

New Operator For Airport Is Named

To Conduct CAA Flight Training; Classes Start Tonight While arrangements were completed for the first session at the high school at 8 o'clock this evening—for the ground school class preliminary to CAA's civilian flight instruction program in Big Spring, the city commission had completed agreement for an operator to conduct business at the municipal airport, and to serve as training pilot for those eligible to continue the CAA program at the conclusion of the ground school.

It looked like a banner enrollment in the class, with 95 having returned applications at noon Wednesday. Eight of the number were young women. The 72-hour, 12-week training course is being offered for a fee of \$5, and those between the ages of 18 and 25 who pass competitive tests will be eligible for flight scholarships beginning probably in April.

Operator in charge of this air instruction will be Arthur W. (Art) Winthelmer, a veteran pilot of 41, who has been in aviation since the World war, and who has 8,000 hours flying time to his credit. Winthelmer, who at present is giving Army and CAA flight instruction at Tuscaloosa, Ala., appeared before the city commission Tuesday evening to complete arrangements for his contract. He plans to come here as soon as he can get a release from Tuscaloosa.

He will operate a complete flying service, offering charter service and private instruction in addition to handling the CAA flight project. Winthelmer comes here highly recommended in aviation circles, having had experience in air mail and commercial flying, and three years' experience in instruction without an accident.

The city's agreement provides for him to take over operation of the airport—a deal that will be satisfactory to American Airlines and any other airline, commercial line which might step here. Hudson Landers, present airport manager, will be associated with Winthelmer, and full fueling and mechanical service will be maintained. Winthelmer has a Waco plane, and said he hoped business would justify future addition of planes and personnel.

He will have exclusive franchise on services at the port, and in return, the city will take 10 per cent of all mechanic-labor revenues; and a percentage on gas and oil and hangar rent revenues, running from 10 per cent the first year to an eventual 40 per cent the fourth year and thereafter. The percentages increase by 10 each year. Commissioners said the airport arrangement would work out more economically than it has under past policies.

GIRLS FLEE SAFELY FROM BEAUMONT FIRE BEAUMONT, Jan. 10 (AP)—Twenty-five girls fled to safety today from a burning three-story building.

Parallel Parking Retained On Third Street, Ordered In Effect On Gregg

Parallel parking will remain in effect on Third street—and will be added on Gregg street. This was the order of the city commission at its session Tuesday evening, when the old parking problem came up for settlement. A month ago, in response to a petition, commissioners voted to restore angle parking on Third; two weeks ago they received a petition opposing that, and took the matter under advisement.

With traffic safety in their minds, city officials Tuesday evening also instructed the city manager to see that police enforcement is tightened down on traffic ordinances, particularly on that requiring a complete stop before making a right turn on a red light. This is one of the most common violations, and an intensive campaign to "ticket" all drivers who do not observe the complete stop was promised.

A committee from the local Safety council, composed of Roy Reeder, Rev. J. O. Haymes and Jeannette Barnett, appeared before the commission asking an ordinance prohibiting any riders on fenders and running boards of vehicle. The commission took the request under advisement.

House Votes Anti-Lynch Bill; Budget Committee Approved FDR, Taft Stage Argument Over Economy WASHINGTON, Jan. 10 (AP)—The senate approved today a proposal to create a congressional budget-making committee.

The joint committee of 24 members would study President Roosevelt's budget and tax estimates and then make recommendations of its own. While President Roosevelt and Senator Taft (R-Ohio) continued their argument over government economy, Budget Director Harold D. Smith said today that the federal agencies reorganized by the chief executive last summer cut 5,006 employees off the payroll in three months.

Mr. Roosevelt cited figures yesterday to show that a program outlined by Senator Taft (R-Ohio) for balancing the multi-billion dollar budget would save only \$2,000,000 yearly. That would include, he said, the elimination of the National Planning board, which he contended would save the government a lot of money in the long run, and the Disaster Loan corporation, which he pointed out spent most of its money in Ohio flood relief.

Defense Fund Approved By Committee

Immediate Outlay Of Over 267 Million Is Proposed WASHINGTON, Jan. 10 (AP)—The house appropriations committee approved, in general, today President Roosevelt's recommendations for immediate emergency defense and neutrality outlays and proposed that congress provide \$267,197,908 for the army, navy, coast guard and federal bureau of investigation.

The money would go for work already started or expected to be undertaken during the remainder of the fiscal year ending June 30, in connection with neutrality patrols, increases in and training of military personnel, and counter-espionage.

The whole outlay was proposed under the president's proclamation of a state of limited national emergency at the start of European war last September. Reporting an emergency appropriation bill to the house, the committee cut \$4,801,618 from \$271,999,525 recommended by the executive branch. The largest reduction was \$2,054,575 in the item of food for the army.

With the anti-lynching measure out of the way, the house plans to wheel into its first appropriation bill. In the anti-lynching quarrel, a partisan war was stirred yesterday by a remark of Rep. Mitchell (D-Ind), the only negro in congress.

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Red Battalion Is Scattered; Many Killed

Soviet Territory Is Invaded At A Fourth Point HELSINKI, Jan. 10 (AP)—Two hundred Russian dead were left on a battlefield north of Lake Ladoga today when Finnish forces dispersed a soviet battalion and took 40 prisoners, a Finnish communique announced.

Finland also reported that remnants of the Russian 44th division, which was routed in fighting several days ago, had been thrown back across the soviet frontier in the vicinity of Raate. (Russia yesterday acknowledged that the Red army had withdrawn in this east-central section of the Finnish-Russian frontier.)

It was the fourth point on the border where Finland said the Red invaders had been pushed back to their own soil. Russia's forces were reported continuing their digging in operations on the Karelian Isthmus front where Finnish resistance has held up their offensive since the invasion started Nov. 30.

Oral Deals On Labor Upheld By Court CHICAGO, Jan. 10 (AP)—The Wagner act does not require collective bargaining contracts to be in writing, in the opinion of the United States circuit court of appeals.

Car Operators Given Fines Five men were fined a total of \$170 on seven counts in justice court Wednesday in connection with what officers said were law violations growing out of travel bureau procedure.

State Testimony In Kidnap Case Nearing An End BEAUMONT, Jan. 10 (AP)—The state neared the end of its testimony today as it sought to show Dr. William C. Welch, Port Arthur chiropractor, was the kidnaper of Irwin Mingle.

FINNS' GAINS



Late developments in the Russo-Finnish war included a Finnish report they had wiped out the 44th Russian division, killing thousands and taking more than 1,000 prisoners, near Suomussalmi. A communique said Finns had defeated a Red ski detachment in the Salla sector. Russians were reported digging in on the Karelian Isthmus. Ice on the Gulf of Finland and Bothnia was hampering Russia's naval warfare.

Equipment and personal belongings abandoned by the fleeing Russians indicated the 44th division—smashed southeast of Suomussalmi—was one of the Red army's crack units from the Polish campaign.

REVISIONS? WASHINGTON, Jan. 10 (AP)—House critics of the National Labor Relations Board predicted today that circuit court decisions against the board would intensify congressional sentiment for revisions in the Wagner act.

KILLED BY TRAIN ALICE, Jan. 10 (AP)—Guadalupe Armenta, 44, was killed today when a freight train crashed into his car at a street crossing here. The car was carried almost a block on the front of the engine.

Weather WEST TEXAS—Generally fair tonight and Thursday; little change in temperature. EAST TEXAS—Cloudy, light rain near the coast and in north-east portion tonight; Thursday partly cloudy, slightly warmer in the northeast portion and near the upper coast tonight; cooler in the northwest portion Thursday.

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T. S. Currie Elected To State Natl. Presidency

Succeeds W. B. Currie; Noble Read New Director Election of T. S. Currie as president of the State National bank, to succeed Wm. B. Currie, constituted the major change in local banking personnel at annual meetings of stockholders and directors of the two local financial institutions Tuesday.

TICKETS SOLD FOR BALLET Evidence of wide interest in the appearance here of the San Francisco Opera Ballet was shown Wednesday in a report that already seat reservations have totaled 50.

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Table with 3 columns: Temperature, Time, and Location. Includes entries for West Texas, East Texas, and various locations with temperature forecasts.

Mrs. Fisher Is Honored By Past Matrons Club

Deputy Grand Matron Given Surprise Gift

To honor Mrs. Frances Fisher, who was appointed deputy grand matron of district two, section eight by grand chapter of Order of Eastern Star in the fall, members of the Past Matrons club surprised her with a covered-dish supper and party in her home.

The club presented her with a floor lamp and Mrs. Beulah Carricks made the presentation speech acknowledging the aid and support given by Mrs. Fisher to the organization during the years and expressing appreciation for her work.

Mrs. Ladonia Cook, who recently married, was presented with a gift of pillow cases and Mrs. Edith Murdoch and Mrs. Eula Hall were appointed on the committee to visit the sick this month.

Mrs. Rachel Ivey and Mrs. Ladonia Cook were chosen as next hostesses.

Others present were Mrs. Emily Andrews, Mrs. Willie Mae Dabney, Mrs. Brownie Dunning, Mrs. Mae Hayden, Mrs. Truie Jones, Mrs. Lena Koberg, Mrs. Lula Leeper, Mrs. Ollie Smith, Mrs. Lera McClintney, Mrs. Edith Murdoch, Mrs. Susie Musgrove.

Mrs. Mae Notestine, Mrs. Ruby Read, Mrs. Laura Willis, Mrs. Agnes B. Young, Mrs. Maude Brooks, Mrs. Eula Hall, Mrs. Rachel Ivey.

