

COASTAL BASTARD KILLS 350

TEXAS CITY--(AP)--The worst explosion in Texas Gulf history rocked a hundred-mile area, killed an estimated 350, injured possibly 1,000 more, and virtually razed this city of 15,000 today.

Poison gas was reported to be infiltrating the still-burning city at noon. The National Guard was called out in the area.

Doctors, nurses, police and firemen from Galveston, Houston and other nearby cities were rushed here.

Explosion Followed Early Fire

HOUSTON--(P)-- Bloody from head to foot and wearing an improvised bandage about his badly cut head, W. H. Sanberg, vice president of the Texas City Terminal Railway Company, told Fred Pool of the La Porte Chamber of Commerce how the explosion occurred.

Sanberg said that the first explosion was on the French Ship Grandcamp, which he had just left five minutes previously. Sanberg's office was near the ship.

The ship Sanberg believed was carrying ammunition, but was at Texas City reportedly to take on a cargo of fertilizer.

Early today, Sanberg related, the ship was discovered ablaze.

Live steam was immediately applied to the fire, Sanberg said, but it failed to get the fire under control, but the steam simply had no effect.

Then Sanberg said the ship was towed out in a stream but before it could be gotten away, the first terrific explosion occurred.

Sanberg said it was rumored that the boat was carrying a load of ammunition, but this rumor was not confirmed, but he said, "I feel safe in saying it did carry ammunition."

Sanberg told Pool that he did not see the explosion, but he did see the doomed ship for his nearby office in less than five minutes after it blew up and he immediately began putting in emergency telephone calls.

"When the explosion first occurred," Sanberg said, "I jumped under my roll top desk to avoid possible fatal injury. The injuries he did receive made him a gory object from head to foot. Undaunted, however, Sanberg when he gave his interview faintly puffed away on a cigar, not in the least nervous."

Pool said that the Monsanto Chemical Company "simply doesn't exist," and he added "the devastation here is the most terrible thing you ever saw. You can't imagine it. As I speak, I feel there are thousands dead and injured."

The explosion, Pool said, jumped in one, two, three order from the ship to the Monsanto Chemical to the Stone Oil Company and possibly to others, since the heavy piece of steel from the Republic Oil Company was picked up two miles away.

"The concussion was simply terrific," Pool said. "It blew windows out of every home in town. It blew in ceilings in business buildings. It crumpled new buildings from end to end."

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Ground Crops Suffer No Damage From Snow

Ground crops suffered no damage in last night's low of 29 degrees, but above the ground fruits and trees may have been damaged slightly the Weather Bureau reported this morning.

The snow stopped falling this morning after it had blanketed the landscape throughout the whole of the Panhandle area as far south as Wichita Falls. Freezing temperatures were recorded in the northwest portion of the State; Pampa and Amarillo recording the lowest readings of 29 degrees while Lubbock reported 32 degrees and El Paso 31 degrees, an Associated Press report stated.

Total precipitation since yesterday was .26 of an inch. Today's forecast is for partly cloudy skies tonight and tomorrow with rising temperatures.

Jester Will Take to Air Saturday on Bills

AUSTIN--(P)--Governor Beauford H. Lester will broadcast his decision on whether or not to sign the per capita school apportionment bill and the bill setting \$2,000 as minimum annual salaries for teachers Saturday at 8 p. m.

The broadcast over the Texas state network will originate here. Jester announced he will also generally discuss the question on public school financing.

THE WEATHER

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU
WEST TEXAS--Cloudy to partly cloudy, cooler except in Panhandle and South Plains this afternoon; occasional rain or snow in Panhandle and South Plains early this afternoon; partly cloudy, cooler tonight-except in Panhandle and South Plains, warmer in Panhandle and South Plains Thursday.

EAST TEXAS--Partly cloudy and cooler tonight; Thursday partly cloudy and cool. Fresh northerly winds on coast diminishing Thursday.

OKLAHOMA--Clear continued cold tonight with local light frosts northwest half. Thursday fair and considerably warmer. Low tonight, 24 to 28 northwest, lower 40s southeast.

See the new home freezing lockers at Lewis Hardware Co.

The chain of explosions began on the Grand Camp, a French ship loaded with nitrate. It spread to the multi-million dollar Monsanto Chemical Corp. plant, now reported a complete ruin following the explosion and fire.

The death and casualty estimate was made by the Galveston Tribune, which rushed newsmen to the area. Telephone communications were disrupted by the explosion, the few remaining lines being clogged with emergency calls for help.

The Grand Camp, destroyed with all men aboard by the explosion, according to the Tribune, caught fire early today. Several hundred curious gathered at the docks to watch the fire.

When the explosion followed, many on the docks were killed. Steel beams were hurled over the city, some as far as 15 miles away.

Many of the dead were Monsanto workers. Port Arthur and Orange, about 100 miles distant, said the blast was audible there, and buildings rocked. At Pelly, 27 miles distant, a man said the sound "hurt my eardrums." Palestine, 160 miles from here, claimed to have heard the sound also.

The scene at Texas City was one of chaos. First eyewitness account came from W. H. Sanberg, vice president of the Texas City Terminal Railway Company. He had left the Grand Camp just five minutes before the initial explosion.

The following explosions he said, augmented by highway patrolmen, police, sheriff's deputies were helping maintain order as citizens walked about, dazed and stunned by the disaster.

Shops in buildings in the center of town were leveled, the Galveston Tribune said. Residents were being evacuated to avoid danger from further explosion.

Highways and causeways were blocked by Texas City residents who work in Galveston, flooding home to help.

Police Chief W. F. Laddish of Texas City told Houston officers by telephone people were walking the streets in a daze and that the Texas City Hall, a mile from the explosion, "was demolished." He asked for all possible doctors and nurses, even "just ordinary citizens, just so they have hands to help in rescuing the injured."

The extent of the explosion was indicated by a report from Palestine, Texas, 160 miles to the north. Mrs. J. C. Colwick, who lives on a hill near Palestine, said she heard the explosion and that the house shattered twice as if there had been an earthquake.

Orange, 100 miles away, was rocked, as was Port Arthur, where the blast was audible.

Nearby Galveston, 10 miles across the bay, was damaged. Glass windows, including many store windows, were scattered. Plaster ceilings fell. The city rocked and for hours was

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New Formula For Settling Strike Sought

WASHINGTON--(P)--Disappointed government conciliators rummaged through the ruins of Secretary Schwelienbach's shattered peace plan today for a new formula to settle the cross-country telephone strike.

Government seizure of the telephone industry still was considered only as a last resort in top administration circles, despite the rebuff by both company and union to Schwelienbach's arbitration proposal.

The secretary of labor, who had hoped to end the strike of 340,000 telephone workers by Thursday night through a plan for arbitration of some issues and arbitration of the others, refused to give up hope of persuading them to accept.

Showing anger at what he considered a flat rejection by both sides he took to the air last night with an appeal for the public to put pressure on the industry and the strikers.

Meantime, his conciliators took a close look at the replies of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and the striking National Federation of Telephone Workers for concession on which new negotiations could be built.

The A. T. & T. maintained it had not rejected the Schwelienbach proposal for arbitration by a national board of five persons, but merely had recommended 13 amendments "designed solely to expedite and

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White Deer Contributes Truck Load of Supplies

WHITE DEER--(Special)--A truck load of food and supplies from this area was delivered to the storm sufferers at Higgins, Friday, by Winfield Powers, local Red Cross chairman, who reports that several hundred dollars also has been sent directly to Higgins to aid in the relief work there.

Rev. M. G. Upton, pastor of the Baptist Church, announced Sunday that a donation would be sent from the church for rehabilitation work and that those wishing to participate should give their contributions to Mrs. Ruyard Edendorough, church treasurer.

Coke Stevenson Retires to Ranch Near Junction; Doesn't Feel He Owes O'Daniel Any Political Debt

BY DAVE CHEAVENS
JUNCTION--(P)--Coke R. Stevenson went back to cedar chopping and fence building on his ranch here today, but he was as deep in politics as he ever was while he sat in the governor's chair at Austin.

He and Sen. W. Lee O'Daniel have now exchanged shots in what may be the opening skirmish of the senatorial campaign in 1948, but so far it's just another one of those undecided wars.

Neither Stevenson nor O'Daniel is an avowed candidate. Close friends of Stevenson would give you 20 to 1 odds as of this date that he will be in the race, and O'Daniel has also been showing all the earmarks of a potential candidate for reelection as junior senator.

