

State Admits John Gorrell Wrote Extortion Note

News Behind The News THE NATIONAL Whirligig

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WASHINGTON By George Burno Tabled—Madame Secretary Perkins and some of the heaviest Brain Trusters in the Department of Labor...

Charts—The personnel men looked into the sample copies of the Bulletin, as it is called.

Peace—The boys in charge of industrial personnel reached a quick conclusion that such "education" would never help them in their efforts...

Air—Those who laugh off Senator Huey P. Long as an ineffectual factor in national politics might be interested to know that following his first nationwide share-the-wealth broadcast he received 64,000 replies...

Mexico—American protests against denial of religious liberty in Mexico may not cause the U. S. government to interpose an objection...

Psychic—J. F. T. O'Connor, Comptroller of the Texas Electric Service company were business visitors to Lamesa Friday.

STATES OIL CONFERENCE OPENS IN DALLAS

ETHIOPIANS AND ITALIANS CLASH



International attention centered on the border between Ethiopia and Italian Somaliland as Premier Mussolini mobilized forces in apparent anticipation of further clashes in that region of Africa.



Emperor Haile Selassie (left) of Ethiopia. Italian troops, similar to those mobilized, are shown below. (Associated Press Photos)

Hauptmann To Be Taken To Death House In Trenton, N. J., Saturday

Rev. Garnett Accepts Call To East 4th

Pastor Of Stanton Baptist Church To Become East Fourth Baptist Pastor

Rev. W. S. Garnett, pastor of the Stanton Baptist church, Friday announced his acceptance of a call to the East Fourth Baptist pastorate here.

The new pastor will conduct prayer meeting Wednesday evening and will fill the pulpit in both services the following Sunday morning.

Rev. Garnett is a graduate of Baylor university and had two years' work in the Southwestern Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth following his graduation from the former institution in 1921.

His first pastorate was at Victoria. He resigned this post to accept a call to Midland after a year and a half tenure.

For three years he served as pastor of the First Baptist church in Midland, before being called as pastor of the Magnolia Park church in Houston. After one year with this church his voice failed.

From 1925 until 1932 he was forced to withdraw from the ministry, going into business for himself. But when his voice improved and a call came from Stanton, he was ready to again take up his work.

His record at Stanton has been a constructive, progressive one. Sunday school enrollment has increased from 122 to 415 in the 3 years he has been pastor. There has been a steady gain in church membership during that time.

While he has been pastor, the Stanton church retired a long carried obligation of \$1,500 and is now out of debt and under a budget which it has maintained rigidly for the past three years.

Rev. Garnett has been active in Stanton civic life and is a member of the Stanton Luncheon club. He is scoutmaster of Troop No. 14, Boy Scouts, a troop he organized. Married in 1921, Mr. and Mrs. Garnett now have three girls and one boy.

He has become increasingly popular with the Baptist clergy of this section during his Stanton pastorate. He is president of the Big Spring association, associational leader in evangelism, chairman of the district mission committee, and district Sunday school president.

FLEMINGTON (AP)—Sheriff John H. Curless announced Friday Bruno Richard Hauptmann, convicted Lindbergh kidnap murderer, would be removed from Hunterdon county jail to the death house in the state prison at Trenton some time Friday.

REPORT OF ACCOMPLICE IS TERMED AS FALSE WASHINGTON (AP)—J. Edgar Hoover, director of the division of investigation, department of justice, Friday termed as false statements that federal officers have evidence that Bruno Richard Hauptmann had an accomplice in the Lindbergh kidnaping.

Hoover made the statement in commenting on published reports by authorities, including the department of justice, knew an accomplice and expected to arrest him.

East Fourth church has been without a pastor for more than two months since the resignation of Rev. Woodie W. Smith.

Andrews Court Passes Order For New Road

Strange And White Join Martin Commissioners In Conference

Word was received here Friday afternoon that the Andrews county commissioner's court had passed unanimously an order to procure right-of-way for a road from Stanton to Andrews to Eunice, N. M.

W. T. Strange, chamber of commerce manager, and George White joined Martin county commissioners Friday morning for a conference with Andrews county commissioner's court relative to reviving the road project.

Much work was done toward getting the road opened last fall but the move was dropped when the Andrews court interest cooled.

Martin county commissioners, always warm supporters of such a road, were ready to try again this week when Strange was told by an Andrews commissioner that the court's attitude had apparently changed.

PATMAN TO EXPLAIN MEASURE OVER RADIO Wright Patman, first district of Texas congressman and sponsor of the bill bearing his name for immediate payment of the soldier bonus, will speak from 6 until 6:15 o'clock this evening over the red network of the National Broadcasting company on the subject of immediate payment of the adjusted service certificates in "bills" instead of "bonds."

On Thursday night, Feb. 21, Congressman Patman will speak again on the same subject over a coast-to-coast Columbia Broadcasting system hook-up.

L. C. Dahme is convalescing from an attack of pneumonia.

1935 PLATES MAY BE USED ON FEB. 28

AUSTIN (AP)—The legislature Friday passed finally a bill to permit use of 1935 motor vehicle plates after midnight, February 28th.

The bill was sent to the governor when the house concurred in senate amendments. It would become effective on the governor's signature.

Arrest 21 In Garment Strike

Police Seek To Prevent Disturbance In Dallas Garment Strike

DALLAS (AP)—Seeking to prevent a disturbance in the garment workers strike, police Friday arrested ten men and eleven women in the factory district.

DALLAS (AP)—Union officials indicted Thursday a vote on a general strike in the troubled garment manufacturing industry in Dallas that employs some 2,000 women would be taken Monday.

A strike has been in progress all week at the Morten-Davis plant, where women pickets staged several minor clashes with police, and a general strike was predicted.

"It seems that employers who responded to our letter requesting arbitration, collective bargaining machinery, better wages in better lines of work and assurance against anti-union discrimination, can not recall anything except concerted action," said Meyer Perlestein, field representative of the International Garment Workers' Union.

Near Zionville, N. C., there is a swamp that gives off an obnoxious gas. Crawfish, used in a test, perished immediately when thrown into the muck.

Urge Legislation To Protect U. S. From Foreign Propaganda

WASHINGTON (AP)—Legislation to protect the United States from foreign "propaganda" and revolutionary activity, was recommended to congress Friday by the house committee, which spent more than a year investigating "un-American" activities.

The committee, headed by Representative McCormack of Massachusetts, charged in effect that Russia violated its pledge against harboring groups which advocated overthrow of this government.

Rex Ragan To Revamp Co. Tax Records

County Commissioner's Court Appoint Local Man To Install System

Rex Ragan, special tax officer for the Big Spring Independent school district since May 1934, has been appointed by the county commissioner's court to revamp the tax collector's system of records.

He will start the work probably within the next week and anticipates finishing the job in four months' time.

Ragan explained the nature of his work as "replacing the system installed in 1885 with a modern system of records." This, he said, would enable clerks to find necessary records on any property readily.

County Judge J. S. Garlington said that Ragan would draw his pay from the budget fund set aside as an audit and expert help. Total cost of the reinstallation of records will amount to approximately \$2500.

It was the opinion of officials that the new records would enable a much smaller force to handle the collector-assessor office business.

Ragan plans to go to Austin the first part of next week on business and on his return will start on his new work.

Judge C. H. Earnest Is Growing Weaker

COLORADO—Judge C. H. Earnest, one of Mitchell county's leading citizens and an outstanding pioneer, was reported Thursday morning to be growing steadily weaker at his home here. He has been ill for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Sivalls arrived early in the week from Midland to be at his bedside.

Miss Elizabeth Sulter is said to be the first woman attorney to participate in a criminal case in east Texas. She was defense attorney in a murder case at Wynnboro.

propaganda had been smuggled into the United States, and Nazis used "all kinds of efforts" to "consolidate persons of German birth and descent" in this country "into one group, subject to dictation from abroad."

Open Sessions Agreed Upon

Governor Allred Insists All Sessions Be Open And Not Private

DALLAS (AP)—Open sessions for all proceedings in the conference of oil states here on a production compact was agreed on Friday as the conference opened, upon insistence of Governor Allred.

Governor E. W. Marland, Oklahoma, chairman of the meeting sought to have portions of the proceedings private.

Marland opened the business program with a statement outlining views of needs of the oil industry.

Seth M. Pike, Former Peace Officer, Dies

Death Claims Well Known Figure Thursday Eve., Services Saturday

Seth Madison Pike, former peace officer and long time resident of Big Spring, died at his home, 505 Goliad, Thursday 7 p. m. after a long illness.

He had been in extremely ill health for years. For weeks he was seriously sick and for days hope had been abandoned for his recovery.

Pike was born in Parker county March 18, 1877. He came to Colorado in 1893 and to Big Spring in 1898. He was married September 8, 1907. At the age of 18 years he was converted in a meeting conducted by Rev. Abe Mulkey and had been a member of the Methodist church since.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Dora Pike, two half brothers and one half sister, Jim Winslow, of Big Spring, A. E. Winslow of Stanton, and Mrs. Effie Willis of Lockney, N. M.

These nieces and nephews survive: Mrs. Jack Norris, Big Spring; Mrs. Lella Cates, El Paso; Mrs. Ed Reagan, Big Spring; Mrs. B. Purser, Stanton; Mrs. Frankie Rutherford, Big Spring; Gracie, Cleo and Bert Winslow of Stanton; Mrs. Margaret Curlee, Big Spring; Mrs. Reddie Moore, Big Spring; Mrs. Elsie Hatch, Big Spring; Mrs. Josephine Winslow, Big Spring; Mrs. Zora Carter, San Angelo; Mrs. Harry Adams, Big Spring; Arthur and James Winslow of Big Spring; Guy and Betton Winslow of Stanton; George Winslow of Big Spring.

He leaves these brothers and sisters-in-law: Jim, Fred and Sam Rathoff of Garden City; Ed Rathoff of Eldorado; Mrs. Steve Baker, Big Spring; Mrs. E. N. Snodgrass, Midland; Mrs. E. B. Armstrong, Midland; Mrs. T. C. Love, Carlsbad, N. M.; sister-in-law, Mrs. John Pike, Big Spring.

Rev. C. A. Bickley, First Methodist pastor, will be in charge of services, 2 p. m. Saturday. Services in Eberly chapel. Burial will be in the O. O. cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Jess Slaughter, Ed. Long, John Chaney, Shine Phillips, George Smith, Archie Lucas.

Says Italian Mobilization Not Justified

ROME (AP)—Emperor Haile Selassie declared Friday in a message to the press of the world, that the Italian mobilization was "not justified by any military measure on the part of Ethiopia." Adding, "security of Italian Somaliland had not been menaced by Ethiopians at any time."

