

The Weather

West Texas—fair, colder in extreme southeast portion, slightly warmer in the Panhandle tonight; Thursday fair.

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PAMPA, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1939

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(PRICE FIVE CENTS)

Good Evening!

Mark June 6 and 7 on your calendar. Then remember them as Top O' Texas Fiesta days in Pampa.

German And Hungarian Armies Take Over Remains Of Czechoslovakia

JONES ELECTION HELD ILLEGAL

Mussolini Not As Happy As He Usually Is

Hitler Has Control Over New Puppet States Of Europe

LONDON, March 15 (AP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain told a tense House of Commons today that "it bitterly regrets Germany's occupation of Bohemia and Moravia but added, "do not let us be defeated from our course" of trying to reach peace by agreement.

He spoke a few minutes after Foreign Secretary Viscount Halifax told the House of Lords Germany's march into the Czech areas was "bound to administer a shock to confidence all the more regrettable since confidence was beginning to revive."

Like Halifax, Chamberlain refused to "make charge of breach of faith, but implied criticism of Adolf Hitler's action when he solemnly declared:

"Hitherto Germany has only incorporated in the Reich people of the German race, but now they are taking military occupation of places where there are people with whom they have no racial relation."

(By The Associated Press) Adolf Hitler and his grey-clad armies marched to the east today, taking over remains of Czechoslovakia in a deep thrust into Central Europe.

The German army poured across the borders of the vanished republic and occupied Prague, Pilsen and other principal cities.

German forces moved into Slovakia, the new-born republic east of Bohemia-Moravia, Prague's old domain. Hungary's army, with German acquiescence, swept through the Carpatho-Ukraine region, farthest

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Harvester Band Will Play In Irish Parade

The green-clad Pampa Harvester band, directed by Winston Savage, will go to Shamrock Friday and lead Pampa's delegation in the St. Patrick's Day parade. Hundreds of Pampans are expected to be in Shamrock for the celebration, one of the outstanding in this section.

Every Pampian attending the celebration is asked to wear some western regalia and join in the parade, which will form at 11 o'clock sharp.

The Pampa band will also take part in the marching contest at Denver football field in the afternoon. The band won first place in marching at the Berger Birthday party March 8.

Miss Lea Pender, Pampa Harvester queen, will ride in the parade and will participate in the Colleen contest.

The high school band was featured in assembly program in the auditorium this morning, along with skits to be presented at Amateur Night, tomorrow night in the auditorium.

Buckler's Friends File His Candidacy For School Trustee

C. P. Buckler's name has been placed on file in the school business office by friends of his in the school district as a candidate for the board of trustees of the Pampa Independent school district at the election to be held April 1, 1939, at the Pampa high school between the hours of 8 a. m. to 7 p. m.

In an interview with Mr. Buckler he said he had no statement to make other than that if the voters of the district saw fit to elect him he would serve.

Late News

BUDAPEST, March 15 (AP)—Hungary tonight refused to halt her invasion of Carpatho-Ukraine despite a conciliatory reply from Premier Augustin Volosin to a Hungarian ultimatum demanding surrender to Hungary's military forces.

Counterfeiters Forget OKLAHOMA CITY, March 15 (AP)—If Abe Lincoln winks at you from a \$5 bill, beware. John Sobers, secret service agent, says that if he does the bill is phony. The counterfeiters forgot to put a pupil in his right eye.

I Heard . . . A couple of Pampans who heard Col. Ernest O. Thompson speak in Amarillo Saturday night declaring that the colonel's closing remark should be placed among famous sayings. They were referring to the following sentence: "Let us dedicate ourselves forever to the principles of state sovereignty and state independence and quit this forever running to Washington to be saved. Freedom is worth more than security."

Shamrock Will See 5-Mile-Long Parade

SHAMROCK, March 15.—The stage is set; the curtain is ready to be drawn and Shamrock is ready to present her Second Annual Saint Patrick's Day celebration, the only one of its kind in the Southwest.

From eight o'clock Thursday when the internationally famous Girls' Klitte band of Oklahoma City opens the program with a concert at the auditorium until the wee hours of Saturday morning, there will be fun and gaiety in this Irish city.

For weeks the city has been preparing for the celebration. The men of the town have grown donagel beards and the women have cooperated wholeheartedly by donating aprons for their public appearances in order to advertise Saint Patrick's Day and the coming show. The business men of the town have ordered beautiful green and white bunting and decorated the fronts of their buildings, literally dressing up the town for the occasion. Hundreds of yards of cloth and crepe paper have been ordered and men, women and children are busy building floats for the colorful parade.

The feature of the day's events will be a five-mile-long parade which is scheduled to begin at 11 o'clock and will take an hour-and-a-half in passing. This procession will be led by the famous 100-piece Altus high school band. To date General Chairman E. K. Caperton has received acceptances from 26 towns who will have uniformed bands in the gigantic march.

The major attraction of the afternoon will be the massed band concert and marchista at the football field in which the 26 bands, composed of over 1,200 young musicians will perform. This will be the largest group of musicians ever to play together in the Southwest. Individual and group playing and marching stunts will make up the program. Glenn A. Truax, local band instructor, is in charge of arrangements.

The Light Crust doughboys orchestra of Fort Worth will be in the parade, and will broadcast their daily program.

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House Favors Net Income Tax Over General Sales Levy

AUSTIN, March 15 (AP)—The House of Representatives voted today to substitute a net income tax for the 2-1-2 per cent general sales levy recommended by its constitutional amendments committee.

The tax would be from 1 to 4 per cent on net incomes of individuals and up to 4 per cent on net incomes of corporations. The voting machine indicated a motion to kill the income tax prevailed, 77 to 71, but verification showed the motion lost, 75 to 72. The income tax amendment then was adopted, 82 to 69.

Winners In Girl Scout Cookie Sales Contest Announced Here

Winners of the contest recently held by Girl Scouts of Pampa in the sale of cookies to raise funds for local Scout activities were announced yesterday by Mrs. F. M. Culbertson, Scout commissioner, after a final check-up with leaders of the five troops.

Mollie Kennedy, who sold 186 boxes of cookies, was winner of the first prize, a two-week campership at Camp Kiwanis, near Amarillo. Mollie is a member of troop No. 1, of which Mrs. Ralph Thomas is leader.

Colleen Chisholm, a member of troop 3, was winner of second prize, a first-grade Scout uniform. She sold 148 boxes of cookies in the allotted time of the contest. Mrs. Arthur Maas is active leader of troop 3.

Third prize was won by Jean Mullen of troop 4, of which Mrs. L. C. McCarty is leader. Her prize was a camp uniform. Jean sold 99 boxes of cookies.

Bernadine Breining and Billie Sackett, both members of troop 2, tied for fourth place, and each was to receive a selected piece of Scout equipment valued at 50 cents. They sold 97 boxes, each. Mrs. Jack Goldstein is leader of their troop.

First Money Drive. Mrs. McCarthy's group was winner

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'Top O' Texas Under 6 Flags' Parade Theme

The "Top O' Texas Under Six Flags" will be the theme of the Fiesta parade here June 6 and 7, according to plans discussed last night at a meeting of the steering committee in the city hall.

Chairman Wagon Phelps of the parade committee announced this morning that this theme would probably be carried out in the 1939 Top O' Texas Fiesta parade.

Mr. Phelps said that the parade would show the development of this Panhandle section under six flags and seven governments. He said that plans are now under way to bring at least two governors to Pampa for the Fiesta. The governors of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico will be invited by Jim Collins of the Distinguished Visitors committee. Fort

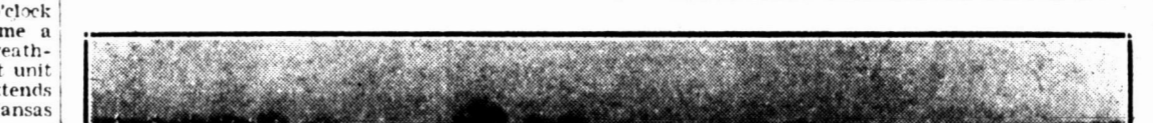
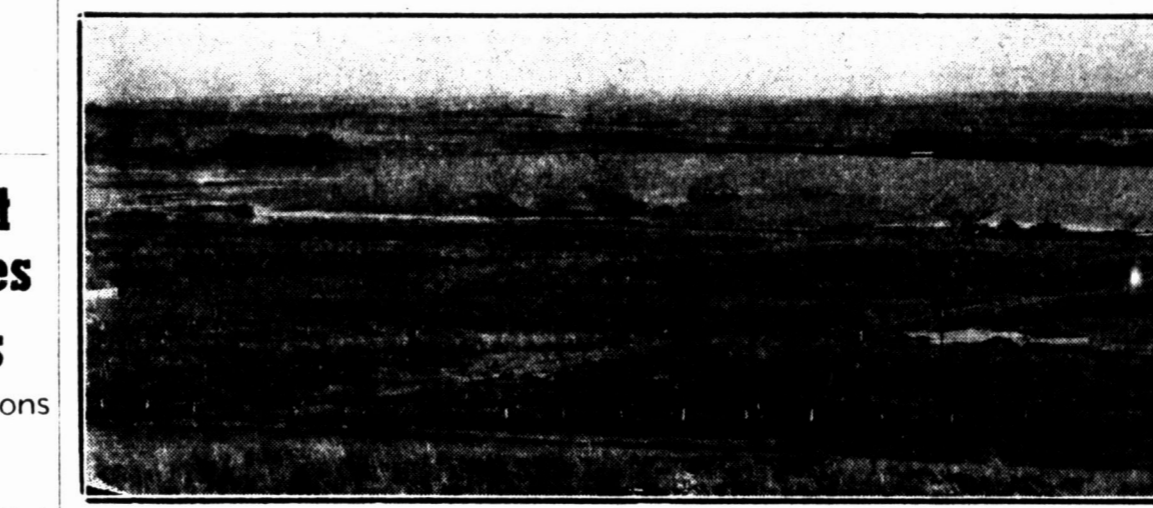
mer Governor James V. Allred will also be invited by Mr. Collins.

Soldiers' Unit Planned. Parade plans also call for a military unit from Fort Sill or some other encampment, "thousands of horses," a golden phalanx of Pallimino horses from Shamrock and Canadian, costumed characters, and scores of floats. The committee plans to spend more on the parade than ever before. Tentative plans are to hire a professional float-builder to plan and construct the floats, and to discourage commercial advertising in the parade.

The floats, costumed characters and horseback riders will carry out the Top O' Texas Under Six Flags

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HERE ARE VIEWS OF RAPIDLY FILLING LAKE ON BOGGY CREEK



After what happened in the Panhandle last Saturday, here are two pictures that should be refreshing. These photos show two angles on the lake which is backing up behind the Boggy Creek Dam over near Canadian in Hemphill county. At the top is a general view of the lake which now covers 50 acres and soon will grow to 80 acres. Below is a close-up of the lake with the dam at the left and (center of the picture) the bridge-walk which leads out to the control tower for the lake flood-gate. This will give you a rough idea of what Gray county's McClellan Lake will look like, with the exception that Lake McClellan will have four or five times greater water area. Boggy Creek Lake is one of the Panhandle beauty spots and one of the finest of the major lakes being constructed in the area, there's no doubt about that, Hemphill county has named the lake Lake Marvin for Congressman Marvin Jones of this district who was instrumental in securing the appropriation to build the lake.

Banquet Speeches To Stress Vet's Service

America's veterans of the World War as men still serving their country 20 years after the Armistice will be emphasized in speeches made tonight when the Kelly-Crossman post of the American Legion celebrates the 20th anniversary of the founding of the national organization with a birthday dinner at 8:15 o'clock tonight at the Schneider hotel.

Commander I. J. Huval will open and close the program. W. V. Jarratt will lead the singing of "America" and "The Eyes of Texas," to be followed by the invocation, delivered by Paul D. Hill, chaplain of the local post and grand auditor of the 40 and 8, and the salute to the colors.

Proceeding the birthday anniversary dinner will be the presentation of the birthday cake by Mrs. Hupp Clark, president of the local auxiliary.

Smith Toastmaster. William Jarrel Smith, local attorney, will be toastmaster, and will introduce visitors and guests. Commander Huval will introduce Mr. Smith.

El Marie Allen and Patsy Carlton will play an accordion duet, Frankie Yates, a cornet solo, Gene Barber and Billy McRuit, a saxophone duet, and there will be two vocal solos by Dick Kennedy.

Edmond Haniel of Panhandle will be the principal speaker on the program. His topic is "What the American Soldier Has Done for Us."

Proceeds of the concert will be used to help send local bands to the annual contests of the Northwest Texas Band association at Plainville next month.

At 8 o'clock on the evening of March 23, Miss Jonsson will give a concert for adults. The afternoon concert will be especially for children, but adults may attend. Admission for children will be 10 cents, and for adults 25 cents.

Last year, Miss Jonsson played before 1,400 children in the auditorium here, and an equally large crowd of children is expected this year. Last winter she gave a Mozart concert with slides thrown

Two Concerts To Be Given Here By Esther Jonsson On March 23

Pampa school bands will benefit from a concert to be given here at 2:30 o'clock, Thursday afternoon, March 23, at the high school auditorium, by Esther Jonsson, renowned as an interpreter of Mozart's compositions.

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Temperatures In Pampa

Sunset	7:45	11 a. m.	89
7 a. m.	21	12 Noon	48
8 a. m.	21	1 p. m.	48
9 a. m.	21	2 p. m.	48
10 a. m.	24		48
Today's maximum			48
Today's minimum			21
Lowest last night			20

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Mann Claims Procedure Not Lawful

President of Tech Not Eligible Says Attorney General

AUSTIN, March 15 (AP)—Attorney General Gerald C. Mann held in an opinion today that selection of Clifford B. Jones as president of Texas Technological college at Lubbock was illegal and void.

The opinion was based on grounds Jones was a member of the board of directors of the college at the time other board members named him president. A member of a board of directors, Mann said, is not eligible to be elected to the presidency of an institution.

The ruling was requested by three members of the Tech board of directors, L. L. Steele of Mexia, Thomas G. Pollard of Tyler, and Mrs. W. R. Potter of Bowie.

The attorney general referred to the minutes of the meeting of the board in Fort Worth Nov. 26, 1938, at which Jones was elected, and stated: "The board's minutes show that Mr. Jones, a director and chairman of the board, was present at the meeting. His election was proposed and defeated. The board then recessed for 15 minutes. When the board reconvened after the recess, a copy of a telegram sent by Mr. Jones during the recess tendering his resignation was exhibited as evidence of his qualified to accept the appointment. There was no claim that it had been accepted or that his successor had been appointed and qualified. In fact, such appointment and qualification of a successor during such a brief period would have been physically impossible."

The record evidencing Mr. Jones' See JONES, Page 3

FHA Officials Will Meet With Business Groups

A special meeting of all realtors, architects, lumber and material dealers, contractors, and representatives of financial institutions, and utilities of Pampa and vicinity, will be held at the city convention room, City Hall, Pampa, on Thursday, March 16, at 7:30 p. m.

R. E. Sikes, mortgage conference representative, and W. W. Ryan, Chief Underwriter, of the North-west District Federal Housing Administration's office in Fort Worth, Texas, will be present for the purpose of discussing the FHA requirements of eligibility of the borrower, property and location in connection with applications submitted for insurance on residential property.

Mr. Ryan will conduct an open forum during the conference covering principally rating of locations and appraisal methods. He and Mr. Sikes will remain over the following day for the purpose of conducting individual conferences and inspection of proposed locations for lumber and material dealers, realtors and others.

I Saw . . .

A Pampa man who should know and he said that the oil field is really going to open up again this spring and summer.

