

Blankenship Gets Contract For Two Years

W. C. Blankenship was extended a two-year contract as superintendent of the Big Spring public schools Friday evening as trustees looked forward to improvement and expansion programs.

His reappointment came on a 5-2 vote after the board had given 10 days consideration to the top administrative post which Blankenship has held since 1928. Board members cast written, unsigned yes and nay ballots and after the vote went on record unanimously



RE-APPOINTED — W. C. Blankenship, who is rounding out his 20th year as head of the Big Spring school system, was re-appointed to a two-year term as superintendent by the board of trustees here Friday evening.

Much Study Preceded Decision

Detailed studies and counsel with numbers of citizens preceded the decision of the board of trustees of the Big Spring Independent School district to offer another two-year contract to W. C. Blankenship as superintendent, Marvin Miller, board president, said Saturday.

Reciting a difference of opinion as to the course of action at the Feb. 7 meeting, Miller said that board members had "collectively and individually discussed the problem with dozens of citizens and patrons of the schools."

"We remember that there has been and probably always will be some, who for one reason or another, would urge a change in administration," he said, "but after weighing facts and rumors" the majority of the board reached a decision to retain.

Miller felt that "much rumor was due to misinformation from sources which did not have or did not care to obtain the facts."

In checking conditions of schools, he said that "we went deep into

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Reviewing The Big Spring -Week-

Monday and Tuesday, dates of another 4-H Club and FAA Fat Stock show, give you the opportunity of seeing again one of the most important phases of agricultural work going on in this county. That is, the training of the farm youth in poultry and livestock improvement, both for the consumer's sake and for the profit of those who will be commercial producers in the years to come. The boys and girls

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Truman Aides Now Divided On Controls

Council Ponders Whether To Take Public Stand

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—The President's Council of Economic Advisers is divided, both on the need for strong anti-inflation controls and on whether the council should take a public stand on legislation.

John D. Clark, one of the three members, told the Congressional Joint Economic Committee this week that "direct action against price increases is necessary." Vice Chairman Leon Keyserling also supported price-wage controls.

But Chairman Edwin G. Nourse, who is known to have opposed drastic new control powers when President Truman's anti-inflation program was being drawn in December, did not appear on Capitol Hill for testimony.

White House officials said privately today that Nourse has not changed his views. He so indicated yesterday when, after seeing Mr. Truman, he told reporters that the continued price decline is a "healthy disinflation"; that there are strong supporting factors; and that it now is important to avoid a state of business "jitters."

The council's 2-to-1 split reflects the capital's general uncertainty over the price outlook, as well as a widespread view that this spring will see a strengthening both of business activity and employment.

Nourse's decision not to testify on controls, however, was said to stem from his belief — one not shared by Keyserling or Clark — that the council should remain in the background as a professional adviser on economics to the President, leaving Mr. Truman free to adapt its findings as he sees fit.

Hopes Are Brighter To End Bus Strike At Wichita Falls

DALLAS, Feb. 19. (AP)—Federal Conciliator Ray Majure said late today he "hoped for favorable developments" in the Wichita Falls City bus strike tomorrow.

Majure met today with spokesmen for the Wichita Falls Transit Co. and its striking bus drivers. "It looks like a tough problem for the company and for the union," he said, but added he feels "more optimistic" about the situation after the meeting today.

Majure said he would meet again tomorrow morning with Thomas C. Reece, vice president of Continental Trailways, which operates the Wichita Falls bus system, and A. F. Steele, international vice president of the AFL Bus Drivers Union.

He said he hoped this meeting would result in "favorable developments."

Rumors Are Heard Of Boliva Revolt

By The Associated Press

Unconfirmed reports of a revolution in Boliva were contained in brief dispatches received in New York Saturday night.

One dispatch from Lima, Peru, quoted a private source as saying there was trouble in Boliva. No details were given. The Associated Press Bureau of Buenos Aires advised that it was investigating an unsubstantiated report of a revolutionary plot in La Paz, Boliva's capital.

New Snow Storm Zips Into Plains States

By The Associated Press

New snow and cold zipped into the western Mountains Plains states Saturday and flooding developed in southeastern Nebraska.

Wing Transfer Set

AUSTIN, Feb. 19. (AP)—The 27th Fighter Wing will move into Bergstrom Air Force Base about March 1, officials announced today.

U. S. To Assure Europe Real Military Support



WATCH THOSE REVOLVING DOORS, BOSSY — An obliging cow poses in the lobby of a Tulsa, Okla., building while Diane Piper rehearses for a milking contest of the Tulsa Livestock Exhibition March 4-13. She is flanked by Rivals Glennadean Morgan (left) and Joan Chancellor (right). Clocking Diane is W. G. Skelly, Tulsa oil man and prize contributor. (AP Wirephoto).

Acheson Cheered After Parley: Norway Ready

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP)— Prompt drafting of an Atlantic Security Treaty — assuring western Europe of real American military support — was made the goal of negotiators today.

In an atmosphere of optimism, they met with Secretary of State Acheson and scheduled a series of conferences designed to produce the finished document. A changed outlook among treaty supporters appeared to stem from yesterday's lengthy closed door session between Acheson and the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

Labor Party Clears Way For Talks

OSLO, Norway, Feb. 19. (AP)— Norway's labor party gave its government the go-ahead signal tonight to join the Atlantic alliance talks. The vote, taken at a convention, was 330 to 35.

That removes the next to last obstacle to Norway's formal acceptance of an invitation to join the Western Powers now working to formulate the defense pact.

All that remains is for parliament to approve the political line drafted by Foreign Minister Halvarde Lange. That is due to happen some time next week. All parties in the 150-seat parliament except the Communist (11 seats) are strongly backing Lange's policy.

The labor party's decision was reached after a closed discussion which lasted all day. Lange set the ball rolling by giving a statement at the party convention at 9 in the morning. He sketched the situation as it appeared after his visits to Washington and London last week.

Lange has discussed the Atlantic Pact terms with top American and British leaders, including U. S. Secretary of State Acheson and British Foreign Secretary Bevin.

The alliance is proposed to link defenses of western Europe, the United States and Canada. The resolution adopted tonight said Norway's best chance for securing her integrity was to look toward the West for protection.

Negotiations are under way among the U. S., Canada, Britain, France, Belgium, Holland and Luxembourg.

As the group of ambassadors left Acheson's office, Sir Olaf Franks, the British envoy, told reporters, "we had an informal meeting with the secretary and reviewed the position and laid down a program of meetings of a more formal character, of which the first will take place in the middle of next week." Franks would not elaborate on this terse statement.

Other informants suggested that the way the treaty draft will be worked out, beginning with yesterday's session, probably will be in the following manner:

Acheson got from the Senate Foreign Relations leaders a fairly clear idea of the kind of treaty which the Senate may be reasonably expected to approve by the two-thirds vote required.

In his talk with the ambassadors today he informally communicated his ideas of what may be accomplished and they debated how best to go about it. Next week he will meet in a formal drafting session with the envoys and their staffs of advisers.

Road Bonds Trail In Early Returns

STANTON, Feb. 19.—Results of an election Saturday on a road bond proposal and a reallocation of tax funds in Martin county still had not been tabulated late Saturday night.

Unofficial returns from both Stanton boxes showed 47 votes for the road bond, with 97 against the proposal. Reports from one Stanton box gave 39 for the reallocation of tax funds with 23 opposing that measure.

A \$400,000 road bond issue had been proposed for participation in a 75-25 road construction program in cooperation with the state highway department.

Odessa Man's Plane Overdue In El Paso

CARLSBAD, N.M., Feb. 19. (AP)—A light plane carrying two persons was reported overdue tonight on a flight from Carlsbad to El Paso, Texas.

Carlsbad municipal airport reported A. A. Taylor, Odessa, Tex., and an unidentified woman passenger were aboard the Taylor Craft plane.

60 SEEK HONORS 12th Annual Fat Stock Show Will Open Here Tomorrow

Judging events of the 12th annual Howard County Fat Stock Show Monday will climax a season of feeding demonstrations for 4-H Club and Future Farmers of America members.

Reds Set Up No-Man's Land

BERLIN, Feb. 19. (AP)—Russia set up a no-man's land through the center of Berlin today after several border shooting incidents, including at least two fatalities.

"Danger zones" were established around various control points and all pedestrians and loiterers banned.

These control points — already strengthened by roadblocks of iron stanchions and paving stones — are the places where the Communists stop and inspect traffic crossing from their sector to western-occupied Berlin.

Divided Berlin, the vortex of the East-West cold war, also is in the grip of a currency scare. Signs increased that the Russians intend a new money switch here and in their surrounding occupation zone. The Russians denied this, but Germans living in the east sector reported restrictions had been placed on buying to prevent a dumping of marks.

Mining Heads Asks Tighter Controls For Communists

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—A mining industry executive today asked Congress to help prevent Communism from "further infiltrating into our labor unions."

The appeal came from Howard I. Young, president of the American Mining Congress, who said he spoke from "bitter experience."

But Sen. Pepper (D-Fla.) said American workers "don't need the government to come in and help them get rid of Communists."

Report Stevenson To Continue Fight

DALLAS, Feb. 19. (AP)—The Dallas News will say tomorrow that Coke Stevenson plans to renew his plea for an investigation of last year's Democratic primary election.

Police Thwart Try At Dynamiting Store

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 19. (AP)—An attempt to dynamite a strikebound department store today was thwarted by police who termed it a "one-woman action."

Two scout car officers arrested a man identified as Marvin Cox, 31, as he placed a crudely-made bomb on the street side of a Froug's Department Store show window.

Bishops Silent On Purported Mindszenty Note Urging Accord

BUDAPEST, Feb. 19. (AP)— Usually well informed sources said today Hungary's Roman Catholic bishops have considered and reserved decision on a letter from the imprisoned Josef Cardinal Mindszenty urging "an agreement" with the Communist-led government.

The Vatican has declined to negotiate church-state differences with Hungary's government until it frees Cardinal Mindszenty and guarantees church freedom. An informed Vatican source, commenting on the Budapest report, said the Holy See stood upon that position.

Members of so-called "Progressive Catholic Circles," which have not been so bitter in their opposition to government measures, told of the purported development.

They said the cardinal wrote the letter after he was sentenced Feb. 8 to life imprisonment. They said he urged the bishops "to come to an agreement with the government." They said he added that he would work in the interests of such a compromise if he were among them.

Cardinal Mindszenty's appeal from a conviction on charges of treason, espionage and black market money dealings is still pending.

SOFIA NEWSPAPERS SAY

Protestant Church Leader Confesses In Treason Case

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Feb. 19. (AP)— Two Sofia newspapers said today that one of 15 Protestant leaders held on treason charges has confessed betraying Bulgaria. In testimony given during a preliminary investigation.

DEATHLESS DAYS 437 In Big Spring Traffic

The defendant, Vassil Ziapkov, was quoted as saying his role in the Higher United Evangelical Church Council was "most important and responsible." He added: "I was the link between the Anglo-Americans and the high council."

All the defendants here are members of the United Evangelical Church, which includes the Methodist, Baptist, Congregational and Pentecost denominations. Some if not all have been under arrest for more than a month on charges of spying for Britain and the United States.

elgn exchange dealings was announced earlier this month, just after the trial in Hungary of the Roman Catholic, Josef Cardinal Mindszenty, on similar charges. Their trial has been set down to begin Feb. 25.

"I received espionage information from my colleagues and transmitted same

"We betrayed our motherland, we revealed her secrets before enemies."

Indictment of the 15 on charges of treason, spying and illegal foreign

The bench of bishops made a profound study of the letter at a meeting in Budapest yesterday, the informants said, but left for their church residences in the country without making a statement or offering any comment.

It was reported that some of the bishops believe they cannot act without Vatican authority. Others were reported to have suggested Cardinal Mindszenty should write directly to the Holy See. It was understood the cardinal will be informed of these viewpoints.

Liquor Clerk Fined For Sale To Minor

A fine of \$100 and costs was imposed by County Judge J. E. Brown on George Flippin, liquor store clerk, who entered a plea of guilty Saturday noon to a charge of selling alcoholic beverages to a minor. Agents of the Texas Liquor Control board lodged the protest after the defendant allegedly sold liquor to a 20-year old man on Feb. 11.

Tucker Motor Firm Reshuffles Board

CHICAGO, Feb. 19. (AP)—Tucker Corp., the new automobile firm set by organization and financial troubles, today announced a sweeping reshuffle of its board of directors. Preston Tucker, Jr., remains as president of the firm, along with two other members of the former seven-man board. Four members resigned. Twelve new members have been named, all of them Tucker dealers or distributors.

Pilot Wounded Flying Over Korea

SEOUL, Feb. 19. (AP)—An American captain was wounded seriously by rifle fire today while flying along the border between North and South Korea. The captain was hit in the leg and stomach. The Army withheld identification until his relatives are notified. It was learned reliably, however, that he is Capt. Keith A. French of Rosebud, Tex., whose wife is visiting a sister at Corpus Christi.

More Labor Measures Set For House

AUSTIN, Feb. 19. (AP)—A bill seeking to bring sharply differing viewpoints on labor regulation closer together under one unified statute will be introduced in the House when the Legislature goes back into session Monday. The measure by Rep. Blake Timmons of Amarillo represents labor's effort to soften last session's restrictive legislation, although union spokesmen said today there were many things in it they don't like. There was no immediate reaction from the other side. Rep. Marshall O. Bell of San Antonio said he did not want to comment until he had studied the measure carefully. The Timmons bill retains the so-called right-to-work or anti-closed shop law but it sets up conciliation machinery as recommended by Gov. Beauford H. Jester and the 1948 state Democratic platform. Introduction of this measure will give the 51st session another tough major issue to chew on as it goes into its seventh week. It is already up to its neck in trouble with the Gilmer-Alkin public school bills. More headknocking is due this coming week. The measure reorganizing central control and abolishing the job of State School Supt. L. A. Woods passed the Senate after the session's first filibuster, and went to the House. Debate was set in the Senate for Tuesday on the second school bill—the minimum foundation act by Otis Lock of Lufkin—and opponents have served notice of another stiff fight. Right now it doesn't appear that another filibuster will be used. House backers of the Gilmer-Alkin proposals have not shown disposition to hurry in bringing them up for hearing or debate there, indicating they may want the controversy to cool a little before they start their drive. The prison rehabilitation plan—calling first for an appropriation of more than four million dollars—meets its first floor test in the Senate Monday. Gov. Jester gave the Legislature what will probably be its hardest problem—what to do about spending and taxation—in his budget message Thursday at the close of the Legislature's busiest week so far this session.

WITH REA HELP

Farm Phone Service Gaining Support

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—Proposals to extend farm telephone service with aid of the rural Electrification Administration—and for housing on the REA pattern—are beginning to get some solid support in the House. The REA is a new deal agency that has helped farmers get lights, electric milking machines, refrigerators, washing machines and the like. There is more and more talk of expanding it, or borrowing the pattern it uses, for other fields. Already moving along in the House is a bill to hook up to REA for building rural telephone service. A new plan has come along to set up a housing agency that would not be a part of the REA but would operate like it. Before the REA was established in 1935, something like a fifth of the nation's farms had electricity. Now about four-fifths have it. Under the REA program, a group of farmers can get together and form a co-operative. The REA lends it money to build a power system to serve the members. The co-op can get the money for 2 per cent interest and arrange to repay it within 35 years. Rep. Poage (D-Tex) figured the same sort of agreement could be worked out to bring more telephones to rural areas. He is chairman of a House agriculture subcommittee that has held extensive hearings on the measure. Farm organizations and individual farmers have hailed it. The REA and the Agriculture Department have put their backing behind it. Spokesmen for telephone companies—the Bell System and hundreds of small independents—have opposed it. They say they can do the job of providing more rural phone service and actually have made a big start since the end of the war. They say the Poage bill threatens to duplicate existing lines with government-financed lines and that eventually the independent companies would be forced to the wall.

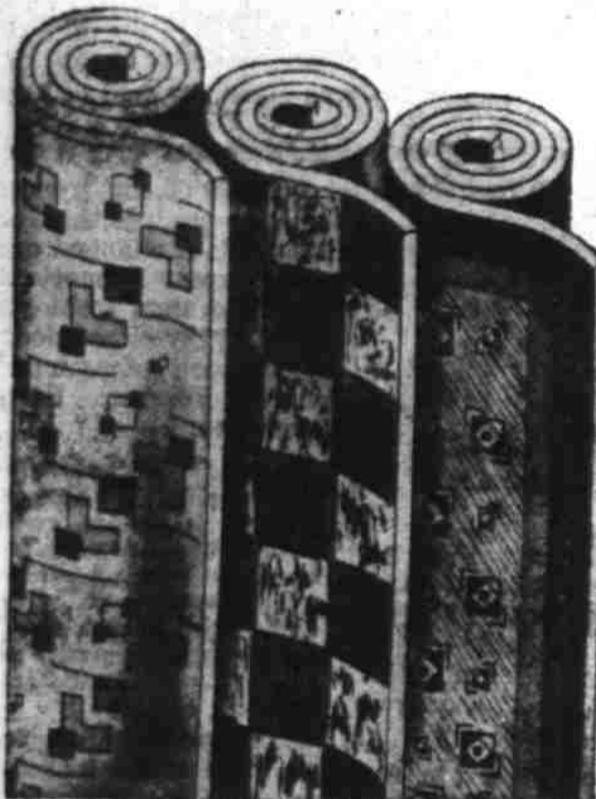
Gold Star Mother Of Flying Tiger Pilot Gets Another Day In Court

DALLAS, Feb. 19. (AP)—A Gold Star mother ordered to refund \$863 in rent overcharges will have another day in court. Her day in court yesterday resulted in the refund order by Federal Judge William H. Atwell. But later the judge changed his mind and ordered a new trial for March 14. The Gold Star mother is Mrs. Orpha Norman Turner. Her son, Capt. Richard Kingsley Turner, was killed in the Japanese theatre during World War II. In his morning ruling Judge Atwell had upheld the Office of Housing Expediter and ordered her to refund \$863 to C. A. Nail, employee of War Assets Administration. The sum was determined as rent overcharges. Testimony showed Mrs. Turner received \$75 monthly for a furnished garage. The ceiling was \$37.50. She testified, however, she had made \$959 worth of additions and repairs to the quarters. Judge Atwell said in the early ruling it was clear Mrs. Turner had not applied for a higher rent ceiling after the repairs and additions. "Right is right, you know," the judge said, addressing the OHE attorneys. "She has not pursued her remedies. She is entitled to a change in rate. Of course it was her duty to go to the OHE and say so, but she didn't do that."

FIGURES ODDS, GETS WINNER

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19. (AP) Joseph (Artichoke Joe) Sammut figured the odds and asked for a longer sentence behind bars. He got it. Described by his attorney as a victim of "bookies' disease," Sammut yesterday was sentenced to a year in the jail for perjury. Sammut asked: Could he get a longer sentence—by a day? That sent him to the federal penitentiary. He can apply for parole in four months. In the county jail he would not have been eligible for parole.