Italian sources said more than 150 armed Ethiopians occupied the village of Silar, January 29th, near Ualul territory.

Premier Mussolini maintained a silence concerning the note.

WISCONSIN PEOPLE GUESTS IN CITY Mrs. John Stevenson and daughter, Miss Annie, of Arlington, Wis., and the former's cousin, Harry Pike, of Portage, Wis., are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Currie in Edwards Heights. Mrs. Stevenson is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Currie. The party made the trip (Continued on Page 7)

Kennamer Judge

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Judge Thurman Hurst, presiding in the trial of Phil Kennamer on a murder charge at Pawnee, Okla., is shown leaving the courthouse after a session of the trial. (Associated Press Photo)

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One Woman, Two Men Dead Result Of Auto Wreck

Ernest W. Bugg, Sterling City, Brother Of Local Men, One Of Victims; Mrs. Wilson, C. Graves Others

MIDLAND—One woman and two men are dead as a result of an automobile-truck collision on No. 1 Highway three miles east of here Saturday about 10:45 p. m.

Mrs. Pearl Wilson, formerly of San Angelo, but residing at Mayo Hotel here since last Christmas, was killed instantly; Ernest W. Bugg, of near Sterling City, died of injuries about five hours after the accident in a Midland hospital; and Clarence Graves, of this city, died Sunday night of injuries received in the collision.

According to reports a car driven by Bugg, and accompanied by Graves and Mrs. Wilson, crashed into the rear end of a truck driven by Jess Williams of Fort Worth. The impact of the collision threw the car over several times and when it was discovered by passing motorists both Bugg and Mrs. Wilson were lying in the middle of the road and Graves was lying in the ditch at the side.

Passing motorists notified the sheriff and an undertaker, but before they arrived, a Midland surgeon, returning from a call in the country, arrived on the scene. Mrs. Wilson was dead when the doctor arrived and the body was taken to an undertaking parlor, while the two men victims were taken to a hospital.

Bugg was first treated by the doctors for a fracture of the skull, broken arm and internal injuries. Graves' injuries consisted of concussion, severely lacerations about the scalp and fractures of both arms.

The party, it was reported, had left the Mayo hotel about thirty minutes before and it was the opinion of persons living there that they had driven only a short distance east of Midland when they decided to return.

Williams, driving a truck for the American Manufacturing company of Fort Worth, said he was going west, approaching Midland, when the car struck his truck at the right rear, turning the truck on its right side in the ditch.

He climbed out, giving aid to the motorists, who had stopped at that time, in picking up the injured men and the woman.

Williams was enroute to Monahan, hauling a new pump jack. He had unloaded the bulk of his load at Big Spring and had the piece of machinery stowed on the truck, so it was intact when the truck was overturned.

Ernest W. Bugg, 41, who died of injuries received in an automobile collision Sunday morning, about five hours after the accident occurred, is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ollie Bugg, and three daughters, Mrs. C. W. Smith, Sterling City; Mrs. Cecil Spring, Mrs. Joe Davis, Big Spring; Mrs. Sadie McKinley, Sterling City; and Mrs. Laura Latham, Sterling City, also survive. Two grandsons and one great uncle, Wilburn Pemberton, all of Sterling City, survive.

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Strange To Confer With Hiway Body

Chamber Manager Remains In Austin Over Monday On Road Matters

W. T. Strange, Chamber of Commerce manager, is in Austin in interest of Big Spring and Howard county, remaining in the capital city Monday to confer with the state highway commission.

He was to present the cause of this county for topping on highway No. 9 north and south Application has been made from here to develop the reported state road as a relief road project. This application has passed all authorities except the highway commission.

The commission will give week end contract for surfacing four miles of the same highway from the Howard county line in Glasscock county.

Strange was also working on the possibility of getting the remaining portion of right of way needed through Glasscock county to connect with No. 9 at the Sterling county line.

Rain, Snow And Sleet Falls Here

.57 Inches Recorded At U. S. Experiment Farm; Heavy Snow At Ackerly

Rain, snow and sleet which blanketed most of West Texas last Wednesday night when the surrounding country thankful for about a half inch moisture and anxious for more.

Starting with a peppering of sleet at about 8:30 a. m. Sunday, precipitation continued steadily in the form of moist sleet, driving rain, snow until 11 p. m. when it sleeted. Thereafter intermittent flurries continued until Monday morning.

U. S. weather bureau at the airport registered .50 inches precipitation while the gauge at the U. S. experiment farm showed .57 inches.

Andy Brown said that about a 5 inch snowfall at Ackerly and was still on the ground Monday morning. He said the fall continued heavy to Fairview, eight miles west of Ackerly, and to Stanton, about 3 inch fall of snow which left sufficient moisture to start ploughing.

Coahoma received about the same fall as Big Spring as did Vincent on the north and Foran on the south. Thereafter rain and snow turned to rain and was much heavier.

Sweetwater received a much heavier precipitation than was registered here.

Overcast weather continued in this section Monday although it was unsettled at Baird with snow flurries mixed between short periods of sunlight.

Wink reported sleet during the night and Guadalupe pass was fogged in Monday morning.

New Baby Born In Texas Every Four Minutes In 1934

AUSTIN—A new baby every 4 minutes, 320 every day, 10,100 a month—that's the record of Texas, who showed 121,988 births registered with the State Bureau of Vital Statistics in 1934. This total carried an increase of 8,500 over 1933, when 113,699, the greatest number of births ever registered with the Bureau in any year, were registered.

The 1934 records showed an excess of 57,826 births over the total deaths, last year in Texas as there were 63,552 deaths recorded, or one death every 8 minutes, 174 each day, or 5,292 per month. Or putting it another way, about two babies are born in Texas each time a death occurs in the State.

The Bureau of Vital Statistics is a part of the Texas State Department of Health and is charged with the duty of seeing that every birth and death occurring in the State is properly filed and registered. Such records are known as vital statistics because the information contained is of vital importance to the person himself, the community, and the state.

The Bureau also maintains a registration area for both births and deaths. Every one can assist in helping to keep the records at this high requirement if they insist that every birth and death occurring in their family be registered.

Death Takes Mrs. King, 65

Funeral Services To Be Held At 2 P. M. Tuesday; Burial In Mt. Olive

Mrs. Minnie Lucile King, aged 65, succumbed at her home, 202 Goliad street, early Monday morning, following a week's illness of pneumonia. Mrs. King was preceded in death by her husband in 1922. He is buried in Mount Olive cemetery in Big Spring.

She is survived by one son, Roy King, and a step-son, W. R. King of this city.

Eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren also survive. They are: Melton, William, Nannie Bob, Floyd, J. E., Myra King of Dallas, Texas; Mrs. L. E. Craig, Big Spring; and Freda Mae King, Big Spring; Bobbie Lee and Billy Sue Craig of Big Spring; two sons, Mrs. M. I. Miner, and Mrs. H. F. Davidson, Portland, Oregon, and one brother, W. H. Bruin, Amery, Wisconsin, survive.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Eberly funeral home chapel at 2 p. m. Tuesday, with burial to follow in Mount Olive cemetery. Brother Kent of Sweetwater will officiate.

Pallbearers active—Roy Carter, Pat Allen, Willard Sullivan, Omar Pitman, Lawrence Robinson, Marvin Hull; honorary, G. L. Brown, Can Powell, C. T. Goch, Frank Powell, J. S. Nabors, Gus Glenn, Ernest Odum, J. A. Miles, T. E. Harris, Robert Finer, J. A. McRae, Earl Shanks, Nat Shick and L. E. Patterson.

County Names Depository

County commissioners Monday afternoon approved the monthly treasurer's report, and named the county depositories.

Both banks in Big Spring were named as depositories for county funds with interest payments to amount to one-half of one per cent.

Tuesday a county court jury commission was drawing up a jury list for the month. The commission is composed of J. H. Appleton, R. F. Harris, Jr., and Ed Hamill.

Small Group Of Scouts, Scouters In Special Service

A small group of scouts, scouters and citizens Sunday evening braved cold, wet weather in participating in a special Boy Scout service from the First Baptist church.

Rev. R. E. Day, pastor of the church, adjured the boys to cultivate good friendships and to run with the right crowd. Bringing a lesson from the story of Samuel, he pointed to the importance of being prepared for service to man and to God at all times.

Troop No. 1, winner of the recent district barbecue, was presented with the Nat Shick trophy which the troop will retain until won by some other troop.

City-Wide Evangelist Meeting To Begin March 3

The Pastor's Conference in a meeting at the First Presbyterian church Monday morning voted to invite Dr. James Rayburn of Newton, Kansas, to come to Big Spring and conduct a city-wide evangelistic meeting during the month of March.

Dr. Rayburn has conducted some very successful meetings in the past and is now at Artesa, N. M., and will come here from there.

The place of the meeting has not definitely been settled. The meeting is scheduled to begin Sunday, March 3.

Knott School To Give Play Friday Night

Will true love win out? This is a question which will be answered Friday night, February 13th at a play being presented under the auspices of the Knott School P.T.A.

This presentation will reveal the plot of the wily Lester Van, Washington fortune seeker, in his attempt to win to wife Rose Courtvane, unexpected heiress to millions. This play will be interesting because of the clash of the two contrasting worlds of life, city folk and Virginia mountaineers. Daniel French, who, as the successful author, who falls in love with the willful Wild Rose of the mountains, believes life is real and that love is its ideal. Mamie Celia and Uncle Joe, dorkies, who have practically raised Rose, are interested only in her happiness, but Rose's Aunt Hester is not always certain as the means of Rose's attaining this happiness.

Zest is added to the plot by Wade Carver, typical mountain boy, who has a hankering for Rose and Babe Joan and Orpheus Jackson, two mountain lovers.

The following people will have parts in this production: Gomer Trout, Mrs. Gomer Trout, Mrs. Glendon Brown, Thelma Lee Anderson, Pauline Haynes, Nola Shuburne, Mrs. L. A. Newton, Albert Peffus, J. D. McGregor, Hamp Newton, and Clyde W. James.

Receipts from this play will be used by the P.T.A. for physical improvements in the school building.

Merkin Made Director In United Stores

Local Manager Attends Stockholders Meeting In El Paso Last Week

David Merkin, manager of United Dry Goods store in Big Spring, as well as district manager for Midland and Pecos stores, returned Friday morning from El Paso, where he attended a stockholders' meeting. United Dry Goods maintains fifteen stores in Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California. Mr. Merkin was honored by the organization, being elected a director of the corporation at its recent meeting.

