

The Weather

West Texas—Fair tonight and Friday except unsettled, possibly snow, in the Panhandle; much colder tonight.

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Good Evening!

Nature is too thin a screen; the glory of the omnipresent God bursts through everywhere.—Emerson.

THE PAMPA NEWS

TWIN ARRIVES FIVE DAYS LATER



"Hi, twin! It took me five days, three and a half hours, but I'm here." Johnny McDonnell, left, has finally joined his brother, Jimmy, right, in a Kansas City, Mo., hospital. Mother walked over a 5-day period in bed for second twin while father paced floor.

Committee Chairman Graphically Describes Necessity Of Goodwill

Girls To Get Awards For Cookie Sale

Four individual awards in addition to a troop award will serve as incentives for the 131 Pampa Girl Scouts who will open a cookie sale Saturday morning to raise funds for scouting activities.

First prize will be a campership at Camp Kiwanis, Amarillo; second, a best-grade Scout uniform; third, a camp uniform, and fourth, a selected piece of Girl Scout equipment. The troop selling the most cookies will receive \$5 in cash.

Under the terms of the money-raising sale, the Girl Scouts will take orders for cookies only from their friends and relatives. The campaign will open at 8 a. m. Saturday, Feb. 18, and close at 8 p. m., Saturday, Feb. 25.

Cookies sold will be delivered on Friday and Saturday, March 3 and 4. No money is to be paid until deliveries are made.

Various civic clubs and organizations and business houses are cooperating in the financial drive by buying cookies for resale.

Money derived will be used for Scout maintenance and expansion.

The cookies will be sold only by the girls. They are emblem-shaped vanilla cookies suitable for tea or dessert, 46 cookies in a box to be sold for 25 cents.

Mrs. F. M. Culbertson, Scout commissioner, and other sponsors today expressed complete satisfaction with the public response already made to the sales project.

Japanese Will Land Troops Near Haimen

SHANGHAI, Feb. 16 (AP)—Japanese authorities served notice today they intended to land troops at Haimen, 200 miles down the coast, from Shanghai, late tomorrow in a new move to tighten the China coast blockade.

They warned all foreign shipping to stand clear of a 30-mile zone in Taichow Bay, where the port is located.

Haimen is one of the few remaining ports through which the Chinese still are able to send supplies to their troops in the interior.

The occupation of Haimen also would halt traffic on the Lan River and threaten hitherto untouched territory in East Chekiang province, including the towns of Luklau, Hwangyen, Linhai and Wenling.

There are about a dozen foreign missionaries in the area, mostly British.

In addition to blockading the entire China coast, the Japanese already have occupied all ports north of Shanghai except Haichow, which is useless.

'Anti-Short' Law No Law, Claims Clerk

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Feb. 16 (AP)—Provincetown's "anti-short" law, it now develops, is no law at all.

Town Clerk George S. Chapman said today he would not file the ordinance with the attorney general because no record was kept of the town meeting vote by which it was passed last Monday.

Chapman said a two-thirds vote was necessary to carry the order, which would have banned wearing of shorts in public places.

Fire Destroys Anson Drug Store

ANSON, Feb. 16 (AP)—Fire last night destroyed the stock and fixtures of the Knox Pittard Drug store here, and seriously damaged the building, including physicians' and attorneys' offices on the second floor.

Estimates of total damage were from \$30,000 to \$40,000. The Pittard store is one of the oldest and largest retail drug houses in West-Central Texas.

Commissioners Refuse To Pay \$1,506.41 For Auditors' Over-Time

Despite the argument of R. K. Waite, in charge of the Cornell & Co. audit of county funds, filed with the county clerk Monday night, members of the county commission at their meeting Wednesday afternoon, demurred at paying the total bill presented, amounting to \$3,106.

Mr. Waite told the commission that the audit had been worth every penny and pointed out that this was the first complete audit for Gray county. This, made it necessary for the audit to be more thorough than would have been essential had it been done regularly.

At the commission's meeting Monday, Mr. Waite had asked payment of \$1,506.41. This sum, however, represented only the over-time spent on the audit.

The commission voted to pay the company \$800, this sum being half of the amount set forth in the contract.

County Judge Sherman White said the contract contained no provision for over-time payment.

There was a total of six auditors employed in the period between Dec. 5, 1938, and Jan. 31, 1939. The rate of the chief auditor was \$150 a hour, with the others rates varying between 85 cents and the top figure.

The extra time had not been spent, you would have no kind of picture at all of the true condition," Mr. Waite told the commission. On some offices, the records were checked back three years, he said. Answering an inquiry as to why this was done, when the audit covers the period Jan. 1, 1937, to Dec. 31, 1938, Mr. Waite explained that by test checking it might have been possible to arrive at the correct figures seven out of ten times.

Test checking, he explained, was a process in which the auditors took a representative set of records and decided that all were correct on the basis of the majority being so.

However, in order to know exactly, he said that to discover a shortage it was necessary to go back to the very beginning, to check the financial condition of offices before present officials began their tenures.

He explained why it was necessary to spend over-time on several offices and said Gray county needed a system in some of its offices right now. He said both the county and the district clerk need a form to keep a record of deposits.

\$800 Paid. Pending the vote of all the commissioners, the commission voted to defer payment on the total bill, John Haggard, commissioner for precinct 2, was absent from the meeting Wednesday, on account of taking See AUDITORS', Page 6

Move To Build Up Brazil Trade Seen

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP)—A fourfold program of trade improvement was said by usually well-informed persons today to be involved in the current conferences between Foreign Minister Oswaldo Aranha of Brazil and United States officials:

1. Credits from the export-import bank to be extended to Brazil in selling merchandise or constructing public works in Brazil, and to United States importers buying Brazilian products which do not compete with domestic articles.

2. A sale of gold by the United States treasury to Brazil.

3. An arrangement to put certain facilities of the treasury's \$2,000,000,000 stabilization fund at disposal of Brazil in stabilizing its currency.

4. Technical assistance from United States experts to Brazil in setting up a central banking system similar to the American Federal Reserve system.

Aranha, who first became acquainted with Washington as Brazilian ambassador, is conferring daily with Secretary Hull, Secretary Morgenthau and other officials, and yesterday visited President Roosevelt.

27 Pairs Of Shoes Given Baker School

With the donation of 27 pairs of children's shoes to B. M. Baker school today, the American Legion Goodwill club has given a total of 71 pairs of shoes to Pampa school children since Jan. 1.

Shoes given today were taken to Principal J. A. Meek, who distributed the shoes among the children of the school most in need of them.

Earlier this month 44 pairs of children's shoes were sent to Horace Mann and B. M. Baker schools.

Temperatures In Pampa

Sunset	Yesterday	5:53	11 a. m.	26
7 a. m.	33	12 Noon	28	
8 a. m.	34	1 p. m.	26	
9 a. m.	30	2 p. m.	26	
10 a. m.	28		25	
11 a. m.	28		23	
Today's maximum			33	
Today's minimum			23	

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East Texas Senators Scourge O'Daniel

THEN . . . THE 'PEOPLE'S JUDGE' STEPS DOWN . . . NOW



These pictures of Louis Dembitz Brandeis portray the early and closing days of his career as a great American public figure.



82-year-old "people's judge" not long before his retirement.

Freezing Due In Panhandle Area Tonight

DALLAS, Feb. 16 (AP)—Butt on your overcoats.

The weather bureau here today reported a mild cold wave coming on Texas from the North Pacific.

The temperature will drop to freezing in Dallas tonight, with slightly below freezing in the Panhandle. The cold will extend south of Dallas tomorrow.

Livestock warnings have been issued for northwest portions of East Texas and north portions of the Panhandle, but the weather bureau said the cold would not be severe.

Arctic cold spread over the East today in the wake of freak weather conditions that claimed at least 13 lives in the eastern half of the United States.

Abating winds that had reached a 71-mile-an-hour intensity yesterday ended the threat of serious floods along sections of New England coast.

Snow and swiftly dropping temperatures across the storm as it moved eastward from the Midwest, freezing rain-swept highways by lowering the flood menace in the upper Ohio valley.

Effect of rainfall in the lower valley still unbreached by the flooded Ohio's crest, remained doubtful.

Jailer Will Give Drunks Castor Oil

ROCKFORD, Ill., Feb. 16 (AP)—Sheriff William J. Bell posted a new menu for some of the Winnebago county jail prisoners.

Those confined to the jail on charges of drunkenness will be placed on a fare of castor oil, bread and water.

The castor oil will be for punishment, said the sheriff, who declared he was tired of having the same men in jail repeatedly.

More Gyms Cited As Outstanding Need Of Pampa School System

One of Pampa's greatest schools needs right now is one or more gymnasiums.

That's the general opinion that exists among residents of the Pampa Independent school district at the present time, a survey made by a representative of The News revealed.

Practically every patron when interviewed unhesitatingly and almost instantly declared that they thought the school system should provide physical education plants for their children.

Today advocates of at least one more gymnasium at the schools declared that every ward school should have a gym, and cited figures intended to prove that the physical education plant of the Pampa Independent school district is woefully inadequate.

They pointed out that the student body of the school district represents a population of between 15,000 and 20,000 people, and it has one gymnasium, and not a single physical education building. They pointed out that the Amarillo school system which represents a population of 45,000 persons has six gymnasiums, including two at senior high schools.

PAMPA HAS ONE GYM, AMARILLO SIX

Above is pictured the only gymnasium in the far-flung Pampa Independent school district which has a population of around 15,000 persons. The high school gym was erected here 10 years ago. Year by year it has become more crowded until now all athletic and physical activities that center in it are cut short.

Amarillo which represents a population of 45,000 persons has six gymnasiums, including two at the senior high school, two at junior high schools, and two at ward schools, and also including two physical education plants, featuring canteens, recreation rooms and basketball courts.

\$60,000 Manson Suit Argued In Court Here

Argument in the case of Vivian Manson et al vs. Gibson Machine and Tool Company et al was being heard this afternoon in 31st district court, after District Judge W. R. Ewing had read the charge to the jury at 1:30 o'clock.

It had been expected that the charge would be ready at 9 o'clock this morning, but on account of there being more than 20 special issues involved, preparation of the charge could not be completed until noon.

In the suit, plaintiff is asking \$60,000 damages, the action based on an automobile collision eight miles east of LeFors on the McLean road on May 15, 1938, in which Joe Manson, dancer warehouseman, was killed, and his son and son's companion, were injured.

Testimony in the case was concluded at noon Wednesday. There were 20 witnesses put on the stand in the three days testimony was heard. W. C. Shipp, driver of the truck which was in collision with the Manson automobile, was on the stand for the third time yesterday. Other witnesses heard Wednesday were U. H. Hall, father of Harwell Hall, the boy who with Tommy Manson and Joe Manson was riding in the Manson car at the time of the accident, and Frank Hunt.

Among witnesses heard Tuesday were County Judge Sherman White, who drove past the scene of the accident soon after it occurred, and I. M. Smith, local photographer.

Frank Hill, Mrs. Vivian Manson, and Dan Williams were among witnesses heard on the first day of the trial.

H. E. Hoover of Canadian and John F. and Aaron Sturgeon of Pampa represent the plaintiff. Defense attorneys are George Shannon and Irwin Ochsner, both of Amarillo.

The regular panel of jurors for the seventh week, who had been

2,942 Citizens Eligible To Vote

Poll tax payments for 1939 in Gray county approximated slightly more than half of the payments for the preceding year, according to the monthly report of County Tax Assessor Collector P. E. Leech.

January 31 was the deadline on payment of the \$1.75 poll tax, and the total number of payments was 2,626. Exemptions were 316, making a total of 2,942 Gray county citizens eligible to vote this year.

Tax collections for county, common school district, and state, totaled \$165,258.68, the report shows. Of this total \$99,233.32 goes to Gray county, \$50,234.44 to the state, and \$15,790.92 to the common school districts.

Pampans Approve Hunter Appointment

ABILENE, Feb. 18 (AP)—Prominent citizens of all parts of West Texas as well as other sections, today were wiring and telephoning J. C. Hunter's offices here, and to the Abilene Reporter-News, expressions of approval of Gov. O'Daniel's appointment of the Abilene man to the chairmanship of the State Highway commission. They voiced the hope he would be confirmed and would accept the post.

Among them were: Charles A. Guy, publisher of The Lubbock-Avalanche-Journal which editorially endorsed the selection; Joe S. Bridwell and Joe Perkins, Wichita Falls; Omar Burleson, Jones county judge; J. J. Gahner, Graham; J. D. Sanderfer Jr., Breckenridge; E. J. Dunigan Jr., Pampa; J. H. Walker, Austin, former State Land Commissioner; D. K. Martin, San Antonio, former chairman of the highway commission; H. L. Kokernot, San Antonio; Clarence Scharbauer, Midland capitalist; John Kantis, Brownwood banker; Representative R. H. Reeves, Bronte; W. E. Tyler, Rising Star banker; Herbert S. Hilburn, Plainview publisher, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce; W. C. Russell, Hamlin banker; John F. Sedwick, Albany banker; Sherman White, Gray County Judge; James Henry Beall Jr., Sweetwater attorney; Garnet Reeves, manager of the Pampa Chamber of Commerce; A. B. Davis, manager of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce.

Appreciation was expressed today by the post to Mr. Siple for his part on the program, and to White's Auto stores who supplied the radio for the "Hello, America" hour.

60 Attend 'Hello America' Hour At Legion Hut Here

Joining with other Veterans of Foreign Wars poets over the nation, the Pampa post at its meeting at 8 o'clock Wednesday night in the American Legion building, listened in on the eighth "Hello, America" hour, broadcast over a national hook-up.

The broadcast was heard after a box supper was held, with Homer N. Pruett of Berger as the auctioneer.

Mike Shepic and his accordion band opened the program of the meeting, attended by 60 members of the V. F. W. post, and their wives.

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Group Flays Latest Choice Of Governor

Tyler's Pace Says East Texas Got A 'Kick In Pants'

AUSTIN, Feb. 16 (AP)—A group of Senators from East Texas in scathing language today denounced appointment of J. C. Hunter of Abilene as state highway commissioner by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel and indicated a fight against confirmation would be waged.

In rapid succession, Senators arose and criticized the governor's action as bad public policy and an insult to East Texas.

One termed the a governor a "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," another charged he was not cooperating with the legislature but was trying to create a breach and "make war" on legislators.

A third asserted all Texas had been slapped in the face. It was the most bitter assault on an action of Governor O'Daniel by more than an individual member since his inauguration Jan. 17.

One senator from East Texas, A. M. Alkin, Jr., of Paris, struck a conservative note, declaring that while he believed an East Texan should have been named, nevertheless the Senate should consider only two things in all appointments:

1. Whether the appointee was qualified, and.

2. Whether he was capable. The charge was made also that Carr P. Collins of Dallas, first appointee to the position but rejected by the Senate, had threatened East Texas senators that unless they reconsider action against him a West Texas would be appointed.

Senator Will D. Pace of Tyler led off the fireworks, declaring Gov. O'Daniel had given the people of Texas "a kick in the seat of the pants."

Quotes Secretary's Letter. In a critical speech by Senator John Redditt of Lufkin, Senator Pace inquired:

"Isn't it a fact that the man the governor selected as secretary wrote a letter saying he would double-cross his best friend?"

Redditt replied he did not know "about that."

Senator Joe Hill of Henderson interjected:

"I saw the letter." Redditt asserted everyone knows it is against good public policy to have the members of the highway commission from the same section of the state.

Harry Hines, another commissioner, lives at Wichita Falls, in West Texas, and Dallas. Redditt said East Texas senators last Monday had told O'Daniel they wanted an East Texan appointed to succeed John Wood, whose term expired yesterday, and O'Daniel had replied he thought East Texas was entitled to the appointment.

He also quoted the governor as having said he would do nothing about the matter until after Feb. 1. "Consider how he has carried this out," Redditt shouted.

Referring to a Chamber of Commerce regional map which the governor attached to the message, Pace said it was the governor's "number one alibi."

"Everybody knows that map has been in existence for 10 years and it was made for tariff purposes—not highways," he said.

"I don't know whether Hunter will get on the commission or not, but

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I Saw . . .

C. P. McWright, Junior high teacher and Peepee coach, still sticking out his chest over the new daughter in the McWright family, which was born recently.

Gene Fatheree and beautiful Mrs. Fatheree have become avid basketball fans. Last night they saw White Deer win the most thrilling game of the season.

TO HONOR AND OBEY?

A Chicago woman filed for a divorce, claiming her husband beat her because she refused to carry a watermelon up three flights of stairs. At least, we have to admire the woman for asserting her independence.

Most of us would carry the watermelon under one arm and a bushel of potatoes under the other if Mr. Right Man insisted. But we'd hardly expect a beating if we refused!

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Don't Miss The F. F. A. Calf Show In Pampa Saturday, February 25

Program On India Given Wednesday At Parish Hall

Mrs. L. G. Bliss and Mrs. Tom Bliss were hostesses at a meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Matthew's Episcopal church Wednesday afternoon in the parish hall.

The Rev. R. J. Snell reported on a conference which he attended recently in Oklahoma City and plans were discussed for participating in the World Day of Prayer.

