

House Defeats Sales Tax Amendment

Workers Will Canvass City Thursday For 'On-To-Abilene' Registration

Big Spring has been doing a lot of talking and planning about going after the 1940 convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce. Thursday morning several score men under eight team captains will move about town asking everyone "to get on the barrel-head."

Success of the local bid for the biggest convention held in West Texas every year now depends upon response of Big Spring people to make the Abilene trip, Dunham said.

"The groundwork has been laid," he added. "We either will turn out a delegation that will establish us as the big noise or the big fizzle in the convention eyes."

So Thursday at 9:30 a. m. when the teams of V. A. Merrick, C. S. Blomfield, Cliff Wiley, L. W. Croft, Elton Taylor, Albert McGee, Dan Hudson and Cal Boykin take to the field, Big Spring is urged to step in line for the march "On to Abilene."

MAN SCRAPS WITH HOLD-UP PAIR, THWARTS ROBBERY

An aging man's fortitude in combatting assailants and the barking of his German police dog frustrated an attempted holdup at a Big Spring filling station early Tuesday. Attacked by two men, Joe E. (Dad) Hill, keeper of the Co-Op station on North Second street, suffered head lacerations. Several stitches were taken to close a wound caused when Hill was struck on the head with a pistol.

Those who join in enlisting support of Big Spring people to boost this city at Abilene are urged to wear cowboy regalia to lend atmosphere and enthusiasm to the drive. In advance of the main portion of Big Spring supporters, who will go to Abilene as a gigantic motorcade Tuesday, B. Houser, Jane Tingle, Mary Ruth Dilz, Mrs. Thelma Willis, DeAlva McAllister, Wanda McQuinn, Clarinda Mary Sanders and Mary Vance Kenseater is preparing to impress West Texans with Big Spring artistry.

Advocates Of Proposal Lose Several Votes

Opponents Score Important Victory After Brief Debate

AUSTIN, May 10 (AP)—Foes of the sales-natural resource tax constitutional amendment passed by the senate triumphed a fourth time in the house today by a wide margin. The announced vote on the proposal was 84 ayes to 59 nays where as 100 favorable votes would be needed for its submission to the people this summer. Backers had claimed they had picked up strength since last week but mustered two fewer votes than on the third test.

FORMER TEXAS MAN PLEADS FOR FREEDOM



Robert Dreher, 40, arrested as a Texas jail fugitive in Schuykill Haven, Pa., where he had lived for 17 years, is flanked by his family here as he pleaded to Attorney General Claude T. Reno at Harrisburg, Pa., to refuse a Texas extradition demand. He argued he had paid his debt to society. Left to right, his wife, Dreher, Robert, 8, a son, and Dreher's mother, Irene, a daughter, is not shown.

Officers Are Named As Elks Lodge Formed

Big Spring had an Elks lodge again Wednesday following colorful institution ceremonies conducted under the direction of the Amarillo ritualistic team Tuesday evening in the W.O.W. hall. Named as excited ruler of the new lodge was Oscar Glickman. Other officers named were: Charles Frost, esteemed leading knight; Dr. Lee O. Rogers, esteemed loyal knight; Mark Harwell, esteemed lecturing knight; E. W. Larrimore, treasurer; Dr. E. O. Ellington, Victor Mellinger and L. L. Gulley, trustees; Jones Lamar, tiler; and Rev. Joseph Dwan, chaplain. The choice of a secretary was deferred until a subsequent meeting as was the selection of a permanent meeting place.

DRIVE LAUNCHED FOR CIVIC MUSIC

Campaign For 400 Members Follows Dinner Session

Doorbells and telephones will ring this week as prospective members will be contacted in the membership drive for the Big Spring Civic Music organization that began today following an organization dinner and meeting held Tuesday evening at the Crawford hotel ballroom. J. H. Greene, president of the association, acted as toastmaster. A talk was made by E. V. Spense, city manager, who pointed out that the city government was behind the move one hundred percent. Father Joseph Dwan made a talk on the benefits of music and expressed the desire that Big Spring would become a cultural and entertainment center. William R. Dawes, speaking for the workers, expressed his belief that "now is the time" for Big Spring citizens to work together to establish the association. Cliff Wiley speaking for the business men told that there were four requirements to life, food, raiment, shelter, and music and pointed out that music is the only art that we can discuss with all people regardless of race, color, or creed. Harlowe F. Dean of New York, representative of Civic Concerts, Inc., expressed first his appreciation for West Texas hospitality and commended the group for the work that had been done. He told that at the close of the drive Big Spring would be the newest art society in the United States and that the sound financial basis of this international movement would prove beneficial to community in years to come. He gave a short sketch of the history of the 20-year-old association. See CIVIC MUSIC, Page 10, Col. 2

Chamberlain Clarifies Bid To Russia

By The Associated Press Prime Minister Chamberlain disclosed in the house of commons today that Britain had asked Soviet Russian military aid in eastern Europe only if British-French forces already have been launched in any future conflict. Chamberlain's statement threw the first official light on Britain's latest efforts to gain Russian support in an attempt to offset the Rome-Berlin axis. The British minister's words were designed to clear up what he said was a misunderstanding of the proposals in Moscow. Previous British overtures were met by a Russian counter-suggestion for a broad British-French-Soviet alliance to guarantee Europe's small states. Britain looked hopefully to Russia for aid in maintaining the European status quo while Premier Mussolini bent his efforts toward razing Yugoslavia closer to the Rome-Berlin axis. London diplomats expressed confidence Soviet dissatisfaction over British security proposals could be overcome even though the official Soviet news agency, Tass, yesterday termed the proposals one-sided. Prince Paul, regent of Yugoslavia, and his foreign minister, Alexander Cincin, Markovitch, reached Rome on a state visit during which Mussolini was expected to apply new pressure for closer Yugoslav adherence to Rome-Berlin policies. Some diplomats thought Prince Paul would be reluctant, despite See CHAMBERLAIN, Pg. 10, Col. 4

CHARLEY ROSS?



Gustave Blair (above), 69, won from a county jury at Phoenix, Ariz., legal recognition of his claim that he is Charley Brewster Ross, kidnaped at the age of four in Philadelphia on July 1, 1874. Blair said he expected lucrative entertainment contracts to follow his victory. Members of the Ross family ignored the suit.

Seek Clues In Texan's Death

AUSTIN, May 10 (AP)—Peace officers scoured the country between San Marcos and Austin today for clues in the death of Tom Cleveland, 68, of Kyle, former Hays county commissioner and brother of Rep. E. J. Cleveland of Buda. Cleveland was last seen alive in San Marcos at 8 p. m. yesterday. An hour later Roy Ellis found Cleveland's car parked on the Blanco river low water bridge between the two cities. Blood spots marked a trail from the vehicle to the other side of the bridge where San Marcos officers discovered Cleveland's hat and wallet. A blood stained stick was nearby. San Marcos firemen two hours later recovered the former official's body in four feet of water. An examination revealed a cut on the left temple and skin abrasions on the left hand. State police said an inquest had not been completed. W. G. Riggs, investigator for the safety department, City Marshal Charles Jackson of San Marcos and the Hays county sheriff's office were working on the case.

66 Rescued As Ship Goes Down At Sea

WASHINGTON, May 10 (AP)—Admiral Harry E. Yarnell, Asiatic fleet commander, reported to the navy today the rescue of 66 passengers and crew of the British steamer Lindenbank which sank in the Sulu sea, Philippine islands. They were taken to Iloilo by the destroyer Pope. No lives were lost and all escaped injury. The Lindenbank sank, Admiral Yarnell reported, in water 3,000 feet deep at 10 a. m. today (8 p. m. CST last night), after being freed from a reef. The steamer, operated by the Bank Line of London, struck a reef on the south side of Arena island last night, and a large hole opened in the bow. Shortly after midnight the vessel was re-floated and proceeded on its voyage.

Weather

Table with weather forecasts for West Texas, East Texas, and temperatures for various locations. Includes columns for location, time, and temperature.

LONE BANDITS HOLD UP TWO BANKS IN TEXAS

Five Million Approved For Denison Dam

WASHINGTON, May 10 (AP)—Action of the house appropriations committee in reducing by \$50,000,000 today the amount it expected to recommend for flood control and rivers and harbors projects in the next fiscal year cut \$400,000 from the minimum recommendation for the Denison dam. The bill was finally reported to the house carrying \$5,000,000 for that project. Reporting the annual supply bill for the war department's civil functions, the committee added \$23,000,000 to the budget estimate of \$110,000,000 for general flood control. The latter figure included \$5,000,000 for Denison. Army engineers had said they would add \$600,000 if the appropriation were \$20,000,000 over the See DENNISON, Page 10, Col. 7

Push Efforts To Break Mine Deadlock

NEW YORK, May 10 (AP)—Soft coal operators and miners, seeking to comply with President Roosevelt's demand that they find by tonight a way to reopen closed mines in 26 states, today studied a definite formula designed to break their long deadlock. As representatives of the two sides met with federal conciliators after yesterday's conference, indications that the plan was being worked out were not clear. However, sources close to both groups said they saw no immediate possibility of a resumption of mine operations under a tentative agreement. Dr. John R. Steelman, director of the U. S. conciliation service, who has participated in the contract negotiations for several weeks, remained optimistic that an agreement of some sort would be reached. "I think you can reassure the country," he said, "that some settlement here is under way."

One Man Is Shot, Others Locked In Vault

SANTA ANA, May 10 (AP)—A robber held up the Santa Anna National bank today, locked two men in a vault, and escaped with about \$1,800. Sheriff George Robey said the man, wielding a pistol, forced Roy Richardson, teller, to hand over the cash, then locked Richardson and a customer, Stafford Baxter, in the vault. The robbery occurred during the noon hour. Robey said, and Richardson and Baxter were the only persons in the bank. He said officers were uncertain which direction the man took after the robbery, but authorities of surrounding counties and the state police had been notified. He described the man as being about 45 or 50 years old, weighing about 175 pounds, and 5 feet 8 inches tall. He was dressed in a dark suit and wore a dark hat. Adhesive tape was stuck on the right side of his nose and the right side of his face. The money was in bills of \$20 and smaller denominations. AT MAYPEARL, Tex., May 10 (AP)—A slender, nattily-dressed gunman slugged and shot W. D. Wilmon, 44-year-old president of the First State Bank here today, and escaped with an undetermined amount of money. Wilmon, shot in the back as he was going inside the vault at the direction of the holdup man, was rushed to a Waxahachie hospital to undergo an operation for removal of the bullet. Physicians said pending the operation they were uncertain of the gravity of his condition. The banker was alone when the robber entered during the noon hour, and complete details of the case were lacking. Deputy Sheriff Jess Cariker said a preliminary investigation showed the blonde young man, dressed in a suit, had a "stick" in his hand and then commanded him to open the vault. Cariker said it appeared Wilmon was shot just inside the vault. The banker was shot and struck over the head, possibly with the butt of the gun, Cariker said, as his back was turned.

TWO WEST TEXAS ARE INDICTED IN STAMP CASE

DALLAS, May 10 (AP)—Carroll Dickenson, West Texas automobile dealer, and one of his employees, Amos Walden, were indicted today on charges of conspiring to convert to their own use \$139 in postage stamps, loot in postoffice robberies. Seven of 18 instruments returned today were Lubbock cases, with held pending arrests. The remainder named a total of 18 persons. Dickenson and Walden were charged in the indictments involving them, with having discussed disposition of the loot with several named as co-conspirators and with having been implicated in negotiations for purchase of an automobile with the stamps as part payment.

Mills Dispute Brings Violence, Man Beaten

HOUSTON, May 10 (AP)—An employe of the Hewley Mills was severely beaten and six windows of the mill broken out last night when violence flared in a dispute between the mills and striking employes. Louis Shelton, 36, was in a hospital today. Doctors said he was believed to have a broken jaw-bone.

SAVINGS LOST IN PLAYHOUSE FIRE

It was a double loss that a group of children suffered when their brush playhouse at the rear of 604 Nolan was destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon. Besides consuming the playhouse before firemen could stop the damage, the blaze also played havoc with a bank containing 85 cents.

INSURANCE MURDER PLOTTERS COVER WIDE EASTERN SECTOR

PHILADELPHIA, May 10 (AP)—Two rings in the money market, selling death for cash or a percentage of insurance, reached from Philadelphia throughout the East to mask their crimes and find new clients, detectives disclosed today as they admitted they foresaw no end to the "endless chain" investigation. The highest official estimate of the possible victims of the rings has been "up to 100." Thirty-five to 40 known victims definitely are listed. Authorities frustrated even to guess how many more graveyards outside Philadelphia might hold bodies of men and women killed at the bidding of their kin or "friends." They summed up the rapid developments in their investigation and disclosed: 1. Twenty-four persons, half of them widows of alleged victims, are in jail on charges of murder or conspiracy. 2. Deaths have been traced as far back as eight to ten years through traces of poison in exhumed bodies. The deaths had been ascribed to natural causes. See MURDER RING, Pg. 10, Col. 1

MASONIC OFFICIAL WILL INSPECT HERE

Special ceremonies will mark the "official visit" of R. E. Stringfellow, district deputy, at the Blue lodge in the Masonic lodge Thursday at 8 p. m. In addition to special activities for the district deputy, who is a member of the Eastern Star will serve refreshments. Stringfellow made his official visit to the Lamesap lodge. He was accompanied by W. E. Carrick, Lee Parter and Elmer Boatner of the Blue lodge.