Another Pampa man go behind stage at the city hall last night to see whether a liquid hot glass, slight-of-hand artist, poured into small glasses out of one shaker was really liquor of different kinds—brandy, gin, rye, creme de menthe, vermouth, Scotch, bourbon, etc. The man smelled the liquor first, then tasted and said it was not liquor. Bob then told him to drink it, and the man emptied six of the glasses. Five minutes later he staggered down stairs.

Canada's Dry Humor

For the visit of the King and Queen of England to the Canadian government will permit temporarily, the sale of pictures of the Royal Arms, the Royal Crown and the Royal Standard, but not of the Royal Cypher. Now, whom on earth do they mean by "the Royal Cypher"? Sounds like a nasty crack and libelous at that. So, as far as The Pampa News classified want-ads are concerned there'll be no such cypher in The Pampa News. We do know that there will be many a fine bargain to be found on our Classified Page.

Phone 666, the thrifty number.

THE PAMPA NEWS

Speakers on the program will be Tex DeWeese, editor of The Pampa News, who will discuss newspapers; Sid Patterson, manager of radio station KPDM, who will discuss radio programs; Mrs. James Todd Jr., city librarian, who will speak on magazines; and Carl Benefiel, manager of the LaNora theater, who will speak on moving pictures.

B & P-W Club Hears Talk By Music Director

A play, "Jury Service For Women" and a talk by Iva Lee Hobson, state director of music in the recreation project, featured the regular monthly program of the Pampa Business and Professional Club Tuesday night in the city club rooms. The state director also led the club in singing several songs.

The play was presented by Pampa recreation project members, of which Rosemary Roach is superintendent. Announcement was made of the B&P-W birthday party to be given March 28 in the city clubrooms in the city hall building. All former club members, as well as present members, are invited to attend.

Iva Ekmern was in charge of the program last night. The meeting was called to order by Christin Cecil. Two new members, Laura Scott and Yvonne Thomas, were received into the club.

Members present were Ruth Caraway, Helen Eberly, Lorraine Pite, Lillian McNeill, Myrtle Simmons, Hazel Wilson, Louise Warren, Madeline Murray, Madge Rusk, Christine Cecil, Betty Dunbar, Lola Carroll, Grace Pool, Clara Lee Shewmaker, Mable Gee, Iva Ekmern, Lucile Douglas, Ida Adams, Eugenia Johnson, Katie Beverly, Ellen Sartor, Vada Lee Olsen, Catherine Ward, Maurine Jones, Frances Craven, Laura Belle Cornelius, Mildred Overall, La Vita Robinson, Lillian Jordan, Elizabeth Atchison, Vera Lard, and Jewel Polk.

KPDNRadio Programs

WEDNESDAY
3:00—All Request Hour
3:30—Closing Markets
3:45—Monitor Views the News
3:50—Bulletin Board
4:00—Rhythm and Romance (WBS)
4:15—Range Ramblers (Lindsay Furniture Co.)
4:30—Singing Session
4:45—Harmony Hall
5:00—Ken Bennett (Culbertson-Smailing)
5:30—Final Edition of the News with Tex DeWesse
5:45—Air Adventures of Jimmie Allen (Levine)
6:00—The Crowd Roars
6:15—Melody Grove (Radio Station WLW)
6:30—Front Page Parade (Radio Station WLW)
6:45—Goodnight!

THURSDAY
7:00—Just Ahead Time
7:15—Overnight News
7:30—Musical News
7:45—Mockerion Time
8:00—Range Ramblers (Lindsay Furniture Co.)
8:15—George Fisher's Hollywood Revue
8:30—Rac 'N' Shine (WBS)
8:45—Lost and Found Bureau (Edmond-Clary's)
8:50—Classified Air Column
9:00—Organ Music (Ernest Jones)
9:15—Mr. Budgeteer (Jim's Grocery)
9:30—Betty's Bargain Bureau
9:45—Mid Morning News (S. P. A. Service Station)
10:15—Doc Parsley's Roundup Time
10:30—Doc Seller's True Stories
10:45—Vivory Tempo (Panhandle Power & Light Company)
11:00—Hollywood American Legion Band
11:15—For Mother and Dad
11:40—Modern Dance Rhythms
12:00—Mogin Sam (Coca Cola Bottling Service Station)
12:15—White School of the Air (White Auto Store)
12:30—News News (Thompson Hardware Co.)
12:45—Tonic Times (WBS)
1:00—Your Tempo (Sentimental Mood (Southwestern Public Service Co.)
1:15—Peety Anderson
1:30—Gram's Melody (WBS)
1:42—Livestock Market Report
1:45—Burger Studios
1:55—American Family Robinson
2:30—Pop Concert (WBS)
3:00—All Request Hour
3:15—Singing Session
3:35—Monitor Views the News
3:50—Bulletin Board
4:00—Rhythm and Romance (WBS)
4:15—Range Ramblers (Lindsay Furniture Co.)
4:30—Singing Session
4:45—Harmony Hall
5:00—Keyboard & Console
5:30—Final Edition of the News with Tex DeWesse
5:45—The Cruise of the Poll Parrot (Lindsay Roberts Shoe Company)
6:00—The Crowd Roars
6:15—The World Dances (WBS)
6:30—Don't You Believe It (Radio Station WLW)
6:45—Goodnight!

RECENT BRIDE



MRS. JAMES O. JOHNSON, Jr.
A recent Pampa bride is Mrs. James O. Johnson, Jr. above, who before her marriage was Miss Opal Mae Pinnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Pinnell.

The ceremony was performed on February 20 in Clayton, N. M., by Robert E. Potter, justice of the peace, in the presence of a few close friends, including Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anglin and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Stanley of Dumas. The groom is a graduate of Pampa High school and attended West Texas State College at Canyon.

The groom is a graduate of Dumas High school and is at present employed at Dumas, where the couple will make their home.

Baker P-TA Elects New Officers

New officers and city and county delegates were elected by the B. M. Baker Parent-Teacher association at a Dad's Night program held Tuesday night at the Baker school.

Mrs. H. E. Symmonds was elected president, Mrs. Jeff Beard, vice-president, Mrs. Henry Lane, secretary, and Mrs. Earl Roof, treasurer. Delegates elected to the city council were Miss Minnie Allen and Mrs. J. M. Miller; to the county council, Mrs. L. H. Anderson, Mrs. Ralph Proper, and Mrs. Rudolph Taylor.

An imitation radio broadcast, in which parents present were interviewed, featured the Dad's Night program. The skit was given by pupils of Mrs. Annie Daniels' room. Songs were sung by the boys and girls club directed by Miss Margaret Williams, Clarinet, cornet and bass horn solo that the students will play at the state contest at Plainview, were played. Gene Shaw and Alwuse Wight sang a duet "The Old Apple Tree."

The affirmative team, composed of W. Postema and O. F. Shewmaker, won the decision in the debate on the subject of "Homes of Today vs. Those of 50 Years Ago." On the negative side was R. A. Selby and J. A. Meek. Judges were Roy Holy, E. H. Eads, and W. G. Irving. J. A. Meek was program leader and A. L. Patrick led the devotional.

Miss Williams room received the award for the most parents present.

Miss Willis and W. A. Clark Jr. Wed At Phillips

Special To The NEWS
PHILLIPS, March 15—The marriage of Miss Iva June Willis of Phillips and W. A. Clark, Jr., of St. Joseph, Mo. formerly of Phillips, was solemnized Friday morning at 11:30 o'clock by the Rev. George F. Bradford of the Christian church.

The only witnesses were the brides' mother of Amarillo, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Eli Willis, of Dumas, and Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Brazil and Weldon Jolly. Until her marriage the bride had been the instructor of music in the Phillips intermediate grades for a number of years.

The bridegroom is a former superintendent of Phillips schools and dean of the Claridon college. He is now connected with a research laboratory in St. Joseph, Mo. After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home at 2748 Penn St., St. Joseph, Mo.

Panhandle OES Officers Form Study Club

Special To The NEWS
PANHANDLE, March 15.—The officers of the Eastern Star have organized a study club for the purpose of studying to obtain A and B certificates in the schools of instruction held in the spring. Mr. J. E. Southwood was elected teacher; Mrs. Iva Thorpe, president; Mrs. Dell Held, secretary-treasurer. The officers will meet each meeting night following the regular business of the chapter.

The population of the United States increased 33 per cent between 1910 and 1939.

Culture Club Hears Review Of Texas Book

"And, Tell of Time," the novel written by Laura Krey, dealing with Texas in the Reconstruction period, was reviewed for members of the 20th Century Culture club at their meeting Tuesday afternoon in the Presbyterian annex, by Mrs. H. H. Hahn, former Pampa Junior High school teacher.

Mrs. Hahn returned recently from Boston where she has completed work at Boston University, majoring in English. The program of the 20th Century Culture club yesterday was in connection with a study of Southern literature and culture. Mrs. Hahn read a letter received from the author of "And Tell of Time." The book deals with a family's experience in Texas after the War between the States and up to the election of 1875.

The author, Laura Krey, was educated in a girls school Virginia. After completing school, she returned to Texas, but it was not until after her marriage that she began to write.

Carrying out the theme of the program, tables were decorated with pink, yellow, orange and green Teton covers, centered with sweet peas and corsages of sweet peas were given to guests. Neal Gaut presided at the guest book.

The Pampa music teachers setled sang three Southern songs, "Cabin in the Bayou," "Highly Lick River," and "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia." During the refreshment period, piano solos were played by Mary Lynn Schofield.

Hostesses were Mrs. Neal Gaut, Mrs. Otis Humphrey, Mrs. Aaron Meek and Mrs. Herbert Luby. Mrs. Meek read clever jingles introducing each guest.

Members present were Mmes. Joe Burrow, J. M. Collins, Neal Gaut, Otis Humphrey, P. E. Leech, L. H. Johnson, H. P. Luby, L. N. McCullough, J. A. Reeves, Howard Reeves, D. E. Robinson, John R. Roby, Carl Smith, C. W. Stowell, J. P. Wehrung, D. E. Williams, Briscoe.

Guests were Mmes. Ewing Williams, Harold Poy, Joe Key, Perry Gaut, John L. Bradley, C. O. Drew, Chester Henry, Howard Giles, Bryant Caraway, E. C. Sidwell, Ray Lawrence, W. T. Williamson, Floyd Hoffman, Walter E. Bieri, Larsh, Jordan and Miss Florence Jones.

Miss Ada McCray and Aubrey Braxton Marry Recently

Special To The NEWS
SHAMROCK, March 15—Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McCray of Mobeetie have announced the marriage of their daughter, Ada, to Aubrey Braxton. The wedding was solemnized March 4 with the Rev. Howard Giles, D. E. Robinson, John R. Roby, Carl Smith, C. W. Stowell, J. P. Wehrung, D. E. Williams, Briscoe.

The bride is the niece of Mrs. Daisy Hays of Shamrock who made her home in Shamrock for the past few months. She was graduated from Wheeler high school in school activities.

The groom is the brother of Charles L. Braxton of Braxton Wholesale Candy Co. Mr. and Mrs. Braxton will make their home in Shamrock at 524 E. Second Street.

Fourth Birthday Of Youngster Observed

PHILLIPS, March 15—In celebration of his fourth birthday, Larry Rider, son of the late Mrs. J. B. Rider, was entertained with a party recently. A St. Patrick motif was noted in the house decorations. Tiny green baskets filled with green and white candies were given as favors. The candied-topping angel food birthday cake was cut and served with ice cream to the following: Billy and Bobby Wyatt, Barbara Jean Darrell, Jolyn Chewing, Barbara and Beatrice Gidley, Donald White, Arland Wayne Brooks, Ronnie and Beverly Cole, Richard, Jimmie and Louise Brayner, Billy Hughes, Billy Stephenson, Dora Martha Everhart, Barbara Joyce Tisdale, Mmes. J. O. Cole, Raymond Darrell, L. O. Chewing, Wally Wyatt, Henry Everhart, Ed Brayner.

Sending gifts were Mrs. John Holman, Mrs. A. L. Rider of Johnson, Kas. Raymond Doerfer, Jim Arnold, Kas., and Master Jim Baker.

Mrs. Massey Has Birthday Party For Husband Recently

PHILLIPS, March 15—For her husband on his birthday, Mrs. A. E. Massey entertained recently in her home in the new Phillips camp. The event, a surprise to the guest of honor, was an enjoyable one with games of Chinese checkers and anagrams being played throughout the evening. Guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Charles Stewart, C. R. Fore, Spec Riley, Fred Maples, H. L. Cruzan, Misses Lurline Estes, Maxine Downer, Msrs. Curtis Crane, Noble Massey, Dood Massey, Bill Griffith, and Mr. and Mrs. Massey. Sending remembrances were Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Armstrong.

Society NOTES

THURSDAY
The excursions of the Pampa Junior High School P.T.A. will meet at 1:15 p. m. in the office of Principal Ernest Gabe. Horace Mann P.T.A. will sponsor an oyster supper at school. The High school P.T.A. will meet at 2:15 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

A regular meeting of the Contract Bridge club will be held. A regular meeting of the I. O. O. F. hall. Club activities will be entertained. Rebekah lodge will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the I. O. O. F. hall. Club activities will be entertained.

FRIDAY
Group 2 will be hostess to the Friendship class at a luncheon at 1 o'clock at the First Methodist church. The Busy Doves club will meet at 3 o'clock with Mrs. L. J. Flaherty, 629 South Hobart. Devotion class will be entertained with a luncheon at 12:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. A. B. McAdoo with Mrs. W. A. Tolbert as hostess.

Party Given For Jackie Weathered On Fifth Birthday

Jackie Weathered, son of County Superintendent W. B. Weathered, was honored on his fifth birthday with a party at the Weathered home, 724 East Francis, from 4 to 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The party was given by Allene Weathered, sister of the county superintendent, assisted by Mrs. R. A. Selby.

Guest of honor at the party was Bobby Carroll Selby, who was three years old yesterday. Decorations were in St. Patrick's day colors, green and white. Balloons, balls, dolls, and toy umbrellas were favors given. Cake, ice cream, and mints were served.

Guests were Garnet Reeves Jr., Jerry Doggett, Bobby and John Allford, Thurman and Jeanette Weathered, and Wynne Weathered.

Mrs. Swofford Gives Shower In Honor Of Mrs. Howard Hoover

Mrs. Audelle Swofford entertained in her home recently with a wedding shower honoring Mrs. Howard Hoover, who was Miss Marylene Gardner before her marriage, last week. St. Patrick's day colors were carried out in the refreshments.

Attending were Miss Estlin Rhea, and Mmes. Ben Hoover, T. L. Sherman, P. A. Gledhill, H. B. Knapp, D. A. Rife, J. P. Tiffany, M. C. Nash, Fred C. Fisher, A. M. Nash, C. B. Hickey, D. F. Russell, E. B. Davis, Raymond Walker, Rufus Dinkle, H. H. Threaults.

Sending gifts were Mrs. Howard Fish, Mrs. B. V. Bettis, Mrs. Rick Cook, P. A. Gledhill, H. B. Knapp, D. A. Rife, J. P. Tiffany, M. C. Nash, Fred C. Fisher, A. M. Nash, C. B. Hickey, D. F. Russell, E. B. Davis, Raymond Walker, Rufus Dinkle, H. H. Threaults.

Book Reviewed And Tea Given By Circle One At Phillips

PHILLIPS, March 15—Memoirs of St. Patrick's Day were featured in the book review and tea given recently by circle one of the Phillips Methodist church in the Phillips Community Hall. Mrs. Charles F. Jones opened the program by playing two piano solos, followed by a vocal solo by Bonnie Lucille Church accompanied by Lorene Powers. Mrs. Floyd McSpadden reviewed "Rebecca," Daphne du Maurier. She reviewed the first half of the book, then Miss Church sang another solo, and the review was concluded.

