

The Weather

West Texas: Fair, high cloudiness north and east; rain southwest tonight Tuesday, scattered showers north and west. Cold southwest tonight.

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Full AP Leased Wire

(PRICE FIVE CENTS)



Make your plans now to attend the Coronado Extrada Cavalcade Top O' Texas Fiesta Pampa June 13, 14, 15

RECORD VOTE EXPECTED IN CITY ELECTION

Wilson Denies Dunigan Story On Underpass Project Seen As A Factor To Unite Pampa Citizens

A denial of the statement made over the radio Friday evening by E. J. Dunigan, Jr., of Pampa, that H. C. Wilson, a candidate for city commissioner in tomorrow's city election, had stated he was opposed to the construction of the Cuyler Street underpass, was made today by Mr. Wilson.

Mr. Wilson said in a statement made today that he had never said that he was opposed to the construction of the Cuyler Street underpass, and that he was in favor of it.

"It is my opinion," Mr. Wilson said, "that the underpass as it is designed now will be one of the greatest factors in uniting our city in joining the North and South sides together to work for the good of Pampa as a whole."

Supplementing Mr. Wilson's statement were four property owners who own all of the property in the block where Mr. Wilson's drugstore is located with the exception of one store building.

These included Mrs. N. A. Holmes, who owns the building in which Mr. Wilson operates his drugstore, A. E. Shaw, C. T. Harris, and E. L. Holmes. These property owners stated they had talked with Mr. Wilson and know that he is in favor of the underpass.

War Flashes

STOCKHOLM, April 1 (AP)—Foreign Minister Christian Gunter today told the Riksdag (parliament) that early in March Premier Daladier of France sent a personal message to King Gustaf asking permission to transport allied troops through Sweden to help Finland.

The Swedish king's reply was that Sweden's neutrality made such permission impossible. Gunter declared in a long review of Sweden's course during the Finnish-Russian war.

Artillery Duel On Front Subsides

PARIS, April 1 (AP)—French forces on the western front reported today that a heavy artillery duel which lasted several days, and was marked by the shifting fire of German "barrage batteries" along a 30-mile front, had subsided.

The let-up in the fire and counter-fire on the Siegfried and Maginot lines came yesterday to the accompaniment of aerial activity which last night's French communique called "fairly intense."

The German high command said 25 German and 36 French fighter planes were engaged yesterday in three separate fights, with seven of the French shot down and the German squadrons returning intact to their bases.

French advances were that there were no encounters between the rival air forces.

Congratulations—

Mr. and Mrs. Herrick Johnson are the parents of a son weighing seven pounds born yesterday at 2:00 p. m. at Pampa Jerritt hospital. He has not been given a name.

I Heard

That Rex Dilbeck and Gus Halliburton, Pampa Oiler pitchers, couldn't wait for next Saturday to start practicing so they "threw a few" yesterday. Pitchers are scheduled to report Saturday and the rest of the squad Monday.

Home and office electric fans. P. B. Hoffman Service Station.—Adv.

THE CASE GOES TO THE JURY TOMORROW Be Sure To Vote And Serve Your City

The voters of Pampa should be interested principally in one thing when they go to the polls in tomorrow's city election.

That one thing is to see to it that the administration of city affairs is released from the control of a small group of men who have been dictating City Hall policies from behind the scenes.

It has been strikingly obvious in the election campaign just ending that this group of men, who for some reason or another seem to feel that they have a right to "run things" in Pampa, have bent every effort to continue themselves in a position to pull the strings of city government.

Voters in Pampa have the opportunity tomorrow to make the decision. They can either end it, or they can vote to continue it.

Probably at no time in the history of Pampa have the voters had an opportunity to decide on local issues more important than those involved in tomorrow's election.

The Pampa News stated last Wednesday that insofar as its editorial comment on the election issues was concerned the campaign would end on Sunday. The News is keeping that promise today in the face of a published announcement, from those opposed to the newspaper's beliefs, that they would not accept the suggestion that both sides refrain from last-minute confusion.

Pampa's best interests in the future depend a great deal upon who is chosen in tomorrow's election of a mayor and two city commissioners. The best way to protect your interests is for every eligible voter to exercise his right of franchise.

Any man or woman with a poll tax or poll tax exemption and who resides within the city limits of Pampa is entitled to vote. There are no other qualifications.

Nobody who is eligible should be cynical nor indifferent about city politics. Each person who fails to vote tomorrow does his bit to weaken Pampa's city government. It is the history of all elections of this type that the power-behind-the-throne group, the political machine, the something-for-nothing people—none of these ever fail to vote. They are organized in Pampa and will vote tomorrow in full force.

Of course, this is a free country. The right to vote carries with it the indisputable right to refrain from voting. Nevertheless the non-voting voter is decidedly a handicap to good city government.

If voting is a privilege, then it is also a duty. It is a well-known truism that because voters stay away from the polls, a disciplined small group can, and very often does, run things with a scant regard for the interests of all the people.

Non-voting is a peril to your city. And, if you have been a non-voter, now is an excellent time for you to think it over and stop being one. The person who votes as or her true conviction tomorrow will at least perform a public service.

And, at the voting place in City Hall between the hours of 8 a. m. and 7 p. m. tomorrow the opportunity to serve your city will be presented to you.

HURRICANE WRECKS BAYOU VILLAGE



A hurricane, sweeping over parts of Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi, struck the French-speaking fishing village of Pierre Port, La., killing six and wrecking 30 buildings among which was this church, 300 children in a nearby school were unscathed.

Seniors In Spotlight On April Fool's Day

If it wasn't for the Pampa High School seniors you wouldn't know it was April Fool's day. The conventional pranks such as the hat and brick trick, the old purse fake, salt in the coffee, and loaded cigars, are missing here.

Keeping up the annual custom, today is Kid day for the class of 1940 at the high school. Senior boys are wearing short pants, white little girl dresses are being worn by the girls. Hair ribbons, dolls, all-day stickers, and quilt guns are typical accessories seen in high school classes today.

While fantastic gags are the aim of the students, some of the girls have an idea toward attractive costumes, even if it is in the little girl pattern.

Jerry Smith was one of the girls whose costume today reflected this idea. She was attired in a blue dress, white apron, wore blue socks and white shoes, and carried a doll.

Observance of Kid day is limited to the dignified seniors. Classes are being held as usual by all grades but the seniors naturally have a slight edge in mixing a bit of humor with their imitations.

No typical April Fool jokes have been perpetrated at the high school and classes were following the routine.

Flechers Attending Fort Worth Meet

Three hundred delegates from five southwestern states were on hand at Fort Worth today for the opening of the annual joint convention of the Texas Professional and Southwestern Photographers' associations. Attending from Pampa were Mr. and Mrs. Foster Fletcher of Fletcher's studio.

Charles C. Johnson Jr., president of the Fort Worth Advertising club and governor of the tenth district; Fletcher Satterwhite of Chicago, sales manager for a division of the Eastman Kodak company, and J. P. Crow, Fort Worth engraver, were speakers at the morning session.

Afternoon speakers were to include Calvin Whittell, Arpa Anco company; Walter Scott Shinn, of New York City, noted photographer of children, and Guy N. Reid, Fort Worth.

The convention will end at noon Tuesday.

High School Youths Injured In Collision

Herbert Maynard, 18, popular high school athlete, suffered a compound fracture of his left leg, and Burl Foster, 17, received a broken ankle in an automobile-motorcycle collision on U. S. Highway 60 about four miles west of Pampa last night. They were taken to Worley hospital in two Duenkel-Carmichael Funeral home ambulances where this afternoon attending physicians reported their condition favorable.

The injured youths were enroute to Pampa on a motorcycle when the accident happened. The car was driven by Aubrey Pollock, 15-year-old Kingsmill youth.

State Highway Patrolmen, J. B. Wilkinson and G. C. Reese investigated the accident. Foster, owner of the motorcycle, was operating the machine at the time of the accident. Preliminary investigation revealed that the Pollock car was passing another car when the accident happened, the officers said today.

O'Daniel Due To Announce On Wednesday

AUSTIN, April 1 (AP)—Texas embarked today on an extremely active week politically, with the climax due Wednesday night and Thursday.

Governor W. Lee O'Daniel will make a special one-hour broadcast Wednesday night, at which time he promises to answer the question of whether he will run for a second term.

On Thursday, the governor's new paper is due to appear about the same time James A. Farley, chairman of the Democratic national committee, arrives in Texas for a two-day visit. There is no connection except that both events may have a bearing on political developments.

Thursday night Railroad Commissioner Jerry Sadler and his string band will put on a one-hour radio program to launch Sadler's campaign for the governorship.

O'Daniel began this morning a series of daily broadcasts over the Texas State network. At 9:30 to-night, gubernatorial candidate Harry Hines will deliver the first of a weekly series of talks over the Texas Quality network. Albert Derden, who also wants to be governor, is billed to speak at Harlingen tonight and Wharton Thursday.

Announcement of O'Daniel's scheduled Wednesday night program was made during his regular Sunday radio talk.

Most Capitol observers believe that the former Fort Worth flour seller will seek another term. They have been strengthened in that opinion by O'Daniel's decision to publish a weekly paper through the campaign months of April, May, June and July.

The chief executive devoted almost all of his Sunday broadcast to a discussion of facts and possibilities regarding the fast-growing industry, which is centered at Tyler.

News Prints Letter From Crummer Agent

In the "Clearing House" column on the editorial page of today's Pampa News is a letter from C. M. Smith, of Plainview, representative of Crummer & Company, Dallas bond house, in which he answers an editorial that appeared in The News last Friday.

The editorial carried a reproduction of the minutes of the City Commission in 1933 in which the commission went on record to file suit against Brown-Crummer Company over a contract made in 1929.

Mr. Smith, the bonding company representative, takes exception to the editorial, and his statement is published in full on today's editorial page. Arthur M. Teed, city attorney for Pampa in 1933, also requested that the letter be published to give Mr. Smith's side of the story.

Boiler Explodes, Kills Engineer

GREENVILLE, April 1 (AP)—Chief Engineer A. O. England, 54, of the Greenville senior high school, died last night of burns received when the school boiler exploded Saturday.

City Fire Marshall Leo Sommers said apparently a defective gate valve allowed gas to seep into a boiler fire box and the explosion occurred when England attempted to fire the furnace.

Temperatures In Pampa

6 p. m. Sunday	38
9 p. m. Sunday	38
12 Midnight	40
3 a. m. Today	41
7 a. m.	42
8 a. m.	41
9 a. m.	40
10 a. m.	39
11 a. m.	38
12 Noon	37
1 p. m.	36
2 p. m.	35
Sunday's maximum	39

EVANGELIST

Dr. James W. Kramer, above, opened a two-week revival at the First Baptist church yesterday.

Services will begin at 7:30 p. m. each evening. Dr. Kramer arrived in Pampa yesterday from California.

\$750 RETRIEVER TO DO AMAZING FEATS AT SHOW



This beautiful Chesapeake Bay Retriever whose registered name is Sodaks Gypsy Queen, will perform amazing feats at the dog show here next Sunday. She is Frank Dial's dog; he calls her Mickey. Last year at the sportsman show in Amarillo, she attracted large crowds daily, and stole the show from several other dogs entered. She will be handled by Mr. Dial Sunday. She has been used all over the country by hunters, and is valued at \$750.

TRICK TO BE SEEN IN SHOW



Dear Roving Reporter: Am I too young to enter my dog in the dog show April 7? I am two years old. My dog is a Boston Bull, and it can do tricks. Here is a picture of my dog and me. I can shoot a little gun at it and it will play dead. My dog takes care of me while I play. Your friend, Frankie Lee Asher, 515 S. Barnes.

