

The Weather

West Texas: Cloudy tonight and Saturday; showers in the southwest portion; drizzle or light rain in north and east portions.

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Good Evening

Through obedience learn to command.—Plato.

FDR WILL TALK TO NATION TOMORROW NIGHT

RAF Mauls Hamburg; Glasgow Bombed

(By The Associated Press) RAF raiders carried the war to Germany with renewed fury overnight, British reports said today, striking tempestuous blows on the ports of Hamburg, Bremen and Emden and raking the Nazi-held port of Rotterdam, Holland.

(By The Associated Press) LONDON, March 14.—The British air force mauled frequently-bombed Hamburg overnight in the greatest assault yet, et oil facilities at Rotterdam abaze, delivered "minor" attacks against Bremen and Emden and torpedoed a Nazi supply ship off the Frisian Islands, the air ministry announced today.

The second straight night of trip-hammer blows against German and Nazi-held territory was delivered while the Germans were pounding the great Glasgow shipbuilding center, the port of Liverpool and an unidentified northeast town.

Other targets near the mouth of the Elbe river, between Hamburg and the North Sea coast were "left burning fiercely," the air ministry communique said.

Bombers of the same command went on to blast Rotterdam, in the Netherlands, where more huge fires were reported started.

Bremen, where sprawling shipyards turn out many of Germany's smaller scale than Wednesday's night fire assault, Emden, a major Nazi naval base, also was said to have come in for heavy attack.

Completing the nocturnal raids on continental objectives, single British aircraft splashed bombs on two airbases in the Netherlands, the British said.

Sinking of the German supply ship *See RAF MAULS, Page 8*

Britain Asks Shipping Aid From America

LONDON, March 14.—A British victory "will not only be certain—it will be quick," if the empire can hold on until American aid is received, First Lord of the Admiralty A. V. Alexander declared today.

"You can win this national struggle except on the basis of 100 per cent national cooperation," Alexander told a parliament press luncheon.

"We are facing perhaps the most crucial stage of the war in which the navy is called upon to play a very great part."

Britain asked quick help from the United States to bolster her merchant marine in a statement issued at No. 10 Downing Street.

The statement said Prime Minister Churchill was sending Sir Arthur Salter, parliamentary secretary to the minister of shipping, to the United States immediately to work out details of aid to shipping.

"In no sphere of our war effort is the help which the United States can give us under the lend-lease legislation more urgent than that of shipping," it said.

A mission under Robert H. Brand also is to go to the United States to arrange for foodstuffs.

The statement explained that Churchill was sending Sir Arthur to the United States "to discuss with the United States administration various forms their help might take" in solving shipping problems and added:

NEGROES PRAY FOR OIL AS DRILLING ON WILDCAT STARTS



Negro church members of Cuneo, Texas, are led in prayer by their preacher, left, on derrick as drilling starts a rank wildcat test in Cherokee county, East Texas. The negroes pooled their lands a year ago and gave it under free oil and gas lease to whoever would agree to drill a hole to the Woodbine sand. A shining new derrick was set up on their land and the congregation went down on its knees to ask the Lord to send them oil—and riches. They feel that their prayers have been answered to some extent in that the derrick has been set up.

At 8 o'clock the first of two classes will start. This section is for hardware, furniture, appliance, automobile salesmen, and salesmen in allied lines. Other meetings of this section will be held on the nights of March 20 and 21.

Truck Load Limit Adopted By Senate

(By The Associated Press) AUSTIN, March 14.—The half-way mark of the general 120-day convolve today found the legislature in the ever-normal granary program—higher than that sanctioned by the house to which the proposal returns for acceptance or rejection of senate amendments.

In another unexpected appearance the governor appeared before the lawmakers and urged quick passage of a law prohibiting strikes or lockouts in defense industries without 60 days notice.

Receiving the House's \$25,000,000 proposal to permit the state to acquire it to its state affairs committee for hearings, study and possible alteration.

Amendments stipulating methods of enforcement and penalties for violation accompanied the truck load bill back to the house. Efforts to boost the current 7,000-pound limit have consumed many hours in hearings and debate. If the house does not approve senate alterations, the proposal will go to a conference committee.

Proponents claimed the present statute hamstringing commerce and interfering with livestock and agricultural shipping. Opponents contended 7,000 pounds was sufficient weight for truck loads.

For a time it appeared the house might immediately approve the governor's bill to curb possible strikes, but, after considerable maneuvering, it set the proposal for a hearing Monday.

RAF Claims 14 Italian Fighter Planes Downed

ATHENS, Greece, March 14.—RAF headquarters announced today 14 Italian fighter planes were shot down and a number badly damaged yesterday in a battle over the Kilsura-Tepeleni sector of Albania without the loss of a single British plane.

Greek dispatches declared five Italian divisions had been shattered in Italian offensives launched in the last seven days in response to Benito Mussolini's reported adjuration to his officers to "do something."

A furious Italian assault over a wide front in the central sector about Tepeleni was completely beaten back, the Greeks said, and great losses were suffered.

Greek dispatches from the front said Mussolini would return to Rome from his visit to the front empty-handed and "covered with shame" after failure of the offensive he had personally ordered.

Two trustees, each to serve for three years, will be elected. Terms in charge of the conference was Bill Dryden, junior field officer of the Texas Extension service, College Station.

No Candidates For School Board Filed

No candidates for the office of trustee of the Pampa Independent School district have filed with Roy McMurter, business manager of the northwest quarter of the county or all of precinct two and a small strip of precinct three, who have a poll tax or exemption certificate.

Draft Gets Only Two Married Men Here

Can married men be called as trainees for one year's military training? That is the question several Pampans have asked.

120 Present For Lopp's First Lecture

The No. 1 question in the minds of most Americans, "How can we make more money?" was the subject of a talk by Byron E. Lopp, sales engineer, preliminary to the opening of a two-week course in a public meeting held last night in the district court room.

In his talk last night, Mr. Lopp emphasized "the world is not coming to an end, rather it's becoming a new world, a new era of wonders and invention, and a new era of finer living is developing at a fast tempo."

Cotton Stamp Plan Discussed Here

Gray and Hemphill county committees and farm agents conferred in Pampa yesterday on the cotton stamp plan.

Four Jap Planes Downed, Say Chinese

CHUNKING, March 14.—Four Japanese warplanes were shot down today, Chinese reported, when a wedge of 12 machines flew over Szachwan province in an apparent reconnaissance to locate the Chinese air force.

Smokeless Powder Plant Completed

WASHINGTON, March 14.—(AP)—Three months ahead of schedule, a critically-needed smokeless powder plant reached the production stage today, the first of a \$1,000,000 string of government-financed munitions factories.

Late News

SEVILLE, Spain, March 14.—(AP)—Fifty persons were killed, authorities estimated, when the Spanish Air Force bombed near Seville today.

Defense And Aid Will Be Discussed

WASHINGTON, March 14.—(AP)—President Roosevelt will make a radio address to the nation tomorrow night on defense and aid to nations battling aggressors.

He will speak at 8:30 p. m., Central standard time, for 30 minutes at a dinner given him by the White House correspondents association and his address will be broadcast.

The chief executive asked reporters at his press conference for permission to inject the address into the program for the dinner and was assured that he might do so.

On the question of the specific nature of war supplies that have been or will be sent to Britain, Mr. Roosevelt said, in response to questions, that there had been no decision on transferring additional naval craft of any type. As for cargo vessels, he said this country had none available for transfer.

The president said Springfield rifles were not included in the first list of items approved for shipment to Britain and Greece, but asked that reporters not inquire about other specific articles and try to find out by a process of elimination what war materials were being allocated.

On the question of assistance to China, Mr. Roosevelt said that matter was coming along all right, but that he had no announcements to make on it at present.

Secretary Stimson earlier told reporters that some defense material to be transferred to Great Britain under the lend-lease act already had started to its destination.

For the moment, the secretary of war withheld details.

"The information will come out in due time," Mr. Stimson told press conference inquirers. "As far as I am concerned no details will be disclosed prematurely. I don't think it would be fair to Great Britain."

Cab Drivers Admit Slaying Woman, Says Florida Police Chief

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 14.—(AP)—The body of Mrs. Ruth Rawlins, wife of a wealthy, retired metallurgist, was found in a shallow grave near Gainesville, Fla., early today and two taxi-drivers were held as the slayers of the 35-year-old Canadian woman.

Police Chief E. D. Vaughn said the two St. Petersburg cab drivers admitted they killed Mrs. Rawlins Wednesday night and hauled her body 115 miles in a taxi before hiding it in a roadside grave.

"She apparently had been knocled in the head," the chief said. "There was an electric cord around her neck."

Reading New Highway Engineer In Pampa

Pampa again has a resident engineer of the Texas Highway Department.

He is G. K. Reading, who has been stationed for several months prior in Clarendon.

Office of the resident engineer has been established on the third floor of the court house, in the room formerly used by jurors.

Mr. Reading was in charge of construction on Highway 287 through Donley and came to that county last year to supervise construction on Highway 18.

Tomorrow Deadline For Tax Returns

Have you mailed your income tax return? If you haven't, tomorrow is the deadline to do so. More persons are required to file income tax returns this year than ever before because of the change in the law.

This year any single person with a gross income of \$800 or over and any married person with a gross income of \$2,000 or over must file returns even though they may have enough exemptions that they do not have to pay a tax.

Returns must be mailed to the Collector of Internal Revenue, Dallas, not later than tomorrow. Those failing to file returns face a stiff penalty.

Judgments Granted In Divorce Cases

Three divorce judgments were filed in district court yesterday. The cases were Leroy Barnett vs. Dorothy Barnett, divorce granted; H. O. Wardlaw vs. Winona Wardlaw, divorce granted, custody of Bill, 13, and Wanda Jean, 7, children of the couple, to defendant; plaintiff to pay \$25 a month for children's support.

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Cats Have Measles

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 14.—(AP)—When three of the seven children at the Williams Callahan home came down with mumps, their two cats, Winnie and Boxer, caught them too.

Texas Aggie Steer Sells For \$1,900

FORT WORTH, March 14.—(AP)—Thicket Lad III, 18-month-old Hereford steer shown by Texas Agricultural and Mechanical college, Grand champion steer of the 1941 Southwestern Exposition and Fair Stock show today brought \$2 a pound, a total of \$1,900, when it was sold to start the show's annual auction of champions.

The 950-pound animal was bought by Fabst Brewing company, Chicago.

The price was the same as brought by the 900-pound Hereford from Nolan county which won the Boys' Club Calf show and then went on to win the grand champion steer rosette in the 1940 show.

David Straus of San Antonio, the owner of the calf, is the first winner of the Boys' championship in many years, who has failed to see his animal go on to win the grand champion steer award.

I Saw....

Charlie Lamka being hazed by the Lions club. First, they made him wear a huge blue bonnet and a folded piece of domestic flannel around his neck with a safety pin, so that he looked like Baby Snooks. Then they fired him two bits for taking a Pekingese dog out walking before he is married. The dog belongs to Charlie's fiancée, Miss Doll Johns.

Mrs. Hobbs Named President Of Sam Houston PTA Unit

Sam Houston Parent-Teacher association met Thursday afternoon for a regular monthly program.

The blue and gold band gave two numbers under the direction of Jaque Farnum, "Forward March," and "Victory Overture," after which Garnet Reeves, Jr., played a cornet solo, "My Creole Sue." A flute solo "Song of India," was played by Ruthie Franks, and Kenneth Hobbs played "An Earle," as a baritone solo. All were accompanied by Miss LaNelle Scheihagen at the piano.

These numbers will be presented by the pupils in the music contest in Amarillo next month.

Mrs. R. S. McConnell was program leader. Mrs. S. T. Beauchamp gave an inspiring devotion using the 13th chapter of first Corinthians. Mrs. Beauchamp stated "that love is essential to our lives as other things are worth nothing without it. Love is a natural instinct but should be directed to develop in the right way."

In speaking on "Safety in Home, School, and Community," Mrs. Garnet Reeves brought the facts that "in the United States each year somewhere between 90,000 and 100,000 people are killed in accidents, and this number of people would make a good-sized American city. About 3,000,000 to 10,000,000 are injured, and half of them are injured for life. The annual cost of accidents to our nation is \$3,500,000,000. Accidents are usually divided into three groups: those in the home, motor vehicle accidents, and those occurring in industry and recreation. We have always thought of the home as a place of security but it is the place where most accidents occur. The kitchen ranks as the most dangerous room, with the bathroom second. There are 19,000 people killed every year from falls, most of them being old people and children under four years of age. There are 5,000 deaths from fire each year, and one-third that number are children under four.

