

# ALL OF NATION SUFFERS IN SUSTAINED COLD

## Nurse Testifies At Board Hearing On Charges Of Santone Hospital Chief's 'Moral Unfitness'

AUSTIN, Jan. 25 (AP)—A pretty young nurse, Miss Bas Stockton, testified at a public hearing here today that Dr. W. J. Johnson, superintendent of the San Antonio state hospital, frequently had spoken to her of sexual matters while she was an employee of the institution.

The hearing was before the state board of control on complaints of the San Antonio Miners association that if evidence had been received was true the elderly hospital head was morally unfit to continue in his position. Miss Stockton said, under ques-

tioning by Assistant Secretary of State Claude Williams, that Dr. Johnson, in his office, had asked her what she thought of sexual relations with men and had said it was a normal reaction. "He said it was something every girl should experience," Miss Stockton testified.

"Did he tell you that if a girl did not have sexual relations she would be missing one of the most beautiful things in life?" Williams asked. "Yes, in effect," Miss Stockton replied. Miss Stockton testified that on

numerous occasions Dr. Johnson had asked her if she "went out" with men and had told her he thought every girl should do so. One time when she was in his office, Johnson remarked that people seldom could live long without helping each other and had asked her if she did not think he had been "pretty nice" to her, she testified.

She said she had replied that he had and she was grateful. Miss Stockton was first employed at the hospital for about a month beginning in October, 1935, but left because she was assigned to night duty. She returned to the employ in February, 1939, leaving again in September of that year.

## Zero Weather Penetrates Deep South

Snow Covers Nearly All Of Nation; Relief Offices Swarmed

By The Associated Press  
A new cold wave dug deep into the south today, inflicting widespread hardships and carrying no prospect throughout the north central states, and zero cold penetrated into extreme northern Oklahoma and along the Arkansas-Missouri boundary.

## Gas Company Acts To Keep Up Pressure

Mercury Slips To 13 For Eighth Day Of Bitter Cold

The Big Spring area went into its eighth consecutive day of far-below-freezing cold Thursday, with residents battling a sustained frigid wave not equalled in many years. The continuing wintry wave all but created an emergency in the area's fuel supply, but improved conditions were in sight by mid-afternoon.

# TWO OUTLAWS NABBED AT GOLDSMITH

## SLAIN BANDIT



Russell Hunter (above), Claffin, Kas., flour mill worker, robbed state banks at Bushton, Kas., and Claffin, of \$1,540, but was killed by Fred Adams, Claffin marshal, as he left the latter bank.

## Mann, Nelson Surrender

ODESSA, Jan. 25 (AP)—J. W. Mann and Andrew Nelson, fugitive convicts chased for 10 days by hundreds of West Texas officers, surrendered meekly to Sheriff Reeder Webb at Goldsmith early today when he surprised them in a beer tavern.

Robert Lacy Cash, third member of the trio who escaped from a Texas prison guard at Buffalo January 13, was not with them. The party split at Mexia the night of the escape, Mann and Nelson said. For three days Ector county officers had been watching for a maroon sedan (Ford) in which the fugitives were traveling. Late last night the automobile was spotted at the tavern in the oil field town 13 miles northwest of here.

The posse headed by Webb and Hugh Ratliff, Odessa chief of police, was summoned and Webb and two other officers entered the front door of the tavern with drawn pistols while other members watched the back door.

There were half a dozen men at the bar, among them Mann and Nelson. Their hands shot over their heads at Webb's command, and there was no struggle as they were taken into custody. Nelson was armed with a .35 caliber pistol, but Mann was unarmed.

The convicts were brought to the Ector county jail here to await transfer to the state penitentiary. They had little to say except to deny they participated in a gun fight with the night watchman at Stanton, as reported, several days ago. They said they had not been at Stanton, but had been staying at a hotel in Goldsmith for several days.

Mann was convicted of murder at Morton, and Nelson was under sentence from Abilene as a habitual criminal. Cash was convicted in Dallas county of slaying a Brooklyn salesman. It was his third escape.

The three were being transferred to the state penitentiary when they slugged Prison Agent W. R. Crane

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## SNOW IN SOUTH TEXAS FIRST TIME IN A DECADE



For the first time in 11 years snow covered the famed Mission San Jose, one of the historical spots in San Antonio, Texas. This was the scene after the cold wave came to the usually warm winter resort city. Temperatures dropped to below zero in the northern part of the state, as a severe spell continued.

## Oil Shutdowns Lifted In New State Order

AUSTIN, Jan. 25 (AP)—The railroad commission today issued a statewide oil order authorizing a net daily allowable of 1,290,151 barrels in February, 18,751 more than recommended by the U. S. bureau of mines, and removing production holidays in all fields except East Texas.

The allowable at the beginning of next month exceeds by \$0.015 the estimated net daily average on January 13. There were 13 non-producing days this month in a majority of Texas fields.

Chairman Lon A. Smith said the commission would make no changes in the February schedule except in emergency cases and to allow for new well completions.

He added the commission for several months had been placing Texas production under the estimate of market demand of the bureau of mines with the result that the bureau month by month had reduced its recommendations for production in this state.

February 1 allowables by districts were: Southwest Texas, 225,400; Gulf Coast, 225,572; East Central Texas, 20,915; West Central Texas, 56,181; West Texas, 194,656; North Texas, 134,698; Panhandle, 80,631.

Smith said the February schedule actually would result in an estimated daily production of 15,236 barrels less than the bureau's average recommendations for the past

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## Soviet Drive Halted Again

HELSINKI, Jan. 25 (AP)—Costly Russian attacks northeast of Lake Ladoga and the resumption of long-range shelling of Viipuri by Red army artillery were reported today by the Finnish high command's communique.

"Heavy losses" for the Red army were reported by the Finns as have resulted when the "especially heavy" attacks, continuing all day, were repulsed near Aittokjoki.

The soviet forces "again lost several hundred killed" by the time the attacks were turned back this morning, the Finnish communique said, reporting additional success in repulsing enemy thrusts in the far north.

Snowy weather prevented air activity over Finland yesterday "except for minor raids" on Kuumano and the Aland Islands, on the sea route to Sweden across the Gulf of Bothnia.

A Finnish merchant ship was sunk in the raid. Hit-ship tactics of Finland's sking sharpshooters are frustrating Soviet Russian mechanized units and are in large measure responsible for the entrapment of a big Red army force northeast of Lake Ladoga, Finnish sources reported.

Russian tank crews are so provoked by the white-clad phantoms that they often send their theoretically formidable machines barging about in futile circles in search of their tormentors, the Finns said.

Excitement is growing in Helsinki, where Finns made it an open secret that something "big" is brewing northeast of the lake.

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## GREEN HURLS ACCUSATIONS AT LABOR BOARD, ASKS CHANGES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—William Green accused the National Labor board today of forcing members of AFL West Coast longshoremen's unions to be represented in collective bargaining by "an alien communist," the CIO leader Harry Bridges.

## Mines Take A Heavier Toll

LONDON, Jan. 25 (AP)—Mines helped swell the toll of merchant marine casualties of the war today in the North sea while in the western Mediterranean a small auxiliary vessel of the French navy was in distress from an undetermined cause.

The French ship was the 622-ton Forfait. Her distress call sent the Italian freighter Cellina speeding to her aid.

Victims of the war at sea in the north included: The Norwegian steamer Biarritz, 1,752 tons, which sank 36 miles off the Netherlands coast after striking a mine. The Norwegian steamer Borgholm rescued 12 passengers and seven of the crew, but 12 other passengers and 25 members of the crew lost their lives.

The Finnish steamer Onto, 1,333 tons, which sank Tuesday after striking a mine in the North sea. The crew of 18 reached an English port today aboard a Greek vessel.

The Swedish steamer Patria, 1,188 tons, which sank last Saturday after striking a mine while en route from Rotterdam to Goteborg. Four of the crew of 21 were landed in Sweden today.

A Netherlands steamer landed at a British port the bodies of four men taken from a raft in the North sea. Their nationality was not known.

The British also disclosed the Norwegian steamer Ila, 1,580 tons, was wrecked last Sunday off the English coast. A lifeboat landed the crew.

## Two Injured In Car Crash

Cold weather was blamed for a car collision at 804 Johnson street Wednesday evening when two persons were injured.

Dalton White, a hatchery employee, suffered painful facial and neck lacerations when impact of the collision threw him into a windshield. Marie Hodnett, 197 North Benton street, sustained a few broken teeth. Marvin Parkhill, driver of the car, was uninjured.

Parkhill told police that the three were returning from a show when his radiator began to send up a column of steam vapor which condensed on the windshield and blinded him. This, he said, caused him to collide with the rear end of a parked car belonging to C. M. Howell.

## POCKET BATTLESHIP DEUTSCHLAND AT HOME PORT

BERLIN, Jan. 25 (AP)—The pocket battleship Deutschland "returned home recently," after warning on merchant shipping in the Atlantic since the start of the war, the German high command announced today.

The complete communique said: "No special events in the west. 'Air force units carried out reconnaissance flights over France and Britain."

"The armored ship Deutschland, which has been conducting mercantile warfare in the Atlantic since the outbreak of war, returned home recently."

## Credit Union Pays Dividend

For the third consecutive year, the Couden Employees Federal Credit Union has declared a six per cent dividend on shares. It was announced by officials following the annual meeting at which year-end reports were given to show a substantial growth of the organization.

## Deficiency Fund Passed By House

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—The house passed with little delay today a \$38,502,600 deficiency appropriation to provide money for naval armament and for internal revenue bureau tax refunds.

The measure was moved through ahead of the \$1,032,000,000 treasury postoffice bill, which the house started debating yesterday.

## MORE FARM CHECKS

Four checks for \$283.71 were received here Thursday for distribution to farmers for compliance with soil conservation practices. This report circulated in authority.

One report circulated in authority last night and asserted he would take no sides in a runoff campaign between Governor Earl K. Long and "reform" candidate Sam Jones.

His assertion conflicted with a radio speech blast at Jones, whom he branded as the head of a "ruthless trust." Morrison got 48,000 votes, or almost 12 per cent of those cast in the first primary.

## WHEELER OF MONTANA MAY BE CHOICE OF CIO CHIEF LEWIS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—The same platform from which Political Washington, startled by John L. Lewis' anti-third term statement, was ready to lay odds today that the CIO chief is thinking of endorsing Senator Wheeler of Montana for the democratic presidential nomination.

## State's Worst In 40 Years

By The Associated Press  
The most tenacious cold wave in more than 40 years still held most of Texas in its grip Thursday and only in the Panhandle was there promise of warmer weather.

Light snows fell here and there over the state and temperatures held generally to the levels of the last eight days. In the Big Bend valley, however, there was a respite from freezing temperatures. Brownsville reporting 45 degrees, and San Antonio reporting 40 degrees, and San Antonio reporting 40 degrees, and San Antonio reporting 40 degrees.

## BORAH'S FUNERAL TRAIN IN IDAHO

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 25 (AP)—William E. Borah, his eloquence silenced by death, came back to Idaho today to receive the sudden homage of those he served in the United States senate for a third of a century.

Under leaden skies, in sub-freezing temperatures thousands thronged the railway stations as the mourning draped funeral train arrived shortly after 7 a. m.

## Weather

WEST TEXAS—High cloudiness tonight and Friday; warmer tonight.  
EAST TEXAS—Considerable cloudiness, light snow in west and north-central portions tonight and Friday; colder in Rio Grande valley, temperature 4 to 14 degrees in north, and 12 to 26 in south portion except 28 to 32 on coast and in valley tonight; not quite so cold in northwest portion tonight.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—The same platform from which Lewis let loose his prediction that a Roosevelt third term candidacy would go down to "ignominious defeat."

Democrats generally, while resenting Lewis' assertion that the Roosevelt administration had been unfaithful to labor, thought the CIO head was flirting with a Wheeler nomination or at least was "out to bargain early" for a man of his type and to influence the party platform.

A few thought Lewis might be threatening to run himself if he failed to get his men nominated, while some thought predicted the labor leader would "lose and make up" with Roosevelt before the national convention.

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# STEERS LOSE TO MIDLAND, 27-37

A misty in drizzle caused a postponement of the Wednesday night game with Andrews, John Daniel, high school basketball coach announced last night. The game will be played Feb. 2.

Definitely off form, the Bovines absorbed a 27-37 defeat at the hands of the Midland Bulldogs in the Bovine field house Wednesday evening.

With J. Gee in the starring role, the Dogs grabbed the lead early in the clash and held on tenaciously.

Gee featured a weird one-handed hot and was amazingly true, hitting the basket from all angles. He roped slight field goals and three graze pitches to easily take high scoring laurels.

Bobby Savage rallied strongly in the fourth period to again lead the Bovines in tally making. He hit the target seven times from the field.

The Dogs were leading, 18-10, at half time.

The Steer second stringers fared better, winning over the Midland reserves, 12-6.

Blake Talbot was a major factor in the victory, counting seven points.

The Dog "bench-warmers" were limited to two field goals, both by Scarbauer.

Box scores:

(First game)

SPRING (12) fg ft pf tp	
Talbot, f	3 1 0 7
Womack, f	1 0 2 2
Sheets, f	0 0 0 0
Bowden, f	0 0 0 0
Smith, c	0 0 0 0
Stuteville, c	0 0 0 0
Merrick, g	0 0 0 0
Davidson, g	1 1 1 3
Reaves, g	0 0 0 0
Stewart, g	0 0 0 0
Totals	5 2 3 12

(Second game)

MIDLAND (8) fg ft pf tp	
Kelly, f	0 0 2 0
Batts, f	0 1 0 1
Linney, f	0 0 2 0
Hyatt, c	0 1 0 1
Jennings, g	0 0 0 0
Scarbauer, g	2 0 1 4
Totals	2 2 3 6

# Forsan Buffs Meet Wolves

FORSAN, Jan. 25 (UP)—Forsan's Buffs and the Colorado City Wolves tangled in an exhibition basketball game at the Foran fieldhouse this evening, 7:30 o'clock.

Brady Nix's crew is in good shape for the bout and expected to give the strong invaders plenty of trouble.

The Forsan Independents will play the R-Bar Wranglers in a preliminary game.

# Crosby Golf Meet Nears

DEL MAR, Calif., Jan. 25 (AP)—The annual \$3,000 pro-amateur open golf tournament staged by Bing Crosby drew scores of shot-makers here for final practice rounds today on the eve of the 36-hole event.

Breaking all entry records, more than 300 will participate in the affair, with defending Champion E. J. (Dutch) Harrison of Little Rock, Ark., hard pressed to repeat his 1939 triumph over the rolling fairways of the Ranch Santa Fe course.

