

Overwhelming Defeat of Communists Indicated in Greek State Elections

Way Is Paved For Return of King George II

ATHENS, April 1—(AP)—An overwhelming defeat for communists and other left wing parties was indicated today on the basis of unofficial returns from yesterday's parliamentary elections, which paved the way for the possible return of King George II to the Greek throne.

Clashes between communists and government forces resulted in 20 deaths, most of which occurred Friday and Saturday. Order prevailed in most sections of the country during the actual voting.

Balloting heavy. Returns showed that the balloting was heavy, despite a Russian-supported leftist campaign to boycott the polls in protest against the holding of elections at this time. Left wing elements had declined to enter candidates in the election, which was the first in Greece since 1936.

Estimates of the number of persons participating ranged from 65 to 75 percent of the total electorate. Only 62 percent of the voters participated in the 1936 elections.

Official returns continued to come in slowly, but an unofficial tabulation indicated that the populists would gain a clear majority of the 354 parliamentary seats.

The official returns showed the national bloc—a coalition of national unionists, social democrats and Venizelists—liberals and middle-of-the-road liberals running a neck and neck race for second place, with the national bloc slightly off front.

A spokesman for the national bloc, George Papandreu, said the election was a "shattering defeat for communism." Premier Theodoros Sophoulis, a liberal, said he was satisfied with the conduct of the elections.

Sophoulis called on recent Archbishop Damaskinos at noon today and formally tendered his resignation in accordance with an earlier See GREEK ELECTIONS, Page 6

Leaders Work To Save OPA From Cuts in Powers

WASHINGTON, April 1—(AP)—Administration leaders in the house worked today to save the Office of Price Administration from crippling cuts in its powers.

Their effort is based on the belief that the agency is certain to be snubbed by some authority in legislation now being written to extend price controls through June 30.

What the leaders fear is that the trimming may get out of hand if very much of it is done on the house floor.

Hence they hope some sort of compromise can be agreed upon which will be acceptable to the banking committee. That group began closed sessions today in an effort to draft a bill.

Some of the key administration officials disclosed that they have conferred with OPA leaders in an attempt to reach agreement now on some concessions.

Likewise, these officials—who asked not to be named—reported they have discussed such concessions with a group of Southern democrats and others favoring sharp cuts in OPA's authority. These discussions were couple with pleas for agreement in the interest of party harmony.

They told a reporter that they expect much greater unity from now on, with many of the Dixie democrats facing primary election tests soon.

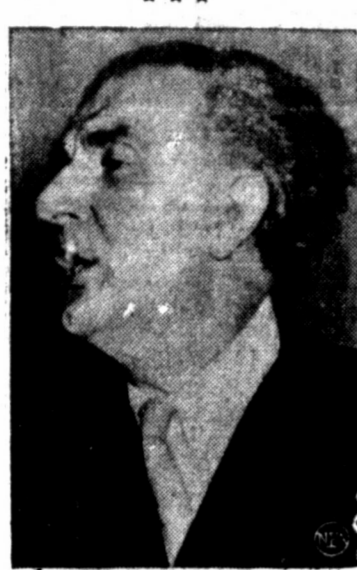
Whether the administration leadership can get OPA chiefs to yield ground remains to be seen. OPA Administrator Paul Douglas and Economic Stabilizer Chester Bowles both told the banking committee last week that weakening amendments might lose a spiraling inflation.

Deactivation of Army Scheduled

SHANGHAI, April 1—(AP)—Deactivation of the United States army in China theater May 1 was announced by Lt. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer upon instructions from the joint chiefs of staff in Washington. They will leave 3,000 to 4,000 U. S. army personnel in China to carry on with the military advisory group headed by Gen. George C. Marshall and to assist China troop movements and help disarm Japanese troops—was nearly complete and the marines were serving principally as a stabilizing influence.

Wedemeyer is scheduled to leave for the United States Thursday but whether he would return to China was not disclosed.

The 45,000 marines in North China under Maj. Gen. Keller E. Rockey will revert from Wedemeyer's control to the navy, Wedemeyer said.



Picture above is George Papandreu, former premier and head of the Social Democrats, an important figure in Greece's complex political set-up.

Bowles Says Living Costs Will Increase

WASHINGTON, April 1—(AP)—Stabilization Director Chester Bowles today declared the cost of living would jump six percent or more under the farm parity formula passed by the senate.

The plan, which allows farm labor costs to be considered in figuring parity prices, was tacked to the minimum wage bill although a presidential veto is threatened. The bill still is pending in the senate.

Bowles said the amendment would shoot retail food prices up about 15 percent and increase the average family's annual food budget around \$25, besides forcing an increase of seven percent in store prices of cotton garments. He called it sharply inflationary.

The estimates were contained in a letter to Senator Pepper (D-Fla.) dated March 14. Bowles released it today.

"Experience has shown clearly that increases in the cost of living much smaller than would result from this amendment create demands for new wage increases," the stabilization director explained.

Bowles said the amendment would set federal support prices at a level so high that many American farm products would be forced out of domestic and world markets thus causing large food surpluses.

Whether to bring 3,500,000 more workers under the wage-hour act puzzled senators today as they returned to the floor the veto-threatening minimum wage bill.

The 3,500,000 are employees of industries "affecting" interstate commerce. Their addition would bring about 23,500,000 of the nation's 40,000,000 workers in industry and agriculture under the law, the senate labor committee reported in recommending their inclusion.

Senator Hatch (D-NM) has moved to strike out the broadening section on the ground that there would be confusion over who goes in and who stays out. Senator Pepper (D-Fla.) denied this, saying that similar Lee LIVING COSTS, Page 6

Glazier Depot Is Destroyed by Fire

CANADIAN, April 1—Fire of undetermined origin totally destroyed the Santa Fe depot at Glazier, 11 miles east of here, at about 9:15 last night.

Fire fighters from Canadian and Higgins responded to an alarm turned in by Mrs. C. M. Conley, wife of the section foreman at Glazier, but the blaze was already out of control when the trucks reached there.

An inadequate water supply hampered the efforts of the firemen and they could only keep the cross ties on the tracks from burning.

The entire northwest corner of the depot was blazing when Mrs. Conley discovered the blaze. She immediately spread the alarm and a resident of the community telephoned the Canadian and Higgins departments.

J. H. Hicks, special officer for the railroad at Canadian is investigating the fire.

H. A. Hazlett, station agent at Glazier, said he left the station at 8:15 and locked both the ticket and freight rooms but left the waiting room unlocked, as was the custom.

He said there had been no fire in heating stove for several days. The safe, heating stove and chimney was all that remained after the blaze.

No estimate of damage has been made by company officials.

Former Governor of Ohio, Davy, Dies

KENT, Ohio, April 1—(AP)—Former Gov. Martin L. Davey, 61, one of Ohio's most colorful politicians, died of a heart attack while entertaining guests at his home yesterday.

Death came as he added up scores of a bridge game.

A business man as well as politician, Davey built his father's tree nursery business into a nation-wide organization, served two terms as Ohio's governor, 1935 to 1939, and represented the state's 14th district for four terms in congress.

400,000 Coal Miners Go on Strike; Soviet Union Pays UNO Dues in Full

Reds' Return To Council Sessions Hoped

NEW YORK, April 1—(AP)—Russia's payment in full of her dues in the United Nations gave a boost today to hopes that the security council will soon be running on a full team basis.

It has been one man short since Wednesday when Russian Delegate Andrei Gromyko walked out in protest against the council's refusal to defer the Iranian question until April 10.

THREE DEVELOPMENTS. Members of the other ten delegations could count three developments in favor of their hope that Russia might end what one official called a "temporary absence" and resume its place on the council when that body reconvenes Wednesday.

1. The news from Moscow, released here by Secretary-General Trygve Lie, that Russia had paid in full her \$1,728,000 assessment for the United Nations working capital. She was the first big power to do so.

2. Boris Stein, alternate Russian delegate, has been working steadily—and most congenially, other members said—on the council committee which is drafting rules for the conduct of business.

3. Similarly, the Russians have

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Ribbentrop Says Russia Is Guilty Along With Nazis

MUENBERG, April 1—(AP)—Joseph von Ribbentrop, former German foreign minister, testified before the international military tribunal today that Prime Minister Stalin agreed in Moscow in August, 1939, that he "would never accuse Germany of aggression because of her activities in Poland."

The agreement was that "if aggression were spoken of both parties would be guilty," Ribbentrop said.

The accord, Ribbentrop continued, was reached Aug. 21, 1939—less than two weeks before the Nazi march into Poland—in the course of negotiations for a Russian-German non-aggression pact and a secret protocol for partitioning Poland, Finland and the Baltic states.

The testimony was given after R. A. Rudenko, Soviet prosecutor, protested against admission of an affidavit by Friedrich Gaus, former Nazi foreign office negotiator, relating to the alleged secret protocol.

Rudenko accused the defense of "attempting to divert the attention of the tribunal from real issues" by dwelling on the reported Russian-German understanding prior to the outbreak of the war.

Nazi efforts to induce Russia to join an Axis three-power pact failed, Ribbentrop said, because the Soviet's price for signing was too high.

He listed the Russian terms as:

1. A free hand in Finland, which "we supposed would lead to the occupation of Finland."
2. Close relations with Bulgaria, which the "Bulgarian government did not want."
3. Certain rights in the Dardanelles, which Mussolini opposed.

An outlet through the Baltic, which would have brought up the question of the Skagerrak.

Late Ambassador Returns Home

GIBRALTAR, April 1—(AP)—The U. S. battleship Missouri left Gibraltar this morning bearing the body of the late Turkish ambassador to Washington, Mehmet Munir Ertugrul, back to Istanbul. The Missouri was escorted by the destroyer Pow-er.

HEARD WITH SENTIMENTAL REGRET: CAVALRY IS HEADED FOR DISCARD AS SEPARATE BRANCH OF U. S. ARMY

WASHINGTON, April 1—(AP)—Military men heard with sentimental regret today that the war department has decided to abolish the cavalry as a separate branch of the army.

