

COMMITTEE MAY VOTE AGAINST COURT CHANGE

Guests at 'Unusual' Cocktail Party Are Greeted By Death

Hostess, Actress And Bride Of A Month, Found Dead In Apartment; Asphyxiation Is Ruled A Suicide

NEW YORK, April 24 (AP)—A Park avenue hostess who planned the most unusual and amusing cocktail party ever held in New York, died of illuminating gas tonight in the kitchen of her swanky apartment as her guests—invited by chain letters—arrived in the lobby below.

The hostess, Mrs. Helen Mont, 35-year-old actress and bride of a month, failed to answer the bell when the first of her 100 guests arrived, and the apartment superintendent unlocked the door. Guided by the odor of gas, he walked past tables, already set for the cocktail party, to the kitchen.

There he found Mrs. Mont, unconscious, a gas tube from the stove in her mouth. She was clad only in a slip, silk stockings, and shoes.

As an emergency squad worked to revive her, and finally pronounced her dead, the party guests waited in the apartment lobby.

"Mystery" Party
Police Detective Frank McFarland, who said he was told Mrs. Mont had a spat over plans for her party with her husband, James Mont, prominent interior decorator, listed her death as suicide.

Mont was in his West 57th street studio, just off Fifth avenue, when his wife's body was found.

Mrs. Mont had called her cocktail party "a mystery cocktail party," and wanted her guests "not to talk about sending or receiving this letter."

Here is an invitation she sent to one friend:
"Dear Grace:
"You are cordially invited to a 'mystery cocktail party' in honor of someone you know. It will be a most unusual and amusing one ever held in New York. Make two copies of this letter immediately and mail them to friends.

Letters To Friends
"Be sure that your friends will not recognize your handwriting and that they are the type that will pass the letter on and thus keep the chain going. Please do not mail any letters after April 23. Sign your initials below those of others and above all, do not talk about sending or receiving this letter."
"This invitation is good only for you and a single friend. Have it with you and present it for admission on Saturday, April 24, 1937, 6 p. m., at 480 Park avenue.

"P. S. In case you should be unable to attend please do not end the chain."
Known on the stage as Helen Kim, Mrs. Mont appeared in "Roxie King," a Broadway play of about six years ago—and "The Gilded Princess." She was widely known, also, as a radio entertainer, having had parts in various chain productions.

Party "Called Off"
The party guests, scores more than could have been accommodated in the Monts' three-room apartment, jammed the apartment house until doormen notified two corners the party "has been called off."
Many who received the strange letters of invitation left without learning that their intended hostess was dead.

The tall, chestnut-haired actress, popular among patrons of the Theater Guild, was married previously to Randolph Joseph Thomson, an English playwright. A few minutes after announcement of the first marriage, on March 23 of this year, she married Mont, Turkish-born designer of furniture.

She and the wealthy 33-year-old creator of many popular fashions in home furnishings had planned a June honeymoon in Paris.

Four Break Jail, Escape In Auto
SAN ANTONIO, April 24 (AP)—Four prisoners escaped from Guadalupe county's new "break proof" jail at Seguin at 5:30 this afternoon and after robbing a woman of her car, escaped in a direction that had not been traced tonight.

The fugitives were August Depepe, 40; Frank Littay, 17; Marion Stoney, 17; and Justo Trevino, 17. The men gained access to a ventilator from their cells, crawled up the ventilator and by kicking a hole in the ceiling gained an entrance to the run-way; from there they were able to break into the room of Walter Louis Zunker where they armed themselves.

About six blocks from the jail they held up Mrs. Marcus Terry. Her car had just been filled with gasoline and the men thrust her aside, climbed in and fled.

Man Slain By Police After Wife Killed

Is Shot Down As He Resists Arrest At Dalhart

BRIDE WAS SHOT AN HOUR EARLIER

Suspect Located At Tourist Camp After Calling Officers

DALHART, April 24 (AP)—Jimmie Rogers, a former Dalhart county farmer, was slain by officers here early tonight as he resisted arrest following the killing of his bride of a year, Mrs. Gracie Kenney Rogers, 35.

Had Rifle
Rogers fell with a bullet through his head as Deputy Sheriff Bill Randolph and Chief of Police J. C. Dickey opened fire on him. He fell with a rifle in his hands.

Rogers was slain about 6 o'clock, an hour after he is said to have slain his wife at a tourist camp on the southwestern outskirts of Dalhart. Three eye-witnesses were quoted by County Attorney John B. Honta as saying the woman was slain as she read a newspaper.

One of the witnesses was John "Big Booger Red" Rogers, brother of the slain man.

County Attorney Honta said the killing occurred about 5 o'clock and that Jimmie Rogers called the sheriff's office at 5:25 o'clock and asked for Sheriff Harvey Poust. He was told the sheriff was out of town and Honta quoted him as saying:

"Tell the officers to come and get me."
"Where are you?" asked Honta. "Keep Hunting."

"Well, I'm at Theop tourist camp," Honta quoted Rogers as saying and the attorney replied, "Will you be there?"—to which he said Rogers replied, "Tell them to keep hunting until they find me."
Deputy Sheriff Randolph and Chief of Police Dickey began a search for a truck in which Rogers was said to have left the tourist camp where he and his wife had camped. They found the truck parked behind an ice house of the West Texas Utilities company and Randolph said Rogers was nearby talking to three men.

When the officers alighted from their car, Rogers is said to have run to the truck and picked up the rifle. Randolph said the man advanced toward him, crying: "Sell out boys, sell out."

Randolph said he commanded Rogers to drop the gun and that when Rogers made a move as if to lift the gun he and Dickey started firing. A bullet struck Rogers in the eye and he died instantly.

Falls From Plane, Killed

Randolph Field Officer Plunges To Death Near Pilot Point

PILOT POINT, April 24 (AP)—Second Lieutenant Robert Fisher, 26, of Randolph field, San Antonio, died today in a plunge from a plane six miles from here while on an air navigation flight.

Major E. S. Thompson, commandant at Hensley field, Dallas, said tonight a board of officers would be appointed immediately from Fisher's home station to determine the cause of the accident.

Fisher was accompanied by Lieutenant D'Ross Ellis of Stillwater, Okla. Ellis is a reserve officer and was a passenger with Fisher on the trip.

Families Quit Sand-Duned Acres Of The Dust Bowl For Green Lands In The West

PURCELL, Colo., April 24 (AP)—Six dusty years—when "black rollers" were a terror, when fields blew skyward—ended today for a dozen Colorado families.

They packed belongings and headed westward—the first of more than 100 "drylanders" to move from the dust bowl to green, irrigated acres west of the continental divide.

It was the first major trek of families from the southwestern dust bowl under federal resettlement plan. All were residents of this north-east Colorado community.

Antonio Kovach, for 28 years a drylander, smiled as he turned west. "It's going to be something, getting to a spot where there is water," he said as he took a last look over his sand duned acres.

"Maybe we grow something again," interposed his wife. Kovach lived on the farm when grass was knee deep, rains were frequent and dust storms were unknown.

"Back in 1930 we made \$5,500 on 500 acres of beans," he said. "That was the last crop we had."

He had a prosperous farm and a gigantic dairy barn. The barn is gone. A sand dune covers the five-foot high fence that surrounded the barnyard.

"There wasn't any need for the barn so we tore it down for lumber," Kovach shrugged. "Not enough grass for dairy cows any more."

Kovach's place is in the center of about 90,000 acres the government has purchased.

Many families who lived on the strip already have moved, financing their own "resettlement."

A few will remain. The country school on the tract once housed 35 children. After today's migration only two remain. Next year there will be none, for the remaining ones are of high school age.

Madrid Put Back Under Civil Rule

General Miaja To Devote All Energies To Fighting Rebels

MADRID, April 24 (AP)—A socialist baker and 24 other civilian anti-fascists took over workday Madrid today from the military hands of heavy-jowled General Jose Miaja and restored civil rule to a city still under the gun of insurgent siege.

The new man of the hour, so far as Madrid's civil problems go, is 45-year-old Rafael Henche De La Plata, once head of the baker's union and for 20 years an important socialist politician in Madrid.

He was quickly elected head of the new municipal council of 33 members following a sudden order from Premier Francisco Largo Caballero at Valencia, which, in effect, directed Miaja to send all his time fighting the insurgents.

"Just a Soldier"
That suited the bluff general who has had to fight off insurgent armies in Madrid's suburbs and elsewhere for nearly six months—now at the same time direct the Madrid military junta in the staggering problem of feeding and keeping in order a shell-battered city of one million souls.

"I am just a soldier," Miaja has said, often and simply. Hence the order from Largo Caballero, defining Miaja's functions "strictly" as those of "chief of military operations in the Madrid sector," and setting up a civil assembly, or "ayuntamiento" to replace Miaja's defense junta, which was dissolved, meant this:

The government is assuring Madrid that it is not going to have permanent military dictatorship. All of Miaja's energies are needed to whip back the insurgents who still are on the edges of the city and to win the war, now in its tenth month.

INSURGENTS ADVANCE
HENDAYE, France, April 24 (AP)—An insurgent broadcast from Salamanca tonight announced the advance of Gen. Emilio Mola's troops to heights 19 miles southeast of Bilbao.

Insurgents occupied the strategic village of El Orrio, it declared, and kept three miles from Durango "gateway" city to the Basque capital. Durango is 16 miles southeast of Bilbao on a broad plain.

Basque lines were broken in the El Gueta sector and the retreating troops were declared late tonight to be fleeing, closely pursued by their foe.

MRS. NORTON WANTS BLOOD TESTS MADE
LOS ANGELES, April 24 (AP)—From her jail cell, Mrs. Violet Wells Norton said today that blood tests ought to be made to determine whether Clark Gable, screen actor, is the father of her illegitimate daughter.

"I'm innocent of the charge," the 47-year-old English woman who was convicted of mail fraud in federal court said. "I still think Gable is the man and there should be blood tests to prove he's the father of my daughter."

A federal jury convicted Mrs. Norton of misuse of the mails in demanding money from Gable on the ground he is the "Frank Billings" she loved in England in 1922 and 1923 and who, she said, is the father of Gwendoline Norton, 13.

Lamb Breaks From Jail At Fort Worth

COLLEGE HEAD Under Sentence From Here, Was Facing Another Trial

FORT WORTH, April 24 (AP)—After terrorizing residents north-west of Lake Worth late today, Alfred "Sonny" Lamb, alias Claude Lee Taylor, 26, who escaped from the county jail shortly after midnight Friday, was believed heading toward West Texas.

Finger prints on a glass from which he drank water at a farm house tallied with those of Lamb's record at detective headquarters.

Both city detectives and deputy sheriffs trailed the suspect north-west of Lake Worth before the finger prints on the glass showed their quarry was Lamb. The fugitive was last seen bumming a ride in an automobile near Asia tonight.

The first clue came this afternoon in a call from a farm, near Lake Worth where a man with a shot gun and a rifle was seen. Residents in that section became highly alarmed, fearing the man was insane. The man was later identified as Lamb.

Lamb was placed in jail here yesterday by Sheriff Dan H. Jordan and Constable Lee Hudson of Hutchinson county. They were returning Lamb from the penitentiary to Stinnett to stand trial on burglary charges.

Lamb was given a 90-day sentence in Guthrie, King county, for robbery of a package store last year. He was received at the penitentiary Dec. 10, 1935.

Sought In West Texas
Search for Lamb turned to West Texas tonight.

Lamb, who gained an hour or more on officers in his daring escape, was believed to have headed for his old haunts by officers here and in West Texas.

A rope made of blanket strips, the knits being wet to keep them from slipping, allowed Lamb to escape down the south side of the jail building to a porch over the entrance.

Walter David Donald, 26, returned here late Thursday from Grant's Pass, Oregon, by Sheriff A. B. Carter on a car theft indictment, refused to escape with Lamb. They were in the same holdover cell on the fifth floor. No other prisoners were with them.

Was Assessed 25-Year Term By Jury Here
Alfred "Sonny" Lamb, with his father, R. L. Lamb, was tried and sentenced to 25 years in prison here Dec. 1 on a plea of guilty in robbing a liquor store at Coahoma, Miss., July 28, 1936. A week later he was sentenced at Coahoma for burglary and car theft, getting two years in each case.

He was taken from here Dec. 9 by Uncle Bud Russell, prison warden.

Belgium Put On New Basis Of Neutrality

Anglo-French Guarantees Create Historic Diplomatic Event

BRUSSELS, April 24 (AP)—Belgium was set today on a unique basis of neutrality by Anglo-French guarantees which may become historic.

A joint declaration guaranteed Belgium's independence and released King Leopold's nation from her promise to fight for Great Britain or France if either were the victim of aggression.

The document, published simultaneously here, in London and in Paris, was believed in diplomatic circles to have strengthened the close ties between Great Britain and France in Europe's quest for a non-aggression pact to replace the nullified Locarno treaty.

Some authoritative sources in this country viewed the Franco-British declaration as the most important diplomatic event since the World War. Flemish nationalists, however, assailed it in connection with British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden's scheduled arrival tomorrow for further discussion of Belgium's status.

Back to 1914?
They charged "England's hypocritical policy" is taking Europe back to 1914 powder keg conditions by standing with France and thus embittering other nations.

Besides being a "one way" arrangement for the benefit of Belgium, the declaration also was made a stop-gap to clarify Belgian policies "until the negotiation and conclusion of a general pact intended to replace the treaty of Locarno."

It took into consideration "the determination expressed publicly on more than one occasion by the Belgian government to defend the frontiers of Belgium with all its forces against any aggression or invasion and to prevent Belgian territory from being used for purposes of aggression against any other state as a passage or base of operations by land, sea or air; to organize the defense of Belgium in an efficient manner for this purpose."

It also considered "the renewed assurance of fidelity to Belgium to the covenant of the league of nations and to the obligations which it involves for members of the league."

WOUNDS FATAL TO MIDLAND WOMAN
MIDLAND, April 24—Second victim of a shooting here Thursday, Mrs. Ted Dozer of Midland died in a hospital here early today. She suffered a bullet wound in the heart.

Mrs. Dozer, 19, was buried this afternoon with her husband, Ted Dozer, who died soon after the shooting in an apartment here, victim of a head wound. Double funeral services were held at the Methodist church.

No inquest has yet been returned in the double shooting.

HIGHWAY MOTORCADE DUE HERE ON MAY 15
Motor caravan to the tenth annual meeting of the Broadway of America will stop here for 15 minutes on May 15. It was disclosed Saturday in a letter to the chamber of commerce.

This year's session of the nation's outstanding highway association is to be held in Memphis, Tenn. Efforts will be made to have the motorcade joined here by at least one car. Convention dates are May 13-19.

Reagan Child Death Victim

Brief Illness Fatal; Services To Be At 4 P. M. Today

Hazel Ann, 15-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace B. Reagan, succumbed to a brief illness Saturday at 5 p. m. in a local hospital. Death was attributed to a throat infection which was believed to have spread to the brain. She was born here Jan. 22, 1936.

Surviving are the parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Reagan, Big Spring, and Mrs. C. C. Smythe, Fort Worth. These uncles and aunts will attend services: J. C. Smythe, Snyder, Lee Smythe, Mrs. Ora R. Parsons, Lockhart, and Mrs. Tracy Smith, Big Spring.

Last rites will be said at the Eberley chapel at 4 p. m. Sunday with Rev. G. C. Seburman, pastor of the First Christian church, in charge. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pospel will be in charge of music.

Pallbearers will be J. A. Coffey, Dr. Frank Boyle, Thurston Orbanum of Big Spring and P. A. Ber-

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MOVE MADE TOWARD FORMING A COUNTY FARM ASSOCIATION

Preliminary steps toward the organization of a Howard County Agricultural association, to be an affiliate of the Texas Agricultural association, were taken here Saturday.

An organization committee, with Walter Robinson as chairman, was named by the assembly of farmers which met in the district court room Saturday morning. Others placed on the committee were A. J. Stallings, Willis Winters, W. T. Bly, and H. C. Reid. L. H. Thomas presided over the meeting as chairman.

He and other speakers explained the purpose of the association as educational and to protect the legislative interests of farmers.

Twenty-two of those present, representing every community in the county, paid \$2 annual dues to the association. Goal for the county is at least 200 members, it was explained.

A series of informative meetings were scheduled for six communities, starting May 3. The organization will be completed in a few days.

Uncommitted Senators Are Backing Away

Might Accept Compromise, But Neither Faction Wants That

EXECUTIVE SESSION TO START TUESDAY

Proposal For Only Two New Justices Likely Will Be Offered

WASHINGTON, April 24 (AP)—Administration leaders conceded tonight that there is a strong possibility, if not probability, that the Roosevelt court bill will be disapproved by the senate judiciary committee.

Compromise Acceptable
Uncommitted senators, who hold a clear balance of power within that group, were reported trending away from the measure as it stands, although willing to vote for compromise modifications.

Whether they will have that opportunity becomes increasingly uncertain, because leaders of both sides of the great controversy reiterated their opposition to any compromise.

Although foreseeing possible defeat in the committee, which begins executive sessions on the bill Tuesday, the champions of the measure minimized the effect of such a vote on the senate as a whole.

"An unfavorable committee report will be in no sense a fatal blow," said Chairman Ashurst (D-Ariz.). "Everybody knew from the start that the committee was not for this bill."

The bill calls for an increase of six in the membership of the supreme court, unless justices pass 70 retire voluntarily. Compromise talk has centered upon an increase of two or three instead.

Legislators expressed certainty that such an amendment would, in fact, be offered by a member of the non-committal group, Senator McCarran (D-Nev.).

Repeating that their best chance of success lies in holding the bill to its present form, opposition senators indicated today they would vote against all such compromises. The proponents of the Roosevelt bill said they would do likewise.

The combined votes of proponents and opposition would be more than sufficient to block any such alteration in the measure. Thus, the committee would come finally to a

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Strike Areas Some Quieter

Sit-Downers Evacuate Ford Plant; Cannery Riot-Ing Quelled

RICHMOND, Calif., April 24 (AP)—Six hundred sit-down strikers vacated the big assembly plant of the Ford Motor company here today, shouting and smiling as their leaders announced company officials would settle their complaint of discrimination against a dock worker.

Frank Slaby, strike leader and local president of the United Automobile Workers, said Ed Hall, international vice president of the union, and a high Ford company official were spending here from Detroit to iron out the situation.

Slaby said the plant's 1,500 workers would return to their jobs Monday pending adjustment of the dispute. He asserted, however, a strike might develop in the General Motors Fisher Body plant in neighboring Oakland unless that company re-employed a man allegedly discharged for union activities.

The strikers suddenly tied up the big plant yesterday afternoon. Leaders asserted 1,300 men answered the strike call after the plant management refused to bear the cost of union stewards.

STOCKTON, Calif., April 24 (AP)—Peace tentatively developed Stockton's labor battlefield today pending cannery strike mediation efforts but county authorities indicated the opposing forces were increasing their potential fighting power.

Sheriff Harvey Odell said any further trouble might develop largely in proportion that the battle yesterday in which 63 persons were wounded, a law enforcement officer, special deputies and strike pickets clashed.

"I will use five thousand deputies instead of five hundred if there is any further trouble," Odell said.

Other authorities said there was a possibility that organized labor from the outside might lend support to the cannery workers who participated in yesterday's battle of Waterford road. Thousands and been circled that way here from the San Francisco Bay area might aid the cannery workers.

Weather

WEST TEXAS—Fair Sunday and Monday, warmer in north portion Sunday.

EAST TEXAS—Generally fair Sunday and Monday, warmer in the interior Sunday.

'GOD' RETURNS



Father Divine (top photo), Negro evangelist who calls himself "God," had returned to his Harlem "heaven" Saturday after providing bond on a charge of felonious assault, filed in connection with the stabbing of Harry Green, Green pictured below, was attacked when he accompanied a process server to one of Father Divine's cult meetings.

Reviewing The BIG SPRING WEEK

by Joe Pickle

Letting of a contract for paving the remaining gap in the highway between Big Spring and San Angelo last week marked the end of the troublesome Glascock county strip. For the past five years the campaign, largely by the chamber of commerce, to get the strip through Glascock county has been underway, and most of the time apparently without results. However, perseverance has a unique faculty for ultimately triumphing, and this city now has assurance of complete all-weather road connections with San Antonio and Amarillo.

The 29 counts returned by the grand jury are considered a record number of bills, locally, but 11 of them were against one man, more of a record still. Notwithstanding these facts, many consider the jury's best record the closing of a local bookie shop. Those in the know give W. W. Inkman, grand jury foreman, credit for effecting the smoothest and most painless execution of the grand jury's order. They say that he demonstrated high diplomacy in getting commitments from officers not only to close the shop, but in keeping it closed.

Court has its lighter side, often. See WEEK, Page 8, Col. 4

BIG SPRING TO HAVE REPRESENTATIVE IN SWEETHEART CONTEST

This city will send a representative to Fort Worth to compete in the Texas Sweetheart No. 1 contest of the Frontier Fiesta...

Young women will be encouraged to list their names with the chamber of commerce as participants in the elimination contests at the Hills theatre...

Winner of the state contest will be given a feature spot in Billy Rose's new Casa Mana Revue...

Local winner will have her expenses paid to Fort Worth for the contest there...

HOUSTON WINS MEET LAVEROCK, April 24 (UP)—Three state associations composed of hospital nurses and other hospital personnel in meetings here today selected Houston as the host city for 1938 and elected officers...

YOUNG JEW RESIGNED TO HIS FATE DESPITE U. S. INTERCESSION

BERLIN, April 24 (UP)—Helmuth Hirsch, 21-year-old condemned Jew for whom United States consular authorities have interceded, appeared resigned tonight to die for what he considered a "cause"...

Hirsch, whose status is that of a United States citizen because his grandfather was a naturalized American, talked in Ploetzensee prison today with United States Consul Raymond H. Geist...

The German prosecutor declined to divulge the exact nature of Hirsch's alleged offense, but informed sources said the death sentence had been pronounced on charges he intended to use explosives in an attempt to assassinate a high government official...

MEETING TO EL PASO FORT WORTH, April 24 (UP)—El Paso was chosen today as the site of the next convention of the Texas Folk Lore Society...

New Picture of England's Royal Family



King George VI and his family are shown above in a new and hitherto unpublished portrait. Left to right: The King, Princess Elizabeth, Queen Elizabeth and Princess Margaret Rose.

Land Problem Called Key To Future Of US

Misuse Jeopardizes Outlook For Prosperity, Says Expert

SAN FRANCISCO, April 24 (UP)—Misuse of the agricultural lands of the United States has jeopardized the dream of a great, prosperous and stable American democracy...

Dr. Gray also is director of the Division of Land Utilization of the Resettlement Administration, a member of the government's Great Plains Committee and various other governmental organizations for the bringing about land reform and conservation of resources...

The greatest danger to the United States as a whole, Dr. Gray foresees, is the creation of an immense landless, homeless and wandering class that would start the decay of American institutions from within.

Cites World History "The decay of many nations," he declared, "has begun with the evils of landless populations. This was the case of ancient Rome just as it was with modern Russia, and it was for that reason that Karl Marx chose as a basis for his socialistic theories the possession of land."

"Our land problems of today have been faced by other nations and peoples for centuries past and are the same as have caused the disappearance of many nations from the earth."

"In our present highly industrialized life, we have lost sight of the agricultural needs of the country until floods, droughts, dust storms, tenants' unions, and farmers' strikes have called our attention to them, while at the same time they have started the roaming about the country of a vast number of homeless, landless people who may eventually constitute the nucleus of a revolting element against American institutions."

Dr. Lewis declared that one-fourth of the population of the United States depends upon agriculture, yet the condition of a vast number of these people is pitiful in the extreme degree. He said that there now are 1,000,000 farmers who have an income of less than \$400 a year and nearly twice that number who are little better off.

There are 1,000,000 farmers that do not stay on their farms for more than a year, he said, for the reason that they have either misused the land to such an extent that it can no longer be worked profitably or that they were never fitted for agricultural pursuits.

Dr. Lewis asserted there are two things necessary to save what should ordinarily be the most stable and soundest class in American life. First is to create a vast class of small landed farm proprietors who can profitably work their land on a permanent basis and, second, to create in the American mind the consciousness that land ownership offers not only a means of making a living but involves a responsibility toward the nation.

Steps, he declared, must be taken to prevent all misuse and deterioration of land, speculation and everything else which is not only exhausting the nation's land resources but breaking up the possibility of a permanent, prosperous class of farmers and land owners.

At present, Dr. Lewis said, only half of the nation's farmers enjoy anything like economic security, while many of the others have been reduced to the status either of tenants, laborers or even crop shavers.

Dr. Lewis advocated a system that will permit a vast amount of land to revert to the government, which will be charged with a redistribution in such a manner as to make it profitable to those who work as well as to insure conservation as part of the national resources for future generations.

Pacific Air Mail Heavy SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—Callifornians simply cannot get their mail delivered too quickly. Last year 2,002,313 pounds of air mail went out of the state, or the equivalent of 72,000,000 letters.

New Chain Letter Idea SAN JOSE, Calif. (UP)—The "dime chain letter" idea has been revived here in a different form. Dish towels are substituted for dimes. If the chain isn't broken each participant in the chain will receive 27 dish towels.

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME INTO EFFECT By the Associated Press Nearly one-third of the population of the United States moved clocks forward an hour today as daylight saving time went into effect in hundreds of communities.

The advanced time became effective at 2 a. m. and will remain in effect until the last Sunday in September. It is being observed to a greater or lesser extent in seventeen states.

About 10,000,000 will observe daylight saving in New York state, 4,500,000 in New Jersey, 3,500,000 in Pennsylvania, 1,700,000 in Connecticut, 4,000,000 in Massachusetts, 4,000,000 in Illinois, 700,000 in Rhode Island, 200,000 in Georgia and small groups in other states.

FEDERALS CHARGE 18 MORE IN KANSAS CITY VOTE FRAUDS

KANSAS CITY, April 24 (UP)—A federal grand jury completed the first chapter of the government's No. 3 election investigation here today by charging 18 more persons with vote fraud conspiracy, bringing the total thus indicted to 126.

Judge Albert L. Reeves, who ordered the investigation Dec. 14, announced another grand jury would be summoned May 4.

The investigation has resulted in conviction of 32 percent and party

workers, 18 of whom have been sentenced to prisons and reformatories. Eight others who pleaded no defense have been placed on probation.