# DiMag Looks To Early Agreement With Yankees

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25 (UP)—Joe DiMaggio, the New York Yankee centerfielder who was the major league's most unsuccessful holdout two seasons ago, looked over his 1940 contract today and said:

"I don't anticipate any trouble at all this year."

He refused to divulge what the Yankee management offered him, but said the figure was "not far away" from what he expected.

In 1938 DiMaggio held out for \$40,000—finally settled for \$25,000. Last season he topped American league batters with a .381 average, was voted the "most valuable player" and drew down \$27,500.

# Mother, 92; Son, 62, Gain Citizen Rights

DETROIT (UP)—A 92-year-old woman has obtained citizenship in Detroit, and following her in the line at the federal building was her 62-year-old son.

Mrs. Griffith, said to be one of the oldest applicants for citizenship ever to appear at the Detroit federal court, is the widow of a Canadian who came to the United States to fight in the Civil war. He died in 1914, and the family came to the United States.

# Jenkins Wins But Onlookers Complain

## Texan Uses But 23 Seconds To Dispose Of Alvarez

DALLAS, Jan. 25 (UP)—Lew Jenkins, soldier turned fighter who went to New York to climb to the top bracket among the lightweight, had his revenge today but many of the fans who saw him beat Chino Alvarez didn't like the way it all ended.

Jenkins won over the Tampa, Fla. Cuban in 23 seconds of the first round here last night while a big portion of the 2,000 fans bood lustily.

Travis McCall, acting assistant commissioner of the state labor bureau which has charge of boxing and wrestling in Texas, immediately ordered the purses held up but cleared both boxers after conferring with them, their managers and the ring physician.

Jenkins, ranked fourth among the challengers for Lou Ambers crown, was knocked out here by Alvarez before he went to New York. His victory last night, while meaning nothing in the national picture, was of much personal satisfaction to the Sweetwater swatter.

Jenkins weighed 130 pounds; Alvarez 125.

Referee Homer Hendrix said Alvarez was hit hard, started falling and was socked twice more before his knees struck the canvas.

There were fans aplenty who didn't think Alvarez was hurt badly.

Dr. Ben Rubenstein, the ring physician, examined the Cuban and said:

"Alvarez was absolutely normal when I got to the ring, but it took me some time to force my way through that milling mob of people. In my opinion the fighter (Alvarez) might have been stunned and then recovered before I got to him."

One of the judges, Johnny Harrington, said there was no doubt in his mind but that Alvarez was hurt by Jenkins' first punch, but that he thought the other two blows were foul because the Cuban's gloves were touching the canvas. Texas rules stipulate that a boxer must be considered down "when any part of his body other than his feet is on the ring floor."

# Welter Champ Looks To Bout With Davis

JY JUDSON BAILEY NEW YORK, Jan. 25 (UP)—The three-point landing Welterweight Champion Henry Armstrong mapped for 1940 was one-third accomplished today — Pedro Montanes down; Al Davis and Ceferino Garcia coming up.

It took only nine of the allotted 15 rounds last night for the hammer to pound his plucky Puerto foe into a bloody, helpless figure.

Weighing 123 1/2, four and three-quarter pounds less than Montanes, but the heaviest in his class, Armstrong's negro looked capable of crushing anyone who could come under the welterweight limit and give a mighty accounting as a middleweight, as well.

That, of course, is exactly what he hopes to do—one more defense of his championship, preferably against Davis, and then abdication for a grab at Garcia's middleweight title, recognized in New York and California.

Possibly because of his increased weight and his aim at the heavier class, Armstrong's negro looked a trifle slower but more powerful than ever before.

The gory grind was 47 seconds into the ninth round when Referee Billy Cavanaugh finally stopped it and awarded a technical knockout to the champion. The challenger was down three times before that and was twice saved by the bell.

A capacity crowd of 19,187 jammed Madison Square Garden for the show, contributing a gate of \$59,575.

"Nature's Paradise"

OTIS, Mass. (UP)—Would-be speeders are greeted by this sign as they enter from Blainfield: "Welcome to Otis—nature's paradise. You are entering God's country. Don't drive through like hell."

# LEASED RANCH EXTENDS OVER ALEUTIAN ISLE

KODIAK, Alaska (UP)—C. C. Eubank of Ogden, Utah, believes he operates the biggest sheep ranch on the North American continent.

He holds a lease from the U. S. government on all of Umnak island in the Aleutian archipelago. His domain is 35 miles long and in some places 11 miles wide.

Over this "pasture" range 12,000 to 16,000 sheep, 800 to 1,000 reindeer and large numbers of horses and cattle.

The island's population includes only Eubank's employes and about 95 Alaska natives.

The island contains three mountains—one of them 7,900 feet high. Last year, according to the president and general manager of the Aleutian Livestock Co., the firm marketed 103,000 pounds of wool.

# Guldahl Says An Open Golf Title Can Pay Dividends For 15 Years

## By LARRY BOLLINS AP Feature Service

Wants no sympathy on Ralph Guldahl as another golf champion. He is doing all right for himself.

Guldahl won the National Open in 1937 and repeated in 1938. Yet in 1939—the year he lost the championship—he made more money than ever before. And he's in the best new on the annual winter circuit, trying to make 1940 even bigger.

"A National Open championship," Guldahl says, "ought to be worth from \$23,000 to \$25,000 a year for the succeeding five or six years, and a smart champion should cash in on his prestige for the next 10 or 15 years, provided he can keep himself in the limelight."

It isn't done with mirrors, Guldahl explains.

"The profit comes from exhibitions, endorsements and salaries from equipment manufacturers. For the last four years I have averaged close to \$9,000 a year in prize money. My expenses, traveling and otherwise, ran almost that much. The gravy comes from the sidelines."

The slope-shouldered Mr. Guldahl had no sooner lost his title than he hit the money trail again, striking while the iron was still hot. On a tour that took him through nine states from Ohio to Texas, he gave 45 exhibitions in 50 days.

Plays Both Ends

All the while he was gathering material for another money-making sideline—a handbook on golf. He returned for 45 minutes before each exhibition, answering questions shot at him by average golf-



RALPH GULDAHL: "A smart champion should cash in."

# The Sports Parade

BY HANK HART

## George Stovall Is Working For Rego On The West Coast

Jack Hutcheson, the former president and general manager of the Big Spring WT-NM baseball club, conferred with Bob Cook, last year's presiding officer, and several of the unit's directors earlier in the week and from all indications designs for the renovation of the West Fifth and San Antonio street plant will be forthcoming soon.

Jack expressed a desire to cooperate with the other directors.

Working for likely material on the west coast for Tony Rego, Baron Skipper, is George T. Stovall, old time player who has been sponsoring a team in winter competition in the Los Angeles sector.

In corresponding with Rego, Stovall reveals that his team has won 25 of 35 games played since August 1 against the strongest kind of opposition.

Rego said he would confer with Stovall when he goes to California to pick up players in the New York Yankee training camp at Merced.

The Pacific coast league is trying to organize a Class C organization within the state of California. Bakersfield is one of the cities planning for a revival of the professional game.

## Dallas Bids Again; Why Ain't The Reds Interested

There's nothing new about the Dallas Texas League club wanting a farm club in the WT-NM loop.

The Rebels, after George Schoppes had taken over, offered to step in at Abilene, a club later to go on the rocks, but an agreement could not be worked out.

Jodie Tate, the Lamson pilot, should be interested in any Dallas offer. The Midland system, it is believed, would frown upon a connection at the present time.

We can't see why the ambitious Cincinnati system doesn't affiliate itself with a WT-NM league member if the deal with Bisbee (Cactus League) falls through.

In 1938, Hutcheson, then active president of the Baron club, and Frank Lane, a Red official, discussed the possibility of locating a Cincy club here but at that time the Reds had a policy of refusing to sponsor clubs west of the Mississippi river.

J. B. Hendrix, who worked as a tinner for the Amarillo Golf Sox, will try out under Rego when spring training opens.

Hendrix impressed Tony when he beat the Big Spring club at the tag end of last season. He won more than half his games for a cellar ball club.

Lynn Everson, the Midland Cowboys' flashy gardener, will try his hand in Class B circles the coming season. He was sold by Claude Duffey, Midland president, to Dubuque of the Three-I League.

Century college officials will confer with Homer Norton, Texas A&M grid mentor, before making an announcement concerning the successor of Curtis Parker, who resigned recently.

Ne. Norton is not interested in the job but he's a former coach at the Shreveport school and will give his recommendations as to who should fill the position.

## American Minted Coin Of 1555 Put On Exhibit

BURLINGTON, Vt. (UP)—One of the first coins ever minted in America now is on display at the Fleming museum of the University of Vermont.

Minted prior to 1555, the coin is a one-real piece, worth about 12 1/2 cents.

## Pan-American Games Committee Could Take Lesson From Expert

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 25 (UP)—International sponsors of the proposed 1940 Pan American athletic games could well listen to a few suggestions from the man who staged the first tournament of this kind three years ago and made it an unqualified success.

He is George Preston Marshall, a plugging genius when it comes to putting on spectacles of this nature—and a spectacle, said this Washington, D. C., business sportsman, is what the Pan-American games should be.

Back in 1937, with very little time for preparation, Marshall directed the first Pan-American games in Dallas, Texas, drew a record-smashing attendance of 65,000 for the three-night run and he and his associates found themselves swamped with good-will resolutions from the Latin American countries at the conclusion of the games.

Marshall, who is spending the winter here, is nationally known as the owner of the Washington Redskins professional football team.

He has several ideas about the proposed Pan-American games this year, which he passes on to A.A.U. backers of the event.

The games, he said, must be established as a permanent, annual event, based solely on the idea of promoting solid good feeling between the Americas.

A system of point scoring must be adopted so that the smaller countries will have an equal chance in competition; sports must be included in the program in which the Latin Americans excel, such as polo, horsemanship and soccer.

"We—and by 'we' I mean the United States—cannot become point hungry or score thirsty, for that would destroy the whole idea of sportsmanship and the foundation of an international affair of this kind," Marshall observed.

# Feller Opines Indians May Be Tough

## Says Vintmen Might Finish Higher Than Fifth

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 25 (AP)—It will be all right with Bob Feller if 1940 brings him the no-hit game he's narrowly missed three times, but the Cleveland fireballer is more interested in winning games.

"That's the easiest way to get 'em out, though, by not letting 'em hit the ball," said Feller, here on vacation. "But I don't start a game with any striking in mind. All I want is to win that game."

The 21-year-old star hurled two one-hit games last year, and one before that in four years of major league competition. He struck out 246 batters last summer and 240 the season before.

Feller said the New York Yankees were the hardest club to pitch to "because they're all dangerous hitters," but declined to single out individual batters who give him the most trouble.

"They go in cycles," he asserted, "but I don't want to name any of the most troublesome batters. Some of them might make me sorry later."

Feller predicted Cleveland would be stronger this year and might finish higher than third place in the American League.

"If we don't have too many hold-outs and get off to a good start, we'll have a good chance."

## Long Time No Eat

Harry Wills, the old negro heavyweight, begins his annual month-long fast, February 1.... Since this is Leap Year, Harry will have an extra day to go.... He figures to take off about \$5 pounds.... In the 25 years he has been fasting for a month, Harry figures he has shed 1,250 pounds—almost a ton.

## Such And Double Ouch!

The other night an irate Michigan State college basketball player attacked the score keeper.... The scorekeeper turned out to be Don Ross, a football player and captain of the boxing team.... P.S. One punch was enuf.

## Today's Guest Star

Walter Stewart, Memphis Commercial-Appal; Col. E. H. Bradley's swift Blinetch runs with his tongue thrust out.... Which should be very useful in a photo finish.

## FASCISTS READY

BRUSSELS, Jan. 25 (UP)—Three members of the Fascist Rexist party were arrested today at Charleroi on spying charges.

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# Seattle Club Fears Setback To Lean Years

By GEORGE E. JONES  
UP Staff Correspondent

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 25—Earl Sick, a beer magnate, who led the Seattle baseball club from rags to riches in two years, is wondering how the 1939 Pacific Coast League champions can repeat unless late winter trading turns up some reinforcements.

In winning the title last year, the Rainiers—who got their name from their owner's liquid product—set a new national minor-league attendance figure of 541,068 admissions.

Some major league outfits could do with that kind of attendance—the St. Louis Browns, for instance. Only two years ago Seattle baseball followers were staying away from the decrepit ball park. Sick bought the club and went to work on these principles:

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First Sick built a new stadium. Then he arranged for modern lighting equipment and even put the peanut vendors in gleaming white uniforms.

While busy himself with these and other pursuits, Sick hired Jack Lelivelt as manager and gave him a free hand to obtain talented ball players.

In 1938 the Rainiers drew approximately 450,000 admissions. Sick attributes the increase last year not to increased liking for baseball but to the pennant-winning performance of his club.

That leads directly to his worries. Both Sick and Lelivelt expressed belief that to maintain attendance at or around the 500,000 mark, there can't be a serious let-down in performance.

Both are gunning for another championship, if that can't be arranged, a pennant contender will do—but nothing less than first division is permissible under the brewer's scheme of things.

Early trading failed to bring an experienced shortstop comparable to Alan Strange, whose infelding in 1938 was largely responsible for Seattle's pennant. Strange was drafted by the St. Louis Browns, who might be able to use his hitting.

**Team Not Heavy-Hitting**  
Strange was the main offensive item in a comparatively light-hitting Rainier lineup. He hit .325 and excelled in hit-run plays.

Lelivelt was angling for Alex Kampouris, recently turned over to Newark of the international league by the New York Giants. The Seattle club's only alternative is Al Niemic, purchased from San Diego, where he hit .275.

Strange was the main loss. Dick Barrett, little right-hander, will try to post another 20 victories this year. Other returning players include Joyner (Jo-Jo) White, a top-ranking base stealer and outfielder; Bill Lawrence, fleet center fielder; George Archie, first baseman, and Gilly Campbell, catcher.

Reason why most of these men stayed with Seattle is that many are veterans and have had their fling in the major leagues. With an uncertain rookie crop coming up, Lelivelt made it known that trades in the next month would determine the chances for another championship.

**One Minute for Sentence**  
MANSFIELD, O. (UP)—Streamlined justice was meted out in common pleas court here. Judge C. H. Huston, after a hearing that lasted only one minute, sentenced James Collins, 53, to one-to-three years in Ohio penitentiary for parole violation.



**NAZI GREETING FOR ALLIED BOMBERS**—With this monoplane of type "Messerschmitt ME-109" de Nazis repel enemy bombers, according to information passed by German censors. Called "most modern pursuit ship," plane attains 110 m. p. h.

