

The Weather

West Texas: High cloudy tonight and Friday; warmer tonight.

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Good Evening

One must be poor to know the luxury of giving.—George Eliot.

Commission Removes Oil Production Holidays Except For East Texas

NO FUGITIVE CONVICTS SURRENDER WEEKLY

Allowable Raised Above Mines Figure

Panhandle Field Allotted 80,031 Barrels Of Oil

AUSTIN, Jan. 25 (AP)—The railroad commission today issued a statewide oil order authorizing a net daily allowable of 1,594,151 barrels in February, 18,751 more than recommended by the U. S. Bureau of Mines, and removing production holidays in all fields except East Texas.

The allowable at the beginning of next month exceeds by 40,016 the estimated net daily average on January 13. There were 13 non-producing days this month in a majority of Texas fields.

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

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

February 1 allowables by districts were: southwest Texas 223,400; gulf coast 228,372; east central Texas 80,415; east Texas 404,480 (average net); west central Texas 86,161; west Texas 186,856; north Texas 124,036; Panhandle 80,031.

Smith said the February schedule actually would result in an estimated daily production of 15,236 barrels less than the bureau's average recommendations for the past three months because daily average underproduction for that period was 33,987 barrels.

The chairman announced the regulatory body had reached no decision on a proposal for a general 20-acre spacing rule for new wells. The subject will be discussed later this month, he added.

Commenting on the February schedule the commission announced an amendment to the marginal well exception rule, effective February 1.

In brief it relates the definition of marginal wells so that producers of brief wells so that producers

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Wells Will Try To Repeal Liquor Law In Dry Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 25 (AP)—Wells mobilized their forces today to collect 25,000 signatures on an initiative petition to repeal prohibition in dry Oklahoma.

The petition, filed with the secretary of state yesterday, seeks a popular vote on a proposed liquor control system which would permit sale of hard liquor through licensed dealers, local option by counties and enforcement by a court-appointed police.

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

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

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

Mysterious Blast Disturbs Pampans

A mysterious explosion or earthquake disturbed the rest of residents of the Finley-Banks addition at 6 o'clock this morning. The dull explosion woke many persons, rattled dishes and shook furniture, according to residents of the section.

An investigation conducted by newspaper reporters and police failed to unearth the cause of the explosion or quake.

One man said he thought a car had struck the side of his house, so violent was the shock. Another said his bed shook enough to wake him. Several housewives who were preparing early breakfasts said dishes rattled in cupboards.

Several oil companies with holdings near the city were contacted but employees knew nothing of the explosion.

I Heard . . .

That Mayor E. S. Carr knocked the head of a golf club, welded an eye on the end and is using it as a fishing pole to fish through the ice. "I couldn't play golf with it anyway," declared the mayor when W. E. (Red) Weathered admonished him for running a golf club.

Farmers and Ranchmen, Attention: Special low price on Neatsfoot Oil this month. Gurley's Leather Shop.

HERE'S HOW TO GET AWAY FROM IT ALL—MAYBE



"Potentate of the Pacific" is Herbert S. Lester. The Lesters are the sole inhabitants of lonely Santa Miguel Island, 40 miles off Santa Barbara, Calif., and without even a regular boat connection with the mainland. They raise sheep, seldom go to the mainland, and the girls have never seen a movie.

A world filled with confusion, tears and blood is a world well lost as far as these people are concerned. For them the secret hankering of most people to "get away from it all" is really, "What is done? It can, and these people are doing it!"



A sort of Flying Dutchman, without home or country, sailing his tiny 35-foot ketch, the Te Rapunga, under his own flag, is George Dibbern. German-born, he deliberately escaped the misery of postwar Germany by embarking in his boat for New Zealand. He has been sailing there ever since, for 10 long years. Now in San Francisco.



Dibbern cannot stay, having no passport, but must move on in his restless quest. He is shown here with Ellen Morris, who "signed on" from her native New Zealand, and now navigates as well as Dibbern. Sixty thousand miles of roaming lie behind the Te Rapunga; all life as socially organized lies behind Dibbern.

Dedication Of Canadian School To Be Tonight

Dedication of Canadian's new \$180,000 high school building, a PWA project completed last December, will be held at 8 o'clock tonight in the auditorium of the school.

Superintendent of schools from adjoining counties have been invited to attend the affair tonight. H. E. Hoyer of Canadian will be one of the speakers on the program, which will be featured by the presentation of models of the school building to representatives of the four classes.

The presentation will be made by J. P. Slaughter, president of the Canadian school board.

State Superintendent L. A. Woods had been invited to attend the dedicatory ceremony, but will not be present on account of a business trip to Washington. Representing the state department of education will be W. T. Lofland of Canyon, deputy state superintendent.

Preceding the speeches, the Canadian high school band, directed

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Rotary Delegations Will Attend Banquet

Delegations from six Panhandle cities were en route late this afternoon to Perryton, where at 8 o'clock tonight at the Perryton hotel will be held the charter presentation banquet and ladies' night program of the newly-organized Perryton Rotary club.

Heading the group from Pampa were Travis Lively, president, Claude Roberts, acting secretary, and Dick Hughes, chairman of the inter-city relations committee, of the local Rotary club, and Otis Pumphrey, Ray F. Barnes, Charles Burton, C. A. Huff, members, and Gaiet Reeves, Tex DeWeese, and J. M. Collins.

Music By Pampans: Bill Haley of Pampa also made the trip with the local delegation. He is to play his accordion at the banquet. Arrangements for this music was made by Charles Burton.

Other Plains cities sending delegations are Borger, Shamrock, Amarillo, and Canadian. H. S. Wilbur of the latter city, organized the Perryton club and the Canadian Rotary club is the sponsor of the Perryton unit.

