

# Senate Passes Administration's AAA Bill

### News Behind The News

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### WASHINGTON

By RAY TUCKER

**Votes—**  
Congress has taken to heart the lesson learned in the Corcoran-Brewster scrape over the public utilities bill. The boys are dodging charges that White House domination has transformed them into legislative dummies.

Despite Treasury officials' curiously, the Ways and Means Committee has barred executive emissaries from the rooms in which it is hammering out a new tax bill. Not a word has leaked to downtown about their changes in rates or the scope of the taxation. The men who once passed Brain Trust preparations without reading them now exhibit Napoleonic courage.

The reason is obvious. They are framing the most politically unobjectionable bill they can put together. They don't crave interference or suggestions from advisers who want a revenue-raising instead of vote-raising scheme. And nobody cares to be scorched by the spotlight that blistered Ralph Brewster.

### Crossed—

The White House is badly miffed at unhappy disclosures that it is planning for 1936-37 relief expenditures even before it has spent its \$4,850,000,000 fund. That sum was designed as the "big push" against unemployment. Now Republicans are charging that the administration concedes its inadequacy.

A quiet check-up reveals that Secretary Perkins tipped off the writing boys. The usually tight-lipped Secretary of Labor blurted out the story on leaving the White House. She didn't realize that she was giving out a first-rate piece of political news which every critic would pounce upon.

Attempts to cover up by explaining that the Treasury was preparing preliminary budget estimates didn't get far. Emergency expenditures are always the last to be forecast and no estimate will mean anything until the results of the present work-relief activity are known. The normally canny New Dealers have crossed their publicity wires several times lately. There has been too much talking and squabbling in the east.

### Plankers—

A presidential confidant furnishes a sensible explanation for Mr. Roosevelt's treatment of aides whose impulsiveness or indiscretions cause him unnecessary heartburnings. No Chief Executive in years has been so restrained in his verbal chidings or so slow in severing relations with recalcitrants.

Mr. Roosevelt cannot make quick decisions with regard to people in his train, according to this view. He can reach a judgment on a policy without delay, although he does not always let advisers know how his mind is working at the moment. But he prefers to take his time when it comes to passing on human relationships.

The President also places a high premium on loyalty, balancing that quality against lack of ability or judgment. But when he makes up his mind that somebody must go, he acts diplomatically but effectively. Almost without knowing how or why they walk the plank and make their splash. Several are taking the last walk now but they don't know what's pushing them.

### Foresight

Silver speculators banking on the administration to balloon the price to \$1.29 or anywhere near that figure are bound to be disappointed. Unless they stored up the metal early in the game—possibly below sixty cents an ounce—they may not recoup their white chips.

Treasury purchases must be matched against the price of silver as it will be fixed some day at a world conference. If the U. S. loads up at its high figure—above \$1—it may stand to lose many millions. It wins only if it can acquire a store below the price eventually agreed upon by the world. These considerations influence Treasury manipulation as much as Congressional mandates and political pressure. Everybody on the inside knows it.

President Roosevelt has pointed out that there can be no "permanent measure of value" for gold or silver without concerted action by many nations. The speculators forget that remark. Secretary Hull has consistently queried foreign governments on silver. Meanwhile, we are buying it at slightly above fifty cents—and it will be good business to keep it there while we hold the bag.

## Italo-Ethiopian Diplomatic Relations Are Threatened

### Italian Official Refuses To Attend Emperor's Feast

(By Associated Press)  
A royal birthday celebration has threatened to rupture diplomatic relations between Italy and Ethiopia.

The Italian minister to Addis Ababa Tuesday refused to attend Emperor Haile Selassie's reception marking his forty-fourth anniversary on account of the bitter tone of the emperor's recent address to parliament.

Ethioplans interpreted this as being a slight.

Authoritative French quarters disclosed Tuesday France is seeking a treaty giving Italy economic domination over Ethiopia in return for Italy's promise that Ethiopia can have nominal independence. England called in British women and children with missionaries in Ethiopia.

Missionaries were ordered to concentrate in the Ethiopian capital.

## Damage Suit Filed Here

### Litigation Outgrowth Of Death Of Infant Luther Gray In Nov. 1933

Suit for \$6,065 damages was filed in the 70th district court here Tuesday by Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Gray against E. D. Smith.

The litigation is an outgrowth of the death of Luther G. Gray, infant son of the couple, in a highway mishap November 26, 1933 in the west part of town. Luther was killed instantly when his skull was crushed beneath the wheels of a truck.

E. D. Smith, driver of the truck, is a resident of McCullough county.

## Forgery Charges Are Filed Against Woman

Charges of forgery have been lodged against a woman giving the name of Louella Steele in connection with the passing of an instrument to Sam Fisherman. The signature allegedly is a forgery, was given as J. D. White by wife. Officers said that they took the woman to her quarters Sunday morning at her request to get some belongings. She was left alone for a moment, officers said, and had to be rushed to a local hospital for treatment against a dose of acid.

## MARKETS

(G. E. Berry and Co., 306 Petroleum Bldg., Jas. R. Bird, Manager)			
NEW YORK COTTON			
Opng.	High	Low	Close
Jan. 11.35	11.40	11.25	11.35
Mar. 11.32	11.47	11.21	11.30
May 11.35	11.28	11.24	11.28
July 11.94	11.95	11.75	11.91
Oct. 11.50	11.54	11.35	11.50
Dec. 11.36	11.42	11.24	11.25
NEW ORLEANS COTTON			
Jan. 11.29	11.30	11.20	11.31
Mar. 11.26	11.31	11.19	11.25
May 11.30	11.34	11.19	11.25
July 11.75	11.90	11.47	11.69
Oct. 11.46	11.48	11.30	11.45
Dec. 11.28	11.35	11.20	11.30
CHICAGO GRAIN			
Wheat			
July 85 1-8	85 1-2	73	83 3-4
Sept 84 1-2	86 1-2	83 3-8	84 1-8
Dec. 88	88 1-8	85 1-8	86 7-16
Corn			
July 83 5-8	84 1-4	83 5-8	84
Sept. 75 1-8	76	75	75 3-4
Dec. 62 3-4	63 1-4	63 5-8	62 3-4
STOCKS			
American P-L	33 3-4		
American T&T	127 1-4		
AT&F	54 3-4		
Anaconda Copper	16 3-8		
Consolidated	20 7-8		
Continental	77 3-8		
Freeport	26		
General Electric	28		
General Motors	37 1-2		
T&T	10		
Montgomery Ward	20 3-4		
Ohio Oil	11 1-8		
Pure	8 3-8		
Plymouth	9 1-8		
Radio	6 1-4		
Republic Steel	16 1-2		
Socoxy Vac	12 5-8		
Texas Co.	18 5-8		
U. S. Steel	41 1-8		
CURBS			
Cities Service	1 1-2		
Electric B&S	8 1-8		
Gulf	62		
Humble	57 7-8		
MISS MARTIN HONOURED			
Miss Anne Martin, county superintendent, was honored with an informal shower Monday by women employees of the court house. The shower was a birthday surprise.			
Mrs. Fred Sellers, accompanied by her son Pete Sellers went to Abilene Tuesday called there by the illness of a relative.			