MAVERICK MAKES A 'COMEBACK'

Former Congressman Wins Santone Mayoralty

SAN ANTONIO, May 10 (AP)—Maury Maverick, jovial, wisecracking congressman of last year, stepped up today as San Antonio's brand new mayor, vindicated at the polls, happy in his victory and ready for next year's political joust. His hometowners, the people who knew his grandfather as a cattleman who gave the homeless cows in Texas his name, put Maverick back in public life yesterday by a big vote. They did it so effectively his arch political foe, C. K. Quin, the incumbent, conceded defeat with this simple statement: "I was run over by a herd of stampeding mavericks" (the term used by cowboy cattle that have strayed from the main herd). But that was not the whole story to the people of San Antonio. A Maverick was back in the saddle. The World war soldier, the statesman, the likeable Maury Maverick was back near the top, where he rode when times were good down here. "I'm going to be a stuffed shirt," said Maverick satirically today, "I got beat for congress for not being one." That was all he said to the news-

STUCK BY TRACTOR, LOCAL MAN INJURED

O. L. Sanders, residing in Settles Heights, employe of French & Pruitt, engineers, was brought to the Big Spring hospital Wednesday afternoon for treatment of injuries received at 11:30 o'clock when a tractor struck him while he was at work on the Dora Roberts ranch, 25 miles southwest of the city. Sanders, with other employes, had jacked the tractor preparatory to repairing the machine, when suddenly the tractor slipped from the jack, striking Sanders in the back. Extent of injuries had not been fully determined early Wednesday afternoon. French & Pruitt are constructing tanks on the Roberts ranch, and the workmen were engaged in bringing up dirt to build the dam.

MERCURY TO 95, SEASON'S HIGHEST

Summer weather is here, the thermometer said Wednesday afternoon. Mercury in the D. O. C. weather bureau's instrument at the airport had climbed to 95 at 1 p. m., highest mark registered this season; and there were prospects the temperature would be several degrees higher before sunset. Continued fair weather was forecast for tonight and tomorrow in West Texas.

Star Hurler, Sued For Damages, Denies Accusations

NEW YORK, May 10.—Paul Derringer, husky star pitcher of the Cincinnati baseball team, testified today that in order to make a long distance call to Cincinnati from Philadelphia in 1936 it was necessary for him to "shove as hard as I could" against Robert E. Condon, a 43-year-old industrial engineer. Derringer, defendant in a \$25,000 personal injury suit brought by Condon, said Condon was interrupting his call. The pitcher denied he was under the influence of liquor and denied, too, that he had attempted to break into a party between the hall from his Bellevue-Stratford hotel room, as the engineer had charged.

School Event Slated Friday

Annual county-wide seventh grade graduation exercises will be staged at the municipal auditorium at 8 p. m. Friday, it was announced today. Speaker for the occasion will be Dr. D. F. McConnell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. The West Texas trio, composed of Mrs. Willard Read, Ruby Bell and Mrs. R. E. Blount, will furnish a special number. In a departure from the usual routine, principals of the various schools will present the pupils in their charge who are to receive diplomas. The exact number of those to be promoted into high school was not known Wednesday. It may be upwards to 100. All pupils who are in figure in the exercises are to be on hand at 7:15 p. m. it was announced.

Body Found

DUNKERQUE, France, May 10 (AP)—Police announced today the finding of a body which they said had been identified as that of Herbert Paces, first mate of the American freighter City of Ocala, in a canal near Dunkerque port.



MAURY MAVERICK men when they told him he had won. The voters indicated, by their majority for Maverick and his fusion ticket of four commissioners who were swept into office See MAVERICK, Page 10, Col. 8

SOCIETY CLUB ACTIVITIES

THE WORLD OF WOMEN

FASHIONS ORGANIZATIONS

First Christian Homemakers Meet Tuesday Afternoon

Mrs. J. L. Milner entertained the Homemakers class of the First Christian church when it met in her home Tuesday for a monthly social and business meeting.

Buy From Your Grocer or Phone 1161 Snowwhite Creameries Inc. 404 E. Third

North Ward Plans Annual Picnic For May 19th

Summer Round-Up To Start Here On Monday Making plans for the summer round-up to begin Monday and appointing Mrs. Melvin Choate as financial chairman for next year.

Report on the benefit party provided sufficient funds for the picnic. A reading "Take a Tater and Wait" was given by Harry Weeg and the third grade pupils sang a song "Safety."

CALENDAR Of Tomorrow's Meetings THURSDAY ROYAL NEIGHBORS will meet at 2 o'clock at the W. O. W. hall.

Voice And Piano Pupils To Give Thursday Recital

Voice and piano pupils of Mrs. H. C. Broadus are to give a recital in the ballroom of the Settles hotel at 8 o'clock Thursday evening.

CARRIES LONE STAR FLAG TO FAIR



Lucille Walker, Dallas musician and composer, will ride ahead of 200 Texans who will parade Fifth Avenue May 22, Texas Day at the New York World's Fair.

Quiet Reigns After Rotary Convention

Whenever I have a reflection, I get an overpowering desire to tell someone and my confidant this morning was the man cleaning up the after-effects of the Rotary convention.

MANY TROPHIES



Miss Betty Jameson, 19-year old San Antonio lass, who recently won the annual Texas women's golf championship for the fourth time, is shown surrounded by some of her trophies at Austin. This Texas star is a likely candidate for the Curtis cup team this year.

Fifth Year Students At North Ward Give Afternoon Party

The social committee of the fifth year students of North Ward school entertained in the home of Miss Mildred Creath, teacher, Tuesday afternoon. The committee is composed of Mary Marguerite Hayworth, Willie Edna Karley, and Moselle Chapman.

Wes Robersons Give Forty-Two Party In Forsan Home

FORSAN, May 10 (Sp1) — Mr. and Mrs. Wes Roberson entertained a group of friends Monday evening with a forty-two party in their home on the Continental lease.

Mrs. Jake Bishop To Head Needle Painters Club

Mrs. Jake Bishop was named president and Mrs. Nell Hillard was elected reporter when the Needle Painters met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. C. E. Shive.

Mrs. Ed Allen Is Hostess To Dutch Luncheon Club

The No-Hostess, Dutch Luncheon club met Tuesday at the Colonial Hostess Room for luncheon and bridge with Mrs. Ed Allen as hostess.

Miss Bashara Weds W. C. Bell In Saturday Ceremony

Marriage of Miss Mary Bashara to William Colom "Buster" Bell of Big Spring Saturday night in San Angelo was announced Monday.

Reception At Church To Honor Gentrys

An informal reception for Mr. and Mrs. George Gentry, who will leave early in June for Temple to make their home, will be held at 8:30 p. m. today at the First Baptist church.

Circle One To Give A Mother-Daughter Affair

Circle One of First Christian Council will entertain with a Mother-Daughter banquet to be given at 8 o'clock Friday at the church.

Altar Society Makes Plans For Dinner

Making plans for a dinner and hearing reports on benefit bridge and forty-two party held recently, members of St. Thomas Altar Society met Tuesday at the rectory.

New Under-arm Cream Deodorant Stops Perspiration

ARRID Cream Deodorant. 1. Does not rot dresses—does not irritate skin. 2. No waiting to dry. Can be used right after shaving.

Senior Play Draws Large Crowd At Tuesday Evening Performance

More than 600 persons attended the senior play, "Well Met By Moonlight" at the city auditorium last evening and proceeds were approximately \$100.

Past Matron's Club Has Banquet At Masonic Hall

To appoint a visiting committee for May and for a banquet, Past Matron's club of Order of Eastern Star met Tuesday at the Masonic hall.

Dinner-Bridge Club Holds Last Meeting With Mrs. Staha

Mrs. Henry Covert and Mrs. O. C. Goodwin were included as guests when the Tuesday Dinner Bridge met for the last time this year with Mrs. Ruth Staha in her home.

Junia Johnson Will Receive ACC Degree

ABILENE, May 10—Clinton Davidson of Jersey City, N. J., noted insurance man and head of the Estate Planning Corporation, will deliver the commencement address to the Abilene Christian college graduating class Monday evening, May 29.

Monday Night Bridge Club Meets With Mrs. Harvey Smith

FORSAN, May 10 (Sp1) — Mrs. Harvey Smith was hostess to the Monday night bridge club this week entertaining in her home in the west Continental camp.

Busy Bee Club Meets With Mrs. Crocker

Mrs. H. V. Crocker was hostess to the Busy Bee club when it met in her home Tuesday for an afternoon of sewing. Guests included Mrs. Aaron Scott, Mrs. Harry Montgomery, Mrs. W. E. Schmitt, Mrs. E. W. Lowmore, and Mrs. Dora Scott.

Beta Sigma Phi Makes Plans For Area Council To Be Here In June

Making final plans for the district area council to be held here in June and discussing the annual encampment to be held in Christoval on June 2-4, members of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday in Jimmie Lou Goldman's apartment at the Settles hotel.

Good Times Club Meets For Lawn Party In Vernon Logan Home

A Spanish motif was used in the decorations when Mrs. Vernon Logan entertained the Good Times club Tuesday in her home with a lawn party.

Umbrella Tables and Chairs were Placed in the Yard and Members Talked and Visited.

Refreshments were served and the hostess was assisted by her daughter, Susan. Others attending were Mrs. Larson Lloyd, Mrs. J. C. Loper, Mrs. Joe Harrison, Mrs. E. T. Smith, Mrs. J. A. Coffee, and Mrs. Roy Cornelison.

Senior Play Draws Large Crowd At Tuesday Evening Performance

Good acting, clever lines, and an entertaining plot made for a successful play that was directed by Mrs. Thurman Gentry. The story revolved around Paul Powell, played by Alton Bostick, who endeavored to get a large contract from a wealthy prospect played by Bill Marlin.

Both male leads played their parts capably and Mary Nell Edwards as Pepper, and Billie Beas Shive as Lynette, gave good performances.

Others in the cast who turned in polished performances were Eddie Savage, Martha Ehlmann, George Hatch, Claire Lou Nummy, Ruth Jane Thompson, Kawana Smith.

Past Matron's Club Has Banquet At Masonic Hall

To appoint a visiting committee for May and for a banquet, Past Matron's club of Order of Eastern Star met Tuesday at the Masonic hall.

Games provided diversion and attending were Mrs. Susie Musgrove, Mrs. Nora Williamson, Mrs. Rachel Ivey, Mrs. Frances Fisher, Mrs. Mae Notestine, Mrs. Agnes Young, Mrs. Verda Mae McComb, Mrs. Ruby Read, Mrs. Edith Murdoch, Mrs. Annie Eberley, Mrs. Nettie Mitchell, Mrs. Trule Jones, Mrs. Dabney, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Beulah Carrick, Mrs. Lera McClenny, Mrs. Lula Leeper, Mrs. Lora Willis, Mrs. Emily Andrews, Mrs. Alice Smith, Mrs. Brownie Dunning, Mrs. Martha Parker, Mrs. Merle Dempsey, Mrs. Wyatt Eason, Miss Donnell, Mrs. Minnie Michael, Mrs. Rose Stringfellow, and Mrs. Audrey Boatler.

Five guests from Stanton also attended.

Mrs. C. M. Chesney is visiting in Jall, N. M., for several days.

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GROWING UP, England's Princess Elizabeth, who recently graduated from half socks to long silk stockings, poses with her favorite pony and a new riding habit. Reports say that Elizabeth already has manners befitting a future queen.

FINE CONVENTION, ROTARIANS SAY AS THEY BID FAREWELL AT CONCLUDING LUNCHEON

It was "Auld Lang Syne" that Rotarians and their ladies sang together Tuesday afternoon, as they stood in friendly farewell to conclude the annual conference of the 127th district, Rotary International; and as hundreds of visitors departed for their homes, host club members set about the task of "straightening up" after what most agreed was one of the most successful conventions the district has staged.

Final event on the three-day program was an All-Conference luncheon at the Settles hotel, attended by all who could find places in the Settles hotel ballroom. District Governor Linton Estes of Wichita Falls presided, and presented, during the program, Hiram R. Arrant of Abilene, his successor. Arrant accepted the post with a pledge to give the district governorship full attention.

Invitations from Sweetwater and Mineral Wells for the next conference were presented, and club presidents and secretaries will take ac-

tion on these bids when they meet for their district assembly.

Tribute to the retiring district governor and his wife was paid at the luncheon as they were presented with a handsome silver service. Estes, all but overcome with emotion when the gift was presented, expressed his appreciation for the fine support West Texas Rotarians had given him during his administration. Estes also was the recipient of a diamond-studded spur-type tie clip, and a similar gift went from the district to Frank C. Barnes of Marquette, Mich., Rotary International's emissary to the conclave here. Barnes, who made two addresses during the conference, voiced his delight at having been assigned to Texas Rotary conferences, and said he had found the traditional friendship and hospitality of the West during his visit in the state.

Formal committee reports were given at the luncheon, and the principal talk was made by Dr. R. Thomsen of Amarillo. Dr. Thomsen proved to be the "hit" of the convention with a masterful address before a plenary session Tuesday morning, when he talked on world affairs and Rotary's place in helping solve international problems. He was called upon for a repeat performance at the concluding luncheon session.

Ickes Denies Using Projects As Threats To Congressmen

WASHINGTON, May 10 (AP) — Secretary Ickes denied today he had ever used his position to influence the attitude of members of congress on legislation "by threats to withhold or promises to grant money" for public works projects. "Such a statement as this is an unqualified falsehood," the secretary said in a statement replying to statements in the house by Representative Elliott (D-Calif.) that the Public Works administrator had promised him projects for his district in return for support of legislation to create a new national park in California.

