonio. Cpl. Moore expects to be home next month from Kerns, Utah.



FORMER ACTRESS IS MOTHER—Mrs. Torbert Macdonald (right), the former Phyllis Brooks of the films, holds her baby, Torbert, Jr., at her Cambridge, Mass., home for her admiring husband, a former Harvard grid star.

Girl Scout Association To Have Annual Meeting With Dinner Monday

For their annual Girl Scout association meeting, the leaders of Girl Scout troop and all those people interested in scouting will meet Monday evening for a dinner.

Dan Conley will be master of ceremonies for the occasion and Rev. P. D. O'Brien will be the principal speaker for the scouts.

A dozen Girl Scouts from Troop One will sing various songs of Scouting. Miss Mary Miller, area supervisor, will address the group on plans for the year and suggestions for a successful 1946 for Girl Scouts.

The affair will be held in the First Methodist church and will begin at 7 p. m. Reservations should be made at the chamber of commerce, and Scouts were asked to have their reservations called in to the office by 2 p. m. on Monday.

Not only leaders and immediate workers in the local Scouting program were urged to attend, but also all those interested in the program, both men and women.

Leaders of local troops include, Mrs. H. W. Smith, Mrs. Joe Burrell, Mrs. M. S. Toops, Mrs. H. Rutherford, Mrs. R. L. Pritchett, Mrs. C. Y. Clinkscales, Mrs. R. B. Dunning, Mrs. Wilson, Betty Glenn, Mrs. M. F. Ray, Mrs. Stanley Womack, Sarah Harper, Inez Brown, Mrs. Dee Davis, Mrs. George French, Mrs. W. R. McGinnis, Mrs. W. P. Murphy, Mrs. N. A. Stallecup, Mrs. L. D. Jenkins, Mrs. Bud Petty, Mrs. Bill Early, Mrs. Marion Beam, Mrs. Lee Harris, Wanda Warren and Mrs. Boone Horne.

BING CROSBY BACK ON AIR FEB. 7

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 26. (AP)—Bing Crosby will return to his Thursday night radio program Feb. 7, his brother Larry announced today, and remain on the air for Kraft company perhaps until June.

When Crosby refused to return to the show last fall, on the basis that his contract had expired, the Kraft Food Company brought suit to prevent him from appearing on any other program. The suit was settled out of court but the terms were not announced.

Walker Is Undecided On Offer to Command 36th As Guard Unit

DALLAS, Jan. 26. (AP)—Maj. General Fred L. Walker, retired, former commander of the 36th Division, said here tonight that he was undecided as to whether he would accept Gov. Coke Stevenson's offer to reorganize and command the 36th as a National Guard unit.

"I would like to very much," General Walker said, "but I have to see if it is practicable."

Walker said that he would notify Governor Stevenson as soon as he decided whether to accept.

She Ought To Be Good

WAITSFIELD, Vt. (AP)—Unlike most little boys and girls, Ruth Kew didn't stop going to Sunday school when she grew up. Recently the Federated Church rewarded her with a bible for not missing a Sunday school meeting for 19 years.

CHALLENGES TO BE HEARD
AUSTIN, Jan. 26. (AP)—Present-day challenges to religion will be considered at the University of Texas during religious emphasis week, Jan. 27-Feb. 1.

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Hogan Belts Out 68 To Take Lead In Phoenix Tournament

Red-Heads Go To Bat With ABC Club In Monday Night Bout At Hi Gym

Visitors Boast One Of Finest Records In US

As they used to say along the Mall, the time for action is here—almost.

Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the high school gymnasium, the American Business club basketball team zero their sights on the touring "kingpins" of America's women cage circles—the All-American Red Heads of Cassville, Missouri.

The clubbers have been working a month for this outing. They've yet to win a practice game and there's no reason to influence the belief of anyone save their mascot that they stand a chance against the whirlwind fem outfit, which has yet to lose a decision to a girl's team and usually wins more than half its tests against the menfolk.

However, the fact that the males aren't up to law isn't expected to discourage the man-swarm hereabouts from kibitzing the proceedings. A banner crowd is due.

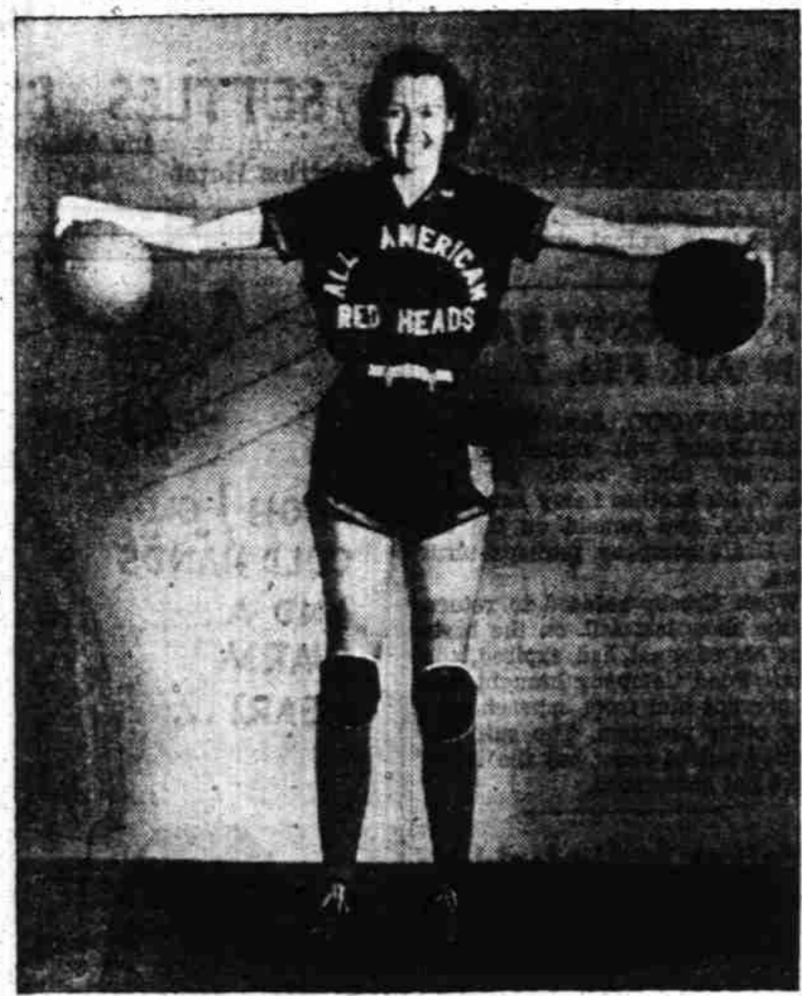
The girls from the tall and the uncult have quite a reputation in basketball society. Coached by Ole Olson, himself a casaba sharpie of note in his day, the women have been together at a unit for several seasons. In their tests from coast to coast, they've played before something like 1,600,000 paying customers over a half dozen campaigns.

Leader of the amazons from the "show me" state is Gene Love, who at 6 feet, four inches, is one of the tallest gals in these United States.

That carrot top is given able assistance by such practitioners of the art as Tex Nabors, a home grown product; Ruth Haines, Eloise Purkey, Hazel Reynolds and Danny Daniels.

There's little telling who'll man the front lines for the Big Spring club at the starting bell. Coach R. C. Thomas has the boys three deep at all positions and perhaps they could work to better advantage if he used the 15 or 20 "youngsters" that will suit out at one and the same time. At least, their "flying wedge" play should work then.

That little number, so far as is known, hasn't been outplayed by any known basketball rules yet. The ABC troupe have their own threats. For instance, there's Vernon Whittington, who's always



GENE LOVE No girl-power shortage here

good for a basket, if he's fed the ball and he gets good down field blocking.

Or Jack Johnson, who looks to advantage until his mates start feeding him curve balls. Then he's willing to domino.

Ted Phillips will be there but he may need stunts to wrest the inflated piece of leather from the rangy gals.

Felton Underwood will suit out, too. If he could just get his digits on the ball one time, his mates

might discover he's the hottest thing on the hardwoods since Nat Holman. However, Underwood shuns the melon as if it has leprosy.

Pastebards for the classic cap still be obtained through members of the club. They're proffered at 75 cents each to the public and would be a bargain at any price, considering the fact that the ABC club is going shopping for trouble in this one.

Game Department Planning Survey Of '45 Accidents

AUSTIN, Jan. 26. (AP) — The game department wants to know how many fatal hunting accidents there were in Texas during the past seasons, and why they happened, so it can help educate sportsmen against unsafe practices.

Questionnaires seeking information on such fatal accidents have been sent by executive secretary Howard Dodgen to all wardens over the state.

Preliminary reports by wardens gave a total of 14 hunting fatalities during the open season on birds and big game, which closed officially Jan. 16 with expiration of open dates on quail hunting. It was expected the final report would show more than a score of fatalities.

The cornerstone of the Washington monument was laid July 4, 1848, but the shaft was not completed until 1885.

Gentry, Chaffing At Inactivity, Rejoins Tigers

DETROIT, Jan. 26. (AP) — Rufus Gentry, lanky Detroit Tiger righthander whose season-long holdout in 1945 cost him a world series championship split, has had enough of the peace and quiet of Dalsy Station, N. C.

Gentry's signed contract, arrived at the desk of Detroit's new general manager, George M. Trautman, this week along with eight others, bringing the list of Tiger candidates under terms for next season to 16.

Other signed contracts were received from outfielder Barney McCosky, second baseman Eddie Mayo, catcher Paul Richards and left-handed pitcher Frank (Stubby) Overmire, and four rookies, outfielders Ed Mierkowitz and Vic Wertz, catcher John Mueller and pitcher Hal Manders.

Previously signed were outfielders Dick Wakefield, Roy Cullenbine and Walter (Hoot) Avers, pitchers Virgil (Fire) Trucks, George Caster and rookie Louis Kretlow and catcher Bob Swift.

Trautman said the club still had no direct word from Hank Greenberg, reported prepared to ask for \$65,000 in 1946 for shifting from the outfield back to first base, where he would replace Rudy York who was traded to the Boston Red Sox.

Helis Bangtail Wins Gentilly

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 26. (AP) — William Helis' Triton led through-out to win the \$2,000-added Gentilly handicap which featured today's resumption of racing at the fair grounds after a two-week lay-off.

Louis Prima's Pique was second and Al Wellman's Many Lands third.

Triton's time of 1:12 4-5 for the six-furlong dash, 2 1-5 second off the track record, indicated the course was considerably faster than before.

Nelson Potter Signs

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 26. (AP) — Nelson Potter, 33, veteran pitcher for the St. Louis Browns, has signed his 1946 contract, the Browns' officer announced today.

Rebels Purchase Two Infielders

DALLAS, Jan. 26. (AP) — Purchase of two infielders from the Detroit Tigers was announced today by President George Schepps of the Dallas Rebels.

The men are Edward Borum, who came to the Tigers by way of Sally league, Southern association, Buffalo and Indianapolis, and who now makes his home at Wichita, Kans.; and Carl McNabb, who started his pro career in the East Texas league. McNabb played with Wilkes-Barre, Pa., and Hagerstown, Md., before entering the service and upon his discharge played with Buffalo before going to Detroit.

Schepps also announced the signing of three more rookies who will try out with the Dallas club. They are Sanford Goforth, right-hand pitcher from Sherman who once played with Longview in the East Texas league; Royce Wilson, also a right-hand pitcher from Waxahachie who has played with Longview and Helena, Ark.; and Wallace Fitch, second baseman from Forest Avenue high school in Dallas.

