



**LUNCHEON, THEN DEATH**—Minutes before he died suddenly, John B. Powell (left), 60, former managing editor of the China Weekly Review, chats with Clark Nichols, president of the University of Missouri Alumni in Washington, D. C., at alumni luncheon. Powell died at the end of his address and not long after joking about learning to walk on artificial feet. He lost part of both feet in a Jap prison camp. (AP Wirephoto).

## Parimutuel Bill Opponents Get Defeat In House

**Pastors Testifying 'To Broken Homes' Allowed Hearing**

AUSTIN, March 3. (AP)—Opponents of the bill which would legalize parimutuel betting at Texas horse race tracks met with defeat today when the House voted down an attempt to send the bill back to committee.

The vote was 64-72 against Rep. Jim Wright's motion to recommit the bill to the House Committee on livestock and stock raising. Last week the State Affairs Committee unanimously approved the measure.

Wright said that he had heard from "a number of clergymen who want to testify on the broken homes and human wreckage" caused by legalized gambling on horse racing.

His statement that ample notification had not been given to opponents of the measure was contradicted by Rep. John Bell of Cuero, one of the bill's sponsors.

Bell said the public hearing held on the bill last week had been given all the notice that is required by law and that "not a single solitary soul was there to state opposition to the bill."

Under the bill, the state would get five per cent of all money bet, ten per cent of admission tickets plus fees from licenses.

Meanwhile, church leaders were organizing a statewide drive to defeat the measure.

Dr. W. R. White, pastor of the First Baptist Church here, said petitions would be circulated in churches over the state voicing opposition to the measure.

## Dabney To Seek City Post Again

Although no official announcements have been filed for the two city commission posts with terms expiring in April Mayor G. W. Dabney said this morning that he definitely would be a candidate for re-election.

The mayor said he would issue a formal statement within the next few days.

## Palestine Tense As Violator Of Curfew Is Shot

JERUSALEM, March 3. (AP)—Deaths by violence in Palestine mounted to 22 in three days with the shooting of a Jewish curfew violator in Tel Aviv today as the British army, maintained law over a third of the Holy Land's 700,000 Jews.

British officials reported that Isaac Peil, 30-year-old Jewish ex-serviceman, was shot and killed while bicycling in Tel Aviv when he failed to heed a soldier's order to halt.

His death was the second traceable to control measures imposed to facilitate a hunt for Jewish underground fighters. Ketti Shalom, four-year-old Jewish, died in a hospital yesterday. Officials said she was hit in the back of the head and her mother was wounded in the leg by bullets fired by Ketti's father, leaving the house in violation of a curfew.

A curfew law was in force for more than 250,000 Jews in Jerusalem's oldest and biggest Jewish district, the Mea Shearim section, and in a northern coastal-plain area measuring some four by 10 miles and embracing Tel Aviv, Ramat Gan, Petah Tikva, Bnei Berak and other Jewish communities.

The curfew keeping residents to their homes was lifted at dawn today in the coastal section. In the Jerusalem martial-law area, housing some 15,000 Jews, inhabitants were allowed out for the first time since 7 p. m. Saturday as a daily three-hour suspension of the curfew became effective at 10 a. m.

## Hague Violation Of Bomb Rejected

TOKYO, March 3. (AP)—A defense attempt to show the United States used the atomic bomb against the Japanese with knowledge it was a violation of the Hague convention was rejected today by the International Military Tribunal trying 26 of Japan's wartime leaders.

The nine allied justices will pass upon another important defense point tomorrow—the question of responsibility of individuals for violations of treaties.

## Hartley Ticks Off 10 Points For Bill

WASHINGTON, March 1. (AP)—Chairman Hartley (R-NJ), today ticked off ten points the House Labor Committee may put into a new labor bill, including bans on the closed shop and on union membership for foremen and some communists and radio commentators.

The are intended to reduce or eliminate such things as jurisdictional strikes, secondary boycotts, and strikes ordered by only a small percentage of a union's membership.

## Cub Scout Packs Will Meet Tonight

Two Cub Scout packs will hold meetings tonight, their respective cubmasters have announced.

Pack 29 will meet at 6:30 p. m. in the Wesley Methodist Church, and pack 44 will meet in the YMCA at 8 p. m. Garrett Patton is cubmaster for pack 29, and C. D. Warren is pack 44's head.

# Mexican Officials Greet Truman As Plane Lands

## Chief Executive Gets Medal From Aleman

**21-Gun Salute Fired As Two Presidents Shake Hands; National Anthems Played**

MEXICO CITY, March 3. (AP)—President Harry S. Truman arrived here today for his three-day state visit with President Miguel Aleman. "The Scared Cow" which left Kansas City at 2:59 a. m. CST landed at 9:37 a. m. CST.

President Truman was welcomed on the airfield by President Aleman, his cabinet, the governor of the federal district, Fernando Casas Aleman, not a relative of the president, and other dignitaries.

Truman came in seven hours from the cold and snow of Kansas City into the summer warmth and sunshine of Mexico.

The airport was transformed for the visit. A great platform flanked by high columns was erected for the unprecedented official session of the consultative council which made President Truman a "guest of honor" of the city. Governor Casas Aleman presented the President with an inscribed gold medal and a parchment.

The "Sacred Cow" circled the field for five minutes before landing, then it taxied toward the buildings and stopped before the platform and the balcony where the receiving party was assembled.

Truman was the first man out of his plane. He was met near the bottom of the steps by US Ambassador Walter Thurston. They stood talking a few minutes while President Aleman and Foreign Secretary Jaime Torres Bodet ahead of the Mexican party, stood 20 feet away for photographers to get the scene of the meeting.