Merkin said his company enjoyed its best business during the past year since 1928.

City's Paving Program Begins

Starting of the city paving project, Friday featured relief activities for the week although scores were put back to work the first part of the week on the highways.

A small crew was put to work on working the city road crusher to build up a supply of crushed rock preparatory to the actual paving operations. The crew will be increased this week as the work gets into full swing.

With about 170 men laboring on highway No. 1 east, substantial progress was made for the week. Payroll was down in comparison with recent weeks with only \$3,067.27 being distributed to clients. An additional \$74.74 went for truck and team hire. The sharp drop in the amount of payroll was due to work of three days in which there were no available funds for operation.

While rain would prove an immense aid to this section, it would play havoc with a cardboard box mountain near the mess cannery warehouse off Gregg and Fifth streets. There are approximately 2,000 of these boxes ad unless returned by rain, will be used in the houses of relief patrons. Many hundreds have already been used for this purpose.

County Names Depository

County commissioners Monday afternoon approved the monthly treasurer's report, and named the county depositories.

Both banks in Big Spring were named as depositories for county funds with interest payments to amount to one-half of one per cent.

Tuesday a county court jury commission was drawing up a jury list for the month. The commission is composed of J. H. Appleton, R. F. Harris, Jr., and Ed Hamill.

Small Group Of Scouts, Scouters In Special Service

A small group of scouts, scouters and citizens Sunday evening braved cold, wet weather in participating in a special Boy Scout service from the First Baptist church.

Rev. R. E. Day, pastor of the church, adjured the boys to cultivate good friendships and to run with the right crowd. Bringing a lesson from the story of Samuel, he pointed to the importance of being prepared for service to man and to God at all times.

Troop No. 1, winner of the recent district barbecue, was presented with the Nat Shick trophy which the troop will retain until won by some other troop.

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Virgil Stalcup Nearly Inch Falls Within 2 Days Here

Farmers in the Big Spring area Tuesday prepared to sharpen plough points and ranchers breathed a sigh of relief as precious rain continued in the form of steady drizzle throughout the day.

A few farmers making their way to Big Spring Tuesday morning from widely separated points said that enough moisture was in the ground from the Tuesday rain and week-end sleet and snow, to start ploughing.

Ranchers said the fall assured a good weed crop and early spring grass, enough to pull their stuff through in good shape barring extremely cold weather.

At 3 p. m. the U. S. Weather Bureau at the airport reported .30 inches had been registered. At 1:30 p. m. the U. S. Experiment Farm gauge showed .30 and corresponded with the bureau gauge at that time, thus indicating a 50 percent fall over this region. The bureau registered .59 for the week and the station gauge showed .50 inches, thus bringing the total precipitation to more than an inch.

Ackerly, for more than two years in the heart of a dry spot, rejoiced with exceptionally heavy snow fall. Early in the morning heavy mist and slow drizzle turned to wet snow which observers believe would have been a five inch blanket had it not melted as fast as it hit. At 3 p. m. the snow fall had not abated and despite the acute drought conditions was piling up on house tops. Enough moisture is already in the ground in that section to start ploughing Sunday Ackerly got 3 inches of snow, according to reports.

Lamesa, hard hit by two years of acute drought, conditions began to cheer Tuesday by good rain and flurries of snow. The plains city also received a good snow fall Sunday. Taboka had rains Tuesday and the territory to Lamesa was snowed.

Vincent and Luther reported rain falls similar to that of Big Spring during Tuesday morning and afternoon. Coahoma had a similar amount of precipitation in slow rain. Colorado and Sweetwater also were receiving slow rains. Alburn received light rain. Eastland was cloaked in a heavy mist as was Santo. Fort Worth had light rain and Dallas had none.

On the west Stanton and Martin counties were enjoying more precipitation than any other section. The night rain turned into rain late in the morning at Midland. Odessa and Wink reported much snow, turning to rain Tuesday afternoon.

Guadalupe Pass was fogged in again Tuesday and airless planes were being held at El Paso. Better weather conditions prevail. El Paso was in a dry spot.

Foran was getting a good rain Tuesday morning and the fall was reported more intense than here. Garden City, more fortunate than most places in the area, in the past year, was getting another good soaking to insure good ranching conditions.

Forecast of cloudy and unsettled for Tuesday night and Wednesday gave rise to hopes that the drizzle might continue through the night. More anxious for a good soaking than for stock water, most ranchers and farmers were satisfied to watch the slow rain Tuesday. However, with more and more moisture going into the ground, they began to wish for a downpour to fill ponds and streams.

Merkin Made Director In United Stores

Local Manager Attends Stockholders Meeting In El Paso Last Week

David Merkin, manager of United Dry Goods store in Big Spring, as well as district manager for Midland and Pecos stores, returned Friday morning from El Paso, where he attended a stockholders' meeting. United Dry Goods maintains fifteen stores in Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California. Mr. Merkin was honored by the organization, being elected a director of the corporation at its recent meeting.

Merkin said his company enjoyed its best business during the past year since 1928.

Couple Injured As Car Overtakes Near Westbrook

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnson are confined in Big Spring hospital, suffering from injuries sustained when their automobile overturned near Westbrook Saturday morning about 1:30 as they were returning from a trip to San Antonio, where Mr. Johnson had gone on business.

Mrs. Johnson was at the wheel when the accident occurred, while Mr. Johnson was asleep in the front seat. A heavy fog, according to Mrs. Johnson, obscured her vision, and the car left the highway, overturning and almost completely demolishing a brand new Ford V-8.

Though not believed seriously injured, both Mr. and Mrs. Johnson received severe body bruises. Mrs. Johnson also received lacerations about the forehead. Mr. Johnson's principal injuries were confined to his chest. They were reported resting fairly well late Saturday afternoon. They were brought here by a Mr. Barker of Llan, who passed by soon after the accident happened.

Mr. Johnson is co-owner of Wilmore and Johnson Grocery and Market on East Second street.

National Park Service Heads Inspect Park

George Nason, major district inspector for National Park Service, and I. A. Fiedelke, district inspector, were here Monday looking over the scenic mountain state park project.

After an inspection Monday morning they appeared much pleased with work already done on the park. They were to make another inspection Monday evening before departing.

No work was done on the project Monday due to inclement weather. With about a dozen men confined to quarters suffering from severe cold, the camp doctor thought it advisable for the enrollees not to work in the cold damp weather.

All foundations for the concession building have been poured and laying of rock walls started. Little more has been done on the pavilion since last week since workmen have been building up supply of quarried rock. A skilled workman has been employed to speed up the stone masonry.

Dr. Hoover, Billie Wilcox Improving

Dr. T. B. Hoover, injured in an automobile collision at Tenth and Seury Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock, continues to improve at Big Spring hospital. Although his injuries are painful, they are not considered serious. He suffered a gash in the back of his head and forehead and severe body bruises. He expects to be up and about in a few days.

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Midland Gets 1.54 Inches Of Rain In Week

MIDLAND—Rainfall and snow at Midland over a week's period had reached a total Tuesday night of 1.54 inches. The heavy snow Tuesday amounted to .64 of an inch, melting rapidly throughout the day, although lower temperatures through the night and early Wednesday morning kept a white blanket over the ground. Farmers who had broken some of their land said the ground was wet down two feet or more. They said the land was in fine shape for plowing now and a good season had been started.

Ranchmen said the moisture was well below the roots of the grass and that both weeds and grass would be stimulated as a result of the soaking snow. Due to the fact that it went directly into the ground, rather than to run over the gentle slopes and course into draws, ranchmen said the inch and a half of moisture would do as much good as three inches of rain.

With the exception of the north plains, the snow and rain apparently was general. The prolonged drought of the Trans-Pecos region was broken, as it was on much of the South Plains. Lamesa, where the 1934 precipitation was 5.78 inches and where the last rain recorded fell last September, had the worst drought in its history broken when rain and snow put over an inch of moisture in the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Theibert Buck of McCamey have moved to Big Spring to make their home.

Popular Dance Band To Play Here Friday

Lloyd Wells Orchestra To Play For Valentine Dance At Settles

Lloyd Wells and his 14-piece orchestra, direct from Omaha, Nebraska, who played an engagement at Hotel Settles ballroom last Saturday, has been engaged to play a return date here Friday evening, February 15th, Ray Cantrell, manager, announced Thursday. "Due to the many requests from dancers in Big Spring, we have secured this orchestra for a return

engagement here," Cantrell said. "They will play for a Valentine dance Friday evening, February 15th." This band has earned a wide reputation throughout the east and middle west, where they have been playing engagements throughout the winter.

Mrs. J. N. Blue Is Hostess To Double 4

Mrs. J. N. Blue, Jr. was hostess to the Double Four Bridge club Wednesday afternoon for a delightful party. Mrs. J. N. Blue, Sr. was a guest of the club at the tea hour. High score was won by Mrs. Franklin and the floating prize by Mrs. Wilson. Mrs. H. D. Stanley substituted for a member. Present were the following members: Misses W. M. Dehlinger, Ed Allen, W. S. Wilson, B. P. Franklin, W. H. Summerlin and Gene Wilson. Mrs. Franklin will entertain next.

Likes to Loll



The prospect of an hour or two on the sands at Miami Beach, Fla., brings a smile to the pretty face of Lillian Bond, screen actress, who recently completed a film in England. (Associated Press Photo)

INCOME TAX IN A NUTSHELL

WHO? Single persons who had net income of \$1,000 or more or gross income of \$5,000 or more, and married couples who had net income of \$2,500 or more or gross income of \$5,000 or more must file returns. **WHEN?** The filing period begins Jan. 1 and ends March 15, 1935. **WHERE?** Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which the person lives or has his principal place of business. **HOW?** See instructions on forms 1040 and 1040. **WHAT?** Four percent normal tax on the amount of net income in excess of the personal exemption, credit for dependents, earned income credit, dividends of domestic corporations subject to taxation, and interest on obligations of the United States and obligations of instrumentalities of the United States. Surplus on surplus net income in excess of \$4,000.

INCOME TAX DON'TS

DON'T prepare your return without first studying the instructions on the form. **DON'T** procrastinate. Early assembling of data permits a careful consideration of all tax problems. **DON'T** destroy the memoranda from which your return was prepared. **DON'T** omit explanation when such information is essential to an intelligent audit. Attach memoranda to your return.