Navy Uses Old Bottles HONOLULU (UP)—The market for empty ketchup, pickle, beer and champagne bottles remains at all times bullish here. The navy has a hard time getting enough to throw overboard for tracing ocean currents.

Breeding troubles, lowered production, and difficulty in raising calves are more evident in the winter following a dry year.

Senate Witness Held



Fred Creech, towering Harlan County, Kentucky, mine superintendent, is shown smiling at Washington police headquarters after his arrest on a charge of perjury before the Senate Civil Liberties committee before which he had appeared as a witness. Another witness charged that Creech threatened him with a pistol during his testimony.

Japanese Count Leads Own Marriage Ceremony

KYOTO, Japan, April 24 (UP)—Diving before a glittering gold lotus altar and a huge gilt Buddha, Count Kocho Otani, aristocratic, hereditary chief abbot of one of Japan's foremost sects of Buddhism, married himself shortly after dawn today to a beautiful, 19-year-old princess.

The count, 27 years old and spiritual leader of 13,000,000 Japanese Buddhists, celebrated ancient, strikingly colorful rituals that made Princess Yoshiko Tokudajiri his bride. The ruler of the Nishi-Honganji sect performed the service himself because no lesser dignitary was deemed eligible for such an honor.

Hundreds of Buddhist dignitaries, court officials, members of nobility and 20,000 followers in the faith crowded into a vast temple courtyard to catch a glimpse of the wedding procession.

Fleet Opens 'Battle' To Capture Island

HONOLULU, April 24 (UP)—The United States fleet opened a concerted air and sea drive to "capture" the island of Oahu at 4:15 p. m. today (6:45 p. m. Pacific standard time).

Scores of planes from the aircraft carriers and battleships engaged in the war games flew over Honolulu and theoretically bombed Pearl harbor and other parts of the island.

A force of battleships, cruisers and destroyers attempted to land infantry on the north shore in the face of a strong imaginary fire from army guns.

Planes engaged in a spectacular dogfight as the army took to the air to fight off the attackers.

SHAMROCK MAN HEADS PANHANDLE NEWSMEN

AMARILLO, April 24 (UP)—Albert Cooper, editor of the Shamrock Texan, was named president of the Panhandle Press association in convention here today.

Amarillo was chosen as the site for next year's convention, in keeping with tradition, over Lubbock's bid for the occasion, but the newsmen unanimously agreed to hold a meeting in Lubbock this fall in connection with the West Texas Press association.

An informal meeting to acquaint the old newsmen with the new, visits to the Palo Duro state park and inspection of the Panhandle-Plains historical museum in Canyon were highlights of the concluding program of the two-day meeting.

W. T. Strange, Big Spring, addressed the convention Friday.

HULA DANCER DIES FLAMING DEATH



Mae Purdue (right), 23-year old dancer, died at San Pedro, Calif., of burns received when a match set fire to her grass "hula skirt" while she was performing at a waterfront cafe. Mathew Donahue (left), 37, mechanic, was held by police for investigation in connection with the case.

Relief Study Is Proposed

Senator Would Consider Permanent Needs Before Economizing

WASHINGTON, April 24 (UP)—An economy-minded senator proposed today that congress approach retrenchment of relief spending only after a thorough inquiry into permanent needs.

Senator Hatch (D-N. Mex.) joined those of his colleagues who are prepared to support President Roosevelt's appeal for economy, but said he did not believe an arbitrary figure covering relief needs could be fixed without a study.

Accordingly, he said he would press for action on a resolution introduced by him and Senator Murray (D-Mont.) calling for appointment of a commission to inquire into relief needs with a view to arriving at a permanent program.

Dies Would Curb Flow Of Gold Into U. S.

WASHINGTON, April 24 (UP)—Rep. Martin Dies of Orange, Texas, said tonight he would introduce a house resolution Monday asking President Roosevelt to call an international conference within 90 days to stabilize currencies and to avoid over concentration of gold in this country.

Dies said he was prompted by a belief that so much of the gold of the world will flow into the United States because of unrest abroad that other countries may stop using it, with the result that this country would be left with about 90 or 95 per cent of the world's supply.

He said that gold distribution

Morning Grapefruit For Bossy Seen As Million Dollar Trade

GAINESVILLE, Fla., April 24 (UP) Cows like their morning grapefruit, too.

They take it fresh if they can get it and let the juice squirt where it may. But there's a comparatively new industry in Florida that would give Bossy her morning citrus snack and eventually return \$1,500,000 annually to growers.

Tests are being conducted on citrus feed for cattle with excellent results, experiments stations report. Already commercial production has started on a small scale. Two factories are turning out the product.

The citrus canning waste and cull fruit are used in the feed. Peel and pulp—left over after the juice and hearts have gone into containers—are dried and pulverized. Bossy likes a little salt added, but that's about all.

Formerly the waste was discarded as useless.

Dr. Wayne Neal, animal nutrition specialist with the state experiment station, said his tests show conclusively that citrus feed ranks with beet pulp in food value. Milk production increases and meat from steers fed on it is normal.

South Texas Press Association Names Mission Man Head

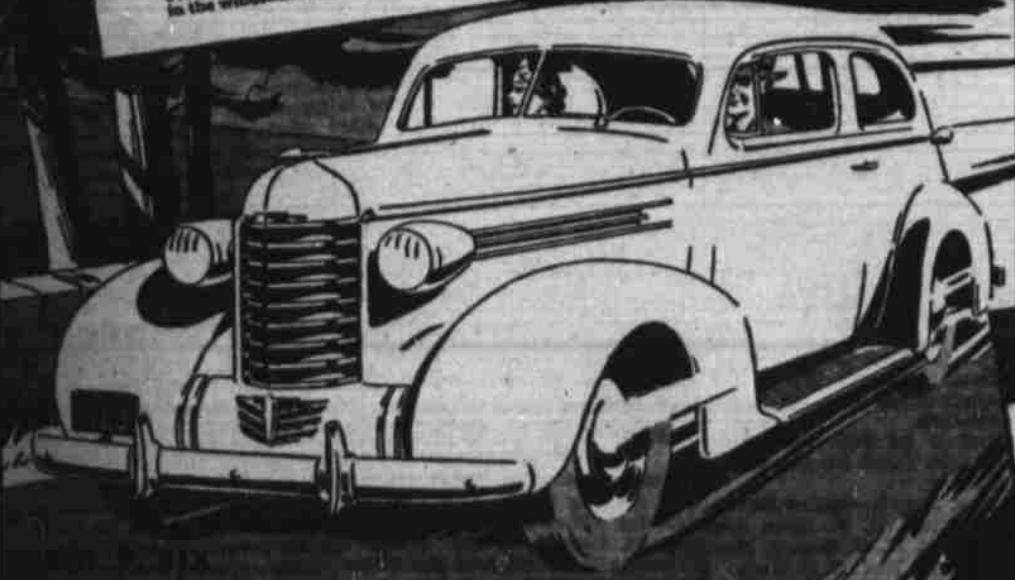
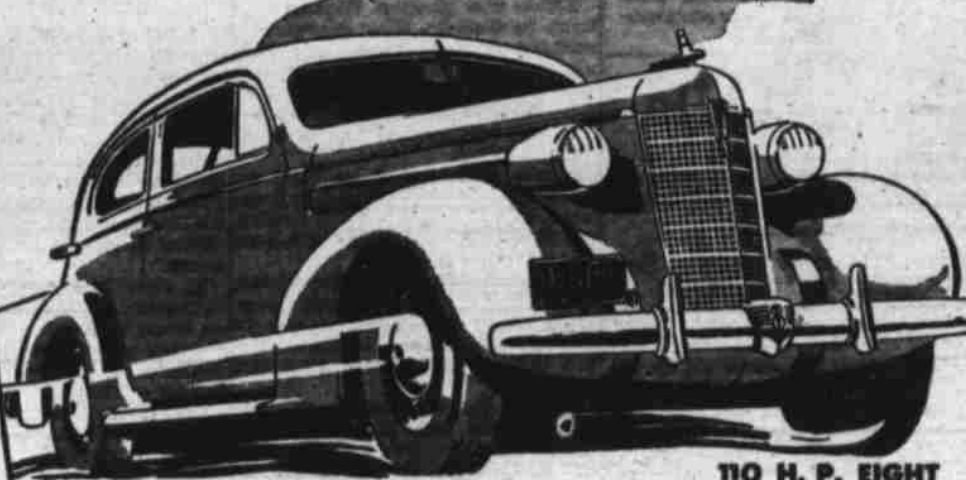
SAN ANTONIO, April 24 (UP)—After electing officers and awarding prizes to winners of the annual contests for best papers, the South Texas Press association adjourned its 10th annual convention today.

might be stimulated if we took from foreign nations non-competitive goods with the understanding that payment should be made in gold or silver.

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ETCC Meeting Opens Today

Foreign Commerce As It Affects Texas To Be Discussed

DALLAS, April 24 (AP)—The relation of foreign commerce to basic industries in East Texas will be featured by a succession of speakers before sessions of the eleventh annual convention of the East Texas chamber of commerce which open here tomorrow.

An advance guard of the business leaders from 70 East Texas counties was already on hand preparing for the official opening, spotlighting a reception for officials and a religious mass meeting at night. H. M. Kelly, first president of the East Texas chamber, will preside and Dr. Graham Frank, Dallas pastor, will be the speaker. An array of speakers outstanding in their fields will be headed by Francis B. Sayre, assistant secretary of state, who will come from Washington to speak on "The Status of the Southwest in Foreign Trade."

Peter Molyneux, editor of the Texas Weekly, will discuss "Texas and American Trade Policy." Lamar Fleming, member of the cotton firm, Anderson-Clayton, will speak on cotton export problems.

Tucker Royal, chairman of the board of the First National bank, Dallas, will speak on "Oil in Texas Commerce."

An elaborate entertainment program has been arranged for the delegates. Convention officials anticipate a registration of 10,000.

A 12-point activity program will be presented by the officials of the organization during the convention.

ANN HARDING BACK IN CANADA, AFTER WARRANT ANNULLED

QUEBEC, April 24 (Canadian Press)—Ann Harding, star of stage and screen, arrived here unexpectedly from England today just 24 hours after a Quebec judge had annulled a warrant for her arrest on a kidnaping charge.

Accompanied by her husband, Werner Janssen, and her 9-year-old daughter Jane, Miss Harding boarded a train almost immediately after landing from the liner Duchess of Athol. It was understood she was bound for New York.

It was Jane the actress was accused of kidnaping in the warrant her former husband and Jane's father, Harry Bannister, procured here almost a year ago in an effort to prevent Miss Harding from taking her daughter to England.

The warrant was annulled yesterday by Judge Laetere Roy, who issued it originally. It was never served, for Miss Harding eluded police officers last May by switching ships at the last minute.

She and Janssen, composer and orchestra conductor, were married in London Jan. 17.

LOCAL ROTARIANS TO CHILDRESS MEET

Five members of the Big Spring Rotary club will leave here Sunday morning for Childress where they will take part in the annual conference of the 41st district.

Making the trip will be T. W. Ashley, president - elect, Tom Pierce, Elmo Waason, president - Albert S. Darby, and Marvin House. They planned to put in an advance bid for the district party for Big Spring in 1938.

Fred Wimple, Midland, will preside over the sessions as district governor.

America's auto accident death toll has grown from 2,100 in 1911 to approximately 36,000 in 1936.

BACK IN AIR ON LECTURE TOUR



Mrs. Martin Johnson, with a stewardess, is shown in a transport plane at St. Louis in which she flew to the Southwest for a lecture tour on pictures she and her late explorer-husband took in African wilds. Her husband was killed in the crash of an airliner in California. She is slowly recovering from injuries received in the crash.

Neutral Law Endangered

Deadlock Between Senate And House Conferees May Kill Act

WASHINGTON, April 24 (AP)—A near-deadlock between house and senate conferees threatened today to prevent enactment of permanent neutrality legislation before the present law expires May 1.

The permanent measure has passed both chambers but in different form, and legislators have been trying to settle their differences in conference. Informal persons said the conferees have agreed upon all of the important issues, but are at odds on the form of their report.

A deep conflict has developed between Chairman Pittman (D-Ind.), of the senate foreign relations committee, and Chairman McReynolds (D-Tenn.), of the house foreign affairs committee, colleagues said.

None of the conferees would discuss the matter beyond saying the dispute between the authors of the house and senate bills does not involve differences on fundamental policy.

The row became serious, however, when the conferees recessed over the week-end without reaching an agreement. President Roosevelt, whose signature is necessary to enact legislation, leaves for a southern vacation Tuesday night. Chairman Pittman was discussing the idea of extending the temporary law.

French Capital And Labor Clash On Social Plans

PARIS, April 24 (AP)—Capital and labor lined up tonight for a showdown over the social efforts of Premier Leon Blum's Peoples Front government.

Labor threatened a general strike if its full demands were not met; some employers held out the possibility of lockups if the government acceded further to labor's requests.

Building trades workers defied Premier Blum at a Vincennes mass meeting. They were prepared, they said, to use the "full power we possess" to force the government to spend 10,000,000,000 francs (\$444,400,000) on a public works program to relieve unemployment.

The disputes cast their shadows over Paris' International Exposition, which probably will open May 17. The government does not want its exposition spoiled by a strike, labor's club over the government.

But M. Blum has told the labor federation the treasury could not stand additional public works expenditures. Some financial experts believed the nation might face an empty treasury by June.

Representatives of big industry were touring the country to pledge employers to a "stop labor" movement, crying out that the country was "in the throes of revolution."

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BOYS TAKE TEST IN JUDGING COTTON

Ten boys from 4-H clubs of the county Saturday participated in another cotton judging test held in the sample room of the Hatch and Dillard company.

J. O. McQuerry, buyer with the firm, served as teacher for the boys. He instructed them in pulling samples for staple and talked briefly about spots, tinges and stains.

Morris Clanton, high in the first tests, was again high on pulling Saturday. Eight of the 10 boys scored 75 or higher on the work.

"Since the purchase of my Willys, I have driven 4,000 miles and have averaged 34 miles to a gallon of gasoline," says Mr. Chris Margraf, Jr. who is Assistant Manager of the Bay City Country Club. He further states, "The enjoyment of its riding is a feature of great importance, and the large roomy seats afford comfort on long trips. I am convinced that Willys is the real car for a young man to own."

Young folks are not the only ones who have discovered the New Willys. Such features as all-steel top and body—large luggage space—2 to 4 inches wider front seat than next three cars—two large parcel compartments—safety glass all-around—and oversize brakes are showing thousands new motoring enjoyment at far less cost. Let us show you how Willys can save you up to \$270 the first year—ask us for a trial ride.

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WARD WEEK SPECIAL

\$100 FEATURES

8 EXQUISITE PIECES

You Get: \$100 Features Credenza Buffet

84⁸⁸

Table top in expensive butt walnut veneer! BIG—10 can sit at the table without crowding! Satiny walnut finish. Table, buffet six chairs.

\$8 Down, \$8 Monthly, Carrying Charge

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

Modern Lounge

Quality

\$50 42⁸⁸

A beautiful davenport and comfortable bed at ONE low price! Tapestry cover! Bedding compartment!

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

Super Features!

2 Pc. Luxury Suite

Mahogany Base, Legs

Like Usual \$140 Custom Models

99⁸⁸

The utmost in quality and comfort plus latest 1937 style! Base and legs are Solid Mahogany! Built of the finest materials—covered in a new blended mohair.

\$9 DOWN, \$8 Monthly, Plus Carrying Charge

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

Stainproof TOPI Extra Large!

5 Pc. OAK DINETTE

28⁸⁸

Fruit juices or other stains can't affect this top—it's stainproof like dinettes usually \$10 more elsewhere. Seats eight—table extends to 52" with extra leaf! 4 chairs—Choice of enamel colors!

\$8 Down, \$8 Monthly, Carrying Charge

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

Veneered Table

Newest Style

7⁸⁸

Rarely priced this low! Waterfall edges! Matched butt walnut and mahogany veneer! Large shelf!

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

AXMINSTERS

9x12 Size

32⁸⁸

\$4 DOWN, Carrying Charge

Wards Loomcrafts, a new collection of luxurious seamless rugs, sale-priced for Ward Week! About 6 lbs. heavier than most Axminsters at this low price! Extra close, firm pile! Smart modern, hooked rug and Wilton patterns! Exclusive Two-tone twisted 2-color yarns!

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

Guest Chairs

Spring Seats

5⁸⁸

Moderns in rayon brocade or tapestry—carved styles in moquette and velour. Matched Rocker ... \$3.88

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

EXPENSIVE \$100 FEATURES

ALL PIECES EXTRA LARGE

89⁸⁸

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WARD WEEK SPECIAL

A Great Refrigerator Value

More than 6 Cu. Ft.

New 1937 Model

Fully Equipped - See It Today

\$4 DOWN, \$4 Monthly, Small Carrying Charge

104⁹⁵

Compare it with refrigerators selling for at least \$50 more! We bought this model in large quantities at this low price for Ward Week only. Plenty of storage space—6 1/2 cu. ft. size. 13 1/4 sq. ft. of shelf area.

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

Bed Outfit

3 Pc.

16⁸⁸

Metal bed welded in virtually one piece! 45 lb. cotton mattress! 90 coil spring. Double or twin!

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

SUPER-FEATURES:

- Fronts are All Selected, Matched Butt Walnut Veneers
- New, Extra Large Shield Shape Plate Glass Mirrors
- Solid Oak Interiors
- Chest is Extra Large—5 Drawers

3 Pc. Suite

One of the newest styles of 1937 with EVERYTHING you could ask for in beauty and convenience! Butt walnut veneered fronts are HAND-RUBBED to a mirror-like smoothness! Chest is 34 inches high—think of all the extra drawer space you get! Bed, chest and your choice of vanity or dresser. Vanity bench to match.

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WARD WEEK SPECIAL

Reduced!

8 Tubes!

Ward Week

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8-TUBE AC console with MOVIE DIAL! 3 wave bands! Tuning eye! Metal tubes! 2-speed tuner!

8-TUBE BATTERY Console with same fine cabinet, tone and power of set shown. Lighted oval dial!

LIBERAL TRADE-IN

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

PRISCILLAS

Regularly 79c

66c

Soft pastel colors with novelty loop edge or rainbow striped! Perky ruffles! Save in Ward Week.

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

Luxury at a Low Price

In Wards Tone Lite Venetian Blinds

3⁹⁸

2 3/8" slat

Control light in your room! Custom built to any size! Two coats of enamel! Rust-proof hardware! Automatic stop!

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

Radio "B" BATTERY

Reg. 95c. 45-volt. Guaranteed 4 to 8 months, on a 4 or 5-tube radio! Sealed!

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

Regular 45c Ward-stain

35c

5q. Yd.

A Ward Week bargain in colorful, easy-to-clean 6" and 8" floor covering!

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

CABINET

27⁸⁸

Stainproof porcelain top! 14 other work-saving features! Glassware set!

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

FEATHER PILLOWS

159

Imported feather-proof ticking! Choice turkeys and duck feathers! 21x25 inch size.

WARD WEEK SPECIAL

Unpainted CHAIRS

98c

Paint them yourself! One-coat covers! Cathedral style! Buy several!

It's Ward Week at Wards

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The Markets

STOCKS SHOW HEAVY LOSSES

NEW YORK, April 24 (AP)—Stocks took another nose-dive in today's market, many leaders dropping fractions to 3 or more points to new year's lows in the most active Saturday dealings in six weeks.

The list displayed some steady tendencies at the start. For half an hour declines were moderate. Then a flood of offerings was unloaded on trading forces and virtually all sections tumbled. The downward rush put the ticker tape behind for a few minutes.

The flurry was comparatively brief and mild support soon put in appearance. Later activity was slow, but extreme losses were reduced in numerous instances before the close.

Brokers analysts, trying to put a finger on the cause of the third successive setback, found nothing outstanding in the immediate news.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was off 5 1/2 of a point at 69, only 3 of a point above the 1937 bottom. On the week the average was down a full point. Transfers amounted to 807,640 shares compared with 444,100 last Saturday.

Sales, closing price and net change of the 15 most active stocks today:

Para Pict 35,300, 22 5/8, off 3-8.
 Repub Stl 27,800, 40 3/8, off 1-2.
 Gen Mot 22,800, 58 1/2, no.
 US Stl 16,800, 110 1/2, off 3-2.
 N Y C 14,100, 48 3/8, off 1-2.
 Tex Corp 13,800, 61 1/8, off 7-8.
 Cont Bak B 11,700, 3 1/4, no.
 Socony Vac 10,600, 19 3/8, off 1-4.
 Radio 10,400, 10, no.
 Callahan Zinc 9,500, 4 1/8, up 1-8.
 Gdry 8,700, 43 1/4, off 3-8.
 Mont Ward 8,500, 55 1/4, off 2 1/4.
 Yell Trk 8,200, 30 3/8, off 3-8.
 Gen Elec 8,000, 52 5/8, off 1 3/4.
 Ansoconda 7,800, 55 7/8, no.

COTTON

NEW YORK, April 24 (AP)—Cotton moved irregularly today over a narrow range in quiet trading. July, which had reached 12.15 in early trading, rallied to 12.27 and closed at 12.24 with final prices 1 to 6 points net higher.

The market opened 1 to 4 points higher in sympathy with the action of Liverpool and on trade and foreign buying. During the first half hour prices reacted under the May liquidation partly for New Orleans account. The offerings were not active, however, and the market again responded to covering and trade buying to send all positions to new highs for the day in the late trading.

NEW ORLEANS, April 24 (AP)—Cotton prices gained 2 to 4 points on near positions here today under moderate covering by shorts for over the week-end. New crop positions did not fully meet the advance in old crop options and the market closed steady, net unchanged to 4 points up.

Better foreign advices brought out a moderate trade demand at the opening and starting trades had gains of 1 to 4 points. May and July deliveries showed the most strength at the start, opening at 12.08 and 12.15 respectively.

May closed at 12.08, July at 12.15, October at 12.09, December at 12.05, and January at 12.07. March at 12.12 was unchanged from the previous close.

CHICAGO GRAIN, April 24 (AP)—Wheat prices fluctuated erratically within a maximum range of 1 7/8 cents today.

The market's unsettlement was attributed largely to reports of beneficial rains in many sections of the grain belt, but enough buying found its way into the pit to keep

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LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, April 24 (AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 500; truck hogs steady with Friday; top 9.90; 180-220 lbs. 9.70-80; good lights 9.00-75; packing sows steady, mostly 8.75. Cattle 500; nominal; compared with close last week; beef steers fully 25c higher, yearlings 25-50c up, cows 25c higher, bulls firm, calves strong to 25c higher, stockers strong; few steers 10.25 down; bulk short feds 8.25-50; top yearling steers 11.00; bulk medium and good grade 7.75-10.50; best cows 7.25; weighty sausage bulls 5.25-50; good to choice slaughter calves 7.25-8.60.

Sheep 2,000; nominal. Compared with last week's close: Most classes steady, medium to choice spring lambs 9.50-10.75; early week's top shorn lambs 8.75; closing bulk medium to good shorn lambs 8.50-9.40; aged wethers 5.25-50; ewes 4.00-50.

Contract Let For Callahan Co. Test

E. F. Robbins Saturday let contract for his No. 1 Annie Thompson, wildcat test on a 3,400 acre block he has assembled in Callahan county.

The test is located in the Eula district in the southeast corner of the southeast quarter of survey 30, BBB&C railroad land survey.

Five tests in the area have all had from one to four shows, the deepest at 1,810 feet. The Robbins test will be carried to paying production of 2,000 feet. Blocks have been assembled to the southwest, where a 4,000 foot test is in prospect, to the southeast, south and west.

Contract for the test was let to Jackson and Son.

BOOK MENTIONING EDWARD IN DEMAND

LONDON, April 24 (AP)—Londoners stampeded bookstores today and bought up all the available copies of a book which accused the Duke of Windsor of "muddling, fuddling and meddling" when he was king of England.

However, the publishers, William Heinemann, Ltd., informed dealers no more of the current edition would be printed. They did not say whether they planned to meet the demand of the duke's counsel, A. G. Allen, for an apology and complete withdrawal of the book.

AUTOMOBILE DEATH RULED ACCIDENTAL

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FINANCIAL AGREEMENT IN CANADA DISPUTE

WINDSOR, Ontario, April 24 (AP)—General Motors officials and representatives of the 850 employees of the company's Windsor plant reached an agreement tonight under which the workers will return to their jobs Monday.

The accord followed closely the agreement signed in Toronto yesterday settling the strike of 3,700 workers at the General Motors plant at Oshawa. The Windsor employees had not been on strike.

The plant here makes motors for the Oshawa assembly line, and they were laid off when the strike began at Oshawa.

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The plan, in effect since shortly after the establishment of the company, gave the workers the privilege of taking any grievance to the company through representatives elected by the workmen.

Company officials said the supreme court's action in holding valid the Wagner labor act, and criticism of the joint conference plan as used by other companies led to the decision to abandon it.

Labor leaders hailed the action as "significant." Adolph Germer, organizer for the Committee for Industrial Organization, said that action was "an indication of the abandonment of corporation opposition to the right of employees to choose their own collective bargaining representatives."

VISITOR HERE

J. R. Morton, chief supervisor of emergency education for the state, visited here Saturday, conferring with WPA officials.

ACTION ON NEW LIQUOR BILL HALTED BY LACK OF QUORUM

AUSTIN, April 24 (AP)—The house of representatives briefly considered a new liquor regulation bill today, but due to the absence of a working quorum finally followed the session in adjourning until Monday.

In the short session, a proposal was made to eliminate the requirement of bonds for package store dealers on grounds the liquor wholesalers were accountable for taxes and the bonds for retailers gave the state no protection. Opponents argued removal of the bonds would do away with control over package stores.

Appropriations

Speaker Bob Calvert of Hillboro sharply criticized members who voted to have a session and then did not attend. The only other business accomplished was appointment by the speaker of conferees on committees to adjust differences with the senate on various legislation.

Interest next week will center chiefly on what the senate may do with reference to taxes and appropriations. Evidence it meant to wind up at this session business that has to be transacted, instead of leaving it over to a special session, was seen in its taking up the departmental appropriation bill.

The other important appropriation measures, the education, cleanmocracy, judiciary and rural aid, will be considered in the senate after the departmental is disposed of, and similar bills are about ready for floor consideration in the house.