Nor, he added, "have I ever promised to support" a \$25,000,000 irrigation, power and flood control project—the Pine Flat reservoir—in the district of Representative Gearhart (R-Calif) in return for the latter's support of park legislation. "I have never made any promises with respect to any public works project," the secretary said, "except only the promise that I would consider all applications fairly."

PLANE TO MEXICO BROWNSVILLE, May 10 (AP) — An all-purpose military airplane (Lockheed) took off today (9 a. m. CST) for Vera Cruz, Mexico, on its demonstration flight to South America.

SENT ON ERRAND 31 YEARS AGO, HE FINALLY RETURNS

WHEATLAND, Pa., May 10 (AP) —Anthony Kesey completed an errand to the store for his mother but he was gone 31 years.

Mrs. Veronica Kesey answered a knock at her door yesterday and found her middle-aged son standing there with a jug of kerosene in his outstretched hands. They recognized each other instantly.

"I knew you would come back," sobbed the 70-year-old mother. "My prayers have been answered."

Kesey was just 13 when she sent him for the oil. He recalled starting to the store but decided to run away. Since then he had worked on western Pennsylvania farms and with a circus as a wrestler, never communicating with his family.

A desire to settle down at home for a while and "get acquainted" with his mother and relatives, caused Kesey to return. His father died during his absence.



GOING BAER HUNTING on June 1 is Lou Nova, shown in New York City as he began preparing for his bout with Max Baer in Yankee Stadium. He's looking over equipment for training quarters at Nyack, N. Y. Winner gets a shot at title.

Funeral Service Held At Gustine For Strickland

Funeral Services—34 Services were held in Gustine, Texas, Tuesday afternoon for Dan Clifford Strickland, 32, who succumbed here Monday afternoon following a major operation.

He had lived here for the past nine months, having been employed by Montgomery Ward & Co. and Kyle Gray.

Surviving were his widow; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Strickland of Gustine; two sisters, Mrs. C. T. McDonald of Big Spring and Mrs. T. L. Bolton of Gustine.

The body was taken overland Monday evening to Gustine in an Eberley funeral coach. Last rites were in charge of Rev. McGinnis, pastor of the Baptist church of which Strickland was a member, and the Masonic lodge, of which he was also a member, was in charge at the graveside in the Evergreen cemetery.

Mrs. Ervin Peters of Temple, Tex., is here visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Anderson, and Mr. Anderson for a week.

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Jodie Marek Tames Lubbock For 4th Win

Williams May Be Daffy But He Can Hit; Led Red Sox To 10-8 Win Over St. Louis

Jim Slattery, On Comeback, Says Harry Greb Was The Best He Faced

NEW YORK, May 10 (AP)—Jimmy Slattery, who the old-timers around cauliflower canyon still insist was the greatest boxer since Jim Corbett, sat in a little mid-town sandwich factory and talked uncertainly of his plans to do a comeback.

The state athletic commission, after a perfunctory physical examination, just had granted him a boxing license. Really, it meant only that the commission was willing to give the 34-year-old Jimmy a chance to see if he could get himself into any kind of shape. He'll have to pass another and stiffer exam late on.

Said the tired-looking ex-fighter: "Maybe I can get the old legs in shape again, and maybe I can't. If they don't come around I'll give it up, much as I need some money. I'm not going to let some young squirt knock my head off."

He's been working out for several days in a local gymnasium after more than five years of total inactivity.

Jimmy estimates he made at least \$400,000 in the ring. Once he received \$24,000 for fighting Jack Delaney in a six-round main event in the Garden.

"It doesn't seem possible for that much money to disappear," said Slattery. "But it just went. All the guys in the racket ask me now why I didn't save some of it, but they weren't around talking like that in the big days. I never heard of a trust fund like all these kids have nowadays."

"If I was as clever in those days as they say I was, it must have come naturally. I never liked the game, but it was easy money for a kid. I never had to take much punishment. See—there isn't a scar on my face. I was a pretty rotten fighter along toward the end, too."

Jimmy doesn't deny that he despised steadily. His handlers barely managed to get him upright and into the ring the night he was knocked out by Dave Shade. Yet he held the light-heavyweight crown and was beaten by Tommy Loughran only after 15 thrilling rounds.

"The toughest of them all was that Harry Greb," Slattery sighed. "My, the things he could do to you. He handled those boxing gloves like they were kid gloves, and it hurt every time he touched you. He knew more tricks than all the others put together."

Texan Beaten In Southern

PONTE VERDA BEACH, Fla., May 10 (AP)—Favoritism moved in an unbroken line into the second round of the Women's Southern golf tournament today.

Pacing the fast field was Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page, par-bus-ing medalist from Greensboro, N. C., and regarded by many as a certain finalist, who faced a steady stroking foe in Mrs. Forest Monstead of New Orleans.

Marion Miley of Lexington, Ky., last year's winner, encountered little trouble yesterday, hardly being extended in trimming Mrs. W. L. Pierce of Jacksonville, 7 and 5. Her opposition today came from Peggy Branch of New Orleans, who staged a stretch drive to overcome Mrs. E. E. Winger of Fort Worth, 2 and 1.

Two of four former Southern champions shooting for the 1939 crown, youthful Dorothy Kirby of Atlanta and Mrs. George Brantley of Blackshear, Ga., were matched in what was expected to be one of the day's hardest-fought battles.

AN EVEN CHANCE
PLYMOUTH, England, May 10 (AP)—Helen Jacobs arrived on the Manhattan today and predicted she had a 50-50 chance of winning the Wimbledon tennis singles, which she last won in 1938.

HOUSTONIAN COPS
HOUSTON, May 10 (AP)—Kenny LaSalle, 147, Houston, outpointed Freddie Zivie, 146, Pittsburgh, in a 10-round fight here last night.

Joe Gedzius, Ex-Hubber, Stars In Sports' 2-1 Win Over Oilers

By the Associated Press
Joe Gedzius came down from the Chicago White Sox and joined the Shreveport Sports of the Texas League Monday—and the Sports are happy about the whole thing.

In the ninth inning of a battle with the Oilers at Tulsa last night, Shreveport was trailing 2-1. Two were out. The Sports used three pinch-hitters. Vitter, batting for Horton, singled. Peck—for Eaves—beat out a bunt. Miller, at bat for Moore, grounded easily but filled the sacks when the Tulsa infield muffed it.

That was a story-book setup in any ball game, and Gedzius made the most of it. He smashed out a double that scored three men for a 4 to 2 victory.

In other games the Houston Oilers defeated the Oklahoma City Indians, 5 to 3; Fort Worth's Cats downed the San Antonio Missions,

Yanks Keep In Stride With Chi Scalp

By SID FEDER
Associated Press Sports Writer

The story goes that Ted Williams is the new president of the major league screwballs aid society.

One tale is that he hit a line smash deep to right center in one game, steamed around third base and headed for home as the coach frantically tried to wave him down. "Don't tell me," he said. "I got up here by myself, so I certainly don't need your help from here to the plate."

Then there's the one about the time he was planning on going A. W. O. L. on his minor league club of the moment and the manager, hearing about it, offered him a two-week vacation. The next day Ted showed up at the ball park, ready to play.

"How come?" asked the boss. "Oh, now that you offered me two weeks off, I've got nothing to squawk about, so I might as well play," was his reply.

Like Dean
But the story-tellers forget to mention one thing. That is, young Ted is only that way when he hasn't got a ball bat in his hands.

Dispy Dean in his wild and woolly youth was prey of the S. A. society only when he wasn't on the pitching mound. Once he was out there old Dix was a pretty shrewd article. So's Ted when he's standing up to the plate.

Perhaps right-handed Ed Cole didn't know that yesterday when Ted came to bat in the 10th inning, with the score tied at 1-1 between the St. Louis Browns and Boston Red Sox, and two on base. He tossed the ball, Ted belted it onto the roof of the pavilion and he and his mates closed a 10-8 Red Sox win.

That blow marked the second time the big loose-jointed kid has broken up a ball game in Boston's favor this year, and such socks are one of the chief reasons Mr. Tom Yawkey's Hub City crew is riding along in first place in the American league right now.

Retaliates
The Sox needed to win to stay in front, incidentally, for the Yankees, having been knocked down to second place the day before, got back at the Chicago White Sox with an 8-6 win. Those were the only two games in the junior circuit card, the others being rained out, as was the Pittsburgh-Boston party in the National league.

Headlining the senior circuit program was a wicard get together between the Chicago Cubs and New York Giants, with the expectancy of the same screwballs aid society, Mr. Jerome Herman Dean, enlivening the proceedings by getting himself shoed from the premises for "needling" the umpires. Dix wasn't working, just sitting on the bench tossing remarks. Four other Cub pitchers did the heavy duty and finally wound up with an 11-7 decision on a four-run eighth inning spurge.

The St. Louis Cardinals backed up Curt Davis' six-hit elbowing with an 18-hit attack to trample Brooklyn's no-punch Dodgers, 13-1, and climb into sole possession of second place in the league standings. Wally Berger found the range in Philadelphia, whacked a pair of homers and paced Cincinnati's revamped Reds to an 8-4 edge of the Phillies.

3 Frosh Help Bossox March

CHICAGO, May 10 (AP)—You hear on all sides that the major leaguers harvested a bumper rookie crop this season and Joe Cronin, pilot of the first place Boston Red Sox, would be the last to deny it.

The pinnacle position of the high-flying Sox is due considerably to the sensational work of three freshmen—outfielder Ted Williams, pitcher Woodrow Rich and third baseman Jim Tabor.

Cronin and his crew arrived from St. Louis last night after protecting their slim American league lead by defeating the Browns, 10-8.

Williams personally contributed the victory, smacking a three-run homer in the 10th inning to sew up the game. Rich has won two splendidly pitched games and lost none. Tabor, a rugged, aggressive player, has been off on his hitting but plugging the third base gap well.

Cronin said the early showing of Boston has given the players a lot of confidence and fight.

COMPLETE WORK FOR BATTLES

CHICAGO, May 10 (AP)—The pick of Europe's amateur fighters completed strenuous work today in preparation for their international bouts with the Chicago Golden Gloves team Friday night.

The Europeans will mix punches with virtually the same team that defeated the New York Golden Gloves squad, 9 to 7, several weeks ago.

Indiana Elton Kinney, rugged battler from Hartman, Ark., has been named captain of the Chicago team.

Barons Use 7 Hits To Gain 6-2 Triumph

Either Art Gigli Or Clarence Trantham To Work Tonight

LUBBOCK, May 10—Jodie Marek, who once was a part of the Lubbock scenery, turned against the home folks and pitched the Big Spring Barons to a 6-2 victory over Salty Parker's Hubbers in the series opener here Tuesday evening.

In chalking up his fourth triumph in a row Jodie handcuffed the opposition with five hits to shade Joe Sanderetto and Clovis Bridwell in a twirling duel. He was airtight until the seventh frame.

His mates used seven hits to good advantage, working across three runs in the fifth after breaking the ice with a tally in the third.

Billy Capps paced the Barons hitting attack with two doubles and a single, hitting when hits meant runs.

Johnny Taylor clouted out a home run for the Hubs in the ninth frame.

In the eighth Marek passed the first man to face him but leveled down to retire the side via the strikeout ruts.

Manager Tony Rego was slated to employ either Art Gigli or Clarence Trantham on the hill tonight against the Hubs. The one that doesn't work will be used against Clovis tomorrow night.

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Amarillo . . . 040 202 241—16 20 5
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At Clovis:
Midland . . . 210 000 010—4 9 7
Clovis . . . 302 124 033—16 19 3
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At Pampa:
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Pampa . . . 040 006 013—11 15 2
Baker, Reinold, Parks and Potocack; Hutton and Gyurason, Craddock.

PLANS FOR 6-MAN GRID LEAGUE TO BE DISCUSSED

Meeting Thurs. At High School Begins At 7

A representative group of the smaller schools of this vicinity is expected to be in attendance at the local high school Thursday evening when a discussion on a six-man football league will be held.

Designs for a league or leagues to take the place of the old Pioneer School Activities association are expected to be included on the program.

Roy Bedichek and Rodney Kidd, officials of the Texas interscholastic league, have dispatched word that they will be in attendance. Both will figure in the program.

Schools expected to have delegates in attendance are Garner, Foran, Garden City, Sterling City, Ackerly, Barnhart, Klondike, Courtney and Water Valley.

The session will begin at 7 o'clock.

Recreation News

In the Senior Boy's Recreation Softball league play Monday the Roosters defeated A. B. C. 22 to 4. The South Side team was forced to forfeit to the Mexican Tigers when only five players appeared for the game.

The small children enjoyed a party at A. B. C. park Monday afternoon.

A playground horseshoe tournament was conducted at East Side Monday afternoon. Awards were presented in sub-junior, junior and senior divisions.

William McCall, district supervisor of recreation, was a business visitor here Wednesday morning.

In a return game to be played at A. B. C. park Friday afternoon, the high school girls will meet the A. B. C. team at 4:30 p. m.

Junior boy's recreation softball league schedule for this afternoon: Moore at Mexican Falls; East Side at South Side; Roosters at A. B. C.

Ben Daniel's Roosters were undefeated in winning the first half of the league schedule.

Today's games open the second half play.

18 Drivers In Exclusive Club

Cummings And Gardner Killed Since Last Meeting

INDIANAPOLIS, May 10 (AP)—With its ranks hard hit by death, automobile racing's "100-mile-an-hour club," which calls itself "the most exclusive club in the world," sent out the call today for its annual meeting and there is not a single new member to fill the places made vacant by the deaths of two drivers since last May.

