

Truman Choosing Delegates to Moscow Conference

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CHURCHILL BANS COALITION TALK

Ferrell Drops From Race for Mayor of Pampa

By HENRY S. GORDON
News Staff Writer
B. E. Ferrell, candidate for mayor of Pampa, officially withdrew from the race this morning.

Ferrell's withdrawal came as a surprise to many of his backers, and also as a disappointment to many others who intended to support him at the polls, even though they were not in any position to aid him in his campaign.

In a formal statement to The News this morning, Ferrell said: "I'm withdrawing from the race for business reasons. I'd be unable to devote enough of my time to the job if elected. I would not be able to give the service the people would be entitled to."

This action now leaves only two in the race for the city's chief executive post—J. W. Bill Graham, retired businessman, and C. A. Huff, manager of the Dr. Pepper Bottling Works.

Ballots for the coming election have already been printed and delivered to the City Secretary, but will now have to be changed. The original 3,000 ballots contained the names of both J. Howard Buckingham, who retired from the race on Jan. 6, and of Ferrell. Luckily, the second ballots have not yet been printed, but will be some time late this week.

Looking for other possible drop-outs, The News contacted J. W. Bill Graham and was told that he (Graham) had no intention of dropping out now or at any other time. Huff could not be contacted.

The battle lines according to reliable reports, were being drawn up. Graham stated that morning that he was running alone so far as he personally was concerned, but later developments showed that some of Graham's backers are endorsing Frank Carter for commissioner from Ward 1; William E. Ballard for Commissioner from Ward 3; and

'Send-Off' Dance To Be on Feb. 20

McLEAN—Formal opening of the new home of the Andrew H. Floyd Post of the American Legion in this city will be held Thursday night, Feb. 20, Ernest Beck, commander of the post, announced today.

The new Legion Hall—once the commissioned officers' mess at the McLean Prison—has been moved to town, redecorated, and will be put into operation as the home of McLean Legionnaires following the formal opening.

The opening will be in the form of a dance, with music by Victor Diaz and his Sextet, from Pampa. Highlighting the evening's entertainment will be a floor show presented by Marie and Margaret, Spanish dancers.

The new hall has hardwood floors throughout, a ladies powder room, and other facilities. About 3,000 square feet comprise the dancing area.

Dancers from a number of surrounding towns, including Pampa, Shamrock, Wheeler, Wellington, and Clarendon have already signified their intentions of attending the opening dance. Commander Beck said, as he urged other towns to send representatives to give a "big send-off" to the local post.

Panhandle Residents, Visitors Heavily Fined

PANHANDLE—(Special)—Careless pedestrians and motorists who failed to obey a set of "laws" set up by Panhandle Boy Scouts contributed a total of \$202.87 to the "kitty" as Scouts took over the city Saturday.

Fines ranging from 10 cents to two dollars were assessed for such violations as "walking," not giving proper hand signals, resisting arrest, not wearing hat, spitting on sidewalks, overparking on sidewalks, not having business license, eating on sidewalk, not wearing coat if cold, driving new cars on main street and other real and imaginary violations.

City officers for the day were: George Franklin, mayor; James Clinton, city judge; Don Light, city marshal; John R. Ellis, fire chief; James White, Bill Joe Lanning, Jimmy Biggs, Kern Grandstaff and W. H. Tynes, aldermen.

Other members of the troop served as policemen.

Members of the scout committee who arranged the activities were Scoutmaster Nolan Sparks, Assistant Scoutmaster Jack Ramey and Committeemen J. M. Knowles, C. F. Hood, S. R. Lanning and J. C. McCollough.

No Hope of Breaking Deadlock

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y.—(AP)—Virtually all hope was given up today of breaking the American-Russian deadlock on the United Nations program for worldwide arms limitation.

Authoritative sources said the deadlock could not be broken when the Security Council meets at 2 p. m. (CST) the arms program may be sidetracked temporarily for a cooling-off period.

Only Russian agreement to the U. S. view can prevent this. American sources said the U. S. delegation is holding "firm" to its stand that the proposed Disarmament Commission should not invade the field of atomic energy.

The U. S. is insisting that the terms of reference of the proposed 11-Nation Arms Reduction Commission should state specifically that such a body should handle only conventional weapons and not infringe on the work or duties of the already functioning Atomic Energy Commission.

The Russians, in opposing this, argue that it is unnecessary to write this into the Arms Commission's terms of reference.

Council member, in privately expressed speculation, said one of two things might happen when the discussion is resumed this afternoon. They are:

- 1. Russia could agree on the American-proposed jurisdictional line for the Arms Commission.
- 2. Refuse to accept the American proposal.

In case the latter course is taken, American sources took the view that there is no point in setting up the Arms Commission since there would not be unanimity among the Big Five.

There, however, was still a third alternative—a call for an immediate vote on the U. S. proposal—but most council members were understood to be opposed to this now for fear that the veto might be used.

Vinson Is Set Back in Effort for Harmony

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Chief Justice Fred M. Vinson encountered a sharp setback yesterday in his efforts to restore harmony to the Supreme Court.

His Associate Justices split almost every way possible in deciding only three cases. Six of them used 2,600 words to set forth their adamant legal views. They wrote nine different opinions in disposing of the three suits.

Two of them upheld sections of the Hatch "Clean Politics" Act. The third declared that tax money may be used to pay the cost of transporting pupils to catholic as well as public schools.

Vinson could, however, find some measure of encouragement in two factors:

- 1. His colleagues did not resort to personal attacks—as happened in several instances before he ascended to the bench last October.
- 2. One of yesterday's Hatch Act cases, on which four differing opinions were written, was a leftover from last term. Hence a majority of the jurists had made up their minds on that case before Vinson joined the court.

So the score, so far as Vinson's influence is concerned, was really two split opinions rather than three. Up to yesterday, the court under his leadership has been handing down only a routine number of dissenting opinions, along with a sprinkling of unanimous decisions.

The most pointed of yesterday's dissenting remarks was that by Justice Jackson who, perhaps halfheartedly, said:

"I have retired from business at heavy personal loss. I saw no other way to warn this nation against the cancerous growth that jeopardizes the great institution to which I have devoted my life."

Speeder Fined in Corporation Court

Only two cases of speeding appeared before Corporation Court Judge Clifford Braly this morning, one of which was excused and the other violator was fined \$5. Not one intoxication case appeared on the docket.

Beef for sale at wholesale prices, Barrett's Frozen Foods.

Over Four Million Britons Jobless For Second Day

LONDON—(AP)—Talk of a coalition government to steer freezing fuel-short Britain through a desperate economic crisis was junked today as more than 4,000,000 Britons went jobless for the second day because of factory shutdowns ordered to save coal.

Opposition Leader Winston Churchill, belligerently blaming the labor government for the current coal shortage during bitter debate last night in the House of Commons, slammed the door on such speculation with the curt declaration: "No coalition."