Daily Calendar Of Week's Events

WEDNESDAY
BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMAN'S CIRCLE will meet at 7 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church.
THURSDAY
ROYAL NEIGHBORS will meet at 2 o'clock at the W.O.W. Hall. COLLEGE HEIGHTS P.T.A. will meet at 3 o'clock at the school. T.E.L. CLASS OF FIRST BAPTIST church will meet at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. E. S. Beckwith, 210 Security.
WEST WARD P.T.A. will meet at 3 o'clock at the school and the Study Group will meet at 8 o'clock at the school.
FRIDAY
WOODMEN CIRCLE will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the W.O.W. Hall. MODERN WOMAN'S FORUM will meet at 7:45 o'clock with Mrs. J. W. Madrey, 208 Runnels.
SATURDAY
HOWARD COUNTY HOME DEMONSTRATION COUNCIL will meet at 2 o'clock in the home demonstration agent's office. 1800 HYPERION CLUB will meet at 3 o'clock with Mrs. J. Y. Robb as hostess. Mrs. Preston R. Sanders will give a book review and minute reviews will be by Mrs. Phil Berry and Mrs. Irs Thurman. JUNIOR MUSIC STUDY CLUB will meet at 10 o'clock with Robbie Piner, 600 Matthews.

About The Ballet

Unexpected Delight And Beauty Found In Ballet By All Classes

(One of the big events of the theatrical year for Big Spring will be the presentation here, on January 24 under auspices of the Band Boosters club, of the San Francisco Opera Ballet. Following is another in a series of articles dealing with the ballet in general and this company in particular.)

Ballet fans have a delightfully expressive title, balletomane. Analyzed, the word seems to mean one who has developed a mania for ballet. Those who have known or encountered "balletomanes" will probably agree that this particular breed of homo sapiens has been aptly titled.

The San Francisco Opera Ballet, which comes to Big Spring on January 24, has done its share in developing the balletomane section of the American population with many interesting ramifications. For instance, a young surgeon in a northwestern community who witnessed his first ballet performance when the San Francisco Opera Ballet played his city has taken on the collection of balletiana as his hobby. He has gathered books, photographs and even posters. Then, to complete the idea, is collecting recorded ballet music.

An oil truck driver, who was "dragged" to a first performance by his wife, appeared at the box office in the next town with the naive explanation that he had been bullied into attending the first performance. "But they were coming to this one because he wanted to."

A rather unusual, and pathetic, fan letter came to the ballet following an engagement in one city.

A recently bereaved woman was induced to attend the performance, then shortly afterward wrote to her particular favorite that that had been her first ballet, and that in the re-living of each moment of the performance much of the poignancy of the loss she had suffered had been alleviated.

Ballet is a theatrical art of many elements and therein lies its great appeal. Many of the conventional shackles of the theatre are put

aside to allow ballet to soar to great imaginative heights. Even reality is smothered in a charming, whimsical unreality, creating a dream world apart from the prosaic and everyday. "Romeo and Juliet," those timeless characters, become almost dream personalities as performed in ballet. The essence of their great love drama remains, but as though it were seen and felt through a rosy garden. An alluring dream of effortless beauty results.

Mrs. R. V. Forsythe Named President Of 1940 Sewing Club

Mrs. R. V. Forsythe was named president of the 1940 Sewing club and Mrs. J. F. Moore secretary-treasurer when the group met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. H. C. McKinley. Mrs. Marvin Wood is to be reporter.

Sandwiches and coffee were served and talking and sewing were entertained for the afternoon. Others present were Mrs. T. M. Bradley, Mrs. Lowell Booth, Mrs. Grady Jones, Mrs. Clara Callihan, Mrs. Loy Thompson, Mrs. D. S. Orr, Mrs. Bill Croan and Mrs. A. Z. Pittman, who is to be next hostess.

Mrs. M. H. Bennett Is Hostess To 1922 Bridge Club Tuesday

Mrs. H. A. Stegner, Mrs. Charles Frost and Mrs. H. W. Leeper were guests of the 1922 Bridge club when it was entertained Tuesday by Mrs. M. H. Bennett.

Mrs. Leeper won guest high score and Mrs. Ira Thurman won club high score. A salad course was served and others present were Mrs. Thelma Price, Mrs. Roy Carter, Mrs. R. V. Middleton, Mrs. V. V. Strahan, Mrs. J. Y. Robb, Mrs. O. E. Wolfe, Mrs. Robert Parks and Mrs. Joseph T. Hayden.

High Hat Club Meets To Plan A Party

The High Hat club met recently in the home of Deveda Lee Moore for a business meeting and discussed and made plans for the new year.

A birthday party was planned for Saturday night in the Powell home to be given for Dorothy Moore. Refreshments were served to Alva and Joyce Powell, Leslie Gieser, Edna Earl Sanders, Dorothy Moore and the sponsor, Deveda Lee Moore.

MISS LANCIOUS NOTES

By Mary Whaley

When you feel like a squirrel in a cage, going round and round and not coming out anywhere, and your share of troubles suddenly grows too big for you to handle, either buy yourself a new hat or go for a walk in the country.

It's like pouring oil on angry waters and these two remedies soothe the soul and make things fall back into their true perspective. The next day it is hard to recall what it was that was bothering you.

Buying a new hat, preferably a silly one, will make you seem important in your own eyes but there are times when this doesn't help much and the budget just collapses at the thought. That's when the trip to the country is the thing.

Stand on a hill and let the wind blow through your hair and magically it sweeps cobwebs from your brain.

With nature towering about you and taking centuries to accomplish what is before your eyes, you seem but such a small part of the world that your very thoughts are unimportant and your plans are made but to make the gods of your fate chuckle.

The long walk home, made in silent content is balm to the spirit and peace throws a shroud over your troubles. Maybe for the first time in a long while you realize that you are like a small grain of sand, merely fitting in a pattern.

Lodge 284 Plans For Founder's Celebration

Planning a program for next Tuesday to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Thomas Wilde, founder of Oddfellows, members of Rebekah lodge No. 284 met Tuesday at the I. O. O. F. hall.

Mrs. Gilliland was present as a guest. The degree staff practiced and Mrs. Dorothy Pike, noble grand, presided.

Others present were Miss Chloe Stuteville, Mrs. Odessa Presley, Mrs. Viola Robinson, Mrs. Beatrice Bonner, Mrs. Eula Pond, Mrs. Ruth Wilson, Mrs. Ora Martin, Mrs. Ella Lloyd, Mrs. Velma Cain, Mrs. Joie Daniel, Mrs. Donna Mae Mann.

Mrs. Julia Wilkerson, Mrs. Sallie Kinard, Mrs. Mattie Wright, Mrs. Opal Tatum, Mrs. Maggie Richardson, Mrs. Beulah, Hayworth, Mrs. Eula Robinson, Mrs. Mabel Glenn, Mrs. Alma Crenshaw, Mrs. Dora Madison, Mrs. Hazel Lamar, Hollis Lloyd, Ben Miller, Jones Lamar and L. M. Hayworth.

Tuesday Dinner-Bridge Club Entertained At Hotel By Katie Gilmore

White and rust chrysanthemums centered the dinner table and individual corsages of the flowers were given, as favors when Katie Gilmore entertained the Tuesday Dinner-Bridge club at the Settles hotel yesterday.

Miss Lora Farnsworth was included as the only guest. Mrs. D. M. McKinley won high score and Mrs. George Crothwait won second high score. Miss Gilmore binged.

Others present were Emily Bradley, Mrs. Jim Zack, Mrs. W. H. Summerlin, Mrs. Ruth Staha, Mrs. Henry Covert, Mrs. Harold Steck, Stella Flynn and Edith Gay, who is to be next hostess.

All-Day Meeting To Be Held By Needle Painters Club

Planning an all-day meeting in the home of Mrs. Loris McDowell for January 23rd, members of the Needle Painters club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. H. E. Howie. The meeting in the home of Mrs. McDowell is to be a covered dish luncheon. A salad course was served and others present were Mrs. E. M. Conley, Mrs. Neil Hillard, Mrs. Merle Dempsey, Mrs. C. E. Shivo, Mrs. Jake Bishop, Mrs. S. M. Smith, Mrs. McDowell and Irene Wiley.

Study Club Has A Program On Music At Tuesday Meet

FORSAN, Jan. 10 (Sp1) — The Study club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. D. Leonard as lesson leader on the subject, "Music."

Mrs. R. L. Carpenter discussed folk music and typical American music was given by Mrs. W. H. Dunn.

Mrs. T. L. Campbell presented a talk on famous hymns and Mrs. Bill Conger, Jr., and Mrs. Herman Williams entertained with a piano duet.

A quartette sang a song directed by Mrs. Ira L. Watkins.

Others present were Mrs. Lloyd Burkhardt, Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. Paul Johnson, Mrs. S. E. Loper, Mrs. L. A. Mayfield, Mrs. Harry Miller, Mrs. Lloyd Rippey, Mrs. O. W. Scudday, Mrs. W. K. Scudday, Mrs. Harvey Smith, Mrs. Lols O'Barr-Smith, Mrs. Cleo Wilson.

Child's Culture Club Meets At Methodist Church For Program

Mrs. Seaman Smith conducted the Child's Culture club program Tuesday when the group met at the Methodist church.

Mrs. Joe Pickle discussed "When is Character Christian" and Mrs. King Sides told about "Being the Mother You Want to Be" by Roark.

Others present were Mrs. Iva Huneycutt, Mrs. Ellis Corum, Mrs. Harold Bottomley, Mrs. H. A. Haines, Mrs. H. B. Gulley, Mrs. Cecil D. McDonald, Mrs. Leon Smith and Mrs. Larry Schurman.

Mrs. Gene Wilson Is Guest Of Easy Ace Club Tuesday

Mrs. Gene Wilson was included as the only guest of the Easy Ace club when members met in the Colonial Hostess Room Tuesday with Mrs. Ray Shaw as hostess.

Mrs. C. H. White won high score and Mrs. Jack Hodges, Jr., won second high score. A desert course was served and others present were Mrs. J. R. Flangman, Mrs. Cecil Snodgrass, Mrs. George Tillinghast, Mrs. James Wilcox, Mrs. Hubert Johnson, Mrs. Snodgrass is to be next hostess on January 23rd.