Cage Results

- At Waco, Tex., Baylor 40, Rice 32.
- At Columbia, Mo., Oklahoma 41, Missouri 27.
- Dartmouth 48, Cornell 44.
- U of Michigan 62, Ohio State 46.
- Wooster 69, Kenyon 28.
- Ohio Wesleyan 52, Case 45.
- University of Maryland 35, Hampden-Sydney 32.
- W Va. University 66, Alderson Broaddus 43.
- Western Maryland 50, Mount St. Mary's 22.
- Army 78, Rensselaer Poly 39.
- St. Thomas 61, Augsburg 45.
- Oklahoma Aggies 34, Wyoming 24 (Friday).
- Indiana 61, Chicago 32.
- Great Lakes 67, Illinois 42.
- Notre Dame 56, U. of Kentucky 47.
- SMU 49, Texas A&M 53.
- Texas U. 48, TCU 46.
- Syracuse 44, Villanova 33.
- Navy SC 102, Lawrence Tech 34.

TOILET GOODS GO ON SALE SOON

CINCINNATI, Jan. 26. (AP) — Surplus toilet preparations, including tooth paste, soap, shaving brushes, skin lotion and shaving cream valued at more than \$3,000,000, will be offered in a nationwide sale beginning soon, the War Assets Corporation announced today. Disposal will be through the corporation's regional offices.

CIRCUS AGENT DIES LAREDO, Jan. 26. (AP) — Funeral services were planned here for Clarence R. Hidy, about 70, circus advance agent who died in a Temple, Tex., hospital last night.

Three Birds And Eagle Send Ben To Top Spot

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 26. (AP) — Little Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa., the only survivor of the three first round leaders, today belted out a three-under-par 68 to take a one-stroke lead over George Snelitzer of Salt Lake City, U., as the Phoenix open golf tournament reached the half-way mark.

Hogan fashioned his second-round score on three birdies and an eagle, the latter coming on the seventh where he sank a 35-foot putt for a 3 on the par 5 hole, went out in 34 and came back in the same number. He had a 66 yesterday for a two-round total of 134.

Snelitzer, who held the Utah open title in 1936, 1941 and 1943, had a 67 today to go with yesterday's 68 for a two-round 135.

Walter Burkemo of Detroit and Ellisworth Vines of Chicago both ran into serious trouble on the first hole. Burkemo reached the half with a 40, Vines with a 38, and they finished 75 and 74 respectively.

But Herman Kelsor of Akron, O., turned in a 69 to go with a 67 he recorded on the opening day and ended up third with 136. Leland Gibson of Kansas City, Mo., went around in 67 today and occupied fourth place with a 70-67-137.

Jimmie Hines of Chicago and Harry Bassler of Los Angeles, both with 68's yesterday, also blew up today. Hines carding a 71, Bassler a 72.

Bracketed with Hines at 139 were Vic Ghezzi, Knoxville, Tenn.; Chandler Harper, Portsmouth, Va.; Dick Metz, Arkansas City, Kan.; Bob Hamilton, Chicago, and Lloyd Mangrum, Los Angeles, the latter the lowest scorer of the day with a 66.

Bassler was grouped at 140 with Vines, Eldon Briggs, Lansing, Mich.; E. J. Harrison, Little Rock, Ark., and Herman Barron, White Plains, N. Y.

ATC Cage Tourney Planned Feb. 12-14

DALLAS, Jan. 26. (AP) — The national championship tournament of basketball teams of the Air Transport Command's ferrying division will be held in Dallas Feb. 12-14, Brig. Gen. Bob E. Nowland announced today from his headquarters at Cincinnati.

Eight teams, representing the ferrying division's bases from coast to coast, will participate.

Joins Movement

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 26. (AP) — Attorney General George Neuner said today he has joined officials of California and 45 other states in urging senate endorsement of a house approved resolution giving states the right to lease submerged lands within the three mile international shore boundary.

Don Webb Several Pounds Shy But Plans To Scrap In Welterweight Class

Track Star Wants To Keep Tonnage For Grid Season

Fleet-of-foot Donald Webb, latest entry in Big Spring's Golden Gloves boxing tournament, is nearer the lightweight limit than what avoirdupois a welter should be packing around but the prep school youngster maintains no designs on losing any of his hard-earned 140 pounds.

"It's too hard for me to gain back," Don says, "and I'll need it in football next fall." Apparently, the ambitious track star — he holds the District 3AA record in the mile and half-mile runs — will be the lightest welter who'll weigh in the evening of Feb. 8, date the fights get underway.

Limit in that class is 147 pounds. An entry can skim by if he exceeds that by no more than one pound.

The weight handicap will probably make no difference to Webb, perhaps the school's best all-around athlete.

He knew very little about the science of fistcuts when he reported to Trainer Jack Harrison a week ago.

Webb has come along, however, and is going to be hard to oust from the meeting. He punches well, has learned to cover and can hit. His aggressive style has caught the eye of the ringsters who have dropped down to the gym in the basement of the Settles.

Another newcomer to Harrison's squared circle is James Abbe, who plays football for John Dibrell's high school Steers in the fall.

Abbe is 16 years of age, weighs 145 pounds.

Naval Sports Program To Be Planned Jan. 29

PENSACOLA, Fla., Jan. 26. (AP) — A conference of naval air training command physical training officers will be held here Jan. 29 to draft plans for coordinating naval aviation athletic programs on a nationwide basis.

The conferees also will attempt to organize a permanent naval air training athletic conference of teams from bases here and at Jacksonville, Corpus Christi, Tex., Norman, Okla., Glenview, Ill., Memphis, Tenn., and Ottumwa, Ia.

Clyde Lee On Tulsa Grid Coaching Staff

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 26. (AP) — Clyde V. Lee, former athletic director and head coach at Kilgore, Tex., junior college, today was appointed an assistant coach under head coach J. O. (Buddy) Brothers at Tulsa university.

The state general fund of Wyoming is over \$4,000,000, for the highest in its history.

Russell Signs With Yankees

NEW YORK, Jan. 26. (AP) — Bob Masterson, veteran end of eight national football league seasons, and Jack Russell, former Baylor and Randolph Field wingman, today signed contracts with the New York Yankees of the All-American conference according to Coach Ray Flaherty.

ANOTHER COOPER ON WAY TO FAME

BOSTON, Jan. 26. (AP) — A signed contract and a request that they look over the pitching form of his 17-year-old brother were received today from Boston Braves pitcher Mort Cooper.

Cooper said that his brother is "a big boy" whom he plans to bring to the Fort Lauderdale, Fla., training camp.

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Fred Martin Card Hope

HOUSTON, Jan. 26 (AP)—Fred Martin is back from the war and outside of being 10 pounds underweight is ready to try for a pitching job with the St. Louis Cardinals when he reports to the Cardinals at St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 18.

Martin's pitching career was cut short in November of 1941, when he was called to the service. He finished that season with the Houston Buffs of the Texas league with a record of 23 victories against six defeats.

Forty-two months in the Army hasn't dulled his hurling effectiveness, he says. "I can throw as hard as I ever could," he declares.

The 30-year-old Martin has been in the Cardinal organization since he first entered pro ball in 1935, advancing up the ladder from Class D.

He has battle stars from action at New Guinea and in the Philippines but he also had time for some baseball, pitching last summer at New Guinea, New Hebrides and in Manila against a team managed by Hugh Mulcahy of the Phillies. In a series between the Army and Navy all-stars, Fred hurled 2-0 and 1-0 victories before losing in the finals.

A machine gun was first fired from an airplane in flight in 1912.

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FRED MARTIN Army-made Rookie at 30

World's Largest Bull Ring Ready For "El Toro"

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 26 (AP)—The world's largest bull ring, first unit of a \$15,000,000 playground built in Mexico City, stands ready for the bulls.

The "sports city," comprising ten square blocks, will offer facilities for football, swimming, jai-alai, boxing, wrestling, basketball, track, ice hockey, bowling, tennis and other games besides bullfighting. International sports will be stressed.

The matadors' arena has 47,000 seats, several thousand more than the famous bull plazas of Madrid and Barcelona. Its cost is placed at \$3,000,000.

Next to be completed will be a football bowl that will seat 60,000 spectators. It is scheduled for inauguration in March or April, when leading English, Spanish, Russian and Argentine soccer teams will be invited. The stadium, while intended primarily for soccer, Mexico's No. 1 competitive sport, can also be used for American style pigskin play (a Chili bowl game perhaps?), and for track and field events. Cost is \$2,400,000.

Matadors will work 65 feet below street level, and football games will be played in a 52-foot hole. Earth has been hollowed out to accommodate the huge bowls, and seats are along the slopes.

By late spring a fronton hall seating 7,000 is to be completed. Here the Basque ball game often called jai-alai will be played. In this game the players, catch the ball in a long-handled, wicker basket, throwing it against the wall in the same movement, while spectators bet.

By early fall, a boxing arena accommodating 22,000 fans and Mexico's first ice hockey hall, seating 3,500 are to be ready.

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LOOKING 'EM OVER

With ANGUS LECSTER

Mid-term examinations at the local high school have undermined John Malaise's basketball team. D. D. Douglass and Hugh Cochran, center and guard, respectively, "washed out," will not be able to play in the district tournament next month. Both are lettermen.

However, A. C. Tonn will be available, after a semester of ineligibility. That might be a fair exchange.

The boxing ring bought by the Big Spring Athletic association for the Golden Gloves tournament will be retained here for future use. If a suitable location can be found, regular fight cards among community teams of this vicinity, are a possibility.

Billy White, the capable looking middleweight who is being sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars, wants to form a boxing team for future activity here. So does welter Cliff Harrison, who is also sporting VFW colors.

Abilene high school's basketball Eagles are well on their way to the District 3AA title. They smeared San Angelo, 30-19, Friday night in the Bobcat lair and were most impressive in fulfilling that mission.

Pete Renner, Angelo's best operator, scored but three points. The Cats had lost but once in previous tests.

Red Bost, the former McMurry athlete, lands Warren Cantrell's job at Abilene's country club. Warren comes here to enter business.

George Brown, former Steer football and basketball mentor, is teaching school at Oak Cliff high school in Dallas.

Joe Carter, the SMU product who spent something like 13 seasons in professional football, has a singing voice good enough to land him engagements in night clubs and on the radio.

Big Spring's John Ulrey hasn't been able to break into Southwestern University's starting basketball lineup. However, he's seeing his share of activity.

The Joe Louis-Billy Conn scrap for the heavyweight boxing championship next June, could turn into the biggest ring farce in history.

Reports from the west coast say the Brown Bomber looked like a stumble-bum on an exhibition tour out there some weeks ago. Since then, he has been trying to pick up some loose change by leading a dance band.

Conn in his younger years was quick and cute. However, he was a long way from being a great fighter, even in those younger years. Now, the time he invested in the service might have taken its toll.

Johnny Ray, Conn's manager, was always careful with whom he booked his boy. He made the mistake of tossing him into action against Young Corbett III in San Francisco at the time the Pittsburgh flash was just starting the long haul and Corbett left-handed him into defeat and almost oblivion.

Later, Conn returned to Frisco for a mill with a local club fighter by the name of Ray Actis. Very few of the sporting center ever heard of Actis, for the simple reason that he never fought outside of San Francisco.

He was a cool, deadly puncher, though, and he proved it against Billy Conn was at his zenith then and his ring moxie probably saved him from an ignominious defeat. Actis put him down twice in the early rounds but Conn shook off the lethargy, fell to boxing carefully and masterfully. In eight rounds, Actis, the unknown, having shot his bolt, gave it up as a bad job.