Freshing at the register were Mrs. Ivan Rawson and W. A. Sweeney. Pouring were Mrs. John Mizell and Mrs. Burton Fitzsimmons. Calling were Mesdames H. J. Hibbs, E. F. Sharp, C. F. Jones, E. J. Beaver, C. W. Williams, Roy E. Campbell, John G. Gray, J. A. Ostrom, Charles Fritz, Russell K. Simms, Jack Knight, R. L. Lindsey, John Mizell, W. S. Shipley, S. W. Harrier, L. M. Battin, L. W. Smith, Fred Lindl, Robert Dilley, Jack Murrland, Burton Fitzsimmons, Morris Paulain, F. E. Church, T. S. Snook, Ellis Tisdale, Ivan Rawson, Mark Paulain, C. R. Stahl, Don Dilley, W. W. Brooks, W. A. Sweeney, Miss Hazel Arneet and Roy Wildley.

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Girl Scout Troop Seven Completes Year Of Activity

Girl Scouts of troop seven, which was organized one year ago, with seven members, celebrated their first anniversary this week at a party and Vesper service at the First Presbyterian church with a membership of 37 Scouts. The troop is sponsored by the Horace Mann school Parent-Teacher Association with Mrs. Lillian Stewart as leader.

During the year activities have been, as follows: Katherine Kelley, Nadine Kelley, Marion Longacre, Marilyn Hastings, Virginia Harris, Sue Baker, Elsie Ruth Graham, Mary Jean Evans, Beverly Burba, and Peggy Jean Kelley are ready for the troop. Dramatics badge after presenting a play, "Girl Scout Week" recently. Katherine Kelley, Nadine Kelley, Marion Longacre, and Joan Hoyle will soon complete work for the hostess badge and Beverly Burba is ready for a first aid badge.

About 30 Scouts have passed the cooking badge. The troop also took a basket to a needy family at Christmas, made Christmas greetings for a local hospital, and made Valentines for an invalid girl of their age. Several girls are working on the needle craft badge.

On Mother's Day they held a tea for the mothers of troop members with the girls giving a program of accordion and violin solos and readings.

Girl Scouts from another troop taught the girls flag-signaling and the flag song. The troop presented a play, "Patrol leaders and second," for the year have been Beverly Burba, Mary Myatt, Nadine Kelley, Patricia Ross, Katherine Kelley, Ada Bell Bennett, Marilyn Hastings, Marion Longacre, and Joan Nix; troop scribes, Marilyn Hastings and Virginia Harris; troop treasurer, Ada Bell Bennett and Marion Longacre; committee women, Mrs. E. C. Burba, Emory Noblitt, Morrow, and Olin Harris.

Last spring the girls presented a skit at P-T-A. with the cooperation of Mrs. Benson. Girl Scouts took charge of summer recreation work for Horace Mann school. The troop under supervision of Mrs. Stewart and with the cooperation of summer round up chairman will present a skit on "Summer Round Up Work" at the May meeting of Horace Mann P-T-A. and will have charge of summer round up work this year. During the recent cookie sale, the troop sold 490 orders of cookies.

Members of the troop are Elsie Ruth Graham, Beverly Burba, Beth Trollinger, Mary Myatt, Marion Longacre, Paula Payne, Franklin, Mary Frances Jones, June Matheny, Patsy Booze, Patricia Ross, Helen Hazey, Norma Dee Hall, Mary Jean Evans, Beverly Sue Baker, Freddie Jean Brock, Phyllis Hutchens, Ruby Lee Bradford, Leatrice Winton, DeLores Watson, Mary Elva Taylor, Virginia Harris, Nita Faye Taylor, Pauline Ward, Dorothy Landers, Betty Jane Boynton, Betty Jean Lovell, Joan Treese, Joyce Oswald, Patsy Rue Eusband, Wanda Williams, Joan Hoyle, Juanita Bell Kirby, Peggy Jean Kelley, Katherine Kelley, Nadine Kelley, Betty Jo Nolan, and Marilyn Hastings.

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Program Of El Progresso Has Irish Theme

A St. Patrick's day theme was used at the tea given by the El Progresso club at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the clubrooms in the city hall building. Irish melodies were played by Mrs. Walter Nelson, violinist, accompanied by Mrs. R. C. Wilson at the piano. Roll call was answered with Irish jokes. Mrs. L. C. Neely made a talk on the origin and meaning of St. Patrick's day, quoting William Howard Taft's, "you can be engaged in no better vocation than making people laugh."

Pupils of Kenneth Carman, high school dramatics teacher, presented a one-act play "A Mad Breakfast." In the cast were Jimmy Moseley, Eula Taylor, Leonard Earl Walker, Mary Jean Hill, Clara May Jones, Jean Lively, Maxine Cherry, Bill Nolan, and Jack Hesse, with Elaine Murphy as director.

Mrs. S. G. Surra and Mrs. L. C. Neely, poured tea. Mrs. S. E. Lewis presided at the guest book. Hostesses were Mrs. C. F. Buckner, Mrs. W. M. Craven, Mrs. Dave Pope, Mrs. James Todd, and Mrs. John Andrews.

Present were Mmes. R. F. Dickson, E. M. Dougal, T. C. Lively, Slier Faulkner, Charlie Thut, J. M. Dodson, Robert Boshen, L. C. Neely, Jeanie Chapman, May E. Blair, P. C. Ledrick, E. O. Shead, Fred Roberts, W. F. Dixon, George Briggs, T. W. Sweatman, Sherman White, W. M. Pearce, R. J. Snell, L. W. Burrow, W. D. Waters, C. T. Hunkapillar, Critchlow, Nenstiel, Miss Mable Davis, and Mmes. F. C. Wilson, J. B. Johnson, G. C. Walstead, Glen Pool, Clinton Henry, Walter Wanner, Walter Nelson, R. C. Wilson.

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Shower Given At Esther Club Meeting Tuesday

The Esther club held its regular meeting at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the I. O. O. F. hall, with Eula Killian, vice president, in charge.

A tea-towel shower was given Katie Beverly, Helen McKee, Myrtle Atkinson, and Mrs. Peters. Cake and lemonade were served by the four honorees to the club. The next meeting of the club will be held at 2:30 p. m. March 28 with Essie Clay, at 405 North Warren, and a shower is to be given for Lily Noblitt, Cora Lee Baer, Pearl Castka, and Ethel Mae Clay.

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Oklahoma City's Kiltie Band To Be At Shamrock

SHAMROCK, Mar. 15.—Members of the City Kiltie Band of Oklahoma City who will appear in the St. Patrick's Day celebration here Friday are pepped up over their visit to the city this week. The band came through Shamrock en route to Albuquerque, N. M., to attend the Highway 96 celebration Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week and in a brief stop-over expressed their joy at coming back to Shamrock for the St. Patrick's festival.

E. K. Caperton, chairman of the celebration, and a group of business men talked with Capt. E. G. Fry, band director, about plans for the parade and marchesta and presented each girl with a copy of the St. Patrick's Day special edition of the Texan and a badge advertising the festival.

The band will return from Albuquerque Tuesday, arriving in Shamrock Thursday afternoon in time for a concert Thursday night in Clark auditorium and will remain in the city for the parade and marchesta Friday.

FIESTA

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In the parade, Mr. Phelps said, The floats will show the 'O' Texas under Spain, featuring the Coronado and Cabeza de Vaca periods, the Mexican period will feature Indian, Colonial and Revolutionary scenes, The Republic of Texas period, Mr. Phelps said, would feature the origin of the Texas Rangers, the Indian wars, and other historical events in the Republic of Texas. The next period will be Texas' contribution to the 'lost cause' of the Confederacy. Mr. Phelps said that one float in this period will, if possible, carry the 101-year-old Civil War veteran from McLean. Other angles of the War between the States will be presented in the parade.

Many Bands Coming

The final unit of the parade will show the development of the Panhandle, featuring cattle, wheat, oil, ranches, with emphasis on pure bred Hereford cattle and oil.

Mr. Phelps also plans to have a record number of bands from over the Panhandle and from nearby states in the parade. Another meeting of the Fiesta committee will be held Monday night when production cost figures and a list of events will be presented and discussed by the various chairmen.

The dance committee is planning to bring a big-time dance band to Pampa to play for the modern dance, Dick Hughes and H. E. Howe are in charge of this committee. Mr. Hughes, chairman of the oldtimers committee, is planning many attractive entertainment features for the old timers.

Date of the 1939 'O' Texas Fiesta will be June 6 and 7.

"The dates are positive unless something unforeseen crops up, forcing us to change them," Chairman Carl Benefiel announced this morning. "We set the dates to keep from conflicting celebrations or rodeos in this section."

In the past the celebration has been held late in the week but Tuesday and Wednesday were set in case a carnival is brought here.

Mr. Collins was named chairman of the distinguished guests committee.

Police Still Seek Trinidad Girl Here

No trace of Edna Schneider, 17-year-old Trinidad girl who left her home Monday, has been found by Pampa police called late Tuesday evening to be on the lookout for the girl who is a niece of Mrs. Frank Roach of Pampa and a granddaughter of Mrs. T. R. Mills of LeFors.

The girl was last seen entering a car bearing a Texas license near Trinidad. She has been in ill health for some time. Mrs. Roach told police. This is the first time she has ever left home.

Charlie McCarthy's Kidnaping A Hoax

NEW YORK, March 15 (AP)—The mystery of Charlie McCarthy's "kidnaping" was solved today, and as the police suspected it turned out to be a gag.

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To make right the master of might;
To promote peace and good will on earth;
To safeguard and transmit to posterity The principles of Justice, Freedom and Democracy To consecrate and sanctify our country;
By our devotion to mutual helpfulness."

JONES

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appointment this shows on its face that he was still a director and that his appointment as president was illegal and void.

Jones resignation as a director was accepted by the governor Dec. 1, and his successor to that office qualified on Dec. 6.

The opinion cited numerous cases to uphold the facts "that there is no escape from the proposition that Mr. Jones was still a member of the board of directors" when he was named president.

Mann referred to the general rule touching on the question involved in corpus juris which says, "it is contrary to the policy of the law for an officer of the law to use his official appointing power to place himself in office, so that, even in the absence of a statutory inhibition, all officers must have the appointing power as disqualified for appointment to the office to which they may appoint; nor can an appointing board appoint one of its members to an office, even though his vote is not essential to a majority in favor of his appointment."

"The board of directors of Texas Technological college is composed of a group of public spirited men and women who are outstanding in Texas for their sterling character and ability," Mann's opinion declared, "and we are not in the slightest impugning their motives in the present instance nor do we doubt for a moment the ability of the splendid man they appointed to capably fulfill the duties of the president of this institution."

"It would seem useless to mention that a board member owes to the institution... duty to avoid those situations where his private interests may conflict with that of his principal," the opinion continued, "it is plainly no answer to say that he was not present at the voting, or being present did not vote. The law contemplates that he shall maintain himself in such a position that he will be present and vote, without being embarrassed by personal interest. Whether in a given instance the member did actually succeed in completely submerging his personal interest is not a material inquiry. Public duty must triumph in a particular case, but such might not be true the next time and the next. We would be willing for similar boards and governing bodies in any and all instances to fill appointive offices and places of employment by appointment of their own members? Will public policy permit us to sanction and recognize this practice as an approved method of obtaining appointments?"

At the Fort Worth meeting the vote on Jones' nomination as president was "aye" Mrs. John A. Haley, Joe T. Sneed, James M. West and Charles C. Thompson. "Nay" Thomas C. Pollard, More W. R. Potter, and L. L. Steele. Vice Chairman Spencer A. Wells requested that the records show that he also voted "aye."

Mayor Acquitted On Misconduct Charges

LONGVIEW, March 15 (AP)—Mayor A. J. (Archie) Wood of Gladewater was free of charges of official misconduct.

A directed verdict of acquittal was voted yesterday by City Commissioners J. M. McFarlane and Otto Staerk, who heard the case in Gladewater city hall.

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Robbers Overlook \$1,100 In Pocket

CHICAGO, March 15 (AP)—Eldon Campbell, an insurance company cashier, called police today to report a \$100 loss to robbers. While talking he rubbed sore spots made by rope with which he had been bound. He interrupted his report to exclaim: "My gosh, what a bulge!" "Bulge?" asked the sergeant. "Yeah, a \$1,100 bulge in my hip pocket those gents bulged."

McDonald Loses Attempt To Fix Minimum Citrus Prices

SAN ANTONIO, March 15 (AP)—The State Department of Agriculture lost its fight to fix minimum prices on citrus fruit here today when the Fourth Court of Civil Appeals upheld an injunction obtained by a group of Rio Grande valley citrus exchanges from District Judge Rogers Blacklock of Hidalgo county.

The Appellate Court's ruling, written by Associate Justice W. O. Murray, upheld the district court's injunction restraining J. E. McDonald, State Commissioner of Agriculture, and other officers of the department from revoking the license of a group of fruit handlers for failure to abide by McDonald's minimum price order, from making assessments to finance the citrus fruit program, from examining the books and records of the handlers, and from requiring the handlers to reveal to officers of the agriculture department the prices paid for fruit.

Justice Murray said in his opinion that "the court has the right of a person to sell his property for any price he sees fit to accept is a very valuable right, and should not be taken away except by clear and unmistakable language. It involves the very right to control one's own property, and such a provision in the act," This referred to the Texas citrus marketing act of May 17, 1937, under which McDonald sought to fix the price minima. The opinion stated that "the courts should not write it there by implication."

The opinion further stated that "the act provides in effect that the commissioner is not to place any limitation on the quantity of citrus fruit to be transported interstate or foreign commerce. The commissioner could be justified in fixing a minimum price only on the theory that it would limit the quantity of citrus fruit to be transported in interstate commerce, and if it would have that effect on interstate commerce, by the same token it would limit the quantity of citrus fruit to be transported interstate and foreign commerce, a thing which the act itself says he should not do."

The appellate court held that "the commissioner having acted without authority, his orders were void and the trial court properly enjoined him and his agents from enforcing such orders."

The district court injunction was obtained by the American Fruit Growers, Inc.; the Texas Citrus Growers Exchange, the Rio Grande Valley Citrus Exchange, the American Fruit and Vegetable Company, the Burkhardt Fruit and Vegetable Company, and C. D. Kirk and Company, after McDonald had sought to revoke their license as fruit handlers for alleged failure to abide by the minimum citrus prices fixed for citrus fruit on the act.

The injunction was against McDonald, C. E. McCormick, chief of the bonding and licensing division of the department, and W. E. Woodruff, a resident of Hidalgo county representing the state agriculture department.

AMATEURS

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Admission will be 15 cents for students and 25 for adults.

The amateur night rehearsals have already uncovered several good singers. Listeners Monday night were greatly impressed with the torch-singing of Lois Fraley, who vocalized They Say. Another junior high singer on the program is Harris Lee Hawkins, who made a big hit in the junior high operetta.

Lois Fraley was given an enthusiastic hand by other members of the cast and was forced to sing the chorus several times.

Positively no persons except members of the cast will be admitted at the rehearsal tonight.

Proceeds of the show will be used to help send members of the student council to the state convention at Austin.

SHAMROCK

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from here. The Wah-Wahwee drum and bugle corps of McMurtry College, Abilene, will be on hand to add color to the occasion as will the West Texas State College band from Canyon. More than a score of other bands and orchestras will boost the entertainment with their presence.

From a large number of beautiful "Collets" from surrounding towns will be selected by a group of judges and the coronation will be held during the massed band concert.

There has been planned a variety of entertainment upon which it would be difficult to improve. There will be athletic events at the gymnasium. A state play "Abie's Irish Rose" will be presented at the school auditorium and it is expected to attract a capacity house. A sound stage has been erected on Main street and there will be an amateur program in progress throughout the day. This is but a few of the many attractions that is expected to draw at least 20,000 people into the city on March 17.