As artillery fired a 21-gun salute the two presidents advanced and shook hands. Then there was a round of introducing among the several score officials and the US embassy staff.

The two presidents met at 10:06 a. m. and six minutes later, introductions concluded, they advanced to the platform for the presentation of the medal.

President Truman, replying to President Aleman's welcome and the presentation of the medal, addressed himself to both of them. "I deeply appreciate this cordial welcome" he said "to the ancient and noble city of Mexico."

He spoke of the growing familiarity with Mexico through tourists from the United States and of the "full understanding" between the two peoples.

"We are the inheritors of a great civilization" he added, "and it is the task of the democracies of America to nurture their political and intellectual heritage until democracy has achieved its full fruition in world peace, justice and brotherhood."

As Truman finished the military band began the two national anthems, everyone standing at attention.

When the music ceased, the two presidents, followed by their parties left the field and started the drive to the US Embassy where President Truman will stay.

The newly finished boulevard to the main highway was lined on both sides by troops at attention.

Back of them the crowds were about six feet deep. People cheered and Truman smiled and waved his hand repeatedly.

## Solons Approve Slicing Budget

WASHINGTON, March 3. (AP)—The Senate approved today and sent back to the House a resolution pledging a \$4,500,000,000 cut in President Truman's budget and promising to use \$2,600,000,000 of any savings to reduce the national debt.

The Senate's action came after it had adopted on a voice vote an amendment by Senator Wherry (R-Neb) under which any receipts from the sales of surplus war property would be applied on the debt.

The measure now goes to the House, which voted previously to attempt to trim \$6,000,000,000 off the \$37,500,000,000 Mr. Truman asked to operate the government in the year beginning next July 1.

The House fixed no specific figure for debt payment. Neither did it specify that surplus receipts should be used in the manner the Senate set out. All of these differences are expected to go to a Senate-House committee for compromise.

## Scout Honor Court Scheduled Tuesday

Big Spring Boy Scouts will hold their regular court of honor Tuesday night in the district court room.

The court is scheduled to convene at 7:30 p. m., with W. C. Blankenship in charge.

## Marshall Views Asked Before Budget Is Voted

WASHINGTON, March 3. (AP)—Senator Tobey (R-NH), proposed today that Secretary of State Marshall tell Congress behind bolted doors exactly how the situation stands in the troubled Mediterranean and the near East before the lawmakers are called upon to vote for bigger cash outlays abroad.

Tobey who heads the Senate Banking Committee charged with passing on foreign loans, told a reporter he thinks the crisis presented by possible withdrawal of British military and economic aid to Greece can be "met only by an informed Congress."

"I think General Marshall ought to come before Congress in an executive (secret) session and tell us the actual situation in all of its grave aspects," the New Hampshire senator said. "This will be a severe test but an informed Congress will meet it if it and the American people are told the truth."

Senator Wherry of Nebraska, the Republican Whip, said that in his view if any "political loans" are to be made "they should be discussed frankly on the floor of the Senate."

Marshall outlined the State Department's financial needs for the next fiscal year at a closed door session today of a House Appropriations sub-committee.

Chairman Stefan (R-Neb) told newsmen the committee called General Marshall out of turn to permit the secretary to present the department's needs before leaving this week for the Moscow conference.

Marshall and former Secretary of State James E. Byrnes are listed to testify before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee tomorrow on four Balkan peace treaties which represent what President Truman said were the best terms that could be obtained in bargaining with this country's wartime allies, including Russia.

## Freighter Splits Apart Near Maine

BOSTON, March 3. (AP)—The Coast Guard said the freighter Oakey L. Alexander raked early today that she had broken in two off Portland, Me., harbor in a northeast storm.

The 180-foot seagoing coast Guard tug Cowall was about half an hour distant from the Alexander, the Coast Guard said. It added there were no further details.

The service's lifeboat station at Cape Elizabeth, Me., near the entrance to Portland harbor, was alerted and an amphibian plane at Quonset, R. I., was ordered to stand by for a dawn takeoff.

## Police Kill Bandit In Hold Up Attempt

YOUNGSTOWN, O., March 3. (AP)—Patrolman Edward Pzelomski, 29, shot and killed Earl Johnson, 24, of Cleveland, in thwarting holdup last night in the lobby of the Mahoning National Bank building.

## Senate Gives Full Okay To Bill Setting Up Negro School System

AUSTIN, March 3. (AP)—The Senate today gave final passage to legislation setting up a system of higher education for negroes in Texas.

The vote was 23 to 2 concerning amendments attached by the House to Sen. Luby Stewart's bill which will appropriate more than \$3,000,000 for a state university for negroes at Houston, and interim emergency courses at Austin and Prairie View College for Negroes.

The House amendments were given quick attention immediately following the Senate's morning roll call. There was no open opposition on the floor. Only Sens. Howard A. Carney of Atlanta and Charles R. Jones of Bonham, who have consistently opposed the bill, voted negative today.

## Decision On Lewis Case Delayed Again

WASHINGTON, March 3. (AP)—The Supreme Court today again delayed a ruling upon the government's contempt case against John L. Lewis and the United Mine Workers.

The next opinion day of the court is Monday, March 10. The court could hand down its decision then or at any later date.



**BAUDOIN ON TRIAL**—Paul Baudoin, foreign minister of the Pétain government in 1940 and 1941, stands in a French high court of justice in Versailles Palace as his trial opened. He is charged with "acts harmful to the national defense." (AP Wirephoto).