Hiram Arrant, Abilene, of Hardin-Simmons university, governor of the 127th Rotary district, is to install the Perryton club officers: Walter B. LaMaster, Jr., president; Jack Smith, vice-president; Van W. Stewart, secretary-treasurer; Dan Archer, secretary for Democratic voters to exercise their right of suffrage when the first Democratic primary of 1940 is held. The second primary will occur on August 24, and the general election on November 5.

Qualified Pampa voters will also have the opportunity to vote in two city elections to be held here in April, one to elect members of the school board, the other to elect city officials.

Club Roster: Names on the roster, with classifications, are: Walter R. Allen, farm adjuster; Dan Archer, attorney; Jerry Boelen, grocery retailer; Virgil R. Castle, dry goods; Otis Burke, football coach; J. H. Brashers, drugs retailer; Clayton Darnall, funeral director.

John Greer, ice cream manufacturer; Earl Glasgow, cafe owner; Walter B. LaMaster, Jr., insurance; A. H. Nichols, grain dealer; P. C. Pinson, 5 cent-to-10 store; W. B. Reid, department store; Curtis O. Roach, farmer; Jack Smith, Goodrich dealer; J. H. Stevenson, lumber; Van W. Stewart, newspaper publisher; L. D. Stinson, farm machinery.

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No Report Of Jury Verdict In Damage Suit

After deliberating two hours yesterday afternoon and most of this morning, a 31st district court jury had not returned a verdict in the case of Mary Cooper Clark vs. Dr. Roy A. Webb, up to noon today.

Argument in the \$25,000 damage suit was concluded at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, with G. C. Harney, attorney for the plaintiff making the first and third talks, and Aaroc Sturgeon, defense counsel, the second speech.

Action in the case is based on the plaintiff's allegations of shame and humiliation she claims she suffered as a result of her being put under quarantine for an alleged case of syphilis on May 29, 1939, by order of Dr. Webb, county health officer.

In his charge to the jury, District Judge W. R. Ewing cited as an issue in the case for the jury's consideration the question of whether the defendant had a reasonable suspicion of the plaintiff being afflicted with syphilis.

None Injured In Fire At Orphans' Home Near Itasca

ITASCA, Jan. 25 (AP)—Twenty boys housed in a dormitory at the Presbyterian home and school for orphans near here escaped injury late yesterday when fire destroyed the \$18,000 building.

House firemen were hampered by ice-clogged equipment.

Officials at the orphanage said the damage was only partially covered by insurance. Cause of the fire was not known.

Pay Your Poll Tax!

Every person who is subject to the payment of a poll tax should do so during the remaining days of January for Wednesday, Jan. 31 is the last date upon which the payment may be made to entitle you to the privilege of voting during the coming year.

There will be public offices to fill and questions of great importance to come before the voters for their approval, or rejection, this year, so be sure to pay your poll tax so that you may be eligible to vote.

Poll tax receipts can be obtained from your county tax collector for \$1.75.

The gold, he declared, came from a Yaqui treasure in the Bacatae

Nurse Accuses Head Of State Hospital

AUSTIN, Jan. 25 (AP)—Dr. W. J. Johnson, superintendent of the San Antonio state hospital, frequently through an attorney, today declared charges of moral unfitness made against him at a public hearing were "false and slanderous."

Young Sullivan told Fire Chief Ben White that he heard an explosion and then heard and saw a second explosion in the building which shattered many windows in the building.

Firemen arrived dense smoke was pouring from the building and flames were already creeping through the roof at the rear of the building. An attempt to get water from a fire plug at the corner of the market building was unsuccessful, the hydrant being frozen.

Firemen, however, succeeded in securing water from a plug a block north after only a slight delay.

In all, four lines of hose were strung in the bitter cold but only two streams of water resulted, other lines being frozen. The water secured was sufficient to control the blaze and keep it from spreading.

After the fire had been brought under control firemen discovered that the smoke was coming principally from a stack of burning tires at the rear, but inside the building. Damage to contents will be mostly from smoke and water although some fruit, vegetables and groceries, in the section of the building nearest the Farish Brothers, were burned Chief White said.

Cause of the fire and explosion has not been determined by Chief White.

Firemen were called to the school bus barn at 8 o'clock this morning. There was no fire but smoke from a compressor had filled the building, firemen said.

Mrs. John Bradley In Charge Of 'Benefits Of Democracy' Contest

There are no entry fees or any other expense for the high school student who would like to test his ability as an essayist on the subject "The Benefits of Democracy" in the present national contest being conducted by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States in cooperation with The Pampa News and other newspapers throughout the country.

Mrs. John Bradley, Sam Houston school teacher, is in charge of the Pampa VFW auxiliary post which is sponsoring the local contest. Essays must be sent to The VFW Contest Editor, The News by Feb. 22.

The boy or girl who is ambitious for a college education is handicapped by the lack of funds has a good chance to guarantee his scholastic future by taking part in this contest. He has everything to win and nothing to lose in trying to capture the prize of \$1,000 in cash which will be awarded by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the V. F. W. for the best essay contributed. Second place will win \$500, third place \$250, fourth place \$100. Ten awards of \$10 cash and ten of \$5.00 will also be distributed.

All essays must be confined to a

minimum of 500 words or a maximum of 1,000 words. Contestants are asked only to observe the simple rules of the contest which are outlined in a folder that may be obtained on request either from the school teacher or principal, or Mrs. Bradley, the contest chairman. Under the rules, students are permitted to receive advisory aid from teachers, parents or friends on either the subject matter to be included in their essays or as to the accuracy of historical facts, names or documentary quotations. Although all students who take part in this contest are urged to seek guidance in assembling their material they must not accept assistance in the actual writing.

Every essay submitted must be accompanied with a signed statement from the student's teacher or school principal affirming that the writer is a regularly qualified student in the school or institution represented and that the contents of the essay reflect the student's own efforts.