## IN FELIX MCKNIGHT'S HUDDLE BUS BRANNON NEED WORRY LITTLE ABOUT HIS JOB

By FELIX R. MCKNIGHT  
DALLAS, Jan. 25 (AP)—Genial Jimmy Kitts carried a load of recommendations and best wishes when he hopped off today for St. Louis to have a conference with Washington University officials.

The deposed Rice coach may get an offer but private business has also made one—sans wolves and ifs.

One thing is fairly certain at Rice. Buster Brannon, basketball coach, won't be disposed by Athletic Director Jess Neely despite the fact Neely is bringing Joe Davis from Clemson down to Rice.

Davis, end coach, also tutors basketball. Brannon, old Texas Christian star under Francis Schmidt, is doing a grand job.

Milton Demaret, older brother of Jimmy, the Houston lead setting fire to the winter golf tournament trail, went around the Ozark Beach course at Corpus Christi recently in 66 shots.

Just two shots better than the course record Brother Jim established. The rumor dept. says J. Curtis Sanford, the Texas colonel who relinquished his rights to the Dallas Cotton Bowl football classic, has been poking around Houston looking over possibilities there.

Fullbacks John Kimbrough and Bronko Nagurski met at a Houston banquet the other night and the Texas Aggie all-American immediately huddled with Nagurski.

Wedding bells should tinkle in the spring for Davey O'Brien and Miss Frances Buster, his very best girl for years. Davey and Al Aldrich will enroll at T.C.U. at mid-term for more studies.

Said Columnist Weldon Hart of the American Statesman after Arkansas dropped two straight to Baylor: "You wouldn't say Arkansas stepped into a bear trap, would you?"

Jack Grout, the Fort Worth boy who made good as Pro Henry Picard's assistant, named his ten best golfers the other day. Sharing the top spot were Byron Nelson, another Fort Worth product, and Picard. Others, in order, were Sam Snead, Ralph Guldahl, Dick Metz, Harold McSpaden, Ben Hogan, of Fort Worth, Gene Sarazen, Clayton Heafner and Craig Wood.

All, including Grout, will tie off in the Texas Open at San Antonio. Thousands will flock down to College Station Saturday for the big football celebration. The Sugar Bowl kings will receive an ovation in the big Kyle field stadium and then be feted with a banquet at night. Baylor University will sponsor a badminton tournament Feb. 16 and 17, the prelude to the Southern Intercollegiate Badminton tourney on the Baylor campus March 15 and 16.

**TO DRILL 30 NEW WELLS IN MEXICO OIL SECTOR**  
TAMPICO, Mexico, Jan. 25 (AP)—Carlos Almazan, director of the Japanese-controlled Veracruz Petroleum company, said today that company engineers were preparing to drill more than 30 new wells in the rich region south of the Panuco river.

Almazan said most of the increased production from the wells would be shipped to Japan but that the Mexican government had approved the projected drilling and would share in the profits.

**FACES A CHARGE IN DEATHS OF PAIR**  
TULSA, Jan. 25 (AP)—W. T. Simmons faced charges of murder today in the death of L. D. Hand and his sister, Mrs. Lulu Widgreen, at their farm home near here Jan. 16.

The aged couple burned to death in a fire that destroyed the residence.

District Attorney Herbert C. Martin said investigation by officers had disclosed that Simmons was near the farm home shortly before the fire was discovered.

Simmons is a Tulsa butcher.

**WILL LIQUIDATE STORED GOODS**  
BERLIN, Jan. 25 (AP)—Germany and Turkey were disclosed today to have agreed to liquidate 10,000,000 marks (about \$4,000,000) worth of German goods stored chiefly in warehouses in Turkey.

Turkey is to send food products to Germany in exchange for the goods, it was said, but full details of the agreement were not published.

**HAD PILOT'S LICENSE**  
GUTHRIE, Okla., Jan. 25 (AP)—Said the aeronautics highway patrolman to sprayer Frank Buck:

"Say, do you have your pilot's license with you?"

"Buck, a licensed aviator, pulled out his certificate.

"Well, that's one on the," said the patrolman—"on your way, only take it easy, please."

## TEXAS APPROVAL IS NEEDED TO CLEAR UP SECURITY TROUBLE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25 (AP)—Texas representatives at a conference with the social security board in which the merit system for Texas social security workers was approved were leaving today for their home state to present their report.

Only the approval of governing bodies in Texas is needed for the system to become operative in compliance with federal requirements.

Adam R. Johnston, state director of public welfare, and Orville Carpenter, state unemployment commissioner, said agreements had been reached with the social security board on merit council plans for each agency.

Johnston and C. C. Cammack, assistant state attorney general, left last night for Texas. Carpenter and his assistant, J. H. Frensen, expected to depart today.

## Two Held For Arms Export

LAREDO, Jan. 25 (AP)—Francisco Del Valle Arizpe and Gregorio Prieto were held today in default of bond on charges of violation of the act prohibiting export of arms to a foreign country without a permit from the secretary of state.

The two men, arrested last week after customs officials seized over 27,000 rounds of ammunition at the International bridge here, were given a hearing before United States Commissioner Frank Y. Hill yesterday.

Their counsel, E. D. Salinas, contended the embargo act applied only to importers, exporters and manufacturers of ammunition, who are required to register with the secretary of state.

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 25 (AP)—The chief of staff of the department of national defense said today the department had been informed of the arrest of two men at Laredo, Texas, charged with attempting to export arms without a permit from the U. S. secretary of state.

No particular significance was attached here to the alleged contraband.

## DISCONTINUANCE OF FOOTBALL HAS GIVEN PLENTY OF PUBLICITY

FORT WORTH, Jan. 25 (AP)—Robert M. Hutchins, president of the University of Chicago, says discontinuance of football there has brought him "more space in Chicago sports sections lately than any man since Walter Eckersall."

Dr. Hutchins, speaking here last night, had brief reference to the action that brought alumni protest, but he shyly got this in:

"Chicago does not claim that everybody ought to do what it does. Chicago does not even claim that everybody should give up intercollegiate football. But the principal aim of an education institution, oddly enough, should be education."

Hutchins spoke to 259 Chicago alumni and guests.

## Opposition May Delay Action On Finnish Loan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—Opposition to new financing of Latin-American exports threatened today to delay senate action on proposed expansion of the Export-Import bank's capital in an indirect move to make a \$50,000,000 non-military loan to Finland.

Senator Bankhead (D-Ala.) said he may ask the senate to forbid the bank's advancing funds to any government.

"I believe there is a great deal of sentiment in this country against this nation serving as a banker for any foreign government," Bankhead declared. "If we start with Finland, then we must aid Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Latin-American nations. The end is not in sight."

The banking committee approved a bill by Senator Brown (D-Mich.) to increase the bank's lending power \$100,000,000, but it must yet be acted on by the foreign relations committee. The measure would prohibit loans for arms or any loans in violation of the international law as interpreted by the state department.

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Improving Highway 80

Cities immediately to the east of Big Spring have originated and are carrying on a movement to modernize U. S. Highway No. 80, the nation's premier traffic artery across Texas and the continent from coast to coast.

Highway 80, the celebrated Broadway of America for much of its route, is an all-year, all-weather road from New York to San Diego. It carries extremely heavy traffic over nearly all of its course, certainly in West Texas counties. It bears a tremendous load for a highway only 18 feet wide.

No. 80 through much of its course between Midland and Fort Worth should be double-tracked—that is, it should be a four-lane road, separated so as to provide for one-way traffic at points of greatest density.

It is not too big a goal for West Texas to work for a modern motor road, double-tracked for safety. If Sweetwater's movement finds the support along the line it should find, something definite eventually will be reached in the way of Texas highway improvement.

George Tucker Man About Manhattan

NEW YORK—It happens every night at precisely the same time and in the same way. It happens at 9 o'clock, and it is always accompanied by a rush for a taxi cab. It is simply that at this moment a group of young men rush out of the Roosevelt hotel, pile into a cab (last one in pays the fare), and hurry away to one of the city's numerous ice rinks.

They skate for 30 minutes then shake off their skates, pile into another cab, and hurry back to the hotel. A few minutes later they are in their positions, and promptly on the stroke of 10 one of them lifts a balloon, and the dance is on.

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BLOOD RUNS COLD By Ann Demarest

Chapter Four TELEPHONE CALL I crept forward and touched one of her hands clenched to the arm of the chair, thinking that she still might be alive. Yet I knew she wasn't and her fingers were ice cold.

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Preston Crover Washington Daybook

WASHINGTON—Congress has met and is much dismayed by one of the biggest questions it will have to decide in connection with the European war—until the hour when it may have to decide whether the U. S. goes into the war itself.

The question: Shall this government open its purse to help the allies? True enough that question, in just so many words, has not been put either before the congress or the country at large.

Instead it has arisen in the form of the issue over the loan to Finland. Yet every word and act of congressional leaders discloses how they recognize it.

Senator George of Georgia made the most daring declaration of the issue. He told the senate bluntly that if this country is going to lend money to nations at war it ought to take the responsibility itself and not pass it on to Jesse Jones, Federal Loan administrator.

His words sounded strangely like those of William Jennings Bryan when, as secretary of state during the early months of the World war and prior to U. S. entry, Bryan cautioned against lending money to belligerents.

In a private message, not published until years later, he told President Wilson that money was "the greatest contraband of all," because it controlled all other contraband.

ALLIED PRESSURE? Speaking of the proposed loan to Finland, Senator George said: "It is no different, on a sound basis of international law, than if we sent a battleship to Finland."

"If we lift the restrictions in the neutrality act," he said, "it is easy to see we have destroyed the very heart of the neutrality act."

The hour approaches when the war between Germany and France and England becomes more acute and the pressure becomes more intense to break down the restrictions on extended credit.

It is a safe bet that England and France already are putting the bee on administration officials to shake down the restrictions on credit. That is, assuming that their course in this war is running parallel to their course in the last one. These things are not done boldly or bluntly but both sides understand what is afoot.

It was more than a year before the walls broke down last time, although there were minor crumbings within a few months. But after much backing and filling, the treasury permitted Britain and France to float a half-billion dollar public loan in this country in October, 1915. That was a year and a quarter after the war started. They were short of ready cash and such bank credit as they could reach was about used up.

THIS WAR IS COSTLY Resources of England and France are not greatly different this time. Now, as before, they are having to pay cash for what they buy over here. Already Sir John Simon, British chancellor of the exchequer, has said this is going to be the most expensive war England has known. He didn't exclude the last war.

Currently the senate is agitated over whether it can make a loan to Finland without seeming to Already the Export-Import bank has made a \$10,000,000 loan to a Finnish corporation. By a narrow margin it perhaps escapes being a loan directly to the Finnish government. Also it has strings tied to it which prohibit its use for buying arms and implements of war.

President Roosevelt, in a letter to the congress, disclosed he was going little farther in that direction without congressional sanction, which he asked.

Technically the loans are proposed on the assumption that they are to promote export of excess Yankee groceries and manufactures, but the senate went officially on record as recognizing that bigger fish than that were in the pond. The letter and the various bills concerned with Finnish loans were sent to the banking and currency committee. That is in compliance with the technical front. But, by agreement, they will go thereafter to the foreign relations committee where only one question will be at issue: "Do we, or don't we?"

Robbin Coons Hollywood Sights And Sounds

HOLLYWOOD—There's a picture called "Married, Pretty and Poor." It's in the limelight. Anne Shirley is in it, and John Garfield, both of whom are pleasant to have around in any picture. But the reason this picture wins attention is the two young women who aren't playing in it.

Jane Bryan, fresh from a glowing triumph in "We Are Not Alone," took suspension rather than play in it. In course of the suspension period, Jane and a Chicago druggist executive, Justin W. Dart, must have taken a tip from Jane's film title and decided being alone was a waste of time. They were wed, which left Jane married, pretty and rich.

This is all very strange. "Married, Pretty and Poor," you naturally assume after all this, must be a fore-ordained stinkeroo of a movie. Then you recall that the new film is a re-make of "Saturday's Children," a highly successful play and picture of eleven years back. Then you hear that Garfield, who is particular about his roles, thinks the new script is highly satisfactory and that he's happy about the whole thing. So is Anne Shirley.

Daily Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS Solution to Yesterday's Puzzle 1. Title 2. Vegetable condiment 3. Roman poet 14. Pertaining to the mouth 15. Law 16. Buffalo Bill's real name 17. Gentler 18. Hindrance or impediment 21. Guido's highest note 22. Difficulty 23. Institute suit 24. Roman bronze 25. Chess opening 26. Any departure 27. Tropical American animal 28. Artifice or stratagem 29. Metric land measure 30. Makes certain 31. Uniform 32. Pouch 33. Tree 34. Exclamation 35. Dutch city 36. Sport jacket 37. Ship burkers 38. Indian military 39. Kind of cotton cloth 40. Bulbous 41. In ancient England, a treason 42. Professor's direction 43. Tie or fasten 44. Title of Mohammed 45. Take up weapons 46. Kind of monkey 47. Moisture condensed from the air 48. Framework of a bed 49. Conceive 50. Part of the eye 51. Daughter of Cadmus 52. Black-headed sea gulls 53. Follow 54. Edible tuber 55. Grammatical case of direct address 56. Not busy 57. Coloring agents 58. Fur-bearing animal 59. Starting point of a stream 60. Inflammable mineral substance 61. Pariah of solid food 62. Rattler 63. Anger 64. Evergreen tree 65. Punctured ball 66. Crafty 67. Pronoun 68. Powder or deliberate 69. Plover 70. Insect's egg 71. Ignited 72. Underland 73. Fresh food 74. Decree 75. Handle 76. Torrid 77. Touch at the summit 78. Priestly 79. Mosaic tribe 80. Constructed 81. Volcano 82. Shed tears 83. Salt 84. Full on 85. Animal of the year family 86. You and I

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BIG INCREASE SEEN IN MEAT SUPPLY

CHICAGO, Jan. 25 (AP)—An increased supply of meat, which may reach record proportions, is in store for American consumers during 1940, statistics indicated today.

Favored with big supplies of corn and other feeds, producers and finishers are preparing large numbers of livestock for market. Leaders in the meat industry predict the country will consume 10 per cent more meat this year than in 1939.

The biggest increase was expected to be in pork, which dropped to a six-year low price level yesterday in the Chicago wholesale market—11 cents a pound for best light loins.

Storage meat holdings on January 1 were larger in all classes than a year ago and in the case of beef were the largest in two and a half years, totaling 72,988,000 pounds, compared with 58,187,000 a year ago.