## Schraub Refused Seat In House

AUSTIN, March 3. (AP)—Phil A. Schraub of Corpus Christi, claiming to a seat in the House of Representatives from a non-existent district, may not be legally recognized as a representative, Attorney General Price Daniel held today.

In his opinion, Daniel noted that if Schraub were seated, he would bring the number of representatives to 15—one more than is authorized in the constitution.

Schraub, in appearing before the House elections committee recently, admitted he would violate the constitution by increasing the number of representatives, but he argued that the House itself had persistently ignored the constitution by declining to redistrict the state. The constitution provides that the legislature reapportion the state's legislative district after every federal census, and it has not been done since 1921.

## Weekend Death Toll

Violence took the lives of nine persons in Texas over the weekend. Two died of burns, four were killed in automobile accidents, one died of gunshot wounds and another of over-excitement at a high school basketball game. One was drowned.

## Council Sifts Clues On Warship Deaths

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., March 3. (AP)—A three-man sub-committee of the United Nations security council began sifting evidence behind closed doors today on British charges that Albania committed "a crime against humanity" by sowing mines in Corfu Channel.

As representatives of Poland, Australia and Colombia took up their task, Great Britain prepared to intensify her battle to force a decision in the council on the long-hanging mine-laying complaint against Albania.

Sir Alexander Cadogan, British delegate to the council, will appear before the sub-committee to elaborate and clarify London's complaint. British sources said he would attempt to block any move to detour the case to the International Court of Justice against a prior council finding against Tirana government.

Hysni Kapo, Albanian representative, also is expected to appear before the sub-committee.

Some delegates said they expected a controversy to develop over whether the sub-committee should make specific recommendations to the council in its report, due March 10.

There was a possibility that Poland would urge a summary of evidence without findings. This would clear the path for introduction of a resolution to refer the case to the International Court of Justice.

Poland, one of the members of

## President Asks Congress To Let Draft Expire

WASHINGTON, March 3. (AP)—President Truman today recommended that Congress let the draft law expire on March 31.

In a message to the legislators, Mr. Truman advised that the War and Navy Departments will request re-enactment of a Selective Service Act later if they are unable to keep the Army at a strength of 1,070,000 men and the Navy at its authorized strength of 571,000, through voluntary enlistments.

He requested that the services be authorized to hire—from funds already appropriated—the necessary civilian help to offset any shortage of enlisted men if strength falls below the required levels.

The White House dispatched the message to Capitol Hill while the president himself was flying to Mexico City for a three-day good will visit.

Last spring, Congress extended the draft law until March 31 of the draft law until March 31 of enlisted men. The idea then was to see whether the armed services could get all the men they needed as volunteers.

President Truman has repeatedly said that he wants some form of universal training law enacted eventually. He now has a commission of educators and public leaders studying the question of what system would be best for this country. This group is expected to report in two or three months and Mr. Truman has said he will send Congress detailed recommendations then for a training law.

In today's message, Mr. Truman told Congress that "the only assured way" of keeping the armed forces at the necessary strength for the fiscal year 1948, which ends June 30, 1948, is through Selective Service. Then he added:

"I have decided, however, that most careful consideration and consultation with the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy, and with the earnest desire of placing our Army and Navy on an entirely volunteer basis at the earliest possible moment, that I should not recommend an extension of the fact at this time."

## FELIPE JUAREZ IN POKEY AGAIN

Felipe Juarez, who has had more troubles than the proverbial old woman in the shoe in recent weeks, is out of circulation again.

Members of the city police force descended upon Juarez Saturday night after he had been accused of cutting one V. M. Aguilar's throat following an argument. He was transferred to the county's custody this morning and charged with assault and attempted murder.

It was Juarez's third trip to the county cooler within the past month. In February, he was picked up on a charge of wife and child desertion and made \$750 bond. Hours after his release, he was allegedly involved in a scrap with another Latin-American and re-arrested. He made \$1,000 bond after the altercation and was released.

Doctors attending Aguilar said he would probably live.

## 'GREAT SOUTHERN STATESMAN'

# Bilbo Gets Verbal Prayers

POPLARVILLE, Miss., March 3. (AP)—This city has a new Baptist church and parsonage today and Senator Thea G. Bilbo had his memories of rosy verbal prayers tossed his way by a series of admiring speakers.

Wearing a fabric mask to cover post-operative scars left by recent mouth surgery, the Mississippi Democrat yesterday attended dedication ceremonies of the Juniper Grove Baptist church. He was described by various speakers as "a man of vision", who made the church possible; "the greatest statesman of the whole south, or north"; and "the most persecuted man in the world," this from the Rev. Gerald L. K. Smith, head of the Christian Nationalist Crusade.

Bilbo, usually loquacious, was unable to make an address because of the effects of his operation, during which a part of the bone of his lower jaw was removed.

State Senator H. K. Rouse spoke for Bilbo and formally delivered to the church deacons a deed to the land on which the church and its parson-

age stand. He also gave them a receipt for cancellation without reimbursement of a \$500 debt the church owed Bilbo, incurred when he paid insurance premiums on church property.

Delivering the dedicatory prayer, Dr. A. S. Newman, a former pastor of the church, implored blessings on Bilbo "as he carries on his fight for American freedom."

Bilbo sat immediately behind the deacon during the ceremony, occupying a place in the second pew.

Among the speakers was Dr. George Long of Shreveport, a brother of the late Huey P. Long, who extended an invitation to Bilbo to attend a political rally in Winnfield, La., at some unnamed date.

Some 5,000 Mississippians gathered for the affair were not wholly dependent upon speeches for satisfaction. Several thousand pounds of barbecued beef was forked from a long sturdy wooden table and slapped between pieces of fresh bread.

