KING ALFONSO OF SPAIN ABDICATES THRONE 300 U.S. Sailors are Landed in Nicaragua

WASHINGTON, April 14 .--The United States warship Asheville today landed an armed force of 300 sailors at Puerta Cabeza, Nicaragua, as the result of the disappearance of three others

Dispatches received here by the Nicaraguan guard patrols previ- started last night in a sanitary ously sent out under command of district tunnel. One policeman United States marine corps of- was killed in the wreck of an

Legion Barbecue Here Next Monday

Frank C. Dickey, commander of nel. Pat Williams Post, American Legion, declared Tuesday that indi- which was completed at Kenosha, cations were that several hundred Wisconsin, by its inventor, Peter former service men would gather T. Pirsch, yesterday afternoon, lid has been taken off," said Mr. who were rescued alive today. Dickey, "and any man who served for Uncle Sam during the World war is cordially invited to be Clerks to Arrive present Monday evening at the

Winters, that a large number and Sweetwater. probably will be greater than for park. any similar meeting ever held in

been provided, and experienced cooks will barbecue it over open cooks will barbecue it over open clerk here, will extend the welpopular on such menus will be prepared. The meal will be served prepared. The meal will be served prepared of the first toint session of just before nightfall, following which a program of fun and wartime reminiscences will be before room Thursday just held. Songs that the lads of '17 the clerks will gather with the and '18 marched by will be sung, the clerks will gather with the local Lions and Rotarians at the ences will be related in front of Central Hotel for luncheon. the cheerful campfire.

together, that the former service Company as host. men may better aid each other. Attendance is expected to run pas sthe agricultural marketing

Austin as a historic shrine.

Louisiana's principal crops in All business sessions will be held the Senate the export debenture, value of \$107,787,000.

Patrons in Station

DALHART, Tex., Apr. 14.—Three unmasked guemen, wielding WASHINGTON, April 14.— maneuvered through the House schedules pistols with careless abandon America went baseball wild today, that the voice of opposition smacking of frontier days, robbed the major league season opening scarcely rose above a whisper. six persons in the Ft. Worth & in eight cities. Denver Railway station here last When the umpires shouted organization that he was able to and nothing stopped the proces- there lay before the House a bill

near Foss, New Mexico, who fied he had carried on the tradi- the Senate settled back in its length and breadth of the tariff to a tax of 10 cents a pound. entered the depot during the tion that the president always tracks or was forced to a stand- fabric. robbery, attempted to resist, and throws out the first ball in the still. was hit on the head with a pistol season's first game in the cap- That situation never was more the seventy-first congress that the fore the House, but under Longby one of the bandits but was ital. not seriously injured.

The total loot was small. The robbers escaped.

11 Firemen Suffocated In Chicago Tunnel Fire

CHICAGO, Apr. 14.—Eleven firemen and workmen are dead here between the city and today as the result of a fire that ambulance which was rushing to the scene. The others suffocated Aldwell, banker and ranchman of

workmen were rescued from the monia today at blazing tunnel at 9 o'clock this Maryland, hospital. morning. They had saved themselves by sealing the safety air Sonora,

A new smoke-ejecting device,

Here Wednesday

will represent that organization, arriving here late Wednesday social gathering of the club will Other towns which have answered for the County and District Clerks be held in its stead Friday night, event on the program will be held party will be held with Rotaryaddition ex-service men of this Wednesday evening when Runnels anns as guests of the members. county who are not affiliated county officials will be hosts to attendance at the "blow-out" the site of the new municipal Tuesday from a visit to Dallas.

Others will arrive Thursday Details are shaping up fine, Mr. Dickey asserted. The meat has in the opening program to be given visiting her mother, -Mrs. J. A.

Other entertainment will in-No business will be brought up, clude a picnic at the Ballinger The death of Speaker Nicholas and those attending who are not level showber of sommerce and Longworth has removed the leadmembers of the American Legion local chamber of commerce, and ership of the celebrated "Four will not be "high-powered" into a banquet Friday noon, served by Horsemen"—Longworth, Tilson, joining the organization. The members of the Ballinger chapter, Snell and Hawley—who rode down affair is strictly a good-will get-

The "gang" will begin assemb- about 100 provided no rain falls act. ling at 6:30 p. m., with dinner and roads are good for travel in Few more powerful groups ever served shortly after 7. However, motor vehicles. Queries have been dominated the House of Repreany rookie or gob who is late mailed all members of the organ-sentatives. It combined the inwill be fed and those who cannot ization and excellent response has fluence of Longworth as speaker, get here sooner is told to come been received by the local committee.

One of the best balanced pro- and Hawley as chairman of the A move is under way to pre- grams ever held by the associa- all-important ways and means serve the old French embassy in tion has been prepared, and local committee details have been arranged well in advance.

majority three times sent back to 1930 represented a total farm at the city hall, with the Central flatly refusing to join that body Hotel headquarters for the dele- on a measure it had pasesd by gates during the convention. three record votes.