Jack Stiff And Charles Tingle Hosts To Los Troubadores Club

Jack Stiff and Charles Tingle were hosts to the Los Troubadores club when it met Tuesday in the Stiff home. Robbie Elder played a piano solo, "Tales From Vienna Woods," and Euna Lee Long and Norma Dyer sang a duet, "Lilacs in the Rain," with Miss Long playing the ukelele accompaniment.

Mary Evelyn Lawrence played piano accompaniment when the group sang old and familiar songs. Games and dancing were also entertainment and guests were Leolla Vines, J. W. Howard, J. E. Bronstein and Harvey Adams of Abilene.

Members were Wanda Horn, Elvora Hubbard, Winnie Fischer, Georgia Griffin, Ann Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Leal Schurman and Bill Graves.

Hostess To Sew And Chat Club And Guests

FORSAN, Jan. 10 (Sp1) — Mrs. D. F. Yarbro was hostess to a buffet dinner served recently to members of the Sew and Chat club and their husbands. Bridge and forty-two were played during the evening. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sawdy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Yarbro, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thompson, Mrs. J. F. McCaslin, James Madding, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hueval, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Sheedy, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McArthur, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Branfield, Mrs. Chaney and Mrs. Mary Loper.

Mrs. Joe B. Harrison Entertains Her Club

Mrs. Joe B. Harrison entertained the Good Times club in her home Tuesday and members talked and sewed. Cherry pie was served to use a George Washington's birthday theme.

Others present were Mrs. J. A. Coffee, Mrs. Larson Lloyd, Mrs. J. C. Loper and Mrs. Vernon Logan, who is to be next hostess.

Ruth Edwards McDowell and daughter, Bobbie, went by American Airlines Monday to Dallas and Fort Worth where Mrs. McDowell will purchase a new permanent wave machine. They will return today or tomorrow.

Mrs. G. Parrott Honored At A Shower Here

Affair Given In Home Of Mrs. R. C. Hargrove

Mrs. George Parrott was honored with a miscellaneous shower given Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. C. Hargrove with Mrs. R. E. Blount, Mrs. Esta Williams and Mrs. J. H. Johnson assisting.

The home was decorated with poinsettias and the lace-laid table was centered with white garzias. A white swan was placed on the piano and filled with pink and purple anemones and lavender statia.

Mrs. Parrott was Miss Banna Cooper before her marriage November 4th.

Refreshments of spiced tea, angel food squares and sandwiches were served. Sue Beth Hargrove and Sara Maude Johnson presided at the register.

Concates were held with the winners Miss Pruitt and Mrs. Parrott. Mrs. Blount furnished piano music and her daughter, Helen, sang.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Vineyard, Mrs. Jim Skalkley, Mrs. W. S. Fleetwood, Mrs. Edmon Lovelady, Mrs. Belle Black, Lennah Rose Black, Mrs. C. S. Kyle, Mrs. Melvin Wise, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Mansur, Effie Hallbrook, Gattis Earnard, R. C. Hargrove and George Parrott.

Sending gifts were Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Simmons, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Ralph, Mrs. Maude Woods, Mrs. Mildred Craven, Mrs. H. C. Hooser and daughter, Edna, Edward Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Loy Smith and daughter Caroline.

Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Womack, Mr. and Mrs. Welch, Miss Jiles, Miss Childress, Mrs. Wall, Mrs. Avery Falkner, Mrs. Maxine Coleman, Mrs. Phil Walker and Mary.

Cactus Bridge Club Meets With Mrs. Alton Underwood

Mrs. H. G. Keaton won high score for guests and Mrs. W. W. Pendleton for members when the Cactus Bridge club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Alton Underwood.

Bingo award went to Mrs. J. C. Velvin. Other guests were Mrs. W. R. Verschoyle, Mrs. I. D. Tisher, Mrs. Hayes Strippling and Mrs. J. C. Smith.

Salad, hot rolls, coffee and cake were served and others present were Mrs. L. R. Kuykendall, Mrs. Harold Parks, Mrs. Otis Grafe, Mrs. Herbert Whitney and Mrs. C. E. Hahn. Mrs. Whitney is to be next hostess.

Beta Sigma Phi Has Program On Jewelry And Plans Dance

The welfare committee reported on the Christmas family and prospective pledges were named when Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Charinda Mary Sanders Tuesday evening.

Plans for the annual tea dance on February 11th were discussed and the sorority voted to invite out of town chapters.

The program was on jewelry and Marguerite Alderson spoke on "Jewelry Before Costume" and Mary Burns on "Jewelry After Costume." Ann Zarfionetis discussed rare jewels and their stories and Dorothy Le Fèvre told of modern costume jewelry.

Others present were Jimmie Lou Goldman and La Fern Dehlinger.

Homemaker's Class Has Social In The Crenshaw Home

Rosebud exchanged gifts and a Bible contest was conducted by the First Christian Homemaker's class when members met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Gene Crenshaw with Mrs. Glass Glenn and Mrs. R. A. Jordan as co-hostesses.

Cake and coffee were served and a social hour spent.

Others present were Mrs. C. M. Shaw, Mrs. J. H. Stiff, Mrs. A. E. Wade, Mrs. T. W. Moore, Mrs. Harry Lees, Mrs. J. H. Gray, Mrs. J. G. Coldiron, Mrs. G. W. Dabney, Mrs. W. W. Grant.

Mrs. R. W. Ogden, Mrs. R. J. Michael, Mrs. F. C. Robinson, Mrs. F. L. Van Open, Mrs. L. C. Elliott, Mrs. A. M. Runyon, Mrs. Earl Read, Mrs. C. A. Murdoch, Mrs. M. C. Lawrence, Mrs. T. E. Baker, Mrs. J. R. Parks, Mrs. J. H. Kennedy, Mrs. G. C. Schurman and Aubry Parrott.

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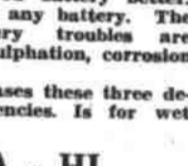
Mrs. Carl Merrick and Mrs. Willard Smith were guests of the No-Trump club when it met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. J. W. Joiner. Mrs. W. D. Carnett won high score and Mrs. Carl Merrick won second high score. Mrs. Earl Bibb and Mrs. Arthur Elkins binged. Others present were Mrs. V. A. Merrick and Mrs. Ben Hogue.

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NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE Texas Daily Press League, Dallas, Texas

An Untold Story

Folks who read the story in a recent issue of a nationally circulated magazine, about Governor Lee O'Daniel, his campaign, his Sunday broadcasts, his administration of the office, gained an insight that while it amused it also instructed, if one cared to be informed. The writer gained his information at first hand, in a visit to Austin, including attending a Sunday program at the mansion. And he, like many others, found that the governor still ranks high in the estimation of many people and that there are yet many who say that, no matter what he may have done or left undone, he "a good maaan."

Yet good men sometimes make mistakes. So often has attention been called to the mistake of Candidate O'Daniel in promising a stated monthly "pension" to the aged people of Texas that it is not worth while to mention it again, except for the fact that it is still held in the minds of many as a promise and they still expect to see it realized.

The further regrettable fact is that the same promise, direct or implied, will be carried through the campaign for office the coming summer, not only by candidates for high office but by some for lesser offices, who will figure that advocacy of such a provision will gain votes for them. They will not be able to tell the people from what source they will get the money for this purpose, just as the governor was unable to tell in his campaign, but that is a matter of small moment to some men seeking an office.

There is just one way by which aged people can be given the money which they have come to consider their due and which the voters of Texas voted to give them by amending the constitution. That way is to levy taxes on something not now taxed or to increase taxes already being levied. But few candidates will tell the voters that story.

George Tucker

Man About Manhattan

NEW YORK—I kept seeing his face through a veil of smoke, with white lights beating down on it, but I couldn't place him. There was plenty of smoke in this room, in this pint-sized room on 52nd street, but there were no white glaring lights. There was a dim aura or glow, no more, and Woody Herman's orchestra was threading its way through the nostalgia, rhythmic sweeps of a long since forgotten blues song. Try as I might—as persistently as I searched the corners of my memory, this man with the broad shoulders, and the strange, intense, yet pleasant face eluded me.

So I said to Howard Richmond, "who is that fellow?" and he replied, "Why, that's Mike Vetrano. He's Woody's manager. You ought to know him. He was a Golden Gloves champion."

So that's where I had seen him—fighting in those best and most thrilling of all fights—the Golden Gloves. Mike fought at 175 pounds—the light-heavy division—and he was crowned champ of that division in as hectic a bout as you will remember. It ended with Mike standing under the glare of those white lights, and the other fellow a still, beaten, sodden figure on the canvas.

After that Mike and the New York Golden Gloves fought the Chicago Gloves, and Mike won his bout there too, thereby becoming inter-city champion. Before that he had played football with Carideo at Mt. Vernon high school, and also at prep school, before Frankie Carideo went on to become the most famous of all Knute Rockne's All-America quarterbacks. Mike had followed that up with a year of wrestling for Jack Curley ("I was a hero 18 times in a row and a bum for twelve"). And then he graduated to the band business. Mike is road manager for Herman. He has been with other bands. A strange place for an ex-fighter to land, managing dance bands. What does he think about it? "When I think of all those beatings I took, and all those nights I spent having my leg twisted off, and throwing punks out of the ring on their heads, and getting thrown out by those same punks, I think—why didn't somebody tell me about dance bands earlier. This is the life for me."

That's Mike. Now a word on Woody Herman. A quiet, almost serious boy from Milwaukee. He used to be with Isham Jones. They have a 34-piece band now, run on a cooperative basis—mostly medium tempo, occasionally sweet, but with a decided talent for deep, strange blues. Look for him on the air. Give him a hearing. Hear him a couple of times and see what you think. Listen to his "Wood-Choppers' Ball." Listen to all those blues songs he plays, with emphasis on his introductory theme and his wild, high-stepping "Blues On Parade" as a sign-off. Get the name straight: Woody Herman. Plays a little clarinet—plays a sax—a little of this and the other. About five-eight, I should say, maybe seven. Slight. Good strong voice. Baritone.

The last I saw of him he was shaking hands with Jack Robbins, the music publisher, and waving his hand to a couple of song pluggers who had just come in.