NO. 19 Exemption Allowed Head of a Family

A head of a family is defined by income tax regulations as "an individual who actually supports and maintains in one household one or more persons who are closely connected with him by blood relationship, relationship by marriage, or his adoption, and whose right to exercise family control and provide for these dependent individuals is based upon some moral or legal obligation." The exemption allowed a head of a family is \$2,500. The phrase "in one household" may be interpreted as meaning the taxpayer's personal residence, an apartment, rooms in a boarding house, hotel, etc. Under certain circumstances it is not necessary that the taxpayer and his dependents live under one roof during the entire taxable year in order that the taxpayer may claim the exemption. If, however, the parent is away on business, or a child away at school, or on a visit, the exemption is allowed. Moreover his dependent children with relatives or in a boarding house, while he lives elsewhere, the exemption still applies. If, however, without necessity, the dependent makes his home elsewhere, the benefactor is not the head of a family. The same ruling applies to husband and wife "living together." If occasionally and temporarily the husband is away on business or the wife on a visit, the common home being maintained, the \$2,500 exemption still applies. The unavoidable absence of husband or wife at a sanatorium does not preclude the exemption. But if the husband continuously makes his home at one

OIL NOTES

The Continental No. 14 Settles is preparing to acidize at a total depth of 3420 feet in line. Their No. 12 A Settles, bottomed at 2451 feet in line, has cemented leaky casing. Both are in Glasscock county. John I. Moore at No. 1 McDowell, ordovician test in section 22, block 24, T-2-S, T&P survey, Glasscock county has shut down at 5,247 feet in black shale. No shows have been reported. Their shallow test on unit acreage in section 21, block 22, is rigging up. It is an offset to the World Oil company test. In Dawson county the Ray Albaugh No. 1 Robinson, Dawson county, being completed from a depth of 2295 feet by Adams and Turner of Midland, is having the derrick overhauled preparatory to start drilling again. Interest in the test is high and leasing has been going on at a good rate. Two tests in the same area, which lies 18 miles northwest of Lamesa, are scheduled to go down also.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Big Spring Hospital Mrs. Jess Slaughter, who underwent a major operation Tuesday, is doing nicely. **Stroop K. Bearden** of McCamey is in the hospital for treatment of an eye infection. **Ebb Hatch** was in the hospital Wednesday for a minor eye operation. He has returned to his home. **Mrs. Robert Middleton** is in the hospital for treatment. **Mrs. N. A. Mize** of Midland has been admitted to the hospital for observation and treatment. **Mrs. Bill Baker** of Lamesa entered the hospital Thursday for treatment. **Mrs. M. H. Holey** of Stanton, who has been a patient at the hospital, returned to her home today. **Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnson**, injured recently when their automobile overturned near Westbrook, have returned to their home at 15th and Austin streets after receiving treatment. They are much improved. **C. S. Lambert** of Westbrook, operated on Wednesday, is doing nicely.

Ely See Club Plays At Crawford Hotel

Members of the Ely See Bridge club were entertained at the Crawford hotel Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Ashley Williams with an interesting session of contract bridge. Mrs. Young scored highest for place and the wife at another, they are not living together within the meaning of the revenue act.

VALENTINE DANCE Friday, Feb. 15 Hotel Settles

Lloyd Wells and His 14-Piece Orchestra

Knott News

Mrs. Alton Thornton Honored Mrs. Wallace Thornton and L. H. Thames entertained a large number of friends at the home of Mrs. Thornton Friday afternoon, honoring Mrs. Alton Thornton, the former Miss Erlin Sunday of Slator, with a shower. The following were present: Meses. Helen Shortis, L. H. Thames, Alonzo Reid, Effie Alrod, C. O. Brown, Fay Phillips, Lillian Spaulding, Jewel Oliver, Margaret, Joyce Roman.

Play To Be Presented at Knott School A play will be staged at the Knott school next Friday. It will be sponsored by the P.T. A. and proceeds will go to the school. **Mr. and Mrs. Joe Myers** made a business trip to Big Spring last week. **Bill Deel** moved his family to Big Spring Thursday of last week. **Joe Long** and family have moved to the S. Rogers farm. **Mrs. W. F. Pinkston Entertains** Mrs. W. F. Pinkston entertained a large number of friends Thursday afternoon honoring Mrs. J. E. Airhart.

The Association B. T. S. will meet with the First Baptist church at Knott Feb. 17 at 2 p. m. Rev. H. V. Reddock is pastor and W. M. Thornton is supt. of the Sunday school. **The Church of Christ** meets each Sunday at 2 p. m. for Bible study. Melvin J. Wise brings a message every other Sunday.

Exhibit Soldier's Skeleton LOUISBURG, N. S. (UP)—A human skeleton, believed to be the remains of a French soldier who died in the long fight for Canada between Britain and France, has been placed on exhibition at the

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the afternoon and Mrs. Wynn second high. Mrs. Roy Combs played with the club. Members present were: Misses I. B. Blain, Victor Martin, Elmo Watson, Lee Rogers, J. B. Young and Turner Wynn. Mrs. Young will be the next hostess.

Read The Herald Want Ads

FABRIC FASHION EXPOSITION

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"Pin Pom" The season's newest wash fabric. Fast colors. Selected Patterns. **25c** Yd.

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Good News for FEBRUARY SHOPPERS

Menus Of The Day

Bright cooks, in February, diagnose their symptoms, and brighter prescribes for "what ails 'em!" In your family bored with your three squares? Do you fall in a rut the moment you enter your

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kitchen, are your menus an annoyance, your every dish an irritation? Then what you need is a Pick-Me-Up!

A "Pick-Me-Up" (as if you didn't know) is a tonic, a bracer, a chaser for those menu-blues, and exactly what the doctor ordered for those mid-winter "jim jams!" Don't let your family's upturned nose "get you down"—try some pick-me-ups!

Imagination Pops Into Pot

In case you are wondering, pick-me-ups are not purchased at the corner store, although the makings are there available; they are starting you in the face from the pages of your current reading matter, and lying in wait in your own brain. Throw discretion to the winds, but let imagination pop into your pot as you try new things on the family. Like them or not, their interest will be piqued—and think of the fun you will have!

Teach an old dog new tricks? Shout "of course" and try these for a starter:

Instead of serving plain tomato juice, jelly it (with gelatin or in the can), put it through a ricer and garnish with whipped cream and paprika. If the family likes its macaroni and cheese, scoop out the centers of tomatoes, fill with your macaroni-cheese mixture and bake in a moderate oven.

Mace on Mashed Potatoes

Put some mace on your next batch of mashed potatoes; instead of lemon in the tea, tuck in a piece of crystallized ginger. Scrambled eggs? Try some anchovies put in at the last moment; or garnish them with green pepper strips or some broiled tomatoes. Snip some chives and put them in your tomato soup; put a dash of Worcestershire in your gravy; serve Muffin Crisps with your salad course instead of bread or crackers; add minced onion to your cheese mixtures. Add sliced, pasteurized dates to the morning oatmeal, or drop a few in the middle of the baked apples. Look for new ideas, and don't be afraid to try them. And, if the foregoing has not been too commanding, try these recipes recommended for kitchen-boredom.

Parsley may be fried. Imagine that! Good too, if you do this: wash and dry sprigs of parsley; drop, a few at a time, in maczoia heated to about 350 F. (hot enough to brown a cube of bread in 30 seconds). Then drain the parsley on absorbent paper, use as garnish for fish or meat; the family will eat the parsley then and the oil gives it new flavor.

Pecans in Sweet Potatoes

Parboil sweet potatoes; peel. Cut into slices about 1-2 inch thick. Arrange a layer of the potatoes in an oiled baking dish and cover with layer of thinly sliced canned pineapple; then cover with another layer of the potatoes. Dot with butter and pour over about 1-2 cup of dark beer. Just before putting into the oven sprinkle generously with chopped pecans. Bake in a moderate oven (375 F.) until brown. If you prefer you may cook the sweet potatoes with whole pecans put between layers and on top and omit the pineapple.

Drain Canned Peas or Peaches from the Juice and Cut into Slices or Cubes. Dip in cracker crumbs, then in egg and milk (using 1 tbsp. milk to each egg). Fry in deep hot maczoia heated to 75 F. (or until a cube of bread will brown in 30 seconds) until fruit is brown. Drain and serve with main course; especially good with meat.

A Brand New Confection

3 cups sugar, 1 cup crushed pineapple (juice and fruit), 2 tbsp. white karo, 24 marshmallows, 3 cups pecans, 1 tsp. vanilla, 2 tps. butter.

Mix sugar, pineapple and the syrup in a heavy saucepan and cook, stirring occasionally until a soft ball forms when dropped in cold water or until thermometer registers 236 F. Remove from the stove and add the butter, marshmallows, pecans, and vanilla. Beat until creamy and very stiff. Pour mixture into a buttered pan and cut into squares when candy is firm.

Some Rules on Cooking for Children
Be sparing with salt and never

Verdict Messenger



Keith Barrowcliff, undersheriff, is shown as he was to appear ringing the Flemington, N. J., courthouse bell to announce a Hauptmann verdict had been reached. (Associated Press Photo)

use sharp seasonings in children's food; do not use too much sugar or any ingredient which tends to mask the natural flavor of the food.

Remove excess amounts of fat from meat which is to be cooked for children. Meats should be cooked thoroughly, bacon until crisp and dry.

Cook vegetables in a small amount of water (except strong flavored vegetables) and cut vegetables into small cubes; do not overcook.

Receipts Tested By Children and Approved by Nutritionists
Baked Egg in a Nest (Six Servings)

3-4 cup tomato, 3-4 cup cooked rice, 1-4 tsp. salt, 6 eggs, 1-2 tsp. butter, 1-2 tsp. chopped parsley.

Place rice, tomato, salt in 6 ramekins. Drop an egg (raw) into each ramekin after the tomato rice mixture is in. Sprinkle a few grains of salt, 1-2 tsp. butter and 1-2 tsp. chopped parsley on top. Place the ramekins in a pan of water and bake in a moderate oven until the white of the egg is firm.

Prune and Rice Fluff (Six Servings)

Soak gelatin in cold water about 5 minutes and then dissolve over boiling water which will make gelatin of liquid consistency. Heat together rice, orange juice, lemon juice, sugar and salt. Add dissolved gelatin to mixture and blend together very thoroughly. Allow mixture to cool slightly and then add prune pulp. Again allow mixture to cool and when starting to thicken fold in egg white which has been beaten stiff and dry. Fill sherbet glasses with dessert and place filled glasses in refrigerator. When dessert is thoroughly chilled it may be served. Top dessert with whipped cream or finely cut nuts.

Vegetable Timbales
1-4 cup cooked rice, 1-4 cup cooked peas, 1-4 cup cooked carrots, 1 cup milk, 2 tps. butter, 2 tps. flour, 1 egg yolk.