# Woman's Missionary Union Observes Week Of Prayer

"Crown Thy Good With Brotherhood" is the keynote of the 1947 observance of Week of Prayer which started today at the First Baptist church with a meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union.

Tuesday's meeting will be directed by Mrs. J. L. Haynes, and will be held at the church from 3 to 4 p. m. Details of a program planned for Wednesday will be announced later, but the society will gather at the church Thursday at 3 p. m. for a program led by Mrs. J. C. Douglass.

An all-day session at the church Friday will end the annual observance here. Mrs. Roy Rogan and Mrs. Marie Haynes will direct the morning program which starts at 10:30 a. m., and following a covered dish luncheon at noon, Mrs. M. E. Harlan will be in charge of the afternoon session.

It has been announced by Mrs. M. E. Choate, missions chairman for the WMU, that auxiliaries to the WMS, including the Young Woman's Auxiliary and the Girls' Auxiliary, will observe Week of Prayer with special programs also.

Goodwill offerings will be made each day for the Annie Armstrong fund, taken each year for the purpose of carrying on missionary work of the Baptist church. Offerings go for such purposes as educational expenses of missionaries' children; to pay salaries of missionaries; for work in goodwill centers; missionary activities in Cuba; Jewish work; religious work with Negroes; for the operation of missions and an emergency home in New Orleans, La.

## Program On Russia Given For Hyperions

Using recordings by Stravinsky and Roch Maninoff to illustrate their talks, Mrs. Hubert Stipp and Mrs. R. W. Thompson presented a program on Russia Saturday afternoon when the 1930 Hyperion club met with Mrs. Ted Groebel.

Mrs. Stipp talked on Russian dances and Mrs. Thompson discussed Russian music.

A white linen cloth, embroidered in petit point, covered the refreshment table which was centered with a bouquet of pink and white stock. Flanking the arrangement were tall white tapers.

Mrs. Hubert Stipp presided at the table, and others present were Mrs. Carl Blomshild, Mrs. R. B. G. Cowper, Mrs. Marie Frost, Mrs. Horace Garrett, Mrs. Maurice Koger, Mrs. R. V. Middleton, Mrs. Omar Pitman, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Stipp and Mrs. Groebel.

## Mrs. Hodnett Feted At Informal Party

Mrs. Richard Lee Bull was hostess at an informal gift party in her home Saturday evening honoring Mrs. Grady Lynn Hodnett.

Twenty guests called, and refreshments were served from a tea table which was centered with miniatures. White tapers in party candelabra were on either side of the arrangement.

Gifts were presented to the non-oree.

## Mrs. Eddy Announces Corps Of Workers

Announcement was made Monday of zone workers who will assist Mrs. L. E. Eddy, sub-chairman, assisting in the residential campaign for the American Red Cross Drive.

Mrs. Louise Williams and Mrs. Joe Peden will work on West Lancaster and Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Jr., will canvass Bell. Mrs. Harry Montgomery and Mrs. Eddy will work on Aylford and Mrs. H. D. Bruton will take the Douglas street neighborhood.

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## Clark, Buchanan Vows Announced

Announcement was made Monday of the marriage of Emma Jean Clark to D. Clay Buchanan Feb. 23 in the home of the Justice of the Peace, Walter Grice.

The bride, a senior student at the Coahoma high school, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark of Vincent.

Buchanan, a veteran of World War II, served 31 months in the US Navy, and was stationed in the South Pacific for 18 months. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Buchanan of Big Spring.

## Newlyweds To Make Home Here

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Elvis Lomax are at home at 311 West Sixth St., following their marriage February 28 in Sweetwater at the home of the Rev. J. E. Schubert, pastor of the Highland Heights Methodist church.

The bride is the former Pauline Merie Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Smith, and Lomax is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Loma, of Fair View.

The bride wore a semi-tailored suit of white wool gabardine with black accessories and a corsage of red kiltarney roses. Something new was a wristwatch, a gift of the bridegroom, and something old was a handkerchief belonging to her great grandmother, the late Mrs. J. W. Neill of Brownfield.

She was attended by Mrs. Al Fletcher of Colorado City, who wore a pale green suit with black accessories and a corsage of red roses.

The bridegroom was attended by Al Fletcher.

Mrs. Lomax, a 1943 graduate of the Big Spring high school, attended Brantley Draughn's, Business college in Fort Worth. Prior to her marriage she was employed at the Shell Pipe Line Company in Colorado City.

Lomax was discharged from the army Sept. 14, 1945, after serving with the signal corps in Australia New Guinea and other stations in the South Pacific.

## Church Buildings Near College Asked

FORT WORTH, March 3. (AP)—Pointing out that four out of five Methodist students attend state colleges instead of church schools, Bishop A. Frank Smith declared that the church should follow them to the college campus.

Bishop Smith, presiding bishop of the Houston area of the Methodist church, spoke here yesterday in the interest of a statewide program of the Wesley Foundation, Methodist organization which is seeking to provide buildings near state college campuses for Bible teaching and recreation of students.

## Activities Tuesday

The Young Women's Circle of the First Christian church meets Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock with Mrs. Arthur Caywood at 910 Gollad. Mrs. G. B. Farrar will be co-hostess.

The High School P-TA meets at the school at 3:30 p.m.

During World War I potatoes became the first of the fresh fruits and vegetables for which US grades were established. Today Federal grades have been established for more than 50 types of fresh fruits, vegetables and nuts. All Snowflakes are six-sided.