There was no official confirmation, but service publications report that a general army reorganization proposal awaiting President's Truman's approval calls for merging the horse outfits with the armored force.

Trends in World War II were all in that direction. Fast moving cavalry reconnaissance outfits fought colorfully on several fronts, but they

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Reece, Danaher Battle For GOP Position

'Death Sentence' Of Clause Upheld Act Is Upheld

WASHINGTON, April 1—(AP)—The supreme court today upheld constitutionality of the "death sentence" clause of the public utility holding company act.

The clause requires interstate gas and electric holding companies to limit their operations to a single, integrated system.

The court ruled on an appeal by the giant North American company from an order by the Securities and Exchange commission. SEC directed North American to divest itself of all but one of its utility systems.

Justice Murphy delivered the court's 6-0 opinion. Justices Douglas, Reed and Jackson disqualified themselves, leaving a bare legal quorum of six judges to decide the case.

North American was organized in 1900. It has engaged in acquiring and holding for investment, stocks and other securities, principally in the electric utility field. Its system consists of 80 companies operating in 17 states and the District of Columbia. The main office is in New York City.

The company said the SEC order, issued in 1942, required it to dispose of assets which cost about \$194,000,000. SEC told North American to confine its activities to a system in the St. Louis area. The federal circuit court in New York City upheld the order and affirmed constitutionality of the clause.

North American appealed to the supreme court in February, 1943. But the tribunal was unable to act previously because it lacked a quorum in the case.

The justice department told the supreme court the act was passed in 1935 after congress found "many evils" grew out of holding company activities.

The department said these included "inflammatory write-ups, acquisition of properties at grossly unfair prices, and preoccupation of management with financial maneuvering rather than efficient production and distribution of gas and electric utility and the meeting of local needs."

Hospital Election Voting Incomplete

A maximum of 76 votes in the special county hospital election which was carried Saturday have not yet been turned in, County Clerk Charlie T. Thut reported this noon.

Farrington, precinct 7, turned in nine votes for the hospital, six against, this morning, giving an incomplete unofficial total of 1227 votes for the hospital, 434 not in favor of it. There were 29 possible votes in Farrington.

Laketon with a maximum of 60 votes and Webb with 16 have not reported election returns.

County Judge Sherman White said this morning that the official count of the election will be given at next Monday's meeting of the county commissioners court.

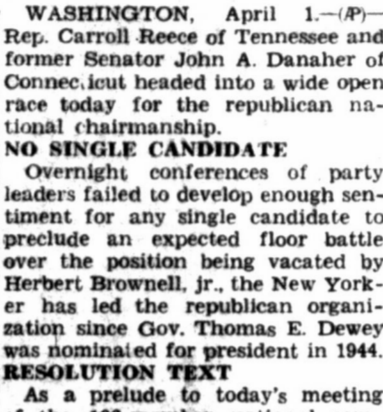
SHIP COLLIDE PORT HUENEME, Calif., April 1

(AP)—A merchant ship and a tanker, which collided last night off Pt. Conception, were taken in tow early today, enroute to San Pedro.

HARRIMAN CONFIRMED WASHINGTON, April 1

(AP)—The senate unanimously confirmed today the nomination of W. Averell Harriman to be ambassador to Great Britain.

GOP CANDIDATE



Rep. Brazilla Carroll Reece, of Tennessee, is considered a likely candidate as chairman of the republican National committee.

Pampans Plead For Little More 'Old Man Winter'

Many Pampans are perhaps wishing that 'Old Man Winter' would breathe a little cool air at the thermometer soared to 92 degrees Sunday and hit 88 today at noon.

And the weatherman offers no relief as he says a heat wave will continue to sweep Texas for at least two more days, according to the Associated Press.

Laredo residents sweltered under a 101-degree blast while Dallasites fared little better. The Dallas station reported a high of 96 to tie the all-time high March figure for the city.

As far north as Topeka and Kansas City the heat wave prevailed but Chicago was lucky with 80 degrees and St. Louis a 70.

The weather provided its own April Fool today as it left the Midwest and Southwest sweltering and brought little flurries of snow to New York and temperatures as low as 46 in South Carolina.

The only hope in sight is a small cool front to the west which might move in if the wind changes.

(Jmpa high school seniors were the luckiest of Pampans today as they celebrated their annual "Kid Day" with a picnic at Lake McCellan.

The "kids," 150 strong, dressed in fancy frills and patches, were excused from school today to have their "fling" before the sober business of making a living comes their way.

Jester Urges Oil Price Increase

WICHITA FALLS, April 1—(AP)—Beauford Jester of the Texas railroad commission, a visitor in the north Texas oil domain, where he will deliver the major address Monday at ceremonies commemorating the 35th anniversary of oil's discovery at Electra, last night called upon the entire population of Texas to awaken to the injustice of the price of their crude oil, so long and so unfairly maintained.

The railroad commission asked the people to "join me and my colleagues on the commission in demanding the 58 cent increase in the price of crude oil, and a removal of the OPA ceiling prices on crude oil and navy fuel oil, as well as other oil products."

Terminus of the state's "biggest money crop," Jester said that absence of a fair and just price for this commodity is depriving not only the producers of what they should get, but "is depriving the school districts, counties, public school lands, University of Texas, Texas A. & M. college, and the state of Texas" of unbelievable amounts in taxes. "These taxes," he said, "would help to pay school teachers of Texas, contribute money to old-age pensioners, support the school fund, and also the governmental agencies of our state."

Veteran Actor Dies In Hollywood Today

HOLLYWOOD, April 1—(AP)—Noah Beery, sr., veteran film actor and brother of Wallace Beery, died today at his home. He was 62 years old.

Beery played villains and other character parts since the early days of silent pictures. Survivors include his son, Noah, also a film actor.

Thing Called Parity Brings On Big Rumpus

WASHINGTON, April 1—(AP)—There's a big rumpus here over a pending, upward change in a thing called parity.

If it goes through, it will do two things:

1. It will boost the price of farm products.
2. Therefore, it will boost your food bill.

The senate has just voted to increase the parity formula. Before this can become law, two things must happen:

1. The house must also approve.
2. The President must sign it into law. He says he'll veto it.

But to understand it, look at what parity is, how it got that way, and what the senate proposes.

Back in 1930's, when farmers were having a hard time, congress decided to help them. This was the thinking:

Even if the government had to put out money to do it, the prices farmers could get for their products should be kept fairly in line with the prices farmers had to pay for things they needed, like machinery and seed—as an example.

Normal period—called base periods—were chosen for different crops. The point was this, taking wheat as an example:

A wheat farmer should get for his wheat an amount which would buy the equivalent amount of what he bought—like machinery and seeds—back in 1910-14. That is called parity.

Since 1910-14 the cost of farm machinery, seed, fertilizer, things like that, have gone up. Well, how then does the government maintain parity between the price of wheat and the things farmers buy?

It's done this way.

Suppose the department of agriculture says:

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City Elections Slated Tomorrow

City officials urged Pampans today to participate in tomorrow's city election although there is only one candidate seeking the post of city commissioner No. 1.

Harold Wright, incumbent, is the candidate in the race. He can be opposed only by a sufficient number of write-in ballots.

The election is to be held in the city commission room from eight o'clock in the morning until seven o'clock tomorrow evening.

The winning candidate will be elected for a term of three years or until April 1949. Wright was elected last September to fill the unexpired term of Tom Cox, who resigned.

All residents of the city who have paid their poll tax or who can show an exemption certificate are eligible to take part in the voting.

Charles Ward has been appointed manager of tomorrow's election. The city commission will meet Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock to canvass the ballots.

Other communities in the Pampa area are holding city elections tomorrow but most of the candidates are unopposed.

Lefors residents will choose a city secretary and three aldermen. All aldermen are unopposed but about seven persons have announced their candidacy for city secretary.

Famous Duroc Sow Mashes 8 of Her Pigs

There is a tragic ending which we must report to the story last week that Thomas Daugherty's Duroc sow down at Twitty had given birth to 17 little pigs.

When we sought a picture of the mother and her multitudinous progeny, for The News and the Associated Press, we learned the mother had mashed eight of the pigs.

SENTENCED TO DEATH BRUSSELS, April 1—(AP)—Yvonne D. Ligne, former international skating champion, has been sentenced to death for the murder of her husband.

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Detroit, Akron Hindered by Transit Halt

By the Associated Press

Four hundred thousand AFL soft coal miners stayed away from their jobs today and the nation's idle because of labor disputes skyrocketed to 777,000, the highest total in nearly three weeks.

Strikes over wage disputes crippled transportation facilities in Detroit and Akron, O., to further darken the labor picture.

CONTRACT EXPIRES. The work stoppage by John L. Lewis' AFL-inflated mine workers, which went into effect at 12:01 a. m. upon expiration of the collective bargaining contract, was the second largest walkout of workers since V-2 day, topped only by the strike of 750,000 CIO steelworkers on Jan. 21.

There was no disorder reported as the bituminous coal mines shut down. President Lewis said there would be no picketing. The government, although hoping to effect a settlement between union and management, now plans to seize the properties, but the solid fuels administration ordered a reserve of soft coal for emergency consumption and limited deliveries.

RECONVERSION DISRUPTED. As a prolonged stoppage threatened to disrupt the country's reconversion program, federal mediator Paul Fuller planned to resume negotiations with Lewis and the soft coal operators in efforts to effect an early settlement of the disputed issues in the proposed contract. The steel and automotive industries were reported

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China Requests Russia's Notice Of Withdrawal

CHUNGKING, April 1—(AP)—China has requested Russia to give previous notice of soviet withdrawal from various points in Manchuria and to permit government troops to enter them beforehand to assure a smooth transfer of garrison duties. Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek told the people's political council today.

