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Jessel-Andrews Say 'I Do'



(NEA Telephoto)
George Jessel (left), 42-year-old stage and screen star with his 16-year-old bride, Lois Andrews. James R. Cromwell (center), United States minister to Canada gave the bride in marriage at ceremony held in Detroit, Michigan.

HOUSE FACES BATTLE ON LABOR ACTS

Amendments to Wagner and Wage-Hour Law Are Issues

WASHINGTON, April 15 (AP)—The house will come to grips this week with one of the most controversial questions of the session, whether to amend the new deal's basic labor legislation — the Wagner act and the wage-hour law.

The legislative calendar approved by house leaders calls for consideration of three sets of proposed wage-hour revisions late in the week. Machinery has been set in motion to force debate soon after on proposals to amend the Wagner act.

The division in the house with respect to each of the laws is similar. One group of members is trying to stave off any revisions, another would drastically alter the statutes, and a third, and perhaps controlling group, is agreeable to moderate changes.

There are indications, however, that whatever action the house takes will be nullified by senate failure to act.

Senator Robert M. La Follette (Prog.) of Wisconsin, a member of the labor committee, said he thought it would be virtually impossible for the senate to approve any revision in Wagner act by June 1, the tentative adjournment date.

Senator George W. Norris (Ind.) of Nebraska, remarking that final action appeared unlikely, observed that the primary defeat of Senator Edward R. Burke (Dem.) of Nebraska, chief senate advocate of Wagner act revision, likely would have an effect on the senate. Burke attributed his defeat by Gov. R. L. Cochran for the democratic senatorial nomination largely to the opposition of labor to his candidacy.

Sponsors of the three wage-hour bills pending in the house are all agreed that there should be amendments to exempt from the basis law certain white collar workers, telegraph messengers, and the insular possession of Puerto Rico and the Virgin islands.

British Claim Admiral Scheer Is Torpedoed

LONDON, April 15 (AP)—Another of Germany's prized pocket battleships, the Admiral Scheer, has been successfully attacked, and at least twenty-three German transport and supply ships sunk or captured, the British admiralty announced Sunday night.

Listing ten German troop and supply ships sunk, four captured, two scuttled by their own men, and four others hit by torpedoes, the Admiralty said these did not include the seven sunk in the Arctic Norwegian port of Narvik.

Whether the Admiral Scheer was sunk was not clear, but the admiralty said the 10,000-ton warship probably had been hit by more than one torpedo from the British submarine Spearfish.

It also claimed for the submarine Truant the sinking of the 6,000-ton German cruiser Karlsruhe, which Germany already has acknowledged but which she attributed to Norwegian coastal batteries.

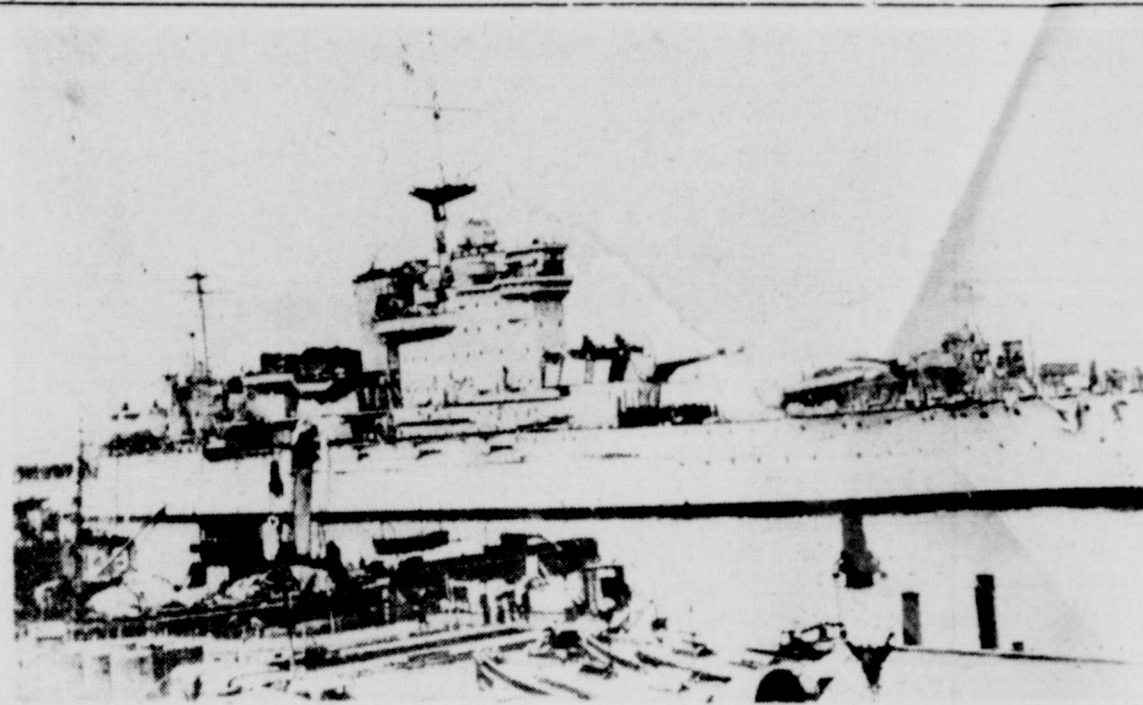
Most of the German losses listed in the admiralty communique Sunday night were attributed to British submarines.