Opening the program was the devotional by Mrs. S. L. Lewis. Following two discussions, "The Untouchables" by Mrs. S. G. Surratt and "India's Rural Millions" by Mrs. Rosamond Lovell, prayers were given for India.

Attending were Meses. R. J. Snell, C. P. Buckler, L. L. Rice, Rosamond Lovell, Tom Bliss, Hol Wagner, W. S. Klier, L. G. Bliss, S. G. Surratt, Ed Carston, J. G. Dougett, R. C. Taylor, S. L. Lewis, L. E. Lytle, and Tex DeWeese.

20th Century Forum Continues Study At Meeting This Week

Seventeen members were present at the meeting of Twentieth Century Forum in the home of Mrs. Frank Carter this week.

Another program in the course of "The Psychology of Personality" was presented with Mrs. Don Conley as leader for the afternoon. Mrs. Conley presented a paper on personal beauty as an element in personality after which Mrs. Arthur Teed read a paper on plastic surgery.

Members attending were Meses. R. G. Allen, C. N. Barrett, Roy Bourland, Don Conley, Gene Fathere, William Fraser, George Friauf, E. L. Green Jr., J. W. Howze, Orlin Mitchell, Frank M. Perry, W. C. Slack, Arthur Swanson, Arthur Teed, E. H. Turner, and Miss Marjorie Buckler.

Horace Mann Study Group To Meet In Home Of Mrs. Gary

Discussion group of Horace Mann school will meet Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. C. E. Gary at 2 o'clock with Mrs. W. Tucker leading the lesson on "The Family and A Democracy."

Following the regular lesson the group will listen to the Horace Mann P-T. A. radio broadcast over station KFDN.

Room mothers will be honored guests and all other parents and teachers are urged to attend.

Methodist League Has Guest Speaker At Recent Supper

PANHANDLE, Feb. 16.—Intermediate and Senior League of the Methodist Church under the direction of Mrs. Frank Ford, leader, entertained with a Valentine covered dish supper in the basement of the church this week.

The Rev. and Mrs. Jones of Groom were guest speakers and entertained with vocal and instrumental music. The supper was the initial meeting in a series to interest church people in the Youth Crusade, a movement which will last four years for the purpose of deepening the spiritual life of the young people and bringing about a better understanding between adults and young people. Rev. Jones stressed the fact that the young people of our land are ready and waiting for a challenge from the adults, and that they have been neglected not only in their spiritual life but recreational as well. It is hoped by church leaders that the movement will provide for the needs of the young people in every respect.

Rev. Jones sang a base solo, "Because He First Loved Me," and played two sacred songs on the saw, "Sweet Hour of Prayer" and "Day Is Dying In The West." Rev. and Mrs. Jones then sang a duet, "Love Led Him To Calvary." Following Rev. Jones' address, Mrs. Jones spoke further on the Youth Crusade.

The young people of the church served the supper and decorated the basement in the Valentine motif.

Still Coughing?

Even if other medicine has failed, don't be discouraged, try Creomulsion. Your druggist is authorized to refund your money if you are not thoroughly satisfied with the benefits obtained. Creomulsion is one word, ask for it plainly, see that the name on the bottle is Creomulsion, and you'll get the genuine product and the relief you want. (Adv.)

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GRAY COUNTY CREAMERY

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PIANIST—Officers Elected By Presbyterian Auxiliary Group

Election of officers for the auxiliary year beginning in April was held at a meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary Wednesday afternoon in the annex of the First Presbyterian Church.

Those named were Mrs. W. S. Dixon, president; Mrs. Fred Roberts, vice-president; Mrs. J. C. Richey, secretary; Mrs. R. F. Dirksen, treasurer; Mrs. George Friauf, missionary education secretary; Mrs. P. C. Ledrick, membership secretary; Mrs. Dick Walker, stewardship secretary; Mrs. E. M. Donnell, overseer sewing secretary; Mrs. George Briggs, spiritual life secretary; and Mrs. T. W. Sweatman, corresponding secretary.

The president appointed a committee headed by Mrs. John Andrews to write a history of the auxiliary from the first organization.

A program on "The American Negro" was presented with Mrs. F. C. Wilson giving the opening prayer and Mrs. George Briggs discussing the devotional. Mrs. Sweatman spoke on the American negro and their economic problems especially in larger cities. She pointed out their progress in art sculpture, and discussed the Julius Rosenwald foundation for the education of negroes of the United States.

Plans were made for participating in the World Day of Prayer service to be held at 10:30 o'clock on Feb. 24 in the First Methodist Church.

The hostesses, Mrs. Jeanne Chapman and Mrs. F. C. Wilson, served refreshments to 28 members and guests including one new member, Mrs. R. H. Neustill.

Valentine Luncheon Given For School Youngsters Recently

Students of the Rice pre-school were entertained with a Valentine luncheon at the school Tuesday.

The entertainment rooms were attractively decorated in red and white. Valentines, which were mailed in a Valentine box, were delivered by the postman. Several appropriate games were played and favors of mints and Valentine cookies were served.

Guests included members of the school.

Home Makers Club To Entertain For Husbands Tuesday

PANHANDLE, Feb. 16.—Mrs. Jerry Cavanaugh was hostess to members of the Home Makers club in her home recently.

In the business session conducted by Mrs. Frank Berres, the club voted to attend the World Day of Prayer at the Methodist church Feb. 24 instead of having the regular meeting.

Mrs. O. Z. Light and Mrs. Reed Wigham will be hostesses for the party to entertain the husbands Tuesday evening, Feb. 21, in the home of Mrs. Wigham.

Following the business session Miss Bernice Westbrook demonstrated potatoes, baked potatoes and creamed potatoes that had been cooked in a small amount of water with the skins on were prepared by Miss Westbrook and served to the members. Miss Westbrook stressed the value of potatoes in the diet as they contain a large amount of minerals and vitamins and are one of the best balanced vegetables.

The hostess served refreshments to Meses. C. L. Sterling, Frank Berres, W. H. Sherwood, O. Z. Light, Carl Metcalf, Reed Wigham, and Miss Bernice Westbrook.

LeFors P-TA To Have Guest Speaker At Meeting This Evening

LeFORS, Feb. 16.—LeFors Parent-Teacher association will hold a regular meeting at the high school auditorium with C. M. Brown as leader of the program.

A program of school and community problems has been made by teachers, pupils, and parents and a report of this survey will be given. Mrs. Will "Sam" Harris will be the grand grade rhythm band and a high school chorus.

The district home economic meeting was held here Feb. 11 at the high school. During the afternoon the girls were taken by bus through the oil fields of this community. Members of the Parent-Teacher association directed the girls through homes at the refineries and on the oil company leases, and the girls observed housing conditions of this community.

Future Homemakers Have Social Event In Holiday Theme

PHILLIPS, Feb. 16.—Girls of the Future Homemakers club of the Phillips High school entertained with a Valentine party in the Phillips community hall recently.

Ralph Roney favored the group with a concert solo, "Dea Mae Dean sang "The Umbrella Man" and "The Fashion Love Call." Gladys Monroe played several piano selections, Rena Jean Sharp gave two readings, and Marguerite Slat played several accordion selections.

Several appropriate games were enjoyed and refreshments stressing the Valentine motif were served to Marguerite Slat, Lena Mae Carroll, Delores Bailey, Billie Jo Smith, Hildred Hopper, Louise Gildwell, Rena Jean Sharp, Mary Louise Robertson, Virginia Lee McSpadden, Bonnie Lucille Church, Lenora Robinson, Charlotte Cook, Bernice Lindsey, Lorene Robinson, Lavon Ostrom, Rena Mae Dean, Betty Lowe, Pauline Carlson, Mary Jane Fitzsimmons, Alice Foster, Hazel Roundtree, Helen Scott, Dorothy Fuhs, Katherine Langen, Claudine Robertson, Ellen Ostrom, Gladys Markee, Boyd Allen Alexander, Gale Alexander, Jack Brakebill, Everett and J. R. Collier, R. L. Cooper, Wayne S. Blair, Tommy Dean, Bobby and Billy Esten, Clyde Edwards, Booth Hansen, Dean Jennings, Richard Jackson, Bobby Jackson, Kieth Jacka, Yankee Lawrence, Billy Lowe, Harold Norman, Ronnie Paulain, Harold Parks, Tommy Pechus, Paul Roney, Fred Stone, Roland Williamson, Stephen Ware, John McNeil, Ralph McDade, R. V. Baker, John Mizell, and Miss Tris Bailey.

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Several appropriate games were enjoyed and refreshments stressing the Valentine motif were served to Marguerite Slat, Lena Mae Carroll, Delores Bailey, Billie Jo Smith, Hildred Hopper, Louise Gildwell, Rena Jean Sharp, Mary Louise Robertson, Virginia Lee McSpadden, Bonnie Lucille Church, Lenora Robinson, Charlotte Cook, Bernice Lindsey, Lorene Robinson, Lavon Ostrom, Rena Mae Dean, Betty Lowe, Pauline Carlson, Mary Jane Fitzsimmons, Alice Foster, Hazel Roundtree, Helen Scott, Dorothy Fuhs, Katherine Langen, Claudine Robertson, Ellen Ostrom, Gladys Markee, Boyd Allen Alexander, Gale Alexander, Jack Brakebill, Everett and J. R. Collier, R. L. Cooper, Wayne S. Blair, Tommy Dean, Bobby and Billy Esten, Clyde Edwards, Booth Hansen, Dean Jennings, Richard Jackson, Bobby Jackson, Kieth Jacka, Yankee Lawrence, Billy Lowe, Harold Norman, Ronnie Paulain, Harold Parks, Tommy Pechus, Paul Roney, Fred Stone, Roland Williamson, Stephen Ware, John McNeil, Ralph McDade, R. V. Baker, John Mizell, and Miss Tris Bailey.

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Friendly Eight Club Honors Two Members At Shower

Mrs. Robert Gilchrist was hostess to members and guests of the Friendly Eight Bridge club at her home this week.

A Valentine motif was observed in the tallies and salad course which was served with heart-shaped sandwiches and coffee.

High score in the bridge games was made by Mrs. R. L. Allison and low score by Mrs. C. F. Walton.

The group honored Mrs. Bob Sidwell and Mrs. W. H. Cleamow with a handkerchief shower on their birthdays.

Attending were Meses. George French, Robert Gilchrist, W. P. Mason, C. F. Walton, Fred Ratcliff, Robert Sidwell, W. H. Cleamow, members; and two guests, Mrs. W. A. Robinson and Mrs. R. L. Allison.

Young People Of Baptist Church Have Social Affair

PANHANDLE, Feb. 16.—Members of the Young People's department of the Baptist Church entertained with a Valentine social in the church parlor this week.

Entertainment for the evening consisted of activity games, contests, and games of hearts, directed by Miss Joe Rutledge and Joanne Skaggs.

Refreshments of sandwiches, heart shaped cookies, candy hearts, and cocoa were served to the teachers and officers of the department, class members, and their guests.

Three Hostesses Have Entertainment At Phillips Hall

PHILLIPS, Feb. 16.—Lavan, Elmita and Gwendolyn Ostrom entertained a group of friends with a Valentine party in the Phillips community hall this week.

Refreshments carrying out the Valentine motif were served to Silvestra Moore, J. W. Barnett, Bobby Estep, Everett Calder, Lois Buens, Mildred Kossey, Ruth Parks, B. F. Noland, Roland Williamson, Jack Norman, Lee Dozier, Lenora Robinson, Boyd Allen Alexander, Clyde Edwards, Rena Jean Sharp, R. L. Cooper, Donnie Lucille Church, Dean Jennings, Virginia Lee McSpadden, Bobby Jackson, Billy Jo Smith, Margaret Hanser, Vivian Wright, Hildred Hopper, Delores Bailey, Louise Ivey, Lorine Robinson, D. H. Dunstun, Mary Jane Fitzsimmons, Donna Mae McSpadden, Harold Norman, Harold Parks, Ronald Ingram, Harold Dean Craddock, Loyd Znotony, Billy Miller, Donald Harlow, Paul Cahoon, Helen Scott, Robert Doffer, Beulah Mae Garrett, Buddy Doffer, Kathryn Langen, Bill Lawrence, Rena Mae Dean, Booth Hansen, Billy Estep, Vivian Stull, Margaret Porter, Charles Dozier, Pauline Carlson, Carolyn Ostrom, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Miller, Mrs. D. N. Harlow, Mrs. T. S. Snick, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Ostrom and the hostesses.

McLean Glee Club Has Treasure Hunt

McLEAN, Feb. 14.—Members of the Glee club of McLean High school enjoyed a treasure hunt this week.

Miss Dale Smith, sponsor, and Missie Hodges had charge of the event.

When the hunt was finished, the group returned to the high school where a feast was spread and winners were announced. Ruth Bond, Evonne Floyd, Doris Nell Wilson, Jr. Windom, Clint Doolen and Paul Bond, winners, were awarded a Valentine box of candy.

Pampans To Attend Flower Show At Houston This Week

Mrs. Tom Clayton and Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Kay of the Clayton Floral Company left Wednesday morning for Houston where they will attend the fifty-fifth International Flower Show of the Society of American Florists.

This is the first time this show has been held in Texas.

They will also attend a two-day design school which will be conducted in connection with the flower show. At this school will be demonstrated the newest ideas in flower arrangements.

Holiday Banquet Given For Young People Of Church

Young People's department of the Central Baptist church and their guests were entertained with a holiday banquet Tuesday evening.

The program for the entertainment included the welcome by Lovell Sharp; response, Lois Barrett; song, "Arise O Youth"; musical numbers, Vanderburg trio; a reading, Marie Jean Evans and a piano duet, Bernice Barrett and Jewel Boone.

After dinner the Valentine theme was repeated in the games directed by Juanita Higgins and Ruth Tunnell. The tables were decorated in the chosen colors of red and white with heart shaped favors for each guest.

Attending were Meses. Herma Beckham, Edna Pennington, Bessie Grace, Lois Barrett, Edna Rainbolt, Ernestine Followell, Mary Jones, Winnie Green, Ruth Tunnell, Mary Lee Strange, Juanita Higgins, Genevieve Cook, Dixie Vanderburg, Alene Weathered, Marie Montgomery, Juanita Roberts, Helen Chandler, Inez Cooper, Alberta Latus, Ruth Ellis, Hazel Goodman, Loma Kay Avers, Grace NeCase, Marie Mitchell, Phyllis Followell, Lela Pearl Baldwin, Carolyn Cloud, Virginia Campbell, Ruby Faye Johnson, Mary Jean Evans, Bernice Barrett, Jewel Boone, and Mrs. John Scott.

Messes. Lovell Sharp, Bill Gilstrap, D. L. Scifres, Ralph Higgins, Robert Fletcher, Melton Burns, Larry Thompson, R. E. Warren, Jr., Jack Stroup, Wayne Hutchens, Eldon Huffaker, Alvis Erwin, Kenneth Block, Herschell Crump, Maurice Hutchinson, Raymond Baxter, W. W. Brister, H. E. Johnson, and Ray Riley.

Baker Band Club Will Meet Tonight

B. M. Baker Band Club will meet this evening at 7:45 o'clock in the school auditorium.

Numbers are to be played by the school band under the direction of W. Postema.

Homemade candy is to be sold by the members.

Log Cabin Dinner Entertains Guest Of Miss Waltermire

SHAMROCK, Feb. 16.—Miss Annie Mae Waltermire entertained with a log cabin dinner recently honoring her sister, Virginia Lee, at the Waltermire home.

The table decorations were clever with a small log cabin forming the centerpiece, garnished with greens and red and white flowers. An American flag was placed at the cabin door from which red and blue ribbons were tied and led to the place cards.

Place cards were small books made of cardboard tied with red and blue ribbon and containing ten conundrums.

Those attending were Meses. Irma Lee Rabe, Jewell Willingham, Bobbetta Mathews, Virginia Lee and Anna Mae Waltermire, and Messes. Ernest Snell, Archie Dean Southard, and Billie Wall.

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Buffet Dinner Given For Men Wednesday Night

Entertaining a group of friends, Judge B. S. Via was host at a buffet dinner Wednesday evening in his home, 613 West Browning avenue.

Assisting in serving the dinner of Oregon salmon, Texas wild boar, Oregon oysters, cheese ham, and pigs were Dr. M. C. Overton, Jr., Judge W. R. Ewing, Gene Howe of Amarillo, Dr. A. C. Street of Amarillo, and Maj. E. A. Simpson.

Guests included Judge W. R. Ewing, Dr. M. C. Overton, John F. Studer, C. F. Benefield, John F. Sturgeon, W. A. Bratton, Sid Patterson, Walter Rogers, C. L. Thomas, W. R. Fraze, Aaron Sturgeon, Judge N. P. Willis, F. M. Culbertson, F. M. Foster, R. A. Thompson, Arthur M. Teed, E. F. Mayfield, Hollis Keys, Ray Barnes, E. S. Vicars, De Lea Vicars, H. E. Hoover, V. E. Brunow, V. P. Boyles, Clifford Braly, D. C. Hartman, Otis Pumphries, Miles Weston, Lynn Boyd, B. W. Rose, K. I. Dunn, Dr. A. J. Street of Amarillo, A. A. Mersith of Amarillo; M. C. Johnson, J. C. Carroll, R. G. Hughes, I. E. Duncan and Dr. W. C. Jones.