Chiang said no communist troops were in the territory before Japan's surrender but entered the country after the Japanese collapse and hindered its occupation by government forces.

The generalissimo said the request to the Russians was contained in China's March 27 reply agreeing to soviet withdrawal from Manchuria not later than April 31, as proposed in the Russian note of March 22. Communist troops were reported surrounding Changchun, Manchuria's capital which the soviet are expected to leave soon.

Lt. Gen. Tung Wen-ping, chief of the Chinese military commission in Changchun, telephoned Mukden's Mayor Tunk Wen-Chi yesterday and was reported to have declared that the soviets would not complete their withdrawal from the capital until government troops arrived to take over.

Another hope of avoiding further bloodshed in Manchuria was the presence in Mukden of four cease-fire teams dispatched by the Sino-American executive headquarters at Mukden. However, they were still in Mukden awaiting further instructions.

Shell Employees Will Be Honored Tonight

A banquet honoring long-time employees of the Shell Oil company here is scheduled to be held this evening at 6:30 at the Southern club.

Several high company officials are to be present at the banquet, being staged by the industrial relations department of the company.

Several employees will be given 10, 15 and 25-year service awards.

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1:30 a.m.	62
Yesterday's Max.	52
Yesterday's Min.	33

WARM

WEST TEXAS: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday; slight coolers Panhandle and South Plains tonight.

EAST TEXAS: Fair to partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; not quite so warm northwest portion tonight. Moderate southwest with wind on the coast.

OKLAHOMA: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; cooler Panhandle tonight; low temperatures 50 Panhandle, 52 southwest; cooler west and north Tuesday.

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Winners Crowned In Annual Men's Bowling Tournament

With the Pampa Home Appliances team, the doubles team of C. Mitchell and G. Thompson, and John McFall in the singles winning, the annual men's city bowling tournament ended yesterday at the Pampa Bowl. The Appliances team rolled a 2-890 to edge out the Lawson Kennels team by 30 pins. Mitchell and Thompson finished in front of Murphy and McGraw in the doubles, 1-227 to 1,204.

McFall rolled a three-game series of 645, finishing in front of Jim McClintock, who had 628. Bill Heskew rolled the high single game without handicap, posting a 282.

The summaries: Teams—Home Appliances 2,890; Lawson Kennels 2,860; Leder's Jewelry 2,833; Hess-Bee-Chambers 2,830; Burnett's Cabinet 2,796; Court House Cafe 2,781; Standish Courts 2,731; Pec's Cab 2,713; Caraway Plant 2,712; Pampa Bowl 2,646; City Drug 2,635 and McWilliams Station 2,531.

Doubles—C. Mitchell-G. Thompson 1,227; Murphy-McGraw 1,204; F. Thompson-L. Szmielek 1,195; Powell-Hegwer 1,147; Behrman-Heskew 1,130; Rogers-Rea 1,122.

Singles—John McFall 645; Jim McClintock 628; E. J. Swan 629; J. W. Harrison 599; Bill Murphy 586.

Sports Round-Up

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
NEW YORK, April 1.—Australia, the only remaining hope of professional football, is to get under Haegg and Arne Anderson to run a special mid next summer when the world professional sprint championships are held in Melbourne. Monte Kennedy, the pitcher for whom the Gauris paid Eddie Moores \$25,000, had only 17 innings experience in organized baseball at Richmond before he went into the army. He won one game and lost two in 1942.

Time Out
Hearing that an 80-year-old Morgantown, W. Va. woman had been tabbed "America's No. 1 fan" because she hadn't missed a state high school basketball tournament in 32 years, Arkansas case followers point out that Sammy Feldman of Holly Grove, Ark., has an identical record. Can you think of anyone who can beat this pair?
Colby Jack Coombs, Duke univer-

Scott's Scrap Book

By SCOTT RAFFERTY
Yesterday's track meet paid dividends for Pampa high school and our heartiest congratulations go to Coach Gus Coffey and school officials.

As a result of the nice reception the Wichita Falls boys received here, the Coyote basketball team will come here for a two-game series December 29 and 31 of this year.

Pampa gets the gate receipts one night and Wichita Falls the other, making it unnecessary for Pampa to pay Wichita Falls any money outright.

Each Coffey said he wished to thank everyone who made Saturday's meet the success it was. He said there were a lot of fans who volunteered to help out with the operation of the meet and he really appreciated it.

The proposed banquet Saturday night didn't come off but we plan something in the near future for these boys. We think that now that the public has had a good look at the local tinnidals they'll really go in for track.

Track meets always confuse especially when it comes down to figuring individual points and we herewith apologize to Randall Clay of the Pampa Harvesters and Jack Lawrence of Wichita Falls.

It was stated in the Sunday News that Carl Mayes was high point man with 13 3/4 points. Well, Clay and Lawrence also had 13 3/4 points instead of the 13 we gave them. The three tied for high point honors.

We also made another mistake this that could be monotonous. The state record for discus throw is 154 feet 11 inches, instead of 155 feet 7 inches. Clay hit 159 feet 1 1/2 inches Saturday but his mark is not official as only marks in the state meet go in the books.

Newspapers all over the country carried a little item yesterday to the effect that March 31 was the fiftieth anniversary of the death of a certain most beloved figure—Knutie Reineke of Notre Dame.

It wasn't much of a story but words can't do justice to one of the greatest figures the game ever had.

Rockie lived a full life but all too short. Football was separated from the greatest exponent of fair play it ever had on March 31, 1931.

A baseball coach is preparing another edition of his book on baseball. Want other coaches would like to know where Jack finds all the good players... The All-America football conference likely will announce its list of officials at next week's meeting if it has enough of these magnificent players. Frank Szymbanski, who left Notre Dame for the Detroit Lions, is back on the South Bend campus for his final college semester. He has an overall team average of 98. And Whizzer Whittis, who showed Art Rooney what a Rhodes scholar can do, is back at Yale to finish his law course.

Shamrock Meet Draws Entries From 12 Towns

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SHAMROCK, April 1 (Special)—Two more teams have entered the Annual Shamrock High School Boxing Tournament bringing the total number of team entries to 12.

Sannorwood and Pampa are the latest entries in the three-day meet which will be held in the local gymnasium on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, April 4, 5 and 6. Teams whose entries had already been received were Wellington, Laker-view, Clarendon, Chillicothe, Lockney, Littlefield, Canadian, Memphis and Shamrock.

Coach Scott McCull stated today that the number of entries should bring between 150 and 200 fighters and coaches to Shamrock for the sports highlight of the season.

Admission prices are 50c and 75c with reserved seats, including admission, \$1.20.

Forewarned by last year's tourney which attracted such large crowds that there was no standing room, additional seats have been placed in the gymnasium, bringing the total capacity to approximately 1,300.

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Texas Longhorns Not Outstanding Southwest Team

(By The Associated Press)
Five games this week start the Southwest conference baseball campaign on its way with a free-for-all predicted.

For once Texas is not an outstanding favorite. The Longhorns appear to have their work cut out for them against such nines as Texas A. and M. and Texas Christian.

Texas' first worry, however, is not A. and M. or T. C. U. The Longhorn open the conference race Thursday and Friday with Baylor at Austin while A. and M. meet Texas Christian at College Station the same days. T. C. U. goes to Houston to play Rice Saturday.

Most of the practice schedule is out of the way with A. and M. the only undefeated team. The Aggies, showing power at the plate and strong pitching, have rolled up seven victories.

Texas hasn't been a weak starter in any series despite its three losses. One of those defeats was to the Tulsa Oilers of the Texas league and the other two to Oklahoma. The latter has one of the best college teams in the country.

Texas Christian hasn't won a game but the reason has been that T. C. U. played Oklahoma four times in their first engagements with the Sooners, the Frogs were tough. They lost 4-3, 3-9, 9-6 last week. Texas meetings with Oklahoma Southwestern 7-0 and blasting McMurry 11-5 and 25-0. A. and M. best Camp Hood 8-4 and licked Southwestern twice—13-0 and 19-2.

Southern Methodist was clouted 20-2 by the Dallas Rebels of the Texas league but beat the fifth touring group of Dallas 7-6. Baylor lost to Oklahoma 6-1 and to the Waco Lions 11-2. Rice played a 5-5 tie with the Humble Oilers of Baylor.

The only practice games on this week's schedule have Texas playing Tulsa at Austin Tuesday and Southern Methodist meeting the fifth touring group at Dallas last Tuesday and the Pensacola, Fla., naval air training base at Dallas Saturday.

The standing to date:

Team	W	L	Pct.
Texas A. and M.	7	0	1.000
Southern Methodist	4	1	.667
Texas	4	3	.571
Baylor	3	3	.500
Rice	1	1	.500
Texas Christian	0	4	.000

Monty Stratton Fans 7 Batters In Practice Tilt

SHERMAN, Texas, April 1.—(AP)—Monty Stratton, who lost a leg in 1932, had a brilliant career in the majors, before returning to professional baseball this year with 25 ritching victories, predicts Guy Sturdy manager of the Sherman club of the East Texas league.

What Monty did yesterday in a practice tilt between tryout camps of Sherman and Paris indicated Sturdy's observation was well-placed. The gangling Stratton, former White Sox pitching ace, hurled 16 pitches in his first appearance in professional baseball since a bunting accident cost him his right leg above the knee.

Monty worked three innings, fanning seven of twelve batters giving up only two hits and cracking a single and a lone fly in two appearances at the plate. Sherman won the game 19-3.

"His arm is as good as ever," said Sturdy.

Monty didn't have much opportunity to demonstrate what he can do in the fielding department. Fans have anticipated that his artificial leg will slow him up considerable in picking up short bunts in time for the throw to first.

But Monty figures he can take care of the fielding chores well enough to hold down a regular pitching job for the Twins.

"I have been working on my fielding," he said, "and I believe I can handle any of the boys who try to bunt on me this season."

An East Texas league rule permits him a runner when he gets on base.