Hugh Dalton, Laborite Chancellor of the Exchequer, made it clear at the same time that Prime Minister Atlee's Government would not consent to such a coalition either.

Nevertheless, Churchill withheld "for another day" a motion for Parliament to censure the Government. He accused the Government of "incompetence in high places" for its handling of the crisis which has shut down more than half of England's factories, but urged the public to cooperate in a power conservation program to avert economic disaster.

Atlee, gravely attributing the coal crisis to the severest winter in 50 years, told the British in a nationwide broadcast last night that he was confident "we will come through this if we pull together."

Representatives of the air line will meet with Civil Aeronautics Board on February 24.

Hearing Set on Feeder Line Here

The decision of whether or not Pampa and vicinity will be served by the West Central Air Lines Company with both feeder and passenger service in the near future will be decided in Washington, according to word received here today. Representatives of the air line will meet with Civil Aeronautics Board on February 24.

At the present time three companies, the West Central Air Lines, Central Air Lines and the Texas-New Mexico Airlines, have requested permits to operate lines through Pampa. So far the Texas-New Mexico Company has been granted a permit.

The proposed West Central line would schedule a route from Pampa to Canadian, Perryton, Guymon, Okla., Liberal, Kansas, and Amarillo. Plans ask that for safety's sake the company be granted the right to run a mail service for the first eighteen months until the pilots and officials become thoroughly familiar with the problems and hazards of air transportation in this area. After this time is elapsed they ask to begin passenger service.

To date the local Aviation Committee of the Chamber of Commerce has not endorsed any one of the companies, but has attempted to assist all of them, with the hope of eventually seeing Pampa and neighboring towns receive air transportation service.

Bingo Party Tonight in Legion-VFW Hall

A bingo party will be held tonight at 7:30 in the Legion-VFW Hall by members of the VFW Auxiliary. Proceeds of the game will go to the National President's Foundation fund to establish a home for women and children of veterans of foreign wars.

There will be no admission at the door and the ladies have promised that refreshments of home-made pies and coffee will be served during the evening.

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Second Sadistic Murder Keeps LA Police in Dither

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—Still stymied in their investigation of the "Black Dahlia" mutilation murder, police confessed today they were at sea again in a probe of the city's second sadistic murder in less than a month—the trampling to death of a former movie bit player.

Ending hours of questioning, officers booked Frank French, 47, discharged Marine Corps sergeant, on suspicion of murder, but Detective Gene Bechtel of the Police Homicide Detail said:

"His story stands up very well. French's estranged wife, Jeanne, 40, known in films as Jeanne Axford Thomas, was found—her body bludgeoned and covered with heel marks—on a lonely West Los Angeles hilltop yesterday.

Bechtel said French told him his wife came to his boarding house late Sunday night, asked him to go out with her, but he declined and went to bed.

French said they parted about a week ago, agreeing to live apart for six months, the detective declared.

The ex-Marine, tall and taciturn, was arrested a week ago, following his arrest on a wife-beating charge, when she declined to prosecute.

Mrs. French's son, David Wraith, 25, of Redondo Beach, collapsed between her death and that of 22-year-old Elizabeth Short, the "Black Dahlia," police said. It lay in an obscene message scrawled in lipstick on Mrs. French's chest, signed cryptically "B. D."—the initials of "Black Dahlia."

But officers were frankly dubious that the same mad killer was responsible for both crimes, including Mrs. Short's brutal death—including the hacking and severing of her body—may have suggested a similarity to Mrs. French's slayer.

SS Board Asks Congress to Hike Old-Age Payment

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Social Security Board asked Congress today to jack up Federal old-age payments and to extend their benefits to the 23,000,000 workers not now covered by the system.

The report, submitted by Federal Security Administrator Watson B. Miller, also urged establishment of:

- 1. A Federally-aided health and disability insurance system and
- 2. Federal-state help for all needy persons, regardless of the "reason for need or place of residence."

The proposals have White House blessings, bestowed in advance in President Truman's budget and economic message to Congress.

The board report asked prompt action, saying:

"For a people, as for an individual, it is prudent to provide in good times against adversities that almost surely will arise sooner or later."

The board repeated its recommendations, first advanced on January 19, for extending unemployment to small firms employing one or more workers and to several occupations such as agriculture, in which workers are not now protected.

The message was the eleventh and final annual report of the board and its chairman, Arthur J. Altmeyer, who became commissioner for Social Security under the 1946 Government Reorganization Act, which merged the board into the Federal Security Administration.

Altmeyer gave no estimate of this point on the economy-minded Congress of the expanded program gets consideration this session.

The specific recommendations on old age and survivors' insurance—advanced with the argument that they would create "a broader, sounder and more equitable basis for insuring individual, and national well-being"—are:

- 1. Extension of coverage to "all gainful workers." This would cover the self-employed, farmers and farm workers, servants, government workers.

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Italy Appeals to 20 Nations for Treaty Revision

ROME—(AP)—Italy served notice today upon the 20 nations which wrote the Italian peace treaty that she felt entitled to a revision of the document, signed yesterday in Paris.

At the same time United States Ambassador James C. Dunn said the Italian position that the treaty would not be binding until it was ratified by Italy's Constituent Assembly. He declined to discuss the situation that might arise if the Constituent Assembly failed to ratify.

Dunn, who presented his credentials last week, told a news conference he did not take seriously the anti-Allied demonstrations yesterday marking Italy's "day of mourning" for the signing of the treaty.

In Trieste 10 persons were arrested during a pro-Italian demonstration protesting the treaty, which, when ratified, will make Trieste free international territory.

In Pola, industrial center near Trieste which will be turned over to Yugoslavia, British military authorities invoked a 17-hour curfew after the slaying of a British brigadier, R.W.M. De Winton, by an Italian woman described as a fanatic.

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Jackson Will Speak At Teachers' Banquet

Principal speaker at the second quarterly banquet and meeting of the Gray-Roberts Unit of the State Teachers Assn., tonight will be Frank Jackson, state president. The banquet will be held at 7 o'clock in the cafeteria of Pampa High School.

The speaker will be introduced by Elmer A. Wooten, superintendent of schools at Canyon and president of the Northwest Conference for Education. Music will be furnished by high school students from Lewis and invocation will be given by J. A. Meek.

Miss Virginia Vaughn is president of the local unit.

Hereford Sale Is Set at Perryton

Some of the finest registered Hereford stock in the Texas and Oklahoma Panhandles will go on sale in Perryton on Thursday, Feb. 20, at the first annual sale of the North Plains Hereford Breeders Association.

Thirty-seven lots of choice Hereford cattle, including 24 bulls and 13 females, will be offered at this sale. Outstanding Hereford breeders from the Texas and Oklahoma Panhandles have consigned animals for this event.

The sale will begin promptly at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the spacious Southwestern Industrial works building. Ample seating provisions for the buyers and spectators have been assured.

