

SHERIFFS' OPINIONS ASKED—

New Clemency Plan Told

AUSTIN, Feb. 17. (P)—Gov. Beauford H. Jester said today that his office would give trial judges and local sheriffs ample opportunity to express themselves on clemency applications before he approved recommendations of the board of pardons and paroles.

press themselves on the matter," the governor said at his press conference. "These notices are going out from this office, and after the board has made its recommendation. "We want to give these officials plenty of time in which to express themselves."

Prisoners Said Treated Worse Than Animals

HOUSTON, Feb. 17. (P)—Rev. E. W. Cofer, Texas Prison System chaplain, charged today that inmates of some units of the state prison system are treated worse than a human being would want to see an animal treated.



DEMONSTRATION—Farmer Gaylord Williams, swinging his tractor crank, shows his father O. C. Williams how he threatened J. W. (Bud) Beasley, 22, when Beasley attempted to commandeer the tractor in fleeing the state highway patrol near Council Hill, Okla. Later Beasley, wanted for slaying of a deputy sheriff at Pauls Valley, Okla., was shot to death by a state highway patrolman. (AP Wirephoto).

"This statement will probably cost me my job as chaplain," he commented before the Baptist Factors conference here at the First Baptist church.

Following his charge the conference appointed a committee to investigate the Texas Prison system.

Mr. Douglas W. Stakes, manager of the Texas Prison System, contacted by telephone at his office in Huntsville and advised of Rev. Cofer's remarks, declined any comment "until I have had time to investigate thoroughly."

Excise Tax Bill Passes Senate

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. (P)—The bill was adopted in the Senate on a voice vote, with little debate. The Senate today passed a bill to retain excise taxes at their wartime rates.

Air Safety Measure

MELBOURNE, Feb. 17. (P)—Aircraft flying South Pacific routes will be required to broadcast their position every hour as a safety measure if the Provisional International Civil Aviation Organization (PICA) adopts a subcommittee recommendation.

BENGAL SHORT FUNDS

CALCUTTA, Feb. 17. (P)—Riot-ravaged, famine-stricken Bengal faces a deficit of \$18,600,000 in its 1947 budget, Finance Minister Mohammed Ali said today.

US INTENDS TO KEEP STRATEGIC CHAIN OF JAP-MANDATED ISLANDS

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y., Feb. 17. (P)—The United States informed the world today that she intends to keep the strategic chains of Japanese-Mandate islands in the Pacific to insure American security.

Bill To Ease Labor Relations Proposed

AUSTIN, Feb. 17. (P)—A bill designed to ease labor-management relationships in Texas was introduced in the House today by Rep. George Nokes of Corsicana.

Also introduced was a proposed constitutional amendment which would allow legislators to set their own salaries.

British Crisis Still Continues

LONDON, Feb. 17. (P)—Forecasts of continued cold weather threatened today to prolong for at least another week a fuel crisis responsible for crippling factory shutdowns and electric power cuts throughout the nation.

German Ministers Discuss Economy

VIENNA, Feb. 17. (P)—The eight German ministers-president from the American and British occupation zones met here today to work out administrative problems in setting up bi-zonal economic agencies.

Mainline Traffic Delayed By Wreck

STAMFORD, Conn., Feb. 17. (P)—A New Haven Railroad spokesman said that delays up to 45 minutes have developed today in train traffic moving over the four tracks of the New Haven Railroad's main line here because of the need for manually operating signals and switches damaged in Saturday's derailment of 32 freight cars.

Consideration Of Income Tax Cut Postponed

Controversy On Trimming Budget To Cause Delay

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. (AP)—Postponement of any consideration of tax cuts until Congress determines how much to slash the 1947 spending budget was announced today by Chairman Knutson (R-Minn.) of the House Ways and Means Committee.

Hearings previously had been set to begin Wednesday on Knutson's House Bill No. 1 calling for a 20 percent "across the board" cut in individual income levies. Knutson announced that the controversy over how much to trim President Truman's \$37,500,000,000 budget also will cause delay in hearings on reciprocal tariff operations.

Negro Prisoner Killed On Road

PICKENS, S. C., Feb. 17. (P)—A band of armed men early today removed a negro prisoner, Willie Earle, 25, of Greenville, from the Pickens County jail and an hour and a half later his body was found on a road in Greenville county.

Trial Of General Kesselring Resumed

VENICE, Feb. 17. (P)—The war crimes trial of Field Marshal Albert Kesselring was resumed today before a British military court. The former commander-in-chief of German Forces in Italy pleaded innocent last Monday to two charges accusing him of responsibility for the reprisal killings of Italian civilians by Germans in 1944.

Communist Booms

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 17. (P)—Communists in the United States outnumber pre-war Nazi quislings in Europe, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. James F. Kelley, president of Seton Hall College, said yesterday.

Revamping Of Tottering Chinese Economy Starts

NANKING, Feb. 17. (P)—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's government in a desperate fight for national survival completely revamped China's tottering business structure today and promised to reorganize the government itself.

Two Changes Made In House Resolution

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. (AP)—The Senate Judiciary Committee voted 9 to 1 today for a proposed constitutional amendment to limit presidential tenure to two full terms of four years each.

Lilienthal Approval Is Delayed

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. (P)—David E. Lilienthal's foes bore down today on the theme that the former TVA chief may try to snub Congress later if he wins confirmation as chairman of the atomic control commission.

Senate Group OKs Limited-Tenure Act

53 Bodies Removed At Air Wreck

BOGOTA, Columbia, Feb. 17. (P)—Search parties labored in Mountain country to the northwest today to bring in bodies of 53 persons killed in the worst commercial airplane crash on record. They recovered three of the bodies before darkness stopped their work last night.

Congress Urged To Split Union

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. (P)—Rolla D. Campbell, a coal industry official urged congress today to break up John L. Lewis' United Mine Workers and other big unions into small units.

Talmadge Declines Comment On Blast

ATLANTA, Feb. 17. (P)—Governor-claimant Herman Talmadge declined direct comment today on a speech by Dr. Clark Foreman of Atlanta last night in Washington in which Foreman said that Talmadge's "seizure of the state capitol" was "a Fascist coup as was Hitler's Munich Beer Hall putsch."

Rent Control Order Causes Difficulties

AUSTIN, Feb. 17. (P)—An OPA official has promised to "straighten out very soon" difficulties arising over a rent control order issued to Chief Justice of the Texas Supreme Court James P. Alexander.

Predicts Used Car Prices Will Decline

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Feb. 17. (P)—A prediction that "used car prices are going to decline" but that there is "little likelihood" of a new automobile prices was voiced by W. G. Mallon of Newark, president of the National Automobile Dealers Association, as 6,000 retail automobile dealers from the US, Canada and Mexico convened here today for the opening session of the organizations convention.

Seeds Of Next War In Europe Seen

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 17. (P)—Europe today is more materialistic than it ever was and the seeds of the next war are being sown," declares the Rev. Dr. Paul C. Empey, director of the Lutheran World Action campaign for foreign war relief.

Labor Party Accused

MOSCOW, Feb. 17. (P)—Britain's labor party was accused in Pravda today of seeking to induce social democrats all over the world to join forces with "Bourgeois Parties" instead of taking united action with the Communists.