Make a sauce of milk, butter, flour, salt and egg yolk. Add the cooked rice, peas and carrots. Place in individual baking dish; set in a pan of hot water and bake in

Tribute Paid To Scouts By Geo. Mahon

Congressman Says Scouting 'Merits Respect Of World'

A tribute to the work of scouting in this area has been voiced by George Mahon, congressman of this 18th district.

In a letter expressing appreciation for the work Area Executive A. C. Williamson and his corps of volunteer workers in advancing the scouting program, Mahon also sent a greeting to the scouts.

"The things for which you stand, the ideals upon which your organization is based, and principles of honesty, loyalty, the trustworthiness that colors the work which you do," said Mahon, "merits for you the respect and admiration of all the world. I sincerely believe that you have a very serious responsibility in these times of stress

a hot oven (400 F.) until the mixture is firm.

in helping to maintain a balance of patriotism for the government of the United States, and in helping in an individual way those people whom you find around you who are really in need. I feel that you are more than willing to accept that responsibility and to challenge yourselves to do your

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CLOTHES PINS	3 Dozen	19c
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GMC SAFETY TRUCK COMING TO BIG SPRING SATURDAY

Today more than ever before the attention of motor truck manufacturers is directed to the problem of safety. High road speed and heavy loads make the question of complete, positive control of vital importance to truck operators and therefore to truck builders.

Mr. McDaniel, GMC Truck Zone manager at Dallas has made complete arrangements and outlined the itinerary of the caravan. It is scheduled to spend tomorrow Saturday February 16th in Big Spring and will make its headquarters for the day at Hanson-Webb Motor Co. Big Spring.

Commenting on the new GMC 1935 trucks and trailers and the various new features and improvements built into them, Mr. McDaniel stressed the new safety built into these modern haulage units. To control the high road speed now demanded by operators and essential to them if a profit is to be realized, General Motors Truck has incorporated GMC hydraulic safety brakes as standard equipment on all light and medium duty models. These new brakes give instant control of the loaded truck at all speeds. In addition to this improved method of brake application, braking areas—that is square inches of brake lining surface—have been increased and the new larger drums are either centrifugal or cast nickel iron construction.

Exceptional driver vision, another safety point of primary importance, is provided by the wide windshield, narrow corner posts and large rear window of the new GMC cabs. One of the most noteworthy mechanical features of the new line is the dual performance axle optional on the GMC T-15—the new truck offering in the 2 to 3 ton range. This development gives exactly proportioned power at the driving wheels for every load, road and grade condition. It gives the pulling power necessary to haul heavy loads out of excavations, up steep grades and over bad roads. A pull on a lever in the cab changes to a high gear ratio and gives high road speed for the highway and level roads. This dual performance axle and standard four-speed transmission provide 8 speeds forward and 2 reverse thus giving a proper ratio for every hauling condition.

Besides these developments GMC trucks for 1935 incorporate a host of other improvements and refinements in mechanical design and in appearance. The new trucks are smartly modern in appearance with sloping radiators, skirtd cabs and a pleasing use of chromium plating. A deluxe line is also available. Performance has been materially improved. Payload capacity is increased—horsepower and torque stepped up and gasoline mileage bettered as much as 25% in some models. Five GMC trucks and one GMC semi-trailer comprise the caravan and our local GMC dealer, Hanson-Webb Motor Co. extends a hearty invitation to all truck owners in the vicinity to visit his showroom tomorrow when the caravan is here. Demonstrations will be arranged throughout the day and a special truck show is planned.

HEADS DISCUSSION LUBBOCK, (Sp.)—Recent Advantages in Institutional Equipment will be discussed by Miss Moselle Craddock at the South Texas Dietetics association in Austin, February 22-23. Miss Craddock is head of the department of institutional management and business manager of the Texas Technological college dormitories.

FILMDOM PARTY



Children of film stars, directors and executives attended a belated birthday party for Wesley Ruggles, Jr., in Hollywood. Arline Judge, Wesley's mother, is shown holding Phillip Lang (left) and Dennis Michael, Bing Crosby's twins. Below are Gary Crosby and Wesley. (Associated Press Photo)

Leather Events Are Scheduled

LUBBOCK, (Sp.)—Coach Pete Cawthon has scheduled two boxing and wrestling events besides the Border conference meet for February and March. These meets are pending the approval of the athletic council. West Texas State Teachers college will be in Lubbock for a boxing and wrestling go February 16. A return match in Canyon on March 8 is scheduled. According to present plans the Border conference will probably have the meet at Albuquerque on March 15 and 16, according to Coach Cawthon.

The Matamoros matmen defeated North Texas Agricultural college of Arlington in a boxing match February 10 at Lubbock. Four track meets have also been arranged on the athletic calendar, besides that of the conference. April 3, West Texas State Teachers college will be in Lubbock for a night event, and Tech will return the engagement in Canyon on April 12. New Mexico A. & M.

Zone Meet To Be Held Saturday

First Methodist Women To Be Hostesses To Visitors

The West Zone of the Sweetwater district of the Methodist Women's Missionary societies will convene at the First Methodist church Saturday for an all-day session commencing at 10:30 in the morning. Methodist women are expected from Coshoma, Ackerly, Sparenberg, Midland, Stanton, Garden City and both local churches.

Mrs. G. W. Boswell of Coshoma, zone leader, will preside. A special feature of the day's program is a visit to the Historical museum at noon. An hour and a half will be set aside for the women to attend the museum, which is only a block from the church, and to have lunch before the afternoon session. The museum has appointed a special committee to show the visitors the sights. The following program has been prepared: Morning worship at 10:30 by the Stanton women. Talk by the zone leader, Mrs. Boswell of Coshoma. Playette: "Is It Worthwhile" by the Midland women.

Morning dismissal at 11:30 for visit to museum and lunch to be served at the church. At one in the afternoon the afternoon service will be opened with a worship service conducted by Mrs. G. G. Mitchell of Garden City. Special music by the Sparenberg women. Sectional meetings for officers' coaching. Dedication service by Mrs. Boswell. Adjournment. The 1934 kill in Mason county, Texas, averaged one deer for every 150 acres of preserves.

Mrs. J. M. Simmons Gives Farewell Party

Mrs. J. M. Simmons entertained with a farewell party Wednesday afternoon honoring Mrs. Dorothy Watson of Dent, Texas. Mrs. Watson and small son are leaving Friday for California. Refreshments of pie and hot chocolate were served to the following: Mrs. Ethel Hickson, Irene O'Brien, Earl Baker, Guy Myrick, Chester Little, C. O. Buerger. Gifts were sent by the following who could not attend: Mrs. Ethel Simmons, Ed Moseley, Albert Long, Helen Johnson, R. D. Jones and A. Barnett.

Mrs. A. J. Pierson Is Hostess To N. M. C.'s

Mrs. A. J. Pierson was hostess to the members of the N. M. C. Bridge club Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Lawrence scored high. Mrs. Leonard Van Open received the floating prize. Phylis were: Mrs. W. M. Dehlinger, M. C. Lawrence, Clarence Miller, F. C. Van Open, Gene Wilson and F. L. Pierson. Mrs. Leonard Van Open will entertain next.

The lighthouse on Ocracoke Island, off the North Carolina coast, is said to be the oldest in the United States still in active service. Texas' state capitol contains 993 rooms, 18 acres of floor space and required more than 15,000 carloads of red granite in its construction.

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1 lb. Jar Pure Grape Jam 15c

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No. 2 Can Corn 10c	
32 oz. Quart Sour Pickles 15c	
CAMPBELL'S	
Tomato Soup Per Can 8c 2 for 15c	
Van Camp's	
Tomato Juice 23 oz. Can 12c	
No. 2 Can	
Spinach 10c 3 for 25c	
No. 2 Can	
Green Beans 10c 3 for 25c	

Coffee

1 lb. Shillings 31c
2 lbs. Shillings 61c
1 lb. Pkg. Sun Garden 23c
1 lb. Can Sun Garden 25c
3 lb. Can Sun Garden 72c
4 lb. Pall Sun Garden 99c

Beef Roast

Choice Per lb. 15c and 18c

Daisy Cheese

Per lb. 20c

Mackerel

No. 1 Tall Can 10c 3 for 25c

Picnic Hams

Choice Per lb. 16c

Bacon Squares

Per lb. 16c and 18c

Grapfruit

Per Bushel 95c

Peppered Hams

Per lb. 20c

Fancy Texas Marsh Seedless

Per Bushel 95c

Fancy Bananas

Per lb. (Ave. 10c doz) 3 1/2c

Mrs. George Wilke Entertains With Spaghetti Supper

Mrs. George Wilke was hostess Wednesday evening to members of the Wednesday-Dinner Bridge club as a return courtesy for the number of times she had been a guest of the club. The dinner was served buffet style with a Valentine centerpiece on the buffet and Valentine decorations for the four-course tables at which the guests seated themselves. Miss Bradley was given a box of Valentine candy for making highest score at bridge. Guests of the evening were: Misses Elmer Craven, Tom Donnelly, Ruth Albhart, R. F. Harris, Jr., Glenn Golden, R. E. McEntire, W. J. Donnelly, Angeline Sikes, Hubert C. Stupp; Misses Emily Bradley, Ruth Keever, Elsie Jeanette Barnett, Mary Alice Wilke.

Pure Gold Girls Have Class Valentine Fete

Mrs. L. A. Coffee of the East Fourth street Baptist Sunday school entertained the girls of her class, the Pure Gold girls, with an enjoyable Valentine party Thursday in the basement of the church. The room was beautifully decorated with Valentine cupid and hearts. Many appropriate games were played and everyone received a Valentine from the Valentine box. At the close, a refreshment plate holding sandwiches, cake and hot chocolate with mints, was passed by the hostess, Mrs. P. E. Jenkins and Mrs. Ben Carpenter assisted her. Present were: Frances Cooper, Loe Ida Pinkston, Catherine Crabtree, Elizabeth Terry, Jean Jackson, Peggy Lykins, Helen Franklin, Velma Louise Kilgore, Virginia Sullivan and Dorothea White.

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college comes to Lubbock the night of April 20, and Tech goes to Albuquerque for a contest with the University of New Mexico on May 4. The conference meet is tentatively scheduled for May 10 and 11 in Albuquerque.

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81 Crew Members Picked Up By U. S. Navy Vessels

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—The giant dirigible Macon, destroyed by sudden mysterious disaster, lay at bottom of the Pacific Wednesday.

Eighty-one survivors are being brought here. Two members of the crew are missing.

One or two of her gas cells suddenly burst as the Macon sped through a squally fair and fog 110 miles south of San Francisco.