Organized in March, 1946, the North Plains Hereford Breeders Association consists of members from the top six counties in Texas and the three counties of the Oklahoma Panhandle. Purpose of the organization is to improve the quality of the cattle herds with this territory through the use of blooded Hereford stock.

Also offered for sale Thursday afternoon will be the 40 calf entries in the 4-H club and FFA annual Fat Calf Show which will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 19.

A. B. Carruth of Pampa consigned two animals, Beau Prince 3rd, and Mischief Domino 4th, for this sale.

Seat covers to fit any car, Lloyd's Magnolia Service Station.

Troupe Breaks Down Mental Barrier; Svetlova Ballet Well-Received Here

With just enough humor to break down any mental barrier the audience might have, the ballet company of Marina Svetlova, Prima Ballerina of the Metropolitan Opera Association, made a definite "hit" in its Community Concert Association performance here last night.

Svetlova, Paris-born of Russian parents, was justly in the starring role but the program generally included several excellent numbers by other members of the company, including Robert Roland, young American ballet star, Elena Imaz, talented Spanish dancer, and Claude Jean Chasson, who was good enough at the piano to be in a concert by himself.

The program opened with a humorous "Getting Ready" skit by the four members of the company, each of whom bore signs out on the stage telling who they were.

Svetlova and Roland were featured in the first number, "Galates; The Dream of Eymallon" by Debussy. The ballerina represented an ivory statue sculptured by Pygmalion (Roland). The statue comes to life and they fall in love, but she is destined to again take her place on the pedestal after the dance.

Imaz' first dance was the "Serena" of Malatz. Like her other numbers, the dance by Imaz featured brilliant costuming.

Gounod's familiar "Faust" ballet is a famous solo from the "Walpurgis Night" in its traditional form. The well-known "Buffon Dance" by Rimsky-Korsakoff was Roland's first selection. It is a comedy number that includes everything from backward flips to cartwheels and drew warm applause.

Following a novel number, "Dance of the Elf" by Svetlova, Chasson played the difficult "Impromptu" of Faure and the not-so-petite "Petite Toccata" by d'Indy.

Marked by some of Tchaikovsky's most beautiful music, Svetlova and Roland danced the poignant love scenes of "Romeo and Juliet." This selection, perhaps the most popular on the program, needed no explanation due to the perfect portrayal of the tragic suicide of the young lovers.

The Grand Pas de Deux from Tchaikovsky's "Sleeping Beauty," performed by Svetlova and Roland, See BALLETS, Page 5

Smith May Be Replacement For GOPster

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman was said today to be considering asking three Republican members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee to substitute for Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.), as an advisor to Secretary of State Marshall at Moscow.

The three Republicans mentioned by Democratic colleagues aware of the plan are Senators H. Alexander Smith of New Jersey, Bourke B. Hickenlooper of Iowa and Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., of Massachusetts. Indications point to Smith as the most likely choice.

Vandenberg, who served with Senator Connally (D-Texas), as an advisor to former Secretary James F. Byrnes, has said he does not want to go to the opening of the Foreign Ministers Conference next month. He indicated, however, he would answer any "SOSS" if the State Department needs his help later.

Friends say the Michigan Senator thus far has made no recommendation as to Mr. Truman's substitute. The bipartisan participation in foreign policy began with the attendance of Vandenberg and Connally as delegates to the San Francisco United Nations Conference in 1945.

While it is generally supposed that Vandenberg would lean toward the selection of John Foster Dulles, Mr. Truman is said to believe that a Republican who has a voice in the Senate ought to sit in as a front rank advisor.

If this arrangement is made, it is understood that Dulles, who served as foreign affairs adviser to Gov. Thomas E. Dewey in the 1944 presidential campaign and who has attended most of the international conferences since, would be asked to go along in the trouble shooting role he has held in the past.

Of the three Senators mentioned, there are strong indications that Ambassador Warren R. Austin, who now heads the American delegation to the United Nations prefers Smith because the two were in almost complete agreement on international and domestic issues when Austin too served in the Senate from Vermont.

On the Democratic side, Connally has indicated he will go to Moscow if the President wants to send anybody with Marshall at the start of the conference. The Texan has said, however, he prefers to stay in Washington when the Senate takes up four of the Balkan peace treaties signed in Paris yesterday.

City Departments Purchase Camera

Three city departments will share the use of a new Speed Graphic camera purchased sometime ago by the city and delivered early this week.

The camera will be used by the Police Department for taking pictures of wrecks and accidents and "mugging," or taking the portrait of an arrested person. The camera will also be used by the Tax Department for the aid of the Board of Equalization. The board will use it in taking pictures of buildings taxed differently, but of the same construction, and for taking pictures of different buildings in the various stages of construction. The Engineering Department will use the camera on various city works projects also in different stages of construction.

City Manager Garland Franks said this morning that one man from each department will be assigned to the camera and taught how to use it.

The camera is fully equipped with tripod, flash attachment, light meter, range finder and all other accessories necessary to take accurate photographs. Cost of the camera, fully equipped was \$378 less 20 percent tax or a final cost of \$322.40.

Minstrel Rehearsal

Ken Bennett, producer of the Lions Club Minstrel to be presented here within a few days, said rehearsal would be held tonight, beginning at 7, at the Sam Houston School.

AUTO RECOVERED

City Police this morning reported the automobile stolen from the home of Adam and Warren Brogdon, 913 S. Sumner St., yesterday was recovered by the Roberts County Sheriff's Department late last night.