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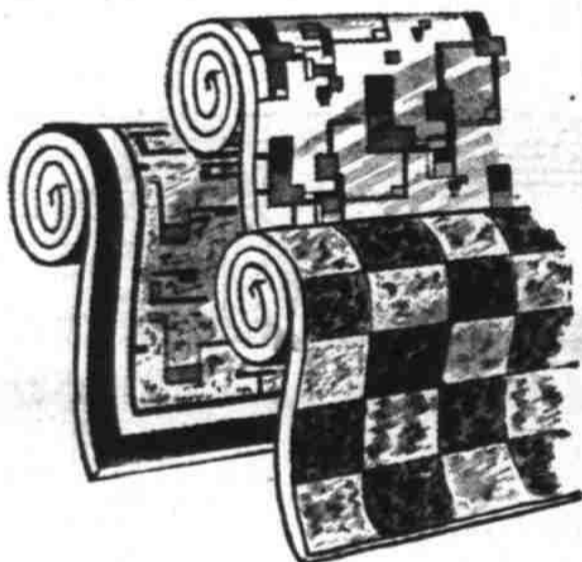


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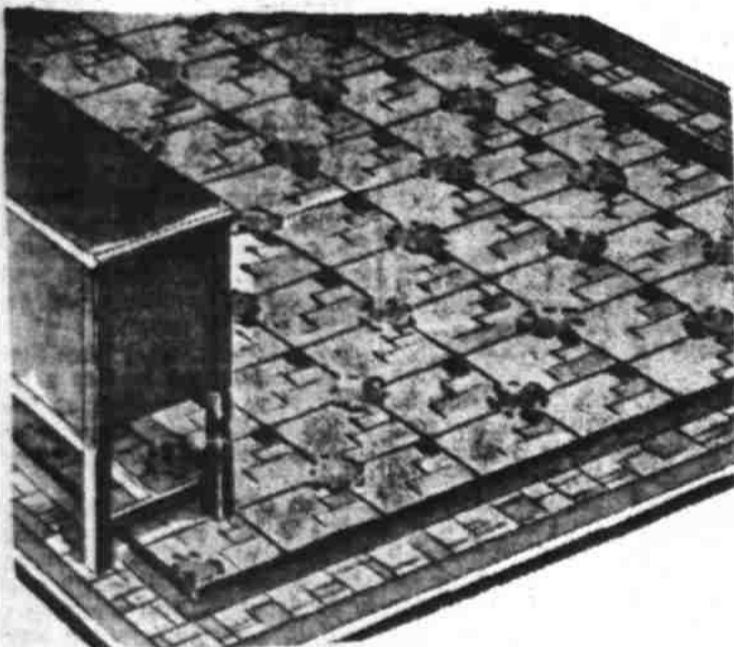
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Paving Problems Up For Study

Paving is due to claim the attention of Big Spring city commissioners at two meetings next week. Several new problems which have developed in connection with the original contract are due to be up for discussion at the regular meeting Tuesday. Involved are units where an insufficient number of homestead property owners have agreed to sign contracts. Wednesday night the commission will assemble for a public hearing on new units which have been ordered as substitutions for several that were deleted from the original contract about two weeks ago.

Norton Proposes New School Fund Division Plan

AUSTIN, Feb. 19. (AP)—Rep. James L. Norton, Jr., of Nacogdoches today proposed that \$40 million of the permanent university fund be used by 17 state-supported institutions of higher learning for needed buildings or permanent improvements. Norton said the money—to be secured through sale of bonds backed by the permanent fund—should be divided proportionately between the schools on the basis of average scholastic enrollment.

Milton Nanny Trains At Camp Chaffee

Recruit Milton L. Nanny, son of Mrs. Exie Nanny, 200 State street, has been assigned to the Fifth Armored division at Camp Chaffee, Ark., for eight weeks of basic training. He is with Battery C, 71st Armored Field Artillery Battalion. Nanny was with the Coca-Cola company here before entering the army.

Fort Worth Sergeant Killed In Crash

WEATHERFORD, Feb. 19. (AP)—Sgt. Dewey Elam of Fort Worth was killed and another Air Force sergeant was hurt today when their small, rental plane crashed five miles northeast of here.

Hugh Herbert's Wife Is Granted Divorce

FORT WORTH, Feb. 19. (AP)—Mrs. Rose Herbert was granted a divorce today from Hugh Herbert, movie and stage comedian.

Lord Saye Dies

BANBURY, Eng., Feb. 19. (AP)—Lord Saye of Sele, 64, one of those medieval ancestors is reputed to have written the Jursery Jingle, "Ride A Cock Horse To Banbury Cross," died at his home, Broughton Castle, yesterday.

PENNEY'S MONTH END CLEARANCE

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BOYS' PAJAMAS The same as Dad's. For warm, comfortable sleeping. 1.00	LADIES' SCARFS A new low price. Deep tones of red, green and white. 77c-1.29
WOOL SHIRTS An all wool plaid sport type shirt. Fancy patterns. Also a large selection of rayons. 3.00	CHILDREN'S GLOVES A nice warm glove with a slant cuff. Red or blue. 39c
LEATHER COATS Horsehide and goat leather suits. Long length with belt waist. 18.50	WOOL JACKETS These are for the small boy. An all wool jacket at this new low price. 3.00
BOYS' LEATHER JACKETS Capeskin leather with cotton blanket lining. 8.00	BOYS' CORDUROY PANTS This is a new low price that you can't afford to pass up. Come in early and see them. 2.50
BOYS' POPLIN JACKETS Full blanket lined for extra warmth. Water repellent. Elastic bottom with take in's each side. 4.00	BOYS' FLANNEL SHIRTS A few of these to go at this price. Sanforized and full cut for comfort. 1.00
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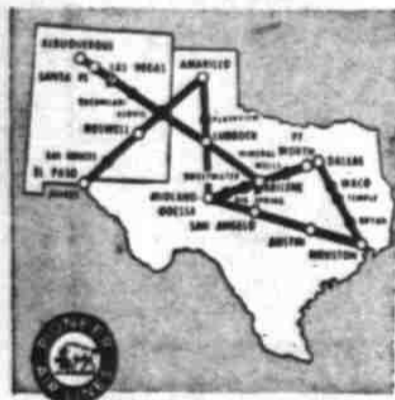
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**Mexico Rotarians
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SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 19. (AP) —
Rotarians from Monterrey, Mexi-
co, and San Antonio established a

hands-across-the-border fellow-
ship with an interclub meeting.
Fifty Rotarians from Monterrey
were guests of the San Antonio
Rotary Club Friday, yesterday and
last night.

Shannon Confirmed

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP) —
Kehoe C. Shannon was confirmed yes-
terday as U. S. marshal for the
Western District of Texas. Shan-
non has been serving under a pre-
vious appointment.

**Dallas Pilot Killed
In Peru Jungles**

DALLAS, Feb. 19. (AP) — William
C. Whyte, Dallas, was killed in a

plane crash in the jungles of Peru.
His mother, Mrs. R. S. Caldwell
of Dallas, learned of the crash yes-
terday.

TEXAS POLL

**Let Church Schools
Teach Religion**

By JOE BELDEN
Director, The Texas Poll ...

AUSTIN, Feb. 19. — Under the
doctrine of the separation of church
and state, the teaching of religion
is kept out of public schools and
left entirely to churches and church
schools. This doctrine has long
been accepted as a strong point in
the American system of govern-
ment.

However, one of the country's
great religious leaders, Dr. Harry
Emerson Fosdick, points out that
the absence of religion in public
school studies is also a weakness
in the American front against the
spread of communism. Our spiri-
tual heritage, which has given us
liberty and democracy, is the best
bulwark against communism, he
says, and this heritage is sadly be-
ing neglected in our public schools.

It is Dr. Fosdick's idea that the
doctrine of separation of church
and state need not necessarily keep
religion out of public school studies
so long as teachers confine them-
selves to teaching instead of in-
doctrination. He recommends the
teaching of the great religious
classics, especially the Bible, in
literature courses. In other courses
such as history and sociology, he
believes other aspects of religion
should be emphasized.

Millions of Americans, says Dr.
Fosdick, are convinced that the
words "God and Liberty" belong
together, and they can't understand
why the public schools should di-
vorce them.

In a recent statewide survey of
opinion, The Texas Poll found adult
Texans about evenly divided on the
teaching of religion in public
schools.

The question was put in the fol-
lowing words to a cross section of
qualified voters:

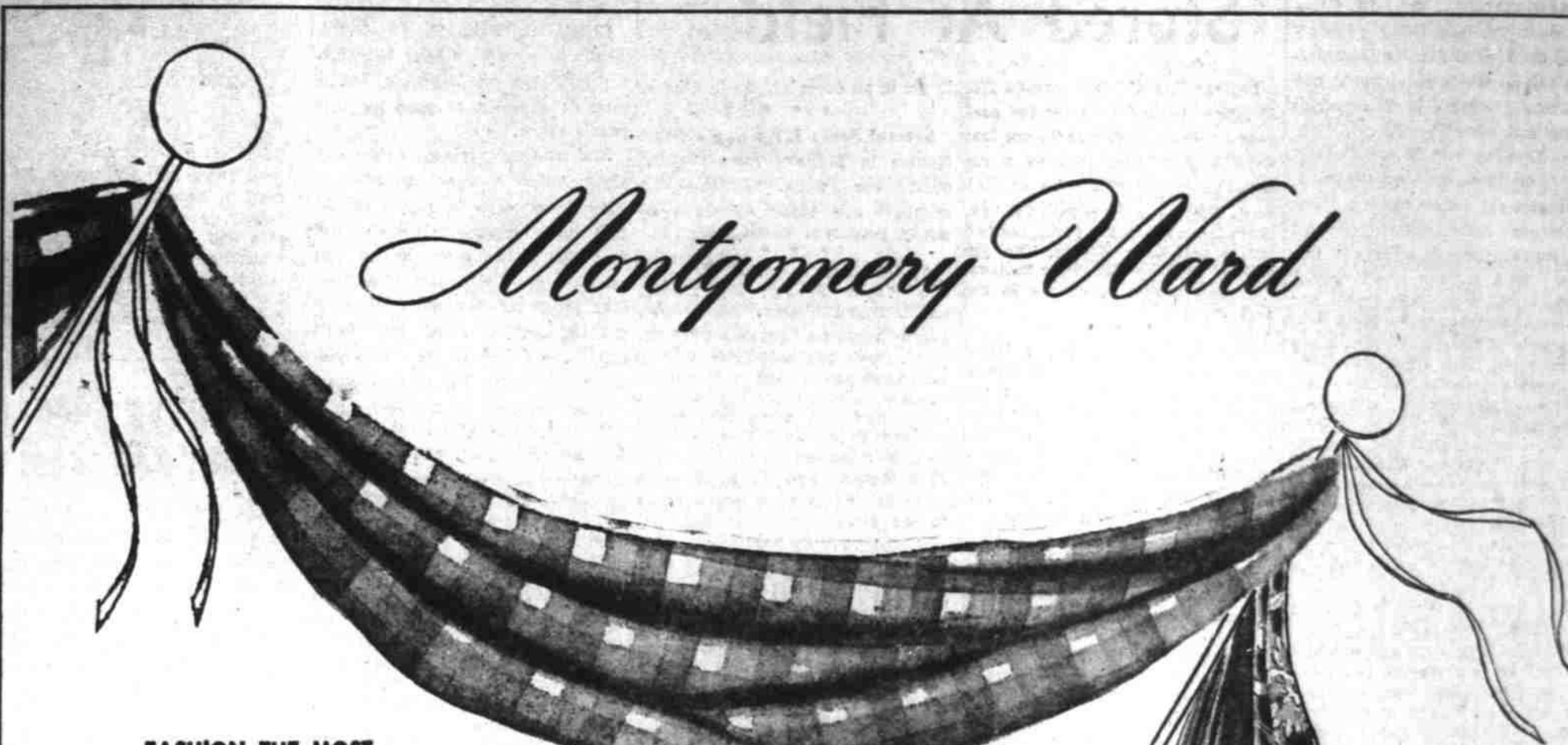
"Do you think children should be
taught religion in public schools,
or do you feel the teaching of re-
ligion should be left entirely to
churches and church schools?"

Public schools should
teach religion 47
Leave it up to churches and
church schools 49
No opinion 4

Main objective of teaching re-
ligion in public schools, according
to comments collected in this poll,
is the difficulty of satisfying all
denominations. Some people say it
would be impossible to find the
right teachers.

Dr. Fosdick has an answer:
What about economics? he asks.
This is a course of study that of-
fers the same objections. Yet the
public schools have a way of teach-
ing economics. The same could be
true in teaching non-sectarian re-
ligion. Teachers who preach sec-
tarian doctrine could be expelled
just like those who use their econ-
omics course for propaganda pur-
poses.

Hundreds of thousands of Texans
would agree with Dr. Fosdick, es-
pecially on the teaching of the
Bible. In 1941, The Texas Poll
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est book of all time." But a good-
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asked an El Paso man, "Protestant
Catholic, or Jewish? I'm against
it."



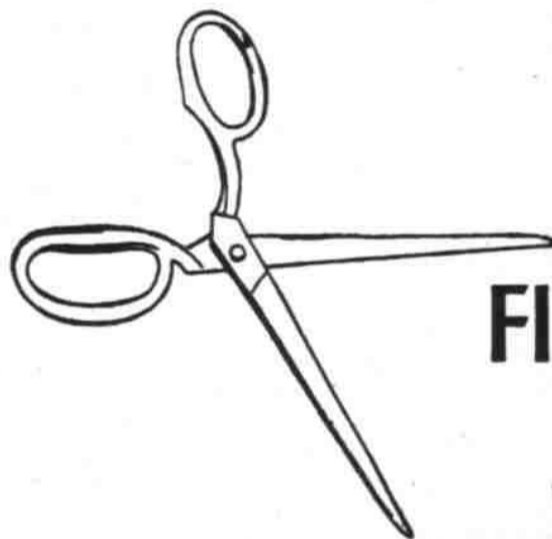
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USO Revived By President

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP) — President Truman today re-established the United Service Organizations (USO) which entertained millions of servicemen in 42 countries during and after the war.

Mr. Truman said in a statement that "conditions which make it necessary for us to have a large peacetime defense establishment call for the reactivation of this agency as a civilian counterpart."

"The USO," he said, "lets our servicemen and women know that the people of the United States are behind them. It is evidence of our unwavering intention to keep this an army of democracy, with peace as its goal."

"We must never forget that the vast majority of our selectees and volunteers are mere youngsters in their teens. Of the approximately 2,100,000 men and women who will be in our defense forces this year, 80 per cent will be under the age of 20."

"For them the USO is a strong and steady link with the homes from which they came and to which they will be returning. It is important to keep this home contact, with all that it means of wholesome influences, happy associations, and strong spiritual resources."

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WINGS OVER BIG SPRING Dismantled Planes Stored At Field

Dismantling of 163 Stearman PT-18 planes parked here for the past year by the Army, was begun last week at the Myny port by a detachment under command of Maj. B. J. Klose from Kelly Field. Several planes a day are being readied for shipment to Poyote. The job will require approximately 30 days. Fifty-two enlisted men are in the party.

John C. Phillips, Jr., aviation representative for Phillip Petroleum Corp. and grandson of the company founder, was a visitor here Thursday and Friday, taking off Friday afternoon for his home in Bartlesville, Okla. While here he was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. K. H. McGibbon.

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A survey of states most affected by the severe snow and cold showed little worry about next season's prospects for wheat and other grain crops which are grown predominantly in the Plains.

The chief worries are that freezes of long duration may come after the thaw sets in, and that floods may be so extensive this spring that large acreages of fall-seeded gains may be drowned or washed away. An extremely wet spring would delay planting of corn and other crops, too.

Ice sheets on the ground after crops have sprouted could kill off young grains in a few days. There is some concern now over the effect of ice beneath southern Minnesota snow on the legume crop there.

Gradual melting of the snow would have the best effect on soil moisture reserves, the state crop experts say. But, in some of the more southerly areas of the Plains, surface and sub-soil water is already ample. This is the case in Oklahoma. Most of Missouri and Kansas also have a good start, due to sufficient fall rains and absorption of earlier winter moisture.

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COMING MONDAY — The Odessa Chuck Wagon Gang will whisk their famous chuck wagon here Monday to feed 300 laymen gathered to hear an address from Kirby Page, internationally known author, lecturer and pastor. At Saturday noon 250 tickets had been sold and others can be secured by calling the First Presbyterian church or seeing Charles White at Big Spring Hardware. Dr. Page is scheduled to speak at 7 p. m. to the laymen about Russia, and at 8:15 p. m. at the First Baptist church in a meeting to which the public is invited, he will consider "What God Wants Us to Do About Russia."

Big Spring Man Accepts Spot Of State Alcohol Study Board

A Big Spring man, R. L. Tollett, has accepted a place on the state advisory board of the Yale Institute of Alcohol Studies in the Southwest, joining many other prominent Texas business men in assisting in the work of the agency's research, education and clinical work in alcohol problems.

A joint project of Yale University and Texas Christian University, the Institute works on a scientific research basis, is not concerned with controversial issues of "liquor control." It conducts research on psychological problems related to alcoholism, preventive mental hygiene, assists in clinic activities, and is setting up various educational programs on the alcohol problem.

Searcy R. Whaley of Lubbock, former Big Spring resident who is a field secretary in West Texas for the Institute, said more intensive activities are planned by the agency in this area soon.

Among other Texans serving on the advisory board are A. N. Hendrickson, O. C. Harper and M. C. Ulmer of Midland; C. E. McCutcheon and D. H. Bolin of Wichita Falls; Henry Bell and Joe Seppa of Tyler; A. B. Connell and J. Lee Johnson of Fort Worth; Cancellor

ABClub Hear Plans Of Redhead Game

Committee reports on plans for the basketball game with the All-American Red Heads and two motion picture films highlighted the program at the American Business clubs luncheon session Friday in the Crawford hotel.

Two comedy films were projected by Ted Phillips, and plans were announced for a dinner meeting at the Crawford Wednesday evening. The dinner session is scheduled for 7 p. m.

Ottom Havins was introduced as a new member of the club and C. E. Aldredge was a guest at the Friday session.

Too Big Payroll, Russians Declare

LONDON, Feb. 19. (AP) — Tass said today that Russia's announced withdrawal from the UN World Health Organization (WHO) was because there are too many Britons and Americans on the payroll.

Judge Holds Sale Of Mixed Drinks Illegal In Clubs

DALLAS, Feb. 19. (AP) — A district judge in effect has held illegal the sale of mixed alcoholic drinks in private clubs.

Judge John A. Rawlins yesterday issued a temporary injunction against the suburban club here, preventing the club from selling mixed drinks and from permitting drinking after curfew hours.

The suit was brought by the attorney general to determine whether the Texas liquor control laws apply to private clubs.

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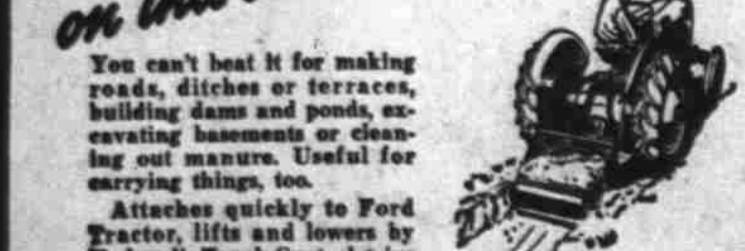
We're not promising the moon, but we'd like to see if we can help you make more money, or save work. We do know that on a good many farms we've been able to make recommendations that worked out profitably.