O'Daniel started off by suggesting in Washington that Stevenson

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Reynolds admitted the trip was tiring, sometimes dangerous, and "I would not make the trip again for \$100,000.00." But he added jubilantly to reporters:

"We made the fastest crossing of the Atlantic ever made, in five hours and 17 minutes; we also made a record trip to Paris and Gander (Newfoundland) and maybe some other records."

The previous unofficial round-the-world flight record, 91 hours and 14 minutes, was set in 1938 by Howard Hughes, who wired Reynolds, "My heartiest congratulations for your excellent performance." Hughes and his four crew members had taken their Monoplane around a shorter route.

"The Bonshel" averaged about 254 miles an hour on its 20,000-mile flight. Taking into account 15 hours and 55 minutes lost in its nine stops, the big plane averaged about 318 miles an hour while in actual flight.

A couple of minutes after coming over La Guardia, the plane landed and the three globe-gridders stepped

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Relief Performance Being Planned Here

A moving picture and command performance will be worked out for a relief show next Wednesday night at one of the local theaters, it was announced shortly before press time today.

Wayne Wallace, manager of the local theaters, said he would work out with some organization a plan for the presentation, all the funds from which will go to the benefit of the tornado-stricken in Northeast Panhandle.

"We will have an outstanding picture booked, and we'll probably know tomorrow what it will be," he said. "And we hope that the best entertainment talent in Pampa and surrounding areas can be brought in here for the show. All the proceeds will go for the stricken people."

He said more complete details would be made public tomorrow.

Meanwhile, the "Good Neighbor Fund" at noon today had reached \$12,828.00.

This total is not official; as some people turning in donations to the Pampa News, Radio Station KPON, the First National Bank, and the Citizens Bank and Trust Company have designated their money to the Red Cross Disaster Fund.

This fund was started by a donation of \$1,000 by Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Brown, and was appreciably bolstered by a \$5,000 donation by Mrs. Myrtle D. Jackson. Hers is the outstanding contribution.

Yesterday a donation by Thompson Hardware Co., was erroneously listed at \$25. It should have read \$100.

The following is a list of contributors from noon yesterday through noon today:

H. L. Polk	5.00
J. W. Gregory	5.00
R. E. Converse	25.00
C. W. Lawrence	15.00
Edridge C. Davis	25.00
O. W. Williams	25.00
McWilliams Motor Co.	100.00
John H. Haggard	100.00
Merton Home Demonstration Club	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. DeLoe Vickers	25.00
Frank Bradley	5.00
Motor Inn	100.00
David A. Jaffe	5.00
W. L. Farnham	100.00
Guy Farrington	25.00
W. F. Moore	25.00
L. B. Phillips	5.00
Mrs. Larry E. Larsen	100.00
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John Haggard	100.00
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E. A. Baldwin	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Brown	100.00
McCart Bold	5.00
K. W. Burch	25.00
Southwestern Public Service	100.00
E. R. Palmer	5.00
Mr. E. W. Whisler	25.00
H. H. Keechey	20.00
Oscar Braswell	5.00
C. E. Fuller	5.00
E. M. Vaughn	15.00
L. D. Gill	25.00
E. G. Barrett	100.00
J. O'Brien	100.00
W. L. Farnham	100.00
Davis Hotel	5.00
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E. P. Vandenberg	100.00
W. S. Talbert	25.00
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John Doe	250.00
P. D. Somers	100.00
J. W. Kassar	100.00
M. F. Mitchell	250.00
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clark	15.00
Mr. and Mrs. G. Galman	25.00
Patsy & Lynn Farmer	1.00
Gifford C. Cox	200.00

Woodward Operators Resign from Union

WOODWARD, Okla.--(P)--Justice Ruble, chairman of the Woodward Telephone Workers' Local, said yesterday telephone operators here will resign from their union because they were instructed not to return to work after last Wednesday's tornado.

Operators, who went on strike with other telephone workers over the nation April 7, will mail their resignations individually to union headquarters, Miss Ruble said.

The operators returned to work immediately after the disaster and have been on duty ever since.

The local telephone system is a part of the Southwestern Bell System and operators are members of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Workers' Union.

NAVAL RESERVE OPENINGS

Persons interested in the Naval Reserve or Regular Navy may contact Lt. Mack Hiett, at the Texas Employment Commission in the Combs-Worley building or see the Navy Recruiters at the Pampa Post Office each Tuesday morning.

Gruner Hanged With Others of Underground

JERUSALEM--(P)--Dov Ben Gruner and three other Jews convicted of acts of violence against British authority in the Holy Land were hanged at dawn today in Acre prison, and a curfew of unprecedented severity whips in their jail Palestine to prevent bloody retaliation.

The four prisoners went to the gallows defiantly--all of them singing the Jewish anthem.

Even before they died, double and triple guards were mounted on security points. British citizens began moving voluntarily into safety zones, and Jews were prevented from leaving their homes.

So acute was the nation-wide tension that some authorities indicated fear that the security measures themselves might produce disturbances. One officer at Tel Aviv said, "We hope this curfew will not last too long."

Gruner, a 33-year-old Hungarian veteran of the British Army, and the other three were members of Irgun Zvai Leumi, the Jewish underground organization which claims to have been responsible for most of Palestine's bloodletting in recent months.

Gruner was sentenced Jan. 1 by a British military court which found him guilty of participating in a raid on the Ramat Gan police station April 23 in which two policemen were killed and Gruner wounded.

The other three--Dov Ben Salmon, Rosenbaum, 24; Eliezer Ben Zvi Kashani, 23; and Mordecai Ben Abraham Alkahi, 21--were condemned on Feb. 10 by another military court which convicted them of having arms and whips in their possession when they were arrested on Dec. 23, the night a British Major and three sergeants were flogged by the underground in retaliation for the whipping of an Arab member.

Prison sources said Gruner, first of the four to die, sang the Jewish National Anthem "Hatikvah" (freedom) all the while he was on the scaffold waiting for the noose to be adjusted, and that these were his last words:

"So long as a Jewish soul remains in our heart; so long as I look toward Zion, we will not give up hope, the age-long hope to return to the country of our fathers and to the city where David lived."

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City and School Tax Deadline Is Set Here as May 1

City and School tax authorities said today that the listing of all real and personal property by property owners will have to be in by May 1 or they will be placed on the unadvised roll.

Both Roy McMillen, business manager of the schools and Aubrey Jones, city tax collector, said that a great number of people have not listed their property with either of the two offices. If these delinquents have to be placed on the unadvised roll they will not have a very strong comeback after the Board of Equalization has made its returns on property values.

Listing forms have been sent out to all listed property owners with their property listed and valued as of last year. All the owner is required to do is read it sign it, return, making any changes necessary. Those who do not make the return will have their property evaluated as the Board of Evaluation sees fit.

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News items from Pennsylvania: "A calling all cars and stations" alarm went out over the state police radio system to watch for a motorist speeding eastward in a convertible coupe.

"Stopped by troopers. The tourist was surprised to hear that he had 'forgotten' his wife in a town 30 miles back."

The newspaper story didn't give the man's name—but his face is vaguely familiar.

I've seen him sitting silently across from his wife in a restaurant, reading a newspaper or staring into space. From the man's beginning to his end he doesn't direct more than three remarks her way. From the disinterested look he

wears, those are probably, "What would you like?" "You should have ordered the roast beef," and "Are you ready to go?"

At a party he is the husband who takes leave of his wife on arrival and pays no more attention to her until it is time to go home.

As a host he is the "my car," "my house," and "my kid" talker whose wife seems afraid to make any comment more startling than, "I believe the room is getting a bit chilly." Even that he is likely to brush aside.

NOT AT ALL SURPRISING

It doesn't seem strange that a man could drive along for 30 miles without realizing he had left his wife behind—not if one has ever observed husbands who behave like the ones mentioned above.

It must be clear to anyone who has seen that such men are always forgetting their wives.

And once forgetting has become a habit, there is not much a wife can do about it.

Wise Hostess Mentions Special Interests When Introducing Her Guests

By ALICE HART
NEA Staff Writer

Formula for being a successful hostess: encourage your guests to expand.

When you do, says concert violinist Dorothy Powers, also famed as a hostess, a guest overcomes shyness and responds to you and to others in the group, thus adding her considerable bit to the success of the gathering.