Much is being done in our community to prevent motor and industrial accidents by the teaching of life saving and first aid courses," she added.

Mrs. Lee Harrah presided over the business session at which time the following officers were elected for next year: President, Mrs. V. L. Hobbs; vice-president, Mrs. Homer Lively; secretary, Mrs. S. T. Beauchamp; treasurer, Mrs. C. J. McNaughton; City Council representatives, Mrs. C. C. Cockerill and Mrs. C. B. Haney; County Council representatives, Mrs. Garnet Reeves, Mrs. Jim Collins, and Mrs. C. J. Epps.

The Tri-County Council meeting was announced for March 22 at the high school, with Woodrow Wilson school as host. Those from Sam Houston school who plan to attend the luncheon are to call Mrs. Lee Harrah for reservations.

Four members of the association, Mrs. Harrah, Malcolm Denson, V. L. Hobbs, and C. C. Cockerill, are attending Northwest Texas Conference for Education in Canyon today.

Shep Husted, Estes Park, Colo. has climbed Long's Peak 938 times.

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MRS. GENE WORLEY VICE-PRESIDENT OF TEXAS CLUB IN WASHINGTON



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Texas University Exes In Washington Observe Independence Day, Reunion

WASHINGTON, March 14 (AP)—Icy streets and a driving snow didn't keep hundreds of Texans here in the capital from celebrating Texas Independence Day in proper fashion.

Two separate festivities were held over the independence week-end. Inability to reserve a dance floor and a banquet in a suitable hotel or hotels on the same night made it necessary to hold the dance of the Texas club on one night and the annual reunion dinner of Texas University ex-students on the following night.

Representative Ed Gossett of Wichita Falls briefly recounted the colorful history of the Lone Star Republic before members of the Texas club, the organization of all former Texans now residing here. Representative Richard Kleeberg of Corpus Christi is president of the club.

The university ex-students heard after-dinner speeches by Speaker Sam Rayburn of Bonham, Senator Tom Connally of Marlin, and Dr. George Stocking, university professor of economics, on leave of absence from the school for temporary service in the justice department.

John Connally, formerly of Floresville and now secretary to Representative Lyndon B. Johnson, was elected president of the Texas exes to succeed McFall Kerby, Austin.

Mrs. Gene Worley of Shamrock, wife of the new Panhandle congressman, was elected vice-president; Marguerite Rewalt, formerly of San Antonio, and now with the bureau of internal revenue, secretary; Blaine Hollimon, formerly of Houston, reporter.

Representative and Mrs. Paul Kilday of San Antonio held an open house for their Texas friends before the independence dance.

Texas almost has a 22nd congressman in the person of New York's new Republican representative, William Townsend Pfeiffer. A resident of New York only two years upon being elected from the city's "gas house district," the former Amarillo attorney associates with Texans and admits to all but his constituents that the great plains of the southwest are still his home. He was a member of the Texas and Oklahoma bar before moving to New York in 1939.

Even Speaker Sam Rayburn inadvertently recognized him on the house floor recently as a Texan. The 42-year-old New Yorker, who was born at Purcell, Okla., when that was Indian territory, arose one afternoon to say a word.

"The gentleman from Texas," began the speaker, then caught himself, and smilingly continued: "The gentleman from New York is recognized."

First Baptist WMS Meets In Circles For Bible Study

Seven circles of Woman's Missionary society of First Baptist church met this week for Bible study programs which were opened and closed with prayers.

At the meeting of circle one in the home of Mrs. Arthur Nelson, the lesson was taught by the hostess following a business session. Refreshments were served to 13 members.

Mrs. L. H. Simpson was hostess at the meeting of circle two at which Mrs. W. B. Henry conducted the lesson. Refreshments were served to six members.

A meeting of circle three was held in the home of Mrs. C. W. Hill, with Mrs. J. E. Reeves giving the Bible study lesson. Refreshments were served to 11 members and one visitor.

Members of circle four met in the home of Mrs. Lewis Davis. Mrs. T. L. Anderson had charge of the business session and Mrs. Frank Hill, Bible study. Refreshments were served to 10 members.

Meeting in the home of Mrs. Fred Forrester, 11 members and one visitor of circle five heard the Bible study conducted by Mrs. Ellen Chapman following a business session.

Eleven members and two visitors of circle six met in the home of Mrs. W. D. Benton for a covered dish luncheon which was followed with a business session conducted by Mrs. N. B. Ellis and the Bible study by Mrs. J. O. Meek.

At the meeting of circle seven in the home of Mrs. C. L. Graddock, Mrs. Homer Doggett, new chairman, was in charge. The Bible study was taught by Mrs. F. E. Leech. Eighteen members and two visitors were present.

Wood Holds Favor More than 2500 patrons have been granted for non-wooden railroads in the past 50 years, but railroad traffic still moves on wooden foundation.

WITH BOLERO Perfect for slim, young figures, this flaring frock has a tiny waistlet, waistline, and bodice gathers to round you out a bit. With the bolero, it serves as a "little suit" for street wear. Make this of gay silk print, or flat crepe, plain or with lots of braid in bright contrast.

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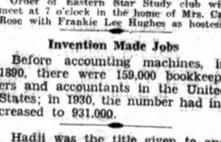
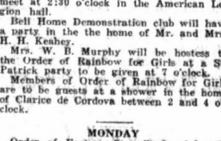
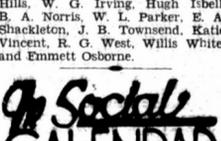
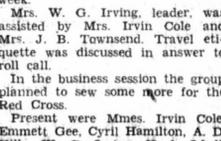
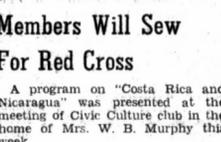
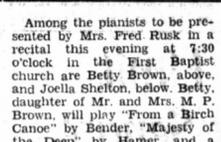
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IN RECITAL



Among the pianists to be presented by Mrs. Fred Rusk in a recital this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the First Baptist church are Betty Brown, above, and Joella Shelton, below. Betty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Brown, will play "From a Birch Canoe" by Belder, "Majesty of the Deep" by Hamer, and a hymn melody, Joella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shelton, will play an arrangement of Ball's well-known "Holy City" by Thomas Godfrey, Jr., and Thompson's arrangement of the "Arkansas Traveler."

Frame Gardens Discussed By Mrs. Kelley At HD Club

"In those parts of the state where wind, sand, a shortage of moisture, extreme summer heat or winter cold are the limiting factor to successful home gardening, a frame garden can provide a continuous supply of fresh vegetables of the quick-growing, hardy type," Mrs. Julia Kelley told Eastside Home Demonstration club members at the first meeting of the month at the home of Miss Hettie Burr.

Mrs. Kelley continued the discussion by saying that good judgment should be used in planting. To get the most from a frame garden the gardener should plan and plant it so that a succession of vegetables may be harvested under ordinary conditions from three to five plantings. The rows should be eight to 12 inches apart, planting the narrow way to make cultivations easier.

"Frame gardens are easy to irrigate, either surface or sub-irrigation may be used. You may sub-irrigate in this manner: by laying one or two rows of concrete tile of tin cans about six to eight inches under the surface. Always keep the soil sufficiently moist to keep the vegetables from wilting."

Mrs. H. M. Roth continued the lesson with a discussion on the size of the garden and Miss Hettie Burr read a paper on the proper way and amount of fertilizer to use.

Plans were made by the recreational committee for a party to be given tonight at the home of Mrs. H. M. Roth.

Those attending were Meses Julia E. Kelley, Elton Johnston, H. M. Roth, State Stokes, Floyd Lively H. L. Dorsey, Buster Stokes, C. A. Myatt, Luther Petty, J. H. Wade, and Miss Leona Lewis.

Study Of Mission Book Conducted At Mattie Baker G. A. Mattie Baker G. A. of First Baptist church met in the home of Joyce Lee Williams Thursday afternoon.

The mission study book, "Whirligigs in China" was taught by Mrs. Don Egerton.

Refreshments were served to Barbara Wells, Lois Crawford, Josephine Catterton, Anna Laura Allen, Grace Davis, Doris Janet Salmon, Betty Jean Prigmore, Tomaszewski Duvall, Leona Mae Young, Ramona Mather, Betty Jean Mosley, Vesta Grace James, Mrs. Don Egerton, and Mrs. Clifford Williams.

Civic Culture Club Members Will Sew For Red Cross A program on "Costa Rica and Nicaragua" was presented at the meeting of Civic Culture club in the home of Mrs. W. B. Murphy this week.

Mrs. W. G. Irving, leader, was assisted by Mrs. Irvin Cole and Mrs. J. B. Townsend. Travel etiquette was discussed in answer to roll call.

In the business session the group planned to sew more for the Red Cross.

Present were Meses Irvin Cole, Emmett Gies, Cyril Hamilton, A. D. Hills, W. G. Irving, Hugh Ibbell, B. A. Norris, W. L. Parker, E. A. Shackleton, J. B. Townsend, Katie Vincent, R. G. West, Willis White, and Emmett Osborne.

Order of Eastern Star Study club will meet at 7 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Gai Rose with Frankie Lee Hughes as hostess.

Invention Made Jobs Before accounting machines, in 1880, there were 150,000 bookkeepers and accountants in the United States; in 1930, the number had increased to 931,000.

Hadji was the title given to any Mohammedan who made the pilgrimage to Mecca.

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GUEST ORGANIST



John Josey, above, outstanding pipe organist of the Panhandle, will be presented by Upsilon chapter of Beta Sigma Phi society in a one-hour recital Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the First Methodist church. Mr. Josey has studied organ at Meredith college, Raleigh, North Carolina; and Guilford College, Greensboro, North Carolina. He has given recitals in Denton, Ballinger, San Angelo, Fort Worth, Cleburne, Cleburne, Dalhart, Amarillo, and several cities in Kansas and North Carolina. No admission charge will be made to the recital.

Junior Department To Be Recognized At Baptist Church

Continuing the loyalty campaign in progress in the First Baptist church, all juniors in both the high and low departments will be recognized Sunday morning.

All youngsters of nine, 10, 11, and 12 years of age are asked to be present for Sunday School and to sit in a group during the church service.

Parents are asked to send or bring their children to Sunday School and urge them to stay for church.

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Mrs. McConnell Reviews Book For Twentieth Century

A review of Elizabeth Goudge's "Bird in a Tree," was given by Mrs. Roger McConnell at the meeting of Twentieth Century club this week in the home of Mrs. R. J. Hagan.

Leader of the program, Mrs. Lester Bengt, discussed the life of the author following the roll call which was answered with the kind of a book I like.

Present were Meses Lester Bengt, Clifford Braly, W. A. Bratton, F. M. Culbertson, J. M. Fitzgerald, J. W. Gordon, E. J. Hagans, Raymond Harrah, Paul Kasalike, J. B. Massa, Roger McConnell, Roy McKernan, J. C. Richey, F. L. Stallings, and Lloyd Laird.

Reservations For Legion Dinner To Be Made By Tonight

Reservations for the birthday dinner to be given Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock for all Legionnaires and their wives at the Legion hall must be made by 8 o'clock this evening by calling telephone numbers 1422 or 302-W.

The American Legion auxiliary members are to be hostesses at the event.

The program will include numbers by the veterans band and an address by Judge Randall of Panhandle.

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British Begin War On Flies And Big 'Tri-Motored' Mosquitoes

By EDWARD KENNEDY
 CAIRO, Egypt, March 14 (AP)—British forces encamped in the western desert after their victories over the Italians have declared total war against one of their most exasperating enemies—the common house fly.

The conflict has been on an undeclared or "incident" basis ever since the soldiers came to the desert, but lurid posters around the camps gave notice today that now on a formal state of war exists.

"Agent No. 13," the notices read, "having returned from a clandestine visit into the heart of Libya, reports signs of great activity there.

"Secret breeding and mobilization have been carried out on a huge scale and no doubt remains that a vast offensive against the universal health is about to begin, led by Marshal Musca Domestica . . ."

And Musca Domestica (a couple of slightly more expensive words meaning housefly) is a formidable foe.

The posters said his slogan was "Fight and Fly" and the soldiers credit him with having the world's best reconnaissance.