All essays will be judged on the basis of literary construction, interpretive views and patriotic inspiration.

'Brother' Of Yaquis Claim Gold Hoard

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

He is under \$1,000 bond for action by a federal grand jury at Tucson, Ariz., on a charge of smuggling gold across the Mexican border by airplane.

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

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

The gold, he declared, came from a Yaqui treasure in the Bacatae

Desperadoes Surprised In Beer Tavern

Cash Not With Mann And Nelson At Goldsmith

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

Robert Lacy Cash, third member of the trio who escaped from a Texas prison guard at Buffalo January 12, was not with them. The party split at Mexia the night of the escape, Mann and Nelson said.

For three days Ector county officers had been watching for a maroon sedan (Ford) in which the fugitives were traveling. Late last night the automobile was spotted at the tavern in the oil field town 18 miles northwest of here.

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

There were half a dozen men at the bar, among them Mann and Nelson. Their hands shot over their heads at Webb's command, and there was no struggle as they were taken into custody. Nelson was armed with a .38 calibre pistol, but Mann was unarmed.

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

Mann was convicted of murder at Morton (Co), and Nelson was under sentence from Abilene as a habitual

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McTaggart Hurt In Auto Crash

Guy E. McTaggart suffered a head laceration, body bruises and possible broken bones when his car and another, driven by Frank Pemberton, were in collision at the intersection of Francis avenue and Wynne street yesterday afternoon. Mr. Taggart was confined to his home today unable to be moved to have X-ray pictures taken.

Mr. Taggart was driving south on Wynne street and Mr. Pemberton east on Francis avenue when the collision occurred, according to City Officers Ray Dudley and W. C. Dillman who investigated the accident.

Mr. Pemberton said he saw the other car but was unable to stop on the slippery pavement while Mr. McTaggart said he didn't see the other car until the collision, the officers reported.

Both were badly damaged. Officers have not learned whether Mr. Pemberton was injured but it appears he has suffered injuries the officers said. Mr. McTaggart was able to be taken to his home where two stitches were taken in a gash on his head.

Temperatures In Pampa

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5 a. m. . . . 5
4 a. m. . . . 5
3 a. m. . . . 5
2 a. m. . . . 5
1 a. m. . . . 5
Wednesday's maximum . . . 12
Wednesday's minimum . . . 3

I Saw . . .

These two names on the poll tax ledger over at the courthouse: Darling B. Love and L. W. Alwynraylor.

A Good Press Agent

and the generosity of the press can put an unknown person well up in the ranks of fame. Ghouls girls and debutantes alike know the value of publicity and do everything from bathing in milk to jumping off Brooklyn Bridge to get the coveted press notice. It often lands them a front row chorus job . . . or a multi-millionaire husband! It isn't difficult to place a Classified Want Ad . . . Just phone 666 and place your ad . . . and this kind of press notice is sure to bring the desired results.

General Electric Light Bulbs. Motor Inn Auto Supply, Dist.

B-PW Club Has Monthly Social Meeting Recently

Business and Professional Women club members met this week in the city club rooms for a monthly social.

Orene And Lois Alford Hostesses At G. A. Meeting

Jesus Leech G. A. members of First Baptist church met in the home of Orene and Lois Alford Tuesday night with Virginia Covington, president, in charge.

Four Circles Of Baptist WMS Have Weekly Programs

Programs on Christian education were presented at the meetings of the four circles of Women's Missionary Society of First Baptist church this week.

The Social CALENDAR

FRIDAY A meeting of Alpha Mu chapter of Delta Sigma Theta...

Two Hostesses Entertain At Tea For Mrs. Pearce

Mrs. J. Monroe Neely and Mrs. Arlin H. Meese entertained with a formal tea in the home of Mrs. Neely, 927 Francis avenue, Wednesday afternoon honoring Mrs. W. B. Pearce...

Give This Little Girl a Big Hand



Initiation Of New Members Planned By B. G. K. Club

B. G. K. club members met this week in the home of Mrs. James Cotcher to discuss plans for the formal initiation of new members which will begin the week of February 1.

Program On Modern Poetry Presented By El Progreso Club

El Progreso club members met this week in the home of Mrs. C. T. Hunkapillar for a program on "Modern Poetry" led by Mrs. Robert Eberich...

Mrs. Vincent Has Charge Of Special Lefors P-TA Meet

Special To The NEWS LEFORS, Jan. 25—Lefors P-T-A met in the Lefors high school auditorium Tuesday night, January 23, Vincent, president, had charge of the business.

Palo Duro Training Union Has Meeting At White Deer

Special To The NEWS WHITE DEER, Jan. 25—In spite of the bad weather, 246 representatives of 13 churches attended a meeting of the Palo Duro Association of Baptists...

Bridge And Luncheon Given For Wednesday Contract At Hotel

Mrs. Bert Howell was hostess to members of Wednesday Contract club yesterday at a bridge-luncheon in the Hotel Schneider.

Coterie Members Discuss Plans For Kid Day Dance

At a meeting of the Coterie Wednesday evening in the home of Miss Zella Mae Hurst, plans were discussed for a kid day dance to be held the last of March or first of April.

Personal Grooming Topic Of Sunshine HD Club Program

Special To The NEWS SHELBYTOWN, Jan. 25—A demonstration on "Personal Grooming" was given by Miss Bernice Westbrook, county home demonstration agent of Panhandle, recently when members of the Sunshine Home Demonstration club of Shelbytown met at the home of Mrs. H. E. Donald of the Cabot camp.

Marriage Of Miss Doom And J. E. Taylor Announced

Special To The NEWS LEFORS, Jan. 25—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Doom of Lefors, announce the marriage of their daughter, Leona Catherine Doom, to John Everett Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Taylor, also of Lefors.