How to make guests feel expansive and happy? Miss Powers says the introduction should be flattering. To make it so, our mentor says you need to be a sleuth as well as a hostess and find out more than the guest's name. Maybe she grows prize dahlias. Is chairman of a community drive. Has a hobby, a career of special pursuit.

Stating her qualifications when you introduce her not only encourages her to expand, according to Miss Powers, but gives your other guests a helpful conversation cue.

Lacking any previous knowledge of a new guest, ask questions. Miss Powers reminds you that every man, woman and child wants up to a genuine interest expressed in his job, cause, hobby or special pursuit.

ACCEPTS CALL

McLEAN, (Special)—Rev. Karl H. Ernst, student at Princeton, N. J., has announced acceptance of the call to be pastor of the First Presbyterian Church here, and will assume his duties June 1.

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ON "CERTAIN DAYS" OF MONTH? This great medicine is famous to relieve painful distress and tired, nervous, irritable feelings, of such days—when due to female functions monthly disturbance.

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SOCIETY

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The Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY

7:00 Intermediate Choir rehearsal at First Baptist Church under direction of Mrs. N. H. Ellis.

7:00 Sunday School teachers and officers will meet at First Baptist Church.

7:45 Revival services at Church of the Brethren.

8:00 Mid-week prayer service at First Baptist.

8:15 "People's Power Night" at Central Baptist.

THURSDAY

1:00 Bethany Class of First Baptist Church will have a luncheon at the church.

1:30 Mary Class of First Baptist Church will meet at the church for a covered dish luncheon.

2:00 Business meeting in home of Mrs. Jeff Bearden, 213 N. Starkweather.

4:00 Junior A. A. at First Baptist.

4:00 First Baptist Girls' Ensemble.

7:00 All church choir rehearsal at First Baptist.

7:30 Theater party for Woodrow Wilson teachers. Meet at school.

8:00 Rebekah meeting in IOGF Hall.

8:30 Skellytown H. D. Club meeting in Skelly Club House.

8:30 Singing at White Deer Church of Christ.

8:30 SPERSOSIA meeting in Sam Houston Auditorium.

8:30 Eastern Star meeting in Masonic Hall at White Deer.

MONDAY

2:00 First Baptist Church Baby Beauty Contest in church basement.

2:30 Board of Directors of the Pampa Council of Church Women will meet in church parlors of First Methodist Church.

8:00 Beta Sigma Phi.

TUESDAY

2:00 Honkies H. D. Club.

2:30 Civic Study Club.

2:30 El Progreso Club.

2:30 Varietas Study Club.

2:30 Twentieth Century Club.

2:30 Seven Eleven Club.

2:30 Theta Rho Club.

2:30 Social meeting of B P & W Club in City Club Rooms.

New Officers Elected By Gray-Roberts Unit State Teachers Assn.

Logan Cummings, superintendent of McLean schools, was elected president of the Gray-Roberts Unit of the Texas State Teachers Association at its last quarterly banquet and meeting held at the Pampa High School Cafeteria last night at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Sam Irwin, of the Sam Houston School, was elected first vice president.

Other new officers include A. H. Gordon, superintendent of Miami schools, second vice president; Miss Clara Anderson, Lefers, third vice president; Larry Sanders, coach at McLean, secretary; and H. L. McClellan, Hopkins School, treasurer.

Miss Virginia Vaughan, teacher at Pampa High School, the retiring president, presided over the meeting. An entertainment number was presented by each school representative.

White Deer School Plans Community Day on April 18

WHITE DEER, (Special)—The White Deer Grade School has planned a Community Day program for next Friday, April 18, and the pupils are inviting their parents to join in the day's festivities.

The program will begin at 9:45 a. m. with a concert by the grade school band. This will be followed by a speech of welcome by Supt. Emmitt Smith and response by Dalton Ford.

Special numbers by the first four grades, the 4-H Clubs, then the intermediate grades will complete the morning schedule.

After a basket lunch, there will be an assembly at 12:45, followed by programs by the Scouts, Cubs, and Brownies. If the weather permits, track and field events and soft ball will conclude the day's activities.

Seven-Eleven Club Makes Final Plans For Tournament

The final plans for the boxing tournament here Thursday and Friday and Saturday night were made last evening when members of the Seven-Eleven Club met in the home of Richard Hughes, 520 W. Franklin.

Jim Wilson, president, presided over the meeting in which the various committees made their reports on their achievements during the past week. Wilson announced that the boys entering the tournament would weigh in at the Junior High Gym Thursday evening before the fights from 3 to 5:30 o'clock.

Two local doctors will be on hand to give the boys their physical examinations and the deadline for the entries is 5:30 that evening.

Tickets were issued to the members of the club and can be obtained also at the Combs-Worley building.

Those members receiving tickets were: Jim Wilson, Bobby Hayes, Doug Mills, Bill Runyon, G. D. Holmes, Gary Cooper, Tommy White, Pete Cooper, Jimmie Cline, Don Byars, Dale Richardson, Keith Payne, Gene Garrison, Sonny Morris, Michael Rowe, Maurice Lockhart, Buddy Sawyer, Jimmy Cox, Jim Bill Winder, Mickey McCray, Hansel Kennedy, Dick Hughes, Derrall Davis, Malcolm Douglass, and Carroll Smith.

Local Ministers Preach at McLean

McLEAN, (Special)—Rev. M. W. Chaffin of the Church of Christ announces that a six-day revival is underway with a different speaker each night at 7:30.

J. P. Crenshaw, Pampa, will preach Friday night on "Have Miracles Ceased?" and Saturday night L. H. Andrews, also of Pampa, will use as his subject "Can a Good Man Be Saved Outside the Church?"

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Tommy Cantrell Four Years Old

SHAMROCK, (Special)—Tommy Glenn Cantrell was complimented with a party Saturday by his mother, Mrs. Travis Cantrell, on his fourth birthday.

An Easter egg hunt provided entertainment for the group and at refreshment time the birthday cake was topped with four lighted tapers.

Children attending were Karen Veazey, Mike Cantrell, Donna Joyce Pennington, Gary Veazey, Ronnie Cantrell, Jerry Hrdciar, Pat Cantrell, Judy Morgan, Molly Kay Cantrell, Jimmy Morgan, Wendell Cantrell, Kay Morgan, Freda Tugwell, and Rose Ann Cantrell.

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Around 70 Attend Theta Rho Club's Banquet Tuesday

Around 70 persons were in attendance at the Theta Rho banquet held last evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall by members of the local Theta Rho Club, to raise funds for their trip to the Grand Rally to be held in Corsicana in June.

W. A. Nolan was toastmaster and invocation was given by Carl Baer. Seven films of sport and comedy, donated for the occasion by Earl McConnell, a friend of the club, were greatly enjoyed by those in attendance.

Colleen Voyles, president of the club, was introduced by the toastmaster after which he presented her with a pair of bluebird car sleeves, club emblem, gift of Mrs. Ed Wylie, former advisory officer. Mrs. E. N. Franklin, secretary of the Theta Rho State Board of Control, was also introduced.

The meal was prepared by Messrs. and Mesdames E. N. Franklin, W. A. Nolan, Barney Brummett, Dewey Voyles, and Robert Hollis; Mesdames John Killian, Roy Kretzschmar, and John Mitchell; and Chester Nicholson, Vess Brummett, and Jack Lewis, and was served by the Theta Rho girls who were dressed in black skirts and white blouses, aprons and caps with the blue bird emblem on the caps.

Altrurian Club Has Covered Dish Dinner

PANHANDLE, (Special)—The members of the Altrurian Club honored their husbands and guests with a covered dish dinner served buffet style in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church Thursday evening.

The club colors of pink, green and yellow were carried out in floral decorations of peach blossoms and forsythia. For favors guests were given novelty of crepe paper in the same colors.

The guests were welcomed by the club president, Mrs. George Crossman, and a program under the direction of Mrs. H. B. Shelton, was given with Mrs. Merle Lewellen giving several musical numbers and Mrs. Skelton directing the games.

Guests present were Messrs and Mesdames Louie F. Clegg, M. C. Davis, Doyle Chrisman, Layle Gilkerson, and Leo Thorp, and Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Fisher.

Members present were Mesdames Herbert Brown, Herman Lemons and Elmer Padgett; and Messrs. and Mesdames G. J. Atkins, George Crossman, Harold Knapp, Howard Lane, Merle Lewellen, S. R. Lanning, Mason Lemons, Ralph Metcalf, James McDaniels, Ernest Roselius, Judson Skaggs, H. B. Skelton, A. J. Weiser, Guy Wester, Paul Dauer, and Nolan Sparks.