All the major tax bills passed by the house, consideration of which has occupied much of the session, were in a sub-group of the senate finance committee, and a moderate tax program was expected to be announced after it was known definitely what the appropriations would total.

Bills shunted to the sub-committee would increase taxes on oil, sulphur and natural gas production and corporation franchises.

During the week, Governor James V. Allred indicated strongly there would be a special session to consider a bill to repeal the horse race wagering law unless such a measure, already passed by the

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MARKETING ASSN. QUARTERS WILL BE OPENED ON MAY 3

Ring Sale Of Livestock, Farm Implements Planned For Day At Greer Yards

With a \$1,000 remodeling program nearing completion, the Howard County Marketing association announced formal opening of its quarters at the Samuel Greer yards east of Big Spring for May 3.

A big ring sale of horses, mules, cattle, sheep, hogs and farm implements is planned for the day with L. L. Kinder of Frederick, Okla., serving as auctioneer.

An arena has been set up in the spacious 60x100 foot barn and the sale will go on regardless of weather. J. W. Allen, through whom reservations may be made, said that farmers and ranchers were urged to flat stuff for sale.

The pens have been reworked at the Greer place to give storage space for 1,000 head of stock. More than 25 pens are now available. The work required the hanging for some 50 gates and the setting up of several new pens in addition to dividing existing ones.

W. Dwight Smith has been named caretaker of the property and will be quartered on the grounds. Allen, who has taken the lead for the marketing association, said that it was the hope of stockholders that the sale would eventually grow to the point that it would warrant the operation of a full time plant. The association was conceived as a local meat processing plant.

If the first sale is successful, others will follow, Allen said. They may be held as often as once a week.

PUBLIC RECORDS

Marriage Licenses: H. M. Bland, Lamona, and Tina Hood, Lamona; Harold Harvey and Lucille Hammack, Big Spring; Jack Melvin and Ona Nelson, Big Spring.

New Cars: E. E. Cunningham, Ford tudor; Mrs. Ella M. Conrad, Cuthbert, Tex.; Mildred Earhart, Ford tudor; L. E. Rhodes, Ford coupe; Leon J. Wilson, Plymouth tudor; J. T. Dillard, Ford tudor.

Beer Permit Application: Luis Gonzalez to operate the Hillside Beer Parlor on N. W. 4th street, hearing set for April 29.

4TH STREET PAVING READY WEDNESDAY

B. J. McDaniels, superintendent of city operations, said Saturday that the paving on W. 4th street between Gregg and Scurry would be opened to traffic Wednesday.

He said that the strip on the south side of the block would be widened as soon as property owners signed.

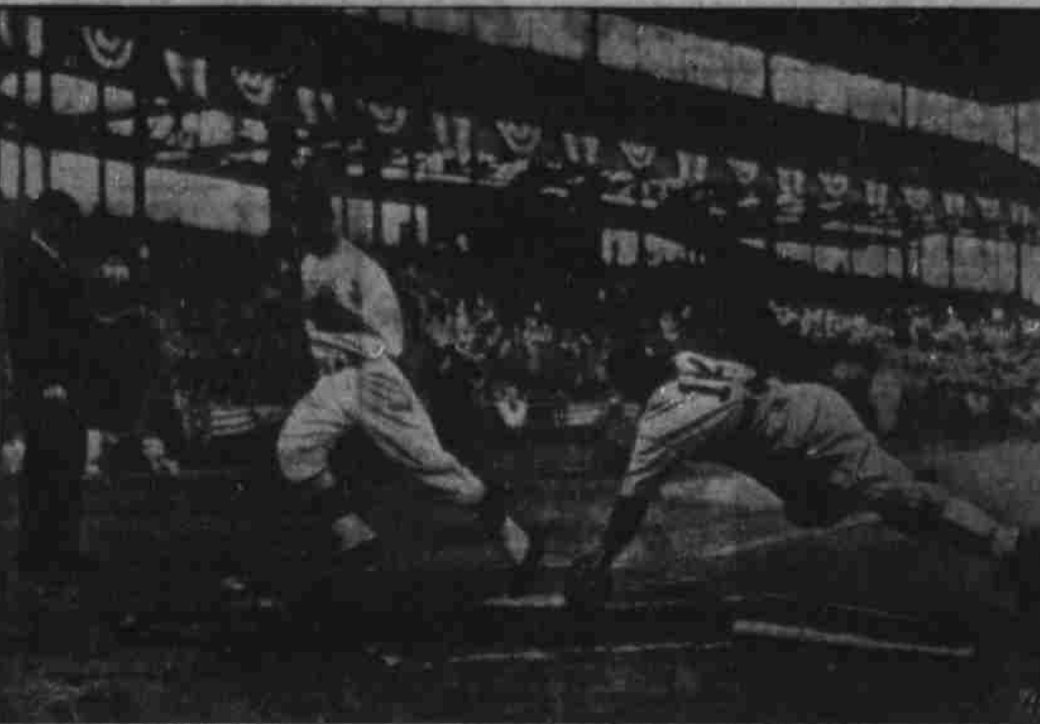
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And So Another Brownie Scored



Bill Knickerbocker was on second in the second inning of a Browns-White Sox slugfest at St. Louis, when Sam West singled to right. Dixie Walker relayed the ball in swiftly to Luke Sewell, White Sox catcher, but the throw was not quite perfect and Sewell lunged futilely at the Brown's shortstop.

GOLDDIGGERS BEWARE!



Rep. Eudochia Smith (left), of the Colorado legislature, says the male is the weaker sex, as she explains to June Wells, stenographer, features of her bill outlawing suits for breach of promise, alienation of affections and seduction. The bill was approved after Mrs. Smith termed such suits "weapons of goldiggers."

JOHNSON TO LEAVE THIS WEEK TO TAKE PLACE IN SENATE

AUSTIN, April 24 (AP)—Lyndon B. Johnson, congressman-elect of the Tenth Texas district, will leave for Washington April 27 to take the seat of the late J. P. Buchanan.

Johnson announced appointment of W. S. Birdwell, Jr., of Buda as his secretary. Birdwell, a businessman, is 30 and Johnson is 29. Focused from an appendicitis operation, Johnson left Austin today to visit his parents in Johnson City.

Gonzales Paces Tyler As Longview Defeated

LONGVIEW, April 24 (AP)—Joe Gonzales, left fielder, paced the Tyler Trojans with a homer, triple, and single in five trips today as Tyler defeated the Cannibals 5-3 in a game replete with errors. Lee Chandler, Longview shortstop, got three singles in four trips. Dick Rock, Trojan pitcher, held the Cannibals to 8 hits, while Tyler counted 8 off Joe Demoran.

Tyler 102 011 030-8 8 4 Longview 020 000 010-3 6 4 Rock and Andrews, Demoran and Steinbock.

Henderson Oilers Beat Kilgore Rangers, 5 To 3

HENDERSON, April 24 (AP)—Led by Manuel Cortinas, who clouted two long home runs, Henderson Oilers defeated Kilgore Rangers today 5 to 3. Smith and Schaffer, dividing mound honors for Henderson, allowed Rangers only five hits, one a homer inside the park by Jimmie Kerr.

Kilgore 000 200 100-3 5 3 Henderson 000 220 100-5 8 1 Harris and Lorenz; Schaffer and Costly.

Tucson Cowboys Get 2nd Straight Triumph

TUCSON, Ariz., April 24 (AP)—Catcher Frank Anderson's freak homer with two men on in the last of the eighth gave the Tucson Cowboys their second straight triumph over the Albuquerque Cardinals today, 7 to 6.

Albuquerque 001 120 200-6 12 3 Tucson 001 300 028-7 8 4 Odum, Dumbler and Lloyd; Ditto, Medeghini and Anderson.

TO RETURN SUSPECT TO ARDMORE, OKLA.

ARDMORE, Okla., April 24 (AP)—Sheriff Floyd Randolph said today he would send a deputy sheriff to Refugio, Texas, this week to return Roy Merritt, alias R. M. Williams, held there for Carter county offense.

Merritt, who is wanted in Ardmore to stand trial for the third time for alleged complicity in the death of Roscoe Bearden, farmer, killed in a quarrel after a poker game in 1934, is said to have waived extradition at Refugio.

Study Made Of Sourdock Samples Of Plant Are Sent To Washington For Analysis

G. A. Russell, division of drug plant, bureau of plant industry, finished a two-day study of the sourdock weed here Saturday and announced that some 20 samples had been sent to Washington for analysis.

He was dispatched here to secure roots of the plant so that they might be tested for tannic acid content. Duke Thornton, Texas A. and M. extension service specialist, had told County Agent O. P. Griffin previously that the roots contained 46 per cent of the acid and that they had a definite commercial value.

Russell inspected growths of the weed on the Glenn Cantrell place near Center Point, at the W. M. Billings farm, and along the old Colorado road. Most prolific growth was on the Billings place.

If the tests show that the acid content is sufficiently high to make it a commercially important plant for this section, Russell said a request would be made to the bureau of plant industry to have the U. S. experiment farm here devote a small plot to sourdock. Sourdock grows wild in many sections of the county, resembles spinach in many respects, has a green strap leaf, produces a root about six inches long and one inch in diameter. From the roots, which possess a dark brown covering and a deep tan pulp, comes the acid when the plant has flowered.

PIRATES SACK CINCINNATI, 3-2

PITTSBURGH, April 24 (AP)—Lee Handley singled in the ninth inning, with the bases full today to give the Pittsburgh Pirates a 3 to 2 victory over Cincinnati. Wild Bill Hallahan hurled splendid ball for the Reds until the final inning.

Cincinnati 000 001 100-3 Pittsburgh 100 000 002-3 Errors—Bauers, Vaughan, Scarcella. Runs batted in—Dickshot, Gelbert, Goodman, Handley 2. Two base hits—Goodman, F. Waner, Dickshot, Walker. Stolen bases—Gelbert, Scarcella. Sacrifice—Dickshot. Left on bases—Cincinnati 9 Pittsburgh 5. Bases on balls—Bauers 4, Hallahan 1, Strickouts—Bauers 6 in 8; Swift 1 in 1. Winning pitcher—Swift. Umpires—Klem, Sears and Ballantyne. Time 1:57.

FOURTH STRAIGHT JACKSONVILLE, April 24 (AP)—

Jacksonville made it four straight over Palestine tonight, 9 to 3, in an East Texas League baseball game. Palestine erred seven times. Olson started on the mound for the visitors but retired in the first inning after Jacksonville got to him for two scores. Perez finished the game for Palestine.

Palestine 000 200 001-3 7 1 Jacksonville 220 020 028-9 8 3 Olson, Perez and Hofnaby; Thomas, Hurley and Wyzock.

Damage Averted as Gas Lines Burst, Catch Fire

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 24 (AP)—Quick action and a high wind prevented possible damage in a thickly populated residential section of northeast Oklahoma City today when a high pressure gas line burst at the Big Chief Drilling company's No. 1 Sooner well.

Residents within a two block area were ordered to extinguish all fires but workmen succeeded in shutting the gas off in the line before any damage was done.

THREE WORKMEN ARE KILLED BY CAVE-IN

CORPUS CHRISTI, April 24 (AP)—A sudden cave-in at the Huthble company plant a mile south of Ingleside killed three men and injured another late tonight.

The dead were tentatively identified as O. A. Ask of San Antonio, Tom Ehead of San Antonio, and Eboridge Evans of Corpus Christi. M. L. Sears of Corpus Christi was not seriously hurt. Twenty-eight men were working where the cave-in occurred.

HEADS ROTARY DISTRICT EL PASO, April 24 (AP)—John

Chapman, Santa Fe, N. M., attorney, was elected president today of the New Mexico-West Texas district, Rotary International. "Rotary in the coming year" he said, "will concentrate on carrying through the El Paso-Mexico City highway and an inspiration of international friendship between the United States and Mexico."

WHITE WINS OZONA, April 24 (AP)—The hard-

hitting Ozonas, behind the 7-hit pitching of Lefty White opened the Permian Basin league season here today with an 8-3 win over the Iran Oilers.

RELATIVES FIND RANCHER DEAD WHEN SEEKING TO TELL OF SON'S DEATH

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo., April 24 (AP)—Relatives who went to the lonely cabin of Peter Olson, 81, near Crawford, to tell him of the death late Friday of his son in Grand Junction, found the aged rancher dead.

The son, Shelton Olson, 43, died in a local hospital after a long illness. Physicians said the elder Olson's death was due to advanced age. He had been dead, they said, for more than a week.

ROMANCE COMES HIGH FOR KING WHO WANTS WIFE WITH 5 MILLION

TIRANA, Albania, April 24 (AP)—King Zog of Albania still wants a wife, but royal romance comes high. Diplomats, denying rumors of his engagement to a member of Italian aristocracy, said there remained two obstacles to the king's marriage.

The first is to find a wife with a possible \$5,000,000; the second, to get four of his sisters married off. Albania is a poor country with a possible future in oil. Zog figures a heiress—perhaps an American—not only would bring him a personal fortune but would aid him in interesting the United States or some other country in his little kingdom.

Speedy Action On Retirement Measure Urged By Teachers

GALVESTON, April 24 (AP)—The southeast division of the Texas State Teachers' association closed its general session here today by adopting a new constitution, selecting new officials, and going on record against a proposal to make the state superintendent of education post appointive.

Resolutions were passed calling for speedy final passage of the teacher's retirement law; endorsing the Harrison-Black-Fletcher bill for federal aid to education; urging state legislators to consider a change in school financing plans to raise revenues, and urging state apportionment for school districts for next year be increased to not less than \$20 by the state board of education.

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He was dispatched here to secure roots of the plant so that they might be tested for tannic acid content. Duke Thornton, Texas A. and M. extension service specialist, had told County Agent O. P. Griffin previously that the roots contained 46 per cent of the acid and that they had a definite commercial value.

Russell inspected growths of the weed on the Glenn Cantrell place near Center Point, at the W. M. Billings farm, and along the old Colorado road. Most prolific growth was on the Billings place.

If the tests show that the acid content is sufficiently high to make it a commercially important plant for this section, Russell said a request would be made to the bureau of plant industry to have the U. S. experiment farm here devote a small plot to sourdock. Sourdock grows wild in many sections of the county, resembles spinach in many respects, has a green strap leaf, produces a root about six inches long and one inch in diameter. From the roots, which possess a dark brown covering and a deep tan pulp, comes the acid when the plant has flowered.

PIRATES SACK CINCINNATI, 3-2

PITTSBURGH, April 24 (AP)—Lee Handley singled in the ninth inning, with the bases full today to give the Pittsburgh Pirates a 3 to 2 victory over Cincinnati. Wild Bill Hallahan hurled splendid ball for the Reds until the final inning.

Cincinnati 000 001 100-3 Pittsburgh 100 000 002-3 Errors—Bauers, Vaughan, Scarcella. Runs batted in—Dickshot, Gelbert, Goodman, Handley 2. Two base hits—Goodman, F. Waner, Dickshot, Walker. Stolen bases—Gelbert, Scarcella. Sacrifice—Dickshot. Left on bases—Cincinnati 9 Pittsburgh 5. Bases on balls—Bauers 4, Hallahan 1, Strickouts—Bauers 6 in 8; Swift 1 in 1. Winning pitcher—Swift. Umpires—Klem, Sears and Ballantyne. Time 1:57.

FOURTH STRAIGHT JACKSONVILLE, April 24 (AP)—

Jacksonville made it four straight over Palestine tonight, 9 to 3, in an East Texas League baseball game. Palestine erred seven times. Olson started on the mound for the visitors but retired in the first inning after Jacksonville got to him for two scores. Perez finished the game for Palestine.

Palestine 000 200 001-3 7 1 Jacksonville 220 020 028-9 8 3 Olson, Perez and Hofnaby; Thomas, Hurley and Wyzock.

Damage Averted as Gas Lines Burst, Catch Fire

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 24 (AP)—Quick action and a high wind prevented possible damage in a thickly populated residential section of northeast Oklahoma City today when a high pressure gas line burst at the Big Chief Drilling company's No. 1 Sooner well.

Residents within a two block area were ordered to extinguish all fires but workmen succeeded in shutting the gas off in the line before any damage was done.

THREE WORKMEN ARE KILLED BY CAVE-IN

CORPUS CHRISTI, April 24 (AP)—A sudden cave-in at the Huthble company plant a mile south of Ingleside killed three men and injured another late tonight.

The dead were tentatively identified as O. A. Ask of San Antonio, Tom Ehead of San Antonio, and Eboridge Evans of Corpus Christi. M. L. Sears of Corpus Christi was not seriously hurt. Twenty-eight men were working where the cave-in occurred.

HEADS ROTARY DISTRICT EL PASO, April 24 (AP)—John

Chapman, Santa Fe, N. M., attorney, was elected president today of the New Mexico-West Texas district, Rotary International. "Rotary in the coming year" he said, "will concentrate on carrying through the El Paso-Mexico City highway and an inspiration of international friendship between the United States and Mexico."

WHITE WINS OZONA, April 24 (AP)—The hard-

hitting Ozonas, behind the 7-hit pitching of Lefty White opened the Permian Basin league season here today with an 8-3 win over the Iran Oilers.

RELATIVES FIND RANCHER DEAD WHEN SEEKING TO TELL OF SON'S DEATH

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo., April 24 (AP)—Relatives who went to the lonely cabin of Peter Olson, 81, near Crawford, to tell him of the death late Friday of his son in Grand Junction, found the aged rancher dead.

The son, Shelton Olson, 43, died in a local hospital after a long illness. Physicians said the elder Olson's death was due to advanced age. He had been dead, they said, for more than a week.

ROMANCE COMES HIGH FOR KING WHO WANTS WIFE WITH 5 MILLION

TIRANA, Albania, April 24 (AP)—King Zog of Albania still wants a wife, but royal romance comes high. Diplomats, denying rumors of his engagement to a member of Italian aristocracy, said there remained two obstacles to the king's marriage.

The first is to find a wife with a possible \$5,000,000; the second, to get four of his sisters married off. Albania is a poor country with a possible future in oil. Zog figures a heiress—perhaps an American—not only would bring him a personal fortune but would aid him in interesting the United States or some other country in his little kingdom.

Speedy Action On Retirement Measure Urged By Teachers

GALVESTON, April 24 (AP)—The southeast division of the Texas State Teachers' association closed its general session here today by adopting a new constitution, selecting new officials, and going on record against a proposal to make the state superintendent of education post appointive.

Resolutions were passed calling for speedy final passage of the teacher's retirement law; endorsing the Harrison-Black-Fletcher bill for federal aid to education; urging state legislators to consider a change in school financing plans to raise revenues, and urging state apportionment for school districts for next year be increased to not less than \$20 by the state board of education.

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THE SPORTS CIRCUIT Joe Davis To Be Manager Midland Team

BY TOM BEASLEY JOE DAVIS, a pitcher with Columbus, will manage the Midland Cardinals in the West Texas-New Mexico Class D baseball league.

ON THE Hardin-Simmons football roster—varsity squads—are two boys from Lamesa—Gilbert, 134-pound tackle, and McKinnon, 172-pound back.

NO WILLIAMS, Texas Tech athletic manager, writes in a recent letter: "Our spring practice looks fair, and we will find out in this game."

THE SEVENTH annual Texas Women's Public Links state golf tournament will be played over the Bracke-ridge Park course in San Antonio May 23-28.

CHARLEY BRYANT'S 17-year-old pitching hopeful, Norman Townsend, stands 6 feet, three inches. He's a righthander and, according to Bryant, is going to develop.

BRYANT HAS seven pitchers, including "Boss" "Lefty" Wright, who played several years of amateur ball around Ackerly.

RED BLACK, formerly of Colorado, is also making a try for the Odessa team. Black is a catcher and will back up hustling David Malloy, a Tyler boy.

MALLOY IS the son of Cloyd Malloy, veteran mittman, who once had a tryout with Houston.

TYLED BOYS on the Odessa squad are Jake Christy, Charles Woodyard and Townsend, pitchers; Sam Miller, outfielder, and Dave Malloy, catcher.

THE ODESSA outfit garnered three hits in one frame Saturday, but failed to score.

COTTON PIPPEN, who had a tryout with the St. Louis Cardinals last year and is now with Sacramento in the Pacific Coast league, has an older brother playing left field for the Odessa club.

RED COWLEY, who is making a try at the second sack on the Ector county team, played with the Angelo Shepherders in the Concho Basin league last year.

BRYANT HAS a couple of shortstops and is having a hard time deciding between the two. Bob

ARCHIE SAN ROMAN RUS AHEAD OF RIDEOUT TWINS NO COLLEGE RECORDS DAMAGED

By WILLIAM WEEKES DES MOINES, Ia., April 24 (AP)— Archie San Romani, mighty little flier from Emporia, Kans., gave the famous Rideout twins of Texas, a lesson in distance-running today, and five Rice Institute sprinters sped to pair of championships, in the rain-drenched 28th annual Drake Relay Carnival.

The two-day relay and special event classic of the Middle West provided today's 12,000 soaked and half-frozen spectators with thrills, but for the first time within the memory of the oldest veteran no records in the college and university divisions were damaged.

A chilling drizzle hampered field event stars and caused the pole-vaulters to be sent into Drake's field house.

San Romani was after a new world record to replace Paavo Nurmi's 6 minutes, 42.5 seconds for the one and one-half mile run outdoors, set in 1925. Covering the odd distance in 6:46.9, with better conditions he might have achieved his goal. He did, however, give the Rideouts, Wayne, second, and Blaine, third, who attend classes at the North Texas State Teachers College at Denton, a rousing beating of 200 yards.

Owls Beat Texas The Rice delegation started with a triumph over the University of Texas' four sophomores in the 440-yard relay, Jack Ellington, Ed Stealy, Paul Sanders and Willard Moser hustling through the mist in 42.5 seconds, a second slower than the meet record hung up by Illinois in 1933.

The Pacific Northwest team shot into the lead at the start had seven yards on the Buckeyes at the finish and was timed in 3 minutes 17.2 seconds.

Big Ten Party The rest of the program was pretty much of a Big Ten party. Wisconsin, with Bradford Towle, Lloyd Cooke, Charles Fenske and Walter Mehl, won the four mile relay in 17 minutes, 50 seconds, almost 10 seconds slower than the meet record established by Indiana last year.

Tommy Sexton, Bob Blicke, Bob Squire and Charles Beetman, for Ohio State, polished off Drake in the two mile event, in 7 minutes 54 seconds.

Illinois scored its second straight triumph in the 440 yard shuttle hurdles relay. The Illini, timed in 1:01.7, whipped Nebraska by about 14 yards.

Bob Grieve, won the 100-yard dash by a couple inches over Ed Toribio of Oklahoma, for Illinois' second victory of the day. Rice Institute's Carr, and Mack Robinson, husky negro speedster from Pasadena Junior College, were third and

GIANTS DEFEAT BOSTON BEES, 3 TO 0

Cosden Wins From Westex Leaguers, 5-4

Bill Cook Outpitches Two Of Charlie Bryan's Hopefuls

By HANK HART LORRAINE, April 24—The whole Odessa ball club took it out on Carmen Brandon, but the ex-Rice star intercepted a throw by Bronc Shortstop in the ninth frame to win a ball game for the Cosden Oilers, 5-4, Saturday afternoon in a game that saw Bill Cook outpitch two of Charlie Bryan's hopefuls.

Brandon twice was hit by pitched balls and took advantage of the last "bean ball" to give his mates the win. With two down, "Mile-away" Baker clouted one of Dost Wright's offerings for a single that fell between the Odessa shortstop and left field and Carmen was away for two bases.

Cook allowed only eight hits and was in trouble but once. That upriser came in the eighth frame when the Odessa club put together two hits and a miscue by "Skeets" West to tie the count.

The Big Spring boys counted their first run in the initial frame when Ramsey walked and came home on successive hits by Hutto and Morgan. The Broncs retaliated with a run in their half of the same stanza and took the advantage in the third when Norman Townsend, 17-year-old mound hopeful, crossed the plate, but the locals waited only one inning to tie the count.

Baker, after doubling, reached home plate on a bingle by Ramsey. In the sixth Baker worked a free pass out of Wright, went to third on a hit by West, and came in on Pepper Martin's sacrifice.

James Morgan accounted for the other tally in the seventh on Baker's two-base blow after leading off with a double.

Dave Malloy, peppery 20-year-old mittman, led the Odessa assault with a pair of singles.

The Cosdenites go to Texas today where they are scheduled to meet the Oilers of the Permian Basin league. The Texas crew, managed by Snipe Conley, is a formidable outfit, according to reports from the oil country.

Flop Harris, Tex Ritter and Hy Haven will handle the pitching chores for the Texas aggregation.

Box score: Big Spring— AB R H PO A E Martin, 2b..... 4 0 0 3 1 Hutto, 3b..... 5 0 3 0 1 Wallis, 1b..... 3 0 0 15 0 Morgan, ss..... 1 5 1 2 2 2 Brandon, rf..... 3 1 0 2 1 0 Pippen, cf..... 3 2 3 7 1 0 West, m-2b..... 2 0 1 0 0 1 Cook, p..... 5 0 0 4 0 4 Totals..... 34 5 10 27 2 2

Odessa— AB R H PO A E Reeves, m..... 2 1 0 2 0 0 Decker, ss..... 2 0 1 1 3 0 Williams, ss..... 2 0 0 0 1 0 Miller, rf..... 4 1 1 3 0 0 White, 1b..... 4 1 1 11 0 0 Swick, 2b..... 5 0 1 2 0 0 Pippen, cf..... 4 0 1 2 0 0 Cowley, 2b..... 4 0 1 1 2 0 Malloy, c..... 1 0 0 3 0 0 Townsend, p..... 1 1 0 0 3 0 Wright, p..... 1 0 0 0 1 0 Bryant, x..... 1 0 1 0 0 0 Totals..... 34 4 8 27 11 1

Work on the new nine at the Mundy golf course was started last week, and construction of tees and greens is being done under the direction of Harold Akey, Mundy pro. The work is a WPA project.

VICTOR WEBBER TO APPEAR ON OPENING CARD



With the opening of the wrestling season here Tuesday, May 4, fans will rejoice over the return of Victor Webber, robust wrestler of German descent from New York.