Invariably, whenever a camp is established even in the most isolated regions miles from any human habitation, millions of flies descend on the camp almost instantly, seemingly out of nowhere.

The soldiers were pleased that combative services had been equipped for the fight against the fly but noted that nothing was said about the annoying desert mosquitoes.

"They say the big 'tri-motored' mosquitoes are very accurate in diving-bombing attacks and are supported by 'motorized' land forces—the menacing desert scorpions.

These latter nest mostly in bed clothes or in shoes and attack without hesitation whenever they are molested.

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Mother, Two Infant Daughters Die In Flames At Merkel

MERKEL, March 14 (AP)—Mrs. Henry Kilgore and her two infant daughters died in flames that raged through their tourist cabin here yesterday.

Mrs. Kilgore had been washing clothes with gasoline when the fire started.

The daughters, Emma, 4, and Shirley, 14 months, burned to death in the cabin. Mrs. Kilgore died shortly afterward.

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All sales profits from the film realized by the distributors will be donated to war emergency welfare work by the motion picture industry.

Stocks Of Oil Drop In January

WASHINGTON, March 14 (AP)—The bureau of mines today reported a 4,823,000 barrel decrease during January in total stocks of all oils.

Supplies amounted to 539,131,000 barrels, or 137 days' requirement, on January 31 compared with 563,964,000 barrels or 137 days on December 31, 1940.

January stocks were 38,685,000 barrels more than for the same month last year. Total demand for all oils dropped from 127,267,000 barrels in December to 126,732,000 barrels in January, of which 7,218,000 barrels were for export.

The bureau reported the January total new supply of all oils at 121,289,000 barrels compared with a new supply of 124,397,000 barrels during December. Domestic production rose from 115,768,000 barrels in December to 115,844,000 barrels in January.

January stocks of crude petroleum refined in the United States totaled 268,251,000 barrels compared with 264,079,000 in December and 239,794,000 last January.

The bureau reported January motor fuel stocks at 88,800,000 barrels compared with 83,647,000 in December and 89,339,000 in January, 1940. Domestic production totaled 52,542,000 barrels, demand 45,344,000 and exports 2,945,000.

Death Valley Scotty Hailed Into Court

LOS ANGELES, March 14 (AP)—The question of whether Death Valley Scotty has a secret gold mine is the chief issue of a civil suit in the federal court here today.

Julian M. Gerard of New York, told the court, by deposition, that he believes the mystery prospector has one. Gerard is suing Walker Scott—that's the desert rat's real name—for an accounting on a 1907 agreement. The New Yorker seeks 22½ per cent of Scotty's possessions which may have accrued from any mineral deposits located or discovered by Scotty since 1902.

Scotty is in court with a black eye—a real one. He says one of his mules, named Gold Dust, tried to kiss him, but knocked him out with the ring of its halter.

He says he owes Gerard nothing, but is glad the case is up to clear the issue. He signed a grubstake agreement with Gerard at New York in 1902.

Years later, Scotty says, he served notice on Gerard cancelling the agreement.

972 Planes Delivered During January

WASHINGTON, March 14 (AP)—Airplane manufacturers delivered 972 planes during February, a decrease of 64 from the January total.

William S. Knudsen, director of the Office of Production Management, announced the figures today and said that of the February deliveries 879 planes went to the British and to the United States army and navy. He did not disclose how many the American armed services received, nor how many of the planes were combat craft and how many were other types.

The decline in production was attributed by OPM officials to the smaller number of working days in February than in January. Knudsen forecast last month that production would decline slightly for that reason.

The remaining 93 planes delivered in February went to "other governments" and to commercial users. Knudsen did not disclose what other governments obtained them.

New School Teacher Employed At Miami

MIAMI, March 14—A new teacher for the elementary department in the Miami schools has been recently elected by the school board and assumed his duties. This is Edwin E. Sluder of Oilton, who has charge of the seventh grade room, teaches shop, and supervises the boys' playground activities.

Mr. Sluder is a graduate of W. T. S. C. at Canyon. With his coming, Mr. Hugh Harmon goes into high school, where he teaches in addition to directing the music for the whole school.

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CENTRAL MARKETS

In the CHURCHES

- FRANCIS AVENUE CHURCH OF CHRIST**
 D. W. Nichol, minister, 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, 10:45 a. m., Preaching, 11:45 a. m., Communion, 7:15 p. m., Young folk class, 7:45 p. m., Preaching, 2:30 p. m., Tuesday, Ladies' Bible class, 7:45 p. m., Wednesday, Prayer meeting.
- FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
 525 North Gray Street
 Rev. Robert Boshen, minister, 9:45 a. m., the Church school, 11 a. m., Common worship. The church maintains a nursery for babies and small children during the hour of morning worship, 7:30 p. m., Celebration of the Lord's supper.
- CHURCH OF GOD**
 701 Campbell Street
 Rev. B. A. Ratchford, pastor, 7:15 p. m., Saturday, Young People's services; 10 a. m., Sunday, Sunday school; 11 a. m., Regular preaching; 7:15 p. m., Saturday night, evangelistic services; 2:30 p. m., Tuesday, Woman's W. W. Choir; director, Aubrey Ruff and Y. P. E. president, Carl Taylor, Sr.
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**
 Rev. C. Gordon Bayless, pastor, 9:45, Sunday school, Fellowship class at church, R. E. Gatlin teaching, 10, Every Man's Bible class in the city auditorium; 10:50 a. m., morning worship. Service to be broadcast, 6:30 p. m., B. T. U. 8 p. m., evening worship.

Substance To Be Subject Of Sermon

"Substance" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 16.

The Golden Text is: "For ever, O Lord, thy word is settled in heaven. Thy faithfulness is unto all generations." (Psalms 119:89, 90).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me" (Philippians 4:13).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The Divine Being must be reflected by man—else man is not the image and likeness of the patient, tender, and true, the One 'altogether lovely'; but to understand God is the work of eternity, and demands absolute consecration of thought, energy, and desire" (page 3).

Camp Quarantined By Various Diseases

CAMP HULEN, March 14 (AP)—Measles and isolated cases of scarlet fever have caused quarantines in sections of Camp Hulen for the past few weeks.

Two cases of measles in Battery H, 211th cavalry, a former Massachusetts national guard regiment, put that unit under quarantine for two weeks.

Four cases of scarlet fever were discovered ten days ago but no new cases have been reported.

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Mr. Henry Has The Floor

The Lease-Lend Bill is law. By democratic process, after two months of strenuous debate in which every opportunity was given all sides to be heard over and over again, the people's representatives in Congress have passed it, two to one. It is the nation's policy, for good or ill.

The armament effort must now go into high gear. We have decided that the national safety and future now rest in our ability to arm, not only ourselves, but those other countries where the battle for their freedom is actually raging.

We arm, and the mind turns back to another crisis. One hundred sixty-six years ago, there was also an appeal for preparedness. In the provincial assembly of Virginia a resolution had been introduced to put the colony in a state of defense, fit out and train militia. Delegates hesitated. Defense? Defense against the homeland of Britain? True, there had been shooting on Lexington Green and at the Concord Bridge, but New England was far away from Virginia. Far away, and peace was pleasant.

Patrick Henry, whose resolution was being debated, heard with mounting indignation the objections as the debate dragged on. Then on March 23, 1775, he took the floor, and all his pent-up feeling rushed forth in a flood of oratory which, for a long time, every schoolchild knew.

"There is no retreat but in submission and slavery," Henry cried. "Our chains are already forged. Their clanking may be heard on the plains of Boston. The next gale that sweeps from the north will bring the clash of resounding arms. Our brethren are already on the field. Why stand we here idle? What is it that gentlemen wish? What would they have? Is life so dear or peace so sweet as to be purchased at the price of chains and slavery? Forbid it, Almighty God! I know not what course others may take, but as for me, give me liberty or give me death!"

Today the clanking of chains is heard in Norway, in Holland and Belgium, in Poland and Czechoslovakia and the Balkans. Today our brethren are already in the field. It is not asked or suggested that we do more than put arms in their hands, meanwhile perfecting and strengthening our own.

This we will do. We want no war, and will wage none against any people unless it invades our territory, denies our rights, or imminently menaces our vital interests. But in a world which hears ever louder the clank of chains, we are resolved to create that strength which will keep our bodies and souls free.

We want no war. But today's world has given short shrift to other nations which also wanted no war and thought that to do nothing was the best way to keep aloof. We are at last convinced that the best way to keep war away is to create strength for ourselves, and to share it with like-minded nations and peoples. Though we hope it will not, this course may lead to war. So, we have learned, may any other course; so may mere drifting. We now muster our strength as the best available insurance against being drawn into war.

Here we stand, and we stand no longer idle.

Behind The News

By PETER EDSON

The Pampa News Washington Correspondent WASHINGTON, March 14.—It's too bad some of the good dirt farmers of this broad land aren't around in the galleries and hanging from the temporary steel girders now supporting the weakened Capitol roof while the \$1,420,977,559 agriculture appropriation bill for 1942 is being considered in Congress.

To the individual farmer, the little fellow, this bill is simple, whether he grows wheat or cotton, and it thrashes or gins out to how big a check he gets from the government in the form of a crop loan, mortgage loan, subsidy to bring his sale price up to parity, or payment for soil conservation work. The farmer either gets this check or he doesn't, and if he gets it, he doesn't have to worry where the money comes from or why. All the farmer knows is that market prices being what they are, he would long since have lost his shirt if his Uncle Samuel hadn't contributed the difference between going broke and breaking even.

"HUMANLY IMPOSSIBLE"

If a farmer should take sufficient interest in this bill to come to Washington when its consideration first begins and see it through, he'd have to give up his winter fence mending and let someone else do the feeding and milking, for he would be in for a three months' stay in the capital, and it would take more than a government subsidy to keep him stabled and bedded down, the prices of wild oats and liquid rye being what they are.

For the House Appropriations Committee of 40 members began to consider this bill last Jan. 7. They held hearings for seven long weeks, almost every day, and in that time took testimony from Secretary of Agriculture Wickard and everyone else on down. This testimony fills 2000 pages of the solidest reading any farmer ever strained his eyes on while parking his socked feet on a base burner rail. And much of it would be unintelligible to a man who might know all the answers about corn borers and boll weevils, but couldn't write a law about them to save his crop.

It even staggered some of the congressmen. When the testimony was all in, the committee took all this sap and tried to boll down to pay sugar. The result was the bill itself, 100 pages in length, with an index at the back to show where to find the work of each of the 70 or 80 Department of Agriculture bureaus

Common Ground

By R. C. HOILES

This column contends there can be no satisfactory program until we measure the shares of each man by the common yardstick of the God-given equal right to create and enjoy anything anyone else has a right to create and enjoy.

LABOR UNIONS AND WARS As we are drafting the American youth of the land and appropriating billions upon billions of dollars for war and defense, it is well to analyze the beliefs that bring about these wars.

The primary belief that brings wars is the belief that some individuals have rights that others do not have,—beliefs exactly the same as modern labor unions are practicing. When workers group themselves together and declare that they must be paid more than other people are willing and able to do the same job for, then we are starting the foundation for wars and wars and wars.

But these beliefs in arbitrary wages and special privileges, as exemplified by modern labor unions, lead to unemployment and more and more restriction and more and more government control. This curtails initiative and prevents the people from using the natural resources in the country in a manner in which nature intended them to be used; that is, these natural resources should be used to support an ever-increasing population at an ever-increasing wage and it cannot be done as long as groups, like modern labor unions demand that they receive more for their share of work than the rest of the workers are able to receive for equivalent ability, skill and service. This leads to class legislation, to discrimination. It leads to the belief in force and power rather than the universal rule of equal freedom. And when people come to believe in force, rather than a free market, it is only a question of time until they are entangled in wars.

This belief that a part of the people are smart enough to arbitrarily determine what they should receive leads them to believe that they should tell the whole world what each man should receive, just as the President of the United States now proposes to go out and establish his arbitrary ideas of how wealth should be divided all over the world.

It is strange that people cannot see the inevitable results of class legislation. One group of people being protected, results in other people demanding protection also. And when the government is trying to protect all people, it becomes a socialistic government and people are then not rewarded in proportion to the service they render. The result is less production, discontent, more laws and wars.

Truly, modern labor unions, tariffs, immigration laws, cost billions and billions of dollars and millions of lives in wars. The principle of modern labor unions and a war of conquest only differ in degrees. The principle is the same.

HAVE WE PROMISED?