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BANQUET

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can Legion Can Mean to a Community in the Future," Mr. Randel's speech will follow an address by Charles Malsel of Pampa, 18th district commander, on "What the Legion Has Done in the Past."

National Radio Program

At 10:15 o'clock those attending the dinner will hear the NBC Blue Network National American Legion national broadcast. On the radio program will be Stephen F. Chadwick, national commander, Mrs. James A. Morrill, national auxiliary president, J. E. Brown, Gene Ault, Frank Hodek and his orchestra, Gale Page, Rosemary Lane, Paul Taylor and his chorus, Olsen and Johnson, stars of "Helizapoppin," Rubell and his choir, Phil Collins, executive vice-president of the American Legion Convention and corporation of Chicago, and Mary Pickford.

Concluding the dinner program will be a talk by I. J. Huval, commander of Kerley-Crossman post.

Funds for sponsoring the event are in charge of a committee consisting of Charles Malsel, I. J. Huval, Dan Kennedy, Paul D. Hill, Ed Tracey, Luke Wilson, and Ray F. Barnes, members of the Kerley-Crossman post.

Assisting this committee is a group from the local American Legion auxiliary headed by the auxiliary president, Mrs. Hupp Clark. Mrs. W. L. Hesekew and Mrs. Frank Hunt are in charge of decorations, and Mrs. L. A. Barber in charge of entertainment.

Largest Civic Organization

With 242 members, the Kerley-Crossman of the American Legion is the largest organization in Pampa today.

During 1938 activities of the post in the field of community service included: sponsoring old timers at the Lamar school building, holding Memorial Day service at First Christian church; going on record by resolution asking state to expand West Texas State college.

Stated sponsoring of a resolution asking the state of the 18th district seeking establishment of a youth camp at Lake McClellan; staged gigantic fireworks display at Fourth of July celebration.

Brought recognition to Pampa by being the largest of the 34 districts in the American Legion. A. D. Monteth, grand chef de train, and Paul D. Hill, grand amouner of the 40 and 8.

District Convention Held Here

Held an 18th district convention in Pampa last evening. It was the first time the visit of a national commander. In addition to the national commander, Daniel J. Doherty of Woburn, Mass., the convention also drew such notable as the state commanders of New Mexico, Texas, the state auxiliary president and state veterans service officers.

Participated in 12 good-will trips to neighboring towns.

Worked in Boy Scout, Red Cross and Salvation Army drives.

Had a communal picnic on Labor Day near Miami attended by 15,000 persons.

This event attracted persons from every northeastern Panhandle county, and from five states.

With Veterans of Foreign Wars, sponsored Armistice Day celebration.

Helped in Fiesta

Assisted the Pampa Junior Chamber of Commerce in the Top 'O' Texas Fiesta; sponsored annual toy matinee; underwrote expense of Pampa firemen in repairing toys for the community Christmas tree.

Sponsored the Goodfollows club, providing for 326 families at Christmas time.

Since January 1, 1939, gave 111 pairs of shoes to Pampa schools to be distributed to needy school children.

With co-operation and co-organization, the 40 and 8, immunized 600 children with diphtheria, scarlet fever, smallpox and typhoid fever serums.

Sponsored American Education Week; sponsored annual pay-your-poll-tax campaign.

GIRL SCOUTS

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of the troop award, and was to receive five dollars to use in its activities. That troop, composed of 33 girls, sold a total of 586 boxes of cookies.

The cookie sale was the first financial drive held in Pampa for the Girl Scout movement. The contest covered a period of one week, during which the girls were permitted to receive orders only from friends and relatives for the cookies. Only sales made through orders between the specified opening and closing dates were considered in judging the contest.

Business houses of all kinds co-operated in the drive by selling or serving the emblem cookies during the several days preceding the drive, aiding materially in both a financial way and in giving the drive publicity. Members of the Rotary, Lions, and Kiwanis clubs and the Junior Chamber of Commerce made arrangements with the business houses for that part of the drive.

Profit of \$328.

Mrs. Culbertson said the total amount of money received from downtown sales, unsolicited donations, and the orders given the girls would give the local Girl Scout organization a profit of \$380, all of which was to be spent in the maintenance and development of Girl Scoutings.

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ARMIES

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eastern section of old Czecho-Slovakia.

Fulfillment at least partially of the ancient German dream of expansion eastward came after Czecho-Slovakia's president, Emil Hacha, capitulated last night to Hitler's demands that the Czech army be broken up, Czech foreign affairs be surrendered to Nazi hands and Bohemia-Moravia become provinces with only cultural autonomy under German dominion.

France was informed by Germany that Bohemia-Moravia had been taken over with an implied warning that France must keep hands off the Central European crisis.

While Hungary's troops moved inland to the Carpatho-Ukraine region, Hitler sent an ultimatum to the government of that region demanding complete capitulation today.

Italy Not Jubilant

Hitler's axis partner, Premier Mussolini of Italy, met with his cabinet and was believed to have disapproved of German power in mid-Europe.

Reaction to Hitler's conquest was mixed in Rome and Warsaw. The official Italian news agency commented favorably but newspaper comment was noticeably less jubilant than over past German triumphs.

Poland was pleased that Hungarian occupation of the Carpatho-Ukraine would bring a common Polish-Hungarian frontier, but there was apprehension over increasing might of Nazi Germany.

PRAGUE, March 15 (AP)—German troops of occupation were hushed and cheered today as they moved into positions of control in the once proud capital of free Czecho-Slovakia.

Cheers of German wellcomers were interspersed with the hissing of Czech patriots and cries of "Pfu! pfu! go back home!" Some patriots sang the Czech national anthem. Two persons were reported struck by German military automobiles. There were no serious disorders, however.

Huge crowds were massed along the central streets of Prague as the troops, in four groups, moved in.

At times the "puffs" of their rifles were so loud they could be heard blocks away. The crowds grew more demonstrative as the troops increased in number.

Here and there the troops were encouraged by cries from German groups. The cheering was more spontaneous before the ancient Rathaus (city council building) a large German delegation had gathered, bearing a swastika banner of heroic size which the Nazis like to hang from their public buildings. But it was the only one in sight.

No flags of any sort decorated the houses or streets. Some street cars flew various flags but they were the Czech colors, such as would be flown on a national holiday.

It was the most lifeless and colorless reception that Reichsmarschal Hitler's troops had received since the fuhrer started his expansion program.

The contrast between today's reception and the flowers and kisses with which Nazi troops were welcomed in Berlin, occupied Sudetenland last October was most striking.

LONDON, March 15 (AP)—Foreign Secretary, Viscount Halifax declared today, Germany's march into Bohemia and Moravia was bound to administer a shock to confidence all the more regrettable since confidence was beginning to revive.

The foreign secretary in solemn tones told the House of Lords that: "The German government has now without... far... know... any communication with the other three signatories of the Munich agreement, sent their troops beyond the frontier which was there laid down."

Britain, France and Italy were the other signatories of the Munich accord.

Speaking to the House of Lords, the foreign secretary added that the British government could not "hold themselves any longer bound" by a promise at Munich to guarantee Czecho-Slovakia's frontier in view of Prague's recognition of Slovakia's independence.

He said Germany had been informed of the postponement of Hudson's visit, which had been resigned as the first stage of a new "peace through trade" drive and was to include Moscow, and virtually the whole of Northern Europe.

"It does not want to make any specific charges as to breach of faith," Halifax said, "but I can not admit that anything of the kind that has taken place was in the minds of his Majesty's government at the time of Munich or was in any way contemplated."

Panhandle To Be Host To Plains Masonic Society

Special To The NEWS

PANHANDLE, March 15.—The Panhandle Masons will be hosts to the Plains Masonic Society here today. A large crowd is expected as the association covers a large part of the Panhandle. The Eastern Star will serve lunch in the Eastern Star dining room.

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Mainly About People

Phonograph Items for this Column to the News Editorial Room, at 666.

Colleen Austin is ill at her home with an abscessed ear.

J. A. Clayton is a patient in Pampa-Jarratt hospital.

W. W. McDonald, Jr., is confined to his home by illness.

Milo Fager was dismissed from Pampa-Jarratt hospital today.

Mrs. Mahala Fultinger is visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. M. Mills, in Fort Worth.

Mrs. E. H. Shore of Dodge City, Kas. is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Henson.

Condition of Don Hurs, who suffered a heart attack nearly three weeks ago is improved. He is still in an Amarillo hospital.

Mrs. J. E. Jones was admitted to Pampa-Jarratt hospital yesterday afternoon.

Rev. James Daley, pastor of St. John's Catholic church, Berger, is convalescing in Pampa-Jarratt hospital.

Rev. Raymond started to Eaton, N. M., yesterday, but turned back at Dalhart because of dust.

J. K. Coates underwent a major operation last night at Worley hospital. His condition this afternoon was reported favorable.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Coons visited their son, Raymond, and his wife in Berger yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Coons moved to Berger last week-end.

Miss Chambers accompanied Mickey Durano, Argentine wrestler whose real name is Gustavo Barriere, to Berger last night where the Argentinean was on a wrestling card.

A baptismal service will be held tonight at Central Baptist church at the close of the regular program. All candidates are asked to be present.

High School P. T. A. meeting, scheduled for Friday night, is especially for the parents of sophomore and junior students. The program will start at 8 o'clock Friday night and will include a musical by the girls' glee club and a "question box" on school affairs.

Gasoline alone was the loot when two Pampa filling stations were visited Tuesday night by non-paying "customers." At the Skelly service station, located at the intersection of Highway 60 and the Amarillo highway proper, a pump was broken and seven gallons of gasoline taken. From the Cities Service station, located at the intersection of Hobart and Francis, thieves took 10 gallons of gasoline the same night. It was reported to Pampa police.

Symphony Concert To Be Tomorrow

AMARILLO, March 15—No one ever played Mozart like Esther Jonsson.

Murray Meeker, Amarillo's Symphony Orchestra conductor, yesterday was enthusiastically spreading the news that Thursday night's orchestra guest artist is one of the world's finest pianists.

"I had heard of Esther Jonsson, of course," he said, "but I thought some of the enthusiasm expressed locally sprang from the fact that she is an Amarillo artist. After hearing her rehearse with the orchestra, however, I don't wonder that Europe as well as America acclaim her as the greatest living Mozart interpreter. It is amazing the facility with which she plays the most difficult passages.

Within the last year Miss Jonsson has played to tens of thousands of music lovers in concerts as widely separated as Belgrade, Yugoslavia, and Omaha, Neb.

In Bucharest, Rumania, she played a Mozart concerto with a symphony orchestra, as she will do here Thursday night, and was given a rousing reception by the thousands who attended.

Scout News

TROOP 24

The troop met in the Central Baptist church Monday night with eight boys passing first class tests and four passing second class tests before the board of review. Glenn Sanford was a candidate.

The troop members will meet at the church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon and will go to Fort Elliott near Hobbs.

Paul Blackwood and Don Warren were named cub den chiefs.

Several members of the troop are ill.

PeeWee Hargis, scribe.

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WEATHER

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reporting stations from Burbank to Kansas City the nearest station on the west is Amarillo and the nearest on the east is Canadian.

While the Pampa station does not make weather forecasts it does record weather conditions including temperature, wind velocity, air conditions, rainfall, and other meteorological information at hourly intervals during the day and night.

On duty at the Pampa station in addition to Observer Moreland, will be John C. Litton, who arrived here yesterday from Waycross, Okla., and Earl Douglas and John E. Harrison, of Gainesville, who also arrived here yesterday with Mr. Moreland to take over the duties of the reporting station.

Weather messengers are received and sent over teletype machines which were installed at the local station by R. W. Beisel, of the Civil Aviation Authority at Fort Worth. His work completed today, Mr. Beisel left Pampa to return to Fort Worth.

A. R. Lowery, of the Kansas City weather bureau, has been in Pampa for the past week or ten days supervising the installation of reporting equipment.

Aged Berger Woman Dies This Morning

Special To The NEWS

BORGER, March 15.—Funeral services for Mrs. J. H. Gunnells, 65, who died at 7:45 o'clock this morning, will be conducted at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Methodist church in Berger, with Rev. J. E. McReynolds, pastor, and Rev. J. M. Hunt, pastor of the Berger Baptist church, officiating. Burial will occur in Liano cemetery in Amarillo.

Mrs. Gunnells had been a resident of Pampa since 1926, and was a member of the Congregational Methodist church. She is survived by her husband, who resides in Berger, three sons, Afton of Berger and Mark and Raphael of Pampa, and by two daughters, Mrs. R. E. Penland, Berger, and Mrs. Clayton Hough, Hobbs, N. M.

Negro Sought Here In Electra Theft

Police Chief Walter C. Suttie of Electra came to Pampa last night in search of a negro wanted in his city on a charge of theft.

The visiting chief gave officers a description of the man wanted and within an hour Night Officer Jeff Guthrie had found the man in the negro section.

The warrant brought to Pampa by Chief Suttie revealed that Derby Smith was wanted in Electra on theft charges. Chief Suttie and his prisoner left for Electra early this afternoon.

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Oil Picture Brightened By Price Raises

TULSA, Okla., March 15 (AP)—Seasonal improvement, headed by a slight upturn in the mid-continent gasoline price and reports of greater consumption of refined products, brightened today's picture of the Petroleum industry.

In the mid-continent, ordinarily considered a good barometer of the status of refined oils, an eighth of a cent increase was in effect on the minimum price of all grades of gasoline at the refinery.

Refiners said the slight upturn justified previous predictions of better business in gasoline.

A survey of one market said the gasoline market throughout was steadier in tone despite mounting stocks. This led to favorable predictions that the anticipated big summer demand would reduce the huge gasoline storage.

A great deal of the industry's attention was focused today on Austin, Texas, allowable hearing before the State Railroad Commission and a session of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Jerry Sadler, one member of the Railroad Commission, had said he favored lifting the two-day "week-shutdown" on oil wells in Texas, which furnishes more than a third of the entire nation's output of crude.

Company executives leaving here by train and plane for the two meetings declared they expected the whole matter of prorotation to be aired at Austin. Others anticipated some formal discussion on the question of federal control, lately a topic for argument throughout the whole oil business.

Crude oil men were a bit more chipper than usual. During the week a strengthening of the crude market was noted in the action of a number of companies which gradually increased their prices. These companies generally had been buying under the regular market level.

From active drilling areas came such reports as the opening of a new pool in the Bolivar peninsula, area in Galveston county and a new and producing distillate in the Goochy-Koonz area in Harris county, both in Texas.

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Schools And The People

There is a peculiarly close relationship between the schools and the people.

The education of children is a thing in which men and women feel a personal concern, even more than for general civic matters. The whole American tradition has been to keep school administration as close as possible to the people.

There is, therefore, cause for concern in a proposal made to Congress that the Washington school board be abolished. Said to have support from certain political science and city manager experts, this plan wants close scrutiny.

Control of schools by city managers, administrators, or other single heads may be superficially attractive. Often school boards are incompetent or involved politically.

But at least school boards directly elected by the people can be replaced on school issues alone. They are subject to the will of the electorate on that single issue. There is a directness of contact between them and the people that a republic should be slow to sacrifice.

Bingo! Another Illusion!

Monte Carlo! All of us movie fans know the picture that this magic name calls to mind.

Men in immaculate evening dress, women in sequins and sables, languidly watching the little ball chase itself around the roulette wheel, or sitting at the baccarat tables.

Big money, high stakes on the turn of a wheel or a card, games with a foreign tang to their names which sound so much more romantic than craps. And then the beautifully dressed but unlucky patrons going out behind the Casino to blow out their brains beneath the romantic Mediterranean moon. It made good stuff for the movie directors for years.

Now a new game draws the rapt attention of the international gamblers in the great Casino at Monte Carlo.

Its name, too, draws one with a strange fascination, "Loto Monegasque."

Ah, yes, another of those so-enthralling foreign games of chance.