If the combatants get any angrier, we may see some pretty severe snowballing on the western front this winter.—Joplin Ghosh.

A Tokyo editor declares that Japan can whip the United States. But his declaration does not necessarily have to be proved.—Hamilton Jones.

Trailer Tintypes



One Is Beloved BY LOUISE PLATT HAUCK

Chapter 29 CHANGE OF FORTUNES She went to the telephone, called Bob's number. His personal secretary answered. "Mr. Trenton's out just now, Mrs. Trenton. I don't know when he'll be back. No, he left no message but I got the impression he doesn't intend to return at all today."

Washington Daybook

WASHINGTON—Advice, like gold, is where you find it, which leads to the conclusion that if the United States went to its leading thinkers on Oriental policy it would find itself becalmed amid winds blowing in all directions.

We sat in on a conference of political scientists from leading universities while they discussed what the country ought to know and ought to do about the Japanese-Chinese war.

Dr. T. A. Bisson of the Foreign Policy association (endowed study organization) advocated the United States:

- 1. Keep supply lines open to China; extend to her further loans and credits.
2. Withdraw economic aid to Japan by imposing higher tariffs, rigid shipping regulations, and an embargo.
3. Establish a free China, with Japanese troops and troops of other nations withdrawn, ending extraterritoriality as well.
4. Provide economic security for Japan by assuring her concessions on her trade both in China and in the United States.
5. Provide financial help for both Japan and China while they change from a war to a peace economy.

THE TOUGH VIEWPOINT

Albert E. Hindmarsh of Harvard held that: "In their present desperation, the Japanese will understand only pressure, if not outright force. The military group will control Japan until a combination of defeat and extreme civilian privation combine to unseat them."

With few exceptions all thought Japan was definitely on the march, and that China was only a first stopping point. Moreover, with few exceptions they believed that Japan would continue to crowd England out of China as long as England was busy in Europe, and that England could do little except stall for time until she had straightened out her affairs with Germany.

ENGLISH IN THE RUNNING

From a former member of the League of Nations secretariat came a warning not to pass England off too lightly. H. Duncan Hall, a loose-collared scholar with an Oxford accent, cautioned the studious assembly that Britain considers the whole Orient, with special reference to her own and the Dutch holdings, as one strategic area.

"A Japanese attack on any part of this would be immediately taken up as a cause of war," he said. "By 1941, Britain hopes to have in being a second British navy. The British program is to maintain the navy on a two-hemisphere strength."

In the near future she can detach several capital ships in event of action in the Orient, and not to be forgotten is the importance of a few cruisers acting against the long supply line Japan would maintain in any action against the Dutch and British Indies."

In contrast with those favoring the hard-handed view, Senator Thomas of Utah, a long time student of Oriental affairs, now a member of the senate foreign relations committee, suggested that Japan would calm herself in time when the great mass countries surrounding her—China, Russia, the United States—impressed her with their dislike of what she is doing. He advised against a policy which might mislead Japan into a panicky belief that the three were against her.

Hollywood Sights And Sounds

By FLORENCE RYERSON And COLIN CLEMENTS (THE popular fiction and screen team plunge into what they call a "stream of unconsciousness"—for Robbin Coons, on vacation.) HOLLYWOOD—Now there's no use getting panicky, I guess if Coons can do it every day I can do it once.

Do what? Write a column. But what do you write? Why did I get into this, anyway? You know darned well why, because you never learned to say the word no. That's why. One little two-letter word, and you couldn't learn it. I suppose they cut it out of the dictionary you used in school. If you'd learned it you'd still have that lawn-mower and that talk on gladioli, their past and future, at the Peter Pan club....

This isn't getting me anywhere. I'm hysterical, that's what. Hysterical. I've got to concentrate. I've got to think what would interest people who read columns. What do people who read columns look like, anyway? Stop that. Stop that at once! You're only making things worse....

I wonder... would they be interested in rural stuff? Little stories about the ranch?... No. Nobody's interested in a ranch unless he owns one, and then he wants to talk about the blue ribbons he won on his cauliflower instead of listening to what the cutworms did to your cabbages. Awful bores, people who own ranches.

Would they be interested in animals? What's interesting about having three dogs, six cats, a cow, a horse, and two monkeys? Anybody can have three dogs, six cats, a cow, a horse and two monkeys. Anybody who's crazy enough. And if you tell the story about putting up the box for pigeons and raising seven hoot-owls again, you won't have a friend left in the world. Probably you haven't a friend left anyway.

Maybe I could give a little good advice to young writers. They're always sending letters, asking how to write novels, and plays, and scenarios. Yeah—and you're always telling 'em. But who wants to work, when it's easier to just sit down and write, like Barozan?

Daily Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS 1. Hovous twitching 4. Similar 8. Novel by Haggard 13. Bustle 15. Caesar's native tongue 16. Housan Indian 17. Relevant 18. Molekian color 19. Flower 20. Measure of capacity 21. Good; dialectic 22. Frighten suddenly 23. Decade's of mineral 24. Butter substitute 25. Symbol for neon 26. Spool 27. Fusible opaque material 28. Chess piece 29. Greek letter 30. Construct 31. Fish feet 32. Pullsters 33. Sull 34. Alexander Indian 43. Misfortune 44. Period of time 45. Astatine 46. Penicillin 47. Pretentious house 48. Paid public notice 49. Inclines 50. Before 51. Sull 52. Believee 57. Moisture condensed from the air DOWN 1. Label 2. Small fish 3. Eat away 4. Word of sorrow 5. Narrow roads 6. Adherent of suits 7. Palm fly: variant 8. Wholly 9. Cranium 10. Chance 11. Fashion 12. Singing voice 13. Smooth or gentle 14. Swamp 15. One who carries coins 16. Growing out intelligence 17. The wild form of celery 18. Wedded 19. Measure of distance 20. Old French coin 21. Before an others 22. Minute difference 23. Data 24. Knight of the Round Table 25. Poem 26. Male animal 27. or plant 28. Native metal-bearing compound 29. Novel 30. Sun god

Grid for crossword puzzle with numbers 1-52 and some filled-in letters.

County Closes The Year With \$90,000 Cash

Howard county finished its fiscal and calendar year of 1939 with a cash balance in all funds of \$90,197, well above the \$63,000 for the preceding year.

However, just whether the county is a lot stronger financially cannot be determined immediately and possibly not until as late as June. The new discount system (three per cent for October payments, two per cent in November and one per cent in December) knocked tax-paying schedules into the junk heap. It will not be possible to accurately appraise the effect of this until all January payments are likely until the June "last half" payments are in.

During 1939 Howard county paid off \$14,000 of its bonded indebtedness and \$2,000 of its warrant indebtedness. A sharp decline in the cash balance for December was noted in the treasurer's report approved by the county commissioners court. The figure dropped from \$107,466 in November to \$90,197 for December.

There were mitigating circumstances, however. November and December salary disbursements were both made during the month in issuing checks before Christmas. The road and bridge fund paid out \$3,500 for equipment.

Total expenditures from the road and bridge fund amounted to \$10,010 for December, including \$3,551 for new equipment and two salary payments. Receipts were \$1,422, leaving a cash balance of \$9,056. General fund receipts were \$2,665 and disbursements were \$4,001. Officers salary fund revenue aggregated \$1,893 against demands of \$5,970 for December.

Balances by funds at the end of December and the fiscal year were: July \$10,230, road and bridge \$9,056, general \$30,983, road and bridge \$30,983, road bond \$8,911, good road bond \$1,065, highway \$7,997, permanent improvements \$14,371 (down by \$1,500 due to payment for courthouse improvements), courthouse and jail \$2,330, viaduct \$1,071, officers salary \$3,069; total \$90,197.

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LONGHORNS LOSE, 26 TO 23, TO ANDREWS HIGH QUINTET

The Sports Parade

BY HANK HART

The city commission is said to be willing to consider any and all plans toward construction of a city owned baseball park.

Several local interest parties have been quietly talking the thing up through the fall and winter months and are waiting for Tony Rego, the baseball skipper, to really go to work on the project. Rego has been delayed at his home in Tulsa, Oklahoma, but is expected here within the very near future.

Since it will be next to impossible to employ the old park again next season, local fans should be convinced that it must be a new park or else—

A new grandstand could be erected to replace the one destroyed by fire last season but the directors, along with Rego, feel that a new location for a plant is needed more than anything else.

If the city would back a move to provide for a new park, then it could expect the near perfect support of the city's service clubs, who long have endorsed such designs.

New Speed Merchant In Majors; Reds Reported Cold On Ernie

John Ruckner, the New York Giants' rookie outfielder from Georgia, Ty Cobb's home state, is speedier than The Peach ever was. He circled the bases in 13 seconds flat two years ago and has been clocked in the 100-yard dash in 9:09 seconds. He's a nephew of Nap Ruckner, famed old pitcher of the Brooklyn Dodgers.

It is rumored that Bill McKechnie, the Rhineclanders' skipper tried to trade Ernie Lombardi, his giant backstop, recently to the Dodgers for Babe Phelps, an equally gigantic harness man but said offer was rejected by Leo Durocher, the Brook's head guy.

It's an even bet in major league circles that the Reds will have another man behind the plate besides Lombardi when the opening game rolls around, though.

Lew Jenkins, the Sweetwater scrapper who told us last week he wouldn't fight again in Texas before returning to New York City, has changed his mind and has been

matched with Chino Alvarez in Dallas but not without reason. Chino, a little Cuban boy who lives in Miami, is one lad who holds a victory over Lew and Lew wants to even the count.

According to Roy Beard, Chino has a punch like the kick of a mule and, although put down by Lew, managed to lick him in their only meeting.

Lew figures to even the count this time the easy way—putting Alvarez away for keeps.

Since meeting Chino, Jenkins has developed a whale of a punch himself, in fact is about the hardest hitting 135-pounder in the ranks today.

Larry White, manager of Freddy Apostoli, the former middleweight boxing champion now competing in the light-heavy ranks, is a former Linotype operator.