Bandits Rob H. C. Lyon feft Monday after- for the agricultural marketing noon for Terrell in response to a act made history on capitol hill. H. C. Lyon feft Monday after- for the agricultural marketing

Baseball Season tary of agriculture. Opens in Majors The president contributed his ideas and the plan took definite shape. From then until enact-

"play ball" here, President Hoover tell the Senate just what the sion until his bill, joined with to subject all oleomargarine col-Bill Miller, of the Crossel Ranch, settled into his choice seat, satis- House would do, and invariably Senator Smoot's had run the ored in the semblance of butter

apparent than in the special ses- Four Horsemen really showed worth's leadership the bill was Clear skies greeted fans and sion of congress when the Senate, their power to strike swiftly and carefully kept off the rocks and gents, lost its fight to hold tariff! Mid-western defections to the remaining.

Sonora Banker Dies in Baltimore

SAN ANGELO, Apr. 14.-W. L. Seventeen other firemen and Orient Railway, died of pneu-Aldwell was the first mayor of

NO ROTARY CLUB

had scheduled for tomorrow will

By Frank I. Weller

(Associated Press Farm Editor)

WASHINGTON, April 14.-

Hoover disapproved and helped

chairman of the rules committee

Under its tight rein the House

The fight of the Four Horsemen

The president contributed his

ALFONSO SAYS FAREWELL



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Of Hoover's "Four Horsemen"

Few more colorful groups ever dominated the house

With the starting gun Hawley zance of unrest in that great

opened his tariff bill to revision agricultural region. It was the

It was in the closing days of put every conceivable obstacle be-

ber elections had brought cogni-

Manufacturers of oleomargarine

it passed with scarcely 24 hours

of representatives than the celebrated "Fouor Horsemen"

—Speaker Nicholas Longworth (upper left) , John Q. Tilson (upper right), Willis C. Hawley (lower left) and

ment the measure was so skillfully revision strictly within farm Democratic ranks in the Novem-

So thorough was Longworth's of duties on industrial products, heart of the dairy industry, and

Man Burns Wife, Son; Stabs Boarder, Suicides

Of Cotton Reported

The census bureau today reported boarder, Clayton McAffee, 50, with trolled virtually all of the major month last year.

March Consumption wooster, Ohio, Apr. 14.—Ellis unless the crown formally acMcGregor, 65, ran amuck at his cepted the republic within an

Judges to Inspect Living Room Friday

Mrs. Peevey by Mrs. Nettie Hous- tion of the city where a number morning of this week for a trip was inaugurated on May 17, 1902. Mrs. Peevey by Mrs. Nettie Hous- tion of the city where to Bringhurst, daughter of Gen- of gins, the oil mill, ice plant over Runnels county to hispert and judge entries in the annual living room contest. This event husband were residents of Nacog- to have this street opened.

Several attempts had been made to assassinate Alfonso but each living room contest. This event is conducted annually by the fedher apparently fended off with with any post are expected, and the visitors at a picnic supper at the "blow-out" the visitors at a picnic supper at the "blow-out" the visitors at a picnic supper at the "blow-out" the visitors at a picnic supper at the "blow-out" the visitors at a picnic supper at the "blow-out" the visitors at a picnic supper at the "blow-out" the visitors at a picnic supper at the picnic supper at the picnic supper at the "blow-out" the visitors at a picnic supper at the picnic s Gem Paper Clips at Ballinger eral extensive service, and usually his ready smile. women are contesting in class 1 puted to be very wealthy, one of alone, this group being classified the richest reigning monarchs, as rooms improved at a cost of but intimates asserted his pos-

entries. It probably will require adroit management have in-

Hagan; Mrs. Fred Prinzing, Miles; New York brokers. Mrs. R. D. Martin, Maverick; and Alfonso is known as a sports-Mrs. Ira McNeill, North Norton. to the A. & M. College short Chamber of Commerce; and sec- * WEATHER FORECAST *

their rooms and sketches of the and colder in the northwest porwork. These letters will be sub- tion. mitted for publication and in- West Texas-Partly cloudy and lingsworth.

Rules of the contest in this classification make it compulsory that the women complete their rooms for less than \$50 cash. All A NEW SERIAL labor must be done by the en-



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a ary president, immediately took

county. This year, however, four The now ex-ruler had been resessions were few.

The same judges who functioned He inherited a personal fortune st year will again inspect the of several millions which, by several days to complete the creased considerably it is declared. Operating through third Those who have completed their parties, Alfonso made large inrooms are: Mrs. J. C. Taylor, vestments through London and

(By Associated Press) Following awarding of places East Texas-Cloudy, scattered in the contest the women en- showers in the east portion totrants will write descriptions of night. Wednesday partly cloudy

cluded in the report of County colder in the west portion to-Home Demonstration Agent Hol- night. Wednesday cloudy and

Jessie Douglas Fox

writes the story of a girl who preferred a home and security to a glamorous gipsy life in Europe.

Mad Pursuit

The Daily Ledger

message announcing the death The atmosphere still tingled of an uncle. Mr. Lyon will return with the second Coolidge veto of here immediately following the the equalization fee when they trotted out the nebulous form of farm relief popularly ascribed to William M. Jardine, former secre-

players in all major league cities ruled by Democrats and insur-surely.