Herchel "Red" Ramsey, the former Texas Tech Little All-American end who played several years of professional ball with the Philadelphia Eagles, may land the assistant coaching job under Henry Frkna at Tulane university.

VFW Put To Rout By Barton Quint

Practice—and lots of it—is in store for the VFW basketball team, which took a bad shelling from Frank Barton's Independent contingent in the high school gymnasium last week.

The Veterans were trounced, 55-21, by Barton and his cohorts. Red Newton set the scoring pace for the losers with ten points while Barton had ten two-pointers for the triumphant quintet. Tabor Rowe trailed with 11 points.

SOUTHWESTERN, TRINITY MAY JOIN LEAGUE

DALLAS, Jan. 26 (AP)—Representatives from Trinity University of San Antonio, Southwestern University of Georgetown, Oklahoma City University and Centenary College of Shreveport were meeting here today to lay the ground work for formation of a new athletic conference—the Inter-City.

By 1830 there were 23 miles of railroad track in the United States. By 1930 there were 429,883.

Cochrane-Servo Winner To Meet Ray Robinson

NEW YORK, Jan. 26 (AP)—The first of boxing's war-frozen championships—the long-iced welterweight crown—comes out of the ice box next Friday night.

From the first time since he won the bauble from frivolous Fritzie Zivic nearly five years ago Freddie (The Red) Cochrane dusts it off and puts it on the line against the challenge of baby-faced Marty Servo, fresh out of the coast guard.

Marty is a cousin of Lew Ambers, the lightweight boss of a few years ago. They are quoting him as a slight favorite over the New Jersey redhead for Friday's 15-round title fuss.

Marty, himself, is no novice. In 48 fights from 1938 until he put on Uncle Sam's blue in 1942 he lost only two—both to Ray Robinson.

Why, stringbean Ray, who long has been designated as the uncrowned king of the welters, isn't fighting Cochrane for the division's top prize is one of those things that pop up in the fight game every now and then.

However, in this case, the situation has been straightened out with a signed agreement by both Cochrane and Servo guaranteeing that the Friday night winner will make his first title defense against the Harlem beanpole, beaten only once in his career. This playoff is slated for May 24 in Madison Square Garden.

SMU To Open With Temple

DALLAS, Jan. 26 (AP)—Temple, Oklahoma A. and M. and Missouri are on the 10-game 1946 football schedule of Southern Methodist University, Coach Matty Bell announced today.

The Methodists will meet Temple at Philadelphia and Missouri at Columbia but get Oklahoma A. and M. at Dallas in a night game to be played in the Cotton Bowl as a feature of the state fair. Texas Tech also is played during the fair, the Methodists meeting the Red Raiders in the Cotton Bowl the night of Oct. 5.

The schedule: Sept. 28—Temple at Philadelphia.

Oct. 5—Texas Tech at Dallas.

Oct. 11—Oklahoma A. and M. at Dallas.

Oct. 19—Rice at Houston.

Oct. 26—Missouri at Columbia.

Nov. 2—Texas at Austin.

Nov. 9—Texas A. and M. at Dallas.

Nov. 16—Arkansas at Fayetteville.

Nov. 23—Baylor at Dallas.

Nov. 30—Texas Christian at Dallas.

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Longhorn Cagers Drop Twin Bill To Odessa Broncs, 32-24; 16-12

Playing without the services of two regulars, D. D. Douglass and Hugh Cochran, Big Spring high school's basketball Steers took another cuffing around in Odessa Friday night, losing to Clayton Hopkins' battling Broncs, 32-24.

The Big Springers wheeled their seige guns into action in the last half play to make a fight of it after being roundly outspurred during the first two periods.

However, by the time the Broncs' game did start hitting on all cylinders, the Odessans had leed the decision.

Hopkins' gang led at half time, 21-9.

Jim Mooreman was the top dog in the Odessa show, ringing 13 points for top scoring honors while Eddie Houser's three field tosses and a gratis throw paced the Longhorns' attack.

The evening's initial feature, a test between the reserve squads of the two schools, was a strange mixture of good and bad basketball.

Odessa's defenders white-washed the Big Springers and succeeded in finding the range for eight points before the first period had elapsed. They went on from there to score a 16-12 triumph.

They did it through scoring no more than three field goals as against six for the opposition.

Twenty personal fouls were called against the Steers. The Hoses cashed in on ten of their chances to come flying through.

The liner Titanic went down in 1913 with a tragic toll in lives, but out of that disaster came the Coast Guard's International Ice Patrol and a 100 per cent ice safety record for world shipping.

- Box Scores -

Big Spring (24)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Rankin, f	3	0	3	6
Barron, f	2	2	1	6
Houser, c	3	1	4	7
Robb, g	2	0	4	4
Campbell, g	0	1	2	1
Totals	10	4	14	24

Odessa (32)	FG	FT	PF	TP
J. Mooreman, f	5	3	4	13
Partridge, f	1	2	0	4
D. Mooreman, f	1	1	0	3
McCray, c	0	0	0	0
Townsend, g	1	3	1	5
Fry, g	2	0	0	3
Tucker, g	1	1	0	3
Totals	11	10	5	32

Half time score—Odessa 21, Big Spring 9.

Free tries missed—Barron 3, Campbell, J. Mooreman, D. Mooreman, Partridge 2, Townsend 5, Tucker 2.

Big Spring B (12)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Hardy, f	1	0	4	2
Wright, f	2	0	4	4
Little, f	0	0	1	0
Tonn, c	1	0	5	2
Phillips, c	0	0	0	0
Shaffer, c	0	0	2	0
Lees, g	0	0	2	0
Barnett, g	2	0	2	4
Totals	6	0	20	12

Odessa (16)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Campbell, f	1	3	0	5
Mooreman, f	0	0	0	0
Matejowski, f	0	1	0	1
Patterson, c	2	3	1	7
Dozier, g	0	2	2	2
Everett, g	0	0	1	0
Pace, g	0	1	0	1
Totals	3	10	4	16

Free tries missed—Wright 2, Phillips, Barnett, Campbell 4, Matejowski, Patterson 5, Dozier 3, Everett 2.

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Thursday Last Day For Poll Tax Payments

Beginning Monday workers in the Tax Assessor-Collector's office plan to keep the office open during the noon hour each weekday through Jan. 31.

The five p. m. closing hour will remain in effect. However, on Jan. 31, deadline for making tax payments, the office will remain open until midnight.

Paid-poll tax figures at the closing hour Friday were exactly year. At five p. m. Friday 3,356 one short of the total at the same time in 1944, last regular election had paid, and two years ago 3,357 had been recorded.

A rush kept workers busy Saturday keeping three lines moving in front of the counter most of the day.

Exemptions issued this year to date total almost 900 more than at the same time in 1944. However, comparative figures on potential voting strength of the county are still unknown, since many are required to obtain the exemption certificates this year who did not need them two years ago. Also certain discharged servicemen may vote this year without paying polls or securing exemptions.

Irish Colleen Wins Citizenship Papers

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 26 (AP) — Irish actress Maureen O'Hara won American citizenship today — but only after she and Federal Judge J. F. T. O'Connor had settled a geographic dispute his way.

It was a mere formality when the 25-year-old actress, whose legal name is Maureen Fitzsimmons Price, was asked if she was willing to forswear allegiance to Great Britain.

"But I owe no allegiance to England," she protested. "I'm Irish. I was born in Dublin in the Irish Free State."

Finally convinced by the judge that the Irish Free State is generally regarded as a part of the British empire, Maureen took the oath.

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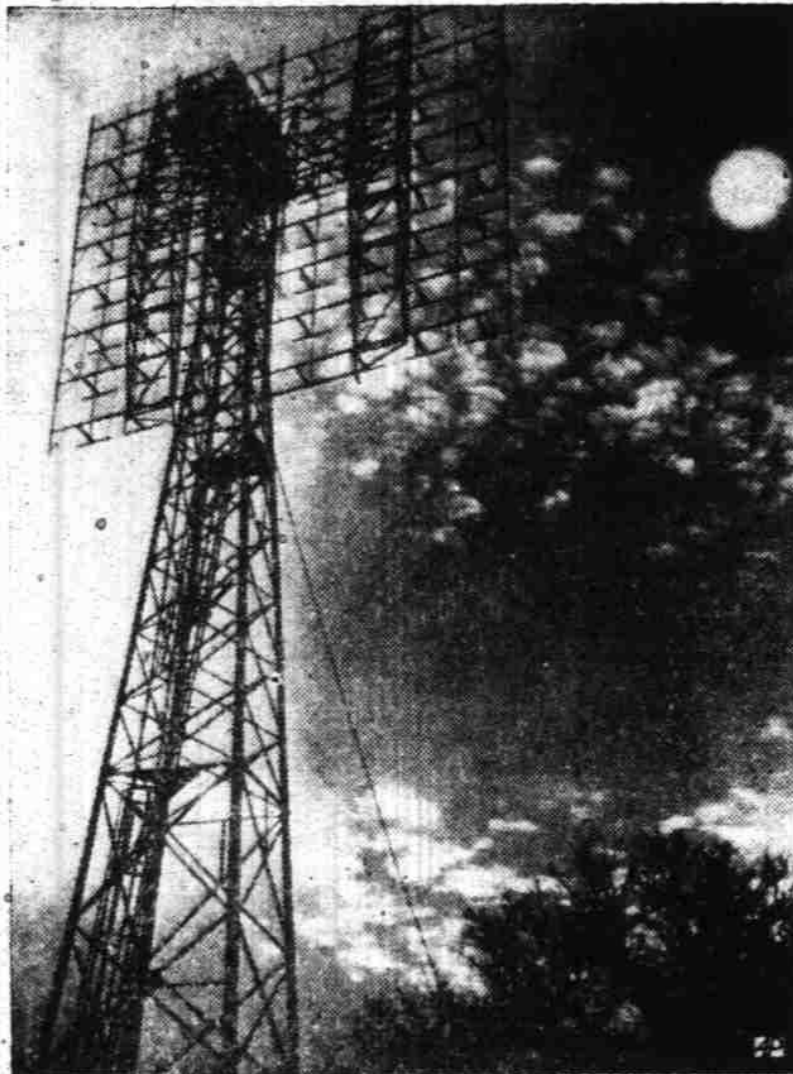
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RADAR CONTACT WITH MOON—This is an antenna that was used by the Army Signal Corps to make radar contact with the moon in an experiment at Bradley Beach, N. J. In the upper right corner may be seen the moon. (AP Wirephoto from US Signal Corps).

Hereford Breeders, 4-H Club Sales To Be Conducted Here On Feb. 23

Annual sale of the Howard County Hereford Breeders' association and the 9th annual county 4-H club sale will be held on the same date this year, Feb. 23, it was announced Saturday at the conclusion of a joint meeting of the breeders, the county fair association and the chamber of commerce agricultural and livestock committee.

The double sale will be held in the county warehouse, and to increase facilities for housing the large number of animals expected, a tent will be erected near the warehouse on the grounds of the county migratory labor camp. Plans are to bring the 4-H animals there on Thursday, Feb. 21, where they will be arranged for a show on Friday.

At Saturday's meeting, prize awards totalling \$467 were approved for the 4-H show. Steers will show in three classes, milk fed, regular dry-lot fed and dry-lot creep fed, with two weight divisions in each class. First place winners in each division will receive \$10 as prize. Prize money for the next five will be diminished by \$1 for each placement, which will make the 10th animal in each class receive \$1.