Commander of Cruiser Division Number Three transmitted a report from Lieutenant Commander Wiley, commander of the Macon, saying:

"Received word Number One Cell under fin is gone and the stern is crumbling, finally Number Two Cell was gone. Tried to land near cruisers off Point Sur, but could not see surface until shortly before landing."

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—The \$4,000,000 dirigible Macon lurched out of control Monday, plunged 2,500 feet and sank in Pacific, but 81 of the 83 navy men aboard her were saved.

The fate of two men who had remained aboard a radio operator, Ernest Edwin Dudley and a mess attendant, Edward Quinday, had not been determined more than four hours after the crash.

A sudden unknown disaster—possibly an explosion or disabled gear—sent the pride of the navy's air forces into a sickening plunge into the fog-drenched waters.

Lieutenant-Commander Herbert V. Wiley, skipper of the giant airship and only officer who survived the Akron disaster, was picked up by rescue ships which were on maneuvers with the dirigible.

The scene of the disaster was 13 miles southeast of Point Sur, rocky promontory 110 miles south of here.

Sixty-four survivors were picked up by the cruiser Richmond, the Concord took 11 board and the Cincinnati saved six in thrilling rescues.

Admiral J. M. Reeves, commander in chief of the United States fleet, wireless naval radio headquarters here late Monday night.

The Macon, due to an accident the details of which are at present not available, sank about 5:25 p. m., 13 miles southeast of Point Sur.

The commander-in-chief then confirmed that 81 of the 83 men aboard the airship had been picked up by nearby naval vessels. He added there were no serious injuries.

The Macon's crew, apparently calm in the face of disaster, aided the rescuers by giving their position in quick SOS calls and then shooting a red rocket.

The airship was observed cruising through the skies, its giant bulb outlined above lowering fog, by the lighthouse keeper at Point Sur.

Then something went wrong and Commander Wiley flashed the first SOS at 5:25 p. m. (7:15 p. m. central standard time).

It called for immediate assistance, saying the big navy air cruiser "was falling" and adding ominously that there had been a "bad casualty."

Then came the one word, "Wait." But the navy vessels, over which the Macon had been flying on its return to its Sunnyvale base, already had thrown over their rudders and headed for the spot.

The last SOS call then came from Commander Wiley. It said:

"Will abandon ship as soon as we land on the water somewhere 20 miles off Pt. Sur, probably ten miles at sea."

From all directions the grey navy ships sped to their fellow sailors at the Sunnyvale base message that the Macon had gone under the waves.

The flagships of the fleet, the U. S. S. Pennsylvania, shortly sent a message saying:

"Macon survivors located. Assistance no longer needed."

Boats went overboard from the rescuing ships and the cruiser Richmond then messaged:

"Richmond has on board 64 survivors, Cincinnati six and Concord 11."

The rescue of Commander Wiley, only commissioned survivor in the 1933 plunge of the airship Akron, fatal to 73 men, was announced in a message approximately three hours after the mishap.

Lieut. Commander Jesse L. Kenworthy, Jr., executive officer of the airship, was rescued along with Wiley and nine others, the cruiser Concord reported. They were in the first of the waving lifeboats to reach the Concord.

The Macon was returning with surface craft from maneuvers off Southern California.

Huge searchlights aboard the many navy vessels in the vicinity cut through the dark as the warships aided the stricken airship.

Tossing waves confronted the crews of the surface vessels as the survivors tossed about on the ocean. Some of the Macon's crew went up red flares to guide the rescuers to the spot.

In Washington, the navy's commander-in-chief, President Roosevelt, telephoned to naval communication headquarters for first hand information. Members of congress, long interested in a controversy over the worthiness of airships as fighting craft, also sought information.

Wives of the Macon's crew members waited for news with stolid courage in their California homes.

"We do have our tragedies, don't we?" commented the wife of Lieut. Commander Edwin F. Cochran, with a grin.

The lateburst N. J. air base was cast into gloom. Commander Chester E. Rosendahl, in charge there, early expressed fear the Macon might be lost forever.

The U. S. S. Relief, hospital ship, under command of Lieut. Commander Wiley, was sent to Point Sur to aid the

1936 Budget Provides For U.S. Farm Here

Congress Gets List Of Appropriations Including Funds For Dry Land Sta.

Budget for 1936 as submitted to congress provides for the U. S. Dry Land Experiment Station here in the same amount as was appropriated for the fiscal year of 1935.

Henry A. Wallace, secretary of agriculture, said in a letter received here.

This amount, Wallace pointed out, will be sufficient to carry on the present program but will permit no repairs or expansion.

A strong, successful fight was made through the Chamber of Commerce and its then manager, C. T. Watson, last year when proposed appropriations would have virtually caused abandonment of the farm here.

Wallace was successful in not only having the standard appropriation restored but in having provision made for continuation of feeding projects.

At the present time, 44 head of calves are on feed at the station and the Big Spring chamber, practically insures the continuation of feeding tests for another year.

He suggested that in even repairs or replacements were needed, that the work be done as a PWA project if possible.

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Survivors Not Certain What Made Shakes

Wiley Says He Has 'Some Ideas', Does Not Express Them

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Cause of the "shudder" which meant the sensational end of the giant dirigible Macon was sought Thursday by a naval court inquiry.

Survivors of the Macon, which crashed and sank into the Pacific ocean Tuesday night, were not sure what caused the quiver to run through the ship and subsequently rip away two gas cells.

Lieutenant Commander H. V. Wiley, skipper, had "some ideas," but declined to discuss them.

Search was continued for the two missing members of the crew at the spot where the big ship went down 13 miles off Point Sur, Calif., 110 miles south of here.

Loss of the \$4,000,000 Macon left the American navy without a fighting dirigible, Germany's Graf Zeppelin, slightly smaller than the Macon, thus became sovereign of the skies.

President Roosevelt praised the work of naval surface craft for the Big Spring chamber, practically insures the continuation of feeding tests for another year.

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Judge Gives Final Charge To Jurymen

Must Take From Evidence That Someone Entered Nursery, Stole Baby

FLEMINGTON (AP)—THERE WAS NO WORD FROM THE MAURITIAN JURY AT 1:40 P. M. WEDNESDAY.

FLEMINGTON, N. J. (AP)—The case of Bruno Richard Hauptmann, charged with murder in the Lindbergh kidnaping, was given the jury at 11:21 a. m. Wednesday.

Judge Thomas W. Trencard began instructions to the jury at 10:22 a. m.

He said the jury may conclude from evidence that the baby was stolen by someone who entered the nursery in the Lindbergh home through a window by means of a ladder.

The defense had contended the baby was carried down stairs of the home by someone on the "inside" and the ladder was a "plant."

The court charged the jury that it may conclude the baby's sleeping suit was stripped from it at a point where the nurse Betty Gow said she found its thumbguard.

FLEMINGTON (AP)—The jury as instructed could return three possible verdicts—murder in the first degree, same with recommendation of life imprisonment, or acquittal.

The court paid particular attention to disputed reliability of Dr. John F. Condon, Amandus Hochmuth and the defense theory a gang perpetrated the crime and that dead Isador Fisch gave Hauptmann the ransom money.

"Do you believe that?" were the court's concluding words about each defense contention.

On the state's ladder evidence the court asked: "Does not the evidence satisfy you at least part of the wood from which the ladder was built came out of flooring in the attic of defendant?"

The court said: "If you find the murder was committed by defendant in perpetrating burglary it is murder in the first degree."

It was said of Hauptmann's testimony: "His interest in the result may be taken into consideration on the question whether he is telling the truth."

The defense took general exception to the whole charge.

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Jury Condemns Bruno To Die For Murder

Hauptmann To Be Taken To Death House In Trenton Saturday

KAUPTMANN'S MOTHER APPEALS TOPRESIDENT

Colonel And Mrs. Lindbergh Make No Comment On Outcome

FLEMINGTON, N. J. (AP)—Edward J. Reilly, chief defense counsel, Thursday attacked the verdict and sentence of Bruno Richard Hauptmann "as one of the greatest miscarriages of justice."

He said: "The fight to save Hauptmann has just begun."

Hauptmann, with a sentence of death upon him, early Thursday fell into a fitful sleep.

The anguish to which he gave way after the jury pronounced him as the Lindbergh baby slayer passed at dawn. After breakfast he remained silent and depressed.

Sheriff John H. Curtis said Thursday Hauptmann would be taken to the state prison at Trenton Saturday and lodged in the death house.

Request for stay of the death sentence will be the next move of his attorneys if they decide to proceed with their announced intention of appealing.

Hauptmann's mother, living in Kamez, Saxony, wrote President Roosevelt a letter begging him "to be merciful."

Colonel and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh made no comment.

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County Tax Collections Encouraging

Total All State And County Collections Is \$139,503.62

County and state tax collections of all kinds amounted to \$139,503.62 on January 31, a report from the office of Collector-Assessor J. F. Wolcott showed Thursday.

Collections on the current roll aggregated \$124,296.02 for county and state, or 59.14 per cent of the roll, an encouraging figure.

Of this amount, \$72,228.94 was collected during January. Total January collections amounted to \$87,544.43.

Pol taxes to 2215 people

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ONE 18x22 sheet iron building, Call 523 or 998. CHAMPIONSHIP "ping pong" table, fully equipped. Can be seen at Hotel Settles. Inquire at room 804.

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Apartment: FURNISHED apartment at 472 East 9th St.; electric refrigerator. Phone 1374-W.

Apartment: FURNISHED apartment; built-in fixtures; city conveniences; clean and comfortable. Settles Heights addition, west of city, Willis and 2nd St. Mrs. M. E. Mullett.

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THREE-room furnished apartment in Washington Place. Call Dr. Anne R. Wood at 252 or 1383.

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Apartment: NEWLY decorated cabins and apartment for rent, by day or week. 1200 East 3rd St. Oklahoma Camp.

Houses: SEVEN-room unfurnished house; located 6th & Gregg streets. Call 366 or 466 a. m. or 6 p. m.

Duplexes: UNFURNISHED brick duplex apartment; equipped with electric stove. Call 1374-W.

Business Property: FOUR nice office rooms; well located. Call Ruben Williams. Phone 1374-W.

REAL ESTATE

Houses For Sale: FIVE-room house with bath and breakfast nook; located 1508 Nolan St. See owner at South Ward Grocery.

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newspaper publishers backing their own radio news services. But the purpose is to apply truthful standards of labeling to news dissemination so that people will at least know who packages their mental fare.