THE WEATHER

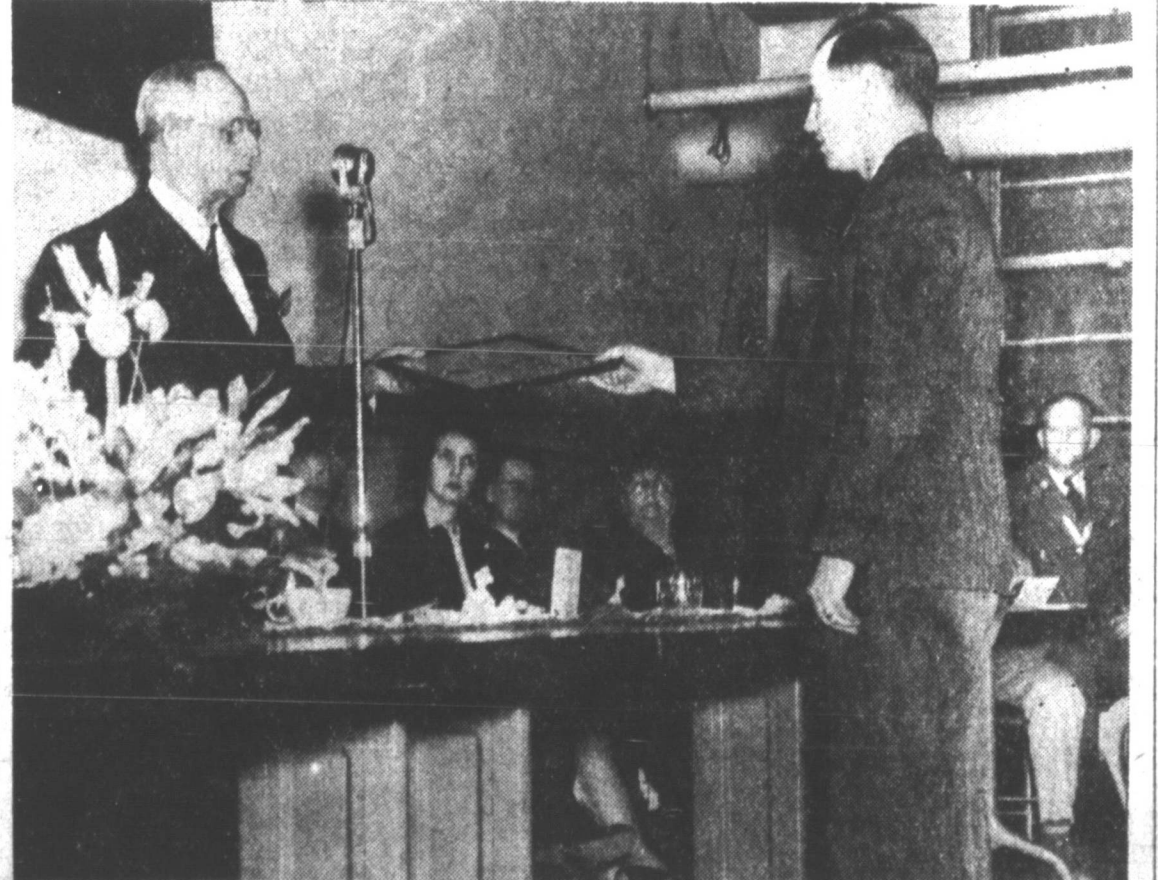
U. S. WEATHER BUREAU

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11:30 a.m.	26
12:30 a.m.	26
1:30 p.m.	46
Max.	46
Min.	18

COLD! WEST TEXAS—par. City cloudy this afternoon tonight and all other areas, west of Pecos Valley this afternoon, are tonight.

TEXAS—Mostly cloudy, occasional rain and warmer tonight. Occasional rain extreme west tonight. Wednesday, turning cold northwest portion Tuesday afternoon. Moderate, mostly east winds on the coast, becoming southwest Wednesday.

See the new home freezing locker at Lewis Hardware Co.



ONE OF RARITIES in scouting—presentation of the Silver Beaver Award—is shown in the photo above. Former District Judge W. R. Ewing is shown presenting the award to Leroy C. Hartman, of Perryton, for his 30 years' distinguished service to boyhood. The presentation was made at a banquet here on Jan. 20. Hartman has worked for about 1 1/2 years in this section with the Adobe Walls Council, and prior to that with Tex-Okl. group, located at Guymon, Okla. Citizens will have a chance to support scouting when a campaign for \$6,000 begins with advance gifts drive tomorrow. (Smith Photo.)

SPRING'S A-COMING and house-cleaning time too. Let a Pampa News Want Ad man that cleaning center for you by cleaning out those unneeded articles for cash now. Phone 666.

Market Briefs

Table with market data for various commodities like wheat, corn, and oil.

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February events including Lincoln's Birthday, St. Valentine's Day, and other holidays.

Wheat market news, including reports on production and prices.

Fort Worth Livestock market news, including prices for cattle and hogs.

Chicago Produce market news, including prices for various agricultural products.

Love Has Two Faces

By Irene Lonnen Ernhart

THE STORY: The machine works are a tease. All that's left of Parker's fortune is the farm, the car and \$500. He is despondent, berates himself for the way he has...

Legal Records

Marriage Licenses: Three marriage licenses were issued yesterday in the office of County Clerk Charles Thut...

497 Japanese Said To Have Drowned in 1946

TOKYO (AP)—Kyodo News Agency reported today that 497 Japanese repatriates from Korea perished when the 100-ton vessel Ebisu Maru sank 10 miles off Chinnampo, Korea, Oct. 29, 1946.

DETROIT PROTESTS

DETROIT (AP)—University of Detroit Athletic Director Lloyd Broad Saturday protested to Basketball Association of America officials the signing of Lee Knorek, the school's star center, by the New York Knickerbockers.

SLEEP AWAY SKIN BLEMISHES!

Advertisement for Night Mask skin cream, featuring a woman's face and product packaging.

Leaves From a Correspondent's Life Note Book

By Hal Boyle: NEW YORK (AP)—Flying into Chicago, the other night I saw the most beautiful sight in my life...

Leader Says Bloody Revolt 'Only Way'

CAIRO, Egypt (AP)—Haj Amin El Hussein, exiled Mufti of Palestine, has told the leaders of Najada and Falawa, military organizations for Palestinian Arab youths, that there is no way to solve the Palestine question "but by bloody revolution."

Texas Today

By Jack Rutledge: Associated Press Staff: A young couple who parlayed a woodwork cleaner called Sani-Wax from a backporch factory into a business they sold in 1945 for \$500,000, this week sat back and proudly thumbed through a 56-page slick paper magazine called "Scene."

VENETIAN BLINDS

Advertisement for Venetian Blinds, featuring a window with blinds and contact information for Panhandle Lumber Co., Inc.

DOG PATCH DANCE advertisement for the Southern Club, featuring dog patch costumes and swing music.

BERRY'S PHARMACY advertisement for The Perfect Gift chocolates.

Advertisement for Texas Today magazine, highlighting its content and subscription information.

"LET THERE BE LIGHT" advertisement for Thomas Edison's incandescent light bulbs, featuring a portrait of Edison and historical dates 1847 and 1947.

DOG PATCH DANCE advertisement for the Southern Club, featuring a cowboy illustration and details about the dance.

BERRY'S PHARMACY advertisement for Boys' Blue Denim Cowboy Pants, featuring a cowboy illustration and product details.

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WE, THE WOMEN

Child Psychology Excuses Every Fault

BY RUTH MILLETT
NEA Staff Writer
Modern child psychology is certainly a comfort. No wonder today's parents set such store by its reassuring terms.

La Rosa Sorritt Opens 'Rush' Season With Lovely Tea Sunday

A lovely tea Sunday afternoon at the home of June Dalton, 1239 Charles, was the first of a series of "rush" parties planned by the La Rosa Sorritt.

THE TRUTH ABOUT PIN-WORMS

Serious facts are revealed by recent medical reports. One out of every three people examined was found to be a victim of Pin-Worms.

Make This Home Recipe To Take Off Ugly Fat

It's simple. It's amazing, how quickly one may lose pounds of bulky, unsightly fat right in your own home.

Bentley's Dress Clearance \$5. This is not a sale—it is a CLEARANCE of our remaining early spring dresses and formals—values to 29.95 in one large group—broken sizes. No Layaways—No Refunds No Exchanges. Bentley's Corner Cuyler and Foster Pampa

SOCIETY

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The Social Calendar

TUESDAY
7:00 Sub Debs meet with Donna Ruth Boudie.
7:00 Kiri Kat Klub.
7:00 La Rosa Sorritt will meet with Patsy Cox, 421 N. Front.