Effort To Hurdle Soviet Iron Curtain By Radio Is Started

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. (P)—The United States—addressing the Russian people, by radio in their own language—said today "full harmony" exists in this country between the federal government and 48 states.



QUITS POLAND—Arthur Bliss Lane (above), U.S. Ambassador to Poland, bids farewell to Premier Josef Cyrankiewicz at Warsaw and told him he was leaving for Washington for consultations and did not intend to return. (AP Wirephoto).

Archers Stalk Buffalo Herd

ARCHERS STALK BUFFALO HERD—Archers shown here stalking a Wyoming buffalo herd in the first event of its type fatally wounded a cow by mistake. Sponsors of the hunt decided against another event of the kind because arrows killed too slowly. The hunt was near Rawlins, Wyo. (AP Wirephoto).

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JayCeers Open World Congress In Dallas Today

DALLAS, Feb. 17. (AP)—Jaycees from a score of nations will see a bit of the old west today in a prelude to their World Congress of Junior Chamber of Commerce International.

A whopping western parade, featuring horses, cowboys and all the trimmings, tops the opening day program of the week-long conference.

Preliminary business was cleared yesterday, with a Texan chosen acting president of the World Congress. Taylor Cole, 33-year-old Midland oilman was named acting president on the request of Erasmo A. Chambonnet, Colon, Panama, who could not attend because of illness.

Secretary General Hildebrand A. Nicosia y Perez, Panama City, Panama, said Chambonnet requested a Texan to serve in his absence in a telegram. Cole, one of five vice presidents, was elected first vice president at an executive committee meeting and automatically presides, Nicosia said.

More than 800 delegates from at least 23 nations were expected to be on hand at the opening session today. Included are representatives from Turkey, Brazil, Bolivia, Guam, Canada, Great Britain, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, France, Ecuador, Guatemala, Iran, Mexico, Spain, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Panama, El Salvador and Switzerland.

Religion Said Needed For Atomic Science

AUSTIN, Feb. 17. (AP)—Atomic science demands religion to save the world, the Rt. Rev. Everett H. Jones of San Antonio told University of Texas faculty members and students in an address here last night.

"Today it is science, especially atomic science, that is demanding more and better religion to save the world," the former student declared.

He said that the problem was not to establish God's existence but "to keep aware of his reality and power and love."

Brown Warns Budget Reduction Dangerous

AUSTIN, Feb. 17. (AP)—The United States and its occupational forces overseas would be left in a precarious position by any drastic reductions of national defense appropriations, Perry Brown warned here.

The National chairman of the American Legion committee on National Defense yesterday said "the American Legion insists that sufficient money by appropriated to maintain an Army, Navy and Air Force completely equipped to give this nation adequate protection."

Dodds To Enter NAAU Mile Run This Weekend

NEW YORK, Feb. 17. (AP)—The brief honeymoon of the milers appears to be over.

Galloping Gil Dodds, who last Saturday passed up the mile for the two-mile race today "guessed" he will be back at his speciality—the mile, that is, — at the National AAU track and field championships at Madison Square garden next Saturday.

"I enjoyed running two miles in the New York Athletic club meet," Dodds said, "but afterwards, my coach, Jack Ryder, said he thought I should run the mile rather than three miles in the nationals."

"So I guess it will be the mile again for me," the Flying Parson added.

If he chose, the Nebraska-born preacher who wears the colors of the Boston Athletic association probably could win them both with ease and run the two-mile in his spare time, except for the fact there is no two-mile event in the nationals.

Dodds showed 14,000 persons at the New York Athletic club games in Madison Square Garden Saturday night that there isn't a runner who can touch him. Switching to the two-mile after winning three straight mile races in his comeback campaign with credible times of 4:09.1, 4:09.2 and 4:08.9, Dodds led throughout the 22 laps on the garden's banked board track and wrapped up the tussled two-mile fixture by the comfortable margin of 80 yards and with a clocking of 8:05.6.

The man who trailed him by half a lap was Forest Efav, the Stillwater, Okla., veteran who holds the National AAU three-mile title and had not been beaten in four previous two-mile starts this year.

With Dodds out of the way, Tommy Quinn of the New York Athletic club, who finished second to Dodds in all three of his mile triumphs this season, won the Baxter mile Saturday night in 4:17.6.

Some idea of Dodds' pace can be gained from the fact that although he was running twice as far, his first half-mile time was two and a half seconds faster than that of the milers and his time for his first mile was only 5.6 seconds slower than Quinn's winning effort in the mile.

Wish For Death Caused Confession

FRESNO, Calif., Feb. 17. (AP)—Otho C. Stockdale's attorneys declared today that their client's desire to die had caused him to "confess" he had killed a man for whose death Pvt. A. B. Ritchie of Hickory, N. C., is serving a life term in Leavenworth Federal prison.

Now Lawyers J. F. Nagel and Gerald W. Stusman said, Stockdale a 25-year-old railroad fireman and former soldier has repudiated his statement.

He took the blame for the killing of Corp. Peter De Fusco of Uniontown, Pa., at an Army camp near Salina, Kas., the attorneys said, because he hoped it would bring his death and free him from a life clouded with alcoholism and mental confusion.

Ritchie was convicted of murder by court martial for the slaying and condemned to death. His sentence later was commuted to life imprisonment. An application for pardon is pending now.

'Square Deal' Despite Color Or Creed Asked

DALLAS, Feb. 17. (AP)—Twenty floors above the city's lights, John G. Winant sat in the hotel room and it was as though he were alone, thinking aloud.

But there were others in the room. Roosevelt Allen, Negro waiter, hovered in the background, listening to phrases such as "square deal for every man, no matter what his creed or color." Across from the former ambassador was Arthur J. Coyle, San Antonio oil man and World War I buddy of Winant's, who had never heard of the National Conference of Christians and Jews until he read that his old squadron comrade would come to Texas to make appearances for brotherhood week celebrations.

Winant, 185 pounds, six feet tall, sat on the edge of the chair. His every feature reflected determination — craggy brows over dark, intense eyes; the prominent sharply-cut nose; the firm jaw. Yet, his powerful hands opened and closed nervously; his smile was shy; he

Mitchell Returns From Dallas Meet

Dalton Mitchell, local agent for the Great Southern Life Insurance company, returned Sunday from Dallas, where he attended the first day's schedule of the 18th annual tri-city sales congress of the Texas Association of Life Underwriters.

He was accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Mitchell, who visited her brothers, Boyd and Sidney Carpenter of Dallas and Grand Prairie.

Texas Is Basking In Warm Weather

Amarillo was the only Texas city to report below-freezing temperatures today as the state basked in warm, sleepy weather.

Amarillo's 30 degrees was the state's lowest temperature reading today. Salt Flat and Pampa had an even 32. Brownsville's minimum of 55 was the warmest.

No rain was reported anywhere although a light fog hugged the coast early in the day.

Temperatures generally were in the 60s and no change is forecast for tomorrow. A few scattered showers may fall in the southern part of East Texas.