MEETING WEDNESDAY here Monday night to attend the was rushed here, clearing the air tomorrow as their regular lunch- Spain, in which proponents of a to secure barbecue and meet friends. "The and a path to safety for those eon will be held Thursday in con-republic were elected, spelled the to request the hosts to the County and District remaining in Europe, had long way to the West Texas Ice Co. fought off the impending disso-The program the Rotary Club lution of the kingdom. NACOGDOCHES, Tex., Apr. 14

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MEMBER ASSOCIATED PRESS stitled to the use for republication of all ocean for a little distance. news dispatches credited to it or not other- The boat was very jolly and

Hundreds of organizations in take only a short trip. North America, will be to fulfill sea air this way. the aims of the White House con- "But they like to get mail from which is intended for all children sengers. regardless of age or color living "Well, what won't they be under protection of the American having next!" exclaimed John. many additional communities.

in the city lined up and special again just as quickly." committeemen named to serve on It seemed strange to hear the park board. The city com- people talking about what had mission went to the expense to happened in their homes that clear the ground, a job that re- morning back on land-for the quired more than a month, pipe planes had carried the news in the cat, he found that the introwater to spots where shrubs and the letters so very quickly. trees could be irrigated and But now a plane arrived for otherwise got much of the bur- John and Peggy and the Little mere presence in the room of a late Star tire dealers in the ful "Sally of My Dreams" and in densome details out of the way Black Clock. The plan proposed did not call No one saw them leave, befor outlay of much money, but cause all the passengers were busy for some labor and enough money writing post-cards to go on the to start a playground and other next rapid mail plane. permanent improvements. Just And as John and Peggy and why the sudden suspension of the Clock flew back home John activities, no one seems to know, said: "It's certainly a wonder of duce an involuntary and unpleas- on the air at 7:00 o'clock in the submitted to him by an American but the season for use is here and a world, as I've said before." if anything is accomplished this year it must be done right away. **@**□°©

PULLING FLOWERS AT EVERGREEN

A complaint has been filed again against people who go to Evergreen Cemetery and pull every spring there is some trespassing of this nature which is almost unbelievable. Members of the cemetery association board strive hard from year to year to beautify the city of the dead, and when prowlers go there to rob the place of its beauty it is hard to cope with

This week ten of fourteen tulips the plants were grown and in full bloom. The individual who owned the lot was working hard to make the last resting place of his loved one beautiful and it is discouraging to have all efforts ruined. Members of the board do not feel that it should be neces sary to lock the cemetery or place armed guards there to protect the shrubs and flowers, growing in honor of departed souls, but instead feel that everyone should lend their full cooperation to assist in making the burial plot more beautiful from year to year

Picking of blooming flowers for bouquets has become common directors assert, and this habit has never received severe criticism, but when shrubs and plants are removed it is a different matter and persons guilty of such

vandalism should be exposed. Citizens are asked to assist members of the board in protection of the cemetery.



every other place I've been we Java, I declare. ver seen an Ox that rants raves and tears his hair. be that the wild Ox-or nteng-here," says Puff,

n a huff."

unded lonely that he's

The Daily Ledger SUNDOWN HOW'S your

ON THE BOAT By Mary Graham Bonner

Peggy and John found themselves on a boat going out to sea. The Little Black Clock was with take a plane back home after ing on digestion. The Associated Press is exclusively they had traveled along on the

vise credited in this paper, and also the nice. The children played and local news published herein. All rights of had a very good time when sudslication of special dispatches herein had a very good time when suddenly a plane came along.

the United States have united "No, said the Little Black

this year to promote a bigger Clock, "this is the mail plane. Child Health Day on May 1. The Some people like to travel on this general purpose as announced by boat because it doesn't go too the Committee on Health for quickly and they get more of the

ference expressed in the nineteen home; so the mail planes drop points of the "children's charter," down and leave mail for the pas-

flag. It is hoped that the May "I'll show you," said the Little Day celebrations will be so far Black Clock, and at that moment reaching that periodic health a plane swooped down and not examinations and child health only dropped a bag of mail for clinics will be introduced into the passengers, but also received a bag in return.

It seems that all park activity explained the Little Black Clock. has stopped after a fine start "and the plane is going to take was made and every organization their letters back to the land



NERVOUS INDIGESTION-II.

As the title, nervous indigestion, implies, nerves as commonly them and he said that they could understood have a definite bear-

A tired brain, a fatigued body,

Even before the period of mod- tection. ern medical and scientific re-

any intense emotional strain Chests, either, girls, because they bers to come to the sound screen stopped the rhythmic movements are the one safe and sure place in months is an Italian love song of St. Martin's stomach and in- to keep your valuable clothing "On a Summer Night," which

digestion in St. Martin.

· Professor Cannon made similar experiments on cats. Making use HONEYBOY AND SASSAFRAS of the X-ray and fluoroscope and observing the digestive process in

other have observed how injury, fright, a disgusting sight or uncontrolled emotion can upset linger. ant emptying of the stomach. morning and 9:15 o'clock each composer

On the basis of such experience, night ,except Sunday," said Mr. "Oh, For a Man!" co-featuring

it is not difficult, therefore, to Hall. "The decision to resume the Jeanette MacDonald and Reginald night. function normally.

FREE MINIATURE CEDAR CHESTS TO GIRL GRADS AT KING-HOLT COMPANY clock.

ing from high school this year," said E. E. King, of King-Holt Co..