## SEEK TO OPEN LUSITANIA GRAVE



An all-metal diving suit, shown being loaded into the hold of the salvage ship, "Ophir," on the River Clyde, was to be used in an effort to reach the Lusitania, sunk by U-boats off the Ireland coast on the eve of America's entry into the world war. (Associated Press Photo)

## Prominent Park Officials To Be Here Saturday

When state park and national park service officials come here Saturday for ceremonies commemorating the observance of the establishment of a CCC camp here a year ago, they will find several projects going full tilt.

Enrollees Tuesday morning were engaged in cleaning up the premises around the pavilion and building open air extensions to that structure. Just west of the pavilion another crew was completing the rock work on the concessions building. Interior fixtures were being installed in the latrine. Last sections of the massive retaining wall on the descending drive were slowly going up. The entrance on highway No. 9 south, was nearing the stage when heavy rails will be installed as a cattle guard. Part of the entrance super-structure had been started. In the northwest corner of the park a tractor and grader were utilized to throw up a grade for a road which may soon connect the park with highway No. 1 west.

Thompson R. Richardson, technical service superintendent, was going over the park project Tuesday morning with an inspecting engineer.

All of this was an ordinary procedure for the camp, but it took on new meaning in the light of the affair to be held here Saturday when prominent out-of-town guests will come here to view the park and improvements made by the CCC workers under the supervision of national park service.

Climaxing a day of entertainment at the park and other points of interest near here, a buffet dinner honoring the visiting and resident

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## TODAY'S BASEBALL RESULTS

(Courtesy Union Club—Western Union Ticker Service)

American League Results	
Cleveland	62
Washington	61
Batteries: Sorrell and Hayworth; Gomez and Dickey.	
National League Results	
St. Louis	202 1
Boston	019 0 0 0
Batteries: Andrews and Hemsley; Ostermueler, Casceralla and H. Farrell.	
Chicago	000 0 0 0
Philadelphia	000 0 2 0
Batteries: Kennedy and Sewell; Marcum and Richards.	
National League	
New York	000 0 0 0
St. Louis	200 1 1 0
Batteries: Parmelee and Danning; P. Dean and Delaney.	
Medwick, home run for St. Louis in 1st, one on.	
Boston	5
Cincinnati	3
Batteries: Betts and Moulter; Johnson and Lombard.	
Berges, home run for Boston in 1st, two on.	
Brooklyn	000 0 0 0
Chicago	220 0 10 30
Batteries: Babich and Lopez; Henshaw and O'Dea.	
Klein, home run for Chicago, in 7th, one on.	

## Tenseness Of Relief Situation Eased As City Agrees To Pay

An unheralded pronouncement coming from the city Tuesday brought a new development to the city-county controversy over bearing of relief burdens and eased the tenseness of the situation.

Without warning, the city announced it had agreed to pay one-half of the rent on the building occupied by the relief organization.

This expenditure had been the one point which made the controversy acute since owners of the quarters had asked rental money past due.

Reason for the concession on the part of the city was summed up in the official statement: "Anticipating that the city of Big Spring will be selected as district relief headquarters for some 13 counties, and to prevent the closing of the Howard county relief headquarters for lack of payment of rent, the city of Big Spring has agreed to pay one-half of the rent on the building now occupied by the Howard county relief organization."

The so-called controversial issue between the city and county is reflecting views over the hearing of relief administration expense, i. e. the city clung to the position that it was the county's duty to bear charity burdens to avoid double taxation on urban residents; the county held to the opinion a 50-50 arrangement was the satisfactory basis in view of custom.

In agreeing to pay half of the rental expense attached to maintenance of relief headquarters, the city did not alter its stand on other angles of the charity issue such as caring for paupers, hospitalization, burials, etc.

It has been indicated in high circles that relief as purely such is scheduled to go as quickly as possible. One of the first steps will be the abolition of the bulk of county administrative agencies, replacing them by modified district set-ups.

This, apparently, was what stimulated the city's action.

Members of the county relief committee and relief officials expressed satisfaction over the move. They had been in a peculiar spot for the past month while the two local governmental agencies stood their ground despite warnings and quasi-threats from Anna R. Johnson, Texas Relief Commission director.

## Elmer Tells All

### Peoria, Ill., Plant Burns; 12 Men Hurt

PEORIA, Ill. (AP)—Fire which swept the huge Hiram Walker distillery after a terrific explosion, was controlled Tuesday after causing an estimated damage of \$2,700,000. Twelve men were injured.

Searchers were seeking the body of John Barton, employe, missing since the blast. Another worker, William Mulseub, was found after reported missing. Six million gallons of whiskey was set afire. Rack-house No. 3, where the blast occurred, was destroyed.

"Where's Elmer?" That question often asked during the senate lobby inquiry always brought Elmer Danielson, Warren, Pa., messenger boy. He is shown as he told how he obtained signatures to anti-utility bill telegrams at three cents each. (Associated Press Photo)

## - LATE - NEWS

### MEXICO CITY (AP)—

Two peasants were reported killed Tuesday in Villa Juarez as a movement against Rafael Villarreal, governor of Tamoulpas, and municipal authorities in the state gained strength. Three thousand agrarians, paraded Ciudad Victoria Monday night demanding resignation of the governor.

### WACO (AP)—

J. A. Hargett, Moody; Mrs. Geneva Merrell, Bowie, sisters, were struck and killed Tuesday by an automobile while en route to church. The bodies were dragged 150 feet.

CHICAGO (AP)—

Choice medium weight hogs sold Tuesday at \$11 per hundred, the highest in five years.

### WASHINGTON (AP)—

Quay C. Haller, York, Pa., representative of the Associated Gas and Electric Company, testified to the Senate lobby committee Tuesday names for 700 anti-utility bill telegrams from York, furnished him by E. A. Barlett, vice-president of the York Railway Company, from a list of its employes.

Earlier testimony was given that a representative of the Metropolitan Edison Company paid for anti-utility bill telegrams at York "signed" by others by a deceased person and another not living in the city.

### SAN ANTONIO (AP)—

Alfred Renz, 45, was charged with murder Tuesday in connection with the death of Fred Robinson, 49, Monday. At the same time Justice of Peace Carrigan rendered a verdict of suicide in the death of Mrs. Annie Renz Meyer, 36, Robinson's fiancée.

She was found dead in a hotel room after Robinson died of a blow. In a statement Renz said he had been trying to persuade Mrs. Meyer to break with Robinson, whom she planned to marry.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Ray Pate and Geneva Moody, Clarence E. Parks and Greta Bernice Ragan.

### IN THE 70TH DISTRICT COURT

T. L. Gray and Maude Gray vs. E. D. Smith, suit for damages.

Geneva McChristian vs. A. E. McChristian, suit for divorce.

Miss Lee Ida Pinkston returned home Sunday, after visiting relatives in Claco.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smith and children, Evelyn and L. L. Jr., returned Monday night from a several days visit in Mineral Wells.

### DRILLING OPERATIONS AT McDOWELL WELL ARE TEMPORARILY DELAYED

Drilling operations, shut down temporarily Tuesday, were to be resumed during the afternoon on the John I. Moore No. 1 McDowell deep test in Glasscock county.