It's a club composed of automobile race drivers who have driven the full 500 miles of an Indianapolis motor speedway race at an average of 100 miles an hour or better.

In all speedway history—dating back to 1911—there have been only 24 men accomplish that feat. A few of them, such as Wilbur Shaw of Indianapolis, the club president, and Louis Meyer of Huntington Park, Calif., three time winner of the race, have done it several times but most of the drivers here for the 1939 race still are trying to win their club membership.

Only five drivers completed the full 500 miles of last year's race and all of them previously had qualified for club membership.

Six members, in all, have been killed—everyone of them in an automobile, either a race car or a pleasure vehicle.

The two killed since the last meeting were Chet Gardner of Long Beach, Calif., and William C. (Wild Bill) Cummings of Indianapolis.

Others who previously were killed were Bob Carey, "Stubby" Stubblefield, "Doc" McKenzie and Ray Fickey.

The 18 living members are Ted Horn, Kelly Pettilo, Mauri Rose, Meyer, Fred Frame, "Howdy" Wilcox, George Connor, Floyd Roberts, George Barringer, Cliff Bergers, Louis Tomal, Shaw, Lou Moore, Zeke Meyers, Russell Snowberger, Chet Miller, Billy Arnold and Dave Evans.

MATTER OF MUSCLE concerns the one-time sultan of swat, Babe Ruth, testing the home-run arm of Millie Dugan. Millie's the "Babe Ruth" of her woman softball team, the Americanettes, which welcomed the Babe's expert advice.



The Sports Parade

By HANK HART

Off stride since the first day of the season, the Big Spring pitching staff is expected to take a definite turn for the better Sunday when Johnny Soden, the Yakima right-hander, again becomes eligible to take his turn.

John was suspended last week when he developed a sore arm after setting Midland down, 16-3, in his only start. He made the mistake of throwing after but four days of working out but apparently a hot sun and plenty of work has put him in top shape again. He has been laboring hard since Tony Rego and the squad left and with Art Gigli, Jodie Marek, Clarence Trantham and Bill Brown should give the locals a pitching staff on a par with any in the league.

John won 12 games as a freshman in '38, maintained one of the best earned run averages in the league. One of his strong points lies in his ability to pitch with men on base. Too, he boasts a quick windup that keeps the runners guessing. In the Midland fracas not a man stole a base on him. Few executed steals on him last year.

Watty Watkins, who with Al Carr, came back to work in the Lubbock gardens this semester, is betting in cleanup spot for the Hubbers, doing a fair job of it. Watty had to take over due to the failure of Malcolm Stevens to hit consistently. Steve, third leading closter in the circuit last year, has been having a hard time.

Emmett Fullenwider's fourth spot hitting in the Lamesa lineup has been one of the major reasons for the Lobos' success. Since returning from the Evangeline league Emmett has been justifying Jodie Tate's faith in him by rapping the horseshoe for an average close to .400.

Outstanding factor in Pampa's early successes has been the "one-two" punch as supplied by Grover Seitz and Grover Nell. Nell is a former A-A ball player who by rights should be in higher company but has expressed a preference to live in Pampa and play ball.

There must have been 200 kids in baseball togery at Baron park Tuesday afternoon. All interested in Tony Rego's invitation for an American Legion baseball team, they have been drilling under Ben Daniel.

Some of them staged a warmup fracas with Robert Moore's Black Cats, drubbed them, 16-2, with Howard Hart's triple and two singles leading the bat parade.

Much interest has been emphasized in Rego's plan. With the cooperation of the local Legion post Tony hopes to find the time to match several games with outside opposition.

Dates for the Wink Invitational golf tournament have definitely been established for June 2-3-4. Entrance fee is \$2 and players trying for medal score must qualify on the Wink course. Others may

shoot on home courses and forward their scores to the club.

The Wink unit has doubled the size of its clubhouse since last year, has increased its membership considerably.

Doug Jones sacked up the title laurels last year.

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Work Toward Compromise Labor Law

WASHINGTON, May 10 (AP)—The National Labor Relations board and American Federation of Labor leaders put aside their dispute over administration of the Wagner act today to try to work out compromise amendments to the law.

Board officials, headed by Chairman J. Warren Madden, conferred for four hours yesterday with Joseph A. Padway, AFL general counsel, and John P. Frey, chief of the AFL metal trades department.

Although their discussions were kept secret, it was disclosed that Frey would postpone until Monday his testimony before a senate committee studying revision of the Wagner act. He was to have been the next witness in support of far-reaching amendments demanded by the AFL.

The CIO, which has opposed any changes in the labor law, was quick to criticize the compromise negotiations. The CIO general counsel, Lee Pressman, talked with John L. Lewis, then issued a statement charging the AFL was "pleading for mercy and trying to make a back-door deal" with the board.

These were conflicting reports as to whether the labor board or Padway initiated the surprise conference.

The CIO contended Padway proposed it, but AFL President William Green said Charles Fahy, general counsel for the board, had "approached" Padway several days ago and asked him about a few AFL amendments which appeared similar to certain changes which the board suggested should merit committee consideration.

These included proposals to give employers the right to file petitions for collective bargaining elections, revise the board's power to determine the appropriate bargaining unit, restrict its power to invalidate contracts, and fix a time for hearing complaints.

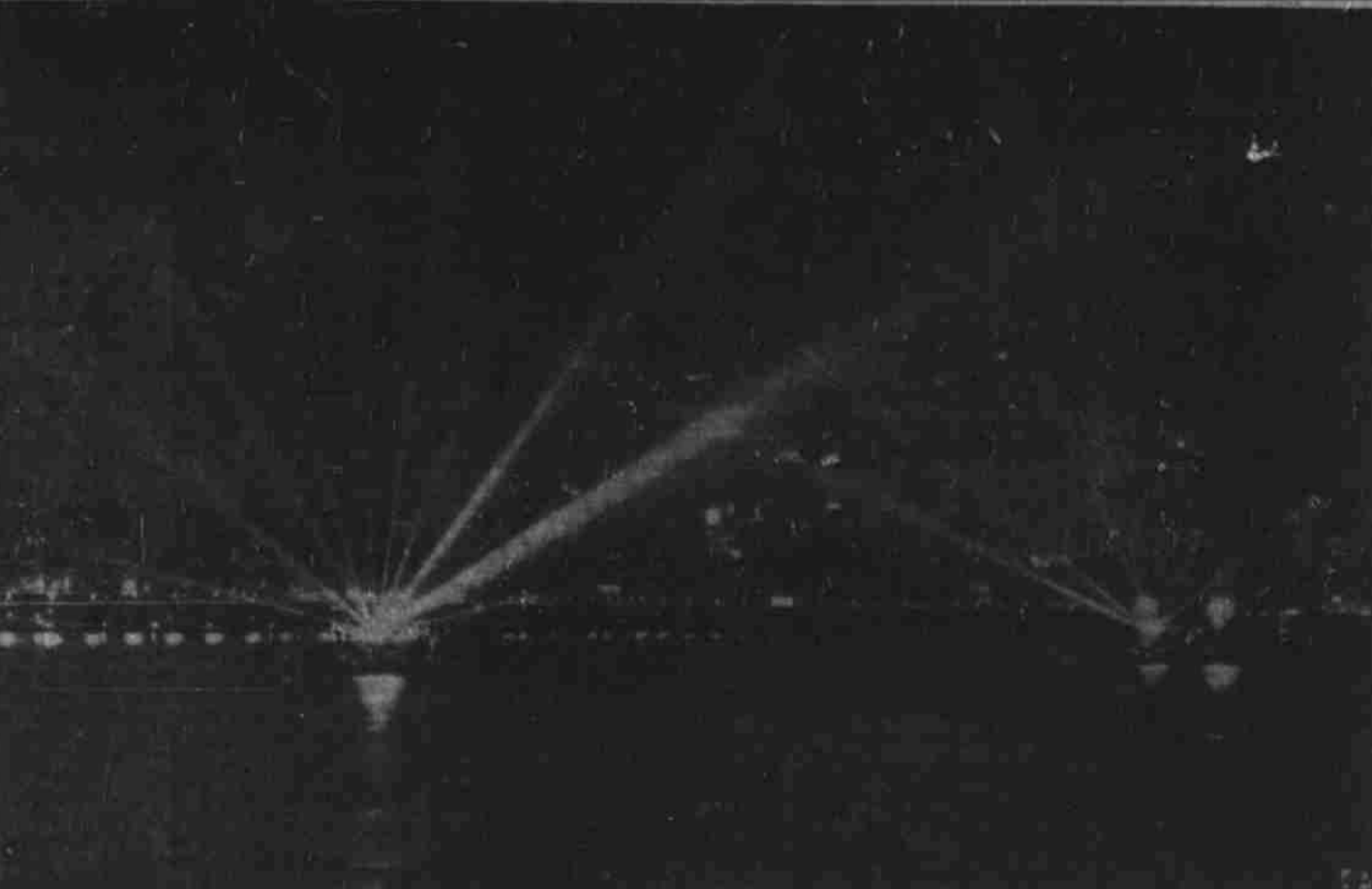
Besides seeking to modify the law, the AFL has contended the labor board was partial to the CIO. The board has denied this charge and has opposed any fundamental changes in the Wagner act.

High Court Rules In Humble's Favor In Gas Rate Case

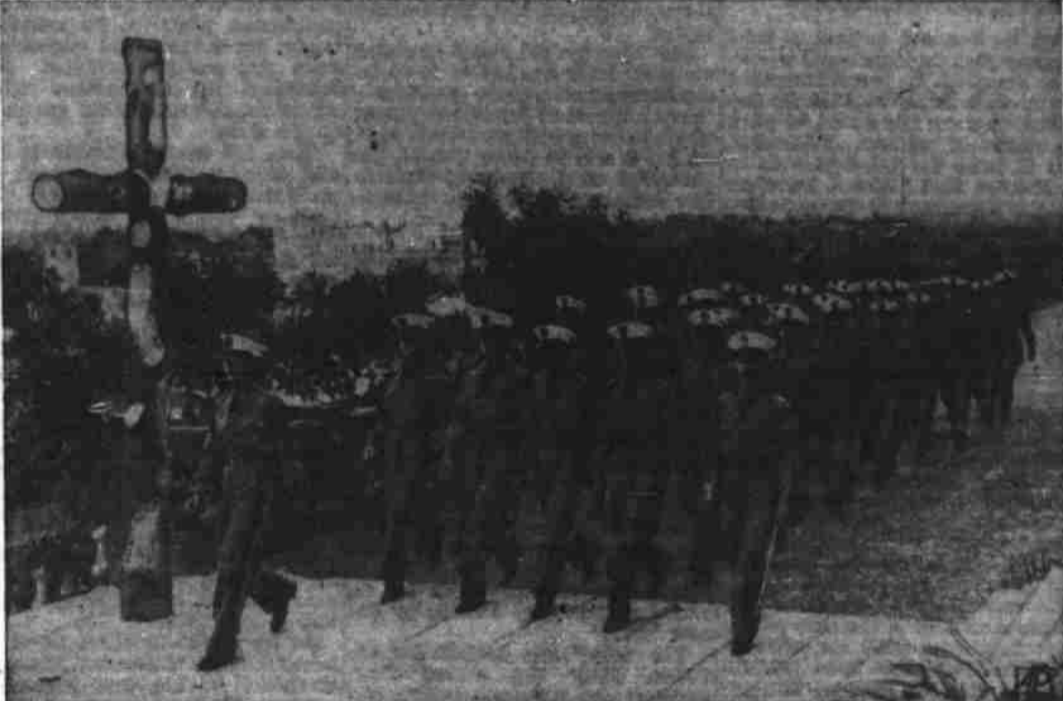
AUSTIN, May 10 (AP)—The supreme court today reversed an appeals court judgment and affirmed a trial court's ruling granting injunctive relief to the Humble Oil and Refining company from a gas price-fixing order of the railroad commission.

By contract the Humble company had agreed with the M. & M. Pipe Line company to sell the pipe line gas at the rate of eight cents for 1,000 cubic feet, which price the commission later ordered reduced to five cents.

Humble attacked the order on grounds the commission was without potential jurisdiction to issue it, that the commission did not have before it all the necessary parties to authorize and exercise its rate-making jurisdiction and that the price set was unreasonable and confiscatory.



WHAT SECRETS THE SKY HOLDS are probed by the great anti-aircraft searchlights of two U. S. battleships at anchor in the Hudson river, New York. This view of rays spread fan-like across the sky gave a thrill even to jaded New Yorkers whose interest in the visiting fleet has been so great that 15,000 persons were turned away the first day of public inspection.



THE AMERICAN WAY of military training marks drill of these young soldiers being trained by Capt. F. H. Boos of the 65th U. S. Infantry at San Juan, Puerto Rico. The men eventually will join the R.O.T.C. Puerto Rico is that U. S. territorial island for which the establishment of a great naval and submarine base was recently proposed, in a Panama Canal defense plan.

NEWS NOTES FROM THE OIL FIELD COMMUNITIES

Robert Byers of Mineral Wells is the house guest of his sister, Mrs. Wes Roberson and Mrs. Roberson, this week.

Harry Stewart of the Stewart ranch in Borden county was a Foran visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hardy Morgan entertained a group of friends with a barbecue supper Sunday night. Included in the group were: Gonda Gillis of Petersburg, Ussery Meek of Lamesa, Mrs. L. F. Keisling, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. McKinney and son Pat, J. B. McKinney of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Young have moved back to the community and are employed as caretakers of Mrs. Dora Roberts ranch home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hines visited Mr. Hines' sister Mrs. Woodrow Spear and Mr. Spear in Sweetwater Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Chambers are visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chambers in Wink. E. J. Grant is working in Kern's this week.