Margaret Covington Invested By Troop Four Girl Scouts

Girl Scouts of troop four held a regular meeting in the little house Tuesday afternoon when an investiture service was held for Margaret Covington and Helen Marlin who were awarded second class rank.

Banquet Given For Members-Guests Of Brotherhood

Members of the brotherhood of Central Baptist church entertained their wives at a banquet Tuesday evening in the church.

Eyes Examined - Glasses Fitted DR. A. J. BLACK Optometrist

New Under-arm Cream Deodorant safely Stops Perspiration

WHITE PLAZA HOTEL FORMERLY THE HILTON Main at Harwood "BEST LOCATION IN DALLAS"

Real Estate Announcement C. P. Buckler takes this method of informing the general public that he has now associated with him W. C. Stack.

Next Monday afternoon the circles will meet at 2:30 o'clock in regular weekly session. Circle one, Mrs. W. R. Bell; two, Mrs. J. H. Nunley; three, Mrs. O. C. Brandon; four, Mrs. L. E. Johnson.

Sunday Program Planned By Young Adult Endeavor

Young Adult Christian Endeavor members met in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Norris this week with C. T. Hightower presiding.

Forty-Niner Dance Postponed For Tonight At Hall

The forty-niner dance which was scheduled to take place tonight at the Holy Souls school auditorium has been postponed.

Miss Morgan And Travis Cantrell Married At Sayre

SHAMROCK, Jan. 25—Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Morgan announce the marriage of their daughter, Beulah, to Travis Cantrell. The wedding took place at Sayre, Okla., on Christmas eve.

Miss Woolard Has Party At Shamrock

SHAMROCK, Jan. 25—Miss Marie Woolard entertained the Optimists club at her home Tuesday night.

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LaNORA LAST DAY ON THE STAGE! "Dixie Jubilee" Featuring BUDDY DUNN CLEO RIVERS THE FOUR MUSICAL NOTES And Bette Herbert

ON THE SCREEN Sidney Toler As "Charlie Chan in the City of Darkness"

In TECHNICOLOR Tribute to Democracy "THE MONROE DOCTRINE"

REX 2 Adults for 26c Last Day A MERRY GO ROUND OF SILLY HAPPY ROMANCE... to WHIRL YOU DIZZY WITH...

alotabs TRADE MARK REG. An excellent laxative in colds, relieves biliousness, sour stomach, bilious indigestion, flatulence and headache, due to constipation.

CROWN 2 Adult Admission for the price of 1 LAST TIMES TODAY "MARRIED and in LOVE" with ALAN MARSHALL BARBARA READ FRIDAY and SATURDAY GEORGE O'BRIEN in "The MARSHALL of MESA CITY" WITH VIRGINIA YALE

State Last Day! See What Goes On In... "Pack Up Your Troubles"

Hotel For WOMEN ANNE SOTHERN LINDA DARNELL BOBBY HALLWAY ERIC COLLING MINNA GONNELL LYNN HARRI

Fleet Coyote Still No. 1 Sheep Enemy

CASPER, Wyo., Jan. 25 (AP)—Despite improved control methods, the sheep fleet coyote still is a major problem in the western livestock industry, D. D. Green, chief of the U. S. Biological Bureau's division today.

Don't Neglect Slipping FALSE TEETH

Do false teeth drop, slip or wobble when you talk, eat, laugh or sneeze? Don't be annoyed and embarrassed by such handicaps. FASTEETH, an alkaline (non-acid) powder to sprinkle on your teeth, keeps false teeth more firmly set. Gives confident feeling of security and added comfort. No gummy, gooey, sticky taste or feeling. Get FASTEETH today at any drug store.

for CHAPPED SKIN

If your skin is chapped, you will be delighted with the effect of Mentholatum applied to the chapped red parts. Mentholatum quickly soothes the irritation and assists nature to more quickly heal the injury. Mentholatum is a pleasant, effective application for minor skin irritations. Jars of tubes only 5c.

MENTHOLATUM
Gives COMFORT Daily

of predator and rodent control, said today.

Unlike other predators, the coyote thrives under conditions incident to livestock and agricultural expansion, Green said in an address prepared for delivery before the 78th annual convention of the National Wool Growers association.

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

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

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

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

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

Although it is a metropolitan district, London County Council, England, contains more than 1,000 cows.

Does Pyorrhea Threaten?

An Astringent with Antiseptic properties that must please the user or Druggists return money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy. Cretney Drug

O'Neal Claims Treaties Aided Agriculture

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Planes Drop Grain On Danish Island

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 25 (AP)—As gently as possible, two Danish military planes "bombed" the island of Baltham, near Copenhagen, today, with wheat and corn.

The 2Dth was made at the request of the animal protection society which reported 2,000 wild swans living on the island were in danger of starvation because of the severe winter.

The first American Legion was composed of Tories and American deserters within the British lines during the Revolutionary War.

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Mexico Will Drill 30 New Oil Wells

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

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

Damages To Citrus Fruit Reported In Rio Grande Valley

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

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

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

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

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

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3 Harvesters Ill On Five of Road Trip Friday

Two Regulars, One Reserve Miss Practice

The Harvesters basketball squad will leave tomorrow for week-end games at Lubbock and Plainview, and the prospects for top performances were not encouraging today.

Yesterday, two regulars and one of outstanding substitutes did not report for practice due to illness. A. C. Enloe, reserve forward, is still confined to bed with illness. He left the Shamrock tournament Saturday morning and has been ill since then.

Ed Terrell, first string guard, did not come to school yesterday due to illness, and Pete Dunaway, star guard, also suffering from a debilitating cold did not suit out for practice, neither did he attend school.

To cap the climax tomorrow night the Harvesters must play Lubbock's Westerners who are already boasting, before they have played a single game, that they not only expect to win the Big Five, but their district, region and the state basketball tournament. The Westerners will play their first game tomorrow night with the Harvesters as opponents. Coach Keys has practiced his entire district championship team back from last year.