Champion milk fed and champion dry-lot-fed steers will be declared, with prizes of \$15 offered to each. A grand champion and reserve champion of the show will be selected for ribbons only.

Prizes for sheep and swine will range from \$5 to \$1. Champion sheep and swine will receive \$5 and reserve champions for each will be awarded \$2.50.

The Feb. 23 program will get underway with the 4-H sale, definite hour of which is to be announced later. When all 4-H animals are sold a half hour intermission will be observed before the Hereford breeders sale begins.

The Hereford breeders association originally selected Feb. 23 as their sale date, but changed to March 4 three weeks ago when several conflicts were observed on the former date. Soon after, the 4-H committee agreed on Feb. 23 for its annual show and sale.

Last week it was noted that San Angelo had decided to hold a breeders sale on March 4 in connection with its 4-H sale. These events prompted the decision to hold both sales on the same date in Howard county.

Committees to work in connection with the 4-H event have been named as follows: General superintendent, E. W. Lomax; milk fed class, Donald Lay; dry-lot class, R. R. Fryar and Ebb Echols; sheep, H. O. Phillips and Alvin Walker; swine, L. J. Davidson; weigher, C. H. Devaney; assist with sales arrangements, Leroy Echols; premium committee, D. D. Douglas, Tom Roden, Charlie Creighton, W. J. Davis, W. S. Satterwhite, Leroy Echols, Harvey Wooten and Ted Phillips; line-up men, Marvin Sewell, Donald Lay, Alvin Walker, Rexie Cauble, Loy Acuff and Leland Wallace; finance committee, R. V. Middleton, A. L. Cooper and Robert Currie; registration-clerk, Ira Driver; advertising committee, Joe Pickle, Matt Harrington, J. T. Hayden and Jack Wallace.

Special sales committees have been set up. They are Donald Lay, Ebb Echols and Oscar O'Daniel, of Coahoma; T. M. Robinson, Knott, Shirley Fryar, Fairview; E. W. Lomax, Lomax, L. F. Coughley, Luther, Ed Carpenter, Vincent; ad George White, M. M. Edwards, Fred Keating, O. H. McAlister, R. T. Piner, Dr. O. E. Wolfe and Repps Guitar, Big Spring.

O'Daniel Scion Weds Ex-Wife Of 'Old Friend'

DALLAS, Jan. 26 (AP)—Details of the romance and marriage of Lt. Mike O'Daniel, 25-year-old son of US Senator W. Lee O'Daniel, became known in Texas this week as Mrs. O'Daniel joined her husband at Ft. Bliss. Mrs. O'Daniel was the former wife of Maco Stewart of Galveston and San Antonio, member of the Texas state board of education.

At El Paso authorities at Ft. Bliss said Lt. O'Daniel, who is assigned to the medical administration, Jan. 10 and that Mrs. O'Daniel has been a guest at the officers club since Jan. 22.

Announcement of the marriage of young O'Daniel and Mrs. Margie Brown Stewart at Dallas was made on Jan. 19. The marriage ceremony was performed on Christmas Eve. Dallas County Clerk Ed Steger said the application for the license was made by Mrs. Molly O'Daniel. The application was filed on March 29, 1920. Mrs. Stewart's birthday was given as Sept. 9. The year was not recorded.

The O'Daniel and Stewart families were close friends during the days of O'Daniel's rise in politics. Mike was the gay and tuneful fiddle player and master of ceremonies of the hillbilly band which echoed the campaign cry "Pass the Biscuits Pappy," while Texas Rose in cowgirl garb sang "A Good Man Is Hard to Find." "I want to be a Cowboy's Sweetheart" and "Beautiful Texas." While at the University of Texas Mike was screened and offered a movie contract.

After O'Daniel's first spectacular race for governor, his family vacationed at the Stewart home on Galveston Island, which later was given to the University of Texas as the Margie B. Stewart home for convalescent children. When O'Daniel was inaugurated as US senator in August, 1941, Mike O'Daniel accompanied the Stewarts to Washington to attend the ceremony.

The Maco Stewarts were married Feb. 11, 1936 and Mrs. Stewart was granted a divorce in San Antonio in October, 1945, the settlement including an undisclosed amount of cash, two automobiles and a home on 142 acres on the Fredericksburg road.

Stewart was remarried recently, a license having been issued on Jan. 7 in Galveston county to Maco Stewart and Virginia Beall and the ceremony being performed by the Rev. H. L. Fickett, pastor of the First Baptist church of Galveston. Mrs. Stewart formerly was employed by the state board of education as counsellor of vocational rehabilitation.

Through Flight To Scandinavia Now Possible

Starting Friday, it will be possible to have a direct airline connection from Big Spring to Scandinavian countries.

American Airlines announced that service to Scandinavian terminals would be made effective Friday with one round trip between New York and Copenhagen, Denmark and Stockholm, Sweden, scheduled each week. Later Oslo, Norway, will be added to the schedule. The flights will be operated by American Overseas Airlines, the transatlantic operating division of the system. They will be made in new four-motored DC-4s.

Flights originate from LaGuardia Field, N. Y., at 10 a. m. Fridays with arrival in Copenhagen at 1:10 p. m. the following day. Westward flights will start from Stockholm on Sundays at 9 a. m. with arrival in New York at 6:20 a. m. the next day.

Police Recover More Stolen Oil Field Equipment

Twelve more motors and one joinder, believed to be among those stolen by the "theft ring" broken up here this week, have been recovered, A. G. Mitchell, police chief, reported Saturday.

Mitchell left Saturday afternoon for Breckenridge in an attempt to locate a motor reported stolen from Cliff Wiley at the Lone Star Chevrolet company about four weeks ago. This theft is thought to be the only local one committed by the ring, one man of which was being detained in the jail here after being filed on in five counties including Howard.

This man, L. W. Smith, had made a statement admitting his part in the thefts and implicating several others, Mitchell explained. Charges in two cases each have been filed against him in Fort Stockton and Iraan, where he will be returned for trial.

The motors, amounting to about \$1800, were taken from the Iraan and Pecos fields, police said. According to the plan, Mitchell said, they were brought here for sale to various companies and it was from the present owners the motors were recovered on information supplied by the prisoner.

Numbers were not removed, Mitchell said, in order not to arouse suspicion on the part of the buyer. However, the numbers were used to identify the stolen motors.

Hiroshima Bomb Obsolete, Says Gen. MacArthur

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26 (AP) — Charles E. Moore, San Francisco industrialist, said yesterday General MacArthur had told him in Tokyo that America is equipped with atomic bombs equivalent to 20,000,000 tons of TNT or a thousand times more powerful than the one dropped on Hiroshima.

Moore, in a talk before the commonwealth club yesterday, related his conversation with MacArthur in the general's Tokyo headquarters as follows:

The general said warfare is no longer warfare — it is a question of civilization. This is what he said with no restrictions as to secrecy:

"The finest explosion in the world is our TNT. But that bomb dropped on Hiroshima was equal to 20,000 tons of TNT. It is already obsolete. We are now ready with one that is equal to 20,000,000 tons of TNT."

Moore said that when he visited Hiroshima and Nagasaki, where the two atom bombs were dropped, he found all wood, metal and glass had disappeared, but the concrete works and stone bridges still stood.

Farmers Ask Growers To Stop Shipments To All Markets

CHICKASHA, Okla., Jan. 26 (AP) — A mass meeting of Grady county farmers passed a resolution today calling on growers throughout the United States to withhold all food from market until current strikes are settled.

The farmers agreed to continue producing but to stop marketing until industrial production is resumed.

"This is not a strike in any sense of the word," said Parker Woodall of Verdun, Okla., who spoke at the gathering.

"We're just tired of being the innocent bystanders who are getting hurt without having a part in the fight and we think it is time something was done."

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Pressure Group Take Legislative Program In Hand

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 (AP) — Administration congressional leaders moved today to break a congressional bottleneck holding back President Truman's legislative program.

They want action and they want it early, on many of more than a score of proposals the President has sent to Congress in recent months only to have them sidetracked. There is determined opposition to most of the items on the list.

House Democratic leader McCormack of Massachusetts told reporters that committee chairmen are being enlisted to expedite consideration of a number of measures.

But he insisted that "the heat" is not being applied.

Half a dozen Presidential proposals are in a position to be disposed of by the House in short order, but when the Senate will get around to them depends on how soon the anti-FEPC filibuster ends.

Two White House proposals come before the House next week. The next two days of business in that branch have been set aside for consideration of legislation returning the United States Employment Service offices to state control on July 1, 1947.

President Truman wants the USES retained in the federal government, which took it over during the war emergency, until mid-1947. House Republicans, along with a group of Southern Democrats, will try to return it to the states one year sooner.

Then will come what may develop into the hottest fight of the session — a bill to set up fact-finding boards to handle major labor controversies.

Lone Star Food Rides To Capital In 'Braggin' Buggy'

HARLINGEN, Jan. 26 (AP) — A slick air cargo plane which will fly 20,000 pounds of Texas-grown food to Washington for the Texas Brags dinner Jan. 30 will be christened "Braggin' Buggy" here Monday.

Special ceremonies have been planned at the Harlingen army air field. The plane will be christened by Mrs. L. M. Burchfield of La Feria, who suggested the name. She was one of 400 who submitted names in a contest.

Grapefruit juice instead of champagne will be used in the christening.

The plane will pick up a cargo of 200 pounds of goat meat at the Kerrville ranch of A. W. Henke, uncle of Admiral Chester Nimitz. Later it will stop in San Antonio for flowers.

At Harlingen, it will load 20,000 pounds of a Texas-wide cargo of food, fruits, meats and other articles.

The "Braggin' Buggy" will leave at 5 p. m. Monday.

En route to Washington the plane will stop at New Orleans and Atlanta. It is scheduled to arrive in Washington before dawn Tuesday.

Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy today and colder. Low of 18 expected, high of 45.

WEST TEXAS — Partly cloudy, colder in Rio Grande Valley Sunday; Monday partly cloudy. Not so cold in Panhandle and South Plains.

EAST TEXAS — Partly cloudy, colder in south and east central portions, much colder in extreme south portions Sunday; Monday partly cloudy not so cold in north and west portions; strong northerly winds on the coast Sunday.

City	Max.	Min.
Ablene	37	30
Amarillo	28	16
BIG SPRING	50	30
Denver	30	7
El Paso	67	47
Fort Worth	39	34
Galveston	72	58
St. Louis	17	10

Sunset tonight 6:15 p. m. Sunrise Monday 7:42 a. m.

TRUMAN HONOR GUEST

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 (AP) — President Truman was honor guest tonight at the annual dinner of the Radio Correspondents Association at the Statler hotel.

SENTENCES COMMUTED

BAD TOELZ, Germany, Jan. 26 (AP) — Three of the 36 Dachau concentration camp officials sentenced last month to hang for cruelties to prisoners won commutation of their sentences to long prison terms today.

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year are entitled to a free vote if they secure an exemption. Those who were 60 years of age before Jan. 1, 1945, are entitled to exemptions as are those becoming 21 years of age after Jan. 1, 1946 or anytime this year. Servicemen and discharged may vote without exemption, but wives must pay poll taxes.

We had the laugh on Central Texas last week. Believe it or not, they had a dust storm while we had snow and clear weather. The Panhandle, however, had pretty weather while we had a freakish snow.

Announcement that US highway 80 will be dedicated from Marshall to El Paso to veterans of World War II by the American Legion puts us at the cross roads of two veterans highways. US 87 already is the transcontinental VFW highway.

Although we had the biggest grain crop on record here this year, feed already is becoming a scarce item. Farmers may have to buy back some of their wares (if indeed they can) for feed has been shipped out of the country at higher prices. Protein feed supply is nearing the critical stage.