## KEYS made at Johnny Griffin's

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## Mrs. J. M. Morgan Observes 75th Birthday With Double Celebration

A double celebration was held in honor of Mrs. J. M. Morgan Sunday when she observed her 75th birthday anniversary as honoree at a dinner in the L. D. Jenkins' home, and at an afternoon party given in the L. L. Freeman home.

Mrs. Morgan's children gathered at the home of Mrs. Jenkins Sunday at noon for a birthday dinner, and attending were Rose Eleanor Williams, Kyle Orsman of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Orsman and Mary Michael of Wichita, Kans., Kay Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan and Frankie Mae, Jack Gilmer, Ellen McLaughlin, Mrs. Rose Brink and Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins and their children, Marybeth and Paul.

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## Visits And Visitors

Mike Petevo, grand master of IOOF of Texas from Beaumont, Frank Rundell, deputy grandmaster from Austin, and S. M. Williams grand secretary of IOOF of Texas, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jones C. Lamar and Ben Miller Sunday.

Richard Simmons, student at the College of Mines, at El Paso, visited over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Simmons.

Dwain Williams, S. I. C., has been home on leave for a two weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Williams. His ship, the USS Chilton, a troop transport, arrived in San Diego, Calif., Jan. 22 from Chinwangtao, China, and carried 1300 men of the famed Seventh Marine regiment. Williams has one more year to serve in the navy.

## 1946 Club Meets Tonight

The 1946 Hyperion club meets Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. with Mrs. Lloyd Patterson at 710 Runnels St. All members are urged to attend.

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WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy, warmer in the Panhandle and South Plains this afternoon. Little change tonight and Tuesday.

EAST TEXAS—Partly cloudy to cloudy and warmer this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday. Scattered light rain in the east and south portions tonight or Tuesday. Moderate to fresh, southerly winds on the coast.

City	Max	Min
Amarillo	45	26
BIG SPRING	55	31
Chicago	29	21
Denver	40	17
El Paso	50	24
Fort Worth	44	33
Galveston	55	42
St. Louis	28	17
New York	38	27

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### Murphy Not Yet Under Contract

Supt. W. C. Blankenship revealed this morning that Pat Murphy, proffered the job as head football coach of Big Spring high school, had not been able to get his release from the Abilene schools.

Blankenship said that Murphy, however, would give him a definite answer on the proposition within the next few days. Murphy attended the coaching school here over the weekend but did not appear before the school board.

Haiti is the only Negro republic in the Western Hemisphere.

Cambodia is about the size of the state of Washington.

### ART FACES PAPPENHEIM

## Brady, Hoosier Featured At AC

What must rank with Promoter Pat O'Dowdy's blue-ribbon barn wrestling shows will be unreeled at the West Texas Auction barn starting around 8 o'clock this evening.

The Irishman is bringing in good-looking Art Brady of Huntington Park, Calif., for his top spot. Arturo—not exactly a newcomer—goes against Jackie Pappenheim of New York City.

Brady is wrestling's man of storied profile. There are those who insist he resembles Van Johnson of the films, though his more enthusiastic supporters say he cuts a more striking picture than the bobby-sox king.

All of which may leave Pappenheim cold. Jackson has never been accused of looking like anyone in particular. He has nothing against Johnson but told O'Dowdy he has little use for "collar-ad boys" who clutter up the ranks of the grapplers.

Both boys have good records here. Pappenheim is unbeaten after three starts while Brady bated a thousand in two shows here back in December.

O'Dowdy's "third man" should have an easy time with the feature, since both gladiators stick fairly close to the game's legislation in playing their trade. The arbiter, however, may deserve a rest after enduring the agony coming his way in the preliminary.

In that one, Buck Lipscomb—as unruly character as there is in the game—makes his local start against one Ken Mayne. If there's not any bad blood between the two now, there probably will be after tonight.

Lipscomb, a Fort Wayne, Indiana, product, has a habit of rubbing everyone he meets the wrong way.



ART BRADY Resumes Work

He reveals in the rough stuff, figuring a bloke who can't make it equally salty doesn't deserve to be in the business.

His opponent, Mayne, comes with a lot of promise. The well-proportioned Utahian is not exactly a novice at the sport. He's been around the block after dark, so to speak, and must have heard of Lipscomb and his tactics somewhere along the way. If he hasn't, then he can consider himself as having been warned.

Winners in tonight's imbroglios can write their own tickets in future billing here.

### Looking 'Em Over

With TOMMY HART

Some of our more loyal villagers are beginning to ask what is amiss in Our Town's complacent attitude toward athletics and the somewhat shallow appreciation for the benefits derived thereof.

Lack of co-operation among our manwarm has lessened our chances for a baseball park. Attendance at local basketball games has ranged from mediocre to nil in recent seasons. There are probably as many football fans here per square block as there are in any city throughout this broad land but more than a few of us are 'fair weather' supporters who dislike riding with a loser.

There are always more gaffers who like much better to render what they imagine is constructive criticism than there are those who will pitch in and help do a job. Those in the latter category usually stand out like rare jewels, yet they rarely are rewarded for their efforts.

One of West Texas' more successful young football coaches who, when asked why he did not apply for the head mentor job here, replied that he was 'afraid' of this town, that the word was getting out over the countryside that it was virtually a coaches' graveyard.

He went on to say that he had been informed that certain factions within these confines could not be pleased, no matter who succeeded to the job, that it was impossible to please our masses.

If such is the state which we have reached, if we are not willing to give any newcomer full and unselfish co-operation until he has proven himself, then we have reached an unenviable stage. To other communities of this section — our slip is obviously showing.