WEDNESDAY
2:00 Central Baptist W.M.U. meets at church for book review on "Shining Like the Stars".

THURSDAY
1:00 Eusebian Class of First Baptist Church to luncheon with Mrs. Howard Lockhart, 1141 N. Starkweather.

FRIDAY
2:00 Wayside H. D. Club with Mrs. Harold Osborne.
2:00 Winesap Class meets at Mrs. Betty Loper's, 201 E. Francis for Valentine party later at Mrs. Paul Barrett.

MONDAY
1:20 Pampa Book Club, City Club Rooms, Mrs. George F. Friauf will review "The Herdsman".

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The Social Calendar
TUESDAY
7:00 Sub Debs meet with Donna Ruth Boudie.

8061 12-20 BY SUE BURNETT. As soft as a whisper and pleasing as can be is this two piece frock with scallops going all around the jacket. Bentley's

Miss Wynilou Cox And John Cavilla To Wed Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Wyndell L. Cox, 110 N. Gillespie, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Wynilou, to John Cavilla, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Cavilla, Reno, Nev. Mr. and Mrs. Cavilla are natives of Nevada.

Roach-Dowlen Rites Will Be Solemnized In Amarillo Feb. 17

PANHANDLE—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roach, 1500 Taylor St., Amarillo, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Jo, to Weldon Dowlen, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dowlen, Panhandle.

7-11 Club Passes Eight New Pledges

At the home of Maurice Lockhart, 316 N. Wells, the 7-11 Club met last evening to ratify their new constitution and pass on eight new pledges. The members also made plans for the initiation to be held in the near future.

King's Workers Class Has Luncheon Feb. 6

The King's Workers Class of the Central Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. C. L. Reeves Thursday, Feb. 6, for a 1 o'clock luncheon and business meeting.

The Valentine party was carried out by decorating the tables with red and white crepe paper and each guest was given a Valentine by the hostess.

Ester Club Planning To Attend Church In A Group February 23

The Ester Club met at the home of Mrs. Walter Clay, 703 E. Craven, last evening at 7:30, at which time the club made plans for its members and husbands to attend church in a group Feb. 23, Mrs. Ted Martin and Mrs. Vernon Hall were co-hostesses.

Pampa Book Club To Hear Review of 'The Herdsman' on Monday

Mrs. George F. Friauf will review the book "The Herdsman" by Dorothy Clarke Weston Monday evening, Feb. 17, at 7:30 in the Pampa Book Club meets in the City Club Rooms.

Valentine Party for Junior Miss Club

The Junior-Miss Club will have a Valentine party Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock with Nan Watkins, 1112 N. Starkweather, as hostess.

Troth Is Announced

McLEAN—(Special)—The engagement and approaching marriage of Marion Montgomery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Montgomery, has been announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wiley, Wheeler.

Award Winner
HORIZONTAL
1 Pictured scientist, Dr. Alexander S.
7 He is a co-discoverer of the RH-
13 Prefigure
14 Indolent
15 Seasoning
16 Haul
19 Persia
20 Compass point
21 We
22 Self esteem
23 Attempt
24 Previously (prefix)
25 Ocean
28 Blood money
29 Chinese measure
30 Hawaiian bird
31 Everything
32 East (Fr.)
34 Hours (ab.)
35 Bitter vetch
37 Vehicle
38 Negative
40 Atlantic (ab.)
42 Roman poet
44 Peel
46 Notion
47 Dr. was one of his co-discoverers
49 Fashionable
51 Scoffs
52 Trapped

54 Attend Scout-Parent Banquet Christian Church Monday Evening

Boy Scout Troup 4 of the First Christian Church held its annual Scout-Parent banquet in the east basement of the church last evening at 7:30 with W. B. Weathered as principal speaker and H. L. Ledrick as master of ceremonies.

Circle 1, WSCS, To Meet Wednesday with Mrs. Luther Pierson

Circle 1 of the First Methodist WSCS will meet with Mrs. Luther Pierson 1121 Mary Ellen, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 instead of with Mrs. Thurman Cline as originally scheduled.

Holy Souls P-TA to Meet Wednesday

The Holy Souls Parent-Teachers Association will celebrate Founders' Day at a meeting in the school hall Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Junior Class Plans 'Ambition Party' on Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

The Junior Class of Pampa High School is planning an "Ambition Party" for the members of the class and the Junior Class sponsors to be given Thursday evening, Feb. 13, at 7:30 in the High School Cafeteria. The party was planned at the class meeting last week.

Brownie Troop 15 Is Given Surprise Valentine Party

Troop 15 met for its regular meeting Monday at the Little Scout House at 720 E. Kingsmill. Several games and songs were played and sung. The patrol selected the names of the group: Patrol No. 1, Redbirds; Patrol No. 2, Green Clover; Patrol No. 3, Blue Jay.

If Stuffy Nose Spoils Sleep Tonight

A little Va-tro-nol each nostril quickly opens up nasal passages to relieve stuffy sleep. Makes breathing easier. Invites restful sleep. Works fine! Grand for relieving sniffly distress of head colds. Try it! Follow directions in the package.

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Circles of Central Baptist Have Topic: 'Meaning of Prayer'

Circles of the Women's Missionary Union of the Central Baptist Church met Wednesday afternoon with various hostesses for Bible study on "Prayer."

Woodrow Wilson P-TA Meets on Thursday

Founder's Day will be observed by the Woodrow Wilson Parent-Teachers Association Thursday afternoon at 7:15 and Fred Thompson will speak on "Training for Economic Efficiency." The meeting will be held in the auditorium of the school and a large attendance is desired by those in charge.

When Your 'Innards' are Crying the Blues

DR. CALDWELL'S SENNA LAXATIVE CONTAINED IN SYRUP PEPIN. WHEN CONSTIPATION makes you feel punks as the dickens, brings on stomach upset, sour taste, gassy discomfort, take Dr. Caldwell's famous medicine to quickly pull the trigger on lazy "innards", and help you feel bright and finger again.

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LEVINE'S SAY 'THANK YOU'. We have had such a marvelous response to our LAY-A-WAY Sale on Women's SPRING COATS AND SUITS that we are continuing this offer through Saturday, Feb. 15th. So many women can't be wrong in choosing their... SPRING OUTFIT at Levine's now—just. And a small payment every two weeks will hold your selection until you are ready to take it out for Easter. All of these garments are 100% wool and in the brightest of Spring colors. Take your pick from all of the latest styles of 1947. LEVINE'S

Harvesters Meet Plainview Tonite

On The Sports Beam

By SCOTT RAFFERTY

With an outside chance for third place in the final district 1-AA standings in the offing, the Pampa Harvesters will battle the Plainview Bulldogs in a conference basketball game at Plainview tonight. The Bulldogs are currently in the third place with five wins and three losses, while the Harvesters are tied with Borger for fourth place with three wins and four losses.