Except that Loto Monegasque is Bingo.

The Nation's Press

THE GREATEST ENEMY OF CRUELTY
(L. A. Examiner (Cal.) By Benjamin DeCasseres)

What is the most thrilling sight in all history? To me, it is a man, standing all alone, making war against a tyrannical state, ecclesiastical oppression or public opinion that is pig-headed and bloodthirsty.

Such a man was Voltaire, who was born under Louis the Fourteenth and lived to see the beginnings of the French revolution and the promulgation of the Declaration of Independence in America.

And both these titanic events were partly his own work, for, whether in or out of the Bastille, whether a fugitive or the aged seer of Ferney, Voltaire was, during his whole life, striking blow after blow for the freedom of the individual.

There has just been issued by the Columbia University Press the best study of the ideas, the best exposition of the work and the best portrait of this man I have ever read: "The Spirit of Voltaire," by Professor Norman L. Torrey, of Columbia.

The whole of Voltaire is summed up in his letter to Cardinal De Bernis (a friend of Voltaire's) in which he said:

"As to my puny self, I make war to the last minute (Voltaire was 72). I receive a hundred thrusts and give back two hundred, and I laugh. I look upon the whole earth as a farce which sometimes becomes tragic."

That was Voltaire—and it is the Voltaire that Professor Torrey reveals to us in his fine book—a Voltaire that is witty, mocking, tragic, brave, crushing, benevolent and, above all, the greatest enemy of cruelty of any time.

BUSINESS SUMMARY
(Barron's Weekly)

Summarizing, the Business Survey Committee finds general business conditions unchanged in all sections of the country, commodity prices lower in the East and Middle West and unchanged in the West and Canada, inventories reduced in all sections, credit slower in the East and Middle West, employment on the same basis as a month ago in the East, West and Canada and increased in the Middle West and buying policy in all parts of the country for coverage of only current needs.

England On Upgrade

But reports from Britain lend support to the belief that a resumption of its recovery movement is on its way. For the first time in a good many months confidence is returning in the business outlook in England. New business is being placed, an encouraging trend in traffic is being shown, commodity prices are stabilizing, stock prices are rising, and iron and steel production has shown substantial gains. Stimulus is hoped to be gained from the government's drive to open up trade with Germany, Russia and other countries. Confidence in the preservation of peace and in the country's military strength is growing. And for the first time in months significant British capital appears to be seeking investment in home industries.

Sharing the Comforts Of Life ---

By R. C. Hoiles

FOLLIES OF LAWS TO PROTECT MEN FROM COMPETITION

As we hear so much nowadays about the evil effects of the competitive system and the necessity of the government protecting individuals from competition, it might be well to quote what Lewis D. Brandeis has to say on the eventual results that follow when people seek to protect themselves from competition.

"This asking for help from government for everything should be deprecated. It destroys the old and worthy sturdy principle of American life which existed in the beginning when men succeeded by their own efforts. This is what has led to the follies of the protective tariff and other laws to that end by which men seek to protect themselves from competition. Never before did I realize the rightfulness of the movement we stand for and to which all must flock if they will save themselves and save American civilization. What we need is peace, business peace. Let us have it and the people will work out their own salvation."

How long will we have to have ten million people out of work and how poor will we all have to get before we realize the truth of the above statement?

DEMAND "OF" OR "FOR"

The great difference between people is whether or not they demand much OF themselves or FOR themselves.

The reason we are in a depression is because of moral decay and the decay is because people have misinterpreted the philosophy of Christianity and demanded much of God or of others and little of themselves. The real test of a man is whether he demands much OF himself.

"GROWS FROM THE INSIDE OUTWARD"

Benjamin de Casseres asks a very pertinent question. He inquires, "Have you ever watched the bud turn into a flower or a leaf?"

"You'll notice that all that grows—a bud, a tree, a child, an animal—grows from the inside outward; that is, it unfolds.

"This necessity for expanding from the inside is a law of nature.

"Nothing can expand and grow naturally—that is forced to expand by outside pressure."

Undoubtedly, our real trouble is that the church, the government and the majority rule schools, are attempting to do precisely this—develop character, expand and grow from outside pressure.

This means exactly what is happening—the end, the death of the individual. And when the individual is thwarted, progress ceases.

SOME ASTOUNDING COMPARATIVE FIGURES

Boake Carter is authority for some very interesting figures as to the wisdom of using steam-plant equipment, or water power, to produce electricity. He says,

"In 1938, the public utilities of America installed \$130,000,000 worth of steam-plant equipment, while spending as little as \$20,000,000 in hydro-electric plants.

In 1937, the public utilities spent \$100,000,000 for steam-plant equipment, as against \$20,000,000 for hydro-electric plants.

In 1936, the utilities spent \$36,820,000 for steam equipment and \$9,030,000 for hydro-electric paraphernalia."

It is evident, from the above, that private public utilities believe that electricity can be generated much cheaper by steam-plant equipment than by hydro-electric equipment.

Most everyone, whose judgment is good enough to preserve any assets for investment, would take the above figures as being almost conclusive evidence that the private engineers were right and the government engineers were just playing politics in order to hold their jobs. It looks as if the citizens of the United States are going to be forced to pay more for electricity because of the political inefficiency of government wasting, than they would have to pay if they allowed the electricity to be produced by private enterprise under government regulation.

THE FALSE GOD OF MAJORITY RULE

There probably is nothing that has done people of the United States more harm than the belief, so commonly expressed by politicians, educators and thoughtless people that majority rule will develop character and prosperity.

The result of this, we are trying to, Educate by majority rule; Establish morals by majority rule; Teach religion by majority rule; and as a result of these beliefs, we are having majority rule wages, majority rule hours for work, majority rule values, majority rule profits, majority rule prices, majority rule credits and majority rule acreage of farm crops.

And none of these will work by majority rule, as the majority is nearly always wrong on controversial questions. All progress has come by some individual doing things better and different than the majority believed was the proper way. In fact, progress always has come in spite of the majority.

No, we cannot have a high moral plane and a high standard of living by majority rule, in spite of what the demagogues at the head of political offices, the public educators and the thoughtless emotionalists preach to us. The only thing we can have majority rule on, is the unimportant things—not the important things.

The belief in the divine right of majority rule is just as fatal to liberty, progress and high moral standards as the belief in the divine right of the kings.

Behind The News Of The Day

By BRUCE CATTON

WASHINGTON, March 14—One of the most important parts of the national defense program is going through Congress without attracting much attention. It is the move to spend \$100,000,000 over a four-year period, to build up stores of vital materials in which the United States is not self-sufficient.

In a nation which prides itself on having practically everything it needs within its borders, it may come as a surprise to learn that the entire national economy could be utterly disorganized if imports of certain commodities were suddenly cut off—as might easily happen in case of major war overseas.

Airplanes and warships might keep any foe from

Labor's Leaders Together—But Still Apart



Just a few hours after this picture of A. F. of L. and C. I. O. negotiators, shown with Secretary of Labor Perkins, was taken in Washington, the A. F. of L. had refused a C. I. O. proposal for unification in an "American Congress of Labor." Undaunted, however, the groups still sought to iron out differences in further meetings. Pictured left to right above, after a meeting, are: Philip Murray, C. I. O.; Sidney Hillman, C. I. O.; Matthew Woll, A. F. of L.; T. A. Rickett, A. F. of L.; Secretary Perkins; Harry C. Bates, A. F. of L.; and John L. Lewis, C. I. O.

Around Hollywood

By ROBBIN COONS.

HOLLYWOOD, March 15.—All over the lot: Standing near the time clock on the sound stage where "Stanley and Livingstone" is being filmed is a hirsute parking lot called a "mustache board."

It's just a large square of slick cardboard ruled off in 140 squares, each space identified with the name of a male extra. The sequence now in production deals with the British Geographical Society's treatment of Stanley's report that the lost Livingstone has been found in Africa. There are about 150 silk-hatted members of the organization, most of them wearing mustaches and quite a few goatees. As the set breaks for lunch, the players file past the board and each one plucks off his false foliage, held on by spirit gum, and deftly sticks it on his allotted square.

A luscious bunch of showgirls are parading up and down the backstage corridors of Paramount's "Man About Town" theater set. They're harem cuties and more revealingly clad than any show in town—just a couple of cloth-of-gold thingumbobs and some chain jewelry and gauze trousers. Also identical black wigs. This set is a very popular spot for visitors.

The gal who socked Jack Doyle—nobody remembers her name, only her disrespect of celebrities—is snuggled up beside Edward Arnold for some publicity stills.

Anold beams in his best Diamond Jim manner and warns the photographer: "Wait until I pull in my stomach. I want to look as if I had a chance, at least, with the babe."

Backstage in the supposed theater is a bulletin board which presumably is covered with Equity notices and call sheets. On closer inspection, though, they turn out to be: 1. A carbon of a letter to the Tam Film Company, San Francisco, dated 1917. 2. A list of the mortgage shots from some unnamed picture. 3. An unsigned, typed poem ungrammatically titled, "It's Been a Whole Year"—and very bad.

Choice item on the bulletin board, though, is a newspaper picture showing a Percheron, still in harness, struggling to rise from an icy pavement. "It's captioned in pencil, "Port O'Pal at the half." This is a rib on Rochester, Jack Benny's stooge. Rochester owns a bangtail, Port O'Pal, and for days

People You Know

By Archer Fullingim

Praise to Director A. C. Cox of the Junior High Reeper band for their gay and lifting version of Goldberg's on the Mall. . . . And speaking of bands, almost as much as it needs another gym, Pampa high school sorely needs a band room that IS a band room—one that has modern acoustics, for one thing. The band room in the ancient red building could be transformed into such a band room. Only members of the band know how necessary acoustics are in practicing. They practice and they practice in the band room amid a discordant jangle of endless and disconcerting echoes. Then when they get on the stage in an auditorium with acoustics they don't recognize what they hear. Of course it would be fine in an elevated band gallery were installed in the band room, but that is not nearly as necessary as the acoustics. You'd see a great improvement in the bands if the band room had acoustics—and an elevated gallery such as the Amarillo high school band has. There's one argument against installing acoustics in the band room this year and that is that the new high school will have such a band room, but probably mention the head and at least two years, and perhaps longer, away under the present plans, besides the acoustics such as Amarillo has in its band room can always be removed and installed in some other room—so can the band room. Modernization of the band room would not cost so much, comparatively speaking. We earnestly solicit the attention of the school board in this matter.

Yesteryear in The News

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

A permit was granted the Skelly Oil company to erect and operate a carbon black plant to be situated between Pampa and Kingsmill at a point satisfactory to all interested parties.

FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY

Nationwide recognition for Pampa came in the form of a second place award in the 1933 National Traffic Safety contest.

Chairmen of precinct hog-corn control committees met to draw an allotment committee and draw up necessary regulations for the plan.

So They Say

The wisest of us are stuffed with meier bits of clots and jumbles of ill-adjusted knowledge.

—H. G. WELLS, discussing the World of Tomorrow.

Cranium Crackers

Some of the following statements are true, some false. Which are which?

1. "Respicere finem" is a French term meaning "look at the end."

2. "The Little Giant" was a nickname for Ulysses S. Grant.

3. A sobriquet is a nickname.

4. Dartmoor Prison is in Devonshire, England.

TODAY—LENENT QUESTION

King Herod (Agrippa I) was struck dead because he offered a human sacrifice to God. Is the statement true or false?

(Answers on Classified Page)

Tex's Topics

By Tex DeWeese

IN YEARS TO come when the boys get around to whooping it up in the corner drugstore, five gets you fifty that somebody will bring up that day back in March, 1939, when Ivy Duncan told 'em off down at a monthly Chamber of Commerce luncheon in Pampa.

Which is a subtle way of saying that Mr. Duncan made a peach of a shoulder-to-shoulder talk at the C. of C. March luncheon in the Methodist church basement Tuesday afternoon. . . . He had a message for the joy-killers, facts and figures to prove they were wrong about Pampa, and a general all-around pep talk that makes you glad to live here.

COLD TURKEY was the manner in which he talked. . . . His part on the program was not scheduled, but he took it upon himself to get on the program, apologized for injecting himself into the meeting, and then provided what proved to be the most interesting angle of the day's doings.

Ivy Duncan is a man who lives, breathes, eats, and sleeps Pampa. . . . One gathers from his remarks yesterday that he wishes there were many more who would try the same thing as a remedy for "crying spells." . . . Mr. Duncan said that merchants here have within 35 or 40 miles radius approximately 43,000 in a family which Pampa ought to serve and serve well.

BUT he thinks Pampa should make ready to serve these people with their every need. We must not make it possible for a customer to walk out of our stores because we cannot sell what he wants. . . . We must all trade at home. . . . We must have faith in Pampa.

He gave figures on the retail trade in seven or eight other Texas cities of similar size, and the figures show that Pampa outdistances them all. . . . Lubbock, with twice the population he said, has only about \$2,500,000 more in annual retail sales. . . . The other cities even larger than Pampa showed a lower retail trade figure. . . . So, in the event you DID decide to leave Pampa, where would you go to better yourself? Mr. Duncan asked.

THE SPEAKER HAS glowing figures on the future possibilities of the oil industry in the Pampa field. . . . A temporary slowing up of business makes no dent in Mr. Duncan's optimism about Pampa being one of the finest places in Texas to invest your money. . . . Incidentally, he said when he walked into the meeting place he picked up off the rack in the cloakroom to see where they were bought. . . . Three of them bore out-of-town store trade-marks, which made him very unhappy.

Introduced at yesterday's C. of C. luncheon was Miss Lee Fender, a very attractive high school lass, who will represent Pampa at the city's Irish colleen in the Irish Rose queen competition at Shamrock Friday. . . . As Dr. C. H. Schulke, head of the C. of C. goodwill committee, puts it—the judges will have to be a bit blind not to pick such an eye-ful as Miss Fender.

How's Your Health?

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN.

If the average person were to consider which portions of the body are most frequently painful, he would probably mention the head and the abdomen since headache and vague pains in the abdomen are the conditions most frequently complained of by patients to their doctors.

The causes of headaches are numerous and frequently exceedingly difficult to determine. The causes of pains in the abdomen are also numerous but the diagnosis is sometimes not so difficult.

There are all sorts of descriptions of pain. Thus pains have been described as burning, colicky, gnawing, dull, persistent, and sharp.

Frequently the pains felt in the abdomen arise in some other portion of the body and are reflected to the abdomen. Pains that occur again and again are less likely to be due to disturbance in one of the organs of the abdomen than the sudden pain which grows steadily worse.

Thus every effort should be made to determine the cause. There are certain conditions in which the diagnosis of the cause of pain is of the utmost importance in saving life.

One of the most serious is a sudden perforation of an ulcer of the stomach or of the duodenum. This pain comes on so suddenly and so severely as to be unlike anything the sufferer ever felt before. Frequently the person will drop to the floor and be unable to walk. The slightest movement will add to the sharpness of the pain.

Obviously such a serious catastrophe should call for the immediate attention of a physician who will determine from the pulse, the general appearance, the previous record and the other symptoms the nature of the condition. If it is diagnosed correctly as a perforation of the bowel, an immediate operation will be necessary.

While the pain in appendicitis varies, it comes frequently as a pain in the region around the navel, dull and heavy, felt deep in the body and not on the surface. Later, of course, this pain may tend to be more localized. It is desirable to diagnose the condition as soon as possible. It is certainly not safe for the pain to be localized.

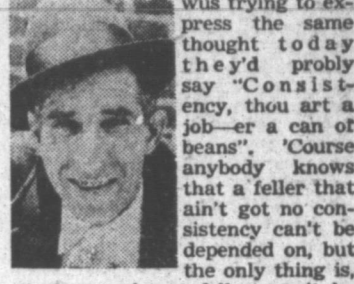
Another condition likely to cause a sudden severe pain in the abdomen is an obstruction in the bowel. This may arise from many causes but unless promptly cared for it may be a menace to life itself.

