

Marshall Reports on Troops in China Man Described as 'Red Hot' Swindler Held Here

\$6,070 in Cash Is Taken From Man in Custody

Described as a "red hot and high class" swindler, David M. Davis, 28, Salem, Mo., was apprehended last night in his room at the Schneider Hotel with \$6,070 on his person, and is being held for Missouri authorities.

Chief of Police Louie Allen said Davis, alias Donald M. Fisher, was also wanted in Kansas City in connection with a \$20,000 embezzlement.

Captain J. Ernest Winborne and Patrolman Max McKean started as they counted the money. Davis also had a Pierce wrist watch valued at well over \$500 on his dresser at the hotel.

When Allen first received the call last evening Davis was reported to be driving a 1947 Chrysler coupe with a Missouri license tag, but police, capturing less than two hours later, discovered he had traded the coupe for a 1947 Cadillac sedan and registered it in that state. It had only about 800 miles on it.

Texas State Highway Patrolmen said that Davis had been in town for a little over a week and attempted to take a Texas State drivers license test. He approached the examiner patrolman a week ago and was given a book of instructions to study. Less than ten minutes later he returned and passed his written test but failed on his road test. He registered at the hotel as coming from Fort Worth.

His room contained expensive luggage and several good suits were found in the rear of his car.

Allen told a reporter this morning (See SWINDLER, Page 4)

Pampa News

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Investigation Into County Affairs Seen

The County Commission records showed today that the Commission yesterday tabled for the time being the matter of allowing the monthly paycheck of Sheriff G. H. "Skinner" Kyle.

A commissioner reported anonymously that there would be an investigation "soon" into the matter of allowing or disallowing the monthly claim. The next regular meeting of the Commission is on Monday, April 14.

Legislation to Block 'Phone Strike Pending

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The House Labor Committee today approved 16 to 3 a bill designed to give the government power to head off or stop a telephone strike set for next Monday.

Chairman Harley (R-NJ) told reporters he would ask immediately for clearance to get the bill to the House floor for action. But he conceded there is no chance of enactment before the strike deadline set by the National Federation of Telephone Workers.

Hartley added that the legislation "is not merely designed to beat the deadline. It will be available at any time before the strike takes place."

The measure provides that when the President finds that a labor dispute has resulted in or threatens substantial curtailment of public utility, transportation, or communication services, he shall direct the attorney general to obtain a court order to prevent a strike.

Just prior to the Labor Committee's action, the NFWU had asked for a congressional investigation of what it called "the monopolistic labor policy of the Bell system."

J. A. Beirne, president of the NFWU, proposed the inquiry in letters to House Republican Leader Hulleck (Ind) and Senate GOP Leader White (Me).

Beirne told Hulleck and White that the Bell Telephone system has been following a "pattern" in negotiations with the union. He said there is evidence that the telephone industry is insisting on local bargaining but is "actually bargaining nationally."

The issue is renewal of contracts. Beirne said, and the proposals of the various Bell companies have been uniform.

"To sum up," Beirne said, "we believe that a congressional investigation of the Bell system will show that American Telephone and Telegraph is clinging to a fiction that each of the Bell system companies is an entity free to make its own decision."

UNGRATEFUL GUEST
UTICA Mich.—(AP)—A larceny warrant has been issued against the man who came to dinner, stayed a week and then left with some of the host's clothing, jewelry and silverware.

Theodore Mulyk, who signed the complaint, said his dinner guests, and a woman companion he brought with him took advantage of Mulyk's hospitality for one week. When they finally left, he said they took a quantity of "souvenirs" with them.

3 Million Japs Repatriated to Home Islands

MOSCOW—(AP)—U. S. Secretary of State Marshall has informed Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov that when the present withdrawals of U. S. troops from China are completed, only 6,180 military and naval personnel will remain, it was announced today.

The troops remaining in China will be there at the request of the Chinese government, the American secretary told Molotov.

Marshall said that American forces had repatriated 3,000,000 Japanese to their homeland from China, and then added: "as for the disposition of the estimated 1,000,000 Japanese taken in Manchuria by the Soviets, I have no information."

Marshall sent a letter to Molotov on March 31, meeting Molotov's request for an exact figure of information by the United States and Britain with Russia on the status of the fulfillment of obligations concerning China as outlined in the Moscow agreement of December, 1945.

His letter was strictly formal. For the most part it suggested that Molotov read the statements which President Truman issued on Dec. 18, 1946 and Dec. 18, 1947.

Marshall's letter was distributed tonight by the American delegation press office. The report which Molotov presumably sent to Marshall had not been made public up to that time.

Marshall earlier had been reported hopeful that the differences in the four-power Foreign Ministers Council blocking progress on a German settlement might yet be composed. French and British diplomats took a more dismaying view, however.

Marshall's hopeful attitude was reported after a caucus of the American delegation to the Foreign Ministers Conference just prior to today's session of the Big Four, who argued German economic progress for several hours last night without progress.

There were strong implications that Marshall might make an eleven-hour effort today to break the stragglers' deadlock over reparations by requesting an interview with Prime Minister Stalin in the near future.

As of this afternoon, no arrangements had been made for such a conference, but officials reaffirmed that the U. S. secretary definitely is planning to seek contact with Stalin at what he considers the proper moment in relation to the Big Four's problems.

Arms Reduction Talks Useless Without Pact

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y.—(AP)—A strong hint from two small nations to the five great powers that arms limitation talks would be useless unless the major nations agree among themselves faced the delegates of the United Nations Commission for Conventional Armaments today.

The commission was adjourned until Monday (9:30 a. m. CST), but the delegates discussed thoroughly the direct invitation from Colombia, supported by Syria, to France, Great Britain, Russia, China and the United States to lead the way in arms reduction by first agreeing among themselves.

The U. S. Security Council gathered (2 p. m. CST) for another session on the United States request that the Security Council should have the direct invitation from Colombia, supported by Syria, to France, Great Britain, Russia, China and the United States to lead the way in arms reduction by first agreeing among themselves.

There was hope in the United States delegation that a vote might be reached at this session. Australia has withdrawn earlier objections that the whole question should wait until the Pacific peace conference has been held.

There was one stickler that delegates said might cause trouble. The Soviet Union has agreed to the United States proposal, but has offered an amendment that provides the Security Council should have the right to alter or amend the agreement, and not the United States, the United States has rejected the Soviet proposal.

The commission for conventional armaments was proceeding with general policy statements yesterday when Dr. Alfonso Lopez of Colombia threw in a resolution charging that the five great powers draw up a work plan for the commission.

Noting that the five had not been able to agree on any of the major points of arms problems since the General Assembly decided unambiguously that arms should be reduced, Lopez said that from the standpoint of a small nation like Colombia, the commission's outlook are far from encouraging.

Engineer Killed, Five Injured in Train Collision

DENISON—(AP)—Louie Hansen, 70-year-old engineer from Denison, was killed and four other railroad employees and a soldier were injured today in the collision of Missouri-Kansas-Texas passenger and freight locomotives at Armstrong, Okla.

The body of Hansen still was in the passenger locomotive. Hansen was killed and four other railroad employees and a soldier were injured today in the collision of Missouri-Kansas-Texas passenger and freight locomotives at Armstrong, Okla.

A. T. Ballard, 25, of Denison, fireman of the passenger train, was critically injured and taken to a hospital at Durant, Okla.

J. E. Wilson, Jr., fireman of the freight train, was badly burned. He is in the Katy Hospital at Denison.

C. B. Brown, engineer of the freight train, leaped before the crash but was injured and also is in the Katy Hospital.

M. V. Clark, freight conductor, was seriously hurt and is in the hospital at Durant.

Jimmy Handlin of Dallas, a soldier, who was a passenger, was injured but not believed seriously.

The crash occurred at 7 a. m. while both trains were headed southward. The freight was backing onto a siding but the engine didn't quit clear the main track. The passenger locomotive came through and hit the freight locomotive.

The passenger locomotive was going only 15 miles an hour at the time of the crash.