Water Bills Not Yet Mailed To Consumers

Have you wondered why you have not yet received your monthly water bill? Employees in the City water department office stated today that they were working short-handed and that the monthly water bills, usually in the mail two or three days before the first of the month, probably would not be mailed until tonight or tomorrow morning. Tomorrow's election day.

Bills for gas service and electric service were put in the mails Friday. Consumers in Pampa received them Saturday.

Russell Heaves Scorn At Bishop

LOS ANGELES, April 1 (AP)—Revocation of Bertrand Russell's appointment to New York City college on moral grounds was mildly described by the white-haired British philosopher today as "all in a day's work."

His books termed "immoral" and his doctrine "sacrilegious," the pipe-smoking University of California at Los Angeles professor ventured a gentle reproof against Episcopal Bishop William T. Manning of New York.

"I am not interested in sex as is Bishop Manning, who is greatly concerned with it," said the philosopher.

April Fool Dance To Attract Big Crowd

It is April Fool's day, but there's "no foolin'" about the quality of the music that Ned Bradley and his orchestra play.

Dancers at the Adolphus in Dallas, the Roosevelt in New Orleans, and at Texas Tech at Lubbock know the excellence of this orchestra.

The musicians are due to arrive in Pampa at 8:30 tonight. It will be in the nature of a "homecoming" for Bradley, as his orchestra played here when the Southern club ed several years ago, and at the time filled a week's end here.

2000 Eligible To Vote Here On Tuesday

Heated Campaign To Reach Climax Here Tomorrow

In the most "heavily" contested election ever to be held in Pampa, 2,000 voters will go to the polls tomorrow to select the two commissioners and mayor who will administer the affairs of the city for the next two years.

There are two tickets in the field, one composed of the incumbents, Ed S. Carr, mayor, Lynn Boyd and D. W. Osborne, commissioners, candidates for re-election; the other, with Fred Thompson as candidate for mayor, and H. C. Wilson and George B. Gree for commissioners.

A record vote is expected, due to the intense political activity in the past two weeks, climaxed by a series of radio speeches by both factions.

Tomorrow's election is the first of three listed for this month. On Saturday, voters of the Pampa Independent School district will vote on the election of two school trustees.

April 25 is the date of another city election, when Pampa voters will be asked whether or not the city shall purchase the local plant of the Southwestern Public Service company.

Amount of the cost of such a deal is not included in the election question, pending an adjustment of discrepancies claimed in the utility firm's audit of the plant's value, submitted on December 31 last year, and a report of auditors hired by the city, according to the city commission.

The order calling for the April 25 election was passed on March 26, and at that time the commission said they believed it would be possible to determine the amount and include it on the ballots of the April 25 election.

Purchase of the plant and its operation as a municipal utility has been the chief issue in the election, with the incumbents favoring the proposal.

Their opponents have declared themselves as fundamentally opposed to ownership of electric light utilities by the municipality.

Voting place in the election tomorrow will be the city commission room. Polls will open at 8 a. m., close at 7 p. m. Election officials are George W. Briggs, manager, A. A. Tyeman and Mrs. Glen Pool, judges, Alex Schneider and Charles Burton, clerks.

It will be eligible to vote in the election Tuesday, one does not have to be a property taxpayer, but does have to have a poll tax receipt or exemption certificate.

In cases where voters have forgotten to bring these records with them, or the receipt or certificate has been lost, they are to be permitted to vote by making an affidavit.

Electors must have resided in the corporate limits of the city, lived in the state one year, county six months, city six months, be 21 or more years old, and citizens of the United States.

Although tomorrow is election day, members of the city commission will hold their weekly meeting, as Tuesday is the regular date. The meeting will be held at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, at some office in the city hall, other than the commission room, which will be in use as the polling place.

U. S. Citizens Win Meagerly On Races

DUBLIN, April 1 (AP)—Americans shared but meagerly in today's drawing for Irish hospitals sweepstakes prizes on Friday's grand national steeplechase at Antrim, England, holding only three of ten tickets drawn on favored entries.

In the words by which they identified themselves on their ticket stubs, the lucky three were: "A little luck," New York City, who holds a ticket on Professor Second, second favorite at 9 to 1. "Still waiting and hoping," St. John's church, Stapleton, Nebraska, with a ticket on Symethis, fourth favorite at 100 to 6.

"Dizzy, Izzy," Chicago, with a ticket on Sterling Duke, bracketed with Symethis at 100 to 6.

No Americans hold tickets drawn on the 15-2 first favorite, Kilstar, or on the 100-9 third favorite, Royal Danelli.

I Saw...

Clinton Stone, high school senior, and didn't know him because of the kid clothes he wore, including knee-pants well-patched.

Rebekah Lodge Drill Team Will Practice Tuesday

Drill team of Rebekah lodge will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the I. O. O. F. hall for practice.

A regular meeting of the lodge was held recently at the lodge in the hall at which time Mae Forsythe, a member, was reported ill.

Advice On Buying Foods By Weight Given To Women

DALLAS, April 1 (AP)—Women were advised today by R. L. Fuller, chief of the Dallas weights and measures division, not to be bashful about asking the price per pound and the weight of food.

Neither should they be bashful about seeing that the scale pointer reads at zero, he told the Texas State Dietetic association convention.

"Do not say 'fifty cents worth of steak or four pieces of ham.' Be definite. Don't be misled by large containers. Do not chase after bargains offered at ridiculously low prices, for you cannot expect an honest merchant to sell below cost," Dr. Fuller said.

R. M. Fisher, instructor in bacteriology at Baylor medical school, declared true cases of food poisoning were rare and should not be called ptomaine poisoning.

The great majority of food poisonings, he said, are in reality the effect of contamination of foodstuffs by bacteria which can produce disease in man. It would be better to call such conditions food infection, Fisher said.

Mrs. Mary Boling Clark of Southern Methodist University was elected president of the association. Other new officers named were Mrs. Asaletta R. Little, Temple, vice president; Mrs. Blake Bryson Patrick, Houston, secretary; and Miss Helen Seago, Galveston, treasurer.

Members of the nominating committee named were Miss Carolyn Cason, Austin; Dr. Grace Augustine, Denton, chairman; Miss Elizabeth Atkerson, Dallas; Mrs. Johnnie McCreary, Lubbock; Miss Mercedes Carvin Shipman, Abilene; and Miss Jane Sims, Fort Worth.

The group dropped the word "state" from the association's name, making it the Texas Dietetic association.

Girls Debate Team Will Be Selected
A girls debate team to represent Pampa high school in the district tournament here later this month will be selected tonight in room 205 at the high school. Debating will begin at 7:30 o'clock and the public is invited to attend at no cost.

Only three girls will debate and a boy will be selected to put the contest. Debating will be Helen Dudley and Peggy Williamson against Koma, Jo Johnson and a boy to be named by Coach O. F. Shewmaker.

Topic of debate will be "Resolved that the State of Texas should adopt a system of complete medical care for all citizens at public expense."

FRENCH TOAST TREAT
French toast goes fancy when made like this: Spread pineapple-apricot marmalade on 4 slices of hot French toast. Stack and serve at once, cut in wedges or squares. French toast is a fine idea for using up leftover sliced bread.

LEMONS FOR COPPER
Save your leftover lemon halves for cleaning copper. Dip them in salt and rub the stained and discolored articles. Wash well in hot sudsy water, rinse with boiling water and wipe dry.

ROSE BUSHES
All Varieties
10 BUSHES 75c
LOCATION SHAMROCK SERVICE STA.
W. Foster at Somerville

A Royal Peek at a Sister Princess



Princess Maria Pia, daughter of the Italian Crown Prince and Princess, was pictured in Rome recently gazing intently at her month-old sister, Princess Maria Gabriela, asleep in her crib.

KPDN Radio Program

MONDAY AFTERNOON
4:15—News—Studio
4:30—Sustaining Young Orchestra
4:45—Reminders with Romance—WBS
5:15—To Be Announced
5:30—Chic McGreger Orchestra
5:45—Tollins Dramas—Studio
6:15—To Be Announced
6:30—To Be Announced
6:45—To Be Announced
7:00—To Be Announced
7:15—To Be Announced
7:30—To Be Announced
7:45—To Be Announced
8:00—GOODNIGHT!

TUESDAY
7:00—Rise and Shine—WBS
7:30—Coolie Tabernacle
7:45—Lullaby—Studio
8:00—Rhythm and Romance
8:15—Shoppers Guide
8:30—Sam's Club of the Air—Studio
8:45—Your Location of the Week—Studio
9:15—Little Show—WBS
9:30—Novalette
9:45—Piano Meditations—Studio
10:15—Women's Club of the Air
10:30—News—Studio
10:45—Let's Dance
11:15—News—WKY
11:30—Music in the Sky
11:45—Rhythm and Romance—WBS
12:00—Linger-A-While—Studio
12:15—Curtaine Clinic—Studio
12:30—Chicago Grain Market
12:45—Sweet or Swing—Studio
1:15—Rumor Thoughts
1:30—Billy Gilbert—Studio
1:45—Hits and Encores—WBS
2:00—The Semaphor
2:15—Rumor Thoughts
2:30—American Family Robinson
2:45—Rough Riders—WKY
3:00—Christian Science Monitor—Studio
3:15—South American Way
3:30—News—Studio
3:45—Sustaining Young Orchestra
4:00—Sings—WBS
4:15—Rhythm and Romance
4:30—Chic McGreger—Studio
4:45—Sports—WKY
5:15—Talking Drums
5:30—Corshuckers—Studio
5:45—What's the Name of That Song?
6:00—Goodnight—Studio
6:15—GOODNIGHT!

Contest Numbers To Be Played At Band Club Tonight
Woodrow Wilson Band club will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the school for a practice program which will include all of the numbers to be played in the music convention at Plainview.

Selections to be played are as follows:
Honor Band March (Weber), by the band; Randall Clay, baritone solo for grade school; Randall Clay, baritone solo for Junior high school; Henry Clay, clarinet solo for grade school; Garland Ray Dean, clarinet solo for grade school; Judy's Dream Overture (Buchtel), band; J. D. Holland, clarinet solo for grade school; Mary M. Rutherford, clarinet solo for grade school; Bobby Reynolds, bass solo for grade school; Jerry Barber, saxophone solo for grade school; Doris Shackelford, horn solo, grade school; and Bill Tarpley, saxophone solo for Junior high school.

Clarinet duet, Margaret Wilson and Marjorie Wilson, grade school; Wesley Geiger, saxophone solo for grade school; clarinet duet, Mary Rutherford and La Rue Tibbets, grade school; Delmer Belflower, cornet solo for grade school; Wesley Geiger, saxophone solo for Junior high school; saxophone duet, Billy Tarpley and Jerry Barber, grade school; and Fortuna Overture (Zameenik), band.

TO WASH HANDMADE SPREAD
Hand crocheted or knitted bedspreads can be dry-cleaned, of course, but if you prefer to wash them yourself, it can be done quite successfully at home without difficulty. Use plenty of warm, mild soap and "wet" the spread during the entire cleansing by adding more soap when the lather appears to deaden. Immerse the spread and squeeze the suds through it over and over. If the spread is very soiled, use a second side bath. Rinse several times in clear warm water, pressing out the excess water carefully and holding so that the weight of the water does not stretch the spread out of shape. Planning the spread on a sheet before drying over the line also helps to keep it even. Pressing usually is not necessary, but if you wish to accentuate the design, press on the wrong side with a cool iron.

To sell for human consumption a potato weighing more than one pound is against the law in England.