Saturday night the Harvesters will play Plainview's Bulldogs, recently defeated by the Pampa boys. In the absence of Dunaway and Terrell, Coach Mitchell yesterday had Billy Mounts at Dunaway's post and Junior Frasher at Ed Terrell's position, and it is possible that those two reserves, also Tom Cox who looked better yesterday than he has in a long time, may see more action than usual in the two week-end games.

Coach Mitchell will probably take the following boys on the trip: Red Bearden and Seth Cox, forwards; Terrell, center, if he is well enough to go; Dunaway and Carlisle, guards, and the following reserves: Tom Cox, Cletus Mitchell, and A. C. Enloe, if he is well enough to go; Frasher, center; Mounts and D. Mitchell, guards, and possibly Dewey and others.

All Feller Wants To Do Is Win Game

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 25 (AP)—It will be all right with Bob Feller if 1940 brings him the no-hit game he's narrowly missed the times, but the Cleveland fireballer is more interested in winning games. "That's the easiest way to get 'em out, though, by not letting 'em hit the ball," said Feller, when on vacation. "But I don't want to win with any striking in mind. All I want is to win that game."

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

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

"They go in a cycle," he asserted, "but I don't want to name any as the most trouble-some batters. Some of them might make me sorry later."

Feller predicted Cleveland would be stronger over the top of the finish higher than third place in the American league.

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

Bing Crosby's Golf Tournament Popular

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

Breaking all entry records, more than 300 will participate in the affair, with defending champion E. J. (Dutch) Harrison of Little Rock, Ark., hard pressed to repeat his 1939 triumph over the 600-night winner of the Ranch Santa Fe course.

Pampans Going To Lefors Mitt Bouts

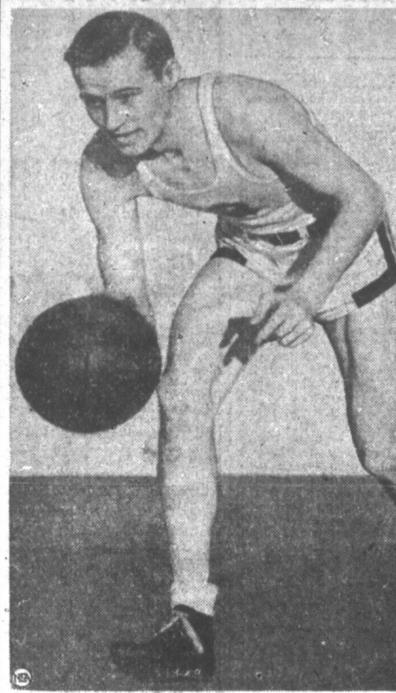
Many Pampa boxing fans plan to be in Lefors tomorrow night when the Lefors mitt artists meet leather slingers from McLean in a dual meet. Last Friday in Memphis Lefors won five, lost three and drew one bout.

Fifteen bouts are scheduled to be staged tomorrow night beginning at 7:30 o'clock in the high school gymnasium.

Coach Toby Waggoner of the Lefors team hasn't named his starters because illness kept three away from the light workout yesterday afternoon.

Names of the McLean boxers have not been learned by Coach Waggoner he reported this morning.

LEADS ON COURT AND IN CLASSES



Jack Morris

CLAREMONT, Calif., Jan. 20—Jack Morris, a major in physics and math, holds a Phi Beta Kappa key, has won \$1400 in competitive scholarships in 3 1/2 years at Pomona College, holds Southern California basketball scoring record for one game with 34 points and was second in total scoring last season.

If there's another as good scholar, artistically and athletically in the nation, Pomona men will eat their hats.

Jimmy Kitts Will Confer With Washington University Officials

By FELIX R. MCKNIGHT DALLAS, Jan. 25 (AP)—Genial Jimmy Kitts carried a load of recommendations and best wishes when he hopped off today for St. Louis to have a conference with Washington University officials. . . . The deposed Rice coach may get an offer but private business has also made one—Sams Wolves and its.

One thing is fairly certain at Rice. . . . Buster Brannon, basketball coach, won't be dislodged by athletic director Jess Neely despite the fact Neely is bringing Joe Davis from Clemson down to Rice. . . . Davis, end coach, also tutors basketball. . . . Brannon, old Texas Christian star under Francis Schmidt, is doing a grand job.

Milton Demare, older brother of Jimmy, the Houston lad setting fire to the winter golf tournament trail, went around the Oso Beach course at Corpus Christi recently in 86 shots. . . . Just two shots better than the course record before Jim established it. . . . The rumor Dept. says J. Curtis Sanford, the Texas Colonel who relinquished his rights to the Dallas Cotton Bowl football classic, has been poking around Houston looking over possibilities there.

Fullbacks John Kimbrough and Bronko Nagurski met at a Houston banquet the other night and the Texas Aggie All-American immediately huddled with Nagurski over the matter of playing pro football.

Big John didn't reveal the advice peddled by one of the pro game's greatest fullbacks.

Cinderella kids of the state school-boy football race, Lubbock high now has its sights set on the state basketball crown. District kings last year, Lubbock's Westerners have the same outfit back and are favored again. . . . Scribe Amos Melch, informed Texas Christian mouthpiece, discloses that Jack Odle, the boy they boomed to succeed Davey O'Brien, may take over a blocking back position next fall and loss passes from reverses. . . . Incidentally, T. C. U. is going in for the running game.

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

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

Jack Groat, the Fort Worth boy who made good as Pro Henry Picard's assistant, named his ten best girlfriends the other day. . . . Sharing the top spot were Byron Nelson, another Fort Worth product, and Picard. . . . Others, in order, were Sam Snead, Ralph Guldahl, Dick Metz, Harold McSpaden, Ben Hogan, of Fort Worth, Gene Sarazen, Clayton Heffner and Craig Wood. . . . All, including Groat, will tee off in the Texas open at San Antonio.