A pain which begins in the middle of the abdomen as a heavy and un-

My Pers'nal Opinion is . . .

By JUDD

When Whoeverit was said "Consistency, thou art a jewel" that time, he probably wasn't jest mixing up some pan-cake batter, but was more'n likely referring to a certain human quality, and that was jest his way of emphasizing the value of that quality as something to be desired; But if some folks,



was trying to express the same thought today they'd probably say "Consistency, thou art a jewel—er a can of beans." 'Course anybody knows that a fellow that ain't got no consistency can't be depended on, but the only thing is, all the consistent fellers can't be depended on either, on account of the main dependable fellers in the world is the ones that's consistently wrong all the time on account of their inconsistencies. For instance, the administration says that they're ready to stimulate confidence in business now, in fact they made a decree to that effect, and so all that business has got to do now is to go right ahead and start a boom, and the only thing they must watch out for in the excitement of the stimulating, is to not let their enthusiasm run away with 'em to the extent of interfering with any of the New Deal reforms. Well that jest shows up the consistency of their inconsistency, on account of business and reform is so interwoven with each other now, that the main business of business is reporting the reforms on the reporting forms, and you can't do nothing to one without affecting the other. And anyways, you jest can't stimulate something that ain't, and if you want to stimulate something where there ain't nothing you got to create it first, and that's why if they really want confidence back, the first thing to do is to re-create it, and that kin be done easy by some slight simple little gesture, like cremating the Wagner Act and terminating the N.L.R.B., and then a little later, but not very much later, if they wanted to stimulate it a little, the Secretary of Labor could be—well, anyways, that ain't no place fer Judd.

P. S.—And it wouldn't exactly cause a collapse of business, if we was to make vicious, radical Aliens one of our principal exports.—J.

Book A Day

They are nearly all gone now, the leading actors in the comic drama that swirled around Woodrow Wilson, 28th president of the United States. Most of the data on which his position in history will rest is now written.

No other record of the time, however, is quite like "My Memoir" (Bobbs-Merrill; \$3.50), now presented by Edith Bolling Wilson, the President's wife during the climactic period of his career.

As the title suggests, this is no critical study of policies or even persons involved in the war, but Wilson's personal memoir of the part she played and the things she saw as the Peace of Versailles was framed and Wilson came home to make his last fight, and to die.

Her own background, her White House courtship and an intimate look at the social side of the Peace conference, the tragic fight for the Treaty and the League, her husband's breakdown, the estrangement of House, Lansing, Tamm, the invalid days, the return to private life, the faith that did not waver while Wilson lived, are all told, and the mind which was perhaps closest to that of Wilson, especially in his tragic closing months, reveals itself.

Critical scholars may find that comparatively little new light is shed on the politics and great affairs of the stirring period, but without these intimate recollections, the story of the period would never have been quite complete.

Even when some of the details of who wore what appear a little trivial, nevertheless Mrs. Wilson has done well in contributing to full understanding of the events. And the picture of the Titanic Wilson turning like a tired boy to his wife for understanding and help is never to be forgotten.

Mrs. Wilson has done well to discharge her obligation to the history of which she was a part.—W. T.

ALASKAN PROSPECTORS GET COLD FEET

BATAVIA, N. Y. (AP)—Once they braved 40-degree below zero weather in quest of the Klondike's yellow muck.

But the same group of ex-prospector, meeting recently in reunion to talk over those old times in 1898, decided to change the date of their annual meeting from the last Saturday in February to the last Saturday in March.

The reason: February in New York state is too cold!

comfortable feeling and which may then increase until it becomes intolerable is sometimes due to what is called gallstone colic. Here again the doctor can diagnose on the history of the patient, the symptoms and many other factors. If the stone is small enough to pass from the gallbladder into the intestine, the attack will last from two to eight hours. Then the pain ceases as quickly as it came, leaving only a persistent, slight tenderness. If, however, the stones do not pass, the pain may increase and require immediate attention.

Equally serious is the passing of a stone from the kidney into the bladder and the blocking of the movement at any point. The pain associated with the passing of a kidney stone may be so severe as to bring about collapse of the patient unless it is suitably cared for.

J. P. Mathews Stars In Scrimmage At Houston

J. P. Mathews, slashing freshman guard from Pampa, stole the spotlight at Rice field Saturday afternoon as the Blues and Whites battled to a scoreless tie under regular game conditions for an open house crowd of 5,000 fans, was the opening comment in a story by Bruce Layer, sports editor of the Houston Post, in Sunday's edition. The paper was sent to W. R. Potts yesterday by a friend living in Houston.

The story also revealed that Bill Haner, another former Hanover guard, is being tried in the Owl backfield where he is calling signals and doing the blocking. Haner was one of the outstanding blockers on the Rice line last year which caused Coach Jimmy Kitts to give him a chance in the backfield.

J. R. Green saw service during the game but neither Moose Hartman or Stokes Green were listed.

The Houston story read (in part): Late in the ball game the White drove through to the Blue seven-yard stripe. Mathews was on the bench. Coach Jimmy Kitts called on the first year man to take over a right guard slot. On the first play, a reverse with Bob Brunley carrying the ball, Mathews knifed thru and smared the youth for a loss of six yards. On the next play Pat McCarahan, who showed well at end, smared Ole Cordill for a seven-yard loss and that ended the lone scoring threat of the afternoon.

Close on the heels of Mathews for defensive honors was Ken Whitlow, center for the Whites, and Arthur Colforth, white guard. Colforth and Mathews are graduates of Coach Bill Wallace's fine freshman team of 1938.

Other players looking good on defense were: McCarahan and Bob Brindon, ends; Bob Smith, Albert Klosters and J. H. Sullivan, tackles; Levy Bassett, guard; Hal Husbands, blue center, and Bill Haner, last year guard and is now a blocking back.

Haner had trouble holding passes. He had a chance to intercept three or four and he slipped through his fingers. He finally fumbled one and when in the open field stumbled and crashed to the grid.

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West Texas Teachers Lose 41 To 38 In Cage Tourney



BITS ABOUT BOWLING

Voss Cleaners won two out of three games from Diamond Shop in Class A competition last night with Schneider hotel and Cargray dividing the first two games and rolling a tie in the third with 890 pins each.

Curley Robbins of Cargray set a new high game for the boys to shoot at when he toppled 283 pins in the last game, after rolling 218 pins in the second game. High series went to Morton of the Hotel-men with 565 pins who beat Murphy of the same team by one pin.

The Class B schedule for tonight follows: Weir Barbers vs. Kiwanis and Faulkner's vs. American Legion, at 7:30 o'clock.

Schneider Hotel	
Weeks	199 166 170 536
Maynard	192 152 182 526
Wehrung	173 112 153 438
Murphy	166 172 226 564
Morton	181 216 168 565
Totals	911 818 899 2628

Cargray	
Heskew	185 182 188 555
Free	145 154 187 486
Robbins	218 253 471
Lowry	184
Prince	187 169 164 520
Totals	865 885 899 2639

Diamond Shop	
Fenberg	189 202 132 523
Huff	184 167 170 521
Behrman	160 159 122 441
Fischer	163 159 182 504
Dummy	135 135 135 405
Totals	831 822 741 2394

Voss Cleaners	
Dummy	135 135 135 405
Lawson	185 161 151 497
McCarthy	134 198 143 475
Cullum	127 168 190 485
Sprinkle	183 214 127 524
Totals	764 876 746 2386

Phillips Will Play Clever Texas Quint

By LOUDEN KELLY.
DENVER, March 15 (AP)—Shuffled into the discard of defeat were the teams that came out just for the trip as 16 colorful basketball brigades wheeled their artillery out today for the third round of firing in the National A. U. championship.

Nine states—Virginia to California, Texas to Washington—have teams left in the running.

Four games this afternoon and four tonight will slash the field to eight for tomorrow night's quarter-finals.

When three days of basketball bombardment ended at midnight today, 36 teams had been blasted into defeat and the sectional standings stood: Rocky Mountain five teams, Pacific Coast four, Midwest three, Southwest three and east one.

All eight of the seeded teams managed to reach the third round, including the big three on the favorites' list—the Denver Nuggets, Bartlesville, Okla., Phillips, and Oklahoma City Parks.

The Nuggets, pride and joy of the hometown of the Missouri Valley A. U. league champion this year, will be led by the league's best scorer, Center Bob Gruening, against the LaSalle, Colo., Oilers tonight.

The Parks must tackle the formidable Oakland, Calif., Golden States and the Phillips will meet the clever Sam Houston Teachers from Texas.

Three seeded teams brushed defeat in yesterday's 13-game second round program—the Seattle Alpines, the Chicago Harmons, and the San Francisco Olympic club all picking opponents who put up terrific arguments.

The other two in the seeded bracket are the Kansas City Union Wire and the Hollywood Metros, neither of which has been hard-pressed yet.

'Misfits' Do Well In K. C. Cage Tourney

KANSAS CITY, March 15 (AP)—Dr. James A. Naismith tucked up a pair of peach baskets in Massachusetts some 40 years ago and invented basketball, a sport "for the physical misfits."

The 1939 edition of the national intercollegiate tournament here is proving the doctor was right.

On the Murray (Ky.) State Teachers five is James Hurley, a guard so color blind the varied hues of opponents' uniforms mean nothing to him. He doesn't dare pass until he sees the receiver's face for fear of handing the ball to a foe.

Hurley's captain is Gene Bland, twice all-southern intercollegiate A. guard despite loss of three fingers on his right hand. The handicap makes it extremely difficult for him to shoot but he's a teach-like defensive player and the "feeder" to his bombarding mates.

In Murray's first round game against Jordan, college of Menominee, Mich., Bland aimed at the hoop only three times, and connected each time. His final goal midway in the second half put the "Thoroughbreds" ahead for the first time and they went on to win.

Then there is Howard McCarthy, a center on the Wayne University aggregation from Detroit. McCarthy claims to be the only cager to play without a guard for his specialties.

Bob Versteiner was born with a deformed left arm. Nevertheless he is one of the smoothest passers on the Loras college team of Dubuque, Iowa.

And just to prove basketball isn't all brawn, take the Westminster college team of Fulton, Mo. The grade average of the six regulars is 91 per cent with Sid Payne, an all-conference center, topping the erudite with a 96.2 average.

Peterson Demands New Referee For Hill Match

Promoter Cliff Chambers is fast becoming a top magician. Last Monday night he put his hand in the hat and pulled out one of the best wrestling cards in history. On next Monday night the little promoter is going to try his hand at tricks again and from advance information he had picked out another natural.

For a main event Chambers has managed to sign Ernie Peterson, California's favorite son who subdued Wildcat Billy McEwin Monday night, and Frankie Hill, the Kansas Cyclone who beat Peterson in a wild and highly disputed match in Amarillo last week with John Nemanic, the referee.

"I'll take Hill any place and anywhere but you gotta get a different referee," Peterson told Promoter Chambers, who agreed. As a result, Nemanic will appear as a wrestler while a new referee will be in the ring. Chambers is trying to secure Dutch Mantel again.

The Hill-Peterson match in Amarillo was a wild affair. Hill won the first fall but was in a bad way in the second fall. Peterson threw Hill from the ring and went to the floor after him. Referee Nemanic counted the usual 20 when wrestlers are on the floor but neither appeared back in the ring. Nemanic then gave Hill the fall. That is why Peterson wants Hill next Monday night with a different referee.

The semi-final will be another main event in caliber with Mickey Durano, the Argentine who made such a hit Monday night, meeting Alan Plummer, the wild man from Beaumont. Durano is one of the most finished wrestlers ever to appear on the local mat but with it he is rough and tough.

Another newcomer will be introduced in the preliminary in Willard Walker of Houston who meets John Nemanic at 8 o'clock sharp.

Major League Camp Briefs

(By The Associated Press)
LAKELAND, Fla.—Manager Del Baker has been receiving compliments from all observers on the way he's getting the Detroit Tigers into condition, but some of those from his players are a trifle left-handed. After one of the long, hard workouts, Boots Poffenberger remarked, "I'm glad they don't have arc lights in this park." And Vern Kennedy added, "It seems kind of monotonous after the first ten hours."

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—Don Padgett, the outfielder of the St. Louis Cardinals is trying to convert into a catcher, probably will be on the sidelines about 10 days as a result of one of his early efforts behind the plate, he dislocated a shoulder yesterday as the Cards were taking a 10-2 thumping from Cincinnati.

LAKE CHARLES, La.—A sudden resurgence of batting power has struck the Philadelphia Athletics, who couldn't bat at all in recent exhibitions. It came to light in yesterday's camp game with Bob Johnson, Dick Siebert, Wally Moses, and Lou Finney leading the way.

NEW BRAUNFELS, Texas—Manager Fred Haney of the St. Louis Browns will have a chance this week to find out what Second Baseman Johnny Berardino and Shortstop Sig Gryska can do. Since Red Kress and Don Heffner still are holdouts, these Texas league recruits will see action against the Phillies today and Friday.

NEW ORLEANS—The Cleveland Indians' second base problem has been solved, at least for one day. Given his first chance at the key-stone, rookie Jim Shilling accepted ten chances faultlessly against New Orleans, started one double play and pivoted on two others.

BATON ROUGE, La.—The newcomers to the New York Giants

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Red Sox' Loss Of Higgins And Chapman Argued

By GAYLE TALBOT.
SARASOTA, Fla., March 15 (AP)—As a charter member of the group that thought Manager Joe Cronin of the Boston Red Sox took an outrageous gamble in turning loose Frank Higgins and Ben Chapman during the winter, I'm now about to revert to the extent of advising my fellow members to wait and see.

Maybe Cronin, who is preparing to start his fifth season as shortstop-manager of the glazed hose, knew exactly what he was doing. But said he's got to show me he can send Higgins, a fine-fielding, 303-hitting third baseman to Detroit, and Chapman, a 340-clubbing outfielder to Cleveland and still have as good an entry in the American league race.

There is, of course, the probability that he's looking to the future rather than to the 1939 flag race. Perhaps he feels that the Yankees are a cinch for another season or two, anyway, so why not start cutting across, to say, 1941 on the chance of nailing them there?

The Sox gave their wealthy young owner, Tom Yawkey, a pleasant surprise by finishing second last year. They won 88 games, only one less than Chicago needed to capture the National league pennant. But the Sox were a hopeless nine and one-half game behind the Yanks.

They had thunderous power at the plate: Jimmy Foxx 349; Cronin 325; Chapman 340; Joe Vasmik 324; Roger Cramer 301, and Higgins 303. But they didn't have enough good starting pitchers, so Cronin decided to give up some of their power to get the pitching he needed, and to gamble that he had replacements for Higgins and Chapman.

The pitchers he got were veterans Elden Auker and Jake Wade from Detroit, and Denny Galehouse from Cleveland. The boys he hopes will make him forget the two stars he lost are Ted Williams, one of the most talked-of rookies of the year, who hit an impressive 366 for Minneapolis in 1938, and Jim Tabor, a promising young third sacker also from Minneapolis, who hit .316 in 19 games with the Sox at the close of the season.

Bermuda Tourney Looks Fairly Good

HAMILTON, Bermuda, March 15 (AP)—After three days of competition, the annual Bermuda championships look just about like any fairly good tournament in the United States. The top-flight visiting stars, with one or two exceptions, occupy all the quarter final brackets.

A couple of prominent players from the United States were eliminated in yesterday's third round when the veteran Gil Hall of Orange, N. J., lost to G. Godsell, and Millicent Hirsch, young New York star, was beaten by Marta Barnett, but that didn't help the Bermuda representatives any, for William Priesenburgh, the island's No. 1 player lost to the defending champion, Wayne Sabin of Portland, Ore.