He says all the girls who are going to graduate will receive a worry, aggravation, anxiety and letter from Mr. Lane, president of many other similar emotional and the Lane Company, which exnervous states can and do affect plains the 1931 Lane Girl Gradthe digestive process. This has uate Plan and encloses a card enbeen demonstrated many times titling them to an adorable little over, clinically, that is, on pa- Lane Cedar Chest-almost exactly He knew that they were going to animals and experimentally on like the big Lane Cedar Chests in the story of the Black Panwhich offer insured moth pro- ther Detective Agency, operated

> search, the effect of nerves on plained, are a great "hit" with the The Hicks Rubber Company's digestion was well known, for we girls because they are an ideal radio entertainers are described find pointed references to this place to store treasured me- as "Guaranteed 40,000 smiles, just relationship in the writings of the mentos of their high school days as Star De Luxe Tires are guarancient physicians, in the Old such as class pins, commencement anteed 40,000 miles." Testament, and in Shakespeare. programs, etc. He cautions every Dr. Beaumont's experiments on girl graduate to keep her card as the French-Canadian. S. Martin, it is required by him before he who had a permanent opening can present the miniature chest. into his stomach due to a shot- These chests have not been regun wound, have been mentioned ceived by King-Holt Co., but are expected in the next few days.

Dr. Beaumont observed that Don't forget to ask Mr. King to disappointment, fear or show you the big new Lane Cedar produced a stage of nervous in- Insurance policy which is given McFadden. with every chest!

duction into the experimental ularity of the feature, the Hicks ican composer writing both words laboratory of a dog, or even the Rubber Company and its assoc- and music for his song numbers strange or unfriendly person, was southwest have decided to broad- ful "Sally o' My Dreams," and ir enough to upset tabby's digestion, cast the Honeyboy-Sassafras John McCormack to sing in his radio program twice daily, ac- production, "Song o' My Heart," cording to Tommie Hall of Bal- Kernell won with "A Pair of Blue

digestion and sometimes even in- "Honeyboy and Sassafras will go claimed the best composition ever

onceive how, the machine part, early morning broadcast period is Denny, whill provide patrons of The authors of "Sunny Side Up" the nation. Many mothers and Thursday. fathers have told us that Honeythe children up early and that they are better than any alarm

"There is a lot of excitement ture will continue on Radio Sta- how it is done is seen and heard also has Maureen O'Sullivan, John among the girls who are graduat- tion XED, Reynosa, Mexico. A in "Just Imagine," the DeSylva, Garrick, Marjorie White and test program was staged one Brown and Henderson Fox movie- Frank Albertson. morning recently and listeners in tone comedy with music which distant states who had encount- closes at the Palace Theatre to- Be wise and advertise. ered some trouble in hearing the feature at night, reported that the morning reception, as far distant as Canada, New England, and Florida was perfect.

The same interesting chapters by Honeyboy and Sassafras, will These miniature chests, he ex- be broadcast morning and night

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One of the most tuneful numterfered with the normal secretion and linens safe from moths year Jeanette MacDonald will sing in in and year out. They are actu- "Oh, For a Man!" Fox movietone In other words, emotional strain ally insured by a FREE Lane Moth production directed by Hamilton

> 1td "On a Summer Night" was written especially for Miss Mac-Donald and this production by ON AIR TWICE DAILY NOW William Kernell, staff composer at Fox Studios, who, aside from In view of the mounting pop- Irving Berlin, is the only Amer-Eyes," which McCormack ac-

to say, of the digestive system the result of thousands of re- the Palace Theatre with one of have looked far into the future in may be intact, and still fail to quests received from parents the smartest entertainments on this production and projected on and school teachers throughout the screen in years, tomorrow and the screen their ideas of the world and romance in 1980

Famous for their popular song boy and Sassafras certainly get Film Essays Answer to Query- hits and stage successes, DeSylva. Brown and Henderson have provided a generous number for "Just

Just imagine love making, ro- Imagine." David Butler directed. The Honeyboy-Sassafras fea- mance, fifty years hence. Just El Brendel heads the cast, which

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By Percival Christopher Wren Author of MYSTERIOUS WAYE BEAU GESTE BEAU IDEAL

NOTESIS: John Waye plumbs inderworld for traces of the allowers responsible for the leith of his daughter Kosemary. It old identity as the wealthy form Waye St. Clair burved through a shammed suicide he combs original dates his gens as rancombs ornotand for the crooks who had taken his gems as rantom and returned his danahter insane and dring Mr and Mrs. William detectives aid him in tounding out "lincte" all-use confident of crooks who previously has helped Wave escape an suddeserved prison term Alter articular work then are returned echem "lincte" casually mentioning the St. diamond "win "suider" S. "hink livran and Grumman wie Sinou's son as its successival notiters. All but Irude Limmie tearns are serv-"stretches" in an Ohio fail

Chapter 38

SIMON'S NEW PATIENTS

FEW weeks later. Williams H A William heard a rumor in the n lerworld that the man known among other names as Doc Eng pearance. hish, Half-hune Simon, and Limey

ther news the matter to be men in my mind tioned most casually in the course In pursuance of this scheme, Simon was in hiding in Rio de rangements, through the it valuable Janeiro Gunman Gryde was 12 Uncle, for yet further supplies, ported to be still in New York, and should they be nacessary. Chink Dorson still in Columbia Jail, where he had four years yet to Waye, a grim-faced, gray-haired,

would do the same, and lay our who had carefully refrained from blans accordingly food and sleep for three days, and

of terrine punishment and revenge What I constartly visualized, and what constan'ly cause time to awake from sleep-with my hands clutch ing and flexed was the thought of my hands upon the throat of ich of these subhuman devils in turn. Dorson I would some day kill with my bare hands Schlitz would kill with my hare hands: on slowly slowly would I with trop fingers, strangle the man Gryde that "Jimmy" whose game my daughter had shrieked in terror.

o' body, drifting to breakdown and Schiltz. probably madness, for I could find

hope in a letter from Williams H William, who "was ... tain that he on the trail and would write Nursing-Home

tinent; thence to Seattle, and final covery, and arrest would precede ly across the Pacific to Shanghai his by but a few nours

were not our gang at all.

a packet of heavily sealed letters Webb-as Spider Schlitz was there from Williams H. William. The lat known and admired. ter had gone to England in pur gang whom we were tracking.