The shut down was occasioned when the fuel oil supply ran short. The hauler was unable to keep up with consumption, it was said.

Down to 2,963 feet, the test had gone through an extremely hard formation which had troubled drillers for days. They were able to make about 3 feet per hour in the new formation.

There were no new oil shows but geologists were seeking to correlate the formation with those of other deep tests. They had expected the softer formation encountered in McDowell test.

### 41st District Rotary Head Visits Club

Ladies' Day Observed In Honor Of Visiting Official Tuesday

Governor Jim Willson, Floydada, district head of the Rotarians, addressed a large assembly of local Rotarians and Rotary Anns and visitors Tuesday at the Settles hotel.

Mr. Willson, who has recently concluded his last trip to the Orient spoke feelingly on the menace of the Japanese situation and the grave problems it would bring to American motherhood. He said that a Japanese man said to him that no nation would ever exist long where the women did not know their place. Girls of six years were put to work in that country he said, although the children of the nation as a whole were being educated. The education was wished to teach them to obey the wishes of the Mikado.

Along this line, Mr. Willson developed his talk referring to the two philosophies of the world—that of getting, as exemplified by Japan, and her position in the Abyssinian-Italian situation. At this point he stopped to tell of attending a Rotary luncheon in Singapore which was also attended by the Prince of Siam.

The opposite philosophy, that reflected by the Rotary creed was, he said, the philosophy of giving, especially the Japanese situation, one that demanded a good deal of study.

Governor Willson will meet committee chairmen and Rotarians in club assembly this evening in Hotel Settles at 8 o'clock.

Music was furnished during the luncheon period by Jimmy Ross and his orchestra, now playing an engagement at Hotel Settles. The singing was led by W. C. Blankenship.

President Marvin House called on each Rotarian to introduce himself, with classification, and guests. Visiting Rotarians were Percy Mims and Clint Lackey of Midland.

## Intended To Validate AAA Crop Contracts

### Carries Limited Ban Against Suits To Recover Processing Taxes

WASHINGTON (AP)—Carrying the second time in two days, the senate Tuesday tabled an amendment to the AAA bill by Senator McCarran, Nevada, to abolish President Roosevelt's power to negotiate reciprocal agreements without senate approval.

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## Midland To Ask 1936 Convention Of Newspapermen

MIDLAND — Probability that Midland will ask for the 1936 convention of the West Texas Press Association was voiced in a preliminary conference of newspaper and chamber of commerce representatives Monday.

This year's meeting will be at Big Spring August 16 and 17. T. Paul Barron, editor of the Reporter-Telegram, has been put on the program for a talk on newspaper problems.

R. Henderson Shuffler, secretary of the association, in a letter to the Reporter-Telegram, pledged the support of his staff in bringing the next meeting to Midland if the invitation is extended.

## WPA Officials, Planning Board Meet Thursday

A meeting of the Howard County planning board, composed of representatives of city and county governmental agencies and various civic bodies has been called to meet Thursday morning at the district courtroom in the courthouse at 9 o'clock, at which time WPA officials, headed by Homer McNew, will outline the WPA program. Included in the program will be the giving of information as to submitting projects under this program and other valuable information pertaining to the operation of the Work Progress Administration.

Letters have been mailed from local headquarters of the WPA to the planning boards in the other twelve counties embracing this area. McNew announced, and meetings similar to the one to be held here Thursday morning will be conducted next week.

Charges were lodged Monday in the county court against Sam White for possession of untaxed beer. White was taken, according to officers, after a raid during the week-end.

## The Weather

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday.

EAST TEXAS—Mostly cloudy, scattered thundershowers in south portion tonight and Wednesday.

WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy, probably showers in extreme west portion tonight and Wednesday.

NEW MEXICO—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday, except probable local thundershowers over north central portion.

TEMPERATURES	
1	84 71
2	85 71
3	86 71
4	85 71
5	86 70
6	86 70
7	83 71
8	78 75
9	78 75
10	78 75
11	78 75
12	78 81
Sun sets tonight at 7:50 p. m.	
Sun rises tomorrow at 5:55 a. m.	

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MERTZ TROPHY GOLFERS ASSEMBLE AT SAN ANGELO

Refiners Are Trimmed By Lab

By HANK HAYT The Cotton Lab, Chemists, a team that lost eleven consecutive games at the start of the season, continued on the comeback road with a sensational upset victory over the fourth place Coston Oilers Monday evening, 3-2.

PRACTICE ROUNDS FOR TODAY

Bristow's Invaders Clash With Concho Linkmen On Wednesday

Obie Bristow, captain of the all-star West Texas golf team which will battle it out with a group of San Angelo linkmen Wednesday for the Mertz trophy, left this morning for San Angelo, where members of his team have been instructed to assemble for practice rounds.

To Demonstrate Skill



Jacob Lamb, celebrated bass angler, snapped in the twilight as he cast his lures over a West Texas lake. Lamb will be here Wednesday to show local Waltonians some of the stuff required to make expert fishermen.

OILERS PLAY SLATON FRIDAY

Spike Henningers' softball team will meet a Slaton aggregation on the city park diamond Friday 7:30 p. m. Immediately following the Coston-Slaton all-star tilt, the Herald Type Lice and Howard County Refiners will get together in a double-header, making up for postponed games.

Buck Weaver On Tonight

Buck Weaver, that pleasing young matinee man who delights the fans by dealing misery to the rougher opponent in a nice way, comes back to town as the main attraction tonight on the weekly wrestling card of the Big Spring Athletic club.

Schedule SOFTBALL

Standings GAMES THIS WEEK Tuesday: No league games scheduled. Wednesday: 7:30 p. m. - Mellinger vs. Herald. Second game - V. F. W. vs. W. O. W. Thursday: 7:30 p. m. - Coston Lab. vs. Flew-ellen. Second game - Howard Co. Refinery vs. Coston. Friday: No league games scheduled.

RUBBER VS. HIDES

Should the Civilian Conservation Corps buy 375,000 pairs of rubber-soled shoes when the government already owns 2,000,000 cowhides, 90,000 of which might be put into shoes for them?

YOUTH AT THE WHEEL

An insurance publication points to the fact that an "astounding percentage" of the growing automobile death toll is caused by cars operated by boys and girls—many of them below the legal age at which they can obtain drivers licenses.

Carter Chevrolet Held

Carter Chevrolet held the same advantage over the Howard County Refiners in the evening's second game, defeating the Refiners, 3-2. The Lee forces jumped into a 2-0 lead in the first inning but the Mechanics set to work in the fourth to wipe out that disadvantage, overcame it in the fifth, and pushed a run across in the seventh to win the game.

Prentiss Bass and "Swede" Walcott

Prentiss Bass and "Swede" Walcott played a big part in the Carter victory, coming through with two blows each. The Refiners combined three base hits with a free pass and a misplayed ball to count their two runs in the first, W. Bryant and Underwood crossing the plate.

Cowboys Profit Off Dallas Game

Cowboy management made a tentative agreement Monday with a player on the Midland Colt team for a game here Sunday afternoon, Joe Pyron, Midland manager, was out of town Monday but will either accept or reject the offer by Wednesday.