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WHAT IS PARALYSIS? Paralysis is a disease which affects muscular tissue, which is the only form of tissue which, by shortening itself (contracting) is capable of producing movement. For example, an arm or leg moves because muscular tissue contracts. Paralysis is the inability to move... therefore, it is the inability of muscular tissue to contract.

Here's a curious fact. If you were to examine microscopically a piece of affected muscle, and also a piece of normal muscle, but would find the structure of both to be identical. In other words, in the condition of paralysis, the paralyzed tissue itself reveals no cause of disease. We must look for the cause of paralysis in the mechanism upon which the muscles are dependent for their contraction.

LOCATING THE CAUSE. The first object of the Chiropractor is to locate that point in the nervous system where there is interference in the flow of "commands" from the brain to the paralyzed part. He knows that there is only one point at which this interference can and does occur — and that is, in the spine.

The spine is composed of many movable bony segments. Nerves leading from the brain to each and all parts of the body pass between these segments. When one or more of these bony segments are jolted, pulled or pushed out of their normal position the adjacent nerve fibers are "pinched" and rendered useless thus curtailing the flow of vital forces between brain and one or more parts of the body.

WHY MUSCLES WORK. The Chiropractor knows beyond all doubt that contraction of all muscles in the body is dependent upon one thing only and that is upon the "messages" or "commands" which are "telegraphed" to the muscles by the brain. For example, we decide to move our hand, and immediately the brain telegraphs this "command" to the muscles and they contract. This is true of the muscles of the legs, the arms, the neck, and even though we may be unconscious of the fact, every muscle, even those of the heart, stomach and intestines, must receive "commands" before they can produce movement.

REMOVING THE CAUSE. The trained and experienced Chiropractor is able to determine the exact point of nerve interference in your spine. And having located it, he has the skill to remove it. By careful and precise adjustment with his hands only, he restores the misplaced segments of the spine to their normal position. This releases the pressure upon the nerves and contact is reestablished between the brain and the dis-eased part. Health can be the only possible result.

It is the nervous system over which these "commands" from the brain are carried to the muscles. For example: If, through some interference with the nervous system, "commands" from the brain are not reaching the muscles of the leg, then the leg will be paralyzed.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION concerning the modern Chiropractor and what he can do for you. Phone 418. Appointment only.

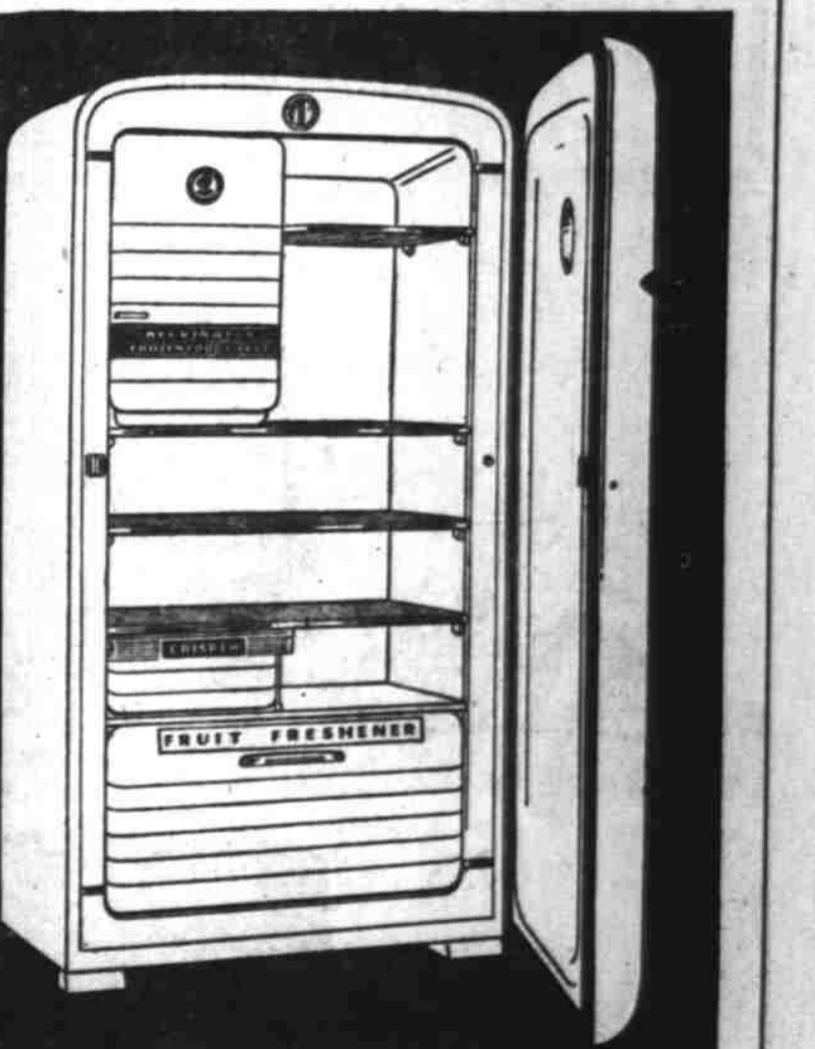
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Many Being Served At Welfare Clinic

His eyes sparkled, his voice radiated faith—this little Latin-American lad—as he looked up and said: "Doctor, make for me the shot."

He was one of the many who have made their way to Kate Morrison school of a Thursday afternoon during the past three years to receive services of a welfare clinic.

Unknown to many people outside the northwest quarter of Big Spring, the clinic has been carrying on a health service without charge under direction of Dr. Nell Sanders, Mrs. Louise Horton, health nurse, and Mrs. Marie Christoffers, nurse. Mrs. Norton and Mrs. Christoffers are associated with the local city-county division of the Midland-Ector-Howard county health unit.

Furnished without charge to the people it serves, the clinic has achieved a record of 3,585 immunizations since its inception. It has had a revolutionary effect on several infections, previously common among the underprivileged.

Not a case of diphtheria has been reported from that section since the clinic began its work. Mrs. Horton quoted from records of infectious diseases. Smallpox, once all too common in that sector has been eliminated virtually. Although whooping cough was once rampant in the neighborhood, not one of the children who submitted to immunizations against it contracted the ailment.

Of the total number submitting to immunizations, 884 failed to complete the required number. Among those who did complete, however, were 496 who were given typhoid shots, 1,002 who were given smallpox vaccinations, 86 for whooping cough, 455 for diphtheria (and 360 for Shick tests to test validity of the diphtheria immunization). In addition, 192 were given tuberculin patch tests and had the results interpreted.

Not all who come to the clinic are given immunizations, for there are other health problems. Many have feeding situations, particularly among the babies. Mrs. Horton and Mrs. Christoffers follow up cases of indigents who need further evaluation.

Very few except the indigents report to the clinic for aid, and those who are economically able are referred to their physician for treatment and immunization.

Dr. Sanders gives each Thursday afternoon to the work, and she praised the teachers of Kate Morrison school for their cooperation in encouraging the underprivileged families to visit the clinic. Rev. Theo Francis and Rev. George Julian, former Catholic pastor, have also aided in groundwork among the people, she said.

Volunteer workers are encouraged to help in the clinic work, but few have stuck with it over any considerable length of time. Helpers however, would be welcomed.

The clinic was begun in May 1945 and has functioned continuously since. Mrs. N. Fisher, nurse, helped until she moved to Chicago. No color line is drawn, and many among the Negro population have been served. Cases have ranged from individuals to the Latin-American mother who came with all 14 of her children trailing.

Motor Vehicle Output Totals 108,962 Units

DETROIT, Feb. 19. (AP)—Motor vehicle output in the United States this week will total 108,962 units, ward's automotive reports estimated today.

The total will be made up of 82,788 cars and 26,174 trucks, the agency said. This will compare with last week's 78,592 cars and 26,296 trucks. In the same week a year ago the factories turned out 76,829 cars and 29,597 trucks.



COLORADO CITY STARTS A NEW DAM—Dirt was turned this past week to mark a formal start of a new dam four and a half miles southwest of Colorado City, where will be impounded 30,000 acre feet of water in a lake some seven miles in length. Being constructed by Texas Electric Service company on Morgan Creek, the reservoir will make possible not only a steam-electric power generating station, but — through a water-sale contract — will provide Colorado City with sorely needed domestic water. Joining in the earth-turning ceremonies were Green Delane (left) Colorado City's oldest citizen; Walker Dabbs (right) one of the town's newest citizens and E. V. Spencer (center) chairman of the State Board of Water Engineers. (Photo by Jack M. Haynes).

Taylor Arouses BPW Club Ire

CORSICANA, Feb. 19. (AP)—State Senator James E. Taylor was accused today of "hiding behind his wife's skirts" on the question of jury service for women.

He wrote separate letters to members of the Business and Professional Women's club here: "Since I have to live with Mrs. Taylor, I don't intend to vote for an amendment which would require her to accept jury duty whether she wanted to or not."

Mrs. Ethel Hook, district court clerk and club chairman of a committee pushing the bill, made the charge that Taylor was "hiding behind his wife's skirt."

Support of the amendment was a major objective of the club.

In his letter to the Corsicana women, Taylor wrote that he had no objection "whatsoever to your serving on a jury if you want to," but added that he would not support the measure.

Mrs. L. S. Cooper, chairman of the club, branded Taylor's reply as "a flimsy excuse."

"Sen. Taylor wasn't sent to Austin to represent his wife," she retorted. "It is my understanding he was elected to represent the sixth district, of which Corsicana is a part."

"I think he should not allow his personal feelings regarding the welfare of his wife to enter into his belief."

"I wouldn't mind it so much if he opposed the jury bill on some real foundation, or if he had some real reason for opposing it. But to say he opposes it because he doesn't want his wife to be called for jury duty is absurd," she said.

Georgian Claims He Was Flogged By Masked Band

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Feb. 19. (AP)—A 29-year-old white steelworker claims that robed and masked men lashed him near his Lytle, Ga., home but Sheriff W. F. Hermon of nearby Lafayette, Ga., says he hasn't "heard anything about it."

Bill Howard, father of three children, reluctantly described the beating to a Chattanooga Times reporter. He said the hooded men accused him of abusing his mother, but his wife asserted "that's not so."

"They grabbed Bill and took him down the road," Mrs. Howard related, leaving welts and bruises on his body from about 30 licks with a leather belt.

Four Sherman Men Face Hearings For Grain Theft

SHERMAN, Feb. 19. (AP)—Four Sherman men will face hearings Monday in two grain theft cases. The cases will be heard in 59th District Court.

M. A. Hudson and C. K. Denison are charged with theft and swindling in the first case.

Charged with similar offenses in the second case are Ben and Dub Milner.

The four are among 18 Grayson County men indicted in Collin County in connection with transactions at a mill in McKinney during the fall of 1947.

Texas Seaman Killed In Motor Car Accident

PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 19. (AP)—Glen G. Caster, about 20, seaman first class, of Casper Wyo., was killed and Sam H. Weaver, 21, Brashear, Tex., also a first class seaman, seriously injured in an automobile accident early this morning.

Both men were stationed at the Naval Air Depot, San Diego, Calif.

Dewey Flays Health Plan

NEW YORK, Feb. 19. (AP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey says that President Truman's proposals for national health insurance and government-built steel plants are "steps to totalitarianism."

Dewey told the University of Michigan Club of New York last night that the two measures amount to "socialized medicine and nationalization of the steel industry."

The country's educational system, he said, must teach people "to distinguish between progress and totalitarianism."

Earlier, in an extemporaneous speech before the New York Federation of Republican Women's Clubs, Dewey accused the Truman administration of introducing "creeping socialism."

He said the Democrats are providing "security for the body and none for the mind."

The administration supported Murray-Wagner-Dingell bill for health insurance, he said, is "designed to reduce doctors to the status of government bureaucrats" and initiate "slave medicine."

Flight Cancelled

HOUSTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—Bad weather today forced Speed Flier Paul Manitz to postpone until Monday his attempt for a record flight to Mexico City.

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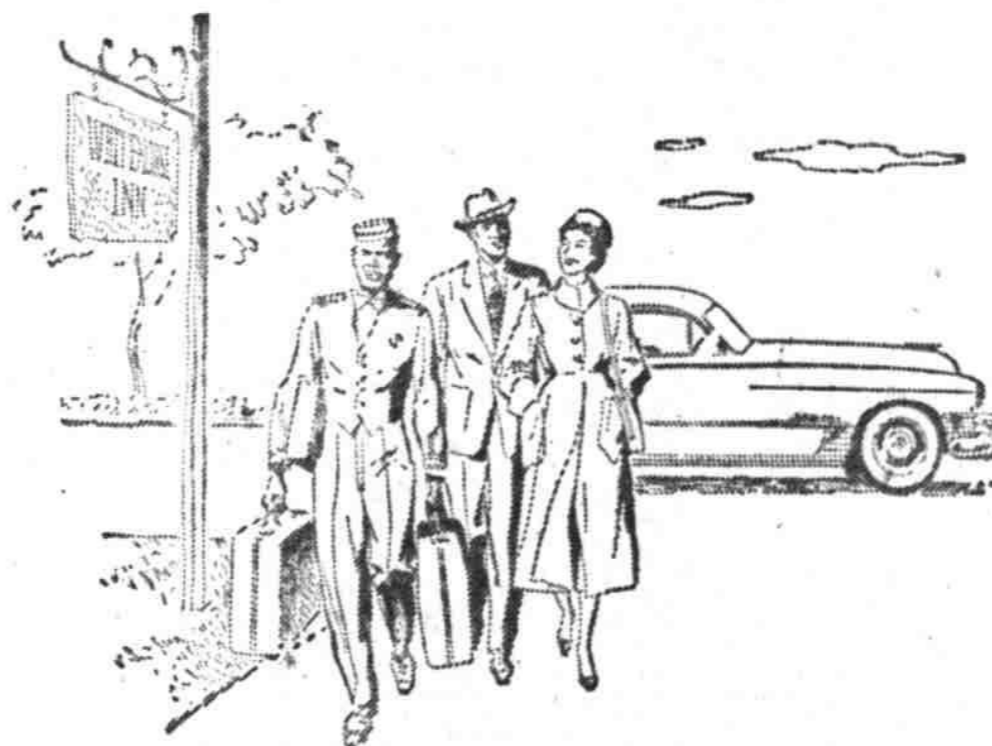
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Lions Turn On Steam For Minstrel Show

With "minstrel days" less than two weeks away, Lions club members are turning on steam toward production of their second annual production.

Under the direction of Rex Van, a veteran minstrel man who shaped the last year's hit show, the minstrel is taking form rapidly for presentations March 3-4 at the city auditorium.

At least 60 voices will be in the black-face, costumed chorus and approximately 10 specialty numbers have been booked. Van has been polishing gags and mannerisms for Joe Blum, Bob Satterwhite, Joe Fowler Brooks, Bill Dawes, who will serve as end men along with Dallas Whaley, Lubbock, and Van.

A variety of melodic and spirited tunes are being mastered by the chorus, and this week members will be expected to get gestures down pat.

Among the feature acts will be a brief recital by George Warner, Amarillo, pianist with Major Bowes, Ted Weems and Paul Whiteman; Munson Compton, Big Spring, former tenor with name orchestras; Joe Fowler Brooks, talented young man who has had professional stage experience; Mrs. DeAlva Graham, Abilene, soprano and formerly of Big Spring; Dallas Whaley, Lubbock, who was returned by popular demand; Bob Kramer, "Shortnin' Bread" artist; Bill Dawes, former Lions president; a quartet composed of S. K. Whaley, Dr. Chas. Deats, Dawes and Dan Conley; vocal by S. K. Whaley; a Dixieland band under direction of J. W. King, Jr.; and skits by Van, who was a member of the original "Two Black Crow" team.

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TOT HURLED FROM BRIDGE RECOVERS — Gail Nicoletti, 5, whose father hurled her from a 125-foot high Brooklyn bridge last Jan. 7, laughs gaily as she plays with her toys in a Brooklyn hospital. Her six-year-old brother Arthur, who also was thrown, and the father, Gabriel, who leaped after them, were killed. (AP Wirephoto).

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Cotton Shipments To China Resumed

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—Foreign Aid Administrator Paul G. Hoffman today ordered that shipment of \$15 million worth of cotton to China be resumed. Shipments have been halted more than a week due to the fighting in China.

Cotton shippers, who had feared loss of the contracts, were told by telegram to make deliveries to Shanghai through this month and into March.

Harlan Cleveland, director of the China office of the Economic Co-operation Administration, said ECA has satisfied itself that the supply situation in Shanghai permits resumption of the cargoes.

The suspension of shipping was ordered, he said, because ECA did not want to have large stockpiles accumulating in China in view of the "unsettled conditions" there.

About 100,000 bales were involved. More than 10,000 bales were afloat when the cut-off was ordered; ECA considered diverting them to Japan. The rest was ready for loading.

The shippers had been assured that ECA, in any case, would protect them against loss even though it might involve ECA purchasing shipment to Europe or elsewhere.

The agency several weeks ago halted wheat and flour shipments to China when the entry port to Peiping and Tientsin, the major wheat-consuming areas, became inaccessible. Harbor lighters at the Port of Taku Bar had been confiscated by Chinese Nationalist forces in their battle against the Communist armies.

Friends Help Boy With Measles Win At Sterling City

STERLING CITY, Feb. 19.—Sixteen-year-old Henry Bilzinek won plenty of honors at the Sterling County livestock show Saturday, but he wasn't on hand to receive them.

The 4-H Club boy had measles. Friends showed his livestock for him, however, and the youngster's crossbred lamb was named grand champion. Bilzinek also received a blue ribbon for his yearling Quarter Horse colt. The J. T. Davis cup was awarded him for feeding out the champion lamb.

Clinton Hodges, 14-year-old son of Fred Hodges, Rambouillet breeder, was named Sterling County Gold Star boy of the year. President of the 4-H Club and a sophomore in high school, Clinton has 40 registered Rambouillet ewes of his own and showed the championship fleece at the 1948 Sonora Wool Show.

Million Dollar Tuna Fishing Fleet To Sail From Houston

HOUSTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—A million dollar tuna fishing fleet with flying eyes will leave here Monday for its maiden trip to the tuna banks off the South American west coast.

The fleet is the first tuna fishing outfit rigged in the Gulf of Mexico.

Four vessels, a mother ship and three fishing boats, make up the fleet.

The mother ship is equipped with two light planes which will circle above the fleet to spot tuna schools. Locations will be radioed to the fishermen.

A crew of 35 operates the mother ship, the Oceanic, which has a capacity of 1,750 tons of tuna.

Officer Acquitted Of Mistreating GIs

FORT MEADE, Md., Feb. 19. (AP)—Lt. Col. George E. Pinard of Westinghouse Springs, S. D., has been acquitted on charges of mistreating American soldiers in a disciplinary barracks at Wurzburg, Germany.

WEEK'S BUSINESS

Repairs Set Lead In City Building

Demands for city building permits were considerably stronger last week, although most projects listed were for repair work. The 19 permits issued, however, included one new commercial structure and one new residence. Estimated cost total for the week was \$16,305, which advanced the year's total to \$272,145.