California's Senator, Sheridan Downey is reported to have written to his son that we now are obliged to pass the Lend-Lease bill in order to carry out a promise we have made to Britain.

The question Sheridan Downey should ask is whether the people have had a chance to really commit themselves to England that they wanted to take a part in the European war. They were deluded by meaningless phrases that there was some way of helping England short of war. It was a catch phrase by tricksters, made by men without principle, to fool the trusting people.

No, people of the United States have not committed themselves to enter the European war or to permit the President to contract to give Europe all the savings of all the American people for past ages. They have not contracted for this, even if the former Republican candidate and Harry Hopkins have gone over to England and made secret promises for the administration as it developed Woodrow Wilson had made, when he was a candidate, to keep us out of war. We, the people, are not bound by any such promise.

Every bit of evidence is pointing to the determination of the war party, headed by Roosevelt, to get us into another world war.

OUR SPIRITUAL VALUES AND WAR

Not since the Civil War, have the American people been in worst shape spiritually to enter into a war. And wars are won by unity and spiritual ideas and not when the people are divided and covetous of each other.

When a nation goes for ten years with ten to twelve million people out of work and most of the rest of the workers unable to work as long as they want to, and wages out of balance as they are, this is evidence that there is great confusion and lack of spiritual understanding in our midst.

It is a serious matter to enter into foreign wars with our spiritual values at such low ebb.

which functions under the act. And in the words of Congressman Charles H. Leavy of Spokane, Wash., a member of the committee, "It is humanly impossible for any member of Congress, or any other person, to say that they have a complete and full understanding of all the phases of this bill."

83,000 EMPLOYEES IN 22 ACRES During the four days the bill was debated on the floor of the House, most of the debating being done by the members of the committee who did the drafting, the whole gloomy picture of the farm situation of the country was spread on the record. Congressman Everett M. Dirksen of Pekin, Ill., even dug back to President Roosevelt's statement of March, 1933:

"We are on the way to bankruptcy because governments are wrecked upon the rocks of loose fiscal policy."

And earlier statements of the 1932 campaign: "We must repeal the law that compels the government to go into the market to purchase, to sell, or to speculate in farm products in a futile attempt to reduce farm surpluses. . . . We must insist that we get more service for the farmer for less money."

Well, in November, 1940, the government had surpluses of 154 million bushels of corn, a million bushels of wheat, six million bales of cotton, and its fiscal policy included \$280 million, in loans to farmers.

THE BEAR THAT WALKS LIKE A MOUSE



Around Hollywood

By PAUL HARRISON

NEA Service Desk Correspondent HOLLYWOOD, March 14.—Behind the screen: A top director has been having a lot of trouble with his film's co-stars because both players want to show only their left profile. Finally, he blew up and said, "Please—please—if you'll just work with me so we can finish this picture. I'll write the script for your next one myself, and I promise you the entire action will take place on a tandem bicycle."

The Easter parade has already started in Hollywood, judging from the number of costumes, not to say creations, scheduled for feminine stars to wear in current films. Eleanor Powell gets 23 Adrian-designed outfits, Ann Southern 20 more, in "Andy Be Good." Joan Fontaine emerges from screen shabbiness in "Before the Fact" with 39 costumes. Tops is Ginger Rogers' 46 wardrobe changes in "Tom, Dick and Harry."

Approximately, that's a different outfit for every 215 feet of film, or one every couple of minutes.

CLARK GABLE'S STILL KICKING That regularly-recurring report of Clark Gable's death was going the rounds again this week; the rumor originated in Georgia this time and had the star smashed to smithereens in an automobile accident. As usual, a studio executive had to come in to bury the rumor.

Now they know what kind of brat Robert Preston was. In "The Lady From Cheyenne" a frontier schoolhouse is to burn down. One was built expressly for that purpose on the Kernville location, and soaked in kerosene so it would blaze merrily. Came time to set it afire and Preston begged so hard to be allowed to burn it off that he was in the scene, they handed him the matches.

Charlie Chaplin just gave Paulette Goddard a shiny new station wagon —vehicle which Hollywood rates as swankier than a limousine. However, even in Hollywood, complete with bath and cocktail bar, at prices ranging from \$3,900 to \$26,000; no swimming pool, though. . . . Latest hair-bobber is Margaret Hayes, who had to part with 10 inches of Auburn locks for her role in "The Night of January 16th." Gately, she wired Director Bill Clements, who had ordered the shearing: "Hope you don't lose as much hair over this picture as I did."

SIMONE SIMON RETURNS RETURNS Returning to pictures is Simone Simon, who de-pouted from Hollywood three years ago, went home to make French films, came back for Broadway show; she's signed for a top role at RKO. . . . Wardrobe woman at Metro got a chuckle when they started fittings on three-year-old colored Marguerite Sneed, cast as one of the orphans in "Blossoms in the Dust"; embroidered in bright red script on the waistband of her ruffled panties was, "God Bless America."

Double-billed on marquee: "Elmer's Pet Rabbit" and "The Lone Wolf Keeps a Date"; "Bliss" and "Honeymoon" for Three.

Olivia De Havilland says she'd like to end the gossip that she's feuding with her family just because she stayed at Geraldine Fitzgerald's house while she was convalescing from an appendicitis. Sister Joan Fontaine (Mrs. Brian Aherne) has a small-staffed, two-bedroom house

People You Know

By Archer Fullingim

It's dollars to doughnuts that you know people like these in MAN OF GENIUS By Madame Stella Nothing frustrates a woman so much as not being able to turn the house inside out at least once a week, for a home to a woman is a place to clean and tend. Nothing is so good for her soul as the glorious monotony of housekeeping. Consider the horrible frustration of Eloise who was married to a genius. When you are married to a genius you don't have the house to yourself. Besides, most generally insist on working at home because the routine of going to offices is not compatible with their inspirational urges. So Stephen stayed home and made posters. They were not ordinary posters, of course. He worked mostly after midnight. He slept till all hours of the day. He could not bear the sound of a vacuum cleaner nor the sight of a mop. The best Eloise could ever do was to clean a little in the middle when her very soul ached to get at the dirt behind and under things. Eloise sometimes doubted her suitability as the wife of a genius, especially when Stephen threw out the rugs and the drapes and the mahogany coffee table. He said they cluttered up the place. And when Eloise made strong black coffee to keep Stephen awake after midnight so that he might do work he was not inspired to do by daylight, she doubted if her constitution was strong enough to permit her to keep on being married to genius. Eloise grew thin and haggard and she might have expired altogether if she hadn't discovered Stephen's kinship to ordinary men. She was out shopping one day and decided to eat beyond her means in a little restaurant. Stephen came in with a little cutie who bore no resemblance at all to that weekly date he was supposed to have with the Jack of his department. She was just the kind of a girl a business man would take to lunch and hope all his pals would see. And envy him of course. Nothing robs a man of his standing as a genius so much as an extramarital interest. He could be a failure all his life and still convince his wife of his genius, but let him show such a normal trait as stepping out with a cutie and he is a genius no more. It all worked out for the best. Eloise made Stephen get an office and do his work by the natural light of day. The work improved enormously. Eloise cleaned house for a solid month and had a wonderful time. She grew prettier by the day. And, although she didn't tell Stephen, she gets in a little beauty nap every afternoon. She looks like a cutie herself these days.

Cranium Crackers

Diamond Figures

Baseball is in the air again, with the major league teams in spring training. Listed below are five groups of baseball players and managers; in each group of four names, one is out of place. Can you spot each? 1. Monte Pearson, Lefty Gomez, Paul Derringer, Bucky Walters. 2. Lou Novikoff, Gerald Friddy, Lou Stringer, Benny McCoy. 3. Del Baker, Leo Durocher, Bill McClellane, Frank Frisch. 4. Kirby Hoge, Hank Greenberg, Joe DiMaggio, Dom DiMaggio. 5. Bob Feller, Buck Newsom, Carl Hubbell, Schoonby Rowe.

So They Say

Let profits come from large volume rather than through high prices. —HARRIET ELLIOTT, defense commissioner.

Totalitarian unity is achieved by the application of force and intolerance. Democratic unity is brought about by a pooling of differences and by mutual aid. —Dr. DWAYNE ORTON, president, Stockton Junior college.

We have to choose, and for my part I think it is a less evil than some criminals should escape that the government should play an ignoble part. —Justice HOLMES, as quoted by President Roosevelt on the wire-tapping bill.

We may put in the place of today's world a new civilization, different from any that we have hitherto known, but based upon those values which democracy has discovered to be good. —RUSSELL DAVENPORT, editor and erstwhile Willie backer.

Yesteryear In The News

Ten Years Ago Today Gray county's biggest gasser in over a year, Operator Royalty and Producers No. 2 Vaniman, blew in with an initial production of 75 million cubic feet of gas.

Building permits in Pampa were not so bad the first two and one-half months of 1931. Total amount of building permits issued during the year was \$79,650.

Five Years Ago Today Appointment of Ben Gull, high school dramatics teacher, as director of the pageant for the Centennial and Oil Exposition to be held here in June, was announced.

One of the climatic events of the school year was to be a massed singing of Centennial songs in Harvest park. It was announced.

10-Year Attendance Awards Given Lions Of Panhandle Club

Special To THE NEWS PANHANDLE, March 14.—Three members of the Panhandle Lions club were awarded for 10 years perfect attendance. R. E. Randle, Jack Griffith, and A. J. Weiser are charter members of the local organization, and completed 10 years perfect attendance last fall.

They were presented an attendance pin, with a charter member chevron attached, at a banquet at Lubbock recently. The awards were given by Melvin Jones, founder of Lions International, in whose honor the banquet was held.

TEX'S TOPICS

By Tex DeWeese

ABOUT the easiest thing in the world to do is jump to the conclusion that there is something seriously wrong with you—in short, that you are in the dumps and not mentally normal. . . . But, according to Dr. Louis E. Bisch, noted psychiatrist, if you think you are not normal you are exhibiting the very best proof that you are normal. . . . Dr. Bisch says that unless a person has specialized, he quite naturally is ignorant of the mental and physical peculiarities that are common denominator to the vast majority of the population. . . . As soon as he discovers that he has changed in one or more particulars, he jumps to the conclusion that it won't be long before a clanging ambulance halts at his door and unconceringly hauls him to an asylum.

There are approximately eight worrisome symptoms which alarm him while of and by themselves, are not serious. . . . They include poor concentration and memory, feeling of unreality, fear of insanity, worry, insomnia, suicide ideas, obsessions and compulsions, and depression. . . . But if you think you are not normal, remember that the brain is an orderly collection of nerve cells, strong and resistive, and that it can and does take a tremendous amount of punishment before it gives way. . . . Bear in mind, too, the wide variations that exist among normals and you, too, will feel that maybe you are normal after all.

IT HAS been years since we got as low as we got about two hours before this was written, and it must have been Dr. Bisch's explanation of things that helped us over the hump. There was no particular reason for feeling that way except that things were piled up so high in front of us that the tasks ahead appeared to be insurmountable. . . . Everybody gets that way once in awhile, we're told. If you think, though, is to get out of it just as quickly as possible or you're sunk. . . . We know a fellow who let things get him down this week and he blew up. . . . He had plenty of reason for it, too. . . . What we do when that kind of a situation arises is just push everything back in the corner and "take out" until we feel we can go back and start all over from scratch. . . . It's surprising how well that plan works. . . . Try it some time.

A little learning is a dangerous thing (to be without). You can lead a horse to water, but you can't make him drink (anything stronger than that). . . . Money talks (usually, to most of us, it says "Nice and easy, see you"). . . . Knowledge is power (if you apply the knowledge in the right place).

SPRING is the safest season of the year, and April the safest month, from the standpoint of accidents. And if the other 11 months could match April's safety record there would be approximately 12,500 fewer fatal accidents in the United States in the course of a year. This is due to the fact that April is more nearly free of the dangers that characterize both winter and summer. Fewer fires are needed, thus the risk of death from burns or asphyxiation is lessened. Babies are not bundled up so heavily in bed, so there is not so much danger of smothering. The season of falls on icy sidewalks is about over, too. . . . On the other hand, it is not yet time for swimming and canoeing and the heavy motor season has not arrived—and all those activities take a heavy toll during the summer months. April isn't a hunting season, either, and that helps keep its record clean. . . . Of course, April is generally accepted as the time for housecleaning, which always brings its quota of falls from stepladders. But with all that, the month's safety figures lead the list. July is when you really need to be careful for that's when accidents reach their peak.