Stratton convinced himself last summer that he could return to professional ball with success when he invited a four-batter in the Houston Post semi-tournament. Stratton drove in both runs as his team won the game 2-0.

Today's Schedule Of Redeployment

By The Associated Press
Nearly 5,000 servicemen are scheduled to arrive on the east and west coasts today aboard seven troop transports.

Ships and units arriving include:

- At New York—Stevens Victory from Antwerp (originally due yesterday), 1,009 troops including 401st, 690th, 441st, 442nd, 3399th and 642nd quarter-master truck companies, 380th quartermaster service company, medical detachment, second field artillery battalion.
- Rensselaer Victory from Southampton, 1,009 troops including 880th ordnance heavy auto maintenance company and 46 navy personnel.
- Miscellaneous troops on following: Sea Marlin from Le Havre; Hampden Sydney Victory from Bremerhaven.

Catherine de Medici is credited with the establishment of the French perfume industry in Grasse.

Shamrock Meet Draws Entries From 12 Towns

SHAMROCK, April 1 (Special)—Two more teams have entered the Annual Shamrock High School Boxing Tournament bringing the total number of team entries to 12.

Sannorwood and Pampa are the latest entries in the three-day meet which will be held in the local gymnasium on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, April 4, 5 and 6. Teams whose entries had already been received were Wellington, Laker-view, Clarendon, Chillicothe, Lockney, Littlefield, Canadian, Memphis and Shamrock.

Coach Scott McCull stated today that the number of entries should bring between 150 and 200 fighters and coaches to Shamrock for the sports highlight of the season.

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Training Camp

By The Associated Press
DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., April 1.—(AP)—The new Brooklyn Dodgers now have Pete Reiser, Cookie Lavagetto, Augie Galan and Billy Herman out of commission and none may be able to appear in the season's opening game. Reiser's injury is described as a separation of his collarbone and breastbone in his right shoulder. Herman is out with a sacroiliac crack. Lavagetto is laid up with calcification in the region of his right elbow and Galan is being treated for a pulled tendon in his left forearm.

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., April 1.—(AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics and the Baltimore Orioles start their seven-game barnstorming trip north today. They meet tomorrow at Charleston, S. C., and will separate after a game at Frederick, Md., April 10. Baltimore outlasted the A's here yesterday 11-10.

ORLANDO, Fla., April 1.—(AP)—Gil Coan, rookie Washington Senators' outfielder, is beginning to show the form that made him a sensation in the Southern association last season. Recovering from foot ailments which kept him idle this spring, Coan tripled yesterday in the Senators' 11-4 loss to the Brooklyn Dodgers.

AS AN EXPLORER, I'VE FACED MANY AN INCREDIBLE HORROR. GOODBYE! NOTHING COULD JAR MY NERVES OF STEEL.

UNTIL I SAW HER—LENA THE HYENA FROM LOWER SLOBOVIA. ONE GLANCE—AND I PASSED OUT—WHEN I RECOVERED—I DECIDED TO GIVE UP EXPLORING AND TAKE UP FANCY NEEDLEWORK.

WHENEVER I RECALL HER—THOSE OLD HILLS COME BACK!! SHE WAS THE ULTIMATE IN FEMINE UGLINESS!!—THE HUMAN BRAIN JUST CAN'T IMAGINE SUCH A—?—?—?

TRANS-EURASIA AIR LINES? A PRIVATE PLANE TO LOWER SLOBOVIA. THERE'LL BE ONE PASSENGER GOING—

AND TWO COMING BACK!!

NO COOCH.

HE LOOKED AT A WOMAN!

ALL I DID WAS PICK UP A HANKY AND SNIFF AT THE PERFUME!

HE'S ENTITLED TO A FAIR TRIAL, MEN!

ABOVE ALL, IT MUST BE FAIR!

TOSS HIM IN— AND IF HIS BODY EVER COMES TO THE SURFACE IT'S A SIGN OF GUILT!

GOOD LUCK, BOYS, AND REMEMBER WE'RE STANDING BY TO GET YOU OUT IN CASE OF TROUBLE!

OKAY, DOC, BECAUSE WE MAY WANT TO BE HAULED OUT OF WHEREVER WE LAND IN AN AWFUL HURRY!

THEIR TIME-SETTING IS BARELY POST-GLACIAL AS WE KNOW IT, AND COULD BE DISASTROUS! KEEP A SHARP WATCH ON THAT VIEW-SCREEN!

SO THIS IS ATLANTIS, GADGETRY!! HEY, OOP, ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?

OH, I GUESS SO— BUT BRING! I AIN'T HAPPY!

GENA! BE ALL IN! WE BEEN REHARBIN FOR AGES!

OKAY, TONI—IT'LL HAFTA DO, PUT THIS STORY OVER ON TH' SASSOS AND YOU'RE IN. FOR PUBLICITY AND MORE! YOU'LL BE INVESTIGATED AND YOUR NAME TRAILED!

SO KEEP AWAY FROM ME FOR A WHILE, AN RECORD AN'ER SPOTLESS, DUE TO A LITTLE SING BACK-GROUND!

THEY LET YOU OUT TOO SOON! THIS CONTRACT IS MURDER! YOU ASKIN TH' LONG END OF ALL I EARN AFTER TH' PUBLISITY BREAKS ON TOP OF—

I DIDN'T WORK OUT THIS SET-UP JUST TO EXERCISE MY BRAINS, KID! THEM TERMS ARE FINAL! NOW GET GOING! FROM NOW ON, IT'S UP TO YOU AND AL!

OUT OUR WAY

YOU DON'T NEEDA COME AND DON'T NEEDA GO DOWN— JIS GIMME IT HERE!

I'LL DO NOTHING OF THE KIND! I'LL BE NO ACCESORY TO SUCH ROUNDRISM IN A RESPECTABLE HOME!

WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

IF I WAS AN OLD TOPER LIKE YOU, HOOPE, THIS SCENE WOULD SEND ME TO THE SPRINGS—YOU SPADING A GARDEN! OR HAVE YOU BOUGHT ANOTHER TREASURE MAP FROM SOME PARK LAGOON GARDEN WITH A LOOSE SHINGLE?

EGAD BAXTER! LET ME ENLIGHTEN YOUR GAT-CAME MIND! I'M PLANTING TULIP BULBS IMPORTED FROM CHANDARNAGORE, ON THE HOOBLI RIVER IN INDIA! THEY'RE THE GIANT VARIETY, EACH SO BIG IT COULD CONTAIN A GALLON OF WATER—THEY WHOLESALE AT \$90 APIECE!

SOME GREAT BIG WHOLE—SALE STUFF = 4-

I'M TAKIN' OVER—

AN' TOO BAD TO SPOIL YOUR AIM AT DUCKY LIKE!

AS GUS REGAINS CONSCIOUSNESS—

YOU WONT DUCK THIS ONE, RIDER!

SOMETHING ABOUT ALMA I KEN'S BOY FRIEND, ARCH GRAD, RUBBED ME THE WRONG WAY.

GOING SO SOON, FLINT? I WANTED ANOTHER DANCE WITH LIBBY.

SORRY, BUT MAYBE SHE'LL LIVE WITHOUT IT.

A MAN SAID TO GIVE YOU THIS CARD, MR. FLINT.

MY OWN CARD, TOO.

"WE CAN DO BUSINESS, BUT DROP DICE CASE, I'LL GET IN TOUCH WITH YOU, BLUEPOINT."

BLUEPOINT? WHAT ON EARTH DOES THAT MEAN?

A BLUEPOINT IS AN OYSTER, IF THAT MEANS ANYTHING.

SO WALLACE SHOWED THE LETTERS I WROTE HIM TO HALVE THE TOWN...

IF THERE'S ANYTHING I HATE IT'S A CHARACTER WHO SIMPLY CAN'T KEEP HIS MAIL TO HIMSELF. LET HIM SHOW THIS NOTE TO—

GOSH, ANOTHER LETTER FROM PENNY. BOY I'VE GOT THAT PIGEON EATING OUT OF MY HAND!

DEAR WALLACE, FRIENDS, NEIGHBORS, AND CHANCE ACQUAINTANCES! THE DOOR, THE HEEL, THE GOOD, THE BEEP, WHO SHOWS A PRIVATE LETTER, IS JUST A NASTY SOCIAL GYM, IS NO BETTER, IS NO BETTER! SINCERELY, PENNY

HERE WE ARE, RUPPY! I SEE, I'M CARRYING YOU ACROSS THE THRESHOLD—JUST LIKE ROO DID ME!

WELCOME, WOMIE! FIRST I'LL BET YOU'D LIVE A NICE BOWL OF MILK!

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Plastic Handbags Promise Dirt Immunity



By EPIE KINARD
NEA Staff Writer

NEW YORK—A new plastic which promised to revolutionize postwar textiles, makes good its boast in handbags which can be kept as clean as a starched-up kindergarten with much less washing.

The string-drawn white pouch bag, left, owes its immunity to dirt to plastic-coated yarn which can be washed and, what's more, won't go yellow like an aging jamine.

The plastic, which plays no favorites and coats cotton, rayon fiber glass or silk yarn alike, makes the dirt-dodging bag, right, of candy-striped colors framed with imitation tortoise shell. This bag can be washed to keep it clean with no fears of colors running riot.

Reduce Now—And Help the Starving

By RUTH MILLETT
NEA Staff Writer

Now is the perfect time for overweight Mr. and Mrs. America to reduce—to lose that five, ten or twenty-five pounds without which they would look better and feel more comfortable.

Dieting to lose weight has always seemed a bit shameful. But that is so only because the folks who don't have to diet, who can keep their streamlined figures no matter how much rich food they eat, invariably act so superior in the presence of a dieter.

The non-dieter has a way of saying smugly, whenever a man or woman on the heavy side turns down an inviting dessert: "I eat everything I want, and I never seem to gain."

That's hard to take, especially so since the dieter is enviously watching his neighbor stuff himself.