Both of the locomotives overturned. A combination passenger and mail car and a coach on the passenger train were derailed and thrown against a water tower at about a 45-degree angle. None of the freight cars overturned.

Appeal Issued to Complete Census

Pampa Independent School District officials today made a plea to parents of children of school age to report their children to the school's census department immediately.

A house to house canvass by school enumerators may have missed many children between the ages of 6 and 17, school officials said and since the total number of children in the school census determines the district's chief source of revenue an accurate count is necessary.

Superintendent Knox Kinard stated that he believed most of the children missed are those who will be six years of age before September 1.

Others who are subject to the school count are those under 17 who may be married, live in the armed forces but giving Pampa as their home from March 1 to April 1 of this year. The census was taken during that period.

Parents having children who will attain their sixth birthday between now and September 1 are asked to telephone 534 or 1460 and give the name, age and address of the child, including their own names.

Parents whose children have been missed, or whose children themselves up to and including 17 years of age, are also asked to report to the above number giving the school authorities their names, and necessary information.

Local Boy Heads Hi-Y Conference

Nineteen boys from the Pampa Chapter of Hi-Y attended the West Texas Hi-Y Conference at Lubbock, March 29-30. The conference theme was "Four Things a Man Must Do."

Conference speakers were Rev. H. L. Robinson, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Lubbock; Dr. James B. Boren, president of Hardin College, Wichita Falls; Dr. Clarence Angel, executive secretary of the Abilene YMCA and David Creighton, senior North American secretary of the YMCA of Greece.

The Pampa Hi-Y group won the handsome banner given to the honor delegation doing outstanding work at the conference. Richard Scheig of Pampa was elected president of the West Texas Hi-Y Conference.

W. F. Taylor accompanied the boys to Lubbock as acting sponsor. Adult advisors for the Pampa Hi-Y group were: J. C. Troop, Louis W. Tarpley, Roy S. Bourland and Rev. Clyde Smith. C. T. Hightower is sponsor.

Pampa boys attending the conference at Lubbock were: Harold Anderson, A. Z. Griffin, Pete Kilpatrick, John Spearman, Robert Sallor, Richard Scheig, Leon Taylor, Dick Owen, Warren Jones, Louis Stallings, Bobby Epps, Bill Tarpley, Dan Stallings, Jimmy Moore, Jimmy Howard, John High, Joe Glaxner, Donald Thut, R. A. Miller.

See the new home freezing lockers at Lewis Hardware Co.

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And still another juvenile ran afoul the law Monday after he repaid the kindness of friends by burglarizing their home of two radios, a clock and other property.

He was arrested by City Police near the edge of the city trying to thumb a ride to Amarillo.

Felony charges were first filed against the 17-year-old boy, but a later count of the property showed the amount stolen was valued at less than \$50. His former benefactors appeared before the county attorney and withdrew the charges and said they would try to have the boy, an orphan, enlist in the armed forces.

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Present Mayor and City Commission Retained as 302 Pampans Cast Ballots

PERRYTON—A close majority race in Perryton elected Rufus Bolterjack to the post with 311 votes to his opponents G. T. Leatherman, 297 votes.

Gilmer LeMaster, World War II veteran went into office of commissioner with 382 votes. A newcomer to Perryton politics he was backed by other Perryton veterans. Howard Holt was re-elected as a commissioner with 445 votes. M. M. Cudd was elected city clerk without opposition.

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HOLY WEEK BEGINS—As another Holy Week begins throughout the Christian world, pilgrims following the path trodden by Christ to his crucifixion, kneel in chapel in the house of Veronica in Jerusalem. It is said that the cloth used by Veronica to wipe the blood from the face of Christ retained the image of his features.

King Paul Retains Premier Maximos

ATHENS—(AP)—King Paul, the new monarch of Greece, designated Premier Demetrios Maximos and a seven-party coalition cabinet to carry on as the government of this strife-torn land today as acts after ascending the throne vacated by the death of his brother King George II last Jan. 24, submitted his resignation immediately after Paul took the oath of office last night, but the new king refused to accept it and requested Maximos to continue in office.

Maximos, a 74-year-old financier, is a member of the Populist party. His cabinet, which includes five former premiers, contains members of the Social Democrat, National Liberal, Reformist, Venizelist Liberal, National Unionist and Nationalist parties.

Meanwhile, it was announced that funeral services for King George, who died unexpectedly of a heart ailment yesterday at the age of 56, would be held Sunday. Burial is to be at the Royal family tomb at Tatoi (Dekeleia), the country residence where George was born. Tatoi is about 15 miles north of Athens.

The body is to be removed to the Athens cathedral Thursday to lie in state until the funeral.

The 45-year-old Paul, who succeeded his childless brother automatically under Greek law, took the following oath six hours after George expired:

"I swear in the name of the Holy Trinity to protect the prevailing religion of the Greeks, to observe the constitution and laws of the Greek nation, to maintain and defend the national independence and integrity of the Greek state."

Paul obviously was deeply moved as he took the oath. As he uttered the last word his attendants, and members of parliament from all parties who were present at the ceremony exclaimed:

"Long live King Paul."

Services Today for Native of Fannin

FARMERSVILLE—(AP)—Funeral services will be held here today for Mrs. Theodosia P. Smith, wife of Postmaster Marvin B. Smith. She died yesterday.

The Smiths was associated with the Farmersville Times for 13 years. A native of Fannin County, she lived in Farmersville since 1924. Previously she lived in Decatur 17 years.

She is survived by her husband, a daughter, Mrs. Harold T. Evans of Dallas, and a son, Elba E. Smith of Taylor, Texas.

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Miners in All 170 Ruhr Coal Mines May Join Strike

ESSEN, Germany—(AP)—Four thousand miners at Bochum struck today while mine union leaders deliberated in the same industrial city on whether to call a walkout of all 170 Ruhr coal mines in protest against food shortages.

The Bochum miners walked out as part of a general strike and demonstration in that city which apparently was intended to give moral support to the trade union conference.

Demonstrations, following up similar protests which began last week in the British zone of occupation, also were being held at Neuss and Wesel, but scheduled protests at Cologne and Muenchengladbach failed to materialize.

Bochum was the fourth city hit by coal mine strikes since public agitation over food shortages began. Previous walkouts at Dortmund, Haltern and Duisburg sent the Ruhr, coal output vital to Europe's economy—into a tailspin.

William Asbury, British regional commissioner for North Rhine-Westphalia, which includes the Ruhr, conferred today with August Schmidt, Ruhr coal miners' union leader, prior to the Bochum conference, but the nature of their discussion was not disclosed.

An official announcement in Berlin said more than 50,000 Germans were involved in today's food shortage demonstrations at scattered cities in the British zone. No disorders were reported.

The largest demonstrations were reported to be at Hamburg, where 18,000 persons participated, at Dortmund, where 15,000 were involved and at Duisburg, where 12,000 demonstrated.

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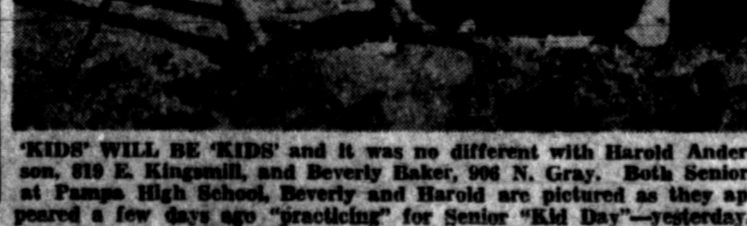
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Leahy Gives His 'Secret' Formula To Build Passers

By JAMES P. HACKETT
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—(AP)—Frank Leahy, head coach of the Notre Dame football team, gave away today his "secret" for the development of top-flight passers.

"Get the passer down on one knee and have him throw the ball as though it were a dart," Leahy said in an interview.

From such a simple exercise, Leahy revealed, he developed Charley O'Rourke at Boston College and Angelo Bertelli at Notre Dame.

Johnny Lujack, a Notre Dame All-American of the 1946 season, is Leahy's current knee-bender.