The Admiral Scheer was a sister ship of the scuttled Admiral Graf Spee, which was chased into Montevideo, Uruguay, last December by three British destroyers in a battle.

The third ship of the class, the Deutschland, recently was renamed the Lutzow. (The British have expressed skepticism as to whether it is actually afloat.)

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Kemper of Abilene were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tine.

British 'Hoodoo' Ship Redeems Herself



(NEA Telephoto)
The 35,000-ton battleship Warspite, after being dogged for two decades with breakdowns and accidents that caused her to be known as a "hoodoo" ship, redeemed herself in British eyes by leading a squadron of the Royal fleet in fierce sea battle near Narvik, Norway, that, according to Admiralty reports, resulted in sinking of 7 German destroyers.

Brother of Cisco Man Invents Rate Calculator

A brother of C. P. Cole, Texas and Pacific agent at Cisco, has invented what is said to be one of the most valuable aids to railroad rate clerks and shippers that has been devised in many years.

The brother, P. O. Cole, of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas freight office at Dallas, is the inventor of a freight rate calculator, which the Inventors of America exhibition at Kansas City recently selected as one of the seven most practical gadgets submitted at the exhibition. Its eventual adoption by railroads and other companies dealing with rates was predicted.

The Katy Employees' Magazine says of the invention:

"Realizing the need for a rapid mechanical way of determining freight rates, Mr. Cole designed the calculator, which is as compact as it is accurate. Measuring 12 inches in length and five inches in height, the machine is triangular in shape and equipped with dials for each of three units with which the operator can 'tune' in the desired rate formation.

"Describing its advantages at Kansas City last month, Mr. Cole explained that the basic rate recordings must be made for the station where the machine is used. These recordings are placed on the first face of the machine, which is divided into two compartments, one of which shows the commodity and class in L. C. L., and the other, the same commodity in carload shipments.

The second face of the machine also has two windows, one revealing the state and adjoining state stations and recorded basic rate, and the other, distant states and recorded basic rates listed in alphabetical order."

Cisco Goat Ropers to Coleman Tuesday

The Cisco goat roping club will go to Coleman Tuesday evening to accept the challenge of the Coleman club to a contest, J. M. Sauls, club president announced today. The Cisco club practiced Sunday afternoon at 2 at its roping pens on West 12th street. Numbers of out-of-town visitors attended.

About 15 members are expected to go to Coleman for the contest. These include A. S. Sanders, J. M. Sauls, Gordon Davis, Sutton Crofts, Mart Agnew, Neil Lane, Charles Moad, Yancey McCrea, Clyde Wilkins, Geo. Groseclose, Leslie Threet, O. B. Threet, G. W. Wilcox, E. J. Freeman and James Harvey. Sanders is secretary of the club.

Dublin Group to Give Show Tuesday

A delegation of Dublin citizens, advertising a rodeo at Dublin, will appear in Cisco at 1:10 tomorrow afternoon for a street show including music by an eight-piece cowboy orchestra, singers and dancers and 37 "gun-totin'" cowboys, the Cisco chamber of commerce was advised.

Ciscoans Win at District Contest

Mickey Howell won first place in junior girls declamation in the Interscholastic league district meet at Breckenridge Saturday and Ray Clark won first in boys singles tennis.

Billy Huffman took third in shorthand. These three Cisco contestants are eligible to enter the regional meet at Abilene next Saturday. Principal O. L. Stamey of Cisco high school announced.

Soil District Low Topic of Thursday Meeting

Landowners of Eastland county will have an opportunity to learn about the state soil conservation law and how soil conservation operates, if they attend a meeting in the county court room, Eastland, at 9 a. m. Thursday, April 18, the county agent has announced. Speakers on soil conservation will include C. Hohn, extension specialist in soil and water conservation, G. M. Carraway, member of the state soil conservation board, and W. R. Heizer of the soil conservation service.

All landowners and their wives are urged to attend the meeting, where they will have the privilege of hearing these authorities explain the soil law, but those who cannot attend will still have an opportunity to hear an explanation, as a series of community educational meetings will be held by agricultural workers of the county early in May, when the law and soil conservation districts will be explained.

Attending the meeting also are the members of the county soil conservation advisory committee, vocational agriculture teachers, farm security workers, and county extension agents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Sanford and daughter, Julia, of Terrell, formerly of Cisco, spent Sunday with friends here.