Promoter Fuhrer announced Saturday that the vain, swaggering grappler would appear on the opening card. A fine showman, fast on his feet and with a world of wrestling knowledge, Webber is a favorite with the fans.

He returns to this circuit from Edmonton, Canada.

How They Stand

Table showing standings for American League, National League, and American Association.

TEXAS LEAGUE RESULTS

Table showing Texas League results for Tulsa, Ft. Worth, Oklahoma City, Dallas, Houston, and Galveston.

LONGHORNS WIN ELEVEN INNING TILT FROM BEARS

WACO, April 24 (AP)—A single by McMurry with two down in the eleventh inning scored Monro for the only run of game, and gave the Texas Longhorns a 1 to 0 win over Baylor's Bears in a pitchers' duel here today.

Brady Nabs Region Two Track Meet

Seven Records Tumbled; Harry Hays Of San Angelo Outstanding

ABILENE, April 24 (Sp1)—Seven records fell here today in the Region Two track and field meet as Brady high school made away with the team title for the second straight year by scoring 19 points.

Records tumbled on all sides. Hays ran the quarter mile in 50.7 for a new mark and made the low hurdles in 25.5 for another new record.

Dye ran the 220 yard dash in 22.5 and James Thomson of Brownwood tossed the discus 128.9 for a record. He also won the shot-put.

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GALVESTON AND SAN ANTONIO TIE

GALVESTON, April 24 (AP)—Galveston and San Antonio played to a 2-2 tie in nine innings tonight in a game called at the end of the ninth to allow the teams to catch a train to San Antonio, where they resume play tomorrow.

San Antonio.....000 200 0-2 9 Galveston.....000 011 000-2 8

PHILADELPHIA NABS 2ND GAME FROM SENATORS

WASHINGTON, April 24 (AP)—Philadelphia took its second straight victory from the Washington Senators today, 6 to 4.

Philadelphia.....120 000 0-6 Washington.....200 100 100-4

MEL OTT HITS TWO HOME RUNS

NEW YORK, April 24 (AP)—The national league champion Giants won their third straight game of the season today as Mel Ott hit two homers and Dick Bartell clouted one for all the scoring in a 3 to 0 victory over the Boston Bees.

Table showing batting statistics for Mel Ott and other players.

PERRY'S WINK SPUDDERS OPEN SEASON AT MONAHANS MAY 5

(Editor's Note: This is the second of a series of stories on teams in the West Texas-New Mexico baseball league.

"Skipper" Perry's Wink Spudders will open the league season at Monahans on May 5, and if you can take Perry's word for it, the Spudders will more than hold their own in the Class D league.

Perry returned last week from a trip to Dallas and now has 20 players working out each day at the new park. The squad will be cut to 14.

The club house is ready for occupancy, complete with showers, and the grandstand is nearing completion.

Thumbnail sketches of the leading candidates—

Urie "Dopy" Bennie, 185 pound southpaw outfielder, who formerly played with Claco. This little fellow hit .360 last year.

Grady "Wild Bill" Johnson, also hails from Claco. Bill, although now handicapped with a crippled foot, looks mighty good. He won 15 games last year, losing three, and hit .300.

Robert "Battling Kid" Bevals, 185 pound outfielder, played with General Crude last year in Hamlin. He hit .300.

Gewin Shores, 161 pound outfielder who lives in Breckenridge, but played with Coleman last season, arrived in Wink early last week. His batting average last season was .300.

Big Spring Sand Belt golfers swing into action again today, playing their second match of the season on the Odessa course. The match was postponed from April 4 because of inclement weather.

Colorado and Lamesa are scheduled for today also, the match to be played on the Lamesa country club layout. Midland and Stanton will be idle.

The standings: Big Spring..... W. L. Pct. Pts. Odessa..... 1 0 1.000 28 Midland..... 2 0 1.000 30 Lamesa..... 0 1 .000 18 Colorado..... 0 1 .000 8 Stanton..... 0 0 .000 20

PHILLIES EVEN DODGER SERIES

PHILADELPHIA, April 24 (AP)—Aided by sloppy opposition fielding, the Phillies evened the current series with the Brooklyn Dodgers today by scoring a 7 to 3 victory behind the effective pitching of Lefty LaMaster.

Bruce, Norris, Left on bases—Brooklyn 6, Philadelphia 3. Base on balls—LaMaster 5, Mungo 1. Eisenstadt 1. Strike out—LaMaster 4, Eisenstadt 1, Mungo 7. Hitters—Mungo 7 in 6 innings; Eisenstadt 2 in 1; Wildcat Mungo. Losing pitcher—Mungo. Umpires—Fisher, Reardon and Gresh. Time 1:58.

Co-Op Rebels Meet Pipeliners Sunday

Relying on the veteran Pap Payne and Melvin Boatman, the Co-Op Rebels will meet the Continental Pipeliners in Foran today in a game scheduled for 3 p. m.

EL PASO WINS FROM BISBEE

EL PASO, April 24 (AP)—The Texans came out best in a closely contested baseball game with the Bisbee Bees here today, winning 9 to 5 with a run in the last half of the ninth, and received a shade of the best of it in a fisty encounter in the first half of the ninth when Bobby Bear, Texas second baseman, clashed with Robertson, Elbe centerfielder, after the latter had been caught stealing second for the final out.

Relay Winners In Penn Carnival

PHILADELPHIA April 24 (AP)—Major college relay winners in the two-day Pennsylvania carnival which closed today:

Table showing relay winners from various states.

hit .265, Johnson had a tryout with Beaumont of the Texas league in 1935. Novel "Barney" Barnhill, another Claco boy, played in the Permian Basin league last year. His spot is second base. He weighs 145, but can amuck the ball. His batting average last year was .300.

Tulsa Oilers Blank Fort Worth Cats

TULSA, Okla., April 24 (AP)—Clyde Lahti twirled his second straight shutout and his third victory of the season as the Oilers defeated Fort Worth tonight, 7 to 3, to end their first home stand.

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INDIANS NOSE OUT DALLAS

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 24 (AP)—Three successive singles with two men out in the last of the ninth provided Oklahoma City's Indians with the run they needed to nose out the Dallas Steers, 4 to 3, in a Texas League baseball game here tonight.

Three base hits—Travis. Stolen bases—Werber, Sacrifices—Cissell. Double plays—Cissell to Newsum to Dean 2; Travis to Myer to Kuhl; Johnson to Brucker. Left on bases—Philadelphia 6, Washington 8. Bases on balls—off Williams 7, off Newsum 6. Strikeouts—by Williams 7 in 8 innings; off Newsum 8 in 8 2-3; off Cissell 1 in 1; off Cohen 1 in 1-3. Winning pitcher—Williams. Losing pitcher—Newsum. Umpires—Hubbard, Dinneen and Owens. Time 2:25.

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BOB FELLER LUSES FIRS GAME OF SEASON TO BROWNS, 4-3

YOUNGSTER AL FISHER HURLS BUFFS TO 3-0 VICTORY OVER BEAUMONT

IS JERKED IN SIXTH

CLEVELAND, April 24 (AP)—Bob Feller gave away his first 1937 championship start in a fit of first inning wildness, but went on to hold the St. Louis Browns to four hits, while he was striking out 11, in the six innings he pitched. The score was 4 to 3, with all the Browns' runs the result of Feller's initial shakiness. Ivy Paul Andrews replaced him.

Feller was pulled from the game because he had strained a muscle in his pitching arm, the club announced.

Approximately 12,000 saw the game, which was played with the thermometer in the low 70s.

The box: ST. LOUIS—AB R H O A

Kniekerbocker, ss	3	1	1	3	0
E. Allen, cf	5	0	1	0	0
Womack, lf	5	1	1	0	0
Holt, rf	5	1	1	0	0
Hornby, 2b	5	1	0	3	0
Chitt, 3b	4	0	0	1	4
Davin, 1b	3	0	2	0	0
Hemley, c	4	0	1	1	1
Walkup, p	4	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	4	6	27	16

CLEVELAND—AB R H O A
 Lary, p 5 0 0 2 1
 Hughes, 3b 3 0 0 2 2
 Averil, cf 3 0 0 1 0
 Trosky, 1b 4 0 2 6 1
 Sellers, lf 4 0 0 0 0
 Hale, 2b 3 1 1 2 2
 Campbell, rf 2 1 1 3 0
 Pyltak, c 4 1 2 12 1
 Feller, p 2 0 1 0 0
 Andrews, p 1 0 1 0 0
 Heath, p 1 0 0 0 0
 Totals 30 3 6 27 7

Sports Circuit

(Continued from Page 6)
 Decker started the game yesterday and Bob Williams finished.

THE BRONCS will be flashily dressed this year in solid white uniforms with red lettering.

THE GAME between TP and Owens Wednesday night has been previewed, according to Manager Ralph La Londe. L. D. Cunningham did not pitch a no-hit game as first reported. The Shoppers collected five hits and made five runs. The TP team, in posting the protest, charges that Cunningham used an illegal delivery. They ask for another game, not a forfeit.

The Shoppers will be attired in new playing tops this year if plans under way work out. The TP boys will use their uniforms for playing both baseball and softball.

College

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Fourth, not more than a foot back. Devereaux won 9.8 seconds. Jack Kellner, Wisconsin, who won the Big Ten 120 yard high hurdles, in 1935, but held back by illness last year, staged a spectacular finish to beat out Jack Patterson of Rice, in 14.8 seconds. Jack Robinson of Illinois was third and Jack Donovan of Dartmouth, fourth.

Field Boys Work Hard
 The boys in the field events working hard without producing any marks made yesterday in the 100 yard dash.

MARSHALL WINS
 FARRHALL, Tex., April 24 (AP)—The Tigers defeated Texas Tech 10 to 1 to sweep an abbreviated season. Wolberger fanned 11 Liners and started a triple play in the 4th inning as the game's feature. Parkana .000 000 001—1 5 1
 Marshall .000 001 025—3 5 2
 Vinford and Kopp; Wolberger and Beery.

Lasn Sprints To Triumph In Mile Race

Outpaces Becall and Venke; Indiana Carries Off Five First Places

By ALAN GOULD

PHILADELPHIA, April 24 (AP)—Indiana's monopoly in the third Pennsylvania relay carnival was clinched today by Donald Ray Lasn, the Hoosier "iron man," who sprinted to triumph in the one-mile invitation race after achieving a world record victory for his team in the four-mile college relay championship.

Lasn outpaced and outsmarted Luigi Becall, the favorite, and the veteran Gene Venke of the New York athletic club in the crowning event of the two-day program. Donald Ray, cheered by a crowd of 40,000 spectators at Franklin field, broke the tape four yards in front of Becall.

Lasn exploded a last 460 yards in 58.3 seconds to capture the mile but his time for the full route, 4:24.3, was far from sensational.

The distance classic, strictly a duel between the Hoosiers and the end-watch from start to finish, stopped with Indiana setting up a new world mark of 17 minutes 16.1 seconds.

The officially listed record was 17:21.4, which Jole Ray helped the Illinois A. C. team establish in 1923. It eclipsed the pending world mark of 17:17.2, of the all star United States quartet of Chuck Hornbostel, Gene Venke, Archie San Romani and Glenn Cunningham at London last August in the post-Olympic dual meet.

Lasn ran a 4:17.2 mile for the anchor leg, but his lanky negro teammate, Jimmy Smith, electrified the big crowd by reeling off the second mile in 4:14, the fastest performance in Smith's career. Mel Truitt, the leadoff man, and Tommy Decker, third runner, were timed in 4:22.2 and 4:27.7 for their share in the record-smashing proceedings.

The Hoosiers finished fully 300 yards ahead of their nearest rivals, Cornell, and lapped the last of six starting entries, Yale, Penn State, Manhattan and Army finishing in that order behind Cornell, were equally outdistanced.

Five Firsts
 Indiana carried off five first places in two days of competition and contributed three of the six record performances registered. They duplicated their 1934 achievement by taking three of the eight major relay titles, and scored sole victories with Decker in the 3,000 meters steeplechase yesterday and Lasn in the one-mile special. Their bid for a fourth relay crown was frustrated, in the mile, by Manhattan's crack quartet, which beat the Hoosiers by six yards.

The pupils of E. C. (Billy) Hayes, the Indiana track coach, dominated the final half of a program marked otherwise by Manhattan's decisive conquest in both the mile and two-mile relay championships, an individual "double" for Temple's Eulace Peacock in the 100 yard dash and broad jump, and the heart-breaking disqualification of North Texas.

The North Texas boys, including the Brown twins, Elmer and Delmer, lost a new carnival record and first place when they were ruled out for twice failing to pass the baton within the zone limit. Running a front race, from the gun, the Texans beat Indiana by five yards and were clocked in 1:26.3, beating the meet record set last year by the University of Texas, only .01 second.

The remaining record achievement of the final day was turned in by Western Michigan Normal, winner of the special mile relay for teachers' colleges. The 11:23 clipped three-tenths of a second off Western Michigan's own mark of the event, set in the 1935 carnival. Cornell, by capturing the 480 yard shuttle hurdles relay title in a brisk dash with North Carolina, helped Manhattan's foot-racers to avert a threatened rout of the eastern "old guard." The Ithacans, with Hucker, Neff, Hilmer and Rossiter hurdling in fine form, won by three yards in 1:02.7. Penn State was third and last in the final.

Manhattan's two-mile relayers, Reilly, Beck and Burns, breezed home 20 yards in front of New York University, which shaded Yale for runner-up. The winning time, 7:38.8, was slow.

Doubling up, Beck and Burns combined with Riordan and Leach to win the mile relay. Princeton's shell who tied with Bill Roy of Iowa (New Orleans) at 1:52.8—3 5 2—last year; Milton Padway of Wisconsin, and Standler Medina of Oregon cleared the same height, while Haller, Warmerdam and Padgett the other three places the same basis.

YANKEES SHOW INTEREST IN W. T. BASEBALL

At least one major league club has taken an interest in the local baseball situation. The New York Yankees, through their secretary, Edward G. Strow, and their minor league vice-president, George W. Wain, have set out to strengthen their farm system and wrote that they would make a survey of this territory with a view of backing a Big Spring team in the West Texas-New Mexico league next season.

The Yanks have farms or working agreements with teams in every part of the country except Texas and the Southern Association and may look to this section, one of the most fertile in baseball, for future development.

Among the minor league clubs working with the New York Americans are Oakland, Kansas City, Newark, Washington and Akron.

Vincent's Kids Prove Worth Under Fire

Only Three Exporters Have Three Years Of Professional Duty

By FELIX B. MCKENIGHT

DALLAS, April 24 (AP)—Two days before the Texas league embarked on its annual title scrap, Manager Al Vincent of Beaumont, an old rival of 29, gave the newspaper boys a more or less rubber stamp statement about the destiny of young ball clubs.

"We have a fast little team of youngsters which may land a berth in the first division if it gets away to a good start," observed Manager Vincent. "The team is well balanced and all they need to do is prove their worth under fire. Experience is all they need. With a few games under their belts, they will mix it with any club in the league—young or old."

Also in the news was the team, managed by John McKinstry, then 22, sent a flock to the major leagues and McCloskey, himself, went up as a big time manager.

Two Beaumont fledglings, Dixie Parsons, catcher and Secoy, outfielder, have command of the batting race with Parsons, at .529 in official figures, pacing his major league partner, Secoy, at .529. Parsons' regulars are doing better than .314 with the stick and the pitchers are throwing July 4 curves.

Another of Beaumont's noted first sackers, which has included such names as Hank Greenberg and Ruddy York, is on the way. He is Cecil (Dynamite) Dunn, at present in batting .455, has belt and six doubles, three home runs, piffed three bases and leads in runs batted in with 11.

Of the lot, Manager Vincent has had the most experience, by several years. Only three Exporters have had three years of professional duty, while nine have had two years, six have had one year and two rookies still with the club are being baptized in the pay-for-play business.

A glance at the roster reveals two of the Exporters, excluding Manager Vincent, are veterans of 25; one is 24, three are 23, five are 22, six are 21 and one is 19.

forced to quit, soon after taking the baton in second place, at the heels of Manhattan's Riordan. Indiana's quartet alternated with Cornell in pursuit of the Jaspers but Bob Collier, the Hoosier anchor, came from behind to outspurt Cornell's Ham Hucker in the stretch tussle for runner-up honors.

Peacock, repeating the "double" he scored in 1935 at the Penn Relays, won the broad jump at 24 feet, 1 inch, after outfooting a crack intersectional field in the 100 yard dash. The Temple negro flier took his trial heat in 2.7 seconds and stepped the final in 2.5 to beat Columbia's Ben Johnson by two feet, with Marty Glickman of Syracuse third and Bobby Peckard of Georgia fourth.

Cards Suffer First Defeat Of Season

Eight Pitchers See Service In Free-Hitting Card-Cub Battle

ST. LOUIS, April 24 (AP)—The Cardinals suffered their first defeat of the season today, losing 13 to 12 to the Chicago Cubs. Eight pitchers, five for St. Louis and three for Chicago, saw service in the free-hitting game.

The box:

BEAUMONT	AB	R	H	O	A
McCaskey, cf	4	0	0	1	0
Burman, 2b	4	0	0	1	0
Treadway, 3b	4	0	2	1	0
Dunn, 1b	4	0	0	1	0
Fleming, rf	4	0	1	0	0
Secoy, lf	3	0	0	1	0
Christman, ss	3	0	0	1	0
Hancken, c	2	0	0	1	0
Harris, p	2	0	0	1	2
Rogalski, p	0	0	0	0	0
Mullen, x	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	0	3	24	6

HOUSTON—AB R H O A

Keane, ss	3	0	2	3	4
Appel, cf	4	0	0	0	0
Oehler, 2b	4	0	0	0	0
Misler, 3b	2	0	1	0	0
Tutaj, 1b	4	0	0	0	0
Zimmerman, rf	4	1	1	0	0
Franka, c	4	0	0	4	0
Simmons, lf	4	2	14	0	0
Fisher, p	3	0	1	0	2
Totals	32	3	27	14	6

ST. LOUIS—AB R H O A

Moore, cf	5	2	2	0	0
S. Martin, 2b	4	2	2	1	0
Bordagaray, 3b	5	1	2	0	0
Medwick, lf	5	1	2	0	0
Mize, 1b	4	0	0	0	0
J. Martin, cf	4	1	2	1	0
Durocher, c	3	1	1	0	0
Ogrodowski, c	3	1	1	0	0
Harrell, p	0	1	0	0	0
Johnson, p	0	0	0	0	0
P. Dean, p	0	0	0	0	0
Ryba, p	0	0	0	0	0
Winford, p	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, x	1	1	0	0	0
Gutteridge, ss	1	0	0	0	0
Sibert, 2b	1	0	0	0	0
Fadgett, 3b	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	37	12	12	27	10

Chicago .000 415 201-13
 St. Louis .001 189 064-12

Errors—Bordagaray, Ogrodowski, Ryba, Jurgens, Cavarretta 2, S. Martin 2, Medwick 1, Galan, Collins, Herman 2, J. Martin 3, Moore, Demaree, O'Dea, Two base hits—Cavarretta, Medwick, Demaree, Jurgens, Hooper, Moore. Three base hits—Cavarretta, Home runs—J. Martin, Medwick, Stolen bases—J. Martin 2, Double plays—S. Martin and Mize; S. Martin, Durocher and Mize. Left on bases—Chicago 9; St. Louis 4. Bases on balls—Harrell 1, Parmelee 1, P. Dean 2, Ryba 2, Winford 4, Bryant 1, Lee 1. Strikeouts—Harrell 2, Parmelee 1, Winford 1, Bryant 2, Lee 1. Hits off—Parmelee 9 in 4 innings; Bryant 2 in 4; Lee 1 in 1; P. Dean 1 in 0; Johnson 2 in 2; Ryba 2 in 1; Lee 1 in 1. Winning pitcher—Bryant; Losing pitcher—Ryba. Umpires—Moran, Magerkurth and Barr. Time 2:38.

BATTING MARKS

Batting averages, junior softball league:

H. Hall, S	3	3	1.000
Nations, H	1	1	1.000
Russell, T	1	1	1.000
J. Miller, P	4	3	.750
Battle, C	4	3	.750
Walter, C	4	3	.750
McDaniel, H	2	2	.667
Desaon, I	2	2	.667
Wells, I	3	2	.667
Merrick, I	5	3	.600
E. Bostick, P	7	4	.571
H. Bostick, P	7	4	.571
Walker, C	7	4	.571
E. Williams, T	6	3	.500
Alison, T	4	2	.500
Walton, C	4	2	.500
Stinson, C	4	2	.500
Prasley, H	2	1	.500
McClendon, H	2	1	.500
Bowles, S	2	1	.500
Lewis, C	9	4	.444
Barton, P	9	4	.444
Weaver, I	7	3	.428
Wright, C	7	3	.428
Martin, I	5	2	.400
J. Burns, P	3	1	.333
Holland, C	3	1	.333
Watson, C	3	1	.333
Read, T	6	2	.333
Prutt, C	3	1	.333
Nance, H	3	1	.333
J. T. Moore, S	3	1	.333
Williamson, S	3	1	.333
Gennert, I	3	1	.333
Rowe, I	3	1	.333
Barton, T	3	1	.333
Tucker, C	4	1	.250
Welch, C	4	1	.250
N. Hull, T	4	1	.250
Guffee, I	4	1	.250
Mellinger, S	4	1	.250
Barley, P	4	1	.250
Knapp, P	9	2	.222
Carlin, P	9	2	.222
Carlin, P	9	2	.222
Smith, I	5	1	.200
Webb, C	7	1	.143
Mann, I	3	1	.333
Axten, P	3	1	.333

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
 Nashville 3, Atlanta 1
 Memphis 4, Birmingham 3
 New Orleans at Little Rock, wet grounds.
 Chattanooga at Knoxville, wet grounds.

Each year approximately 12,000 transients are found dead in the United States. Many are buried unidentified.

Four retired employees of the Erie railroad served a total of 219 years with the railroad—an average of 54 3/4 years.

EXPORTERS LIMITED TO THREE HITS

HOUSTON, April 24 (AP)—Big Al Fisher, Houston right-hander, turned in a pitching masterpiece, limiting the Beaumont Exporters to three scattered hits and hurling the Buffs to a 3-0 victory over Al Vincent's youngsters today. It was Houston's first win in three starts against the Texas loop pacers.

The box: BEAUMONT—AB R H O A

McCaskey, cf	4	0	0	1	0
Burman, 2b	4	0	0	1	0
Treadway, 3b	4	0	2	1	0
Dunn, 1b	4	0	0	1	0
Fleming, rf	4	0	1	0	0
Secoy, lf	3	0	0	1	0
Christman, ss	3	0	0	1	0
Hancken, c	2	0	0	1	0
Harris, p	2	0	0	1	2
Rogalski, p	0	0	0	0	0
Mullen, x	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	0	3	24	6

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Tutaj, 1b	4	0	0	0	0
Zimmerman, rf	4	1	1	0	0
Franka, c	4	0	0	4	0
Simmons, lf	4	2	14	0	0
Fisher, p	3	0	1	0	2
Totals	32	3	27	14	6

Beaumont .000 000 000-0
 Houston .010 101 006-3
 Errors—Keane 2, Simmons 2, Treadway, Ryba batted in—Franka, Fisher. Two base hits—Fleming, Treadway. Three base hits—Zimmerman, Simmons 2. Stolen bases—Christman, Oehler, aBases on balls—Harris 4. Struck out—Harris 3, Fisher 1, Rogalski 1. Hits off—Harris 6 with 3 runs in 7 innings. Losing pitcher—Harris. Wild pitch—Harris. Left on bases—Beaumont 5, Houston 8. Umpires—Welch and Pate. Time 1:35.

Yankees Win As Lazzeri Belts Homer

Selkirk's Two-Run Triple In Ninth Aids Drive In Overtime Game

HOUSTON, April 24 (AP)—Tony Lazzeri's homer in the eighth and George Selkirk's two-run triple in the tenth gave the Yankees an overtime 5 to 3 victory over the Red Sox today for their first victory of the season. Both Mont Pearson and Lefty Grove, the starting pitchers, were belted out.

The box: NEW YORK—AB R H O A

Cronin, ss	3	0	1	3	0
Roche, 2b	5	1	0	2	1
Powell, lf	5	0	1	3	0
Sehlig, 1b	4	1	1	0	0
Dickey, c	3	0	0	1	0
Lazzeri, 3b	4	3	2	1	2
Selkirk, rf	3	0	1	2	1
Houg, cf	5	1	2	0	0
Pearson, p	3	0	1	0	2
Murphy, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	6	9	20	15

HOUSTON—AB R H O A

Doerr, 2b	4	1	2	4	0
Cranner, cf	4	1	1	0	0
Jaffee, lf	3	0	0	0	0
Cronin, ss	5	1	2	1	0
Higginis, 3b	5	0	1	1	0
R. Ferrell, c	3	0	2	0	1
Daugherty, 1b	0	1	0	0	0
Mills, rf	5	0	1	1	

Court

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 vote on the bill as it stands.
The Vote?
 Another outcome mentioned as a possibility is a nine-to-nine tie in the committee. This would not be sufficient, under the senate's rules, to get the measure out of the committee. Special action to do so would follow.
 The committee, which adjourned seven weeks of open hearings yesterday, was in recess until Tuesday when the executive meetings begin.

Lamb

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 against, with sentences totaling 169 years hanging over him. Of the amount, only 25 years were being served over from a previous prison term.
 Lamb and his father had been suspected of an attempted robbery of a liquor wholesale house here last July.
 After their trial here, the Lamb's were taken by A. L. Barr, crime investigator of the department of public safety, and Capt. S. O. Hamlin, state highway patrol, to Menard where they were to face murder counts.
 Lamb, released from prison last July 3, admitted to a series of robberies and burglaries throughout West Texas and Oklahoma. His father joined him in most of the confessions.

Reagan

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 ty of Stanton. Honorary pallbearers will be H. W. Leeper, J. C. Loper, V. M. Logan, Frank Covett, Wayne Matthews, E. T. Smith, Nat Shick, E. C. Boatler, Ira M. Powell, Joe Harrison, Ralph Baker, Larson Lloyd, Dr. J. E. Hogan, Dr. C. K. Bivings and Dr. W. T. Hardy, honoree.