Here to lecture at the first annual Clark Shagnessy football clinic for high and prep school coaches, Leahy modestly said, "I don't know too much about passing even now."

It was while he was at Fordham University as an assistant to Sweeney Jim Crowley that Leahy took an interest in the overhead game.

"I became very much intrigued by Texas football," he said. "It was foreign to us—the way they protected their passers. We were expected of the ground game, but I accepted an invitation to two football schools in Texas in 1937."

Leahy went back for five years, he said, collaring every Texas college or high school coach who would talk about passing.

"Passers like Sammy Baugh and Bertelli are born," he said. "But they can be made, too. Most passers put their arms back, wind up and throw. I drill my passers every day. They get down on one knee and throw the ball like a dart. Later they try for distance, for hooks, but they always must put in some work on one knee. It keeps the passing arm right out in front all the time."

BYRAN WINS MEET
COLLEGE STATION—(AP)—Byran High School scored 74 1/2 points yesterday to win a triangular track meet with Waco and Conroe. Waco had 45 points and Conroe 32 1/2.

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Boston's Red Sox Favored to Play Series Ball Again

By GAYLE TALBOT
TAMPA, Fla.—(AP)—Barring a terrific upset, the Boston Red Sox will be right back in the world series next fall, seeking revenge for the humiliating job done on them by the Cardinals in the '46 play-off.

Joe Cronin's American League champs look big and tough and menacing, both at the plate and on the pitching mound. They might not repeat last year's feat of winning 104 games, but it will be a remarkable thing if any club presses them seriously down the stretch.

For a time this spring many observers were "high" on the Detroit Tigers, recalling the late spectacular drive which propelled them into second place by a five-game margin over the Yankees. More recently, though the Yankees have grown as to win Tiger, or Tiger, might knock across the 127 runs that Hank Greenberg's bat produced last year.

The American League finish should look like this: 1. Boston; 2. Detroit; 3. New York; 4. Washington; 5. Cleveland; 6. Chicago; 7. St. Louis; and 8. Philadelphia.

There is a gnawing temptation to drop the Yankees lower than third, especially after the recent Joe DiMaggio still limping from the recent operation on his heel and taking only the lightest preliminary exercise at this late stage. Stevens must come through big if the once-proud Bombers are to stay in sight of the leaders.

Local Girls Win Volleyball Game
The Pampa High School girls volleyball team came from behind with two straight games to beat the Lefors High School club team in a three game series Monday, at Lefors.

After getting off to a slow start the local girls trailed the opened by a score of 15 to 4, but quickly retaliated in the second game to win 15 to 12. In the final with the game counted knotted, the locals applied the pressure to emerge with a 15 to 10 victory.

Following the "A" games Lefors took two straight single games from Pampa's "B" and "C" teams, by a count of 15 to 15, and 15 to 9.

Pampa's "A" team is composed of Avis Kelley, Alice Jean Robinson, Dorothy Jones, Edelyn Prior, Martha McGuire, Reba Joyce Bain and June Matheny.

The "B" team: Mary Jo White, LeRoy Duff, Ann McNamara, Mary Kretzinger, Betty Blalock, and Vondell Williamson.

The "C" team: Helen Chamberlain, Pat Traywick, Sue Young, Clara Darling, Betty Hawthorne, Ollie Jean Otis and Wilma Fruenderick.

All three teams were to travel to Panhandle this evening for a three game series with the Panhandle Panthers.

Masters Tournament Will Open Tomorrow
AUGUSTA, Ga.—(AP)—All four of last year's top title-holders—Ben Hogan, Lloyd Mangrum, Ted Bishop, and Smiley Quick—were ready to add a touch of goldform clamor to the eleventh annual Masters Tournament which opens here tomorrow.

Hogan, the PGA champion and the leading money winner in 1946, enjoyed the favorite's role together with Jimmy Demaret, a fellow Texan who is currently pacing the pack in winnings.

Children's clothing to an estimated value of \$13,000,000 is returned to stores annually because of wrong sizes.

WILLIAMS SLAPS HOMER
FORT WORTH—(AP)—Ted Williams collected three hits, including a home run, in four trips to the plate here yesterday as the Boston Red Sox defeated Fort Worth, 8-3, in an exhibition game.

Americans spend approximately \$4,000,000,000 annually on baseball games, movies and other forms of recreation.

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SPORTS

Houston Buffs Ready For Toughest Season

By DICK FREEMAN
Houston Chronicle
HOUSTON—(AP)—The Houston Buffs will not be a doormat of the Texas League this season unless they get plenty of tough breaks.

They are better, much better, than they were in 1946 when they wound up in sixth place.

Looking back at the 1946 Buffs, it's hard to imagine why they finished in the league. They started out with some 100 players in camp, and not a single one of them lasted through the season. It was one of those trial and error periods, with accent on error.

The Buffs have a glaring weakness: they have no pitcher. But Manager Johnny Keane and President Allen Russell are confident that the Cardinals will come to the rescue, if not all possible.

They won't have a single left-handed pitcher, and believe it or not, they didn't have one in camp last year.

They were pretty grim when they found the seasoned catcher on whom they were leaning so heavily, Gerry Burmeister, the big power-hitter who had eye trouble last year, but who looked swell in spring training until he hurt his ankle so badly that he was laid up for some six weeks, wouldn't be available for season.

Gregory Masson, a nice receiver but not too much of a threat at the plate, has been holding down the "job."

The outfield is Keane's pride and joy. It includes three guys who are speed demons, who can hit, but who don't have too much power. They are Hal Epps, Eddie Knoblauch (both familiar figures in the Texas League) and Vaughn Hansen, who comes down from Columbus in the American Association, and can hold his own in this loop.

Backing them are Gil Turner, who wound up as Buff last season, and Joe Muzzo, who hit a lousy .413 with Johnson City, Tenn., last season.

The regular infield probably will find Jim Halkard at first, Lou Ortz at second, Art Coste at short, and Solly Hemus at third. Halkard, Ortz and Coste all were with the Buffs last season and should be better with a year's experience. Hemus is a sound player, hit .363 with Pocatello last season, and looks as if he will be a big help to the team.

The pitching staff also is impressive. Ramon Brunswick, 17-game winner last year, Clarence Beers, Charlie Spruill, Art Coste, Don Schuchmann, are back from the 1946 team. Additions include Jack Creel, former Columbus and Cardinal hurler, Hugh East, formerly with the Giants and Jersey City, and some fine looking youngsters, with Bob Eisminger, who won 14 games for St. Joseph last season despite the fact that he pitched home title only while going to college, and Floyd Thieroff among the most promising.

"We believe we can go with any of them defensively, but we are a little short on power," Keane says. "The League is going to be a tougher, but we certainly look tougher, on paper anyway."

Snead and Locke to Play in Georgia
NEW YORK—(AP)—Sam Snead, British Open golf champion from White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., and Bobby Locke, the South African champion, en route to Augusta, Ga., today to play in the Masters Tournament opening there tomorrow.

Training Camp Notes
TUSON, Ariz.—(AP)—Outfielder Pat Seery's booming bat continues to highlight the activities in the camp of the Cleveland Indians.

The barrel-chested ballhawk, who belts one of the longest balls in the Tribes' last nine games and is counter-balance the in-and-out performances of the Indian hurling crew which was tabbed in pre-training camp gossip as one of the finest in the circuit.

The hard-hitting Gardner didn't knock down any fences during the Tribe's first two weeks of exhibition games, but he has more than made up for it during the past nine days. Yesterday, he slammed his eighth homer of the year with two on and drove in six runs as the Indians overpowered the Chicago Cubs, 15-9.

Fireball artist Bobby Feller worked the first six innings of the Tribe and was rocked for 11 hits and seven runs for his third poor outing of the year.

BOSTON RED SOX
DALLAS—(AP)—The Boston Red Sox today optioned outfielder Pete Leyden and pitcher Jim Wilson to Louisville of the American Association. The Sox also released pitcher Otis Clark outright to Louisville.