Build-Up Good News For Suffering Women
Much of women's periodic distress may be unnecessary! Many who suffer from headaches, nervousness, cramp-like pains, other symptoms of functional dysmenorrhea due to malnutrition are helped by CARDUI. Each month why it helps relieve periodic distress is by increasing appetite and flow of gastric juice. Thus it often aids digestion; helps build strength; energy; resistance to cardiac disturbances.

Others find help for periodic discomfort this way: Start a few days before and take CARDUI until "the time" has passed. Women have used CARDUI for more than 50 years.

Have you seen this?
antenn

GREXNEY DRUG STORE

Ten Counties Of Gray County HD Council Meet

Gray County Home Demonstration Council met in regular monthly session Saturday afternoon in the office of the county agent, Mrs. E. J. Kelley, with Mrs. J. S. Fuqua presiding and Mrs. O. G. Smith as secretary.

Ten clubs, Ben Jack, Bluebonnet, Eastside, Hopkins, Kingsmill, Laketon, Wayside, Wilcox, and Sunshine, were represented with a total attendance of 28.

Reports were heard from chairmen of the standing committees, educational by Mrs. C. W. Moore; exhibit, Mrs. Jesse Morris; finance, Mrs. S. J. Meador; and reporter, Mrs. Luther Petty.

Mrs. Kelley stressed the attendance of various meetings at her office throughout the month which are as follows: Training school and annual camp, April 8; recreation school, April 8; and reporters school, April 8. She also announced the material which is to be brought to training school.

After adjournment a group of women representing the Business and Professional Women's club gave a program on "An Eye of Knowledge of Better Service." Those on the program were Miss Clara Lee Shewmaker, Mmes. W. L. Pullman, Ernest Gee, Leonard Olson, F. A. Hall, and Ed Fowler.

Mrs. Culberson Presides At Girl Scout Meeting
Due to the illness of the leader, Mrs. Ralph Thomas, Girl Scouts of troop one did not have a regular meeting last week. Mrs. F. M. Culberson acted as leader in the brief session conducted.

Those present were Betty Johnson, Juanita Osborne, Mollie Kennedy, Robbie Lee Russell, Della Mae Foster, Mary Lou Douglas, Frances Deering, Leola Hogsett, Doris Jean Baines, Virginia Washington, Erna Lee Kennedy, Elmarie Allen, Velma Faye and Thelma Mave Osborne, members, three visitors, Helen Johnson, Marylyn Hasten, Lucille Egan, and acting leader, Mrs. F. M. Culberson.

LaRosa Sorority Meets Saturday To Plan Activities
La Rosa sorority met in the home of Miss Betty Lou Batton Saturday afternoon.

The formal dance which was formerly planned has been postponed until a later date. On April 13 the group will attend a preview and go to the home of Doris Taylor for a slumber party.

Refreshments of cherry pie topped with whipped cream and lemon tarts were served by Betty Lou Batton, Edna Earle Densmore, Evelyn Barnes, Inez Shaw, Kathleen Pevler, Betty Mounts, Doris Taylor, and the sponsor, Mrs. Noble Mounts.

PLANTS NEED THEIR VITAMINS
Science and chemistry have made modern gardening practically foolproof. For instance, Vitamin B1 has recently been stabilized in liquid form. A little of this liquid—actually one drop in a pint of fresh water—is said to promote rapid growth, strength and vigor. The vitaminized solution should be used only twice a week and better results are obtained if the solution is mixed fresh each time the plants are watered with it. If the plants need extra waterings, use plain water. Indoor gardeners find this treatment particularly helpful.

HEART INTEREST
RITA HAYWORTH, Hollywood star, wears her heart on her pocket instead of her sleeve. The early spring dress is of gray wool, the heart-shaped pocket in dark blue with a smaller bright red heart in the center of it.

The Social CALENDAR

TUESDAY
Mrs. C. P. Buckler will be hostess to Amalgam Bridge club at 2:30 o'clock.
High School Parent-Teacher Association will meet in the high school auditorium at 2:15 o'clock earlier than on Thursday.
I.O.O.F. club will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Dan Smith for a monthly meeting.

Worship Women's Missionary society will meet at 2 o'clock at the school.
Order of Eastern Star will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the Masonic hall.
Ladies Bible class of Francis Avenue Church of Christ will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the church.

Nazarene Women's Missionary society will meet at 2 o'clock.
Order of Eastern Star will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the Masonic hall.
Business and Professional Women's club will have an executive board meeting at 7:30 o'clock in the city club rooms.
Y.W.A. will meet in the Amaranth mission.

Mrs. Fred Ferguson will be hostess to Happy Homers.
Catholic Youth Association will meet at 8 o'clock in the parochial school with Margaret Jones, Lewis Jones, and Kay Critchlow as hosts and hostesses.
Tuesday Night Club will observe husband's night with a dinner-bridge in the home of Mrs. C. H. Schulkey, 907 Murray street, with Mrs. Carl Bostick as hostess.

Debutante team of Rebekah lodge will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the I.O.O.F. hall for practice.
Child Study club sponsored by A.A.U.W. will have a regular meeting in the city club rooms at 2:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY
Winning membership team of V.F.W. auxiliary will be entertained with a supper at 7 o'clock in the home of Mrs. E. S. Vio, 613 West Browning avenue, by the bowlers.
Masonic lodge will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the Masonic hall for study.
Church of Christ will meet at 2:30 o'clock. Group one, Mrs. Robert Gilchrist, North Wayne street; two, Mrs. W. L. Parker, Shell camp south of city; three, Mrs. Alta Starnard, 139 North Russell, with Mrs. Charles Benefield as co-hostesses; four, Mrs. G. R. Harvey, Kingsmill, Columbia carbon plant; five, Mrs. Ed Moxey, 822 North Banks, with Mrs. Charles Darling as co-hostesses; and six, Mrs. Ted Halbig, 310 North Sumner street, with Mrs. Bill Fannon and Mrs. R. L. Norris as co-hostesses.

Women's Missionary Society of Central Baptist church will meet at the church at 2:30 o'clock for a Royal Service program.
Women's Auxiliary of St. Matthew's Episcopal church will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the rectory.
Order of Eastern Star Study club will meet in the Masonic hall for study.
Beth Home Demonstration club will meet in the home of Mrs. Conner O'Neal for a program.

Parish Council of Holy Souls Catholic church will meet.
Worship Women's Missionary society of Harrah Chapel will meet at 2 o'clock.
A meeting of Women's Auxiliary of Central Baptist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the annex.
Salvation Army will meet at 2 o'clock in the Salvation Army hall.
Ladies Bible class of Central Church of Christ will meet at 2:30 o'clock.
Women's Missionary society of Central Baptist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock.
A weekly meeting of Kilt Kat Club will be held at 8 o'clock in the city club rooms.
Mrs. Robert L. Freemy will be hostess to Wednesday Contract club at a bridge-lunch at 2 o'clock in the city club rooms.
Coterie will have a weekly meeting at 7:30 o'clock.
Clara Hill Study group of First Methodist church will meet at 2 o'clock in the church.

THURSDAY
Contract club will meet at 1 o'clock in the home of Mrs. M. F. Roche for a luncheon.
Church of Christ will meet at 2 o'clock in the rectory.
Central Baptist church will hold a church council of clubs will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the city club rooms for a monthly session.
Girl Scouts of troop one will meet at 4:15 o'clock in the Boy Scout room of First Methodist church.
A monthly meeting of Susanah Wesley class of First Methodist church will be held in the school mothersingers will meet at 3:45 o'clock at school.
A weekly meeting of Rebekah lodge will be held at 2:30 o'clock in the I.O.O.F. hall.
Fidels class of Central Baptist church will meet at the church at 2 o'clock for visitation and business.
Young Women's society of First Presbyterian church will meet at 8 o'clock in the home of Miss Bernice Lutzard.
Texas Sewing club will meet in the home of Mrs. Buck Bartz.

FRIDAY
Mrs. Mae Skelton will be hostess to Entre Nous club at 2:30 o'clock.
Dorcas class of Central Baptist church will have a business meeting and study in the home of Mrs. R. E. Warren at the North Phillips camp.
Executive board will meet at 9:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Frank Perry.
Home Study club of Couples class of First Methodist church will meet at 8 o'clock in the Masonic hall.
Order of Eastern Star will meet at 8 o'clock in the Masonic hall.

MONDAY
Contemporary Literature group of American Association of University Women will meet at 2 o'clock in the city club rooms.
Women's Missionary Society of First Baptist church will meet in circles at 2:30 o'clock.
Eight circles of Women's Missionary society of First Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock.
Calvary Baptist Women's Missionary society will meet at 2:30 o'clock.
Weekly meeting of McCullough Memorial Women's Missionary society will be held at 2 o'clock.
Mrs. A. E. Shaw will be hostess to Thimbletoss Sewing club.

Members of the local Order of Eastern Star will go to Canadian where they will have a business meeting and study at 8 o'clock in the Masonic hall.
A regular meeting of the Graduate Nurses club will be held at 8 o'clock.
Troop three Girl Scouts will meet at 4 o'clock in the little house.

THIS WEEK IN PAMPA THEATERS
LA NORA
Today and Tuesday: "Northwest Passage," Spencer Tracy, Robert Young, Walter Brennan, Ruth Hussey.
Wednesday and Thursday: "Blondie on a Budget," Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake, Larry Simms.
Friday and Saturday: "The Sign of the Cross," David Niven and Olivia de Havilland.

REX
Today and Tuesday: "Castle on the Hudson," John Garfield, Aim Sheridan, Pat O'Brien, "Clinging Trouble," with Frankie Darro.
Friday and Saturday: "Roll, Wagons Roll," with Tex Ritter. New serial, short subjects, and news.

STATE
Last times today: "First Love," Deanna Durbin, Robert Stack, Helen Parrish, and Eugene Pallette.
Tuesday: "Blondie Brings Up Baby," Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake, Larry Simms.
Wednesday and Thursday: "The Secret of St. Killdare," Lew Ayres, Lionel Barrymore.
Friday and Saturday: "Ride 'Em, Cowboy," John Wayne.
CROWN
Today and Tuesday: "Millionaire

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CONGRESS LADY
Mrs. Sanford To Be Guest Speaker At Child Study

Child Study club sponsored by the American Association of University Women will have a regular meeting in the city club rooms Tuesday, April 2, at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Ed Lamb and Mrs. R. E. Eideleit as hostesses.

Roll call will be answered by each member giving an attractive way to serve central or a vegetable.

Mrs. E. Plank is to discuss "Cooking for Your Child." Mrs. R. H. Sanford is to be guest speaker, selecting her subject.

The nursery will be held in room 212 of the high school.

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They Tell It To The Diaries

It was scarcely surprising to learn that Londoners have been buying more diaries since the war began—locked ones, at that.

During the war, all citizens, even in democratic Britain, are expected to be of one mind. And, people being what they are, can never be unanimous in thought.

These are things one can't learn easily from statistics. Only the people themselves, and to some extent, the diaries, hold the answer.

'Remember The Purge'

It was almost inevitable that, while Congress was talking about the proposed extensions to the Hatch "clean politics" act, someone should remember the presidential purges of 1938.

The restrictions on political activity imposed on government workers, and now proposed for state workers paid partly with federal funds, preclude the President and his cabinet. Nevertheless, the moral responsibility of these officers to accept the same kind of treatment meted out to lesser federal employes is very plain.

Senators and representatives who fall out of grace with any administration have a right to expect that their fate be left solely in the hands of the voters. They have an equal right to resent any executive meddling in affairs that are strictly state business.