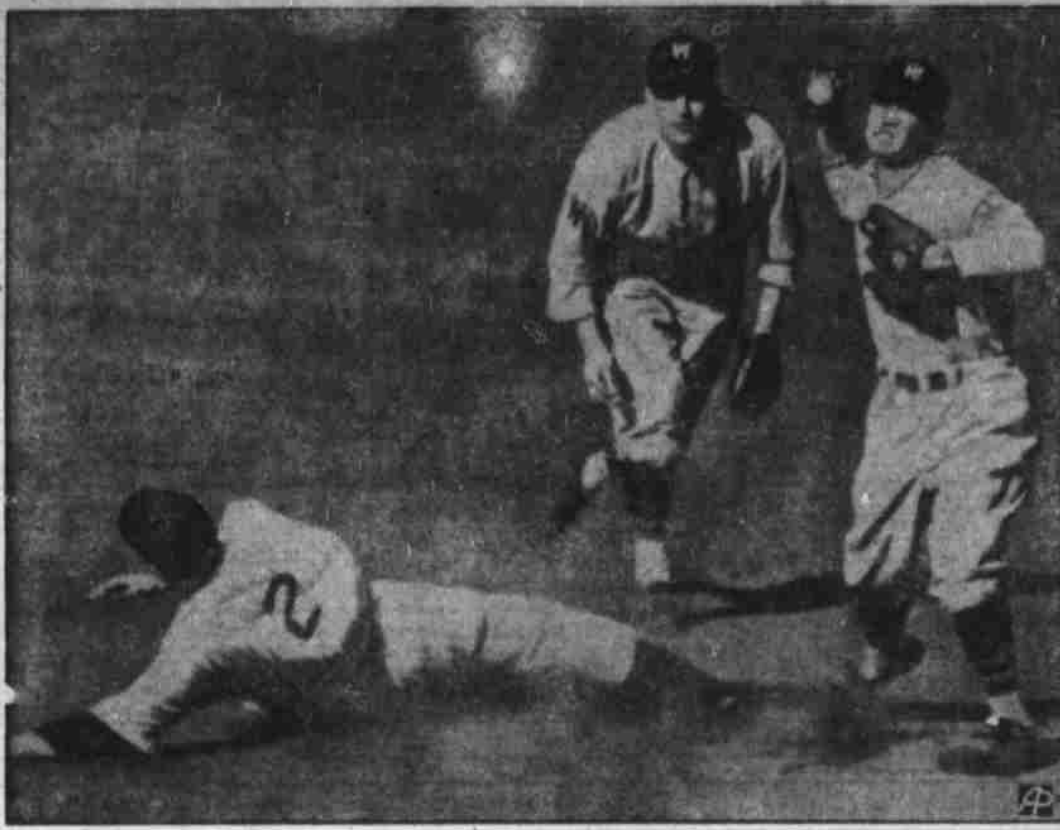
LEGALIZED LIQUOR IS REJECTED IN MIDLAND

MIDLAND, April 24—Midland county voted to remain dry, in a special election held today. The vote against legalization of liquor sale was 372 to 260. Every precinct in the county was in the dry column, except one, that in which Warfield is located. Precinct 1, Midland, voted against liquor 344 to 269.

It was the second vote on the issue in 14 months. Little interest had been shown in the election.

KUNNELS COUNTY DRY
 BALLINGER, April 24 (AP)—Kunnels county retained its dry status today when its citizens went to the polls and voted down a proposal to legalize four per cent beer and wine. Wet leaders tonight conceded their issue had been defeated when 19 of the 27 precincts gave them 811 to 1,028 votes for the dries.

A Good Try—But He Was Called Out!



Red Rolfe of the Yankees is shown sliding tardily into second base as the world's champions of 1936 dropped the 1937 opener to the Washington Senators, 2 to 3. Rolfe had just been forced by Johnson's lead hit. Ossie Bluge is throwing to first and is backed up by Buddy Myer.

Spirited Race For District Governorship To Mark Lions Convention Here; Two Are Seeking The Post

IN SPOTLIGHT AT CONVENTION



RAMSEY NAMED
 LUBBOCK, April 24—Herchell "Red" Ramsey, two-year letterman and All-American end of two years ago, was today elected captain of the 1937 edition of the Texas Tech football squad, according to Colter Parris, Avalanche sports writer.



ELLIOTT NAMED
 LUBBOCK, April 24—Elmer Elliott, Dalhart hotel man, is today being named as the district governor for the Big Spring convention.

Convening of the Lions district 2-T convention here next Sunday will be the occasion for touching off one of the most spirited district governor's races in recent years.
 Leading contestants for the post are Omar Burleson, Jones county judge, and Joe Pond, Colorado. Burleson's name was injected into the contest at Childress last year, but his supporters withdrew in favor of Elmer Elliott, incumbent district governor, with the understanding that Burleson would be a candidate this year. Pond's hat was thrown in the ring by members of the Colorado club at the same meeting held in Midland two months ago.
 Both are young men and have long service records with their respective Lions clubs. Burleson was one of the early inductees of the Anson club, serving as secretary for two years, and later as president and group chairman.

Pond served as secretary of his club in 1927 and rose to the presidency in 1932 and in the same year was delegate to the Lions International convention at Los Angeles. He served seven years as a director, was convention chairman in 1934, and group captain in 1935 and deputy district governor in 1936.

Both the Anson and Colorado clubs have indicated 100 per cent registration here for the convention. Each has been accorded the privilege of decorating half the Settles hotel lobby, convention headquarters.

Looking on the campaign this year will be Elmer Elliott, Dalhart hotel man. Like the two men who are after his place, Elliott has a long record of service, having been president of his club and a deputy district governor before being elected governor. In addition to his Lions affiliations, Elliott is a director in the First National bank at Dalhart, the Texas Hotel association and the Texas Good roads association, is a past president and director of the Dalhart chamber of commerce, past president of the West Texas Hotel association, and his local council of Boy Scouts.

WELFARE CONFERENCE STATE DEPARTMENT URGES STATE UNIT

ABILENE, April 24 (AP)—In the closing sessions this afternoon, the 27th annual Texas Conference of Social Welfare unanimously passed a resolution to push for a state division of public welfare and re-elected its president, Walter W. Whitson of Houston.
 When the place committee and the conference itself tied on votes for the selection of the next convention city, it was left up to the executive board. Galveston and Grover Waco asked for the convention. Attendance of 675 this year was largest on record.
 Included on the executive committee is Mrs. Charlie Thrasher, regional investigator for the old age assistance commission.

Among those who attended from here were George G. White, Ken Isarnett, Bud Jones, Pete Flannigan, Carier Thompson, Reba Bucklow, and Mrs. Ora Wood.

NAVY THINS COLUMBIA
 ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 24 (AP)—Navy's varsity crew defeated the Columbia university oarsmen by five lengths today over a choppy Severn river course.
 The victory avenged the Navy's defeat by Columbia last year and gave the Middies a clean sweep of the three races today. The Middies rowed the mile and a half in 9:15.

MCCAMEY LOSES, 7-14
 McCAMEY, April 24 (AP)—Bob Osborne's Gulf Oilers won their first Farmian Basin league game here Saturday when they defeated McCamey, 14-7.

use of her head, has done a much better thing.
 The county is now getting to the point where it needs rain. Up to now the lack of moisture, except for the unpleasantness of flying dust, has probably been a blessing in disguise. Few farmers will attempt planting when it is dry and the dust is whirling daily. Thus, not only hundreds but literally thousands of dollars in planting have been saved this season due to the weather. But small grain, beginning to head, needs rain. With an inch or more moisture, it would make a near bumper yield.

W. P. "Bill" Edwards, pioneer cattleman and in recent years an oilman in his own right, still harbors an occasional guess at the weather, and now sees moisture not later than April 26. To the jibe that he and J. B. "Boney" Harding, of weather chart fame, sometime miss, Edwards, his eye sparkling, chuckled that "Boney" never really had any charts. "I just always asked me what the weather was going to be. In another and kinder strain of optimism, Vic Flewellen sees benefit from the incessant dust storms because in cattle the induction of new blood keeps the original quality of the strain from playing out. He says that the same thing holds good for soil. "As long as the wind blows from one direction one day, and another the next, he sees no cause for worry.

A few political observers with inclinations to the "wet" point of view privately are expressing concern over violations of the existing liquor laws by dealers. Since the first of the year 33 complaints have been filed by liquor control board agents here, and only nine have been dismissed. Of the six convictions, all have paid fines in the total amount of \$325. Three permits have been cancelled and chances are that many times that number will be cancelled. While the violations are of a petty character, those who campaigned for liquor under local option believe that if the transgressions continue in volume, another year or two might see the return of the county to the dry column.

A week ago a group of Big Spring representatives succeeded in getting the next West Texas Teachers association convention by a margin of one vote. When the group went to the executive board meeting in Lubbock, the odds were decidedly against the convention going anywhere but Lubbock, already twice a host city. And beside the fact that Big Spring succeeded in getting a larger teachers gathering, the point of this paragraph is that Big Spring can get many other things if its representatives are determined to have them.

This naturally would call to mind the action of the state senate in approving the insane hospital for West Texas. Big Spring has an excellent chance to get that hospital, and a determination to have it on the part of the citizenry will do much toward getting it. Work on a brief in support of the local case is in progress, although moving more slowly than it ought to move. This is an important matter and ought not to lag.

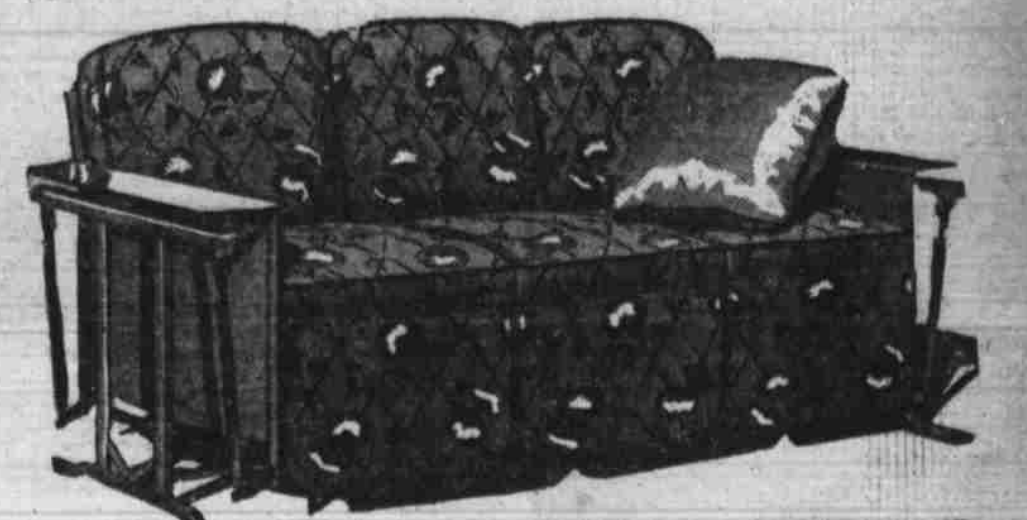
TO TAKE BIDS ON HOWARD ROAD JOB

AUSTIN, April 24 (AP)—The highway commission announced today bids will be received May 14 on projects in 11 counties as follows:
 Potter—Highway 5, Canadian river bridge and approaches north of Amarillo.
 Howard—Highway 1, base course and double asphalt treatment, from Martin county line to Big Spring.
 Gray and Donley—Highway 75, bituminous surfacing from Rockledge to Carson county line.

Mediterranean breeds of poultry, including most of the smaller types of chickens, differ considerably from most others in the age at which they feather out.

SUMMER FURNITURE

We beat the price rise and bought an outstanding array of beautiful summer furniture for thrifty shoppers. The pieces listed here are just a few picked from random of our large assortment of summer porch and lawn furniture, in a gala array of color combinations.



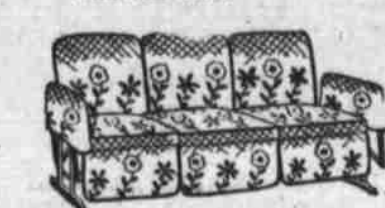
Modern, floral patterned fabric; entire metal frame and arm rests.

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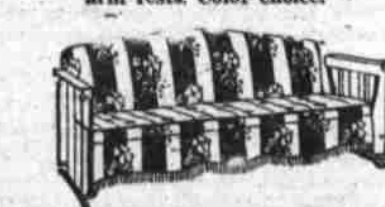
\$16⁸⁵ up



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Exceptionally comfortable glider with upholstered arm rests. Color choice.

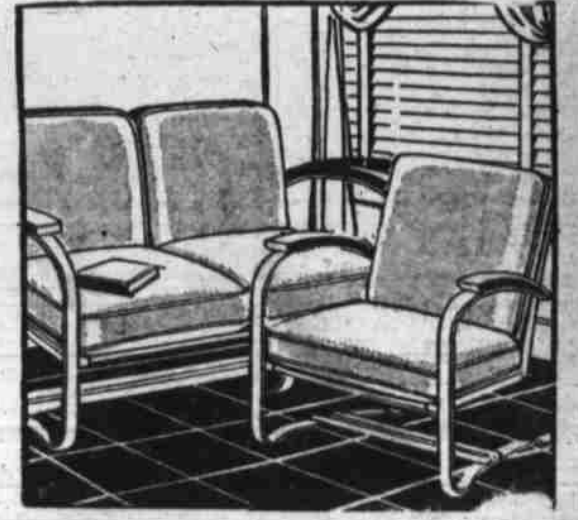


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All Metal TUBULAR Frame Chair or Rocker The Chair \$8⁹⁵ The Rocker \$9⁹⁵



Lawn Chair Green Steel Spring & White All Metal Frame Ideal Summer Occasional Chair \$9⁹⁵



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 Elmo Wasson
 "Men's Wear of Character"

Week

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 times. In the questioning of a defendant on a forgery charge, it developed that he had moved to a nearby town and without apparent cause had changed his name. When asked why he did this if he had never before been in trouble or had committed any crime, the defendant modestly explained: "I'm getting ready to."
 More recognition should be given to distinctions such as earned by Grace White, 16-year-old Consuma girl, first place winner in a home economics play writing contest which drew entries from all over the state. Were some boy, with a strong and well trained back, hurt the class or put the shot further than any other boy in the state, much would be said for the accomplishment. Yet Grace, by the

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Harold Harvey Is Wed To Miss Lucille Hammack

Vows Said In The Presence Of Relatives And Close Friends; Couple To Return This Evening After Trip Into Mexico

A ring ceremony read by Dr. D. F. McConnell in the First Presbyterian church Friday evening united in marriage Harold H. Harvey and Miss Lucille Hammack. The vows were said in the presence of relatives of the bridegroom and close friends of the couple.

WINNERS



The bride wore a traveling ensemble of black accented by white gloves and purse. Her shoulder carriage was of white carnations. The bridegroom and best man wore boutonnières of matching flowers.

Mrs. Harvey moved to Big Spring two years ago from Hamilton. After completing her high school work she entered Baylor university.

Soon after the ceremony the couple left for an automobile trip to Del Rio and Villa Acuna. They are expected to return this evening and will make their home at 609 1-2 West Eighth street.

Wedding guests included Mrs. Claudia Harvey, mother of the bridegroom, Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Odum, Mrs. E. W. Boyd, Mrs. D. C. Wilkes, Miss Anne Martin, Miss Grace Wilkes, Miss Sue Harvey, and Messrs. Elze Burton Boyd, Emley Wilkes and Matt Harrington.

HDC Clubs to Hold Play Tournament Here On Tuesday

Thirteen home demonstration clubs will contest for the prize for best performance in the dramatic play tournament Tuesday evening at the high school auditorium that begins at 8 o'clock. Each club will offer its interpretation of a one act play that will not exceed 10 minutes playing time.

The tournament is to be held for a two-fold purpose: first, for entertainment and second, to raise funds for the home demonstration council treasury. A small admission price will be charged.

Presidents of each club will draw for places and will perform on the program according to the numbers drawn. Judges will be selected from out of the club membership. Groups will furnish the scenery necessary for their production.

Entered in the contest are clubs from Center Point, Chalk, Coahoma, Cramer, Elbow, Fairview, Hiway, Knott, Luther, Overton, R-Bar, Velsmoor and Vincent.

The public is invited to attend the performances.

Friendship Home To Send Afflicted Boy To Abilene Hospital

Through the efforts of the voluntary committee of the Molly Hart Phillips Friendship Home, an afflicted boy will be sent to the Baptist hospital in Abilene where he will be given necessary treatment.

Doctors there voiced their belief that the boy could be cured if entered for treatment in sufficient time.

Expenses will be furnished by the local Rotary club.

During the year the home has furnished food and clothing as well as other necessary items to many unfortunate families of this city as well as visiting and caring for the sick.

Lists Needs of Welfare Day Nursery Before WCTU

Appearing before members of the Women's Christian Temperance Union meeting recently Mrs. Minnie Reynolds, who is in charge of the Welfare Day nursery, listed the following items that are needed in the home:

24 small tubes of tooth paste, 12 small tooth brushes, 12 aluminum cups, 36 small china dessert bowls, 24 bars Ivory soap (small), used clothing for children aged two to five years, 12 small combs, 12 forks, 12 ten-inch plates.

Hale has served as head of the school for the past nine terms. During that time, the Elbow school has been advanced from a two-teacher institution with a seven-month term to a seven-teacher school with full nine-month term. The school now has 10 units of affiliation.

Principals In P-T. A. Installation Ceremonies



Joint installation ceremonies to install officers of Big Spring's six Parent-Teacher Associations and the Parent-Teacher council will be in charge of Mrs. Hayes Stripling, lower left, third vice-president sixth district of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers. The services that are to

be held at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the high school building will seat Mrs. H. W. Smith, lower right, as council head for the second year, and reading left to right on top row, presidents of the school associations. They are Mrs. Bernard Lanum, Senior High; Mrs. J. L. Terry, Junior High;

Mrs. L. A. Mayfield, South Ward; Mrs. R. C. Williams, North Ward, and Mrs. H. E. Howie, East Ward. Mrs. R. D. McMillan, who is not pictured, will be installed as president of West Ward for the second year. (Lanum photo by Thurman. Photos of Terry, Mayfield and Williams by Bradshaw.)

Joint Installation Ceremonies For P-T. A. Officers Tuesday

Five Girls From HE Group To Ft. Worth Rally

Five girls from the home economics department of the Big Spring high school will be department sponsors, Miss Freddie Adkins and Miss Florence McAllister, will leave Monday for Fort Worth to represent their school in the State Home-making rally that is to be held there on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The representatives will be Misses Winnell Fischer, Camille Koberg, Mamie Wilson, Peggy Lykins, and Miss Rita Mae Bigony.

Miss Fischer was selected after voicing the most practical solution to a family relationship problem in third year foods class; Miss Koberg from the same class was named after planning and judging a luncheon and supper and for her selection of seasonal centerpieces.

Miss Wilson, who is a second semester clothing student, will model a street costume which she made in the class, and Miss Lykins of the first semester class will model her school dress.

Miss Bigony, president elect, will represent the entire home economics department.

The exhibit from the clothing department will be composed of school dresses made by Misses Ella Ruth Thomas, Sue Walters, and Mary Brown; three tailored dresses made by Misses Brown, Gussie Brooks, and Pauline Henry; three play garments made by Misses Brown, Roberta Cass and Dorothy Carmack; and three evening dresses made by Misses Mary Beth Wren, Lorraine Crenshaw and Mary Fendley.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman are at home in Monahan.

Mrs. Newman is a graduate of the Big Spring high school, having completed her work in 1930. She is a trained nurse and has recently been practicing in a Monahan hospital.

Following items that are needed in the home: 24 small tubes of tooth paste, 12 small tooth brushes, 12 aluminum cups, 36 small china dessert bowls, 24 bars Ivory soap (small), used clothing for children aged two to five years, 12 small combs, 12 forks, 12 ten-inch plates.

Hale has served as head of the school for the past nine terms. During that time, the Elbow school has been advanced from a two-teacher institution with a seven-month term to a seven-teacher school with full nine-month term. The school now has 10 units of affiliation.

Serving with Hale are Neoyl Y. Barnett, teacher of mathematics and manual training and coach of boys' athletics; Miss Mildred Earhart, home economics teacher; Dan Roubie Cooper of Rail and Mr. and Mrs. J. Slaughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Lew, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cearley of Post, and Mr. and Mrs. Riggs Sheppard of Courtyard.

The couple will make their home in Post.

Thirty-Four Women To Be Seated At Affair In High School Auditorium By Officers; Musical Program And Tea Are Scheduled

Elaborate plans are nearing completion for the joint installation services at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. Hayes Stripling, third vice-president of the Sixth District Congress of the Parent and Teachers of Texas will officiate at the ceremonies in the high school building that will place 34 women in official seats of the six local Parent-Teacher associations and the council.

The auditorium where the affair will take place will be appropriately decorated for the event and a musical program is being arranged by Mrs. Charles Koberg. The tea hour will be in charge of Mrs. James T. Brooks, who has arranged with members of the foods department of the school for the serving of the officers and the many association members that are expected to be present.

Council officers this year are Mrs. H. W. Smith who was elected to serve a second year as president; Mrs. James T. Brooks, vice-president; Mrs. L. C. Taylor, secretary; Mrs. I. S. McIntosh, treasurer.

Senior High School officers are Mrs. Bernard Lanum, president; Mrs. Rhine Phillips, first vice-president; Mrs. C. A. Murdock, second vice-president; Mrs. L. L. Guley, third vice-president; Mrs. F. V. Gates, recording secretary; Mrs. J. P. Dodge, treasurer, and Miss Freddie Adkins, publicity chairman.

Installed for Junior High School will be Mrs. J. L. Terry, president; Mrs. J. F. Hall, vice-president; Mrs. Jess Slaughter, secretary, and Mrs. W. T. Strange, treasurer.

Heading the East Ward group will be Mrs. H. E. Howie who will be assisted by Mrs. Charles Kelsey, first vice-president; Mrs. Dillworth Thompson, second vice-president; Mrs. Harry Adams, third vice-president; Miss Mary Fawn Coulter, secretary; Mrs. A. W. Page, treasurer; and Mrs. Guy Tamsett, publicity chairman.

The South Ward corps will be composed of Mrs. L. A. Mayfield, president; Mrs. R. E. Blount, first vice-president; Mrs. J. A. Pruitt, secretary, and Mrs. W. B. Younger, treasurer.

The North Ward officers are Mrs. R. C. Williams, president; Mrs. L. B. Kinman, vice-president; Miss Esta Henders, secretary, and Mrs. E. L. Esau, treasurer.

West Ward association re-elected Mrs. R. D. McMillan as president for a second term and with her will serve Mrs. Charles Watson, vice-president; Mrs. I. S. McIntosh, secretary, and Mrs. T. B. McGinnis, treasurer.

Mrs. Watson Hammond has party for Merry Night Club at home.

Mrs. Watson Hammond was hostess for members and two guests of the Merry Night club Friday evening when she entertained with friends at her home.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Tucker. Prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Terry who scored highest and took floating award, respectively, and to Watson Haacome who won at bingo.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Terry, Mrs. B. P. Franklin, Mrs. R. H. Miller and the Hammonds.

Faculty At Elbow School Reelected

All members of the Elbow school faculty, headed by Supt. J. R. Hale, have been re-elected for the 1937-38 term, according to an announcement received here.

Hale has served as head of the school for the past nine terms. During that time, the Elbow school has been advanced from a two-teacher institution with a seven-month term to a seven-teacher school with full nine-month term. The school now has 10 units of affiliation.

Serving with Hale are Neoyl Y. Barnett, teacher of mathematics and manual training and coach of boys' athletics; Miss Mildred Earhart, home economics teacher; Dan Roubie Cooper of Rail and Mr. and Mrs. J. Slaughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Lew, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cearley of Post, and Mr. and Mrs. Riggs Sheppard of Courtyard.

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Dr. Griffis To Judge In May Events



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Will Appear Here During Music Week For Piano Playing Events

Dr. Elliott Griffis, well-known composer, musician and teacher of New York City, will help judge the ability and technique of hundreds of young Texas pianists when he and Charles Haulbeck, also of New York, officiate at piano playing auditions to be held in 15 Texas cities in May as part of the fourth annual National Piano Playing Tournament.

The Big Spring unit will begin its part of the contest on May 2 and at 8 o'clock in the evening of that date the Music Study club will sponsor a concert given by Dr. Griffis in the auditorium of the First Baptist church where the tournament will be held. The study club is sponsoring activities of National Music Week that starts on May 2 and beginning with church services on that day's schools and musical organizations throughout the city are planning programs or numbers for dedication in observance of the week that is being celebrated in this city for the first time this year.

The piano tournament is sponsored by the National Guild of Piano Teachers, which was founded and is headed by Irl Allison of Abilene. Together with Haulbeck, Dr. Griffis will present concerts in many cities.

Winner of one of the first Julliard Foundation Scholarships and of the Pulitzer Traveling scholarship for composing in 1931, Dr. Griffis is a native of Boston, Mass. A member of a distinguished family, he worked for many years at trades which included engineering, painting, writing verse and even serving his country in the army, before he settled down to a life of studied piano and harmony for four years at the conservatory.

Widely Studied

Dr. Griffis also studied in London, Paris and recently in Vienna, where he lived for two years and wrote some of his best music. He also holds the degree of Doctor of Music from the New York College of Music and is a member of both the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, and the Bohemian Club.

In the field of teaching, Dr. Griffis will present concerts in many cities.



'Hot Dawgs' But No Peanuts---! It's Country Club Cafeteria Day

There's a come-one-come-all affair at the country club this afternoon and it promises to be a mouth-watering one according to the women of the Women's Golf Association who are sponsoring a "sure-noon" cafeteria style dinner in the country club house after the golf matches. Not to be selfish with their good times the women have issued a most cordial invitation to the public to join them in the meal, and, too, they will use the proceeds to a good advantage—the big tournament in June.

The club room is to be transformed into a very lively and profitable cafeteria with fetching signs to guide the patrons in the room, about the tables and out again. In order to be assured that every one is well looked after, Mrs. George Oldham, Mrs. Roy Carter, Mrs. Yull Robb, Mrs. Leo Rogers, Mrs. William Tate, Mrs. R. H. McEwen, Mrs. Johnny Hodges, Mrs. Robert Currie and Mrs. E. V. Spence have accepted the roles of waitresses and garbed in dainty aprons and not-so-dainty hats will, it is to be hoped, perform their duties most capably.