Rules to Govern Play in Cisco Soft Ball League Are Announced

Following are the rules which have been adopted to govern play in the newly organized Cisco soft ball league this summer:

1. Regulation soft ball rules to be in force.
2. Fifteen players allowed for each team including playing manager.
3. New player must sit on team's bench for three games before playing in fourth. His name to be turned in at the start. Any infraction of this rule will disqualify said player.
4. A two week time limit allowed each team to adjust team, after which time, the fifteen players should be set.
5. No player leaving his team after the two weeks limit, will be allowed to play on any other team.

Peanut Plant To Be Built at Gorman

GORMAN, April 15.—The Southwestern Peanut Growers association will start construction in Gorman within the next two weeks on \$25,000 worth of improvements, according to Dick Weekes, manager of the association. Office facilities will be constructed the first thing, stated Mr. Weekes, and as soon as this is completed, work on two warehouses and a building for the fertilizer plant will be started. The peanut mill will be erected following these.

Mr. Weekes and a number of the board of directors of the organization returned from an inspection trip to Georgia and Alabama, where they went in the interest of the fertilizer plant and they were highly pleased with the results they found along this line.

It has been decided by the directors that the fertilizer plant will be constructed first, due to the fact that it will be necessary for the association to buy chemicals and other things necessary in the manufacture of fertilizer, in July of this year, and in order to do that and be ready for the sale of the products during the next year, it was decided best to build this mill first.

The directors have also changed plans in regard to the warehouse facilities and instead of one warehouse with 1,500 tons capacity, they will erect two, with a total capacity of 2,000 tons. These buildings will be of sheet iron and concrete.

The fertilizer plant will be constructed of native stone or brick and will be two stories, one below and one above the ground. Due to the activity of certain chemicals it will be necessary to house the fertilizer plant in either a frame or stone or brick structure, and present plans call for a stone or brick structure.

The office building will be a one-story building, separate and apart from the mills, and will be of either stone or brick construction.

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BRITISH ON WAY TO AID NORWEGIANS

Broadcast Says Troops Dispatched; Baltic Mines Laid

LONDON, April 15 (AP)—British troops are on their way to help the Norwegians, a broadcast disclosed Sunday night, while a new surprise mine-laying operation by the British navy put down a barrier in Germany's own backyard in the Baltic.

A broadcast over BBC by British and Norwegian trade union leaders asked the Norwegians to help the British landing force by every means in their power.

When and where the landing will be made, and the size of the expedition remained a secret.

Exchange Telegraph, a British news agency, reported confirmation that the British were in control of Narvik, as a result of Saturday's attack, in which the admiralty said seven German destroyers were sunk. These were in addition to the destroyer and seven supply ships reported sunk in the earlier British raid on Narvik Wednesday.

While British troops and navy were thus engaged, the British air force struck again at Stavanger, southwestern Norwegian port, to keep the German air fleet grounded and prevent attacks on northern British bases.

Baltic Mine Trap
The swift, surprise-mining of the Baltic supposedly cut German ships from trade with Sweden and

Two New Oil Operations In Stephens County

EASTLAND, April 15 (Spe)—Two new operations in Stephens county highlighted oil developments of the section this week.

In the northwest part of the Dance pool west of Crystal Falls, W. B. Omohundro spudded No. 1 B. S. Dance, 467 feet west and 467 feet north of the southwest corner of the Geo. H. York survey, but in the J. Koehler survey. The operation will be a 4,000-foot project.

The other new operation was C. W. Cary No. 1 J. M. Crudington, six miles northwest of Breckenridge, 330 feet from the south and east lines of section 1268, TE&L survey. The well will be carried to 4,150 feet unless oil or gas are found at a lesser depth.

Other activity was as follows: Stephens county — Frank and Fred Jones No. 1 A. Cloh and others, five miles southeast of Ivan, section 2, block 3, SPRR survey, was drilling at 1,900 feet.

Pitzer and West's township test in Breckenridge on the Gonzalus land east of the First Christian church was shutdown below 4,000 feet.

Pitzer and West No. 1 Compton, section 9, OAL survey, southwest part of the county, was drilling below 1,850 feet.

Five miles northwest of Caddo, J. R. Tolbert had spudded No. 1 Mrs. Rose Martin, section 1335, TE&L survey.

Eastland county—Hickok Producing and Development company No. 1 Wright and Hattell, J. B. Hoxie survey, four miles northeast of Cisco, was drilling at 2,500 feet.

Dobbs Oil corporation No. 1 H. D. Thomas, two miles south of Carbon, S. H. Key survey, was drilling at 700 feet.

The same corporation No. 1 Poe, five miles west of Carbon, section 37, block 3, H&TC survey, at 750 feet was shutdown.

In the Gorman area, four miles northeast of the town, Frank Kirk and others No. 1 Gilmore, W. D. Moss survey, was drilling at 700 feet.