If you've been shivering in your heavy overcoat, think what the lot of millions of people overseas is with only a few rags for protection. It's still not too late to take old clothing to your church or to the fire station.

Combining the 4-H club calf show and the Howard County Hereford Breeders association second annual sale into a single event should attract record interest in both affairs this year. Dates are Feb. 22-23, the place the county warehouse.

The parade of traffic accidents continues without noticeable interruption. A general safety campaign in this field has tremendous opportunity for good.

The business building picture takes on new color every day, and already it promises to be a record year. If we can find some way to help residential construction keep pace, an unprecedented growth looms.

Jet

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was considered in some quarters as a sign that the problem of long flights in jet-propelled planes had been solved. As recently as last summer the problem of fueling jet planes for long flights was reported far from solution. Col. Council's plane was equipped with oversized fuel tanks. The other had regular tanks.

The official times on today's flights were clocked and announced by John P. V. Heilmuller, timer for the National Aeronautics Association.

Col. Council left Long Beach at 12:44:34 p. m. (EST) and reached La Guardia Field at 4:58:00 p. m. Capt. Smith left Long Beach at 12:33:25 p. m. (EST) and arrived over La Guardia at 5:07:00; and Capt. Babel started his flight at 12:58:31 (EST) and finished at 5:22:25.

Army officials said all three planes probably exceeded 600 miles an hour at times.

Mitchell County Calf Wins Prize

BROWNWOOD, Jan. 26 (AP) — "T. O. Atomie," nine-month-old hereford entered by Stuart Henderson, 14, of Hyman, Mitchell county, 4-H Club boy, took grand championship honors in the Brownwood Livestock show, calf classes, tonight.

The 835-pound calf, which had also won the open light steer show was bred by T. O. ranch, Raton, N. Mex.

Jim Bob Steen, 15, Goldthwaite 4-H Club boy, showed the reserve champion calf, "Corky," a hereford bred by H. A. Fitzsimmons, Llano. Steen also won the boys' district club show and took first in the three calves class.

Pat McClatchy, Bangs 4-H Club, whose calf "Euzzy" topped the Brown county boys' club show yesterday, won the reserve championship of the district club show with the same 1,040-pound calf.

A total of 1,150 head of stock have been entered in the show. Open show judging will be concluded tomorrow.

Fritz Landers, Menard, showed the grand champion buck Angora goat today. Herbert Hardkridger, Jr., Brady, showed the grand champion doe.

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Returns Contract
HARRISON, Ark., Jan. 26 (AP)—Lefthander Elwin "Preacher" Roe disclosed today that he had returned an unsigned contract to the Pittsburgh Pirates but added that he expected to sign with the National league club within ten days.

Coldest Weather Penetrates South

By The Associated Press

A cold air mass from the frozen wastes of Canada fanned out over the eastern half of the country yesterday bringing the severest weather of the winter.

Sub-zero temperatures which prevailed in the northern plains and lakes regions moved eastward and southward and the weatherman forecast they would hit the east and south by morning.

In the east, sub-zero weather was predicted for parts of New England and New York state. The mercury is expected to dive well below freezing in the south, as deep as middle Georgia.

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Brazilian General Lauds Eisenhower In Birthplace

DENISON, Jan. 26. (AP) — Brig. Gen. Francisco Borges Fortes, chief of the Brazilian Army Engineers, stood on the front porch of the birthplace of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower here yesterday and lauded the war record of the Denison-born Army Chief of Staff.

Gen. Fortes visited the Eisenhower birthplace while on an inspection trip of the Denison dam.

General Fortes and the five officers accompanying him on a tour of the United States were unanimously agreed today that American construction techniques are nothing short of great and "magnificent."

The touring engineers made this observation after a meticulous inspection of the huge earthen hydro-electric dam here and air field installations in the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

Major Rodrigo Octavio Jordao Ramos, spokesman for the group, expressed the opinion that the United States has built the greatest civilization humanity has known at any time.

He added: "We understand now why your people have suffered and fought for humanity, and we in Brazil have done everything possible to help the United Nations in the war."

Major Ramos also had high praise for the late President Roosevelt, whom he characterized as a great man "who won the victory" and "saved the world." He said the late Chief Executive was America's man of the twentieth century, just as Washington was in the eighteenth, and Lincoln in the nineteenth.

Turning to the labor problem, Major Ramos likened unionism in his country to that in the United States. "Our unions are well operated," he explained, "but, as in

your country, the period of unrest since the end of the war has resulted in many strikes."

The party left yesterday afternoon for Vicksburg, Miss., and New Orleans, La., for inspection of the Mississippi river basin which, in many respects, resembles that of the Amazon.

ALONG THE BUY WAYS

A column about Herald advertisers

More new businesses were announced for the week. Bob Fuller made formal announcement of the opening of his district distributorship here for Kaiser-Frazer automobiles and of the opening of the local agency along with plans for a building to be erected for the concern.

Johnnie Griffin reopened his service store at 601 E. 3rd street, offering complete lines of service and accessories, etc., as he had before he entered the armed services.

C. M. Pinkston opened a service station at W. 2nd and Scurry streets in the location operated for many years by the late V. H. Fiewellen.

R. H. Carter announced opening of his electric company at 308 Gregg street. The firm had been in the location for several weeks, but glass for the front did not arrive until Saturday. Now his worry is that he will step through the glass now that he's used to stepping through the window opening.

Johnny Underwood is now operating the U&S Flying Service, having acquired the interest of Garland Sanders, and after having sold his roofing company to Shive and Coffman.

Big Spring Steam Laundry company announced it was reopening Monday after an extensive rebuilding program necessitated by a fire which destroyed equipment in the autumn. C. B. South continues as manager. L. C. Holdclaw, who has been in the laundry business here about 50 years, is owner of the modernized plant.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Swartz returned Thursday from Dallas where they attended markets and style shows while buying for the women's wear shop.

Watson Hammonds is back with the Douglas Grocery at 1018 Johnson. He has been with the store intermittently for many years, starting out with John Whitmire, original owner.

Alice Tisdale Hobart's book, "The Peacock Sheds His Tail," will be reviewed at 3 p. m. Saturday, Feb. 2, at the Parish Hall by Mrs. Wiley Curry. The volume is now on sale at the Book Stall in the Crawford lobby.

Champ Rainwater of Empire Southern Service, is on a safety and merchandising trip for Empire Southern Service at Brady and Gorman.

Cecil Spencer is back with the Barrow Furniture company after a tour of duty with the Navy.

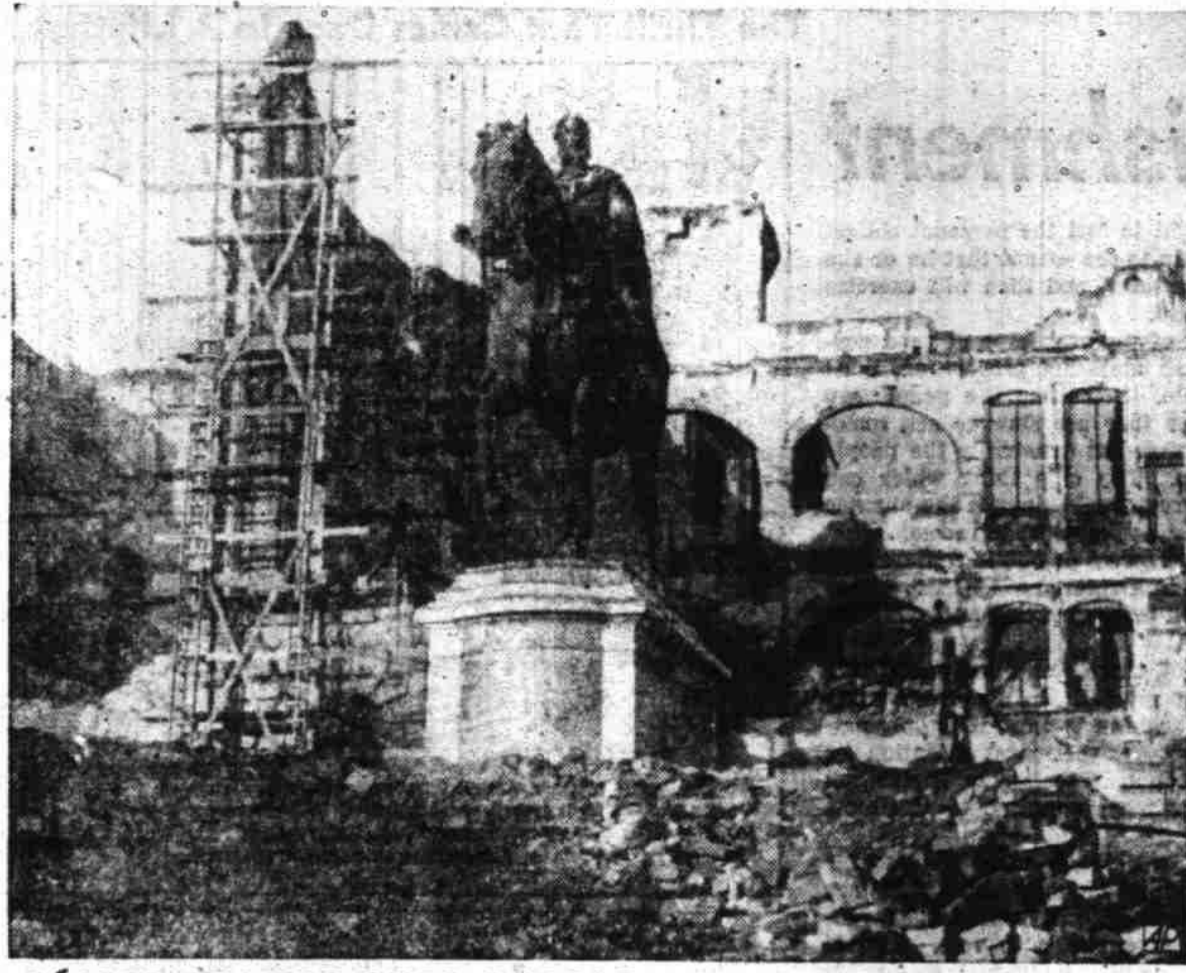
Plew Asks To Be Commissioner

Earl Plew has announced as a candidate for the democratic nomination as county commissioner of precinct No. 1.

"To those who may not know me," said Plew, "I should like to list these facts: I have resided here almost 24 years with the exception of a short time in California. I now reside two miles east of Big Spring and am engaged in business for myself. In the past I have worked in the oil fields, and during the last four years I have worked for the county.

"I believe I have had good experience in dealing with the public; know how to build and maintain roads, and feel I am qualified to perform all the duties of a commissioner. If elected, I will give fair and impartial treatment, bring up a desire to build Big Spring and Howard county.

"I know the value of good farm to market roads. It is my desire to live and serve by the Golden Rule, and I will appreciate your vote and influence."



Kaiser Stands Over Rubble—The bronze equestrian statue of Kaiser Wilhelm I stands intact in Egidien Place, Nuerenberg, Germany, which the allies bombed heavily.



RAIL CHIEF AT THROTTLE—George F. Ashby (left) sits at the throttle of a Union Pacific Railroad locomotive at Omaha after he was named president of the road. Vice-presidents Perry J. Lynch (center) and Frank W. Robinson look on.

McCall Accepts Post On Baptist Committee

WACO, Jan. 26. (AP) — Dr. Duke K. McCall has accepted the post of executive secretary of the executive committee of the Southern Baptist church, Dr. J. M. Dawson of Waco, chairman of the committee, announced today.