WAR SPRINGS, Ga., (U.P.)—Since most of the people in this little town are patients at the Warm Springs Foundation, there is a strong movement afoot to build a new postoffice for the convenience of infantile paralysis victims.

A promise that he would do all he could to give them the new postoffice was given patients at the foundation last Thanksgiving by President Roosevelt.

Plans for the new postoffice call for a specially-designed entrance and other conveniences for the patients.

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WAR HAS RUINED CLOWN BUSINESS

LONDON, Jan. 25 (AP)—The war has ruined his business of trying to make people laugh, said Cocco, a famous circus clown.

Cocco was brought into court on a charge of failing to pay a \$30 judgment.

He said the war had forced him to do odd jobs as a porter, laborer, photographer and pantomime.

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### Child's Study Club Decides On New Program

Group Plans For Social To Be Given Feb. 6

Planning a new study course to begin in March and deciding on another one to be studied in September, members of the Child's Study Club met Wednesday in the Tracy Smith home.

Mrs. A. R. Collins gave a paper on "Learning From Nature Lovers."

During the business meeting the group adopted the plan of having each member give a program on a topic interesting to them and topics were turned in by members yesterday.

The group planned a social for members and husbands for February 6 in the home of Mrs. Alfred Collins and dinner and games will be features.

The next program is to be given by Mrs. William Tate on "The Conscientious Child."

Others present were Mrs. H. E. Clay, Mrs. Clyde Angel, Mrs. Harold Bottomley, Mrs. J. E. Brigham, Mrs. Tate, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Smith.

### Progressive Dinner Given By Kongenial Klub For Husbands

Kongenial Klub members entertained for husbands Wednesday evening with a progressive dinner beginning with cocktails in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Carnohan.

Soup was served in the Elmer Dyer home and the salad course in the Bert Shive home.

Mrs. Gerald Liberty and Jack Smith won high scores and Mrs. F. Nugent won second high score.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Carnohan, Mr. and Mrs. Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Shive, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Liberty, Mr. and Mrs. Escot Compton.

### Evening Social Postponed Due To The Weather

The evening social scheduled for the young people of East 4th St. Baptist church tonight has been indefinitely postponed due to cold weather.

### Parents Of Son

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Keller of Odessa are the parents of an 8-1-2 pound boy born Wednesday in the Malone and Hogan Clinic.

The child has been named Willard Earl. Mrs. Keller is a daughter of Mrs. S. H. Gibson and a sister of Mrs. Ann Gibson House, of Keller is employed by Noble Drilling company.

### DETS STANFORD JOB

FALO ALTO, Calif., Jan. 25 (AP)—Franklin Pletcher Johnson of Drake university has been named track and field coach at Stanford university, effective next fall.

The 38-year-old former Olympic games hurdler was appointed by the Stanford board of athletic control last night.

### HELP KIDNEYS PASS 3 PINTS A DAY

Doctors say your kidneys contain 15 million tiny tubes of filter which help to purify the blood and keep you healthy.

When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may cause nagging backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up at night, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headache and dizziness.

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### Piggy Wiggy

### Daily Calendar Of Week's Events

FRIDAY MODERN WOMAN'S FORUM will meet at 7:30 o'clock with Mary Burns as hostess at the Colonial Room.

SATURDAY 1930 HYPERION CLUB will meet at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Charles Frost, 107 Canyon Drive.

JUNIOR MUSIC STUDY CLUB will meet at 10 o'clock with David McConnell, 401 E. Park.

### Colorful Numbers Staged With Verve And Vitality Win Honors For San Francisco Opera Ballet

There may be better known ballet companies than that of the San Francisco Opera, but none ever gave a more sprightly or more colorful performance than did the young West Coasters in Big Spring Wednesday evening.

As one observer put it, Big Spring met the Ballet—and the Ballet won, hands down.

An audience of some 700 to 800 people—many of these from out of town—found thorough enjoyment in the two light numbers, "Coppelia" and "In Vienna," and wished there were more people on hand to revel in one of the most engaging performances the municipal auditorium stage has ever produced.

Only shortcoming was the lack of orchestral accompaniment to the dancing, but two grand pianos, handled capably by Les Vergano and Fritz Berens, set an adequate pace with lilting strains and catchy tempos.

Janet Reed Scores Top honors of the evening went to diminutive and petite Janet Reed, titian-haired prima ballerina who had a strenuous evening of it, appearing in the leading role of Swanilda in the Coppelia number.

As the saucy and provocative ballerina in "In Vienna." The epitome of grace, tiny and smiling Miss Reed was as light as the snowflakes that have fluttered over West Texas these recent days, as she danced with apparent effortlessness.

Adding to the performance as a whole were the colorful settings and the effectively gay costumes. Few Ballet numbers can catch and hold the eye as effectively as did the doll shop scene in Coppelia.

So effective were the dances and the pantomime that stories were told as plainly as if spoken. In Coppelia, Miss Reed appeared as an impetuous girl, who, investigating a life-size doll in a toy shop which has turned the fancy of her fiancé, gets caught by the crusty old owner, and, for safety's sake, assumes the doll's place.

Miss Reed's top performance, as far as her audience was concerned, was her automaton-like dance in the role of the doll.

"In Vienna" was a short sketch the essence of which was the story of a group of "cads society" crashing a party given by the elite.

The ballerina has been engaged by the haughty hostess to entertain her guests, and she attracts all the men in the party, much to the chagrin of the wives.

When the Can-can dancers appear uninvited, all rags gongs-on are entirely too much for the staid ladies.

C. A. Cardwell, directing the repeal campaign for the Oklahoma Committee for Liquor Control, declared bootleggers are doing an apparently thriving business and the state is beset by financial worries.

He estimated liquor tax revenue at \$4,000,000 to \$5,000,000 annually and added:

"This enormous traffic in liquor is the only business being conducted in Oklahoma that is not paying its share of the cost of government."

SALVAGE CREWS SEEK WRECKAGE OF PLANE SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 25 (AP)—Salvage crews held little hope today of finding and raising a two-place navy observation plane which crashed into the sea yesterday, killing the pilot and his mechanic.

The dead were Ensign Edmund E. Severance, 25, U.S.N., of Pasadena, and Edward A. Rouscher, 22, aviation machinist's mate second class, of Hornell, N. Y.

MEETING POSTPONED A meeting of the local Elks club, originally scheduled for this evening, has been postponed because of the inclement weather, it was announced Thursday morning by Grover Dunham, exalted ruler.

### Chart Shows 'Heating Weather' For January Up 86.5 Pct. Over December

Big Spring folk shivering through unprecedented wintry weather for the past four weeks could look back on some scientific figures Thursday to learn why there was such a heavy demand on their chief fuel supply—natural gas.

A chart released by the Empire Southern Service company showed that "heating weather"—based by government calculation—during January was nearly double that for the December period.

The gain was exactly 86.5 per cent. The government basis on calculating heating weather is "DDD," or Degree Day Deficiency.

DDD is the daily average temperature subtracted from 65 degrees Fahrenheit, which thermometer level, it is calculated, is that which fuel for heating goes into general use.

While the December period had 428 Degree Deficiency Days, the same period in January, when the mercury has tottergated to 15 and 18 and 5, and such levels, had 800 Degree Deficiency Days.

A graphic chart showing this continued cold spell, with a resultant demand on fuel supplies, has been prepared for publication by the Empire Southern Service company.

### Covered-Dish Lunch Given In Velvin Home For Ruth Class

Mrs. B. Reagan, teacher of the First Baptist Ruth class, was surprised with a handkerchief shower as a Valentine gift when members met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. C. Velvin.

A covered dish luncheon was served on individual tables and a Valentine motif was used. Hearts were played following the luncheon.

Mrs. J. E. Hogan gave the devotional and others present were Mrs. Harold Akay, Mrs. G. W. Floyd, Mrs. J. E. Brigham, Mrs. F. W. Harding, Mrs. J. P. Laney, Mrs. T. R. Adkins, Mrs. Elton Taylor, Mrs. George Tillghast.

Mrs. W. W. McCormick, Mrs. C. W. Norman, Mrs. George Melear, Mrs. M. E. Anderson, Mrs. Tom Cantrell, Mrs. Wayne Matthews, Mrs. Dee Davis, Mrs. William Lanzby of Shawnee, Okla., Mrs. Frank Boyle, Mrs. H. B. Reagan, Mrs. Frank Heffley, Mrs. W. W. Pendleton, Mrs. C. A. Amos, Mrs. W. N. Thurston.

### WHO'S WHO IN THE NEWS

Jim Brigham, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brigham, who is a student at Tech, will arrive home today to spend a few days here between semesters.

Seth Boynton of Tech, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Boynton, is to arrive today for a short vacation between semesters.

Mrs. G. B. Salyer of Littlefield is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Walker, and Mr. Walker.

Mrs. Leslie Walker has returned to a hospital here. She is reported to be improving.

Mrs. Cal Boykin's mother, Mrs. J. W. Matlock of Rochelle, is in Brady hospital in Brady where her condition is considered serious.

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### Music Club Studies Form Of The Sonata At Wednesday Meet

Mrs. Omar Pittman was leader of the program on the development of the sonata when the Music Study club met Wednesday at the Settles hotel.

Present were Mrs. Bernard Lamun, Mrs. L. S. McDowell, Mrs. L. Carpenter, Miss Roberta Gay, Mrs. G. H. Wood, Mrs. H. G. Keaton, Mrs. V. H. Fowell, Mrs. R. E. Blount, Mrs. Raymond Winn, Mrs. King Sides.

### HE Club Shown Pictures Of Foreign Countries

Moving pictures of Switzerland, Holland and South America were shown to the home economics club Tuesday evening when more than 25 members met at the high school for monthly session.

The pictures were shown by Miss Agnes Currie with Reta Mae Bigony presiding.

### Quilting And Covered Dish Lunch Given In Harry Lees Home

For a quilting, covered dish luncheon and bush demonstration members and guests of the Home-maker's class of First Christian church met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Harry Lees.

Present were Mrs. Earl A. Read, Mrs. T. E. Baker, Mrs. J. H. Gray, Winnie Fisher, Mrs. E. L. K. Rijo, Mrs. J. T. Winter, Mrs. I. D. Ed-dins, Mrs. T. A. Bunker, Mrs. Bertha Piner.

Mrs. R. H. McKinney, Mrs. R. J. Michael, Mrs. Roy Carter, Mrs. J. R. Caldwell, Mrs. Gene Cranshaw, Mrs. Ray Ogden, Mrs. J. H. Stiff, Mrs. C. E. Manning, Mrs. F. C. Robinson, Mrs. J. R. Grant, Mildred Cheatham, Mrs. G. W. Dabney, Mrs. J. R. Parks, Mrs. George W. Hill.

### Mrs. Perry Given A Shower By Two In John Griffin Home

Mrs. Earl Winslett and Mrs. Dee Davis entertained with a surprise miscellaneous shower Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. John Griffin for Mrs. W. P. Perry.

Mrs. Perry is the former Miss Bylye Traverser whose marriage occurred recently.

Mrs. Perry thought she was going to play bridge but when she arrived found the party was for her. Edgely and Chinese checkers were played and hot chocolate and angel food cake were served.

Present were Mrs. H. Hinman, Mrs. Marvin Babb, Mrs. J. C. Velvin, Mrs. Cecil McDonald, Mrs. W. N. Thurston, Mrs. Hugh Davis, Miss Lois Clingman.

Sending gifts were Mrs. Matt Harrington, Mrs. Clyde West, Mrs. D. M. McKinney.

### Mrs. Rogers Is Hostess To Ely See Bridge Club At Settles Hotel

Mrs. Lee Rogers was hostess to the Ely See club when she entertained at the Settles hotel with a 12:30 o'clock luncheon and bridge.

The luncheon table was centered with a mound of fruit. Mrs. Rogers won high score and Mrs. R. L. Beale received second high score.

Others playing were Mrs. Victor Martin, Mrs. Robert Wagener, Mrs. J. B. Young, Mrs. R. B. McEwen, Mrs. Elmo Wasson, Mrs. Tom Ashley, Mrs. Wagener is to be next hostess.

### Fountain Dinner Special

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### Any Meal Is A Feast When You Serve This Home Style Barbecue

You would go a long way to find a dish as tempting and delicious as this home style Bar-B-Q. One whiff of its tantalizing aroma will

bring your family to the table in double-quick time. One taste of its savory goodness, and they'll say, "Please, Mom, have this again soon, won't you?"

As with all barbecue recipes, the list of ingredients is long. But they are all inexpensive. Most of

them are probably on your cupboard shelves right now. You see, each seasoning ingredient does its own important part to make this perfection of flavor.

Try serving home style Bar-B-Q over light, tender baking powder biscuits or fluffy mashed potatoes. With a vegetable and a light dessert, here's a hearty meal that will be a family favorite all year long. Cut out the recipe now and plan to serve this home style Bar-B-Q tomorrow.

HOME STYLE BAR-B-Q 1 pound round steak, cut in 1-inch cubes 3 tablespoons shortening 1 onion, chopped 1 green pepper, chopped 1 can condensed tomato soup 1-3 cups hot water 1 tablespoon sugar 1-2 cup stuffed olives, sliced 1-2 cup catsup 1-2 cup chili sauce 1 tablespoon prepared mustard 1-2 teaspoon celery seed 1-2 teaspoon chili powder 1-2 teaspoon curry powder 1 teaspoon salt

Saute beef in hot shortening until meat is richly browned. Add onion and green pepper and cook five minutes, or until onions are yellow. Combine remaining ingredients, add to beef mixture, and simmer slowly one hour, uncovered, or until thickened. Serves 6. (All measurements in this recipe are level.)

### Newlyweds Are Making Home Here Following Saturday Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. B. Shelton Hubbard, Jr., are at home at 404 Sixth street following their marriage Saturday evening in the home of Justice of Peace J. H. Heffley, Mrs. Hubbard is the former Miss Justine Deo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deo. Hubbard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Shelton Hubbard.

Mrs. Hubbard was graduated from Big Spring high school in 1936 and Hubbard was graduated in 1936. He is employed at D. & C. Packing company.

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Marrow's MAR-O-OIL SHAMPOO \$1.50 Size 98c 10c Size Woodbury Facial Soap 3 Bars 17c 10c Size Woodbury Facial Soap 3 Bars 20c

Dr. Caldwell's SYRUP PEPSIN \$1.50 Size 79c 60c Size 39c

### Netherlands Won't Take Part Against Nazis In War

THE HAGUE, Jan. 25 (AP)—The Netherlands today rejected Britain's recent bid for cooperation of neutrals against Germany.

Closing a foreign affairs debate in parliament after speakers had opposed the plea for "united action" sounded Saturday by Winston Churchill, first lord of the British admiralty, Foreign Minister Edouard Van Kleffens said The Netherlands was under no obligation to depart from her policy of strict neutrality.