Erath county—O. D. Dillingham and others No. 1 J. B. Moring heirs, Moses Goff survey, in the old X-Ray field, at 3,000 feet was drilling.

Palo Pinto county—W. K. Gordon No. 4 W. R. Wingo, section 80, block 2, T&P survey, six miles north of Gordon, is drilling at 3,300 feet.

To Explain Food Stamp Plan to Grocers Tuesday

EASTLAND, April 15 (Spe)—Complete details of the function and operation of the federal food stamp plan sought in Eastland county will be explained at a meeting of county grocers Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 in the chamber of commerce offices at Eastland.

The plan will be explained by H. J. Tanner, secretary-manager of the Eastland chamber of commerce, who filed application for adoption of the plan with the Federal Surplus Commodities corporation last December. Commissioners' court of Eastland county are also eager for the adoption of the plan.

Tanner called the meeting of the grocers so that a greater concerted effort might be put forth by the county for the adoption of the plan. All preliminary work has been completed and decision of the FSSC is being awaited.

Persons in each town of the county were written by Tanner and asked to advise grocers of the meeting at Eastland.

Grocers Should Profit
"This will be an excellent opportunity for the grocers of Eastland county to understand the food stamp plan thoroughly," declared Tanner.

"There is no reason," he added, "why every grocer in the county should not benefit by the adoption of the plan. The grocer is the key man in the successful operation of

Tuesday Program Is Announced

Supervised activities of the Cisco Recreation project for Tuesday, April 16th will be held at the following locations:

Recreation Center—2 to 6 p. m.—Open to the Public.
Tennis court (First Methodist church)—2 to 6 p. m.—Open to the public.

Fee Esta park—2 to 6 p. m.—General playground activity.
West Ward—3 to 6 p. m.—Playground activities.
East ward—3 to 6 p. m.—Playground activities.

City hall (Music center)—1 to 5 p. m.—Music classes for men, women and children.
Smithville (colored)—2 to 6 p. m.—Open to the public.

CORRECTION
In the account of the funeral rites Friday, Mrs. Will Farmer in the Sunday edition of the Daily Press, it was incorrectly stated that Jack Anderson acted as pall bearer. Pall bearers for the services were Leon Maner, Marshall Thomas, Alex Spears, Roy Pippen, J. D. Lauderdale and A. D. Anderson.

Charlie Gray to Open Fishing Season Here

A former Cisco merchant and sportsman, Charlie Gray, now representing a large bait manufacturing company, will open the 1940 fishing season May 1 in his old home town, Mr. Gray wrote the Daily Press he would be here on that date to fish in Lake Cisco and to make motion pictures which will be shown by his company.

Mr. Gray is now one of the foremost fishermen in this country. He has represented his company at many fishing rodeos, both in salt and fresh water. He has fished from the Canadian border and in both American and Mexican waters of the Gulf of Mexico. He has had many thrilling experiences with all types of fishing especially in salt water.

He will make some action pictures of Lake Cisco and his fishing by him and his company in every corner of the United States. They will be shown to sports organizations, Boy Scouts, and various organizations, he wrote.

Charlie will have with him several action pictures he has made in various parts of the country, especially in salt water. These pictures will more than likely be shown before he leaves the city.

It is interesting to hear Mr. Gray tell of some of his thrilling experiences of catching tarpon, jackfish, shark and other varieties of large fish which inhabit salt water. He has landed 100 pound tarpon on a small eight and one-half-ounce rod with 18 pound test line, requiring sometimes an hour or more to land. He is an expert with rod and reel, both bait and fly casting.

Cisco FFA Officers Initiate Ranger Boys

Eight members of the Ranger FFA chapter were initiated into the grade of Future Farmers this morning by the officers of the Cisco chapter. As the Ranger FFA chapter is a young one it could not initiate its own members, since a requirement is that members of higher ranks must initiate those of lower ranks.

Those initiated at Ranger were Clarence Horn, S. S. Faircloth, Carlton Adams, Palmer Ray Kelly, James Mitchell, Carl Blackburn, George Falls and Delbert Boney.

Cisco officers taking part were J. V. Heyser, Billy Fox, Lowell Carlie, Gene Duncan, Odell Plumlee and George Warfield. T. G. Caudle is the Cisco instructor.

Troy Anderson of Baird spent Sunday here.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

The statutes of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart.—Ps. xix 8.

Thanks to the human heart by which we live, Thanks to its tenderness, its joys and fears, To me the meanest flower that blows can give Thoughts that do alien lie too deep for tears, at. —WORDSWORTH.

For the art of loyally enjoying our being we must substitute the experiences—the art of loving completely and living aright. And why should that be difficult to attain?

Eyes North

WE must try to stop looking at the world with the eyes of yesterday, and try to see it with the eyes of tomorrow.

We think of the Atlantic as the broad expanse between New York and Cherbourg. We must begin to think of it as the great circle airplane crossing from Halifax across Greenland and Iceland to northern Europe.