Mrs. Lamborn Gives Holiday Party For Esther Class Girls

PANHANDLE, Feb. 16.—Mrs. J. C. Lamborn, teacher of the Queen Esther class of intermediate girls, entertained members of her class and guests with a Valentine social in the basement of the Baptist church this week.

Following the Valentine games and contests directed by Mrs. Lamborn, refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served to Misses Mary Ruth Evans, Marguerite Bonner, Ora Lee Ramey, Ellen Lee, Betty Lou Cox, Lela Robinson, Geraldine Williams, Tommie Lee White; Messes. Brice Kimble, Thomas White, Junior Hudson, Ernest Russell, and C. M. Pyron.

Mrs. Thut Hostess And Leader At El Progresso Meeting

El Progresso club met this week in the home of Mrs. Charles Thut, 1117 Mary Ellen street, for a regular session.

An old and valued proverb was given in answer to roll call. Mrs. George Briggs, Council of Clubs delegate, gave a report from the three clubs which had been selected to visit the recreational projects.

Mrs. Thut, leader, discussed the book of Job, which, from a literary standpoint, is generally considered one of the best productions of any age or language. All attempts to dramatize it have resulted in failures. Mrs. T. E. Simmons replaced Mrs. W. M. Pearce on the program and gave a review and comparison of two great tragedies "Faust" and "Hamlet."

Members present were Meses. John V. Andrews, Robert Boshen, George Briggs, C. P. Buckler, W. R. Ewing, W. Carl Jones, P. C. Ledrick, S. G. Lewis, L. C. Neely, Dave Pope, S. G. Surratt, James Todd, George Waldstad, and the hostess.

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Two Hostesses Have Pretty Party For Couples Class

A party in a holiday motif was given for members of the Couples Class of the First Methodist Church in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Platt with Mrs. C. W. Andrews as co-hostess this week.

Games were played in rooms decorated in the Valentine theme and refreshments repeating the color note were served.

Attending were Meses. and Meses. C. W. Andrews, Bellefeldt, H. B. Lively, John Platt, R. A. Selby, Raymond Eshannon, John Skelly, Clayton Smith, Earl Smith, Aubrey Steele, Tony Watson, A. B. Whitten; Meses. Ray Barnes, and Miss Avis Thompson.

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FDR Will Leave For Key West Tonight

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP)—President Roosevelt cleared up pressing government business today so he can stand the next two weeks on a man-of-war in the Caribbean.

Leaving behind a bawky Congress, he will depart tonight for Key West, Fla., where he will board the 9,950-ton cruiser, Houston, Saturday to witness part of the fleet maneuvers.

The voyage was planned with a double purpose—to give the naval-minded President a glimpse of the greatest armada ever to assemble in the Atlantic for a mimic battle and an opportunity to rest from congressional problems.

World attention has been focused on the fleet maneuvers, designed to test the Atlantic defenses of the Panama canal. A total of 140 ships, 600 planes and upward of 55,000 officers and men are taking part.

The mimic warfare is being staged at a time when Congress is considering the administration's \$552,000,000 defense program. Interwoven with this is the controversy over foreign policy, with some senators demanding full publicity on sales of war equipment to foreign nations.

A half dozen other congressional problems are being left behind by the President, and Democratic leaders, looking for a long session unless a greater degree of party harmony is shown, are expected to work toward solution of some of these during his absence.

Convention delegates are estimated to have spent \$13,000,000 in Los Angeles in 1938.

Feminine Touch



Readers of Daily Nebraskan sports pages for the first time in University of Nebraska history are reading the comment of a woman sports editor now that June Bierbower has been appointed.

Foreigners Ordered To Leave Mountain

SHANGHAI, Feb. 16 (AP)—After many months of silence, 12 Americans and 53 other foreigners stranded on a mountain in central China in the path of an imminent Japanese onslaught made contact today with the outside world.

They acknowledged receipt of radio broadcasts containing a Japanese warning to leave their isolated haven in a summer resort at Kuling, on Lushan mountain, southeast of Hankow.

The message said some foreigners wished to leave but did not give their names or number. Officers of the Chinese force holding lines on the slopes of Lushan

mountain on which Kuling is perched, agreed to permit one foreigner to ascend the tortuous trail to the resort to arrange the evacuation. It is against this Chinese force that the Japanese have announced they would launch an attack with all available weapons, including aircraft, probably Feb. 20.

Lieut.-Com. Charles R. Jeffs, commanding the United States gunboat, Oahu, planned to leave Kuling, on the Yangtze river, tomorrow to arrange an escort for the foreigners who want to leave.

11 CIO Unionists Of Extorting Dues

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 16 (AP)—Eleven CIO unionists were in jail

and four others were sought for arrest today on charges of extorting dues from workers at the Chrysler motors plant.

The main indictment, first of its kind in California, may have far-reaching effects on labor union organization, Deputy District Attorney Russell Parsons said.

If the charges are upheld in court, he said, then any labor leaders who use illegal threats of any kind to bring men into unions may be prosecuted for attempted extortion.

Deputy District Attorney Parsons asserted the 15 had tried to compel some 50 non-unionists to join their ranks on threat of violence. Sluggings, bodily evictions and whispered vilifications were daily occurrences at the Chrysler plant for several months, Parsons alleged.

Factions Disagree On Peace And War

PARIS, Feb. 16 (AP)—Peace or more war in Spain appeared today to depend on the council of high officers of the Spanish republic.

The first parley, between the moderate wing of the Spanish government suing for peace with the insurgents and the die-hards trying to carry on the civil war, ended last night in deadlock.

Further talks were anticipated. At the Spanish embassy Manuel Azana, self-exiled but still president of Spain, held out for peace. The Madrid foreign minister, Julio Alvarez Del Vayo, arrived by plane yesterday from Madrid to

act for Premier Juan Negrin, who wants a continuance of the war.

Spanish quarters understood Del Vayo brought two messages to Azana: a report from General Jose Miaja that the central Madrid-Valencia zone, the last left to the government, could be defended if food and arms supplies were assured; a request from Negrin that Azana not resign but return at once to Madrid.

Azana was understood to have replied that further resistance now

was futile and that Negrin's cabinet should resign to permit a new government to negotiate for peace. Del Vayo planned to return to Madrid for new instructions.

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Franco's Columns Moving On Madrid

PERPIGNAN, France, Feb. 16 (AP)—Generalissimo Francisco Franco's seven best army corps, which recently completed conquest of Catalonia, were reported by insurgent dispatches today to be moving toward central Spain for an assault on the last stronghold of the Madrid government.

Arsenals and repair shops have been ordered to speed up the work of replenishing war supplies, the dispatches said, indicating there would be only a brief period before the start of the new campaign.

With the central armies of the two sides now about equal, insurgent advisers reflected confidence the shift in strength would tip the scales heavily in Franco's favor and give him final victory.

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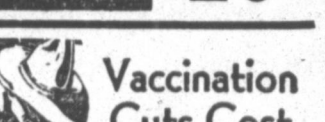
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City Becomes Innkeeper

The city of Pittsburgh is going into the hotel business. A 22-story hotel there which owed the city \$500,000 in back taxes is to be taken over and managed by the city.

It is only the second time that the city has applied its Sequestration Act, passed in 1935, by which it can take over, manage and operate, delinquent properties, diverting to the city all income above operating expenses until back taxes are paid.

Thus it is that government as the ultimate landlord of all of us shows that his patience may be exhausted just like the patience of any other landlord. The rights of the people of the city in general to receive tax payments have here apparently been placed ahead of even those of bondholders and owners.

Animal Wisdom

Domestic animals seldom suffer or die of heart disease. Dr. H. H. Duker, professor of veterinary physiology at Cornell University, has found that "because they live more naturally than humans," such disorders are far more rare among animals than among men.

The animal heart, Dr. Duker notes, "is not subjected to the unnatural stresses and strains that man has built up for himself through civilization."

The Nation's Press

PATMAN AND MUSICA (Chicago Tribune). The least that congress should do, in view of the recent revelations regarding Congressman Wright Patman's connection with the McKesson & Robbins company, is to throw him out of the house.

Mr. Patman was not involved in the Musica-Coster 18 million dollar film-film at the expense of the company's stockholders. Mr. Patman was engaged in a different racket. He was paid by the company, via a speakers' bureau, to film-film the people of the United States and their representatives in congress.

From the viewpoint of Mr. F. Donald Musica Coster, the Patman bill was a fine piece of legislation because his company depended largely upon independent drug stores for its business.

Mr. Patman's bill was calculated to injure, if not destroy, the chain stores, but it is now established that he turned his crusade to personal profit. He got \$4800 from McKesson & Robbins for going about the country whipping up support for his bill.

Editors of today do not need to cringe before these accusations. They do not fill their editorial columns with unbridled attacks on the appearance, family life and personal history of their business competitors or of their political opponents.

Sharing the Comforts Of Life

By R. C. Hoiles

MARKS OF CONCEIT—HALITOSIS. Probably there never was a time in America when there were so many conceited persons as there are at present. If this be true, then it might be well to look into the matter as to what constitutes conceit.

Conceit is like halitosis (bad breath) those who have it do not know it. It seems to me that one of the ways of judging whether you are conceited or not, is whether you insist on dominating the lives of others—whether you are willing to try to coerce and force others—to do your will.

Certain beliefs, confidence, faith and will power are necessary in any man, if he is to accomplish anything. And if he is willing to put his own time and energy in trying to do something in a different way than others and does not try to force other people to do it, he can hardly be regarded as conceited, even if he has a very strong will in trying to do as he believes.

One of the most common traits of a conceited person is his talking, not to inform or to entertain others, but to try to show how important and smart he is. And when his inconsistencies are pointed out he will not change his position, but invariably tries to change the subject or gets mad and indignant.

Invariably he is the kind of a person who refuses to discuss his holier-than-thou panacea before any consistent thinker. He is always too busy. But he likes to talk to an unthinking group that will not question his fallacies, because that makes him appear important in comparison.

It is in the common working class he invariably believes he is better than others and thinks he should not be obliged to compete with those who seek to do the same kind of work he is doing, but has the right to advance by competing with those doing more lucrative work than he is doing.

And where do we mostly find these people? We usually find them in the colleges, schools, churches, Sunday schools and in political offices, or those who hope for political office and labor union groups.

These are the men who are invariably doing little themselves to better the condition of mankind, but insisting that they be given more and more power and be listened to and obeyed more and more. Anyone who dares to question them in their sheltered position is regarded as a problem and as an undesirable citizen.

In contrast to these men, probably the least conceited man who ever lived was Jesus Christ. He did not want to coerce or force his ideas on others. He realized that each individual must have the opportunity to make decisions as free as possible from coercion.

Our worst problem is our conceited people who would be leaders by the force of the majority vote and will not teach by precept, by example, and by doing, but insist on others doing things that they themselves will not attempt to do.

It might be well for us all to do as Socrates admonished, "Know thyself" by analyzing our motives and see if we have "halitosis" of the brain.

Behind The News Of The Day

By BRUCE CATTON. WASHINGTON, Feb. 16—Most people who go south in the winter time do it to get away from the cold. President Roosevelt apparently does it to get away from the heat.

Right now he is planning another southern cruise. Around the middle of February, it is announced, he will sail for the Caribbean for a 10-day or two weeks' stay to watch the U. S. fleet's maneuvers—and, possibly, to do a little fishing.

Now it just happens that the heat is on, politically, this winter. Congress has already given the President two sharp rebuffs: first by paring down the relief appropriation, and second by refusing to confirm his appointment of Judge Roberts. More trouble is on prospect in the immediate future.

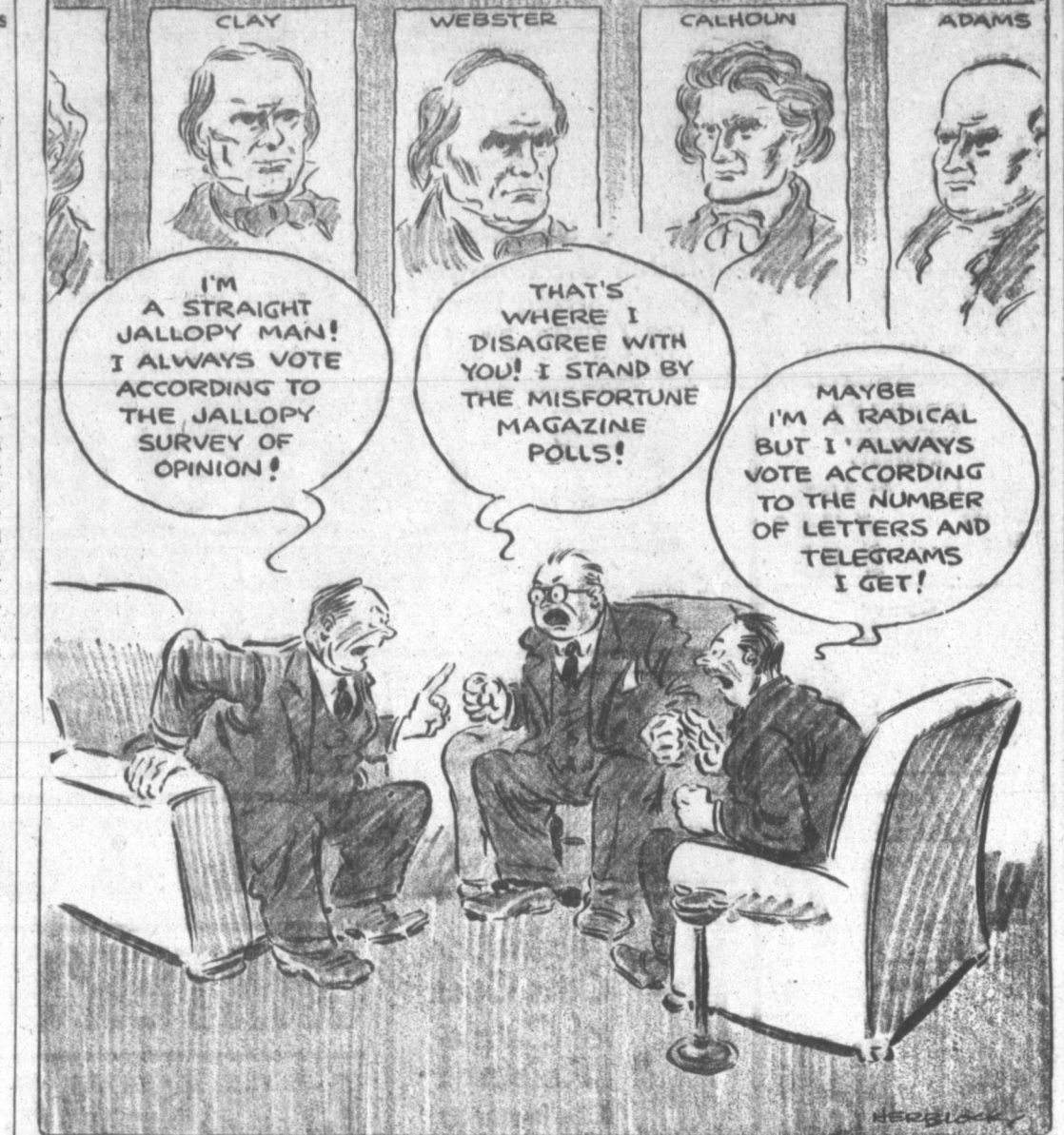
So right at the height of everything, Mr. Roosevelt decides to take himself a little southern trip. And if that looks like an odd thing for him to do, it can only be said that he has done the same thing before when the political jungle got hot.

Last April, for instance, the heat was on. The reorganization bill had just been beaten in the House. A bitter fight was being waged over the wage-hour bill. Carter Glass had just opened fire on the spending program.

And just when things were stormiest, Mr. Roosevelt boarded the new cruiser Philadelphia and took a week's "shakedown cruise," with a bit of fishing on the side.

The previous fall had seen a similar program. There was a special session of Congress on; the business recession had set in, a new farm bill was up for action. Congress was wrangling over tax revision and the A. F. of L. had just denounced the pending wage-hour bill. So late one November afternoon, Mr. Roosevelt took a train for Miami, where he boarded the presidential yacht Potomac for a week's fishing cruise.

ARE WE GETTING SOMETHING NEW IN CONGRESSMEN?



Around Hollywood

By ROBBIN COONS.

HOLLYWOOD—I learned about juggling today from the town's most distinguished-looking practitioner of the art—Howard Hawks.

It isn't the "three-balls-in-the-air or cane-on-the-nose type of juggling. It's the kind a producer-director does when he is trying to tell a screen story in a manner seldom if ever attempted before.

J. C. Fields, who used to be a juggler of sorts (and did you ever see a man juggling sorts?) might envy Howard Hawks' poise as he goes about his work. This Hawks is of the quiet school of direction. Looks like a leading man except for the silver hair, and dresses—not too quietly, not togally—the way Adolphe Menjou should to keep that mythical fashion crown.

On the surface, meaning the sound stage where "Plane No. 4" is in work today, there is no juggling apparent. Hawks directs Cary Grant, Jean Arthur, John Carroll, Allyn Joslyn in dramatic stuff that is good but no better than any dramatic scene taken out of context.