Another Lady Is Free Of Stomach Gas And Headache

One lady said recently that her stomach used to be like a "gas factory!" That is, when she ate a meal it seemed to turn right into gas. She was always bloated, had awful stomach gas pains, daily headaches and constant irregular bowel action. Now, however, this lady says she is FREE OF STOMACH GAS and she says the change is due to taking INNER-AID. Her meals agree with her. No gas or bloating after eating. Headaches and constipation are gone. "Oh! what relief!" states this lady. "Why don't other gas and constipation sufferers get INNER-AID."

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11 Texans Killed During Week-End

Eleven persons died of violence in Texas over the week-end and two others were killed outside the state.

An accident during the air show at Mineral Wells took the life of F. B. Estes, Fort Worth stunt flyer. Six died in automobile accidents, two of shootings and one was killed in a boat mishap.

In 1940, the federal farm census showed 45.1 per cent of North Dakota farms operated by tenants. In 1945, the figure had gone down to 27.8 per cent.

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38TH Annual Statement GREAT SOUTHERN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

HOUSTON, TEXAS
December 31, 1946

ASSETS

United States Government Bonds	\$33,214,300.53
Municipal and County Bonds	779,243.15
Public Utility Bonds	1,900,827.25
Preferred and Common Stocks	2,309,986.82
First Mortgage Loans	34,025,422.83
\$ 7,604,829 on farm and ranch properties	
\$26,420,594 on other properties	7,260,500.60
Loans to Policyowners	226,924.41
Real Estate	2,373,882.98
Cash	341,665.40
Interest Due and Accrued	1,903,829.00
Net Premiums in Course of Collection	19,381.51
All Other Assets	\$84,355,964.48
TOTAL	\$84,355,964.48

LIABILITIES

Policy Reserves	\$73,017,506.00
Additional Policyowners' Funds	2,976,903.62
Premiums and Interest Paid in Advance	1,375,939.53
Claims Not Yet Completed or Reported	277,329.68
Reserve for Taxes and All Other Liabilities	448,725.28
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$78,096,404.11
Reserve for Contingencies and Other Surplus Funds	
Capital	\$3,000,000.00
Unassigned Surplus	2,000,000.00
Reserve for Contingencies	1,259,560.37
TOTAL SURPLUS FUNDS	6,259,560.37
TOTAL	\$84,355,964.48

Gains Achieved in 1946

TOTAL LIFE INSURANCE IN FORCE	\$371,765,356.00
Life Insurance Was Increased	46,818,196.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 84,355,964.00
Assets Were Increased	6,794,500.00

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Program On Russia Given At Meeting

A program on Russia was presented Saturday night in the 1930 Typewriter club met in the home of Mrs. Woffard Hardy.

Breakfast Sunday Marks Beginning Of YWA Focus Week

The Lottie Moon YWA entertained with a breakfast at the Douglass coffee shop Sunday morning as the first activity of YWA Focus week being observed here.

Ah-h-h! I Can Breathe Again!

If your nose sometimes fills up with stuffy transient congestion—put a few drops of Va-tro-nol in each nostril. It quickly reduces congestion and makes breathing easier in a hurry...

School Children Dismissed For Matinee Showing Of 'Snow White, Seven Dwarfs'

School children were to be dismissed from afternoon classes to attend the matinee performance of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," which was to be presented here at the city auditorium at 3 p. m. by Penthouse productions...

Valentine Tea Held In Coahoma School By Girl Scout Troop

COAHOMA, Feb. 17. (Sp.)—Honoring their mothers, members of the Coahoma Girl Scouts entertained recently with a Valentine tea in the home economic parlor at the high school.

Guests were met at the door by Beverly Ann Watts and Norma Jean Snyder, and were ushered to the register presided over by Mona Stull and Janice Duncan.

Attending were Mrs. Orville James, Mrs. K. G. Birkhead, Mrs. Ernest Garrett, Mrs. M. R. Turner, Mrs. T. A. Bartlett, Mrs. C. H. Devaney, Mrs. Les Adams, Mrs. George Burt Mrs. J. L. Meador, Mrs. Tony Snyder, Mrs. Ralph Davis, Sue Evans, Elizabeth Smith and Mrs. Burr Brown.

The Junior Woman's Forum will meet with Mrs. Burke Summers, 503 East 12th, tonight at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

Mrs. Seale Gives Book Review At Tea In Van Gieson Home

"Out On A Limb," by Louise Baker was reviewed by Mrs. Don Seale Saturday afternoon at a meeting of the 1935 Hyperion club in the home of Mrs. V. Van Gieson.

A tea hour followed, and flanking the centerpiece of seasonal flowers on the refreshment table were white tapers in crystal holders. Miniature tapers in small holders surrounded the larger candles.

Guests were Mrs. Seth Parsons, a former member Mrs. Sam Peake of Houston, Mrs. F. C. Robinson and Mrs. C. E. Seale.

4-H Club Girls Attend Luncheon

Around 100 persons attended a luncheon which was held at the First Methodist church Saturday at noon by 4-H club girls of Howard county.

Billy Joe Walker of Centerpoint, first place winner in a bedroom redecoration project, was presented with a birthstone ring, and second and third place winners, Jo Ann Gay of Knott and Mary Ann Fairchild of Forsan, were given a 4-H bracelet and a 4-H ring.

The luncheon program opened with the invocation by Dr. C. A. Long and Alice Smyrl Chapman, toastmaster. Introduced guests, Awards were presented on behalf of the Howard County Home Demonstration council by Mrs. Shirley Fryar, and Miss Walker gave a talk on "My 4-H Work."

Judge W. S. Morrison guest speaker, talked on "4-H Clubs and American Citizenship."

Philathea Class Party

The Philathea class of the First Baptist church will be entertained with a cake party at the home of Mrs. Zollie Boykin Thursday.

Murray Returning To Tokyo To Face Smuggling Charge

FAIRFIELD, Calif., Feb. 17. (AP)—Col. Edward J. Murray, former custodian of the Bank of Japan, was en route back to General MacArthur's headquarters today to explain how Japanese gems worth \$210,000 came into his possession and why he smuggled them into the United States.

Sue Wise Entertains Friends With Party

COAHOMA, Feb. 17. (Sp.)—Sue Wise entertained a group of friends with a party at her home Saturday.

Stanton Favored Over Courtney In Title Bout

STANTON, Feb. 17. — Despite the fact that they were surprised in the district 21-B basketball tournament at Coahoma last weekend, the Stanton Buffaloes will rule as heavy favorite to defeat the Courtney Eagles in their playoff for the championship, which starts here tonight.

Oil Workers Strike Delayed 48 Hours

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17. (AP)—A strike of 20,000 CIO Oil Workers, which would shut down oil refineries in five Western states curtail natural gas service to millions and hamper automobile and airplane travel, was delayed another 48 hours today.

DAUGHTER BEATS MOTHER

In relieving the discomfort of children's simple chest colds by using Durham's Nu-Mo-Rub, the modern Guaiacol-Camphor chest rub. Doctors agree that its 29% Guaiacol-Camphor formula is a decided improvement over Mother's old-fashioned Eucalyptus style rubs.



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Visits And Visitors

Don Burk left Saturday for Rochelle to join Mrs. Burk and son, James, who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Burk.

Soft Cell Cot Tops Hard Bench

CHICAGO, Feb. 17. (AP)—John Petahara came into the Chicago Avenue Police station seeking a place to sleep.