The Nation's Press

GETTING AHEAD BY GOING BACK (Kansas City Star)

Since the depression got under way in 1932 there has been a prevalent disposition to attribute the trouble to overproduction. The thing looked simple. At the bottom of the depression there was more than could be sold of almost everything.

The formula worked part way. Production was limited, prices went up, but there was an important exception to the happiness produced. That vast part of the population known as consumers failed to cheer up. It proved that in the framing of the plan the consumer was the forgotten man.

The plain fact was—and is—that while production may be unbalanced, while there may be over-production here and there, the general demand for goods and services is unlimited. What is always needed is not fewer goods and services, but more.

In spite of the lesson of the NRA we have continued to try other experiments along the same line—with the conspicuous exception of the Hull trade agreements program which is based on the sensible idea that a large volume of trade at reasonable prices is better than an artificially restricted volume at excessive prices.

The latest proposal to lower the standard of living by making goods more expensive comes from Senator O'Mahoney of Wyoming. He would slap a tax on the use of machinery and would pay a bonus out of the public treasury to employers with the greater ratio of man power.

Senator O'Mahoney is the head of the temporary national economic committee which has been trying to find out how our system works. His conclusion is the machinery tax proposal seems to be the way to make it work is to turn it back a century or two and discard all the progress made in that time.

It is that theory and not machinery that needs to be scrapped. When production is encouraged and restraints are loosened up there will be more employment. And it won't cost the public treasury a penny.

Behind The News

WASHINGTON, April 1—The dust hasn't settled yet, but when it does there is every chance that Congress will be found to have ditched economy for good.

The Senate's action in hiking the farm bill did more than just wreck that one chance for a big saving. It was a way-paver for more wreckage later.

ABANDONED

What happened to the farm bill was perfectly simple. In 1938 Congress voted that the farmer ought to get close to the 1909-14 average price on five basic crops—cotton, wheat, corn, tobacco and rice.

Although F. D. R. didn't include any nonpayments in the current budget, he left the door open by saying that he hoped market prices would go up to the 75

Sharing The Comforts Of Life --

By R. C. Hoiles

GUARANTEED USE OF ALL POWER FOR OWN USE

(Quoted from "What Social Classes Owe Each Other")

"The notion of civil liberty which we have inherited is that of a status created for the individual by laws and institutions, the effect of which is that each man is guaranteed the use of all this own powers exclusively for his own welfare. It is not at all a matter of elections, or universal suffrage, or democracy. All institutions are to be tested by the degree to which they guarantee liberty. It is not to be admitted for a moment that liberty is a means to social ends, and that it may be impaired for major considerations. Any one who so argues has lost the bearing and relation of all the facts and factors in a free state. A human being has a life to live, a career to run. He is a centre of powers to work, and capacities to suffer. What his powers may be—whether they can carry him far or not; what his chances may be, whether wide or restricted; what his fortune may be, whether to suffer much or little—are questions of his personal destiny which he must work out and endure as he can; but for all that concerns the bearing of the society and its institutions upon that man, and upon the sum of happiness to which he can attain during his life on earth, the product of all history and all philosophy up to this time is summed up in the doctrine, that he should be left free to do the most for himself that he can, and should be guaranteed the exclusive enjoyment of all that he does. If the society—that is to say, in plain terms, if his fellow-men, either individually, by groups, or in a mass—impinge upon him otherwise than to surround him with neutral conditions of security, they must do so under the strictest responsibility to justify themselves. Jealousy and prejudice against all such interferences are high political virtues in a free man. It is not at all the function of the State to make men happy. They must make themselves happy in their own way, and at their own risk. The functions of the State lie entirely in the conditions or chances under which the pursuit of happiness is carried on, so far as those conditions or chances can be affected by civil organization. Hence, liberty for labor and security for earnings are the ends for which civil institutions exist, not means which may be employed for ulterior ends.

"Now, the cardinal doctrine of any sound political system is, that rights and duties should be in equilibrium. A monarchical or aristocratic system is not immoral, if the rights and duties of persons and classes are in equilibrium, although the rights and duties of different persons and classes are unequal. An immoral political system is created whenever there are privileged classes—that is, classes who have arrogated to themselves rights while throwing the duties upon others. In a democracy all have equal political rights. That is the fundamental political principle. A democracy, then, becomes immoral, if all have not equal political duties. This is unquestionably the doctrine which needs to be reiterated and inculcated beyond all others, if the democracy is to be made sound and permanent. Our orators and writers never speak of it, and do not seem often to know anything about it; but the real danger of democracy is, that the classes which have the power under it will assume all the rights and reject all the duties—that is, that they will use the political power to plunder those who have. Democracy, in order to be true to itself, and to develop into a sound working system, must oppose the same cold resistance to any claims for favor—on the ground of poverty, as on the ground of birth and rank. It can no more admit to public discussion, as within the range of possible action, any schemes for coddling and helping wage receivers than it could entertain schemes for restricting political power to wage-payers. It must put down schemes for making "the right" pay for whatever "the poor" want, just as it tramples on the old theories that only the rich are fit to regulate society. One needs but to watch our periodical literature to see the danger the democracy will be construed as a system of favoring a new privileged class of the many and the poor."

Happiness is a by-product of an effort to make some one else happy.—Gretta Palmer.

per cent level; said he wasn't abandoning the idea of parity, and that "future events may call for some appropriation to this end."

All the Senate did was walk through that door, egged on by such leaders as Senators Russell, Bankhead and Lee. On past performance, it was even fairly moderate. Thus—

For the 1939 fiscal year, Congress gave the Department of Agriculture \$1,139,736,000, including \$212,000,000 for parity. For 1940, it voted \$1,274,096,000, including \$225,000,000 for parity. What the Senate did was raise a budget estimate of \$887,230,000 to \$922,864,000, including \$212,000,000 for parity; in addition, it authorized RFC to lend \$90,000,000 for rural electrification and farm tenancy.

ECONOMY ALMOST FRIENDLESS

Real economizers are few, when the farmer is concerned and it's election year. In the Senate, only Byrd of Virginia made a real fight against this increase. In the House, you can bank on Woodrum of Virginia and Taber of New York, but the chances are the House will over-ride them.

It is what is apt to follow the farm bill that is important.

A move to boost the WPA appropriation is gaining headway. The budget calls for approximately \$1,000,000,000 for this purpose; it is figured this would keep an average of 1,325,000 people on the rolls. Already Congressman Cochran of Missouri has demanded that the appropriation be made big enough to care for a million additional persons.

VETERANS WANT MORE

Pending in the House, and due to get strong support, is a bill to pay pensions to 65-year-old World War veterans, or their widows. Initial cost is estimated at \$90,000,000 a year. Aid for war veterans is just about as touchy an election-year subject for economizers as aid to farmers.

There are other items, too. Congressman Collins of Mississippi is fighting to raise the National Youth Administration appropriation from \$85,000,000 to \$100,000,000. A drive for a \$175,000,000 rivers and harbors bill is next.

And the bars that were taken down when the Senate increased the farm bill are likely to stay down.

'I've Got A Good Mind To Throw That Guy Over'



Around Hollywood

By ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD, April 1—short takes: Wallace Beery wants to hold the world premiere of "20 Mule Team" in its desert locale. Says he'll install a projection machine in Dead Man's Cave, which is in Coffin Canyon of the Funeral Mountains along Death Valley. And he'll invite the miners who work the graveyard shift.

Metro has bought, ready-made in England, a powerful picture titled "The Stars Look Down"—a sort of "Grapes of Wrath" concerning conditions among English coal miners.

The feminine star, Margaret Lockwood, will be brought here for more films. Studio executives thought they had made a discovery until they were reminded that Miss Lockwood worked for Paramount in "Ruler of the Seas" last year and returned to England after Metro and other studios refused to hire her.

MEXICAN MOVIES ARE SOMETIMES BAD

Gloomy thought for the day: New Federal statistics show that there are 27,129 motion picture theaters in the world. Most of 'em show double bills. . . . You're lucky living in this country. Some of the films made in Mexico are so bad that a theater chain pays a 1000-peso fine rather than exhibit a few of them.

Lloyd Nolan got a Hollywood contract as a result of his success in the play, "One Sunday Afternoon," and it will be filmed with Jimmy Cagney in the lead. To complete the twist, Nolan probably will appear in "Cagney Movie Town's" attention.

Elsa Maxwell and Warners are still talking a Tugboat Annie series. . . . Back in 1914, Cecil DeMille gave Wallace Reid his first real break in a flicker rightly named "The Golden Chariot." Now DeMille has signed Wallace Reid, Jr. in his first important role, for the Northwest Mounted Police picture.

SPRING PEP UP STUDIO ACTIVITY

In the spring, about this time, the movie factories become feverishly active. This year, war or no war, several super-doppers are beginning: Clark Gable, Spencer Tracy, Claudette Colbert and Hedy Lamarr are in Metro's lusty "Boom Town," and a 10-acre Texas oil town has been built on the back lot. Frank Lloyd's "Tree of Liberty" and Wesley Ruggles' "Arizona" are ready for the cameras, and so are Hal Roach's "Captain Caution" and two under Edward Small—"South of Pago Pago" and "Son of Monte Cristo."

Significantly, there are not many biographical films on current schedules. Exhibitors have been insisting that the public is tired of them. Even Mickey Rooney and the magic name of Edison failed to win the expected response to "Young Tom Edison," although by any standards the picture itself is excellent. Studio has its fingers crossed on the forthcoming "Edison the Man," with Tracy.

Robert Taylor and Dona Massey are set for "Incident in Java." It's a semi-musical adapted from a play, "Dawn of Hope," and has nothing to do with "Illusion in Java." . . . Carole Landis has had her nose bobbed. . . . Martin Dies, who'll look for Communists here, is described as a man who wants to paint the town red.

If the valve cap is not replaced after putting air in an automobile tire, the possibility of a flat is greatly increased.

Germany has public typewriters, which permit an operator 1000 strokes on insertion of a coin in a special attachment.

People You Know

By Archer Fullingim

N. L. Welton who lives three miles east of town has just come through a devastating experience, and he is sore from his stomach to the top of his head. Reason was that he had the hiccupps for three days. He "hiccupped" day and night. The doctor gave him shots and he became violently ill. That Saturday night he went to bed and woke up without them. He says that there is a spot on the top of his head that is as sore as a boil. . . .

The prettiest thing in town this morning was the pear tree in full bloom in Mrs. B. E. Finley's front yard, and all the par trees and peach trees in town are in bloom. . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Jones who moved from Pampa to Beaumont, Calif., Jan. 27 for Mr. Jones' health, want to say hello to all their friends here, "especially Dr. Bellamy and Dr. Jones. And does Dr. Jones make a good comedian. I saw the write-up in the paper." Mrs. Jones also wrote that they have a modern tourist court and cafe five miles from Banning, a health resort on highways 60, 70 and 99, "with mountains in front and back with snow on top of them." And an telling you that we will be glad to have any of you good Pampans that vacation out this way to stop and visit with us." The Jones are natives of Texas and came to Pampa in 1927. "We do miss the paper, also the grand people of Pampa. We had to leave on account of Mr. Jones' health. . . . California is beautiful, lots of fruit trees all in bloom. . . . Think we can't do without the Pampa News." . . . We hope that Mr. and Mrs. Jones who signed herself a "true Texan" will like it out there, and that if they don't Mr. Jones' health will improve to the extent that they can come back. . . .

So They Say

ABOVE all, restore the national economic confidence which will give American private business—tumbled and stunted for eight sterile years—to produce the new wealth which will give us an annual income of eighty, one, hundred millions. —Senator ARTHUR VANDENBERG (Rep., Mich.)

I HOPE and pray that never again should we have to send our youth to shed their blood in foreign fields, either to make the world safe for democracy or to end ill-wish.