"The problem here," Hawks tells me, "is that we have in the one script five different stories—the stories of five distinct characters or groups of characters: Grant and Jean Arthur, Grant and Rita Hayworth, who plays Barthelmess's wife, of the quiet school of direction. Looks like a leading man except for the silver hair, and dresses—not too quietly, not togally—the way Adolphe Menjou should to keep that mythical fashion crown.

And all these stories intertwine—but we must keep each in its proper balance to the others. We have real characters, speaking lines those characters would speak, and—"

As a sum it up, briefly, there's no juggling here. Hawks is a director who might decide to take matters into his own hands. That's why Jules Furthman, scenarist, and Hawks, whose original story it is, are still sitting up nights, working things out to keep everything in balance and yet give each character his logical and just place.

They're trying a new technique in the telling of this yarn of aviation over the Andes. A technique that shows the audience what happens first, then lets it fill in the background from dialogue and picture that follows. No exposition build-up to the fact that one flier's wife was formerly Grant's girl friend—just a simple meeting of the two, and some dialogue to let you piece that particular story together. Scarcely the popular blue-print method of exposition—but Hawks believes that audiences like to use their imaginations. (To which, from me, Amen!)

When I ask him if it's true, as the script says, that the "South American banana port of Barranca" is supposed to be in Ecuador; the director chuckles negatively. He doesn't like "definite" settings: "Once I made a picture called

mac, after three post-poning the trip because of disastrous floods in New England and Ohio. And in mid-July he chartered the yacht Sevanna and went cruising along the coast of Maine with sons James, Franklin, Jr., and John. In a bay in Nova Scotia he went aboard the yacht Potomac and turned on the radio to hear Gov. Alfred M. Landon make his acceptance speech.

In the spring of 1935—to go back still further—newspaper headlines were explaining that Congress was "in revolt." FDR's relief bill was under heavy fire. He had just demanded the elimination of utility holding companies. Huey Long was conducting a brisk anti-Roosevelt fire. And away went Mr. Roosevelt, in the middle of it all, for a 10-day cruise off Florida and the Bahamas in Vincent Astor's yacht Nourmahal.

People You Know

By ARCHER FULGINIM

The White Deer high school band is the kind you like to listen to. It has tone and rhythm and good musicians, and the pounding of the drum is not the predominant and constant sound, as it is in some bands. And so we congratulate Director Beene for the good job he is doing at White Deer. You never would think that young Beene is a director. He looks more like one of the members of the band, but he's older than he looks. He's the son of Mr. Beene who formerly directed the Panhandle band. Young Beene won many honors as a cornetist while he was a high school and college student, and over at White Deer he is imparting his flawless technique to his band members.

His direction of the band is intriguing to watch. Many directors wear their arms, some wave a baton, but Director Beene keeps his left hand in his pocket and uses a couple of fingers of his right hand. His movements are practically nil, but his hand has more pep and spirit than you would expect from a band in a town this size of White Deer. The director's calmness and his control of his band is fascinating. Another White Deer citizen is Coach Gene McCollum, and we know because we sit on the Bucks' bench at White Deer last night. (Come to think about it, Gene and Director Beene have heads shaped alike.) Gene sat as cool as a cucumber throughout the game, and made only a few comments during that torrid game in which we pulled our hair and withered. Thanks, Gene, for letting us sit on the bench—there was no other seat—see, we brought you good luck.

When a physician sees such a patient he has an exceedingly difficult decision to make. If the child happens to be deformed in some other manner so that there is not a proper development of the brain, obviously little is to be gained by operating on the spine.

There are, however, some cases which are discovered very promptly in which there is simply a protrusion of the coverings of the spinal cord with a sac that is filled with fluid. If the skin has developed well, it is possible to make a covering over the spine that will serve the purpose.

In the suitable case the doctor does a surgical operation, opens the area, studies carefully the relations of the tissues, determines whether or not it is possible to transplant skin from some other tissues to cover up the area not suitably covered.

If he determines that an operation is feasible, he undertakes what is in the nature of reconstructive or plastic surgery.

The records seem to show that taking a considerable number of such cases into account at least 45, if not 50 per cent, of all of the babies thus afflicted at the time of birth will recover and thereafter have little trouble and be able to lead a useful life.

Almost exactly one year earlier, he had taken a similar trip on the same yacht. At that time there was danger of a big auto strike. The railway unions were also talking strike, and had rejected the proposals of the President's conciliator. The famous army-airmail tangle was awaiting settlement.

Congress was in a flutter over the charges of Dr. Wirt. The Wagner Act had just been introduced in the Senate, and President Roosevelt had just demanded a stock exchange bill "with teeth in it." But away he went for a fishing trip, in spite of everything.

Apparently it is an annual custom. Maybe it's one of the reasons why the strain of the presidential job doesn't get him down, and maybe it's ultra-smart politics—to pull out and go fishing for a while when the political heat is on. Whatever the answer, it seems to be part of the Roosevelt routine.

How's Your Health?

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEN

In as many as one out of 1,000 children the infant comes into the world with certain portions of the spine not properly grown together. In most instances the difficulty is simply a failure of the coverings of the spinal cord to develop as they should. In other instances there is a lack of one of the bones of the spine called vertebrae, which form the bony casing over the spinal cord.

In case of a lack of this portion of the bony covering there is a hernia or protrusion of the covers of the spinal cord to the exterior, making a large sac or balloon filled with fluid. This is a most serious condition, for unless something is done the child is likely to die before it is a year old.

Newspapers recently have been filled with the reports of such a case occurring in southern Illinois in which the father was asked to make a decision as to whether or not an operation should be done, knowing that without the operation the child was likely to die anyway.

In many instances failure of the spinal tissues to grow together properly is associated also with that collection of fluid within the skull and enlargement of the bones of the skull known as hydrocephalus, a condition which makes a tiny body with a very large head.

If the condition called spina bifida is not disturbed in any way, there occurs eventually such pressure and stretching of the nerves in the spinal cord that they do not function satisfactorily. If the condition is in the lower part of the spine, which is the most frequent, the child begins to suffer from paralysis, with inability to control motions of the bowels and actions of the bladder, and with ulcers resulting from the fact that certain portions of the skin are without suitable nerve supply.

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Tex's Topics

By Tex DeWeese

IN THE MAIL: "Do you remember when you paid 50 cents admission to see your first airplane at the county fair, and then later—do you remember when you took your first ride in a plane and it cost you \$5, and on top of that it was a two-seater and you had to stuff your ears with cotton, wear goggles and a helmet? If you do, you'd look better with your hat on."

That comes from R. E. Smith, Route 2, Pampa, who also added this very personal postscript: "And perhaps you recall the good times we used to have at the largest dance hall in the world, the Minnesota Pavilion at Russell's Point, Ohio—you looked better in those times." The only comment I can make on that one is, "quiet, please!" Of all the nerve... Imagine!

TODAY'S BRICK-BAT: Why doesn't the city straighten out the bumps after they have laid a pipeline under the street? The town seems to be full of bumps.

TODAY'S BOUQUET: It goes to Warren's Pavilion at Russell's Point, Ohio. Honestly, it's the first favorable thing we've heard about us in weeks... However, the other kind are welcome, too... We can still take it.

A belated Valentine Day contribution: In The Good Old Days About the room the candles shed their flick'ring light. The wood inside the stove was piled high that night. For February was cold that year so long ago. Merry sleighbells sounded over the hard-packed snow. Young Jefferson called on the girls he wished to wed. He was so shy, the words he meant were left unsaid. The lass not yet sixteen but knew her mind quite well. She thought the lad intended then his love to tell. But time wore on, she saw the clock would soon strike nine. At last he blurted out, "O, be my Valentine!"

He hitched his chair and held her hands, she met his eyes. Her lashes fell, they vowed a love that never dies. That night they pledged their love with mingled joy and tears— A love that lasted all their way for sixty years.

May Stevens Isaacs, Canadian, Tex. It was news when the office desk of Senator Clark of Idaho went up in flames. But it's not news that a senator burns at his desk... Harrisburg, Pa., wants to stop night milk deliveries. Who's going to help father find the needle? ... Wonder why the University of Georgia, banded Wisconsin by students? Shucks, that's become an essential of geography.

The President seems to be having some trouble in keeping his appointments... Governors of Minnesota, Michigan and Wisconsin will participate in the American Bowling Congress—and you have to give them credit. They're trying to learn how to handle strikes.

Eight sets of plans were in the hands of local building contractors who were bidding for the contract to erect the Rose Building.

Miss Helen Martin entertained members of the Kiwanis club with a talk on Egypt.

Although no definite assurance had been given that the Wilson Oil and Gas company's refinery near here would be rebuilt, officials from Tulsa and Bristow were in Pampa looking over possible sites.

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IF PER CENT NOT VOTING HUTCHINSON, Kas. (AP)—Teen age boys of the Hutchinson High school recently expressed their preference on bicycles and brunettes. They voted 82 per cent for the dark girls; 29 per cent for light ones. Ten per cent said they got along very well without any girls.

News Clearing House

"It is for each to utter that which he sincerely believes to be true, and add his full influence to all other units of influence, and let the results work themselves out."—Spencer, Colonialism, a stated to confine their articles to 300 words.

CRITICISM VS. EDITORIALS. Editor: The News: May I say a few words in commendation of the editorship of the editorial columns, if you please? There is an undercurrent force at work to curb or muzzle the press to an extent that it almost becomes vicious. Believe we could better condone a vicious press than the suppression of the press, partially or entirely. When we begin curbing the press, that moment we begin sinking into darkness and oblivion. The very meaning of the suppressing of the press is to obscure, crush, to keep from the public eye the truth of one, few, or a clique.

Don't misunderstand me. There are times and exigencies for national defense and protection that may require normal restrictions of the press and possibly, but I think rarely, in international matters, in the suppression of crime, so long as the press is not too quick to condemn them for trying to get all the news and facts, let it be good, bad or indifferent.

Have in mind an example that happened just recently in our own community—the Southern club. A case in which the sheriff's department was advised to suppress the publication of certain facts or information until after the action of the grand jury, in which our press took issue and was commended on by the editor in the editorial columns.

Frankly, I think that the editor is to be commended, although I am not assuming that the point at issue in the sheriff's department is right or wrong. For illustration we will assume that the sheriff's department had been wrong in the attitude they adopted, then the public would be more than ready to condemn the department and in a measure the press for not publishing the facts.

The editor was perfectly within the scope of his duties to the public in clearing his skirts of any negligence on their part in appraising the public of the known facts.

It is well to ponder and take note of the Old World influences that are seeping into every strata of our social and economic structure and combat it in every way we can, even to using extreme measures. We should continue to strive to maintain and nurture our freedom of press, freedom of religious beliefs and good and sound social laws.

Several citizens informed me that they discontinued The Pampa News because of the editor's comments on the sheriff's department in suppressing certain news. The man that will do that, suffers a greater loss than The Pampa News, irrespective of whether the question in controversy is right or wrong. They are only striving to live up to our age-old law of freedom of thought and action.

When you buy a paper you want the news. If you don't get the news you want to know the reason why. They told you why and commented on it from a news gathering agency's standpoint. I feel that we should commend, instead of condemn them for striving to get all the news available giving us their reactions with comments through their editorial pages.

Am quite sure the press would welcome any criticism, but to condemn is a horse of another color. WAYNE J. CAMBERN.

Yesteryear in The News

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY. Eleven towns in the Pampa trade territory were to be visited on the automobile dealers' caravan. It was decided at a meeting of the Automobile Dealers' association.

Five years ago today. Miss Helen Martin entertained members of the Kiwanis club with a talk on Egypt.

So They Say. It was so good I would be willing to see another. JACOB NABEL, 103, on seeing his first movie.

Europe is in the biggest upheaval since the flood. JAN MASARYK, son of the "father" of Czechoslovakia.

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Memphis And TVA Buy Power System. MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 16 (AP)—This city and the Tennessee Valley Authority bought the Memphis Power & Light Company's Memphis plant and property for \$17,380,000—\$787,000 less than offered last month and \$3,640,000 less than the utility originally demanded. The city will pay \$15,250,000 and the TVA \$2,110,000, said a formal statement from the municipal light and water board. Besides the electric and gas facilities, properties in the transfer include a large office building, one large generating plant and some real estate. The company retained another generating plant and will operate it as a standby "to insure the maximum of service to the city under an agreement between themselves and TVA," the statement said. The deal completed a clean sweep for TVA in the four major Tennessee cities. A Knoxville deal was negotiated last fall and recently the authority and Commonwealth and Southern Corporation came to terms at \$78,000,000 for C. & S.'s Tennessee Electric Power Company, serving Nashville, Chattanooga, and scores of smaller cities. Russia Silent On U. S. Naval Mission. MOSCOW, Feb. 16 (AP)—Soviet circles were silent today regarding purpose of the forthcoming trip of a naval mission to the United States, but it was generally assumed the journey was in line with the government's announced policy to build a first-class fleet. Some quarters expressed belief Russia intends to revive plans for construction of a part of her fleet in American shipyards. Others believed the mission, headed by Admiral I. S. Isakov, vice commissar of the navy, would seek dockyard equipment and marine engines with the idea of doing the actual construction work in Soviet yards.

Appointment Of West Texan To Commission Defended By O'Daniel

AUSTIN, Feb. 16. (AP)—Surprised state senators today had another of Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's "bolt-out-of-the-blue" appointments on their hands—Judge J. C. Hunter of Abilene as chairman of the State Highway Commission.

The independent oil men and prominent civic leader of West Texas, informed himself only yesterday of the governor's intentions, was appointed in a sudden move that ended speculation clouding the capitol for two weeks after the Senate's refusal to confirm Carr P. Collins of Dallas.

Observers felt it was a certainty the governor would appoint an East Texan, since it was reportedly on grounds that Collins was not an East Texan, because of his Dallas residence, that he was rejected confirmation by the Senate.

The custom has been to have representation from East, West, South and North Texas on the commission, the vacancy now existing having been created by expiration of John Wood's term. He was an East Texan.

Reaction to Gov. O'Daniel's appointment of Hunter was hidden. Senator John S. Reddit of Lufkin said he felt the appointment gave West Texas two members of the commission.

"The constitution says the governor shall make an appointment with the advice and consent of the Senate. The governor did not advise with me, nor did I advise with him on the appointment of Mr. Hunter, and I know of no other senator whose advice he sought on the appointment. In view of this fact, I will exercise my right under the constitution in giving my consent."

Gov. O'Daniel, in explaining his selection, attached a photostatic copy of a chamber of commerce regional map of Texas to his memorandum to newsmen.

He explained he had attempted to appoint what he thought was an East Texan in Collins, but that the Senate had rejected him on regional grounds.

The governor said he had been besieged by West Texans and deemed it his duty to "now submit a man from West Texas."

He said West Texans informed him Harry Hines, present member of the commission, had moved from West Texas, "or at least lives in Dallas much of the time, and they consider the action of the Senate in rejecting my East Texas appointee on regional grounds corroborates their contention and they are now doubly insistent on having a commissioner appointed from West Texas."

Market Briefs

NEW YORK, Feb. 15 (AP)—Aircraft and steel sprigged to the head of a sluggish stock market today.

The market as a whole, however, was slow to take the bullish hint from steel and aircraft. Dealings remained around low ebb for the new year.

Bonds and commodities also drifted along the recent course, varying little up or down.

Outstanding among the gainers were Douglas Aircraft, United Aircraft, Sperry, Bethlehem Steel, United States Steel, J. C. Penney, General Motors, North American Aviation and United Fruit. Lagging members of the time were Goodyear, Union Carbide and Dunhill International.

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OKLAHOMA CITY LIVESTOCK

(USDA)—Cattle 1,400; calves 500; bulls mostly 5.00-6.00; weaners top 10.00; steers largely 6.00-8.00; better kinds scarce. Hogs 1,600; shipper and small killer top 7.70; packers paying 7.40; packing sows 6.00-50.

Sheep 500; market not fully established; choice native lambs at 8.00 down; best fed lambs held at 8.25.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

(USDA)—Cattle 1,500; top 7.80; sows mostly 6.50.

Cattle 2,000; calves 700; lead 9 1/2 lb yearling steers 11.50; strictly good steers weight steers 10.50; medium shortfed down to 8.25; weaners yearling heifers 9.75; butcher cows 5.50-6.50; few heavy beef cows 7.00 and above; choice vealers 10.00-11.00.

Sheep 7,000; practically nothing sold early; choice fed lambs held above 8.85.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Feb. 15 (AP)—Butter 68 1/2, steady; prices unchanged.

Eggs 12,600; steady; fresh graded, extra firsts 100, 7 1/2; current receipts 16 1/2; other prices unchanged.

Poultry live, 82 trucks; firm; leghorns hens 14; springs over 3 lbs, colored 18 1/2; Plymouth Rock 20 1/2; White Rock 21; fryers over 2 lbs and including 8, White Rock 17 1/2; other prices unchanged.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Feb. 15 (AP)—Wheat trade remained quiet today, prices fluctuating nervously without definite direction.