Soviet Has New Ideas

MOSCOW, March 14 (AP)—The Soviet navy organ, Red Fleet, said today the war "is taking the form of a contest between the world's two strongest capitalistic industrial machines, the Anglo-American and the German—a contest for speed, quantity and quality in the production of war weapons."

The War Today

By DEWITT MacKENZIE

This time in March, 24 years ago, Britain was close to downing hunger and in grave peril as the result of Kaiser Wilhelm's unrestricted U-boat campaign.

The reign of terror intensified until, with the coming of April, the submarines began to pile up a month's record slaughter of 82,000 tons of brave ships. The waters of the British shipping lanes boiled with death, as those of us who were on the spot can testify, and you could have bought the allied chances of victory at cut rates.

That "sink at sight" offensive was the straw that broke the Yankee camel's back, and we entered the war. With our naval assistance in convoying and hunting down submarines, the menace was kept in hand. Old Mother Hubbard's cupboard had food in it again, and the wheels of vital industries were speeded up.

History isn't repeating itself exactly, but there is a weird similarity between the present situation and the Kaiser's drive of a quarter century ago Hitler is treading, in the footsteps of all the highest, but with seven-league boots.

As the battle of Britain flames up, whether he might have won his war after all (if he had possessed Hitler's airforce and bases on the English Channel).

America hasn't got into this war—but the assistance for the allies is increasing. It's a race between our all-out aid and Hitler's blitzkrieg.

Yesterday the Nazis stated that they had sunk 9,000,000 tons of British shipping since the war started. Their claims are increasing at a rate about double what the British admit, but even if you halve the 9,000,000, it still is a huge loss.

Such sinkings will mean disaster for Britain in the long run if they aren't halted. Hitler's chief effort is directed at cutting the Atlantic lanes so as to keep aid from getting through.

This morning Britain asked quick aid to help bolster her merchant marine. A statement issued from the premier's residence said: "In no sphere of our war effort is the help which the United States can give us under the lend-lease legislation more urgent than that of shipping."

Significant is the trend of the Nazi bombing in this pre-spring of Germany. Again last night the Germans struck fiercely at the port of Liverpool, and for the first time since the outbreak of war, made a heavy raid on the extensive port and ship-building yards of Scotland's Glasgow. The meaning of the special attention to Britain's west coast is this:

Because of their possession of channel bases, the Nazis have been able to bomb the east and south coast ports so heavily as fairly well to nullify their usefulness except for coastal shipping. Britain's greatest loss has been in the use of the port of London, with its 45 miles of quays, its industries, and its network of railways. This biggest river port of the world normally handles a third of Britain's foreign trade, and over 40 per cent of the food and raw materials pass through there.

So the British have had to divert their traffic to the west coast ports. They include Liverpool, Glasgow, Bristol, and Cardiff, and of these Liverpool is the most important, handling between a quarter and a third of the total imports. Naturally this shift has caused heavy congestion in the west coast ports, and has restricted the shipping lanes, thus making the work of the submarine easier.

Now Herr Hitler is trying to destroy the west coast ports so that those ships which escape the sea wolves will have no place to discharge their cargoes.

A double-reed musical instrument played by the Siamese is known as a "no."

SIDE GLANCES

By GALBRAITH



"You won't mind, I hope, but we'll all have to go to the basement and see my husband's lathes and what he's doing to speed up the defense program!"

TRI-CITY BOXING MEET TO OPEN IN MIAMI GYM TONIGHT

Miami, LeFors, Wellington To Contest

Special To The NEWS

MIAMI, March 14—At least 35 boys, among them some of the best in the state, are to take part in the Miami-LeFors-Wellington boxing tournament which has its opening session tonight in the Miami high school gymnasium.

Sessions will continue through Saturday and conclude Sunday night. At least 12 bouts are scheduled for each session, and each school team will have an entry in each weight, it is expected.

Stina Cain, high school principal at Wheeler, has been secured to referee, and Dan McGrew and Paul Hill of Pampa of Pampa will be two of the judges. A third judge is yet to be secured.

Miami always has large crowds at her boxing matches, and Coach Garrison Rush has made provision to take care of the extra numbers of onlookers that are expected to be drawn to the tournament by the unusual attractions that will be offered in each fistie encounter.

Prather Signs Up 3 Rookies In Oklahoma

Three highly recommended rookies have signed contracts to play ball with the Pampa Oilers, Manager Dutch Prather announced last night upon his return from a trip "into Oklahoma."

Prather had heard about the boys so he visited them at their homes and they signed contracts on the spot. On his trip he signed Glenn Alexander, a pitcher, at Stratford, Okla.; Lon Pearson, an infielder, at Pauls Valley; and Melvin Klepper, either an infielder or an outfielder, at Rosedale.

The new Oiler manager said he got a line on several other promising players, who participated in the Oklahoma State tournament last year, and that he planned to make another trip or two before the spring training season begins about April 1. Road Runner park, home of the Oilers, is being repaired. The fence has been completely renovated and there will be no more "peeping toms" allowed around the fence, club owners announced today.

"We'll put a barbed wire fence around if necessary," the owners stated.

The grandstand roof will be repaired next. The playing field is in good condition.

15 Germans Executed

BERLIN, March 14 (AP)—German military authorities in the Netherlands announced today that 15 persons convicted of membership in a "terror, sabotage and espionage organization" were executed by a firing squad yesterday.

Death sentences pronounced on three others were commuted to life imprisonment.



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WT-NM League Called Paradise For Rookies

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF

DALLAS, March 14 (AP)—The West Texas-New Mexico league is a paradise for rookies if ever there was one.

Its turn-over in baseball flesh is fast and sure and there is little room except at the top.

Each season 48 new ball players come into the league—that is, 48 youngsters who have not had more than 45 days professional experience.

This means that 48 experienced men must be moving out each year. As it is a Class D loop, the lowest in classification, those who depart can't go down. They either have to jump up or get out.

The league, which plays a fast brand of ball despite its classification, is doing all right by itself as evidenced by the fact that 23 are graduating to higher company this year.

The loop opens its fifth annual campaign April 22. Each club will

Basketball Defense, Like Dodo, No Longer Exists

By HAROLD CLAASSEN

KANSAS CITY, March 14 (AP)—Scores in the fifth annual National Intercollegiate tournament are proof that defense in basketball is as rare as a dodo.

In the 28 games needed to cut the 1941 field to the four semi-finalists there has been an average of 86 points a game. West Texas State alone stuffed 77 points through the net in vanquishing one foe.

Another Lone Star State school, Texas Wesleyan, and Evansville, Ind., college used 133 to reach a decision.

Abolition of the center jump increased the time for actual play and hiked the scoring but mentors attending the tourney are certain a change in coaching and playing technique is equally responsible for the astronomical scores.

All agreed offense is stressed by coaches on the theory that by ignoring and outscoring the foe one can win in any game as by throttling the opponent's pointmakers. At the same time, more spectators will pay to see the livelier display.

Al Baggett, coach of the West Texas glants, also believes the modern streamlined forward has done his share to outmode defense.

In basketball's infancy, Baggett explains, the player hurried down the floor, surveyed the situation, distributed his weight equally on both feet in preparation for the next defensive move in case his shot missed, and then let fly.

The 1941 forward shoots with all the determination of a night-club soprano every time he gets near the free throw line. Sometimes he is falling, sometimes he has both feet in the air and at least two buckets were made with the shooter seated on the hardwood.

A man in the original shooter seldom gained his equilibrium in time to join the fray.

Of the four teams in the 1941 semi-finals, three are of the harum-scarum type. Only Santa Barbara, Calif., State has the more deliberate style.

The Gauchos have forced their first two foes into their style and tonight have the Thoroughbreds of Murray, Ky., Teachers as their opponent in preparation for the bracket Baggett's Texas and San Diego, Calif., State collide at 9:30.

Yesterday's results:

West Texas State, Canyon, Texas, 54, Delta State, Cleveland, Miss., 34.

San Diego, Calif., State, 44, Texas Wesleyan, Fort Worth, Texas, 42.

Murray, Ky., Teachers 46, Maryville, Mo., Teachers 43.

Santa Barbara, Calif., State 36, Appalachian State, Boone, N. C., 29.

Temple Coach Teaching Old Dances To His Grid Team

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF

TEMPLE, March 14 (AP)—Ponderous Les Cranfill, one of the most successful football coaches in Texas, has taken up dance teaching.

Les, a 260-pounder who is light on his feet, has been teaching his Temple in the state play-off again.

"Dancing can be a big help to athletes," Cranfill explained. "Modern football demands rhythm and close timing, just like some of these intricate dance steps, and I'd be tickled if all my football kids were good dancers."

"I've seen very few good athletes who weren't also good dancers," Cranfill was helping teach the physical education classes dance steps when a "juke box" was installed in the school gym. Grow-

Scotties To Head Entrants In Exposition Track Meet

FORT WORTH, March 24 (AP)—Highland Park's state champion Scotties will head an imposing array of 600 contestants battling for places today in the high school division of the Southwestern Exposition track and field meet.

The schoolboy class, with more than 80 Texas and Oklahoma teams in the field, runs off preliminaries this afternoon to open the nineteenth annual carnival.

Preliminaries in the university, college, junior college, prep school and municipal pentathlon divisions are scheduled tomorrow morning with all finals tomorrow afternoon.

The Scotties, with 18 contestants headed by Larry Wolf, state quarter-mile champion and crack relay team, are highly favored to win the schoolboy title.

If numbers mean anything Dallas schools should run off with the major share of events because, besides Highland Park, there will be 26 entries from North Dallas, 25 from Sunset, 24 from Adamson and 15 from Woodrow Wilson.

More than 1200 entries have been received in the five divisions with the University of Texas a heavy favorite to again come through in the university class.

There also will be golf and swimming meets in both high school and college divisions.

In high school there will be 14 events, with the 440-yard relay taking the place of the javelin throw this season.

Two special events also are scheduled. The 100-meter dash will attract Lonnie Hill of Texas, who has won it the past two years; the new sprint sensation, Fred Ramsdell of Texas; Welby Williams, the North Texas State flier, and other dash men of the southwest.

March Farmer, one-arm hurdler from Texas Tech, and Boyce Gatewood, former Texas star, will run in the 120-yard event. Gatewood holds the all-meet record at 14.3 seconds.

College and high school teams will run the football relay.

Only one American in eight claims to know the words of the "Star-Spangled Banner."

CC Corps Now Open For April Enrolment

Applications for the April enrollment in the Civilian Conservation Corps are now open to Gray county boys. Enrollment is for a six-month period. Mrs. Willie Egan, county case worker, with office on the first floor of the court house, is the person to see on enrollment.

The April enrollment is merely to replace those enrollees who have been discharged due to the fact they have completed their 18 months of two years service, or to accept employment to better their condition, or who have been called home due to emergencies.

Texas has over 16,000 boys currently in the CCC, those from New York and Pennsylvania only exceed that number, and over \$250,000 per month is returned to Texas' boys families, while \$125,000 is set aside and saved to be paid to them when discharged from the corps.

Due to conditions throughout the country, the vocational program for the CCC will be stepped up and members can be assured of being trained in many of the trades and skills, thereby being benefitted to a greater extent than ever before. They will be able to secure employment in private industry and become self-supporting in less time than heretofore.

Gridiron Size Tent Erected Over River

ENUNCLAW, Wash., March 14 (AP)—A huge tent, more than big enough to cover a football field, is being erected across the White river chasm near here to keep a dam dry.

A vast spider web of cables was ready today to hoist the covering, 195 by 328 feet, over the canyon walls.

The tent will act as an umbrella over Mud Mountain dam, which the government is erecting as a flood control project across the ravaging "river nobody wants."

Main job of the tent will be to keep rain off the "oven-baked" dirt after it is prepared for packing into the impervious core of the rock-fill barrier. The dirt's moisture content will be reduced to between 10 and 17 per cent by heating in immense oil-heated ovens. The baking increases its compactibility.

The tent cost \$35,000, just about \$1 per pound.

Italy has 61 traffic deaths annually for every 10,000 automobiles in the country; Germany, 42; England, 29.