Van Kleffens did not mention Churchill, who said that the safety of small European neutrals de-

pendent upon "united action" with the allies.

The foreign minister, however, did say: "From the British side there has come a voice which declared that neutral nations have a juridical obligation as members of the league of nations to go into the war."

"I strongly deny there is a juridical or a moral obligation for The Netherlands to participate in the war."

"Our task is no collaboration with others. That is a positive attitude and a positive policy and, moreover, our good right."

William I of England built 48 strong castles during his reign. Cats were protected by law in Wales in the year 948.

### Coyote Still Big Menace To Livestock

CAMPBELL, Wyo., Jan. 25 (AP)—Despite improved control methods, the shrewd, fleet coyote still is a major problem in the western livestock industry, D. D. Green, chief of the U. S. biological bureau's division of predator and rodent control, said today.

Unlike other predators, the coyote thrives under conditions incident to livestock and agricultural expansion, Green said in an address prepared for delivery before the 75th annual convention of the National Wool Growers association.

"So far as the wolf, bobcat, mountain lion and bear are concerned, the problem is local in character."

"The scalps and skins of more than a million coyotes have been accounted for through organized effort, but there still is a great deal yet to be learned about the coyote problem."

As the three-day convention drew near a close, there were reports that the wool growers may suggest amendment of the basic federal land act to include grazing within its provisions.

The act now covers the use of public domain for timber and recreational purposes, while the Taylor grazing act regulates stock grazing.

Stockmen favoring the change indicated they believed it would lay the groundwork for better range management.

E. M. Kavanaugh, representing the interior department's division of grazing, told the sheep men the

division recommended that local advisory boards suggest changes in grazing policies.

"Range use planning should be of the long term variety to stabilize the livestock industry."

Kavanaugh added that there would be no adjustments that would take land off tax rolls.

C. E. Wardlaw of Dal Rio, Tex., who operates properties handling 125,000 head of sheep, was a leading candidate for the presidency of the association. He is a past president of the Texas Wool Growers association and a vice president of the national group.

R. C. Rich of Burley, Idaho, is the outgoing president.

The election will be held late today after the delegates act on resolutions expected to condemn the reciprocal trade agreements program, urge exemption of agricultural workers from wage-hour act provisions, and deal with wool and lamb marketing problems.

### TEXAS IS SEEKING MORE HIGHWAY AID

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—Texas highway officials seeking increased federal aid for construction projects in their state arrived today to appear before a congressional committee conducting hearings on road legislation.

In the group, which planned a dinner tonight for the Texas congressional delegation were: Julian Montgomery, chief highway engineer; Datus E. Proper, vice president of the Texas Good Roads association; and the three state highway commissioners, Brady Gentry, chairman, R. L. Robbitt, and Harry Hines.

The Texans said they sought increased funds for improvement of farm-to-market roads, and the improvement of highways for the more rapid movement of troops in the interest of national defense.

### 'When I Die, They Can Say There Goes The Last Outlaw'—Dalton



Oklahoma Jack Dalton

AP Feature Service — OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 25 (AP)—Oklahoma Jack Dalton, now 61 and possibly the last of the Wild West's two-gun men, says he'll carry the secrets of his turbulent career to the grave with him.

He has turned down half a dozen writers who wanted to make a book of his exploits and "wouldn't have any truck" with persistent movie producers. There are some things, Dalton hints darkly, that are better untold.

The old-timer says he is a relative of the Dalton boys, who ranked with the Jameses and the Youngers as western desperadoes, but he was not a member of their gang. However, he carries the scars of several gun frays and says he saw Wild Bill Hickok killed in a gunfight at Deadwood, S. D. Calamity Jane was one of his cronies, and in later and more peaceful days, Will Rogers.

"I wouldn't trade my outlaw days for anything I've seen since," Oklahoma Jack says vigorously. "When I die they can say, 'There goes the last of the old outlaws.'"

### Tells Of Plan To Transport Indian Gold Into U. S. For Share Of Wealth

EL PASO, Jan. 25 (AP)—Bert Farnsworth, 35-year-old miner, told today how he planned to reap a one-fourth share in an \$11,000,000 gold hoard of the Yaqui Indians of Mexico by delivering it for them to the United States treasury.

He is under \$1,000 bond for action by a federal grand jury at

Tucson, Ariz., on a charge of smuggling gold across the Mexican border by airplane.

His story is the latest of recurrent border tales about fabulous Yaqui treasure.

Farnsworth told federal authorities that the Yaquis had appointed him to deliver the gold, that he had been given a treasury department permit to transport the treasure across the border, and that through the Lumes Mining Co., Ltd., of New Orleans, he already had delivered \$15,000.

The gold, he declared, came from a Yaqui treasure in the Bacatle mountains south of Guaymas, Mex. He said it was left to the tribe when Benito Juarez drove the Jesuit priests from Mexico.

"The Yaquis want to realize on their treasure," he declared, "and are willing to pay me 25 per cent, the Lumes company 25 per cent and the Mexican government 12 per cent for export charges, just to get the remaining 38 per cent."

Farnsworth declared he had been brought up by the Yaquis and that they had made him a "brother" by writing on his wrist with a feather dipped in blood.

Jointly named with him in a conspiracy complaint for illegally transporting bullion into the United States were John Woodward and Gilbert Vincent of New Orleans.

Authorities charged their plane laden with bullion recently landed at Hachita, N. M., without reporting.

### Compton Nominated For Naval Post

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—President Roosevelt submitted to the senate today the nomination of Lewis Compton of New Jersey to be assistant secretary of the navy.

Compton served as special assistant to Secretary Charles Edison, while the latter was assistant secretary.

Mr. Roosevelt also sent to the senate the nomination, a reappointment, of Carroll Miller of Pennsylvania to be an interstate commerce commissioner for a term ending December 31, 1944.

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### HEAVY DAMAGE TO TEXAS CITRUS CROP

HARLINGEN, Jan. 25 (AP)—Heavy damage to citrus fruit from the week-old cold wave was reported today throughout the lower Rio Grande valley.

Growers and shippers estimated the citrus loss at 30 per cent of the protected and as high as 80 of the unprotected fruit.

T. E. Stinson, assistant sales manager for Engelman Gardens at Elms, said even some of the citrus fruit protected by orchard heaters was lost.

Engelman Gardens is the largest grapefruit and orange tract in the valley.

Actual determination of the damage can not be made until the cold wave is over, Stinson added.

AD MAN DIES — DALLAS, Jan. 25 (AP)—Thomas B. (Tommy) Thompson, 41, widely known Texas advertising man, died today.

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### DIES COMMITTEE GIVEN \$75,000 TO CONTINUE PROBE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—The House handed over \$75,000 to the Dies committee today to carry on its investigation of un-American activities.

The committee was ordered continued until Jan. 3, 1941, under a resolution approved by the House Tuesday, 345 to 21.

The money was provided in another resolution, offered by Chairman Warren (D-N.C.) of the accounts committee. The money measure was approved without debate.

### Poll Tax Payments Pick Up Slightly

Poll tax payments accelerated only slightly Thursday as the time for protecting the right to vote in at least five important elections this year was reduced to five days.

At noon Thursday only 2,758 people had paid their poll taxes and 188 others had secured exemption certificates. This was a gain of 154 for the day, up only 12 from the preceding day. It also was 291 under the same date a year ago.

Tax collector's staff members asked citizens to cooperate by coming in for their poll taxes as early as possible. They said it would facilitate matters greatly if the applicant had this information in mind for his wife, too, if he has a wife: Name, address, age, number of years in the state, county and city, occupation, and native state. Much delay is being caused by husbands who cannot readily remember their wives' age.

### PWA COUNSEL IS TRANSFERRED

FORT WORTH, Jan. 25 (AP)—Transfer of Walter A. Koons, regional counsel of the Public Works Administration regional office here, to Washington FWA office as a principal attorney was announced today.

Koons has been regional counsel since the establishment of the regional office here late in 1937.

A native of Denton, he has served Denton county as county judge, and he was an assistant attorney-general of Texas under Attorney General Allred.

### Public Records

Marriage License — Marselino Barrera and Francisco Romero, both of Midland.

In the 9th District Court — Mable Stockton versus Wilburn Lewis Stockton, suit for divorce.

C. L. Brock versus The Universal Credit Co. and George Huffman, suit for damages.

New Cars — G. I. Madison, Lamesa, Ford Tudor.

G. L. Willbanks, Chrysler coupe.

E. L. Beckmeyer, Sparenburg, Chevrolet coupe.

Leroy Echols, Coahams, Plymouth sedan.

### BLALOCK SPEAKER

TYLER, Jan. 25 (AP)—Myron Blalock of Marshall was the principal speaker at the annual banquet of the Tyler junior chamber of commerce last night.

Blalock spoke on "Duty of Citizenship."

### SPENCE ILL

E. V. Spence, city manager, was confined to his home Thursday due to a severe chest cold. The attending physician indicated he could not return to his duties before Monday.

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Liver 10c	8 lb. Carton 50c
Hearts 10c	Fresh Ground Coffee 10c
Tongues lb. 10c	Diamond Matches 3 Boxes 5c
Brauns 10c	Black PEPPER 18c Size 5c
Chili Meat 12c	K. C. Baking Powder 19c
Fresh Made Brick Chili 15c	Okay Bran Flakes 5c
Fed Beef Rib Roast 12c	Countryside Sorghum 39c
Lean Fresh Sliced Side Bacon 15c	No. 1 White Potatoes 19c
XXX Brand Sliced Bacon 9c	East Texas YAMS 13c
Lamb Shoulder ROAST 15c	Bestyett Salad 4 lb. Jar
Auxter Chili POWDER 10c	Dressing Pints 15c
Maxwell House COFFEE 28c	Qts. 25c
Large Select Oysters 39c	Apples 1c
Bonitas Fillets of Haddock 25c	Oranges 1c
Dressed Fat Hens 20c	Bananas 1c
Whipping Cream 10c	
Administration Coffee 25c	

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2 Large or 4 Small 15c

Pineapple Juice . 10c; 3 for ... 25c

CATSUP ..... 10c

PURE TOMATO 14-oz. Bottle .... 10c

Pure Hog LARD

4-lbs. .... 35c

8-lbs. .... 69c

Blackberries, gallon can ..... 29c

3 Pkgs. For ..... 14c

Phillips TOMATO JUICE

Can ..... 5c

HARVEST TIME PANCAKE FLOUR

4-lb. sack .. 21c

Mother's OATS

Large Pkg. Premiums ..... 25c

Yukon's Best Cream MEAL

5-lb. Sack ..... 15c

10-lb. Sack ..... 28c

20-lb. Sack ..... 49c

Del Monte Solid Pack TOMATOES

No. 2 Can ..... 10c

Gold Bar PEACHES ..... 10c

Heinz Assorted BABY FOODS

8c 2 for 15c

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**Trench Silo Storage In Texas Is Sufficient To Feed All Of State's Dairy Animals For Four Months**

COLLEGE STATION, Jan. 25 (AP)—There is enough feed buried in Texas trench silos to feed the state's 1,400,000 dairy animals for 128 days.

That's the way E. R. Eudaly, dairyman of the Texas A. and M. college extension service, announced that Texas farmers and ranchmen had stored 3,448,591 tons of silage in 28,331 trench silos in 1939. The silage is valued at more than \$10,000,000.

The 1939 totals, as reported by county agents, exceeded by 1,629,953 the 1938 figure of 1,814,638 tons, and by 11,783 the number of trenches filled the previous year.

In 1938, there was enough feed stored in trench silos to fill a trench 12 feet wide, 6 feet deep, and 288 miles long. For 1939, lengthen that trench out by 174 miles—up to 460 miles—or visualize a trench silo starting at Corpus Christi and ending at Ardmore, Okla.

Eudaly expressed surprise at the growth of the trench silo movement during 1939, when drought over a large portion of the state cut the feed crops. Much of the drought stricken feed, which would have been almost worthless as bundle feed, went into trench silos, where it made fair silage.

A new development occurred in 1939 as a large volume of threshed grain, ear corn, and grain sorghum heads was stored in trench silos. County agents report that grain stored as silage is free of weevil damage, which normally accounts for millions of bushels loss when grain is stored in bins.

In 1930, when Eudaly began talking trench silos, there were only 12 in the state. Year by year the number doubled, until by 1937 it had jumped to 9,430.

The rapid increase in the number of trench silos—from 12 in 1932 to

28,331 in 1939—occurred because the trenches offered the most economical and efficient way to store feed and because, as the dairymen express it, "feed in a trench silo is safe from weevils, rats, fire, rain, floods and time itself."

Fayette county, for years the trench silo center of the state, lifted its total from 592 in 1938 to 860 in 1939, but fell to fifth place in the rankings as three counties in the lower Rio Grande valley, Willacy, Cameron and Hidalgo, and a full coast county, Wharton, all passed the thousand mark.

Willacy as county agent, had slightly more than 400 trench silos in 1938, and rose to 1,408 in 1939. Cameron county, also around the 400 mark a year ago, saw County Agent F. C. Brunemann able to report 1,222 for 1939. Wharton county, V. L. Sandlin, county agent, reports, was in the 400 bracket in 1938, and increased to 1,012 for 1939.

In Hidalgo county, County Agent R. C. Burrell reported under the 250 mark a year ago, but topped the thousand figure in 1939. Other counties well up in the list included Hockley, 631; Lamb, 530; Fisher, 511; Austin, 503; Cherokee, 487; Dallas, 419; Hale, 408; Lubbock, 408; Harris, 393; Medina, 389; Tarrant, 377; Limestone, 375; Floyd, 345; Lamar, 329, and Taylor, 325.

**Experts See No Big Push At The Front**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—Spring may bring boom showers over Europe and intensified war at sea, but it is difficult to find an American military expert who flatly will predict a "spring offensive" by earth-bound armies on the western front.

Military tacticians, analyzing every scrap of information procurable from the theatres of war, report they "can't see" how either the allies or Germany can launch an offensive, regardless of weather conditions, with fair-to-middling chances of breaking through the Maginot or Siegfried line.

Weather has played an important—and often decisive—role in wars gone by, but authorities here point out that modern warfare has introduced many new elements and weapons.

Good weather and good roads enable quicker movement of troops, but both the allies and Germany apparently have almost evenly-balanced forces manning their lines. Transportation—except of reserves to meet an attack—is not a problem on the western front.

Weather, good or bad, has little effect on the tanks, steel and concrete, heavily-gunned fortifications bristling along the Franco-German border.