Wheat closed 1/2 lower 1/4 higher compared with yesterday, May 67 1/2-69, July 68 1/2-69 1/2; corn 1/2 up 1/4 up, May 18 1/2-19, July 19 1/2-20; oats 1/4 higher.

GRAIN TABLE

CHICAGO, Feb. 15 (AP)

Wheat	High	Low	Close
May	68 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2-68
July	68 1/2	67 1/2	68-68 1/2
Soy.	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2-69

Rice Athletes Pass Mid-Term Exams

HOUSTON, Feb. 16 (AP)—The Rice Owl football and basketball regulars came through unscathed in the mid-term examinations just completed, it was announced by Dr. Harry Scott, newly appointed athletic director.

The only three athletes failing to make the grade scholastically were squadmen Jack Heard, guard from Houston, and Charles Hurd, and from Wichita Falls, and end Ed Eastman, Cecil May, 250-pound tackle from San Antonio.

Bottlefed Baby Bear



This "Snow White" is something of a dwarf himself—and how he goes for bottle feedings. The polar bear baby, believed first to be born in captivity, lives at the zoo in Stockholm, Sweden.

FDR Slowly Working Over Highest Court

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP)—A bill that the House buried somewhat prematurely in 1935 has become the medium through which President Roosevelt is transforming the Supreme Court.

That measure, which the House rejected, was enacted in a hurry in 1937 during Mr. Roosevelt's fight to reorganize the court. It gave Supreme Court justices the right to retire at full pay when they become 70 years old if they have been on the bench ten years.

Death and retirement have removed two of the administration supporters on the court—Justices Cardozo and Brandeis—but retirement under the 1937 act has taken off the bench two others whom the administration called conservatives—Justices Sutherland and Van Devanter.

The three members who thus far have been named by Mr. Roosevelt—Justices Black, Reed and Frankfurter—have been stout advocates of New Deal policies before they were appointed. The man to be picked for the vacancy caused by Justice Brandeis' retirement is virtually certain to be of a similar mind.

The fact that the move for change in the method of retirement arose two years before Mr. Roosevelt's first fight with Congress over the court gives an indication of how long the opinions upsetting New Deal laws had irked administration officials.

The 60-year-old court, Boy Scout leader and minister of education in the last cabinet indicated he intended to invite most of the members of the last ministry to join the new one.

Anti-Semitic Bela Imredl resigned yesterday, acknowledging he himself was of part Jewish ancestry.

Admiral Horthy was stated to have persuaded the court it was his patriotic duty to attempt to reconcile the factions which have been trying up legislative work by fighting over the Imredl program.

Imredl advocated curtailment of political rights of Jews, wanted to bar them from some work and limit their participation in other fields of employment.

His foreign minister negotiated Hungarian participation in the anti-Comintern pact fostered by Italy, Germany, and Japan, and despite the present political dispute, quarters close to the agent—who is the ruling head of state—said no change in this foreign policy was likely.

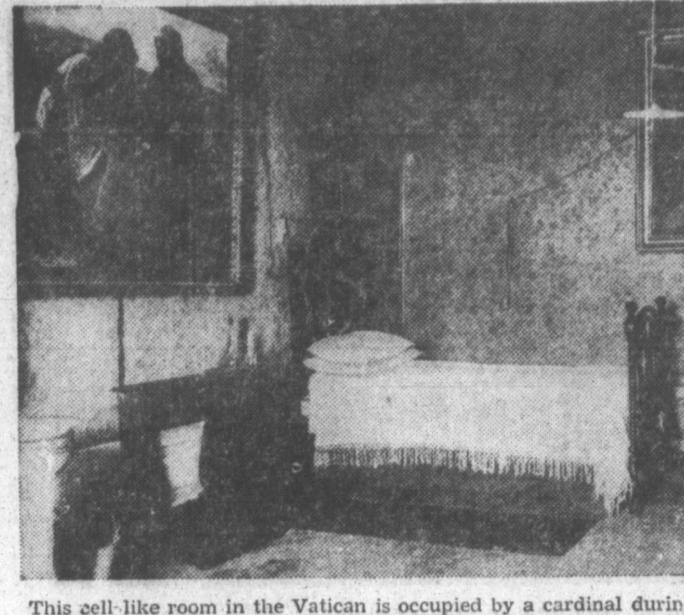
Dr. Paul Zeigler attended his brother as best man.

Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom left for Oklahoma City to spend the week-end.

Present at the ceremony were Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Zeigler, parents of the groom; Miss Ruth Zeigler, sister of the groom; Mrs. Joe Webster and son, Jake, of Memphis, mother and brother of the bride; Mrs. Lonnie Burke and daughter, Betty Joe; Mrs. Bob George, Vernon Close of Canadian, Mrs. Lance Webb and daughter, Jeanne; Judy Curry, small daughter of the bride; Miss Stanfield and Dr. Paul Zeigler.

Mrs. Zeigler was born and reared at Memphis. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Webster of that city and after graduation from Memphis high school attended college at Fort Worth, where she made her home for a number of years. She later lived in Wellington, where she

Cardinal's Voting Quarters



This cell-like room in the Vatican is occupied by a cardinal during the election. Each cell is numbered and numbers are drawn by lot. Windows are walled to prevent signalling to the outside. Meals are passed through a wicket.

FDR Endorses Sale Of Planes To France

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP)—Members disclosed today the Senate military committee had rejected testimony President Roosevelt overrode specific objections from General Mallin Craig, army chief of staff, to prevent a French air mission to buy 100 American-made bombing planes of the latest type.

Secretary Morgenthau told the committee, Senator Austin, Republican, Vt., said, that the President had overruled Craig's objections after a conference with Morgenthau, Craig and the secretary of the navy.

Craig objected, Austin said, the testimony disclosed, that if the French were permitted to purchase planes being produced for army use this might interfere with the army's procurement of necessary planes in time to meet requirements under the administration's new defense program.

Craig also said, Austin reported, that the French plane deal might deprive the army entirely of the Douglas light bombers.

Sports Deputies Planned

AUSTIN, Feb. 16 (AP)—Labor Commissioner Joe Kunschik said today he was contemplating naming deputy commissioners to handle boxing and wrestling and would announce his decision shortly.

The commissioner said he had not decided whether he would appoint one man to each of the sports or combine them under one deputy.

There are 5,245 national banks in the United States.

Teleki Appointed Hungarian Premier

BUDAPEST, Feb. 16 (AP)—Count Paul Teleki, after 24 hours of pressure from Regent Admiral Nicholas Horthy, accepted a mandate to form a new government today.

The 60-year-old court, Boy Scout leader and minister of education in the last cabinet indicated he intended to invite most of the members of the last ministry to join the new one.

Anti-Semitic Bela Imredl resigned yesterday, acknowledging he himself was of part Jewish ancestry.

Admiral Horthy was stated to have persuaded the court it was his patriotic duty to attempt to reconcile the factions which have been trying up legislative work by fighting over the Imredl program.

Imredl advocated curtailment of political rights of Jews, wanted to bar them from some work and limit their participation in other fields of employment.

His foreign minister negotiated Hungarian participation in the anti-Comintern pact fostered by Italy, Germany, and Japan, and despite the present political dispute, quarters close to the agent—who is the ruling head of state—said no change in this foreign policy was likely.

Venus, 1939 Model



New York illustrators—who ought to know—voted model Nina MacDougal the "Modern Venus."

Former Senator Weinert, 85, Dies

SEGUIN, Feb. 16 (AP)—Former State Senator Ferdinand C. Weinert, 85, prominent in politics and affairs for half a century, died at his home here today.

Weinert, noted for authorship of the suspended sentence law and other state legislation, became ill last night.

Although retiring from politics about 10 years ago, he continued to take an active interest in local affairs, promoting the first publicly-owned utility in Texas at Seguin last year.

He was sponsor of the law establishing the Reichsführer Hitler's ambassador to the Holy See informed the college of cardinals today the new pope they are to choose would play an important role in the development of a new world.

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Mrs. Ryan Hostess To Members Of Forum Organization

SHAMROCK, Feb. 15—The 1935 Forum club met in regular session with Mrs. Albert Ryan at her home on South Main street recently.

Mrs. R. M. Barkley reviewed the book, "The Life of Vincent Van Gogh," by Irving Stone.

The hostess served a salad course at the close of the program to Mrs. Wm. Kyle, Wilbur Jordan, Al Bannister and David Northcutt, guests, and to Mrs. R. M. Barkley, E. K. Bechtel, Henry Eppson, Rufus Doren, S. L. Drayner, J. G. Hamer, Lyle Holmes, B. F. Risinger, S. Q. Scott, Jimmy Smith, and Lance Webb, members.

Candidates Refuse Banquet Invitation

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 16 (AP)—Although the two opponents he invited declined to attend the banquet he had planned to demonstrate friendship among the three, Gen. Francisco J. Mugica, presidential candidate, said today he would give it anyway.

The general had offered Generals Manuel Avila Camacho and Rafael Sanchez Tapia, whom he considers his leading opponents in the presidential race, an opportunity to present views to newspapermen.

FARMERS WATER—CONSCIOUS

SAN ANGELO, Tex. (AP)—A Texas windmill firm reports it did its peak business in 1938 and assigns as a reason the fact that southwestern ranchers have been made "water-conscious" by the drought and the government's range conservation program.

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SENATORS

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he will not with his support," Pace said.

This statement brought a chorus of "amen" from Sens. Hill of Henderson, Burns of Huntsville, and Cotten of Palestine.

Claims Threat Made
Pace asserted that he had attempted to get the Senate to reconsider his nomination and that Collins told him and Sen. John Redditt of Lufkin a man from West Texas would be named if the upper branch would not reconsider Collins.

"I say that was a threat and he must have had authority to make it," Pace asserted.

"This is a kick in the seat of the pants of everybody who lives in East Texas," he said in reference to the Hunter nomination.

"From the northern boundary of East Texas to the Gulf of Mexico there are many men who would have made admirable appointees. We assumed he (the governor) would let us advise with him on the appointee. He said on the radio and in the newspapers there is a fine spirit of cooperation between him and the legislature but he's the one who the first dash at rushing away from cooperation with a group in the Senate toward a worthwhile program for the entire state.

"We made every conciliatory effort and he's given us a swift kick in the pants."

Definitions asked
Pace said that he and other East Texas senators met with O'Daniel about Dec. 1 at which time the governor said he would not make up his mind on the appointee Feb. 1 or 15 but soon thereafter found out that the matter had been taken up with Collins and the appointment was to be hurried up.

He emphasized he did not question Hunter's qualifications for the position.

The governor's message revealed he had suggested the Senate adopt a resolution defining regional sections of the state.

To this Pace asserted: "We told him that anybody who had lived here any length of time knew where North, East, South and West Texas was."

Sen. Clay Cotten of Palestine interrupted Pace to ask:

"He rather indicates in his message that all he wants from us is our consent, doesn't he?"

The constitution says gubernatorial nominees shall be made with the "advice and consent" of that body.

Called Political Liar
Still another, fiery Joe Hill of Henderson, charged the governor had "deliberately misled the people of Texas." He asserted the chief executive was a "demagogic, double-barreled hypocrite, wind jammer and political liar."

First to spring to the governor's defense was Sen. Wilbourne Collier of Eastland who said Hunter was one of the really "big men of Texas" and sectionalism should not be considered in the appointment.

Turns Again Him
Redditt closed with the declaration:

"I don't like it and am going to fight it."

Senator Gordon Burns of Huntsville started his speech with a roar:

"I want the people of Texas to know I'm again him! I'm again him! teeth and toe nail, lock stock and barrel."

Then he recalled a fist fight in an Austin hotel several years ago, when Burns was a member of the House.

Burns charged he was attacked by a "gangster" from Port Worth and that Hunter was in the lobby of the hotel at the time.

"I still bear the wounds of that fight on my body," Burns said.

He said that at the time Hunter and others were in Austin trying to induce the legislature to create a separate oil and gas commission.

Hunter would never make "a good dog catcher," Burns roared.

"He'll never get my vote," he said.

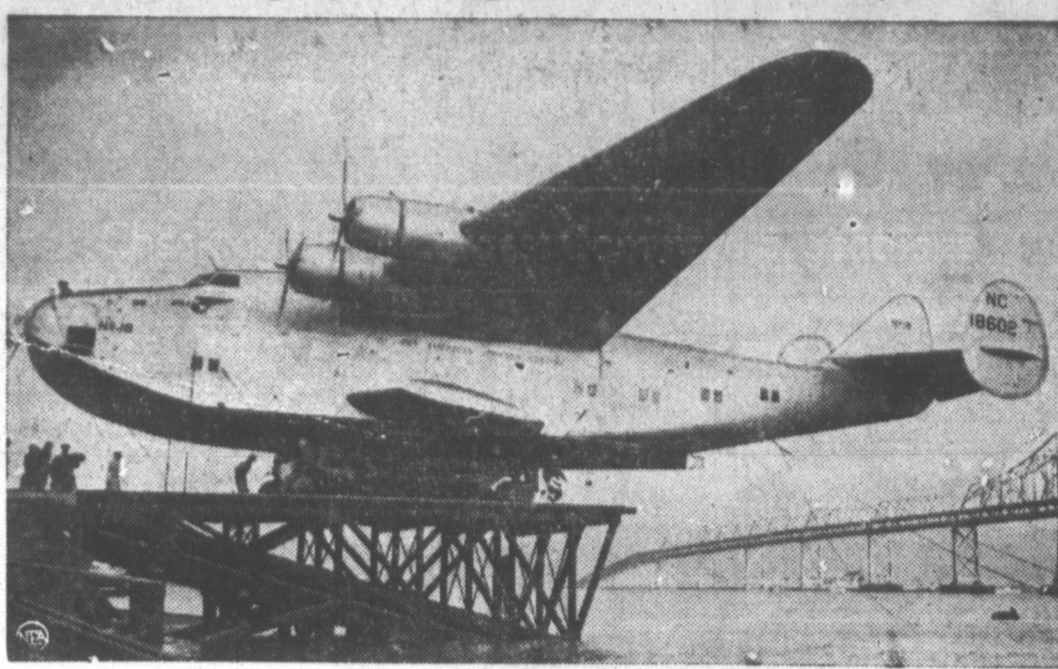
"Sam Houston would turn over in his grave at the thing that has been done to East Texas, which always heretofore has been represented on the highway commission."

Senator Clay Cotten of Palestine asserted the legislature had evidenced desire to cooperate with the governor, but "I have been unable to find any spirit of cooperation on the part of the governor with the legislature."

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He said there had been no threat from East Texas Senator to the governor concerning his selection of

Checking Up on Largest Commercial Seaplane



Just wheel it into the hangar, boys. Easy to say, but not easy to do when you're handling the world's largest commercial seaplane, 42-ton Boeing clipper No. 18 of the Pan-American Airways, shown above being brought ashore at Treasure Island air terminal in San Francisco for a checkup before going into trans-Pacific service. A combined railroad and elevator does the trick.

Little Princess of the Balkans

A tiny Balkan princess, Elizabeth, daughter of Regent Prince Paul and Princess Olga of Yugoslavia, nears her third birthday. Here's latest picture of Princess Elizabeth, who is a niece of England's Duchess of Kent.



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"Instead of cooperating with the legislature," Cotten declared, "it seems that the governor wants to create a breach, and make war on legislators elected by the people."

Senator Allan Shivers of Port Arthur began by reading a newspaper editorial entitled "To Hell With East Texas," saying O'Daniel seemed to be going on that principle.

"I do not know Mr. Hunter personally," Shivers said, "but I do know it is bad public policy when the great domain of East Texas is denied a representative on the body which controls all the highways of the state."

Referring to the account of the Burns fight, Shivers said that if a man had done what Burns had said "was done to him," he "would never vote for him for any position."

"All East Texas has been slapped in the face," he cried.

"What will keep the next governor from putting three men from West Texas on the commission?"

Sincerely Doubtful
"This Jack the Giant Killer who kills giants over the ether every Sunday morning deserves more sympathy than condemnation. What with these political effusions mixed with 'Nearer, My God, To Thee' I can't help but feel the Lord hasn't blessed him as he has the average man."

"We ought to throw the mantle of charity around him."

The Henderson Senator said Gov. O'Daniel was trying to lead the Senate into a trap because he wants to tell the people the legislature will not cooperate with him.

He asserted the governor's transaction tax proposal was a "smoke screen to hide behind" because he knew the legislature would not accept it.

Called Negro Lover.
He sharply criticized some of the governor's radio programs, saying in part:

"He has nothing of the tradition of Texas in his heart.

"When he gets on the radio and dedicates a song to a convicted negro I think I think the mantle of charity should be thrown around him because I know he has gone to school with them (negroes) up there where white people think negroes are as good as they are.

"If we see fit to abolish the death penalty as he has suggested, and we find it necessary to hang a few negro rapists to East Texas pine trees I would not be surprised if he dedicated songs to them."

No word in defense of the appointment was heard until Senator Collier arose and in almost conversational tones said he thought some of the criticism he had heard was unfortunate.

He admitted the governor had consulted with him on the Hunter appointment and contended other Senators could "advise" with the governor before it considered confirmation.

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Heads Salaries Tax Committee



Named chairman of a special committee on taxation of government salaries and securities, Senator Prentiss M. Brown, Michigan Democrat, is pictured at work on his job.