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Sports Roundup

By EDDIE BRIETZ

NEW YORK, March 14—Boston College's naming Denny Myers as football coach gets our wholehearted applause because he is a personable gent full of ideas. . . . His term at Brown expired March 1 which is one reason he had the inside track. . . . The B. C. rector instructed the graduate board to have no dealings with coaches under contract elsewhere. . . . Joe DiMaggio confides he expects to be a proud pop in October and the Yanks probably will offer him a fat bonus for first call on the youngster's services. . . . If a boy. . . . Hal Manders, Detroit rookie who is as fast as Buck Newson, is afraid to cut loose for fear he'll kill a batter.

At Last!

Minneapolis seems to have beat Madison Square Garden under the wire with honest wrestling. . . . Anyway, 8,000 roaring fans saw old Bronko Nagurski beat Ray Steele for title No. 37-C. . . . And the Morning Tribune columnist reports: "It was a shut-out match from beginning to end, much to the satisfaction of the throng."

Heard And Seen

Co-ed hearts fluttered when Pete Smith (who looks like Gary Cooper) arrived at Marquette as Coach Tom Stidham's assistant. Only hitch was Pete brought Mrs. S. with him. . . . Wish all of you could have read Dlow Cullum's side-splitting column in the Minneapolis Times on how a guy can make himself presentable to his beagles for an outlay of only \$219.75. . . . George Case, Washington Redskins' star, was awarded the John D. Plant cup for 1941 tonight. Award goes to the Peddie school graduate who was outstanding in athletics during last year. . . . They will be no eastern and western division in the American Hockey league next season. . . . Al Schacht's book getting good reviews all over.

Today's Guest Star

Henry Vance, Birmingham Age-Herald: "Doc Prothro says he'll keep ten pitchers this year. . . . That's eight more than the Phillies usually have. . . . They can't afford to carry too many players. . . . If they do, the banks will quit carrying them."

Personals

Coach Frank Thomas of Alabama is timing the flit. Steve Belosie and Tami Mauriello, who fight in the garden tonight, live within a couple of blocks of each other in the Bronx. . . . Four stars to Stan Frank's estate. . . . The place in which he tells how Hank Greenberg harnesses brain and brawn. . . . Tom Akers, sports editor of the San Diego Tribune-Sun, is kicking himself all over the place for not playing a lunch in the Santa Anita. His telephone exchange is Bayview. . . . Pete Sarron, former featherweight champion, brought a team of boxers from Camp Blandon, Fla., to the Golden State Hotel. . . . He and heartbroken when none of 'em won.

We Don't Get It

We can go along with the magazine news week in selecting Billy Conn as the best dressed athlete in the country. . . . What gets us is how they ever rated Lew Jenkins in the first ten, much less seventh place. . . . F. S. Max Baer was second and Joe DiMaggio third.

Success Story

Frank Leahy now reigns in the state gymnasium where he once worked as a janitor to help pay his way through Notre Dame.

Sens Finish With 'Cuban Experiment'

ORLANDO, Fla., March 14 (AP)—Having finished within one hummer of the American League cellar last year, the Washington Senators are undergoing a great shifting-around in spring training in a rather forlorn hope that something might click and put them up in the running.

For one thing, the great "Cuban experiment" is over, and outside of one lonesome Venezuelan the club that Manager Bucky Harris puts in the field will be as American as the capitol dome. Without breaking any confidences, we can say that this is a great relief to Bucky.

For another thing, they know now with an awful certainty that Buddy Lewis is not an outfielder and are bringing him back to his former post at third base, with Cecil Travis shifting over to short and the weak-hitting Jim Fohall reverting to the bench.

None of this is likely to do the Nationals any real harm and it might effect some slight improvement, but it begins to look like "Old Fox" Clark Griffith has lost forever his knack of putting together championship teams out of old biddling wire and odds and ends from the attic.

Hoover Girl Taking Flying Course At West Texas College

Special To The NEWS

CAYTON, March 14—Mildred Cole is taking a flying course at West Texas State college, is one of three girls who has enrolled in the C. A. A. pilot training course this semester.

Carl York of the West Texas school is ground instructor and Otis Williams and Frank Pemberton are flying instructors.

The college quota of 30 has been filled. A flying field near the Amarillo highway is maintained by the college for this purpose.

Greenburg Signs \$50,000 Contract

DETROIT, March 14 (AP)—The Detroit News said today in a special dispatch from Lakeland, Fla., that Hank Greenberg, Detroit Tiger outfielder who may be drafted into army service before the season opens, signed his 1941 contract last night "for a reported sum of \$50,000."

Greenberg's reported salary was described by the dispatch as the highest ever set for a player by the Detroit club and the highest player salary in baseball history with the exception of Babe Ruth's \$80,000 in 1930 and 1931.

Thousands of dollars' worth of gold went up in smoke at the U. S. gold refinery every year until recently. Rooms of nearby buildings were found to be covered with a layer of gold dust when swept.

Classified Ads Get Results!

Seeded Stars Advance In Indoor Tennis Tourney

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 14 (AP)—It's like asking a judge to sentence himself, but if any one of the seeded tennis tournament thinks he can win the title—you can't get him to admit it.

Seven of the eight seeded stars were still in the running today as the meet moved into the quarter-finals.

"In this field you don't know who to pick," said Defending Champion Bobby Riggs of Chicago, who meets Frank Guernsey of Houston, Texas, today. "I think Jack Kramer is the tournament dark horse."

Guernsey, two-time national intercollegiate champ, said any one of the first five seeded men might win. The Texan himself is seeded eighth.

"Watch out for Kramer," Guernsey declared. "He might surprise somebody."

Kramer, the Rollins college student from Los Angeles who holds a half-interest in the national outdoor doubles crown, picked Frank Kovacs, the California cut-up, as most likely to survive the field.

Kramer plays Wayne Sabin, former national indoor champ from Portland, Ore., tonight, while Kovacs meets Bill Talbert of Cincinnati.

"I think it will be Riggs again," said Kovacs, adding: "That is, of course, if he gets past Kovacs." Riggs and Kovacs are in the same bracket, seeded first and third.

Second-Seeded Don McNeill of Oklahoma City, the national outdoor champ, believes it will be a toss-up between Kovacs and Riggs. He declined to speculate on either's opponent in the finals.

McNeill meets Frank McEwee of Arkansas university today. McEwee pulled the tournament's first major upset by ousting Seventh-Seeded Lefty Brown of Waco, Texas, last night.

Sabin, seeded No. 4, opined that any one of the top six men had an even chance to cop the crown.

"This is a fast field," the former champion said. "And everybody seems to be on his game."

Two quarter-finals doubles matches also were on the day's schedule, designed to reduce both singles and doubles to the semi-finals for tomorrow.

This Is How You Can Stock Your Pond With Bream, Bass

(By The Associated Press)

Anybody in Texas owning a puddle of water large enough to be called a pond may stock it free and have good fishing within a few months.

Plant your young fish now, officials of the department of fish and game at Texas A. and M. College advise, and reap a harvest of tasty bluegills or Georgia bream in the fall. It is not always possible to get immediate delivery of stocking fish, but the hatcheries fill orders as rapidly as they are able.

Here's how to do it:

To get fish from the state hatcheries, write the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission at Austin, asking for a request blank. Fill in this blank and return it to the commission. When the hatcheries are delivering, usually in the summer, they will fill the request if possible. In order to get fish from the federal hatcheries in Texas, write to the Superintendent, United States Fisheries Station, Fish and Wildlife Service at Uvalde.

Few fish are required. Only one pair of bluegill bream spawning with average success will produce enough young fish to stock several acres of water. A. and M. experts advise:

Proper kinds and numbers of fish should be planted in new ponds and tanks. Bluegill bream reproduces so fast that some hungry fish-eaters, like bass, are needed to keep the bluegills from becoming too numerous. Therefore, young largemouth bass and young bluegill bream are used together in the following proportions for one acre of water:

Four hundred bluegill bream from one to three inches long.

Thirty largemouth bass from one to three inches long.

These small fish all should be about the same size. If three acres of water are to be stocked, three times these quantities should be used.

In order to keep the fish from becoming too numerous and not having enough to eat, they should be fished heavily, or the pond seeded several times a year. If fishing becomes poor in a few years, A. and M. wildlife experts recommend that the pond be drained and restocked.

Fish planted in the early spring according to the above numbers will be large enough to catch and eat by

Wheeler Seniors Receive Pictures

Special To The NEWS

WHEELER, March 14—The senior class received the panels of their group pictures. The large glass panel was hung in the office with the panels of the seniors of the last two years.

Pictures of Superintendent J. L. Gilmore, Principal C. B. Witt, and co-sponsors of the class, Mmes. R. William Brown and A. E. Turner, are also in the group.

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LaNORA Today and Saturday: "Land of Mystery," all-star historical feature. REX Today and Saturday: "In Old Colorado," with William Boyd. STATE Today and Saturday: "Light of Western Stars," with Russell Hayden. CROWN Today and Saturday: "The Human Monster," with Bela Lugosi, Chapter 3 "The Green Hornet Strikes Again," Cartoon and news.

EYES ARE DIVIDED

The whirligig beetle has divided eyes, the lower half of each eye being used for seeing under water, and the upper half for vision in the air above. Classified Ads Get Results! CROWN TODAY and SATURDAY "THE HUMAN MONSTER" With BELA LUGOSI Chapter 3 "The Green Hornet Strikes Again." CARTOON & NEWS STARTING SUNDAY Stirling story of two fighting men in love with the same woman! CONVAY CLIVE BROOK With John Clements - Edward Chapman - Jody Campbell. Distributed by RKO Radio Pictures

ANNOUNCEMENTS

2—Special Notices CAUTION: Some stores may use the name "FRIGIDAIRE" loosely to identify their makes of refrigerators and thus confuse the public. Don't be fooled! If a refrigerator does not bear the "FRIGIDAIRE" name plate it is not a FRIGIDAIRE and will not offer FRIGIDAIRE advantages. FRIGIDAIRE is the trade mark of the refrigerator manufactured only by the FRIGIDAIRE division of General Motors.

LIVESTOCK

39—Livestock-Feed-Seeds LIGHT'S BEST flour. None better. 24 pound sack 67c. Money back guarantee. Friday and Saturday Vandover's Food Store, 407 W. Foster. PLANTING time is here again, onion sets, onion plants, clover, bluegrass, Bermuda grass, copperhead, onion seed, mull, Bone meal, Harvey Feed Co. Phone 1130. ACCLIMATED Texas red seed cats, seed eggs, hatched straw, chickens. See T. J. Zarz, 6 miles south of Kingsmill. SEEDS and feeds for every need. New, fresh garden seeds in bulk. Feeds for growing chicks and laying hens. Pampa Feed Store, phone 1677.

54—City Property

FOR SALE: Nice 7 room modern house, four furnaces, hardwood floors, throughout. Excellent condition, 444. Loan financed. \$22.00 N. Gray, phone 444. 5-R. house on Fisher. 6-R. house on N. West will trade for smaller house. 2-R. modern on Faulkner. 6-R. house and 3 acres ground \$1500. Cars taken in on all above property except 2-R. house on Faulkner. JOHN HAGGARD First Nat'l. Bank Bldg. Ph. 909

56—Farms and Tracts

FOR SALE: 300 acres oil and gas lease North half of Section 6, Block 9, I&GN survey, Hutchinson county. \$15. per acre. Box 700, Borger. 58—Business Property FOR SALE OR LEASE: Downtown beauty shop, north side, well equipped, good business. Will consider short time lease with purchase option. Interested parties write Box 50 Pampa News.

FINANCIAL

61—Money to Loan MONEY TO LOAN On guns, tools, diamonds, watches, luggage, musical instruments, fishing tackle, jewelry, radios, saddles, shoes, boots, men's clothing, etc. You can trust your valuables with us. PAMPA PAWN SHOP 109 1/2 S. Cuyler Phone 450

41—Form Equipment

FOR SALE: 2 John Deere 3 x 14 tiller drills with power lift in A-1 condition. McCone's Implement Co., ph. 485.

42—Sleeping Rooms

LOVELY front bedroom, beautifully furnished, adjoining bath, 1929 Craftsman. Phone 1395. COMFORTABLE bedroom, twin beds optional. Nice tiled floors, electric entrance. Close to downtown district, quiet neighborhood. 405 East Kingsmill, Phone 148. FOR RENT: Desirable bedroom, adjoining bath. Gentleman only. On pavement, 704 East Francis, Phone 1392.