Lamesa high school has lost the services of Lou Jones, the assistant football coach. Jim Nell's aide, who is a former Texas athlete, shoved off for Mount Pleasant last week where he planned to accept a job with the government.

Incidentally, Lamesa's WT-NM baseball league team has signed several new players for spring try-outs, among them Santo Divich of Hartford, Conn., an infielder; D. A. Sanford, giant first sacker from Michigan; Billy Jones, the hot-shot semi-pro pitcher from Trent; and another semi-pro stand-out, Duck Weaver of Hamlin, a heavy hitting outfielder.

Jones made a distinct hit in the state semi-pro tournament at Waco last year.

Also from Lamesa comes word that the town will get a bowling alley. There will be six lanes in the new establishment.

Sports followers at Levelland will be privileged to see what is believed to be the first indoor polo game ever played in West Texas sometime in April. The indoor game is of course, an offshoot of the ancient sport.

In the indoor game, three-men teams are used, as against four in the regulation game. Too, a larger and softer ball is employed.

One of the featured performers will be Tom Mather, the Morton veteran five-goal star who has played with and against Big Spring teams numerous times.

Mather recently returned from Florida, where he participated in indoor matches with several top US teams.

While the UN conducted its last session at Lake Success, delegates, staff members and guests ate plenty of onions. Servings of this popular vegetable added up to six 50-pound bags a day. Onions were served fried, boiled and baked in a wide range of dishes.

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## Kimbrough Named Teacher Of 1948 Coaching School

### Clinic Wound Up At Noon

Frank Kimbrough, recently named head coach at West Texas State college and formerly chief mentor of Baylor university, will serve as one of the instructors of the Clarence Fox coaching school in 1948, the sponsor announced this morning.

Kimbrough accepted the invitation after arriving here Sunday afternoon to take in the closing sessions of the current clinic. The school was to be terminated at noon today.

Something like a hundred coaches from throughout West and North Texas were on hand for Sunday's all-day conclave. Jack Curtice, one of the instructors, went more into detail on his box formation during the afternoon after Del Morgan and Clyde Turner had taken the speaker's stand in the morning.

Among those registering Sunday for the course were James R. Maedgen, Abilene; G. C. Graves, Big Spring; Jeff Hooper, Colorado City; Fots Milam, Aubra Nooncaster and Cameron Neal, all of Midland; James M. Moffett, Stanton; Cy LaMaster, McKinney; J. Prentice Walker, Brownfield; Choc Sanders and Jim Neill, both of Lamesa; G. W. Tillerson and Chesney McDonald, both of Sterling City; and Kimbrough.

### Durocher Hints He's 'New' Man In Interview

By The Associated Press

Leo Durocher, whose conduct on and off the field in recent years has won him the title of "baseball's bad boy", hinted today he intends to mend his ways.

The Dodger pilot lounging in a maroon bathrobe in his room in Havana, talked with writers about a number of things including his meeting with Commissioner A. B. Chandler last November and some of the rules he has laid down for his players.

"The commissioner told me I had done nothing wrong," Leo said. "Nothing at all. But he said he didn't want anything to go wrong and suggested some of the people I was associating with might cause something unfortunate to happen. So I'm staying away from everybody."

"That's why everybody, and I mean everybody, is going to be barred from the dugout, the field and our clubhouse in Brooklyn, with the sole exception of newspapermen, photographers or equipment men who have credentials and legitimate business with our players."

The "new" Durocher declared the Dodgers would be gentlemen from the "manager" down. "And Mr. Rickey has nothing to do with it," he concluded "these are my personal wishes."

Other training camp notes:  
MIAMI BEACH, Fla.—Co-owners Frank E. McKinney and John Galbreath of the Pittsburgh Pirates plan to see Branch Rickey, president of the Dodgers, in hopes of making a deal for a pitcher.

CLEARWATER, Fla.—Manager Ben Chapman of the Philadelphia Phils, still seeking a top-flight shortstop, said if he doesn't get one, the Phillies will be floundering after 60 games.

SARASOTA, Fla.—No word has been heard from Rudy York, the Boston Red Sox reported. York is the only member unsigned.

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla.—Manager Billy Southworth of the Boston Braves was highly pleased by the work of Johnny Hopp, his regular center fielder as the Braves walloped the St. Louis Browns 7-3 yesterday.

## El Paso, Crozier And Jeff Rated Top AA Cage Quints

### Levelland May Be Top A Five

By The Associated Press

Pairings will be made today as 24 teams, nine of them repeaters, prepare to move into Austin for the twenty-seventh annual Texas Inter-scholastic League Basketball tournament.

The big meet starts Thursday morning and will again be a three-division affair.

Thomas Jefferson's Mustangs of San Antonio, who brushed aside Harlingen's Cardinals in two straight bi-district games, will be rated No. 1 in the Class AA division. This despite the fact that the only defending state champion in the field is Crozier Tech of Dallas, which beat Jefferson in the first round last year then rolled on to down Jeff Davis of Houston in the Class AA finals.

Tech is considered about as good as last season but there were many who thought Jefferson really had the better team then although edged by the Dallas quintet. Jefferson has virtually the same club as in 1946 but Tech misses greatness in the services of Harold Salmon, its fine little guard and floor-leader. El Paso also is rated a strong title contender.

SIX IN FAMILY DIE  
CARDINGTON, O., March 3. (AP)—Six members of a Michigan family bound for a wedding anniversary celebration were killed and another injured critically in a grade crossing crash here Sunday.