Finals Of Golden Gloves Tourney To Begin Tonight

FORT WORTH, Feb. 16 (AP)—The long and boisterous business of deciding Texas' Golden Gloves champions for 1939 gets under way here tonight. Contenders in the opening bouts will climb into the double rings promptly at 8 o'clock and the long string of matches will follow in rapid fire order.

The brawl will continue Friday night, Saturday afternoon and Saturday night and the eight championship duels will be reeled off on Monday night.

Some 130 youngsters were checked in there were teams from 15 widely scattered districts as well as two crew of army post swingers.

Red hot competition was in prospect in every division and indications were that the eight boys who win the right to represent the state in the tournament of champions at Chicago would be standout amateur ringmen.

Tenor Objects To 'Too High' Notes Of U. S. Anthem

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP)—Frederick Jagel, Metropolitan opera tenor, roared over Capitol Hill today trying to air his grievances against the tune of the Star Spangled Banner.

"Many agree with me," he said, "that something should be done about the song, but nobody seems to know the committee which should do it."

Jagel's chief complaint is that the notes are too high.

Unless automobile tires are changed systematically, the right rear one is the first to show signs of wear.

GYMNASIUM

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school. The two junior high schools at Amarillo each has gymnasiums, featuring basketball courts, and two ward schools have physical education buildings combining cafeteria, basketball courts, and rooms for physical education. Four of these physical education-gymnasium buildings are being completed at the present time. Amarillo high school has two gymnasiums on the high school campus. The ones under construction now are being built with the aid of government funds.

Advocates of more gymnasiums in Pampa pointed out that the high school gym here is inadequate to serve the high school, let alone junior high. A total of seven basketball teams, several volleyball teams, physical education classes are scheduled for practice and exercise in the gym. Only one team, the Harvesters, ever get all the practice it needs, and sometimes its practice sessions are cut short.

Plans to build a new gym in connection with the new high school at Harvester park have been drafted, but since the granting of the PWA application for the loan is extremely doubtful, at least for many months, most patrons feel that the school district should go ahead and build at least another gym, and finance construction of it in the same way that additions to the ward schools and the high school were financed.

Construction of the last additions to the ward schools was financed with the aid of a PWA grant that also helped pay for the new high school auditorium. Previous additions were paid for out of the maintenance fund of the school system, that is the regular fund raised by taxes.

The gymnasium on the high school campus was built about 10 years ago at a cost of approximately \$18,000 at a time when building materials were much higher than they are now.

Numerous methods of solving the gymnasium problem on the high school campus have been proposed. One often suggested would be to raise the Red building and use the materials to build a combined physical education-cafeteria-gymnasium.

The new high school proposals included plans for another gymnasium and for physical education rooms, but school patrons are afraid the PWA grant will not be made for another year, if at all, and are anxious for the school system to build at least another gymnasium for the schools to alleviate the congestion.

It is understood that if the WPA grant fell through the school board would not use any of the bond money (\$193,000) voted last August for improvements unless the voters of the district passed on it in an election. Such a procedure would be approved by the citizenship, the News survey revealed.

WEATHER

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Red Cross officials prepared to move many families.

Gales which struck the mid-South yesterday left two dead in Alabama.

Five persons died in three auto accidents in central Pennsylvania attributed to blinding snow and slippery roads. Other accidents cost two lives in New Jersey, and two brothers drowned when a ramp was swept away at Elmira, N. Y.

Snow to depths of six and eight inches covered western New York state and sent small streams brimming their banks.

New England, harassed by rain, gales, lightning, fog, and abnormal tides, looked forward to more snow.

Floods inundated bottomland in Tennessee, Arkansas and Mississippi, where the Red Cross was caring for refugees in three communities.

Crowder, a town of about 500 was surrounded by water and residents could reach the outside world only by telephone and boat.

Six Men In Death Row In S. Carolina

COLUMBIA, S. C., Feb. 16 (AP)—The lights are burning late these nights on "death row" at the South Carolina penitentiary where six men are preparing to die March 10 for slaying penitentiary Guard Captain J. Olin Sanders.

One of the six, Roy Suttles of Simpsonville, asked Col. James S. Wilson, penitentiary superintendent, to let the lights burn so he could read his Bible. Wilson consented and told the guards to leave the current on until 9 p. m. It ordinarily is turned off at 4 p. m.

The other five, William H. Gentry, alias William B. Woods of Summerville, Ga., J. V. Bair of Sumter, Herbert Moorman of Detroit, Mich., George Wingard of Columbia, and Clayton Crans of Rochester, N. Y., told reporters they were "rady to go" after they and Suttles received official notice yesterday the State Supreme Court had denied their appeals.

Mainly About People

Phone Items for the Column to The News Editorial Rooms, at 666.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Caraway have returned from market in St. Louis and Chicago.

County Clerk Charlie Thut has been absent from his office since noon Tuesday on account of a throat ailment.

William H. NeCase, son of Mrs. Ada L. NeCase, 461 North Warren Street, has undergone a second operation in a hospital at Houston.

Members of the Kerley-Crossman post of the American Legion will have their regular meeting at 8 o'clock tonight at the American Legion hut.

Mrs. E. M. Haase, who has been critically ill for the past five weeks, is slowly improving. A daughter, Miss Thelma Haase, of Oklahoma City, is visiting here.

Cub Pack 3 will hold its monthly meeting at 7 o'clock Friday night at the First Christian church. Participants of Cub age who are interested in the movement as well as members are asked to be present.

Fine and costs totaling \$32.20 were assessed in county court Wednesday against I. D. Gill, who had been arrested by Sheriff Cal Rose on a charge of driving past a school bus on the highway while the bus was receiving passengers.

A joint house and senate meeting on the state bond assumption issue, set for Friday, at Austin, has been indefinitely postponed, according to a message received by County Judge Sherman White, who had intended to leave today for the state capital. Judge White said no new date had been set, but that he had been informed he would be notified when the hearing would be held.

AUDITOR

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a grandchild to Dallas for medical treatment.

Members of the commission expressed themselves as desiring to pay the bill in full, but claimed they cannot clearly understand the matter of payment for over-time.

Semi-Annual Audit Recommended.
Asked if any notice had been given of any over-time needed, County Judge Sherman White told the commissioners, he had been so informed by Mr. Waite when he began checking two of the offices.

A semi-annual audit of county funds was recommended as the type best adapted to Gray County's needs, by Mr. Waite. He said this service could be furnished at the cost of a cheap clerk—\$135 a month.

The proposition of a regular audit by the Amarillo firm, was not accepted at the meeting yesterday.

Insurance Plan Offered.
Farris Oden and Alvin Bell of the Panhandle Insurance agency presented a plan of public liability insurance to the county commissioners, to cover insurance on the county's nine trucks. There was a lengthy discussion of the various phases of the insurance and questions as to how it would apply in several cases, but no action was taken.

Appointment of a successor to O. H. Hendrix as constable of precinct 2 was tabled. There have been 28 applications for the position.

MANSON

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dismissed Monday after the jury in the Manson-Gibson case had been selected, reported at 9 o'clock this morning, and were excused until Friday morning.

Mind To Be Lesson-Sermon Subject

"Mind" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Feb. 19.

The Golden Text is: "Be ye all of one mind, having compassion one of another, love as brethren, be pitiful, be courteous" (I Peter 3:8).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus" (Philippians 2:5).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "When we realize that there is one Mind, the divine law of loving our neighbor as ourselves is unfolded; whereas a belief in many ruling minds hinders man's normal drift toward the one Mind, one God, and leads human thought into opposite channels where selfishness reigns" (page 205).

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CALF SHOW

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a bidder in the sale and to bid well above the actual market value of the calves as an encouragement to the livestock feeding program in the Top O' Texas area: Piggly Wiggly, Geo. Dull Market, Standard Food Stores, Harris Food Store, Harvesters Feed Store, Thomas Grocery, Schneider Hotel, W. O. Irving & Sons Grocery and Market, Mitchell's Grocery, First National Bank, Murphy's Inc., Pampa Hardware & Supply, J. C. Penney & Co., Montgomery Ward & Company, Southwestern Public Service Company, Pampa News, Radio Station KPND.

E. T. Cox, manager of the Harvester Feed Store will be the auctioneer at the sale and Frank Ford, Carson County Agent of Panhandle will judge the calves at the show.

Other members of the BCD livestock Sales Committee serving with Chairman Graham include: Roger McConnell, Mel B. Davis and T. F. Smalling.

F. F. A. boys who will show calves will be: Ralph Burnett 1; Blaine Good 2; Robert Thomas 2; Leonard Hollis 1; Claude Helton 1; H. J. Johnson 1; Cecil Lewis 1; Fred Sloan Jr. 2; Herndon Sloan 3; Jack Sloan 1; Billy Stockstill 2.

Showing hogs will be Paul Barrett, Jack Morris, Herndon Sloan, Ralph Burnett, M. D. Simmons, 2

13 3/4 Cents Average Cost Of Jail Meal

Gray County prisoners are being fed at an average cost of only 13 3/4 cents a meal, Sheriff Cal Rose told the county commissioners at their meeting Wednesday afternoon.

A month ago County Judge Sherman White said he thought it would be possible to reduce the average price of jail meals down to 12 cents. The sheriff yesterday said he thought this could soon be accomplished.

Prisoners in the county jail are fed two big meals a day, and are of good quality, the sheriff told the commissioners.

There was a total of 742 meals served in the county jail during the past month, he reported.

The low average cost of the meals was attributed largely to quantity buying.

A cow may consume from four to five and a half pounds of water for every pound of milk she produces.

Marvin McNiyre III Of Intestinal Flu

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP)—Marvin H. McNiyre, secretary of President Roosevelt, was taken ill with intestinal influenza today and doctors ordered him to the naval hospital for treatment.

McNiyre's condition was described at the White House as quite serious.

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No Team Has Cinch To Win Cage Tournney

District Meet To Open Here Friday At 9

A dozen teams of basketball District 2 of the Interscholastic League, are making serious and weighty plans to fire their deadliest guns in the first game of the district tournament which opens at the Pampa high school gym tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

And every team had better be at its best because the team that loses will be eliminated. There will be no comebacks. That's why Supt. F. L. Mize of LeFors, chairman of the tournament, predicts that will be closest in many a season. The team that wins has got to be definitely "on" in every game.

The 11 teams outside of Pampa are saying that the Harvesters are the team they've got to beat. In their eyes the Harvesters are the favorites. The Pampa quintet is favored because the Harvesters have beaten every team in the district—or have routed teams that have whipped teams the Harvesters haven't played.

Qual Beat Lynx
Take Spearman for instance. The Lynx will be the Harvesters' first foe in the tournney. Pampa and

Most Important to Budge



Don Budge, left, is congratulated by his older brother, Lloyd, after defeating him, 6-1, in a one-set match in Miami, Fla. Don claims the championship of the family is the most important of all the tennis titles he has won. The brothers met in combat for the first time since Lloyd taught Don in Oakland, Calif.

Spearman will play tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. Pampa has never played Spearman who has a center that scored 19 points against Quail. But Spearman lost to Quail by a big score, and the Harvesters defeated Quail in the Mobeetie tournament.

Pampa has beaten Miami, White Deer, Berger, Perryton, Hedley, Spearman and Pampa, and only one of the eight can go to the finals. Thus, either Pampa or Berger will be eliminated before the final game. In the lower bracket are LeFors, Phillips, Mobeetie and Pollett, and the other finalist will be one of those four. The lower bracket is even more confusing than the upper. Mobeetie has defeated LeFors this season, but the way the Pirates played here the other night in crushing the McLean Tigers, they may be tough to beat. Pollett is the dark horse of the tournament. They beat the Lynx about 30 points and that may mean they are the pick of the North Plains teams. If that's true, they may be a finalist.

Borger Determined
Borger is fighting mad and swear-

Jess Willard Still Stooze For Dempsey

By GAYLE TALBOT
MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 16 (AP)—Twenty years after Toledo, poor Jess Willard still is a bewildered stooze for Jack Dempsey. The only difference now is that Jack is paying the great, lumbering Jess well to play the buffoon instead of cutting him to ribbons with murderous fists.

There have been few stranger associations than the present one between the two former heavyweight champions. Big Jess, down on his luck and tremendously fat, was brought here by the successful Dempsey to act as host, or something of the barroom in his hotel on Miami Beach.

It was and still is a fine gesture on Dempsey's part, for his barroom needed such a host about as urgently as it needed steam heat, which is to say not at all.

Dempsey's motive in hiring the hulking creature he battered into obscurity was not, of course, completely altruistic. Jack is a sage business man these days, and the good will of his public is a large part of his stock in trade.

Willard makes the perfect foil for publicity pictures. He and the once-hungry kid who knocked his brains loose at Toledo have posed so much together they're beginning to look alike.

Dempsey, the lean, hollow-cheeked champion of Toledo, must be around 220 pounds, while Willard, who was an outside to begin with, probably never will see 300 pounds again.

The other night the two old gladiators put on what was announced as a "reproduction of their Toledo battle, and we all thought we'd better see it. As things turned out, this was a mistake, for it was a flop.

Willard was entirely too fat to appear in trunks. They felt it would embarrass Jess, so they didn't ask him to, with the whole world watching, and fought a grim fight for the heavyweight championship nearly 20 years ago.

Spotlight Again On Patty Berg

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 16 (AP)—The spotlight was on the red-haired Patty Berg, national women's golf champion, today as play in the Everglades mixed foursome tournament reached the semi-finals.

The Minneapolis miss' recoveries yesterday played a big part in the one up victory which she and Joseph Madden of Omaha, Neb. scored over Ernestine Schell of Chicago and Dan Craven of Franklin, Ind.

Round of four pairings sent them against Jane Cothran and John Cushman, both of Greenville, S. C., who advanced with a 7 and a decision over Audrey Phipps of Westbury, Long Island, and Earl E. T. Smith of Oyster Bay, Long Island.

In the other semi-finals, Betty Jameson of San Antonio, Texas, and Paul Cushman of Greenville matched strokes with Mrs. William Hock-enjos of Lake Hopatcong, N. J., and Walter Burkemo of Crosse Point, Mich.

The James-Cushman team disposed of the medalists, Laddie Irwin of Montclair, N. J., and Dennis Boardman of New York, 2 and 1.

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Dr. J. E. Peters, veterinarian attending Seabiscuit, reported today an x-ray taken of the ankle had revealed no broken bones.

Carey Beats Tell 47-43 In Opening Game

CHILDRESS, Feb. 16.—In a hare and hound race last night at Carey, Coach Herman Moseley's Cardinals managed to elude the Tell Tigers and went one up on their rivals in the playoff series to determine the class B county basketball championship.

The Cards finished on the big end of a 47-43 score in the series opener.

The second game will be played tonight at Tell and the site of a third game, if necessary, will be decided by the flip of a coin. The winner of the series will enter the district 4 meet here Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Take Early Lead
The Cards moved away with a comfortable margin early in the game last night, but accurate last half shooting by big R. T. Spinks put the Tigers back into the ball game before the third session ended.

Featuring leaping, one-hand shots, Spinks dropped 24 points through the mesh, 22 of them via field goals. Doodle Smith scored seven and Wayne Pistole six for the Tigers.

McFather Hits 17
Seth McFather led the Cardinals with 17 points, but Sophomore Ray Jones came through with some badly needed tallies in the final session to boost his total to 11.

Blake of Tell went out in the second chapter and Adrian McFather of the Cards in the fourth on personal fouls.

The box score:

Carey	G	F	P
S. McFather, f	7	3	17
Cheving, f	0	1	11
Jones, f	5	1	11
Middleton, c	4	2	10
Murray, g	4	0	8
A. McFather, g	0	0	0
Preston, g	0	0	0
Totals	20	7	47

Tell

Smith, f	2	3	6
R. Spinks, f	11	2	24
Biste, g	0	0	0
McCain, g	2	0	4
W. Spinks, g	1	0	2
Totals	10	5	43

Texas Swamps SMU 38 To 21

(By The Associated Press)
One-half game ahead of the Baylor Bears, the Texas University Longhorns held first place today in the Southwest Conference basketball race.

The Longhorns last night defeated the Southern Methodist University Mustangs 38-21, showing the early season favorites into a tie for fourth place with the University of Arkansas Razorbacks.

The Longhorns' fifth straight conference game gave them a total of six wins and two losses.

Two Teams From Each County Will Enter Tournament
CHILDRESS, Feb. 16.—The Childress Bobsats vs. the Wellington Skyrocks and the winner of the Carey-Tell series vs. Paducah will probably be the schedule Thursday night for the opening games of the annual district 4 basketball tournament at the high school auditorium here.

Complete lists of entries have not yet been tabulated, but places have been drawn on the bracket arranged.

A tentative slate of entries lists Medicine Mound and Quanah from Hardeman County, Crowell and Thalia from Foard County, Paducah and Valley View from Cottle County, Matador and Plomot from Motley County, Turkey and Lakeview from Hall County, Guitaque and Silverton from Briscoe county, Quail and Wellington from Collingsworth County, Childress and either Carey or Tell from Childress County. King County may also send a representative.