Archbishop MICHAEL J. CURLEY of Baltimore, installed as leader of new archdiocese in District of Columbia.

ITALY cannot be called a neutral state, for neutrality is static and immobile. Italian policy is dynamic and always has been so since the creation of her empire—that is, from the time of sanctions and the Ethiopian war.

—ALESSANDRO PAVOLINI, Italian minister for popular culture.

The truth is that planned economy is socialism, and socialism cannot be carried out by deliberative legislative bodies. —Senator ROBERT A. TAFT (Rep., Ohio)

If the federal government can penalize state officers and lay penalties upon county governments, the federal government can destroy

RIGHT OR WRONG ABOUT PEOPLE

By DONALD A. LAIRD

WHY DON'T MORE MARRIED MEN GO CRAZY? Two people may not be able to live as cheaply as one, but the records for many years show that they apparently live more sanely than one.

Reports from nearly 600 hospitals for mental patients throughout the U. S. show that unmarried men and women are most likely to develop a mental disorder. This is nothing new, but has been happening steadily year after year.

Being married may thus appear to be a good way to ward off a mental breakdown. Specialists attribute hygiene of having someone with whom to talk over troubles, partly to family life being more normal for human beings than life in a rooming house and partly to the benefits of the feeling that someone cares for us.

We must also recognize that a proportion of unmarried people are still single because they have some budding peculiarities which not only make it more difficult for them to get married but also may be early signs of a coming mental breakdown.

Divorced people, for instance, have a high incidence of mental disorder; and in many divorce cases, it is obvious to the expert that the divorce itself is a symptom of mental instability. In those cases, the divorce does not cause the mental trouble, but is a consequence of it.

There is one class of persons, however, for whom marriage is usually hazardous to mental health. In this group fall those women who enjoy women's company more than men's and marry largely to be conventional or to get a home, and those men who find men's companionship more interesting than women's.

Marriage in such instances—perhaps one person out of 40 or 50—is dangerous, according to the psychiatrists. It may precipitate an acute mental panic for which the best cure is to give up marriage and live alone and like it.

Many people have married for worse reasons than to help keep them sane. The trick is to be sane enough at the outset to get married.

STAMP NEWS

ECUADOR will honor its famous citizens with a series of five postage and five airmail values. Subjects for the stamps have not been announced. Postal authorities at Quito also have announced the issue of Pan American Union commemoratives in four postage and four airmail values.

Spain is issuing a series of 25 semi-postals commemorating the 19th centenary of Notre Dame del Pilar, with surtax designated for restoration of the shrine. The designs will depict the legend of the coming of the Virgin of the Pillar to Saragossa. The series will be issued in 14 postage and 10 airmail stamps, and a special delivery.

Cessation of hostilities in Finland is not expected to alter plans for the issue of four Finnish semi-postals, for the Red Cross. The designs include soldiers with cross-bows, Finnish horsemen of the Thirteen Years War, soldiers of Charles XII of Sweden, and officers of the war with Russia in 1808.

Venezuela will issue a 25-cent postage stamp May 15, to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the birth of Gen. Jose Antonio Paez, Venezuela's first president

the counties within the states and the states themselves. —Senator TOM CONNALLY (Dem., Tex.)

Tex's Topics

By Tex DeWeese

This change of brand in the content of today's column is going to give me as much pleasure as it does you. . . . And, by the way, what have you been doing since you got tired of reading and hearing about politics? . . . Best of the campaign stories I heard was the one about the fellow who was asked to give his opinion about the equator, and who said he didn't like to say anything because he had friends on both sides. . . . But, let's skip it.

YOU don't need to tell the census-taker how much you earn. You can whisper it in Uncle Sam's ear. . . . A New England town re-elected a young mother as police chief. What would the feminine equivalent of that be? . . . A Missouri coed is studying to become a veterinary surgeon. Maybe it's because horses pay their bills more promptly than human patients. . . . A Nebraska woman wants to prevent tavern loungers from "setting 'em up" for her dog because the pet has been returning from his walks in a slightly woozy condition lately. Case of a dog who just can't say no.

THE best of tom-toms in the jungle is said to have led many persons to the brink of insanity. . . . At the Bellevue Psychiatric hospital in Boston, however, psychologists have discovered that jungle drums and music have the effect of leading "problem children" back to normality. . . . The dances, which the youngsters are urged to join, have revealed many of their inner problems, according to aurette Bender and Miss Franciska Boss, who have been conducting the experiments. . . . If the jitterbug craze, which is allied to jungle dancing, can help us recover some of the sanity we've lost during the past 20 years, maybe there's something in it after all.

SOME citizens still insist they will refuse to answer certain of the census questions. Their personal affairs, they contend, are matters strictly between themselves and the finance company. . . . We can at least look forward to the pleasant prospect that a year from now the third term issue will be as out of date as the Lambert Walk.

A university student was fined \$5 for saying "boo" to a policeman. The young man should have been complimented for his restraint. . . . The millennium will be much closer when headline writers finally forget about "Gone With the Wind."

PEOPLE who think coyotes are cute are having them sent east for pets, thereby causing the neighbors who have seven dogs and a flock of chickens to complain of the prairie animals as nuisances. . . . A Pennsylvania beauty queen wants a husband who can boss her, she says. Anyone will if she gives him half a chance. . . . Both Paul McNutt and J. Edgar Hoover are accused of having too much glamor. Looks as if better times are ahead for the boys and girls who aren't the Life of the Party.

Over the 600-acre reserve of virgin timberland the visitors will ride on the dogwood trail—a drive banked by solid dogwood trees. The drive takes tourists through the

Each inhabitant of Greater London makes an average of 487 trips a year by train, tramway, or bus.

If you walked the coastline of Maine, it would measure about 2500 miles, yet the two ends are only 225 miles apart by air.

Davey Lake trail, rich in rustic beauty.

The Reagan-Campbell trail leads through small farms now in cultivation for the new growing season.

Dogwoods In Bloom In Palestine Area

PALESTINE, April 1 (AP)—The Dogwood trail was in bloom today and Palestine, a city of 15,000, prepared for the influx of some 80,000 guests the next few days.

Over the 600-acre reserve of virgin timberland the visitors will ride on the dogwood trail—a drive banked by solid dogwood trees. The drive takes tourists through the

You and Your Nation's Affairs

CURRENCY INFLATION AND THE PRICE LEVEL

By WALTER E. SPAHR Professor of Economics, New York University

"One noticeable thing about these days," said a businessman to me recently, "is that there is no longer any talk about currency inflation. Apparently the present inflationary purchasing power can blow up in our faces, just as it did in 1929."

The confusion of thinking is due to the inaccurate and loose definition of inflation which pervades people's thoughts. In action exists when purchasing power, either in the form of money or credit, has been gathered, which is not secured by reserves or collateral sufficient to liquidate it when it matures. In the briefest possible words, the definition of inflation is that it is an increase in the amount of money or credit in circulation which is not secured by reserves or collateral sufficient to liquidate it when it matures. The test of an inflated condition is the date of settlement—not the fact that credit has been extended. If obligations can be met, well and good, they cannot, there has been inflation.

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Date Of Tournament Of Champions Not Decided

Date of the Tournament of Champions, when boxing champions of the north and south districts of the Pampa High School Boxing League meet, will be decided within the next couple of days. The date will be announced by President Toby Waggoner of LeFurs.

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Now the tournament can be held either this week or next, depending on opinion of coaches. A vote is being taken by letter whether to hold the tournament this Friday night or not until next week.

BITS ABOUT BOWLING

Pampa women bowlers won several prizes in the Amarillo Invitation tournament Saturday night and yesterday. The Coca Cola team won third money in the team event while Modern Pharmacy placed sixth and Standard Food seventh.

Coca-Cola				
Weeks	128	143	185	456
Leudert	155	127	139	421
Cox	144	115	138	497
Hines	124	125	131	380
Hegwer	120	125	119	421
Handicap	69	69	69	207
TOTAL	779	756	839	2383

Modern Pharmacy				
Freeman	120	113	170	403
Whittle	111	129	158	398
Berry	122	121	132	375
Johnson	160	130	114	404
Stewart	127	118	109	354
Handicap	119	119	119	357
TOTAL	749	736	802	2286

Standard Food				
Swanson	144	121	155	420
Voss	145	121	132	398
Lynch	145	106	127	378
Lewter	135	124	102	361
Murphy	161	146	148	455
Handicap	89	89	89	267
TOTAL	788	735	750	2273

Clarendon				
Taylor	124	116	129	369
C. Means	171	177	137	485
Bain	168	151	174	493
Myatt	125	125	119	411
B. Means	173	154	149	476
Handicap	119	119	119	357
TOTAL	782	750	708	2240

Dr. Pepper, Pampa				
Weeks	187	190	167	544
Huff	183	209	186	578
Maynard	145	142	123	410
McWright	177	179	181	537
Sprinkle	173	145	191	509
Handicap	119	119	119	357
TOTAL	865	880	838	2583

Magnolia Pet. Co.				
Fager	132	134	124	400
White	135	184	104	423
Smith	139	131	184	454
Bozeman	138	111	116	365
Mosley	146	131	146	423
Handicap	69	69	69	207
TOTAL	691	691	686	2066

Jones-Everett Co.				
Fuller	101	107	192	400
Hollenbeck	144	160	164	468
Gwin	93	112	169	374
Walker	150	165	116	431
Handicap	119	119	119	357
TOTAL	613	718	786	2117

The Mormon Tabernacle, Salt Lake City, is 250 by 150 feet, and the great domed ceiling has no supports other than the outside walls.

Annually, approximately 40,000,000 feet of lumber are consumed in the manufacture of lead pencils for American use.

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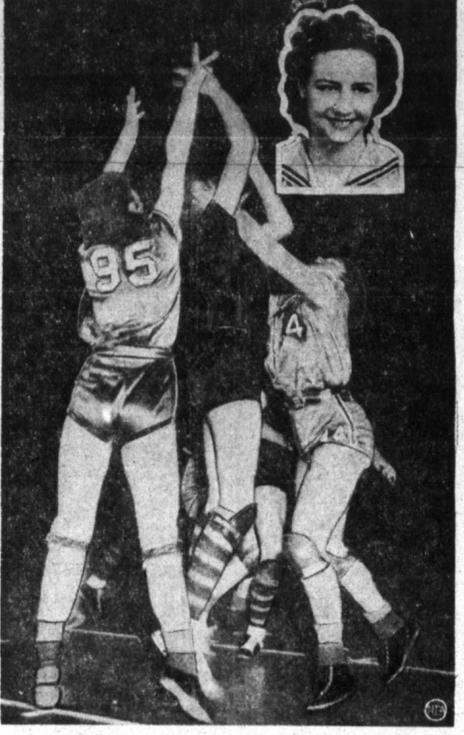
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GALVESTON ANICOS BEATEN



In the Woman's National A. A. U. basketball tournament at St. Joseph, Mo., an underdog Nashville, Tenn., business college team wrestled from the Galveston, Texas, Anicos, cage crown they had held for two years. In the photo dark-uniformed Mary Banks of Nashville sinks a shot in spite of vigorous opposition from Ruth Jones (95) and Ruth (Dizzy) Dean (44) of the Anicos. Inset is attractive Wayside High school forward, Lucille Moore, who was selected queen of the tournament. The Texas girl is a senior at Wayside High school.

Demaret Has Everything But Killer Instinct, Say Friends

By WILLIAM T. RIVES HOUSTON, April 1 (AP)—Sammy Snead and Willie Laguire, the master instructor, were chinning during an overnight intermission of the Western Open Golf tournament. Maguire was warning up to his favorite subject—Jimmy Demaret, black-haired, blue-eyed, darling of golf—when Snead cut in. Sam was a stroke to the good at the halfway mark and right proud of his game.