Here are the eight teams in each division:

Class AA—Amarillo, El Paso, Greenville, Crozier Tech, Waco, Bryan, Sam Houston (Houston), Thomas Jefferson, Amarillo, Greenville, Tech and Jefferson are repeaters.

Class A—Levelland, McCamey, Bowie, Plano, East Mountain (Gilmer), Alvin, Lockhart, Beeville, Levelland, Bowie and East Mountain were in the tournament last year.

Class B—Gruber, Burkett, Prairie Valley, Avinger, Sugar Land, Johnson City, Pettus, Marfa, Johnson City and Marfa played in the tournament last season.

Levelland, Bowie (whose team averages 6-foot-3) and East Mountain, whose only loss of the season was to Crozier Tech, are considered top teams of Class A with Levelland the favorite. This school, which went to the finals last year, has practically the same team back.

Johnson City, Marfa and Burkett are rated leaders in Class B with Johnson City favored.

The state tournament, to be held again in Gregory Gym at the University of Texas, will continue through Saturday. There will be eight games each day and night as three champions and three third-place teams are determined.

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**Nalley Staff Now Almost Complete**

Marcus Smith of Knott and Big Spring has joined the staff of the Nalley Funeral Home, C. O. Nalley, owner, announced today. Smith has just returned from overseas after serving for approximately five years with the US Army. The staff at the funeral home will be brought up to full strength, Nalley said, as soon as J. C. Pickle returns to work. Pickle has just undergone surgery at a local hospital. The Nalley Funeral Home offers an outstanding service to residents of the Big Spring area in time of bereavement, and Nalley has fol-

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**Escaped Convicts Returned To Jail**  
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**Historian Improves**  
 AUSTIN, March 3. (AP)—Texas Historian Jesse A. Ziegler, of Austin, was reported doing very well after a heart attack at his home here last Friday. Ziegler will celebrate his 90th birthday Wednesday. He is the author of two books on Texas history.  
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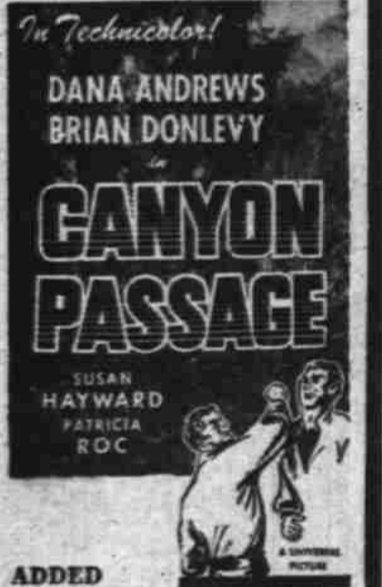


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## Dabney Urges Residents To Start Clean Up

Mayor George W. Dabney urged residents Monday to begin cleaning premises in anticipation of the traditional spring clean-up campaign. It is not necessary to await the campaign in order to "beat the fly and mosquito to the jump," said Mayor Dabney. In this connection, he said that the city would, before long, inspect all cow, poultry, horse, etc., lots. "It will be much better if the owner exercises care and keeps the premises clean instead of being forced to by the city," he said. The mayor pointed out the advantages of health, safety, and appearance by maintaining clean yards and lots.

## A. B. Sherwood, Early Rancher, Succumbs Here

A. B. Sherwood, 86, a pioneer West Texas rancher and banker, died at 3:25 a.m. Sunday in a local hospital. Born in Cincinnati, Ohio, Mr. Sherwood came to Texas when he was 21 and joined two brothers, Rubeen and George Sherwood in the ranching business. They operated a large ranch near San Angelo at Sherwood, a community named after the family. The three brothers later entered the field of banking, operating the old Western National Bank in San Angelo during the early 1900's. Mr. Sherwood served as cashier of the bank until 1925 when he retired because of ill health. Leaving San Angelo he spent nine years in Oregon and California, moving to Abilene in 1934. He is survived by two sons, A. B. Sherwood, Jr., of Los Angeles, and Louis Sherwood of San Francisco, six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. The body was carried overland to Abilene in an Eberley Funeral home coach Sunday night. Funeral arrangements are pending at the Laughter-North funeral home in Abilene.

## Schools Getting Tomato Juice

County School Supt. Walker Bailey is completing the task of distributing 600 cases of tomato juice sent here for school lunch rooms of this area under the federal subsidy program. Of the 600 cases, 69 go to Howard county schools. Martin county will be allotted 62 cases, Dawson county 44 while the remainder go to El Paso. Another 1,000 cases put on siding here by the railroad are destined to go to the Lubbock district. Each case contains six No. 10 cans of the juice. The shipment originated at Sacramento, California, and follows a truck-load of orange juice dispatched to Supt. Bailey recently.

## Local Police Holding Car Stolen In N.M.

Big Spring police this morning were holding an automobile reported stolen from Las Cruces, N. M., and communication with authorities in Fort Worth disclosed that the man who took the machine had been arrested there in a Big Spring car. The second vehicle was stolen Saturday on a downtown street and belonged to Earl Cooper. Local officers said the man apparently drove the New Mexico car here, abandoned it, and made off with Cooper's machine.

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## Bill Increasing Gas Tax Okayed

AUSTIN, March 3. (AP)—A bill increasing the state gasoline tax from four to six cents a gallon has been approved by two committees of the Texas State County Judges and Commissioners Association. In making the joint announcement that both the legislative and executive committees of the association had unanimously favored the measure, Judge Carroll Sulivant of Gainesville, association president, and Judge E. Y. McDaniel of Waco, legislative committee chairman, pointed out that one-fourth of the revenues from the additional tax would go to the public schools and three-fourths toward construction of county roads. The four-cent gas tax yielded about \$69,000,000 last year, McDaniel said. He estimated that the two-cent extra tax would provide approximately \$45,000,000.