B'SPRING 2ND STRINGERS IN 46-21 WIN

ANDREWS, Jan. 10—Joe and Bob Dillard paced the Andrews high school cagers to a 26-23 victory over the Big Spring Steers here Tuesday evening, rallying their forces after trailing, 15-16, at half time.

Joe counted four field goals and three free tries to edge out Bob, who had 10 points, for scoring honors.

The Andrews quit held Bobby Savage, flashy forward of the invaders, to three field goals.

The Big Spring second string smashed the Andrews reserves, 46-21, in a preliminary game.

Blake Talbot, David Lamun and Peppy Blount all played big roles in the rout. Talbot and Lamun each scored 14 points while Blount was right behind with five field tosses and a brace of gratis pitches.

The Bovines were originally scheduled to meet the Garden City Bearkats in the Steer gym this evening, but the game was cancelled by mutual agreement of Coach John Daniel and Herschel Wheeler.

See LONGHORNS, Page 8, Col. 5

DYKES PROMISES TO BE GOOD TO THE ARBITERS

CHICAGO, Jan. 10 (AP)—Mr. James J. Dykes, the "Peck" boy among American League managers, has promised to be good. That may not be big news to you, but it is no less than that to the umpires harassed by the roly-poly White Sox pilot in seasons past.

Suspended, fined and banished many times for back-talk to the men in blue, Dykes made a public confession last night at the annual dinner of the Chicago chapter of the Baseball Writers Association of America.

"Yes, I've turned over a new leaf," Dykes said. "The umpires are nice fellows. I like them very much—in the wintertime. And President Hartridge and I are the best of friends—why shouldn't we be? I send him money all the time. But I'm going to get along with the ump's next season—I've even made a few wagers with the baseball writers that I won't get tossed out more than four times all year."

Conn Is Heavy Favorite To Beat Cooper

To Be Outweighed But Is Looking Toward Bout With Paycheck

By BILL WHITE
NEW YORK, Jan. 10 (AP)—Watching Billy Conn, the steel city sock maker, in his Madison Square Garden fight tonight will be something like seeing Hamlet in a tuxedo.

The melancholy Dane could be just as unhappy in evening clothes as in a toga, and similarly, Conn is still Conn—even though this time he is a heavyweight.

Having climbed the light-heavyweight ladder until no more rungs were left, the Pittsburgh powerhouse decided to become a heavyweight. Not because he liked to fight bigger guys, but because there is more money in that division—and Conn isn't in the fight game just for the fun of wearing satin pants.

So Billy, the light-heavyweight king, signed as a heavyweight to meet Steve Dudas, a veteran trial horse who caught an attack of the gripe. So Billy must try out his heavier artillery on Henry Cooper of Brooklyn. A husky 190-pounder, Cooper has no more imagination than a clock, but possesses a very good straight left hand punch.

Actually the Pittsburgher has gained enough weight to move up a class, although he will weigh only a pound over the light-heavyweight limit of 175 and some four pounds over his best fighting weight in that class.

Nearly everyone, except the immediate members of the Cooper clan, think Conn will win handily. After this bout, he is expected to meet Johnny Paycheck, of Des Moines. Conn thinks it will be only a matter of time until he is in there with Joe Louis—a prospect that doesn't seem to frighten him the way it should.

A&M Coaching Problems To Be Solved Fri.

By FELIX B. M'KNIGHT
DALLAS, Jan. 10 (AP)—Two days hence the future of Homer Hill Norton, professor of winning football at Texas A. and M., will be known.

On Friday the Aggie athletic council is expected to approve without much of a quiver, the mellow man's demand for a five-year contract, a handsome salary increase and less pressure on the coaching staff.

He's the same man who stood in defense before the council only a year ago and escaped being dismissed before the 1938 schedule had been completed.

The question posed in Texas today was: Is it a coincidence that Stanford University, looking for someone to replace ousted Tiny Thornhill, announced that something would be done about its football job on Friday?

A few weeks ago Norton journeyed to California, studied the policies and athletic setup at the Palo Alto school. He was impressed, but stressed his visit was rather unofficial. Reports from the coast say one Stanford group wants the doctrine of Glenn (Pop) Warner, perhaps in the person of the grand old man himself, returned to Stanford football.

Another group leaned towards Norton, who, with a mixture of orthodox football and the Southwest brand of wide-open play, was believed to be the man needed.

Norton wants to stay at Texas A. and M. He likes "the setup, the people and the school."

Eight of the starting eleven on the nation's top college team will be back in 1940. He wants to be with them.

"But now I want security," he said recently. "I will not accept any football contract under five years. I'm no longer a young man. I have served 20 years in football and want reasonable assurance that I will be settled. I will quit the profession entirely unless I can get a five-year contract, wherever I go."

KLONDIKE CAGE MEET BEGINS THURSDAY

KLONDIKE, Jan. 10—The annual Klondike boys basketball tournament will get underway Thursday night and continue through Friday and Saturday.

Teams entered are Garden City, Coahoma, Garner, Union, Ackerly and the Lamasa reserves squad.

Finals for consolation and the championship brackets will be conducted Saturday evening.

CAGE RESULTS
By the Associated Press
Alabama 46, Tulane 20.
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Texas 21, Southern Methodist 24.
Oregon 46, Idaho 28.
Texas Mines 62, New Mexico 58.
New Mexico Mines 50, Eastern New Mexico College 21.

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Baseball's Man Of The Decade

Gehrig

By DILLON GHARHAM

Sports Editor, AP Feature Service
NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Babe Ruth overshadowed him as the Thirties came in. Joe DiMaggio outshined him as the Forties approached. But during that 10-year stretch he was the "Iron Horse," durable, powerful, dependable. Lou Gehrig is our choice as baseball's Man of the Decade.

Through the stretch he was one of the American league's finest hitters and the key figure and captain of the New York Yankees, perhaps the greatest team ever assembled.

Lou was sports' most durable star. His only rivals were polo's Tommy Hitchcock and track's Glenn Cunningham. He was the last word in stability. In May paralysis forced him to end his consecutive game string at 2,130—about a thousand more games than any other player had competed in consecutively, a record that most likely never will be surpassed. For more than 14 years he played in every Yankee game, regular season and World Series.

Plenty of Aces
The Thirties produced some great diamond aces—Sluggo Jimmy Fox, home run biffer, twice American league batting champion, three times runs batted in leader, Joe Medwick, one of the finest hitters in National league annals.

Dizzy Dean, the popoff guy with the buggy-whip arm who won more than 20 games a year for four straight seasons. Lefty Grove, who led the American league in earned-run pitching average for nine years, won 108 games in four seasons.

Carl Hubbell, 20-plus winner for five successive years, probably the National league's best of the Thirties. DiMaggio, who came with a rush late in the stretch and may go down as No. 1 among baseball's all-time aces. Bob Feller, Mel Ott, Red Ruffing.

They were great. But, in our book, Gehrig was the man. Three times in the decade he led

See MAN OF, Page 8, Col. 8



Ruth ruled golden decade: Gehrig tops in last one.

Dates For Cage Tournament At Courtney Set

COURTNEY, Jan. 10—The third annual Courtney invitational basketball tournament will be held in the Eagle gym Jan. 19-20.

A record gathering of teams is expected. Invitations have been sent out and to date 15 acceptances have been received.

Both boys' and girls' senior teams will take part in the tournament. Only one girls' team is now needed to complete the brackets in both divisions.

Trophies will be awarded for first and second place teams and to the consolation winners. Individual awards will be given to all tournament teams in both boys' and girls' divisions.

Already entered are teams of Coahoma, Garden City, Flower Grove, Klondike, Courtney, Garner, Ackerly and Stanton.

CITY CO-OPERATES
FRATT, Kan., Jan. 10 (AP)—A city light pole stood directly in the path of Fratt's best consulting plane.

Mothers appealed to Mayor Bilton and the city commissioners. The mayor had the pole moved so the children could sled in safety.

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- Wednesday Evening
- 8:00 TSN Dance Orchestra.
 - 8:15 Chamber of Commerce.
 - 8:45 Sports Spotlights.
 - 8:55 News.
 - 9:00 American Family Robinson.
 - 9:15 Bernie Marcello's Orch.
 - 9:30 Drifters.
 - 9:45 Manuel Contrera's Orch.
 - 10:00 Al. Domahue's Orch.
 - 10:15 Herbie Kaye's Orch.
 - 10:30 Raymond Gram Swing.
 - 10:45 War at Sea.
 - 11:00 Music by Faith.
 - 11:15 Five Wise Guys.
 - 11:30 Lone Ranger.
 - 11:45 News.
 - 12:00 Gus Arnheim's Orch.
 - 12:15 Dick Jurgens's Orch.
 - 12:30 Goodnight.
- Thursday Morning
- 6:45 Just About Time.
 - 7:00 News.
 - 7:15 Home Folks Frolic.
 - 7:45 Almanac of the Air.
 - 8:00 Devotional.
 - 8:15 Billy Davis.
 - 8:30 Grandma Travels.
 - 8:45 Gall North.
 - 9:00 Wiley and Gene.
 - 9:15 Carol Leighton.
 - 9:30 Melody Strings.
 - 9:45 John Metcalf.
 - 10:00 Piano Impressions.
 - 10:15 Morning Melodies.
 - 10:30 Keep Fit To Music.
 - 10:45 Gary and Jill.
 - 11:00 News.
 - 11:05 Conservation of Vision.
 - 11:10 Musical Interlude.
 - 11:15 Neighbors.
 - 11:30 Sally Ann Melody Maids.
 - 11:45 Men of the Range.
- Thursday Afternoon
- 12:00 Singing Sam.
 - 12:15 Curstone Reporter.
 - 12:30 Hymns You Know and Love.
 - 12:45 Enoch Light's Orch.
 - 1:00 Palmer House Orch.
 - 1:15 School Forum.
 - 1:30 Joseph Study's Orch.
 - 2:00 Palmer House Orchestra.
 - 2:15 Twelve Men And A Maid.
 - 2:30 Ray O'Hara's Orch.
 - 3:00 News and Markets.