Colts Here Sunday Afternoon

Through bad work by the base umpire and an error by Mahoney in right field in the fourth frame, the Cowboys lost to the fast Dallas T&P Savages here Sunday, 5 to 2. The Cowboys realized a profit of \$26.75 off the game. It was the first time this season the local club had cleared money. The Dallas team was paid \$20.

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All-Star Softball Game Is Scheduled Tonight

Howard County Refiners, local softball team, will clash with the Pecos Firemen 7:30 tonight on the city park diamond. Carter Chevrolet team and the Fordmen may make up a postponed game by tangling after the all-star tilt.

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A MOTORIST'S TIME TABLE FOR TEXAS. Table with columns for cities (Abilene, Austin, Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Dallas, Ft. Worth, Galveston, Houston, Laredo, San Antonio, Tyler, Waco) and rows for travel times between them.

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SPECIAL LECTURE At 7:30 P. M., Tuesday, July 23rd At ST. THOMAS CHURCH In North East Big Spring

Trojans Play Giants Today

The Big Spring Trojans, organized during the past week, will play their first game of the season this afternoon at 5 p. m. on the West Third diamond against the Big Spring Giants.

CITY TENNIS MEET PLANNED

Jimmy Myers, one of the city's younger tennis players, will sponsor a city tournament on the high school courts here August 2 and 4. No matches will be played on Saturday Aug. 3, Myers said.

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# CLUBS

## THEY'VE MADE HER A LADY IN NEW MYSTERY FILM, BUT STEFFI IS STILL DUBIOUS!

At the Ritz Tuesday and Wednesday, Steffi was a lady and so is "Steffi" Dunn. And neither she or her fans nor she of the living green felt very comfortable about it.

Steffi is being a lady for the first time in a purple dress. She doesn't know that purple is so ladylike, but she does know it brings her luck.

"One New York Night," a mystery-comedy produced by M-G-M, is the picture that makes Steffi a lady. Not only a lady but a Countess, a Russian Countess.

**A Made-to-Order Role**  
This role is so ideally suited to her because she has a beautiful figure, rich and liquid, and it matches the figure and personality to such advantage in "Men of Two Worlds" and "La Cucaracha."

Steffi was nervous about being a lady for the first day on the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer set. Una Merkel, Janet Tamm and others in the cast assured her that she looked ladylike, indeed, with the purple gown and high collared neck, but she pouted dubiously.

"I don't think like a lady," she said, and Director Jack Conway smiled perceptibly. "I've always loved peasants and Esquimaux—do I look more elegant now?"

She broke off, drawing herself up to her full five feet two.

## Wesley Memorial Group Has Missionary Study

The Wesley Memorial Missionary Study met at the church Monday afternoon with Mrs. John Whitaker as leader for a missionary study program.

Interesting talks were given by Mrs. Bob Wren, W. W. Coleman, H. Knowles and Mrs. Jack King. Mrs. Vada Garrett of Lubbock, sister of Mrs. Knowles, was a chor. Members attending were: Mrs. J. E. Peters, Jack King, Emma Sipes, W. W. Coleman, John Whitaker, A. H. Knowles and Mrs. Wren.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Neblett of Dallas are in Big Spring for a short stay. Mrs. Neblett was a college friend of Mrs. Nell Brown's and Tracy T. Smith at Baylor University. Mr. Neblett was sent here by the Frigidaire Company to install the air-conditioning system in R. F. Schermerhorn residence at Edwards Heights.

## DIVING BOARDS OF FLEXIBLE GLASS MADE POSSIBLE BY NEW TEMPERING

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE  
TOLEDO, O.—Glass diving boards, which used to be in a class with spun ukulele strings and fur-lined syrup pitchers, actually can be made today.

Their manufacture, however, has been accomplished merely as a means of demonstrating flexibility of the new product. The spring boards are made of glass tempered so it will bend. This is done by heating ordinary plate glass until it is almost plastic and then cooling it suddenly with an air blast. The abrupt cooling sets up high strains in the glass. These form a skin on the surface, which appears to pull in a different direction than the strains inside.

This method of tempering plate glass has been in use in Europe for several years. An American firm has obtained use of the European process.

It is claimed for the tempering that glass becomes five times stronger, will bend beyond the breaking point of other glass, can be twisted, is impervious to sudden temperature changes, and when broken does not shatter, but crumbles into innumerable pieces not particularly jagged.

This glass cannot be cut to desired size. A glass cutter sinking deep enough to penetrate the outer skin causes the whole sheet to crumble. This is due to the tremendous pull between the skin and inner portions of the tempered glass.

One of the tests to which it is claimed the glass may be subjected is that a leather sack, containing 11 pounds of shot, dropped six feet upon an inch-thick sheet bounces off without breaking the glass.



Just to show it could be done, manufacturers of the new "rubber" glass turned out a diving board and these young women gave it a test.

## OIL FIELD NEWS

**Miss Womack Honored While Visiting at Boss City**  
Miss Ruth Hull entertained Saturday evening with a surprise party in honor of Miss Marie Womack of Tech, who spent the week-end in the H. B. Hurley home. Miss Womack is a graduate of the Forsan school and a number of her former friends and classmates were invited in. The evening was delightfully spent in dancing and card playing.

The hostess served refreshments of cookies, ice cream and punch. Guests were: Mrs. Cleo Wilson, Sonley Huestes, Lucille Wilson, Maxine and James Thompson, Vivian Fern Caldwell, J. D. Dempsey, Klydie and Seymour Ballard, Maxie Womack, Ray Townsend and the hostess.

Miss Womack returned to Lubbock Monday morning.

**Pike-Nelson**  
Miss Ailie Nelson and Mr. Jap Pike were united in marriage Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Butler. Rev. Eichbourg of Big Spring performed the wedding ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. J. P. Nelson of Big Spring and was reared in and near Big Spring. She has been employed in the home of Mr. Jeff Pike as housekeeper. The groom has made his home in Forsan for a number of years. He is an employee of the Taylor-Link company. The young couple will make their home with Mr. Jeff Pike for the present.

Guests attending the wedding were: Mr. Jeff Pike and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Butler and children, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Grant and children. Following the ceremony the wedding party went to the home of Mr. Jeff Pike where Mrs. Grant served the wedding supper. Others coming in for the supper were: Messrs. John Nobles, Argie Majors, Earl Ramsey and Mrs. Nell Deno.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Bishop of Borger and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Huddleston of Snyder spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Grant of the Continental.

**J. C. Byrd Robbed**  
J. C. Byrd, who is an employee of the Holland-Pike Construction company in Forsan, was robbed of twenty dollars Saturday evening. The thief entered Mr. Byrd's hotel room and escaped with the money while he was absent for a few minutes.

Mrs. Bernard Harmon, who injured her foot July 8th, when she stepped on a nail, is able to be up this week for the first time.

Lloyd Loper is visiting Mrs. S. B. Loper and will remain here for several weeks.

Harold Loper, Mertson, who has

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Miss Ruth Horn is spending the week with Miss Anita McDonald.