## Jordan Principal Speaker At Lions Zone Meet Tuesday

Frank Jordan, Littlefield, governor of Lions district 2-T, will be the principal speaker at the zone meeting scheduled for 7:30 p. m. Tuesday at the Settles. Joe Earnest, Colorado City, zone chairman, will preside. Large representation is indicated from that club as well as from Snyder and Lorraine, other cities included in this zone. Schley Riley, program chairman, announced that Mrs. Wanda McElhannon, accompanied by Helen Duley, would be vocalist for the evening. Otis Grafa, president of the Big Spring club, said that the meeting would take the place of the regular Wednesday gathering.

## Colorado City Wins Gonfalon

COLORADO CITY, March 3.—Jeff Hooper's Colorado City high school girls basketball team returned here Saturday night sporting the trophy emblematic of the District 17 championship. Hooper's team wrapped up the title at Sylvester by knocking over Noodle (23-22), Post City (35-32) and Peacock (18-13) in that order. Free shots gave the Colorado City fens the championship. Freeda Harwell made good on six of nine gratis offerings while Jo Gregory bagged nine of 16. Miss Harwell, a forward, and Wanda Vowell of the local team, other members of the Colorado City team include Jeanette Rose, Jerry House and Elsie Robertson. Winners in 13 of 16 games played to date, the Coloradans will compete in the state tournament at Hillsboro, which gets underway March 12. The team will probably play a practice game with Stanton here Friday night.

## Patrolmen Interrupt Journey To Houston

Fred Pete Ellassen of Wilmington, Calif., had a trip to Houston interrupted by state highway patrolmen Sunday. The officers stopped him for a routine check after noting he was wearing the uniform of the US Navy. When the youngster could not produce leave papers, the patrolmen took him to the county courthouse to check on his story that he recently had been released from service and was on his way to Houston to join the merchant marine. He was temporarily lodged in the county jail.

## Car Owners Slow To Buy Licenses

Records released by the county tax collector-assessor's office betray the fact that local vehicle owners have been slow to purchase 1947 licenses. As of this morning, a total of 395 tags for passenger cars had been sold. In addition, plates for 45 commercial and 26 farm vehicles had been distributed through the function. Something like 6,000 tags were sold here in 1946. Owners must have the new registration on their machines by April 1.

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## Old Fashioned Camp Meeting Service Slated

An old fashioned camp meeting service at the First Assembly of God at 7:30 p. m. today will precede the opening of a two-day trisectional Bible conference, the Rev. E. R. Winter, pastor, announced. Rev. J. W. Sitton, Springfield, Mo., will be speaker at the service at the church, W. 4th and Lancaster, today. The Bible conference begins at 10 a. m. Tuesday with other services at 2 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. with Rev. J. O. Savell, Goose Creek, the main speaker. Other speakers will be the Rev. Homer M. Sheats, Lubbock, superintendent of the West Texas district council and who will preside over the conference; Rev. Troy F. Frazier, San Angelo, and Kenzy K. Savage, Ysleta. Delegates are expected from the San Angelo section of the Texas district of the Assemblies of God and the South Plains and Pecos sections of the West Texas district, said Rev. Winter.

## Armed Defeat Stuns Backers

ARCADIA, Calif., March 3. (AP)—The defeat—and complete shut out—of the mighty Armed goes down as the greatest upset in the 10-year-old history of the Santa Anita Handicap. Interest now turns toward the running of the \$100,000 Santa Anita Derby next Saturday, with a fine array of three-year-olds battling for the rich purse, but racing circles continue to relish the downfall of the Calumet stable's long tailed champion in the big race Saturday. The handicap king, for those who came in late, ran fifth in the mile and a quarter classic, two and a half lengths back of a challenger from Chile, Olhaverry. Stitch Again, a one-time \$3,500 claiming horse, ran second, and two California-bred candidates, Pere Time and See-Te-See, grabbed off third and fourth places, leaving Armed, the even money choice, to run in the also-ran class. Jockey Doug Dodson, who rode Armed to victory in two previous stake engagements in Florida and flew here last Tuesday with the handsome gelding determined to make it three in a row on successive week ends, said after the race they couldn't find room to move ahead in the stretch. To veteran experts, however, it appeared that Armed simply tired in the final stages and couldn't collar the leader at this point, Stitch Again, or hold off the rush of Olhaverry, Pere Time and See-Te-See.

## Markets

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## Rubber Workers Deal On Pay Hike

CLEVELAND, March 3. (AP)—The executive board of the CIO-United Rubber Workers today awaited a reply from the "Big Four" companies of the rubber industry on reopening of negotiations in the union's demand for a 26 cents hourly wage increase. L. M. Buckingham of Akron, attorney for the Big Four companies, said he expected the industry representatives would notify the union of their decision some time today. "I expect that we will get together and talk it over with the union again," he said. The Big Four is composed of the Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., the B. F. Goodrich Co., the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., all of Akron, and the US Rubber Co. of Detroit and New York.

## Katie Gilmore Quits Office Deputy Job

Katie Gilmore, office deputy in the sheriff's department since January, 1945, has resigned her commission to accept a job as secretary of the West Texas Wholesale Beer Distributors' association. The resignation was effective Feb. 28 but Miss Gilmore is remaining on a few days to acquaint her successor, Charles Bell, with his duties. Bell, who suffered combat wounds in World War II, is a former radio operator of the city police force. Miss Gilmore will remain in Big Spring.

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