Dr. McCall, president of the Baptist Bible Institute of New Orleans, will continue in that position until school is out May 1. He will then assume duties that Dr. Dawson called "the highest post the Southern Baptist church can offer."

In a telegram to Dr. Dawson, Dr. McCall said he regretted leaving his present position but felt the "hand of God" guided the committee in offering him the appointment, so he was accepting.

LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
TO:
BETTY JACKSON
GREETING:
You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 18th day of February, A. D. 1946, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, at the Court House in Big Spring, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 28th day of November, 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 5710. The names of the parties in said suit are:
DILLMON JACKSON as Plaintiff, and BETTY JACKSON as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Plaintiff alleges 12 months in Texas, 6 months in Howard County, Texas, legally married. Grounds: cruel treatment, no property, asks for care and custody of minor children, viz: Virginia, and Arthur. Further living together insupportable. Prays for divorce and care and custody of minor children.

Issued this 3rd day of January, 1946. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring, Texas, this 3rd day of January, A. D. 1946.
(SEAL) GEO. C. CHOATE,
Clerk, District Court, Howard County, Texas.

Political Calendar

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to action of the democratic primaries.

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DISTRICT CLERK — George C. Choate
COUNTY JUDGE — Walton S. Morrison
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H. C. Hooser
SHERIFF — R. L. (Bob) Wolf
J. B. (Jake) Bruton
TAX COLLECTOR-ASSESSOR — John F. Wolcott
COUNTY TREASURER — Ida L. Collins
COUNTY CLERK — Lee Porter
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CO. COMMISSIONER, Pet. No. 1 — E. L. Roman
CO. COMMISSIONER, Pet. No. 2 — Earl Fisher
CO. COMMISSIONER, Pet. No. 3 — J. T. Thornton

RAISE IN MILK PRICES ASKED

DALLAS, (Jan. 26. (AP) — R. C. Hughes, OPA regional price executive at Dallas, said today that his office had recommended that OPA headquarters in Washington act favorably on an application by West Texas milk producers asking an increase of 26 cents per hundredweight.

The application, which would affect 55 West Texas counties, is now in Washington, Hughes stated. The cities of Amarillo and Lubbock are included in the 44-county territory, the price executive added.

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Maine Cadets Land

GALVESTON, Jan. 26. (AP) — The steamer American Seaman with 210 cadets of the Merchant Marine Academy of Maine on board, arrived here today.

The ship, commanded by Com. W. O. P. Bellinger, will remain in this port until Feb. 1.

There are 2,796 different languages spoken in the world.

Net Income Up

NEW YORK, Jan. 26. (AP) — Lone Star Cement Corp. in a preliminary report for the year ended Dec. 31, today showed net income of \$2,701,695, or \$2.85 a share, for the preceding year. A share, for the preceding year.

The two-millionth shipment by air express in a single year is reported by the Railway Express.

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Slipping The Holy Bonds

By FRANK GRIMES Herald Special Writer

The egregious marital adventures of Tommy Manville may eventually benefit society...

The latest Manville excursion into short-term marriage went on the rocks after 28 days...

The institution of marriage, the so-called holy bonds of wedlock, has taken many a wallop...

That is why we believe that the case history of Tommy Manville and his beautiful brides...

The fact that the U. S. supreme court not many moons ago held null and void a great majority...

The business of putting on and taking off the state of matrimony is no more complicated...

Some authorities advocate a federal divorce law, or at least a federal code to which the state would have to conform...

To stay the rapid deterioration of that great institution, the American home, congress and the several states might well take steps...

Every person ought to feel the personal obligation of good citizenship to the extent that he or she will first qualify as a voter...

This is the basis of any real hope of good government, which, as an enduring proposition, must issue from the people...

Thus, it is in the interest of public welfare that every citizen qualify as a voter during 1946...

From a local point, there are other sound reasons for qualifying as a voter. In a representative form of government such as is ours...

In a few words, we simply mean that so far as the political interest of our city and county are concerned, it is indeed wise to have the largest possible number of people qualified to vote...

Important Year

The city has announced plans for the spring clean-up even at this early date, and it seems to us that this step is both timely and exemplary...

It would be well if many of our other activities were viewed similarly. Here we are in a year which promises to be one of the greatest in our history...

On the whole, the city has set the pace for planning and organizing for the year's work. While we may disagree as to the exact mode of procedure...

This is too important a year for procrastination and indecision. We hope it will prove to be one of action and vision.

and divorce a soleian and last-resort affair to release an aggrieved party from an intolerable situation for which he or she is not responsible.

Obviously something is dangerously awry in civil law when habitual bridegrooms like Manville can get married and get divorced with equal facility.

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Broadway— MAE MURRAY OUT ON LIMBS

By JACK O'BRIAN NEW YORK — Mae Murray, the oldtime silent screen glamor gal, went through voluntary bankruptcy a few days ago here in Federal Court...

Mae, who filed liabilities of \$5,446.95 against assets of \$1,000, immediately set about putting her improvident existence in order by starting a lecture series in Brooklyn...

Mae might not be quite the handsome glamor doll that she was when Rudolph Valentino wooed her all over Europe...

darned thing to a Midval — money. Mae then had great big bundles of it, and seemed to care not a whit about it...

The admittance that Mae now has assets of only a sorry little \$1,000, a mere one grand, came as a shattering surprise to many of her friends and acquaintances.

As a professional onlooker around the Manhattan scene, I have come to have a nodding acquaintance with Mae, with an occasional "Hello darling" tossed in if our paths crossed...

Mae has managed, with apparently timeless ease and grace, always to have a bottle of vintage bubbly, the correct frocks with all the tell-tale suggestion of the expensive smart couturier's...

Ships To Send Men Home Spurned

By DREW PEARSON WASHINGTON, — Worst hell-hole in the Pacific is Okinawa...

Japan, Okinawa was bad during the war. GI's who have served there five months since say that today it isn't much better...

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In other words, home-sick men scheduled to remain at Okinawa until July 1 would get the welcome bonanza of leaving by March 1. Twelve ships were available to move troops out of Okinawa...

The radiogram reached General Lawson on Christmas Day, at a time when GI's were thinking most about home. General Lawson, however, radioed General Styler that he did not need the ships...

General Styler's message and Lawson's reply were copied by enlisted men in the Okinawa radio station. General Lawson heard about the leak. Whereupon, military police were ordered to search soldiers and confiscate all copies of the Styler correspondence...

General Lawson is now being transferred back to the USA. Rumor has it that General Eisenhower did not approve of what happened. General Lawson's permanent rank is lieutenant colonel...

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go back to New York for instructions—which was true. He had to talk to the bankers and to other steel leaders. Murray, on the other hand, was able to negotiate with the backing of his union.

Note 1 — After the first White House talk, the President's recommendation of the CIO proposal to his US Steel board. However, Fairless was not even successful in trying to convince his own board members. Next day, when Fairless told a delegation representing the rest of the steel industry that he was inclined to accept, the other steel czars hit the ceiling. They demanded a fight to the finish against the CIO. In fact, they were so alarmed at Fairless' attitude, they accompanied him back to Washington just to make sure he didn't yield.

Note 2 — White House advisers are again urging the President to call in the real big-wigs from Wall Street and demand an overall settlement.

Capital Chaff Senator Burton K. Wheeler is in Montana, sounding out reelection prospects. His prestige at home is not high. Phil Murray is not only head of CIO but a member of the Knights of Columbus. Burging into Eric Johnston, president of the US Chamber of Commerce, Murray cracked: "They say I'm going to take over the government, but they don't know whether I'm going to give it to the Vatican or the Kremlin..."

Modest General Eisenhower quietly slipped down from the platform and sat in the front row of the Library of Congress session on demobilization. That was why many Congressmen thought he had ducked out. Though inconspicuous, Eisenhower stayed to the end, anxious to hear the speakers.

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Pathetic Pleas For Ships

AP Newsfeatures

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa — A shipping bottleneck is keeping more than 200 South Africans from visiting Europe to hunt for missing next-of-kin, while more than 10,000 persons are waiting in England for passage to South Africa.

"Every day we receive pathetic letters," said an immigration and passport officer, "but there is little we can do. Our allocation works out at 50 berths a month, out of which urgent business and other priorities must be accommodated. "Some of the South Africans

stranded in England are young war widows and children in dire financial straits because of being unable to return home."

The South Africans waiting for passage to Europe are mostly naturalized settlers from the Balkan countries, many of whom left their families behind. The Red Cross and other organizations have made strenuous efforts to find some trace of their kin, without success.

Double Or Nothing Block For The Stork

ROCK FALLS, Ill., (AP) — The 300 block on Fourth Ave., in this town has several double claims to fame. Residing there are four sets of twins — three pairs of boys, ranging in age from eight months to eight years, and a twosome of girls 11 years old.

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Mrs. FDR To Sponsor Move For Universal Speech Within UNO

LONDON, Jan. 26. (AP) — Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt announced today that she would sponsor within the United Nations Organization a move for compulsory teaching of one internationally understood language in the schools of the world.

Citing the many tongues spoken at the general assembly where 51 nations are represented, Mrs. Roosevelt said "the language barrier is a very severe one — to international peace. She added: "I hope to bring up the fact in the organization that every child throughout the world should learn the language of his own country and one agreed language which would be the same all over the world."

Addressing more than 400 American soldiers in a London theater, Mrs. Roosevelt asserted that economically and politically the United States was "tied up with the rest of the world." She added: "We had better learn to think of other people's needs."

Americans, she said, are "naturally isolationists," and unless they "understand the rest of the world we shall have to do again what we already have done twice."

Arctic Important To Atom-Conscious

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON — The vital importance of uranium in a suddenly atom-conscious world as well as the charting of the world airways of tomorrow is centering attention on the last frontier of this continent — Canada's northwest territories.

The Canadian and United States governments now are carrying out experiments to provide joint defense measures for the Arctic regions. Both air and ground forces now are going into this vast, almost uncharted area to determine what tomorrow will be like there if it becomes as important to science and aviation as it now appears certain to.

According to the National Geographic Society which knows all about such unknown places, this great expanse extends from Baffin Bay and Davis Strait on the Pacific to the Yukon, which borders Alas-

ka on the west. Incidentally, the area also includes Yellowknife, scene of Canada's latest gold boom. On the north is the Arctic ocean, with Canada's Franklin district, a jumble of islands. On the south are British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan.

In this million square miles of land and water live between 11,000 and 12,000 persons, mostly Indians and Eskimos. Aside from trading posts, missions, police barracks, and a very few native villages, there are no centers of population.

Names you may come to know are Mackenzie, Stikine, Ogilvie and Richardson which are the mountain ranges in the west that level off into an extension of our own great plains. To the east these plains become the great treeless Laurentian upland, broken by the vast Hudson Bay which dips, all the way down into Ottawa and Quebec.

Lakes (Great Bear Lake is bigger than Massachusetts) and rivers are all over the place, but there are no railroads or highways. Mid-winter average temperatures about 20 degrees below zero. In summer the average is somewhere around 50 degrees.

In addition to uranium the area has radium deposits and silver, gold, lead, zinc and copper. There also are some oil and timber but so far furs have been the most important export. Canada has become as conscientious as we are about conservation of wild life and there are game preserves, especially for reindeer, caribou and musk oxen.

To the Cheechako, the weather is likely to be a little puzzling. Among other things, the air is warmer in high altitudes than at lower.

It has something to do with trick currents from the tropics. Flyers operating on instruments may find a few puzzles too. The North magnetic pole is in the Sverdrup islands.