We think of the Pacific as the vast reach from San Francisco to Hawaii to Manila to Hong Kong. We must begin to think of it

as the hop-skip-and-jump by air from the Asiatic mainland to Alaska.

Thus the United States cannot fail to be interested in what happens to Greenland and Iceland.

Greenland, largest island in the world, is populated by only 400 Danes and 16,000 natives. The United States used to have claims on the northern part of it as a result of Peary's explorations, but relinquished them when the Virgin Islands were bought from Denmark. Most of Greenland lies farther west than Brazil.

Iceland, most ancient of democracies, has 117,000 people, and is definitely eastern hemisphere. It might claim the United States by right of discovery, for it was from here that Leif Ericsson set sail for Vinland in the year 1000.

BOTH islands have been happy in their obscurity, utterly without defense. But islands that happen to be of military value can no longer be obscure. The world has made it so. And since it has been made plain that any defenseless neutral country is liable to seizure by a stronger country which needs it for military purposes, the United States is bound to take an interest in the northern islands.

More and more the taboo of the north is being broken. Access to the continent is not only from east and west, but from the north, across the pole. It has been rumored, for instance, that the German soldiers who seized Narvik came from Murmansk. Both are farther north than Iceland.

All North America turns eyes north. Neither Canada nor the United States can be indifferent to the fate of Greenland and Iceland.

Germany begins worrying about next winter's coal shortage, evidently firm in the belief that Europe will still be on the map at that time.

Britain has at last placed responsibility for the sinking of the submarine Thetis, and can now turn her undivided attention to the matter of 750,000 tons of merchant shipping.

Mrs. Roosevelt is to begin a series of radio broadcasts. A neat way of solving her ever present problem of how to be in more than one place at the same time.

... mud scow of theirs gets into Prince Rupert in a few hours. I'm gonna wire Duffy now he should call me just as soon as he gets ashore. Now scam, you guys, and let me have my headache in peace."
They left him with a rush and Sam Golden reached for the remnants of the bottle of whisky.

Sparks sent Sam Golden's wire down to Duffy Kelso a couple of hours later.

"Call me immediately you find a telephone," he read out aloud. "That sounds like Sam Golden," Duffy said. "He must be up in the air like a kite, only higher."

Duffy stared at the message again, suspiciously. "I don't like the smell of this," he said. "Well, the nearest telephone is still three hours away. Meanwhile, keep your blood below the boiling point," Val advised him. "You might want to get up a full head of steam later when you put your call through."

"What's up, do you wonder?" Pop asked her when he got her alone. But Val had no better idea than they did.

It was late afternoon when the Northern Belle nosed slowly the channel toward Prince Rupert. "We'll be picking up a pilot soon," Val observed. They were leaning against the rail up forward, letting the cool breeze fan back into their faces.

"How long before we dock?" Eddie asked.

"Couple of hours at least." She looked at him sideways. "Can't wait until you rid yourself of us, can you?"

He shrugged and stared at the curling wake of white which spewed away from the bow.

"It was your offer, remember. What do you expect me to do under the circumstances? Duffy probably will weep out of sheer happiness."

He had something there, she admitted to herself. What did she expect? Could there be any earthly reason why he'd give up a quick trip back to San Francisco instead of a four-day voyage. Was that what she wanted? That was a troublesome thought, too. She stole a glance at the dark, rugged profile beside her. There was something slightly incongruous about it. That sensitive mouth, maybe. Eddie Cavalier didn't have the mouth you'd expect to find on a boxer. Strange she should be catching herself thinking of little things like that.

So she let her mind wander a bit. She thought of some of the other men she had known. A couple of them she had liked. There was Marshall Kendall, Handsome, impetuous Marshall Kendall who didn't have to work a day in his life if he didn't want to, but who was haphazardly trying to learn the brokerage business. Marshall and his house on Long Island and his yacht.

There was Rodney Blair, a human dynamo if ever there was one. So wrapped up in his law business that he had no time to relax. She could like Rodney Blair a lot of only he would unbend a little more. He had already asked her to marry him.

Yet she knew she could never fall in love with either Marshall or Rodney. She couldn't ever marry a type, and that's what they were. If and when she did fall in love it would be with someone more refreshing. Someone with purpose and spirit.

The question formed in her mind without her being conscious of it. Someone like Eddie Cavalier? No, she told herself, it could hardly be Eddie. . . . could it?

But when he spoke, suddenly, at her side she started visibly. "If we're picking up the pilot here," he observed. He was

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(Second Term)

For District Clerk—
JOHN WHITE (For Second Term)

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SERIAL STORY

K. O. CAVALIER

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VAL DOUGLAS — girl sports writer, shipped on a freighter to find excitement.
EDDIE CAVALIER — a prize fighter headed for the title, has a score to settle with Val.
CAPTAIN STEVE HANSEN — skipper of the Northern Belle.
DUFFY KELSO — Cavalier's manager.