Rev. Ham filled the Baptist pulpit here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hobbs attended the golf tournament in Odessa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lane and family have been transferred by the Couden Oil company to Levelland.

Mrs. Edna Pierson and children have moved back to Foran and Mr. Pierson has accepted position as clerk in the local postoffice.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Ray and children of Odessa visited Mrs. Ray's sister, Mrs. Vera Harris, Sunday.

TO CONSIDER FUNDS FOR HIGHWAY TO PANAMA CANAL

WASHINGTON, May 10 (AP)—The house military committee plans action Tuesday on a request it recommends authorization of a \$1,500,000 appropriation for construction of a new highway linking the Panama canal zone with important defense outposts.

Brig. Gen. George V. Strong, assistant chief of staff of the army, told the committee yesterday the road would be an important link in the inter-American highway from Laredo, Texas, to the canal zone. The road, recommended by President Roosevelt after a visit to the canal zone last year, would connect with the army's new 19,000-acre air field at Rio Hato, Panama, the staff officer said.

New York Fair Is 'Tops', Mrs. Grau Says After Trip

Mrs. Ludwig Grau, back from a five week's visit in the east, is of the opinion that New York's world fair stands out head and shoulders above any previous affairs of that kind.

Highlight of the mammoth exhibit, she said, is the spheroid which houses the "City of Tomorrow," the thing which develops the fair theme. Approach to the huge diorama, she said, is by escalators which carry spectators to heights permitting a sweeping view of the entire grounds.

Crystal-clear glass retaining walls give the sensation of rising almost in mid-air to the spheroid, said Mrs. Grau. Inside, a revolving deck carries the visitor around the spectacular diorama—"The City of Tomorrow"—and creates the sensation of looking down upon the futuristic metropolis from thousands of feet in the air. Above, the diorama top is a perfect reproduction of the heavens.

While the remainder of the fair is unlimited in its scope, some of it is yet incomplete, according to Mrs. Grau. However, it is now far enough along to make the Philadelphia sesquicentennial, which she witnessed, look almost like a country fair.

AUTO CLUB MANAGER IN WARNING AGAINST FALSE SOLICITATION

Jack Douglas, general manager of the South Plains Automobile Club, has issued a warning to Big Spring people concerning certain professional "fleecers" who are taking advantage of his recent arrival in Big Spring to represent themselves in his capacity, using his name. They have obtained a number of memberships in the auto club, he said, asking exorbitant sums for these memberships through the explanation that increases in organization expenses have demanded an increase in the price of memberships.

Douglas urges people to make sure of the identity of such representatives before turning over any money. A telephone call to the South Plains Automobile Club in the Crawford hotel will verify credentials.

Bona fide application books are numbered in triplicate with the AAA emblem on the sheets. Douglas also urges that all checks be made payable to the South Plains Automobile Club, rather than to individuals, as the banks have definite instructions about payment on checks made to the Auto Club.

FLEEDS GUILTY

Bert Chandler, charged with an aggravated assault upon Hayward Dawson, entered a plea of guilty before County Judge Charles Sullivan Wednesday and was fined \$25 and costs. Total amount was \$48.55.

APPROVE BONDS FOR CITY OF WACO

AUSTIN, May 10 (AP)—Attorney General Gerald C. Mann today was ordered by the supreme court to approve and certify bond issues totaling \$597,000 for the city of Waco.

The writ of mandamus requested by Waco city officials commanded the attorney general to certify to the state comptroller an issue of \$219,000 Waco refunding bonds, series A, and an issue of \$378,000, series B.

The court agreed with the attorney general that an accumulated \$41,000 in the city treasury be used to retire that amount of \$419,000 series B bonds.

The attorney general had declined to approve the issues because of questions raised by buyers.

VISITOR HERE

Mrs. Leo Turner, Stanton, was here Wednesday visiting with her sister and mother, Frances Rogers and Mrs. Flora Rogers. Mrs. Turner and Miss Rogers plan to leave Wednesday for Dallas where Mrs. Turner will do buying for her women's shop in Stanton. Miss Rogers will continue to College Station for the senior ring dance of the Texas A. & M. college.

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IS RETIRING

Dr. W. L. Simmons, who has been practicing here for the past decade, is retiring.

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HOW NOT TO GET A CONVENTION

Citizens of the city will be called upon tomorrow, to signify their support of Big Spring's effort to bring the 1940 convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce here, through purchase of registration badges for the forthcoming WTCC convocation scheduled at Abilene next week.

The registration badges are only \$1 each, a small enough sum for the individual citizen to put out as his share toward putting Big Spring in an outstanding position as a convention participant. There may be many who cannot go to Abilene—although local civic leaders hope at least 500 will join a motorcade next Tuesday—but their badges can be used by band members and other entertainers who will play a major role in turning attention of Abilene conventioners to Big Spring and its invitation.

Arrangements already have been made for the city to share in most of the convention activities. There will be a "Miss Big Spring" in the WTCC revue; the town will have its "Home Town" speaker in the regional contest; a Howard county entry will appear in the Convention and Industrial Development Parade; many of the city's singers and other artists will appear on programs, and the band will help add to convention color. The city's WTCC directors will be on hand to represent us in convention business affairs; special headquarters space has been arranged.

About all that remains to be done is to see that Big Spring has a big representation at the Abilene convocation, and overwhelming representation, if you please, to let West Texans know that here we have a live, wide-awake town which is cognizant of the significance of the West Texas chamber of commerce, and which is prepared—and anxious—to entertain its next annual gathering.

We cannot offer any certified recipe for landing a WTCC convocation, if you please, to let West Texans know that here we have a live, wide-awake town which is cognizant of the significance of the West Texas chamber of commerce, and which is prepared—and anxious—to entertain its next annual gathering.

We need to "steal the show" ourselves. Every Big Spring citizen interested in seeing his town get ahead on the West Texas map will respond to the WTCC registration appeal, and then line up to do his part in an impressive showing at the Abilene convention next week.

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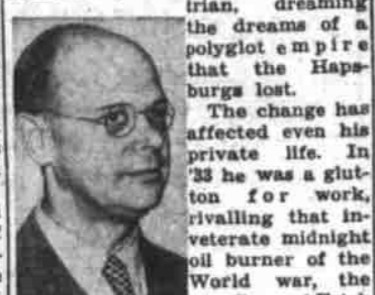
Trailer Tintypes



Hitler Seen As A Changed Man; Now He Is Dreaming Of The Hapsburg Empire

The writer of this article describing the new Hitler has just been awarded the Pulitzer prize for distinguished foreign correspondence. A member of the AP's Berlin staff since 1924 and its chief since 1928, he has had an excellent opportunity to observe Hitler's career from its very start.

By LOUIS P. LOCHNER BERLIN, (AP)—The Adolf Hitler of January 30, 1933, when President Paul von Hindenburg asked him to form a cabinet, was very different from the Adolf Hitler of May, 1939, as he enters his fifties. In 1933 he was essentially Prussian, a successor to the Hohenzollerns. Now, he is rather more Austrian, dreaming of the Hapsburgs.



LOCHNER tells guests from the stage and screen world what a wonderful place his new chancellery is.

The change has affected even his private life. In 1933 he was a glutton for work, rivaling that inveterate midnight oil burner of the world war, the late General Erich Ludendorff. He could toil all day and most of the night. Now he relaxes frequently, be it in his hide-out on top of the Kehlstein mountain, in his chalet above Berchtesgaden, in the Dreesen Hotel in Godesberg-on-the-Rhine, or even in busy Berlin.

When he assumed power in 1933, pompous Prussian military marches alternated with heavy Wagnerian operatic strains as Hitler's musical food. Today, snappy marches still resound wherever he shows himself in public; and he still hears "Der Meistersinger" and other masterpieces of Wagnerian art. But Hitler's Austrian descent now breaks through, as it were, and leads him to places where the lighter arts of dance and vaudeville and comic opera hold sway. Miriam Verne and Marion Daniels, American dancers; Billy McCoy and Eddy Lavalle, American acrobatic humorists are among the stars of the dance and vaudeville who have performed before Der Fuehrer recently. He has been visiting theaters in which farces and skits are given. He has seen several performances of Franz Lehár's "Merry Widow." He has repeatedly visited the club house of the artists and chatted amiably with such stars of screen and stage as Zarah Leander, Emil Jannings and Leonora Ulbrich. After finishing the draft of his



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momentous reply to President Roosevelt's plea for peace, Hitler relaxed by going to the Metropole (in a tuxedo instead of a uniform) to watch Miriam Verne perform again.

Hapsburg Attributes In 1933, social life was dull at the capital. President von Hindenburg was aging, and few and far between were the dinners and receptions given at the German "White House." And over at the Chancellery, Bachelor Hitler was so engrossed in tasks of state that old party comrades considered themselves lucky if they were asked to stay for the daily luncheon round-table over which their Fuehrer presided. The four months of 1939 have seen a succession of dinners and receptions and parties and musicals in the splendid new Reich's Chancellery, a stately building constructed after Hitler's own heart and expressive of Der Fuehrer's conception of German importance and grandeur. But Adolf Hitler not only has become more Viennese. Strange as it may sound, he has taken on the attributes of a family upon which he never loses an opportunity of heaping scorn—the Hapsburgs. When Hitler took over in 1933, it was considered almost an insult to Der Fuehrer to speak of him as an Austrian. Ardent Nazis went out of their way to explain that he was Austrian merely by the accident of birth; that in reality he was German through and through, more like the Prussian Frederick the Great than anybody else.

From the moment that Austria was joined to Germany, Hitler himself said again and again that he was supremely happy to have brought his home back into the world.

There are 260 bridges in the city of Venice, Italy. IN FORT WORTH Elmer Potter, superintendent of Corder Petroleum corporation, left Tuesday evening via American Airlines plane for Fort Worth, where he will remain several days on business.

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On The Record

By Dorothy Thompson

(Miss Thompson's column is published as an informational and news feature. Her views are personal and are not to be construed as necessarily reflecting the editorial opinion of The Herald-Editor's staff.)

THE REVOLUTION OF NIHLISM

OF THE disposition of Danzig is being discussed a book has come at last to my hands for which I have been waiting for some time. It has not yet been translated into English and I hope it will be gotten out at once.

The author was formerly president of the Danzig senate. He is a German landowner. He is not a Jew. He is not a communist. He is a German patriot. He does not believe in the Treaty of Versailles or in the post war system represented in the League of Nations and Franco-British hegemony. He is a German nationalist who wants to see Germany become again a great country.

He was once a national socialist, because he believed that national socialism would restore order in Germany, and right justice.

But he has not written a brief to prove that Danzig should be given to Germany. He is not interested in any such minor matter. He has written to warn the world, to warn the whole of western civilization, that it faces the greatest crisis in its history; that national socialism is not a movement to obtain justice for Germany inside the framework of western civilization; that it is not a movement representing German nationalism; that it is not a movement which will restore order and unity to western civilization; that it is not a movement which will be a bulwark against bolshevism; that it is not even the "totalitarian state"—nor a state at all, but it is that apocalyptic thing "the total revolution"; the permanent revolution; dynamism, in which movement exists for the sake of movement.

He warns that it cannot come to rest, that it cannot be appeased. He calls it the revolution of Nihilism. And that is the title of the most important book on national socialism which has been published since Heiden's history. The author is Hermann Rausing. You will find the book on the desks of such British foreign office officials, such American state department officials, such French publicists as can read German. It has had no popular reading but it has had an enormous political influence.

For Hermann Rausing has had to make a choice; whether openly to desert the regime which claims to be the legitimate government and purest expression of Germany; whether to become, in other words, that hardest thing for a German to endure being called—a renegade; whether to do this in a time of international crisis; whether to announce that, above being a German, he is a European—and as a German, a preserver of western civilization; or whether to say, "My country right or wrong, and keep still."

He has decided to speak. Hermann Rausing was in the national socialist movement; like all Germans he wished to see Danzig restored to the Reich. He became president of the Danzig senate. Then he was ordered by the party to complete the total Nazification of Danzig, to begin the wholesale rule of the Catholics and Jews, and when he saw what faced him—namely, the extermination of every principle which he believed that Germany shared with the rest of western civilization and the adoption of the tactics of nihilistic nihilism, he resigned, crying to himself, "I have been lied to and betrayed!"

He kept his peace for a long time. Now, in self-imposed exile, he has spoken to tell the world that it is being lied to and betrayed—that "Every attempt to maintain even superficially the fiction of an evolution toward a legal condition of affairs, must fail, because it takes no account of the essential tendency of the dynamic revolution, the tendency which is the opposite pole of any legal social order, and which is the progressive dissolution of all historical values into total nihilism." "The attempt of these times," he says, "is to come to terms even with the unbearable out of fear that what is coming will be even worse. But before the question what will be a better, or perhaps worse one, stands the decisive question: what inevitably must become of a certain development if it is simply left alone to its own tendencies?" And he comes to the dismaying conclusion that what must come of the nihilism of the German revolution is chaos and the most appalling collapse.

"What is this revolution?" he asks. "A breaking loose of the nation, which shows the sharpest signs of a radical all-inclusive revolution; outwardly discipline and order, behind them the destruction of all the elements of order in the nation; violent outer feuds of work which cannot cover the plunder and the destruction of material intellectual and spiritual values produced through generations; an insupportable activity which cannot any longer conceal its inner anarchy." "What is this Third Reich in reality—the beginning of a new order or dissolution? National renascence out of the historical powers in the nation, or progressive permanent revolution, or complete nihilism, with which dictatorship of violence pulls itself in power?" And he answers that it is the latter.