The Texas Employment Commission office received 35 new work applications and 25 new job orders during the week. The office made 63 referrals which resulted in 32 placements. Fifty-seven claims actions for unemployment compensation were handled and 339 active applications for work were on file at the end of the week. Reception contacts at the local office totaled 569 during last week. Openings listed at the end of the week included a service station attendant and an experienced stenographer.

Eight warranty deeds were recorded in the county clerk's office during the week. They involved real estate transactions which totalled \$15,877, which increased the 1949 total to \$337,714.20.

Passenger automobiles again accounted for most of the new motor vehicles registrations. The county tax assessor-collector's office issued licenses for 20 cars, four trucks, one motorcycle and one motorcoter during the week.

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Due to the increasing number of inquiries being made of our members, in regard to the carpenter labor being used on the local housing project in the Merrick-Green Addition, Carpenter Local Union No. 1634 feels that we should issue a public statement in an effort to help clear up any misunderstanding that has developed in the mind of some of our friends.

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A just, practical minimum standards law for Texas is now pending before the State Legislature. This law would simply require that anyone who wishes to practice any branch of the healing art must prove that he possesses at least fundamental knowledge of the human anatomy, disease, the effect of drugs, and other basic sciences.

In other words, the bill — just as its name implies — sets up *minimum standards* in the basic sciences common to all branches of the healing arts. A practitioner of any branch of the healing art would be required by law to meet those minimum standards. If he does not meet those standards, your health would be endangered in his hands.

No such legal protection is guaranteed the people of Texas today.

An examination would guarantee that an applicant meets these minimum standards. It would be given by a qualified and impartial board. No partiality or preference would be shown by the board because its members would not be practitioners of any branch of the healing art, but instead would be science teachers from the staffs of our own leading Texas schools such as Texas, Texas A. & M., Texas Tech, Rice, S. M. U., Baylor, T. C. U., and so on. The Governor would name the examining board from the people who teach these subjects. What could be fairer?

The Minimum Standards Bill is *not against anyone*. It is *for the public*. It will help guarantee to you that all future practitioners prove they are basically qualified to treat you when your life may be at stake.

For your health's sake, urge your State Legislators to vote for the Minimum Standards Bill.

YOUR INQUIRIES ARE WELCOMED:
If you would like to have additional information regarding the Minimum Standards Bill, write or phone the secretary of this society.

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Blankenship

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controversial matters such as competence of the administrators, as well as classroom teachers. We looked at the report made two years ago by outside, qualified educators who gave our schools a rating far above the average of 200 other schools on practically every phase of operation with the exception of buildings and facilities.

"We inquired into gossip that graduates of the Big Spring high school cannot compete in institutions of higher learning. Of reports received so far from colleges and universities which our graduates are attending, only two out of 36 were shown to have failed. The board of education has given our schools a high rating and colleges and universities have advised us that they are glad to have our graduates. Similarly, we have a recent report that the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools that Big Spring high school has again met all standards without reservation. These records are at the administrative office and the public is invited to see them."

He asserted that Blankenship was recognized as "an educator and administrator of the highest type by our own state education department. He served four terms or 12 years on the executive committee of the Texas State Teachers association; has been and still is a member of the Gilmer-Alken committee on administration; is on the advisory committee of region No. 2 for the Interscholastic League; was an organizer and first president of the West Texas Teachers association."

Recounting that the board had pledged "its support 100 per cent toward operation of your schools and working out of a better public relations between the schools and people," Miller added that "we

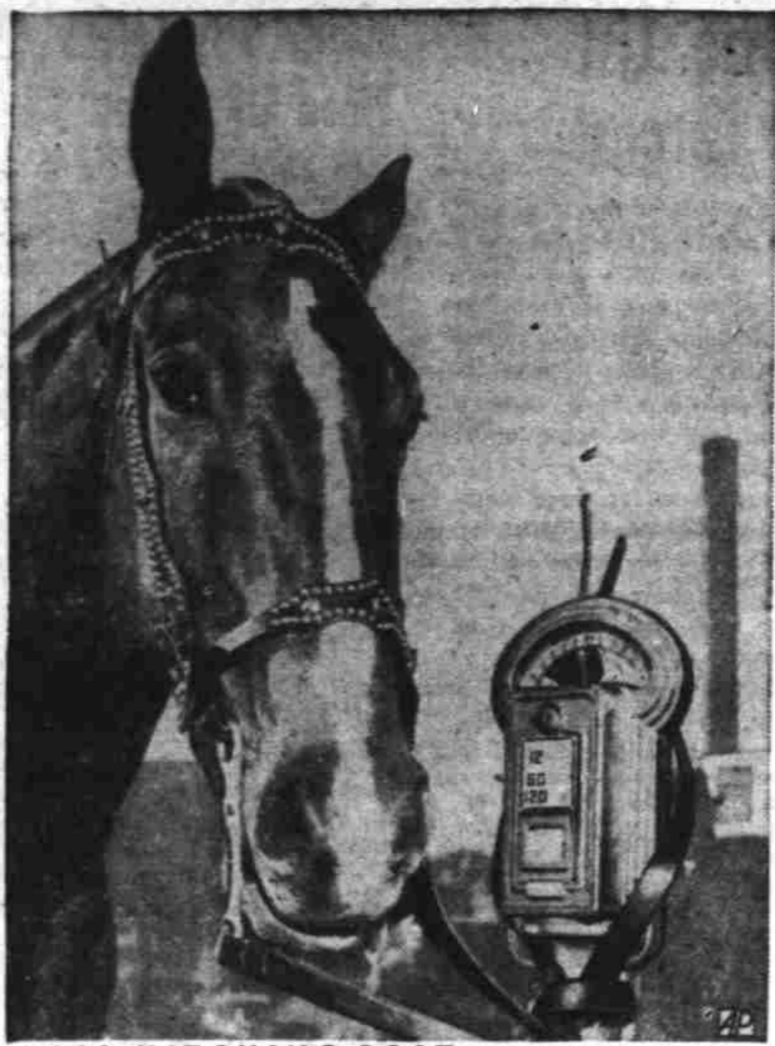
shall strive towards continued improvement in the staff and curriculum." He urged patrons to visit schools, to bidly ask the board of administration for questions when rumors were encountered, particularly before relaying them.

It was the hope of the board that the superintendent could be relieved of overburdening detailed work "so that he may devote his talents toward administration and guidance of the school program so that we shall have a school program of which we can be proud."

He then pointed to a review of budgetary matters in light of a board feeling that additional classrooms are needed sorely. Eight cents would finance \$175,000 to \$200,000 in bonds without disturbing maintenance (operation) funds he said, add out of the current \$1.50 tax rate. "After this year," he continued, "when the last payment of \$22,000 is to be made for the over-assessment in 1947, it is felt that ample funds will be available for operation of the schools." Delinquent tax collections are such as to enable prompt action "if proper petitions are presented and the issue approved at the polls."

"We need 26 classrooms," he observed. "It is impossible to fill complete needs, but a start must be made. If bond money is made available, we will build as many classrooms as is humanly possible. Perhaps in a few years the way will be clear to consider a new high school so the present one may be used for junior high purposes and automatically relieve additional elementary classroom crowding."

On behalf of the board, he said, "We plead with citizens and patrons of the district to work with and for a better school system. Let us be constructive and helpful in our remarks and conversation, and all cooperate for better schools and a better Big Spring."



1949 HITCHING POST — The Machine Age has caught up with the old hitching post and Dobbin is just a "vehicle." Here's "Vic" tethered in Webster, Mass.—to a parking meter.

H. T. Cothern Attends Humble Sales Parley

H. T. Cothern, Big Spring zone salesman for Humble Oil and Refining company, returned this week-end from Galveston where he attended Humble's annual sales and cost conference, February 14-17.

The conference was held in the Galvez Hotel for sales department supervisory personnel from all over Texas and for executives from Humble's home office in Houston. According to sales figures reviewed at the conference, 1948 was a record period in Humble's marketing history.

Cub Pack 29 Banquet To Be Held Thursday

Blue and Gold banquet for Cub pack No. 29 has been set for 6:30 p. m. Thursday at the First Methodist church. Carl Gross, cubmaster, said that program details were shaping and that den mothers would be in charge of food arrangements. Parents and Cubs are to participate in the affair, he said.

Fort Worth Man Named YMCA Head

FORT WORTH, Feb. 19. (AP) — W. B. Todd, of Fort Worth today was elected president of the YMCA Southwest Council in a concluding session of a two-day conference here.

Todd succeeds Tom Medders of Wichita Falls as area president. Other officers include first vice president, Ed L. Klein of Oklahoma City; second vice president, Theodore Harris of Houston, and secretary, W. G. Maupin of Hot Springs, Ark.

Texas Holds To Mark As Prosperous State

AUSTIN, Feb. 19. (AP) — Hiring of 1,426 persons by 48 new firms which began operating in Texas last month set the highest new employment figure since August of last year, the Texas Employment Commission reported today.

14 Die As Planes Collide In Mid-Air

COVENTRY, Eng., Feb. 19. (AP) — A British airliner and a Royal Air Force trainer bomber collided at 2,000 feet in a clear sky today, killing all 14 occupants of the two planes.

In Hospital

Mrs. J. W. Carpenter, pioneer resident of Big Spring, underwent a major operation at a local hospital Saturday afternoon. Her condition was reported as serious but as good as could be expected.

MUCH STUDY

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structor, who aided in editing the document.

Dates for the closing of school were approved. The senior session will be held May 22, Senior Day May 23, senior commencement May 25, and eighth grade promotion May 26.

Resignation of W. R. Dawes, eighth grade instructor, was accepted on recommendation of Blankenship. In a letter of appreciation to the superintendent and board, Dawes said he had been tendered another position which offered financial advancement he could ill afford to decline. Originally Dawes was connected with the system as public school music director, and last year as assistant high school principal. At his request, he was transferred to an eighth grade assignment last autumn, being replaced at high school by Roy Worley.

His successor will be Dixie Boyd, Denton, who was elected by the board. She has had approximately 11 years experience and lacks only her thesis on her masters work, said Blankenship. From 1942-47 she was connected with the American Red Cross as field worker at St. Louis and in the VA hospital at Chicago. Former teaching assignments include Eden, Paint Rock, Denton county.

The board was positive in pointing to the need for additional elementary buildings. Observing that "we all would like to see a new high school," Miller said that it was not economically feasible at this time. "If we could build it, we still would lack at least a dozen classrooms in meeting elementary needs."

Of the \$1.50 tax rate, 15 cents now goes to amortizing outstanding bonds. An additional eight cents levy for the capital account could finance a \$200,000 issue on an estimated 88 per cent collection, said Miller. He estimated that needed new buildings, additions or remodeling would cost around \$175,000, leaving the remainder for furniture, equipment, and land. The board let it be known it would be in a receptive mood for an election petition.

Other problems were discussed informally at the three and a half hour meeting, including means of getting at an annoying problem of petty theft and of strengthening teacher-parent relations. Decision on the remainder of the administrative staff and head coach was delayed until next meeting.

Long-Dry Kansans Due To Drink Soon

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 19. (AP) — Long-dry Kansans may drink legal liquor next week.

The state senate will act Monday on a bill approved Friday by the house of representatives to end 68 years of prohibition.

The senate previously passed the bill but will have to act on minor house amendments. The bill will provide for package stores in incorporated areas.

Gov. Frank Carlson has already indicated he'll sign the bill to carry out the wishes of voters who

trooped to the polls last November to vote repeal.

One of the first states to adopt prohibition, Kansas has monopolized political interest for years in the wet-dry struggle.

At the turn of the century Mrs. Carry Nation achieved nationwide fame when she carried on a hatchet campaign to smash saloons operating in defiance of the laws.

In a 1934 vote voters failed to repeal the long-standing laws, but in 1937 the legislature modified the laws to permit sale of non-alcoholic beer.

The new bill, with a provision to repeal the bone-dry laws, will permit possession of liquor upon signing, although package sale will await establishment of a control board.

Charro Days Open In Brownsville Next Thursday

BROWNSVILLE, Feb. 19. (AP) — Charro Days, Brownsville's annual celebration colored by the costumes and gaiety of Old Mexico, begins Thursday with music and entertainment in the streets.

The dress of that gentleman cowboy, the Charro, and the China Poblana (his lady) are a traditional part of the festival.

City Man Arrested On Morals Charge

Phillip C. Slusser, who practices chiropractic here, was arrested by county authorities here Friday afternoon on a charge of sodomy. Bond was set at \$10,000.

County Attorney Elton Gilliland accused Slusser of molesting three minors, aged 15, 14 and ten years, after the youths signed statements. The youths accused Slusser of forcing his attentions on them over a long period of time. The acts, they added, took place both in his home and during long rides over the countryside in his car.

All claimed they had lived with the accused at one time or another and had accepted gifts from him. Parents of the ten-year old boy left their son with Slusser and are believed to be somewhere in South Texas.

Stock Market Show Strong Come-Back

NEW YORK, Feb. 19. (AP) — A Skittish stock market took the longest stride ahead this week in a month. It was high time, too, in the view of Wall Street. Last week, with the air full of talk of deflation, recession, unemployment, high taxes and the like, the market settled down to the lowest average level in around 11 months.

The outlook of the financial district brightened a bit this week and around \$900 million was added to the market value of all stocks listed on the exchange.

PUBLIC RECORDS

Building Permits
A. F. Hill, to re-roof house at 1101 E. 2nd, \$200.
Church of God, to move frame building from 1207 W. 24th to 909 N. Hummel, \$400.
C. G. Griffin, to re-roof house at 1008 Greig, \$200.
Mrs. L. Freeman, to re-roof house at 500 Nolan, \$200.
J. J. Richardson, to build frame house at 1002 Lancaster, \$600.
J. A. Adams, to build frame building at 1007 W. 24th, \$1,000.

WEATHER

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy today, tonight and Monday; little change in temperature.
High today 75, low tonight 48, high tomorrow 72.
Highest temperature this date, 81 in 1922; lowest this date, 17 in 1905; maximum rainfall this date, .25 in 1932.

CITY	Max	Min
Amario	54	30
Amesbury	54	30
Big Spring	75	42
Chicago	44	32
Denver	60	28
Fort Worth	67	32
Galveston	68	58
Houston	68	58
St. Louis	58	40
San Antonio	58	36
Sun sets today at 6:38 p. m. rises Monday at 7:23 a. m.		

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: EMIL KRENECK, GREETING:
You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition as or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 45 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday the 6th day of April, A. D., 1949, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, at the Court House in Big Spring, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 22nd day of January, 1949.
The file number of said suit being No. 8909.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Estate Kreneck as Plaintiff, and Emil Kreneck as Defendant.
The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:
For divorce, Plaintiff alleges 1 year actual inhabitance in Texas, and residence in Howard County 6 months next preceding filing of case, alleging marriage on March 19, 1940, and that she quit Defendant's conduct was of such a cruel nature as to render her further living with him impossible; further alleging that Lot 5, Block 9, Boydstun Addition, Big Spring, Texas, is her separate property.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unexecuted.
I, J. D. Adams, Clerk of said Court, do hereby certify that I have caused this citation to be published in the 18th day of February, A. D., 1949.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring, Texas, this 18th day of February, A. D., 1949.
J. D. Adams, Clerk
District Court, Howard County, Texas
By Melba Reed, Deputy

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SAN ANGELO, TEXAS

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 - Rodeo Performance Daily, 2:00 p.m.
 - Calf and Breeding Sheep Judging, Mar. 3
 - Lamb, Hereford, and Brahman Cattle Judging, Mar. 4
 - Pig and Angus Cattle Judging, Mar. 5
 - Boys' Fat Stock Sale, Mar. 7

Ticket Prices:

- Season Boxes (6 seats) \$60.00
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- Bleacher 2.00
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Rigid Rules Cover Show Competition

Rigid rules govern competition of 4-H club boys and Future Farmers of America in submitting entries for the 12th annual Howard County Livestock show which starts here Monday.

Those entering calves, lambs or capons must have owned the chattels for at least 100 days prior to the opening day of the show Monday. They must be active members of 4-H clubs or FFA chapters, and must enter the animals under the prescribed class according to age.

Weighing started Saturday and each entrant was given a ticket designating official weight and class. They are under obligation not to remove any animal until 10 p. m. Tuesday evening until after the sale.

Exhibitors are required to maintain clean, well-bedded stalls and to refrain from keeping any material such as bedrolls, boxes, etc. in aisles. Only the bona fide owner can show the animal or bird in the ring at time of judging unless too ill to do so or in case where

he or she shall have two entries in the same class.

A sifting committee has the right to refuse entry to any animal or capon deemed below minimum standards for showing. Signs are permitted over each exhibit. Failure to have entrants in the ring when called can result in disqualification. Any interference with the judges can result in the management demanding withdrawal of the offending entrant and exhibitor.

If a class has too few entries to equal number of awards posted, then the judge may place them at whatever rank he believes they deserve.

Competitors Must Be Under Age Of 21

One by-product of feeding for 4-H and FFA livestock work is the necessity of keeping accurate records.

It is not enough for a boy or girl to simply put out a ration each day and come up with a fat animal or bird at show time.

Precise figures on amounts of grains, supplements, forage, etc. consumed, the cost of feeds, improvements, and similar expenses must be chronicled. After the animal is sold, the young feeder then must figure income against expense (including cost of animal).

Another by-product of feeding is the lessons learned in techniques, in how to increase grain gradually as the animal or bird gets on a feed, how certain excesses can throw the animal off feed, how ailments can crop up and must be faced, how that the job is a continuous mixture of work and knowledge.

A lesson in good sportsmanship is another result, for not everyone can win first prize and those who fall short are encouraged to see why they didn't make the grade.

Prize List Is Largest

Prize list for the 12 annual 4-H club and FFA Livestock show probably is the most attractive ever offered for such an event here.

Premiums will be awarded to the first 10 places in three classes of beef steers, two classes of capons and five classes of lambs. In addition, champions and reserve champions of the three major divisions will receive extra premiums, and other prizes will be offered for showmanship and for the best kept stall and aisle in the barns.

Premium for the grand champion steer will be \$40, while the reserve champion will receive \$25. Grand champion lamb and capon will be awarded \$10 and \$3, respectively, and reserve champion lamb will receive \$5 and reserve champion capon \$2.

Premiums in the three steer classes will start at \$12 for first place. Second place animals will be awarded \$10, and other placements through 10th will reduce by \$1.

First place capons will receive \$2, second place \$1.75, third place \$1.50, fourth \$1.25, fifth \$1 and others through 10th 50-cents each. First place lambs will receive \$5, second place \$4, third place \$3, fourth place \$2 and others through 10th \$1 each. A prize of \$5 will be awarded for the champion fine wool lamb.

First place showmanship award is \$20, while second place will receive \$15 and third place \$10. A prize of \$15 will be awarded for the best kept stall and aisle in the show barns.

Postal Nominations

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—Postmaster nominations sent the Senate yesterday by President Truman included John O. Bier, Plainview; Irvin L. Hergert, Perryton; Opal F. Roberson, Temple; Granville W. Elder, Houston, and Thomas G. Sandel, Huntsville.

Judge Says He's Tired Of Tilden

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 19. (AP)—Making it more emphatic, former tennis king Bill Tilden is serving two one-year sentences in county jail.

The graying athlete, now 58, yesterday received another one year term on his guilty plea to molesting a 16-year-old boy last Jan. 28. A week ago Tilden was similarly sentenced for violating probation on a previous charge. The two sentences will run concurrently.