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AP Newsfeatures

Bomb Experiment To Prove Costly

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 (AP)—The test of the A-bomb versus the modern warship stacked up today as a proposition that will cost close to a half billion dollars, if not more.

The exact amount was impossible to calculate, but navy figures supplied an indication of what would be involved in the forthcoming atomic experiment in the Pacific.

This is what they show:

It cost \$230,000,000 alone for the hulls and engines of the 47 US combat units assigned to the Guinea pig fleet.

It cost more than \$100,000,000 more for the navy transports which make up about half of the 47 non-combat types which also will be targets.

Moreover, navy men have estimated unofficially that the operating expenses involved in staging the experiment next spring will run approximately \$100,000,000. The pay of personnel and cost of supplies would boost that total.

The US Military Academy opened July 4, 1802, with 10 cadets.

What Gourmet Wanted Was Beautiful "Sole"

BALTIMORE, (AP)—Arthur H. Deute is back in his well-ordered kitchen—and the diet department at Mercy hospital is back to normalcy.

Shortages of meat, fats and sugar have given the hospital dietitian many a headache. But nothing like Deute, who is Baltimore's No. 1 gourmet.

Miss Mary Reinhart, the hospital's dietitian, said the usual

way of handling patients with fancy food ideas was a complete failure with Deute. The usual method, she explained, was to say: "O.K. Can you tell me how to cook this dish you're talking about?"

The answer was usually a sheepish "no," but Deute would give the complete recipe right down to the last pinch of salt, the last degree of oven temperature.

The kitchen bowed in defeat and produced, somehow, eggs with white wine sauce, tongue and horseradish mousse, molded salads with intricate garnishes, dry red wine for the meals and a proper glass to drink it from.

Deute thinks his ideas brought necessary improvements in the hospital diet.

"Hospital cooking," he groaned, "is like a girl with a beautiful soul. The soul is quite commendable but it won't get her very far with the guys."

River Conservation Officials To Meet

FREERPORT, Jan. 26. (AP)—Directors of the Brazos River Conservation and Reclamation District will meet in freerport Jan. 28, where they will be guests of the Brazos-Port chamber of commerce and Lewis Mems, a member of the directors of the district. Jack W. Tucker, chamber manager, said.

Included among the directors expected to attend are George G. Chance of Bryan, Milton E. Daniel of Breckenridge, William Hallmark of Dublin and R. D. Collins of Mineral Wells.

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Ex-Soldier Fights To Get In School "For All Vets"

AUSTIN, Jan. 26. (AP)—Capt. Ewing S. McLarty, Jr., of Galveston, who is attempting to compel A. and M. College by mandamus to permit him to enter as a student, said today he was "making this fight not only for himself, but for other returning veterans that will face the same obstacles."

McLarty issued a statement in which he said he did not care to take advantage of the fact that he has been in the Army, but "my education has been interrupted and I do wish to pick it up as quickly as possible."

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Into The Living Room

ROXBORO, N. C. (AP)—A loud crash awakened R. P. Michael, local textile official. "I think there has been a wreck," he told his wife. There was. The car had torn a gaping hole in his living room wall.

4-H Boys' Livestock Shown In Brownwood

BROWNWOOD, Jan. 26. (AP)—Livestock raised by 4-H club boys from this eleven-county district was exhibited today at the Brownwood Livestock Show which opened yesterday.

A total of 1,100 animals have been entered in the five-day show and judging events.

Yesterday Pat McClatchy, 16, of Bangs, showed the grand champion fat calf in Brown county 4-H club competition, a WHR Carlos Domino breedline hereford called "Fuzzy." The 14-month-old calf weighs 1,040 pounds.

Bobby Earl Nichols, 8, also of Bangs, showed the reserve champion, "Mischieff," a polled hereford.

Nichols also had the best group of three calves, with McClatchy second.

Oscar T. Jarvis of May showed the drylot champion calf, "Big Boy," a hereford bred by Gus Farrar of Sweetwater.

Bromwich, Unknown In Tennis Finals

ADELAIDE, Australia, Jan. 26. (AP)—Dinky Pails, hard-hitting Australian Davis Cup prospect, will meet veteran John Bromwich in the finals of the Australian tennis singles tourney Monday.

Pails defeated Adrian Quist, veteran internationalist, yesterday in straight sets, 6-2, 6-4, 6-2. Bromwich, playing his customary solid game, advanced by downing double-handed Geoff Brown, 6-3, 6-2, 6-1.

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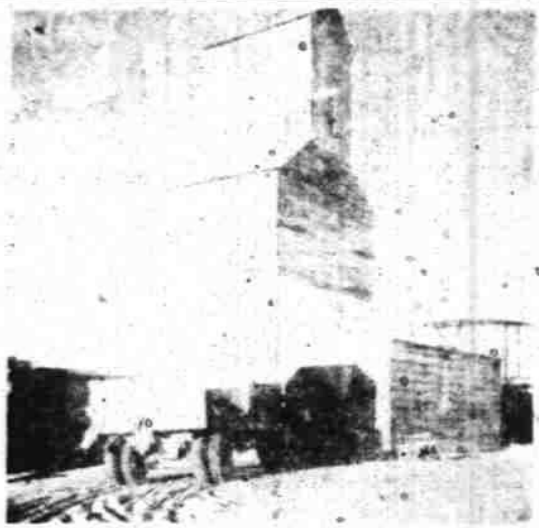
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Clothing Drive Objective Due To Be Reached

A goal of 20,000 pieces of clothing is expected to be reached before Thursday, the closing day for the Victory Clothing Collection, Capt. Oly. Sheppard, chairman, said Saturday.

Excluding the clothing collected at the Ritz matinee Saturday morning, 13,000 garments had been turned in, Capt. Sheppard believed.

A number of cartoons were featured at the morning matinee when a large group of children brought bundles of clothing for admission, Arthur Caywood, manager, said. The stack of clothing was turned over to the firemen and moved to the fire station which has been made a receiving center for donations.

Churches will make a final appeal this morning, the chairman announced, which will be followed by a one day canvass of the city to be made by Boy Scouts.



BEER HALL CANTEEN—Cpl. Edgar Aires, Dayton, O., Joseph P. Sansevero, Brooklyn, and Red Cross Girl Patricia N. Teague, Fort Worth, Tex., (l. to r.) carry a tree into Burger Brau, Munich, Germany, beer hall, now a canteen.

Price Named Manager For Hemphill-Wells

Lewis H. Price was announced Saturday as manager of the Hemphill-Wells department store in Big Spring.

Spencer A. Wells, Lubbock, president of the concern which purchased the Albert M. Fisher store Jan. 1, said that the appointment was effective immediately.

A veteran with the firm, Price has been serving as treasurer for Hemphill-Wells company. He is a native of San Angelo and joined the company with the opening of its Lubbock store in 1922 when his father, M. L. Price, was made manager of the second store.

In the interim he has served in many capacities, including that of head of the shoe and men's furnishing department at Lubbock. Wells said that his varied experience made him particularly familiar with company operations and policies.

Price recently returned from three and a half years in the army as a post exchange officer, the last two years having been spent in the Pacific theater. He had attained the rank of major at the time he left the service.

Wells said that perhaps one or two other members of the parent organization would be added to the staff here.

The local manager is married and he and Mrs. Price have one child who will join him soon.

Sir Thomas Moore's "Utopia" was issued in Latin, translated into German, French and Italian. Not until 35 years had passed and the author had been dead 16 years was it put into English.

There are about five hundred basic materials used in the manufacture of inks today, including oils, resins, color pigments, white pigments, waxes, dyes, and various acids and other chemicals.

Of the 412,851 producing oil wells in the United States, 71.8 per cent are classified as "stripper," or high-cost wells. They account for 12.9 per cent of total production.

The location of the Treasury building in Washington, out of harm's way with the original plan for the city, was chosen by President Jackson who stuck his cane in the ground to indicate the site.

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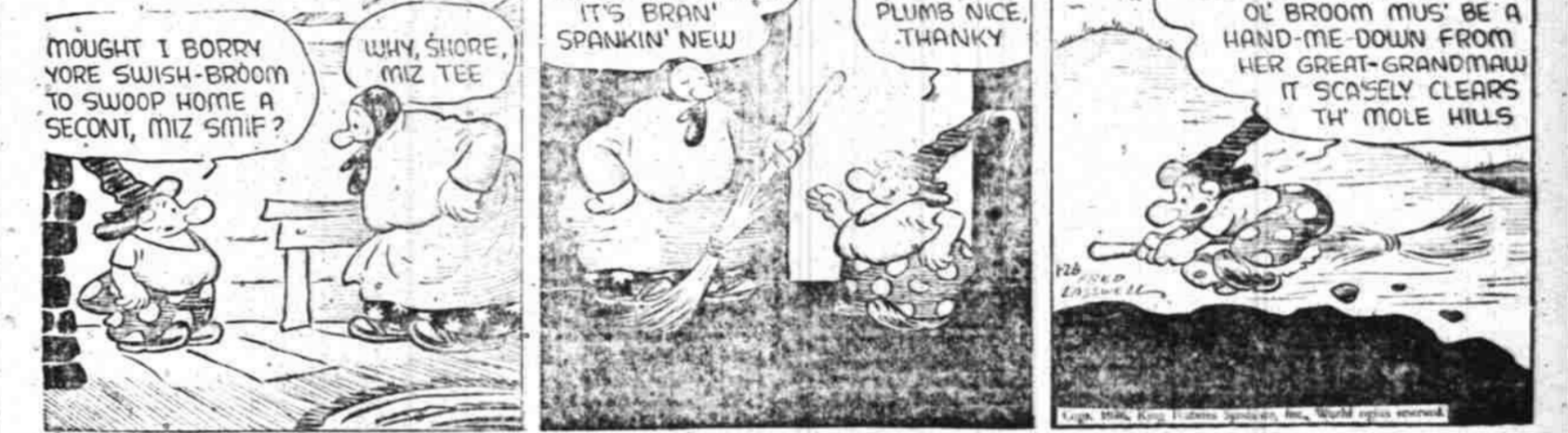
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SCOUT COUNCIL AGAIN RECEIVES COVETED PLAQUE

The Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, has again been awarded the "Acorn Award" in recognition of membership achievement for 1945, officials announced Saturday.

The award is in the form of a plaque and is presented by the president of the Boy Scouts of America, Walter W. Head.

Figures show that the Buffalo Trail Council enrolled 2,392 new boys in Cubbing and Scouting during 1945 and closed the year with 4,748 members, the largest membership in its history. During the year a total of 6,217 members were registered. Gains were made in all departments—Scouts, Cubs, leaders, troops and packs.

The council had previously received the Acorn Award for the years 1940, 1941, 1942 and 1944.

Name On Ballot

DALLAS, Jan. 26. (AP) — Former assistant attorney general Jesse Owens, Vernon, Tex., has filed an application for his candidacy for judge of court of criminal appeals on the Democratic state primary ballot, W. H. Kittrell, Jr., secretary of the state Democratic Executive Committee, has announced.

Court Refuses To Ban Non-Sectarian Classes From Public Schools

URBANA, Ill., Jan. 26. (AP) — A three-judge circuit court today refused to ban non-sectarian classes in religious education from the public schools of adjacent Champaign.

The attempt to halt the classes was made by Mrs. Vashti McCollum, wife of a University of Illinois professor and mother of three children. Her suit was heard in September, without a jury.