I learned with admiration and liam and his equally wonderful ducted Nursing-Horle the this man. whose real name was Theodore Charters, conducted with the help of none other than Dr. Manoel Machado whose acquair ince he had made at Uncle's, while I was abroad

Himself disguised, William bad, in Chicago, shadowed Charters and Machado and also Cha ters's forper confederate, Spicer Schlitz, with whom Charters emed to have quarreted.

The former pair, he had, as I have said, followed to England, and while himself a "patient" in Charters's Nursing-Home, had seen Spider Schlitz vis' the house.

Promptly William had slipped out from the Nursing-Home, gone to the ne and only railway station at the neighboring village, nicked up Spider Schlitz, followed him on his return journey, and located a fine old country house in which he was living as a country gentleman. Havng learned all that was necessary. he had returned as the penitent prodigal back from a dennken debauch, full of apologies and promses of reform-if the good Dr. Chariers would take him back once

William wrote that both he and is wife felt sure that Charters Machado and Grv te must have one or, more confederates among their large staff, but had been unable to identify any of them. On the whole, they rather suspected the chief Nursing Sister, but only on the strength of her somewhat florid ap-

in reply to a cable ir our own Sim in had been illegally released cipher, William sen' me a plan of from inil and had been seen at San the house and grounds, and a te-Francisco in the company of one tailed account of the daily routine his accomplices. Spider Schlitz of the Nursing-Home and more parwhose one-year term of imprison- ticularly of Charters' habits and ment had expired at about the same everything else which would pos sibly be of use to me for carrying Harrying round to Uncle's for fur out the scheme slowly developing

Jan Francisco, white likely to require, and making ar-

Arrived in England, Mr. John clean shaven man who bore, per After a council of war, we decided haps, a slight resemblance to the that we would once agair separate, long dead millionaire, John Dacre William gothe to San Francisco, his Waye Vanderleur St. Clair, visited wife to New York, and I to Rio de the famous specialist. Sir Bernard Matthieson, who diagnosed pretty Should the gang assemble in one accurately a bad case of neurastheof these three places, we three pla with complications in the man What'l really wanted to do to had taken certain heart-affecting them and what i noped for and nerve-snattering concoctions I did not know bey and some kind well-known to malingering convicts. Sir Bernard quite agreed with his new patient's suggestion that be should take a thorough rost-cure in one of the best country Nursing-

Mr. John Waye also did a little business with a courteous and helprul Bank Manager and with a cer tain Solicitor not unknown to crooked American ladies and gentlefrom Simon apparen. their leader | men in London, who are also in trouble, or who anticipate that they shortly will be in trouble.

All things methodically arranged with careful and cold h' oded deliberation, he set about the consummation of his first act of venego able life-sick at neart and it ance the punishment of Spider

i will not call it murder, for this no trace of the man Simon, though was, if ever, a case of "killing no I was able to learn his history thor | murder"-an extermination of reptile vermin

My plan, in outline, was to kill ider Schlitz, and flee, instantly, direct to the sanctuary of Charters'

Here, without making myself But before hearing from him known to him, I should be safeagain i-clever fellow-was myself if I were safe anywhere, for, withoff on a new deal and a red hot trail out knowing who I was, he should that led me right across the con pretty promptly know that my dis-

there to run to earth, at last, the Of Williams H. William I had Tkang of white-slavers whom I had been the industrious apprentice, been pursuing, why to find that they the indefatigable and not inapt pupit, and I do not think he would At the end of my tether, mental, bave been ashamed of my playing moral and physical, I crawled back 0 my part at Wither / End while was studying the i.e of the land Awaiting me in Uncle' care, was and the nabits of Squire Theophilus

Nor do I think that any of the suit of Simon, the English doctor Best Burglars would have been whom he had discovered, beyond genuinely scornful of my reconnaisany doubt, to be the leader of the sances of Squire Webb's grounds

What I needed was to make my amazement that my wonderful Wil- si ent entry into the house of, unseen by any, make cont with wife had gone to England and were that worthy. Let me but come face actually living t neath the roof of to face with him, unheard, and I the well known and excellently con- would undertake that he too would be unheard-that he would die "Half-hung Simon," a genuine M D., without a word, a sound, my hands upon his throat.

"My strength is as the strength of ten Because my heart is pure." Pah! My strengt: should be as the strength of a hundred because my heart was a hell of seething hate

and vengeat.ce. I had been about a fortnight or so in Witherby End when I suddenly got one of the shocks of . lifetime not wholly devoid or incldent and tense moments. (Copyright, 1930. by Frederich A. Stobes Co.)

Vengeance treads two paths to-morrow, and Waye, halting in his own, sees the other lead to a fatal ending.

year-old rancher living near Juarez. Saenz said a beautiful wo-

man had appeared to him in a dream and told him vast treas-

ures lay beneath the ruins of the

from El Paso.