Monstrosity Tax Is Needed Here

OGDEN, Utah, Feb. 17. (AP)—A motorist asked Deputy County Assessor Don Garner to assess his automobile for taxation.

Sore Throat—Tonsillitis! You Want Quick Relief!

A good throat mop is hard to beat and DURHAM'S ANAESTHESIA-MOP is a Doctor's prescription which gives prompt relief from pain and discomfort.

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SS Classes Feted With Valentine Party At Church

Mrs. John Foster and Mrs. Walter Pachall were hostesses at a Valentine party given for intermediate and junior Sunday school classes Saturday afternoon at St. Paul's Lutheran church.

Games were played and prizes went to Gerald Fehner, Charles Pachall, Margaret Weinkauf, Geneva Mae Fehler, Frances Weinkauf and R. A. Wienkauf.

Valentines were exchanged from a decorated heart box and refreshments were served.

Those attending were Peggy McMurray, Arnold Keune, R. A. Weinkauf, Clifford Horn, Charles Pachall, Jimmy Fred Loweke, Gerald Fehler, David Rupp, Carl Gross, China Carroll, Geneva Mae Fehler, Frances Weinkauf, Allen Dean Loweke, Jackie Pachall and visitors, Tommie Fehler, Bobbie, Judy and Gloria Horn.

Mrs. Brigham Speaks At Ackerly P-TA Meet

ACKERLY, Feb. 17. (Sp.)—The Parent-Teacher's Association held an all day meeting at the Methodist church last week and Mrs. J. E. Brigham of Big Spring was instructor for a procedure course.

Also attending from Big Spring was Mrs. J. C. Lane.

Mrs. M. C. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Langham, all of Miami, Ariz. were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elia Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Seely and son returned from Whitesborough where they attended the funeral of his brother-in-law, W. W. McAlister.

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Advertisement for Stanton Favored Over Courtney In Title Bout. Text: 'STANTON, Feb. 17. — Despite the fact that they were surprised in the district 21-B basketball tournament at Coahoma last weekend, the Stanton Buffaloes will rule as heavy favorite to defeat the Courtney Eagles in their playoff for the championship, which starts here tonight. The Buffaloes suffered a three-point defeat at the hands of the Coahomans, who later lost to the Courtney team in the tournament finals. In regular season play, however ahead of all other teams in the race by several lengths. The two quintets will play the best two-of-three game series. They lay off Tuesday and then cross swords again Wednesday night in Courtney. The third game, if necessary, will be unreeled either in Midland or Big Spring. Winner goes 'Yes for the regional tournament at Abilene. Trav Green, Stanton coach, is scheduled to start Avery, Stallings, Jones, Gregg and either Reed or White while the Courtney starters are due to be E. J. Smith, Cross, Welch, Kelly and Hazelwood. Avery, a veteran from last year's stellar outfit, paces the Stanton attack while the Courtney machine is built around Smith and Cross.'

Advertisement for Montgomery Ward For Spring Dressmaking. Text: 'WONDERFUL WOOLENS IN 54" WIDTHS. Certainly we're proud of them! These are the best ever in our famous woolen collections! New colors, new textures, new weaves, new inspiration for Spring! Shetland type suiting in rich shades of American Beauty or Forest Green. Lovely! yd 3.59 All wool crepe in a weight light enough for your very first Spring dress. 54". yd 1.79 All wool houndstooth checks in neutral colors for suits and jackets. yd 2.98 Grey men's wear flannel in a sturdy long-wearing weave for new tailored suits. yd 2.98' Includes images of various fabric patterns and a woman in a dress.

Longhorns All But Clinch Southwest Casaba Honors

Porkers Falter In Dallas Test

By The Associated Press

Just wrap up the Southwest Conference basketball pennant, making sure it's a neat package, and mail it to Mr. Jack Gray, well-known young man in University of Texas athletic circles.

Texas has four more games to play but consider it a formality. Entering the final two weeks of the conference campaign boasting a two-game lead and undefeated in eight starts, Gray's Longhorns hardly will be even so much as irritated the rest of the way.

Southern Methodist, whose friendship for the State University runs hot and cold, had the heater on last weekend. The Mustangs beat Arkansas in two games to leave Texas high and dry at the top of the heap. Arkansas' chances at the championship now are like this: Texas would have to lose three of its four remaining games while the Razorbacks were sweeping the four left on their schedule, two of which are with Texas.

The double set-back at the hands of SMU, twice beaten by Texas, surprised Arkansas as much as it did the fans. But there was no doubt about it; Southern Methodist had the better team. The Mustangs gave Arkansas an artistic trimming Friday night 64-52 and came from behind Saturday night to win 47-44.

Meanwhile Texas was whipping Texas A&M 69-40 and this week should clinch at least a tie for the championship by easily licking Baylor and Rice. Baylor indicated it would be the toughest of the two as it whipped Rice 67-55 Saturday night.

The week's schedule starts off Wednesday night with Texas entertaining Baylor and Texas Christian meeting Southern Methodist at Fort Worth.

Friday night Arkansas opens a two-game series with Texas A&M at Fayetteville while Texas Christian plays Oklahoma A&M at Oklahoma City. Saturday night Baylor engages Southern Methodist at Waco and Texas plays Rice at Austin.

The conference standing:

Team	W	L	Pct.
Texas	11	2	.846
SMU	8	5	.615
Arkansas	7	6	.538
Baylor	6	7	.462
Texas A&M	5	8	.385
Rice	4	9	.308
TCU	3	10	.231



BABE LEAVES HOSPITAL—Babe Ruth waves to a crowd of friends as he leaves French Hospital in New York with his nurse, Agnes Kavanaugh, for his Riverside Drive apartment. The former baseball great entered the hospital Nov. 26 and underwent a serious neck operation on Feb. 6. (AP Wirephoto).

Detton And Badman Bump Heads At 8



DORY DETTON
... In Prelim

Martin, Gorilla In Main Event

Wayne A. Martin earns his keep — and ably, too — as a professional wrestler but in tonight's main event at Patrick O'Dowdy's Big Spring Athletic club he must turn matador if he expects to keep his head above water.

The Tulsan is committed to tangle with the Bull of the Pampas, otherwise known as Gorilla Poggi. Both Martin and Poggi have had their ups and downs here but they always respond nobly when the heat is on.

The two collided here last month and got exactly no where in a 50-minute duel. Poggi wound up behind the eight-ball after he tried slugging the referee. The victory was awarded to Martin when it pointed out that the game's constitution frowned on such ethics but the Argentine had boy insists the worst he should have gotten from the deal was a draw.

Anything could happen this evening. Martin has been known to braid some of his opponents into the ropes (i.e., Bobby Burns) while Poggi may elect to deposit the Sooner in Row 5, Seat 20, wholely or in sections.

Popular Dory Detton, who perhaps has won more friends in his few appearances here than any other journeyman, returns to square off with Bobby Burns in the preliminary.

Denton has yet to register a victory but that doesn't keep the spectators from stumping for him. He's a mite of a fellow, compared to the other muscle heads, and against Burns will have to give away several pounds. On the other hand, his speed and agility may make the Montanan lurching at the shadows.

The two shed their robes for the taffy-pull around 8 o'clock.