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ELKS LODGE WILL MEET IN 'OLD' HALL

After an absence of about 14 years, the Elks lodge returns Thursday night to its old "home" hall over the Wacker store on Main street.

First meeting of the unit, re-organized here last year, will be held at 8 o'clock when four candidates are scheduled to be initiated. The hall is not yet completely finished, but work has progressed far enough to permit the meeting.

RINGS LOST

L. A. Coffey is looking for two gold band rings missed from his house early this week. The rings, he said, were not costly but were valuable to him because they had been given by a person who died 15 years ago.

Educational Campaign Underway To Teach When Money Is Counterfeit

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10 (AP)—The secret service began today a five-year campaign to teach Americans to know their money—which means how to tell counterfeit from the real thing.

"There was a time," said Chief Frank J. Wilson, "when our people were losing \$1,000,000 a year. This has been reduced to about \$500,000. When the campaign is completed we hope the loss will be practically nothing."

The campaign will be carried into the schools and theaters by a movie which features for the first time a real picture of real money.

Wilson and a group of his agents gave the movie's premiere at the interior department auditorium yesterday, and then they gave the dollar a loud hand.

There are lots of ways to tell a counterfeit bill, it seems, but one of the best is to study the face of the man on the money.

If Hamilton's right eyebrow is a-kilter—the bill's a phoney.

If George Washington's jaw is too lantern-like, the bill is no good.

If Abraham Lincoln's beard is not trimmed just right, you had better call the police.

Look at their collars, their ties, their hair—the real bills have fine, clear-cut work. The counterfeiters don't.

The flaws come in the little de-

VOTE PERCENTAGE ON MARKET QUOTAS IS VERY SMALL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10 (AP)—Official results disclosed today that marketing quotas on the 1940 cotton crop, while approved at a farmer referendum by 81 per cent majority of those voting, got the affirmative votes of only 38 per cent of all producers of the crop.

The Agriculture Adjustment ad-

ministration announced the official returns from the referendum, held December 8, as follows: 977,897 for and 84,976 against quotas.

The total number of cotton producers voting was 962,873 compared with an AAA estimate that 2,800,000 were eligible. In a similar referendum at which quotas on the 1939 crop were approved, 50.5 per cent of all eligible growers cast ballots for quotas. The majority of those voting who favored quotas was 84.1 per cent.

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WELCOME TO OUR ISLAND!



YOU CAME JUST IN TIME!

GOT ANYTHING TO EAT?

DICKIE DARE



AM, A MICROPHONE HITCHED TO A LOUDSPEAKER! MAY I USE IT?

Lady's First!



WHY, MISTER FLYNN! SUCH A PLEASURE TO MEET YOU AGAIN!

CHARMING TO SEE YOU, DEAR MISS BILLINGS! HAVE YOU A BAG OF CANDIDE IN THAT CAGE? IF SO, EAT IT!

WELL, I'LL START WITH YOU!!



SO YOU TRACED US TO INDIA, EH? CAME TO SEE ME SCRAP THE WILD ANIMALS, IS THAT IT?

MODEST MAIDENS



"How should I know my last husband's name? I haven't met him yet."

PA'S SON-IN-LAW



GOSH, CAN YA IMAGINE GETTIN' A THOUSAND A WEEK JUST FOR ACTIN' AS SORT OF A COMPANION AN' BODYGUARD FOR A LITTLE, OLD LADY? TH' ONLY DRAWBACK IS THAT IT'S LIAB' T' BE AN AW-FULL DULL JOB!

A Bear For Punishment!



AH—BEEN LOOKIN' FOR YOU! GET INTO SOME HIKIN' SHOES AND A SWEATER—WE'RE GOING FOR A LITTLE STROLL!

THEY'VE TRIED IT ON ME FIVE TIMES RIGHT ALONG HERE! GEE, IT WAS FUN! HOPE YOU DON'T SCARE 'EM OFF!



UH—SAY, D—DON'T YA THINK WE'VE COME FAR ENOUGH THIS WAY? THIS IS A FLURTY LONELY ROAD—WE'RE LIAB' T' GET HELD UP OR SOMETHIN'!

YOU'RE TELLIN' ME?

THE ADVENTURES OF PATSY



GOLLY, I WISH YOU COULD COME BACK TO HOLLYWOOD WITH US FOR THE OPENING OF THE PICTURE, GUSHER!

I DO TOO, HONEY, BUT I GOTTA GET BACK TO MY OIL FIELDS—I'LL CALL YOU BY LONG DISTANCE PHONE, AFTER THE PREE-MEER!

DIANA DANE



DADY, WHAT ARE YOU DOING UP? DON'T YOU REALIZE YOU'RE A SICK MAN??

AW— I'M FED UP WITH LYIN' THERE FLAT ON MY BACK—

The Customer Is Wrong



HERE, HERE! THIS WON'T DO! BACK UP TO BED WITH YOU NOW!

NO— I WON'T— AND YA CAN'T MAKE ME— SO THERE!

by Don Flowers



LOOK— HERE THEY COME NOW!

NOW WE SHALL SEE!

SCORCHY SMITH



DON'T FORGET— YOU AN' ME'S GOT A DATE IN THE SPRING! WE'RE GOING BACK TO THAT LAKE WHERE YOU SAVED MY LIFE AN' SET UP A CAMP FER POOR KIDS!

OBOY! THAT'LL BE SWELL, GUSHER!

WHAT'S KEEPING THEM? THEY'VE BEEN OUT THERE TWO HOURS!



PERHAPS THE PLANE IS SO BADLY DAMAGED—?

LISTEN, PESSIMIST, I'LL BET THAT PLANE ISN'T TOO DAMAGED FOR SCORCHY TO PATCH IT UP!

AH, THIS HERO WORSHIP IS SO ROMANTIC— BUT ZORA IS A FATALIST, NOT A PESSIMIST—



LOOK— HERE THEY COME NOW!

NOW WE SHALL SEE!

IT'S GOING TO HURT TO TELL 'EM— THEY'RE JUST DYING FOR GOOD NEWS!



LOOK— HERE THEY COME NOW!

NOW WE SHALL SEE!

HOMER HOOPEE



PAT, THERE GOES ONE OF THE MOST UNAFFECTED, GENEROUS GUYS I'VE EVER KNOWN— THERE SHOULD BE MORE GUSHERS IN THIS WORLD!

HE— HE SURE IS S—SWELL, UNCLE PHIL!

SAY! DO YOU KNOW WHO APHRODITE IS?



I'M NOT INTERESTED IN ANY OF YOUR BOHEMIAN FRIENDS WHO WOULD POSE LIKE THAT IN AN ART SCHOOL!

YOU LIED TO ME ABOUT NOT BEING IN THE LIFE CLASS!

LISTEN! APHRODITE WAS A GREEK GODDESS! I DREW THIS FROM A PLASTER CAST!



WELL, WHY DIDN'T YOU SAY SO? WHY DIDN'T YOU WANT ME TO SEE IT?

I JUST STARTED IT! AN ARTIST DOESN'T LIKE TO SHOW HIS WORK TILL IT'S FINISHED!

I'M GOING TO CHECK UP ON THAT! DO YOU KNOW WHERE I COULD FIND OUT SOMETHING ABOUT APHRODITE?



WHO?

Announcements

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Agents and Salesmen
Help Wanted Female
Employment Wanted—Female
Employment Wanted—Male

Financial

Business Opportunities
Money To Loan
Wanted to Borrow

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Political Announcements

The Daily Herald will make the following charges for political announcements, payable cash in advance:

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The DAILY HERALD is authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the Democratic Primary in July, 1940:

For County Judge:
WALTON MORRISON
GROVER B. CUNNINGHAM

For Sheriff:
JESS SLAUGHTER
E. L. (BOB) WOLF

For District Clerk:
MORRIS (PAT) PATTERSON
HUGH W. DUNAGAN
J. H. CORLEY
H. H. (HUB) RUTHERFORD

For County Clerk:
LEE PORTER

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
JOHN F. WOLCOTT

For County Attorney:
JOE FAUCETT

For County Treasurer:
MRS. IDA COLLINS

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 1:
T. M. ROBINSON
ROY WILLIAMS
J. E. (ED) BROWN

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
T. C. THOMAS

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
J. S. (JIM) WINSLOW
DENVER H. YATES

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
AKIN SIMPSON
ED J. CARPENTER

For Justice of Peace Precinct No. 1:
J. S. NABORS
J. W. JACKSON

For Constable:
CARL MERCER

Ed Brown Candidate For Re-election As Commissioner

J. E. (Ed) Brown is a candidate for re-election to the office of county commissioner of Precinct 1 of Howard county. He announces subject to the action of the democratic primary.

During the time he has served as commissioner he has endeavored at all times to work for the best interest of his precinct as well as the entire county. He feels that the experience gained while so serving will render him more capable of giving even better service in the future. He wants to thank the voters of his precinct for their support in the past and hopes to retain their goodwill in the future. He will deeply appreciate your vote and influence in his race for commissioner. (Pol. Adv.)

Public Records

Building Permits
S. P. Jones to demolish and rebuild a lumber shed at 407 Gollad street, cost \$900.
J. W. Carpenter to re-roof residence at 509 Johnson street, cost \$150.
Big Spring Compress Co. to erect two warehouses on tract in the south half of section 28-33-1n, T&P, cost \$1,000.

In the County Court
Mrs. C. J. Hardin Connell, et al versus O. O. Gilbreath, et al, petition to contest will.
In the 70th District Court
Dorothy Wilson versus Dale Wilson, suit for divorce.

New Cars
E. C. Mahaney, Chevrolet sedan.
O. L. Matthews, Ford tudor.
A. L. Porter, Ford coupe.
Scheemhorn Oil Corp., Chevrolet coupe.

FINED \$50
George Pearson entered a plea of guilty in corporate court Wednesday to a charge of drunkenness and was fined \$50.