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53 Age
57 North Dakota (ab.)
59 Terbium (ab.)

Merten Club Gives to 'Good Neighbor Fund'

At its meeting yesterday afternoon in the home of Mrs. D. A. Caldwell the Merten Home Demonstration Club voted to donate \$10 to the "Good Neighbor Fund."

Mrs. E. E. Etheridge, presided over a short business session. It was announced that Mesdames V. Smith, H. C. Hammit, A. Say, and E. R. Day will meet in Miss Ann Hastings' office May 5 for a training school which will cover the meeting on May 20.

Mrs. A. M. Nash, assisted by Mrs. H. H. Threatt, gave interesting demonstrations on "Construction of Slip-Covers." Mrs. Threatt also demonstrated the dot snappers.

Refreshments of cherry pie, ice cream and coffee were served to Mesdames Smith, Etheridge, Jay, Nash, Threatt, J. C. Steward, John Brandon, W. A. Bell, U. S. Day, A. Swafford, Florence Warriner, and Mrs. Ernest James, daughter of the hostess.

TEL Class Members Hold Luncheon and Business Meeting

Members of the T. E. L. Class of the Central Baptist Church met recently in the home of Mrs. W. O. Grace, Stanolind Camp west of town, for a luncheon and business meeting.

Mrs. O. H. Gilstrap, president, presided over the business meeting and Mrs. S. L. Anderson gave the devotional, making comments on Col. 3:16, the class motto.

It was announced that sick members were remembered at Easter time.

Mrs. May Monroe led the closing prayer.

Members attending were Mesdames Grace, H. B. Knapp, Anderson, Noah Jones, John Gray, May Monroe, G. E. Stark, Roy Hallman, R. B. James, A. E. Pruitt, Pearl Ewin, and Gilstrap. Visitors were Mrs. Kate Hunter and Mrs. Buck Hammond.

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District Meeting of Catholic Women in Umbarger Tomorrow

Rev. Otto Meyer, Mrs. Ralph J. Kiser, president of the Diocesan Council, and Mesdames M. P. Roche, H. P. Martin, D. C. Kennedy, and Frank Walker are among Pampans who will attend the meeting in Umbarger tomorrow of the Amarillo District Council of Catholic Women.

Theme of the meeting will be "Intellectual and Spiritual Guidance Through Catholic Action," and main speaker will be Most Reverend Laurence J. FitzSimon, Bishop of the Amarillo Diocese. Mrs. Kiser, who has also attended the district meetings in San Angelo, Sweetwater, and Nazareth this week, will give a brief talk.

A business meeting has been scheduled for 10:30 with luncheon following at one o'clock. The Umbarger ladies will be hostesses.

HOUSING PROJECT

TOKYO—(AP)—Housing note: College in Tokyo will be converted into a housing project for the families of 85 American occupation personnel.

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Forum Club Hears Interesting Review

SHAMROCK—(Special)—Mrs. Rufus Dotson gave an interesting book review for the Forum Club when they met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Albert Ryan.

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Mrs. Caston Harbour was leader of the program. Roll call was answered with "Great biographers."

Mrs. Dodgen, who is an excellent speaker, reviewed "The Brother," by Dorothy Clark Wilson.

Refreshments were served at the close of the program.

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Inter-American Defense Program Goes Unattended

By DeWitt Mackenzie
(AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)
In these hard days when the world pre-eminently divided against itself, there is a weakness in the military defense—not to mention the good-neighbor policy—of the great bloc of nations comprising the Western Hemisphere.
This is due to a lack of solidarity which has enervated the American continent, especially in the clash of views between the Argentine and the United States. Washington, the American government more than once has charged Argentina with fostering totalitarian Nazism and has demanded that DEWITT MACKENZIE this influence be eliminated. Relations between the two countries have been strained, and this has been reflected in the attitudes of other Pan-American countries.
The result of this unhappy situation has been that the program for

Inter-American defense, which was projected in the Act of Chapultepec in 1945, has not been ratified, was to be formalized in a meeting at Rio de Janeiro, and that party still awaits a rapprochement which will bring the great Argentina back into the union.
Since General Peron came to the presidency last year, the Argentine has announced moves which his government cited as aimed at meeting the demand for eradication of Nazism in the country, and this has given rise to some hope that a solution of the difficulty was on its way. And now Senator Vandenberg, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, has made a speech which is widely interpreted as a pressing invitation to the Argentine to bury the past and get back into the fold.
The Senator was addressing the governing board of the Pan-American Union in Washington last Monday Pan-American day. He made a strong plea for hemispheric solidarity.
The Senator didn't stop with Pan-American solidarity. He urged Canada to join the American republics and occupy the seat which is provided for her when the Pan-American Union was founded fifty-seven years ago.
Many observers take that to be a logical invitation, Canada, while a member of the British commonwealth of nations, is a sovereign state, no longer responsible to England. She is free to join the Pan-American Union of the twenty-one republics if she so chooses. She already has agreed to participate with the United States in a military defense program.

Fans Aren't Happy! Star Is Done Wrong

LUFKIN—(AP)—Fans in this grid-conscious city are irked.
They are talking about the item that appeared in the papers regarding Kyrle Rote, Thomas Jefferson High School's star athlete, going to Vanderbilt. The article said Rote was the only schoolboy star ever to be named on the All-State in two sports in one year.
Well, that point out, Lufkin had a boy named Harmon Carswell who back in 1944 was All-State both in football and basketball, and in addition he won the district and regional tennis singles titles and pitched and won three baseball games.
Harmon, also, was a fair hand at horseshoe pitching and could perform class swimming feats.
He's now at Rice Institute.
Prudence at this juncture of our history demands that Communists be deprived of the right to seek or hold public office.
—James F. Green of Omaha, Neb., chairman American Legion Americanism Committee.

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RETURN ENGAGEMENT

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THE train, which had labored north from Boston under a clear spring sky, was three-quarters of an hour late in arriving at the little station of Goose Neck, on the Maine coast.

At last its whistle could be heard at Goose River bridge. The stationmaster came out of his office. The postmaster wheeled his sacks of mail to the head of the platform. A few loiterers turned their attention toward the tracks. A tall, elderly man, hawk-nosed and bowler-hatted, who looked very much like an English butler in a play, advanced in the direction of the approaching train from the bench where he had been waiting in the shade.

This was Sir Charles Madden, come to meet his employer. Passing the stationmaster, he paused, bent his head and said, as if announcing royalty, "She is come!" He did not mean the train, but rather the distinguished passenger he was awaiting.

So short was the station platform that although the engineer pulled his cab well beyond the front end, the chair-cars in the rear were left standing forlornly out in the cinders.

Sir Charles knew better than to seek Madame van Eyck and her party in the interior, if temporarily more luxurious, regions close behind the panting engine. He began picking his way down the cinder path under the interested eyes of the passengers whose business was taking them on beyond Goose Neck. As he neared the Pullman section, the people he had come to meet—there were three of them—appeared together on the platform.

They were the only chair-car passengers getting off at Goose Neck.

The first to reach the cinders, waving a greeting to Sir Charles, was Victoria Jenkins, Madame's granddaughter, a girl in her early 20s, delicately boned and with hair the color of pollen showing under a moss-green bonnet that matched her coat. She turned back to help the porter with the elderly lady following, whose skirts were dragging the soot off the car steps.

After the lady came the third member of the party, Monsieur Marcel Perrault, a small man, also elderly, with a black mustache under his insignificant nose, and a braid pulled on sideways above a monkeyish face.

He was an odd figure, lost in the folds of an ancient cape that had once been black; yet he might have been older still without attracting much attention in the company he kept. For the elderly lady, a head taller than he and built on the heroic scale, was more noticeable in every way.

After a lifetime of dazzling the world, Sophie van Eyck had come home.

It was a strange chance of the European upheaval that had uprooted her from her pink villa in the perfumed air of southern France and landed her here on the cold New England coast. When the Nazis began to make life unpleasant in Europe many people scurried away from the French Riviera, rushing off the sunny rocks in a fright to resettle themselves elsewhere. One of these

The Republican Party in Congress has not yet been approved by the voters. It is still on trial. It will not be approved in 1948 if it follows a program of reaction during the next two years.