FINDS 27 SKELETONS IN cavate. Saenz unearthed a wood SEARCH FOR TREASURES en box, in which was the mummy of a child. Further digging re-(By Associated Press) vealed the skeletons of 26 adults EL PASO, April 14. Stories of Disillusioned when no treasure buried treasure and exhumed was found, Saenz reburied the

bodies were recalled recently body and the skeletons. when repairs were made on the Old timers said that more than old Franciscan mission in Juarez, 100 years ago a number of bodies Motico, across the Rio Grande were buried beneath the church floor. More than once, in its Founded by Franciscan friars in early history, the mission was a 1649, the mission was the scene refuge for pioneer families, fleetwo years ago of a hunt for ing from raids by Apache Intreasure by Trinidad Saenz, 84- dians.

Calling Cards, printed on short

Small, Woodward **Expected to Enter** Governor's Race

By Charles E. Simons AUSTIN, Apr. 14.-Who will be was established many years ago

Texas' next governor? Although discussion of this and has survived under a number question at this time is a little of managements. premature, it has caused considerable comment and conjecture ger to take charge of the plant among members of the legis- in September, 1922, and has suclature, several of whom, particul- cessfully conducted the laundry arly those in the senate, are be- making it better and more modern lieved to have their eye firmly every year. Today the plant is clamped on the gubrnatorial of- as efficient as any in West Texas,

Should R. S. Sterling, incum- machinery, including eight steam bent, decide to run for a second presses, three large cylinder term, several of the prospective washers, a dry tumbler, a modern drying room, a motor driven shirt candidates probably would automatically eliminate themselves press, and various other late, improved machines. from the field.

Doubt was expressed that Sterling would seek two terms in the factor in the success of the plant governor's office, several point- in recent years has been the water ing to statements made in his "softener" system which makes inaugural address. They called all water used 2 per cent purer attention to the fact that Sterling did not say "during my ad- placed in the water that might ministration," but bore down on instead all foreign substances are results he hoped to accomplish removed by the processing. in the next two years. Sterling came to the governor's office clothes which caused them to from the chairmanship of the wear quickly and buttons to be highway commission and one of broken is obsolete in the Ballinhis fellow commissioners and ger Steam Laundry. Mr. Stoclose friends. Cone Johnson of baugh stated that where he for-Tyler, has expressed the belief merly used a box of buttons a that Sterling will not seek of- week, a box will now last for two fice again if he can accomplish years. what he started out to do in one term.

Johnson, however, said that if that their clothes be washed early Sterling did not reach his goal, to get in the "first" suds. This he probably would come back and is an erroneous impression as finish up the job.

Among the prospective candi- garment sent to the Ballinger dates are Senator Clint C. Small Steam Laundry goes through from of Wellington and Walter Wood- nine to ten liquid solutions and ward fo Coleman.

Small was one of Sterling's op- sanitary clothing. The slogan of ponents in the first primary last this house is "All Back But the year and ran third, with Mrs. Dirt. Miriam A. Ferguson leading and rons: wet wash, family finish, rough dry, flat work and semi-finish, Prices can be obtained on Miriam A. Ferguson leading and would have been nominated had Mrs. Ferguson stayed out of the livery truck calls for and delivers campaign. Small received an bundles anywhere in the city. overwhelming vote in West Texas Regular weekly baskets are rebut fell down in East Texas.

Woodward was one of the lead. Rock, Rowena and other towns in ing players on the Sterling band the trade territory. Patronize a wagon in the last campaign and Ballinger institution when your took an active part in the race, clothes need cleaning. his efforts being especially notable in West Texas. Many looked date for the office, believing he would have the support of Sterling should he run, unless some untoward and unexpected situation arises.

Whether Lieutenant Governor Edgar E. Witt of Waco would rest on his laurels as president of the senate or seek the next run higher in the ladder of political success, also was a matter of conjecture. Witt has given no indication of his intentions or aspirations.

Last year, the then Lieutenant Governor Barry Miller, who had presided over the senate for six years, entered the race for governor and was swamped.

Mentioned frequently as a dark horse in the campaign was James V. "Jimmie" Allred, dynamic attorney general and vigorous campaigner, who beat the bushes for enough votes last year to best Robert Lee Bobbitt, an appointee of Governor Dan Moody, for the chief law office of the state. Allred is one of the youngest men ever to hold the attorney generalship and is regarded as extremely ambitious.

He has the happy knack of making friends and then holding them firmly. He led the ticket in the first primary and then came back strong to win in the second, despite the powerful support given Bobbitt by Moody.

BAND MASTERS ORGANIZE

(By Associated Press) COLEMAN, April 14.-The Central Texas Band Leaders Association has organized to better acquaint band directors and enable them to exchange concerts during the summer months.

James King of this city was elected president, and Bandmaster Stone of San Angelo was elected secretary.

Quick relief from rheumatic pains without harm:



To relieve the worst rheumatic pain is a very easy matter. Bayer Aspirin will do it every time! It's something you can always take. Genuine Aspirin tablets are harmless. Look for the Bayer cross on each tablet.