The locals will be seeking their 12th victory of the season at Plainview tonight. In 20 games, they have won eleven, lost nine and have scored 716 points to the opposition's 635.

In the first conference meeting between the two schools, Pampa took a 41-40 decision at the local gym.

Although Pampa is out of the running for the district crown, the Bulldogs could still tie for it should Amarillo's Sandies lose both of their remaining games and should Plainview win both of theirs, one with Pampa and another with Lubbock.

Tonight's Pampa-Plainview battle is the only conference game scheduled on the night. This week and the Amarillo-Pampa classic here next week will wind up the district schedule, with a winner slated to play the District 2 champion for the right to compete in the state Class AA tournament in Austin.

Sports Round-Up

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR. NEW YORK—(AP)—Memo to Hank Greenberg: Do you know any other job that will pay \$60,000 (or more) a year for working about three hours a day when it doesn't rain? If you do, leave us in on it. . . . Suggestion to football coaches: Why not shake up all the names in one barrel and the jobs in another and draw them out in pairs after each season instead of going through all this rigamarole about signing contracts and then busting them? . . . Note to ambitious ball players: Our new edition of Jark Coombe's book on baseball is just off the press. The only tip he seems to have overlooked is what any track coach could tell you about getting places in a hurry. Ever notice how many ball players gallop instead of run?

AUSTERITY ITEM
Report from London says the Wimbledon tennis championships, starting June 22, already are sold out and so are the big soccer fixtures in April. . . . But the top ticket demand is the still-uncertain Joe Baksi-Bruce Woodcock fight. With a seating capacity of only 11,000 at Harringay arena, promoter Jack Solomons has been deluged with so many ticket orders that he's faded to a mere 200 pounds.

SHORTS AND SHELLS
Mal Malette, who pitched for Norfolk last summer and is due to go higher in the Yankee chain, recently was granted a release from the Yankees to join the Syracuse U. School of Journalism. There's one athlete who won't have to worry about his clippings. . . . Glenn Davis shoots round 72 in golf. But how fast? . . . The Wisconsin Bowling Tournament, which will be the largest state tournament in American Bowling Congress history, will be held at Don Hutson's Green Bay alleys. That must be a tribute to Don's ability as a "pucker."

DOTS ALL BROTHERS
The high scoring Texas Wesleyan basketball team is hoping for a bid to the Garden Invitation Tourney. . . . Jack Rourke, Colgate track coach, predicts that the man who beats Villanova's George Guida in the Buerneyer 500 Saturday will set a world record. . . . or Jack will set a record for changing his mind.

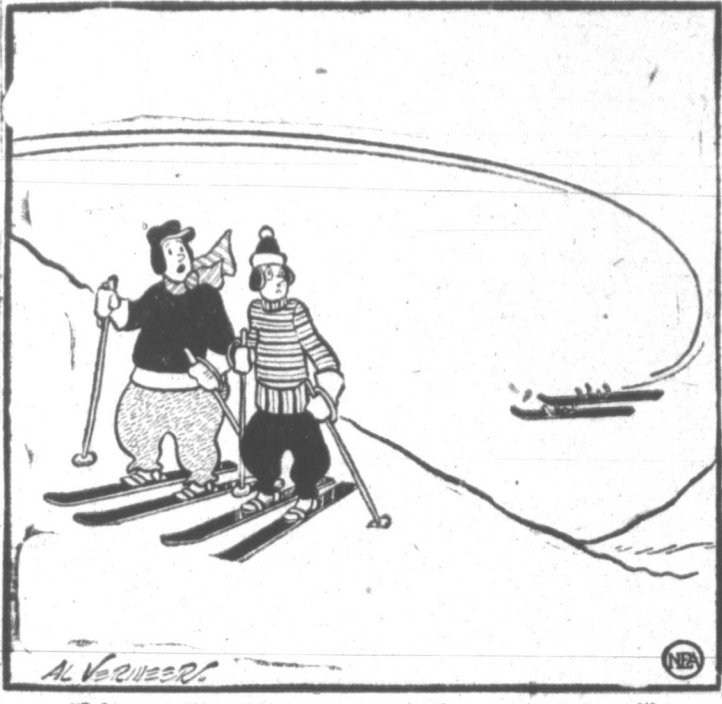
Louis Mayer To Sell Huge Racing Stables

ARCADIA, Calif.—(AP)—Louis B. Mayer's fabulous \$5,000,000 racing stable will be virtually dissolved at a kilg-lighted, Hollywood-style auction Feb. 27—and all insiders say because of a filly. The lady involved is Busher, greatest money-winning filly (\$34,035) of all time. Close observers declare that Mayer's heart went out of racing when Busher failed to come back, and the evidence points that way. Mayer bought Busher from Col. E. R. Bradley for \$50,000 at the end of her two-year-old season.

DOERR, DOBSON SIGN
BOSTON—(AP)—Red Sox dependable Bobby Doerr, the 271-hitting second baseman, and Joe Dobson, the 13-game winning right-hand pitcher, Saturday submitted signed 1947 contracts to General Manager Eddie Collins.

SPORTS

Drawing Cards



"I keep telling Milton to cinch those straps down!"

Sports Shots

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF Associated Press Sports Editor DALLAS—(AP)—This and that school may come up with "it couldn't happen here" but the gambling threat to Texas school sports is particularly football, is quite real. We mean not just the waging of money but the offer of money to coaches and athletes to "throw" games. Check the records of the Texas Interscholastic League and you'll see what the score is. It is a difficult problem. It is one that can't be cracked unless the school people jump right into the big middle and start clawing the gambler's eyes out.

The major threat, however, isn't from the professional gamblers—the "big time" boys. It's from the small fry that needs to make a killing in order to stay in the swim. At Dallas, for instance, the big gamblers have an unwritten code that they won't tamper with school boys. They take care of those who get across the line.

It is all very well to say that coaches in school sports stand for clean play and won't allow themselves to be tampered with but just check the school payrolls and you'll find that the coaches make and start thinking.

The salary ranges from \$2500 to \$3000 a year. In the big cities it may go \$500 higher. Then here is a picture: A coach is making \$2300. He has a tough time paying rent, supporting a wife and a couple of kids, maintaining an automobile and keeping dressed in a manner befitting his job. A gambler offers him \$5,000 to hold the score down in a certain game. After all, he might argue, if he wins the game that's all that should be asked. The score is immaterial. Now some of those coaches might take the \$5,000.

One of the big troubles is the flagrant manner in which the grown-ups beat their money. Cash flowed like water in Austin the night before the last state championship game. Wagering into the thousands was done in public places. Boys, many of them athletes, say it going on. "Well," some of them probably said, "if the grown-ups can do it why can't we?" Some of them need money, too, because they don't get paid for playing football in high school. They'll bet a few dollars. That gets them started. They consort with gamblers. It isn't long they lose some scrapies.