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If you need to borrow money on your car or refinance your present loan see us. We own and operate our own company. Loans closed in 5 minutes. Hits Theater Bldg.

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SINGLE experienced young man wants work on farm or ranch. See John Baker at 704 San Jacinto Street.

Livestock
SADDLE horses for sale; One 5-year old white Palomino pony; one 3-year old black and white paint. See Mrs. Dolan at Lee's Store by Jan. 15th.

Poultry & Supplies
TURKEYS. Have some extra nice bronze toms for sale; Mrs. J. F. Winans, Vealmoor, Texas.

Miscellaneous
FOR SALE: One power hack saw, heavy, \$38; one air compressor, \$30; one jig saw, 24-inch center, with motor, \$14; one wood jig saw and 1/4-horsepower motor and turning knives, \$35. Call at McGinnis Tin Shop, 400 West Fourth Street, Phone 827.

WANTED TO BUY
27 Household Goods
WANT TO BUY: Good second hand piano; size doesn't matter. Call Ann Gibson Houser, 561.

Miscellaneous
WE buy old newspapers, magazines, rags, towacks. 511 E. 2nd.

Currie

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election of H. Noble Read to the directorate. Re-elected to serve with him were A. C. Walker, Bernard Fisher, Robt. W. Currie and T. S. Currie.

An addition was made to the directorate of the First National bank, G. H. Hayward being elected to serve with the following re-elected members: L. S. McDowell, Mrs. Dora Roberts, Robt. T. Piner, Hardy Morgan, J. B. Collins, T. J. Good and L. S. McDowell, Jr.

Other than the elevation of T. S. Currie to the presidency, officers of the State National remain as they have been in the past: A. C. Walker, vice president; Robt. W. Currie, vice president and cashier; and Edith Hatchett, Joe B. Harrison, Milburn Barnett and Chester O'Brien assistant cashiers.

L. S. McDowell was re-elected chairman of the board of the First National and Mrs. Dora Roberts was re-elected president. All other officers were retained, with addition of Larson Lloyd as an assistant cashier. The officers are Robt. T. Piner, active vice president; Ira L. Thurman, cashier; and E. V. Middleton, H. H. Hurt, B. T. Cardwell and Reba Baker assistant cashiers.

Workers Celebrate As Unionization Is Voted Down.

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The vote was 1,612 for affiliation with the American Federation of Labor; 1,079 in favor of a Congress of Industrial Organization union, and 12,693 for no affiliation.

As the celebration gained momentum, with parades and much shouting, merchants of this city, once rechristened Johnson City in honor of George F. Johnson, 82-year-old head of the firm, closed their establishments and joined in the fun.

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Forgery charges were lodged Wednesday against a man giving his name as John D. Read.

He was picked up by city police on a complaint filed by an operator of a rooming house after a check had been given in payment of a room. Carl Mercer, constable, signed a forgery complaint against him Wednesday when the defendant waived examining trial and had bond set at \$500.

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82 Apartments
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UNFURNISHED 2-room apartment to couple at 802 N. Gregg; bills paid. Phone 522.
LARGE 2-room apartment; electric refrigerator. Apply 200 Gollad.

THREE-room furnished apartment; private bath; private entrance; refrigerator; 2-room furnished apartment; Also 2-room partly furnished house; close in. 1100 Main. Phone 62.

TWO unfurnished apartments at 706 Nolan. Do not apply unless you can pay rent in advance. Inquire first door south.

ONE and 2-room apartments; nicely furnished. 519 Gregg.
THREE-room and private bath furnished apartment; newly refurnished and refinished; 1406 Johnson; \$25 month; no bills paid. Phone 84.

FURNISHED apartment; private entrance; southwest front; private bath; everything nice, clean and modern. 901 Lancaster.

LARGE south well-furnished 2-room; private entrance; located; 2 rooms and bath; garage for car; close in; very reasonable; 509 Gollad on Fifth Street. Call 1066-J or 704.

NICE furnished apartment; price reasonable. See Mrs. E. E. Howell, 1105 Runnels.

WARM and cozy 2-room furnished apartment with south exposure; private entrance; garage; bills paid; 1 block from bus. 1704 State. Phone 1524.

UNFURNISHED apartment in duplex; 3 rooms and bath; newly decorated. 710 Nolan. Phone H. M. Daniels, 1153.

STUCCO garage apartment; furnished; 2 rooms and bath; garage for car; close in; very reasonable; 509 Gollad on Fifth Street. Call 1066-J or 704.

Finns Score

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hundreds of shells and shrapnel still beside them.

A Finnish general revealed that victory might have belonged to the Red army if it had counter-attacked strongly.

Finnish losses were small in the three days of fighting, a Finnish colonel in the Raate sector said, compared with the thousands of Russians killed and more than 1,000 taken prisoner.

The turning point in the battle was at the frontier when Finnish ski patrols succeeded in destroying a highway bridge which kept the Russians from bringing up reinforcements.

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REAL ESTATE

48 Farms & Ranches
TWO good farms near Lamesa for sale, rent or trade. Miller Tire Store on Highway 85, 2 blocks west of Montgomery Ward.

52 Miscellaneous
HOUSES or lots in any part of city; farms 40 a. to 640 a.; ranches from 1 section to 32 sections. If you have anything to sell or want to buy, see J. (Dee) Purser, 1504 Runnels. Phone 197.

AUTOMOTIVE
53 Used Cars To Sell
1931 MODEL A Ford coupe; new paint job; good tires; bargain. If interested, call 1025 or 1040.

1933 V-8 Ford coupe with 1935 motor in fine condition. Will trade for lot in Big Spring. J. A. Adams, 1007 West 5th.

Close Vote Foreseen On Trade Pacts

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10 (AP)—A survey of the house ways and means committee indicated today a close vote on the bill extending the reciprocal trade program, with the odds favoring a recommendation of approval.

The committee, headed by Chairman Doughton (D-NC), will open hearings on the trade agreements act tomorrow. Secretary Hull will be the first witness in support of the extension.

An informal poll of the 15 democratic and 10 republican members showed that the "sure" vote is now 10 republicans against it. The other five democrats are still undecided.

Rep. Disney (D-Ohio), one of the five, said that he "generally favored the trade agreements program under the state department, but was opposed to any program in which excise taxes are treated as tariffs."

Disney said he referred specifically to the fact that under the Venezuelan agreement, which went into effect Dec. 16, the excise tax on Venezuelan crude oil was reduced from one-half cent to one-fourth cent a gallon.

Proponents of the bill hope to win the support of Representatives West (D-Tex.) and Robertson (D-Wis.) because of the collapse of negotiations for pacts with Argentina and Uruguay. Robertson had opposed reducing the tariff on turkeys imported from Argentina, while West had objected to proposed duty reductions on Argentine livestock, turkeys and flaxseed.

Cotton

NEW YORK, Jan. 10 (AP)—Cotton futures closed 4 higher to 2 lower.

Open High Low Last
Jan. 11.18 11.21 11.15 11.21
Feb. 11.07 11.12 11.05 11.12
Mar. 10.77 10.83 10.75 10.83
July 10.40 10.45 10.37 10.42-43

New contracts—
Jan. 11.38 11.33 11.33 11.33
Feb. 10.90 10.91 10.90 10.90
July 10.61 10.63 10.61 10.63
Oct. 9.98 9.97 9.91 9.97
Dec. 9.87 9.90 9.88 9.90N

Midling spot (15-16 in.) 11.65N.
N—nominal.

Committees Named By Safety Council

Appointment of committees to further a program of safety in Big Spring was announced by the Big Spring safety council here Wednesday.

Dr. Lee Rogers and Joe B. Harrison were named to the engineering committee; Edmund Notestine and Jack Hodges were selected to head the education committee; R. L. Cook and J. B. Collins were chosen as the enforcement committee; and Sherman Smith was selected to guide the membership group.

At the council meeting the state accident record for 1939 was reviewed and the organization mapped plans for close cooperation with the state unit to reduce the death and injury toll.

R. E. Reeder heads the council, W. C. Blankenship is vice-chairman and J. F. Barnett is secretary-treasurer.

SPRINKLER SHUT OFF
Not so much by technicality as by necessity, police Tuesday night were instrumental in shutting off the automatic sprinkler system in the Hoiland-Kimble warehouse here. The sprinkler went into operation for some unexplained reason, although there was no fire.

NICHOL'S

Help-Ur-Self Laundry

Open for Business Monday — All New Equipment
Finished Work
Back of H & H Food Store
At 105 West 9th Street Phone 1768

Bombings

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The 635-ton British steamer Gowrie also went down.

The admiral said today two Danish ships, the 2,309-ton Ivan Kunderup and the 885-ton Feddy, attacked yesterday and previously reported sunk, had been found afloat.

Some observers believed the sudden German attacks might be the prelude to an aerial "blitzkrieg" or lightning war, such as has been threatened by Berlin many times.

Along with this renewed activity it was expected that young Britons of the ages of 20 to 22 years, inclusive, registered in December, would be called to arms shortly, bringing an additional 240,000 men under the colors.

Yesterday's attacks on British coastal waters came while Chamberlain was describing the recent quiet in the war with Germany as "the calm before the storm."

The 10,002-ton Dunbar Castle was broken in half by a mine off the English southeast coast, and British warships were reported hitting a German submarine base in the Canary Islands. It was understood the Dunbar Castle was in an outward bound convoy.

MARKETS

Wall Street

NEW YORK, Jan. 10 (AP)—Leading issues flirted with difficulties in today's stock market but a final hour desire to buy put many leaders up fractionally.

Apathy was apparent from the start and for a while selling pressure drove the steels down by wide fractions. Others to suffer at the time were rails and utilities. Near the finish, however, steels, motors and aircraft, especially, led a minor advance. Transfers approximated \$60,000 shares.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Jan. 10 (AP)—(USDA)—Cattle salable and total 2,100; calves salable and total 1,000; common and medium beef steers and yearlings 6.00-7.75; good beef offerings 8.50 upward; beef cows mostly 4.50-5.75; bulls 4.75-6.50; slaughter calves 6.00-8.50; stock steer calves up to 9.25; stock heifer calves 8.25 down.