Waldorf Takes Berkeley Job

BERKELEY, Calif., Feb. 17. (AP) Big Lynn Waldorf had a new job out to his size today — reviving the golden era of football at the University of California.

The task of coaching the Golden Bears, who last went to the Rose Bowl in 1938 when they whipped Alabama 13-0, was accepted as a "challenge" last night by the man who has been gridiron mentor of Northwestern in the Big Nine for the past 12 years.

He succeeds Frank Wickhorst whose contract was taken up amidst a clamor of the Associated Students of California after the Bears won only two games out of nine last season. Brutus K. Hamilton, acting general manager of the ASUC, said Waldorf's contract would specify that he has been hired by the school and responsible only to the president, "not to the students."

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Looking 'Em Over

With TOMMY HART

Grapple game critics who were suspicious when Primo Carnera, the former boxing champion, was brought to this country to work the tin ear circuit are now climbing on his band wagon. They say the big boy can handle himself well in the ring.

Recently, Da Pream toyed Jumping Joe Savoldi, the one-time Notre Dame footballer, cuffing the Italian veteran about as if he were a baby before finishing him off.

Those who know the game well say Ed "Strangler" Lewis is the only man in the game's modern history who could hold his own against Carnera.

Dallas medics have advised Dr. M. H. Bennett to give up polo, at least for a while. That must hurt him no end, since it has been his favorite sport for a long time.

The crowd that turned out for the Big Spring-Abilene basketball game the other night is believed to have been larger than the one which viewed the Redhead-ABCub contest here in 1946—in other words, the biggest ever to see a cage game in Big Spring. School officials believe something like 1,500 or 2,000 persons would have witnessed the contest, had there been room.

As it was, the "gate" ran better than \$200—as compared to \$150 for the Angelo outing three nights before—and the fieldhouse was so packed, officials stopped selling tickets 15 minutes before the main event went on.

The up-to-date scoreboard, complete with a stop-clock, displayed in the gym for the first time in the Abilene fracas, has been on order since school opened.

It is quite an innovation but Herschel Stockton, who has been assigned to operate it, says it will run him insane. Too many buttons to push, says Mule.

Jack Kearns, who managed Jack Dempsey at the time the Kansas Mauler was the world boxing champion, says he thinks Dempsey could have handled Joe Louis had they met when both were in their prime.

"Such a fight wouldn't have gone over three rounds," Kearns told a Florida sports scribe recently. "Both could hit terrifically, but were easy to hit. Louis was (or is) the faster puncher with both hands but Dempsey was rougher and did more damage in the clinches, where Louis does little or none. If Louis clipped Dempsey and he went down, Jack would have gotten up. But if Dempsey floored Louis and he didn't stay down, you can bet that Dempsey, with his tigerish style, would never have allowed him to stay up. Dempsey could take a wallop far better than Louis."

They tell this story on Bo McMillan, the Fort Worth product who is now football coach at Indiana university.

The Hoosier griders were trying to perfect a spinner and nothing seemed to be going right. There was a negro boy on the squad and his tongue was hanging out with the intensity of the workout. Finally, the exasperated Bo gathered his squad about him and roared:

"We'll practice this play until you're all black in the face, if necessary!"

Up piped the negro and asked: "Can Ah go now, Mr. Bo?"

The baseball park fund keeps going, though slowly at times. Recent donors include Thomas Typewriter company and Main Street Package store, \$50 each; B&W Appliance, Martin Distributing company and Anderson Music company, \$25 each; West Texas Stationers, \$15; and City Barber shop and H. Sedan, \$10 each.

That runs the tote to a few cents past \$5,000.

ACKERLY'S WIN

ACKERLY, Feb. 17—Ackerly's B cagers defeated the Knott High school B team 13-9 here Friday afternoon.

CONTROVERSY RAGES

Gloves Titles Go On Line In Cow-Town This Evening

FORT WORTH, Feb. 17. (AP)—The question of who hit whom will continue as a major topic of conversation tonight as Texas champions of the Golden Gloves are determined with Sully Montgomery, Sheriff of Tarrant county; Sgt. Tom Proctor of Abilene, baldish soldier stationed at Fort Bliss, and a Golden Gloves official figuring in the speculation.

The capacity crowd of 9,800 is expected in Will Rogers Coliseum for the finals, lured there by a great boxing show and not kept away, in the least, by Saturday night's afterglow in which Montgomery, former professional heavyweight boxer serving as referee, took punches at Proctor, who had lost a semi-finals heavyweight bout to Charles Simmons of Dallas. Most of the crowd thought one of Montgomery's punches struck Proctor but the soldier said "he never touched me" but that Robert Ballew, former Gloves fighter and serving as a ring official, got in the way of a fist. Ballew had a bruise on the face. The trouble arose after Montgomery pulled Proctor away from Simmons when the two heavyweights continued to trade blows after the bell had ended the match.

There was considerable furore about it and both Montgomery and Proctor apologized but things quickly simmered down and the sheriff is due to be back in the ring refereeing bouts tonight. It was indicated the flurry, which the crowd appeared to enjoy immensely, will only serve to make the fans more anxious to see the rest of the show.

There will be 16 bouts tonight, eight of them determining champions and the other eight being between stand-out fighters who were eliminated in rounds before the finals and are being given a chance to win something, the victor in each of these bouts to receive a gold trophy.

Here's how the fighters pair in tonight's finals:

Flyweights—Louis Allen, 113 Port Arthur, vs James Baggett, 112, Dallas.
Bantamweights—Valentino Luna, 119, Austin, vs Pete Valdez, 118, Port Arthur.
Featherweights—Ray Ramon, 127, San Antonio, vs Bill Henderson, 126, Levelland.
Lightweights—Don Stipanovich, 135, Pittsburgh (Fort Sam Houston), vs Mitchell Dorsey, 134, Wichita Falls.

Welterweights—Charles Robinson, 147, Fort Worth, vs Wallace Willard, 146, Houston.
Middleweights—Tommy Barron, 160, Sherman, vs Douglas (Buster) Harrison, 158, Fort Worth.
Light Heavyweights—Tom Adams 173 Brownfield vs Eddie Brock 169 Abilene.

Heavyweights—James Hoff 191, Dallas, vs Charles Simmons, 200, Dallas.

The eight bouts for the golden trophies, which are scheduled first on the program starting at 8:16 o'clock, are:

Flyweights—Jose Quesada, 112, El Paso, vs Jack Turner, 108, Abilene.
Bantamweights—Leonard Dixon, 119, Weatherford, vs Lolo Jimenez, 114, Amarillo.
Featherweights—Deno Tufares, 126, Wichita Falls, vs David Ruiz, 128, Austin.

Lightweights—Jack Lawrence, 134, Fort Worth, vs Adolfo Martinez, 136, El Paso.
Welterweights—Jimmy Bonner, 141, New London, vs Dan Silva, 147, San Antonio.
Middleweights—Dillon Hawkins, 161, Hart, vs Raymond Joines, 158, Beaumont.

Light Heavyweights—Walter Benning, 167, San Antonio, vs Tony Byars, 167, Ada, Okla. (Marines, Corpus Christi).
Heavyweight—Roy Priolo, 185, Waco, vs Albert Hansen, 182, Monahans.