Stagehand To Race No More This Year

MIAMI Fla., March 15 (AP)—Stagehand will race no more this year.

The gallant 3-year-old has a bowed tendon in his foreleg and will be turned out to pasture at the Greenville, S. C., farm of Col. Maxwell Howard, his owner.

An accidental kick at the start of the \$50,000-added-Widener Handicap on Hialeah's Park's closing day was given as the cause.

Stagehand, the favorite, came in third in the race.

Last year he won the Santa Anita Handicap and the derby.

Louis Gets Down To Light Exercises

VICTORVILLE, Calif., March 15 (AP)—Joe Louis, training here for defense of his heavyweight boxing title against Jack Roper in Los Angeles next month, decided today it was time to get down to the business of road work and light exercises.

Sooners Dump Aggies 30-21

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 15 (AP)—Oklahoma's Sooner cagers convinced 4,500 fans who watched them dump the Oklahoma Aggies, 30 to 21, last night that they are the class of the midlands and turned today toward California and the second hurdle in their drive toward the National Collegiate A. A.'s basketball championship.

The Sooners, whose "kid" coach, Bruce Drake, is winding up his first year in the business, shelved their usual lightning-fast offense and resorted to a slow, set style to beat the Aggie at their own game and win the fifth district title.

The next step in the title drive is a four-way western playoff in San Francisco Monday and Tuesday with Texas University's Southwest conference champions, Utah State of the Rocky Mountain conference, and the winner of the Pacific Coast's playoff between Oregon and California this week-end.

Exhibition Games

(By The Associated Press)
At Tampa, Fla.—Cincinnati (N) vs. New York (A).
At St. Petersburg, Fla.—St. Louis (N) vs. Boston (N).
At New Braunfels, Texas—Philadelphia (N) vs. St. Louis (A).
Yesterday's results:
At Tampa—Cincinnati (N) 9; St. Louis (N) 2.
At Clearwater, Fla.—Brooklyn (N) 6; Boston (A) 3.
At New Orleans—Cleveland (A) 6; New Orleans (SA) 1.

PILING THEM UP.
BOSTON, March 14.—When Roy Conacher scored four times against the Chicago Blackhawks recently it was the first time a Boston Bruins hockey player had turned the trick since 1930, when Conney Weiland ran wild against Pittsburgh.

FAST FOR FUGITIVES
LEEDS, England (AP)—Sixty girl students here ate dry bread for a week and sent the sum saved on butter to help Spanish refugees.

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BABY CHICKS, blood tested, pure bred, all popular breeds for sale. Harvester Feed Co. 800 W. Brown.

39—Livestock—Feed
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The four, picked for color and skill and lined up to make the invitation event national in scope, are Long Island University and St. John's of Brooklyn, representing the metropolitan district with two of the east's strongest squads, Roanoke College of Salem, Va., and New Mexico Tonight.

Red Army Ready Says Commissar
MOSCOW, March 15 (AP)—War Commissar Klementi E. Voroshiloff told the 18th communist party congress in a speech published today that a vastly augmented Red army and Red air force was ready swiftly to punish any aggression against Soviet Russian territory.

Mrs. FDR Answers Queries At Houston
HOUSTON, March 15 (AP)—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt told inquirers here last night the question of whether her husband would seek a third term as president should be directed to him.

New York Golden Gloves Champions Going To Chicago
NEW YORK, March 15 (AP)—The butcher, the baker, and the candlestick maker weren't represented on the Daily News Golden Gloves list of eight champions today, but seven other trades, all the way from aviator to barber were.

Delegations Attend Fort Worth Show
FORT WORTH, March 15 (AP)—Five delegations are here for their special day at the Southwestern Exposition and Stock Show.

Income Tax Levy Favored By House Bloc
AUSTIN, March 15 (AP)—The sales tax plan for financing old age pensions was knocked to its knees today by a stout house bloc holding out for an income tax levy.

Market Briefs

Income Tax Levy Favored By House Bloc

The senate security markets had shown in face of the latest Nazi drive to East appeared to have been used by comment of British ministers in Parliament, calling the German march into Bohemia a shock incident, an announcement of a British trade mission to Berlin. Many brokers, however, thought that had been due for a set-back after the rise the last two weeks.

Leading shares rallied a bit as the selling lifted in the afternoon but losses generally were the largest since the up-turture began in February.

Heading the retreat were such trading favorites as U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, General Motors, Chrysler, Du Pont, Kennecott, U. S. Rubber, Montgomery Ward, American Telephone and International Nickel. Alcoa resisted better than most groups and some retained part of their early gains.

In the curb, losses of a point or two were recorded at one time in aluminum, but major commodities did not exhibit much war fear, brokers noted.

Sales in 1000 High Low Close		
Am Can	34	9 1/2
Am P&T	34	6 3/4
Am Tel	11	18 1/2
Am Wire	32	18 1/2
Anacosta	127	28 3/4
Atch T&S	45	37 3/4
Barnhart	27	15 1/2
Berkley	56	25 1/2
Beth Steel	151	79 1/2
Chrysler	232	89 1/2
Col & South	70	6 5/8
Colum G & B	66	9 1/2
Consolidated	119	17 1/2
Consolidated	48	8 3/4
Consolidated	29	29 1/2
Curtis Wright	48	6 1/4
Domestic	27	18 1/2
Domestic	21	15 1/2
El Alito	86	37 3/4
Elmer	22	10 1/2
Gen Elec	143	40 1/2
Gen Foods	9	4 1/4
General Motors	229	102 3/4
Goodrich	41	21 1/2
Goodrich	66	34 1/2
Grain	11	7 1/2
Harvard	33	60 1/2
Int Tel & Tel	45	3 1/2
Kennecott	19	3 1/2
Mid Cont	11	16 1/2
Montgomery	52	5 1/2
Nat Biscuit	27	27 1/2
Nat Pow & Lt	30	8 1/2
Ohio Oil	22	8 1/4
Pac Gas & Elec	9	33 1/2
Packard	103	4 1/2
Peabody	37	18 1/2
Petrol Corp	2	9 1/2
Phillips Pet	21	40 1/2
Pittsburgh	2	2 1/2
Pure Oil	13	37 1/2
Reinforced	47	16 1/2
Repub Steel	136	21 1/2
Seaboard	3	20 1/2
Shell	10	18 1/2
Shimco	16	13 1/2
Standard	103	7 1/2
Stand Oil Cal	23	29 1/2
Stand Oil Tex	29	27 1/2
Standard	33	48 1/2
Studebaker Corp	43	8 3/8
Tex Corp	47	42 1/2
Tex Gulf Prod	12	5 1/2
Tex Gulf Prod	16	31 1/2
Tex Pac Gas	12	14 1/2
Union Carbide	17	86 1/2
Union Carbide	19	18 1/2
United Carbon	5	6 1/2
United Carbon	8	13 1/2
U. S. Rubber	120	49 3/4
U. S. Steel	257	63 1/2
Union Tel	16	21 1/2
White M	6	11 1/2
Woolworth	28	49 1/2

GRAY COUNTY RECORDS

Compiled by Pampa Credit Association.

Deed: Sue Cramer to J. J. Orr, lot 19, J. D. White subdivision of W. P. Wiggan, 2, 1/2 acre, 1/4 section 89, NW 1/4, section 89, T. 12N., R. 3E., S. 1E., block 7, East End Addition.

Trustee's Deed: J. F. Jones to F. B. Brown, 1/2 acre, 1/4 section 89, NW 1/4, section 89, T. 12N., R. 3E., S. 1E., block 7, East End Addition.

Mechanics Lien: M. E. Tucker et al to R. C. Storey, lot 1, subdivision N. p. plot 2, 1/2 acre, 1/4 section 89, NW 1/4, section 89, T. 12N., R. 3E., S. 1E., block 7, East End Addition.

Release Mechanics Lien: A. A. Stewart to J. D. White, lot 19, J. D. White subdivision of W. P. Wiggan, 2, 1/2 acre, 1/4 section 89, NW 1/4, section 89, T. 12N., R. 3E., S. 1E., block 7, East End Addition.

Partial Release: Lynn Boyd to J. D. White, et al, lot 19, J. D. White subdivision of W. P. Wiggan, 2, 1/2 acre, 1/4 section 89, NW 1/4, section 89, T. 12N., R. 3E., S. 1E., block 7, East End Addition.

Agreement: Albert B. Lockhart et al to Federal Land Bank of Houston.

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Resolution: R. A. Brown, Sec'y to Ex Parte, 845' lots 11 and 12, block 7, East End Addition except NW 1/4.

UOJ RENT: J. F. Jones to Ex Parte, 40' lots 11 and 12, block 7, East End Addition except NW 1/4.

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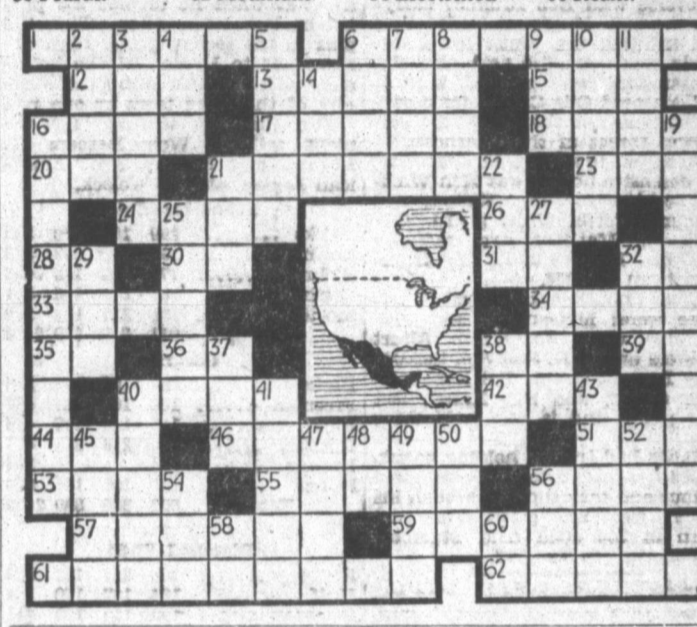
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MAP PUZZLE

HORIZONTAL Answer to Previous Puzzle

- 1 Pictured is the map of —
- 6 Its president.
- 13 Maes.
- 13 Climbing plant.
- 15 Name.
- 16 Artificial skating pond.
- 17 One that does.
- 18 To halt.
- 20 Silkworm.
- 21 Renovated.
- 23 To piece out.
- 24 Maple shrub.
- 26 Opposed to even.
- 28 Above.
- 30 You and me.
- 31 New England.
- 32 Measure of area.
- 33 Ill-bred person.
- 34 Too.
- 35 Musical note.
- 38 Pair.
- 39 Plural.
- 40 Crucifix.
- 42 Onager.
- 44 Teat.
- 46 Storage house for weapons.
- 51 Greek letter.
- 53 Hardens.
- 55 Caustic.
- 56 Anything that heals.
- 57 Malaria.
- 59 A crown.
- 61 The river that forms its eastern boundary.
- 62 Mountain.
- range in this land, Sierra
- 2 Arabian commander.
- 3 Botany term.
- 4 Writing fluid.
- 5 More ancient.
- 6 Box.
- 7 Afresh.
- 8 Uncommon.
- 9 Being.
- 10 Famous.
- 11 Killing disease.
- 14 Electrified.
- 16 It is a — (pl.).
- 19 An important industry in this land.
- 21 Thing.
- 22 Spanish gentleman.
- 25 Object of art.
- 27 Darlings.
- 29 Blue grass.
- 32 Venomous snake.
- 37 Ratite bird.
- 38 Constant companion.
- 40 Proportion.
- 41 Play.
- 43 To rest upon one's feet.
- 45 Half (prefix).
- 47 To scrutinize.
- 48 Noun ending.
- 49 Fastidious.
- 50 Bustle.
- 52 Pertaining to wings.
- 54 To sink.
- 56 Feather scarf.
- 58 Senior.
- 60 Beam.



Swing And Turns Club Keeps Folk Dances Alive At T. U.

AUSTIN, March 14—Swing yo partners, one and all!
And "swing" they do about 50 University of Texas students members of a recently organized folk-dancing club.

Huge Fire Causes Rain In Everglades

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., March 15 (AP)—A fire so huge it generated rain slowly ate into nearly 15,000 acres of muck soil in the everglades west of here today.

The smoke pall over the blazing area obscured the sun and delayed air traffic between Miami and the north. Acres of sawgrass, baked by the heat, caused the flames to spread rapidly.

From the smoke a slow drizzle of muddy rain fell, caused by the heat of the fire.

OKLAHOMA CITY LIVESTOCK
OKLAHOMA CITY, March 15 (AP)—(U.S.A.)—Cattle salable 9:07 a. m.; plain and medium heifers 6:08-8:00; most beef cows 6:50-7:00; bulls 6:45-7:15; veal mostly 9:50 down.

CHICAGO PRODUCE
CHICAGO, March 15 (AP)—Butter 68-83, steady, prices unchanged. Eggs 18-24, steady, prices unchanged. Pottery live 2; Plymouth Rock broilers 19; other prices unchanged.

CHICAGO GRAIN
CHICAGO, March 15 (AP)—After advancing a full cent, due partly to belated recognition of the scope of national changes going on in Central Europe, wheat prices today lost about half of their gains.

GRAIN TABLE
CHICAGO, March 15 (AP)
Wheat—High Low Close
No. 1 68 67 1/2 67 3/4
No. 2 68 67 3/4 67 1/2
No. 3 68 67 3/4 67 1/2
Sep. 68 67 1/2 67 1/2

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38 Ford Coach
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34 Ford Coupe
Good motor and appearance..... \$175

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SERIAL STORY

'MRS. DOC' BY TOM HORNER

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The characters and situations in this story are wholly fictional.

Yesterday, Eric Kane pulls through and a night or so after Alan had found him, Kane visits Alan to thank him for saving his life.

CHAPTER VI

"So you're Eric Kane!" Alan shook Kane's extended hand warmly, drew him through the doorway and stood, silently surveying his unexpected visitor.

Kane was tall, taller than Alan, and heavier too. Long days in the outdoors had bronzed his skin, sunburned his blond hair and eyebrows. Although his narrow escape and his stay in the hospital had left him pale, Alan could sense the strength of the man. Instinctively he liked Kane, the man's friendly smile, the little wrinkles around his eyes. Here was a man who battled nature in the raw, who fashioned vast monuments of steel and stone.

"I came to thank you for saving my life." "I almost went into that same ditch myself. That's how I happened to notice your tracks. Forget it, take off your coat and join me, here beside the fire."

"Thanks," Kane dropped his overcoat on a chair, followed Alan into the living room.

"Mrs. Warren just drove down to the postoffice, she'll be back in a minute. Make yourself at home. How did you get out of the hospital so quickly, Kane?" Alan asked at length.

"I guess I was too much trouble for them. Dr. Farrell said there was no reason why I couldn't be moved to a hotel. I'm really not sick, you know."

"Well, it looks like it'll take more than a blizzard to take you out. You're one of those fellows who gets well in spite of it, rather than because of us medics. Farrell said you are an engineer."

"I'm with the government project up the river, building the dam and trying to keep the river within its banks."

"You've got a job. This river has been flooding all the lowlands every spring as long as I can remember."

"I know it, Dr. Warren. That's why we've got to whip it. After this dam is completed, and the river banks built up, every farmer in the lowlands can be sure of his crops; he won't have to lie awake nights worrying about his house being washed downstream every

spring. Why, this dam will... Pipes went out and the fire died down as Kane talked. Both men were so engrossed that neither heard Emily enter the front door. It was only when she spoke that they realized she was in the room.

"Emily, this is Eric Kane, the fellow I told you about; pulled him out of the snow, the other night. He insists that I saved his life, but with his constitution, it'll take more than just an ordinary blizzard to kill him."