—Sen. George A. Aiken (R) of Vermont.

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The passing of the train had left the four of them marooned. It was, for Madame van Eyck, an ignominious return to her birthplace, an entrance scarcely more notable than the manner in which she had left Goose Neck a lifetime ago.

refugees was Sophie van Eyck. War had made basking in the sun immoral—even for very old ladies—as well as impracticable. Madame's return from Europe reminded people of what most of them had forgotten or had never known: van Eyck was an American. In all her travels, throughout the great career that began obscurely enough in the Odessa when she was barely twenty, Madame had never changed her citizenship. Even when she married Max Bernheim, the international banker, and retired to his pink villa in the sun, she did not adopt his nationality. So she had been able to get to Lisbon with a reasonable degree of comfort, and sailed for America without Max—who had died on the day Germany marched into Poland—but with his fortune and her furnishings and Monsieur Perrault, who was her portrait painter; and with Sir Charles Madden and Madame's own enchanting granddaughter, Victoria Jenkins.

SIR CHARLES now stepped off haughtily over a rail, bowed to Madame, patted Victoria affectionately and lent a hand with the alarming amount of heterogeneous baggage belonging to the three passengers.

"How is it, Sir Charles?" asked Victoria eagerly. "Do you like it? Is it really right on the ocean, just like the house at Antibes? Is everything settled?"

Monsieur Perrault, pulling his cape around him, shivered and said with a strong French accent he had not lost in half a century of traveling with Sophie, "It is so cold! Never in my life was I so cold!"

It was, in fact, cold. Although the sun moved high across an almost cloudless sky, there was a fresh, strong wind and a feeling in the air of being close to the mountains.

"I like it," said Victoria. "Well, come along, Granny. We'll have to find someone to help with all this junk."

"I'm afraid there isn't anyone," said Sir Charles doubtfully. "Mar-

cel and I will have to make several trips."

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Nevertheless, she began walking along the cinders as if they were a red carpet.

SOPHIE sought the station agent, her obsolete seakink cape sweeping the platform, her outmoded turban carried like a crown on her white hair. "Is there a porter here?" she demanded.

"Can someone help us with our baggage?" She spoke with authority, but softly. Then, letting the man have the effect of her diaphanous, she looked down on him and said in full voice, "I am Sophie van Eyck."

The stationmaster, a sharp-faced old man like a gray squirrel, cocked his head to peer up at her under his eyeshade. "That so?" he said. "Clarence Hathaway's cab is out there. He maybe can help with your things." Turning, he called along the platform, "Hey, Clarence, you busy? This here's Miss van Eyck."

Texas Today

By JACK RUTLEDGE
Associated Press Staff
With a sigh of relief, Palestine, Texas, is getting ready to relax. Playing host to tens of thousands of Texans who came to see the famous Dogwood Trails is no push-over, civic leaders admit.

The dogwood trees are shedding their foamy white blossoms, bright green leaves are taking over, and the annual pilgrimage has come to an end.

True, a few dogwoods are still in bloom, but the sight that has attracted as many as 80,000 persons to Palestine in a week's time has faded.

The prettiest day, possibly, was Easter. The weather was good, the trees blanketed over 600 acres of rolling forest land with glistening white flowers, the newly-paved road through the park was packed with victors.

It is an appropriate day for the dogwoods to be at their best. For this is the legend of the dogwood tree, briefly:

The crosses upon which Christ was crucified was of dogwood, for in those days, legend has it, the tree was tall and strong and straight. Other dogwood trees were humiliated and sorrowed by the knowledge that one of their number was the Cross. So Jesus smiled, and decreed that from that time on, all dogwood trees would be gnarled and twisted and small, so that none of its timber could be used for such a purpose again.

Further, Christ said his blossoms would have four petals, one for each nail that had bled from his hands and feet. In the center of the flowers would be a replica of the crown of thorns.

It is true that today the dogwood trees are small, almost an underbrush foliage beneath towering pines and oaks in the Palestine dogwood forest and elsewhere. Their

Who will sit down and write an opera today when they can sell an "Open the Door, Richard" for a million dollars?—Opera singer Lauritz Melchior.

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AMARILLO—Frank Mekules, big righthanded pitcher who won 13 games and lost 6 for last year's team, has been returned to the Amarillo Gold Sox on option from Little Rock of the Southern Association.

This gives the Sox three returnees from last season's strong box corps. The others are Lefty Lonergan and Joe Budny, righthander, and among them they won 39 games while losing only 16 in 1946.

Amarillo now has seven members of the 1946 team which lost second place to the Pampa Oilers in the final regularly-scheduled contest last September—Mekules, Lonergan and Budny, pitchers; Joe Bauman, first baseman; and league home-run monarch; Bob Crues and Al Duarte, outfielders, and Manager Harry Lamprich, catcher.

Also with the Sox is Bobby Decker, veteran infielder who batted .344 for Berger.

Five of these experienced players—Bauman, Crues, Lamprich, Decker and Duarte—hit 111 home runs during the 1946 campaign, so it appears the Soxers will be seeking again.

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By R. E. Sprinkle

Hartung Opens Season Banging Out Double
PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—Clint Hartung, the fabulous rookie for the New York Giants, opened his Major League career with a bang yesterday, rapping the first ball pitched to him for a run-driving in two-bagger.

Hartung's blow came off Veteran Schoolboy Rowe of the Philadelphia Phillies. In three later trips to the plate, the \$25,000 outfielder collected a single, a walk and a groundout—and drove in one run.

He made three catches in the outfield but bobbled a drive off the bat of Rowe. He had plenty of company in the miscue department, however, the Giants made five errors.

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AMARILLO—Frank Mekules, big righthanded pitcher who won 13 games and lost 6 for last year's team, has been returned to the Amarillo Gold Sox on option from Little Rock of the Southern Association.

This gives the Sox three returnees from last season's strong box corps. The others are Lefty Lonergan and Joe Budny, righthander, and among them they won 39 games while losing only 16 in 1946.

Amarillo now has seven members of the 1946 team which lost second place to the Pampa Oilers in the final regularly-scheduled contest last September—Mekules, Lonergan and Budny, pitchers; Joe Bauman, first baseman; and league home-run monarch; Bob Crues and Al Duarte, outfielders, and Manager Harry Lamprich, catcher.

Also with the Sox is Bobby Decker, veteran infielder who batted .344 for Berger.

Five of these experienced players—Bauman, Crues, Lamprich, Decker and Duarte—hit 111 home runs during the 1946 campaign, so it appears the Soxers will be seeking again.

There were about 214,000 auto service stations in the United States in 1946.

APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR PERMIT
The undersigned is an applicant for a Retail Liquor Permit from the Texas Liquor Control Board and hereby gives notice by publication of such application in accordance with provisions of Section 10, House Bill No. 77, Acts of the Second called session of the 44th Legislature, designated as the Texas Liquor Control Act.

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THANKS, GOVERNOR JESTER

Gov. Beauford Jester, in visiting with the people of Glazier and Higgins, Texas, during their hour of strife, has the thanks of the entire Panhandle.

When the Governor, who no doubt left a desk piled high with the business of a populous state, talked with those who had seen their families and their homes struck down by the acts of nature, he showed concern, and went back to the Capitol having stated that he would expend every effort relieving hardship.

The citizens of Pampa were glad to have had the Governor visit here. He heard the suggestions of citizens as to what to do in behalf of the Northeast Panhandle tornado victims. In that, he showed an understanding of the people's needs.

And while we are speaking of the Governor, we are pleased to be able to commend his act in endorsing a few days ago state legislation outlawing the closed shop in this state.

We are heartened greatly to note that the Governor, along with a majority of our legislators in this state, has realized the insidious results of the closed shop. Certainly not least of its ills is the undemocratic forces it brings against the individual who simply wants a job. It unburies that individual of the necessity of paying homage to that insipid god—the heretofore all-powerful labor union.

It is our remaining hope and expectation that the nation will see very soon what accession to labor unions through state and national legislation is leading to—socialism. It is our hope and expectation that the nation will see very soon that a bloc of labor, seeking to bargain on a national basis, can thrust upon the masses of people a state of paralysis comparable to the effects of the most disastrous tornado.

For the Governor's endorsement, we say thanks.

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news behind the news

RESTRAINT

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman's stock is bullish at the moment, the man in the White House refuses to become too sanguine over future political prospects.