But here's the perfect chance. A person who wants to lose weight can now refuse a piece of pie, bread, butter, or whatever just as complacently as the naturally-thin person reaches for a second serving.

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All he has to say is: "I think it's our duty to cut down on our food right now, and so I've given up pastry, limited my bread consumption to one slice a meal, etc." That ought to put the lean big-eater in his place, and take all the shame out of dieting.

So here is your chance, you who have found dieting hard in the past because of the ridicule of the folks who can eat and eat and never gain.

It's a rare opportunity to be able to cut down on your own food and on the suffering of the starving at one and the same time.

Help Get More Soaps, BRING IN USED FATS!

THIS country is short of industrial fats, mighty short! The supply is so low that the government must decide how much fat can be released to make soap; how much for other peacetime goods. The shortage would be even worse without the wonderful help American housewives are giving by turning in used fats.

Keep saving to tide us over this emergency. It will help you get more soaps and other products you want so much.

OKAY, UNCLE SAM. IF SAVING USED FATS HELPS MAKE MORE SOAPS COUNT ME IN!

BRING USED FATS TO ME JUST AS SOON AS YOU HAVE A CANFUL.

LOTS MORE FAT SCRAPS TO MELT DOWN, NOW. JIMINY, HOW THE SALVAGE CAN FILL UP THESE DAYS!

AND THE BUTCHER GIVES ME 4¢ FOR EVERY POUND I BRING IN!

Where there's fat—there's soap
KEEP TURNING IN USED FATS TO HELP MAKE MORE SOAP

Forum Club Hears Of 'The Egg and I'

SHAMROCK, April 1. (Special)—The Forum club met in the home of Mrs. R. M. Barkley Thursday evening for a covered dish dinner and book review.

Cut flowers were used to decorate for the occasion.

The program was given by Mrs. B. K. Kersh, guest speaker, who reviewed "The Egg and I" by Betty McDonald. Mrs. Kersh highly entertained the group with her interpretation of the popular novel.

Those present were Mesdames E. K. Bechtol, Sol Blonstein, Rufus Dodgen, Shirley Draper, Louis Hill, Lyle Holmes, William F. Holmes, Winfred Lewis, B. P. Rinsner, Albert Ryan, S. Q. Scott, M. A. Whitehurst, W. R. Wooten, and Seibert Worley, members, and Mrs. B. F. Kersh, guest.

Mrs. Kersh was presented with a gift from the members of the club.

Family Reunion Held By W. L. Coward, Jr.

SHAMROCK, April 1. (Special)—A family reunion was held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Coward, sr., with the following members of the family present: Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Coward, jr., and daughter, Kathleen, of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Coward and sons, Clyde Rush and James Henry; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. May and son, Charlie Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lee Coward, all of Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coward and children, Jimmie, Sandra and Eugene of Mobeetie, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Haring, and children, Eddie Glenn and Marilyn; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Coward and children, Jerry, Betty Ann, and Donald, all of Shamrock.

Shamrock Band Director To Act As Contest Judge

SHAMROCK, April 1. (Special)—Major Ed Chenette, director of the Shamrock Irish band, will serve as judge at the 14th Annual Tri-State band festival to be held at Enid, Okla., April 4-5-6. In August he will serve as a judge at the 17th Annual Chicagoland Music festival which will be held at Chicago August 17.

Major Chenette will take four members of the Irish band to Enid to the band festival, where they will enter the solo contest, and be members of the Tri-State band. They are: Bill Green, Bob Taylor, Harold Sanders and Major Chenette.

Chenette's young son, Major, will be featured in a novelty number at the Stevens hotel grand ballroom in Chicago at the festival luncheon. He will appear in western regalia and play a special arrangement of "Deep In The Heart of Texas," "Eyes of Texas," "Home On the Range," and "Dixie," which is being arranged by his father.

This will be third year that Chenette has served as judge at the Tri-State Band festival.

Some Indian women in Quito, Ecuador, wear men's hats.

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Society and Clubs

ON THE NEWS

Miss Mary Lee Davis Becomes Bride Of J. Hubert Brown in Church Rite



Miss Mary Lee Davis, bride, and J. Hubert Brown, groom, at their wedding ceremony.

WHITE DEER, April 1.—(Special)—In a double ring ceremony, Miss Mary Lee Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davis of Shamrock, became the bride of J. Hubert Brown, son of Mrs. J. E. Bounds of Stamford, Saturday morning at ten o'clock in the parlor of the Polk Street Methodist church in Amarillo.

The vows were read by the Rev. F. R. Pickens of Sparenburg before an improvised altar of pink gladioli, palms and white tapers in cathedral condelabra.

The bridesmaids were lighted by Jerry Lewis of Stamford as Mrs. Byron Lewis entertained with a surprise shower recently in the home of Mrs. F. J. Purkey, with Mrs. F. E. Carreker as co-hostesses.

She received many attractive gifts.

The refreshment table was laid with a cloth of lace and centered with an arrangement of spring blossoms. Miss Marie Carreker presided at the punch bowl, assisted by Mrs. Vivian Sikes and Miss La Verne Purkey with the serving.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Clay of Dozier, and resides in Amarillo.

Many guests called during the receiving hours.

Maurine Jones Is Honored With Surprise Party



Miss Maurine Jones, guest of honor at her surprise party.

Mrs. Margaret Dial and Mrs. Mary Wilson entertained with a surprise birthday party for Miss Maurine Jones Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Dial.

Mrs. Dial, Jan Foster presented a red corsage to the honoree.

Miss Eloise Lane played a group of piano selections.

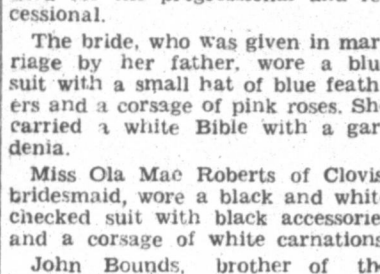
Decorations were apple blossoms. The serving table was decorated with yellow candles and the cake had beautiful violets scattered over it. Miss Muriel Kitchens and Mrs. Tommie Stone presided at the coffee services.

The group honored Miss Jones with a gift of two pieces of air plane luggage.

Those attending were Mesdames Frances Appley, Laura Belle Cornelius, Lillian Jordan, Lillian McTutt, Tommie Stone, Jessye Stroup, Dalton Hall, Mildred Lafferty, Katie Beverly, Ruth Johnson, Audrey Fowler, Lucille Foster, Bertha Chisum, Elsie Gee, Misses Clara Lee Shewmaker, Eloise Lane, Muriel Kitchens, Maggie Hollis, Madge Rusk, Inez French, Miss Jones and the hostesses.

Nightclubs were first known as musical restaurants.

Gay Costume Is Three-in-One



A woman wearing a multi-colored, patterned costume, described as a three-in-one garment.

This versatile pajama costume, designed by Harry Berger, can be worn for lounging, sports activities or sleep. Made in washable rayon, the black trousers are topped with a midriff bra and a loose-fitting coat in a pastel etched butterfly print.

Life of Composer Reviewed by Home Progress Members

MIAMI, April 1. (Special)—Mrs. Alfred Cowan, guest speaker for the Home Progress club Thursday, reviewed biography of Beethoven, in the home of Mrs. E. C. Meador.

Mrs. John Webster was co-hostess and two new members, Mrs. W. E. Fogleson and Mrs. J. P. Murry were welcomed into the club. The president, Mrs. Howard Mulkey, conducted a short business session.

Mrs. Ross Cowan will be hostess for the next meeting, Tuesday, April 9, with Mrs. Roy Mathers giving the program.

The hostess served a refreshment plate consisting of wafers, salad, angel food cake and tea.

Those attending were Mesdames C. W. Bowers, C. C. Carr, Ross Cowan, C. T. Locke, L. A. Maddox, R. B. Mathers, E. C. Meador, J. K. McKenzie, Howard Mulkey, W. C. Scott, Van Webb, J. B. Saul and John Webster.

'January Thaw' Reviewed by Athenaeum Club

SHAMROCK, April 1. (Special)—Elaborate decorations featuring crumpled blossoms, flowering peach blossoms and jonquils gave an air of spring to the home of Mrs. Louis Hill when she was hostess to the Athenaeum club Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank DuBose presided and introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. George L. Stanley, who reviewed "January Thaw," by Bellamy Partridge.

Mrs. Stanley was presented with a corsage by the hostess and a lovely gift from the members of the club.

During the social hour following the program, refreshments were served.

Those attending included: Mmes. P. T. Boston, Shirley Draper, S. Q. Scott, J. M. Tindall, Jr., of Little Rock, Ark., and George L. Stanley, guests.

Mmes. Temple Adkins, sr., J. B. Clark, J. H. Caperton, Frank DuBose, J. W. Gooch, William F. Holmes, B. F. Kerch, Earl Koger, Harry Mundy, O. T. Nicholson, W. S. Pennington, Hubert Tindall and J. M. Tindall, members.

Needlecraft Club Of Shamrock Meets

SHAMROCK, April 1. (Special)—Mrs. J. J. Hester was hostess to the members of the Needlecraft club Thursday afternoon.

Jonquils and other spring flowers were used in artistic arrangements to decorate for the occasion.

Crochet, sewing and Red Cross knitting provided entertainment for the group.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Ode Cain, R. A. Nichols, sr., H. T. Fields, John B. Harvey, T. H. Sonnetburg, Ed R. Wallace, J. B. Zeigler and Tom Brown.

Youth Killed, Three Injured in Accident

BURNET, April 1.—(P)—One Burnet youth was killed and three others were injured—two critically—yesterday in an automobile accident on the Llano road, one mile west of here.

Killed, was Billie Landtroop, 15, son of Mrs. Ethel Landtroop.

Critically injured were George Davis and Thomas Nolan, now in a Burnet hospital. The fourth occupant of the car, Eddy Payne, suffered minor injuries.