"Your husband refuses to let me thank him, Mrs. Warren. Perhaps you can convince him that I am grateful."

Emily did not answer immediately. Instead she stared at Kane, unable to analyze her feeling that somewhere, somehow she had seen him before. His eyes, his voice were strangely familiar.

"Alan told me, Mr. Kane," she said. "I'm glad to see you've made such a quick recovery. But you two were deep in a discussion—don't let me interrupt it."

"I was just talking about the dam we're building up the river," Kane replied. "I can talk about it for hours, when I get started."

"I'm sure I'd enjoy hearing about it," Emily laughed. "You know all a doctor's wife hears about are patients and babies and aches and pains. I'll be different."

"I certainly won't talk now," Eric countered, but he did, for almost an hour. And from that conversation turned to Kane himself and Emily and Alan learned he was a Cleveland graduate of Massachusetts Tech. Starved for companionship, Kane talked with the enthusiasm of a youth. He had come west, he said, to fulfill his dream of harnessing the river. Others had tried, only to fail. Now, under federal sponsorship, the age-old dream was nearing realization.

"I remember my first glimpse of the river at St. Louis—" "St. Louis?" Emily echoed.

"Yes," Eric went on. "I spent six months there studying all the old charts and records of floods and the river's annual rise and fall. That was the only time I ever was able to combine business and pleasure. Daytimes I'd copy records and every night Walt and Rosalind and I—"

"Not Walt and Rosalind Gleason—" "Yes, of course. I've known Walt Gleason since we were in school together."

"Walt and Rosalind are our best friends in St. Louis, Kane," Alan explained—Emily was probing deep into memories, trying to remember—"If you know them, I don't see how we've missed meeting you before."

"I haven't been back to St. Louis since that first visit, six years ago," Eric smiled at the thought. "I should have gone, though. I left some unfinished business there."

"This is grand! It's just like a Christmas surprise," Emily's happiness shone in her eyes. "And if you know Walt, certainly you know John and Katherine Fitz, and Myron Sharp."

"Kane, if you'd brought Emily the mint you couldn't have made her any happier," Alan told him. "She's been actually praying for someone to talk about home folks to. People from here go up there to shop, but they don't get around much. Say, I've got to drop into the hospital, so I'll leave you two to chat about the old town. I'll tell Herminia to fix coffee and sandwiches. Be sure you save me some." And he was gone.

"Eric—I hope you'll let me call you that—" Emily said sometime later, "this has been a happy surprise, discovering you know practically all my old crowd. I feel that you, too, are an old friend."

"So do I. And Emily—pardon me, Mrs. Warren—" "Emily is all right."

"Emily, then. Perhaps you can help me. There was a girl, a remarkably pretty girl. We met at a Velled Prophet ball. She was a princess or duchess or something. I won't ever forget her. I was standing in a doorway watching the dancers when she came running up to me."

"Dance with me, quickly," she said. "There's a fellow following me, insisting that I dance with him. He's drunk, and I can't stand him. I saw you dancing with Rosalind, so I'm sure you're all right."

"Tell me your name; I begged her. But she wanted to make it a game. 'I'm the Fairy Princess,' she said gaily. 'And you are my knight. You have rescued me from the dragon. You shall be rewarded, Sir Knight.' And she tied her chiffon handkerchief around my arm."

"Stop the foolishness," I demanded. "Who are you? When will I see you again?"

"Tomorrow night, at Rosalind's party." And with that she darted through the doorway, disappeared into the crowd.

"I never saw her again, never learned her name. When I got back to my hotel there was a message that my father was seriously ill. I took the first plane. I wrote Rosalind and Walt, described the girl and what I tried to help me but—Why, Emily, what's the matter?"

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(To Be Continued)

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

with

Major Hoople



HE'S OVER PSEUDOTIS BUT NOT HIS APPETITE

3-15

ALLEY OOP

Vanished

By V. T. Hamlin



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THIMBLE THEATRE Starring Popeye

"The First Law of Preservation"



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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Generous to a Fault

By MERRILL BLOSSER



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L'I ABNER

Hannibal the Horrible

By AL CAPI



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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Guess Again, Handy

By EDGAR MARTIN



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WASH TUBBS

Surprise, Wash

By ROY CRANI



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Hearings To Be Held On Wagner Act

WASHINGTON, March 15 (AP)—The Senate labor committee voted today to hold hearings on proposed amendments to the Wagner labor relations act.

The committee went on record in favor of hearings on a motion by Senator Ellender (D-La.), but delayed until next Tuesday a decision on when they should start.

Ellender said effect of this committee action was to allow another week in which to analyze results of peace negotiations between the Congress of Industrial Organizations and the American Federation of Labor.

President William Green of the American Federation of Labor said today amendments to the Wagner labor act are necessary regardless of the committee's decision.

"The CIO is opposed to the proposal which would effect fundamental changes in the Wagner act. Discretionary powers of the Labor Relations Board generally would be curtailed, employers would be permitted to petition for elections to ascertain what employ agency they should recognize, and the right to appeal the labor board's decisions on the outcome of peace negotiations between the AFL and the CIO."

Just before a meeting of the Senate labor committee, Green asked that hearings on amendments proposed by the AFL be started "at the earliest possible moment."

The committee originally ordered

Einstein Announces New Solution To Age-Old Riddle Of Gravitation

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE

NEW YORK, March 15 (AP)—Professor Albert Einstein, the scientist, announced today he had discovered a new solution of the riddle of gravitation.

The riddle is the unknown cause of gravitation and its connection with electricity, matter and magnetism. Professor Einstein kept the solution secret, explaining that it would be tested with actual experiments.

The announcement was made in a birthday interview—Einstein will be 60 tomorrow—to L. E. Leveck of the National Association of Science Writers, and released through the association.

Einstein thinks he has discovered the clue to a long-sought single law that will explain the structure of the entire universe and all the mysteries of matter and radiation.

ed hearings March 10, but postponed them to await outcome of the peace negotiations.

Green wrote committee members that the AFL amendments, introduced by Senator Walsh (D-Mass.), had been proposed "in good faith."

"It is inconceivable that the Senate the courts would be broadened."

Chairman Thomas (D-Ill.) of the labor committee said that a battle between the AFL and the CIO over changes in the labor law might hinder the peace negotiations.

Gravitation is the missing link. Everything else, scientists have suspected, will become clear if someone can learn how gravitation originates. The mystery of the source of matter and of energy has seemed complete, all except fitting gravitation into the puzzle.

"Two years ago Einstein announced he had a tentative solution which he described as the idea that a particle of solid matter was a "bridge between shells of space." However, that solution did not work well enough to explain all matters.

A year ago Einstein, in a book, announced evidence that the known "fields" that is electricity, gravitation, and magnetism may be "the only reality." Everything else, including matter, would be combination of the "fields."

OLD CONGREGATION BERNE, Ind. (AP)—Seventy-five members of the Mennonite church here, founded by farmers of German descent, are over 70 years old. Three are past 90.

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Jackie Coogan Denies Splitting Up Estate

HOLLYWOOD, March 15. (AP)—Jackie Coogan, who says all he knows about a property settlement with his mother is what he read in the papers, went looking for a movie job today, still with nothing to show for the millions he earned as a child star.

"It was a surprise to me—those stories yesterday—that mother and I were splitting up my \$250,000 estate fifty-fifty," the 24-year-old actor told the Associated Press.

"From what I read of the terms, it seemed to me I wasn't getting even as much as a half share, although I'd be willing to settle for that rather than fight the case thru the courts for several more years.

"As near as I can make out, my mother and stepfather would be given real estate and securities, while

my supposed 50 per cent would include some of my old films—and I'm not even sure they still exist. At any rate, they'd have no cash value.

"If this is the kind of settlement that will be presented in court Friday, you can say for me that it has no chance of going through."

Word that Jackie's "battle of the millions" was on the verge of ending leaked out yesterday when attorneys asked for a three-day continuance of his \$4,000,000 accounting suit against Lillian Coogan Bernstein and her husband, Arthur L. Bernstein.

Denies Mother's Claims.

Mrs. Bernstein was quoted in print to the effect that the settlement was "more than fair" for her son, and "he'd be better off if he wasn't getting such a good settlement until he learned the value of money."

"Why," the mother of the former bobbed-haired boy wail of the silent screen was reported to have said, "he has earned \$40,000 since he became 21 and has nothing left to show for it."

Jackie bristled when he and his blonde wife, Betty Grable, came across that statement.

"This is the truth," he said. "I've earned just \$19,000 in three and a half years since I came of age and I loaned \$3,500 of it to the corporation headed by mother, on a note that has never been repaid."

"Today I'm going to try to land a job in Betty's new picture, 'Million Dollar Legs.' It probably won't be a lead, but I hope it's more than a bit. I'll find out, anyhow, when I read the script."

The nearest star except the sun is 300,000 times as far from the earth as the sun is.

Trio And Walker On Program At Miami Meeting

Thirty Pampans attended the Lions club group 3 quarterly meeting held at the First Methodist church in Miami at 7:30 o'clock Monday night. Total attendance at the meeting was 90, representing Lions clubs of Miami, Clarendon, McLean, Wheeler, and Pampa. Roy Bourland of Pampa, group chairman, presided over the business meeting.

C. Herbert Walker of Pampa made a talk "Lionism in the Small Community," and a trio of Pampans, composed of Mrs. May Foreman Carr, Lambert Marks, and Herbert Miller, furnished music on the program, which was in charge of Art Teed of Pampa.

Sam Braswell of Clarendon led a quiz stunt "How's Your Vocabulary?" and Mary Locke of Miami gave a reading.

The meeting was a combination quarterly group meeting and ladies night banquet. "Doc" Pursley of Miami was toastmaster.

McLean was chosen as the place for the next group meeting. Creed Bogart and T. A. Landers, both McLean Lions, were elected as group chairman and group secretary, respectively.

Present from Pampa were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Culbertson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bourland, Mr. and Mrs. Dude Balthrope, Mr. and Mrs. John Hessey, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Schukley, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Teed, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burrow, and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hickman.

Mack Harmon, Herman Lam-brecht, R. A. Webb, Sherman White, Crawford Atkinson, C. H. Walker, Clifford Braly, Clyde Ives, Roy McMillen, and Doc Walters.

HER CONCERT WILL BENEFIT BANDS



Esther Jonsson, shown above in the costume she wore when she gave a Mozart concert here last winter before 1,400 school children, will present another program here at 2:30 o'clock, March 23 in the high school auditorium before school children. This time, Miss Jonsson will present a program of Balkan music. She will show moving pictures taken in Serbia, Bulgaria, Hun-

gary, Rumania, Yugoslavia by herself during last summer. Miss Jonsson spent eight months in the Balkans gathering material for her program. Admission to the concert will be 10 cents per child and 25 cents for adults. Proceeds will be used to help send the bands to the contests at Plainville. Miss Jonsson will give another concert at 8 o'clock the evening of March 23 for adults.

Davidson Holds 75-Mile Lead In California Race

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 15 (AP)—Holding a lead of 75 miles over the field, Shannon Davidson, 20, Matador, Tex., cowboy, mounted his horse north of here early today to continue the pony express race from Nocona, Tex., to Oakland, Calif., and the Golden Gate International Exposition.

Davidson spent the night on the desert north of Phoenix, where he changed mounts and was greeted late yesterday by Governor Bob Jones. His next goal is Wickenburg, Ariz., 53 miles northwest of here, where he expects to arrive some time today.

A full day's ride behind the pace setter are Slim Mathis, Dalhart, Tex., Kind Kerly, Quanah, Tex.; Chris Uselton, Nocona, and George Cates, Crowell, Tex.

Following a different route from Lordsburg, N. M., to Phoenix is V. M. Henderson of San Antonio, who arrived last night at Safford, Ariz., 181 miles southeast of here.

Almost hopelessly outclassed in the competition are Lige Reed, Electric, Shorty Hudson, Knox City, Tex., Bob Moyer, Crowell, and Art H. In, Dumas, Tex. All are far behind.

API Meeting Attended By 1000 Persons

Standing room was at a premium last night in the city hall auditorium when the Panhandle chapter of the American Petroleum Institute presented a program on carbon black and an outstanding magician to more than 1,000 persons.

Spaker of the evening was C. A. Carlton, development engineer for the Huber Carbon Company, who flew here from New York yesterday to appear on the program. He was accompanied to Pampa by H. W. Price of Berger company superintendent, and other officials.

Visitors and members of the chapter advisory board were honored at a dinner at the Schneider hotel preceding the meeting. At that time Chairman Walter Biery called a meeting of the advisory board for Thursday night at 7 p. m. in the basement of the Schneider hotel. The committee preparing the natural gasoline program for the chapter's April meeting will join the board.

The many uses of carbon black were discussed by Mr. Carlton who was a research engineer with a large tire manufacturing company. Use of carbon black in the manufacture of tires, ink, paint, etc., was explained by the speaker.

"The manufacture of carbon black may seem wasteful as you see the dense clouds of black smoke floating in the air," Mr. Carlton said, "but it isn't because the smoke is absolutely useless, all of the good having been taken out of it."

The life of a car tire is twice what it used to be when the old zinc oxide process was used, Mr. Carlton said.

A picture, "Inside the Flame," showing the many uses of carbon black and its manufacture in the Panhandle and West Texas plants, was presented by the Cabot Company. The work done in the huge company laboratories in the east was also shown.

Magic was presented by Bob Clark of Sayre, Okla., one of the nation's outstanding magicians and slight-

Zane Smith Lectures To Panhandle Lions

PANHANDLE, March 15.—Zane Smith, manager of the local light office who was in charge of the program for the Lions club luncheon Tuesday, gave a lecture on "Lighting Effects in School Rooms," in connection with the showing of a film released by the General Electric company. The film showed what effects proper and improper lighting in school rooms will have on the vision of the pupils at the present and future.

Dr. C. W. Barksdale and J. P. Smith, vocational agriculture teacher, were guests.

Recreation Mass Meeting Postponed

A mass meeting to discuss a recreation building for Pampa, set for tomorrow night, has been postponed because the committee has been unable to secure enough plans to present to the group. Dr. H. L. Wilder, chairman of the steering committee, announced today.

The committee members have visited several recreational buildings in the last week and have requested plans on other buildings but they will not arrive in time for the meeting tomorrow night, Dr. Wilder said.

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Accusations Against Texas Prison System Squelched

AUSTIN, March 15.—The smoldering dispute over the Texas prison system was still screened by smoke today—denied a public conflagration by a House committee's insistence it hadn't the authority to hear accusations and penalties.

The House penitentiaries committee wound up a brief but heated hearing last night by adjourning without hearing two prison board members, Dr. C. W. Butler and Joseph Wearden, both invited to appear.

Oil At Dam Site, Argues Governor

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 15 (AP)—Gov. Leon C. Phillips expressed belief yesterday the proposed Denison reservoir on the Red river would inundate more potential oil production than the estimated \$56,000,000 cost of the project.

The opinion was in connection with a state senate bill waiving the state's mineral rights in state school land sold for public purposes such as reclamation and flood control.

"I'd certainly not give blanket authority to the school land commission to take royalty away from school children for the next hundred years, to accommodate somebody's whim on a PWA project" the governor said.

The bill as originally written would have waived the state's mineral rights if the land were sold for hydro-electric projects. It had been requested by the PWA, to remove obstructions to the Red river project.

The governor said he did not believe the amended bill would pass both houses.

St. Peter's Priest Named

VATICAN CITY, March 15 (AP)—Pope Pius XII today named Federico Cardinal Tedeschini Arch-Priest of St. Peter's—a position the Pope himself held before his elevation as supreme pontiff of the Catholic church. Francesco Cardinal Marnaggi was appointed prefect of the congregation of the council, succeeding Luigi Cardinal Magliano, who was named papal secretary of state last week.

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