Intensified and bigger raids may be made with more favorable temperatures, but the stalemate on the western front (on the ground) will continue, most experts believe, even when spring sunshine melts the snow and ice, and blood-red poppies again carpet the battlefields.

Spring, however, probably will see more and larger flights of bombing and fighting planes winging over the western front to England, France and Germany. If intensified bombing should weaken or break the defense lines, it might be the prelude to an overland offensive.

**Four Brothers In Navy; Two More May Enlist**

SCHALLER, Ia. (U.P.)—Bruce Patten, 16-year-old Schaller youth, has his eye on the U. S. navy. Although he isn't old enough to join, he has a good reason—five brothers in the service.

Four of the brothers—Myre, 24; Allen, 22; Clarence, 24, and Gilbert, 22—are on the U. S. S. Nevada. The other one, Ray, 18, recently went to the Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

Still another Patten brother, Marvin, 27, has been discharged from the service but is planning to re-enlist, according to H. E. Freyer, Fort Dodge recruiting officer.

**Town Proud Of Thrift; \$406 Of \$627 Expended**

HOPE, N. M. (U.P.)—The citizens of Hope are law-abiding and budget-balancing lot. An audit submitted to State Comptroller C. E. Sebastian showed only \$19 was paid into the town treasury during 1939 in traffic and justice court fines.

Total cash receipts of Hope during the year were \$627, of which \$500 represented liquor license receipts. The town agent, only \$69 for city government—no added the year with a surplus of \$222.

Post Prints Own Vases CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (U.P.)—Lloyd Haherty, a post now a guest at Harvard University, has used a 125-year-old hand printing press at the Widener Library to turn out his annual volume of Latin poetry.

Dog Leads Police Patrol MURPHYSBORO, Ill. (UP)—Denny McMahon, an extra policeman, thought Brownie was just another stray when the police dog came to his home, but it happened that Brownie arrived to join the force. He's on special duty now, carrying a flashlight ahead of the night police on alley patrol duty and by day guarding court against loitering dogs.

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- 8:40 Longhorn University Band.
- 8:50 News.
- 9:00 Goodnight.
- Friday Morning
- 7:00 News.
- 7:15 Texas Drifters.
- 7:45 To Be Announced.
- 8:00 Morning Devotional.
- 8:15 Billie Davis, Songs.
- 8:30 Rhythm Rascals.
- 8:45 Gail North.
- 8:55 Musical Interlude.
- 9:00 Radio Bible Class.
- 9:15 Musical Interlude.
- 9:30 Melody Strings.
- 9:45 The Choir Loft, John Metcalf.
- 10:00 News.
- 10:15 Piano Impressions.
- 10:30 Keep Fit To Music.
- 10:45 Organ Melodies.
- 11:00 News.
- 11:05 Conservation of Vision.
- 11:10 Musical Interlude.
- 11:15 Neighbors—Blanchard McKee.
- 11:20 Melody Maids.
- 11:45 Sons of The Pioneers.
- Friday Afternoon
- 12:00 Singin' Sam.
- 12:15 Curstone Reporter.
- 12:30 Hymns You Know and Love.
- 12:45 The Perfect Host Entertainers.
- 1:00 The Drifters.
- 1:15 Carol Lofner, Orchestra.
- 1:30 Joseph Sudy, Orchestra.
- 2:00 Marriage License Romances.
- 2:15 Crime And Death Take No Holiday.
- 2:30 Intercollegiate Debates.

Winter Crops Are Damaged

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—The weather bureau reported today that the long-continued abnormally cold weather had caused heavy damage to winter crops in much of the South.

Affected were truck and garden crops in South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, and Texas, citrus fruits in Florida and Texas, and oats crops in several of these states.

The bureau said reports from field offices indicated that tender truck crops, especially tomatoes and cabbage, had been severely

Cold Weather Is Something To Talk About

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—It's an old American custom—the colder the weather the hotter it becomes as a conversation piece.

When the mercury does a national nose dive, people get into discussions and arguments which lead to wagers and wrangles.

The weather bureau in Washington is, of course, the last court of appeal for all climatic disputes.

Right now the raging question is: What is the lowest temperature ever recorded in the United States,

when was it registered, and where was it registered?

The answer is: 65 degrees below zero (Fahrenheit), at Riverside ranger station, Yellowstone Park, Wyo., Feb. 9, 1933.

Here are some other questions—with their answers—that have come up for settlement:

Is there a state which never has experienced zero weather? No. Florida comes the closest with only two below.

Which state has had colder weather, South Carolina or Louisiana? This is a trick question because South Carolina, which is considered farther north than Louisiana, has seen the mercury at 11 below, while the Pelican State has had it down to 16 below.

Which has been colder, Maine or New Mexico? The answer is—neither. It's been 42 below in both.

Texas or Delaware? Texas, by six degrees.

Rhode Island or Alabama? Both have had recordings of 15 below.

Frozen yet? If you are, how about something on the country's hottest weather? The 1933 record at Death Valley, Calif., still stands—134 degrees.

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### Trade Pacts Called Aid To Agriculture

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (UP)—Edward A. O'Neal, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, urged continuance of the reciprocal trade program today on the ground that it has aided agriculture.

"Careful analysis fails to disclose any measurable injury to American agriculture chargeable to trade agreements," he said in a statement prepared for the house ways and means committee.

O'Neal opposed suggestions that senate ratification be required for trade agreements if the program is continued beyond its present expiration date in June.

"Senate ratification of trade agreements would mean a return to old system of log-rolling," he said. "We might as well repeal the law altogether as have that."

O'Neal said that the farmers' "painful experience" with the Smoot-Hawley act demonstrated to them, once and for all, that higher tariffs were not the solution to their surplus problem.

"The farmers became convinced that every time they were lured into the tariff game they got traded out of their shirts."

The farm bureau federation, he explained, is supporting the agricultural adjustment program as well as the trade agreements plan. He said that the two programs "are not contradictory but actually dovetail together in working toward the objective of bringing parity to the American farmer."

"Under the one program, farmers are keeping their production in line with existing demand, and under the other program the government is attempting to regain foreign markets so that farmers can produce more at profitable prices."

**NOTE MOVEMENTS**  
OSLO, Jan. 25 (UP)—The Norwegian radio said today Soviet Russian troops were being concentrated in the Petsamo area of northern Finland and that it might indicate preparations for new action on the Arctic front.

### Floridians Shiver In Unusual Cold

LAKELAND, Fla., Jan. 25 (UP)—Floridians shivered today in the second visit of "unusual" weather within a week, and growers anxiously watched tender crops for signs of cold damage.

Schools closed in Dade (Miami), Broward and Palm Beach counties because of the cold. Most of the buildings lack heating facilities. Topcoats were in evidence everywhere.

Citrus growers were prepared with smudge pots and other heating devices, as 24 to 26 degree temperatures were forecast in the citrus belt.

The lush winter vegetable crop, already damaged considerably by last week's cold, faced the greatest danger. Low readings of 25 were expected at Florida, Paboken and Belle Glade in the Everglades muckland region.

It was not expected that the extent of the damage would be known for a day or two, and even longer in the case of citrus, as crop injuries do not become apparent immediately.

### Brother Of Plane Crash Victim Dies

WICHITA FALLS, Jan. 25 (UP)—Richard Alexander Riley, 28, brother of Private Leonard E. Riley who was killed in a bomber crash Tuesday near Riverside, Calif., was found dead in bed at his home here today.

Double funeral services will probably be held here Sunday. Riley is survived by his parents, four sisters and a brother.

### LUFKIN MAN HEADS HARDWARE GROUP

DALLAS, Jan. 25 (UP)—Herman Taylor of Lufkin heads the Texas Hardware and Implement association.

He was elected president yesterday to succeed Andrew P. Sharp of Troup.

The convention ends today. Among directors re-elected was J. D. House, Jr., of Paris.

Rude carriages were known in France in 1547 in the reign of Henry II.

### ARIA OF TEXAS COMPOSER IS ON DENTON PROGRAM

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (UP)—An aria composed by Miss Julia Smith of Denton will be sung in joint recital tonight starring Nicola Moscona of the Metropolitan Opera association and Ebert K. Ruhl, American tenor.

The composition is "The Years Are Long" from Miss Smith's music drama "Cynthia Parker," which was produced at Denton last year. Miss Smith will accompany Ruhl when he sings her selections.

The composer will be the guest at the recital of Rep. and Mrs. Ed Gossett of Wichita Falls and their house guest over the weekend. Among those to attend will be Rep. and Mrs. Richard Kieberg of Corpus Christi.

### Discuss Campaign For Removal Of Trade Barriers

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 25 (UP)—Discussions of a campaign to erase trade barriers between states held the attention of the Southern Governors' conference today as members gathered for a three-day exploration of a variety of problems affecting the South.

Tennessee Governor Prentice Cooper was host in the assemblage, which included Governors Carl E. Bailey of Arkansas, Lloyd C. Stark of Missouri, E. D. Rivers of Georgia and Leon C. Phillips of Oklahoma.

Representatives of eight other states, whose executives were unable to attend either because of illness or the pressure of work, attended.

Other subjects to come before the conference were the South's campaign for parity in freight rates, a proposed 10-year program for the advancement of the section's agriculture, and finances, education and states' rights.

### WITNESS HONOURED

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 25 (UP)—A 23-year-old waitress has been awarded the Finnish Liberty medal because she insisted on staying to serve Field Marshal Baron Gustaf Mannerheim, who placidly continued his lunch during an air raid on a Karelian village, the newspaper Dagens Nyheter reported today.

## Science Again Starts From Scratch In Battle On Infantile Paralysis



NO SURE PREVENTIVE has been found. None dosages, shown being given, of zinc sulfate and other things have been tried.

The seventh campaign of the Committee for the Celebration of the President's Birthday, Jan. 30, is under way, gathering funds to fight infantile paralysis. This article describes how science has battled the disease and the big problem still to be solved.

### By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE AP Science Editor

NEW YORK—Among the few sure facts about infantile paralysis are these:

1. The disease will strike American in epidemic outbreaks this year—it always does.
  2. No one can predict where.
  3. There is no sure preventive.
- The thing that causes infantile paralysis is one of the two smallest known enemies of man.
- It is a particle, called a virus, about one two-hundred-fifty-thousandth of an inch in diameter. The infantile particle last year

made 7,298 American children ill. This number is small, but not in aftermath, for a least 25 per cent of these youngsters were paralyzed, with after-care costs of about \$1,000 a year each.

The aftermath used to be reckoned at 50 per cent. Years of medical effort at good care have cut that to 25 per cent in favorable situations.

One other basic fact about the disease has been brought out by the years of medical effort:

The virus hides in the body where there is no way of reaching it effectively. It travels inside nerves. Serums and chemicals do not get inside nerve cells, and that is why all have failed to date.

"Entirely new lines of attack will have to be devised if this disease is to be conquered," says E. W. Schultz, M. D., of Stanford University. He is one of the group which

developed the only new weapon now on hand. This is zinc sulfate, dropped into the nose, as a hope of temporary immunity during epidemics.

The virus apparently enters the body only through the exposed ends of olfactory nerves. The search for a nose gateway preventive began in 1912. The first promise of success came in 1933 when Doctors C. Armstrong and W. T. Harrison, of the U. S. Public Health Service, tried alum in an Alabama outbreak.

Next, the Stanford group discovered that zinc sulfate is a much more lasting preventive in monkeys. The zinc was tried in Toronto in 1937.

Neither was an accepted success, and for an unexpected reason. Sprays used in these epidemics failed to puff the chemicals where they would infallibly cover the olfactory nerves. But after these epidemics, it was discovered that

### FIVE BUILDINGS ARE DESTROYED BY FIRE

WEST COLUMBIA, Jan. 25 (UP)—Explosion of a gas stove caused a fire that razed half a business block here last night.

Four one-story business buildings and a two-story rooming house were destroyed.

J. F. Garrison, manager of the telephone company, said the fire started from a stove explosion in the second floor of the rooming house.

An inadequate water supply hampered fire fighting efforts, a bucket brigade preventing further spread of the flames.

There was no estimate of the loss.

### Stolen Watch Recovered After 16-Year Lapse

COLUMBUS, O. (UP)—Sixteen years after his watch was stolen from a locker in a dressing room, Squire Walters, railroad engineer, has his timepiece back.

Walters reported the theft on May 7, 1923, and its serial numbers were filed away in police records.

The watch was recovered when pawned at a pawn shop, officials tracing its ownership by the serial numbers.

Walters said the watch was still keeping good time.

simply dropping the chemicals in the nose with the head virtually upside down, was completely effective.

### Look for Risk-Free Chemical

This new method was tried, with zinc sulfate, in Nicaragua in 1933. Used on about 4,500 persons it apparently halted that epidemic. But the number was too small to provide a basis for drawing conclusions.

Meanwhile, it has been learned that in zinc sulfate there may be a definite threat of permanent damage to the sense of smell. The Stanford scientists are now looking for a chemical which may be entirely free of this risk.

Just as 1939 was ending, at Columbus, Ohio, Dr. Albert B. Sabin reported to scientists evidence that the human body has zones of immunity against diseases. To investigate the possibility of this in infantile paralysis, the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis gave Dr. Sabin a grant of money. In addition, the foundation is financing 42 other studies.

### PLANE ENGINE OUTPUT MAY INCREASE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (UP)—Secretary Morgenthau said today that the nation's airplane engine production must be increased to meet the potential demand by the army, navy and civil domestic services and by foreign countries.

Morgenthau, President Roosevelt's liaison man with an interdepartmental committee coordinating domestic and foreign airplane purchases, said that "engine production isn't big enough to take care of the demand."

"I know American airplane manufacturers could handle a lot more orders if they could get the engines," he added.

Saying that the potential bottleneck in the engine industry had not impeded fulfillment of present airplane orders but might interfere with future orders, Morgenthau reported that "everybody" was studying means of expanding production.

### SLAYING CASE NEARING JURY

EDINBURG, Jan. 25 (UP)—The case of Dr. L. J. Montague, who said his suspicions of his wife and P. C. Humphrey, a salesman, led to the slaying of the woman, neared a jury today.

The state prepared rebuttal testimony for introduction after the defense had rested its case with the statement of the widely-known physician and surgeon that he did not see his wife the night he fired at Humphrey as the latter sat in the front seat of Mrs. Montague's automobile.

Dr. Montague said he fired three or four times at Humphrey and that he did not know his wife had been killed until he returned from chasing Humphrey and emptying his gun at him.

The woman was found in her car with two bullet wounds in her body.

The physician testified he had been suspicious of Humphrey and his wife for several years and that he warned the salesman that if he caught him in improper relations with Mrs. Montague he would kill him.