**SCOUT NEWS**  
The Chalk Girl Scouts met Wednesday afternoon with Jane Hurley, Willdean Windlin, Maxine Morelan, Estel Moody, Mollie Smith, and Mrs. George Nealy were present. Willdean passed scout laws and trail signs. Following the meeting Mrs. Raymond Smith and Mrs. Morelan took the group to the O-Bar ranch for swimming.

Miss Frances Coulson spent the week end with her parents. She is attending school at Tech this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bradham of

the Sun Oil company left Friday for Haskell, Gladewater and points south for two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hurley and children of the Continental, Oil company left Saturday for California. They will tour the Pacific coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holt and son left Saturday for the Gulf where they will spend their vacation.

**Mrs. Frank Tate Hostess**  
Mrs. Frank Tate was hostess Friday evening at a bridge party at her home on the American-Mariacabo lease. Mrs. Burkhardt received a boudoir lamp as ladies' high, and Mr. Burkhardt silk handkerchiefs, as men's high. Bingo prizes, decks of cards, went to

Mrs. Barnett and Mr. Dunn. Refreshments of cantaloupe with ice cream were served to Messrs. and Mrs. M. M. Hines, Harold Spratt, Lloyd Burkhardt, Wilburn Dunn, Herman Williams, Ralph Barnett, S. B. Loper, and Mrs. J. D. Leonard, Malcolm Green, and Miss Frances Coulson.

Mr. and Mrs. "Red" Boswell of the West Side left Sunday morning for New Mexico for a visit. Mr. Boswell has been employed by Jack Ellis for several years. He has not decided where he will make his future home.

**Mrs. Payne Entertains For Guest**  
Mrs. G. W. Payne was hostess Saturday evening at a party given for Mrs. Burl Boston who is visiting here from Leuders. The evening was spent in playing pitch, rummy and other games. Home-made candy was served throughout the evening.

Those present were: Messrs. and Mrs. Les Bee, J. P. Kubecka and Mrs. Pat Sheedy, Hugh Graves, Burl Boston, Miss Onita Bee, Colleen Moore, Frances Naurine Sheedy and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Payne.

Mr. Jiggs Caldwell and Miss Elizabeth Caldwell of Sonora, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Wilburn Dunn. Miss Thelma Reece came with them and will spend several days with Mrs. Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gandy went to Sterling over the week-end on a fishing trip.

**Party For Young People**  
Miss Opal Young entertained a number of her friends Thursday evening at her home in Forsan. Parlor games were played. Refreshments of punch and cookies were served.

Guests were: Mildred Fleetwood, Elizabeth Madding, Dora Jane Thompson, Louise Nobles, Ettabell Fulton, Ruth Waldrum, Imogene Wilson, Johnnie McAdams, Arnold Bradham, James Thompson, Hollie Parker, Bill Henry Campbell, James Underwood, Hueston Roberts and Virgil Hines.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Cook of Gorman are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rainey.

Lois Irene and Robert Sarver of the West Field were sent to Dallas Sunday where they will enter the orphan's home. John Sarver their older brother was to have been sent also, but he left several days ago and cannot be found.

Mr. M. L. Blackwelder is taking his band to Christoval Thursday and Friday to play for the Tom Green county old settlers reunion. The invitation promised them

plenty to eat if they come and play.

Mrs. John Noble who has been seriously ill in the Big Spring hospital is at home.

Henry Jones has returned to Kigore to spend ten days. He is chief gauge inspector for Shell Oil.

Mrs. G. N. Jones has returned from Brownwood where she visited her mother and son for ten days.

Mrs. B. R. Wilson and children, Lucille, Imogene, Loveta, Russell will leave today for Louisville, Texas to spend a few days with relatives.

Mrs. Burl Boston, Leuders, is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les Bee.

Mrs. W. A. Underwood entertained the Sew and Chat club at her home in the West Field Thursday. The afternoon was spent in quilting a quilt for the hostess.

Luther Moore is to return today from a week's visit in San Angelo.

## Mrs. Kelly Burns Is Idle Art Hostess

Mrs. Kelly Burns was hostess to the members of the Idle Art Bridge Club for a pretty summer party Monday evening.

Three guests played with the club. Mrs. J. R. Hatch and Jim Zack and Miss Louise Hayes. Miss Hayes scored highest and was presented with cards as guest prize.

Miss Runyan made club high score. A pretty salad plate was served the three guests and following members: Mrs. Fletcher Sneed, Mrs. Harold Lytle, Miss Eleanor Gates and Miss Imogene Runyan.

Miss Emma Louise Freeman will entertain the club next.

Mrs. Denver Dunn has received word from Dr. and Mrs. Amos R. Wood that they expect to return to Big Spring Wednesday or Thursday night. They spent the week-end in San Diego and planned to start for Big Spring from there.

Miss Lena Kyle, who is studying nursing at St. David's in Austin, is spending her two weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Kyle.

Mrs. Sam Kersh of Oklahoma City is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stall.

## First Baptist W. M. S. Holds Morning Meet

The fourth Monday meeting of the First Baptist W. M. S. was held in the morning at the church this week, the missionary program being held first and the luncheon dispensed with.

Mrs. B. Reagan had charge of the program whose topic was Africa and she presented an unusually interesting series of talks by the following: Messrs. Robert Ricketson, Eliand and Earl Parrish. At the close of the program Mrs. F. J. Gibson sang as solo, "Lord Help Me Give For Others," with Miss Louise Squires at the piano.

Mrs. R. C. Hatch gave the morning devotional and presided over the business meeting, at which the chairman made their monthly reports. It was announced that there would be no meeting at the church next Monday, which is the fifth Monday of the month, and that each circle would endeavor to get in one meeting during the month of August. Announcement of hostesses and meeting places will be made later.

Present, in addition to the speakers on the program, were: Messrs. W. R. Douglass, H. F. Robbins, K. S. Beckett, E. V. Hart, C. S. Holmes, W. B. Buchanan, Viola Bowles, Vernon Logan, Ray V. Jones, A. E. Coleman, J. A. Boykin, E. T. Smith, Miss Emma Gantt of Fort Worth was a visitor.

## Encampment Report Is Made Before First Presbyterian Group

Members of the Presbyterian Auxiliary met at the church Monday for a business session. Mrs. E. C. Boatler opened the meeting with a devotional.

Excellent reports were made by all the officers. Ruby Lee Smith, who attended the St. Stockton encampment, gave a very interesting account of the encampment.

Members present were: Messrs. H. G. Foshbee, E. C. Boatler, John G. Thomas, J. T. Allison, W. C. Barnett, Sam Baker, H. W. Gaylor, Oscar Smith, J. H. Leman, Hal Farley, George Lee, J. O. Tomnitz, A. A. Porter, L. T. Leslie, E. L. Barrick, T. S. Currie, L. A. White, C. W. Cunningham, L. G. Talley and her mother, Mr. Shaffer of Electra. Miss May Dearing of Austin was another visitor.

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Play by Girl, 14, Produced MARION, O. (U. P.)—A three-act play written by Clara Louise Kuntz, 14 year old Marion girl, was presented in a downtown theater here recently.

Wrestler Buys Large Farm LA JUNTA, Colo. (U. P.)—Everett Marshall, local wrestling pride, has bought 300 acres of farm land. It was one of the largest real estate transactions in this section of Colorado in several months.