The four youths were driving to Burnet when their car went out of control and overturned.

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FRENCH BRIDES GIVEN ORIENTATION PROGRAM IN AMERICAN WAY OF LIFE



A woman in a white dress, likely one of the French brides attending the orientation program.

By ROSETTE HARGROVE
NEA Staff Correspondent

PARIS.—How to ride a bicycle in America, when to chew gum and what to wear to meet a mother-in-law were some of the points discussed at a recent orientation program for 350 French GI brides at the American Red Cross Brides' club, prior to their departure for the United States.

The program was organized by Mrs. Harriet Goodman, fashion director of William Flinn's Sons, Boston, Mass., and a feminine board of experts from different parts of the United States answered questions about life in their country. A fashion show was held illustrating the relationship between the French and American ways of dressing. It was explained that American chic draws heavily on the smart play and casual clothes designed there and what is suitable for wear in America today depends on the section of the country in which the brides expect to settle and the kind of life they will lead.

"MOTHER-IN-LAW" DRESS

When the commentator singled out a couple of chic but sober models as "This would be a perfect dress to wear to meet your mother-in-law" the brides all laughed heartily. They were obviously more concerned with how they would be received by their husbands' relatives and friends than in the kind of clothes to wear.

I sat behind 19-year-old Mrs.

Elizabeth Austin and 22-year-old Mrs. Jacqueline Sauer; the former bound for Batavia, Ill., where her husband is a truck-driver and the latter with her four-month-old baby girl for New York City where her husband is a newspaperman. Jacqueline asked me anxiously, "Is food very different from the way we eat here? Are there any little dressmakers where I can have my clothes made?" (This after she had been told that ready-to-wear clothes were both easy to find and priced to fit all budgets in her country of adoption.) "Will I be able to find friends among American girls of my own age?"

The brides were told that the "pompadour" style of hairdress a number of them wore was not fashionable "ever there" and would single them out immediately. So would their exaggeratedly high flogs. Their shoulder-strap bags, however, were right in fashion.

BIKE RIDING TIP

The different techniques of bicycle riding were brought up. The brides were cautioned that the French girl's little trick of flipping her skirt over the saddle would not go well in a college town or in some sections of the country, particularly the middle west.

Further advice given the young women was "Don't chew gum except in the darkness of a movie or when you are alone at home. We don't do it quite as openly as you do," said their American mentors.

Dinner Given On 65th Birthday Of R. L. Thompson

SHAMROCK, April 1. (Special)—R. L. Thompson was complimented by his daughter, Mrs. Charlie Clement, with a dinner Sunday. The occasion was the 65th anniversary of his birthday.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thompson and Orus Lee; Luther Thompson and children, Luther, Owen and La Ferne; Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Thompson; Misses Geneva, Martha Ferne and Shirley Montgomery; Mrs. L. M. Montgommery; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brockman, all of Samnorwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson, Ellen Ruth, Carolyn and Benny Joe, Frederick, Okla.; Junior Thompson, Carlisbad, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hartman, Marjorie, Patsy and Richard; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lowry, W. L. Cooper, Miss Kathryn Akers, Carl Clement, Milton Clement, all of Shamrock.

Indianapolis, Ind., is one of the few large cities in the world not situated on a navigable river.

of Shamrock, the host and hostess and Peggy La Nell Clement.

WOMEN 38 to 52 YRS. OLD

Were Never Meant To Suffer Like This!

Here's a tip for women who suffer hot flashes, nervous tension—due to "middle-age"

If the functional "middle-age" period peculiar to women makes you suffer from hot flashes, feel tired, "draggled-out," nervous, a bit blue at times—try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms.

Pinkham's Compound is one of the best known medicines you can buy for this purpose.

Taken regularly—this great medicine helps build up resistance against such "middle-age" distress. Pinkham's Compound has proved that some of the happiest days of some women's lives can often be during their "40's." Also an effective stomachic tonic!

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

Figures Released on Veteran Population

DALLAS, April 1.—(P)—Veteran Administration officials here released figures showing a potential veteran population of 1,415,673 in branch area No. 10, which includes Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi.

The figures were compiled after a survey of Veterans Administration facilities in the area.

Potential World War II veterans total 1,144,736, and World War I veterans total 269,000.

Texas Bean Cannery Will Get More Tin

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(P)—The civilian production administration has promised East Texas cannery more tin for canning field beans, according to an announcement by Rep. Beckworth (D-Texas).

CPA said that a tin shortage came about in East Texas because it had failed to classify as edible certain varieties of field beans which are used to some extent for feed but which are often sold for table use.

How women and girls may get wanted relief from functional periodic pain

Cardui, many women say, has brought relief from the cramp-like agony and nervous strain of functional periodic distress. Take like a tonic, it should stimulate appetite, improve digestion, and help build resistance for the "time" to come. Blended 14 days before "menstruation," it should relieve pain due to purely functional periodic causes. TRY IT!

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John R. Gray, Gulf Service Station, on Berger highway open for complete service. We never close. Ph. 9531.

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Let Bill Harwell plow your garden now. Any distance from town. Phone 494.

Highest cash price for your used car. See Rider Motor Co., 117 S. Ballard. Ph. 760.

Hall & Smart Garage 703 W. Foster Phone 484

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Skinner's Generator Shop Motor tune up and brake work. We have floor mats for your car. Also V-8 reconditioned motors at 130 on exchange. 518 W. Foster Phone 337

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4—Lost and Found

LOST: Wedding hood, gloves, overall, between S. Cuyler and S. Russell about 5 p.m. Clyde Scarborough, 533 S. Russell. Phone 2365-W

LOST: On March 26, tank wagon containing black 2-inch pipe, long with 69-5030. Finder return to D. V. Burton, 901 S. Barnes and receive reward.

5—Transportation

FOR CABREUL service, time saving let Curley Boyd do your transfer work. Call 124.

H. P. Harrison, 914 E. Fredrick. House moving and winch trucks for service. Ph. 2162.

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EMPLOYMENT

7—Male Help Wanted

Boys: Place your application now for a route this summer. There may be a route open in your neighborhood soon. Apply to the Pampa News Circulation Department.

8—Female Help Wanted

WANTED: Experienced woman for housework and care of children. Must stay nights. Phone 896 or apb3 319 N. West.

Experienced salesladies wanted, must have high school education. Apply at Woolworth Co.

Sales help wanted for Saturday work and for special sales days. Levine's.

We will interview applicants for sales and office positions Monday and Tuesday, April 1-2. Only permanent Pampa residents will be considered and starting salary will be based on past experience. Excellent opportunity for advancement. Salary increases every six months to deserving employees. Paid vacations, liberal discount on merchandise. Insurance plan and general ideal working conditions. See Mr. Rogers at Montgomery Ward's.

14—Situation Wanted

EXPERIENCED all man wants lease to camp. Phone 9282.

15—Business Opportunity

For Sale: M. & S. Grocery doing good business. Heart of field, 11 miles southeast of Pampa on Phillips Wood Lease.

Drug Store For Sale

We have exclusive listings on five good stores in Texas ranging in price from \$8000 to \$30,000. Two of these stores are located in Amarillo.

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We also have other businesses

Home and Auto Supply Stores. Franchise and merchandise available now for new Associated Stores. Write or wire Kenyon Auto Stores, Dallas 1, Texas.

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30—Mattresses

HAVE THAT old mattress made over like new by reliable Agents Mattress Factory. Phone 633, 817 W. Foster.

31—Nursery

REFINED responsible lady will care for children in the home nights. Call 2357-W.

34—Lawnmowers

TIME to get that lawn mower tune up before the rush at Hamrick's Lawn Mower Shop, 115 E. Fields.

35—Dirt Hauling

FOR SALE: Fertilizer for yards and gardens. 422 N. Russell. Phone 2322-W.

Griffith & Williams Phone 36 Lefors, Texas Sand, gravel, washed rock, shot rock, fill dirt and driveway materials.

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16—General Service

Notice Effective Today! We repair any make washing machine with a guarantee satisfaction. Bring your Maytag back home for repair. We use only genuine Maytag parts. Maytag Pampa, 516 S. Cuyler. Phone 1644. W. L. Ayers.

WATER WELL repairing. Rods and tubing pulled. New mills and towers installed. Earl Maddox. Phone 2171.

CARL STONE, water well repairing, rods and tubing installed. Mills installed. Job phone 2282J.

STOVE adjusting done after seven p.m. Phone 1852, anytime.

IT'S TIME to get those drains, vents and troughs installed and repaired. Call 102, Don Moore Tin Shop.

Plains Dexter Co., Ph. 1434 Washing Machine Repairs

16A—Electrical Repairing

JACKSON Electrical Repairing. We buy, sell and exchange and repair all makes of motors. 119 N. Frost. Phone 1015.

Neon Sales and Service Expert Repairing. Ph. 2307

Billie Martin 405 S. Ballard "We'll put your name in lights"

17—Beauty Shop Service

THE DUCHESS Beauty Shop conveniently located for business women. We make late appointments for after business hours. Phone 427, Over Empire Cafe.

FOR CHEERFUL discount on all cosmetics, closing out line of dresses at cost. La Bonita Beauty Shop, 621 S. Barnes. Ph. 1598.

IT'S HIGH time to get your Easter permanent. We take late appointments for business girls. Ideal Beauty Shop, Phone 1378, 405 N. Crest.

JEWELRY REPAIR SHOP advises you to get your Easter permanent now. Call for appointments. Phone 898 or 802 E. Francis.

THE ELITE Beauty Shop invites you to talk over your beauty problems. A permanent now will be beautiful for Easter. Call 648.

DO NOT let a ruined permanent make your disposition bad on Easter. Mrs. Yates will give \$100 if hair is in good condition. If it cannot make ringlet ends. Evening appointments for permanent. Call 548.

18—Painting, Paper Hanging

PAINTING, brush and spray inside and outside. Oil field farm houses and city property. C. D. Wilson. Phone 1697-W.