It is interesting that he uses the word "Shigalovism" to describe the progressive Nazi revolution. The word was once used by this column to describe both the German and the Russian revolution, in its latter-day phase. Shigalov was the nihilist revolutionary in Dostoevsky's "The Possessed," who fanatically advocated the total destruction of every intellectual and spiritual value of civilization, as the means of paving the way for a new order of things, which would come about when rain had been complete.

But Rausing is not writing polemic. This is a carefully documented book. In it he describes both the inner nature of the Nazi "world philosophy," which he reveals, is not a philosophy at all, but a surrogate religion, based on the slogan and mass hysteria, covering a coldly logical tactic; he analyzes the tactic itself, which is the revolution; he reveals its goal, which is nothing less than the conquest of the whole world by this tactic; and he reveals the form of organization of the revolution-carrier, the party and its leader. He does not think that the death of Hitler will dissolve this movement. On the contrary, he reveals that the Fuehrer dead may prove to be more potent than the Fuehrer living.

For already the myth is being carefully built up. Hitler is to be the Messiah of organic evolution—the anti-Christ of the will to power, which is not a will to national power, but a will to power per se, the liberation of the lustfully destructive from any inhibitions whatsoever.

TWO AGAINST LOVE

by Frances Hanna

Chapter 11 BOTH SIDES OF THE FENCE Bob Russell nudged his car up to the garage doors and blasted his horn twice. Nothing happened. He climbed out and peered inside the garage. Both Jocelyn's car and Thorn's were gone. He grinned and ran thin brown fingers through his hair. Why should he expect them to be home when he hadn't let them know he was coming? Opening the rumble-seat of the roadster he took out his tennis racket, sweaters, and pigskin bag. Turning toward the house he spied the eight-foot fence, completed, but not yet painted.

He laughed with ironic amusement and went on into the house. "Humphreys!" he called, hearing the echo of his own voice through the silent rooms. "What the devil?" he muttered; then remembered it was Thursday, the servants' day off. Lynn and Thorn were no doubt at the club for the day. He was hungry and tired. He did not want to go to the club. He was weary of people; his kind of people. He had won his first two matches at the Los Angeles meet and lost his second two. He had been, alternately, a conquering hero at the mercy of society matrons; and a vanquished hero at the mercy of commiserating friends. He had disliked both roles. He only played tennis because it was clean sport and vigorous exercise and if he lost to a worthy opponent it bothered him not at all. He cared little for fame or its perquisites. However, he reflected wryly, his friends and supporters were not so philosophical. He mimicked in imagination what would happen should he go back to the club: "Bob, old man," someone would say, clapping him on the back—the hated being clapped on the back—"rightfully sorry about your beastly loss. Must have been off your game, eh? Well, you'll show them next time. We're all for you! We're betting on you, old man!"

And he would say: "No, I wasn't off my game I never played better. Markey beat me because he is a better player." And then: "That's sporting of you to say, Russell, but we know it isn't so. You're the best in the West! Some one, have a drink... I dropped a few hundred on you but I'll never miss it..." "To the devil with all of them!" he said now, going slowly up to his room. "I'm sick of being treated like a rascal!"

As he passed Jocelyn's room he heard a faint "Meowr..." and a scratching on the door panels. "Hello, Tex!" he exclaimed, opening the door. "What are you doing in here?" The big white cat extended his forepaws along the carpet and stretched lazily, then strode steadily toward the back stairway. Bob watched him go; hesitated a second; went after him and scooped him up under one arm. "Cat," he declared, "you may be the means of putting food into my mouth."

Bob knocked on the door of the Mack's kitchen, holding tightly to the indignant Tex. Gretchen opened the door; flushed with pleasure when she saw Bob. "Oh—you got back—cat like me?" "He will; if you toss him up over your shoulder." "Bob did; with the result that Tex relaxed his limp contentedly. "I had no idea cats were such rugged individuals," Bob said, looking over Gretchen's head at the other members of the family grouped around an omelet-covered table. "May I come in?"

Soowl On His Face Mrs. Mack, carrying a steaming platter of steak and onions from the stove to the table, looked at him and beamed. "Come right in, Mr. Russell. We always have our dinner in the middle of the day. Most folks do when they live on a farm because the men are good and hungry at noon-time after working since sunrise." Bob sniffed the tantalizing odors of hot bread, steamed and buttered cabbage, fried meat and onions. He liked the clean, shiny look of the white cloth and the substantial thickness of the cheap white plates and cups. He wanted desperately to ask an invitation but the soowl on young Talbot's face made him hesitate.

Tally lifted a small piece of meat to Betty's plate and cut it into squares. He said, challenge in his tone: "Isn't all this rather piebald to a Russell?" "No," said Bob, "it isn't. I'm hungry and it looks good." "Well, why didn't you speak up before?" Gramp demanded, piling potatoes and cabbage on his plate. "Draw up a chair and set." "Thank!" Bob wedged in between old Mack and Gretchen. Without another word, he reached for what he wanted and proceeded to eat with enjoyment. "I wish you folks would call me Bob," he said between mouthfuls. "Maybe I am a Russell, but you shouldn't hold that against me. I can't help it. In fact, I had nothing to say about it. It'd just as soon be a Smith or a Jones. How about some more cabbage, Gramp?" "Sure, Bob," the old man chuckled. "I kept telling 'em you ain't like them other two. Josie's all right 'cept she's chock full of highfalutin' notions."

"Sure," agreed Bob good-naturedly, "but when I tell her that she of western civilization, and from Russia, in conjunction with whom, as Rausing rightly fears, it would create the apocalypses of civilization." "Die Revolution des Nihilismus," Hermann Rausing; Europe Verlag—Zurich, New York.

"I think your sister will tell you I'm no gentleman," Tally retorted. "Okay, Bob, you win." A few minutes later they plunged into the pool, raced each other to the farther end, then turned their backs and floated lazily. "I never thought your trunk would fit me," Tally said. "I'm heavier than you." "Maybe twenty pounds or so, but I'm as tall as you. I'm so raven-boned I look skinnier than I am. No matter what I put on I look gangly—all feet and hands and Adam's apple! But my clothes would fit you, I'll wager. He eyed the other man's muscular body, noting the broad shoulders, tapering waist, and narrow hips. "You've got the perfect build for a half-back."

Tally did not answer. Something, perhaps, he might tell Bob that he had played half-back for Texas University; not now. Even to himself it was difficult to explain why he was so determined to be a rough, untutored farmer; accepting him as such or not at all. (Copyright, 1939)

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Two Games At Park Tonight

The two games of the Mury softball league schedule, originally scheduled to be played Tuesday evening at the city park, will take place tonight.

Anderson's Devils will seek their season's first victory in a match with McGee's Super Service while Top Hat engages Lone Star Chevrolet in the aftermath.

The opener will get underway at 7:45 o'clock.

The games were postponed due to conflict with a civic function.

TEXAS LEAGUE LEADERS

By the Associated Press

Individual batting (50 or more AB):

	AB	H	RA
Lucadello, SA	116	45	358
Easterling, OC	103	38	369
Chatham, FW	95	35	368
Criscola, SA	90	33	367
Franklin, B	94	33	351
Paul, ST	75	26	347
Mullin, B	52	18	346
Runs—Lucadello, San Antonio, 25; Chatham, Fort Worth, 25; Landrum, Shreveport, Easterling, Oklahoma City, 22.			
Hits—Lucadello, San Antonio, 45; Washington, Shreveport, 43.			
Two-base hits—Gerlach, Shreveport, Scoffie, Houston, 11; Mort, Dallas, Scoffie, Houston, 10.			
Three-base hits—Washington, Shreveport, Corbett, Oklahoma City, Criscola, San Antonio, 4.			
Home runs—Cullop, Houston, 6; Stroble, San Antonio, 4.			
Stolen bases—Meths, Fort Worth, 11; Stroble, San Antonio 7.			
Runs batted in—Washington, Shreveport, 27; Easterling, Oklahoma City, 22.			
Innings pitched—Links, San Antonio, 61; Eaves, Shreveport, 55.			
Strikeouts—Eaves, Shreveport, 45; White, Houston, Manders, Beaumont, 30.			
Games won—Glatto, Dallas, McDougall, San Antonio, Eaves, Shreveport, Prince, Oklahoma City, White, Houston, 5.			



THAT MILLION DOLLAR LOOK! While Doris Duke Cromwell, oft-called "richest girl in America," inspects the handwork shown by Mary Drillon at the metropolitan junior achievement convention in New York, Countess Hauwits-Reventlow, dime store heiress and the former Barbara Hutton, smiles at "Dippy Diers," who sells flowers in the audiences at "Heltzapoppin'."



50,000 CAN'T BE WRONG, and when those 50,000 sandlot baseball nines swing into action this month, nearly 500,000 semi-pro players will be launching their 1939 season, which ends at Wichita, Kas., Aug. 11-23. Wichita's "opener," a game matching players under 18 against men over 50, interests, left to right: Carl Shapley, White Sox Veteran Frank Isbell and Jim Strong.

Gilded Knight New Favorite

J'own's Mate Wins Preakness Test At Pimlico

BALTIMORE, May 10 (AP)—The odds looked better than ever today for Sunny Jim Fitzsimmons to take the Preakness with a powerful one-two punch—Johnstown and Gilded Knight.

These — William Woodward's great Kentucky derby winner and Wheatley stable's up-and-coming colt—both are trained by Sunny Jim and will run coupled in the betting in the \$50,000-added Pimlico classic Saturday.

It's an odd position for Sunny

Jim to be in, having to saddle the favorites in Maryland's richest race. He's having to instruct both riders to win.

Right after Johnstown made his derby opponents look like a bunch of snails out for a stroll on flypaper, Fitzsimmons opined that Gilded Knight probably was the only horse that stood a chance of beating him.

So, as if to prove his right to run with Johnstown and live up to the veteran trainer's expectations, Gilded Knight went out yesterday and won the Survivor, a mile and a sixteenth test at Pimlico.

Day Off, Greentree stable's Preakness hope, was a dismal

fourth in the field of five. It probably spelled the end of Day Off's Preakness aspirations, but still to be reckoned with are King ranch's Glencia, Joe W. Brown's T. M. Dorett, Saratoga stable's Voltant and the two Maryland hopes, W. L. Brann's Challenge and Alfred G. Vanderbilt's Impound.

Ships Lose Murray Franklin For 15 Days, Vincent Subs

DALLAS, May 10 (AP)—Third Baseman Murray Franklin of Beaumont, who last year led organized baseball's hitters with a .430 average while with Beckley of the Mountain States league, will be out of the lineup at least 15 days with a sprained ankle.

The young hitting demon, who had rapped out two safe blows in

the first six innings of a game with Dallas last night, was injured while sliding into home plate on an attempted double steal.

Midland Golfer Wins In Tourney

Midland and Nacona representatives captured trophies emblematic of victories in the Mury golf course's Rotary blind bogie tournament completed Tuesday.

Bowling League

Class B League: MONT. WARD—

Wolf	135	105	104	344
Ely	141	157	138	436
Van Open	152	134	119	395
Matheny	146	114	122	382
Denny	202	133	147	482
(Handicap)	28	28	28	
Totals	804	691	658	

TWINS CAFE—

Coker	114	113	124	351
Aulds	133	137	143	413
Davidson	117	124	154	395
Warren	118	118	138	370
Patton	160	181	138	479
Totals	642	674	692	

Women's league:

HOWARD CO REFINERY—

Hudlow	132	121	137	390
Flynt	158	146	94	398
Butler	119	90	102	311
Hendrix	103	105	121	329
Lasater	135	130	115	380
(Handicap)	24	17	24	
Totals	671	584	593	1748

TOBY'S—

Howard	147	143	180	470
Bradley	94	100	83	277
Haygood	94	113	108	315
Eason	120	130	116	366
Bohannon	118	131	111	360
Totals	573	617	598	1748

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25TH ANNIVERSARY OF FARM EXTENSION WORK OBSERVED WITH PROGRAM AT PARK

Twenty-five years ago the extension service came into being with the signing of the Smith-Lever Act and Tuesday more than 200 Howard county farmers, their wives and children celebrated the event with a farm day program at the city park.

presiding, the meeting opened with a picnic luncheon at the park and was followed by a sing-song under the direction of Herschel Summerlin, talks by Mrs. Ches Anderson, Mrs. W. C. Rogers, Mrs. Ross Hill, L. H. Thomas, Weldon Dennis, Mary Wilma Riddle, and J. H. Greene. Softball games were held between the women's clubs of Vealmoor and Center Point and between an all-star team and the winner of the first encounter.