43—Room and Board

FOR RENT: Two first floor bedrooms, adjoining bath. With meals if desired. 219 N. West street, Phone 2254. 46—Houses for Rent FOR RENT: Unfurnished 4 room modern house, 114 N. Houston. Apply 418 Combs Worley Building, Phone 787 (except on Sunday). FOR RENT: Three room modern house. Bills paid, close in. See Mike at Mike's Cafe, 112 S. Cuyler, near South Boulevard. NICE, clean 2-3 and 4 room houses, furnished or unfurnished. Reasonable rent. One block north of Belvidere, 383 Perry street. FOR RENT: Extra nice 4 room house, unfurnished, strictly modern. Close to downtown district, quiet neighborhood. 405 East Kingsmill, Phone 148. FOR RENT: 2 room modern house, furnished. \$25. per month. 2 blocks from town, Phone 78. FOR RENT: One 4 room, one 3 room modern houses. Unfurnished. Bills not paid. 812 East Tefford, Phone 255. SAVE on your rent problem. See our comfortable 2-3 and 4 room houses. \$20.00 per week and up. American Hotel, 302 S. Gillespie, Phone 353. South Boulevard. FOR RENT: 2 room house unfurnished. Just east of Cole's Hatchery. Inquire 828 W. Foster, Phone 1130. FOR RENT: 3 room modern furnished apartment, electric refrigerator. Private bath. \$20.00 per month. 621 East Francis. FOR RENT: 2 room furnished house, bath and wash room. One block from downtown. Harrick's Saw Shop, 112 East First St. ONE, two and three room houses. Conveniently arranged, furnished. To permanent or transient people. \$2.00 per week and up. Bills paid. Gibson Court, 1043 S. Barnes, Phone 974W.

EMPLOYMENT

5—Male Help Wanted THE PAMPA NEWS Will take applications for ROUTE BOYS during office hours all this week. Only boys 14 years of age or older need apply. 8—Salesmen Wanted CAN use 4 experienced salesmen at one. Experienced person need not apply. Purity Motor Co. Phone 113. Situation Wanted SITUATION wanted by practical nurse. Confinement cases, preferable on stay nights. Mrs. Crawford, Phone 2160.

BUSINESS SERVICE

14—Professional Service REFRIGERATOR run noisy? Let us make it run quietly or no charge. Call Collier Richardson, Phone 1444, at Plaza Maylar. REFRIGERATOR check up time! Expert repair service on all makes of refrigerators. We also service gas stoves and furnaces. Phone 2110, Paul Crossland, 417 W. Fisher.

47—Apartments or Duplexes

FOR RENT: Two room furnished apartment, private bath, \$20.00 per month. Bills paid. 621 East Francis. FOR RENT: Furnished apartment, tripartite. Bills paid. 911 East Browning. FOR RENT: Two room modern furnished apartment, private bath. \$20.00 per month. Bills paid. 621 East Francis. FOR RENT: Five and three room efficient apartments. Conveniently arranged. Bills paid. 423 N. Houston. Apply at Apt. 3. FOR RENT: Newly decorated, well furnished 3 room bachelors. Private bath and garage. 1001 East Browning. FOR RENT: Very close in, unfurnished room. Bills paid. 112 W. Kingsmill, Phone 15953. FOR RENT: New furnished apartment. Private bath, hand wash, electric refrigerator. Phone 485. 112 S. Cuyler. FOR RENT: Furnished apartment, tripartite. Bills paid. 911 East Browning. FOR RENT: Two room modern furnished apartment, private bath. \$20.00 per month. Bills paid. 621 East Francis. FOR RENT: Five and three room efficient apartments. Conveniently arranged. Bills paid. 423 N. Houston. Apply at Apt. 3. FOR RENT: Newly decorated, well furnished 3 room bachelors. Private bath and garage. 1001 East Browning. FOR RENT: Very close in, unfurnished room. Bills paid. 112 W. Kingsmill, Phone 15953.

48—New Automobiles

FOR SALE: Good trailer, home, factory built. 501 S. Wells, on Amarillo highway. 1939 BUICK 4-door Sedan. Here is a clean car which would be proud to own. Has radio and heater, low mileage. Original owner traded this fine car in and it's yours for only \$745. Lewis-Coffey Pontiac Co. 6 - PONTIAC - 8 220 N. Somerville Phone 368

WE HAVE THE USED CAR YOU WANT!

Due to so many new car deals we are getting a supply of Used Cars which will be sold at a bargain. If you are interested in a good buy see the 1939 FORD DELUXE 2-door with Southwind heater, defroster, seat covers, finish like new, good tires, 17,000 actual miles. Such a buy will only be found at Pursley Motor Co. Dodge-Plymouth Dealers 211 N. Ballard Phone 1113

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Which insures you absolute satisfaction as long as you own this car. This Service Policy gives you complete coverage for service work, parts and labor discount... free monthly inspection... ask us about this "Extra" service. See Us First, Get A Better Deal '37 Ford Pickup \$295 '40 Ford Pickup \$490 '39 Ford Tudor \$450 '38 Chev. Twn. Sed. \$400 '39 Chev. Twn. Sed. \$525 '39 Chevrolet Coupe \$450 '38 Chevrolet Coupe \$375

NOTICE TO MACHINERY DEALERS

The Commissioners' Court of Gray County, Texas, will receive bids, addressed to the County Auditor of Gray County, Texas, until 2:00 P. M. March 24, 1941, for the purchase of one (1) diesel-powered road maintenance tractor. Trade-in will be one 50 H. P. Diesel crawler-type tractor with balance to be paid in cash within thirty days of delivery. Bids shall be accompanied by bond as provided in Article 2368a R. C. S. and such bids shall be opened and read in the county court room in the Gray County court-house March 24, 1941, at 2 P. M. C. W. WILSON, County Auditor. (Mar. 7, Mar. 14, 1941)

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

7:30—Radio—Starday—WKY. 7:45—To Be Announced. 8:00—The Time Times. 8:15—Springing Along. 8:30—Where Am I? 8:45—What's Doing Around Pampa—Studio. 9:00—New Bulletin—Studio. 9:15—Cain's Circle "C" Ranch Hands—Studio. 9:30—Dance Orchestra. 10:15—Jingle Jubilee. 10:30—Musical Studio. 10:45—News—Studio. 11:00—Jingle Jubilee. 11:15—Jingle Jubilee. 11:30—Jingle Jubilee. 11:45—Jingle Jubilee. 12:00—Jingle Jubilee. 12:15—Jingle Jubilee. 12:30—Jingle Jubilee. 12:45—Jingle Jubilee. 1:00—Jingle Jubilee. 1:15—Jingle Jubilee. 1:30—Jingle Jubilee. 1:45—Jingle Jubilee. 2:00—Jingle Jubilee. 2:15—Jingle Jubilee. 2:30—Jingle Jubilee. 2:45—Jingle Jubilee. 3:00—Jingle Jubilee. 3:15—Jingle Jubilee. 3:30—Jingle Jubilee. 3:45—Jingle Jubilee. 4:00—Jingle Jubilee. 4:15—Jingle Jubilee. 4:30—Jingle Jubilee. 4:45—Jingle Jubilee. 5:00—Jingle Jubilee. 5:15—Jingle Jubilee. 5:30—Jingle Jubilee. 5:45—Jingle Jubilee. 6:00—Jingle Jubilee. 6:15—Jingle Jubilee. 6:30—Jingle Jubilee. 6:45—Jingle Jubilee. 7:00—Jingle Jubilee. 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SERIAL STORY

DOLLARS TO DOUGHNUTS

BY EDITH ELLINGTON

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YESTERDAY's Clarence offers marriage, but for Beatrice marriage is not the answer...

ESCAPE IN A SUBWAY

CHAPTER IV

NO one seemed to have noticed that a slim girl had stopped by the parcel lockers...

"It's almost spring," she thought. "If I only earned a little, working in an office somewhere, I'd still be saving for a new Easter outfit..."

Like a girl in a dream, propelled by some powerful subconscious urge, Beatrice hurried to the turnstiles...

Beatrice did not notice what train it was, or where it was going. She had stopped under a little green sign...

"Grab a seat, girly!" a swarthy man cried. He darted past her, grabbed one himself...

The train was filled in less than half a minute. The doors slid to a close...

BUT Beatrice couldn't read her paper. She was looking about, like an explorer in a strange, wild

land. At Thirty-fourth street, the train stopped. More people rushed in, hopefully, for seats...

A stout woman with a brown paper parcel plumped herself in front of Beatrice...

Once, as the stout woman joggled her parcel and knocked off Beatrice's hat...

She stopped staring at the other people in the car and concentrated on the girl...

"That's a nice looking coat. It's rather like a coat I have. Oh, a copy. I remember now...

The girl was tall and slim. She wore a peppy hat that came to a peak. Her hair was rolled into a soft, brown curl...

"Not flamboyant. Intelligent looking."

What was she getting out of life, this girl who wore a cheap imitation of a good coat...

"Oh, yes," Beatrice murmured. "Much happier. Because I'm not happy at all."

JUST then, there was a flash of intense, white light outside the window. All the yellow bulbs in the subway car went out...

Beatrice felt something hit her in the chest. All the breath was

knocked out of her. It was the stout woman with the parcel. She had fallen, heavily, into Beatrice's lap.

A moment later, flickering pale emergency lights went on in the car. The stout woman picked herself up, muttering...

The woman smiled at her in surprise. "My, that's nice of you, dearie!"

Beatrice was standing up beside the young girl, now. The girl was looking at her with a wry little smile...

"Didn't you read about it? Only a couple of months ago. Short circuit or something. There was nearly a riot."

For long minutes, the crowded train was marooned in the darkness. Then impatience began to grow. People murmured more and more fretfully...

Outside the car, Beatrice saw the feeble light of what could only be a lantern, swaying. A moment later, there was a little hiss of compressed air...

"We must be under the river!" the girl told Beatrice. "Wasn't the last station Whitehall? Yes, that's where we are, all right. Under the river."

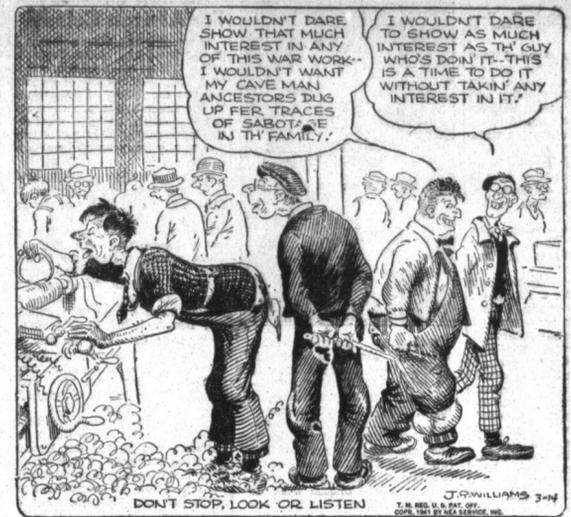
"As soon as the lights come on," the trainman was announcing, "we'll all file out and walk back to the station. Now, folks, please! Take it easy! No danger. Just a few steps along the catwalk."

Beatrice and the girl looked at each other. The girl shrugged, and smiled. "If we have to get out and walk, we have to, that's all. Come on!"

Beatrice felt her hand, steady on her arm. Then she was starting down at the narrow black catwalk along the tracks...

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



RED RYDER

The Duchess' Revenge

By FRED HARMAN



ALLEY OOP

Job's Nearly Finished

By V. T. HAMLIN



Navy Request To Buy Argentine Beef Turned Down

WASHINGTON, March 14 (AP)—The House appropriations committee has refused to buy Argentine beef...

Publications of committee hearings on the 1942 naval appropriations bill showed today that the prohibition, which applies to navy purchase of foreign foodstuffs...

Spokesmen for both the navy and budget bureau had urged the committee to lift the restriction. Representative Scrugham (D-Nev.) said the restriction carried in naval appropriation bills for the past three or four years had been inserted for the protection of American farmers...

Olivia To Have New Type Of Bathtub

HOLLYWOOD, March 14 (AP)—Here's a new splash in movie bathtubs.

Director Mitchell Leisen says he's going to warm up a part of the Pacific ocean so Olivia De Havilland can bathe in it while the camera grids.

Leisen was art director for Cecil B. (for bathtub) De Mille during the latter's era of colossal bathing scenes. He designed the ornate pool in which Claudette Colbert luxuriated as Cleopatra...

Now he's preparing for a scene in which Olivia, honeymooning with Charles Boyer in "Hold Back the Dawn," takes a dip in the ocean.

Olivia recently had her appendix removed and the Pacific temperature, this time of the year, is a chill 59 degrees.