YESTERDAY: Val tries to thank Eddie for saving her, but he remains cold. She even offers to release him from the crew when the ship makes port. Back in San Francisco, Promoter Sam Golden is trying to explain to sports writers, when word comes that Eddie's opponent has sprained his ankle.

CHAPTER XVI

There was mild commotion in Sam Golden's office when the pro-

... moter made his announcement. They leaped upon him at once. When . . . how bad was Massini hurt . . . would he be able to fight . . . what did the doctor say . . .
Sam held up his hand in an effort to stop the torrent of words that were being fired at him.
"Boys, boys, give me a chance to breathe," he pleaded. "It's bad. The doc says Massini went and twisted one of them fancy ligaments, or something, and he won't be able to fight for maybe two months."

Sam nodded his bald head again. "And with that advance gate," he moaned, "this is gotta happen to me."
They were relentless. They had to have a story. One of them already had a death clutch on the telephone to call his paper.
"I can't cancel," Sam wailed.

"I can't. I'll never get Cavalier here again."
Suddenly he rushed to the phone. "Wait! I got an idea. I'm gonna call the champ. I think I got an out."

Sam was lucky. In five minutes he was talking to the champ's manager in New York. When he was through he slumped back in his seat, completely spent.
"Well, boys, here it is and it's a swell yarn, too. We're bringing in Corky Briggs from Chicago. He's available and in shape. An what's more, the champ says he'll give Cavalier a whack at him if he beats Briggs."

"Jumping Jupiter!" one of the reporters howled. "Corky Briggs isn't a middleweight any more. He's been fighting as a light-heavy for three months now and he's climbing fast."
Sam shrugged. "I know it, but what can we do? I ain't got no alternative. So Cavalier'll have to give away eight, nine pounds, or so. It's his business, not mine, if he wants that title shot."

He looked at his watch. "That

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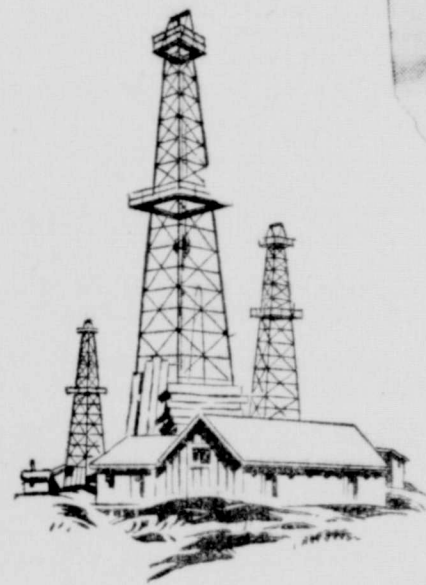


TEXAS farmers and ranchers received last year from oil men the huge sum of \$132,478,000 for leases and royalties as their share in this partnership.

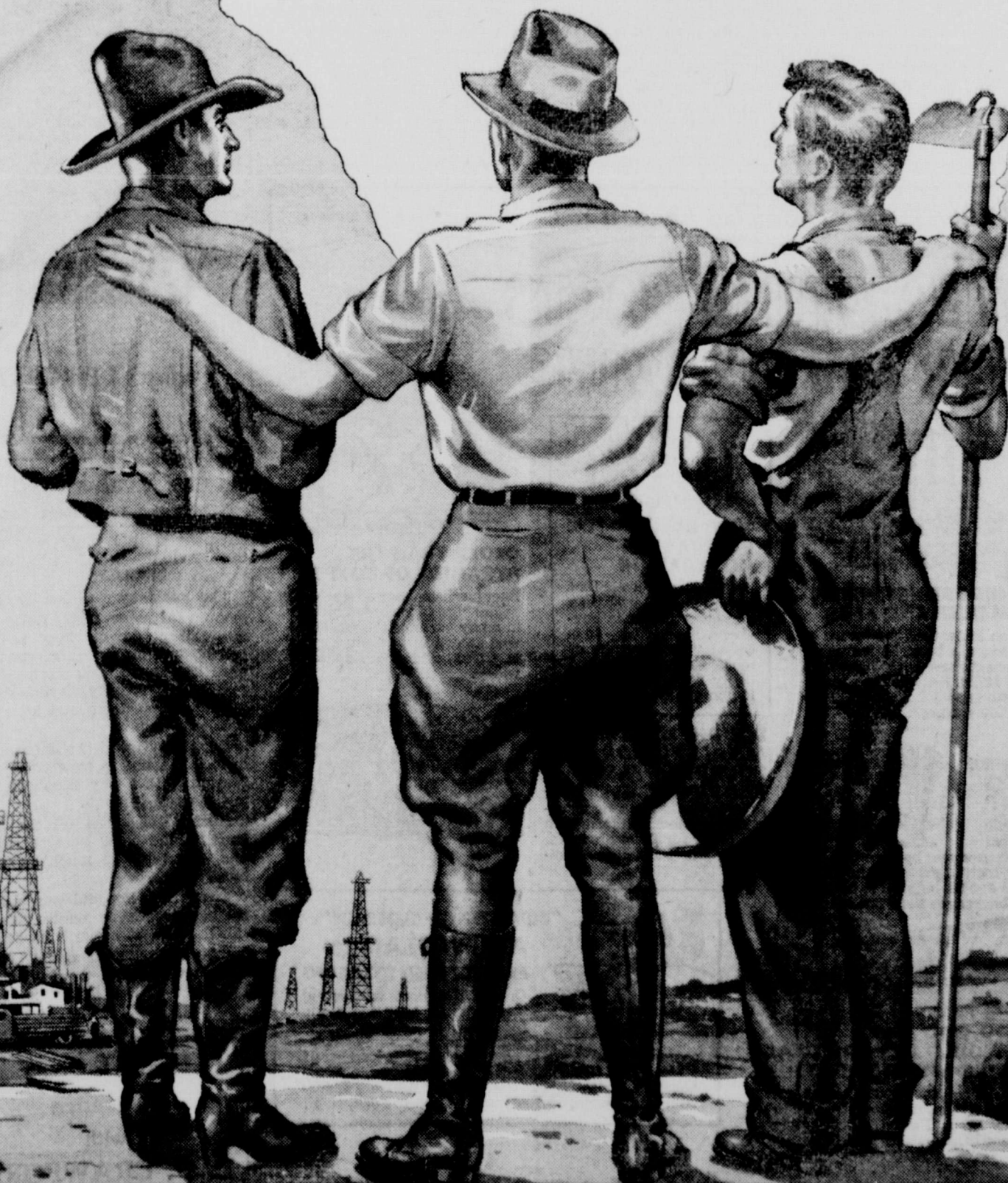
All but seven of Texas' 254 counties now share in this cash return from leases and production on more than 50,000,000 acres of Texas land.