Banquet Will Honor Uncle Billy Disch

By FELIX R. McKNIGHT AUSTIN, April 1 (AP)—College baseball's old silver fox, William J. (Uncle Billy) Disch, sits down at the banquet table here next Thursday night to hear 40 years of his fabulous past poured into brief, long-delayed tributes.

Old Uncle Billy, wrinkled and snow-haired but still as solid at 65 as any youngster who steals second base on his University of Texas teams, will be circled by the greats—some of those he has blossomed in 30 years of tutoring the Longhorns.

Not many college coaches have had longer continuous careers than Uncle Billy. Over his hawk-nose and through squinting eyes he has watched such jacks as Frank (Pinkie) Higgins, Bib Falk, Ernie Koy, Oscar Eckhardt and others jump from his school to major league stints. Baseball knows no craftier man than the lovable old fellow who is content to take teen-age kids by the plastic leathers and shape them into some of the finest college baseball units.

Uncle Billy starts on his twenty-fifth Southwest conference campaign favored to win his twenty-first title. The banquet is just the "kickoff" to another conceded pennant. Celebrities by the hundreds will be there. Maybe they'll tell the story that goes back almost to the turn of the century, when Uncle Billy was coaching at St. Edward's university in Austin. Some of the old-timers swear it's true.

Hogan Takes Golf Tourney At Asheville

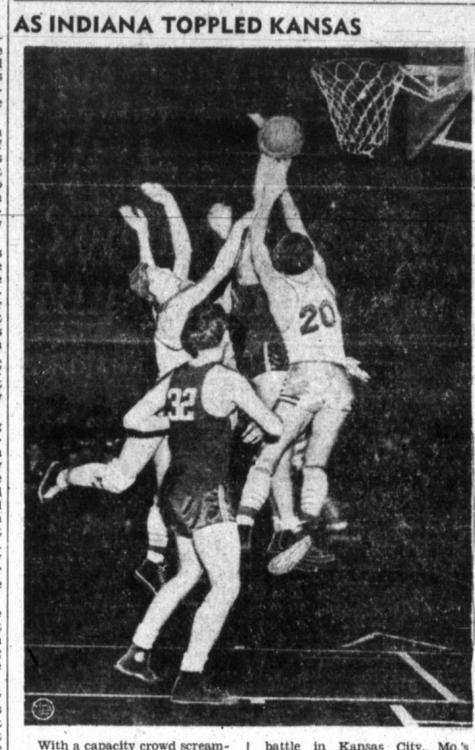
By BILL PONT ASHEVILLE, N. C., April 1 (AP)—It is singularly inappropriate to be writing about Ben Hogan on All Fool's day. For the last two weeks we have been watching young Hogan work a major miracle, and he certainly has been nobody's fool.

He won the \$1,800 first prize in the "land of the sky" open golf tournament yesterday. It was his third straight victory. It brought his winnings over that stretch to \$3,400. It made him No. 1 man in that respect with \$4,638 for his winter's efforts to \$6,152 for Jimmy Demaret.

It made him No. 1 man in the eyes of his rivals, too. They might make cracks about the fact that the Greenville and Asheville tournaments were played under winter rules. But the fact remained that they had the same opportunities under those conditions; that Hogan was 84 under par for 215 holes, setting new records with each of his triumphs, and, finally and most conclusively, that Hogan had only two three-putts in his 216.

Because of that brilliant putting streak, we thought the Sunday golfers might like to know the Hogan secret. The secret is, there isn't any. "I've just been keeping the face of that putter dead upright, and headed straight for the hole," said Benny after coming off the 18th yesterday and his eighth straight under-70 round and a 273 total. "That's why, like you probably noticed, some of my short putts for birdies have stopped short or gone over the hole."

Crowd Roars As Nurmi Runs In Blase Garden



With a capacity crowd screaming in mixed cheers and jeers, Indiana University deprived the University of Kansas of the N. C. A. A. crown by beating them, 60 to 42, in a slam bang battle in Kansas City, Mo.'s public auditorium. Miller of Kansas, left, Schaefer of Indiana and Harp of Kansas battle for a rebound ball in the first half.

NEW YORK, April 1 (AP)—The spotlight's dazzling eye picked out a shiny baldhead and a slick black head of hair, and blase Madison Square Garden rocked with the crowd's roar. The walls rattled with applause when little Greg Rice, the ex-Notre Dame, came winging home with a new world three-mile record in 13 minutes, 52.3 seconds last night; when Allan Tomlich, the Detroit jackrabbit, posted two new hurdle marks; when Georgetown's Al Ellois upset shot put standards; and when Taisto Maki, the new flying Finn rewrote the books for 2 1/4 and 2 3/4 miles.

Bill Crowson Wins Blind Bogey Golf Tournament Here

Bill Crowson won the blind bogey tournament at the Pampa Country club yesterday when he drew number 85. He also won high net score with an 85. Low net score went to C. P. McGinnis with a 65.

Wayside Girl Named Tournament Queen

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 1 (AP)—The Women's National AAU basketball title is back in Little Rock, Ark., and one of the greatest teams of women athletes may be kept intact because of it.

Exhibition Baseball

- At Havana: Cuban All-Stars 4, St. Louis (N) 2.
- At Birmingham, Ala.—Boston (A) 3, Cincinnati (N) 2.
- At Columbus, Ga.—Brooklyn (N) 6, New York (N) 5.
- At Lakeland, Fla.—Detroit (A) 6, Boston (N) 3.
- At Miami Beach, Fla.—Philadelphia (N) 6, Rochester (N) 1.
- At St. Louis, Mo.—St. Louis (A) 9, Toledo (A) 5.
- At Seguin, Tex.—St. Louis (A) "B" squad 8, Tulsa (T) 5.
- At Houston, Tex.—New York (A) 12, Houston (T) 3.
- At Daytona Beach, Fla.—Washington (A) 2, Minneapolis (AA) 1.
- At Atlanta, Ga.—Cleveland (A) 2, Atlanta (SA) 0.
- At Deland, Fla.—Chattanooga (SA) 8, Washington (A) "B" squad 3.
- At Phoenix, Ariz.—Chicago (N) 7, Chicago (A) 6.

The 18-Year-Old Rule—Some Arguments For And Against It

By FLEM HALL Star-Telegram Sports Writer In the third of a series on the Texas Interscholastic league and the fight it is having with its members, we are going to discuss the 18-year rule.

10, estimating school efficiency, in a recent national rating shows that Texas is fourth in attendance, thirty-seventh in teachers' salaries, thirty-fifth in literacy.

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Sports Roundup

By EDDIE BRIEZE NEW YORK, April 1 (AP)—Joe Louis was paid off at the rate of \$80 for each of the 224 seconds he played around with Johnny Paycheck.

Similarly, the Pirates took four out of five from the Philadelphia Athletics on four last week and there are signs the Buccaneers may be both bald and bad medicine, if Frank Frisch can line up any kind of pitching.

The St. Louis Browns, playing the best and only minor league opponents available in Texas, continued to pace the grapefruit grind over the whole three-week round, with a record of nine victories and two defeats.

Remember brother Elmer Dean who used to sit goobers in the Houston ball park? Well, he's now working as a share cropper on Lorenz's place, the negro heavy-weight, has authored a song and he won't accept Saturday night

Today's Guest Star H. G. Salinger, Detroit News: "Dominic DiMaggio's follow through is almost a duplicate of brother Joe's."

Back To School LONDON, April 1 (AP)—More than 70,000 London children between the ages of eight and 11 returned to school today for the first time since the outbreak of the war.

The flour in the wedding cake of Gypsies is mixed with blood taken from the wrists of the bride and bridegroom.

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YESTERDAY Hansen arranged to have three sailors let themselves be shanghaied...

CHAPTER IV CAPTAIN STEVE HANSEN went down the steps, three at a time...

For just a brief moment Val felt as though paralyzed. Then she flew after Hansen...

She caught up with Hansen just as he started to go below. "Steve," she gasped...

"Of course, Matey, but who'd ever dream these three egos would happen along at just the right time and right spot..."

She clutched his arm. "Steve... what're you going to do?"

"Only one thing we can do, I guess, and that's take 'em back to Frisco and try to convince 'em there's been a big mistake..."

"That," she murmured, "will take an awful lot of talking. And Steve, if we turn back now we won't be able to get out again until morning..."

"Besides, Steve," she said slowly, "I've just had a wonderful idea..."

He snorted. "Another one of your ideas, eh. You'll be sinking the ship next..."

"Steve, I'm going down to see them with you. And Stevie, do you have enough faith and confidence in me to let me handle this situation? I mean it, Steve in all seriousness..."

"Okay, honey. We're in it deep enough. Might as well go deeper. Let's drop in on our guests..."

HANSEN opened the cabin door with his master key and they stepped inside.

"Well, if it isn't our rising young middleweight. Fancy meeting you here, Mister Cavalier," Val smiled.

Eddie Cavalier got up from the bunk. His handsome dark face clouded with anger...

It took him a full moment to recognize her and then he let out a howl. "Duffy... Duffy, look who it is. That female sports writer! What've you got to do with all this?"

She motioned him to be silent. "In due time," she said coolly. "Perhaps we'd better have some introductions first..."

Hansen nodded to all in turn. Duffy Kelo yanked the cigar from his teeth so he could have freedom of action...

"What's the meaning of this?" he shrieked. "What goes on? What the hell is this? Who's responsible? I'll have you locked up for life, you pirates!"

"Take it easy, Duffy." Deliberately Val seated herself in a chair. "In the first place, there's been a big mistake made but we'll have to make the most of it..."

"Mistake?" the little man howled. "Toots, that's the only sensible thing you've ever said in your life. You never did like us..."

He sputtered helplessly and Val smiled benignly. "A question, please. Just what were you gentlemen doing on that dock at that time of night?"

Duffy Kelo looked as though he would explode and it was the trainer who spoke up quietly. "Well, lady, it'll help clear up this mess, we been out doin' a little fishin' on the bay. On our way back from Oakland our motor went dead on the little speedboat we'd rented and we drifted around until dark when someone picked us up and towed us in. And that's where they happened to drop us off..."

"I see." Duffy Kelo, regaining his voice, glared at her. "I don't know who's boss around here, but you'd better have your admiral friend turn this mud scow around and take us back to Frisco..."

"And what if we refuse?" Val inquired sweetly.

DUFFY KELO once again struggled over his attempts to talk and it was Cavalier who answered her.

"You'd be an idiot to refuse. Where you bound for, anyhow?" "Prince Rupert, British Columbia," she announced quite calmly. "And you won't be back for at least 12 days. I might inform you also, that while on board you'll have to earn your keep. We're shorthanded and you'll have to fill in. However," she added, "you'll receive standard wages for your efforts..."

Duffy Kelo's shriek almost split the cabin walls. "You crazy dame, you can't do that to us. We've gotta fight in two weeks. Get us off this tub immediately or I'll murder you myself!"

"Disregard the sensitive gentleman on your left, Captain Hansen. He becomes violent on the slightest provocation. He's really harmless, however..."

"Quit clowning," Eddie Cavalier said ominously. "Do we go back or not?"

"The answer is 'not.' About your fight. If I recall correctly, you and Johnny Massini are meeting to see who gets a crack at the champ. Right?"

"For the first time in your life—yes." "As much as I hate to say it, you ought to take Massini without too much trouble," she said meditatively.

"Look, lady... what're you driving at?" Duffy Kelo grated. "You're killin' me by inches. Why don't you get it over with and end my agony?"