Menu

Even those on the most radical diet are most likely to succumb to the delectable dishes on the menu. Just as a preparatory note the lists are offered: For 35c one may have ham with cheese sauce, vegetable salad and rolls or rolled roast, potato salad and rolls. A third dinner that will go for 25c consists of "Frankfurts," red beans and extra hot rolls. Additional items that may be had for 10c are "hot dawgs" and a bowl of beans. Tea will sell for 5c.

Ben LeFevre, "hot dawg" vendor of the afternoon, will be on hand to keep the patrons supplied with the heated mongrels.

The cafeteria will be opened at 5:30 and remain so until the last lot is sold.

Misses Nancy Phillips and Don Hutto will peddle Fritos and rolls off at 1 o'clock.

First foursome: Mrs. Phillipa Jim Zack, Mrs. Hicks-Dr. Cowper. Second: Mrs. Stalcup-A. Swartz, Mrs. Jarboe-E. W. Lowmore. Third: Mrs. Worley-Bob Satterwhite, Mrs. Bristow-D. M. McKenney. Fourth: Mrs. Tatum-B. T. Cardwell, Mrs. Ellis-R. T. Piner. Fifth: Mrs. Blomfield-Travis Reed, Mrs. Bowe-Roy Seal. Sixth: Mrs. Ellington-Dr. Malone, Mrs. Bennett-H. Stalcup. Seventh: Mrs. Swartz-Lib Coffee, Mrs. Flint-Gould. Eighth: Mrs. Zack-A. E. Pistolet, Mrs. Golden-Cunningham. Ninth: Mrs. Griffith-Johnson, Mrs. Vistole-Fred Stephens. Tenth: Mrs. Gould-Ira Thurman, Fern Wells-Olie Bristow.

Mrs. Ann Mayo of Dallas is a guest in the home of Mrs. R. A. Eubank, 606 Gollad street.

McDOWELL GUESTS

Mrs. Anna Birdwell and daughter, Miss May Dell, of San Antonio, and Mrs. Lula Mae Carlton were luncheon guests Saturday of Mrs. L. S. McDowell who was hostess at the Settles hotel.

The Birdwells plan to spend several days here visiting friends and attending to business matters.

Mrs. Harry Hurt and son, Harry, Jr., and Mrs. Omar Pitman were visitors in Abilene Saturday.



Barbara Gould new simplified treatment re-vitalizes dry skins by correcting basic causes!

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Three Guests Join Informal Members For Bridge Games

Three were guests of Mrs. J. D. Biles Friday afternoon when she was hostess for the informal club members for games of bridge.

Visiting players were Mrs. A. E. Service, Mrs. Albert M. Fisher and Mrs. John Clarke. Of the three Mrs. Service was highest scorer and Mrs. J. B. Young scored highest for club members.

Others playing were Mrs. V. Van Gieson, Mrs. Homer McNew, Mrs. D. W. Cunningham, and Mrs. W. W. Inkman.

Mrs. Cunningham will be the next hostess.

BAPTIST GROUP TO CONVENE TODAY

The Big Spring Association of Baptist Training Union will hold its regular quarterly meeting Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the East Fourth Street Baptist church.

Among those who will appear on the program are Rev. N. W. Pitts, Abilene; Rev. E. R. Cumble, Knott; Dr. E. B. Atwood, Abilene. The program will be "Greatness Through Service."

The bridegroom has made his home in this city for eight years, coming here with his mother from Dothan, Okla. Since his residence here he has been popularly associated with members of the social set and is a member of the Kappa Phi Omega fraternity. He is employed in the sales department of the Cosden Oil corporation.

Soon after the ceremony the couple left for an automobile trip to Del Rio and Villa Acuna. They are expected to return this evening and will make their home at 609 1-2 West Eighth street.

Wedding guests included Mrs. Claudia Harvey, mother of the bridegroom, Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Odum, Mrs. E. W. Boyd, Mrs. D. C. Wilkes, Miss Anne Martin, Miss Grace Wilkes, Miss Sue Harvey, and Messrs. Elze Burton Boyd, Emley Wilkes and Matt Harrington.

Rare Musical Treat Is Promised In New MacDonal-Eddy Production, Now At Ritz

If possible, "Maytime," the Ritz theatre attraction for three days beginning Sunday, boasts more music than either of its predecessors which have had Nelson Eddy and Jeanette MacDonald as its co-stars, and that is saying a great deal, for the other productions, "Naughty Marietta" and "Romeo and Juliet," attained heights in the musical world that productions of this nature rarely attain.

Sigismond Romberg's "Will You Remember?" sung by Miss MacDonald and Eddy as a duet, is a song that will thrill the people of the nation. Romberg has long been known as the ace composer of American music and scores heavily with this new number. He will be remembered as the composer of "When I Grow Too Old To Dream."

Other Songs

The duo also harmonize in the ever popular "Carry Me Back To Old Virginia" and "Maytime Fiddle," the latter of which was written by Romberg and Rita Johnson Young.

Other numbers, either soloed or sung by other members of the cast, are "Student Drinking Song," "Vive L'Opera," "Epizode Patriotique" and "Street Singer."

Listed in the supporting cast are John Barrymore, of the royal house of acting, and Herman Bing, the lovable comedian who recently scored locally in "Champagne Waltz."

As was the case in "Naughty Marietta," the story is set in a scene several hundred years ago about the time of the rise of Louis Napoleon, emperor of France. The story begins in a small New England town where a lady decides to desert the quiet life her neighbors live for the honors she believes she can attain in the musical world.

Two Men

Here she meets two men, one a student leader (played by Eddy) and the other, a celebrated impresario (Barrymore). Both ask for her hand and the young lady decides it is Barrymore to whom she will give her hand.

But Eddy, with his magic voice and his pleasing personality, asks her to attend one last May dance with him. She can not refuse and goes to the glorious event with him.

Following this incident, Eddy passes out of her life until many years later when she returns to New York in a brilliant triumph. She finds that Eddy is singing the lead opposite her.

Engaged in each other with the sudden meeting, the pair decide to run away from the impresario but Barrymore finds it out and shoots the handsome young libertine to death.

Thus it is that the young lady finds that she has made the wrong choice between love and a career for there is but one.

Miss Joyce Crawford, superintendent of the Big Spring hospital, who has been in attendance at the State Hospital association convention in Lubbock, returned to Big Spring Saturday morning.

TUNE IN KBST 1500 KILOCYCLES

- Sunday Morning-Afternoon**
- 11:00 Morning Services.
 - 12:00 Concert Orch. NBC.
 - 12:15 Joe Green Orch. NBC.
 - 12:30 Songs All for You—Jimmie Wilson—Organ.
 - 12:45 Religious Quarter Hour.
 - 1:00 Wilson School.
 - 1:30 Voice of the Bible.
 - 2:00 Studio Services.
 - 2:30 Sign off.
- Sunday Evening**
- 5:00 Mrs. Omar Pitman and Mrs. Harry Hurt.
 - 5:15 Mr. and Mrs. Ira Powell.
 - 5:30 Bible Class of the Air.
 - 5:40 Sister Quartet from Lamesa.
 - 5:50 Cecil Floyd's Quartet.
 - 6:45 Virginia Ogden.
 - 7:00 Ernest Bethell.
 - 7:15 Baseball News.
 - 7:20 Nat Shilkret Orch. NBC.
 - 7:30 R. T. Cardwell.
 - 7:45 Evening Services.
 - 8:45 "Goodnight."
- Monday Morning**
- 7:00 Musical Clock. NBC.
 - 7:25 World Book Man.
 - 7:30 Just About Time. Standard.
 - 7:45 George Hall Orch. NBC.
 - 8:00 Devotional.
 - 8:15 Home Folks. NBC.
 - 8:30 The Gaities. Standard.
 - 8:45 Hollywood Briefings. Standard.
- Monday Afternoon**
- 9:00 All Request Program.
 - 9:30 Voice of the Bible.
 - 9:45 This Rhythmic Age. Standard.
 - 10:00 What's the Name of That Song?
 - 10:15 Newscast.
 - 10:20 Texas Wranglers.
 - 10:45 Song Styles. NBC.
 - 10:55 Market News.
 - 11:00 Farm and Ranch Hour.
 - 11:15 Morning Concert. Standard.
 - 11:30 Weldon Stamp.
 - 11:45 Dreamers. NBC.
- Monday Evening**
- 12:00 Variety of Sacred Songs.
 - 12:30 Songs All for You—Jimmie Wilson—Organ.
 - 12:45 Rhythm Makers. NBC.
 - 1:00 The Drifters.
 - 1:15 String Ensemble. Standard.
 - 1:30 Rudolph Friml Orch. NBC.
 - 1:45 Master Singers. NBC.
 - 2:00 Rhythm Rascals. Standard.
 - 2:15 Newscast.
 - 2:30 Transcribed Program.
 - 2:45 Harmony Hall. Standard.
 - 3:00 Market Report.
 - 3:05 Afternoon Concert. Standard.
 - 3:20 Sketches in Ivory.
 - 3:45 Carol Lee and Studio Orch. Standard.
- Monday Evening**
- 4:00 Dance Hour. NBC.
 - 4:15 Arnold Marshall.
 - 4:30 Xavier Cugat Orch. NBC.
 - 4:45 Olive M. Broughton.
 - 5:00 Modernistic Varieties. NBC.
 - 5:30 American Family Robinson.
 - 8:00 WBS.
 - 8:45 Dinner Ditties. NBC.
 - 9:00 Dinner Hour. NBC.
 - 9:30 Studio Program.
 - 9:45 Curstone Reporter.

THEY MAKE MUSIC AGAIN



Nelson Eddy and Jeanette MacDonald, most popular of all Hollywood's brilliant musical teams, are together again in a musical romance, "Maytime," which is offered at the Ritz Sunday and Monday. In duets and solos, they contribute vocal numbers of rare beauty.

PRINCIPALS IN QUEEN DRAMA



In featured roles in the dramatic story, "Espionage," are Edmund Lowe, Madge Evans, Ketti Gallian and Paul Lukas.

BUSINESS, ENTERTAINMENT COMBINED IN WTCC PROGRAM

Arrangements Ready, Brownwood Expecting Crowd Of 10,000 At May Convention

BROWNWOOD, April 24—Program for the 10th annual convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce to be held in Brownwood May 10, 11 and 12 has been outlined and includes business discussions and entertainment features of interest to every West Texan.

Brownwood and the WTCC convention office here are making plans to entertain at least 10,000 people.

Speakers of national prominence will appear on programs of the convention business sessions. "West Texas Follies of 1937" in which West Texas' most beautiful girl will be crowned queen will be staged Monday and Tuesday nights, May 10 and 11. Dances also will be held Monday and Tuesday nights and other entertainment features are being arranged.

Registration for the convention will begin at 9 a. m. Monday. First meeting of the convention work committee, with Houston Hart, San Angelo publisher, as chairman, will be held at the same time. Meeting of the sections committee, with A. B. Crump, Wheeler, as chairman, will be held at 11 a. m. Monday.

WTCC directors will meet at a luncheon at noon with Van Zandt Jarvis, Fort Worth, president, and Harte in charge. Directors nominated by the almost 300 towns affiliated with the WTCC will be elected.

First group conference of the convention will be held Monday afternoon on "Farm Tenancy and Unemployment." H. G. Lucas, Brownwood, will be chairman.

Proliminaries in the "My Home Town" speaking contest will be held Monday afternoon, Monday night and Tuesday afternoon in First Presbyterian church. The finals will be held at the final general assembly of the convention Wednesday morning. C. M. Caldwell, Abilene, is chairman of the contest.

First show of the "West Texas Follies of 1937" will be staged at 8 p. m. Monday, featuring entertainers from various West Texas towns, as well as West Texas beauty. Second edition of the Follies will be presented Tuesday night.

Dr. McMillan Armstrong, Brownwood is in charge of the shows. Two dances will be held Monday night with music furnished by well known orchestras. A session of the work committee will be held at 9 p. m.

First general session of the convention will be held at 10 a. m.

Madge Evans, Edmund Lowe In-Queen Film

Appear As Rival Newspaper Reporters In "Espionage"

"Espionage," a story with the flavor of current headlines, filmed by M-G-M with Edmund Lowe and Madge Evans in the leading roles, is the headline attraction for Sunday and Monday at the Queen theatre.

The picture is a narrative that describes the studied movements of a military spy-master who suddenly vacillates, at a time when his activities are new. A star reporter is promptly assigned to trace him, and an opposition paper gives the same job to a girl reporter, a star worker herself.

These two meet on a speeding express out of Paris, neither aware that the other is a competing newsgatherer. The situation becomes more complicated—and more amusing—when they fall in love. In the meantime, they encounter thrilling adventures and face danger together a dozen times before they eventually get their story—in collaboration and very much in love.

Lowe and Miss Evans have the parts of the reporters. Supporting players include Paul Lukas, Ketti Gallian, Skeets Gallagher, Frank Reicher, William Gilbert, Robert Graves, Leonid Kinsky, Mitchell Lewis, Charles Fowler, and Barnett Parker. Kurt Neumann directed.

The story was based on a play by Walter Hackett. Most of the film was made on a train, aboard which the elusive munitions man escapes death and dodges reporters as he attempts to guard his plans for the distributing of munitions to warring nations.

Dr. D. Lefkowitz To Confirm Class Here On May 2

Dr. David Lefkowitz of Dallas will confirm a class of five of the Temple Israel at services beginning at 8 o'clock at the Frutkin hotel ballroom Sunday morning, May 2.

In the group to be confirmed are Julius Fisher, Margorie Merkin, Sammy Meltinger, Ellen Seden and Joel Prager.

The class has been instructed by Mrs. Julian Mekhans as was the class that was confirmed three years ago when Dr. Lefkowitz was here to perform the ceremony.

The public is invited to be present at the services that will be of two hours duration.

Following the confirmation dinner will be served with Dr. Lefkowitz as honored guest.

Tuesday, a speaker of national prominence will appear on the program. President Jarvis will speak. Cities leading for the 1938 convention will extend the invitations.

WTCC directors will meet again at noon Tuesday to hear the annual treasurer's report and dispose of resolutions and proposals. West Texas newspapers and chamber of commerce secretaries will be entertained at a luncheon.

A band parade and contest will be held Tuesday afternoon. From 30 to 40 bands are expected to enter.

Soil conservation, general theme of the entire convention, will be discussed at a group conference at 2 p. m. with Dr. Bradford Knapp, president of Texas Tech, Lubbock, in charge. Another group conference, on all development, will be held Tuesday afternoon with J. S. Bridwell, Wichita Falls, as chairman.

Electics

Final report of the work committee will be made at a breakfast for directors Wednesday morning. New officers will be elected and the general manager will be named.

The last general session of the convention will be held at 8:30 a. m. Wednesday. A speaker of national note will address the meeting, finals in the Home Town contest will be held, awards will be presented and the next convention city will be selected.

Visitors wishing to play golf will be furnished courtesy cards to the Brownwood country club. Lake Brownwood will furnish recreation—fishing, boating and swimming—to visitors who wish to remain over for a few days.

Shirley Star Of Picture At Lyric Today

The Sunday and Monday attraction of the Lyric theatre, "Stowaway" finds Shirley Temple cast as an orphan who becomes acquainted with delightful adventures in the Orient. Supporting the wee actress in this 20th Century-Fox production are Robert Young, Alice Faye, Helen Westley, Eugene Palletta, and others.

The story is one of comedy and introduces the new song, "Goodnight, My Love," sung by Miss Faye while Shirley contributes several vocal numbers. She even sings in Chinese.

Opening in a scene where Shirley, adopted by a missionary in the Far East, is forced to flee when the kindly stepfather is killed, the story gains momentum when the young girl has a chance meeting with the rich and playful son of an American business man, played by Young.

Young is attracted to the lass by her friendliness and charm. The two become fast friends and Young decides to adopt the girl when Shirley is unwittingly smuggled aboard a boat, boarded by Young, for America.

Here the playboy meets Miss Faye and decides that there is something to this thing called love after all. Alice, however, is engaged to be married to another man.

TO FURNISH MUSIC FOR WTCC EVENT



Pictured above is the Benton stage band of North Texas State Teachers' college, Denton, which will furnish music for the West Texas Follies of 1937, scheduled to be staged Monday and Tuesday nights of the 10th annual West Texas chamber of commerce convention in Brownwood May 10, 11 and 12. The band, directed by Floyd Graham, is a widely known entertainment unit and has furnished music for the last five WTCC conventions. More than 60 beautiful West Texas girls will take part in the reviews as sponsors from their respective cities. Some of the state's most talented artists will appear on the program.

Amateur Hour Winners Now Heard Regularly On KBST; Guest Artists To Be Presented On Organ Programs

The Rhythm Twisters, winners of the first KBST Amateur Hour contest are now on a regular program broadcast by the local station each Saturday afternoon at 5:15. The boys offer a varied program of old time tunes mixed with popular melodies.

Jimmie Wilton, KBST organist will feature as guest entertainers on his 7:45 programs this week two of the station's well known artists. On Tuesday evening, guest singer will be Frances Stampler, who is heard regularly over the station each Saturday at 5 p. m. Thursday evening's featured entertainer will be E. T. Cardwell.

Effective Monday morning, the KBST Morning Devotional service will be presented at 7:45 instead of the former time of 8 o'clock. Dr. D. F. McConnell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will have charge of the devotional period for the week. These programs are sponsored by the local ministers' association.

AS A WAIF



Little Shirley Temple is a waif stranded in China who becomes a cupid aboard ship, in "Stowaway," her latest starring vehicle which plays at the Lyric Sunday and Monday. Robert Young and Alice Faye, supporting players, supply the romance.

Each Saturday between 12 and 12:30 p. m., Carl Young presents guest entertainers from surrounding towns. The program is similar to the familiar saturday-morning held in this territory. Young invites out-of-town players to appear on the Saturday broadcast. They are requested to be at the KBST studio on Saturday mornings not later than 11:45.

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Shirley TEMPLE

STOWAWAY

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Lamesa Couples Are Wed By Methodist Minister Here

Two couples from Lamesa were married by the Rev. C. A. Bickley Friday at ceremonies performed during the afternoon and evening.

H. N. Sanford was wed to Miss Tina Hood in the afternoon at the church and in the evening at the parsonage, Miss Loellen Weaver became the bride of Kelly Bockman.

The latter couple was accompanied by the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weaver of Lamesa, and Miss Coy Grimes of this city.

Both couples will make their homes in Lamesa.

CALENDAR OF TOMORROW'S MEETINGS

MONDAY
WOMEN'S COUNCIL OF First Christian church holding meeting of executive board at 3 o'clock at the church.

ST. CATHERINE'S study club of St. Thomas Catholic church meeting at 7:15 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Edmund Berger, 403 E. Park street.

FIRST BAPTIST W.M.U. meeting 3:30 o'clock at the church for business discussion and all members are asked to bring wearing apparel for the box that will be packed for Buckner's orphans home.

FIRST METHODIST W.M. meeting at 3 o'clock at the church for the monthly social session for which Circle Three will be hostess.

WESLEY MEMORIAL W.M.S. will meet at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. I. Low for a social hour.

EAST 4TH STREET Baptist W.M.U. meeting 3 o'clock at the church for mission study.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY meeting 3 o'clock at the church for business discussion and delegates to Presbyterial will give reports.

ST. MARY'S UNITS. St. Mary's auxiliary meeting 3:30 o'clock at the Parish House; St. Cecilia club meeting place to be announced; St. Anne's club meeting 7:30 o'clock at the parish house.

James Campbell Called To Father's Bedside

Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell, Mrs. Arthur Campbell, Mrs. Jack Reed and Mrs. John Berryhill of Meadow were called to the bedside of Campbell's father, E. J. Campbell, Saturday by his critical illness. He is in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Creath Harvey, on a ranch near Abilene. Little hope was held for his recovery.

Bedsread Pattern



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Hyperion Club Has Texas Day Program At Year-End Meet

Concluding the club year with a Texas Day program, members of the Senior Hyperion club met in the home of Mrs. B. T. Cardwell Saturday afternoon to hear the interesting program arranged and given by Mrs. H. S. Faw.

The leader told of her work on the WPA writer's project that embraced 13 counties of West Texas. She gave an interesting historical dissertation that included the geological formations, history of the state, the animals and life among the early cattle people.

During the business hour the club discussed the problems of club membership, expenses for delegates to conventions but reached no decision, postponing the question until the first meeting of the new year that will begin on the first Saturday in October. Mrs. V. H. Flewelling reported that no effort would be made by the club to take part in the National Music Week activities that will begin here on May 2.

Mrs. Shine Phillips presided for the last time as president and will be succeeded by Mrs. James T. Brooks.

Attending were Mrs. J. D. Biles, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. C. W. Cunningham, Mrs. Cardwell, Mrs. W. F. Lee Hanson.

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AT THE CHURCHES

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
D. F. McConnell, D. D., Pastor
Sunday school, 9:45.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Young People Vespers, 7 p. m.
Miss Mary Elizabeth Bardin, adult advisor. Miss Catherine McDaniel, leader.
Evening worship, 8 o'clock.
Hostesses for Sunday, Mrs. James T. Brooks, Mrs. W. W. Croshaw, Mrs. R. L. Carpenter and Mrs. J. A. Smith.
The 11-12 services will be broadcast over KBST. You are most cordially invited to listen.

FIRST METHODIST
Alonso Bickley, Pastor
Sunday school—9:45 a. m. Paschal Buckner, general superintendent.
Praying—11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Morning school, "The Call of the Cross." The choir will give the anthem, "Christian, the Morn Breaks Swiftly O'er Thee," directed by Mr. Crothwaite.
At the evening hour Rev. S. H. Young, presiding elder of the Sweetwater district, will preach. The male quartet will sing.
The young people will meet in their groups at 7 p. m.
A big welcome awaits you at this church.

ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL
P. Walter Henckell, Rector
Bishop Seaman will administer confirmation and preach at the 12 o'clock service Sunday morning at St. Mary's Episcopal church. Everyone is cordially invited to hear the bishop.
Church school will meet at 9:45 a. m. as usual.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
501 N. Gregg
T. H. Graumann, Pastor
10—Sunday school.
11—Morning service. The topic of the sermon will be "The Word of God in the Life of Jeremiah."
On Thursday afternoon at 1:15, the Lutheran quarter hour will be presented over KBST.
We cordially invite you to attend our services.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Main at Fourteenth Street
Forrest R. Waldrop, Minister
Lord's Day services:
Bible school—9:45 a. m.
Sermon and Lord's Supper—10:45 a. m. Subject, "Excuses."
Radio broadcast, KBST, 2 p. m. Subject, "Sin and Its Cure."
Young peoples meeting—4:45 p. m. Sermon and Lord's Supper—8 p. m. Subject, "The New Testament Court Trial."
Monday—Ladies Bible class—4 p. m.
Wednesday—Midweek service—8 p. m.
You are always welcome.

"Probation After Death" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist on Sunday, April 25.

The Golden Text is: "I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Write, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labours; and their works do follow them" (Revelation 14:13).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "For our conversation is in heaven; from whence also we look for the Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ: Who shall change our vile body, that it may be fashioned like unto his glorious body, according to the working whereby he is able even to subdue all things unto himself" (Philippians 3:20, 21).

The Lesson-Sermon includes also the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "In the illusion of death, mortals wake to the knowledge of two facts (1) that they are not dead; (2) that they have but passed the portals of a new belief. Truth works out the nothingness of error in just these ways. As death fineth mortal man, so shall he be after death, until probation and growth shall effect the needed change." (pages 251 and 251).

FIRST BAPTIST
Dr. E. B. Atwood, Supply Pastor
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school, Geo. H. Gentry, superintendent.
10:45 a. m.—Morning worship. Anthem, "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes," choir; sermon by Dr. E. B. Atwood, Abilene.
6:30 p. m.—Baptist training union, Ira M. Powell, director.
7:45 p. m.—Evening worship, Trio, "Our Dearest Friend," Miss Ruby Bell, Mrs. E. E. Blount and Ira M. Powell; sermon by Rev. E. B. James, Cisco.

Dr. Griffis
(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1)
Griffis has served for several years on the faculty of Grinnell college at Grinnell, Iowa, at the Brooklyn Settlement school in New York and as head of the theory department of the Progressive Series Teachers college. He is now teaching privately in his studio near historic Gramercy Park in New York.

As a musician, he has appeared frequently in recital and on the radio, both as soloist and accompanist. Among his best known works are "Rousseau Variations" and music to two works of Edgar Allan Poe, "To the River" and "Edgar's."

The national tournament in which Dr. Griffis and Haubel will serve as an excellent yardstick by which teachers may judge their pupils' accomplishments, according to Allison. A certificate of rating is given each participant and competitors are eligible to places on national, state or district honor rolls.

Attention is focused on the work of American composers also, he said, for each entry must submit one American composition.

Mrs. Wozencraft Becomes Member Of ABC Auxiliary

Mrs. W. E. Wozencraft became a member of the Ladies Auxiliary to the American Business club when the members met at the home of Mrs. C. A. Amos recently for a business session. Tentative plans were made to begin a study course in the near future.

Present were Mrs. Wozencraft, Mrs. Amos, Mrs. Roy Reeder, Mrs. C. E. Clendennen, Mrs. J. W. Joiner, and Miss Helen Duley.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. E. G. Lockler of Odessa is in the hospital for treatment.

Mrs. E. C. Garner of Monahans was in the hospital Saturday for treatment of an eye.

Mrs. Billie Edwards, who sustained injuries to a knee and hip in an automobile accident late Friday, was in the hospital Saturday for treatment. She is not seriously hurt.

Mrs. M. Silverman of Dallas was admitted to the hospital Saturday, and underwent a tonsillectomy Saturday morning.

Mrs. L. E. Mims and baby of McCarney have returned to their home.

I. F. McQuery, farmer of near Coahoma, who was in the hospital for treatment, has returned to his home.

Reading + Writing

By John Selby

If such delectable items as Somerset Maugham's "Six Comedies" (Doubleday, Doran; \$2.75) don't charm you from your duty, perhaps you will be equal to a little fairly serious thinking over the week end. I say fairly serious because most of the necessary thinking in connection with J. G. Crowther's "Famous American Men of Science" already has been done for you by the author.