Water Valley Plays Bronte Five Tonight

WATER VALLEY, Feb. 17.—Water Valley and Bronte tangle here tonight in the first of a three game series to decide the basketball championship of District 22-B. The two quintets will resume the series again in Bronte Wednesday night.

Dr. Rainey Awarded Jefferson Prize

NEW YORK, Feb. 17. (AP)—Dr. Homer P. Rainey, former president of the University of Texas, was awarded the Thomas Jefferson prize for advancement in democracy, it was announced yesterday.

Dr. Henry A. Atkinson, co-chairman of the council against intolerance in America, said Dr. Rainey's award was in the field of education. Rainey is now president of Stephens College, Columbia, Mo.

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Angelo Named Site Of 3-AA Tourney

Steers To Meet Eagles Friday

The District 3AA basketball tournament, which will be held Friday afternoon and evening, will be staged in the San Angelo high school gymnasium.

School officials of the four schools involved in the playoff round met here Sunday afternoon to agree on Angelo as the site of the contest. The size of the Angelo fieldhouse, in comparison to the other gyms in the district, no doubt had a lot to do with the selection.

First round pairings will send Midland into action against San Angelo at 1 p. m. and Big Spring out against Abilene at 2:30 p. m. The third place contest will be unreel at 6:30 p. m., the championship tussle at 8 p. m.

Each school will be allotted 225 tickets — one hundred adult and the others for school children. Price range is \$1.00 and 50 cents. The pasteboards may be obtained at the school tax office here.

Representatives here for the session included V. Z. Rogers, Lamesa, executive chairman; John L. Bailey, San Angelo; Pete Shotwell and Jake Bentlev, Abilene; Frank Munroe, Barnes Midland and Jack Mashburn, Midland; and W. C. Blankenship, John Malaise, Walter Read and Charles Roemer, Big Spring.

Sterling Plays

STERLING CITY, Feb. 17.—Independent teams of Sterling and Garden City will meet in an exhibition basketball game here Tuesday night. George Tillerson, Sterling coach, is leader of the local squad.

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Starters will probably be Warren, Campbell, Matimes, Hall and Gross.

Sterling Tracksters To Begin Workouts

STERLING CITY, Feb. 17.—Sterling City's track and field team launches workout here Tuesday afternoon.

Coaches Chesney McDonald and G. W. Tillerson will have something like 11 athletes in training, including seven lettermen. Standout member of the squad will probably be Jackie Tweedie, who set records as a dash man in several meets last year.

McDonald is planning on taking his team to the Big Spring Relays and the San Angelo invitational meet.

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"Naturally we are sorry that he will not play with us this fall," Woodson said, "but I am sure that Mobley has given every consideration to what he believes is right."

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41-Radios and Accessories
CABINET model radio and phonograph combination for sale. See Apt. No. 2, Dixie Courts.

42-Musical Instruments
SMALL piano in good condition for sale; \$40. Also one mile north, Vealmore, E. Moore.

43-Office and Store Equipment
TYPEWRITER, cash register, counter, adding machine, check machine, adding machine, cabinet, piano with several records. See at 302 Douglas or Phone 282.

45-Pets
LOVE birds and canaries for sale. 411 Johnson St.

46-Poultry and Supplies
PREYERS for sale, 406 N. Gregg.

48-Building Materials
WALL PAPER SALE
All good patterns for 10 days only. 50% discount. S. P. Jones Lumber Co., 409 Gould St., Phone 214.

49-Farm Equipment
ONE 6-ft. Windsor windmill with 30 ft. steel tower. 75 ft. of sucker rods and new 24-inch and 1-inch cylinders. \$85.00. 840-48 Scurry. Call 1901 Main.

49A-Miscellaneous
OUTSIDE white paint; 8x32 red clay tile and roofing coal. S. P. Jones Lumber Co., 409 Gould St., Phone 214.

49B-Miscellaneous
1942 Model Harley Davidson motorcycle; 1942 Model Harley Davidson motorcycle; 1942 Model Harley Davidson motorcycle. Phone 733-W, See 1910 S. Rannels.

49C-Miscellaneous
IRONING board, baby bathmat, play pen, large and small electric iron, electric clothes wringer, gas table top range, baby buggy, chest of drawers, metal cabinet for china, No. 410 Gauss Sinal's barrel shotgun. These items are available at 901 Scurry.

49D-Miscellaneous
VENETIAN blinds available. Big Spring. Phone 1181.

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WANTED: Clean cotton rags. Shroyer Motor Co., Phone 27.

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68-Apartments
THREE room furnished apartment with bath, \$15.00. 811 Halstead St.

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FURNISHED apartment for rent with refrigerator, bills paid. See at Dixie Courts, Phone 1922.

70-Apartments
TWO room furnished apartment for rent; also bedroom. 1405 W. 5th.

71-Apartments
TWO room apartment for rent; all bills paid. 911 W. 5th St.

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TWO 2-room apartments for rent; all bills paid. 1108 W. 3rd, Phone 1289.

73-Apartments
TWO room furnished apartment for rent; couple only. 1000 Lancaster.

74-Apartments
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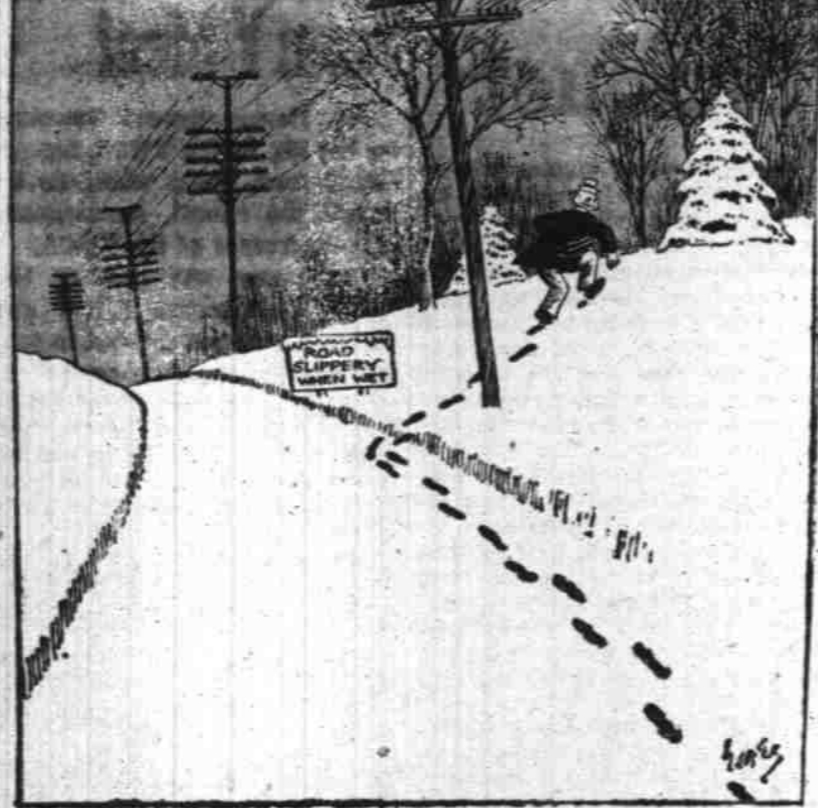
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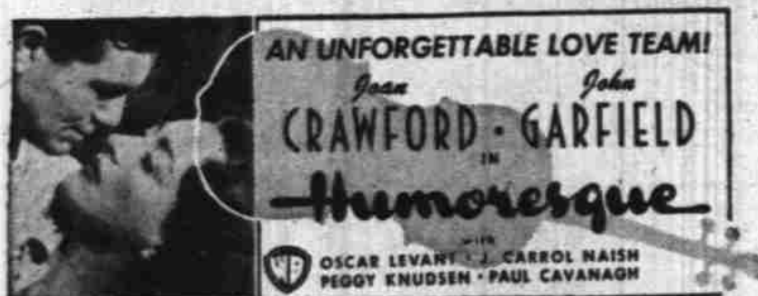
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Greenless Presides For Toastmasters