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New Sewing Club Meets On Wednesday

The Jolly Workers, a recently organized sewing club, met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. H. Barron. Officers of the club are: President, Mrs. H. L. Reese; treasurer, Mrs. C. K. Padgett, and reporter, Mrs. W. E. Dean. Various forms of needlework formed the afternoon's diversion, after which refreshments were served. The club will meet Wednesday of this week with Mrs. B. M. Ray at 3 o'clock. Those present for the meeting were Meses. R. L. Garrett, Wilton Hudman, C. K. Padgett, H. J. Moyer, Ed Thurman, H. L. Reese, B. M. Ray, M. P. Farnsworth, W. E. Dean and the hostess, Mrs. Barron.

Teachers' Sorority In Meeting

Beta Upsilon chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma held its regular meeting at the Laguna hotel Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Mrs. O. L. Stamey, president, presided over the business session. During the business period, a brief report of the district conference held in Haskell on March 9 was given by Miss Marie Winston. Mrs. Thelma Berry of Clyde then directed an interesting program, on which the following parts were given: "Evaluating Teachers and Their Services," Miss Pearl Donaway; "Teachers as Human Beings," by Mrs. Jewel Swanzy; "Regulating Teachers' Loads," by Mrs. H. B. Self; "The Selecting and Placing of Teachers," by Mrs. Kate Allen; "Teacher Salary Schedules," by Mrs. Irene Hughes. "Adaptability of Public School System," by Miss Nellie Yunk. Eighteen members were present for the meeting.

The Notebook

Tuesday
The Cecilia singers will meet at the First Methodist church at 7:15.
All circles of the First Baptist Women's Missionary society will meet at the church at 3:15 for a mission study. The Sunbeams will meet at the same hour.
The Thursday Forty-two club will meet with Mrs. D. Ball at 3 o'clock.
Cisco Chapter 461, O.E.S., will meet at the hall at 8 p. m.
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Personals

Miss Ruby Lee Blanton of Roby spent the week-end with her aunt, Miss Ruby Love.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Lyle spent the week-end in Abilene and Sweetwater.

Miss Zona Miller of Roby spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Raby Miller.

Robert Siddall and Albert Hill of Breckenridge were guests of friends here Sunday.

Miss Marian Jacobs of Abilene spent the week-end with friends here.

Olive Cole has returned to his home in Odessa after spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Cole.

Jack Stephenson of Texas A. & M., College Station, is the guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Stephenson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. D'Spain and Miss Ethel Mae Wilson left Sunday for Harlingen, where they will attend the Texas convention of Christian churches.

Miss Pansy Lee Porter of Texas university spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Porter.

Misses Martha Graves and Nova Skinner of Sanger and Miss DeAlva Graves of Peacock spent the week-end here.

Marvin Elliott of Beaumont, formerly of Cisco, visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Winston of Hamilton are spending a few days here.