As he begins his third year in office and enters the pre-1948 campaign period, he shows extraordinary restraint in analyzing his chances of re-election.

He will breathe more easily when he sees the actual results of his present anti-communism crusade in far portions of the universe, of Secretary Marshall's current attempt to wrest at least a tentative settlement of European difficulties, of his veto against price inflation and a veto struggle with the Republican Congress over gestating labor, tax, budget and appropriation bids.

He knows that if any part of this comprehensive program breaks down—and there is no present assurance of temporary or ultimate success on all these shaky fronts—his popularity could disappear overnight. He is especially disturbed over the snowballing of consumer goods costs and another wave of disastrous strikes.

ADVISERS—In preparing to blunt or avoid the shocks of adversity, President Truman has taken personal a direct charge of his political affairs, as he has asserted himself in the field of government policy.

He has not banished the last of the New Dealers of high and low degree who, in his opinion, "gave me the best advice that any incoming President ever received" during his first six months in the White House.

Included in that category are Henry Wallace, whose pro-Russian and wage-price policies won so many enemies; Chester Bowles, whose management of OPA irritated both producers and consumers; Harold L. Ickes, whose surly, antagonistic personality and a host of subordinate with pinkish ideas.

His top advisers now are John W. Snyder, Secretary of the Treasury; Clark M. Clifford, special counsel and man of all work; and

★ THOUGHTS

Peace be with the wills, and prosperity with the peace, Psalms 122:7. If peace cannot be maintained honor is no longer useful.

WELFARE

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—John L. Lewis' loud-mouthed demand that the \$700,000 fine levied against his United Mine Workers' union be revoked and given to the families of the Centralia disaster victims doesn't make sense.

Idling in a New York bank are over \$18 million earmarked by the government as a welfare and retirement fund belonging to the miners. This money has been accumulated in the last 10 months from the five-cents-a-ton royalty paid by the coal mine owners, as provided in the Krug-Lewis contract signed last May 29.

The contract specified that this fund would be administered by three trustees—one named by the UMW, one named by the government, and the third to be agreed on by the other two.

For six months nothing was done about setting up this board of trustees to administer the fund and disburse how benefits and pensions would be paid. The board isn't functioning yet.

Last Dec. 29 Lewis did notify the government that on June 19 the International Executive Board of the UMW had met and designated him as trustee for the union. Why this six months' delay in notification has never been explained.

Anyway, in January Interior Secretary J. A. King named Coal Mine Administrator Norman H. Collison as trustee for the government until such time as the mines

Common Ground

By R. C. HOILES

Is There Neither Right Nor Wrong? Our juvenile and moral delinquency is largely due to the so general belief that nothing is either right nor wrong. If people did not generally believe this, most of our laws would not now be on the statute books.

On this subject, Edith Johnson, columnist for the Daily Oklahoman draws a very logical conclusion as to the result of this belief. I reproduce her article below under the heading of "Is There Neither Right Nor Wrong?"

It was over their after-dinner coffee that a group of keen men and charming women were discussing the eternal problem of right and wrong. With one exception they were in complete agreement. The old moral absolutes had to go. Aristotelian teaching must give way to the Einsteinian theory—all is relative.

Said the pretty woman in the cerise frock, "Everything contains the elements of both right and wrong."

"Isn't it because the majority cling to their old ideas of what is right and what is wrong that we have so much delinquency, crime and divorce?" asked one of the men. "Isn't it going to be a realization that everything, even conduct, is relative, to heal our social ills?"

"If the older people cannot grasp that truth the younger ones certainly do," asserted a woman whose jeweled fingers held a cigarette. "Young people seem to have a much clearer concept of relativity than their elders."

"Doesn't that mean that this world is not going to be set right until the adult generation dies off and its children grow up to take its place?" observed one of the men in that circle.

"If children and young people are not taught by their elders what is right and what is wrong, what shall they be taught?" asked the minority member.

"Why teach them to love," chattered the majority. "Then they will always do the acceptable thing"—how careful they were not to use the word "right."

It was in the "gay nineties" that we were not so sure that Fra Elbertus as Elbert Hubbard liked to call himself, began to tell his readers and listeners that he was neither right nor wrong, neither white nor black, only shades of gray. At that time he was blasting at other rocks of old belief. A lot of people were enjoying the spectacle and he was enjoying all the applause he received.

Although Aurora, N. Y., when he shot off his intellectual fireworks, is only one more town on today's map, and the bound volumes of Hubbard's miniature magazine

are shaking their heads over the prospect of basic agreement with Russia as a result of a recent unpublicized Moscow clash between the two top deputies representing Moscow and Washington—Andrei V. Vishinsky and Robert D. Murphy, respectively. An aggressive source of information is even the best-informed Russians' ignorance of our laws, customs and institutions.

The controversy was sparked by Deputy Foreign Minister Vishinsky's proposal that any central German government be clothed with "state" security powers. Other spokesmen expressed their fear that such an organization would enable the controlling authorities, possibly Russia, to establish the sort of Gestapo that Hitler did, and eventually dominate all of Germany. Mr. Murphy supported this position.

Vishinsky retorted angrily that he merely urged the same set-up that prevailed in the U. S.—namely, federal control over the state police, calmly and restrainedly, the American had to explain that the power of the FBI is specifically defined by federal law and the constitution, and that J. Edgar Hoover's boys cannot override or overrun the local authorities.

The Russian eventually apologized for his ignorance of "the American police system." But our observers here at Moscow recognize that our own ignorance of Muscovite conditions and institutions is equally abysmal, largely because the Kremlin prefers it that way.

RECEIVING APPEARANCES—WEST LOS ANGELES—(AP)—"The world is gold." That is what a burglar wrote, in German, on a mirror in the home of Prof. Max S. Dunn, after pocketing some jewelry.

Now the thief can add to his repertoire the saying "all that glitters is not gold." The Professor told police the loss was entirely in costume jewelry.

Lewis can act fast enough when it is to his advantage to do so. By seizing upon Collison's offer to keep closed all mines not found safe by reinspection, Lewis in effect called upon the government to continue indefinitely the six-day period of mourning. This is one way of shutting down the mines at a time when Lewis himself is restrained by court injunction from calling a strike.

Lewis's whole performance, since the Supreme Court decision against him has been an effort to get revenge. He has made the Centralia disaster an excuse for taking out his spite on Secretary Krug for beating him in his effort to break his contract with the government.

Lewis has thrived and capitalized on his hatreds all through his career. His last great hate was against Franklin D. Roosevelt. But this new hatred of Krug seems to transcend even his hatred for Phil Murray of the CIO.

In sharp contrast to Lewis's violent vituperation Krug has kept his head and not been sucked into answering Lewis's slanders. By this action Krug has gained in stature where Lewis has lost.

By Peter Edson

At the end of February Lewis sent Collison a list of 11 names who would be acceptable to the mine workers as the third trustee. In March the government selected from this list the names of Thomas E. Murray, New York lawyer and prominent Catholic layman, as first choice for the third trustee. Murray has not indicated whether he will accept.

FAILURE OF LEWIS TO GET GOING The purpose for which this welfare fund was created is to make payments to miners and their dependents and survivors for wage loss resulting from sickness, permanent disability, retirement, or death. It was intended to cover just such situations as the Centralia explosion. But the survivors of that catastrophe and the dependents of those who died in it will get no immediate benefit from the \$18 million because the fund isn't working.

There is, of course, a question of whether this royalty payment and the resulting welfare fund will be continued in the new contract which Lewis and the coal operators must work out to take effect after June 30. In the meantime, Congress might pass a labor reform bill which would outlaw royalty payments and regulate the administration of welfare funds.

As of today however, there is no

Bradley to Check On Discrimination

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Gen. Omar Bradley, Chief of the Veterans Administration, yesterday agreed to check complaints of Carl L. Estes, Longview, Texas newspaper publisher, that some educational institutions in Texas are being "discriminated" against through lack of VA recognition.

Rep. Lindley Beekworth (D-Texas) reported that Gen. Bradley had agreed to look into the complaints after he had talked to him regarding Estes' complaints.

Estes wrote Texas Senators Connally and O'Daniel and Representatives Beekworth and Patman about the situation.

In his letters, he asserted that only those schools in Texas which are accredited by the American Association of Colleges and Universities, and such regional bodies as the Southern Association of Universities and Colleges, were recognized by the VA for participation in the G. I. Bill of Rights Veterans Financial Aid Program.