CHICAGO CUBS
PHOENIX, Ariz.—(AP)—Manager Charley Grimm of the Chicago Cubs plans to talk trade with Manager Mel Ott of the New York Giants with a view of getting infielder Bill Borge in the mean time. Grimm has ordered Coach Bill Jurgens to take batting practice which may indicate that Jurgens may be seeing some shortstop action in the early weeks of the regular season.

TIGERS AND BRAVES
VALDOSTA, Ga.—(AP)—The Detroit Tigers clash with the Boston Braves for the first time today. The Tigers, who behind the impressive hurling of fireballer Virgil Trucks blanked the Braves, 3-0 yesterday, will be seeking their third win over the Braves.

CARDINALS AND YANKEES
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—(AP)—The world champion St. Louis Cardinals and the New York Yankees close their exhibition series with one another today with the Red Birds holding a 4-3 edge. Yesterday, rookie right-hander Don Johnson blanked the Red Birds on two hits for seven innings as the Bronx Bombers scored a 7-2 triumph.

BROOKLYN DODGERS
HAVANA, Cuba.—(AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers, back on their winning streak, will be seeking their 23rd win in 30 games when they clash with their Montreal International League Panhandles today.

Oilers Pulling Long Practice Workouts Daily

By BOB BRAY
Plenty of running, a thorough batting practice and a light infield workout highlighted the Oilers second spring practice session, yesterday afternoon, and the still fair weather found Manager Grover Seltz taking the opportunity to put his men through a long workout.

One new arrival, Francis Rice, Fairbury, Neb., has joined the club since the initial workout Monday. Rice, a rookie who is reportedly clever in the outfield, came to the club highly recommended by Virgil Richardson, Rice is from Richardson's home town and the ex-olier first sacker had nothing but praise for Rice's ball handling and batting.

Seltz has four more men who are expected to arrive here in the next few days. They are Bill and Wick Hewitt, Foster White, all pitchers, and Earl Harrison, who is recovering from a finger injury.

The club looked unusually impressive in batting practice yesterday considering that it was only the second workout. Big Joe Foster, surprised everyone when he stepped into the box and did some heavy hitting into left field. The fact that Joe can hit was firmly established last year when his average was .316 (.31 runs batted in), but last year he hit to right field constantly.

Yesterday he was plastering them with plenty of power and he seemed to direct them where he wanted. One of his long hits into left field cleared the fence by a good two feet.

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However, Johnston proved a valuable man to have around. Before the season was completed Seltz had worked him all over the place. He proved to be a good hitter himself with a .282 average with 69 runs batted in. And, it looks like he'll work into this year's lineup very handsily.

It is indicated that workouts would be longer daily, until the club really begins to round into shape. The Oilers will open their exhibition schedule here next Sunday when they meet the Berger Gassers.

BOWLING
LADIES LEAGUE
Behrman's
Hawthorn..... 141 106 141 288
Riddle..... 132 141 119 293
Hiddle..... 144 127 141 293
Petue..... 170 167 163 502
Totals..... 739 690 616 2111

Wilma's
Aken..... 138 127 429
Shackelford..... 182 200 212 594
D. Heiskell..... 124 172 127 323
Whittle..... 124 178 178 488
Totals..... 552 706 827 2335

General Atlas Carbon
McFall..... 122 141 127 291
Landrum..... 122 141 127 291
Putnam..... 102 132 177 411
Moonie..... 156 144 127 427
Totals..... 502 638 739 2036

Hughes-Pitts
Earp..... 168 118 184 470
Taylor..... 125 127 127 381
Jones..... 107 121 90 328
Schanz..... 162 165 148 475
B. Heiskell..... 162 165 148 475
Totals..... 726 672 696 2004

First National Bank
Wells..... 145 117 143 405
Lively..... 158 141 123 422
Oswalt..... 168 141 171 480
Hoyte..... 148 141 171 460
Haynes..... 148 141 171 460
Totals..... 715 648 706 2069

OK Tire Shop
Grossman..... 113 118 121 352
Futchson..... 125 127 127 381
Bryan..... 146 118 123 387
Murray..... 132 141 127 381
Trense..... 8 8 8 24
Totals..... 624 632 654 1958

Heard's
Heard..... 110 123 129 371
Walker..... 110 123 129 371
Duenkel..... 125 127 127 381
Dunmy..... 125 127 127 381
Ladd..... 125 127 127 381
Totals..... 621 606 671 1938

Brown Derby
McConnell..... 122 141 127 291
Parr..... 130 124 113 367
Rihaboush..... 125 127 127 381
Hatcher..... 125 127 127 381
Carson..... 125 127 127 381
Totals..... 725 724 733 2169

CITY LEAGUE
Leaders
Matthews..... 128 114 390
G. Thompson..... 171 148 173 488
Parr..... 125 127 127 381
Walker..... 167 148 141 456
Hewer..... 152 129 134 516
Totals..... 743 636 734 2113

Peg's Cab
Evans..... 173 138 168 479
Rozers..... 173 138 168 479
Whittle..... 171 136 178 475
Murray..... 142 127 127 381
Brake..... 160 143 129 535
Totals..... 648 602 650 2000

Hughes-Pitts
Micham..... 156 123 140 439
Cady..... 127 127 127 381
Putnam..... 125 148 144 417
Ladd..... 145 130 147 422
McGraw..... 142 127 127 381
Totals..... 700 644 644 2000

Montgomery Ward
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Gilmore..... 125 117 122 372
Byrnum..... 125 117 122 372
Francis..... 127 127 127 381
Williams..... 15 15 15 45
Totals..... 761 704 704 2246

Heskev-Chambers
Duenkel..... 145 127 145 417
Riddle..... 145 127 145 417
Thompson..... 154 154 154 462
Hutchins..... 185 131 178 494
Totals..... 779 787 796 2358

Coffey Pontiac
McFall..... 147 166 185 498
Fral..... 125 127 127 381
Kelley..... 165 143 143 451
McIntosh..... 165 127 127 381
Wells..... 165 127 127 381
Totals..... 769 838 847 2452

Lawson Neon
Mitchell..... 144 140 127 411
Wesleroad..... 144 140 127 411
Enzie..... 168 162 192 511
McIntosh..... 144 127 127 381
Holden..... 168 162 192 511
Totals..... 790 838 847 2452

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Made by "Nu-Tone." Exclusive tones—two for front door, one for rear. Beautiful antique ivory with soft brass-color trim.

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Legal Records

Marriage Licenses
A license to wed was granted yesterday in the offices of County Clerk Charlie Thut to Tommy J. Bowerman and Evaughn Kyle.

Realty Transfers
R. G. Hughes to Hughes Development Co., Plot of ground located on Survey 101 Block 3 of the H & G N Railroad Co. surveys of Gray County.

R. G. Hughes and others to South Pampa Properties, Inc., All of Lots 3, 4, and 5 situated in Block C of the Industrial Subdivision of the city of Pampa.

Charley S. Boyd and wife, Mary Alice Boyd, to Edna L. Boyd, All of Lot number 14 situated in Block 22 of the Talley addition of the city of Pampa.

Lathrop-Hawk-Herrick Investment Co. to J. L. Norn, All of Lot number 12, part of Lot number 13 and 14 situated in Block 7 and all of Lots numbered 3 and 4 situated in Block 8 of the original town of Pampa.

J. E. Willis and wife, Myrtle E. Willis, to D. W. Cast, All of Lot number 1 situated in Block 5 of the Finney-Barnes addition of the city of Pampa.

Guy C. Saunders and wife, Ora Viola Saunders, to Horace E. Saunders, A part of Survey 1 of the Brooks & Burison grant in Gray County.

R. G. Hughes and others to South Pampa Properties, Part of Lot number 1 located in Block "C" subdivision of the east part of Plot 175 of the suburbs of Pampa.

Civil Suits
The F. L. Holler versus A. V. Chestnut and Coleman Lee Hooper damage suit was filed yesterday in the office of District Clerk Neil Patterson. F. C. Cotham versus A. V. Chestnut et. al. and Naomi Johnson et. vir. versus William Corrist.