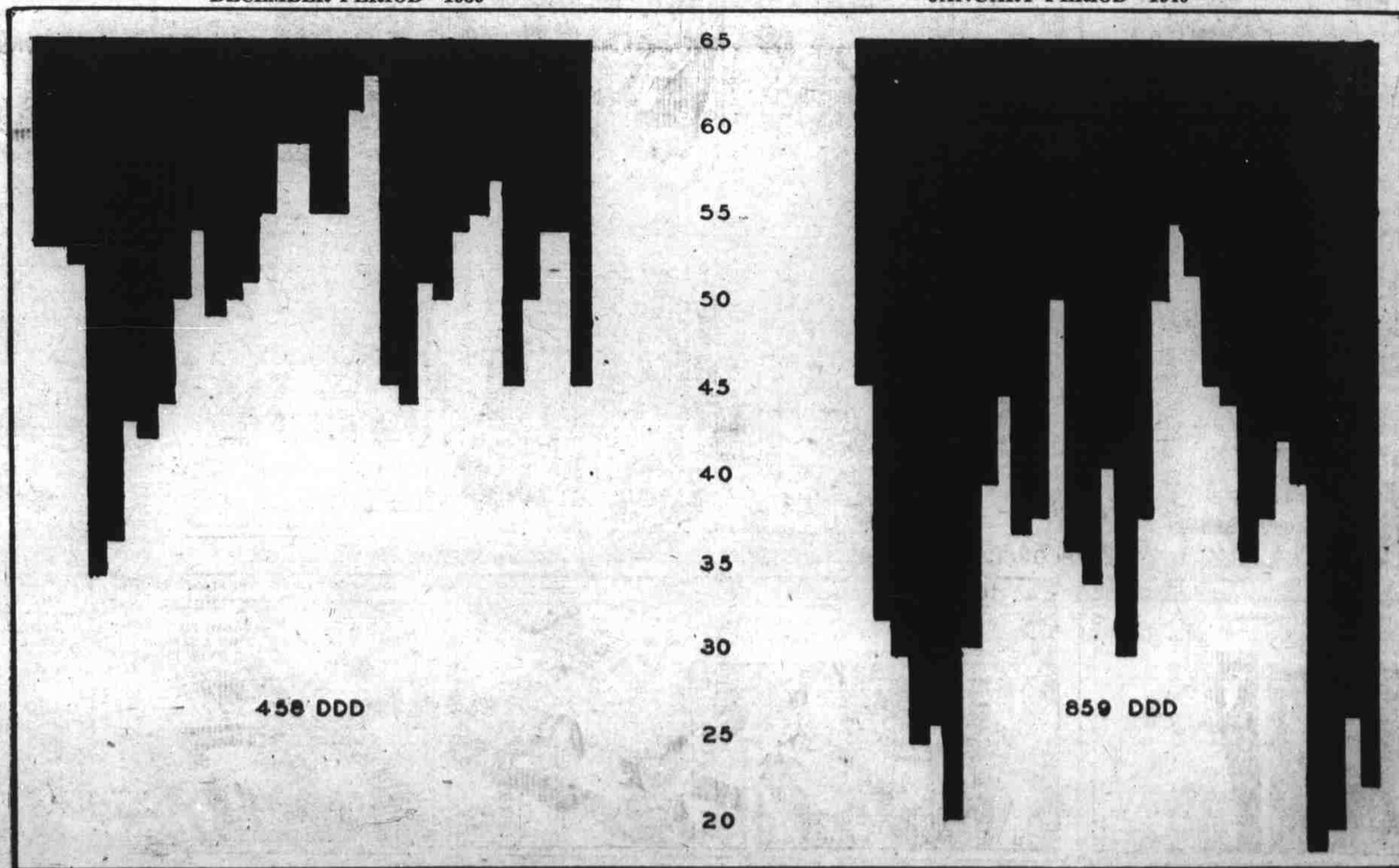
### "NOTHING TO REPORT"

PARIS, Jan. 25 (UP)—The allied communique today said "nothing to report."

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# ASSOCIATED PRESS PICTURE NEWS



**ONE SHEET—ONE SOLDIER?**—You're not seein' ghosts. This is a U. S. soldier, camouflaged for maneuvers in snow at Fort Brady, Mich. Note mittens. (A.P.-Paramount News Photo.)



**SEE WHAT FINNS STARTED**—From the military strategy of Finland, where white-clad armies move like ghosts across the snowy wastes, the U. S. army borrowed a technique and used it in maneuvers at Fort Brady, Mich. Here are two Yankee soldiers, white-costumed, pulling equipment on a toboggan. Skis were also used. (A.P.-Paramount News Photo.)



**PETER B. GOOD WASN'T**—At party honoring his film debut, Peter B. Good thus greeted Hollywood—and Elsa Maxwell.



**THE 'BIG SHOTS'**—Demonstrating artillery strength, Britain recently put three batteries of the biggest guns ever mounted on that field through their paces at Salisbury Plain, England. Above are the "thunderers." The guns were 9.2-inch howitzers which released a ton of projectiles inside a few minutes at a range of eight miles. Men in front record accuracy.



**DUTCH GIRL**—Like thousands of other Hollanders Crown Princess Juliana of The Netherlands gets out her skates when the canals are frozen. Judging from her strained look, this might be her first time on the ice—this winter.



**LIFE'LL BE EASIER**—Rep. Robert L. Doughton (left), 76, North Carolina Democrat who recently announced his decision to retire at the end of this year "to take life easier," is shown at Washington with a fellow-legislator, Allen T. Treadway (R.-Mass.), ranking minority member. Doughton heads the ways and means committee, has served in congress since 1911.



**SETTLING UP**—This kiss, and \$1,000, helped persuade wife of Gee Jordan, crippled Pittsburgh news dealer, to withdraw her charges of non-support for 17 years. They met in N. Y., after Gee learned he's to share in \$39,000 estate.



**NOMINATED**—Likely president of Rotary International for 1940-41 is Armando de Arruda Pereira (above), Brazil manufacturer chosen by nominating committee.



**NO PUGILIST**—Though he bears the name of a famous fighter, John L. Sullivan (above) of Manchester, N. H., has no ring interests. He's new asst. secretary of treasury.



**TABLES TURNED**—Cecil Beaton, English photographer for whom other faces are his fortune, is himself pictured as an "ugly sister eating sausage" in a British-designed pantomime. Beaton specializes in pictures of beautiful women.



**HIS TERMS: CASH**—Unless he gets a boost in his reported 1939 salary, \$13,000, "Red" Rolfe, Yankee third baseman, may ring up "No Sale" at his Penacook, N. H., filling station where he awaits arrival of his 1940 contract.



**HEADWORK AND HANDIWORK**—Coming generations of prize fighters may glimpse the carved marble Joe Louis head on which Mrs. Ruth Yates is working in N. Y., with the champion himself as a model. She also is doing a head of Jack Dempsey.



**HANDS OFF, WARNS CAROL**—The greeting of one of his soldiers is accepted at Blantyre, Roumania, by King Carol (left) on the Jan. 6 occasion of his militant speech warning people that Roumania "will fight as one living wall" if Russian armies try to invade Roumania, province that was Russian until 1918. Next to Roumanian king is Crown Prince Michael.



**TRADE TALK**—Trade agreements program has added millions to farm income, Henry F. Grady (above), asst. secretary of state, told the house ways and means committee.



**GOOD NEWS FOR FINNS**—Appeals for fur coats to clothe Finnish war victims brought good results, agree Madame Gripenberg (above), wife of the Finnish minister in London.



**WINTER REFUGEE**—Seen at Palm Beach, Fla., where she's been vacationing is Mrs. Alfred G. Vanderbilt whose husband is the sportsman and stable-owner. She's the former Marjorie Hudson, daughter of a San Francisco attorney.

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The Daily Herald will make the following charges for political announcements...

The DAILY HERALD is authorized to announce the following candidates...

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For District Attorney:
(70th Judicial Dist.):
MARTELE M'DONALD

For County Judge:
WALTON MORRISON
GROVER B. CUNNINGHAM

For Sheriff:
JESS SLAUGHTER
R. L. (BOB) WOLF

For District Clerk:
MORRIS (PAT) PATTERSON
HUGH W. DUNAGAN
J. H. CORLEY
H. H. (HUB) RUTHERFORD

For County Clerk:
LEE PORTER

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
JOHN F. WOLOCOIT

For County Attorney:
JOE FAUCETT

For County Treasurer:
MRS. IDA COLLINS

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 1:
T. M. ROBINSON
ROY WILLIAMS
J. E. (ED) BROWN
C. T. McCAULEY

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
T. C. THOMAS
H. T. (THAD) HALE
A. W. (ARCHIE) THOMPSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
J. S. (JIM) WINSLOW
DENVER H. YATES
BURNIS J. PETTY
A. J. (ARTHUR) STALLINGS

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
AKIN SIMPSON
ED J. CARPENTER
GLASS GLENN
E. H. FUQUA

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J. S. NABORS
J. W. JACKSON
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REAL ESTATE

48 Farms & Ranches
FARM near Lamm for sale, rent or trade. C. A. Miller, Miller Tire Store, 3 blocks west Montgomery Ward, Big Spring.

49 Business Property
BUSINESS lot, 50x140, on new highway at 302 Gregg. See J. W. Eldred, 110 Runnels Street.

COMMITTEE NAMED TO STUDY CITY'S BASEBALL PROBLEM

A committee chosen from the directors of the chamber of commerce has been named by Ted O. Groeb, president of the chamber.

to make a thorough study of the baseball situation with the view of recommending whether inter-organization cooperation could secure the game here this season.

The committee is empowered only to make a complete survey. The chamber directors will consider the final report, and if favorable, might ask other agencies to consider the recommendations.

On the committee are R. L. Cook, G. C. Dunham, R. M. McEwen, Edmund Nottetina, and Fred Keating.

33 Years Ago, You Couldn't Call On City For Frozen-Pipe Service; Municipality 'Born' Jan. 25, 1907

The City of Big Spring celebrated (?) its 33rd birthday Thursday by seeking to answer a multitude of calls from frantic water customers who were still having pipe troubles from freezing.

Thirty-three years ago, such a cold snap as Big Spring is experiencing currently would have concerned the inhabitants collectively not one whit.

About all that the residents could have done then would have been to make demands on C. P. Alderman's private water company, or chop a hole in a new barrel of water.

In spite of the water service, many still preferred to do business with their private water haulers.

No Taxes, No Debt
Thirty-three years ago the collective inhabitants of Big Spring had no taxes or municipal debt.

The 3,000 population had been debating the incorporation idea for some time and the petition on which an election was held finally had been drawn up in September of 1905.

The vote favored incorporation 123-85, and on Jan. 25, 1907, L. A. Dale, county judge, officially declared the inhabitants of the two square-mile area duly incorporated.

It is true that in 1907 the new-born City of Big Spring had no debt nor taxes. Today the tax rate is \$1.70 per hundred dollars valuation and the outstanding indebtedness is \$206,000 as of Dec. 31, but in 1907 the City of Big Spring had nothing to show except a few haphazard cowtrails and sandbars to serve as streets, extremely irregular terrain even in the downtown section, hogs running wild and 3,000 souls for population.

Today's Assets
Today the City of Big Spring carries capital assets of \$1,933,213.96, a figure that will be increased to \$2,208,231 in a month or so when waterworks improvements are completed.

In reality the asset value is even higher, probably going near the \$3,000,000 mark since the city only credits itself with what has actually been out on a job, less depreciation.

The great number of government relief projects in recent years makes the asset figure distorted on the conservative side.

Too, the city today has a water system which will include two lakes as well as a battery of prolific deep wells. It has a sewer system. It has several miles of paved streets, scores of miles of improved dirt streets, a regular fire and police department, traffic signal lights, golf course and many other recreational facilities, a massive auditorium, much road and other construction machinery, and many, many other things.

The population, incidentally, is now estimated at around 17,500.

And although residents are now paying where they had no occasion to pay 23 years ago, they are getting service they never dreamed possible when incorporation was up for consideration.

NO LOVE THEM
SAN RAFAEL, Calif., Jan. 25 (AP)—Dr. Byron Haines, who was accused in a \$200,000 alienation of affections suit of being a love thief at 84 years of age, had a jury's verdict today that he was no such offender.

Title Hearing Is Set Aside

With one attorney out of the case because of a death in his family, the Yohum county land title suit of Louis Hamilton, et al., against J. C. Keiter, et al., was set aside Thursday by District Judge Cecil Collins in favor of a compensation case.

G. E. Lockhart, Lubbock, one of two plaintiffs' attorneys, had to withdraw from the case Tuesday afternoon.

Judge Collins dismissed the jury until Thursday and then dismissed them again when it appeared that Lockhart could not go on at this time.

Parlee Polson brought suit against Federal Underwriters Exchange to have the award of the state accident board set aside. She brought suit on the grounds that the award was insufficient since her late husband, Joseph E. Polson, has died some seven months later.

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Shortly thereafter, Carl Wright Johnson declared:

"It is Dr. Johnson's position that this board has a perfect right to conduct this investigation, but he denies that the board is possessed of any judicial power. We believe that any judicial right to present its findings to a court, the charges, on their face, are alleged to have been committed prior to his election to the position he holds."

Tom Debery, board member appointed by former Governor James V. Aldred, interjected at one point, stating that he had not been informed of Assistant Secretary of State Claude Williams' connection with the investigation until he saw it in a newspaper.

Knox explained Williams had been acting "at my request."

At the outset Williams explained he had made an investigation at the hospital at the request of the board of control.

The statement had more than ordinary significance because it is not customary procedure for members of the state department to perform such investigations.

The secretary of state is an appointee of the governor. However, Governor W. Lee O'Daniel has said he had nothing to do with the investigation.

Charges of "moral unfitness" against Dr. Johnson included:

"That early in 1939, Miss Ras Stockton, nurse in the hospital, was called to Dr. Johnson's office. In the course of the conversation she was given to understand that she would have to permit Dr. Johnson to have sexual relations with her or not be treated so nicely. Miss Stockton advised the doctor that she needed a job but that that had."

"On or about June 22, 1938, Dr. Johnson interviewed Frances Feeling, 18, applicant for a job. Dr. Johnson asked Miss Feeling if she ever picked cotton. Miss Feeling advised him she had not. Dr. Johnson asked her if she had picked cotton for him and Dr. Johnson reached for her, but she, having heard of Johnson would get fresh with her folded her arms. x x x Dr. Johnson told Miss Feeling he could tell if she had ever picked cotton another way other than looking at her knees." Miss Feeling refused.