Estes did not specify any Texas institution by name.

So They Say

I've never found any counterfeiter who had any great amount of money.—Secret Service Chief James J. Maloney.

No amount of generosity, good intentions, available facilities or socialized services can give good health. Health, especially in the latter years of life, can be earned by intelligent individual effort.—Dr. Edward J. Steiglitz, authority on old-age diseases.

You Americans have got to remain in Japan after the peace treaty if the United States is going to insure world peace.—Japanese Premier Shigeru Yoshida.

In our efforts to get along with Russia on the questions of Poland, the Balkans and Trieste, we have stretched the policy of reconciliation and appeasement to the point where we are forced to look at our immediate past with a degree of shame.—Eric Johnston, president Motion Picture Association of America.

The Philistine gather dust in attics and on high closet shelves, his teaching that there is neither right nor wrong, neither white nor black, only shades of gray, to spread, given aid and comfort by men and women who have a new passion for exercising the ghosts of right and wrong. The sense of having done wrong, they tell us, causes the feelings and feelings of guilt the people must not have.

What would the intelligent think and feel if they were to see a moving picture of an incident that took place some years ago in the classroom of the late Dr. Josiah Royce, that great philosopher of Harvard.

"What if two and two should not add up to make four?" asked one of his students. "What if two and two should make 13?"

"Well," exclaimed Royce, "I I were to meet an angel who told me two and two add up to 13, I would know precisely what kind of an angel he was."

As strange to people who still believe that some things are right and others are wrong are the 1947 angels who wave aside such notions and say, "It's all relative." Everything is relative in this atomic age.

Of course, few among the right-and-wrong people deny that in measuring right and wrong there frequently are mitigating circumstances and that such circumstances must be taken into account.

And they would be among the first to agree that if all people should be the law, and if every impulse were loving they would commit no wrong.

But what about all the people who live and die without knowing what love means?

What of the children reared by unloving parents, even those by brutal fathers and heedless mothers whose example and influence is on the side of wrong-doing?

What of youngsters, thrown among gangsters and racketeers? What of others who grow up among love-livers and learn no other way of life unless someone should convince them there is a better way?

Can even fortunately placed children be expected to distinguish between desirable and undesirable conduct if moral distinctions are not made clear to them? Should we expect a child, after having to learn through failure and suffering?

Is it not the lack of code of conduct and standards of behavior a pitfall to countless young people who stumble into serious error and who may confront their parents, teachers or leaders in the future with the question, "Why did you not warn me? Why did you not show me the difference between right and wrong?"

Converts to the belief that right and wrong are merely relative notwithstanding, there are still some whites that are snow-white and some blacks that are densely black as millions of tragic victims of fensidness know to their sorrow. If the majority of men and women should decide to abolish right and wrong there could be but one result. Civilization would perish. And with it the human race might go, too.

QUICKIES

By Ken Reynolds

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73—Pampa News pays 10c lb. for good clean cotton rags. Must be fairly good size. No buttons, nor buckles. Want to buy 3 or 4 bedroom home. Phone 1202-W.

74—Farm Products DRESSED POULTRY—Whole and retail. Highest prices paid for all kinds of live poultry. Road Poultry, W. E. (Pete) Bond, rear of Furr Food, Phone 158.

75—Fryers for Sale—Call 457 Newman Dahlb Garden, 918 S. Pauline

81—Horses and Cattle FINEST FUR SALE—11.00 each, Mrs. L. P. Pendleton, Wheeler, Texas.

82—Pets FOR SALE—Black registered cocker spaniel female. Call at 307 N. Ward or phone 2254-J after 6 p. m.

83—Baby Chicks Feeds for every need. Gray County Fed Co. 854 W. Foster Phone 1161

6 room, 4 room, 3 room; all modern. JOHN I. BRADLEY 777—2321J

Stone-Thomason—Realtors Three-bedroom, solid brick with basement, located on Somerville, 500 acres in wheat, 100 acres barley, 500-acre wheat, County Farm, 600 acres in wheat, 100 acres barley, Lumber system, priced to sell. 100-acre combination wheat and stock farm.

110—City Property (Cont.)

FIVE-ROOM modern home, hardwood floors, kitchen installed, 50' x 100' lot. Inquire 591 E. Malone, Phone 1277-W.

For Sale by Owner 7-room home includes 3 bedrooms, den, two baths and laundry, 2 blocks south of High School. 4 rooms of furniture optional. Post office Box 1623, Pampa, Texas.

G. C. Stark, Ph. 819-W or 341 One of the best three-bedroom brick homes in town, with basement. North Somerville. I have other good listings. See me before you buy.

W. T. Hollis—Phone 1478 5-room house, close in, on pavement. 12500. Large, well located. Good hotel for sale, well located.

Farm and Ranch Land Houses and Business Property B. E. Ferrell, Phs 341—2000W

1398 - Booth-Weston - 2325W Nice 3-room home in walking distance of town. Carry road load. Five room house, close in. Basement close to Senior High.

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OWNER must sell 3-room house with 2-room addition. Priced \$10,000. Consider car on trade. 921 S. Sumner.

J. Haggard-Mrs. Bray, Realtors Duncan Bldg. Phone 909

3-bedroom home near High School, ready to move into. 3-bedroom house, 2 baths, in north part of town, furnished. 2-room house, completely furnished. Diner and furnished garage apt. Extra nice location. Several farms and ranches. List your property with us for quick results.

Lee R. Banks City and Income Property. Farms, Ranches, Oil Properties. 1st National Bank Bldg. Ph. 255-52

Arnold and Arnold Office Duncan Bldg.—Room 3 Office 758—Phones—Res 758

3-room home, Wilcox Addition, \$800.00. 2-room modern home, north end of town, \$2,800.00.

They're here! Those vegetable and yard plants, cabbage, tomatoes, pepper, and many others. Hoy's Flowers 320 West Brown, Phone 1670

Let us furnish you with the best chicks available. Start them on Morit All-Mash Starter fortified with calcium plus Amib-Acids. We have field, garden and spray seeds. James Feed Store 522 S. Cuyler Phone 1677

Are You One of Those People Who have been all over town looking for a good place to buy? No matter what kind, flower, bulb, garden or good certified field seeds. We have them, just one stop down it at Radcliff Supply Co. 112 E. Brown Ph. 1220

Don't forget we have fountains, feeders, brooders, and those good—Harvester Checker Chicks 500 W. Brown Phone 1120

89—Shrubbery Landscaping, Trees, Shrubs, Evergreens of Reputation Largest nursery stock in the Panhandle. BRUCE NURSERIES PHONE ALABASTER, TEXAS

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Legal Records

Realty Transfers
Hughes Development Company to J. S. Russell and wife, Ruby Russell, all of Lot number 20, situated in Block 3 of the Wynnelea Addition to the city of Pampa.

Services Tomorrow For T. P. Johnson, 42

Thomas Paul Johnson, 42, resident of Pampa since 1933, died early today in a local hospital.

Mr. Johnson is survived by his wife, Mrs. Cleo Johnson, a son, Orval D. Johnson, a daughter, Mrs. Pauline Diggs, of Pampa; three brothers, Carl Johnson, Comanche, Okla., Earl Johnson, Duncan, Okla., and Ray Johnson, Gainville; and two sisters, Mrs. W. A. Reavis, and Mrs. Alvin Rogers, both of Duncan, Okla.

Jaycees Have Meeting Connection CC Week

A program, in conjunction with Chamber of Commerce Week, was presented to the Jaycees, by their parent organization, the local Chamber of Commerce, at their noonday meeting at the Palm Room yesterday.

No One Injured as Two Cars Collide

Police estimated that approximately \$100 damage was caused when two cars, one driven by Ralph Sidwell, 905 N. Gray, the other driven by Sarah C. McKee, of 520 N. Frost, collided at the intersection of Gray and Montague Streets at 6 p. m. yesterday.

WOMAN RELEASED

Judge Clifford Braly released a woman charged with affray this morning in Corporation Court. No other cases were heard.

Mainly About Pampa and Her Neighbor Towns

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Anderson, Goodwill, Okla., announce the birth of a son, James Craig, born Friday, April 4. The infant weighed 6 lbs. and 13 oz. at birth and is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Day all of Pampa.

Terrace Grill now open from 6 a. m. till 12 midnight. Seven days a week. Try our homemade pies, barbecue sandwiches and plates. All kinds of short orders. Special Sunday dinner.