L. M. Yarbrough and Vernon Shirley are spending today in Rotan.

Mrs. T. H. Chumney and sons of Abilene were guests here Sunday.

Paul Johnson, who attends school in Abilene, spent the week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dean and daughter, Billie Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Black spent Sunday in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Elma Guest of Mrs. Jerry Cox of Haskell, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ferguson of Wichita Falls spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ferguson. Meses. Guest and Cox were accompanied home by little Janet Ferguson.

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made hazardous any effort Adolf Hitler might make to transport troops to Sweden to assist in his Norwegian invasion.

A British broadcasting corporation broadcast said the new giant mine field, extending to Kiel bay, German naval base, and reaching completely across the Baltic to Lithuania, already was claiming its victims.

(Columbia Broadcasting system's listening station in New York said Swedish sailors had seen German transports wrecked by mines off Lysekil, on the Swedish west coast. Killed and wounded were being picked up by German minesweepers, the broadcast said.)

The British also broadcast Swedish dispatches from Bodo that the Germans had abandoned Narvik.

British Are Coming
"British soldiers are coming to assist the gallant Norwegian people in their resistance to the German invaders," said the broadcast by union leaders.

"Wherever British soldiers are met, assist them by every means in your power.
"If you know where the Germans are, tell the British.
"If they (the British) require food, feed them. If they require shelter, give it to them. If a soldier wants a lift, take him to his destination. We shall speak to you again, but meantime, think for yourselves how best you can help the British soldiers and your country. Pass on the word to as many people as possible. See that it travels to outlying farms. See that it is known in the factories, on the fjords, along rivers, and in the hills."

Royal Air force planes roared out of dim dawn light to rain bombs on the airdrome at Stavanger and, the air ministry said, damaged a hanger, runway and a number of enemy aircraft.

The ministry's communique said air raiders also had attacked in Hals fjord, where they machine-gunned a number of seaplanes moored on the water and silenced an enemy machine-gun nest. It indicated continuous aerial reconnoitering over the North sea and Norwegian coast.

Food Stamp Plan--
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The plan was adopted this week with enthusiastic responses from merchants and relief clients and others.

It has been stated that over the nation about 15,000,000 individuals will receive the benefits of the plan when it is extended on a national basis.

The food stamp plan will call for the distribution of 300,000,000 pounds of butter, 352,000,000 dozen eggs, 25,000,000 bushels of wheat in the form of flour, 6,000,000 bushels of corn converted into corn meal, 140,000,000 pounds of rice, 87,000,000 pounds of dry beans and trainloads of citrus fruits tomatoes and vegetables.

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Rules to--

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force, except seven innings in case of a double-header.

10. Only members of teams and their managers will be admitted free on the nights they are playing.

11. Season to be divided with winner of first half, and winner of second half. A play off to be held at end of each half between the two top teams. Winners to be decided on percentage basis.

12. All disputes not covered, to be handled by the soft ball governing committee.

13. The governing soft ball committee to be composed of:

A. Either the playing manager or sponsor of each team.

B. A member of the Lions club.

C. The promoters.

14. Umpires — E. L. Jackson designated to be the dean, and to assign umpires for each game of the week.

15. Uniforms—

A. Furnished by sponsors.

B. Uniform color.

C. Clean and neat.

D. Colors to lend added zest to the contests.

16. Suitable trophies and awards are to be given to the winners.

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K. O. Cavalier--

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right. In a little while they were in Chaltam Sound and nosed toward their dock.

The gangway had hardly been moored fast when Duffy Kelso was scrambling down. Pop Grimes leaned on the rail and watched him. "He'll fall flat on his face, sure," he said dryly. "I almost did when I stepped on land after my first sea trip."

But Duffy made it without accident. He found a waterfront restaurant with a pay telephone and put his call through.

Duffy Kelso ran all the way back to the ship. He was raging and sputtering so much he could hardly talk.

First thing Pop did was remove the cigar from his mouth. "Maybe this'll make it easier," he said. "We been jobbed again!" Duffy screamed. He told them what had happened in San Francisco. "That's bad," muttered Pop. "I

dunno whether we can give away pounds like that—especially to a tough one like Corky Briggs."

"We ain't got no choice," Duffy said. "C'mon, we're gettin' back to Frisco in a hurry."

"Just a minute," Eddie said quietly. "I've changed my mind. We're going back to Frisco the same way we came."

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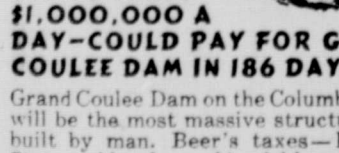
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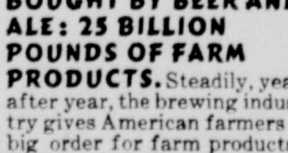
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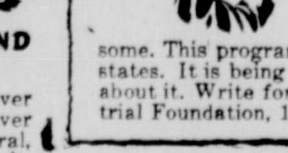
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