Thousands will flock down to College Station Saturday for the big football celebration. . . . The Sugar Bowl kings will receive an ovation in the big Kyle stadium and then be feted with a banquet at night. . . . Baylor University will sponsor a Bachminko tournament Feb. 16 and 17, the prelude to the Southern Intero-legiate Badminton tourney on the Baylor campus March 15 and 16.

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Waggoner To Help Referee Gloves Meet

Toby Waggoner, Lefors High school boxing coach, has been selected as one of the referees for the Amateur Golden Gloves Boxing tournament to be staged February 5 and 6.

The popular coach was the chief official at the Pampa Golden Gloves tournament last year and at several other tournaments here. He believes in making all boxers follow the rules to the letter and he is fair and impartial in his decisions.

Boys who have boxed under Coach Waggoner's officiating and who went to the state tournament in Fort Worth last year were unanimous in declaring that his officiating was far superior to that at the state tournament.

Waggoner is careful to wipe off a boy's gloves after they touch the canvas so that no rosin will remain on them that could cut the opponent. He closely follows the fighting on top of every clinch.

Dr. Cain will be the other referee at Amarillo.

Gasser Manager To Be Named At Later Date Officials Say

Sheriff Vern Underhill has been elected president of the Borger Gasser Baseball club, entered in the West Texas-New Mexico Baseball league. He spent several years in professional baseball circles, pitching for teams in the south and reaching the ranks of the Cleveland Indians in 1927 where he remained until 1929.

Walter David was elected vice president, Bob Grimes, secretary-treasurer, and Bob Takewell was elected business manager. A playing manager will be named at a later date.

Seven club directors were elected by the new stockholders in the reorganized club. They are Hugh Miller, Walter David, W. E. Price, Bob Grimes, Jake Stahl, George Finger and Vern Underhill.

Bob Lindsey, president of the club last season, Bob Grimes and Earl Gasser resigned their offices as directors of the old club.

The club voted to increase its capital stock to \$2,500. It is now \$2,200. Most of the original capital, it is expected, will be used for spring training expenses. President Underhill said spring training will commence with 30 men on the roster, and according to league rules, this number will be pared to 15.

The playing season begins. The Gassers are to open with Pampa at Pampa April 25.

Sports Roundup

By EDDIE BRIETZ NEW YORK, Jan. 25 (AP)—What's this about one of Dixie's top football schools waving folding money under the noses of Missouri U. freshman stars? (Maybe the Messrs. Bob Steuber and Dan Greenwood will confirm it. . . . His friends say the speech Larry MacPhail will deliver at the Boston baseball writers' dinner Jan. 28 will blast Judge Landis plumb out of Florida. . . .)

Long Time No Eat Harry Miller, heavy-weight, begins his annual month-long fast, Feb. 1. . . . Since this is leap year, Harry will have an extra day to go. . . . He figures to take off about 65 lbs. . . . In the 28 years he has been fasting for a month, Harry figures he has shed 1,820 pounds—almost a ton.

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

Billy Conn goes back on the air tonight and we hope he'll read his lines better than he did last week when he kept calling interviewee Stan Lomax "Sam." . . . Billy, club manager of Maurice Strickland, has taken over Billy Billy McDowell, Dallas heavyweight and will start boxing him in the east.

Bye, Miss Glamour The story the newspapers carried Didn't cause Forest Hills to elate; Miss Stammers has gone and got married. . . . And what that will do to the gate!

Today's Guest Star Walter Stewart, Memphis Commercial-Appel Col. E. R. Bradley's Steve Bimch runs with his tongue thrust out. . . . Which should be very useful in a photo finish.

DiMaggio Expects To Sign Contract SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25 (AP)—Joe DiMaggio, the New York Yankee centerfielder who was the Major League's "most successful" in his first two seasons ago, looked over his 1940 contract today and said: "I don't anticipate any trouble at all this year."

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

In 1938 DiMaggio held out for \$40,000—initially settled for \$38,000. Last season he topped American League batters with a .391 average; was voted the "most valuable player" award and drew down \$27,500.

BITS ABOUT BOWLING



Records topped at the Berry Bowling Alley's Tuesday night when Hap Baxter of Voss Cleaners topped 256 pins in one game and Sam Friberg of the Diamond Shop rolled a three-game series of 632 pins. It was the third successive bowling night that Friberg topped the coveted 600-pin mark. He had a previous series of 610 and 612 pins. Both game and series records had been held by Curtis Taylor.

Thompson Hardware won two out of three from the league leading Voss Cleaners, Cabot Shops took two out of three from Phillips 66 and Schneider hotel won two out of three from Diamond shop.

In Oilbelt league games last night The Texas company took two out of three from Barnes and Hastings and Kiwanis club won two out of three from Humble Oilers.

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Totals 843 780 849-2481 Chicago President Digs At Football PORT WORTH, Jan. 25 (AP)—Robert M. Hutchins, president of the University of Chicago, says discontinuance of football there has brought him "more space in Chicago sports sections lately than any man since Walter Eversall."

Dr. Hutchins, speaking here last night, had brief reference to the action that brought Alumni protest, but he shyly got this in: "Chicago does not claim that everybody ought to do what it does. Chicago does not even claim that everybody should give up intercollegiate football. But the principal aim of an educational institution, oddly enough, should be education."

Hutchins spoke to 250 Chicago Alumni and guests. . . . He said that the smaller countries will have an equal chance in competition; sports must be included in the program in which the Latin Americans excel, such as polo, horsemanship and soccer. . . . "We are by 'we' I mean the United States—cannot become point hungry or score thirsty, for that would destroy the whole idea of sportsmanship and the foundation of an international affair of this kind," Marshall observed.