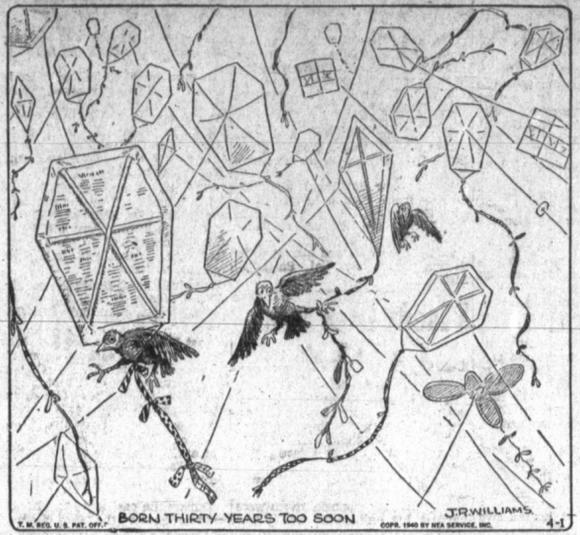
"Okay, Duffy. Here it is," she said excitedly. "You'll be able to go through with your fight with Massini, all right, but in so doing you're going to give me the scoop for that fight right on board this ship and I'm going to file my stories by ship's radio every day..."

"Yowee! What a setup," she chortled. "The more I think of it the greater the idea sounds. What a story this'll make! What a story!"

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OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



RED RYDER

Little Beaver, Detective

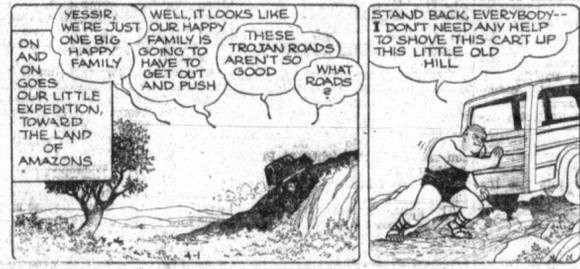
BY FRED HARMAN



ALLEY OOP

Hercules Will Get It Yet

BY V. T. HAMLIN



WPA To Cut Rolls About 700,000 In Next Three Months

WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—On the eve of congressional study of 1940-41 relief needs, the WPA decided to cut its rolls by about 700,000 in the next three months. The action is designed to keep work expenditures within the \$1,477,000,000 allotted by Congress for the year ending next June 30...

FLAPPER FANNY

By Sylvia

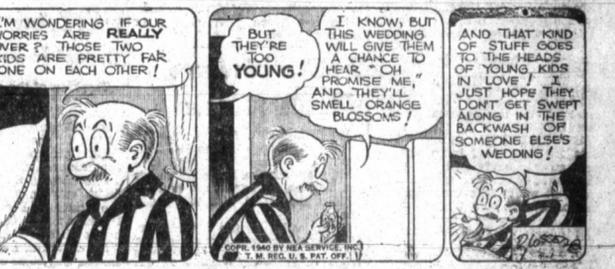


"Now, let's understand each other—do I hafta be a fine, brave, big girl or can I yell?"

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Food For Thought

BY MERRILL BLOSSER



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Flopp Into My Arms!

By Al Capp



HOLD EVERYTHING

By GALBRAITH



"What! No outboard motors? And you call this a drug store!"

WASH TUBS

Easy Has Them Guessing

BY ROY CRANE



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Yes, Where?

BY EDGAR MARTIN



'Purge' Of Jews Asked In Mexico

MEXICO CITY, April 1 (AP)—The national vanguard, a conservative political organization, today called upon President Cardenas' administration to "purge" Jews and Communists from government positions. The vanguard, which has been actively supporting the principal anti-government presidential candidate General Juan Andres Almanan, also demanded that Jews, Poles and Russian Communists cease to be favored over Mexican citizens in the granting of licenses for business enterprises. Communists, with no legal right to residence in Mexico now occupy important positions in several government departments, the vanguardists charged.

News Want-Ads Get Results!

FDR To Face First Test In Wisconsin

By D. HOLLAND OLIVER

WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—The Wisconsin presidential primaries tomorrow have captured the interest of politicians here for two reasons:

1. They will provide the first test (strength) of Democratic and Republican candidates at the ballot box.
2. They mirror the campaign technique of presidential contenders, exposed and otherwise, which varies in some degree with every aspirant.

The Democratic contest for Wisconsin's 24 convention votes pits Vice-President Garner against two scores of delegates favoring President Roosevelt. The latter has won all 24 delegates selected so far in other states, where he faced virtually no opposition.

The Republican balloting tomorrow will bring Senator Vandenberg of Michigan and Thomas E. Dewey New York district attorney, together in their first pre-convention clash and may determine to some extent how far each goes in future primaries.

But added interest is occasioned by the fact that the strategy employed by each candidate leading up to the Wisconsin test reflects exactly the manner of their campaigns from the beginning of talk about 1940 politics.

For example, President Roosevelt did nothing to discourage the filing of delegates in out in the open, third term or not, he leaving his campaigning to others.

Among other Democratic contenders, Paul V. McNutt, federal security administrator, has entered no primaries. He has emphasized in an "I" candidate, meaning he will withdraw in favor of Mr. Roosevelt if the latter seeks renomination.

But McNutt has extensive organizations working for him, men who are looking only for second choice delegates. Wisconsin state committee are running as delegates on one or the other of the Roosevelt slate.

Postmaster General Farley, latest to declare his unreserved candidacy for national honors, has entered no primaries yet, but is reported building up secondary strength in Roosevelt areas. He is now on a swing of 12 midwestern, border, and southern states.

Farley's name will be on the Wisconsin ballot, but he is not a candidate there in the real sense. One of the Roosevelt slates is known as the "Roosevelt-Farley" ticket. If it wins and the president withdraws, Farley probably would get those 24 delegates.

Senator Wheeler of Montana is virtually an avowed Democratic candidate, but as in the case of McNutt, he qualifies it with a Roosevelt "if." He has entered no primaries.

Secretary Hull has discouraged efforts in his behalf, but these efforts go on quietly just the same, encouraged by unconfirmed talk that the president would took with favor on his nomination.

SSB Agent To Call In Pampa Tomorrow

A representative of the Amarillo office of the Social Security board will be at the Texas State Employment Service office here at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

This representative will handle claims for old-age and survivors insurance, applications for social security account numbers, applications for employer identification numbers, and wage discrepancy cases. He will be available to furnish information on any phase of the program.

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 Candidate for Mayor, will speak for the Thompson, Wilson, Cree Ticket
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Three Already Seek Texas Governorship

AUSTIN, April 1 (AP)—The start of the 1940 political year finds the Texas public being invited to an unprecedented extent to become an active part of one or the other of the candidates.

With the first primary still nearly four months away, three prospective gubernatorial campaigners are calling for some type of action by the people.

For the past several nights, Governor W. Lee O'Daniel, probable candidate for renomination, has been urging his friends to send him 25 cents each for a subscription to a new weekly he says will give "complete and reliable" information on governmental issues. The magnitude of the public's response, says O'Daniel, is "burning the professional politicians down."

Mrs. Miriam A. "Ma" Ferguson last Saturday asked persons who would support her for a third term to drop her a postcard. This week she has received an average of 400 cards or letters a day and the number is increasing, says her husband, James E. Ferguson.

Two nights ago Ernest O. Thompson considered a certain candidate for governor, invited the people to write him what they think of his 5-cent a barrel oil tax proposal, his opposition to a general sales tax and any other governmental issue.

The trend even has spread to lesser statewide races. Several weeks ago, Pierce Brooks asserted he would try for railroad commissioner if there talk cleared the way for the start of a "draft Brooks" movement among the voters.

No New Bills On File At Capital

WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—Senator Barkley (D-Ky.) said after a White House conference today that "apparently no new legislation or suggestions for legislation" would go to Congress this session, and added:

"We are still hoping to get out here by June 1, if not sooner."

Vice President Garner, Speaker Barkley and House Majority Leader Rayburn (D-Tex.) also attended the meeting with President Roosevelt.

Barkley told reporters another government reorganization plan would be submitted to Congress this week.

In the House, Rep. Cochran (D-Mo.) said in a statement he did not see how Congress could refuse to increase the \$1,000,000 fund proposed for WPA in President Roosevelt's budget for the 1940-41 fiscal year.

Cochran, urging more money also for the current year ending June 30, said the \$1,000,000 fund would be needed to keep WPA rolls at the present level of 2,100,000 during May and June. The Missouriian urged the House appropriations subcommittee on relief to propose this increase in WPA funds at once. WPA was voted \$1,477,000,000 for the current year.

Son Found In House With Slain Mother

WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—The blood-stained body of Mrs. Bessie C. Howard, 66, was found today in a drab, gray-shingled house where her son, Jerome, 23, apparently had remained locked up with it for two weeks.

Police called at the house today after neighbors had become puzzled by its darkened windows and had failed to see Mrs. Howard or her son for some time. Police Lieut. Howard Beal said the son met them at the door and mumbled:

"I did it—days and days and days ago."

Mrs. Howard's body was sprawled on the bedroom floor, her face and neck slashed to ribbons. A bloody butcher knife was nearby.

Jerome Howard was held for investigation. Police said that documents in the house indicated he had been adjudged insane and committed to an institution in Colorado several years ago.

Louisiana Governor To Give Barbecue

BATON ROUGE, La., April 1 (AP)—Governor-designate Hue P. Jones of Louisiana, is cooking up an immense barbecue, come inauguration day May 14, for the masses who voted him in.

Just returned to Louisiana from a rest near Tucson, Arizona, after smashing the old Huey Long machine, Jones prepared to come here today from his Lake Charles home and plunge into six weeks of intensive planning for his four-year term, succeeding Gov. Earl K. Long.

But the biggest item in the popular mind is the gigantic barbecue Jones promised in Louisiana State University stadium here.

On the stump he told his crowds: "When I am inaugurated governor we won't have an inauguration ball to which a thousand politicians are invited. I am going to give a big barbecue in L. S. U. stadium and invite everybody in Louisiana to attend."

Preparations are being made to feed 125,000 people.

Anderson Hails Casteneda As First Promoter

LUBBOCK, April 30—Martin de Casteneda, chronicler for the Coronado expedition, was the first great real estate promoter for the Texas Panhandle and the South-west, Clinton P. Anderson of Albuquerque, N. M., told the West Texas Museum Association here Friday night.

Speaking at the Texas Technological College, Anderson, managing director of the Coronado Commission, quoted from historical documents which foretold the real future of the Great Plains country as the center of a vast stock raising industry.

"Early writers on Coronado missed a lot," said Anderson. "They paid more attention to the gold he missed than to the country he explored. They overlooked the fact that the high plains country of Texas might not have yielded a gold nugget, but might still be capable of becoming a veritable gold mine through the development of the cattle trade."

"Casteneda was the first great real estate promoter for the Panhandle. In his narration of the expedition, he told a story that has been reprinted thousands of times—a story that a thousand horses, 'the hundred cattle and more than five thousand rams and sheep could pass over the high plains and leave no more trace when they got there than if no one had passed.'"

"So abundant was the grass on the Southwest's grazing lands, according to Casteneda, that the advance guard of the army had to stack up piles of bones in order that the rear guard could follow the army and not get lost."

"Of the vegetation, Casteneda said: 'Although the grass was short, when it was trampled down, it stood up again as clean and straight as before.'"

"He didn't stop there. He told of the lands of the Rio Grande valley and said: 'The land is so fertile that they need to cultivate it only once a year, just for planting it in one year they harvest enough for seven years.'"