Following the two opening games Thursday night, the remainder of the preliminary contests will be played Friday afternoon and night. The semi-finals are set for Saturday morning and the finals Saturday night.

White Deer Wins County Cage Title In Thriller

WHITE DEER, Feb. 16.—Another chapter in a spectacular and colorful athletic rivalry, unequalled in the Panhandle during the 1938-39 season, brought a sensational, nose-bleed victory to the Bucks here last night. They won a breath-taking revenge in the last 30 seconds of play, and at the same time won the county basketball championship and the right to enter the district meet at Pampa this week-end.

Their victims were the Panhandle Panthers who had led from one to seven points throughout the entire game. It looked bad for White Deer until the last minute. Then in quick succession the Bucks thumped three baskets into the Bucks' net.

The hard-fought battle was the final clash of a three-game playoff series. Panhandle won the first game by one point, the Bucks won the second by one point, and last night the score was 27 to 26.

White Deer-Panhandle football rivalry was on the scene order. Last fall White Deer came up with their finest team in years and they knocked over all opposition with devastating fury. Then they waited for the Panthers. Some observers said the Bucks were better than the Panthers. Others disagreed, of course.

But Panthers put that thing on the Bucks. They jinxed them, and beat them on penetrations. Last night White Deer felt that they sort of evened up matters by snatching the county cage championship.

White Deer won the title game despite discouraging reverses. Last week-end two regular starters left the team because of training difficulties. Then last night three of the White Deer starters fouled out before the final whistle sounded.

Panhandle's Slagle, forward, fouled out in the third quarter. Panhandle held the lead throughout the battle, sometimes stretching it to six points. In the last quarter, the Panthers were leading by three points. The Bucks gradually closed in on the Panthers. Finally Panhandle was leading by one point. Then in the last minute the Bucks looped a field goal and took the lead for the first time. White Deer called time out. They agreed to freeze the ball. You could tell that without listening to them. But they couldn't hold it. A Panther grabbed it, shot at the goal and missed. Then a Buck recovered. By that time the game was over, and the packed stands were in pandemonium.

WHITE DEER (27) Ig ft pf tp
Schiz, f..... 8 3 2 19
Hawkins, f..... 0 2 4 2
Potter, c..... 0 0 4 0
Moot, g..... 0 0 2 0
Stalls, g..... 1 0 4 2
Bernard, sc..... 0 0 0 0
Buchanan, sf..... 1 0 0 2
Crumpacker, sg..... 0 0 1 0
Russell, sf..... 1 0 1 2

Totals..... 11 5 18 27
PANHANDLE (26) Ig ft pf tp
Adams, f..... 5 1 1 11
Slagle, f..... 2 1 4 5
Sterling, c..... 1 3 2 5
Cox, g..... 0 0 2 0
Corse, c..... 2 1 1 5
O'Keefe, sf..... 0 0 2 0

Totals..... 10 6 13 26
Missed free shots: Seitz (2), Hawkins (3), Potter, Moot, Stalls (4), Bernard, Russell; Adams (3), Slagle, Sterling (6), Cox, Coffee (2).

Score by quarters:
Panhandle..... 8 18 24
White Deer..... 7 14 21

Cage Scores

(By The Associated Press)
Texas 38, Southern Methodist 21.
West Texas State 68, McMurry 34.
Stephen F. Austin 58, East Texas Teachers 44.
Daniel Baker 51, Austin College 39.

1944 Olympic Games

NEW YORK, Feb. 16. (AP)—Returning aboard the liner Champlain from a trip to London, Gustavus T. Kirby, treasurer of the American Olympic committee, said today it was the general impression abroad that the 1944 Olympic games would be held in England.

Double Insurance

DALLAS, Feb. 16. (AP)—Texas cemetery owners take out life insurance on their customers. They insure persons who buy lots on installment because they want protection in case the customers die before they finish their payments.

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Six Of Eight Teams That Went To State In Running

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Staff
A topsy-turvy schoolboy basketball race rolled toward its quarter-final round today with six of the eight teams that went to the state tournament still in the running but with the defending champion Woodrow Wilson outfit facing an uphill struggle.

Gone from the picture were John Reagan of Houston, rated next to Woodrow Wilson last year, and Bailey, the North Texas power. Also in the discard was the Cushing team that loomed as the class of East Texas before ineligibility struck it low.

Woodrow Wilson plays for the Dallas city championship today, the latter squaring the series yesterday. The winner will be favored to take the district title this week-end.

Ablene, hailed as the outstanding West Texas team; Carey Cardinals, perennial Panhandle champions; Bowie, El Paso crown-bearers; Kingsville from the deep south, and Belton of Central Texas were other teams from last year's state tournament remaining in the running.

Kingsville and Bowie already were engaged in district title playoffs. Defeat of Bailey was an outstanding upset. This team, strong enough to split a series with the highly-favored Ablene outfit, lost the county title to Guber which had not shown to the advantage of the Bailey outfit in the practice grind.

Ablene, which lost but two games to high school teams in the state, rolled up 566 points to 384 in 19 titles. Bowie won the El Paso city title and starts a three-game series with Ysleta today for the district championship.

Kingsville won the district Class A crown and opens a series with Mathis, the Class B representative, tonight. Thirty-two district championships are to be decided this week. Next week eight regional titles will be determined, these winners going to Austin for the state tournament.

District tournaments other than the Kingsville-Mathis and Bowie-Ysleta play-offs follow:
Region 1—Canyon, Pampa, Lubbock, Childress; Region 2—Big Spring, Breckenridge, San Angelo, Brownwood; Region 3—Wichita Falls, Fort Worth, Dallas, Waco; Region 4—Commerce, Naples, Tyler, Nacogdoches; Region 5—College Station, Huntsville, Galveston, Fort Arthur; Region 6—Uvalde, San Antonio, Georgetown, Lockhart; Region 7—Victoria, Laredo, San Benito; Region 8—Fort Stockton, Midland, Van Horn.

The Kingsville-Mathis winners enter the region 7 tournament. The Bowie-Ysleta winner plays in the region 8 meet.

I. B. Hale Will Coach At Kilgore

PORT WORTH, Feb. 16. (AP)—I. B. Hale, co-captain and tackle on the 1938 champion Texas Christian University team of the Southwest conference, pondered his plans for the future today.

Offered a berth with the Washington Redskins, professional football club, Hale said he preferred to try for the Kilgore high school coaching job, which is open.

"The Redskins offer was a good one," Hale said, "but not enough to take me into pro football. However, Flaherty (Ray Flaherty, Redskins coach) said he would confer with George Marshall, owner of the Redskins, about a better bid later.

"Naturally I'll look it over, if I haven't landed the Kilgore job by the time it arrives."

Flaherty said the offer was the best ever made to a freshman line-man by a pro team.

Snead Reigning Choice To Win \$10,000 Tourney

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 16. (AP)—Samuel Jackson Snead, 25, a ranking money winner in the royal and ancient game of golf, gripped one of his war bags with big, steady hands and spoke of "jitterbugs."

"You can't dilly-dally around in this game and expect to get anywhere," said the athlete from White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. "You can't let your nerves get the best of you. It's the hands and feet that count in golf but in a different sense than they're used for the 'Big Apple'."

"Slammin' Sam" in his few years of competition with the country's leading professionals has established himself as a major threat in any tournament. He was among those in the \$10,000 Crescent City open starting today.

Samuel's long drives and steady iron game netted him more than \$19,000 in a record performance along the trail of golf gold last year.

Slammin' Sammy was the reigning choice of many to win his first big tournament of 1939, but no less than a dozen of the top-flight golfers were listed as potential victors in the 72-hole four-day competition.

Ralph Guldahl of Chicago, national open champion for the last two years, and Paul Runyan of White Plains, N. Y., the national P. G. A. king, were among the starters.

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Cubs Have Nine To Go
CHICAGO, Feb. 16. (AP)—The Chicago Cubs had nine to go today to complete their roster of signed player contracts.
Still holding off were Pitchers Larry French, Gene Lillard and Jack Russell, Third Baseman Stanley Hack, Outfielders Augie Galan, Carl Reynolds and Hank Leiber, Catcher Bill Baker and First Baseman Glenn Russell.

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Tattered Old Folks March Into Capital

AUSTIN, Feb. 16 (AP)-Old Folks rooted in the House gallery again today argued over Governor W. Lee O'Daniel's idea to pay their monthly pensions-the controversial transactions tax.

Neatly printed placards mounted on sticks they grasped voiced their opinions.

"We want the transactions tax plan enacted now."

The strange band of tattered oldsters-some in overalls-women, babes-in-arms and Negroes marched down Congress avenue yesterday, up the capital steps and into the House Chamber cheered Dr. Carl E. Lunn, national representative in Texas of the Townsend Plan, when he said:

"We approve the transactions tax, but the \$30-a-month income contentment for each aged person is a pauper's deal."

He asserted \$2,500 a year was "the American standard of living."

Previously, Gov. O'Daniel had declined a committee invitation to join in the discussion over his proposal with the comment:

"My message delivered in submitting the bill and the bill itself covers the subject thoroughly to all who care to read the documents clear through."

Once again he invited the legislature to formulate a better plan if it did not concur in his beliefs.

Dr. Lunn got a rise on his challenge to anyone to debate any time on the transactions tax. Rep. W. J. Gubath of Wharton, who recently blistered Gov. O'Daniel in a floor speech, quickly accepted.

"We'll skin you and take your hide off and string it on the fence," Dr. Lunn warned.

Tax expert John Keen of Austin told the discussion the transactions tax "is one of the finest things ever proposed in theory, but it's not workable."

His veiled thrust at Gov. O'Daniel's policy of injecting business tactics into politics was:

"Democrats don't work like a business."

However, he pointed out that the transactions tax had a broad base, would definitely put the pension policy in the state constitution and prevent it from being kicked about by a political football.

The pet of Friedrichsburg, who introduced the bill to get it before the House but who also is sponsoring his own bill, also defended parts of the O'Daniel bill.

Sports Roundup

By EDDIE BRIETZ

NEW YORK, Feb. 16 (AP)-Davey O'Brien will be co-starred with Marshall Goldberg at the Pittsburgh sports writers' dinner Sunday night.

Marshall's asking price to play pro football is \$20,000 per . . . (You don't have to pay to see Joe Louis cut down Faloutsos who couldn't knock out Goldberg's fine Italian hand in that one) . . . A New York baseball writer who usually knows what he is talking about, says the Yanks and Gehrig compromised on \$34,000—a slight reduction of \$5,000.

Eighteen months ago Jack Roper was going up and down on a freight elevator . . . He is expected to resume at least a part of the old routine when he goes against Joe Louis April 18.

Don't tell us one of President Ralph Daughton's Piedmont League umpires was refused a drivers' permit because of bad eyesight! . . . Asks Jack Charvat in the Tulsa (Okla.) Tribune: "When are people going to quit paying to see Joe Louis cut down Faloutsos who couldn't knock their hats off their heads? . . . We'll bite . . . Dutch Stanley, the new end coach, is making a hit down at Duke . . ."

Headlines: "Sutherland sees nothing but gloom for Pitt." We say you had better watch out for Pitt with both eyes open . . . Burgess Whitehead went over to Norfolk, Va., the other day and told the boys around the drug store

SERIAL STORY

WOMEN WANT BEAUTY!

BY LOUISE HOLMES

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Yesterday, the woman enters... Susie, then Jeff leaves her at a luxurious hotel, Susie is frightened at its well-kept elegance.

CHAPTER XI

ALONE in her room at last, Susie breathed easier and looked about with unbelieving eyes. John Harker had done well by his protégé. Thick carpet, soft lights, taffeta hangings, deep chairs, plump, smooth bed. Susie wandered about, touching lamp shades, bed spread, and drapes with beauty-loving fingers. Finding a cord beside the drapes, she switched them back and forth delightedly. She tried all the chairs, turned the lamps off and on, examined the stationery in the desk and raised the French telephone to her lips. Doing so, a delicious warmth spread through her veins. The dazzling bathroom was equally delightful, although Susie's rapture was somewhat dimmed by her inability to avoid the mirrors. She undressed and lashed in the shining tub, experimenting with the shower, adorning the scented, cellophane-wrapped soap.

Finally, in her skimpy night-dress, she slid awkwardly between lined sheets. Reaching up to switch off the light she smiled blissfully. It was a smile that some day would be called dramatic, provocative, but Susie had no way of knowing that. She only knew that she was happy, that Jeff was to call for her in the morning and, with Jeff, she was not afraid of the great adventure.

She awoke early, startled for a moment, then remembering. Her eyes moved, taking in the details of luxury, her soul absorbing them. Somehow she had never been able to reach Dick in her shabby room, he had been remote as the stars. With taffeta curtains billowing in the morning breeze, with golden sunshine splattering the carpet, she was part of his world, the world of ease and beauty.

She bathed again, slowly, purring, brushed her unruly hair and wadded the ends into a tight knot on her neck. Why she had let it grow was a question. Just one of those vague yearnings to look like the smooth little college girls. As if she ever could. Now she fervently wished for a hair-cut. Her hair would have been neat at least.

Dressed in her horrible clothes, since last night she had come to appreciate how horrible they were, she followed Jeff's suggestion and had breakfast sent to her room. He had been wrong about dinner being her last meal. She consumed oatmeal with thick cream, bacon, eggs, mutins with

marmalade, two doughnuts and three cups of coffee.

Quite satisfied, she left a quarter on the tray and went to the throne-like chair in the lobby. A clock on the wall told her that she had an hour to wait. She sat quietly. No one noticed her except a porter who obviously wanted to dust the throne.

Meanwhile Jeff and his mother discussed her at breakfast.

"She's like a fat cocoon, Jeff," Edna said. "We don't know what kind of a butterfly may come forth."

"Butterfly—ye gods," Jeff hooted. "If she's a butterfly I'm Peter Pan sitting on a rose petal."

"I'm not so sure," his mother went on, buttering his toast thick the way he liked it. "First she'll have to get thin."

"Not too thin," Jeff said, crunching his toast. "I hate 'em waspish."

"I hadn't gathered that Susie is being made over to suit you," Edna put in dryly. "I've an idea she may have a good figure, her flesh is distributed evenly."

"Pretty hilly, if you ask me."

"I didn't ask you. Her eyes are nice, what you can see of them, and she has lovely teeth. Just what they'll do with that nose I can't imagine. Maybe if she didn't have so much face—"

Jeff got up. "Thank goodness it isn't up to you and me to find her hidden beauty. I'd throw up my hands right now." He kissed his mother, held his smoothly shaven cheek against hers for an instant, then grabbed his crumpled hat. Edna sometimes wished Jeff was a little less casual about his clothes. He was such a darling—

"Be a good girl while I'm gone," he said, the door closing behind him.

At precisely 8:30 he bounded into the lobby and found his charge patiently waiting. Pulling a chair beside the "throne," he showed her the morning paper. Already she was being featured by Harker's. In the center of the ad was the announcement that Susie had come to town. Susie was not pretty, but Harker's intended making her so. She was the winner of their recent contest.

They promised a picture of Susie on the following morning and urged all women, not entirely satisfied with their appearance—and who was?—to follow the methods employed by experts in the beautifying of Susie.

"I won't have my picture in the paper for everyone to laugh

at," she flared. "I won't be a— a guinea pig."

"Can't take it, eh?" Jeff had been afraid of this. Tears blurred the spark in Susie's eyes. "I didn't know it would be like this," she faltered. "They'll laugh at me in River-town and at home. And why shouldn't they laugh? I'd laugh." She settled back in her chair, the picture of obstinacy. "I won't go a step."

Jeff got up, shifting his weight uneasily from one foot to the other. His job was to bring Susie to Mr. Harker's office and, as things stood, he'd have to employ the aid of a derrick.

"Look, Susie," he began persuasively, "you can't get anything in this world without giving up something you cherish. Try to look at it this way. The Chief received 5000 letters from girls who wanted to be beautiful. Out of 5000 he chose you. I know Mr. Harker, he won't put you up to ridicule. I've helped with the copy, it's dignified and handled— well, delicately."

SUSIE shook her head violently.

"I won't do it," she said emphatically. "Mr. Harker can experiment on someone else."

Jeff sighed. Girls were all alike, temperamental as the very devil, even the fat, homely ones. He approached from another angle.

"I'll lose my job, Susie," he said. "I was sent to get you and I'll lose my job if I fail. Edna will feel badly. She's proud of my job, she thinks I'll get somewhere."

It was a master stroke. Susie stopped shaking her head. Jeff and Edna were her friends. She couldn't let her friends down.

Struggling from the depths of the chair she said, "All right, I'll go. I guess Mr. Harker won't fire you because I turn down his publicity stunt."

In the car Jeff tried argument. "Reason it out, Susie. Men in business don't go around spending money on strange girls just because they've got kind hearts. Of course this is a publicity stunt—"

"And I'm the fat goat," she countered, inelegantly, frowning brows fairly bristling.

"But what did you expect?" Jeff went on in exasperation. "I don't know," Susie said defiantly. "I was a fool, that's all. I guess I thought I'd walk into Mr. Harker's office and he'd wave a wand over me and I'd walk out the original glamor girl." She was angry and bewildered.

"That's crazy."

"I know it!" She lapsed into silence.