William E. Greenless, city judge, will preside at the weekly meeting of the Toastmasters club at 6:30 p.m. today in the St. Mary's Episcopal parish house. The featured address is to come from W. C. Blankenship, with E. B. McCormick, Joe Pickle and Lawrence J. Wells furnishing five minute talks. Educational speaker is Jim Wagner, topic master Robert McEwen and general critic Dan Conley.

Ex-Wacs May Enlist At Former Grade

Former members of the Women's Army Corps can now enlist in that branch of the service in the grade held at time of discharge, Lt. George M. Kesselring of the local recruiting station announced today. Applicants must be between 20 and 50 years of age and agree to serve for one year or until the national emergency is ended plus an additional six months. Women who re-enlist will be assigned to duty at some Army installation with the 4th Army Area. This includes Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Arkansas.

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Civil Services Exams For Post Office Now Open

Civil service examinations for Substitute Clerk and Substitute Carrier in the Big Spring post office are now open, according to a statement from A. A. Porter, Secretary, Board of US Civil Service Examiners, Post Office, Big Spring. Positions in the Special Delivery Service will be filled from the Clark - Carriers register established on this examination. Application forms and further information on this examination may be secured from Porter, or from the Fourteenth US Civil Service Region, 210 South Harvard Street, Dallas 1, Texas. Applications must be on file with the Regional Director, Fourteenth Regional Office of the US Civil Service Commission 210 S. Harvard Street, Dallas 1, Texas, not later than March 10, 1947. To be eligible to take the examination, applicants must actually reside within the delivery of the Big Spring, Post Office, or be bona fide patrons thereof.

Big Spring Picked For 1948 Meeting Of Credit Group

Big Spring was chosen at the 1948 meeting place of Retail Credit Executives of district No. 2 and the Texas Credit Bureau Managers association, which concluded its annual meeting in Midland Sunday. In addition, Pauline Sullivan, Big Spring, was named secretary of the Credit Executives and Irene Mier, Big Spring, director in the executives group. William Amis, Fort Worth, was elected president of the executives and Arch Billingsley, Fort Worth, president of the bureau managers. Other officers of the credit group were Jim Wallace, El Paso, vice-president; Jane Woodrum, Lubbock, Henry Murphy, Midland, Paul Carter, Mineral Wells, and J. C. Duncan, Arlington, directors. Others named by the bureau managers were Loretta Thorton, San Antonio, vice-president; Daisey Byler, Brady, secretary; Ed Hightower, Mineral Wells, and John Evans, Odessa, directors.

Red Cross Fund Drive Teams For Gift Campaign Organized

Teams with a combined membership of 80 men are due to be completed Tuesday in preparation for the special gifts campaign for Red Cross funds. The special gifts organization has been divided into two groups, with each to embrace eight five-man teams. Team captains have been asked to advise their respective group leaders when their teams have been completed. The groups are headed by R. B. Reeder and Jack Roden. The special gifts drive will begin Thursday morning with a kick-off breakfast at 7:30 o'clock in the Settles hotel. Both group leaders said the special gift campaign will be arranged to give each team member a maximum of five contacts to make. The Howard-Glasscock counties Red Cross chapter has announced that approximately 60 percent of the funds raised in the drive this year will be allocated to local service. Heretofore 50 percent of the funds have gone to the national organization. The increase in home service funds has been made to enable the local chapter to take care of heavier calls for assistance from veterans and their families. H. D. Norris, roll call chairman for the chapter, said. An increase in services also will be required of the chapter here when the veterans hospital begins operation. "We must not wait until the last minute to make preparations for these additional services," Norris said. Home service activities has required more money during the past year than at any time during the war, and it still is picking up, Norris concluded.

Reservations Pour In For C-C Banquet

Reservations for the annual Big Spring chamber of commerce banquet neared the original goal of 300 this morning, and officials started preparations for the event modating more in the event the demand continued this afternoon. Up to noon more than 280 reservations had been listed. Chamber officials and management of the Settles coffee shop arranged for a few extra tables, but J. H. Greene, chamber manager doubted that any space would be unreserved by closing time today. All remaining reservations are open to the general public, and many of them were claimed this morning. Principal speaker at the banquet will be H. W. Stanley, manager of the trade extension and civic affairs department of the San Antonio chamber. Stanley has a background of 20 years experience in chamber of commerce work. He entered the field as manager of the Gateway Club, national advertising department of the El Paso chamber. Later he served as director of the retail merchants' service bureau of the East Texas Chamber, a regional organization serving 71 counties. For seven years Stanley was director of the trade extension division of the Dallas chamber of commerce, and for two years he was a member of the Pittsburgh, Pa., chamber's staff. He was manager of the chamber of commerce in Hot Springs, Ark. for three years, and then went to Houston for three and a half years as director of the trade extension department. A highlight of the night's program will be induction of new officers of the local chamber. Entertainment will be furnished by the T&P male quartet from Fort Worth. They will be accompanied here by J. B. Shores, public relations director for T&P and possibly other officials of the railroad. The quartet will sing a medley made up of "I've Been Working on the Railroad" and "Dinah," "Won't You Blow" and a spiritual, "Standing In the Need of Prayer." They also will present a series of "barbershop" favorites, including "I Had a Dream Girl," "I Want a Girl Just Like the Girl that Married Dear Old Dad," "When You Were a Tulip," "Sweet Sue," and "Show me the Way to Go Home."

Local Man Back From Y Meet

Bill Dawes, general secretary for the Big Spring YMCA, has returned from Dallas where he attended the annual southwestern area conference of the YMCA. The party was held at the YMCA headquarters Friday and Saturday, and was devoted to conferences on such phases as re-emphasis on a program of entertainment for young adults, the problem of all YMCA's in making responsible members out of program participants, and other parts of the association's program. Among guest speakers at the meeting were Lee Phillip of the Prairie View College, Clifford Carey, member of the New York National council and Grove Patterson, editor of the Toledo Blade, who is a world traveler and outstanding YMCA layman. Sam Schreiner, representative of executive secretaries for area, discussed growth of new associations in the area with the problem of financing increased activities, recruiting personnel and rebuilding YMCA's in Europe. Approximately 85 laymen and secretaries from Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas attended the party.