Father Arrests Daughter LEWISTON, Ida. (U. P.)—Traffic Officer Harry Clark is a Roman father. When he saw his daughter, Phye, driving a car bearing a dealer's license, he took her into court where she was fined \$5.40.

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Howard County H. D. Council Plans For Series Of Canning Demonstrations During August

Plans for the month of August were made by the members of the Howard County Home Demonstration Council at the meeting held Saturday afternoon in the Crawford hotel.

Last minute arrangements for going to the Short course at A&M College were also made by Miss Mayme Lou Parr and the delegates who are attending. They are: Mrs. Willard Smith, representing Fairview; Mrs. A. A. McElrath, Overton; Mrs. John W. Davis, R-Bar; Mrs. Frank Duke, Knott; G. L. James, chairman of the council; Mrs. Charlie Lawrence, Luther; Mrs. Myrtle Spruell, Luther; Mrs. D. W. Powell, Lomax; Mrs. Jack McKinnon, Elbow; and Madison Smith of the Howard county demonstration club. Miss Parr will also attend and Miss Ann Martin.

On August 14 the council will hold its annual picnic at the city park. Members will meet at the park at 10 o'clock with lunch baskets. A program will be given by the delegates to the short course.

In the week of August 18-23 a series of canning demonstrations will be held in Big Spring and in all four precincts of Howard county, with one club in each precinct serving as hostess and other clubs as co-operators. The public is invited to attend these canning sessions.

The first demonstration will be in Big Spring on Monday August 19 at 9 o'clock in the morning. The next for precinct 1 will be held at Moore in the afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock. That in precinct 2 will be at the Chalk cafe Wednesday afternoon, 2 to 4 o'clock. Precinct 3 will meet at Elbow at the school house in the home economics room. Precinct 4 will meet in Luther on Friday of the same week at the school house in the afternoon from 2 to 4.

Further announcement concerning registrations for the Centennial highway home beautification and improvement contest. Any farmer or ranchman living on the highway may enter this contest. The home demonstration and the county agricultural agents are taking the names of the contestants.

Present at the council meeting were: Mmes: Ross Hill, Elbow; Jack McKinnon, Elbow; J. H. Reeves, R-Bar; Earnest Carlyle, Fairview; Frank Duke, Knott; G. L. James, Overton; C. A. Coffman, Coahoma; Duke Lipscomb, Elbow; H. W. Harlin, Luther; Myrtle Spruell, Luther; Ford Coates, Lomax; Ben Brown, Willard Smith, Fairview; J. S. Garlington, R. L. Warren; Pearl Hodnett, O. N. Green, Chalk; R. N. Adams, Soan; A. A. McElrath, Overton; Oscar O'Daniel, Coahoma; W. S. Williams, Overton; and Miss Mary Brown, Vincent. Mrs. W. J. McAdams of Big Spring was a visitor.

Y. W. A. Girls Of Fourth Baptist Meet At Church

Members of the Y. W. A. of the East Fourth street Baptist church met at the church Monday afternoon for a program on "The Changing Order" to which Mrs. Joe Wright gave the introduction. Program talks on this subject were also made by Misses Marguerite Bennett, Frances McIntosh and Catherine Murphy. Miss Mary Cowling spoke on "A Life That Was Challenged to Change," Miss Nell Robinson, on "Christ Transforming of a Life."

During the business session the officers made reports of their work and Miss Alice Rainey was accepted as a member. The girls voted to make tray cloths. Present in addition to those named were: Gladys Cowling, Maurine Harding, Margaret Cooper, Cooper, Ruth Cotten and a visitor, Mona Draper.

TAXI BOWLERS PUSH AHEAD

Scoring 637 points in the last game, the 77 Taxi bowlers edged out the Herald five Monday evening 1759-1755. But the Newsies took the first two games to romp away with the decision.

Tom Beasley, scoring 162 in his third game, took high scoring honors for the night with a total of 418.

Table with 4 columns: Name, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, Total. Includes 77 Taxi, Herald, McMahan, Glenn, Beasley, Burleson, Akey, Hannah, and Totals.

TO TOUR NORTHWEST

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Humberston of Waco who came to Big Spring last winter to help Miss Mayme Lou Parr conduct a recreational school, spent Monday night in Big Spring with Miss Parr enroute to Colorado Springs, Col. They will devote two months to a tour of the northwestern United States, including Yellowstone Park, the northwestern states, California and the Grand Canyon.

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Miss Ragan Is Wed To Mr. Parks

Ceremony Is Held In The Elmo Wasson's Residence

Miss Bernice Ragan and C. E. Parks of Lamesa, were married Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Wasson in the presence of many of their friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Parks had set the date for their marriage two weeks hence when Mr. Parks would have finished attending the reserve officers training corps at Fort Crockett, Galveston, but decided last night not to wait.

For a ring the bride chose "something old" as a good luck emblem, the ring belonging to the grandmother of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Rex Ragan. The Rev. John T. Thorns pastor of the First Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony.

The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ragan, Mr. Ragan is a brother of the bride. Mrs. Parks was attired in a knitted suit of coral mist and wore a bouquet of yellow tea roses. She is a Lamesa girl, having been born and reared in that city. For several months she has lived in the city of Lamesa.

The groom was born and reared in Hornersville, Mo. After being graduated from that high school he attended the school of Pharmacy at the University of Missouri from which he was graduated. He has spent last summer in Colorado where he was a lieutenant in the CCC camp.

Present for the ceremony were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Wasson, Mmes. Ira Wasson, and Y. A. Talley, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wasson and Miss Margaret Alderson.

Mr. Parks left Tuesday morning for Galveston. Due to work in Mr. Ragan's office that had to be finished, Mr. Parks was unable to accompany him. When he returns, they plan to go to Lamesa to make their home.

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park officials will be held from the Settles ballroom. Tickets for the occasion are on sale at the Chamber of Commerce. They are also being offered by several individuals.

A special program has been arranged for the affair and a large group of local citizens is expected to attend as an expression of appreciation for the work of the camp and its officials.

Rev. J. R. Henson, Pioneer Methodist Minister Buried

SWEETWATER—Death claimed the Rev. John R. Henson, pioneer Methodist minister of the Methodist church at 330 Sunday afternoon at his home, 1005 Ragland street. The Rev. Mr. Henson had been in failing health for several years but had only been confined to his bed since last Tuesday morning, when he suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the First Methodist church, of which he was pastor during his last appointment before superannuating in 1928.

Firemen Are Pallbearers The pastor, Rev. M. M. Beavers, was assisted by Rev. M. L. Moody of Sweetwater, Rev. C. B. Meador of Lomax and other out-of-town ministers who were close friends of the deceased. Rev. Hanson was chaplain of the Sweetwater Fire Department and six of the fire boys were active pallbearers and the other 12 were honorary pallbearers. Active pallbearers included Ace Popay, Lloyd Rogers, Jack Shipley, John Aycock, Ed Wilkinson and Lowell Taylor. Interment was in the city cemetery.