So Leisen says he will, within the next two weeks, have steam pipes buried in the beach near here and will pipe steam into the surf. For a portable steam plant, he'll use a 1904-model fire engine.

Rare Sentence A sentence that contains all the letters of the alphabet, with none repeated, is: "J. Q. Plow might vex Z. D. Burk's fancy."

HOLD EVERYTHING

WHAT'S THE VERDICT, NUTTY? WILL IT LIVE?

TWO BROKEN CONNECTING RODS—FOUR CRACKED PISTONS AND NUMEROUS MINOR ALIEMENTS!

I THINK SO! I SENT LARD OUT TO SHOP AROUND FOR USED PARTS... I HOPE HE COMES BACK WITH THE RIGHT STUFF!

TRY THESE FOR SIZE, NUTTY!

I JUST HAPPENED TO THINK I'VE GOT THE MAKINGS OF AN AIRPLANE ENGINE, BUT WHAT'LL WE PUT IT IN?

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FREE! FRI-SAT! WITH PURCHASE OF EACH ONE DOZEN ROSE BUSHES! 1 FLOWERING SHRUB Extra Hardy Ever Blooming ROSE BUSHES 2 YR. OLD EACH 15c DOZEN \$1.75 Full Assortment of Shrubs Evergreens, Etc. FURR FOOD PARKING LOT



"Hey! Not here, you dope—this is the Old Ladies' Home!"

FUNNY BUSINESS



"I'm gonna make it a blitzkrieg!"

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

What's Up?

By MERRILL BLOSSE



LI'L ABNER

Milk is Where You Find It

By AL CAPP



WASH TUBS

Setting The Trap

By ROY CRANI



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Task, Task!

By EDGAR MARTIN



Baptists Give \$537,557 For Mission Program

BAKERY Specials Hot Cross Buns Gooseberry Pies Cream Puffs 5c Each 6 For 25c DILLEY BAKERIES

Baptist organizations in Texas under the wing of the Women's Missionary Union have contributed a total of \$537,557 in the last year to carry on the mission program...

The contributions, according to the report, came from nearly 5,000 women's and young people's organizations in the state.

The board voted to accept a \$137,033 quota assigned to Texas in a southwide drive to raise \$1,000,000 for the mission program by May, 1945.

Drops Loot In Hurry ATLANTA, March 14 (AP)—A thief who cut his way into an automobile dropped his loot in a hurry.

Two boxes he removed from the car were found on the pavement nearby. One contained a four-foot alligator, the other 12 live snakes.

Classified Ads Get Results!

Mainly About People

City police officers arrested four men on charges of intoxication last night. Three appeared before City Recorder C. E. McCrew today and drew fines of \$10 each.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sanford were called to Hedley yesterday by the death of Mr. Sanford's father.

White is confined to his home by illness. Condition of Aaron Meek, who has been critically ill in a local hospital, was reported greatly improved today.

Clyde Fatheree is transacting business in Dumas for a few days. The death of Bob White, former Panamanian, in Michigan, was reported to Pampa friends here today, through Jake Irwin of Brownwood, who was summoned to attend the funeral.

Miss News Buzan has returned from Canyon where she was called because of the sudden death of her father, A. N. Buzan, who passed away Monday morning following an acute attack of indigestion.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Coombs returned yesterday from Carney, Okla., where they visited with Mr. Coombs' mother for three days.

Mrs. Hershel Belew is visiting in Cushing, Okla., with her brother, W. D. Meek.

Mrs. Bruce Head and Mrs. D. Reed are spending the week-end in Ballinger.

Mrs. Martha Walker, 438 South Banks, has been dismissed from the local hospital.

Red Cross knitting class for beginners will be held in the city club rooms tonight at 7:30 o'clock with Mrs. V. L. Hobbs in charge.

The class is open to anyone wanting to learn to knit. Each one is to take her own needles and yarn.

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TO BEGIN SERIES



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Three nurses, Misses Ruth Utz of Virginia, and Alice Engle and Sylvia Onnes of Maryland, will sail on March 15. Shortage of ships has delayed the sailing of these workers to the mission where they are urgently needed to give service in the leper colony of over 700 lepers, and in the two mission hospitals in Africa.

Thirteen China missionaries are on their way home from China. Rev. Russell G. West, pastor of the local Church of the Brethren, just received this announcement from national headquarters in Elgin, Ill. Those returning from the field include Rev. and Mrs. Frank Crum-packer of Kansas, founders of the mission 33 years ago. The Crumpackers have a number of relatives and friends living in this vicinity.

Others in the party are Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Ikenberry of Kansas; Rev. and Mrs. W. Harlan Smith from Iowa; Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Wampler from Virginia; Miss Minerva Metzger from Indiana; Mrs. M. Myers from Virginia; Misses Velma Ober and Laura Shock from Indiana; and Miss Anna Hutchinson from Maryland. These missionaries have been forced from their work in China by hostile elements in the far east. Four other missionaries continue with the work in China to conserve the work and interests there, looking to the return of all missionaries when conditions permit.

Rev. Charles D. Bousack, secretary of the General Mission board says to the people who ask him: "Should not the church withdraw missionary work until the present crisis passes?" Rev. Bousack replies, "The church does not retreat in times of danger. It is the Christian message which the world most sorely needs now."

Gov. West states that his congregation has had a part in raising the national budget of \$22,000 for the fiscal year closing Feb. 28. In addition to the general church program the Church of the Brethren has raised during the year more than \$68,000 for war relief and the support of their Civilian Public Service program. The church has just recently launched a campaign for

more than \$200,000 to set up civilian public service camps as approved by the federal government where conscientious objectors to war will be engaged in types of service of national importance. As a means of being able to help out in all great world needs, the Church of the Brethren has institutionalized a "Brethren Service cup." One of these cups is placed on the dining table of each Brethren family. In connection with the returning of thanks at each meal the family drops into the cup one penny. Once each month these offerings are brought to the church in special envelopes provided. And while just three cents a day per family seems small it is estimated that this movement alone will bring into Brethren service over \$400,000 a year.

at a recent business meeting of the local church, Ralph A. Byrum was elected a Brethren service promotional secretary.

FDR Asks Increase In Security Program

WASHINGTON, March 14 (AP)—President Roosevelt recommended at a press conference today that the number of persons covered by the social security program and the benefits they receive be increased.

Some developments on this program, he said, may be expected in the spring.

The chief executive said a good deal of consideration had been given to revision of the social security program. The general idea, he asserted, was that coverage as regards the number of human beings affected and the greater equalization of benefits for old people was something that we want to go ahead with.

He said it was better to increase coverage and raise standards gradually each year rather than try to obtain a utopia at one time. Millions of old people not within the scope of social security should be, he said, and old age benefits ought to be increased over a period of years so there would not be so much dependence on state grants.

Superstitious persons regard the letter "W" on the wings of 17-year cicadas as a sign of impending war.

Indian Millionaire Dies In Oklahoma

ADA, Okla., March 14 (AP)—Andrew Harden, 86-year-old Indian, died yesterday in his two-room log cabin on a 10-acre tract for which he reportedly refused \$100,000.

Harden built the cabin in 1884 for his 14-year-old bride and after oil was found on his 285-acre homestead nearly 50 years later he made but one concession to modernization—he had his cabin air-conditioned.

Harden leased his homestead except for 10 acres around his cabin. He refused fabulous offers for oil rights on the 10-acre tract in the heart of the rich Pitts field.

"I cleared this land and I worked it," he said, dismissing two operators who reportedly offered him \$100,000 for the acreage.

Harden, who's property was valued at \$1,000,000 four years ago, preferred the simple life he had lived for 75 years before oil brought his wealth. He was part Chickasaw Indian.

A native of Benton, Ark., Harden moved with his parents to Texas in 1864 and two years later he came to Indian territory. At that time his possessions consisted of a pony, saddle and six-shooter.

McNamara Reports Pension Findings

AUSTIN, March 14 (AP)—Elimination of considering indirect income to determine an old age pensioner's eligibility has resulted from a house committee's inquiry into work of state investigators. Rep. Gene McNamara of Waco, chairman, asserted today.

McNamara said that since the committee started its investigation with hearings at Lufkin, Waco, Fort Worth and other points, the practice of old age assistance investigators' checking egg, milk and garden production against a possible grant has been abandoned.

The Waco attorney also declared he found "enormously long sociological reports on family relations that made up more than half of some of the reports by 'investigators' were being thinned out in preference to 'actual facts' for passing on eligibility of applicants for pensions.

Chain Store Tax Debated At Hearing

AUSTIN, March 14 (AP)—Including a series of hearings on a bill to repeal the state chain store tax, the house committee on taxation and revenue last night failed to act on the proposal for lack of a quorum. Advocates contended the tax was a punitive measure rather than one to produce revenue and declared chain stores benefited thousands by offering merchandise at prices within reach of families in moderate circumstances.

Asserting competition was the only safeguard in assuring fair prices, W. B. Addison of Houston, president of the Texas Retail Grocers association, assailed "loss-leaders" he said were used in chain stores to draw customers.

"The chain stores are seeking to dominate the retail business of America," he declared. "I believe they are an economic menace."

V. L. O'Farrell of Austin, representing a wholesale grocery concern, urged retention of the tax to prevent chains from "choking out independent merchants who are the backbone of our communities."

PENNEY'S NATION-WIDE COMPARISON DAYS

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CITY DRUG STORE 500 W. FOSTER PHO. 260

SHOP HERE AND SAVE! There's a standing invitation extended to you by your City Drug Store where you'll always find what you want in drug supplies at a price you want to pay. Now that Spring is here there will be a lot of things you'll need—things you will find here and at the right price. Come in today... and Save.

Table listing various medicines and their prices: Three Way Cold Treatment TRIPLICO, CAPSULES CHEST RUB, CAPSULES FOR COLDS, CAPSULES NASAL JELLY, ALL FOR \$1.00.

Table listing Ponds Tissues and other products: Ponds Tissues Box of 500 Sheets SPECIAL 16c, VITA-VIM Vitamins ABDG With Iron Tonic 30 Days Supply \$1.95.

Table listing various soaps and shampoos: Bayers Aspirin, P & G SOAP, Phillips Magnesia, Lucky Tiger, STAR BLADES, TEK TOOTHBRUSH, FITCH SHAMPOO, BARBASOL, COREGA.

SPECIAL OFFER Regular 50c Dr. West's "EXTON" Water-Proofed TOOTH BRUSH "V R A Y" THE NEW DENTIFRICE Not a Liquid—Not a Powder—Not a Paste BOTH FOR 59c

Table listing various liquors: WALKERS 100, Pi. 59c, SEAGRAMS 5 Crown, Pi 1.09, OLD CROW, (Bond) Pi. 1.29, CANADIAN CLUB, Pi. 1.95.

LEVINE'S PRICES TALK SATURDAY MORNING HOUR SPECIALS! Every Hour Until Noon "LL" UNBLEACHED SHEETING Limit 10 Yards to Customer Nice for Linings, Dish Towels, etc. From 8 a. m. to 9 a. m. Regular 5c Quality 3c YD. MEN'S WORK SOCKS Solid Colors—Extra Good Quality for This Price From 9 a. m. to 10 a. m. 5c PR. CHILDREN'S BLANKET ROBES Nice Patterns, Smartly Made... Beacoms and Others, ages 4 to 14 From 10 a. m. to 11 a. m. Regular 1.00 Values 29c ASSORTED TABLE OF BOYS' WEAR Beacoms and Emerald Blanket Robes—sport shirts—flannel shirts—7 year old coveralls—covert school shirts, etc. From 11 a. m. to 12 a. m. Values to 1.00 25c ALL DAY SAT. New Arrivals SILK HOSE A Sheer Ringless Chiffon... full fashioned... Pure Lusted silk... 76 gauge... A wonder hose value in all the new and alluring spring shades. SPECIAL PURCHASE 39c PAIR LEVINE'S PRICES TALK

3-Way Thrift Sale on SPEED QUEEN WASHERS And A Pair Of HEAVY GALVANIZED TUBS As Shown SAVE \$6.00 DURING THIS SPECIAL EVENT SPEED QUEEN WASHER \$59.95 2 GALVANIZED MOUNTED TUBS 10.00 24-25c SIZE RINSO 6.00 TOTAL \$75.95 COMPLETE LAUNDRY OUTFIT 69.95 LIBERAL TERMS TEXAS FURNITURE CO.