It took only nine of the allotted 15 rounds last night for the Hammer to pound his plucky Puerto foe into a bloody, helpless figure. . . . Weighing 139 3/4, four and three-quarters pounds less than Monahan, but the heaviest in his career, the Los Angeles Negro looked capable of quashing anyone who could come under the welter weight limit and give a mighty accounting as a middleweight, as well.

That, of course, is exactly what he had to do—one more defense of his championship, preferably against Davis, and then abdication for a grab at Garcia's middleweight title, recognized in New York and California. . . . Possibly because of his increased weight and his aim at the heavier class, Armstrong last night appeared a trifle slower but more powerful than ever before.

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

Fans Boo As Lew Jenkins Kayoes Chino Alvarez

Stagehand's Successor With Sande



A year ago Earl Sande had Stagehand. Now the famous jockey is pointing Col. Maxwell Howard's Victory Morn for Hialeah Park's major fixtures, including the \$20,000 Flamingo Stakes, Feb. 24, and the \$50,000 Widener, March 2. Victory Morn, 3-year-old bay gelding by Challenger II-Bright Luna, won three important stakes . . . six races in all . . . as juvenile.

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

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

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

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

Jenkins weighed 130 pounds; Alvarez 125. Referee Homer Hendrix said Alvarez was hit hard, started falling and was socked twice more before his knees struck the canvas.

There were fans aplenty who didn't think Alvarez was hurt badly. Dr. Ben Rubenstein, the ring physician, examined the Cuban and said: "Alvarez was absolutely normal when I got to the ring, but it took me some time to force my way through that milling mob of people. In my opinion the fighter (Alvarez) might have been stunned and then recovered before I got to him."

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

Pan American Games Should Be Spectacle, Says Promoter

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

New Mexico Bowlers In Amarillo Tourney

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Jan. 25—The fighting spirit of Francisco Vasquez de Coronado will enter the Panhandle Bowling Tournament this coming Sunday when members of the Coronado Cuarto Centennial Bowling team of Albuquerque journey to Amarillo, Texas, to show the other grade-A bowling teams of the Southwest how to roll the ball down the alley.

The Coronado bowlers are the cream of the crop in Albuquerque and recently bowled a five man team score of 2,987 the general average over the Southwest is 2,400 to 2,500.

Members of the Coronado team are Boston Jams, Captain; Ed Kinney; Al Cochran, famed dental supply bowler who has an eagle eye; Lew Larson, plastering contractor with a mean swing; Ed Hostetter, home appliance man who also knows how to make strikes down any bowling alley, and sixth man carried for emergencies is Herb Lodgson, Manager of the Yucca Bowling Alleys, Albuquerque, who is a past master in chalking up big bowling totals.

Over twenty five bowling teams have entered the Panhandle Tourney at Amarillo, but the Coronado boys say they are not afraid of any of them and expect to get right well by themselves at Amarillo.

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The Pampa High school girls volleyball team has begun competition and will play games nearly every Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the gymnasium. The public is invited to witness the games at no cost.

First game played by the Pampa lassies was against Groom, runner-up in the 1939 district race, with Groom winning. A return game will be played in Groom next week.

Virginia Fore was star of the Pampa team against Groom. Martha Orr and Eva Dean Bennett, two stellar players, were ill and unable to participate.

Other Pampa players were Melba Stovess, Geneva Binion, Louise Stotts, Peggy Wilkinson, Billy Kay Combs, and Edna May Cade.

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Disestablishment Of Texas Bargaining Agency Ordered

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

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

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

Lewis Expected To Put Okay On Senator Wheeler

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP)—Political Washington, started by John L. Lewis' anti-third term statement, was ready by 10 o'clock today that the CIO chief is thinking of endorsing senator Wheeler of Montana for the Democratic Presidential nomination.

One report circulated in authoritative congressional circles was that Lewis has turned thumbs down on several different ticket combinations suggested at White House conferences.

At least one of these tickets, it was said, had Wheeler in second place—a nomination which the Montana has said he would not accept.

Wheeler will address the United Mine workers' convention at Columbus, Ohio, tomorrow night on the same platform from which Lewis last year predicted that a Roosevelt third term candidacy would go down to "historic defeat."

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

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

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SERIAL STORY

THE CAPTAIN'S DAUGHTER

BY HELEN WORDEN

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YESTERDAY Lynda Martin, spoiled and pampered daughter of a wealthy father, arranged to have her new evening gown. They go to Varnet's. Marie models the dress. Dan is struck by her beauty. That night as Marie leaves the shoppe, Dan is waiting for her.

CHAPTER IV

MIKE DONOVAN stood on the deck of his houseboat, The Katherine, starting out toward Edisto Island. The warm March sun found a bright reflection in the green river water. Ashore, the fronds of palms swayed lazily in the gentle spring breeze and from the fields came the sound of Negroes shouting at their mules.

Mike leaned over the rail as a small group of men and women appeared on Whaley's dock, laughing and talking.

"The whole batch of them are getting into the launch now, Katie," he yelled down to his wife. "Don't be slow."

"All right, Michael, all right!" (It was Michael, not Mike, when company was coming). "I'll be dressed in a minute and for Heaven's sake, don't call me Katie before those people."

Mike adjusted his commodore's cap and hurried toward the companionway to superintend the arrival of his luncheon guests. The Tom Sherwoods and the Frank Murrows, who owned winter homes on the South Carolina sea island, were the reason for the party. Sherwood and Murray both served on boards of companies in which Mike owned the controlling stock. They were bringing their wives and house-guests with them today.