Quoting R. J. Kidd, athletic director of the Texas Interscholastic League: "Schoolboy athletics is the last rampart of clean and untampered sports. When it falls we are through."

Observes Hal Scherwitz of the San Antonio Light: "We hope the public reaction to these reports (of attempted 'fixing') is the sane and considered one. Most football fans will stop to think a moment and realize how utterly foolish a coach would be if he listened to such bribing attempts, what danger he would be bringing on himself and all those around him. It is impossible it would be to keep quiet such a thing. He would know that no high school boy would react in any other way than to take a punch at a fixer, or laugh at him. But the mere mention of high school athletics in the same breath with fixed games and betting is sickening. It sickens the fans, the schoolmen, the coaches and the players."

Your columnist hopes they don't stay sick. An ill person doesn't have enough resistance.

Writes Jimmy Banks in the Austin Statesman: "Gambling cannot be stopped altogether in sports unless sports are stopped, for whenever any issue which interests the public is to be decided, some 'smart guy' will figure out the odds. Even if the 'suckers' grew smart and quit betting with the 'smart guys,' other smart guys would be around who figured they had the inside dope. And there will be the 'big time' boys. They will ruin it."

He had this explanation: "Under the new baseball rules passed last August when the players were making their bid for recognition, a major league club cannot reduce salaries more than 20 percent in one year. "For example if Feller—or for that matter if any other player in the majors—has a bad season, the most that player can be cut is 25 percent. Suppose, for example, Williams drops to 300 in batting—or Feller wins only 10 games—something that can happen if Bob's arm goes bad or Ted is stopped by the "Dyer shift"—the most that either can be cut is 25 percent. "And suppose that attendance drops 50 percent which it easily can, an owner can't cut salaries 50 percent. He is left holding the bag. "Our club, for instance, in order to keep out of the red must draw between \$80,000 and \$60,000. Last season we drew over a million and made \$125,000. If we are unlucky this year we might draw only 600,000."

FESLER SOUGHT—
PITTSBURGH—(AP)—Wes Fesler, who lifted University of Pittsburgh's football out of the doldrums last fall, Saturday was officially offered the job as head gridiron coach at Ohio State, where he won all-American honors at end in 1929 and '30.

Graziano May Plead For Re-Instatement
NEW YORK—(AP)—Rocky Graziano's manager and his attorney were making their way today to decide whether they will go to the courts in an effort to upset the revocation of the East side middleweight's license by the State Athletic Commission.

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Rickey Re-Affirms Faith in Leo Despite 'The California Story'

Pennock Decries High Salaries of Top Game Stars

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—Current high baseball salaries, particularly fabulous sums being paid to Bobby Feller, Hal Newhouser, and Ted Williams, will "ruin" the game, says General Manager Herb Pennock of the Philadelphia Phillies.

It can't last—the way players are digging into clubowners' billfolds, Pennock commented, adding gloomily that the Phillies might go bankrupt in a year or two—if game attendance falls and player pay checks fail to deflate.

Pennock, who observed his 53rd birthday yesterday, was speaking of salaries generally but he said he had in mind particularly the \$80,000 which he thought the Cleveland Indians were paying Feller, and the \$65,000 and \$60,000 which he figured Newhouser and Williams would get from Detroit and Boston.

"Do you realize what such salaries will do to baseball?" asked Herb, who has a few holdout worries of his own—such as Ron Northey, Schoolboy Rowe, Emil Verban and Tommy Hughes. "They will ruin it."

Recent coast-to-coast publicity resulting from Leo's marriage to Screen Actress Laraine Day and the subsequent legal controversy in California touched off a storm of speculation about his baseball future.

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Navy, Virginia Clash in Week's Top Cage Battle

ANNAPOLIS, Md.—(AP)—Navy's "Mighty Mites" are going to put to a severe test tomorrow evening the theory "the bigger they come the harder they fall."

The Middles are out to chop down to their size the West Virginia basketball five—undefeated in 12 games and a leader in the country. Only the Mountaineers and Duquesne are without defeat as the season swings into its last month.

The Navy, a peanut-sized outfit among today's skyscraping hoopsters, has earned top recognition in the East, at least, by winning all but one of a dozen games—the last nine in a row.

Coached by Ben Carnevale, in his first year at Navy, the Middles average three inches less than the conventional six feet while West Virginia's five goes for an average of six feet, three inches. The dynamo of Carnevale's bee-busy outfit is Captain Kenny Shugart.

They call the Navy leader "Sugar" and he's a sweet player according to Carnevale. The coach says flatly "Ken is the greatest I've ever seen on a basketball court."

On the other extreme for West Virginia is a towering first-yearling, Fred Schaus. The six-foot, four-inch forward is one of three freshmen who ousted holdovers from last year's Mountaineer squad that was good enough to go to the semifinals in the National Invitation Tournament in Madison Square Garden.

Both teams are primed for the contest. Navy knowing a victory will wipe out that one loss to George Washington and leave no further doubt of its position among the nation's best. West Virginia, although under the strain of its unbeaten record, needs only to be reminded by Coach Patton the Middles handed the Mountaineers one of its only two losses last year to go all-out to brush off the "Mighty Mites."

There is but one law for all; namely, the law that governs all law—the law of our Creator.

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Reapers Playing Borger; To Meet 'Ranch' Thursday

With their first place lead in the Panhandle Junior High Conference at stake, the Pampa Harvesters Reapers were scheduled to play the Borger Junior High Poodies this afternoon at four o'clock in Borger.

Victors in nine of 12 games over the full-season route, the Reapers have chalked up four wins in six conference games. In their conference games, they have scored 177 points to the opposition's 145.

Next home game with the Reapers will be here Thursday afternoon when they meet the Boys Ranch team of Amarillo. Pampa took a 28-26 overtime verdict from the Ranchers earlier in the season.

John Prieau, with 46 points, lead the Reapers in conference game scoring. He is trailed by Jimmy Gallimore and Jimmy Howard with 44 and 43 points, respectively. Other scoring: Jimmy Parker 18, John Allison 9, Carrol Smith 8, Mitchell Rowe 5 and Jim Holt 2.

Metkovich, Wilson Sign With Boston

BOSTON—(AP)—Utility Outfielder George Metkovich and Pitcher Jim Wilson have signed their 1947 contracts, the Red Sox announced today.

Wilson was with the Sox in 1945 until felled by a line drive by Hank Greenberg in Detroit. He suffered a fractured skull and was told by one doctor that he'd never pitch again.