Anderson pointed to the enthusiasm with which Europe accepted Casteneda's story. It came at the time that Spaniards in particular were looking for new ranges and provided interest necessary for Spain to hold the Southwest in trust until the eastern colonies could expand to the Pacific.

"For this period of time," Anderson declared, "Coronado's expedition should be given its just credit."

"There are more factors in the development of the American nation than the discovery of gold, and one of those factors was the Coronado expedition."

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Folk Dances To Be Taught In Program

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First lessons will be given Friday night between 8 and 10 o'clock in the American Legion hall on West Foster avenue. Gatherings will be held each Friday night thereafter.

"Mr. Edwards, a master of the old dances, will be in charge assisted by several capable instructors."

Governments Of 150 Million Persons Not Recognized By U. S.

BY ANDRE BERDING
 WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—"Conquests and changing frontiers abroad are calling sharply to the attention of the United States officials an impasse created by the American doctrine of non-recognition of territory acquired through force."

The doctrine enunciated by former Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson is placing the United States in the position of refusing to recognize an ever expanding portion of the world's area. At this moment the populations of countries— or rather former countries—embraced within the doctrine total around 150,000,000 persons.

The imposing list is as follows: Manchukuo 34,200,923 people. Ethiopia 7,600,000 people. Albania 1,003,124 people. Poland 32,347,300 people. Czechoslovakia 14,900,000 people. China—under Japan 80,000,000 people.

Six countries 149,141,247 people. (Austria falls into a somewhat different category for no reason: the absorption by Germany was voted in a plebiscite; this government was informed formally of the action by the Austrian government (thereupon.)

The latest statement of non-recognition is only a few months old. It was made by Secretary Hull in the case of the Russo-German partition of Poland.

Souvenir-Hunters Barred From Billy The Kid's Grave

FORT SUMNER, N. M., April 1 (AP)—Billy the Kid, who rode tumultuously through life until the blazing gun of a territorial sheriff ended his career, at last is to lie in peace.

Souvenir hunters who so long have despoiled "The Kid's" gravestone are now to be thwarted by a hard wren, spike-top wire fence seven feet high. In two years past, the old granite marker had been chipped away by souvenir seekers until there is almost nothing left of it.

One Way To Increase Church Attendance

SCITUATE, MASS., April 1 (AP)—The men's club of the First Parish church has discovered a new formula for increasing church attendance.

Announcement that members, personally, would serve breakfast before services increased attendance 129 percent and brought 26 new members into church, the largest single unit since it was founded.

Mainly About People

Mr. and Mrs. Siler Faulkner, Jr., were called to Wichita Falls yesterday by the serious illness of Mrs. Faulkner's grandmother.

Miss Mrs. Robert Langford and son, James Robert, were taken to their home from Pampa-Jarratt hospital yesterday.

Burford Low of Miami was dismissed from Pampa-Jarratt hospital Sunday.

J. J. Burr was admitted to Pampa-Jarratt hospital Sunday.

R. H. Bradford was admitted to Pampa-Jarratt hospital Saturday night.

Floods Inundate Areas Of Nation

Widely-separated sections of the nation were inundated today by spring floods which took 10 lives, but clearing skies and cooler temperatures for the most part gave promise of a less disastrous season.

Central and eastern Pennsylvania cities along the Susquehanna, Allegheny and Monongahela rivers were hardest hit and crests well above flood stage were expected during the day.

South central New York state rivers—principally the Susquehanna and Chenango—spilled from their banks from melting snow and rains, forcing hundreds of families from their homes and blocking roads. Coldest weather, however, promised to halt the rises.

"Thousands of acres of northern California farm land along the Sacramento river were covered by flood waters for the second time in a month and scores of farm families were forced to seek higher ground. Clear weather was forecast after nearly a week of heavy rains."

Six were counted dead across Pennsylvania, and four in New York. Wilkes-Barre, Pa., prepared for a 34-foot crest—four above flood stage—sometime early tomorrow. Flood control dikes, however, helped lessen the damage.

Liberalization Of Episcopal Divorce Laws Recommended

NEW YORK, April 1 (AP)—Liberalization of Episcopal church laws regarding divorce and remarriage of divorced persons has been recommended by a committee of women in the church after a two-year study.

The present Episcopal church law prohibits the marriage of divorced persons, except that of the innocent party in a divorce for adultery, and then only after certain investigations and decisions by the bishop or an ecclesiastical court.

The committee recommended: "If a divorced person who has been in communion with this church desires to remarry after a reasonable time and desires to do so the partner of this second marriage, the blessing of the church, this might well be bestowed when the parish priest or a suitable committee are assured. After examination of the circumstances involved, the general desire and purpose of both participants to lead a Christian life."

The report added, however, that "no priest unwilling to perform such a ceremony should be required to do so."

"The committee is in complete agreement," it said, "that persons remarried after divorce should not for that reason be deprived of holy communion. Excommunication is the only serious deprivation that can be inflicted upon a communicant of the church. The committee believes that the use of such a penalty in these cases is contrary to Christ's teaching of mercy."

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Members of the Tulsa post of the American Legion were pallbearers, among the flowers were those sent by the Kerley-Crossman American Legion post of Pampa. Ray F. Barnes, first vice-commander of the local post, accompanied by James Conner, attended the services in Tulsa yesterday.

Mrs. Johnston had been a resident of Pampa for the past eight months. She was supervisor of a WPA sewing room, member of the American Legion auxiliary, and the Central Baptist church.

The report of her death was received in 1911 and joined the Baptist church there.

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A man qualified not only by his education at four European universities but also by actual service as a Hungarian soldier in the Czechoslovakian crisis will give Pampans the facts on Central Europe in a lecture to Pampa for the Institute of International Understanding.

"Central Europe—Battlefield of Imperialism" will be the subject of the speaker, Dr. Nicholas R. Dogan, whose appearance here will be the third in a series of lectures coming to Pampa for the Institute of International Understanding.

The institute is under the auspices of the Rotary club of Pampa. La-messa, Berger, Stamford, and Graham.

Last Wednesday night Mrs. Margaret H. Kalser, spoke here on "The German Risk Power." Opening the institute here on March 20 was Dr. John A. Morrison's lecture on "Developments in Soviet Russia."

Dr. Doman studied at the Universities of Oxford, London, Paris, Milan, and the Institute of International Studies at Geneva. He received his doctor's degree from the University of Budapest.

During the past few years Dr. Doman has been on the board of editors of Central Europe's first ranking international journal, "The Review of the Kulguyi Szemle, published at Budapest, and was lecturer at the University of Budapest. He was secretary of the Danube League, an international seeking the solution of the many problems of Central Europe, has been a frequent contributor to European periodicals, and has written extensively in the field of international relations. He has visited most of the large cities of Europe many times and participated in numerous European conferences.

Market Briefs

NEW YORK, April 1 (AP)—Air Transport and Specialty Stocks attracted steady buying interest after the close of today's stock market which was left to struggle unsuccessfully in lower territory.

Gains of as much as 8 points were posted for favorites when prices were at their peak. Realizing positions were taken after the hour and closing trends were irregular. Transfers were around 500,000 shares.

No great amount of speculative stimulation was derived from the day's news. Sentiment was mildly bullish, but skepticism regarding a nearby turnabout in the industrial sag continued among some analysts.

Am Can	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Am T & T	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Am Wk Wks	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Anaconda	74	74	74
A T & S F	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
A I Refining	1 22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Aviation	33 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Chrysler Corp	25 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Colgate	37	37	37
Coml Solvents	65	10 1/2	10 1/2
Consolidated	10 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Cont Can	7 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
East Oil Del	12 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Curtiss Wright	104	10 1/2	10 1/2
Detroit Ed	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Du Pont	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
El Auto Lite	14 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Gen Elec	33 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
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Int Harv	12 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
J & T	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Kennecott Cop	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Lehigh Valley	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Montgom Ward	9 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Nash Kelly	26 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
North Star	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Ohio Oil	15 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Packard Motor	19 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Penney	3 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Pittsburgh	3 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Pub Svc NY	5 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Radio Corp	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Reming Rand	5 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Rockwell	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Servel Inc	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Socny Van	24 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Stan Oil Ind	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Stan Oil NJ	21 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Stewart Ward	5 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Tex Corp	25 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Tex Gulf Prod	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Union Carbide	11 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Union Oil Cal	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Unit Alrc	32 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Unit Corp	35 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
U S Gas Imp	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
U S Rubber	14 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
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West Union Tel	3 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
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Britain And France 'Bent On Sterner War'

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

It would seem—if one may be permitted a rather personal remark—that Enland and France have profited by the hidings they got recently from their parliaments and press, which first lacked of initiative in the conduct of the war.

Britain's charged lack of the admiralty Winston Churchill did begin a notable address with the depressing thought that "it seems rather hard with spring pressing the land" for England to "be bent on sterner war."

But while the first lord spoke with lowered eyes in reminding us of the difference between the battle field and the lovely English countryside, yet he made it clear the allies are indeed "bent on sterner war."

The speech was calculated to convey an impression of confidence and determination. He summed up the prospects in one crisp sentence which, when all other arguments have been made, is the one that most of the military and economic experts keep constantly before them:

"Our resources and our manpower, these they are fully developed, match and exceed those of our enemy."

Churchill and Russian premier Molotov between them contributed another development.

In the face of Nazi efforts to strengthen the Russo-German tie, and also to create a triple entente, comprising Germany, Italy and Russia, Molotov declared categorically that the Bolsheviks desire to maintain their neutrality and refrain from participating in the war.

He even asserted that the Soviet would not resort to war to regain its former province of Bessarabia from Rumania—a possibility which has been a nightmare for Europe.

And when in London the first lord of the admiralty encouraged this attitude with:

"It is too soon to say that this means Russia is withdrawing support from us, but it will not be surprising if Russo-German relations in that direction."

In Rome a source close to the government declared Italy is still anti-Bolshevist and there is no possibility of any triple entente in the near future.

Churchill gave the Italian attitude a pat on the back with the studied remark that Britain has no quarrel with the people of Italy.

Farley Lauds Hull In Tennessee Talk

COLUMBIA, Tenn., April 1 (AP)—Postmaster James A. Farley, speaking today in Cordell Hull's native state, termed the secretary of state "another great son of Tennessee" and also lauded President Roosevelt for his "desperate battle to improve social conditions."

Farley steered clear of political implications in address prepared for delivery at the dedication of a new postoffice here. Upwards of 50,000 persons jammed this little town to celebrate the annual Mule day and to see Farley.

Farley earlier had said he didn't mind sharing the spotlight with his friends, explaining that some of his best friends are mules.

"The little town in the rolling hills of middle Tennessee is the largest street mule market in the world, and this Mule day business has been going on for about a hundred years."

Recalling Columbia as the ancestral home of President James K. Polk, the Democratic national committee chairman told the massed throng: "I count it among the privileges of my life to have served in the cabinet with another great son of Tennessee—Cordell Hull."

Tennessee political leaders have become hopeful of a Hull-Farley Democratic ticket in the event Mr. Roosevelt does not seek a third term.

Deadline On Tags Midnight Tonight

Gray county motorists, along with other Texans, will be subject to a fine, and a 20 per cent penalty plus the cost of automobile registration, if they drive a car tomorrow or thereafter without having 1940 license plates.

Up to late this afternoon, there had been a total of 3,300 motor vehicles registered. Midnight tonight is the deadline.

"The office of the county tax assessor collector was again experiencing the typical 'last minute' rush as Gray county motorists formed a long line to get the purple and white plates to replace 1939's orange and blue."

Scientists say that the planet Saturn quite likely has 10 moons—nine have been discovered so far.

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