Daily Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Hair ointment
- Plant which grows by addition to the outside
- Restaurant attendant
- Wheeled vehicle
- Grown persons
- Symbol for calcium
- Wing
- Parcel of ground
- Corrodes
- Egyptian river
- Hire
- Female deer
- Odors
- Mistake
- Seaweed
- Bitter herb
- Blossom
- Poured forth
- Statue
- Princely house of Italy
- Deal out sparingly
- City in Iowa
- Old musical note
- Whittled
- Myself
- Bicycle built for two

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

SLAP SCARE TAPA
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GREATEST MITERS
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DOWN

- Nuts of a certain variety
- Kind of acid
- Mental state
- Symbol for silver
- Distribute the cards
- Those who guarantee payment or validity
- Pointed tool
- Rodent
- Assent
- Pronoun
- In mathematics, a line having both length and direction
- Rubs out
- American Indian
- Bustle
- Sufficiently
- Weak
- Faithful
- Form for holding shoes in shape
- Tear stander
- Blases
- Bowals
- Have obligations
- Garden fruit
- Ran away secretly
- Spread loosely
- Mix circularly
- So he it
- Hall and
- Masculine nicknames
- Serve the purpose
- In the direction of

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5:00 Wednesday Evening	5:15 Johnson Family, MBS.
5:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr. MBS.	5:30 Henry Weber, MBS.
5:15 To Be Announced.	3:45 Dick Harding, MBS.
5:20 Sunset Jamboree, TSN.	4:00 News, TSN.
5:45 Highlights in the World News, TSN.	4:05 Swinging The Fiddle, TSN.
6:00 Old Heidelberg, MBS.	4:15 Jane Anderson, MBS.
6:30 News, TSN.	4:30 Half Way House, TSN.
6:35 Sport Spotlight, TSN.	4:45 Dusty Adams, Thursday Evening
6:45 Say It With Music.	5:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr. MBS.
7:00 To Be Announced.	5:15 Chamber of Commerce, Highlights In The World News, TSN.
7:15 Radio Property Exchange.	5:45 News, TSN.
7:30 Music by Path, MBS.	6:00 The Green Hornet, MBS.
7:55 News, TSN.	6:30 News, TSN.
8:00 Opening of Modern Art Museum, MBS.	6:35 Sport Spotlight, TSN.
9:00 Will Osborne, MBS.	6:45 Say It With Music, ET.
9:30 The Lone Ranger, MBS.	7:00 Freddy Fisher, MBS.
10:00 Goodnight.	7:30 Famous First Facts, MBS.
Thursday Morning	8:00 News, TSN.
7:00 News, TSN.	8:05 Eddy Duchin, MBS.
7:15 Morning Roundup, TSN.	8:30 All College Year Night.
7:45 Morning Hymns, TSN.	9:00 Roger Busfield, TSN.
8:00 Devotional.	9:15 Frank Gardiner, TSN.
8:15 Monte Magee, TSN.	9:30 Lloyd Snyder, TSN.
8:30 Grandma Travels, TSN.	9:45 Lonely Nights, TSN.
8:45 John Metcalf, MBS.	10:00 Goodnight.
8:55 News, TSN.	
9:00 Let's Go Shopping.	
9:15 Trivia A Triv, TSN.	
9:30 Keep Fit To Music, MBS.	
9:45 Medical Information, MBS.	
10:00 Piano Impressions.	
10:15 Personalities In The Head.	
10:30 Variety Program.	
10:45 String Orch. MBS.	
11:00 News, TSN.	
11:05 Civic Music Week.	
11:15 Neighbors, TSN.	
11:30 School Forum.	
11:45 Men Of The Range, TSN.	
Thursday Afternoon	
12:00 News, TSN.	
12:15 Curbside Reporter.	
12:30 Hymns You Know And Love.	
12:45 Noon Day Varieties.	
1:00 News, TSN.	
1:05 Concert Orch. MBS.	
1:15 Nick Stuart, TSN.	
1:45 Everett Hoagland, TSN.	
2:00 String Trio, TSN.	
2:15 Afternoon Concert.	
2:30 Two Keyboards, MBS.	
2:45 It's Dance Time, ET.	
3:00 Sketches In Ivory.	

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COLIN SMITH

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At the same time the Australian student is interviewed, Helmut "Red" Stromquist, stellar football star who rated the second team as end on the Little All-American team last season, will be introduced to the radio audience.

PROGRAM CHANGE
A local program of special interest to Big Spring listeners will be the chamber of commerce program scheduled from 5:15 to 5:45 p. m. Usually heard from 5 to 5:30, the program will again be in charge of Jimmy Greene, manager, and Edith Gay, secretary of the local chamber of commerce.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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THE BONNIE LEE Beauty Shop has moved to its new location, 211 Runkels. Try our opening special. Patrons, old and new appreciated. Phone 1761.

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FOR SALE: Stewart-Warner electric refrigerator; practically new; bargain. Owl Camp, Cabin 14.

Miscellaneous

FOR SALE: Electric Coca-Cola box; one candy case; 400 gal. gasoline truck tank; small cash register. Phone 9 or 1295. 303 East First St.

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APARTMENTS and rooms. Reduced rates. Stewart Hotel, 310 Austin.

ALTA VISTA apartment for rent; modern; electric refrigerator; bills paid. Phone 404.

KING apartments; modern; two and three room apartments; bills paid. 304 Johnson.

FURNISHED apartments; modern; close in; south; cool; electric refrigerator; bills paid. 808 Johnson. See J. L. Wood. Phone 259-J.

THREE-room apartments; furnished duplex and unfurnished garage apartment. Phone 167.

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FURNISHED light housekeeping rooms; nicely decorated; utilities paid; modern sleeping rooms; summer rates. Best Yet Hotel, 108 Nolan.

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DESIRABLE south bedroom; private entrance; adjoining bath; garage; and meals if preferred. 1410 Nolan. Phone 1705.

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NICE cool rooms; close in; modern conveniences; maid service; reasonable rent. Mrs. Eddy. 204 Johnson.

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UNDER new management; Room and board, 910 Johnson. Family style meals, 25c. Room and board \$8 per week. Mrs. O. V. Cain. Phone 9577.

Houses

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Houses

MODERN 4-room unfurnished house at 601 Ayilford. Call at 501 Bell. Mrs. Hattie Crossett.

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THREE rooms with breakfast nook; furnished or unfurnished. Phone 243. 1306 Owens.

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FURNISHED brick duplex; 3 rooms; breakfast nook and bath; garage; located at 1711 Scurry. Apply 504 East 12th.

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FOR SALE: Two 3-room box houses; in good condition; a bargain. J. P. Fulton, Forson.

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FOR LEASE: Brick building at 309 Runkels; also 25x100 feet; adjoining Settles Hotel on south. Phone 1740 or see B. F. Robbins, owner.

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SIX-room house, 803 East 12th Street, \$1800, will trade most of equity of \$600 for good car or milk cows. 94 acres about mile west of court house, if sold soon, \$50 per acre, half cash, balance notes or clear property, have all mineral rights. Eight sections 36 miles northeast Big Spring, good for cattle or sheep, \$8.50 per acre, half cash, half minerals. Seven and one half sections in Uvalde county, a good place on river at \$10.50 per acre. If you want to buy or sell, I would like to see you; have a few good investments. J. B. Pickle. Phone 9013-F-3.

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HAVE 1936 Plymouth coupe; brand new tires; good mechanical condition; will trade for equity in 1939 model. 123 East Third.

ON HORSEBACK

SANTA FE, N. M., May 10 (AP)—It's roundup time for Poundmaster Pacheco.

His driver's license suspended 90 days for reckless driving, he's pursuing stray dogs and cats on horseback.



RAILROAD HISTORY was retold at dedication of a new \$11,000,000 union station at Los Angeles, where parades and pageants depicted early railroading. Gowned appropriately, Jean Allen blows out a kerosene lamp used in early cars.

READY TO GET WORK UNDERWAY

Work will get underway Monday on the Big Spring high school's athletic plant, Edmund Notestine, school secretary, announced this morning after he had received notification that the \$32,000 WPA grant has cleared the San Antonio offices. The school has already cleared and leveled the Eleventh Place site.

OILERS BLANK LINER, 4-0

By the Associated Press
Gene Hinrichs allowed the Arkansas Liners only six hits last night as the Henderson Oilers took a 4 to 0 victory to bolster their East Texas league lead. Forest Thompson scattered eight hits and fanned eight Palestine hitters for a 4 to 2 Tyler victory. Mule Totten walked in the tying run and Davies, relieving Totten, walked in the winner as Longview defeated Kilgore, 6 to 4. Marshall batsmen hit with men on base—collecting 13 safeties—for an 11 to 7 win over Jacksonville.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By EDDIE BRIETZ
NEW YORK, May 10 (AP)—Horses trained by "Sunny Jim" Fitzsimmons have won more than \$106,000 in a little over three weeks. Unable to confirm reports Fred Perry is so ill he will hop straight to Hollywood instead of sailing for England today with Don Budge and Ellsworth Vines. Chicago is trying to get Max Schmeling back over here for a fight with Tony Musto. College track coaches from all around were in the stands the other night when Joe Battiste, the Tucson high school flash, did the 120-yard high hurdles in 14 flat.

Maxie Rosenbloom had to cancel a Hollywood fight this month when the movie barons told him he could either call off the fight or blow his films contract. Jimmy Dykes is on paper as saying the Yanks are better than last year—and remember, he saw 'em minus Di Maggio. They say the Detroit front office shipped Hutchinson to Toledo without even consulting Manager Del Baker.

ROCKNE CONTEST
A Colorado fan weighs in with a vote for J. Farrell McDonald to play the part of Knute Rockne in that proposed film. (Gosh, this is getting to be worse than the hunt for Scarlett O'Hara.)

What's this about Northwestern coming up with a fullback who'll make old Bronko Nagurski look like Din Cline? Wally Berger says the Moore tribe Gene of the Dodgers; Terry of the Cardinals; Joe of the Jints and Whitey of the Reds—have the best throwing arms in baseball.

TODAYS GUEST STAR
John Oliver, Richmond (Va.) News-Leader: "Don't be surprised if young Calvin Griffith (now doing a swell job managing Charlotte in the Piedmont league) who never played professional baseball, is the manager of the Washington Senators in 1940."

The Sacramento club has a Garibaldi, a Veclich, a Sherer, a Weisorek and an Orodowski on its roster—also a guy named Smith. How about Steve Mulherin, 15-year-old Augusta (Ga.) schoolboy, who played 36 holes of tournament golf without being off the fairways with his drives? Look out! Coach Dutch Meyer of Texas Christian modestly admits he's got a couple of "real good passers" readying for the fall fireworks.



REMEMBER HIM? Autograph fans in Los Angeles did, hurrying up to get the signature of Al Smith, the former New York governor and Democratic presidential candidate.

OWL TEAMS IN DRIVER'S SEAT

HOUSTON, May 10 (AP)—Rice Institute ruled the Southwest Conference's tennis teams today, and its golfers were rated excellent possibilities to win the golf crown.

The Owls' netters won the conference team title yesterday, turning back Southern Methodist 5-3, and the linksmen added to the honors with a defeat tacked to the Methodist's season record by the same margin.

In the tennis title, Rice won three of the four singles matches and each doubles encounter. The only SMU victory was that of Reese over DeWitt, 6-3, 6-3.

The Methodist's sole golf win came when Rufus King, Jr., and George Underwood trimmed Carl Letcher and Joe Finer, Jr., 2 and 1.

ASHAMED OF THEFT

SALT LAKE CITY, May 10 (AP)—A youth snatched Mrs. Richard Inkelas' purse while she was shopping.

Hours later her doorbell rang. "Here's your money, lady," said a shabby boy. "I'm ashamed of myself for taking it."

He handed her \$30, the entire amount stolen.



IT'S BOLOGNA and slicing it is a nice task for Rep. John C. Kunkel (R.-Pa.) of Harrisburg. He distributed 250 pounds of his home-state product in Washington, D. C.

JOCKEYS FINED AT SAN MATEO

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Stewards suspended him down for five days yesterday and fined Jockey W. E. Ward \$10 for trying to strike Robertson with his whip in the same event.

MAY 14th

MOTHER'S DAY

The DAILY HERALD

This Sunday your Mother will want you with her. For this Sunday is Mother's Day . . . a day when you can express to her your love. Let this day stand out in her memories. Give her some little gift that will symbolize your love and appreciation. Watch her smile, her eyes . . . and you will know that she is thanking you, not for the gift alone, but for the moments of happiness you have brought into her life. And she'll be doubly happy to know that you have not forgotten her. Remember your Mother this Sunday.

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tion and expressed his desire to see at the close of the campaign, which is to be at 1 o'clock Saturday night, a successful 400 membership enrollment.

Mr. Dean explained that memberships are \$5 and student scholarships to be given to deserving students are \$2.50 and that while these memberships are guaranteed for a minimum of three concerts, they are also good for concerts to be given in surrounding towns within a radius of 300 miles.

He explained that the membership cards are transferable to other persons for the concerts, but that no individual tickets may be sold at the door.

Working kits containing the names of prospective members were distributed. Impromptu speeches were made by Mrs. Harry Hurt, Mrs. E. V. Spence, and Mrs. Bernard Lamun who pledged support and aid of women of the community.

Approximately 65 persons attended the dinner including representatives from Coahoma, Forsan, Colorado, and surrounding towns who are working in their sections to top the 400-member goal necessary to bring this association to Big Spring.

TWO DIE AS TRUCK HITS BRIDGE RAIL

MORGAN CITY, La., May 10 (AP)—Two men tentatively identified as Frank Roark and M. Salinas of Edinburg, Texas, died when their truck crashed through a bridge railing into a bayou 17 miles east of here yesterday.

Passing motorists pulled the bodies from the truck. The men were believed to have been driving toward Morgan City when the accident occurred.

Cradle Roll Day
Sunday, May 14th is Cradle Roll Day at East 4th Baptist church. Everyone is invited to come and bring the children.

A Money-Making Opportunity



The Pontiac Motor Division of General Motors Sales Corporation offers you an exceptional opportunity to establish a permanent and profitable local business.

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Sales Tax

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however, after it had run into objections by some members on his side.

Under the pairing practice, absent members may try to pair with some one present who is on the other side. The practice works against constitutional amendments because they must muster a two-thirds vote exclusive of pairs.

Rep. G. C. Morris of Greenville, uncompromising foe of the resolution, contended Hankamer's suggested rule change was unfair.