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NOTICE
By making publication of the herein after set out ordinance, notice is given of all matters and facts therein contained which said ordinance is as follows to-wit:

ORDINANCE DETERMINING TO ASSESS A PART OF THE COST OF IMPROVING PORTIONS OF WEST KINGSMILL, PURVANCE, N. GILLESPIE, W. BROWNING, W. TYNG, N. YAGER, W. PENNSYLVANIA, BALLARD, NELSON STREETS, AND SUNDRY OTHER STREETS IN THE CITY OF PAMPA, TEXAS, AGAINST ABUTTING PROPERTY AND OWNERS THEREOF, AND AGAINST RAILWAYS AND THE OWNERS THEREOF, BY ADOPTING ENGINEERS' ROLLS, PROVIDING FOR NOTICE OF HEARING AND HEARING, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Pampa, Texas, has ordered that the following portions of the streets in the City be improved by raising, grading and filling and installing concrete curb and gutters and paving with compacted caliche base with asphalt top and curbs, and in accordance with the plans now on file with the City and in accordance with the specifications therefor attached, said portions of streets being as follows to-wit:

West Kingsmill Ave. between Ward and Holart Streets;
North Purvance Street between Foster and Francis Avenues;
North Gillespie Street between Fos-

Panhandle News

PANHANDLE — (Special) — Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gillard left Thursday for Vernon where they will make their home. Mr. Gillard, who has been associated with the Panhandle Hardware for several years, has purchased a home there and after a rest necessitated by ill

health will go into business. Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Davidson of Lamar, Colo., former Panhandle resident were visiting in Panhandle this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Ingram of Pampa, Mrs. J. E. Enlow and Griff Shank were dinner guests Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bunk. Mr. and Mrs. Ingram report their son, George, who received a broken leg in November when a

horse fell on him is convalescing at his home in Pampa. He underwent surgery in Oklahoma City last month.

Rotary vocational education was discussed by John Cotter at the club's luncheon, Friday noon. A house committee was appointed to see about changing the place of meeting to a church. S. M. Calyton

of Berger was a visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Claycomb returned Wednesday from Tahoka where they were called by the illness of her brother, Harry Lindsey. Mr. Lindsey died Saturday and his funeral was held the first of the week.

Mrs. Joe Mitchell and son, Mike,

of Pampa are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mitchell.

In 1941 there were 24,000 U. S. War Department employees scattered in 17 Washington D. C. buildings.

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WHEREAS, the City Engineer has prepared and filed rolls or statements concerning the improvements and assessments therefor in each unit, and same have been examined and all errors found therein by the City Commission corrected; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission has determined to assess a portion of the cost of such improvements against the owners of the property abutting thereon and against such property;

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Pampa, Texas, that:

I.—The City Commission of the City of Pampa, Texas, does hereby determine to assess a portion of the cost of said improvements on said portions of streets against abutting property thereon and against the owners of the railways using or occupying any portion of same, said assessments to be levied in exercise of the powers granted by the Charter and being Articles 106 to 108, both inclusive and Article 1101 and 1102 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, of 1927, heretofore adopted by this City.

II.—Assessments when levied shall be and constitute a first enforceable lien and claim on the property against which such assessments are levied, prior in all respects to all other liens and claims, except state, county and municipal taxes, and shall also be a personal liability and charge against the real and true owner thereof. The description of the parcels and tracts of abutting property, the several amounts proposed to be assessed against such parcels of property and the owners thereof, the total estimated cost of the improvements in each district, the amount to be assessed against the railways using or occupying any portion of the same, and other matters and things as shown on said rolls or statements of said engineer on file with the City of Pampa, a hearing shall be given by and before the governing body of the City of Pampa, Texas, on the 20th day of February, 1947, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. in the City Hall of the City of Pampa, Texas, in a regular meeting place to the owners of the respective parcels of property and of such railways and to all others in anywise interested, whether they be named herein or not, all of whom are hereby notified to be and appear in the time and place herein named and exact, and said hearing shall be conducted from time to time and from day to day as necessary until all desiring and presenting themselves to be heard shall have been fully and fairly heard, and at which hearing mistakes, irregularities, or invalidities in any of the assessments with reference to the making of said improvements or assessments therefor may be corrected and benefits by means of the said improvements and the amount of the assessments therefor may be determined, and all other matters shall be determined and the real and true owners of the property abutting upon the said streets to be improved and of railways using or occupying any portion of the same and any and all others in anywise interested, their agents and attorneys shall be and appear at said hearing said time and place and present and make any protests or objections which they or any of them may have as to the said improvements, as to the cost thereof, as to the amount of such assessments, as to any mistakes, irregularities or invalidities in any proceedings with reference to said assessments such improvements or the construction thereof and as to any matter or things in anywise connected either with said improvements or proceedings, and after all desiring and presenting themselves to be heard, either in person or by agents, attorneys, or representatives, have been fully and fairly heard, and said hearing shall be closed and assessments will be ordered and in accordance with law and the proceedings of the City be levied against the respective parcels of abutting property and the owners thereof and against such railways, whether such owners be named herein or not and whether the property be correctly described herein or not. At such hearing any one in anywise interested or affected, may subpoena witnesses and introduce evidence, and have the right to appear and to be heard.

III.—The improvements in each street, district or unit constitute an entirely separate distinct and independent unit and the proposed assessment for the improvements in each unit are in no wise affected by any fact or circumstances in connection with any other unit, all to the same extent and as fully as if entirely separately and independent construction had been made for each unit and separate proceedings at a separate hearing and separate notices thereof ordered.

IV.—The City Secretary of the City of Pampa, Texas, is directed to give notice to the owners of property abutting upon the said portions of streets named to be improved and to the owners of railways using and occupying same, and to all others interested of time, place and purpose of such hearing and of all matters and things by causing a substantially correct copy of this ordinance to be published at least three times in a newspaper published in and of general circulation in the City of Pampa, Texas, the first of which publication shall be made at least ten days before the date for such hearing and such publication of said portions of said streets and all owners of railways using or occupying any portion of any such streets and avenues, whether named herein or not, and whether the property be correctly described herein or not, as well as all others in anywise interested therein, or to be affected thereby shall be and are duly notified and no error or mistake in the name of any property owner or in the description of any property, or in the amount of assessment, shall in anywise affect or invalidate such notice or any assessment levied pursuant thereto, and the real and true owners of such abutting property shall be and are by such notice duly and fully notified. The City Secretary is further directed, but not required, to give further notice of such hearing by causing a substantial copy of such notice to be mailed to each owner of property abutting upon such portions of said streets, and to the owners of railways, but all such notices so mailed shall be only cumulative of such notice by advertisement, and publication and said notice, by advertisement and publication shall in all cases be sufficient and binding whether or not any other kind or character of notice be given.

V.—The present condition of the streets above mentioned endanger the health and safety of the citizens of Pampa, constitutes an emergency and an urgent public necessity requiring that the rule requiring three separate readings of ordinances be suspended and that this ordinance be passed and take effect as an emergency measure, and such rule are accordingly suspended, and this ordinance is passed and shall take effect as an emergency measure, and shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 7th day of February, A. D. 1947.
ATTEST:
S. E. BERNST HOOD, Mayor.
S. C. KAY, City Secretary.
(Feb. 9-10-11)

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