Mr. Crowther is the man who wrote "Men of Science" some time back, and a number of books besides. He has the habit of providing the proper biographical facts, so coated and embellished with significant additions that the product reads almost too well for comfort. It is so in the new book, which discusses in turn the life and social contributions of Benjamin Franklin, Joseph Henry, J. Willard Gibbs, and Thomas Alva Edison.

It is possible you know nothing at all about Henry and Gibbs, the former being the inventor of the large electro-magnet and creator of the Smithsonian Institution, and the latter the great student of heat, creator of physical chemistry. You may read about them in "Famous American Men of Science," and the most interesting and intelligent point raised by Mr. Crowther is best expressed in what he says about Edison.

Edison was, Mr. Crowther writes, the first great scientific inventor who frankly thought of invention as subordinate to commerce. This has led to a contemptuous evaluation of the service he has given us. It is the author's opinion, however, that the old theory that invention "came into existence through unaccountable acts of creation" is unacceptable nowadays. He thinks Edison's view of the matter was an important advance in sociology and not merely commercial crassness.

"So long as invention was conceived as intellectual magic," Mr. Crowther writes, "it could not make an adequate contribution to human progress. After it had been made a servant of commerce, it could begin to evolve into a servant of humanity." Which is a \$2.50.

CROSSETT GUESTS

Three daughters and four granddaughters are included in the party of Mrs. Mattie Crosett this week. They are Mrs. Bernice Crosett and daughter of Fort Worth, Mrs. J. C. Darward and daughter Snyder, and Mrs. Cory Roberts and two daughters of Coahoma.

Harry Hurt and R. V. Midton were recent business visitors in Midland.

Carl Blomshiel and A. B. son were in Lamesa and Odessa Saturday attending to matters business.

Kin Barnett has returned from Abilene where he has spent several days.

good enough thought for the week end.

"Famous American Men of Science," by J. G. Crowther (Doubleday of humanity," which is a \$2.50).

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COLONY CURBS POLYGAMY TO BATTLE FOR EXISTENCE



HOME OF POLYGAMY

It's been a hard winter for the little band of polygamists which lives under the leadership of Edmund Barlow in this cluster of cottages on the arid Arizona-Utah border.

SHORT CREEK, Ariz., April 24 (AP)—Hunger has taken the fight out of this once notorious colony of polygamists.

Still maintaining the right to plural wives, Edmund Barlow, new head of the cult, says that for the time being "polygamy will not be stressed."

Barlow is more concerned at the moment with trading timber for staple food products and getting some of his huskier members on the F.W.A.

Hard Times Follow Boom
Publicity accompanying prosecution of two Short Creek zealots for living with more than one wife brought in a crowd of prospective converts, many of them women, last year. But with the conviction of Price Johnson and Carling Spencer, and the approach of winter, all left but 29 adults and about 70 children.

With starvation staring them in the face, the cultists demoted "E-shop" John Y. Barlow in favor of his brother Edmund.
The only known income of the colony at that time was a \$20-a-month school salary paid the janitor. Barlow started a shingle and lath mill. Johnson learned tanning in prison and on his release was put to work making shoes. An irrigation canal on which ten years' fruitless labor had been spent was abandoned. Pressure was put on several men to get relief jobs.

Failure Blamed On Aridity
Although the militant county attorney who launched the polygamy campaign was defeated in the last election, Barlow decided to keep his followers out of such trouble.

NEWS NOTES FROM THE OIL FIELD COMMUNITIES



Edmund Barlow

Bouquets of Texas bluebonnets decorated the home of Mrs. Brady Nix Monday evening when she entertained members of her bridge club. The spring-time motif was featured in bluebonnet courages at favors. Guests of the evening were Mrs. D. C. Rogers and Mrs. I. L. Watkins, the latter winning low cut, a comfort protector. Mrs. Ed Conger was winner of the high score. A set of pillow cases, Miss Aquilla West was awarded a cellophane box of dainty powder puffs for consolation. Members playing for consolation. Members playing included Mrs. Newman Baker, Mrs. M. M. Hines, Mrs. Foy Johnson, Mrs. Bill Conger, Miss Aquilla West and hostess.

Complimenting Mrs. C. L. King on her birthday Mrs. L. C. Aiston entertained friends in her home Monday afternoon. Games were enjoyed by the guests after which gifts were presented to the honoree. A refreshment plate was passed to Mrs. C. J. Reed, Mrs. O. S. Butler, Mrs. Leslie Roberts, Mrs. Bob Qualls, Bobbie Jo and Winifred Roberts.

Mrs. John Barham of Stephenville who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Brady Nix, returned to her home Saturday.

Mrs. Richard Moore and baby of Lubbock are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Foy Johnson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Head of the Humble Pipe Line attended the barbecue given by the West Texas Humble employees in Sonora Monday.

Bill Earl Campbell, who is at-

tending school in San Angelo, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Campbell, last week-end.

Mrs. Oscar Bradham was called to Lubbock last week because of illness of her son, Arnold, who is attending Texas Tech. Mrs. Bradham reported that he is now in school again and doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Long and family of Coahoma have moved to Foran where Mr. Long will be employed with the Merrick and Bristol Oil company.

Mr. McChasin of Borger was called to the bedside of his sister, Mrs. Margaret MacGing who is ill in a local hospital.

The Assembly of God church has been torn down and will be moved to Big Spring where it will be used in the construction of a new Assembly of God church in Big Spring.

C. C. Williams and grandson, Lloyd Lee, of Pyote, are visiting his daughter, Mrs. Fred Harraid, and a son, Hood Williams, of the Owen Sloan Oil company.

C. L. West and daughter, Aquilla, were business visitors in San Angelo Thursday.

Mrs. C. L. Coulson and daughter, Mrs. I. L. Watkins, motored to Sterling City Friday morning and Mrs. Ernie Conger returned with them for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wagner have returned from Canton, O., where they enjoyed a visit with relatives.

Mrs. C. L. Coulson honored her husband with a 6 o'clock dinner Thursday evening on his birthday anniversary. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Watkins, daughter and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Coulson; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Burkhardt, and Vera and Myra Nell Harris. The dinner table was laid in bluebonnet glass, with the state flower centerpiece, and was covered with a linen damask cover and hand-embroidered monogrammed linen napkins. A family heirloom of pearl handle silver was used by the hostess. The dinner consisted of three courses, tomato juice cocktail and crackers, baked turkey and dressing with gravy, green beans, spring potatoes, cheese and macaroni, candied yams and relishes; and ice cream, cake and tea. After dinner the guests enjoyed games of bridge and ruck.

Mrs. Hugh Greaves and Cleto Loper were guests of the Sew and Chat sewing club Thursday afternoon with Mrs. John Kubeka as hostess. The club enjoyed sewing in the meeting after which refreshments were served to Mrs. R. A. Loper, Mrs. Sam Rust, Mrs. I. O. Shaw, Mrs. J. E. Thompson and Mrs. R. M. Brown.

A group of women composed of Mrs. Mann, Mrs. Kane, Mrs. Kistard and Mrs. Lykins from the Rebekah lodge of Big Spring

Labor and Industry Meet for Conference in Washington



Representatives of industry, labor and the federal government are shown just before they met in Washington with Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins to discuss problems involved in collective bargaining between employers and workers. Shown left to right are: President William Green of the American Federation of Labor; Raymond Ingersoll, president of Brooklyn borough, New York City; Arthur Lovell, representing the Brotherhood of Locomotive firemen and engineers; R. C. Waiting, president of the Fuller Construction Company; Secretary Perkins; Clarence Woolley, president of the American Radiator Company; former governor Max Gardner of North Carolina; John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers Union; Father Francis J. Haas and J. Warren Madden, chairman of the National Labor Relations Board.

Called on Mrs. W. A. Majors Friday and visited throughout the oil field in the interest of the lodge.

The group, joined by their hostess, called on Mrs. C. B. Parker, Mrs. Hood Williams and Mrs. C. A. Ballard and Mrs. C. B. Ramsey, later returning to Mrs. Majors' home where refreshments of ham sandwiches, cake, ice cream and tea were served.

Considerable damage was caused by the wind and sandstorm Friday on the San Angelo telephone lines which are under construction at this time. Men at work on the line had quit for the day when a live wire was blown from the poles. The switchboard of the telephone office here was affre twice due to shorts in the wires, contacting in the wind.

Web Hudson of the San Angelo

telephone office in Sterling City was in Foran Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. LeClaire of Eastland are visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. LeClaire this week-end.

Members of the sixth grade in the Fesman high school, with their sponsor, I. L. Watkins, enjoyed a picnic Friday on the Dora Roberts ranch. Sandwiches, cookies and cold drinks were enjoyed by Ruth Brown, Louisa Benton, Maxine Moreland, Wanda Martin, Billy Williams, Charles Lake, Ray Thompson, Bonnie Jo Kilpatrick and Bill Earl Rucker.

New contract rules were discussed by Mrs. W. R. Dunn Thursday afternoon when the Joly Johnson bridge club was entertained by Mrs. Buri Loper. The living room was decorated with bouquets and potted plants of begonias and hy-

drangeas. The spring season was emphasized in the wrapping of the gifts, a blue and pottery teapot which went to Mrs. I. L. Watkins for high, and a pottery ice bowl and tongs to Mrs. Chaffin for second high. Punch was served at intermission of games and pineapple sodas and cake were served at the conclusion of the party. Mrs. C. E. Chaffin was elected by the club as a substitute member for Mrs. Earl Stanton until the fall, as the latter will be away for several months recuperating from a recent illness. Members present included Mrs. Frank Tate, Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. C. W. Harlan, Mrs. M. M. Hines, Mrs. Julian Galt, Mrs. R. E. Carpenter, Mrs. Bob Thompson, Mrs. Lloyd Burkhardt, Mrs. J. H. Spratt, Mrs. C. E. Chaffin, Mrs. I. L. Watkins and Mrs. W. B. Dunn.

Barnett Hinds, teacher of the seventh grade in the Foran school with Supt. L. L. Martin, accompanied his pupils to Carlsbad Caverns on a sightseeing tour Friday. Others who accompanied the group were: Mrs. H. L. Hayes, Mrs. F. R. Barnett and mother, Mrs. W. E. Alkman; Mrs. Henry Jess and Miss Frick. The school children were: Bebe Johnson, June McCas, Colcen Moore, Eloise Kent, Mulba June White, J. R. Smith, E. L. Stewart, George Barnett, Gabe Green, Robert Yastov, Aquilla Fleetwood, Lawrence Stanton, Cecil Ray Ivy, Eddie Payne, James Gardner, Kenneth Cowley, Russell Wilson, Alma Ray Rucker, Joe McDonald, Floyd Griffith, Margaret Stewart, Jim Earl West, El Ray Scuddy, Curtis Grant and Odell Fleetwood.

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NEW PRODUCING AREA IN CRANE CO. IS INDICATED

Sinclair - Prairie Location On University Land Swabs 72 Barrels; Locations For Week Set Record

SAN ANGELO, April 24—The first drilled opening in northern Crane county of another oil pool, the seventh, on West Texas holdings of the University of Texas, which since 1923 has been enriched in excess of 25 million dollars by oil production and lease sales, and the establishment of another record in locations—301 in 14 counties—featured operations this week in the state's most widespread oil region.

Sinclair-Prairie No. 1-34 University, the apparent pool opener, topped Permian lime pay at 3,532 feet, 715 feet below sea level, had in cranes in drilling to 3,565 feet and swabbed and flowed 72 barrels of oil in 24 hours. It is 2,310 feet from the south and west lines of section 23, block 26, University land, 2 1/2 miles northwest of the Waddell (Henderson) field and 1 1/3 miles from east of Clark, Cooper & Smith No. 1 Jordan, a 90-barrel-a-day wildcat pumper which is 1 1/3 miles south of the Penn (Judkins) pool in southern Ector county.

Second Strike
It was the second strike this month in Crane county, the first, Gulf No. 4 Waddell in the Sand Hills district in western Crane, having opened the Permian Basin's second major Ordovician field. In three hours on April 15 it flowed 283 barrels of 45 gravity, sweet oil through 7-inch casing, with 2,870,000 cubic feet of gas, bottomed at 6,014 feet, 10 feet in the Ellenburger, which was re-logged 3,645 feet below sea level. Gulf No. 4 Waddell is 1,960 feet from the north and east lines of section 4-B27-pat.

Another Crane county development this week was the extension of the Tubb deep Permian pay area a quarter mile northwest by American Liberty Oil company and South-west Oil Producing company's No. 4 Tubb. Treated with 6,000 gallons of acid, the well established a daily potential of 2,177 barrels, based on its flow the last four hours of a six-hour gauge. It topped pay at 4,116 and drilled to 4,427 feet.

Distillate Sale
Schleicher county, on the east side of the Permian Basin, entered the oil producing column when John M. Cooper of San Angelo began delivering to the Owsen Refining company of Big Spring a tank truck load of distillate, about 20 barrels daily from his No. 1 Bert Page, a wet gasner since July, 1935. He is receiving \$1.50 per barrel for the crude, which tests 68 gravity, and is used in motor fuel blending. Cooper has a tender to send as much distillate as it yielded but the gas required for fuel in drilling

No. 2 Page, three-quarters of a mile to the southeast. No. 2 Page has reached 320 feet and was lowering 1 1/2 inch casing.
No. 1 Page, plugged back from 5,285 to 5,225 feet, gauged 13,800 cubic feet of gas daily from the Pennsylvania after being shot, then acidized twice, in 1935. It is 9 1/2 miles southeast of Eldorado, in the northwest quarter of section 40-L-CH&A. No. 2 Page is in the southeast quarter of the same section. Magnus No. 1 Judkins & Spencer, Schleicher wildcat nine miles northeast of Cooper No. 1 Page, was tested after retreating with 7,500 gallons of acid which apparently did not immediately increase a small showing of oil from the Ellenburger, which was topped at 3,502 feet, 3,692 feet below sea level. The test plugged back last fall from 6,527 to 5,222 feet, was shot, then acidized. It is in the center of the southwest of section 4, certificate 137, W. W. Russell original grantee.

Pipeline Connection
The pipe line recently laid by the Mason Oil company from its No. 2 Minnie Kyle, northwestern Loving county opener of the second Delaware lime pool in West Texas, to the point where the Pasotex Winkler-to-El Paso pipe line passes under the Santa Fe railroad was completed with the Pasotex carrier, Mason had oil stored at both ends of his line. Two tests are drilling and three more are about to start in the area. Mason No. 2 Kyle is 2,310 feet from the north and east lines of section 20-55-1-T&P.

Beatty, Bowles & Borsodi, Inc., of Houston entered West Texas with the purchase from the Texas Pacific Land Trust of the lease on the north 240 acres of the east half of section 23-45-10-T&P one mile north of production in the Cummins northwest extension to the Goldsmith pool in Ector county. The price was \$75 an acre cash and \$250 to be paid out of one-sixth of the gross oil. The lease is subject to forfeiture after 18 months unless drilling on it has commenced.
A Bradford No. 1 Sun-Wathen in Ward county, three-quarters of a mile southwest of small pumpers on the Grandfalls townsite, headed oil in drilling to 2,210 feet and was estimated good for 100 barrels daily. It is in the north part of the northeast 80 acres of section 5-32-H&TC, farmed out by Sun.

Wildcats Abandoned
Two Pecos county wildcats were abandoned: Walter Abell No. 1 White & Baker, in the southeast quarter of section 2-179-TCRR, at 2,022 feet after striking sulphur

ENCOURAGEMENT FROM SIDELINES



The laughing bystander cheers a trouble-maker, ready to leave a brick at the Artcraft Silk Hosiery mill at Philadelphia during strike disorders. Twenty-six sit-down strikers continue occupation of the mill after gaining admission by a ruse.

Test In East Sector Makes Oil Showing

Possible Production Area Between Fields Is Indicated

Showing of the Moore Bros. No. 1 Texas & Pacific Land Trust, midway between the East Howard at Chalk pools, gives promise of production in a new territory in Big Spring section.
After drilling in pay from 2,725, the well showed 100 feet of hole in an hour and a half. Friday 2,300 feet of six and five eighths casing was set and operations resumed. It would be Monday if fore plugs were drilled. The oil has been bridged for protection. Plans are to deepen 200 to 250 feet and then shoot. The test is surrounded by three abandoned holes all of which had shows. Moore Bros. No. 1 D. H. Snyder, one west and a location north, was abandoned after a brief period of production two years ago on the heels of a 800 quart shot.
Ready For Shot
Another wildcat test, the Ray Albaugh, et al No. 1 John Robinson, section 45-M, ELARR-RR, Dawson county, had finished pulling tubing and was reported ready for a 100 quart shot Saturday. The test has been idle for the past four months since testing about 4 1/2 to 5 barrels hourly on pump. A mile south and two locations east, in section 45, the Wilson & Pickens test was drilling past 1,100 feet in redbeds after setting 12 1/2 inch surface casing at 228 feet.

Developments on the Grisham & Hunter No. 1 Post estate test in section 6-5, K. Aycock survey, Garza county, were watched after a 300 quart shot from 2,850-2,922 feet. Friday operators were 65 feet off bottom.
To the northwest a mile and a quarter the S. "Blackie" Caprito

Second Test To Drill For Lime Horizon

New Wildcat Is Located Six And Half Miles Southeast Anson

ABILENE, April 24—Second try for Swastika lime production southeast of Anson will be started this week when the Fain-McGaha Oil corporation and Ungren & Frazier No. 1 J. E. Garland spuds a mile west of the recently abandoned No. 1 J. J. Steele.

The No. 1 Garland has a drilling contract of 2,500 feet which would carry it to the zone from which the Ungren & Frazier No. 1 Steele found a 15-30 barrel showing of oil in the Swastika. The Steele test was treated with acid at 2,400 feet and found salt water, plugged back to 2,220 feet and retreated to show about two barrels daily pumping. It was plugged last week.

Location of the new wildcat is six and a half miles southeast of Anson, and 220 feet from the north and west lines of the south half of

Section 10 in the Loeders field pumped 210 barrels after treatment with 2,000 gallons of acid in Hope lime at 2,920-31 feet. It is in section 1, I&GN survey.

In the Guitlar pool five locations were staked, and the Farris, Fikes and Ungren & Frazier No. 7 Guitlar estate tested 240 barrels daily from lime at 1,970-2,000 feet after treatment with 3,000 gallons of acid. Ungren & Frazier and Shanon No. 1 J. H. Shipley was staked 150 feet from the east and 220 feet from the south lines of the Shipley 10-acre tract in the northwest quarter of section 44-15-T&P, most western outpost for the pool.

Other Locations
Farris, Fikes and Ungren & Frazier No. 8 Guitlar tract estate, 220 feet from the south and 600 feet from the west lines of the northeast quarter of the same section will be an eastern outpost.

Farris, Fikes and Ungren & Frazier No. 9 Guitlar was spudded as a north offset to the Guitlar No. 1 Fie, and 220 feet from the south end 1,050 feet from the west lines of the northwest quarter of the same section.

Guitlar No. 2 fee is a new south offset location to the owners' No. 1, now drilling, and is 198 feet from the east and 860 feet from the north lines of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 44.

Danciger Oil & Refiners No. 4 Guitlar was spudded as a south offset to the owners' No. 2, largest

Hockley Well Given A Test

Texas - Slaughter Makes 833 Barrels In 24-Hour Gauge

SAN ANGELO, April 24—With a swab in the bottom of the hole, the Texas Co. and others No. 1 Bob Slaughter, Hockley county discovery well and one of the farthest north producers in the West Texas Permian Basin this week flowed 833 barrels of pipe line oil with 456,000 cubic feet of gas on a 24-hour railroad commission test. It had plugged back from 5,050 to 5,023 feet and was treated with 2,000 gallons of acid. Re-acidizing was planned. The well is in the southwest well of the pool, and 220 feet from the west and 600 feet from the north lines of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 44.

Lewis Production company No. 3 Henry Bayler was staked as an east offset to the new south extension to the Bayles field six miles north of Abilene. It is 240 feet from the north and 1,100 feet from the west lines of the 320-acre lease in section 6-20-T&P survey.

west quarter of labor 12, August 24, Nevada county school land.
In Yoakum county, diagonally southwest of Hockley, Robert Rhodes & Fitzpatrick No. 1 J. B. Shook estate, in the center of the northeast of section 450-D-John H. Gibson, attracted attention by toppling the sandstone at 2,340 feet, 3-423 feet above sea level. This was nine feet lower than the marker in the same operator's No. 1 Henry a dry hole, three miles to the northeast.

Hugs Corrigan of Midland and associates were scheduled to begin deepening W. L. Fickers and others No. 1 Leavright, southeastern Terry county wildcat, shut down for several weeks at 4,375 feet after striking sulphur water. It is in the northeast corner of section 3-C37-pat.

Amon G. Carter and Continental No. 1 A. L. Wesson, northern Galbreath county wildcat, in the southwest quarter of section 45-AX-pat, dropped a section of 7-inch pipe while running it to overcome heavy gas, total depth being 3,003. Carter and associates staked No. 1-11 Wesson, 2,310 feet from the north and west lines of section 45-XX-pat, 2 1/2 miles northeast of No. 1 Wesson. The tests are on a Continental block of 12 sections.

Magnolia No. 1 Taylor, northeastern Yoakum county wildcat, in the northeast corner of section 301-D-John H. Gibson, topped the sandstone at 2,325 feet, 1,382 feet above sea level.

GAS IS WORTH MORE THAN IT COSTS



A New Gas Range for Mother

EMPIRE SOUTHERN SERVICE COMPANY

JAMES A. DAVIS, Mgr.

GAS IS WORTH MORE THAN IT COSTS

Statement of Condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN BIG SPRING

As Called for by the Comptroller of the Currency at the Close of Business, March 31, 1937

ASSETS

Loans and Discounts	\$ 976,028.08
Overdrafts	5,571.18
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	50,000.00
Other Assets	1,244.29
U. S. Government Bonds	\$134,543.95
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	6,000.00
County and Municipal Bonds	187,118.24
Other Stocks and Bonds	8,672.34
Cash in Vault and Due from Banks	914,677.17
	1,251,011.70
	\$2,283,855.25

LIABILITIES

Capital	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided Profits	26,159.58
Deposits	2,057,695.67
	\$2,283,855.25

Your Attention Is Invited to the Above Statement, and Also the Directors Who Are Guiding the Affairs of This Bank

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The State National Bank

STATEMENT OF CONDITION AS REPORTED TO THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 31, 1937

ASSETS

Loans and Discounts	\$ 606,982.42
Overdrafts	374.65
*U. S. Bonds	168,863.75
*Other Bonds and Warrants	169,440.10
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	4,500.00
Banking House	22,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1.00
Other Stocks	1.00
Federal Deposit Ins. Fund	1.00
Other Real Estate	4,000.00
CASH	694,916.51
	\$1,671,080.43

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus Earned	100,000.00
Undivided Profits	33,811.12
Dividend, March 31, 1937	2,500.00
Reserve for Dividend	2,500.00
Borrowed Money	NONE
Rediscounts	NONE
DEPOSITS	1,482,269.31

\$1,671,080.43

*Securities Not Fledged and Carried at Less Than Market Value and None Above Par.

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STATE HEALTH PROGRAM

If a Texas boy or girl were kidnaped and held for ransom under threat of death, the people would, in an emotional outburst, go out and raise the money, and everybody would chip in a dime or a dollar. Donors would enjoy the satisfaction of a good deed.

But the same Texans now are letting children be kidnaped and put to death, paying no attention, partly because it is undramatic and partly because it is so frequent.

They are letting children in Texas be put to death just as needlessly and as surely as if a kidnaper were clubbing them with a blackjack.

These lives are being wasted because the cost of health is more than many families can pay. Hospitals, proper medical care, health supervision and health education cost more than many people, in our present system, can pay. The lack of money directly accounts for the death of many from ailments or illness that would not be fatal to those in families able to pay the bill for proper treatment.

This is true despite a tremendous amount of patient work of doctors for which they are not paid, of a fair amount of unpaid hospital care and of so-called charity hospital work, of some public health work, and some preventive work conducted by public agencies. But it is a visible and provable fact that Texas gives up the lives of many children every year because they are of poor families.

The condition goes on while we squabble about race tracks and sulphur taxes and lobby investigations and increasing salaries and stacking courthouses full of more tax-eaters. When they get discussed, likely as not the answer is that all the remedies so far suggested just mean putting more people on public payrolls, in trying to meet them.

But Gov. Allred has asked the legislature to try to work out a real health program for the state. It will have to deal with health education, improvement of sanitary conditions. Even that is getting scant attention. The national government is extending a public health program. But neither federal nor state efforts get to the existing fact that poverty kills people and that money ransoms lives of those who have it from the ravages of disease.

We have made more progress in five years than in the previous century getting at the roots of this condition, but even in the present order of things, nobody has offered an adequate remedy.

Man About Manhattan

By GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK — Be advised by Signore Silvani — well, make it just Charlie of the Ritz — people aren't worrying very much any more. Gazing shrewdly at his wine-glass barometer, which to him is better than any crystal ball, he gauged the current crop of diners-out and launched into a favorite topic.

Intoned this premier maitre d'hotel: People used to come into dining rooms with their evenings ruined before it started. They were in too big a hurry. They'd toss off a big drink, order a big meal and hurry through it; rush off to the theater, arrive late; then go somewhere else in a hurry. Naturally they didn't enjoy life so much. But now—

Charles Shrugged and smiled widely. "Well, they're learning how to eat and drink. If they want to go to the theater, they order less food and eat it sensibly. They're learning to drink wine. I mean all types of people, not just those who have had training in the manner of pleasant living. And they're enjoying what they eat, too."

And about the young folk. Charles says, "There was a time when they'd come in and get awfully drunk. Now lots of them order only a sherry before dinner. They're becoming more dignified."

This man who has been a head waiter for 18 years, who has served the great and near great here and in Europe, has one bit of advice which he says can be applied not only to dining but to almost everything else.

It's "take your time," and if you don't have much time, "eat less."

Another factor in the increase of what he called "the art of learning to dine and wine well" was the passing of prohibition.

"More people eat out now, more people give parties at various places other than home, than they used to. That's because they don't have to be furtive about their drinking."

There's more wine consumed now, he says, because people are taking advantage of their leisure hours to engage in quiet instead of robust drinking.

And more older people are dancing than there were a few years ago, Charles points out.

That's because they're less harried. They aren't worrying as much as they used to.