WHEAT FARMERS LOSE

in 1929 have lost more than the cents. There are more than 20,-

One Amarillo elevator is hold- last year's crop on which a 27 ing 3,000 bushels for farmers who cent loss has been sustained,

could have sold the wheat at AMARILLO, April 14.—Pan- harvest time in 1929 for \$1.17 a Miss Flora Miller and father, J. handle wheat farmers who held bushel. Others have similar M. Trice, left Tuesday for their their grain for higher prices back amounts. The present price is 62 home at Big Lake

present market price per bushel. 000 bushels stored locally from Be wise and advertise.



Attractive Lamps Create a Charming Atmosphere

WHETHER your home is large or small, richly or only moderately furnished, you can add immeasurably to its charm by placing attractive lamps at appropriate places throughout the house.

The soft and shaded illum ination of stand and table lamps creates an atmosphere of distinction and quality impossible of achievement in any other way. Time and again you have commented on this very fact - are you applying it to your ow

A complete and colorful assortment of lamps is on display in the Merchandise Showroom-priced to fit every pocketbook, and se-

lected to fill every need. See them today; you are sure to find just the model you have been looking for-priced just as you will want it priced.

West Texas Utilities Company

In League With the Babies

WHEN LITTLE girls wore copper-toed boots and tight-waisted dresses, and little boys wore kilts—what of the babies? Swathed in yards of clothes. Scrubbed with unknown soaps. Few of them expected to live during the dreaded second summer. Many of them suffering countless ailments because nobody knew what

A glance back only a generation or so is enough to reveal how fortunate babies are today. Now there are soft, cool soaps . . . every aid in food that care and knowledge can prepare . . . sensible, light little clothes . . . and such knowledge of sanitation and control of disease that every little baby should live and grow.

Mothers are indebted to advertisements for their news of these nursery aids . . . just as they are indebted for news of fascinating menus, fadeless curtains, sprightly dinnerware. Constantly, ways are being devised to make life happier, more comfortable for baby, the whole family. Laboratories clean and bright are scenes of goods being tested-being made safe and pure. When the testing is over, the perfecting doneadvertisements hasten the goods to you.

No longer marvel (the next time you buy something widely known) at how fresh, immaculate, fine it is. These are qualities you can be sure of in buying advertised merchandise. . . qualities you must be sure of in buying for the health of babies, children, any one.

It is surprising how timely and vital the news in advertisements can be! Read them regularly.

tion and no advertisement ac- Anderson of Brady, and Mrs. Geo. LANDING. FIELD IS cepted for less than 25 cents. All M. Gibson of St. Louis. subsequent insertions le per word Mrs. W. B. Woody gave the

All classified advertisements Stallings and her guests. account with the paper.

FOR SALE-Ten or fifteen tons heavy bright Maize. See Burl

bungalow on Broadway, modern and in the games the high score FOR A MEETING THURSDAY throughout, furnished if desired favor went to Miss Margaret,

Judges to-

At the close of the contest and L. R. Tigner. rural women club members will May I The caravan will leave Mrs. Woody is Luncheon Hostess a quorum Ballinger after an early break- Mrs. W. B. Woody entertained fast here and spend the entire twenty friends on last Thursday LOCAL CAFE TO DINE day on this trip which will in-ciude stops at each home in the course luncheon honoring Mrs. contest. Each tripper will carry her lunch and at noon a picnic Mrs. George M. Gibson, of St. City Cafe, will entertain all city spread will be enjoyed at some Louis, Mo.

will make an excellent showing.

This contest has heretofore attracted much interest not only in this county but for a considerable.

Were Mesdames Samuel C. Lee of Brownwood, Claude Stone, C. F. Bailey, Louis Tigner, Jack Rudd, R. W. Earnshaw, Robert in the county competition will be entered for district competition.

Mary K Boone of Brownwood. entered for district competition.
and, in case of a win there, in the orees were scated at the dining

7:00 A.M.

...AND...

9:15 P. M.

Beginning April 15

Herring

Leonard Stallings entertained on gold backgrounds. guests, Mrs. Samuel C. Lee of hostess. Two cents per word first inser- Brownwood, and Miss Carmen

initial greeting, presenting Mrs. The center of the local landing DINOSAUR IS FOUND NEAR

and purple tulips in silver holders. day and Friday. No classified advertisement ac- The color scheme of orchid. The airplane squadron will ar-FOR SALE-One Durant 4-door crystal and silver and its center-Bair Furniture Co. 14-2td-1tw

Sedan, new top, new tires. L. E. snap dragons gave note again to the chosen colors. In the living room white Easter lilies, carnative programs will continue nurseryman.

The programs will continue nurseryman.

Although to the programs will continue nurseryman.

> 13-2td-2tw fifty guests, including fifteen tea above ground. played bridge after the tea hour CHAMBER DIRECTORS CALLED

Assisting the hostess in receiv- asked to be present. trants or members of their im- ing and entertaining were: Mes- The good roads committee will mediate families, and each room dames W. B. Woody, R. W. Earn- have an interesting report to was to be inspected before the shaw. Robert Bruce, Troy Simp- submit that it is said will interest son, C. F. Bailey, Claude Stone, every director. Members are

. . .

for the table were silver cande- King Alfonso--labra with orchid tapers, and silver compotes with confections of orchid and white.

Quartette tables with similar

bridge tea honoring her sister, bridge games were enjoyed. Each swimming. Mrs. Lovd Herring, and her house honor guest was favored by the Prior to Alfonso's ascension to

MARKED FOR SHOW

field has been marked and everymust be accompanied by cash Quartette tables for the tea thing made ready for the "Texas unless advertiser has a regular course were centered with orchid Airfair," to be staged here Thurs-

tions and pink hydrangeas were given vantage placing.