"When you get out of jail, get out of town or do something," Judge A. A. Scott told Tilden. "I'm getting tired of having complaints on you. Some day you may be found dead. Somebody might take a pot shot at you."

The American Woman Suffrage Association passed out of existence in 1920 when women received the vote. Its place was taken by the National League of Women Voters.

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Member Can Sell Only One Steer

Competition by exhibitors in the 12th annual Howard County 4-H Club and FFA show here Monday and Tuesday is restricted to members in these organizations who are under 21 years of age.

This requirement is imposed to make sure that the show is restricted to junior competition.

No member may sell more than one steer in the auction sale which culminates the show Tuesday evening. The limit is enforced to make sure that all competitors who place have a chance to share in sale bids. Similarly, there is a two lamb and one capon limit.

Ellington Air Base To Be Re-activated

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—Air Force officials notified Rep. Poage (D-Tex.) today that Ellington Base, Houston, will be activated as an air navigation training center, and that the San Marcos base soon will be placed on an inactive status.

Income Tax Refunds Over \$8 Millions

DALLAS, Feb. 19. (AP)—Income tax refunds so far this year from the Dallas Collector of Internal Revenue total \$8,000,715 to 152,856 individuals.

The refunds were among income tax overpayments, Kirby H. Jackson, chief office deputy, said yesterday.



The First National Bank Salutes This Valuable Organization

You young men are in a field that will always rank "tops" not only in West Texas, but throughout the nation. We are proud of you and your accomplishments ... and we hope that your Twelfth Annual Livestock Show here Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, February 20, 21 and 22, will be one of the most successful ever held.

Too, we hope that you will return to your respective communities filled with a new desire to carry on and not only be ready to accept every approved method introduced for your work, but do your part in creating and developing new ideas and plans for advancement of better cattle raising and farming.

Our hats are off to you for still greater accomplishments in years to come.

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Welcome Visitors
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12th ANNUAL
Calf, Lamb and Capon
Show and Sale

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Feb. 20, 21, 22

Come and See What The 4-H Club Boys and Girls Have Accomplished In The Past Year.



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FROM ALL OVER COUNTY

Entries Represent Every Community

Entries of 4-H club members in the 12th annual Howard County Livestock show will represent virtually every community in the county.

The tentative list booked for competition shows 22 club members with 30 entries in the beef steer division, 35 club members with 60 entries in the capon division and 21 with 40 entries in the sheep division.

Several of the club members have entries in all three divisions, and in some cases they will compete in more than one weight class of each division.

The 4-H club entries are as follows: Beef steers—James Cauble, Ronnie Davidson, Martin Fryar, Marilyn Guitlar, Reppy Guitlar, Burrell Hull, Royce Hull, Bennett Moore, Delbert Davidson, Donald Denton, Billy Fryar, James Fryar, Travis Fryar, Raymond Phillips, Lowie Rice, Lloyd Robinson, Perry Walker, Jimmie White, Wayne White, Vernon Wolf, Jack Wolf and Hollis Yates.

Lambs: Connie Crow, Marcus Crow, Peggy Crow, William Crow, Delbert Davidson, Ronnie Davidson, Billy Fryar, James Fryar, Martin Fryar, Melvin Fryar, Delroy Buchanan, Travis Fryar, Bob Garrett, Sue Garrett, David Hodnett, Richard Hodnett, Barbara Lewter, Don Lockhart, Gene Lockhart, Tom Lockhart, Don Neil Lay, Jessie Overton, Raymond Phillips, Darrell Robinson Mac Robinson, Vaneil Scott, Kenneth Scott and Billie Jean Walker.

Capon: Weldon Appleton, Woodie Caffey, Connie Crow, William Crow, Delbert Davidson, Ronnie Davidson, Bill Dement, Billy Fryar, James Fryar, Martin Fryar, Travis Fryar, Julius Glickman, Frank B. Griffith, Marilyn Guitlar, Presley Guitlar, Reppy Guitlar, Bob Layfield, Jackie Leard, Charles W. Lewis, Dean Porter, Lewis Porter, Muey Dearl Posey, Tommy Porter, Darrell Robinson, Mac Robinson, Jerry Roman, Jackie Shirley, Howard Smith, Robert Solomon, Jerris Springfield, Wayne Stalcup, Quentin Stanley, Jimmie White, Neil Fryar.

CERTAIN CHARACTERISTICS GUIDE JUDGES IN DECISION

There are certain characteristics for which judges and observers will watch in fat baby heaves on exhibit at the Howard County 4-H Club and FFA show Monday and Tuesday.

In the case of a beef, one of the primary considerations is amount and condition of flesh, for after all meat is the objective of feeding. Another is conformity—that is the relation of the various parts of the animals to others and to an ideal of producing the greatest amount of better grade cuts of meat.

Much the same sort of thing is to be looked for in type. Club calves have a tendency to be "typy," that is with wide front and head, short neck, short legs, low flanks and deep twist (depth from the tail to the crotch). The ideal is to achieve a block effect in the finished animal.

Lambs, too, must be blocked and show good type as well as flesh. There is the additional point of judging the wool, for objective is to not only produce good meat but good wool as well.

Capon, which are nothing more than emasculated cockerels, are judged for size, conformity, and finish. Calves get additional consideration for bloom, or brightness of color, and capons, too, must show that plus glint in feathers to reflect vigor and health.

PUBLIC RECORDS

Building Permits
 Otis Gossell, to build open porch at 509 Donley, \$100.
 Edward Anderson, to build open porch at 207 Granddell, \$50.
 Wayne O. Pearce, to build frame garage at 1805 Lancaster, \$500.
 W. W. Bennett, to build frame house at 709 E. 12th, \$3,800.
 Dick Simpson, to move frame house from 209 Johnson outside city, \$25.
 Coahoma Schools, to move two buildings through city, \$200.
 W. E. Sullivan, to demolish garage at 1804 Johnson, \$16.
 W. E. Sullivan, to build frame garage at 1804 Johnson, \$200.
 Merchants' Fast Motor Lines, to build steel building at 709 East Second, \$4,000.
 Manuel Pugs, to demolish building at 509 N. Main, \$100.
 C. T. Isaacs, to move frame building from 101 West 8th to 207 N. Nolan, \$600.
 R. L. Chavez, to move frame building from 605 NW 9th to 202 NE 8th, \$40.
 Barney Echols, to build addition to house at 1919 W. 8th, \$150.
Marriage Licenses
 C. C. Brown and Mrs. Ruby Lee Smith, Big Spring.

Warranty Deeds
 Dora E. Pugs et vir to Manuel V. Puga part of Tract 33 Wm. E. Curtis Sub. D. BE-4 Sect 45 Bk 38 Tap 1-N T & P. \$107.
 M. E. Tindal et ux to J. M. Cramer Lot 1 Bk 14 Saunders add. Coahoma, \$1,200.
 Cora M. Holmes to Brent Melton Lot 1-2 Lot 8 Bk 43 Original, \$10.
 L. L. Locker to Paul Spiller Lot 28 Bk 20, Coahoma, \$10.
 Frank M. Amos et ux to M. E. Byerley E-2 Lot 1, 8 Bk 8 Settles Bk. add. \$4,000.

New Vehicles
 J. D. Sims, Plymouth coupe.
 Roy Ott, Nash sedan.
 Leo Gonzales, Mercury tudor.
 Alva Pugh, Plymouth tudor.
 Joe Loudamy, DeSoto coupe.
 A. K. Lebkowsky, Chrysler coupe.
 Paul D. Davis, Hudson sedan.
 Hazel B. Shipp, Plymouth tudor.
 Mrs. M. C. Orisaby, Ford tudor.
 W. Pearce, Plymouth sedan.
 Mrs. Ola Clements, Ford tudor.
 L. C. Bradford, Ford tudor.
 C. W. Eason, Buick sedan.
 Leslie Barr, Chevrolet tudor.
 Joe Blum, Chevrolet sedan.

Mexico's Phone Strike Ends; Get Wage Hike

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 19. (AP)—Mexico's telephone strike, involving more than half the nation's telephones, was ended Friday night after 66 hours.

Telefonos de Mexico workers won a 23 per cent wage increase. They asked 30 per cent and the company offered 10 at the time the strike began.

Trust Issue Okayed

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—The Texas and Pacific Railway Co. has been authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission to sponsor a \$2,250,000 trust issue to purchase new equipment.

Mexican Canned Beef Not Relished Abroad

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—The government is having difficulty selling canned Mexican beef abroad.

As a consequence, the Agriculture Department says, the United States may have to offer the meat for less than it is paying for it.

The United States started helping Mexico dispose of its surplus beef in 1947 after outbreak of the foot-and-mouth disease among cattle there.

Oil Man Succumbs

NATCHEZ, Miss., Feb. 19. (AP)—Arthur B. (Kirk) Kilpatrick, Oil lease and royalty operator, died here yesterday. Funeral services were to be held in Dallas today.

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 February 20-21-22

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 Sunday, Monday, Tuesday
 February 20-21-22

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February 20, 21 and 22.

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1948 4-H SHOW CHAMPION

RED CHAIN EXAMPLE — The Wooten Produce Co., local dealer for Red Chain feeds, cites this 1948 4-H club show winner as an example of what Red Chain feeds produce. Winner was exhibited by Reppy Guitlar. This steer was finished on a ration composed chiefly of Red Chain products.

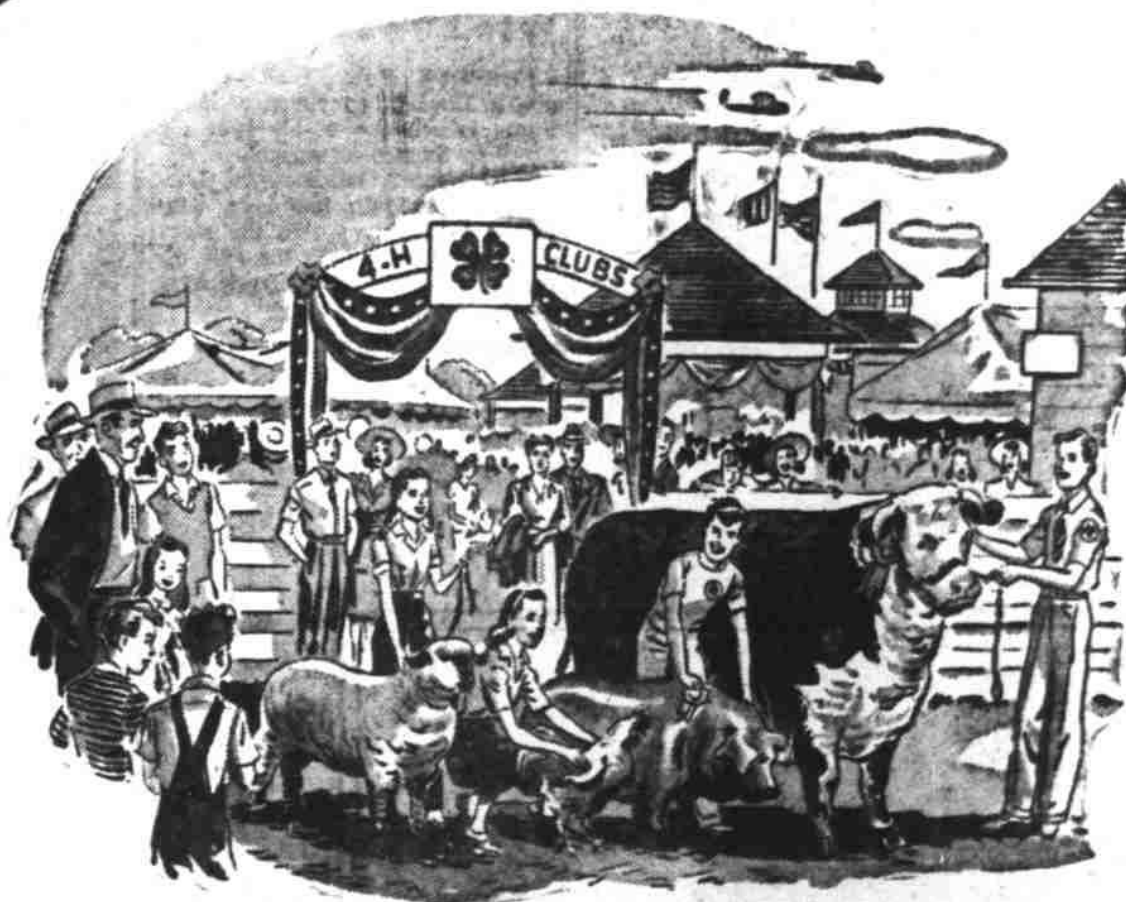


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Blount's Lake Proposal Wins Favor At Austin

By concurrent resolution of the Texas House and Senate, the state board of water engineers has been asked to prepare a report on the feasibility of impounding an artificial lake in the Big Spring State park.

The resolution was introduced by Rep. R. E. (Peppy) Blount, Big Spring.

It took cognizance of a suggestion that a lake be created at the lower boundary of the park. J. H. Greene, chamber of commerce manager, said that the suggestion had been made to the chamber and

Girl Has Leprosy

CORPUS CHRISTI, Feb. 19. (AP)—A 14-year-old Latin American girl here has leprosy and will be sent to the Carville, La., pedrosarium. Dr. Gordon Fisher, chief of the city-county health unit said yesterday.

He said he had no idea as to the feasibility of such a project and that the resolution was intended only that the engineers should explore the possibility. If the volume of water descending from the back sides of the mountain is insufficient for even a small lake, it might be possible to install spreader or detention dams to aid in creating a beautification spot, he thought.

CIVIC ENTERPRISE

City Jaycee Group Backs Exposition Second Time

The 12th annual Howard County 4-H Club and FFA Livestock show is the second such event to be sponsored by the Big Spring junior chamber of commerce, an organization that has devoted most effort to promoting more interest in junior livestock and agricultural pursuits.

Soon after the Jaycee organization was formed here, arrangements were made to sponsor a club field day in the summer. Later the Jaycees assumed sponsorship of the fall pig show for club members, and last year they took over administration of the annual winter stock show.

Jaycee officers are Johnnie Stewart, president; Bill Horne, first vice-president; W. L. Thompson, second vice-president; and Rad Ware, secretary-treasurer.

The board of directors is composed of Bill Cox, Culin Grigsby, Ray Griffin, H. W. Wright, Donald Lay, Harvey Wooten, Durward Lewter, Doyle Vaughn and Bill Horn.

Several active committees have been largely responsible for the stock show arrangements this year. The agricultural committee, composed of Durward Lewter, Harvey Wooten, Bill Cox and Henry Bugz, spearheaded the general arrangements, while a special sales committee has handled details for the annual auction which will close out the show on Tuesday night.

Members of the sales committee are H. W. Wright, chairman, M. T. Jenkins, co-chairman, Oscar Glickman, Repps Guitler, Bill Cox, Donald Lay, Harvey Wooten, Ray Griffin, Culin Grigsby, George White, Marion Edwards and W. L. Thompson.

Durward Lewter, county extension agent and member of the Jaycee agricultural committee, is general superintendent of the show. Other officials include M. T. Jenkins, assistant superintendent; Truett Vines, assistant superintendent; Donald Lay, assistant superintendent of steers; L. J. Davidson, assistant superintendent of sheep; H. O. Phillips, assistant superintendent of sheep; Harvey Wooten, assistant superintendent of capons; Floyd White, assistant superintendent of capons; Dale Puck-

ett, assistant superintendent of capons; and C. H. DeVaney, weigher.

Judges for the show are Frank Newsom, Alpine, and W. I. Marschall, San Angelo. Newsom will judge steers, while Marschall will place lambs and capons.

Walter Britten, College Station, will be auctioneer at the sale Tuesday night.

Two other committees that have contributed work toward arrangements are the Jaycee publicity committee composed of Jack Wallace, Herb Feathers and Bill Cox and the county 4-H club committee, composed of Donald Lay, Floyd White, L. J. Davidson, Melvin Choate and W. J. Rogers.

Former GI To Make Good On Promises

FARGO, N. D., Feb. 19. (AP)—Don Beaton is one former GI who is making good that wartime promise to buddies—"I'll be seeing you."

With his wife, the Fargo soldier who lost his left leg in action in France, is embarking on a 3,500-mile vacation. Along the holiday trail he plans to visit nine other men who got their discharges from the amputee ward of the McCloskey Army General Hospital at Temple, Tex.

The Beaton is making their first stop at Mankato, Minn. to visit Bruce Mattson, whose loss of

IOOF Mullen Lodge To Sponsor Troop Of Boy Scouts

First steps toward organizing a new Boy Scout troop under sponsorship of the IOOF Mullen Lodge No. 372 were taken Thursday night at a meeting in the lodge hall at the former Army Air Field.

Eighteen boys of Scout age and several adults attended the session, and plans were made for completing the organization next Thursday night. The organization committee is composed of Cecil Nabors, chairman, Cecil Parker and Joe Barbee.

Scouts will be registered at the next session, and the sponsoring organization plans to have a permanent troop committee and a Scoutmaster selected within the next few days.

Leslie Snow, district commissioner, presided at the first meeting.

Forsan To Let Bids For New Gym Monday

FORSAN, Feb. 19.—Bids will be received until 8 p. m. Monday by J. E. Chancellor, president of the school board here, for construction of a new gymnasium building.

Plans and specifications have been prepared by John Becker, San Angelo architect-engineer. A large number of general, electrical and plumbing and heating bids have been received to date. The construction is to be financed out of proceeds of a \$80,000 bond issue floated last year by district voters.

Man Guilty Of Theft Wants To Sell Eye

LUBBOCK, Feb. 19. (AP)—Jimmie B. Cousins, convicted of theft, wants to sell one of his eyes for \$5,000 to finance an appeal.

The prisoner, confined in Lubbock County jail, has been sentenced to five years in the state penitentiary. He made the sale offer in a letter to the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.

City Has Delegates At Credit Meeting

Several Big Springers are in San Angelo for the weekend, attending a conference of retail credit executives and retail bureau managers. The meeting is for members in the state's district No. 2.

Making the trip to San Angelo Saturday were Pyrie Perry, Helen Jones, Ollie Euhank, Trudy Hull, Faye Coltharp, Pauline Sullivan, Marguerite Wooten, Georgia Johnson, O. F. Priest, Moree Sawtelle and Judy Kuykendall.

Mrs. Wooten is a vice president of the district organization, Pauline Sullivan is secretary, and Georgia Johnson is a director.

Sunday was to be devoted to business sessions, with a joint conference of credit executives and bureau managers during the morning, and separate sessions in the afternoon.

Mystery Woman Says Hitler Still Lives

DUESSELDORF, Feb. 19. (AP)—Ruhr police today started a hunt for a mystery woman said to be hiring agents to spread propaganda that "Hitler is alive and will return soon." A flood of leaflets has appeared during the last week in this industrial region.



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White Student Only May Enroll At Rice

HOUSTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—The question of whether Rice Institute might admit Negro students, raised by the Houston school's student newspaper, was answered today by Dr. William V. Houston, Rice president.

In a letter to the Editor Houston said the institution was founded and chartered for white students only and therefore the question was "not one for administrative consideration."

Eagles Pick Building

The Fraternal Order of Eagles, in special session Thursday evening, decided upon a building to be used for the Aerie headquarters. Further information of the location may be disclosed at the regular meeting Monday at 8 p. m. in the Settles.