Hogs salable 1.90; total 1,800; bulk good butchers unsold; packing sows 4.25-4.50; pigs 2.50-4.25. Sheep salable 2.00; total 3,200; woolled fat lambs 7.00-7.75; shorn fat lambs and yearlings mixed 6.00; carlot shorn ewes 3.25; fleshy woolled feeder lambs 7.00, or steady.

Cotton

NEW YORK, Jan. 10 (AP)—Cotton futures closed 4 higher to 2 lower.

Open High Low Last
Jan. 11.18 11.21 11.15 11.21
Feb. 11.07 11.12 11.05 11.12
Mar. 10.77 10.83 10.75 10.83
July 10.40 10.45 10.37 10.42-43

New contracts—
Jan. 11.38 11.33 11.33 11.33
Feb. 10.90 10.91 10.90 10.90
July 10.61 10.63 10.61 10.63
Oct. 9.98 9.97 9.91 9.97
Dec. 9.87 9.90 9.88 9.90N

Gas Tax

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motor vehicles operated within the city limits.

"The statute," Justice M. B. Blair of the appellate court wrote, "declares the tax to be 'an occupation or excise tax.' If the tax is an occupation tax, then it cannot be imposed upon municipal corporations."

"We regard it as being both an occupation and an excise tax, depending on the particular case. We have reached the conclusion that when the general tax statute is construed in the light of the policy of the constitution to generally exempt municipal corporations from the payment of taxes to the state, it must be held that the legislature did not intend to impose the excise tax in question upon municipal corporations."

Lynching Bill

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that republicans were "trying to buy back the negro vote with this bill."

He said the republican party had been "making promises to the negro for the last 75 years and was now "discredited" with the race.

Rep. Flah (R-NY) wanted to know whether the negro vote was for sale.

"Every vote in the United States is for sale," Mitchell shot back, "not for money but for rights and for justice."

Despite his attacks on republican supporters of the measure, Mitchell made an impassioned plea for its adoption.

Dallas Man Will Address B'Spring Underwriters

A past president of the Texas Association of Life Underwriters, Ricks Strong of Dallas, will address the Big Spring underwriters group at a luncheon session at the Settles hotel Thursday noon.

Strong, who has been in the insurance business since 1922, has served as a branch manager at Little Rock, Memphis and Columbus, Ohio, before moving to Dallas in 1933. He is now a general agent for North Texas, holds a C. L. U. degree and had taken post graduate work in insurance management.

All life insurance men in the city are invited to attend the meeting and hear the Dallas man.

Paving

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available for employment, to be worked in two shifts. The city is carrying on its part of the program through a WPA project.

Cost to property owner, under the program, for a 30-foot street is \$140 per front foot; for a 40-foot street, \$177; for a 50-foot street, \$210.

Here is the paving layout as authorized by the commission Tuesday night, and considered first in line for improvement during the year:

West Seventh, from Gregg to Douglas, 3 1/2 blocks (one-half block already paved).
West Fourth, from Gregg to Douglas, 4 blocks.
Gollad, from 7th to 9th, two blocks.
Johnson, from 14th to 18th, 4 blocks.
Douglas, from 4th to 9th, 5 blocks.
Aylford, from 4th to 8th, 4 blocks.
Main, from 11th to 18th, 7 blocks.
Wood, from State to city limits, 2 1/2 blocks.
State, from 11th to Wood, 1 block.

Hospital Notes

Big Spring Hospital
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Guthrie of Coahoma, at the hospital Tuesday afternoon, a daughter. Both mother and child are doing nicely.
Dr. Frank B. Boyle was admitted to the hospital Tuesday evening for medical treatment.

Mrs. J. J. Flock of Lamesa was admitted to the hospital Tuesday for medical treatment.
Baby Bobby McHorse, 16-month-old son of Mrs. Jimmie McHorse of Hyman is in the hospital for medical treatment.

W. E. Phillips of Big Lake was admitted to the hospital Wednesday for medical treatment.

Negroes Questioned In Money Loss

A negro man and woman were questioned here Wednesday by city police in connection with loss of approximately \$60 by a Midland man. Police said the woman had \$37 in cash and a quantity of new clothing when taken into custody. Vagrancy charges were filed.

Hungary, Rumania Seek Agreement

BUDAPEST, Jan. 10 (AP)—Apparently united with Italy in a determination to block any Russian expansion in southeastern Europe, Hungary sought today a settlement of her differences with Rumania for a common front in the Balkans.

Informed persons said King Carol would be pressed for a speedy reply to Hungarian overtures for a settlement of territorial questions. Foreign Minister Count Istrvan Casaky reported yesterday to the crown council on his weekend talks with Italy's foreign minister, Count Galeazzo Ciano.

Hungarian and Italian sources made it clear that should Rumania act to remove the 21-year-old bitterness over her acquisition of Transylvania, she could be assured of full support from both nations against any possible Russian thrust into Bessarabia.

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TODAY'S SPECIAL

RITZ TODAY BARGAIN DAY... JACKIE COOPER BARTHOLOMEW... Two BRIGHT BOYS... News Reel Comedy

RITZ FRIDAY SATURDAY G-Man Gene Turns To Romance, South Of The Border, Down Mexico Way. GENE AUTRY SOUTH OF THE BORDER Republic Picture

Bulldogs Lose To Courtney COURTNEY, Jan. 10 — B. C. Hays' Coahoma Bulldogs were nosed out by Courtney's Eagles, 19-18, in an exhibition basketball game here Tuesday evening.

LYRIC TODAY BING CROSBY In THE STAR MAKER Plus Comedy Broadway Buckaroo

SUPPOSE YOU LIVED IN FRANCE— It's Hard For The Frenchmen To Keep Their Home Fires Burning

Third of three stories telling what has happened to average people living in countries at war. By WILLIAM M'GAFFIN AP Feature Service PARIS — Madame Jean Q. Frenchman is holding her little family together these days by long distance methods.



During an air-raid alarm, these Parisians wait in an emergency ambulance station.

QUEEN TODAY... RICKFORD NOLAN... ONE HOUR TO LIVE... Plus Comedy DARK MAGIC PROFIT WITHOUT HONOR

Wranglers Win Over M-Ward The Montgomery Ward Retailers were decided by the R-Bar Wranglers, 30-25, in a basketball exhibition in the Center Point gym Tuesday evening.

Madame doesn't have to worry too much about money, if she hasn't a job or a nest egg. The government allows her 12 francs daily for herself (10 francs in the provinces) and 4 francs 50 centimes daily for each child.

terring and there are big signs pointing the way to the abri (air raid shelter) "for our clientele." Madame carries a flashlight at night because of the blackout.

ford central heating for those who remain. So Madame has resorted to electric heaters, coal fires, or to digging the old base burner out of the cellar. The landlord helps on the fuel bill by reducing the rent.

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Gas Masks Neglected The possibility of an air attack on Paris doesn't disturb Madame so much now, since none has occurred after many weeks of war.

Sterling Eagles Beaten By Forsan Buffs, 19-9

Rally In Second Half Clinches The Outcome FORSAN, Jan. 10—Playing cagey defensive ball, the Forsan high cagers rallied in the second half to defeat the Sterling City Eagles, 19-9, here Tuesday evening.

as Hazel Gladden roped 16 points. The Buff reserves lost to the Sterling second stringers, 25-21.

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Warren Qualls and J. R. Smith each counted three field goals to pace the Bison's scoring. In preliminary games the Forsan second string girls' team bested the Sterling regulars, 27-21.

MUSTANGS LOSE DECISION TO TEXAS QUINT

AUSTIN, Jan. 10 (AP)—The Texas Longhorns, whirling merrily along at the head of the Southwest conference basketball pack, today looked toward Fayetteville and two of the stiffest tests they'll be called upon to face.

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Elmo Wasson GREAT JANUARY SALE! Starts Tomorrow, 8 A. M. "It's a New Top Coat and an extra suit for me now." Elmo's sale will let me "dress up." "Man, I like to wear Elmo's clothes... I'm going down before they close tonight!" "John—go down tomorrow and get a new suit from Elmo—they're on sale."

Longhorns (Continued from Page 5)

Table with columns: Garden City mentor, this morning. Box scores (reserves): Big Spring (46) FG FT PF TP Talbot, f 2 2 14 Lamun, f 7 0 0 14 Blount, c 5 2 2 12 Reaves, g 1 1 1 3 South, g 1 1 3 3

Large Crowd Is Slated To Watch Red-Heads

Cassville Cagers Stop In Garden City Thursday

GARDEN CITY, Jan. 10 — A capacity house is expected to look on as the All-American Red Heads, women's cagers of Cassville, Mo., take the court here Thursday evening against the Garden City high school team.

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Sculler Given Sullivan Award

BRIDGEBORO, N. J., Jan. 10 (AP) Sorrel-thatched Joe Burk, famed sculler and right now a fruit farmer, thinks Tennis Alice Marble deserved the James E. Sullivan memorial trophy.

Table with columns: (Regulars)—Big Spring (23) FG FT PF TP Garman, f 3 0 0 6 Miller, f 1 0 2 2 Savage, c 3 0 3 6 Rowe, g 1 2 3 3 Martin, g 3 0 0 6

COACHES VOTE OVERWHELMINGLY AGAINST RULE

NACOGDOCHES, Jan. 10 (AP)—An overwhelming vote against the 18-year age limit in Texas school football is shown in a poll conducted by the Texas High School Coaches association, Secretary Bryan Schley said here today.

Oakland Golf Tourney Opens A Day Ahead Of Schedule

OAKLAND, Calif., Jan. 10 (AP)—Opening a day ahead of schedule because of the record entry list, the \$5,000 Oakland Open golf tournament gets under way today with an 18-hole qualifying test.

Neely Ponders Institute Offer

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