Fifty years of service as a minister in the Northwest Texas conference of the Methodist church was brought to a close with the passing of the Rev. Mr. Henson. He was 72 years, six months and two days old and was a native Texan, having been born in Jack County near Jacksboro on January 19, 1863.

A Preacher At 18 He began preaching when he was 18 years of age and was accepted into the Northwest Texas conference in 1884, at the age of 21. He and the Rev. M. L. Moody were classmates and were the two oldest men in point of service in the conference. Rev. Moody is now the only surviving member of the class of 10 preachers who were licensed at that time.

Surviving are his widow and six children and several adopted children who Rev. and Mrs. Henson reared in their home. All the children and their families were at his bedside, excepting Mrs. Earnest Henson and son, Jack, who are on a ranch in New Mexico and cannot be reached by wire.

Children At Bedside The children include John Henson, of Roscoe, Ernest Henson, Sweetwater, Ralph Henson, Ros-

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 6

Abolishing The Fee System For Paying Officials

Two years ago a Senate investigating committee discovered a number of flagrant abuses of the fee system as practiced in Texas for recompensing certain public officials. The fee system was established and written into the Texas Constitution at a time when it was impossible to pay salaries and the theory was that an official was entitled to "all he could make." Since the senate committee discovered and revealed the malpractices existing under the system there has been a demand for a constitutional change on this score, according to Secretary of State Gerald C. Mann.

Proposed Amendment No. 6 on the ballot provides that the fee system as a method of paying certain precinct, county and district officials shall be abolished in counties having 20,000 or more population according to the last Federal census. The legislature will, if the amendment is adopted, set the salaries for officials now receiving fees in such counties. In counties of under 20,000 population the commissioners court may put their county and precinct officials on a salary basis if they so desire. The Amendment does not specifically state who shall set the salaries of such officials in this case.

If this amendment is adopted all district officers must be compensated on a salary basis. The amendment provides that fees shall continue to be collected as at present but they will go to the county instead of the officer. The evident purpose of this amendment is to place as many public officials on straight salaries as is possible the payment of officials through the present fee system.

At least 30 or 35 out-of-town ministers attended the services Monday afternoon, many of whom were also frontier preachers and life-long friends of the Rev. Mr. Henson. Among those who attended were Rev. O. P. Clark, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist church, Abilene, and a former pastor here; Rev. Sam Young, presiding elder of the Stamford district; Rev. C. B. Childress, pastor of First Meth-

odist church, Abilene; Rev. J. T. Griswold of Balrd; Dr. George Stover, Hamlin; Rev. Cal Wright, Colorado; Rev. Nichols, Eastland; Rev. G. S. Hardy, Clarendon; Rev. C. A. Bickley, Big Spring, and Rev. W. M. Murrell, Abilene.

Mrs. Hattie Crosssett's two granddaughters from Denton, who have been visiting her have gone. Miss Fiomaree Robinson went to San Antonio to visit with an aunt until school begins. Miss Janet Mason went to Gallup, N. M., to spend the rest of the summer with her father.

Miss May Dearing is visiting Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Barnett.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Wm. Jones

Held Here Tuesday

Funeral services for Mrs. William Jones, of Paso, were held 10:30 a. m. Tuesday from the Eberly Funeral home with Rev. C. A. Bickley, pastor of the First Methodist church, in charge.

Mrs. Jones, the former Ruby Shay, was a pioneer resident of Big Spring. She died Sunday in El Paso after a lingering illness.

In 1917 she was married to William Jones, son of Theo. Jones, also a pioneer of Big Spring. They moved to Dallas from here, going to El Paso about 10 years ago.

The body arrived here Tuesday 6:55 a. m. and was accompanied by the husband, a son, Her mother, Mrs. J. D. Williams of San Angelo, also arrived here Tuesday morning.

Out of town relatives and friends who were here for the last rites were Miss Romona Williams, Francis Williams, J. D. Williams of San Angelo, Mrs. Roy Holdridge of Hamlin, H. D. Shay, her father, of El Paso, Theo. Jones, Miss Mildred Jones, Erwin, Clifford and Leslie Jones of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chambers of Sweetwater, and Theo. Jones, Jr., of Duncan, Oklahoma.

Palbearers were three brothers-in-law, Erwin, Roy and Leslie Jones of Dallas, Harold Homan, Harry Lees, Jess Slaughter, and Gilbert Gibbs.

Misses Lucille Tix and Evelyn Merrill are spending a week's vacation in various parts of New Mexico. Miss Louise Hayes left Tuesday morning for her home in Santa Monica, Calif. She will visit with friends in various points in New Mexico on route.

Last Rites Held For Hester Brown

For Hester Brown

Last rites were held Monday 5 p. m. from the Eberly Chapel for Hester Brown, one year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown, who reside between Ackery and Knott. She succumbed to a brief illness Sunday 9:45 p. m. at a local hospital.

She was born September 1, 1933 and leaves three sisters, Bobbie, Jean, Ella Lee, and Vesta, two brothers, Harvey and James, Vesta, a twin sister, is seclusively ill at this time.

Besides her parents and the immediate family, Hester is survived by grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brown of Ackery.

Melvin J. Wise, minister of the Church of Christ, was in charge of services. Interment was in the New Mount Olive cemetery.

Miss Veda Robinson is spending the week with relatives in Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. R. A. Eubanks left Tuesday for Hope and Nashville, Ark.

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**Authority**  
The New York conservatives have evolved what seems to them a clinching argument as to why inheritance taxes on large estates would be ruinous—not only to heirs but to cities and inferentially to the nation at large. They only hope it will sound as convincing to Washington.

They figure it out thus: Suppose a taxable inheritance is composed largely of real estate. Many of them are. The only way to pay the tax is to sell a lot of the property. That would mean forced sales at prices well below true value. This in turn would depress other real estate in the city where the sale took place—inciting a general collapse of values. Then what happens to the financial status of the municipality which must depend on property taxes for its principal revenue? And what happens to national recovery if real estate goes into another tailspin?

This argument will not be sprung publicly unless and until there is real danger that a specific inheritance tax will be enacted. The boys aren't wasting their ammunition. But at the acute moment—Peter Grimm—Secretary Morgenthau's new assistant on real estate matters—will be urged to present the case in the strongest possible terms to his superiors and to key Congressional contacts. It's felt that Grimm could get respectful attention. His background entitles him

**Pal Days**  
TUESDAY—WEDNESDAY

violently with Mr. Koch's assertion that "the passenger market of the future looks as promising as at any time in the history of the country." They claim that would be true only if someone made a bonfire of all private autos, buses and airplanes. And they insist that the additional passengers they would get by fare-cutting wouldn't add enough to their revenues to buy a second-hand flat car. Any attempt by the ICC to force lower fares will be resisted furiously.

The suggestion was offered at recent directors' meetings of two leading western railroads that passenger service be discontinued entirely. It sounds like a joke—but it wasn't meant that way. Obviously nothing so drastic is likely in the near future—but the idea represents a significant trend of thought among rail managements.

**Rails**  
Southern Pacific heads are hotter than a July noon about premature publication of their plan to retire RFC and other debts with a bank loan. Only a few bankers and officials knew of the plan. S. P.'s directors had never even been told about it—nor had the executive committee. The leak was highly embarrassing to the management and it's looking for the culprit with blood in its eye.