A salad course was served to Tom a plane 2,000 feet or more been recovered, a sufficient num-

Priced right. Phone 1239 Joe Kirk and low score to Mrs. Members of the board of di-11-10d Tommy Hall. The four honor rectors of the Ballinger Chamber guests, Mesdames Herring, Lee of Commerce have been called to Gibson and Miss Anderson were meet Thursday morning at 10 o'presented dainty gifts in remem- clock at the city hall. A number brance of the occasion. An out- of items will be submitted by comof-town guest, Miss Mary K. Boon, mittees and the secretary for conof Brownwood, was also favored, sideration and all directors are

requested to assmble promptly so there will be no delay in securing

FIREMEN AND WIVES

firemen and their wives Tuesday the guests at the door, presenting party. The new dining room of Mrs. Hollingsworth is delighted Mrs. Woody, who in turn pre- this restaurant will be reserved with the cooperation received in sented the honor guests. Others for the guests and as soon as



BY POPULAR REQUEST

Honeyboy and Sassafras Go On the Air Twice Daily!

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centerpieces, were arranged for man, patron of bull fighting, the other twelve guests. Place devotee of "pelota," the native Last Wednesday afternoon Mrs. cards were miniature silhouettes ball game, played polo, tennis and other games, and enjoyed with a beautifully appointed. After the luncheon a series of motoring, yachting, shooting and

> the Spanish throne the country was ruled by a regency with his mother the head of the govern- der ground in Belgium.

STEPHENVILLE BY SCIENTIST

Texas, and Ross R. Wolfe, local to the Rio Grande.

ber of bones were found to give

"I began tak-

ing Cardui when in

a weakened, run-down

condition," writes Mrs.

F. S. Perrit, of Wesson,

Miss. "I took one bot-

tle, and I seemed to im-

prove so much that I

sent for six bottles. Af-

ter I had taken the six

bottles, I seemed entire-

"Before I took Car-

dui, I was nervous, rest-

less, blue and out of

heart. I felt depressed all the time. After I

took Cardui, all this

"I gave my daughter Cardui and it helped to relieve irregular . . ."

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disappeared.

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Republics"

an accurate estimate of the size PROGRAM ARRANGED and age of the dinosaur. It appears to have been more than 15 found here is very similar to the presented. type of dinosaur found deep un- The meeting will be presided a painting by Tiepolo.

LEGION MEET TO COMBINE

(By Associated Press) LUBBOCK, April 14.—The an- The program will open with the

Although the entire skeleton of Chicago's death rate for 1930

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FOR CLUBS' LUNCHEON

feet long and is estimated by Dr. A complete program has been Wieland and scientists of John arranged for the Thursday noon Tarleton College here to be more banquet of the Ballinger civic than 100,000,000 years old. Ac- clubs in honor of the visiting dis- Exporting paintings of old mascording to Dr. Wieland, no like trict and county clerks. The ters without permission of the specimen of such completeness luncheon will be served at the government is a serious offense has ever before been discovered Central Hotel at noon and the in Italy. Count Francesco Caiin North America. The specimen usual one-hour program will be selli of Udine has been fined

> over by Judge Paul Trimmier, president of the Rotary Club: C. R. Stone, president of the Lions Club; and Miss Elizabeth Hall, president of the clerks' association.

nual convention of the Fifth Dissinging of "America," the invoca-STEPHENVILLE, April 14. The vision of the American Legion of tion by Rev. E. W. McLaurin, and geology department of John Tar- Texas will be held jointly with introduction of all visitors. The cepted on an "until ordered out" purple and shell pink was carried rive here Thursday morning and leton College has been presented the quarterly meeting of the welcome will be extended in two basis. The number of times the details of the party. The dining and is to run must be specified.

The number of times the details of the party. The dining Motorists are requested not to osaur unearth last week nine in Lubbock brief talks by Lion and Rotary representatives. Paul Trimmier, table was lovely in its filet lace, park their machines along the miles of Stephenville by Dr. G. R. ion is comprised of districts 16, jr., will render a violin selection, highway but to drive inside the Wieland, Yale University scient- 17 and 18, including all of West and a quartet composed of mem-Sedan, new top, new tires. L. E. piece of shell pink carnations and field where officers will direct ist who is doing research in Texas from the North Panhandle bers of both clubs will be heard. E. Emet Walker, clerk of Coleman county, will respond to the

address of welcome Plates are being prepared for 125 diners for this occasion.

Italian Noble Fined

TRIEST, Italy, Apr. 14. (A) \$13,000 for having tried to export



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Friday, April 17th, at 1 p. m., three prizes will be given away in our gasoline mileage contest, with the first car leaving our place of business at 1 p. m.

1st PRIZE will be \$10.00 in cash 2nd PRIZE, Free Greasing, Polishing and Washing 3rd PRIZE, Free Washing and Greasing car

This contest is for Model "A" Ford owners. Tune your car up and win one of these prizes. Or if you want us to tune your car for this contest we will allow you 25% discount on your bill if same does not amount to over \$5.00.

Winner in this contest will enter into general contest at San Angelo, Friday 23. At this demonstration the Ford Motor Company will give \$25.00 in cash to the car attaining the most mileage.

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