PAPER HANGING painting and paper hanging. Phone 1085W or call at 1008 S. Wilcox. S. A. McNutt.

Spray and brush painting. Homes, industrial painting. We go anywhere. Smith Brothers, 629 S. Ballard and Lefors, Ph. 783.

EXPERT paper hanging. Now in time to do that spring decorating. Call A. B. Kitchens. Phone 1982-W.

19—Floor Sanding

MODERN Floors, have those floors finished by your local floor sanding company. Portable equipment. Phone 69.

Standard Floor Sanding Co. Phone 1159, 509 W. 4th St. Borger, Texas

Floors sanded, finished and waxed. Gas or electric sanders used. Work guaranteed. John D. Watts, owner and manager. We Go Anywhere

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45—Wearing Apparel

For the best in slicker suits, raincoats and overcoats, go to Radcliff Supply, 112 E. Brown. Phone 1220.

46—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE: 200 chick capacity brooder also Singer sewing machine, treadle type. Call 459W or 1212 E. Browning.

FOR SALE: Two bath tubs and one 10x15 sheet iron garage. 228 W. Craven.

FOR SALE: One large walk-in ice box, size 6x8x10. Well built and insulated. 322 Roberts St.

FOR SALE: Two wheel tractor in good shape. 1 row horse drill also good condition. Box car type house \$2000 ft. One 4-year-old saddle horse. 1025 E. Tigner, just street southeast part of city, P. M. Present.

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WANTED TO BUY electric refrigerators. Joe Hawkins, 418 Buckler, Phone 564.

Want to buy good milk cows. Contact Vandover Feed Store. Phone 792 or 541J.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT

31—Fruits, Vegetables

Nice fat fryers for sale! Roy Kretzmeier, two miles north-east of city. Phone 9048.

Pampa Food Market 518 S. Cuyler Phone 2189

We're open 7 days a week for fresh meats, vegetables, fruits and staple lines.

Jones Market, corner of Fredrick and Barnes, has dry onions, Colorado potatoes by the 100-lb. sacks. Staple groceries and meats. Open all day Sunday.

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53—Feeds

FOR SALE: 10-ton of good alfalfa plains mix. 500 bags of choice alfalfa hay at 629 S. Ballard.

54—Plants and Seed

Harvester Feed Co., 800 W. Brown. Phone 1130. Bulk garden seed, lawn grass, onion sets. All kinds of field seeds and plenty of baby chicks twice a week.

Ready Now at Knight's Cabbage, pepper, tomatoes, egg plant, parsnips, rutabagas, spinach and other plants too numerous to mention. Knight's Floral Co., 331 E. Brown.

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FOR SALE: By owner, 3-room modern house on pavement, corner lot. 1934 E. Francis.

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Only One City Official Opposed in Election

SHAMROOK, April 1. (Special)—With only one official being contested, little interest is being shown in the city election to be held on Tuesday, April 2.

The only city official who has drawn an opposing candidate is City Marshal C. F. Felvin. The other aspirant for the office is Jasper Isaacs. Mayor W. H. Walker's candidacy for reelection is uncontested, as are the candidacies of City Secretary Ode Cain, City Attorney Thurman Adkins, City Recorder W. G. Mayfield and City Health Officer Howard Slinger.

The terms of three city aldermen expire this year. All three incumbents have filed for reelection and have no opponents. They are Gerald Mayfield, R. C. Lewis and Euell Bradley. Aldermen whose terms do not expire are B. F. Risinger and R. P. Douglas.

The city election will be held at the City hall with Henry Holmes serving as judge. Polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m.

Parity Fight

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culture decides that in order for a wheat farmer to be able to buy what he bought in 1910-14 his wheat ought to sell for \$1.50 a bushel.

But on the open market wheat is actually selling for only \$1 a bushel. Suppose further that he simply can't get more than \$1 a bushel for it.

In that case the government would buy the wheat from him. It wouldn't pay him the full parity price of \$1.50, but pretty close to it.

The more the wheat taken off the market, the higher the market price would go, all the market price got up to parity or close to it.

The government, meantime, would store the wheat or make other use of it, but not try to sell it on the open market. If it tried that, of course, it would knock down the market price and hurt the farmer again.

Until now the cost of the farmers' labor—himself, his wife, children, and hired hand—hasn't been included when the government figured parity prices.

The senate has voted to include such labor costs in figuring parity. That of course would boost the price of farm goods.

The government figures that the parity prices about 32 per cent. parity prices about 32 per cent.

Value of plastic products to be produced in 1946 is estimated to reach a total in excess of 375,000,000.

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5:45—Tom Mix.
6:00—Paton Lewis, Jr.—MBS.
6:15—Michael Zarin's Orch.—MBS.
6:30—Henry J. Taylor—MBS.
6:45—Issue of Sports—MBS.
7:00—Advent. of Bulldog Drummond—MBS.
7:30—OPA Program.
7:45—Let Us Forget.
8:00—Candell Hunter—MBS.
8:15—Real Stories from Real Life—MBS.
8:30—Spotlight Bands—MBS.
8:45—Flight of the Week—MBS.
9:15—The News—MBS.
9:30—Queen, D. D. Eisenhower—MBS.
10:30—Feeling is Mutual—MBS.
10:45—Ray Anthony's Orch.—MBS.
11:00—Goodnight.

BERT GOES BOOM



Bert Wheeler, zany star of "The Fresh-Up Show," Mutual's comedy series heard Wednesdays, prepares to take off into the blue if that freer cracker is as business-like as it looks.

TUESDAY on KPDN
6:30—Yawn Patrol.
7:00—Open Bible.
7:30—Western Serenades.
7:45—Piano Moods.
8:00—Frazier Hunt—MBS.
8:15—Shady Valley Folks—MBS.
8:20—Shady Valley Folks—MBS.
8:25—Shady Valley Folks—MBS.
8:35—Moments of Melody.
8:50—Once Over Lightly—MBS.
9:15—Faith in Our Town—MBS.
9:30—The Tick Tock—MBS.
9:45—Fun With Music—MBS.
10:00—John J. Anthony—MBS.
10:15—Ella Maxwell—MBS.
10:30—Take It Easy Time—MBS.
10:45—Victor H. Lindvall—MBS.
11:00—Lyle Van News—MBS.
11:20—Morton Dawsey—MBS.
11:30—J. L. Swisher—MBS.
11:45—Fort Mead Band—MBS.
12:00—John J. Anthony—MBS.
1:00—Cedric Foster—MBS.
1:15—Smile Time—MBS.
1:30—Today—MBS.
2:00—True Confessions—Mutual.
2:30—News for Today—MBS.
3:00—Frazier Hunt—MBS.
3:30—Erkin Johnson—MBS.
3:45—The Johnson Family—MBS.
4:00—Fourth Week in Prohibition.
4:00—Tunes by Request.

Tonight on Networks
NBC—Cavalcade Drama "When Cupid Was a Pop." 7:30 Barlow Concert.
Gladya Swarthout; 8:30 Information Please Fred Allen, M. C.; 9 Contented Concert; 9:30 L. Q. Quigley; CBS—6:30 Bob Hawk Quiz; 7:30 Joan Davis Comedy; 8 Wallace Berry in "Barnacle Bill"; 9 Lionel Barrymore in "On Borrowed Time"; ABC—7:30 The Fat Man; 9 Deal in Crime; 8:30 Forever Tops; 9 Bill Thompson Comedy; MBS—7 Bull Drummond; 7:30 Sherlock Holmes; 8:15 Pittsburgh Post; Billy Fox vs. Oast Harris.

Tomorrow on Networks
NBC—8 a. m. Honeycomb in N. Y.; 2 p. m. Women of America; 5:30 Spotlight; 7:30 Date With Judy; 8:30 Red Skelton; CBS—8:15 a. m. Arthur Godfrey; 2:30 p. m. Cinderella Inc.; 3:30 Sing Along Club; 7 Big Town; 9 Prime Photograph; ABC—11 a. m. Glamour Manor; 2 p. m. Fred Allen; 8:30 Time For Women; 6:30 Fantasy in Melody; 8 New Ed Sullivan Program; MBS—8:15 a. m. Shady Valley Folks; 1:30 p. m. Queen For a Day from State and Madison, Chicago; 8:15 Johnson Family; 6:15 Korn Kobblers; 8:15 Upton Klose Comment.

Lekueima Victim Dies in San Angelo
SAN ANGELO, April 1.—(AP)—Jacqueline Moore, four-year-old leukemia victim who was given an early Christmas last year, died yesterday at her home in Blackwell, Texas.
Jacqueline was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moore. She had been suffering from the blood disease for many months.

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Electra Celebrates Oil Anniversary
ELECTRA, April 1.—(AP)—The oil city of Electra staged one of its most gala events—35th Oil Anniversary celebration—today with a varied program of activity.
The program began yesterday with a rodeo program, attended by an overflowing crowd. Hundreds of oil men and their wives flocked into the city for the occasion.
Features of the day's program included a pipeline laying contest, judged by Railroad Commissioner Ernest Thompson, and the unveiling of a marker at the site of the Clayco well, which first gushed April 1, 1911. Railroad Commissioner Beauford Jester delivered the address at the unveiling ceremony.

Sunray Carbon Plant Is Offered for Sale
WASHINGTON, April 1.—(AP)—The war assets administration had up for lease or sale today seven Texas war plants.
Among the larger plants offered was the \$14,979,000 magnesium properties at Austin. Other plants, their construction value not given, are:
Three properties operated by the Great Southern Corporation—chemical plants at Driscoll and Agua and a refinery at Corpus Christi.
Carbon-black plants at Seagraves, Sunray and Odessa.
The feet contains a larger number of sweat glands than other parts of the body.



"We come now to the problem of ad-libbing a rapid-fire stream of small talk! Gentlemen, may I present my wife!"