The published reports—in addition to being premature—were a long way from correct in detail. No definite program has yet been adopted—or even worked out—but you can pass it in your hat that it will be vastly different in its official form from the one which got into news channels.

Southern Pacific isn't the only road that would like to get out of hock to the RFC. There's an excellent reason. Jesse Jones' whole policy on rail loans has changed in the past few months. Such advances were originally made for a period of years. Now they are being renewed practically on a call loan basis. The RFC can demand repayment on thirty days' notice at any time. This puts the borrowing roads on a tough spot. If they are called and can't pay, Mr. Jones is empowered to take them over.

**Welcomes**  
The more conservatives think about the cultivation of closer relations between the American and Mexican Federations of Labor the more worried they get. The Mexican outfit is ranked just a shade short of Red, and Luis Morones—who represented the Mexicans in palavers with American laborites—is called a triple-distilled radical.

Nor is the idea of a Pan-American labor hook-up—broached by Bill Green—any more appealing. The unions in Argentina and Chile are very strong and decidedly left wing.

A New Yorker with extensive Latin contacts wonders what's in Bill Green's mind. "He fights the recognition of Russia and tries to kick the communists out of his organization—and then welcomes fellows just as subversive with a fraternal embrace."

**Break**  
Wall Street gets word that a number of foreign corporations—mostly Canadian—won't register on American exchanges even though the Securities Exchange Commission is trying to make it as easy as possible for them.

If their stocks are relisted it will certainly be possible to buy them over-the-counter well below their present prices. That would give Canadian stockholders a break against American investors—and it's understood the companies concerned have no objection to that.

**Combing**  
The investment banking fraternity is prepared to squeeze its teeth dry on behalf of the little fellows who would be driven out of business if the hard-hearted Securities Exchange Commission insists on its plan to segregate brokers and dealers. Neutral New York observers are not impressed. They say the combination of these functions has made possible some of the rawest combing of customers that has ever been pulled.

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to speak with authority on real estate matters. It also makes him familiar with the brushing aside of identical arguments in Great Britain.

**Failed**  
New York is intrigued by the silver bloc's drive to repeal nationalization of the metal and the heavy tax on profits from silver trading. Some of the boys think it would be just grand to have the same chance to pick up easy money as the European speculators.

But insiders doubt that Senator McCarran and his friends will get very far. Secretary Morgenthau is opposed to any alterations in the existing silver legislation and what he says goes at the White House.

Administration resistance might be overcome if the farm bloc would join up with the silverites—but they won't. A while back it seemed as if these two groups might get together—but relations between them are understood to have cooled a bit lately. The campaign to sell Senators from the wheat, cotton and corn belts the idea that high silver would cure all their constituents' ailments failed to click.

**Trend**  
Examiner Irving L. Koch's report to the Interstate Commerce Commission recommending a basic passenger fare of 2 cents a mile was received with an almost unanimous lack of enthusiasm by the eastern railroads. The only important dissenter was the Baltimore & Ohio. The other roads are pretty sore about this exception to their united front—and bitterly remark that "B & O often acts as if it had a screw loose anyway."

New York rail circles disagree

**The Informer Brings Emotional Saga of Abysmal Brute's Fate**



The self-wrought destruction of the primitive Irish giant whose life furnishes the theme for RKO-Radio's "The Informer," pictures dramatically the fact that the abysmal brute has no place in a modern society and inevitably harbors the instruments of his own doom. At the Lyric Wednesday and Thursday.

Portrayed by Victor McLaglen, Gypo Nolan, the savage Irishman who wages a lone battle against the world in the screen play from Liam O'Flaherty's novel of the same name, battles himself against the unyielding traditions of his people.

For money enough to satisfy the desires of the blonde woman he loves, Nolan betrays a friend. The realization of the import of his crime engenders in the Irishman a turmoil of biting human emotions which at last force him to reveal his guilt and make the inevitable payment of his life for an act considered by his fellow Irishmen as the most despicable of sins.

In this tale which tells with searching humor and vital tragedy of the inevitable self-annihilation of the brute, Victor McLaglen receives powerful support from a cast that includes Margot Grahame, Heather Angel, Preston Foster, Una O'Connor and Wallace Ford. "The Informer," RKO-Radio Picture, was produced by John Ford, who directed "The Lost Patrol."

**Special Lecture At St. Thomas Catholic Church This Evening**

A special lecture will be given Tuesday evening at St. Thomas Catholic church, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Father Taylor, pastor of the church, cordially invites the public to attend, and he promised the subject to be an interesting one.

**County Judge Is Asked Custody Of Mitchell Girl**

One of the five Mitchell children, whose plight was really brought to public attention last week when six year old Buster was badly flogged by his caretaker, Ethel Shields, may be assured a home.

A half sister, Mrs. William P. Harris of Fort Worth, has written to County Judge J. S. Garlington asking custody of three year old Ruth Mitchell, "the baby girl."

"My father was partial to her," said Mrs. Harris, "and for his sake and in his memory I should like to have her."

Mrs. Harris was Rose Lee Mitchell before she married.

The Mitchell children were orphaned by the death of their father and a desertion by their mother.

**Gem Lost 16 Years Found**  
PORTAGEVILLE, Mo. (U.P.)—Mrs. Grover Menzie is wearing her diamond brooch again. She found it at the cemetery 16 years after it was lost.

**Mummified Body X-rayed**  
MT. CARMEL, Ill. (U.P.)—A mummified body of a child, found near here, has been taken to Purdue University, where an X-ray examination is to be made.

**ADVANCE—NOT RETREAT**

**WON'T LET YOU ALONE**  
To The Dallas News:  
A lot is being said in the way of ridicule about Georgia's nineteen votes for prohibition, as though Georgia was the only state that had even with the small majority declared for prohibition. I wonder why no more is said about Kansas with her more than fifty years' experience with prohibition, and now voted dry again, not with just nineteen votes, but a whole 70,007!

A lot of people who were swept away before the nation-wide stampede for lawlessness, are gradually coming to their senses and they are seeing that the promise of good times and low taxes which were to come by the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment was all a hoax. As for me, I shall vote to retain our state prohibition laws.

What I have seen of liquor from my youth up has led me to know that the only way that one can be sure that he will never be overcome by liquor is to steadfastly refuse to ever take the first drink. I warn every young man, and I am sorry to say that we must now extend our warnings to girls, that your only certainty of not becoming a drunkard is to never allow yourself to take the first drink. With all the evidence before me of what liquor does for those who come under its power, I made my decision years ago that to be safe I must be a total abstainer. No honest person can say that I decided wrong.

But you say, why prohibit others from drinking who may not see as you see? I will tell you why. Because I have found that liquor does not let me alone even if I never taste it! The liquor that others drink not only endangers those who drink but everybody else, whether they wish it or not!

Just before me in a crowded train one night was a big young fellow who was drunk, and who was making himself obnoxious by his indecent actions toward a young girl with whom he had seated himself. She escaped from him and ran to her parents in another part of the car. When he followed, her father ordered him to leave her alone. Muttering to himself, he left the

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