Assimilation

Insiders say the Committee's report will call public attention to the activities of Italian vice-consul Ungarelli in Detroit and Mexican consul Torrio in San Bernardino, Calif. Ungarelli has been trying hard to organize Detroit residents of Italian blood into Fascist groups. Torrio has utilized Spanish language newspapers, radio and handbills to get Mexicans in his neighborhood to boycott a local Catholic festival. This has many have an important bearing on the Congressional attitude toward religious strife in Mexico. Many legislators who have thought it was none of our business may change their minds when they discover that part of the war is being fought on our own soil.

The committee will stress the point that assimilation of aliens into the American scene is seriously obstructed by such nationalistic pressure on the part of foreign agents.

Better

Railroad circles are much intrigued by Coordinator Eastman's proposal that fixed charges should be reduced to "not over 80 per cent of average income" for three years. If such a reduction can be effected it would mean a much better break for the old (or reorganized) preferred and common stocks of the carriers as business improves.

Distribution

The manner in which the banks are underwriting the government at the expense of private credit is clearly shown by statistics on the loans and investments of reporting member banks for the past six years. In January of 1933 loans on securities accounted for 25 per cent of earnings assets and commercial loans for 40.4 per cent—a total of 75.4 per cent. In January of this year security loans had shrunk to 16.7 per cent and all other loans to 24.9 per cent—a total of 41.6 per cent.

Investments in non-government securities rose modestly over the same period from 12.7 per cent to 18.4 per cent. But government investments soared from 11.9 per cent to 43 per cent. The banks own more federal obligations today than they have outstanding in loans of all other types put together.

Brutal

Old guard governors of the New York Stock Exchange have small appetite for the undignified scuffle of an electoral contest. Several of them have privately indicated that they do not choose to be candidates again if they have to "run" for office. It's one thing to be the recipient of uncontested honors conferred by the Nominating Committee. It's quite another to expose themselves to the brutal selectivity of a democracy.

Naughty

One reason why so many statements of security holdings by corporate officers and directors were way off the mark is because those who reported "forgot" to include stock in the names of private holding companies instead of their own. Joe Kennedy will now point out how naughty it is to keep such secrets in the family. He is likely to get some help from the Treasury in the form of extra transfer taxes on these camouflaged transactions.

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-NEWS-BRIEFS-

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1) to Big Spring by automobile. They expect to remain here several days longer.

NATIONAL HOTEL AUDITORS HERE J. W. Davis and Rayburn Miller, auditors for National Hotel company, with headquarters in Galveston, were in Big Spring Friday. They expect to return to Galveston tonight.

BROWNWOOD ATTORNEY VISITOR IN CITY R. R. Holloway, prominent attorney of Brownwood, who has been in Big Spring for the past several days on legal matters, has returned to his home.

AMERICAN TYPE FOUNDRY REPRESENTATIVE HERE J. E. Johnson of American Type Foundry, Dallas, was a business visitor in Big Spring Friday. Mr. Johnson was a caller at The Herald office.

CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S EXECUTIVE IN CITY F. By Boggs, endorsement secretary of the Texas Scottish Rite Crippled Children's Hospital, Dallas, was in Big Spring Friday in the interest of the hospital, which he reported as caring for a large number of unfortunate children. "I am glad to report considerable interest in Big Spring in the hospital activities. There have been a number of contributions made locally toward the work we are carrying on in Dallas," Mr. Boggs reported there were between 20,000 and 22,000 crippled children in the

state of Texas, that were in need of medical attention. He also stated that at a recent benefit show staged in Austin the hospital realized \$4900. Principal attraction at the show was Will Rogers, who flew all the way from Cincinnati for the engagement, paying his own expenses, besides giving his personal check for \$500 for the cause. Mr. Boggs interviewed Birthday Ball committeemen here in regard to securing the fund for the crippled children's work in the Dallas hospital. The committeemen have taken the matter under advisement, said Mr. Boggs who left for Abilene shortly before noon.

HOWARD COUNTY SCHOOLS GET \$22,101.25 Schools of Howard county Friday received \$22,101.25 in local taxes. The money was divided an

airport runways are smoothed out. Glenn Freeland, manager of American Airlines station in Big Spring completed dragging of the landing field and runways at the airport Thursday, following the recent rains and snow. He said the field was in excellent condition now, but required considerable work to finish the task. Freeland said he believed he could qualify for the Big Spring rodeo this year, after riding the big tractor at the airport for several hours.

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE AT METHODIST CHURCH The first quarterly conference of the church year will be conducted at the First Methodist church this evening, beginning at 7:30. Rev. C. A. Bickley, pastor, announced Friday morning. Rev. C. A. Long, presiding elder of the Sweetwater district, will arrive late in the afternoon, to preside at the conference. All officers of the church are requested to be present on time, so that business of the church may be dispatched without delay.

REQUESTS MADE FOR OLD CLOTHING, SHOES Mrs. C. L. Wason of the West Ward school requested The Herald to appeal for old clothes and shoes to be distributed to the needy children of that school. Mrs. Wason asks those who can contribute an article of old clothing, etc., to call 1294 and she will be glad to call same.

THOMAS MITCHELL GETS BANK NIGHT AWARD Thomas Mitchell, Big Spring, whose name was called at Bank Night program of the local R&R Theatre Thursday night, was not present to claim the \$125 award.

BOBB TO RETURN HOME NEXT WEEK Word from J. Y. Robb, who landed in New York City Feb. 12, after a cruise from San Francisco, via the Panama Canal, in company with his brother, H. B. Robb and Ed Rowley of Dallas and other theatre executives is expected to return to Big Spring latter part of next week, according to word received here today.

BENEFIT PERFORMANCE AT HIGH SCHOOL TONIGHT A benefit performance by the dance pupils of Miss Martha McCuskey, will be given this evening at 7 o'clock at the high school auditorium for the high school athletic fund. A small admission of 10c will be charged and all proceeds will go to the fund.

DISPLEASED WITH HOBBS, NEW MEXICO, SHOE SHOP Mr. Pity R. E. Long, of Hobbs, N. M. He is displeased with the shoe repair service his city affords. Raising his voice in protest against the shops, he writes, "one is run by a Socialist or red and the other one by a boy."

RADIO BUREAU HAS TRANSLATION COMMUNICATION Regular radio communication with Austin headquarters is maintained by the Federal Transient Bureau here. The bureau has a short wave set and two former telegraph operators who handle the daily run of business. Bureau officials here get their instructions while they are fresh.

RAINS IN DAWSON CO. MAKE OUTLOOK BRIGHT W. V. P. "Billy" Baker, Lamesa banker, Thursday said that the recent rains had transformed the outlook for Dawson county. Despite years of drought, he said deposits were on the increase. He brought Mrs. Baker here for treatment in Big Spring hospital. Accompanying him were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Barron and Mrs. Joe Barron of Lamesa.

MRS. CARWINE CALLED TO RANGER BY ILLNESS Mrs. Beulah Carrick left Thursday evening for Ranger to be with her son, Harry Wheeler, who underwent an emergency operation following an acute attack of appendicitis. She had hardly returned home from visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Middleton, who is confined to the Big Spring hospital, when she received word that her son was stricken.

MARY HOPKINS IN COMPLIMENT TO CITY "I think that Big Spring is one of the most delightful cities in which I ever had occasion to stay," said Mary Hopkins, assistant manager of the Oklahoma City chamber of commerce, in a letter to W. T. Strange, complimenting him on his appointment as manager of the local chamber. Hopkins was stationed here for six weeks by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in anticipation of its annual convention in 1932.

MRS. MILLION RETURNS TO HER HOME Mrs. Ray Million has returned to her home from the Blivings hospital, following an operation. She continues to improve. Mrs. Million resides at 904 Scurry street.

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This Jury Decided Bruno Hauptmann's Fate In Famous Lindbergh Murder Case



The eyes of the entire nation—and the eyes of many parts of the world—were riveted on the decision of these eight men and four women—the jury which decided the fate of Bruno Richard Hauptmann, the German carpenter accused of the kidnaping and murder of the Lindbergh baby. Top row, left to right: Philip Soc-enbury, Mrs. Verna Snyder, George Voorhes, Robert Cravat, Mrs. Mary Bradford, Loom Case. Lower row, left to right: Charles Walton, jury foreman; Howard Briggs, Mrs. Ethel Stockton, Mrs. Hester Hill, Charles Y. Snyder, Elmer Smith. (Associated Press Photos).

follows: Current taxes for local maintenance, \$17,744.01; delinquent taxes for local maintenance, \$294.50; current taxes for interest and sinking funds, \$3,866.29; and delinquent taxes for interest and sinking fund, \$105.43.

Services Churches Topics

ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL Services for Sunday, February 11th: Church school, 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m. Sunday marks the beginning of the pre-Lenten season. In the church calendar the day is called Septuagesima Sunday, which falls us that Easter is approximately seventy days hence. The sermon in the morning will be on the subject of "Sharing in Creation" or co-workers with God. The services will be in charge of Mr. Seth H. Parsons due to the absence of the Rev. P. Walter Henckell who is conducting services in Midland and Odessa.

FIRST METHODIST Alonzo Rieckley, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Ray Cantrell, supt. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject: "How to Pray"; Mrs. Alexander will sing at this service. Evening subject: "For What to Pray." Special music. Young People will meet at 6:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST Rev. R. E. Day will speak Sunday morning on "The Note of Victory" and in the evening on "Moving Into the Dark." Sunday school at 9:45 and B. T. U. at 9:30.

Foresters To Play Brownwood The CCC basketball team will play the Brownwood camp team at Foran Saturday in a Sub-District No. 2 basketball tournament. The best two out of three games will be played, the first beginning at 10 a. m. The Brownwood team is undefeated this season. Clark Adkison, the team captain, stands six feet. He has played pro basketball in Oklahoma, and has toured the southwest with Carl Hubbell's team. The CCC team defeated the Elliott Drummen, city league team, by the top-heavy score of 48 to 10.

The box score: CCC.....fg ft pf 42 Green, f.....6 0 0 12 Hall, f.....2 0 0 4 Young, f.....6 1 0 13 Finch, c.....4 0 0 8 Davenport, g.....0 0 0 0 Coleman, g.....1 0 0 2 Curry, g.....0 0 0 0 Rogers, g.....2 1 0 6 Williams, g.....2 0 0 4 Totals.....23 2 0 43

ELLIOTT.....fg ft pf 12 Morgan, f.....1 0 1 2 Jones, f.....0 0 0 0 P. Smith, c.....0 0 0 0 Sheltersworth, c.....1 0 0 2 Jernan, g.....1 0 0 2 W. W. Smith, g.....1 0 2 2 Totals.....5 6 2 10 Referee—Bruce.