"This would be the first time in history so far as I know," Morris said, "that a member of the house had been denied the privilege of pairing on any question. A few members who are absent today doubtless paired with other members in good faith and these pairs should not be destroyed."

Rep. H. T. Brown of Jacksonville replied that any unfairness "was on the part of Morris' side because pairing on a constitutional amendment is a trick to defeat the amendment."

"I'm getting tired," continued Brown, "of hearing those who have fought the old people from the time the session started accuse the rest of us of unfairness. Opponents of the amendment thought they were playing a smart game on this pairing and now their hands are being called."

Atmosphere in the house plainly was tense as the long awaited test drew near. There were cries of "let's go to bat" and "lay out S.J.R. 12" as arguments over pairing proceeded.

When Hankamer withdrew his motion, Rep. Hardin moved a "call of the house" to bring in absent members, which motion was promptly adopted.

Finally Speaker Emmet Morse of Houston ordered a clerk to read the caption to the constitutional resolution, the required third formal reading of the measure, and the fight was on.

Rep. W. N. Corry of Keller opened debate with the declaration it was probably the last chance at this session "to do anything for social security" and a plea for adoption of the amendment.

"The folks at home think the legislature in the four months it has been in session hasn't done a thing and they want something done," Corry said. "It makes no difference what is done, but they want action."

He asserted the question before the legislature was whether all the people or a few were to pay the bill for a program intended to benefit all.

"The sales tax is obnoxious but it is the only way to distribute the burden of social security to make the people realize the cost and extent of the burden," he argued.

Rep. Dorsey B. Hardeman, first former from San Angelo, assailed the constitutional amendment solely on grounds new taxes should be placed in the statutes, not the constitution. His long talk drew applause.

Terminating the proposal as assault with intent being made on the Texas constitution," Hardeman said he intended to oppose it to the last in the house and "if defeated here to fight it in my district this summer."

Replying to arguments the measure would allow the people to say whether they are willing to pay substantially more taxes for bigger pensions, Hardeman stated that the people were being given an opportunity to say which taxes they preferred.

The legislature is showing a lack of courage, Hardeman argued, in not adopting in bill form the taxes needed to finance social security services.

BAND TO SPORT A NEW BANNER ON ABILENE TRIP

A spanking, brand new banner for the municipal high school band to sport when this city sends a motorecade to Abilene and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention Tuesday morning was received here Wednesday.

Mounted on a long hickory pole, the banner is done in Big Spring colors of black and gold. Centered on the black background is a big gold outline of Texas with a star at Big Spring and a longhorn to the right. Above is "Big Spring—The Mainpring of West Texas," and below is "Municipal High School Band."

WOMAN SUCCUMBS
LAREDO, May 10 (AP)—Mrs. Mahlide, 77-year-old head of the Hirsch estate, comprising three ranches in Webb county and valuable property holdings here, was buried here today.

MARKETS

Wall Street

NEW YORK, May 10 (AP)—Stocks stopped dead in the midst of a brisk up turn today, then slipped to fractionally lower levels.

Small losses at the end of the day was in sharp contrast to forenoon activities.

Profit-taking was to be seen throughout the morning as traders turned their gains into cash, and this activity, by early afternoon, had brought the advance to a virtual standstill.

Adding the morning optimism were an upward trend in American securities in London and Amsterdam and a firm Paris bourse and rising hope the coal stoppage would be ended speedily by President Roosevelt's efforts.

However, as the coal conference worked in New York with no reports of progress toward an agreement, some traders appeared to lose confidence in the parity.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, May 10 (AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Cattle salable 2,400; calves salable 1,000; good fed steers and yearlings 8.25-8.75; plain and medium steers and yearlings 6.75-8.75; beef cows 4.75-7.00; bulls 5.00-6.50; slaughter calves 5.00-8.50; good and choice vealers 8.50-9.50.

Hogs salable 1,500; top 6.60, paid by shippers and city butchers; packer top 6.50; good to choice 170-180 lbs. 6.45-6.50; good to choice 150-165 lbs. 6.00-6.35; feeder pigs 5.25 down; packing sows mostly 5.25-5.50.

Sheep salable 9,000; medium to choice spring lambs 8.00-9.25; clipped lambs 7.25-8.00; most good yearlings held at 8.25; two-year-old wethers 6.00 down; aged wethers 4.00 down; ewes 3.00 down; clipped feeder lambs 5.25-6.25.

Cotton

NEW YORK, May 10 (AP)—Cotton futures closed 3-13 lower. Last

May	8.92	8.78	8.86-87
July	8.56	8.42	8.46
Oct.	7.99	7.83	7.86
Dec.	7.80	7.67	7.69
Jan.	7.80	7.67	7.67N
Mar.	7.77	7.63	7.64

Chamberlain

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Italy's wishes, to sign the anti-comintern pact which links Italy, Germany, Japan, Hungary and Manchoukuo. A non-aggression treaty between Yugoslavia and Hungary also was expected to be discussed.

Vladimir Potemkin, Soviet Russia's first assistant foreign commissar, lengthened his stopover in Warsaw returning from Turkey and conferred with Polish Foreign Minister Col. Joseph Beck on Polish-Russian relations.

The foreign ministers of Sweden, Norway, Denmark and Finland after conferring in Stockholm declared their determination to remain aloof from any combinations of the great powers. But it was indicated they would make separate replies to Chancellor Hitler's offer of non-aggression pacts and that Denmark, closest of the four to Germany, might negotiate on the Hitler offer.

Spokesmen in Berlin said the Stockholm conference proved Hitler's contention that his neighbors did not feel menaced and was a setback for President Roosevelt, who had asked Hitler to give pledges of non-aggression to 31 states.

Farmers Calling For Government Checks

DICKENS, May 10 (AP)—Washington officials were asked today to speed the release of soil conservation checks due farmers who placed cotton warehouses in 1937 at Jayston and certain other West Texas towns.

Joe M. Rose, chairman of a committee appointed last fall, and Marshall Formy, Dickens county judge, said they telegraphed G. E. Rathell, treasurer of the Commodity Credit Corporation, and Texas congressmen George H. Mahon and Clyde Garrett.

Cotton placed in the warehouses was overgraded, the government contended, and farmers were told to pay the difference in taxes and the actual worth of the cotton, plus storage and interest.

Formy said that in a meeting at Lubbock last fall, Rathell promised farmers that all who signed certain forms which entitled the government to take from future government checks the amount due, would be considered complying with federal requests and there would be no delay in receiving their checks.

The judge said checks for the 1938 crop, already more than two months overdue, still were being held and that each check would have to be cleared through Washington offices before reaching West Texas farmers. This would delay the checks from 30 to 90 days, it was felt.

Rose expressed hope Washington officials would arrange to allow the deductions to be made at College Station, instead of sending the checks to Washington.

IN HOSPITAL
F. E. Jamison, of Jamison & Pollard Drilling company, Big Spring, was admitted to Malone & Hogan Clinic-Hospital Wednesday morning for treatment of an infected foot.

UNDERGOES SURGERY
Mrs. M. A. Lee of Monahan underwent minor surgery at the Malone & Hogan Clinic-Hospital Tuesday afternoon.

Slum Clearance Work To Start May 20 At Corpus Christi

WASHINGTON, May 10 (AP)—The United Housing Authority said today work would start about May 20 on the first of three slum clearance projects planned for Corpus Christi. The authority said approval of construction bids for the project placed Corpus Christi in the forefront of 300-odd communities now working out slum clearance and rebuilding plans.

Base bids just approved, covering construction of 134 dwelling units and an administrative building to serve all three projects, were as follows:

General construction — Gilbert Falbo, San Antonio, \$207,214; site improvement — Corpus Christi Plumbing—Modlin company, Corpus Christi, \$28,214; electrical — Graham and Collins Electric company, San Antonio, 12,000; landscaping—Durwood Thompson, Corpus Christi, \$8,616.

The project is to be constructed on a partially vacant site bounded by 19th, 21st, Buford and Ruth streets and is surrounded by medium class dwellings. It is about 2 miles southwest of the center of the city.

Plans call for erection of one and two-story row houses, attractively laid out to provide space for yards and gardens. Approximately 54 substandard dwelling units are being demolished to make way for building operations.

PAIR WILL ATTEND HISTORICAL MEET

John R. Hutto and E. Reagan will attend the annual meeting of the West Texas Historical Society in Lubbock Saturday, they said today.

Hutto, who has been active in the society for years, has been commissioned to read a paper on the history of the institution.

'LADIES' NIGHT'

In lieu of the regular weekly luncheon, the Lions club Thursday evening will entertain with its quarterly "ladies night" program.

Arrangements are in charge of Shely Riley and entertainment is to be planned by Elton Taylor and Lawrence Robinson, team captains. The dinner will be held at 8 p. m. in the Settles ballroom.

Hospital Notes

Big Spring Hospital

Charlie Coats and Wilford Reece, laundry employes, seriously injured when their car crashed into a banner on the Benton street viaduct several days ago, remained about the same Wednesday afternoon.

C. E. Larson, 114 Northwest Third street, who was wounded by a .22 calibre rifle bullet several days ago, was continuing to improve Wednesday. He will be able to return to his home in a few days.

C. F. Duvall, 434 Hillside, who has been in the hospital since April 28th, following a heart attack, was improving steadily.

A. G. Pruitt, 708 Bell street, was in the hospital Tuesday for removal of a needle from his left hand. The instrument lodged in his hand while he was cleaning the walls of his home early Tuesday morning.

V. L. Roberts, 610 Gregg, was admitted Wednesday morning for bone surgery.

Galveston City Party Remains In Control

GALVESTON, May 10 (AP)—The Galveston city party remained in power with a complete sweep of yesterday's biennial municipal election.

Brantley Harris, prominent attorney who was a candidate for the federal judgeship to which former Governor James V. Alfred was appointed, won his battle for office of mayor-president on the basis of almost complete but unofficial returns.

He led his opponent, George W. Frazer by 6,897 to 4,920 votes.

Harris succeeds Mayor Adrian F. Levy, who did not seek reelection but who publicly urged election of all candidates of the city party, which has been in control of the city administration 16 years.

Others elected were: J. G. Tompkins, finance commissioner; Ramont A. Stewart, streets commissioner; George H. Gymer, police and fire commissioner; Adolph D. Suderman, water commissioner; and W. R. Willard, unopposed candidate for city tax assessor and collector.

The winning candidates were opposed by the newly-organized people's party which bases its campaign on denunciation of machine politics.

Dennison

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The committee told the house it budget figure.

Did not know how the further addition of \$3,000,000 would be spent, but army engineers said they were preparing a list of allocations.

Of the \$5,600,000 minimum proposed for Dennison, \$550,000 would be spent for land and rights of way, and \$4,750,000 on construction.

During hearings on the bill, Representative Rayburn (D-Tex.) told the committee he thought it was "passing strange" critics of the proposed Red River dam had not objected to dams not involving electric power generation.

His statement was in the published hearing record of a house appropriations subcommittee considering the multi-purpose project between Oklahoma and Texas.

Observing that representatives of Governor Leon C. Phillips of Oklahoma had testified before the committee that construction of the \$54,000,000 flood control-power project would inundate fertile land in Oklahoma, Rayburn said:

"I have never heard that question raised by anybody from Oklahoma about any other dam."

"To be entirely frank, Mr. Chairman, and gentlemen of the committee, it is a little more than passing strange that there is no objection to the building of any dam which would inundate land in Oklahoma where there is no possibility of the generation of electric power."

"So I drop that simply as a suggestion with reference to the opposition, and I am impugning no motives whatsoever."

The majority leader said Governor Phillips in his message to the Oklahoma legislature condemned building of Dennison dam on grounds it would inundate fertile lands, but had expressed a wish \$54,000,000 be spent on the Red River to build 56 dams within the state.

"It seems to me if one dam would cover such a great amount of land, certainly 56 dams would cover up no inconsiderable amount of land inside of Oklahoma," he added.

Maverick

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on his coat tails, that his proposal might be to their liking. That, they said, might mean Maverick, the conqueror of the old San Antonio political machine, may be available next year for congress, again.

Maverick did not comment on this possibility. Nor did he mention the name of Vice President John Nance Garner who, Maverick's friends said, did not lend him a helping hand when Paul Kilday, young San Antonio lawyer, was whipping his ears down last year in the race for congress.

Yesterday's election put Maverick in the saddle as mayor on June 1 and also gave him a chance to lead the Bexar county (San Antonio) democratic delegation to the 1940 state convention.

As leader of that delegation, Maverick would have virtually the final word on who the Bexar county delegation will support in 1940 for the democratic nomination for president.

Defeat of Quin for a fourth term put Maverick one up on the grey-haired mayor.

Six years ago Quin became mayor. Then he ran against Maverick for congress. Maverick won. When Maverick came up for re-election, Quin supported Maverick's opponent, Kilday, who won.

Today they were still counting Maverick's votes. The tabulation showed him with 18,375, Quin 14,874 and Leroy Jeffers, 11,503. Maverick's fusion ticket kept leads in all races.

COMMITTEE MEETING
Conventions committee of the chamber of commerce has been called for a special session at 2:30 p. m. Thursday. Nat Shick, chairman, announced today. Matters bearing on the "On to Abilene" campaign will be discussed at the meeting.

T&F MEN HERE
A. J. Chester, general manager; C. G. Hayes, traffic manager; and L. C. Porter, assistant to the president of the Texas & Pacific Railway company, were in Big Spring Wednesday, coming in Mr. Chester's private car. The men were the guests of A. E. Pistole, division superintendent.

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