A FAT, bald-headed Irishman of 65, Mike Donovan was eccentric, exuberant and delightfully ingenious. Rich enough to own the biggest steam yacht afloat, he stubbornly clung to his old-fashioned houseboat, because he had set his mind, when he was a kid living in Brooklyn, on owning such a boat as soon as he could make the money. Whole flocks of them used to anchor in Sheepshead Bay inlets during the summertime. They had red and white striped awnings over the decks and Swiss curtains at the windows. The interior decorator Katie hired wouldn't let Mike have them on his boat.

His passion for the sea showed in his clothes. Today, in addition to his commodore's cap—he held that office in the Oceanbreeze Yacht Club—he wore a bright blue jacket, trimmed with shining brass buttons and new white flannel trousers. He hadn't sat down since Taki, his Chinese valet,

helped him into them at 10 that morning. He wore his white slacks as if they were a little too tight and he'd just put them on for the first time.

"Mrs. Donovan poked her head out, as the distant put-put of the launch sounded over the water. "I'm here, Mike." When she was excited, she lapsed into the familiar "Mike."

"Go back," he answered. "It's proper for the Missis to receive in the salon on a boat."

She liked to be in good time, but today she had been late because she couldn't make up her mind what to put on. This indecision ruffled her. She was naturally methodical. Sitting carefully down on one of the chintz-upholstered lounge chairs, she smoothed her pink flannel dress beneath her and tilted her white felt hat to the left.

She must have been pretty when she was a girl because her natural "good looks" still showed through artificial concealments to beauty. But she never sought to conceal the fact that she dyed her hair (it was the new honey yellow with nice gold tints) and she was frank about liking plenty of rouge and lipstick. She said it gave her animation. She thought she ruled her husband, but he had his own ideas on the subject.

Her body tensed as the launch stopped and she heard Mike shout, "Hello, folks. Welcome to the Katherine. Come aboard and meet Katie."

A MOMENT later the party crowded into the salon. Mrs. Donovan wished she'd fortified herself with a cocktail. She was afraid of these self-assured, casual-mannered people. They always talked about places she had never been and things she'd never heard of. Bar Harbor, for instance, and what so-and-so's last year's score was at the Racquet Club.

"How do you do," Tom Sherwood was saying. "Mrs. Donovan, my wife and our house-guests, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley James. You already know Mr. and Mrs. Murray. These are the Percy Thorntons who're staying with them."

Nervously she shook hands. "I'm so glad you could come. Shall we have cocktails here or on deck?"

"It's too damned fine weather to stay indoors," put in Mike. He punched a button over the fireplace. "Taki," to the Chinese boy who made a noiseless appearance, "bring the drinks on the back porch." He winked at Sherwood. "That's all it really is."

"On deck Frank Murray joined Mrs. Donovan. "What's this I hear about your boy and Lynda Mar-

tin?" he inquired, sipping his Martini. "She's a pretty kid and her father's got lots of dough. Not that Dan needs any." He laughed. "But that would be a pretty good business merger—shipping and groceries. Mike could corner the South American fruit and coffee trade of James Martin and Company."

If there was sarcasm in Mr. Murray's tones, Mrs. Donovan did not notice it.

"Of course I can say nothing till those dear children speak for themselves," she said, but there was obvious pleasure in her manner at mention of such a match for her boy. "Dan spent last weekend with us, but naturally we didn't question him."

It was after 3 when the party broke up. Mrs. Donovan sighed with relief as she lay back in the wicker deck chair and slipped off her shoes.

"Well, I'm glad that's over," she said.

"I guess they had a good time," Mike chuckled. "They certainly drank enough champagne."

"Did you hear Frank Murray ask me about Dan and Lynda Martin?" There was a pleased expression on Mrs. Donovan's face. "No," Mike lit a cigar and settled down on a leather side seat. "Think it's serious?"

"I hope so. It would be a nice match. No money spared at that wedding." She gazed happily toward the blue sea, visible between the white strips of sand that defined an inlet. "Let's anchor here over night, Mike. It's so peaceful."

He pulled a large old-fashioned open-faced gold watch from his trouser pocket. "Can't do it, Katie. We've got to push on as soon as the launch returns. I'm leaving the boat at Charleston. Sherwood mentioned some things that show I'm needed at the office."

He got up. "Here's the launch now. We'll be starting right away."

"I'll tell Taki to pack your bags," Mrs. Donovan raised her voice above the noise of grinding pulleys at the launch was hoisted to the top deck. "Bill's brought us some mail."

She rose and strolled toward the sailor.

"Telegram for you, Mrs. Donovan," he said.

She reached for the yellow envelope, opening it eagerly.

"It's from Dan," she exclaimed. "Oh, Mike, I'm so glad. It's all settled with him and Lynda." She began reading aloud.

"Dear folks, I've found the girl I'm going to marry. Dan."

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University Bans Student Kissing

But Doctor Objects

BERKELEY, Calif., Jan. 25 (AP)—University of California health officers decreed a 90-day ban on kissing after 18 students were stricken with mild cases of influenza. This Dr. S. L. Katzoff said today was a mistake.

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

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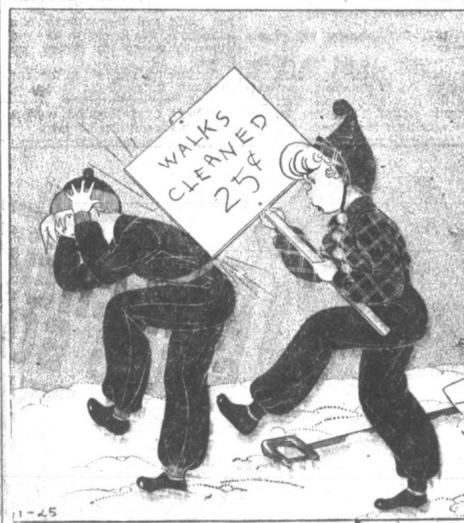
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