Building Permits Issued
The building permit to build a five room house and attached garage at 111 N. Starkweather St. was granted yesterday in the offices of Building Inspector Dennis Feigenbaum.

Services Tomorrow For Bills Infant
Graveside services will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. at the Baby Gardens, Fairview Cemetery, for Billy Bills Jr., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bills of Panhandle.

The infant, born yesterday in a local hospital, lived only a few hours. Besides the parents, also surviving are a sister, Billie Nell; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Beckham of Pampa and Mrs. Zona Bills of Tulsa.

Services will be conducted by the Rev. Edwin Spears, assistant pastor of the Central Baptist Church, and burial will be in charge of Duengel-Carmichael Funeral Home.

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Small World
The total area of the earth is about 200,000,000 square miles, and you can fly from where you now stand to any point on the earth in just 60 hours.

I believe in large families. That's what a woman is for.
Mrs. Joy Seth Hurd, mother of 15 and wife of Cleveland Judge.

DON'T FORGET
A Good Place To Eat
LEE'S CAFE
113 W. Foster Pampa

David Lamb Gets Eagle Scout Rank

In a crowded District Court Room Monday night the Eagle Scout pin, first in Gray County for 1947, was presented to David Lamb, Troop 14, Pampa by Atty. Joe Gordon, acting chairman of the advancement committee.

In addition four others were made Life Scouts: six won their Star Scout rank; eight were made First Class Scouts; and 34 rose from Tenderfoot to Second Class rank. Merit badges were given to 29 Scouts.

A special award, given for outstanding service, was presented to L. N. Atchison by Farris C. Oden, in recognition of his work during the Boy Scout Finance campaign. Atchison is the Gray County District chairman. The award was a statuette with his name engraved on the base.

Court of Honor winners by troops were: Troop 80, first place with a score of 1632 points; second place, Troop 4, 1122 points; third, Troop 20, 684 points; and fourth, Troop 16, 644 points.

Life Scout awards were presented by County Judge Sherman White to: Richard Adams, Billy McDonnald, Richard D. Cook, all Troop 16; Osborne, Ronald Still, Troop 18; LeRoy Brown, Scott Langford, Troop 20; Dale Gant and Jack Imel, Troop 80.

First Class awards were presented by Frank Wilson to: Joe Watson, Durrell Stowell, Troop 4; Weyner Osborne, Ronald Still, Troop 18; LeRoy Brown, Scott Langford, Troop 20; Dale Gant and Jack Imel, Troop 80.

Leslie Hart presented the following boys with their Second Class awards: Jimmie Dulaney, Billy Bob Norris, Clingman Sloan, Danny Hawthorn, Freddie Williams, all Troop 4; Carroll Heflin, Richard Patmore, Dale Shackelford, Neil Jolly, Troop 14; Jimmie Cook, James Neil Shelton, Troop 16; Edward Prince, Jerry Walker, Scottie Davey, Don Spenser, Odis Qualls, Troop 20; James Lee Taylor, Troop 24; LeRoy White, John D. Potter, Troop 27; Tommy Cox, Jerry Davis, Sanny Carlton, Dennis Peoples, Tolle Hutcheson, Gilbert Berry, Wayne Phillips, Daen Ward, Glen Harrell, Conley Dean, Jerry Coley, Don King, Douglas McBride, Billy Davis, Edward Gendard, Troop 80.

Merit badges were given by Dr. H. L. Wilder to Clingman Sloan, Troop 4; David Lamb, Carl Kennedy, George Kilpatrick, Bill Lovings, Carter Burette, Roy Sullivan, Robert Stone, Bobby Norris, John Prieauf, Gordon Yoder, Troop 14; Ronald Still, Richard Adams, Richard Cook, Gene Harkrader, Billy McDonnald, Laurie Porter, John Roche, Troop 18; John Young, Bob Taylor, Troop 24; Melvin Peoples, Kenneth Peoples, Jackie Cox, Glen Harrell, Jack Imel, Paul Boswell, Jerry Davis, Bob Epps, Troop 80.

Troop 80, headed by Fluide Gallman, scoutmaster had the honor of being the winner troop at the heavily attended Court of Honor ever held by the Gray County Boy Scout District. It was also the first time Troop 80 had held the winning position in number of Scouts advanced, present, parents present, troop committees present and boys in uniforms.

Mexico, D. P. (formerly Mexico City), was built on land that was a lake bottom at one time.

Mainly About Pampa and Her Neighbor Towns

Miss Marie Stedje, local Girl Scout executive, left from Amarillo today for Roswell, N. M., where she will attend a meeting of Girl Scout professional staff members in Region IX under the supervision of Miss Ursula Little. She will also attend the Spring conference of the National Association of Girl Scout Executives in the western division of this region to be held in Roswell April 3, 4 and 5.

Open the Door Richard!
Scott Raiferty, former sports editor of the Pampa News, left today for Lubbock where he will be night telegraph editor on the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.

Dr. Edward S. Williams, practice limited to obstetrics and pediatrics, announces his association with Drs. Overton and Hofdie, 303 Combs-Worley Building.

Mrs. H. H. Butler has returned from Ft. Worth and Olney where she visited relatives.

For the finest in fabrics in many a season see our beautiful line of gabardines, woolsens, flannels, cricket cloth in the most outstanding colors for spring. 1000 samples to choose from. Paul Hawthorne Tailor, Phone 920.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shelton visited relatives in Durham, Okla., Sunday.

Brighten up your kitchen and bath room with new linoleum. We have it in the roll, 6 feet wide, at Dick Gibbons Service Station.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Mullinax and daughter, June, and Mrs. J. M. Turner returned Monday night from Austin after visiting relatives in Austin.

Will buy a portable typewriter, Phone 848.

Mesdames O. L. Rutherford, and Payne Rutherford, Miss Alice Jean Rutherford, and little Glenda Sue Rutherford visited relatives here yesterday. Glenda Sue remained for a visit of several days.

See the lovely fancy work, small dresses and blouses. 119 S. Starkweather St., Phone 1518.

Mrs. Frank Wilson returned Monday from Gainesville where she visited her mother, Mrs. L. B. Warner.

Clegg instant ambulance, P. 2454.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jarvis have returned after visiting their son and family in Hobbs, N. M.

For Peg's Cab, call 94.

Mrs. E. H. Miller returned Monday from Wichita Falls, Gainesville and Thackerville, Okla., where she visited relatives. She was accompanied home by her father, Mitchell Moon, Gainesville; and Mr. Miller's mother, Mrs. Bell Miller, Wichita Falls.

Owner leaving Thurs. Must sell 4-room house and lot on East Francis, Price \$1800. Call 418 Crest.

Mrs. O. L. Rutherford and daughter, Alice Jean, Mrs. Payne Rutherford and son, Richard, and Glenda Sue Rutherford were in Pampa yesterday shopping and visiting relatives. Glenda Sue remained for a visit with relatives here and in White Deer.

INVENTED GEARS
The Egyptians invented gears. By extending the wooden spokes of wheels through the rims, and setting the wheels at right angles, they turned water-wheels by means of oxen walking in circles.

SMALL WORLD
The total area of the earth is about 200,000,000 square miles, and you can fly from where you now stand to any point on the earth in just 60 hours.

I believe in large families. That's what a woman is for.
Mrs. Joy Seth Hurd, mother of 15 and wife of Cleveland Judge.

Rutherford Is Selling Out

The Imperial Furniture Company, 119 North Front St., will begin closing out its stock Friday in a special sale, and M. M. Rutherford, the owner and operator, told The News that he was quitting business here.

"Pampa has been good to me," he said, but he has too many business, and wishes to close out this one. An ad announcing the sale will be in tomorrow's issue of The News.

He and his family reside at 1331 Charles St. One daughter, Patty, is a high school student. The other is married.

Rutherford said that the building has been leased, and that the two parts will be separated—with separate businesses to be installed there.