Exchanges To Close

NEW YORK, Feb. 19. (AP)—Financial and commodity exchanges throughout the United States will be closed Washington's Birthday, Tuesday Feb. 22. Various livestock markets will operate as usual.

BROADEN SCOPE

FFA Chapters Help Sharpen Interest

Although small in number when compared to the 4-H clubs, entries of Future Farmers of America chapters will help sharpen competitive interest at the 12th annual Howard County Livestock Show. Formerly, all entries at county stock shows here were affiliated with the 4-H clubs. However, FFA chapters at Coahoma and Big Spring have helped broaden the scope of junior feeding demonstrations in the county during the past two years, and both chapters are

represented in the exhibit lists this year.

The FFA feeding projects are supervised by M. R. Jenkins and Truett Vines, vocational agriculture teachers at high schools of Coahoma and Big Spring, respectively.

The Coahoma entries at this year's show include Bobbie Powell, two steers and three lambs; Binie Lee White, one steer and two lambs; Alfred Thieme, two lambs; Bill Bates, four capons; Maurice Duncan, two capons; and Charles Neil, two capons.

From the Big Spring chapter, Kenneth Flew has entered a steer, while Marshall Burrus, Kenneth Williams, Gerral Fehler, Elton Wallace and Lewis Rice will exhibit capons under the FFA colors.

New Wheat Crop Destined For Ground Storage

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—It looks like wheat may be stored on the ground again in the Southwest when wheat harvest comes around this year. That is, unless grain now in storage is moved out.

This prediction came from Arthur H. Gass, chairman of the car service division of the Association of American Railroads. He made his estimate at a meeting of congressmen, Commodity Credit Corp. and railroad officials.

The way Gass explains it, grain under government loan probably will be moving out of storage about the time the wheat harvest begins. Grain under government loan or purchase agreement cannot be moved out of elevator or storage places before May 1. The government will not have title until then.

Prominent Corsicana Oil Man Succumbs

CORSICANA, Feb. 19. (AP)—C. A. Middleton, 65, prominent Corsicana oil man and Baptist leader, died of a heart attack here early Friday.

Middleton headed several oil concerns, including the Minerva Refining Co. and the Mideo Co. He was a director of the State National Bank and had an interest in the Paul and Middleton Insurance Firm.

Jester Urges More Return To Farms

AUSTIN, Feb. 19. (AP)—Gov. Beauford H. Jester said the next depression will be all the more severe unless there is a back-to-the-farm movement.

The governor told the Texas Dirt Farmers Congress meeting here yesterday that rural population shrinkage was a serious challenge to Texas economy. Business and agriculture should advance together, he said.

Jack M. Haynes

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Kiwanis Club Hears Scouts

Several members of Boy Scout explorer post No. 3 presented the program at the Thursday luncheon meeting of the Kiwanis club, the post's sponsoring organization.

A highlight of the program was formal presentation of the Scout swimming trophy which the post won last summer. The trophy was presented to Scoutmaster W. D. Berry, by H. D. Norris, assistant Scout executive.

Bud Whitney, member of the Scout post, introduced the program numbers, which included a clarinet solo by Jimmy Moat, piano solos by John Berry and numbers by a trio composed of Eddie Murphy, John Berry and Bud Whitney.

Other Scouts present were Donald Reynolds, C. G. Evans, Junior Coffman, G. H. Hayward, Jr. and presented to Scoutmaster W. D. Charles Rose.

Announcement was made that the Kiwanis club will sponsor McMillan's African Adventure Movie here on March 31 and April 1. Both matinee and evening showings will be scheduled each day at the Municipal Auditorium.

H. W. Smith reported on a divisional Kiwanis meeting held Tuesday in San Angelo. The Big Spring club was represented at the session by President Nat Shick, Lillian Shick, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Electric Energy Export Requested

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—Authorization for a 4 million kilowatt-hour export of electric energy to Mexico has been asked of the Federal Power Commission.

The joint application was made by the Electrocos de Piedras Negras, S. a., a Mexican corporation, and the Central Power and Light Co. of Corpus Christi.



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Stanton Upsets Legion, 36-29

Stanton's All-Stars staged a massive upset to win championship honors in the Forsan independent basketball tournament Friday night, knocking American Legion, 36-29, in the finals.

Longshot Races To Santa Anita Derby Victory

ARCADIA, Calif., Feb. 19 (AP)—Old Rockport, a rank outsider, and youthful Gordon Gilson, a mere apprentice rider, teamed today to score a resounding upset victory in the \$100,000 Santa Anita Derby.

Running over the heavily backed Olympic in a drive to the wire as \$3,000 fans watched in amazement, Old Rockport tucked away the 12th edition of the Santa Anita sophomore special with a decisive length and a half triumph over the Florida ace.

Third behind Old Rockport and Olympia came Admiral Lea, and fourth in the field of 14 three-year-olds was Alfred G. Vanderbilt's Stone Age.

Old Rockport, a 33 to one shot, won \$94,700 net for his jubilant owner, Clifford Moores of Lexington, Ky., who witnessed the race.

Biggest howl came when Old Rockport's payoff in the betting was flashed on the giant tote board—\$68.10 to win, \$17.70 to place and \$9.30 to show. The win was the second highest return in the derby history.

The time for the mile and one-eighth was 1:50 1-5, one fifth of a second shy of the derby record hung by Bymebond in 1945.

The finishers behind the first four in the mad scramble for the record gross purse of \$141,800 were in order:

Hayseed, So La Cl, Ocean Drive, Olympia's Stabimaster, Swap Out, Duplicator, Pedregree, Bolero, Black Fox II, Audacious Man and Count Victor.

Old Rockport and 18-year-old Gilson racing his first big stake, stayed up around fifth or sixth, and then came with a rush as the turn into the stretch loomed into view.

He came on, running past Admiral Lea and then collared the game but tiring Olympia some 50 yards from the finish.

Olympia tried to hang on but there was no stopping Old Rockport in his drive for the winning wire.

SERIES OPENS
HAYANA, Feb. 19 (AP)—The Caribbean baseball world series, involving four nations—Cuba, Panama, Venezuela and Puerto Rico—opens here tomorrow night.

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Middlecoff Is Houston Leader By Two Strokes

HOUSTON, Feb. 19 (AP)—Cary Middlecoff, handsome Memphis, Tenn., dentist, used a remodeled putter today to take eight strokes off par for a 64 and the lead at the half-way mark of the \$10,000 Houston Open.

The tall Tennessean carried eight birdies while one putting 11 greens on the 6,710-yard par 72 Forest Country Club course.

He enters tomorrow's 36-hole final with a 68-64-132.

That is two strokes better than John Palmer, Badin, S. C., who edged ahead of Jim Turnesa, Briar Cliff, N. Y., the first round leader.

Palmer overcame two early bogeys with seven birdies today to match his first round 67 and take a 134.

Turnesa who had a hot 66 Thursday, added a two-under par 70 for a 36-hole 136.

The original field of 141 players was cut to 70 for tomorrow's heavy final schedule. It took a score of 147 to qualify and fourteen players tied at that mark.

Among those failing to qualify were Vic Ghezzi, Englewood, N. J., Ed Furgol, Royal Oak, Mich., Leland Gibson, Kansas City, Mo., Amateur Wilfred Wehrle, Louisville, Ky., Craig Wood, New York City, and Lawson Little, Montevideo, Calif.

Two strokes back of Turnesa, at 138, are Jim Ferris, San Francisco, Marly Furgol and E. J. (Dutch) Harrison, both of Albuquerque, N. M., Skip Alexander, Southern Pines, N. C., and Henry Ransom, St. Andrews, Ill.

Tied at 139 are Al Smith, Winston-Salem, N. C., Chandler Harper, Portsmouth, Va., and Lloyd Mangrum, Chicago, Ill.

Frank Stranahan, Toledo, Ohio, amateur and Dave Douglas, Wilmington, Del., had 140's.

Barely making the qualifying list for the finals were Jimmie Demarett, Ojai, Calif., Tony Penna, Cincinnati, O., and Jimmy Thompson, Chicopee, Mass. Each had 147, three over par.

HARLINGEN, Feb. 19 (AP)—Golf's touring caravan pitches camp here next week for the Second Annual Rio Grande Open, a \$10,000 tournament over the 2,095-yard, par 71 Harlingen municipal course.

Defending champion Lloyd Mangrum and Jimmy Demarett, who lost in a playoff last year, are top favorites.

The tournament opens Thursday and the final round of the 72-hole meet will be played Sunday.

Tennis, Croquet Courts Planned
COAHOMA, Feb. 19.—The Coahoma playground park, which is situated on the lot formerly occupied by the community tabernacle will have a tennis and croquet court shortly, C. T. DeVaney, president of the Coahoma Community Service club, announced Saturday.

The lot has been cleared and leveled and corner posts for a fence encircling the plot are being embedded. Barbecue pits will also be added to the facility, DeVaney stated.

Members of the club, who now number approximately 80, have voted to spend their spare time improving the project.

Travis Jenkins is vice-president of the organization. Smith Cochran serves as secretary and J. B. Martin as treasurer. Directors are Frank Lovelace and Russell Dorsey.

Big State Season Opens April 19
DALLAS, Feb. 19 (AP)—President J. Walter Morris today released the 148-game 1949 Class B Big State League baseball schedule.

The season will open April 19 and close Sept. 5.

The schedule calls for each of the eight members to play 21 games with six opponents and 22 games with a seventh. Each club will have 74 home games.

McNabb Is Hired
TYLER, Feb. 19 (AP)—Carl McNabb today was signed as playing manager of the Tyler Trojans in the Class C East Texas baseball league.

McNabb, a second baseman, hit .290 for the Trojans last year.

TENNESSEE THUMPER TANGLES WITH KARL GRAY ON MONDAY

Wrestling Promoter Pat O'Dowdy is strengthening his ring posts at the Big Spring Athletic club for Monday night's headline bout between Karl Gray, the one-time member of the militia, and Billy Hickson of Tennessee.

The two got together to see if Hickson can prove his argument, that he is a better man at the catch-arcatch-can business than the black-hearted Gray.

Gray pulled about all the unethical tricks he knew last week to sew Hickson's shoulders to the canvas. Before he got around to that, however, he bit and banged on Willyum until he brought blood to the Southerner's forehead.

O'Dowdy introduced himself here last week with an impressive triumph over classy Billy Parks.

PILE UP 19 WINS

Howard Jones Leading Steer Scorer For 1948-49 Season



HOWARD JONES
... Junior Flash
(Photo by Haynes).

The 1948-49 edition of the Big Spring high school basketball team failed to reward Coach Johnny Malaise with a district crown but the Steers did win more games—19—than any previous quintet Malaise has handled here.

The Bovines surprised most everyone in 3AA circles by slipping into the playoffs. They lost out in the first round to Lamesa, 42-33, in a game played at Midland.

In all, the Longhorns lost eight games. Two of the reversals were suffered at the hands of San Angelo. Midland was also able to register two triumphs to the Bovines while losing one, the same record enjoyed by Lamesa at the expense of Big Spring.

Single victories over the Longhorns were registered by Brownwood and Abilene.

The Big Springers beat Andrews no less than three times, nudged Odessa and Sweetwater twice each, and thumped Eula, Lamesa, Throckmorton, Goldswaiter, Midland, McCamey, Abilene and Denver City once each.

Malaise's gang succeeded in rolling up 56 points in one game, a non-conference bout with Snyder. Angelo scored the most points on the locals in a single outing—46 points in their final test.

In all, they registered 973 points in their 28 assignments, including the two tossed through the Big Spring hoop inadvertently by Leon Blair of Lamesa. The opposition came up with an aggregate of 864 points. The average, of course favored Big Spring by 34.8 to 30.8.

Their most notable achievement was a championship march through the Odessa invitational tournament. They also won consolation laurels in the Howard Payne tournament at Brownwood.

Howard Jones led all scorers with 296 points. Cuijn Grigsby was not far behind with 255 points. Wayne Brown finished with an even hundred.

Of those who saw action with the regulars, Grigsby, Charles Simmons, Cleone Russell, Ray Walker and Wilmon White wound up their eligibility.

The return of Howard Jones, Brown, Harold Rosson, Floyd Martin and Howie Washburn should give the Bovines a strong starting lineup. Amos Jones, too, will see a lot of action in the 1949-50 season.

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H. Jones 117 43 69 296
Grigsby 102 31 83 255
Brown 82 28 30 200
Rosson 35 13 43 83
Martin 31 10 77 72
Simmons 16 4 8 36
Russell 15 4 19 34
Walker 9 2 4 30
White 3 0 2 6
A. Jones 2 2 2 6
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Team record: 48 1 973 864

Two BS Teams In Tournament
STERLING CITY, Feb. 19.—Since the defending champions, El Paso of San Angelo, are not returning to compete for the laurels, no favorite has been declared in the annual Sterling City independent basketball tournament, which gets underway Wednesday, skips a day and then continues through Saturday.

Several San Angelo teams will take part in the meet. Checker Cab, Gem Jewelers, Cruse Jewelers and VFW will all represent the Concho City in the meet.

American Legion and Grapette are the Big Spring teams entered in the show. Another Howard county team which will compete is Forsan's Oilers.

Grapette's first round game will be with Gem's Jewelers at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday. Legion opposes Checker Cab at 7:15 o'clock Friday evening. Forsan is booked to meet Water Valley at 9:45 o'clock Wednesday.

JONES NOT TO PLAY
AUGUSTA, Ga., Feb. 19 (AP)—Officials of the Masters Golf Tournament say a neck injury dating back at least 29 years has temporarily ended Bobby Jones' annual appearance.

Polio Fund Game Returns \$91.76

COAHOMA, Feb. 19.—A total of \$91.76 was raised for the March of Dimes campaign at a double-header basketball game here Friday night, which featured both men's and women's teams.

Other contributions lifted the fund to \$112.80, which will go toward relief of polio.

In women's play, the Shorts defeated the Longs, 8-6. Playing for the shorts were Wilma Birdhead, Margie Raye Hill, Christine Keller, Arlene Martin, Louise O'Daniels, Velma Reid, Euletha Spears and Beatrice Cochran.

The Long's roster was composed of Billie Graham, Dot Puckett, Gene Rowe, Barwa DeVaney, Virginia Kidd, Pat Turner, Ruby Helen Turner, Joan Dickson, Mrs. J. F. McCannan and Mamie Robertson.

The men's teams, identified as the Fats and the Leans, tied at 12-all. Performing for the Leans were C. H. DeVaney, J. B. Martin, Sonny Edwards, Ted Fowler, Bobby West, Morris Ledger and H. L. Stamps.

Suited out for the Fats were Paul Eppler, Tom Barber, Ed Robertson, L. N. Davis, M. T. Jenkins, Andy Wilson and G. T. Guthrie.

Gloves Depart For Nationals

FORT WORTH, Feb. 19 (AP)—Eleven members of the Texas Golden Gloves team departed for Chicago today to make their bids at the Tournament of Champions.

The team includes seven state titlists and four alternates. James Hoff, the heavyweight champion, is a student at Rice and wasn't able to make the trip. His place is taken by Raul Flores, El Paso, who lost to Hoff in the semifinals.

Champions who will compete at Chicago are Fred Morales, 112, Alton Academy; Edward (Bunky) Stephens, 118, Port Arthur; Valentino Luna, 126, Austin; John O'Glee, 135, North Texas State; Pete Gill 147, Austin; Robert Walke, 160, Corpus Christi and Tom Adams, 175, Hardiq-Simmons.

Alternates in addition to Flores are Tony Malroana, San Antonio, bantam-feather; Billy Burkhardt, Hardin-Simmons, welter-middleweight; and Michael Woolsey, Fort Worth light-heavyweight-heavyweight.

JENKINS IS MATCHED
PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 19 (AP)—The Sweetwater, Tex., swatter, Lew Jenkins, and Percy Bassett have been matched for a 10-round boxing bout at the arena here Feb. 28.

AT 7 P. M.

Y Basketball Loop Resumes Play Monday

American Legion, upset victim in the recent Forsan tournament but still unbeaten in YMCA basketball league play, moves into circuit action again Monday night, playing Safeway at the HCJC gym, starting at 9 o'clock.

Stanton, champion of the Forsan show takes on Forsan at 7 p. m., while Texas Electric Service and Western Geophysical square away at 8 o'clock.

Ackerly's Eagles, still a contender for the flag, and Grapette draw byes.

No games were played last week due to the Forsan meet.

Midland Lassies Here Tuesday

The Steerettes, local high school girls' volleyball team, will be seeking their third consecutive win when they take the court against Midland at 8 p. m. here Tuesday night. Scene of action is the Steer gymnasium at Tenth and Johnson streets.

The locals, who are coached by Arsh Phillips, have beaten Forsan and Midland in their only starts to date.

Friday, the local fems go to Andrews where they will compete in a two-day tournament.

The locals are making big plans for their own invitational meet, which takes place March 11-12.

Meet Invitations Are Mailed Out

KNOTT, Feb. 19.—Supt. Homet Barnes has mailed out Knott invitational basketball tournament invitations to some 15 teams within this area but the bracket in both boys' and girls' play will be limited to eight teams.

The meet will start Thursday, March 3, and continue through Saturday, March 5, Barnes said.

All district champions are barred from the meet.

Suitable awards for the winners are being purchased by Barnes.

Jaycee Cage Meet Field Completed

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 19 (AP)—The field for the second annual State Junior College Basketball Tournament here March 1-3 was completed today when invitations were accepted by Phillips Junior College of Borger, Schreiner College of Kerrville, Wharton Junior College, and Laredo Junior College.

Coach Sees Spots Before Eyes, It's Player's Measles

EDEN, N. Y., Feb. 19 (AP)—Coach Daniel P. Hagen saw spots before his eyes when one of his players dribbled past him in a basketball game last night.

The Eden Central School coach called time out.

"Son," he said to Robert W. Feesley, 16, "you are out of the game. You have the measles."

Hagen was right. Robert rested comfortably today but the coach was worried. Another of his players is William Feesley, Robert's brother.

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1947 Master Chevrolet truck, long wheel base, \$25x20 tires, heater, clean throughout. Chevrolet Panel, 1939 model, 1946 motor, runs good—make us an offer.
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LOST: Interlocking mattress between 11th Place and Junior College. Reward. Phone Herring, 268.
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Your worries or wants. This is an Information Service. Anything reasonable answered. Explain your wants clearly and enclose \$1.00. Address: Randolph Service, Box 547, La Grange, Texas.
14—Lodges
CALLED convention Big Spring Chapter No. 178. E.A.M. Friday evening Feb. 25, 7 p.m. C. R. McClellan, M. P. W. O. Low, Sec.
STATED meeting Staked Plains Lodge No. 588 A. F. and A. M. 2nd and 4th Thursday nights, 7:30 p.m. T. R. Morris, W. M. W. O. Low, Sec.
WE will have our Washington Day program at 6:30 p.m. on the above date. All members urged to attend; visiting brethren welcome. W. O. Low, Sec.
MULLEN Lodge 379 1000 P. meets every Monday night, 8:00 p.m. at the day night, Building 318. Air Base, 9:30 p.m. at Vistula W. W. W. O. Low, Sec.
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FROM STRAWN LIME

Scurry Wildcats Near Completion

Two North-Central Scurry county wildcats are testing, attempting to complete as commercial producers and the starters of a new oil field from the Strawn lime section of the Pennsylvanian. Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Perriman, one and one-half miles west and slightly north of the discovery for flowing production from the Canyon lime, to open the North Snyder field, had flowed 243.75 barrels of fluid in 24 hours from open hole at 7,050-70 feet. That fluid was 94 per cent oil and six per cent water. Operator was continuing to flow to test, and try to complete. The well is 660 feet from north and east lines of section 438, block 97, H&TC survey.