Mrs. M. J. Farmer who has been spreading the winter with her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Dumas, has returned home with another daughter Mrs. Martha Ballard, El Dorado, Ark., after attending the wedding of her granddaughter, Miss Leona Farmer, to Harry Charles Carlin, Jr., in Amarillo Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Black returned yesterday from Seminole Okla., where they were called last Wednesday by the death of Mrs. Black's mother.

Just received a new shipment of linoleum in all different patterns and sizes. Come in and see these new spring patterns. Dick Gibbons Service Station.

O. H. Feder manager of the Pampa Business College, is able to be back at work after being absent for nearly three weeks. While recovering from the mumps he was a patient in Pampa Hospital for 11 days suffering from blood poisoning in his right hand. During his absence his classes continued under the supervision of Mrs. Earlene Welch, shorthand and typing teacher, assisted by the advanced students.

Rhody Greene's Negro Band at the Belvedere Thurs. and Sat. nite.

Mr. and Mrs. Othel Burnett, 535 S. Sumner are the parents of a daughter, Suzzella Dian, born Wednesday morning April 16, in Wesley Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs. at birth. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Burnett and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hancock, Jr. while great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hancock, Sr. and A. B. Melton of Mobeetie.

One portable breakfast nook for sale, also some used lumber. Call after 2 p. m. at 401 N. Hill.

Keys and glasses are at Pampa News. Please call and identify. Pay for advertisement to claim.

Miss Clarice Glek, former English teacher at Pampa High School, who is teaching this year in the Dependent schools of the Armed Forces in Erlangen, Germany reported she has informed school officials here that she desires to teach another year in Europe. She also said she spent the Easter holidays in Czechoslovakia and found the people there very nice.

For Peg's Cab, call 94.

Lynn Boyd is confined to his home, 810 N. Somerville, with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Keller, 1905 W. Ripley, were weekend guests of Cadet E. M. Keller at Kemper Military School, Booneville, Mo. They attended the annual Parents' Day observance and the annual Military Ball.

Peg's Cab wants drivers. Apply in person. Must have chauffeur's license.

Misses Neida Joyce Davis Betty Ward and Anita Lane returned yesterday by plane from Booneville, Mo., where they attended the Spring Military Ball at Kemper Military School. They were guests of Cadets, Bob Jack Davis, Jackie Ward and C. A. Huff, all of Pampa, who are members of the graduating class.

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PAAF (Continued From Page 1) here said this morning that large groups of carpenters that came to Higgins from Amarillo had to be sent home yesterday because weather conditions would not permit extensive work and that places for housing and sheltering workers first have to be erected.

Higgins officials are now conducting a house to house canvass in order to make an exact survey of the damage and list what is needed before any further labor is done.

A group of 27 relief officials representing the American Red Cross and Federal government agencies attended the noon meeting of the Canadian Rotary yesterday including Karl Wallace, regional director of War Assets Administration, Fort Worth; Dr. C. A. Stribby and Col. T. H. McDonald, Amarillo; and Tom Smith, tri-county American Red Cross executive.

A plea from Brig. Gen. F. S. Borum, commanding the Oklahoma City Air Material Area, Tinker Field, brought two 40-foot tractor-drawn army trailers from Kelly Field enroute to Fort Sill where army huts will be loaded for erection at Woodward. The trailers are being accompanied by a detachment of 30 soldiers.

Relative of Pampans Dies in Chillicothe Mrs. S. H. Williams, 80, died yesterday at 4 p. m. at her home in Chillicothe, following a long illness. She is the mother of Mrs. Maude Schulker, 1301 Charles, and the grandmother of Mrs. Bob Tripplehorn and Mrs. James Poole.

Funeral arrangements could not be learned today.

REAL EMERGENCY KANSAS CITY (AP) — I. A. Roy Wigdon, stationed in Tokyo, Japan, telephoned his wife here yesterday, despite the telephone strike.

Later, Mrs. Wigdon, who is planning to leave next month with their 6-month-old son to join her husband, was asked if it was an emergency call.

"In a way it was," she replied. "My husband wanted me to be sure and take the washing machine with me. There are no proper facilities in Tokyo to wash baby diapers."

The fundamental process in making modern paper reduces wood to pulp and mixes it with water.

Thirty-four percent of the population of the Hawaiian Islands in 1941 was of Japanese ancestry.

Reynolds

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"Finally, Sam of Dallas, was able to get together with his year-old bride-to-be, Patricia Houston of Cody, Wyo., and the other two were able to kiss their wives. Then Reynolds flung his arm over Odora's shoulders and told reporters: "He is the best pilot in the world. We would not have made it with anyone else."

"No, none of that," replied the pilot. "It was just a routine flight that all airlines will be making in a few years."

Eyewitness

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In the M. E. Agee Drug Store every eye blew doors off their hinges. The explosion was felt in La Porte and the blaze could be seen from Seaboard as I drove toward Houston to reach a telephone. Pool said.

Commission

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A resident of Pelly said the clouds looked like pictures of the atomic bomb blast. Galveston residents confirmed this, except to say that the clouds were black.

J. K. Poase, engineer for a Cedar Bayou radio station, said he saw a flame shoot up hundreds of feet into the air. It lasted a few seconds, he said. Cedar Bayou is 27 miles from here. Windows rattled there.

The scene of death and devastation was described as "awful" by a utility company official. He said the dead were so numerous "they have them out on the lawn."

The floor of the Berler Mankse Clinic at Galveston was said to be covered with blood.

Meanwhile, relief measures were expedited.

At Austin, Adjutant General Arthur B. Knickerbocker said the National Guard had been called out in the area. A conference was held with Governor Beauford H. Jester, and they decided the situation did not as yet warrant martial law.

Ambulances, doctors, nurses, police, state highway patrolmen with two-way radio cars, sheriffs deputies from nearby counties, Red Cross workers, disaster workers of various sorts were rushed to Texas City.

From Houston, officers and a radio technician, the latter to help repair the Texas City police radio station reported demolished, were sent early in the morning.

All Galveston hospitals were turned over to the injured, many in critical condition. The Tribune said they were badly burned and cut by flying glass "screaming with pain."

The telephone lines ordered all striking operators, repairmen and all personnel needed to return to work immediately for the duration of the emergency. The order was issued by Averett C. Cotler, general counsel for the Southwestern Telephone Workers Union, at St. Louis.

Bill Nottingham, Houston Post photographer who flew over Texas City to make aerial pictures, said the town looked as if a flight of B-29 Superfortresses had bombed it. He was an Airforce lieutenant colonel during the war.

"I have been on many raids when we did less damage," he said. He added that to him it looked as if a third of the town had been blown down. An old sugar refinery, a part of Monsanto, and others had only steel structures remaining.

"Texas City looks worse to me than the New London school explosion of 1937 which I covered," he said.

Memphis Boy Scouts Honored by Sponsors

Boy Scouts of Troop 38, Memphis were honored at a luncheon today by the Memphis Lions Club.

Further, the union demanded a retroactive cost-of-living wage differential before it would entertain arbitration at all. President Joseph A. Bieme has said none of the Bell Companies has made a wage offer since negotiations began last January. The union seeks a \$12 weekly pay boost for all its members.

Hugo Olsen, Scout executive for the Adore Walls Area Council, Pampa, represented the Council at the luncheon. Olsen, also met with representatives of the Youth Committee of the Memphis Club, who plan to sponsor an additional troop in this area.

Implement final decisions on the issues in dispute.

The company suggested that 10 regional arbitration boards be established instead of one national board.

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Irgun repeatedly has threatened reprisals against the British if their "soldiers" were hanged and British Colonial Secretary Arthur Creech Jones declared in February that Gruner's death almost certainly would signal a new blood bath in the Holy Land.

Gruner, the first Jew to be executed for terrorism in Palestine since Shimon Ben Youssef was hanged in August, 1938, has become, since his conviction, a symbol of Irgun Zvai Leumi's violent policies against the British.

He had adamantly refused to take any action on his own behalf, maintaining that he was a prisoner of war and should be treated as one. When it appeared, early this year, that he was to be hanged, Irgun kidnapped two British civilians—R. A. Collins and Judge Ralph Wyndham—as hostages and held them until Gruner ceased out of immediate danger.

Appeals were taken for him to Palestine courts and to the Privy Council in London, Britain's highest court, but all were rejected, except one, which was reported still pending before the Privy Council.

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