She alleged her eldest son, James Terry, 10, a fifth grade pupil, was embarrassed by being the only child in his room not taking the courses. She alleged further that time from regular school subjects was lost because of the instruction and that as a taxpayer, she objected to having classes taught in school buildings maintained by tax funds.

Public Records

Warranty Deeds
 Lou Baker et ux to Maude M. Davidson; lots 3 and 4, blk. G, Earle's addition, \$500.
 W. C. Love et ux to V. F. Roberts lot 12, blk 4, lot 18, blk. 25, lot 20, blk. 15, lot 6, blk. 5, lot 27, blk. 25, lot 13, blk 24 and lot 14, blk. 21, all in original townsite of Conahoma, \$100 and other considerations.
 Mabel Cloud to W. H. Denton, part of sec. 26, blk. 33 Tsp. 1-N T&P, \$1,000.
 Mabel Denton to W. H. Denton part of sec. 26, blk. 33 Tsp. 1-N T&P, \$400.
 Mattie Earley to G. J. Earley N 75 ft. of S 150 ft. of blk. B Boydston's addition, \$50.
 Mattie Earley to G. J. Earley part interest in lot 10, blk. 56, original, \$200.
 Minnie Slaughter Veal and Minnie Slaughter Veal & William H. Flippin, independent executors, trustees, to C. H. Zant, E1/2 sec. 23, blk. 38 Tsp. 3-N T&P, \$11,400.
 B. F. Tubb et ux to Mrs. Sadie Yell lot 12, blk. 15 Boydston's addition, \$2,500.
 Albert Edens et ux to M. A. Loudamy E 80 ac. of NW 1/4 of sec. 21, blk. 32 Tsp. 1-N T&P, \$4,000.

Building Permits
 Cecil D. McDonald, to build a tile and brick auto repair shop at 206 Johnson, cost \$10,000.
 Gene Stalcup, to move a frame house from west city limits to outside east city limits, cost \$75.
 Tom P. Taylor, to demolish a box shed and build a cow shed at 141 N. Goliad, cost \$100.
 Eberley-Curry Funeral Home, to demolish frame reinforced casket house and garage and build a new concrete casket house and garage at 610 Scurry, cost \$7,500.
 Lawrence Robinson, to build a frame building at 605 E. 18th, cost \$2,000.
 Jess W. Trantham to build frame house at 822 W 9th Street, cost \$900.
 Burke T. Summers to build frame and stucco house at 1107 Goliad, cost \$1,000.
 Gabriel Yanez to build frame house at 211 Channing Street, cost \$300.
 Tom Rosson, to build frame and stucco addition to garage at 108 Lincoln, cost \$400.
 J. B. Collins to build stile and stucco office and cafe building at 201 Runnels, cost \$2,500.
 H. G. Russell to remodel part of present frame building to make one room, 1101 W. 3rd Street, cost \$250.
 Bertha Lee Prince to move frame house from 1105 W 5th to 803 Ayiford, cost \$650.

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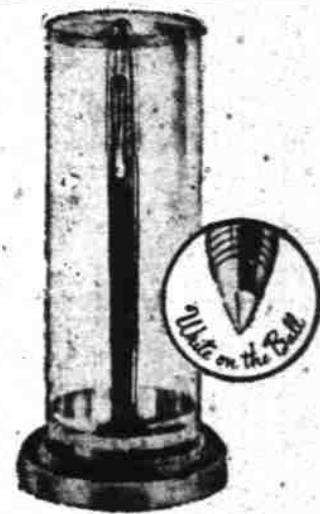
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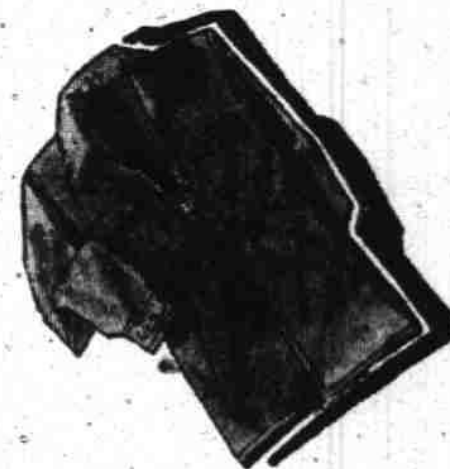


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Farm And Ranch News

By WACIL McNAIR

All 4-H club animals from Howard county entered in the Houston stock show will be assembled Monday morning beside the county agent's office. They will be loaded on a truck there and start for Houston at about 10 o'clock. County Agent Dyrward Lewter has extended an invitation to anyone wishing to see the entries to be on hand. Four Hereford steers, two Angus steers and four lambs compose the group. Three Southdown lambs are among the entries, and Lewter is particularly pleased with their current appearance. In fact, all animals to be carried to Houston are worthy of pride.

Ten females and 98 bulls were sold at the Hammon Hereford auction in Wichita Falls Thursday. Females averaged \$593 and bulls \$341. Again's Prince Domino 74th was top bull, selling to Tom Medders of Wichita Falls for \$1,475. Top female was Again's Princess Domino 41st. She sold to Payne and Harris for \$1,600.

Experiments for the War Production board to determine the physical properties of cotton fibers and fabrics which influence their use in plastic laminates recently were completed at the University of Texas, according to a report made by E. V. Painter, assistant director and research technologist of the Bureau of Industrial Chemistry, and Dr. Simon Williams at a recent meeting of the society of plastics and engineers in Detroit.

Plastic laminates are used to

make silent gears, airplane control pulleys, radio cases, switch panel boards, helmet liners, ammunition cases, and similar products. The researchers found that short-staple cotton was more economical than long staple, but that the length of staple to be used in the laminate material should be determined by the uses to which it was to be put.

At a meeting of county agricultural agents of district six in San Angelo this week, Tyrus R. Timm, economist in farm management for the Texas A & M college extension service brought out several important points in a discussion on the influence of government price control on farm and ranch income in 1946. Ceiling prices on important farm commodities probably will be continued in 1946 as long as retail prices of these commodities are generally at ceilings, he said. At present most farm commodities, except Irish potatoes, oranges and grapefruit, have price ceilings.

Farm commodities will be decontrolled commodity by commodity, Timm said. A pattern for gradually abolishing ceilings was considered by government officials early in the winter, but they have since stated that the supply and demand situation would not permit the plan to be followed. Therefore, it is expected that controls will last several months longer than first anticipated. The price control law expires next June 30, but there is a general feeling that the act, substantially in its present form will be extended at least for another six months.

Decks Cleared For Gas Hearing At Houston

HOUSTON, Jan. 26. (AP) — The decks were cleared in Houston today for the natural gas hearing which will begin at 10 a. m. Monday.

The meeting, expected to last 10 days, will be between members of the Federal Power Commission and top gas and oil executives, engineers and geologists representing private interests.

The Federal Power Commission is seeking information from practical oil men on the natural gas situation here with a view toward making recommendations to Congress about possible amendments to the Natural Gas Act of 1938.

The hearing is expected to bring some of the foremost oil men from the United States and Canada here to support their desire for a minimum of federal control.

To thaw frozen poultry leave it in the refrigerator for several hours, but never soak it in water. Soaking causes a loss of juices.

Nylons Easy To Obtain In Mexico — At Price

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 25. (AP) — Nylon stockings — a rarity in the United States — are everyday wares in Mexico.

Nylon supplies have become so plentiful that merchants have resorted to advertising mediums, and have placed them on sale at sharply reduced prices.

In some instances, however, merchants still have marked prices beyond the financial means of many customers.

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Answering Some Vet Questions

Q. Does the Veterans Administration determine entitlement to officers retirement pay?

A. No, entitlement to officers retirement pay is determined by a retirement board composed of officers of the service involved, appointed for that purpose. After it is determined that an officer will be retired with pay, his name is certified by the service to the Veterans Administration, which becomes the disbursing agency.

Q. Does a veteran, who has become uninsurable by reason of a disability incurred in service, immediately lose his National Service Life Insurance when it has lapsed because of failure to pay premiums within the grace period?

A. No. Liberal provisions are made for reinstatement of this insurance. If application and tender of premiums are made within 6 months after discharge insurance may be reinstated if the application is in as good health on the date of application as he was on the due date of the first premium in default and furnished satisfactory evidence thereof. Such reinstatement shall be restricted to application submitted not more than 6 months after the termination of the present war. If application and tender of premiums are made at any time within 3 months after the due date of the first premium in default insurance may be reinstated if the applicant is in as good health as he was on the due date of the first premium in default and furnishes satisfactory evidence thereof. The applicant's own statement of comparative health is usually accepted, though a report of physical examination may be required.

Q. In what way does the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of

1944, commonly known as the G. I. Bill of Rights, aid returning veterans?

A. It enables the Veterans Administration to acquire additional hospital facilities; authorizes boards to review the type and nature of discharges and to change or modify them. It provides for education or training for veterans and provides for the guaranty of loans for the purchase of construction of homes and the purchase of farms or business property. It provides readjustment allowance for veterans who are unemployed.

Q. May a former member of the Women's Army Corps obtain hospital treatment and domiciliary care in a Veterans Administration facility?

A. Yes, members of the Women's Army Corps are entitled to the same treatment as other war veterans, former members of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps and of the women's reserve components of the other services are also eligible.

Q. Is it possible for a veteran who was called into service and discharged prior to the beginning of the war on December 7, 1941, to receive the education benefits provided in the Serviceman's Readjustment Act?

A. Yes, any person who served in the active military or naval service on or after September 16, 1940, and prior to the termination of the war, who meets the other requirements for eligibility, is entitled to education or training provided in this act.

A Coast Guard captain hung up an all-time record during two years of sea warfare when he guided 18 convoys across the North Atlantic without the loss of a single ship.

Red River Flood Control Funds To Be Sought

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26. (AP) — Senator Thomas (D-Okl.) plans to ask Congress to include in its next flood control authorization bill a proposed \$77,500,000 plan for further flood control on the Red river and its tributaries below Denison dam in Oklahoma, Texas and Arkansas.

The Senator said the plan, suggested by district Army engineers following an investigation requested by Congress in April, 1945, had been concurred in by Lieut. Gen. R. A. Wheeler, chief of engineers, and the board of engineers in an interim report.

Army engineers said governors of the states have been sent copies and their comments requested. The plan calls for construction of these six reservoirs in Oklahoma, Texas and Arkansas:

Boswell, on Boggy creek near Boswell, Okla., \$9,400,000; Hugo, on the Kiamichi river near Hugo, Okla., \$7,800,000; Milwood on Little river near Fulton, Ark., \$22,700,000; Texarkana on Sulphur river near Texarkana, Ark., and Tex., \$20,300,000; Ferrels Bridge on Cypress creek near Jefferson, Tex., \$6,000,000 and Mooringsport on Cypress creek near Mooringsport, Tex., and Ark., \$5,800,000.

In addition the plan calls for expenditure of \$2,500,000 for enlargement of existing and authorized levees and for floodgates and \$3,000,000 for projects to stabilize banks of Red river.

Cabbage harvested in November has a greater amount of Vitamin C, thiamine and riboflavin than that harvested in May.

A Bandit Can't Run Three Ways At Once

BALTIMORE, (AP) — Three employees of a Baltimore all-night garage cooked up a new system of foiling bandits — at least it worked once.

Night manager Albert Johnson, James Horky and Cecil Houston were sitting in the office when a holdup man came in, pointed a pistol and said: "Where is it?"

Johnson said "In the cashier's office" and started to lead the way, but broke into a run. Horky ran out another door, and Houston fled through a third.

The puzzled holdup man hesitated, chased Johnson for a minute, then apparently gave up in disgust.

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