Airline Set To Start Feeder Service Here

Pioneer Air Lines was all set today to begin its pioneering of feeder service in the air transportation field after completing a round of courtesy hops at Big Spring, Lamesa and Midland-Odessa. Two plane loads of Big Spring people, including heads of various agencies and organizations, were taken on DC-3 flights around Big Spring Monday morning as guest of Col. Robert J. Smith, president, and his Pioneer Air Lines company. For many, including George Mims, city commissioner, Fred Haller, Chester O'Brien, Sr., Fred Keating, and others it was a first trip. Mayor G. W. Dabney took his first hop Saturday as guest of Pioneer on a flight to Odessa where a chuck-wagon dinner was held. A good portion of those flying were in an airliner for the first time.

DAV Official To Give Talk

Disabled veterans of both World Wars who live in the Big Spring area today were urged to attend a special meeting at 8 o'clock tonight in the Settles and hear Sol Glickman, chief of staff of the Disabled American Veterans Department of Texas. Glickman will be accompanied here by Duncan Perkins, assistant deputy for the DAV, and they will be prepared to discuss problems of all types which face disabled veterans in the area. Glickman has had wide experience in working with veterans affairs. He has been associated with the American Legion in an active capacity for 28 years, and at present is on the membership committee of the legion's "40 and 8" club. At the meeting tonight he will explain the DAV's program and the organization's plans for working for its members, which are made up exclusively of disabled veterans.

Six Divorces Granted Here

Six divorces have been granted by Judge Cecil C. Collings in 70th district court proceedings in recent days. Paula Ramirez won the custody of five minor children in addition to her freedom from Frederico Ramirez. Gracie Lucille Young was legally separated from Lester D. Young and had her maiden name of Oden restored. The marriage of Jodie Jones and Callie Jones was dissolved and the former name of Johnson was restored to the woman. Custody of a minor child and \$50 a month support went to the defendant in the John Cowling-Thelma Cowling suit, in which a divorce was given. In other cases, Bertha Ashley was freed from Bascomb Ashley as was Willie Mae Sewell from Clarence Sewell. A petition to change the custody of two minor children, filed by Floyd McIntire against Lizzie McIntire, was denied.

Educators Confer On New Classrooms

Fred Horn, field representative of the US office of education, was here Sunday evening and Monday morning to confer with W. C. Blankenship, superintendent, concerning the Big Spring school application for two classroom buildings at the post bombardier school. Blankenship went over details of the application with Horn, stressing the pressing need locally for additional classroom space. The schools have applied through the War Assets Administration for the buildings and WAA asked the US office of education for a recommendation.

Laundry Joins Chamber Drive

The Help-Our-Self Laundry joined the Big Spring chamber of commerce in time to be included in the special pre-banquet drive, officials announced today, as the grand total moved up to 207. The goal was reached and exceeded Friday afternoon, but work is planned to continue the drive through Tuesday.

YMCA Directors Postpone Meeting

Regular meeting of the YMCA board of directors has been postponed one week to avoid conflict with the annual chamber of commerce banquet, Dr. R. B. G. Cowper, president, announced Monday.

Coming Events

- TUESDAY WOMEN'S CIRCLE of the First Christian Woman's church meets at 2 p.m. with Mrs. A. Marchant, 205 Washington St. 7:30 a.m. REBECCA LODGE meets at the IOOF room at 8 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY FIREMEN LADIES meet at WOW hall at 2 p.m. CENTRAL WARD P-TA meets at the school at 7:30 p.m. 1946 SUPERIOR CLUB meets with Mrs. Earl Cooper at 3 p.m. FIRST METHODIST CHOIR practices at 8:30 p.m. for practice at the church. BLANCHIE GROVES, GA meets at the First Baptist church at 4:30 p.m. JUNIOR MUSIC STUDY CLUB meets at 8 p.m. with Mrs. Paul Graham, 2309 Scurry.

Judging Starts In Colorado City 4-H Club And FFA Livestock Show

COLORADO CITY, Feb. 17. — Judging of entries in the annual 4-H club and FFA livestock show here got underway this morning in anticipation of the climactic sale Tuesday. The show offers a total of 57 classes for 4-H and FFA feeders of Mitchell county, and for Hereford breeders of Mitchell, Nolan, Coke, Sterling, Howard, Borden, Scurry and Fisher counties. Over-all figures indicate a record number of club calves is due to be off slightly. James Grote, San Angelo BCD agricultural manager, will judge calf, swine and sheep classes this afternoon and W. I. Marschall, San Angelo, district extension agent, began judging of the capon and rabbit classes this morning. For the first time in the history of the show, 4-H club girls put on an exhibit of their own under the direction of Mrs. Mary R. Drummond, home demonstration agent. Displays consisted chiefly of various items of clothing and accessories developed by the girls. They also conducted a sale of home made goodies in the luncheon room of the city-county lounge. Heading the auction sales committee, announced by P. K. Mackey, president of the show, is Les Terry. Others working with him are Pete Ainsworth, Otto Jones,

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Two of 15 Latin-Americans who engaged in a brawl in the flats area Saturday night were treated for gun wounds, the Big Spring police department reported. Local officers said investigation indicated that a group came here from Colorado City and got involved in a "free for all" with local Latin-Americans. The melee started when beer bottles, rocks and clubs were brandished by both groups and then quieted when two shots sounded. One participant was treated for a foot wound and another for a leg wound. Both of the injured are from Big Spring. Police jailed three suspects Sunday morning, but they were released later when officers were stymied for lack of evidence.

Amateur Radio Group Meets

Members of the Big Spring Amateur Radio club met at the YMCA Saturday night to see two movies shown by Lawrence Wells and Ricky Cooper on frequency modulation and television. Guests included Roy and Adrian DeGraffenried and Hubert Nelson and C. H. Moxley of Lamesa. Members present were Mel Boatman, Dick Hooper, Ben Jernigan, Bob Benson, Marion Beam and Andy Jones.

AUSTRIA TO GET ARMY

LONDON, Feb. 17. (AP)—Deputy Foreign Ministers of four leading allied nations agreed today that the "free, independent Austria" of the future should have an army.

What To Do For That Sluggish, Down-and-Out Feeling

Remember the time when you could eat like a horse, bubbled-over with energy, felt happy as a lark? Was it not because you liked to eat—didn't know what digestion was, felt strong as an ox? As age advances the "old stomach" and "ever-changing blood" need help. How you get your blood and give off that energy to every muscle, fibre, cell. Every day—every hour—millions of tiny red-blood-cells must pour forth from the marrow of your bones to replace those that are worn-out. A low blood count may affect you in several ways: no appetite, underweight, no energy, a run-down condition, lack of resistance to infection and disease. To get real relief you must keep up your blood strength. Ideal authorities by analysis of the blood, have by positive proof shown that 588 Tonic is amazingly effective in building up blood strength in non-organic nutritional anemia. This is due to the 588 Tonic formula which contains special and potent activating ingredients. Also, 588 Tonic helps you enjoy the food you eat by increasing the gastric digestive juice when it is normally only too little or scanty—thus the stomach will have little cause to get belly-ache, gas, bloating and give off that food taste. Don't wait! Energize your body with this red-blood-strengthening tonic now. As vigorous blood surges throughout your whole body, greater freshness and strength should make you eat better, sleep better, feel better, work better, play better, have a healthy color glow in your skin—firm flesh all over below places. Millions of bottles sold. Get a bottle from your drug store. 588 Tonic helps Build Sturdy Health.



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