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DISTURBS HAUPTMANN TRIAL



This dramatic picture shows an officer evicting the Rev. Vincent Burns from the Hauptmann courtroom in Flemington, N. J., after he had shouted that another man had confessed to him the Lindbergh kidnaping. (Associated Press Photo)

'Esso' Gas Is Demonstrated Humble Officials Conduct Series Of Demonstrations Here Demonstrating the knock-absence of Ethyl gasoline, representatives of the Humble Oil & Refining company and the Ethyl corporation gave a public showing Thursday, of the effects upon a motor of various gasoline grades. In the party were Neil Holman of Houston, sales promotion manager of the Humble; E. W. Berry of Abilene, district manager; Arthur Sweet of Big Spring, district supervisor and J. O. Balzer, representative of the Ethyl corporation of Houston. Balzer had attached to his automobile a small high compression motor, with indicators rigged up to show the degree of knock from the various fuels. By shifting a lever, a change could be made from one grade to another. When using third grade gasoline, the sensitive motor recorded knocks which increased with temperature. When the new Aerotype Esso gasoline, Ethyl processed, was used, the knock went away. Balzer explained that the demonstration merely provided that "you get what you pay for in gasoline." The Esso product contains 78 octanes, in contrast to about 16 in third grade gasoline, he said. Demonstrations were given at the high school, Big Spring Motor company, Carter Chevrolet company and at all three Humble stations in Big Spring.

Lloyd Wells To Play Tonight At Settles Ballroom "Dance-goers of Big Spring will have an opportunity to hear one of the best dance bands to visit the city in some time when Lloyd Wells and his 14-piece orchestra plays at Hotel Settles ballroom this evening beginning at 9 o'clock and continuing till 1 a. m. The band played an engagement in Big Spring last week, but due to the short time allowed in announcing its arrival, only a small crowd was in attendance. There have been many requests for a return engagement, and tonight dance-goers will be given an opportunity to again hear this famous dance band, which has been playing engagements in the east and mid-west during the past year.

Miss McCluskey To Give Dance Recital At Hi Auditorium Miss Martha McCluskey will give a program featuring her dances pupils Friday evening at the high school auditorium. The program will consist of a tambourine tap by Margaret Sue Westfall and Ruth Ellen Case, a combination tap and acrobatic number by Janette Marchbanks; a tap dance by Evelyn Ragedale. Miss McCluskey herself will give a miniature stair dance. Other song and dance numbers will be given by Edith Dow Coffin, Edith Johnson, Wanda McQuain, Edna Verne Stewart, and Yvonne Pfifer. A small admission will be charged, the proceeds to go to the high school athletic fund.

Riegel To Present Forty Dance Pupils In Sunday Recital The Riegel School of Dance will present around forty pupils in recital at the Municipal auditorium next Sunday, Feb. 17th. The ages of the pupils range from three to 20 years. The program will last an hour, and will show many brilliant costumes and special dances. Thomas Brooks and his orchestra will accompany the show, and will play several numbers before curtain, including a piano solo by himself. Some of the numbers on the bill are professional arrangements and dances, that are on par with regular professional talent, while others are by students having but a small amount of coaching but novel and entertaining. The show is free to everyone and will start promptly at four in the afternoon.

Museum To Be Open For Zone Visitors Sat.

Mrs. Mary Bumpass, director of the Historical Museum and its founder, will be head of the committee Saturday afternoon that will guide the visitors of the First Methodist zone meeting through the building. Assisting Mrs. Bumpass will be Betty Jean Fisher and Janice Jacobs of the high school and probable other members of the museum association. The Methodist women have asked that the building be opened from 11:30 to 1 in order that visitors from nearby towns may see its curios. The public will also be admitted at this time. The building will open throughout the afternoon and will continue its open house throughout next week, with the exception of Monday. The names of next week's hostesses will be announced in the Sunday Herald.

Young People Enjoy Valentine Party In Jones' Residence

In their lovely home at 1209 Wood street Thursday evening, James and Myrtle Jones, assisted by Mrs. S. P. Jones and Mildred, were host and hostess to a group of young people from the Young People's department of the First Methodist church. Against a background of red and white hearts and bows, the guests fished for hearts, pitched hearts, read romantic fortunes, solved 50 Valentine puzzles and played "Valentine." Refreshments of cherry pie and whipped cream, coffee and mints eliminated the red and white color scheme and hours of fun. Those who thanked the Jones for a wondrous evening were: Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Bickley, Mrs. A. Schnitzer, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Haines, Mary Elizabeth and Zollie Mae Dodge, Mildred Sloan, Lee W. Truitt, William Gray, Mary Burns, Wesley Martin, John Stripling, Barbara Scherubie, Nellie Puckett, Janice Hostetter, E. C. Casle, Juanita Slusser, Annie Sewell, Nancy Blanche Lochridge, John Vantine, Charles Herring, Mary Settles and Evelyn Clements.

Germany Says She Has Sincere Desire To Promote Peace

BERLIN, (AP)—The German government tonight advised France and England that Germany had a sincere desire to promote the safeguard of peace, advising those nations that European questions they raised in London conversations be thoroughly examined. Files' legs are used to manufacture the false eyelashes fashionable with woman. The coins of many foreign nations are manufactured in the United States at cost.

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Sharks Fear Man MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP)—Sharks are afraid of man and will not attack him unless cornered or first attacked by man. This is the opinion of Dr. Clinton L. Baker, biologist.

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OIL FIELD NEWS

Mrs. Green Entertains With Bridge Mrs. Malcolm Green of Fort Worth entertained Thursday evening with a bridge party honoring Miss Katie Calloway of Big Spring who has been visiting Mrs. O. N. Green of Chalk.

Chalk H. D. Club The Chalk Home Demonstration club met Wednesday afternoon at the cafeteria. Mrs. Caldwell, yard leader, gave an interesting talk on yard work. The ladies plan to meet with Mrs. Caldwell next meeting and work on her yard. Each lady will be expected to bring a shrub.

Scout News Seven scouts were present for the meeting of the Bob White and Wolf patrol of Troop 1. The meeting was opened with the scout oath. After a short business session, the boys spent several hours in playing games.

Mrs. Wilson Entertains With Valentine Party Mrs. Cleo Wilson entertained the Contract Bridge club with a Valentine party Wednesday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Steve Mussett. Upon arriving the guests were given pieces of hearts; each player then had to find the person with the rest of her heart.

Thomas Yarbro returned Wednesday from Abilene, where he attends college, to spend a few days

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Maximum Vehicle Load-Law Argued At Senate Public Hearing Held In Austin Before Senate Committee

AUSTIN—The lawyer who as an assistant attorney general successfully defended the maximum vehicle load law all the way through the United States supreme court Wednesday had urged its correction.

Senator Rawlings in explaining the bill said it amended the present statute to permit a combination of truck and semi-trailer to carry 14,000 pounds if every wheel of the vehicle touching the ground was equipped with a brake.

Hooper, speaking for supporters of the load increase who were heard first, declared the measure would remove an actual, unjustified and hurtful discrimination existing between certain classes of trucks.

Hooper, as assistant attorney general under James V. Allred was assigned to defend the truck weight law when its legality was attacked in the courts shortly after it became effective.

Col. Harry E. Stewart of Dallas, chairman of the legislative committee of the Texas Motor Transportation association, said that "each year there is a greater and more sincere appreciation by the manufacturers, shippers, livestockmen, wool and mohair merchants, growers—because it will enable them to carry a load twice as great—14,000 pounds, a reasonable weight."

Carl Runge of Mason, representing the Sheep and Goat Raisers association of Texas, declared that members of the association did most of their hauling by trucks because their ranches are located in that part of the state that has no railroads.

County Judge A. W. Coker of Huntville completed highway hazards would be increased by greater truck loads, and County Judge Mess of San Patricio said that roads as they are constructed now will not bear additional load.

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Screen's Newest Sensation



FRED MacMURRAY

The screen's newest overnight sensation is Fred MacMurray, a new recruit from the musical comedy stage and erstwhile principal in the Jerome Kern operetta "Roberta." MacMurray will be seen opposite Claudette Colbert in "The Gilded Lily," feature unit of the new R & R road show program to play at the Ritz Theater today and tomorrow.

Claudette herself selected him for the role, and that hers was a wise choice seems confirmed by the acclaim heaped upon this young man by the press. Time, the newsmagazine, predicts that he will be the screen's next great lover.

T. G. Price of Houston, appearing as a representative of the oil industry, asserted that the oil industry "is looking on this piece of legislation with a watchful eye. The oil industry represents about 10,000 of the motor vehicles in the state. Oil trucks are constantly being stopped on the highway and fined. This has developed into a system of fee-racketeering by constables. Truck drivers are continually having to pay fees of \$12 and \$14."

Others speaking for the load increase included Charles A. Stuart of Fort Worth; E. B. Spiller of Fort Worth; C. D. Stokes of Lampasas; R. F. Cook of Plainview.

Others arguing against the bill were Turner Terrell of Val Verde county; John Sutherland of Bay City; Dr. C. J. Sherrill, Clay county judge, and Carl Cartoway of Dallas.

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State-Wide Raven Shoot Is Planned

Fish And Game Protective Body To Take Steps For Stunt

With more than 1,000 ravens in their traps and daily catches increasing, members of the Howard county chapters of the Fish and Game Protective association of Texas are taking actual steps toward promoting a state wide raven shoot here March 2 and 3.

Tentative dates had previously been agreed upon but no definite plans had been made since the daily catch furnished an element of uncertainty.

Wednesday what appeared to be a death blow to these troubles transpired when 224 ravens dropped into the chapter's traps. At noon Thursday 85 had been caught, thus boosting the total number of captured pests to more than a thousand.

Dr. C. W. Dents, speaking for the organization, realizes the futility of one county making an impression on the raven board. "We know that what we catch here will little affect the raven crop," he said, "but we hope to show other counties that it can be done. If they start similar programs, then we will have the pest on the run."

H. D. C. News

Saturday The County Council meets Saturday afternoon at the Settles hotel at 2 o'clock. Tuesday Elbow H. D. club, Mrs. Ches Anderson, hostess and yard demonstrator. Luther H. D. club, Mrs. Valles Fuller, hostess. Gay Hill 4-H club. Thursday Moore 4-H Girls' club. Fairview H. D. club, Mrs. J. G. Hammock, hostess and Mrs. Ward recreation leader. Overton H. D. club, Mrs. Jewel White, hostess.

Personally Speaking

Fred Townsend and Paul Coburn left for Abilene with the basketball squad which has entered the sectional meet. Fred and Paul will look over possibilities of entering Hardin-Simmons university.

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