It missed the pay in the Canyon lime section and drilled on down and encountered production in the Strawn, a lower section of the Pennsylvanian. Lone Star Producing Company No. 1 Maule, one location north of the Humble discovery, and 600 feet from south and east lines of section 451, block 97, H&TC survey, was bottomed at 7,189 feet, and was squeezing off perforations at 7,064-80 feet. That activity is in an effort to eliminate water which has been developed with a fair amount of oil. On the last 24-hour test reported the well swabbed 144 barrels of fluid. It was 40 per cent, or 58 barrels of oil, and 60 per cent, or 86 barrels of water. It is presumed that after the

perforations are squeezed off operator will re-perforated in a slightly higher zone and try to produce oil without the water.

H. L. Hunt was running a drillstem test on its No. 1-B Clayton & Johnson, Northwest Borden county wildcat, to check slight oil signs encountered in the Pennsylvanian. Total depth is 6,610 feet in a lime formation thought by some geologists to be the same Pennsylvanian strata which produces in the Vealmoor field of North Howard county. The prospector is about 11 miles northwest of the town of Gail and 600 feet from north and west lines of the northeast quarter of section 22, block 31, T-6-N, TP survey.

Operations have been resumed at Placid Oil company No. 1 Davis, prospective pumping discovery from the Canyon lime of the Pennsylvanian in Northeast Scurry county, six and one-half miles north-east of Snyder. On perforations in the Canyon at 7,022-43 feet and 1985-60 feet, operator is to begin testing in an effort to complete. The well was being pumped to clean out prior to that undertaking.

The prospector has been shuttin for several weeks, and the first fluid pumped out was water. Oil is expected to start showing soon. The venture, 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 387, block 97, H&TC survey, is on a total depth of 7,905 feet in the Ellenburger, from where it plugged back upon failing to make production.

N' east Howard Test Fishing At 7,522 Feet

A fishing job was still in process at Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1-A Vincent Gartner, wildcat in the Vincent area of extreme Northeast Howard County and 660 feet from north and west lines of section 57, block 20, Lavaca Navigation District survey. Total depth is 7,522 feet.

No shows resulted on a drillstem test at Seaboard Oil Company of Delaware No. 1 Mae Zant, west extension to the Vealmoor field of North-Central Howard county. The examination was at 6,011-81 feet, with the tool open 30 minutes. A slight blow was evident for part of the period. Recovery was 15 feet of drilling mud. It was preparing to drill ahead.

Location is 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 29, block 32, T-3-N, TP survey. Seaboard was making hole with its other two outposts to the Pennsylvanian production in the Vealmoor pool.

The concern's No. 2 H. N. Zant, 660 feet from west and 1985.5 feet from north lines of section 28, block 32, T-3-N, TP survey, was below 5,132 feet, penetrating lime and shale. Seaboard No. 3 H. N. Zant, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 28, block 32, T-3-N, TP survey, was boring on from 5,176 feet in lime and shale. J. W. Muse of Big Spring spotted his second wildcat on the Vealmoor township in northern Howard county two miles west of the Vealmoor (Canyon) field. The proposed 7,800-foot test will be No. 1 Bert Massingill, 467 from the north, 475 feet from the east line of section 25-33-3n-T&P.

BRONTE FIELD DEFINED

Ellenburger Show In Northeast Coke

SAN ANGELO, Feb. 19—A northeastern Coke county wildcat this week showed oil and gas in 37 feet of Ellenburger lime and drilled ahead, while the Bronte (Palo Pinto) field appeared defined on the east within four-tenths of a mile of Bronte to half before it started a prospective town lot drilling campaign.

Union Oil Co. No. 1 Jack Frost, Coke county wildcat four miles west and slightly south of Blackwell, recovered 120 feet of drilling mud with slight signs of oil and 60 feet of free oil on a 2 1/2-hour drillstem test from 6,569-83 feet in the top of the Ellenburger. Twenty-eight feet of oil and 150 feet of heavily oil and gas-cut mud were recovered on a two-hour test from 6,571-6,606 feet.

The next drillstem test, from 6,606-41 feet, returned only 45 feet of mud with a trace of oil and a slight showing of gas, and drilling continued at 6,864 feet. No. 1 Frost, is in the C NW NW 231-1A-H&TC three-eighths mile south of the Nolan county line.

Hickok & Reynolds, Inc., and Dan Auld No. 1 Dr. R. J. Warren of San Angelo, quarter mile east of Humble No. 2 R. E. Hickman, a 327-barrel-a-day natural flowing well in the Bronte field, recovered 600 feet of oil and 300 feet of salt water on a 58-minute drillstem test from 4,428-60 feet. The next 20 feet was shale and drilling stopped at 4,530 feet for the running of casing for an attempt at completion as a pump.

No. 1 Warren's Palo Pinto top of 4,410 feet, 1,589 feet below sea level, was 93 feet low to Humble No. 2 Hickman. The outpost is 660 feet out of the northwest corner of H. L. Chriswell survey 3. Applications for north and south offsets had been filed by Hickok & Reynolds and Auld just before the water was encountered. More than a score of applications

for permits to drill on Bronte town lots had been filed and one permit had been granted by the Railroad Commission. Oil and gas leases on town lots had brought as high as \$1000 apiece. The field, with five flowing wells, is undefined in other directions.

Falling in the Ellenburger as it had in the Strawn crinoidal reef lime, Plymouth No. 1 P. W. Millikan, east offset to Sun's opener of the Millican (Strawn) field in northwestern Coke county, was abandoned at 7,155 feet after encountering salt water. It topped the Ellenburger at 7,135 feet, 4-980 feet below sea level. Location was the C NW NW 231-2-H&TC.

Extensioner Seen For Welch Field In Dawson County

A long west extension to the Welch field of Northwest Dawson county has been indicated at Cities Service Oil Company No. 1-B Scanlon, venture one and one-half miles west of the nearest production in the pool.

The development was bottomed on 4,952 feet in the San Andres section of the Permian. A string of 5 1/2-inch casing is cemented on 4-815 feet. Operator was swabbing open hole to test.

The last 24-hour gauge reported showed 121 barrels of oil and four barrels of water. Location is 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 87 block M, EL&RR survey.

14 Jap Navy Men Sentenced To Hang

MANILA, Feb. 19.—Fourteen Japanese navy men were sentenced today to hang as the Philippines concluded its longest and largest war crimes trial.

Pennsylvanian Pay Is Indicated In Test Near Midland Airport

MIDLAND, Feb. 19—A new pay from the Pennsylvanian in West Midland county reached the possibility stage as The Texas company No. 1 Scharbauer, wildcat one mile south of the Midland Air Terminal, developed oil in commercial quantities.

After extended testing of the Ellenburger above 13,374 feet, total depth, operator gave up prospects of an oil well in that formation and plugged back into the Strawn lime of the Pennsylvanian. Perforations were shot into the section of pipe at 10,520-635 feet. Tubing was run to 10,206 feet

and the formation opposite the perforations was acidized with 4,000 gallons. Upon swabbing, the venture kicked off and flowed to tanks six hours, producing 90 barrels of fluid. Breakdown was 62.48 barrels of oil and 27.6 barrels of water. The flow was through a one-half inch choke.

A later five-hour flowing gauge, however, showed only 3.45 barrels of fluid, and swabbing was resumed. It swabbed 79 barrels of fluid in 14 hours with a shakeout of 33 barrels of water. Estimated gas volume was 250,000 cubic feet per day. Testing was continuing.

This possible discovery is 660 feet from south and west lines of section 20, block 40, T-2-S, TP survey.

Preparations were being made to perforate and test in a lower section of the North-Central Upson County Ellenburger by Magnolia Petroleum company No. 1-A TXL, wildcat 30 miles south of the city of Midland.

Perforations are to be shot in the pipe at 12,780-820 feet opposite the formation which showed evidence of production on a series of drillstem tests. Tests are to be made of that zone. Plugged back bottom is at 12,825 feet. Total depth is 13,295 feet, where water developed. The prospect is expected to be completed as a new flowing discovery for the area.

It is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 31, block 40, T-4-S, TP survey.

An acid treatment was in store for Denver Producing & Refining company No. 17-C Elliott, possible Devonian pay opener in the shallow Wason field of Southwest Yoakum county.

After striking solid granite on 11,209 feet, the venture set 5 1/4 inch casing at 9,696 feet and plugged back to 9,776 feet to test the open hole. That zone was washed with 500 gallons of acid. On last report, tubing was being pulled prior to an acid injection.

Location is 1,312 feet from south and 1,070 feet from east lines of section 832, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

Gulf To Complete New Pool Opener In Winkler County

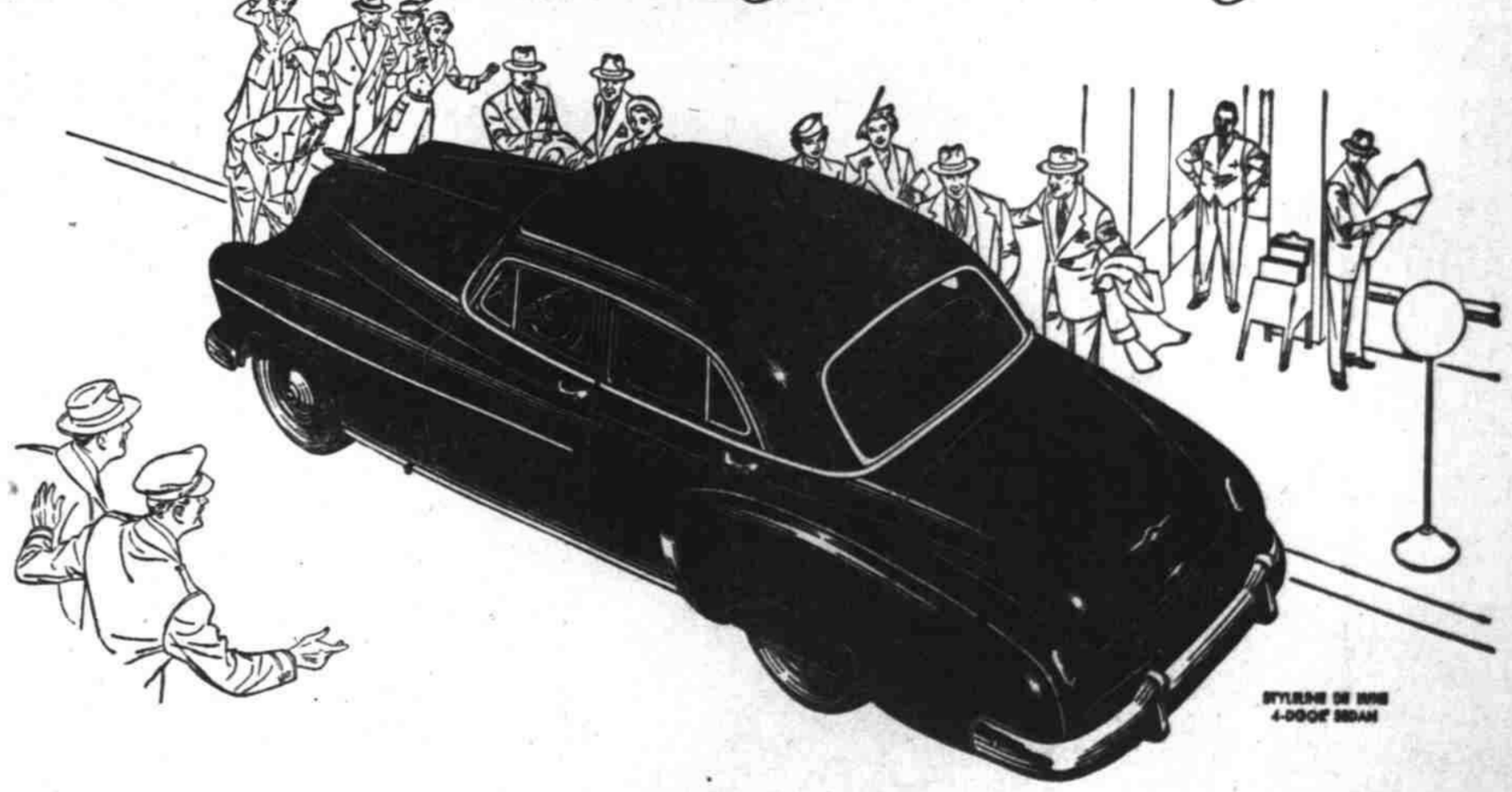
Gulf Oil Corporation No. 135-D Keystone Devonian discovery in Northeast Winkler county, 14 miles northeast of Kermit, seven miles east of the Keystone field, and 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 2, block B-1, psi survey, flowed 575 barrels of fluid in eight hours, through a one-half inch bottom hole choke.

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Lubbock Pastor Leads Revival



REV. RALPH GRANT

Dr. Ralph Grant, pastor of the First Baptist church in Lubbock, will lead intensive one-week revival services starting today at the First Baptist church.

He will not be present in the initial worship services, which will be in charge of Dr. P. D. O'Brien, pastor, but will arrive here in time for the 10 a. m. message Monday. Thereafter he will speak at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. daily except for Monday, when the evening service will begin at 7 o'clock in order that the congregation can be hosts to the city in hearing Dr. Kirby Page, noted Christian author and lecturer at 8:15 p. m.

Dr. Grant has been pastor of the Park Heights Baptist church in San Angelo, of the First Baptist churches in Childress and Beaumont before going to Lubbock.

Each day at 8:30 p. m. workers will gather at the church for supper, prayer and visitation in advance of the evening services. The meeting has been preceded by all-night prayer chains at the church each Saturday since the outset of the year.

In charge of Gospel music for the meeting will be J. B. Langston, who last week joined the church staff in response to a call to be minister of the music and education.

Dodd Asked To Speak At Dallas Meeting

Max Fichtenbaum, president of the Association of Texas colleges, has asked E. C. Dodd, Howard County Junior College president, to represent the public junior colleges in a panel discussion on Federal aid for higher education at the association meeting in Dallas on March 25. This meeting will be attended by representatives from both junior and senior colleges of Texas.

\$30,000 Fire Sweeps Texarkana Business

TEXARKANA, Feb. 19. (AP)—Fire today caused an estimated \$30,000 damage to the Smith Tire Co. here. Flames threatened to spread to a drug store and a grocery, where customers were cleared out until firemen got the flames under control.

New Zealand, in 1893, became the first country in the world to grant women complete suffrage. The first European country to give women full suffrage was Finland, in 1906.

Red Cross Teams Ready Tuesday

Advance gifts teams are due to be completed Tuesday for the annual fund-raising campaign of the Howard-Glasscock chapter of the American Red Cross.

A kickoff breakfast for the advance gifts section has been scheduled for 8 a. m. Thursday in the Settles hall.

Division and groups leaders and team captains already have been listed.

In one division headed by the Rev. Gage Lloyd, W. E. Greenlee and Pete McDaniel are to serve as group leaders. Greenlee has named H. W. Smith, Pete Green and Al Dillon as his team captains, while Dr. P. D. O'Brien, Tommy Jordan and B. M. Keesee will head the teams in McDaniel's group.

H. M. Rowe and L. M. Brooks are group leaders in the division headed by the Rev. Aisie Carleton. Rowe's team captains are Cecil McDonald, W. L. Thompson and John Stanley. Brooks has named R. E. McKinney, Hugh Mathis and H. J. Morrison as captains.

Each team captain has been asked to recruit four team members by Tuesday. All workers are to receive their assignments at the kickoff breakfast. Report meetings will be scheduled for Thursday and Friday.

Dance Helps Swell 'March Of Dimes' To Over \$2,500 Mark

The Howard County March of Dimes apparently had reached at least \$2,500 Saturday, Frits Wehner, campaign chairman, reported.

Approximately \$2,000 had been accounted for in previous tabulations, and Wehner said receipts from the American Legion March of Dimes dance Friday night and other contributions late in the week probably would boost the total by \$500.

Total receipts of the dance will not be known until next week, since complete reports on advance ticket sales have not been received. Wehner said ticket sales at the door Friday night approximated expenses, which would mean that all advance ticket sales would go to the March of Dimes.

The dance terminated planned activity in the campaign. Coin boxes in business establishments probably will be picked up next week, Wehner said.

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Measles, Chickenpox Largest On Record

AUSTIN, Feb. 19. (AP)—More than 3,000 cases of measles were reported in Texas last week—the largest number ever reported for one week in this state—the Department of Health reported Saturday.

The exact number was 3,020. It brought the total number of cases for this year to 13,993.

Health officials noted that the incidence of chickenpox also continues to rise. There were 1,062 new cases, almost double the average number for this period of the year.

With 2,512 cases of influenza reported, the health department said the incidence of this disease has remained at the seven-year average for the past five weeks.

Gen. Draper Resigns

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP)—The White House announced today the resignation of Maj. Gen. William H. Draper, Jr., as undersecretary of the army, effective Feb. 28.

C-C To Discuss Important Work

A plump agenda will be laid before the new chamber of commerce board of directors at their first regular meeting Monday at noon in the Settles.

Douglas Orme, new president, and J. H. Greene, manager, both will discuss committee work as the organization prepares to name personnel to its various subunits for this year. Orme will head a discussion on the importance of committees, while Greene will take up organization and administration of chamber committees.

Reports will be heard on the annual banquet, held on Feb. 10, and on a goodwill trip to groundbreaking ceremonies at the Morgan Creek dam near Colorado City last week. The directors also will discuss plans for sending delegates to a public hearing on American Airlines' request to suspend service here.

Howard County Teachers Oppose Appointive State Superintendent

Members of the Howard County Teachers association, meeting Friday evening at Midway, went on record overwhelmingly against S. B. 115 which would make the state superintendent appointive.

The bill, representing one of the Gilmer-Aiken proposals, would reverse the present mode by making the state board elective and the superintendent appointive. The secretary was instructed to communicate the association's attitude to Rep. R. E. (Peppy) Blount, E. C. Dodd, association president, said that he was "personally against this particular bill" although he felt that a "majority of administrators are for it."

Officers, other than Dodd, elected for the 1949-50 session were: Walker Bailey, 1st vice-president in charge of social relations; M. R. Turner, Coahoma, treasurer; and Mrs. Helen Acuff, secretary. Delegates chosen to represent the district State Teachers Association

convention at Lubbock on March 17 and 18 are Dodd, Walker, Bailey and G. D. Kennedy, Forsan.

Entertainment for the meeting was furnished by the faculty and students of the Midway school.

Barbecue Given Boy Scout Troop

Boy Scouts of Troop No. 9 were honored with a barbecue Friday night at the home of Elton Taylor, 710 East 13th street.

The affair was arranged by Taylor in special recognition of the troop's court of honor record. Troop No. 9 won both the January and February courts, with 100 percent attendance and advancement.