"That about December 8, 1937, Wanda Johnson, 17, applicant for a job, was interviewed by Dr. Johnson. Johnson requested her to have a seat very close to him, then he placed his hand on Miss Johnson's knee and tried to pet her. Miss Johnson moved away from him."

"That about April 12, 1939, Kathleen Taylor, applicant for a job, was interviewed by Dr. Johnson. That Dr. Johnson put his hand on her knee under her dress and started to pet her. Miss Taylor moved away from him and told him she didn't like things like that. Dr. Johnson told Miss Taylor that all the girls he employed generally do what he wants them to do."

"That about August 1, 1937, Hazel Bishop, applicant for a job, was interviewed by Dr. Johnson. While she was in the superintendent's office she was given to understand she would have to submit to Dr. Johnson's advances if she wanted a job."

"That about Aug. 10, 1938, Myrtle Mae Bishop, job applicant, was interviewed by the superintendent. Dr. Johnson had Miss Bishop sit on his lap, hugged her and asked her to kiss him."

"That Marjorie Louise Watson, stenographer at the hospital from March 1, 1937, to Dec. 31, 1938, lived in mental dread of Dr. Johnson for every time she had to take dictation from him he would try to hug and kiss her and would pat her on the knee. She finally resigned."

"That Ruby Benton, employed at the hospital for two years, went to Dr. Johnson's office to obtain a bit pass on several occasions, and on each occasion Dr. Johnson tried to put his arms around her and made advances."

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Hearing (Continued from Page 1)

About July, 1939, after returning to the institution in February, Miss Stockton asserted Dr. Johnson asked her:

"If I've been nice to you, don't you think it's your turn to be nice to me?"

"I answered that," the witness testified, "by telling Dr. Johnson I was grateful."

"Did the doctor say anything else?" the attorney pressed.

"I told him the thing he was suggesting was wrong, that I didn't play that way," she answered. "I assumed he was making improper advances toward me."

"Oh, you assumed it?" the attorney asked.

"Yes," she answered, "I assumed it from all the conversation that was going on around the hospital."

Early in the hearing, State Rep. Fred Felty of San Antonio made the statement: "It is my intention to clean out the San Antonio hospital. In my opinion there are many gross irregularities at the institution. x x x I believe that before we ever discover the true conditions down there, it will be necessary to remove Dr. Johnson."

Profit taking put the trend downward from the start. Losses were in minor fractions, however, and near the close, these were wiped in some cases. A few issues also managed to emerge on the upside, but the history of yesterday apparently had faded.

Many items were noted, as well as some not so cheerful, but real buying stimulation was lacking. Many skeptical traders cashed profits on the theory the market had yet to give a definite recovery signal. Business, congressional politics and the war provided little speculative fuel. Encouraging was the fact volume dwindled in declining periods. Transfers approximated 600,000 shares.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Jan. 25 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle salable 1,200; total 1,200; calves salable 700; total 700; most common 5.00-7.50; few good steers to 8.00; good yearlings 5.95-8.50; cows largely 4.50-5.50; bulls 6.25 down; stags calves mostly 4.00-7.50; good and choice 7.75-8.50.

Hogs salable 1.20; total 1,400; packer top 8.50; good and choice 175-260 lbs. 8.50-9.00; packing sows 4.00-4.50.

Sheep salable and total 1,500; woolled fat lambs 7.50-8.50; latter price for contract lambs; fall shorn lambs 7.50; fresh shorn lambs 7.25; woolled yearlings 7.60; good and choice 7.75-8.50.

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Large Crowd Expected For Birthday Ball

Tickets (\$1.50 per couple) to the Birthday Ball for the President, are on sale at Cunningham & Phillips No. 1 store, Club Cafe, Jack Frost Pharmacy and the chamber of commerce. The celebration will be held at the Settles hotel, where Jack Frost's orchestra will play; at the Crawford ballroom, where Clarence Davis and his orchestra will play, and at the Elks clubrooms on Main street, where Jim Winslow's fiddle band will hold forth. All details for the affairs have been worked out, said Grover C. Dunham, chairman of the committee, Thursday, and he predicted one of the largest crowds in the history of the celebration, to attend.

MARKETS

Wall Street

NEW YORK, Jan. 25 (AP)—Stock market leaders returned to the big house today as

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TODAY

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Michigan Deer State

SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—With nearly 6,000,000 big game animals still left in the United States, according to a biological survey just completed, California ranks third in other population. Michigan and Pennsylvania are first and second in the number of deer they possess and which constitute 5,000,000 of the total of big game animals. California has the largest number of big horn sheep and is second, after Washington, with black bears.

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**U. S. Watching Interests In The Balkans**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—The Allies' and Germany's nutcracker pressure on Rumania, over sale of oil to the Nazi army, has put the state department on guard against possible injury to American interests in the Balkan kingdom.

The United States government's attention was focused on the situation as the result of the Allies' warning to Rumania that "grave consequences" would follow any attempt to compel British and French-controlled companies to deliver oil to "the enemy."

Any action by the state department would be taken only if the tussle between the Allies and Germany over Rumanian oil embroiled the Romano-American Oil company, one of the largest in Rumania with about \$5,000,000 invested in 98 wells with an annual production of 6,385,000 barrels.

Under Nazi pressure Rumania has been promised to increase oil deliveries to Germany from a normal 1,000,000 tons annually to 1,500,000 tons at the rate of 130,000 tons a month, plus additional shipments to make up for accrued non-deliveries.

To fulfill the agreement and speed up sales and deliveries, King Carol issued a decree establishing state control of petroleum production and export.

Since approximately 80 per cent of Rumanian oil production is owned or controlled by British, French and other foreign interests the allied governments fear their nationals may be forced to provide some of the German order.

**Oil Reserves At New Peak**

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 25 (AP)—The United States entered the year with 19,687,370,000 barrels of proven crude oil reserves—the largest in the industry's history, the Oil and Gas Journal said today.

The new peak of reserves represents an increase of 1,455,604,000 barrels over the previous year. The discovery of 254 new fields and the extensions of old pools resulted in the hike of known crude deposits.

During 1939, the publication said 2,710,388,000 barrels in new reserves were discovered while the nation's production was 1,265,783,000 barrels.

Texas has proven reserves of 10,794,055,000 barrels, or 54.8 per cent of the total for the United States. California has 17.6 per cent, or 3,447,622,000 barrels. Oklahoma ranks third with 1,287,906,000 barrels, or 6.5 per cent. The remaining 21.5 per cent is scattered among 20 other oil producing states.

Texas also led in discovery of new reserves in 1939 with 1,070,145,000 barrels or 39.5 per cent of the total for the nation. California was second with 18.5 per cent, or 500,500,000 barrels and Illinois, third, with 429,070,000 barrels, or 15.8 per cent.

Among the larger oil producing states, the reserves of Oklahoma and Pennsylvania declined. The production in each state in 1939 exceeded new discoveries of reserves.

In tabulating the reserves, the publication listed 3,502,956,000 barrels in fields on settled production; 11,980,037,000 barrels in fields of flush or semi-flush production, and 4,104,386,000 barrels in partially developed fields.

**ONLY 27 STATES HAVE SESSIONS OF LEGISLATURE**

CHICAGO, (U.P.)—Only seven state legislatures are holding regular sessions this year, but changes in Federal social security legislation may result in several special sessions, the Public Administration Clearing House has reported.

Congressional approval of expanded aid to the aged, the blind and dependent children, came after many state legislatures adjourned last year. Some of them plan special sessions to take advantage of the new provisions.

Kentucky, Mississippi, Rhode Island, New Jersey, South Carolina and Virginia legislatures convened early in January. The Louisiana legislature will meet in May.

Revision of unemployment compensation laws, other labor legislation and education programs, in addition to the social security legislation, are the major items before the legislatures.

**REGISTERS CLAIM**  
ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 25 (AP)—The federal government has registered claims for \$1,621.94 in back income taxes against former Governor Eugene Talmadge, democratic critic of New Deal trade and agricultural policies.

**Board Recommends Dissolution Of Employees Agency**

FORT WORTH, Jan. 25 (AP)—Complete disestablishment of the employees collective bargaining agency of the Texas Company at Port Arthur, one of the world's largest refineries, was recommended by a National Labor Relations board trial examiner yesterday in a report to Edwin A. Elliott, regional director of the NLRB here.

The company has 20 days within which to comply with the recommendation which followed a hearing at which the examiner found the company engaged in unfair labor practices through domination and interference with the formation and administration of the employees collective bargaining agency and the employees representation plan, and through contributing support to the organizations.

The examiner also found interference through restraining and coercing employees in the exercise of their rights as guaranteed in the national labor act.

**Ohio Is Denied Reimbursement For Pensions**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—Ohio has lost its battle for federal reimbursement of \$1,338,000 which it claimed to have spent for old age assistance while under suspension by the social security board.

Climaxing a short debate that brought republican charges of "politics" and "bureaucracy," the house voted late yesterday to uphold President Roosevelt's veto of a bill to repay the state.

The vote was 171 to override the veto and 153 to support it, but a two-thirds majority is necessary to reject the president's decision.

Representative Jenkins (R-Ohio) told the house that the bill had the approval of Paul V. McNutt, Federal Security administrator.

Mr. Roosevelt said in his veto message:

"It seems to me that the disapproval of this bill will serve notice on every state in the union that all kinds of federal aid must be conditioned on full compliance with the federal law and wholly without discrimination or inefficiency."

In Ohio, Gov. John W. Bricker declared that failure of the government to repay the money would hit at 125,000 "innocent persons who are on Ohio's pension rolls."

The argument held the house in session until dusk yesterday, delaying debate on the bill appropriating \$1,032,154,612 for the treasury and postoffice departments.

The deficiency bill appropriating \$251,822,588 for emergency defense and neutrality expenses still was before the senate, where another victory for economy supporters also was in prospect.

**LOUISIANA'S CRUDE ALLOWABLE BOOSTED**

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 25 (AP)—Louisiana's daily oil allowable production for February was set by Ernest S. Clements, state commissioner of conservation, at 273,233 barrels, an increase of 5,061 barrels over the January production.

The quota for south Louisiana fields was fixed at 211,800 barrels daily, or an increase of 5,482 barrels daily over the January allowable.

North Louisiana production was set at 61,444 barrels daily, or a decrease of 781 barrels.

**EUROPEAN PASSPORTS ON THE TOBAGAN**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—The state department gave out these figures today to show why American tourists now are novelties in far-off lands where they once swarmed like grasshoppers.

In 1939 only 89,850 passports were issued, against 134,737 in 1938 and 168,016 in 1937.

But many of those issued last year never were used because of war in Europe and Asia.

Texas were issued 2,180 passports in 1939.

**Five Soldier Brothers All In Same Company**

COLUMBIA, S. C. (U.P.)—Camp Jackson, winter quarters for the 6th division, has the Klein brothers.

The five brothers are from Monticello, Minn. They joined the army at different times but somehow reached the same company.

Corporal Carroll J. is the middle brother but has been in the army the longest, four years. Kenneth and Edward have been in four and two years respectively, and the young twins, age 18, David and Francis, enlisted last summer.

**ABANDON HOPE**

GENOA, Jan. 25 (AP)—Italian line officials today gave up for lost 104 persons—44 passengers and 60 crew members—in the burning of the liner Orso.

A statement issued by the line said an official investigation of the fire that swept the South American-bound liner Sunday in the western Mediterranean showed it was due entirely "to a mechanical accident to the left motor."

**GERMAN IS ARRESTED**

NARVIK, Norway, Jan. 25 (AP)—Police today arrested a German who they believed had supplied information leading to the torpedoing of at least three ships by German submarines.

The prisoner, named Mueller, was charged with espionage.

**CRASH IS FATAL**  
WICHITA FALLS, Jan. 25 (AP)—A broken neck suffered when his truck overturned southeast of Henrietta Tuesday morning proved fatal today to P. E. Hunter, 30, Wichita Falls school supply dealer.

**BAN ON KISSING AS FLU SPREADS**  
BERKELEY, Calif., Jan. 25 (AP)—University of California health officers decreed a 60-day ban on kissing after 18 students were stricken with mild cases of influenza. This, Dr. S. L. Katzoff said today, was a mistake.

"A good, healthy kiss never spread any germs," said Dr. Katzoff, medical director and psychiatrist on the San Francisco Institute of Human Relations. "A genuine kiss generates so much heat it destroys germs. If anything, the university ought to advocate more kissing."

**STATE OFFICER DIES**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 25 (AP)—Major General Walter G. Robinson, 66, adjutant-general of the state since Dec. 11, 1934, died of coronary thrombosis early today.

Beginning Saturday, January 27, We Will Close On Saturday Evenings At 9 P. M.

**PIGGLY WIGGLY**

**LETTUCE Firm Heads Ea. 3 1/2c**

**CELERY Well Bleached Large Stalk 10c**

**LEMONS California Large Size Doz. 12 1/2c**

**ORANGES Tex. Choice Fruit—Full of Juice Doz. 12 1/2c**

**GRAPEFRUIT Tex. Seedless Nice Size 4 For 5c**

**Tomatoes, 3 for 20c**

**Pickles, 25 oz. Jar 12 1/2c**

**EGGS, Doz. 24c**

**OATS, Large Box 18c**

**PEACHES, Heavy Syrup 9c**

**Candy—Gum, 4 for 11c**

**Chili, With Beans No. 300 tall can 15c**

**SOAP, Each 5c**

**EXTRACT, 19c**

**CHERRIES, No. 2 Can 12 1/2c**

**SOUP, 3 for 25c**

**G-BEANS, 2 for 15c**

**FLOUR, 24-lb. Sack .83c, 48-lb. Sack \$1.59**

**PEACHES, Heavy Syrup 12 1/2c**

**COFFEE, Lb. 23c**

**OLEO, Lb. Carton 12 1/2c**

**TAMALES, No. 1-1-2 Can 10c**

**POPCORN, 7 1/2c**

**CRACKERS, Salted 2 lb. Box 14c**

**CORN, Country Gentleman No. 2 Can 10c**

**PEANUT BUTTER, Plymouth Qt. Jar 23c**

**TOMATO JUICE, 3 for ..... 19c**

**CRANBERRY SAUCE, 17-oz. can ..... 10c**

**Pineapple Juice, 3 for ..... 25c**

**COFFEE ..... 19c**

**GRAPENUTS ..... 12 1/2c**

**CAKE FLOUR ..... 24c**

**BAKING POWDER ..... 17c**

**COFFEE, lb. .... 29c**

**PRESERVES ..... 20c**

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**Club Steaks, lb. ... 23c**

BONELESS ROAST ..... lb. 18c

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**BACKBONE, Country Style Lb. 18c**

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