He said he will be a resident of Amarillo, where he has a wholesale coin machine business. He also has businesses in other Texas and Oklahoma cities.

He has been in business of one kind or another since 1926, he said.

KPDN 1340 on Your Dial WEDNESDAY

- 5:00-Hop Harrigan-MBS.
5:15-Virel Mott-Gospel Singer.
5:20-Castalia Midway-MBS.
5:45-Tom Mix-MBS.
6:15-Five Minute Mystery.
6:20-John W. Anderson.
6:25-Al Donaldson-Spot.
6:30-Cecil Brown-MBS-News.
6:45-What's the Name of That Song-MBS.
7:00-Crime Club-MBS.
7:10-It's a Wonderful Life-MBS.
7:30-Carroll Heatter-MBS.
8:15-Real Stories-MBS.
8:20-What's the Name of That Song-MBS.
9:15-Old Justice Triumph-MBS.
9:30-Author Meets the Critics-MBS.
10:00-All the News-MBS.
10:15-Rose Carole Orchestra-MBS.
10:20-Joseph Sody Orchestra-MBS.
10:30-Blue Valley-MBS.
11:00-Dance Orchestra-MBS.
11:15-Dance Orchestra-MBS.
11:30-Blue Valley-MBS.
12:00-Sign Off.

THURSDAY Morning

- 6:25-News.
6:30-Gene Horton-Song.
6:35-Markets.
6:40-Blue Valley-MBS.
7:00-1340 Ranch.
7:15-Breakfast Rhythms.
8:00-Editor's Diary-MBS.
8:15-Blue Valley-MBS.
8:45-Moments of Melody.
9:00-Blue Valley-MBS.
9:15-Panna Party Line.
9:30-Say It With Music.
9:45-Blue Valley-MBS.
10:15-His Majesty the Baby.
10:20-Blue Valley-MBS.
10:45-Tell Your Neighbor-MBS.
11:00-Tones in Modern Manner.
11:15-Blue Valley-MBS.
11:30-Goert Sitaran and Albert Warner.
11:45-Coffee Time.
12:00-Blue Valley-MBS.
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NBC-7 Tonight: 7:30 Great Gildersleeve; 8:30 District Attorney; 9:30 Kay Kyser and His Orchestra; 10:30 CBS-7 Jack Carson Comedy; 8 Sinatra and Song; 8:30 Dinah Shore Show; 9 The Whittier Drama; 9:30 Information Please.

ABC-7 Show Court of Missing Heirs, New Time; 8 Paul Whiteman Band; 9 Alton and John Thomas with Big Crosby; 9:30 Henry Morgan.

NBC-10 a. m. Fred Waring, Presenting "First Communion"; 11:15 a. m. Holy Week Service From Chicago; 5:30 Lorenzo Jones; 6 Radio Supper Club; 8 Veronica Lake in Music Hall; 11:15 Aunt Jelly and Bobby White; 1:30 Pasover Program, Henry Murzenbau, Jr.; 5:15 Discussion of Churches and World Peace; 7:30 Bill in France and War; 8:30 Crime Photographer.

AIC-8 a. m. Breakfast Club; 1:30 p. m. Bride and Groom; 2:30 Cliff Edwards; 5:15 Daily Commentary; 9 Security Workshop Drama.

Auto Wrecks
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road while John Lewis Whitaker, Amarillo, driver of the other car, was charged with driving without an operator's license and his companion Luther Tucker, of Amarillo, owner of the car was charged with permitting an unlicensed driver to operate his automobile.

Amarillo Builders End Strike Today

AMARILLO (AP)—Building trades men and laborers were to return to their jobs here today with the end of a strike that has tied up Amarillo construction for 16 days.

Settlement of the strike was announced last night following a meeting of representatives from the Amarillo Association of General Contractors, the Panhandle Home Builders Association, the Building Trades Council and the Construction General Labor Local No. 685.

Albert Radford, of the Contractors Association, spokesman for the negotiations group, refused to discuss the settlement, but said it was "satisfactory." Nobody gained anything and nobody lost everything, he added.

Issues in the strike involved a preferential hiring agreement and closed shop on construction projects and recognition of the General Labor Local as a bona fide bargaining group for common labor.

The dispute over recognition of common labor as a bargaining organization broke out Feb. 4 when labor pickets appeared on several commercial construction jobs. All-mahor construction was halted a short time later when members of the Building Trades Council voted to support the labor group and added the closed shop demand. Early negotiation attempts ended in a stalemate.

Swindler

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that this was the largest amount of money ever taken from one person by the city police. The highly polished grey Cadillac sedan was parked on the police ramp overnight and this morning attracted many curious passersby.

Allen said the Missouri authorities are expected in Pampa to pick up their prisoner sometime this afternoon.

Davis appeared to be extremely nervous last night as he stood at the desk and asked to call a lawyer. Allen questioned him as to what he was wanted for in Salem and Davis nonchalantly answered: "I think it was for writing a hot check for \$1200. I guess by account was only short about six or seven hundred dollars."

He told police if they would call Salem he would gladly pay off the hot check charge and get the deal over with. However, the Missouri authorities by phone wanted Davis detained until they came for him in person.

Police were promised more information on Davis this afternoon when the Missouri officials arrive.

A cubic foot of air at 20,000 feet above sea level weighs only half as much as the same air at sea level.

Gracie Reports

By GRACIE ALLEN
Well, I see that a bowling alley is being installed in the White House as a birthday present for President Truman. He's becoming quite an athlete for a man who once said that he didn't want to run.

George says the President has done pretty well at such sports as pitching, fishing, fielding, Senator Taft's bunts, and keeping wavy eye open while Joe Stalin draws to an inside strait, so he ought to make a good bowler. George thinks it would help the Presidential game if the pins were given names like Dewey, Stassen, Bricker and Warren.

I asked George how you scored bowling and he said when you knocked all the pins down with one shot it was called a strike. Pool! President Truman won't have to take lessons in bowling. He knows all about strikes.

Election
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for many years swept three new aldermen into office and defeated two incumbents seeking reelection yesterday.

Of the total 129 ballots cast, Dalton Ford led the field with 116 votes. Clint Freeman was elected with 106 votes and Eugene Richardson polled an even 100 votes.

W. J. Stubbfield and E. J. Williams, the incumbents, received 31 and 29 votes respectively. John Darrell was given two write-in votes. The third retiring member of the commission, R. A. Thompson, was not in the race.

Porter Holmes, the holdover mayor, and Lee Sheldahl and J. C. Freeman, the holdover commissioners will serve with the new commissioners.

Canadian Election

CANADIAN (Special)—Local citizens turned out the biggest vote in a city election when they re-elected all incumbents to offices yesterday. A total of 739 votes were cast.

The previous high was in 1943, when 637 were cast.

J. B. Lindley, landowner and cattleman, defeated Charles R. Douglass, druggist, for mayor, 579 to 237.

Claude Jones and J. B. Reid, both merchants, defeated rancher Gopher L. Mitchell and John Wilkinson, a motor company operator, for the commission seats. Jones received 456 votes, Reid 516; Mitchell 200, and Wilkinson 240.

Greece and World Look to New King

By DeWitt Mackenzie
(AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)
The Greeks again have heard the fearful words which have come echoing down through the centuries: "The King is dead; long live the King;" and should their ruler have a modicum of understanding and guts (if one may be permitted this very un-regal expression) he may give his liberty-loving people the leadership they need to escape totalitarian communism.

The late King George was a colorful individual who lacked leadership—lacked guts. His whole vicissitudinous life was marked by this deficiency. What the new king, Paul, will do remains to be seen but, as this column remarked yesterday, he secretly can be less efficient than his brother.

This is, of course, a particularly critical moment for the Athens government. It might inspire the Red elements to redouble their efforts to overthrow the government, though paradoxically the saving grace in this instance could lie in the very weakness of the late king. He provided little guidance or personality to be missed by people or government. However, it's equally possible that the anti-communists may find a way of strengthening their position as the result of the wholly unexpected death of King George.