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OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



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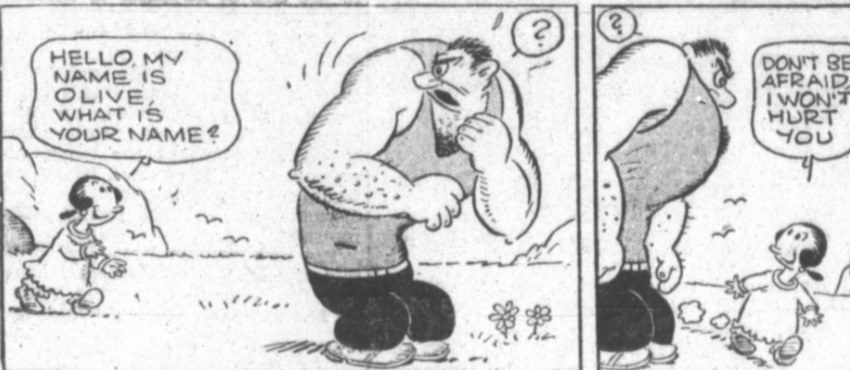
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THIMBLE THEATRE Starring Popeye

"Who's a Fraidy Cat?"



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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

The Same Old Story

By EDGAR MARTIN



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Hitler Almost Ready To Strike Claims Georgian

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP)—The House heard sales of war planes to foreign nations defended today on grounds that "Americans are safe only so long as England and France stand."

Crackling debate over foreign policy involved in President Roosevelt's \$552,000,000 defense program shattered the quiet which had marked the first day's discussion of legislation to authorize the army's share of the program.

Rep. P. Morgan, Republican, Mass., launched the attack on the airplane sales abroad with a declaration the inference was "dreadfully plain" that the United States was going into an alliance "with somebody."

Rep. Pace, Democrat, Ga., a member of the House military committee, told the House he thought it sound to aid England and France in building up their defenses because if those democracies fell before the dictatorships a major bulwark of the United States would be removed.

"Isn't it better to sell England and France planes for their defense?" he asked, "than to go to war with a big power to prevent encroachment on this hemisphere?"

Expressing his personal belief that Hitler is ready to "strike" to regain colonies lost during the World War, Pace asserted the reinsurance was delaying his next move only to "complete his submarines to handle the British navy" and because of "fear of the United States."

Gifford's attack brought further attention to new French contracts for 415 warplanes, which increased to more than 1,200 the number of military aircraft ordered in this country by France and Great Britain in eight months.

Scathing Attack On Barber Bill Made In House

AUSTIN, Feb. 16 (AP)—Opponents of a bill to allow fixing of minimum prices for barber work succeeded in adjourning the House again today without a vote on the proposal.

Adjournment came after Rep. Abe Mays of Atlanta made a scathing attack on the bill as being in the interest of the comparatively few barbers and against the public welfare.

Indications were that the House eventually would pass the proposal as advocates had been in the majority in preliminary test votes.

Commission Wins Lone Star Fight

AUSTIN, Feb. 16 (AP)—The Railroad Commission won a technical point today in its long fight with the Lone Star Gas Company over power of the commission to exercise original jurisdiction in fixing retail gas rates.

The Supreme Court dismissed for want of jurisdiction the application of the Community Natural Gas Company, subsidiary of the Lone Star, from a decision of the Dallas Court of Civil Appeals which had:

1. Set aside a temporary injunction by a Dallas District Court restraining the commission from instituting a rate investigation and hearing at Trenton.

2. Held Travis county courts had exclusive jurisdiction in suits attacking rate orders of the commission on their face.

The effect of the action was to leave standing the judgment of the Court of Civil Appeals.

There was no decision in the Court of Civil Appeals or in the Supreme Court on the matter of original jurisdiction of the commission in rate investigations.

Potter Road Warrants Refunded By Senate

AUSTIN, Feb. 16 (AP)—The Senate passed a bill today authorizing Potter county to refund approximately \$40,000 in road warrants. House approval is necessary before the bill can go to the governor.

HOLD EVERYTHING

By Clyde Lewis



"If one of us would get off I could do a lot better job of ridin' this bronco!"

French Propose New Defenses For Indo-China

PARIS, Feb. 16 (AP)—Strong forces of gunboats and seaplanes backed by coastal artillery batteries and fortified bases were recommended to Parliament today to strengthen defenses of French Indo-China against the possibility of either Japanese or Siamese attacks.

The proposals were made by Deputy Edouard Bousquet, vice chairman of the naval affairs committee, who spent three months recently inspecting Indo-Chinese defenses.

The report admitted similar recommendations made two years ago had failed to advance beyond preliminary stages.

These suggestions included construction of fortified naval and air bases, installation of coast defense guns and recruiting of a large native army under French officers.

Bousquet's proposals are based on a series of international complications growing out of the Japanese invasion of China together with the recent Japanese occupation of Chinese Hainan Island, east of Indo-China.

He said he considered seriously possibility of Japanese and Siamese action against Indo-China which he declared was "isolated and with only a little chance of getting help from the mother country."

The number of planes and gunboats actually assigned to Indo-China remained a closely guarded national defense secret.

Official sources said there had been "no change" in the situation in the Paracel Islands, south of Hainan, occupied last July by a small group of French customs officers and policemen to forestall possible Japanese occupation.

Money Lending Ordinance Held Invalid By Court

AUSTIN, Feb. 16 (AP)—The Supreme Court today held partially invalid an ordinance of the city of Fort Worth regulating the business of money lending without security.

Lower courts who had ruled against L. Berry and others, in their attack on the ordinance, were reversed, but at the same time the Supreme Court said parts of the ordinance it did not strike down might remain in force.

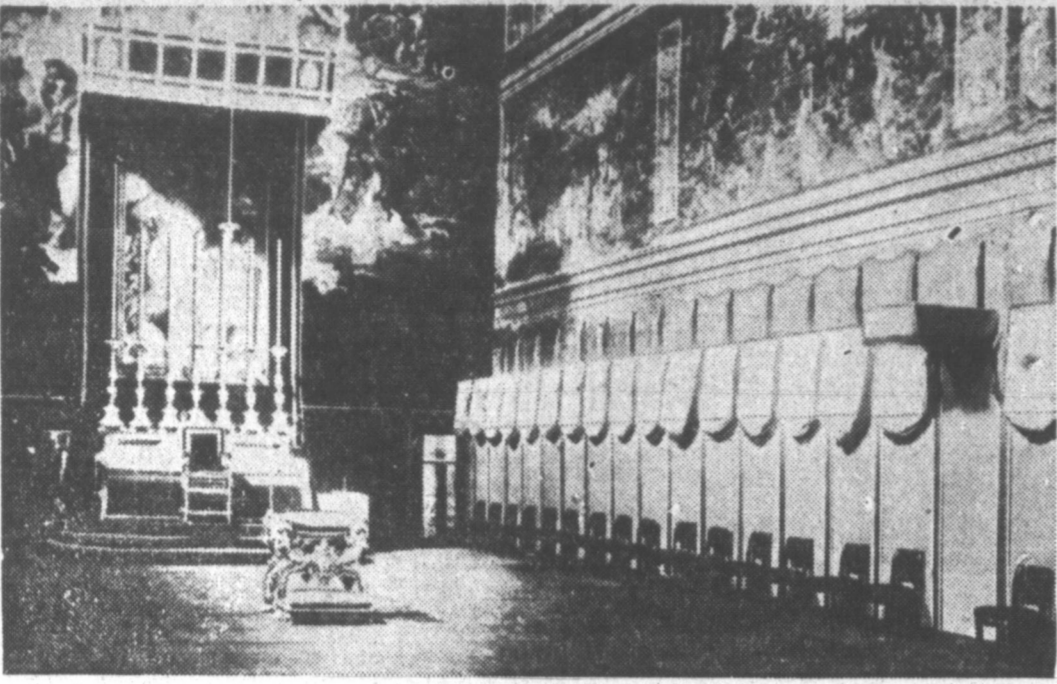
In general, the court said the ordinance conflicted with state statutes which regulate relations of lender and debtor.

A provision compelling persons lending money without security to maintain an agent for purposes of service in event of suit the court held "inconsistent with" "our numerous process statutes."

Another section provided "pains and penalties," the court continued, while the power to make such provision has been vested by the constitution exclusively in the legislature.

The court further objected to a section prohibiting the lender from communicating with any one other than the borrower in efforts to collect a debt made up in whole or in part of usurious interest.

Where the New Pope Is Named



Balloting takes place in the Sistine Chapel, above, and is held twice a day—morning and evening. When one of the cardinals has received a two-thirds majority, has accepted the office, and selected his papal name, canopies are removed from all the cardinals' chairs except that of the pope-elect, as shown. The new pope is taken to another room and vested in the garb of his position. After receiving first homage from the other cardinals, he steps onto a balcony overlooking St. Peter's Square. Then the world knows his identity for the first time.

Guarding Entrance to Voting Chapel



Attendants attached to the Marshal of Council guard the sealed door behind which the College of Cardinals meets in Vatican City to elect a new Pope. A full college is composed of 70 cardinals, but death has reduced present membership to about 65. The cardinals are placed under lock and key while in conclave, a practice dating back to a papal bull of Pope Gregory X in 1270. Each of the cardinals is allowed two secretaries, who serve as his agents in negotiations. The conclave begins in the evening of one of the days between the 15th and 18th day following the Pope's death.

Carpenters Of Supreme Court Have Got To Move Things Again

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP)—The carpenters at the Supreme Court heaved another one of their periodic sighs today—they've got to move things again.

For the most dignified tribunal in the land, the court shifts about with breath-taking speed. When President Roosevelt appoints someone to take Justice Brandeis' place, this is what will have happened in four years.

First, the whole court shifted from its ancient quarters in the capitol to the new \$10,000,000 building.

The Justices didn't like the lighting, so workmen installed a light diffuser. That didn't work.

Brighter lights were put in the ceiling. They were too bright.

So half the ceiling lights were turned out. That seemed better, but the reflection was bad.

White screens were erected at each end of the bench, and soft light drapes went up behind the Justices. This seemed fine—to everybody except Justice Brandeis.

He ordered the workmen to take out the expensive lamp which had been placed at his seat. They put in an old-fashioned goose-necked affair.

Then Justice McReynolds didn't like his chair. He ordered it taken out, and got an old one instead.

Texas Today

By HOWARD C. MARSHALL, Associated Press Staff

Excessive speed, latest figures given out by the Department of Public Safety at Austin show, remains the chief cause of highway accidents in Texas, but contrary to masculine claims, women appear to be the more careful drivers.

Figures for December, 1938, list 1,362 accidents, with 196 fatalities and injuries to 1,379 persons. Excessive speed was blamed in 371 crashes.

Drivers figuring in the accidents numbered 2,327, including 1,992 men and 259 women. Sex of 76 others were not recorded.

Col. Homer Garrison, director of the safety department, issued a warning to drivers to observe all traffic regulations and has given instructions to highway officers to enforce strictly all laws. Special attention is being given areas in which accident tolls in the past have been high.

Several days ago Garrison announced substantial gains in cutting down fatalities in areas where the greatest loss of life occurred in the past. On the Dallas-Fort Worth Highway 24 persons were killed in 1937. Concentrated patrol of this area in 1938 cut the fatalities to four.

For the state as a whole, traffic deaths were slashed 57 per cent in 1938 over 1937, and Garrison said he hoped to bring down the figure further this year.

A breakdown of the December figures shows most of the 196 fatalities—124—were in the 24-65 year bracket. Thirty-four of those killed were between the ages of 15 and 24; 21 over 65; 11 between 5 and 14, and six under 4 years old.

In figuring the time of accidents the survey shows 211 occurred between midnight and 6 a. m.; next in line was the hour 7 to 8 p. m., with 117, and 108 between 6 and 7 p. m. The safest hour to drive appeared to be 6 to 7 a. m., when only 29 accidents were reported.

in total accidents, there being 621 of these with 100 fatalities. Mishaps on city streets were second with 595, deaths totaling 36. Small towns were comparatively safe, with 107 accidents, 14 being fatal.

Angle collisions were the most numerous, there being 407 of these in which 17 persons lost their lives. There were 140 rear-end crashes with eight fatalities, and 102 head-on wrecks with 15 deaths.

There was one wreck at a railroad crossing where there are no signals, and it proved fatal.

Being on the wrong side of the road brought trouble to 199 drivers and death to 21 of them. Eight were killed when 46 drivers disregarded stop signs, while ten others crashed with eight fatalities, and lost their lives when 30 drivers failed to heed traffic signal lights.

Other figures under improper driving listed 173 drivers who ignored right of way regulations with eight deaths and six passing cars on a hill, with one killed.

Skidding was blamed for 52 accidents with nine of them fatal. Blowouts led to 69 crashes and seven deaths, while blinding lights were listed as the cause of 23 accidents, 11 resulting fatally.

Drivers between 30 and 49 years of age took questionable laurels of figuring in the most accidents—692, with those between 20 and 29 second at 471. Death figures for the two brackets were 92 and 56 respectively.

The pension eligibles—those over 65 years of age—were the most careful, only 112 of them figuring in mishaps, eight being fatal.

Reports to Garrison's office indicate 214 drivers figuring in accidents were under the influence of liquor. There were 31 deaths in this bracket. Twenty-nine pedestrians under the influence of liquor were involved in accidents, with nine deaths.

Of the 2,256 vehicles playing a part in wrecks, 1,806 were passenger cars and 286 trucks. Thirteen busses, 16 motorcycles, 32 bicycles and four taxicabs were listed. Fatality figures for these in the order given were: 3, 3, 2 and 1.

Parker Opera Bares Longings Of Cynthia Ann

DENTON, Feb. 16 (AP)—An American-bred opera based on an exciting, poignant incident of Texas' rough-hewn early days makes its world debut here tonight.

The opera is "Cynthia Parker" and takes its name from a white girl who was kidnaped by Comanche Indians, married one of their famed chiefs and later was recaptured by Texas Rangers and Capt. Sul Ross.

The music and story of "Cynthia Parker" bear down heavily on the fact the true-life heroine fought against a longing to return to the Indians who reared her.

Real Indians, descendants of Cynthia Parker, will be among the first sighters, and the plans call for at least two of them wearing Indian ceremonial costume. Princess Topoy, 72, last living widow of Quannah Parker, Cynthia Parker's son who became a great chief, and another relative are cast for the pre-show ceremonies.

Star of the opera will be Leonora Corona, former Metropolitan opera soprano. Virtually all the rest of the cast consists of amateurs—students of North Texas State Teachers college, which is sponsoring the production.

Julia Smith, the author, is a graduate of the college and a fellowship student of the Juilliard School of Music in New York. Jan Isbell Fortune, a former Texas writer, helped with the libretto.

Hitler Mad At U. S. For Selling Planes

LONDON, Feb. 16 (AP)—Announcement of the vast increase in Britain's rearmament drive was welcomed here today but in Germany is produced a sharp thrust at the United States.

Chancellor Hitler's own newspaper, Voelkischer Beobachter, scored the United States for "increasing international tension" by selling war materials to European countries.

Presumably the newspaper referred to the sale of airplanes to Britain and France.

Commenting on the announcement to parliament by Sir John Simon, chancellor of the exchequer, that British rearmament this year would cost \$2,900,000,000, an increase of \$875,000,000, Voelkischer Beobachter regretted the tempo of rearmament was determined by states whose national requirements in the German view did not justify such measures.

The new defense loan—Sir John said the British government would seek to double its borrowing power to \$4,000,000,000—was welcomed by British newspapers.

They predicted the public, convinced of the need for rearmament, would not grumble. This need was borne home by the startling announcement last night that at the time of last September's Czechoslovak crisis there were only four anti-aircraft guns at the strategic base of Gibraltar, in the Mediterranean.

Civil Service Exams

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced that it will accept applications not later than March 13 if received from States east of Colorado, and not later than March 16 if received from Colorado and States westward, for the position of mineral economist.

Mineral economist, and senior, associate, and assistant mineral economists (any specialized branch), \$2,600 to \$4,800 a year, General Land Office, Interior Department. Applicants for mineral economist and for senior grade must not have passed their 53d, for the associate grade they must not have passed their 45th, and for the assistant grade they must not have passed their 40th birthday.

Senior consultant in home economics education, \$3,600 a year, Office of Education, Interior Department. Applicants must not have passed their 53d birthday.

Fisheries marketing agent, \$2,300 a year, assistant fisheries marketing agent, \$1,800 a year, Bureau of Fisheries, Commerce Department. Applicants must not have passed their 40th birthday.

Physiotherapy aide, \$1,800 a year, physiotherapy pupil aide, \$1,400 a year, U. S. Public Health Service, and Veterans' Administration. Applicants must not have passed their 45th birthday.

SINGAPORE GETS AIR RAID ALARMS

SINGAPORE (AP)—High-powered air raid warning sirens, with a radius of over two miles, are being imported from England.

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Widow Of Pioneer Wheeler Judge Dies

SHAMROCK, Feb. 16—Mrs. Emanuel Dubbs, widow of the first judge of Wheeler county in the old Fort Elliott days, died last week at her home in Milford, Ind., according to word received here yesterday.

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