Coal Strike

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to be among the first hit by a long walkout and already one major steel company said it would have to bank 20 blast furnaces.

Chief demand by Lewis is the proposed health and welfare fund for miners, to be created from an assessment on each ton of coal produced and to be administered by the union. Lewis said he will not discuss other major issues of wages and hours until the welfare fund question is settled.

Detroit's street car and bus service was halted at 4 a. m. today by a strike of 5,200 AFL motor coach and trolley operators and the nearly two million persons in the Detroit area were inconvenienced. No disorder was reported as large squads of police were detailed at car barns. Schools remained open, although some 13,000 children normally ride in school buses chartered by the Detroit street railways department.

A spokesman for the AFL amalgamated association of street electric railway and motor coach employees of America said the union and company were "deadlocked" on the wage demand. The union had demanded an 18 cent hourly wage increase and yesterday rejected the company's offer of a 15-cent hike.

In Akron, the strike of CIO transport workers against the Akron Transportation Co. halted all service by buses, trackless trolleys and the Akron-Barberton street car line for the city of 300,000. The strike followed expiration of a contract covering approximately 450 bus and trolley operators. The union and company failed to agree on the wage issue after a month of negotiations.

The union originally asked for an hourly wage boost of 32 cents, a reduction of the work week from 32 to 42 hours and a pension plan. Later the union cut its wage demand to 16 cents and hour but the company's offer was an increase of six cents an hour.

Political Calendar
The Pampa News has been authorized to present the names of the following citizens as candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic voters, at their primary election Saturday, July 27.
District Judge: WALTER ROGERS
District Attorney: TOM BRALY
For County Clerk: CHARLIE TRUTH
For County Commissioner—
Precinct 3: JAMES HOPKINS
Precinct 4: S. W. BARRETT
E. R. JOHNSON
Precinct 1: JOE CLARK
C. H. "Tad" BIGHAM
Precinct 2: WADE THOMASSON
For County Attorney: G. H. KYLE
For County Tax Assessor and Collector: F. E. LEECH
For Sheriff: G. H. KYLE
R. H. "Red" JORDAN
J. S. W. VANDERKAM
JESS HATCHER
For District Clerk: DEE PATTERSON
For Constable, Precinct 2: EARL LEWIS
For Constable, Precinct 1: S. W. BARRETT
For County Treasurer: OLA GREGORY

Being Chinese Is Only Wish Of 450 Million
By JAMES D. WHITE
SAN FRANCISCO, March 30.—(AP)—Every so often somebody goes to China and returns sadly disillusioned.
For the past half-century there has been a procession of books and articles revealing the mental distress of such visitors at the dirt, graft, nepotism, separatism and general confusion.
The disillusionment of today overlooks the important thing about China: It's full of 450 million people who insist on being Chinese.
China has been conquered time and again, only to wrap herself around her conqueror and make him Chinese. The main religious faiths of the world have come to China and found fertile soil, but China's people still look largely to the ethical code of Confucius for the ideas of how to live.
When the western world carried the machine to China and the rest of the Orient, it wasn't the Chinese, but the nearby Japanese, who tried to conquer with the machine. Even that failed in China's endless miles, her myriad men, her subtle political quicksands.
China changes, but her fundamentals are slow to change. The family system is still the backbone of Chinese society. It gets blamed for many of China's weaknesses, but it also gets credit for many of China's incredible strengths—among them her ability to live 4,000 years through wars, invasions, plagues, famines. After four millennia the Chinese still eat with chopsticks what is probably the world's best food for the price, if not the best at any price, when they can get it.

YMOA OFFICERS NAMED
GALVESTON, April 1.—(AP)—The South Texas District YMCA olds boys' conference has elected Bobby Collier of Corpus Christi president. Other officers named included Gerald Tucker, Beaumont, vice-president.
A half million baby chicks flew from the U. S. to other American countries during 1943, in airplanes.

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Mainly About Pampa and Her Neighbor Towns

Alvin Reeves returned home with his honorable discharge from the army last week. He spent over three years in service, part of which was spent in the European theater. Alvin plans on entering Texas A. & M. college.
For Sale: Lombardy poplar trees. See them only, 442 N. Carr St. at Hindman.
Jimmy and Joyce Warner returned to Pampa Saturday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Warner. Jimmy is a student at Texas Tech. Joyce, who was accompanied by her roommate, attends Trinity university, San Antonio. The girls are to leave tonight, Jimmy tomorrow.
Mrs. R. Q. Harvey and daughter Ann visited in Sweetwater over the weekend.
Pampa Community Concert association membership campaign now in progress. Get your membership before noon April 13, deadline.
24 Hour Service, City Cab. Ph. 441
Mrs. Dee Patterson, Mrs. John Studer, Mrs. Thomas Kitchens, Mrs. P. O. Sanders and Miss Ava Swafford went to Oklahoma City over the weekend.
Pampa News executive and wife want to rent or lease 2 or 3-bedroom, unfurnished home. Please call 666 during office hours or 821W evenings and Sunday.
Jim Whitehead has returned from Fresno, Calif., where he visited his mother, Mrs. C. Whitehead, for the past three weeks. Mrs. Whitehead, who was reported to be seriously ill, has improved.
Gulf Service Station, John R. Gray, operator, open 24 hours 7 days weekly. Wash, lube, oil, membership telephone Gulf service. Phone 953, Borger highway.
L. Comdr. and Mrs. Conatser and son of Dallas were week-end guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Key. Fuller Brushes, 514 Cook. Ph. 21523
Mrs. E. W. Vas. and Mrs. Frank Hunt have returned from El Reno, Okla., after visiting relatives and friends for 10 days.
For Veteran's Cab, Phone 1515.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Purviance spent the week-end in Oklahoma City visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright and daughter, Judy.
Hear over KPDN, 8 to 8:15, first to third Tuesdays and dance to the music of Western Okies at Si's Old Barn same nights.
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bogie, Borger, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bogie of Letoria have gone to Ardmore to visit their parents and spend a few days fishing at Lake Mary.
Allen & Allen Laundry, 832 W. Foster, Phone 784, for wet wash and help—self, 7 a. m. to 6 p. m.
Mrs. E. W. Vas. and Mrs. E. W. Vas. are the parents of a 7 3/4 lb. baby girl, born at a local hospital, Friday.
Mrs. Elsie Piesany of 403 N. Ward has as her guest this week Mr. and Mrs. Pat Moran of San Diego, Calif.
Walter White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dayton White, 201 E. Francis, returned honorably discharged from the army yesterday. The former corporal with the 65th Signal corps landed in the States last Sunday, received his discharge Saturday at Camp Chicago, Ark. Of his 18 months in service he spent 18 months in the European theater.
Word has been received that Miss Gertrude Lowther is to be married to Jim Martin of Corpus Christi. Miss Lowther was employed with the Pampa Electric commission office from 1939-43, and is now with an independent oil company at Corpus Christi.
Guests at the Central Baptist church yesterday were Mrs. H. L. Wellington, McLean; Alison Crowley, Borger; Miss Peggy Newby, Wilmington, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Greer and son, Phillips; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hudson, Wichita Falls, and Mrs. J. Higgenbotham, Los Angeles.
The Pampa Civic chorus will meet at 8 o'clock tonight at the First Baptist church.
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McCormick visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barr of McLean yesterday.
Mrs. Audrey Fowler of Borger was a Pampa visitor Saturday.
Esshon and Mrs. Paul C. Lacy of Long Beach, Calif., were to arrive today to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kelley. Mrs. Lacy, niece of the Kelley's is the former Miss Agnes Cunningham of Dallas.
Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Green of Borger will spend tomorrow evening in Pampa.
Adv.

Tips for Teens

By ELINOR WILLIAMS
If girls only knew how boys feel about being "pursed" on the telephone, they'd change their tactics. It's no mid-Victorian whim that the male of the species likes to feel that he's the one who is doing the dating. It's human nature. Remember that the next time you have

the urge to sweet-talk that date of yours via the phone.
Here's a letter from a masculine reader to prove it:
"I have been going around with a girl for several years. My relationship with her has been quite pleasant. Since being away at school, however, my time at home is limited. During my vacation she insists on calling several times a day on the telephone and this is fast becoming a nuisance.
"Can you give me any help or ideas on how to discourage her? I don't want to sever my friendship with her, but I feel that it is the part of the boy to do the pursuing."
Tell her you are going to be busy during vacation and don't expect to be at home very much of the time, so it would be better if she didn't phone—you'll get in touch with her. If this doesn't work, tell her that it's embarrassing to get so many phone calls from a girl and that it annoys your family. Explain that you'd prefer to call her.

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Former Chief of British Staff Dies

LONDON, April 1.—(AP)—Field Marshal Viscount Gtrt, 59, former chief of the British Imperial staff and a distant cousin of King George VI, died yesterday in Guy's hospital after a long illness.

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Living Costs

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language was used in the national labor relations act.
Hatch lodged his motion Friday a few minutes after the senate added an amendment to the minimum wage bill establishing a revised farm parity formula which would take into account the cost of agricultural labor.
Senate officials as Price Administrator Paul Porter and Stabilization Director Chester Bowles have labeled the proviso inflationary. They predicted it would drive food prices up \$4,000,000,000 or more a year.
Backers of the amendment say its enactment would only provide justice for the farmers, who, they contend, are going to have to pay higher prices for their purchases as the result of industrial wage increases.
There was general agreement on both sides of the capitol that the house, which twice has approved similar proposals, would accept the senate amendment.
Senate leaders hope to complete work on the measure by midweek, wage levels. The bill provides for after deciding on a new minimum raising the current floor of 40 cents an hour to 65 and eventually to 75 cents.
The annual per capita consumption of oil in the United States is 30 times as much as the rest of the world.

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Greek Elections

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promise, but the regent asked him to remain as premier for a few days longer.
The regent agreed to a suggestion by Sophoulis that he call up the executive committee of the populist party and consult with its members with view to forming a new government.
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