Thus far there has been no indication that the position of Greece, as one of the key bastions of democracy against aggressive communism, has been charged. President Truman's proposal for help to this fiery little Balkan state still stands, and Congress continues its study of the proposition. The Greek government shows no signs of weakening in the face of the Red offensive. Simultaneously with this sense-

ational development, another throne came under the spot-light—that of Spain—and it's a peculiar coincidence that this country, like Greece, is so strategically situated that both communism and western democracy would give much to see it under their respective flags and within their respective zones of influence. For what happens in Spain will have a mighty effect on the political trend in France—where the communist electoral vote has been running neck and neck with that of the opposition—and consequently upon the whole of western Europe.

It's significant that world attention has been drawn to the Spanish crown by none less than Generalissimo Franco himself. He has asked his parliament to declare that Spain still is a monarchy and to designate the procedure for selecting the next ruler. Thus the dictator would seem to be paving the way for the return—sooner or later—of one of the royal princes to assume the crown which was abandoned by Alfonso XIII when the republic was proclaimed in 1931. Don Juan, the pretender to the throne, is the principal contender.

It strikes me as possible that the Generalissimo finally has hit upon a way to get out of the long run by lowering his head too much. However, that speculation based on the belief that he was ready to retire a year ago. Certainly Spain won't profit in the long run by his continuance as dictator with almost the whole world against him.

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McLEAN NEWS

McLEAN—(Special)—Mrs. Keith Howell of Dumas has returned home after a visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Perkins were recent business visitors to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roberts accompanied Mrs. Byron Grubbaugh to Amarillo the first of the week. Mrs. Grubbaugh left by plane for her home at Santa Monica, Calif., after a five weeks visit with her father, Charlie Back and other relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Hunt were transacting business in Shamrock, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayter of Lamesa have been visiting their son, Clarence Hayter, and wife.

Cecil Simpson and Andy Woods have returned from a trip to Cathedral, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bridges of Knox City have returned home after a visit in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Erey Cubine.

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THE STORY: Sherry tells herself that Tony doesn't know how she feels about him. Peter takes her for a drive. They stop in at an expensive restaurant. Peter seems to be an intimate terms with important picture people. But Sherry can think only of Tony, who is not in love with her.

XXII

It was March now, crisp and cool and bright, and Sherry had been married to Peter for four months.

Four months! she thought, it seemed like four years! Then she decided that the idea sounded rude and unhappy. She did not mean it to be. She was quite content.

She stretched luxuriously and when she was finished she ran her hands appreciatively over the rich satin of the comforter that covered her. The large bedroom was pleasantly warm and the morning sun streamed in in slanting shafts from the French Norman apartment hotel because it was now and smart and exclusive.

Peter always liked the thing that was smart and exclusive. It was funny she had not realized how studious his fastidiousness was before she married him. It did not seem quite sincere, somehow, to want a thing only because it was conservative and expensive.

Peter was discriminating about people too. He was always pleasant but carefully nonchalant to the important ones. This attitude seemed to interest them. Sherry felt now that it was deliberate and clever, and she both admired and disliked it in him, although, of course, she never spoke about it.

SHERRY stretched again and regarded the hills. After a while Nettie, visited Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appling.

Mrs. Jean Little of Amarillo visited her children here last week.

Mrs. Carl Jones was an Amarillo visitor last week.

J. B. Goodnight and Mrs. Bill Cummings of Wellington and Mrs. Beatrice Porter of Austin were recent visitors of Mesdames Omer

Smulser and W. M. Tibbets.

Mrs. Luther Petty returned Saturday from a visit with relatives and friends at Perryton.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lowe March 29 at the Shamrock Clinic and Hospital, named Jeanne Susan.

Mrs. Joe T. Williams of Oklahoma City, Okla., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harris King and family.

Miss Mary Lou Clark has been employed at Alanreed the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ledbetter of Compton, Calif., and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shelton of Vega were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Angelopoulos and Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunt of Skellytown recently visited his mother, Mrs. Hannah Crawford.

Pfc. Kenneth Simpson has returned to Alamogordo, N. M., after a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Simpson.

Mrs. Idabel Atehinson of Berger spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Newman.

Mrs. George Durham and children of Alanreed have moved here.

Ben Howard of Sunray and brother Arthur Lee Howard of Denver, Colo., have returned home after visiting relatives and friends.

Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Lawrence attended the morning and afternoon sessions of the District 10 Baptist Convention at Perryton, Thursday. They were accompanied by Mrs. E. L. Mixx of Sundown.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cunningham of Quail visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Geisler returned Thursday from Shamrock Clinic Hospital where she had been for medical care.

The pumpkin blossom holds the place in legends of the Southwestern Indians that the lotus holds in Oriental lore.

Jenny came in with her breakfast. Jenny was fat and black and clean. She looked at the other twin bed with its bright satin comforter folded at the foot and said, "Master Barton away again, Miss Barton? You know, you sho, isn't be alone so much, a young girl like you."

Sherry plumped the pillows behind her to sit up, and said that Mr. Barton was on location and that she liked to be alone.

"Well, I wouldn't," Miss Barton, Jenny said. "If my George weren't home nights when I got there, I'd sooner stay away."

She let down the legs of the bed tray and settled it comfortably across Sherry's lap. Then she went out to do the lingerie.

Sherry envied her easy philosophy a little. She sipped her iced orange juice and thought about the lingerie. It all came from the shop in Beverly now, and was "designed" and hand made. It would be fun to slosh it gently in warm suds. She would like to iron it too, and make the buttonholes stand out and watch the pleats come crisp and smooth. But Dr. Drexell had said she must take things easy for a year or so, and except for the mornings her hair-dresser came to the apartment to "do" her hair and nails, Sherry slept until after 10. She was all well now and weighed the right amount, and she could swim and dance and go places if she did not get overtired.

Peter had been paying Dr. Drexell all along. She knew that now.

Sherry ate her egg and crisp toast and sipped her chocolate.

It was nice that the boys were the same. Three good friends that, married or unmarried, she would have all her life. Things had not been so different after all.

When Peter had asked her to marry him she had told him that she was sorry but she did not

think she loved him. Peter had not minded. He had talked it over with the boys and pointed out the advantages he could give her. They had all discussed it very sensibly.

Yes, Sherry thought, it was all very sensible, and it had certainly been the right thing to do all around. Her mother and father had been very happy about it and had written Peter a nice letter to welcome him as a son-in-law.

Peter had replied more than satisfactorily and, knowing their present position, he had suggested that Sherry send them a small allowance weekly. She was very grateful.

SHERRY padded across the rugs spread here and there on the carpeted floor and went into the bathroom and started her tub. Then she went to her sachet-scented dressing room and slid back the mirrored doors.

Sherry paused for a moment and looked at her clothes. All new and smart, with labels on them from the best places. Yes, it was nice to be married to Peter. You met different people too—comfortable, successful ones, mostly married. They had nice houses and clothes; and their problems were changing chauffeurs and having to choose between so-and-so's dinner party or the premiere of such-an-one's new picture.

Sherry knew she looked well at these gatherings and everybody seemed to like her. They said nice things about her, and that she was different. Sherry was glad of that. It made Peter more interesting too. He could show his success now by the way his wife was dressed and how she lived. Besides, a wife whom people thought was charming was naturally a social addition.

Was that why Peter had married her?

Sherry tossed a curl back impatiently and chose a deep blue flannel sports skirt and a pair of gray suede oxfords. Stop snoring! she thought. Peter was very good to her, and she was quite content.

(To Be Continued)

Suspended Sentence Is Given in Murder Trial

FLAINVIEW—(P)—Leroy Cotton was found guilty of murder without malice in 64th District Court yesterday and given a suspended sentence of five years in the death of Jess Jenkins. Abernathy cafe employe, last Aug. 31.

Cotton declared from the stand that Jenkins was one of his best friends and that he did not kill him.

Testimony at the trial was that the two men had engaged in an exchange of words and scuffled in the cafe. Witnesses said they saw Jenkins get an ice pick and make two or three jabs at Cotton.