Isabel Dawn, screen scribe, discarded watchdogs for poodles — and now petty thieves stay away from her door.

News

BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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Attempt at court plan compromise fails. Prolonged delay over bill's outcome seen. Split in Roosevelt ranks looms over budget. Liberal bloc and conservatives at loggerheads.

Feeler

WASHINGTON, April 24 — The first infinitesimal feeler toward a move which might be called a compromise in the president's court packing case has been made, very much off the record.

One of the opposition leaders in capitol hill sent word downtown to a presidential adviser suggesting that, in view of the Wagner decision, it seems rather unnecessary to add six more justices to an already favorable supreme court, so how about working out something to settle the argument.

The answer came back: "We wouldn't take less than four."

The respondent did not assume to be speaking for the president, and no one is now assuming he consulted the president. President Roosevelt, in all conversations, private and public, has indicated he would not compromise to the extent of the sixth eyelash on the sixth new proposed justice. At any rate, he ended that.

The only principle at issue, of course, still is whether the president shall get control of the court by adding to it. This issue cannot be halved, by slicing the number of new justices. Either the president gets control, or he does not.

Warning

There is nothing tangible by which to prove it, but this court dispute may end by just going on and on until "something" happens. The president's spokesmen in congress are in no hurry to vote; neither is the opposition. Mr. R. is going off next Tuesday for his spring vacation, which indicates his pulling force will be devoted mostly to tarpon for the immediate future.

Even now the budget has supplanted the court as a primary matter of congressional concern. Interest in the judiciary committee hearings has been completely lost. Opposition leaders have always wondered why the president did not claim his victory in the Wagner case and reform his program to attain his objectives in the way pointed out by the court. The various answers to this seem to be: (1) the whole future NRA program, etc., was being worked out on the expectation of an adverse decision, and adherence to the decision would require the scrapping of all the inside work that had been done; (2) the Cohen-Corcoran group of advisers were so utterly surprised by the decision that they doubted the genuineness of it, and still do.

Pals

Mr. Roosevelt is having difficulty finding out who his real friends are these days. Immediately after he submitted his appeal for a hold-down budget, up jumped the independent-liberal-progressives who have generally sided with him and have always kept one foot in the door. They demanded a cool increase of a billion dollars in the president's relief allotment, an increase which would ruin all his carefully laid plans. And they set out to get it.

The groans of Mr. Roosevelt's treasury watchdogs could be heard all down the mile expanse of Pennsylvania Avenue to the capitol. They know that many of the I.L.P. friends of the White House do not care what happens to the budget or the treasury, provided that it's bad. They are inflationists first and Roosevelt's friends afterward. He is their leader only when he is going in their direction.

The movement, of course, will not succeed. In one way, it may serve the president's game indirectly by tending to counteract the really formidable movement by conservative democrats for a curtailment in government expenses.

Cutting

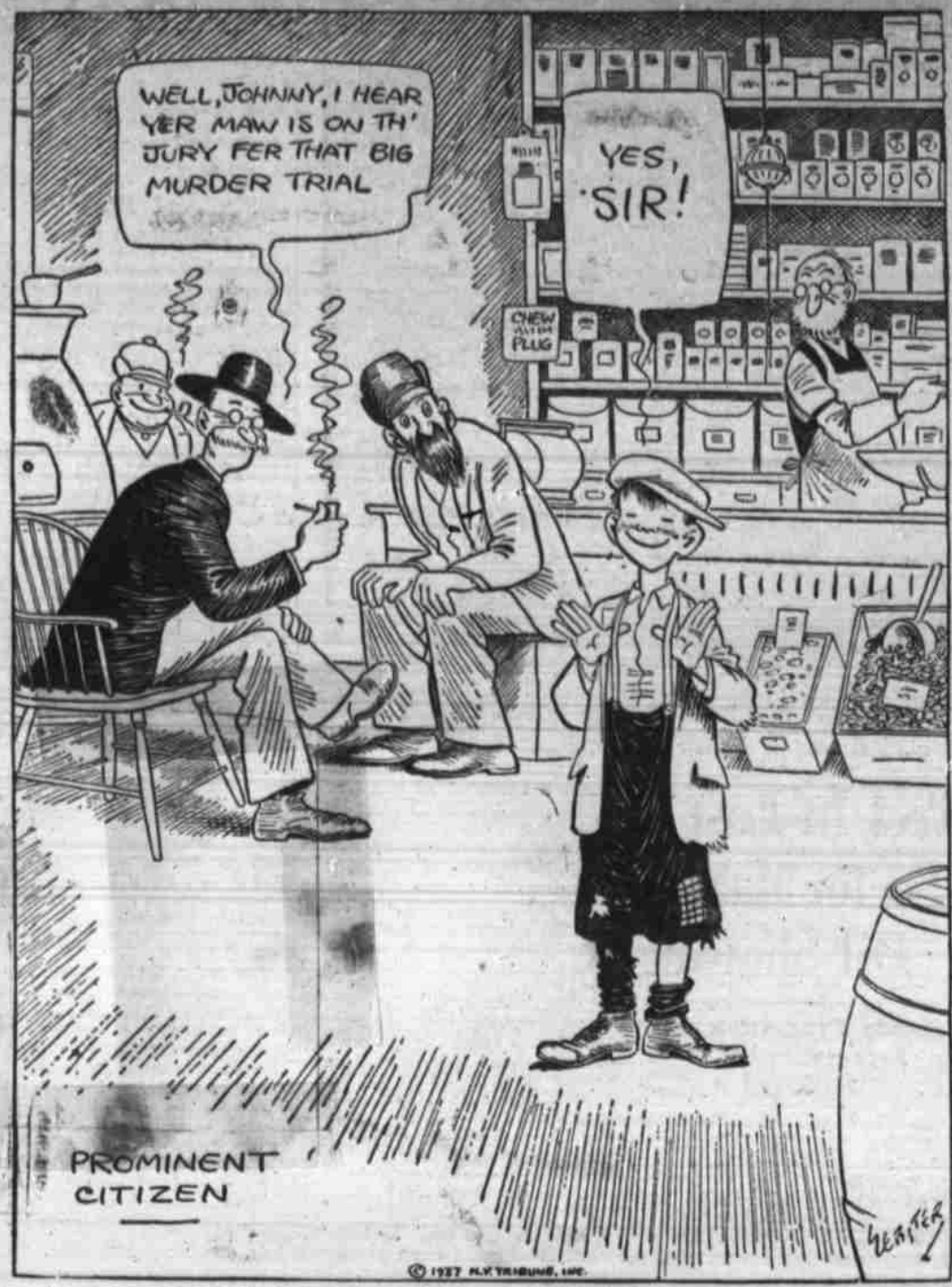
The republicans must have heard something before their congressional leader proposed that flat 10 per cent cut in the agriculture and other departmental appropriations. Those who were listening at the window heard the subject first mentioned at the White House conference of congressional leaders on the budget. It was not considered very seriously at that time, or, at least, was taken under advisement, but something may develop on it, if the republicans have not spoiled it.

A flat 10 per cent slash might work a hardship on some departments. Their work would be seriously impaired by an arbitrary cut. At the same time, there are others who would be cut 15 per cent without material damage. If something can be worked out which will give the president power to switch appropriations from department to department, without giving him dictatorial appropriating powers and without nullifying the congressional right to make appropriations, it would solve the situation.

Run-around

M. L. Ramsey, in his new book, "Pyramid of Power" (analyzing the Insull set-up and the president's power purposes) tells this one about a utility chiefman who, some how or another, got into the White House during the old NRA days. The power man had tried without

The Thrill That Comes Once In A Lifetime



PROMINENT CITIZEN

Daily Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Nervous twitching
2. Winged
3. Baseball implement
4. Character in "The Patriotic Queen"
5. Burdened
6. Greek letter
7. Automotive fuel colloquialism
8. Negligent
9. On
10. Composition for a single performer
11. Box
12. Public stopping places
13. Pertaining to the sun
14. Equilateral figure
15. Painter's tool
16. State bordering on the Mississippi river
17. Gold monetary unit of Bulgaria
18. Desire
19. Substance obtained by distilling wood

DOWN

1. Pull hard
2. Feminine name
3. Occurring without design
4. Having respect
5. A river
6. Within comb form
7. Musical instrument
8. Cylindrical
9. Tropical resin
10. Children's
11. Unlabeled postcard
12. East Indian article of food
13. Indefinite pronoun
14. Outfit
15. Playing card

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

SAPS	SODS	AVAST
ABET	OPEN	MARIA
LEDA	BAROMETERS	
ADORE	HIRENS	NUT
MEND	DEN	CAPE
AGE	DALES	LU
CITE	ROD	SERAPE
ELEMENT	SPELLER	
STRIPS	PEA	STOAT
TI	PRATE	INS
POTS	ALRE	SLAM
APORALE	DRESS	
PERIMETERS	OTIOE	
ERICA	EXIT	SENT
RACER	STAY	ERGS

Hollywood

Sights and Sounds
By Robin Coons

HOLLYWOOD—Unreal parade: It seems America is going to see Shirley Temple first, and vice versa.

After rejecting a write-your-own-ticket offer for Shirley's presence in London during the coronation, Mrs. Temple is playing with another idea—an auto trailer tour of most towns and cities of the United States. What Darryl Zanuck would have to say about this can be imagined, but since Jane Withers was permitted a tour he might find it awkward refusing a trip to a blonde of almost eight.

It was a personal appearance battle that completed the career of little Davey Lee ("Sonny Boy"), Al Joison's boy wonder of early talkies. Davey's mother made the trip regardless, but Davey never made movies again. Davey, of course, was not Hollywood's top box-office star at the time. And Mrs. Temple is merely "considering" the trailer trek.

Tragic Coincidence

The most interesting item about "Another Dawn" is a tragic coincidence not recorded in the film. In the picture a noble Ian Hunter files to his death in the desert, leaving a noble Kay Francis for the arms of a noble Errol Flynn. Laird Doyle, promising young writer, met his death in a solo plane crash shortly after completing this script.

Somewhat weighted down by excessive nobility and wordage, the picture is the infernal triangle again. "Loving you, respecting him, hating myself..." says Francis to Flynn—and there you have the situation. The locals is a British army post in the desert, where the players discuss life, love, honor, duty and immortality to an unusual extent. Kay wears her usual wardrobe changes, there is a good desert battle, and Frieda Inescort and Herbert Mundin help. If all else fails mentioned at the White House conference of congressional leaders on the budget. It was not considered very seriously at that time, or, at least, was taken under advisement, but something may develop on it, if the republicans have not spoiled it.

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Dust Storms Blast Paint

LAMAR, Col. (UP)—Spring dust storms were so severe in southeastern Colorado that the paint on a set of automobile license plates was "blasted" off the metal. The plates were returned to the county clerk and a new set issued.

Studes Take Over KBST For A Day

There was much outstanding talent broadcast all through the day, among whom were the voice and piano students of Mrs. Bruce Lanier, The Swing Trio composed of Clarinda Mary Sanders, Jane Lee Hannah and Wanda McQuinn, and the high school band under the direction of D. W. Conley. At 5:45, Lola Mae Hall, blues singer, sang popular songs. She was preceded by the high school choral club, directed by Mrs. Bruce Lanier. At 6:45 more popular songs were rendered by Lawrence Liberty. A unique program was given by the physics club called "Unbelievable Et True" which consisted of strange and interesting facts.

Rat Bite Valued At \$60

SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—Damage inflicted by a rat bite have been legally fixed at \$60. A. W. Riebeling received that amount in court from the Key System Transfer company as a result of the fact that a wharf rat on board one of the company's ferry boats ran up his pants leg and bit him.

EVE'S ORCHARD

By MARGARET WIDDEMER

Chapter 23
"AN FOR GEORGE"

"This anybody I know—might it be Mrs. Mannersfield?"

The gay voice—the loving lightness that was the very Denny, the southern accent coming more clearly, as it always did, over the telephone.

"It might be. I suppose it still you, even after hours on the train last night—"

"As much as it can be with you in Connecticut. Oh, Eve, I've missed you so, every minute from the time I left you till now, that it's simply horrible. You mustn't be all those hideous miles off, I can't stand it. Love me? Say so quick!"

Eve shut the doors and said, "I love you. Right along... Darling, any news?"

"Yes—the office is simply sick without you. They end every sentence with 'if Eve were only here.' They keep nagging me about your resignation. I'll be owing you why you did in a minute now, I hope!"

"Oh, Den, has anything broken?"

"Sweet, there hasn't been time. But I'm dining with Mimi Wednesday and she's going to work on old Cleveland in between, and then produce him. And then do you and I go out and celebrate high, wide and handsome!"

"Forty cents for five more minutes," said the cold voice of Operator before Eve could answer. She told Denny hastily not to spend any more money, came back to Ellen in the kitchen to find Judge arranging a tray for his parents with a deftness that astounded practice.

"Yep, I always got their breakfast if they were awake before I went to school," he answered Ellen's questions, and walked out soberly with his heavy tray. Eve and Ellen had heard the Featherstones, often enough, laughing over Judge's domestic behavior, but till now they hadn't realized it was anything but a joke.

"Well, I suppose it doesn't hurt him," Ellen said unseeingly.

"He's so willing," Eve said. "Uncle Henry has rather taken him over, I think; I remember Aunt Lina saying once he was born with a talent for child-rearing."

"He's brilliant!"

"Eve, let's go out!" Ellen said suddenly. "I have to get an early afternoon train, and I simply will not waste this grand fresh air. You've been in the house moving furniture and getting heels ever since you came, you can't deny it!"

"I feel like a million gold dollars," said Eve, "but I'll be with you."

"The day was bright and fresh, and warm for the time of year. The snow was melting in the orchard, but the muddy walking didn't matter with galoshes, and the smell of the freshening earth and the warmth of the sun. The girls went single file through the winding path between the thick old gnarled trunks. Presently they came to a stone wall. Beyond it lay more trees and there were rough steps."

"This is George's after this, isn't it?" Ellen asked. "Think he'll mind if we trespass?"

"Considering that I found him trespassing all over my orchard and cutting little samples of it to do pomology things with, I should think not," Eve said. She felt a little shy of George. Living even for a few weeks next to a man you had just refused to marry, and on whose father depends your lover's next job, is a bit embarrassing. But naturally she couldn't say that to Ellen.

"He's pretty fine," Ellen said. "Dependable, and kind, and brilliant—"

"Brilliant?"

"Didn't you know he stood practically at the top of his profession, young as he is?"

"No, how would I? How did you?"

"Asked," said Ellen, with a smile. "So you think he has all the virtues?" Eve tensed. Brilliant! To her brilliance was Denny's quick, gay talk, Denny's handling of any situation; Denny, like a one-eyed hero, only handsomer. She laughed as she mounted the stone steps after Ellen.

"Believe me," Ellen said firmly, alighting between two pear trees and looking up at her with a hand on each, "when you've been on the stage since 1906 like 'em to have virtues!"

Eve leaped down in turn; her bright curls fluttered, her clear voice rang.

"Well, as for George—"

"As for George?" said George himself, advancing toward them with the usual armful of twigs and sheepskin gloves. His bright blue eyes were as steady, his windburned face as impassive as always.

Ellen, hanging on his words, about gravity flow, and how much of the old land they'd managed to get back from the township for its back taxes. He seemed less like a man who had said just out of duty he was deeply in love than anything she could imagine. Eve decided he had been swept by some crazy impulse.

He went on showing them the improvements he had made. The old fountain, dug out of an out-house and put together from its marble wreck; the oak avenue, having its gaps filled up where the Seymours had let trees die or cut them for firewood. The traces of an old maze, even, on the far side of the pleasure, which he had nearly recreated.

Struggle For A Painting
"You've done wonders!" Eve impulsively.

He flushed a little, as if her praise meant a good deal to him. "I suppose I was born out of due time," he said. "Mother is always saying so. It seems to me the most exciting thing on earth to recreate things that were meant to be fine and have nearly been lost or broken. These old trees, for instance. There are almost unique varieties of shrubs and fruit-bearing trees here. Somebody in the place's history must have been an amateur of orchards and gardens. It was a crime to let the place be wrecked as it has been."

"Oh, Uncle Henry. De Remer can tell you about that," Eve said as they neared the house, stately among its lawns, sound with its freshly shored foundations of reddened bricks. "The first owner was a friend of John Evelyn's, and Evelyn kept sending him out rare specimens after he came here. Gardens and varieties of fruits and flowers were a fad of that day, weren't they?"

George nodded. "They got a lot of stuff from France and Italy. It says so in the diary. Odd that some of these things should have lasted here in Connecticut when they'd died out in England—what's that?"

"They were at the front door by now. It was closed, of course, but one of the long French windows that Eve remembered as smashed and boarded over, glazed now and painted white, was ajar, and a man's rough voice was shouting from within. George sprang inside, followed by the girls. In the middle of the parquet floor Mrs. Cleveland with a strength nobody would have expected from her limy frame was struggling with a tall thin man in ragged clothing.

George jerked him aside. "Here what does this mean?"

Mrs. Cleveland bent over and dragged an oil painting up from the floor. Apparently they had been struggling over it. She held it fast, as she dropped into a chair. She panted: "This man's a thief, George. Tell him, Mrs. Fower."

Mimi, who had been crouched against the wall, straightened up now on her high heels and said, "This is perfectly terrible." She caught her breath. "I nearly fainted away."

George took a firmer grip of the limp frightened lad and said impatiently, "All right, what's this about?"

His mother-god-her breath, cast a scornful glance at the terrified Mimi and said: "We just got back from a long drive. I'd been told about this painting that was supposed to be the portrait of the man who built this house. So I got up early and we drove to the antique shop that had it; away off in Torrington it was! And I bought it. Naturally, on the way back I stopped at the post office. And this tramp must have seen it in the car and followed us. He came in and began to shout that it was his and he had to have it."

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George's father comes to Eve's for a game of chess, tomorrow.

Boy Drinks 40 Quarts of Milk
MELBOURNE (UP) — Murray Chers, 12, a milk drinking competition at Oakdale, a suburb of Melbourne, by consuming 40 quarts and 1 1/2 pints in 17 hours, spread over three days. The prize was a free seat at the cinema every Saturday afternoon for a year.

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Sticks To His Last In Spite Of Machines



HE SHOD YESTERDAY'S GREAT 87-year-old Charles L. Webert of St. Louis is still making shoes by hand just as in the

old days when Lillian Russell wore a last like the one in his hand.

ST. LOUIS, April 24 (UP)—With a steady hand despite his 87 years, Charles L. Webert continues to practice a fast-vanishing trade in his little shop here.

Amid dusty corners of another day he sits on a small stool and turns out three and four pairs of hand-made shoes a week. Twenty years ago he employed 35 men, he says, and had a shop in downtown St. Louis.

"Of course, my clientele is restricted," Webert explains. "Most persons aren't willing to pay the price I have to charge. But my shoes are works of art."

Stacked along one wall are boxes containing lasts of judges, bishops, bankers, doctors, politicians, prominent business and professional men.

Actresses and actors were among his best customers in the old days and he did some of his finest work for Lillian Russell and Sarah Bernhardt.

"As soon as a customer dies I remove his lasts and add them to a growing pile in the basement. I have had to remove 175 in the last two years," he remarks sadly.

Most prized in his assortment of lasts are the gold medal and first award won for boot and shoe making at the World's Columbian Exposition in Chicago, in 1893. That was the crowning climax of his career.

Custom shoemakers from all over the world competed and Webert spent two years and employed 30 to 40 men, he says, to prepare a \$17,000 entry.

"I showed 254 pairs of boots and shoes, no two alike and won not only for workmanship but for design."

He started winning medals at the Philadelphia Centennial in 1876. From then on he took part at all the expositions up to the St. Louis World's Fair in 1904.

HOUSTON LEADS IN STATE BUILDING

DALLAS, April 24 (UP)—Houston today led the state in the value of building permits issued for the week. The week's permits amounted to \$272,476, bringing the total for 1937 to \$7,043,605.

Other cities reported total permits as follows:

City	For the Week	For the Year
Fort Worth	\$1,137,137	\$2,553,563
Dallas	\$7,715	2,726,549
Corpus Christi	\$8,135	1,009,747
Austin	\$6,425	1,328,826
Cyler	\$6,286	482,843
Salveston	\$4,285	528,187
Lubbock	\$2,470	220,104
San Antonio	\$1,285	1,495,856
Abilene	\$1,051	170,390

It takes heat of 73,500 degrees centigrade to melt a diamond.

Grain Centers Expect Wheat To Hit \$1.50

World Grain Situation And Fear Of War Point To Price Upsurge

CHICAGO, April 24 (UP)—The world grain situation, with a growing scarcity of wheat and widespread fear of war, is history repeated, a check of statistics discloses.

Since the beginning of 1935 wheat prices have moved steadily higher and the end is not yet in sight, according to traders. At the start of 1936—40 years ago—prices began an upward march that ended in 1893, at the close of the Spanish-American war.

As both cycles of higher prices began, 1896 and 1935, the world was climbing from the depths of an international depression and further, on both occasions, the grain trade was laboring under a surplus that had existed for five years previously.

Short Crops Factor
Both times the situation was helped immeasurably by short crops, the result of exceedingly poor crop conditions. These short crops allowed surplus supplies to dwindle to the danger point and prices began gradually to reflect the growing scarcity.

The biggest push to the price upturn came from war scares of both occasions. Today there is a growing fear of another war in Europe and in 1937, the mid-way point of the boom of 40 years ago, America and Spain were preparing for war and busy buying grains to feed their armies.

The forward surge of prices four decades ago carried the price of wheat to the \$1.65 level. The present upsurge has carried old crop wheat above \$1.40 a bushel and the crop to be harvested next summer to around \$1.25 a bushel.

See \$1.50 Wheat
So strong is the present trend to higher wheat prices that men who spend their days buying and selling wheat in the pit of the Board of Trade freely predict \$1.50 a bushel wheat before summer. Similar high prices are expected by experts in such grain centers as Omaha, Kansas City and Minneapolis.

In the light of 40 years ago, it would appear that these estimates—rising as high as \$2 a bushel—are moderately small and that prices may rise even higher, especially if there is excessive crop damage or if extremely difficult foreign complications arise.

Turtle Disrupts Sorority
BERKELEY, Cal. (UP)—Greek letter fraternities are hard on turtles. One fraternity here required its pledges to produce a turtle. They imported one from Florida, 18 inches in diameter. Then they gave it to a sorority. The turtle ate all of the goldfish in the fish pond. Finally it was sold to a restaurant.

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Mrs. Ralph H. L. Rix and C. F. Duval left Saturday noon for Dallas where they will spend several days.

Candid Cameraman Gable Relaxes During Recess



Whipping out his candid camera, Clark Gable turned the tables on photographers (left), as he whiled his time away while awaiting recall to the witness stand by the defense in the mail fraud trial of Mrs. Violet Norton and her alleged claim the film actor was the father of her daughter. At the right, Gable is shown relaxing while reading a newspaper.

Dance Honors Guest From Birmingham

Honoring Miss Louise Arnold of Birmingham, Ala. who is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Eberley, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williamson were host and hostess for an informal dance Saturday evening at the Settles hotel ballroom. Seventy guests were invited for the affair. Miss Arnold, who is a cousin of Mrs. Williamson, will leave Monday morning for her home and will be accompanied by the Eberleys. The party plans to spend several days in Fort Worth before continuing to Birmingham.

HOME FROM HOUSTON

Miss Minnie Belle Williamson will arrive here today after spending two weeks in Houston as the guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Seymour. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williamson, were to meet her in Sweetwater and return with her here by automobile.

Bert Shive is in Pecos.



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Webert turns out three or four pairs of shoes a week.

CIVIL SERVICE TESTS ARE ANNOUNCED

The United States civil service commission has announced open competitive examinations as follows:

Associate physicist (electroencephalography), \$3,200 a year, U. S. public health service.
Endocrinologist, \$3,800 a year, bureau of dairy industry.

Full information may be obtained from L. G. Marchbanks, at the local postoffice.

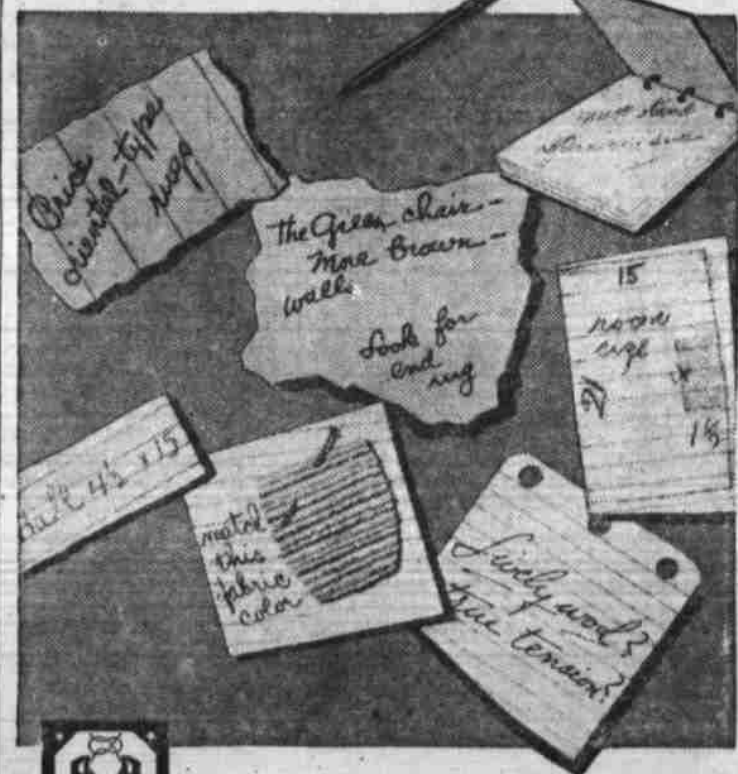
Birds War On Hoppers

SYDNEY (UP)—Australia has found an effective means of ending a grasshopper plague on short notice. Thousands of ibises are turned loose in any region being devoured by grasshoppers and the birds take over the devouring. One ibis that was shot was found to have 300 grasshoppers in its craw.

Hawaiian Sugar Income Down

HONOLULU (UP)—Under Uncle Sam's present sugar quota system, Hawaii's average income from sugar is showing a decrease while that of the Philippines, Puerto Rico, Louisiana and Florida has increased, according to statistics just compiled. Cuba also has suffered a decrease, the figures show.

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