R. J. Jenkins, also of Abernathy, testified that Cotton shook Jenkins

by the shoulders and that the cafe employe fell to the floor.

Previous testimony revealed that Jenkins at first was believed to have died of a heart attack. However, both H. R. Pickle, Lubbock mortician, and Dr. L. C. Wayland, Hale County health officer, testi-

plied that they saw two stab wounds on Jenkins' chest.

Wine from grapes grown on the fertile slopes of Mount Vesuvius is called Lactima Christi.

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STOCK AVERAGES
(Compiled by The Associated Press)

20 Inst. 15	15	15	15	15	15
Net Change
Previous Day	...	...	...	...	...
Week Ago	...	...	...	...	...
Month Ago	...	...	...	...	...
Year Ago	...	...	...	...	...
1947 High	...	...	...	...	...
1947 Low	...	...	...	...	...
1946 High	...	...	...	...	...
1946 Low	...	...	...	...	...

WALL STREET STOCKS

NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—Led by aviation, motor and steel, selected stocks enjoyed a recovery move in today's market although many pivots failed to participate.

Mild irregularity prevailed after the opening. Dealings quickened at intervals but slowdowns were frequent. There was a brief active flurry in the final hours when favorites added fractions to around 3 points. Losers were plentiful and most top marks reduced at the close. Transfers were in the neighborhood of 800,000 shares.

A rally was negotiated by Amoco, Woolen and Schenley, the weak performers of Monday. Absent were Eastern Air Lines (on a pleasing annual statement), United Air Lines, Douglas Aircraft, United Aircraft, Eastman Kodak, General Motors, Bethlehem Southern Railway, Chrysler, Youngtown Sheet and U. S. Steel. Stumblers included U. S. Rubber, Goodrich, Montgomery Ward, Phelps Dodge, John-Manville, Du Pont, Texas Co. and Sears Roebuck.

NEW YORK STOCKS
By The Associated Press

Am Airlines	27 1/2	109 1/2	11
Am Tel & Tel	22 1/2	164 1/2	156
Am Woolen	24 1/2	35 1/2	6
Amoco	24 1/2	39 1/2	46 1/2
Anderson-Clay	11 1/2	16 1/2	16
Armstrong	14 1/2	90 1/2	91 1/2
Beth Steel	14 1/2	90 1/2	91 1/2
Chrysler	22 1/2	95 1/2	97 1/2
Cont Motors	18 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Eastman Kodak	27 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Gen Motors	62 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Goodrich	13 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Greyhound Corp	13 1/2	30 1/2	31 1/2
Gulf Oil	19 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Houston Oil	27 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2

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a bottle of beer. He lapped it all up. He gobbled into the hotel lobby, staggered from chair to chair, purring drunkenly but happily.

The chief wouldn't believe it at first, but when convinced said gratefully that it didn't happen in the police station, anyway.

Then there's Flossy, owned by Mrs. G. W. Patterson of San Antonio, lived a bit of believe-it-or-not.

One day a cat was kicked from a pick-up truck that had driven into a service station at Aransas Pass. The station owner protested, and the driver left hurriedly, abandoning the cat.

Nick McGree, the station owner, took care of the feline. Several days later a paris salesman drove up. He saw Flossy.

"That's my mother's cat," he said promptly. It was. He returned Flossy to Mrs. Patterson in San Antonio, 150 miles away.

Oscar, a white Persian belonging to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Copeland of Wolfe City, was gone longer. He disappeared from Bonham three years ago, then all of a sudden he came home. The Copelands are glad to have Oscar back, but they wonder where he's been all that time.

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Sept 1.85 1/2	2.24 1/2	2.15 1/2-2.16 1/2
Dec 2.12 1/2	2.19 1/2	2.12 1/2-2.13 1/2

PORT WORTH GRAIN

PORT WORTH, April 1.—(AP)—What No. 1 hard, 2.08-2.09; No. 2, 1.95-2.00; No. 3, 1.85-1.90; No. 4, 1.75-1.80; No. 5, 1.65-1.70; No. 6, 1.55-1.60; No. 7, 1.45-1.50; No. 8, 1.35-1.40; No. 9, 1.25-1.30; No. 10, 1.15-1.20.

CHICAGO GRAIN
Confirmation of renewed export inquiry for corn and commodity rally in corn today toward the close of today's trading. Trade session and all grades climbed to the highest levels of the day.

Deferred deliveries of wheat carried a steady undertone during the greater part of the session, while the May delivery was off as much as four and one-half cents at times on reports of excellent progress of the winter wheat crop.

The buying wave continued until the closing bell when wheat was 1 1/2 to 7 cents higher, than the previous close. May \$2.56-2.56 1/2, corn was 1/2 to 1 1/2 higher. May \$1.80 1/2-1.81. Oats were unchanged to 1/2 higher. May \$5 1/2-5 1/2.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK
KANSAS CITY, April 1.—(AP)—(USDA)—Cattle 7000; calves 1000; trade very slow on slaughter steers; prices largely steady; liberal surplus line strictly good and low choice steers in run and very few such kinds moved early; some medium weights sold; \$4.00-5.00; however, and shipment choice 1152 lb 26.00 to outside; most early sales on top medium and good grades from 21.00-23.25; 2 loads good and choice heifers 23.00 and 22.00; medium and good heifers and mixed yearlings 20.00-22.15; top medium and good cows 14.75-15.50; common to average medium 12.75-14.50; canners and cubs 10.50-12.50; good and choice vealers 20.00-25.00; good and choice stocker and light feeder steers 19.00-21.50.

Hogs 1000; fairly active, uneven, 240 lb and down steady to 25 lower; heavier weights strong to 10 higher; 170-250 lb, 24.75-26.00; 200-315 lb, 25.25-26.75; sows 22.25-25.00.

CHICAGO PRODUCE
CHICAGO, April 1.—(AP)—(USDA)—Potatoes: Potatoes supplies rather liberal; demand fair for best Western, slow for Red River Valley stocks; market about steady for best Western, dull and slightly weak for Red River Valley. Cobblers: Idaho Russet Burbanks \$3.50; Colorado Red McClure \$4.00; Minnesota-North Dakota Bliss Triumphs commercial \$2.25; new stock: Florida 50 lb paper sacks U. S. No. 1 Bliss Triumphs \$2.50-2.65; cotton and mesh sacks commercial \$1.75-2.00.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, April 1.—(AP)—Cattle 2,400; calves 800; generally steady; most medium and good grade beef steers and yearlings 17.00-22.25; few low grades 12.00-16.00; medium and good cows 12.00-15.00; good and choice fat calves and vealers 19.00-20.00; medium and good stocker and feeder calves, yearlings and steers 16.50-19.00.

Hogs 1,200; fairly active; butchers steady to 3/4 higher; sows and pigs steady to 1/2 higher; 200-250 lb, 23.00-24.00; 250-300 lb, 24.00-25.00; 300-350 lb, 25.00-26.00; sows and choice 150-175 lb 21.50-24.25; good and choice 150-175 lb 21.50-24.25; hogs 19.00-20.00.

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES

NEW ORLEANS, April 1.—(AP)—Cotton futures advanced here today on mill buying, and short covering. Closing prices were firm 45 cents to \$1.60 a bale higher.

Open	High	Low	Close
May	38.25	37.75	37.75
October	30.25	29.99	29.42
December	29.25	29.54	29.46
March	29.97	29.41	29.63

TEXAS TODAY
By JACK RUTLEDGE
Associated Press Staff

A nameless alley cat was adopted by the Beaumont Police Department but had to be sent home on discharge. He went out and got himself drunk.

It was doubly bad because the cat was in the personal charge of Chief of Police Arto Pollock.

The cat strolled into the police station several months ago and took a special liking to the chief's office. If snubbed food from the jail, and when hungry would jump on the chief's desk and tap him on the arm.

The chief would get scraps from a hotel. Later, the cat discovered where the food was coming from and that led to his downfall. Someone at the hotel slipped the cat

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