Zack Taylor, son of the host who has transferred from Troop No. 9 to Troop No. 85 in Midland, was presented with a Troop No. 9 neck scarf decorated with the troop's numerals, insignia and inscribed with the names of all members. Seventeen members of the troop, along with J. B. Apple, Scoutmaster, Keith Bailey, assistant Scoutmaster, Billy Bob Watson, assistant Scoutmaster, Eddie Hickson, junior Scoutmaster, Charles Rainwater, senior patrol leader, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Norris, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sheppard were guests at the affair.

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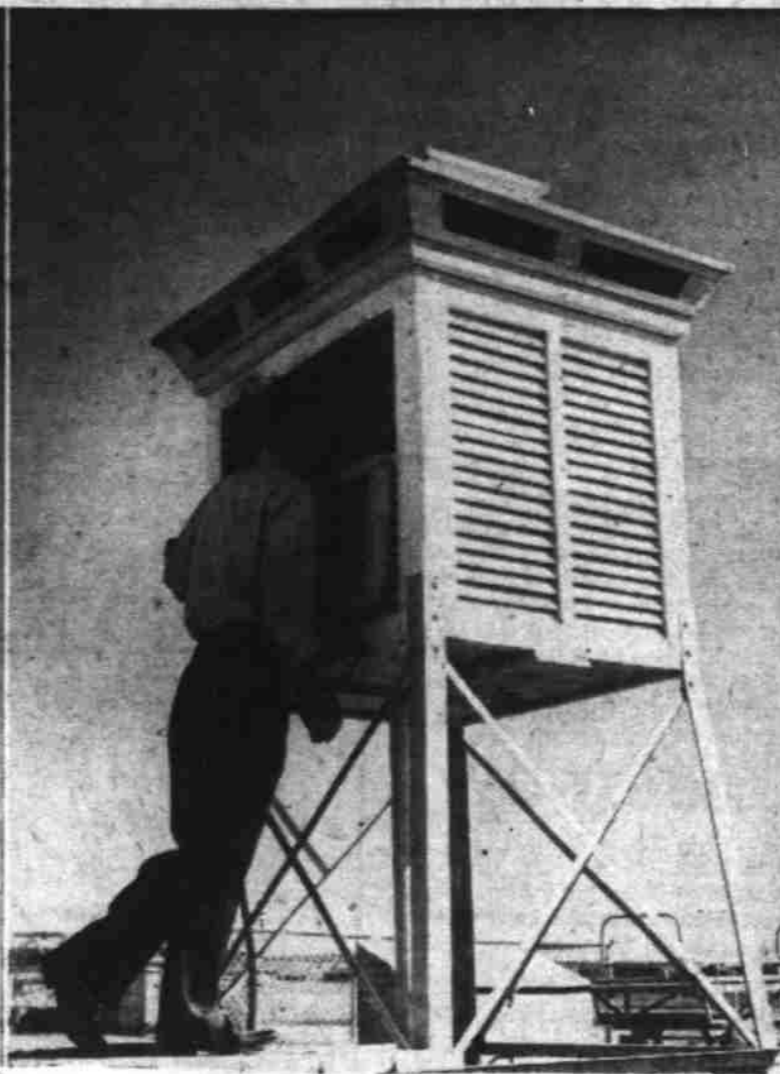
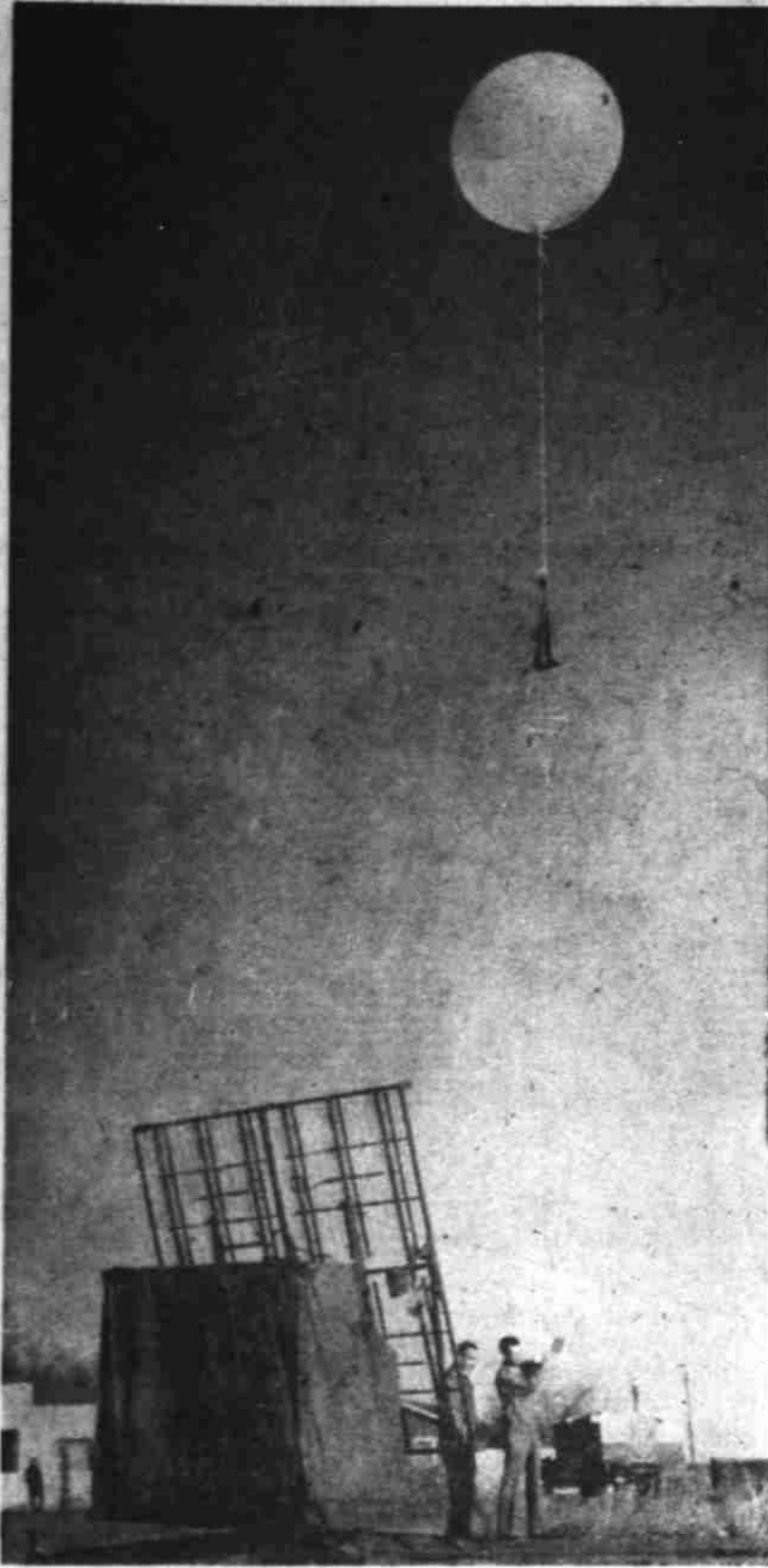
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TEMPERATURES—Gardner A. McGahen, above, local bureau chief, examines thermometers which gauge minimum and maximum temperatures. These instruments, which are housed from direct exposure, are set at certain hours and are constructed so that minimum readings register only at lower degrees than the original setting, and the maximum only on higher degrees. Another thermometer reflects the temperature at any given moment. A glance is enough to see highs and lows since the previous reading.

ALTIMETER TEST—M. J. Howard, above, gets for the afternoon balloon test as McGahen prepares to release the object. Howard will tell the findings into a mike connected to his instrument at fixed intervals. Downstairs an operator transcribes the data and makes calculations which determine the direction and the velocity of winds aloft. This picture was taken on the weather platform atop bureau headquarters.

INTO THE BLUE—As the balloon rises, right, it becomes smaller and smaller to those who watch. In reality the balloon expands as atmospheric pressure diminishes at higher altitudes and ultimately it will burst. Only through a telescopic instrument, which is centered on the balloon until it bursts or is obscured by clouds, can its progress be traced. By correlating angles and known rates of ascent, information on winds can be obtained precisely for many thousands of feet altitude.

(All photos by Jack M. Haynes)

There's A Lot Of Detail Work Behind The Weather Report You Read

By MILDRED YOUNG

There's one twenty-four hour service that goes on in Big Spring and throughout the nation, not regardless of the weather, but because of the weather. That service is the business of the United States weather bureau with stations at the local air field and at all points where Uncle Sam needs knowledge of the elements. There seems to be something to the idea that "we must have the weather whether or no."

Like a newspaper reporter, the weatherman seems to be known more for his mistakes than his correct predictions. Gardner A. McGahen, Big Spring's official weatherman, attempted to explain to a reporter just why he and his assistants missed a recent forecast. But, a few minutes time in what seems to be a complicated office seems to bring the conclusion that it is just as well that he

handles the sunshine and rain and that we only attempt to match the picnic.

Visitors at the Big Spring headquarters of the U. S. weather bureau would be impressed with the amount of detail work — and with the many instruments used to record conditions.

Bureau personnel works under exacting standards in an effort to not only record temperatures, precipitation, winds and humidity aloft, but to reach predictions which may influence the safety, comfort and economy of thousands of individuals. Thus, weather reports in the newspaper or over the radio represent constant observation.

Among the factors which bear great work in forecasting are the use of large balloons, which are sent up at various times during the

day. They are filled with helium and ascend until they burst from expansion. A balloon may swell to several times its original size as it reaches progressively diminishing pressures on its upward flight.

Observers watch the balloon through special telescopic instruments which correlate angles and the known rate of ascent. This information is translated in terms of direction and velocity of winds aloft — useful to aviators as well as to forecasters. Frequently the balloons are watched to a distance of 50 to 75 miles.

Special radio equipment is sent up with some of the balloons, and sensitive instruments transmit impulse which reflect humidity and pressure as well as wind direction and velocity. Thus, though it may be dry as a bone on the surface, bureau operators may find mass movements of moist air pointed into the area. That might

mean rain.

Information gathered through various operations, including temperature barometric pressure and surface wind velocity readings, are dispatched to other bureaus of the nation, which, in turn, send their data here by teletypewriter machines. General conditions are charted on a weather map which shows high and low pressure areas, cold fronts, rain, snow, etc.

The bureau furnishes information to the CAA for broadcast to planes in this area, advises with private fliers, stockmen, farmers, and those who may be contemplating a weekend outing. Sudden cold snaps and other emergency conditions call for special bulletins and warnings from the bureau. The percentage of accuracy is high, notwithstanding the harps of wags who seem to notice only the misses.



RECORDING—Howard is shown, left, at one of the recording machines which receives information transmitted by radio from a box attached to a helium-filled balloon. Sensitive instruments in the tiny transmitter send impulses which are translated on the machine and correlated by the operator to reflect humidity and pressures aloft. This information on air masses aloft is helpful in more accurate forecasting.

WEATHER MAP—J. H. Miller, center, takes one of many reports received over the teletype machines and follows weather conditions and air mass movements over the entire nation. High and low pressure areas are charted precisely. Weather many times from here at any given moment may be shown by the map to be on its way here. The map is changed at regular times to reflect latest conditions.

REPORTING—All weather stations send out their reports, right, so that other stations over the nation may have the benefit of local conditions. The CAA communications, which like the bureau, is under the Department of Commerce, handles the communications of weather information for the bureau. Aviators, farmers, ranchers and others make use of weather information gathered around the clock.

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"Buy In Big Spring" Theme Is Taken By Mayor At Banquet Meeting Friday

Stressing the importance of buying in your own home town, Mayor G. W. Dabney served as guest speaker at the banquet-meeting of the Local 1431 Painter's Union in the Maverick Room of Hotel Douglass Friday.

L. R. Mundt served as master of ceremonies and offered the opening prayer. He also gave a short history of the Local. Emmett Ellison presided during the moment of silence honoring the deceased members, followed by the introduction of members and

M. W. Rupp gave a summary of the Local's 1948-1949 activities and A. A. Cooper projected a movie, dealing with interior decoration.

Two musical numbers were presented by Munson Compton and Jack Hull, Bill Thomason and

Ted Groehl Home Is Supper Scene

Members of the 1930 Hyperion Club entertained their husbands with a buffet supper held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Groehl, 615 Dallas, Friday evening. Decorations carried out the George Washington birthday theme.

Included on the guest list were: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blomshied, Dr. and Mrs. R. G. B. Cowper, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Koger, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. LeFever, Mr. and Mrs. Champ Rainwater, Clara Secret, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sipp, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Thurman, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Wasson, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Woodall and a former member, Mrs. Marie Carter of Odessa.

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BOOKS

St. Patricks and April 1st Greeting Cards

A Crescent Moon Eileen Shaw	2.00	Thy People, My People Edward Bruce	2.00
Wicked Water Mackinlay Kantor	2.25	Art of Living Vincent Tesic	2.00
Land of Milk and Honey W. L. White	2.00	Godspeed's New Testament	2.00
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Billie Evelyn Lindsay Exchanges Wedding Vows With George Herzog

STANTON, Feb. 19 (Sp1)—Billie Evelyn Lindsay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tami Lindsay of Stanton, became the bride of George J. Herzog, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Herzog Saturday evening.

The Rev. Wesley Nickey, minister of the Church of Christ at Odessa officiated at the single ring informal ceremony.

The bride was attired in a sky-blue suit, shawl pink blouse and gloves and grey accessories. She wore an off-the-face grey hat, crowned with pink rosebuds and shoulder length veil. Her corsage was of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Thomas Morris acted as matron of honor. Mrs. Morris chose an apricot colored suit, with brown corsage and a garnet corsage.

Thomas Morris was best man. Others attending were Robert Herzog, brother of the bridegroom and Mary McCleskey.

The bride graduated from Stanton high school and attended college at Sul Ross, Alpine and Texas Tech, Lubbock. The bridegroom also graduated from the local high school and served six years in the Armed Forces.

Following a short wedding trip, the couple is at home in the Price Apartments in Midland.

Mrs. George J. Herzog, nee Billie Lindsay, was named honoree at a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Carl Clardy Thursday evening.

Co-hostesses for the affair were Mrs. Thomas Morris, Mattie Flanagan, Billie Thomason, Mrs. L. C. Gregg, Sara Halslip and Miss Frances.

Various arrangements of yellow jonquils and ivy were used in the party decorations.

Members of the house party included Dorothy Rentro, Mary McCleskey, Betty Ruth McWhorter, Mrs. Warren Alexander and Mrs. James Biggs. All were dressed in pastel formal with identical corsages.

The bride wore a black crepe street length dress and a corsage of red roses. Mrs. Lindsay, mother of the bride, chose a black crepe dress, with black accessories and a corsage identical to the honoree's.

Betty Ruth McWhorter offered a toast to the bride and Mary McCleskey gave the reading, "Building a Home."

Mrs. Warren Alexander presided at the guest register.

Refreshments were served to those attending.

A trousseau dinner honoring Zora Lou Houston, bride-elect of Yuell Winslow, was held in the home of Mrs. Jim Tomm Thursday afternoon.

The table was laid in a white linen cloth and centered with a heart-shaped arrangement of red roses. Valentine colors were used in the decorations.

Guests attending were Zora Lou Houston, Mrs. Travis Yater, Mary Frances Burnam, Gene Hardy, Sara Halslip, Betty Ruth McWhor-

ter, Dorothy Davis, Mrs. W. H. Houston, Mrs. John Connell, Mrs. Leo Turner, Mrs. Bob Latimore, Mrs. J. E. Kelly, Mrs. J. D. Poe, Mrs. S. H. Wilkinson, Mrs. Cecil Bridges, Mrs. Edmund Tom, Mrs. Bernard Houston of Garden City, Mrs. Alford Tomm and Mrs. Herbert Martin of Midland and Mrs. Jim Tomm, the hostess.

Mrs. W. H. Houston and Mary Frances Burnam honored Zora Lou Houston with a bridal lingerie shower in the home of Mrs. Houston recently.

The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow jonquils and ivy.

Those attending were Zora Lou Houston, Gene Hardy, Sue Jane Zimmerman, Betty Ruth McWhorter, Dorothy Davis, Mrs. J. D. Poe, Mrs. Jim Tomm, Mrs. George Winslow, Mrs. Ed Winslow, Mrs. Travis Yater and the hostesses and the honoree.

Mrs. John Connell served as hostess to a breakfast in her home honoring Zora Lou Houston Saturday.

Those attending were Mary Frances Burnam, Sara Jean Halslip, Mrs. J. D. Poe, Gene Hardy, Mrs. J. E. Kelly, Mrs. Bob Latimore, Mrs. Jim Tomm, Mrs. Travis Yater, the honoree, Miss Houston and the hostess, Mrs. Connell.

Members of the graduating class of 1948-1949 entertained with their first homecoming in the basement of the First Baptist church Saturday evening.

Van Ross, president of the class, read the welcome address. Plans were completed to meet again in Stanton in 1952.

Those attending were Mrs. Jack Jones, Mrs. Lewis Gregg, Mrs. J. T. Davis, Mrs. Ann Davis, Mrs. E. W. Ross, Herbert Jones, Billy Coggins, Billy Avery, Pfc. Charles Leroy Gregg, Cpl. Paul L. Odell, Vern Clinton, Christine Alexander Church, Sue Patton Gregg, Lorece Mrs. Avery, Pat Wilkinson Hall, Frances Anderson Boyce, Lavada Schuelke, Juanita Anderson, Jean Mrs. Billy Coggins of Midland and Davis, Douglass Church, Ruby Nell Lawson, Van Ross and two guests, Billy Sadler of Lubbock.

Members of Mrs. L. M. Batton's fifth grade room were entertained by the room-mothers with a Valentine party at the school Monday.

The Valentine motif was used in the decorations and refreshments. Room mothers attending were Mrs. D. E. Ory, Mrs. L. E. Turner, Mrs. Eugene Baugh, Mrs. D. E. Rigan and visitors, Mrs. Morgan Hall, Mrs. Ivan White and Walter Graves.

Loree Massey is back at work following a recent illness.

Mrs. A. W. Keating has returned from a visit in Dallas, Stephenville and San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Atchison have returned to their home in Phoenix, Ariz. following a visit with relatives in Midland and Stanton.

H. S. Blocker has sold his farm in Valley View.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemon Henson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Turner attended the farewell social honoring Mr. and Mrs. Windell Senter and Preston in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Kelly Monday. The Senters are moving to Plainview.

Garden City Notes

GARDEN CITY, Feb. 19 (Sp1)—Mrs. Edward M. Teele entertained the members of the Cumberland Presbyterian Missionary Auxiliary in her home.

Mrs. Teele led the afternoon study on "Our Denominational Heritage" from the book, "The Missionary Messenger."

Mrs. Archer C. Durant led the Bible study from Exodus.

Those attending were Mrs. Jim B. Ratliff, Mrs. Clyde Reynolds, Mrs. Arnonson J. Cunningham, Mrs. V. L. Roberts, Mrs. Archer C. Durant, one visitor, Mrs. Alice Teele and the hostess, Mrs. Edward Teele.

Mrs. Cleo Ledbetter gave various demonstrations on the art of making purses and belts at the meeting of the Home Demonstration club in the county courthouse Tuesday.

Present for the meeting were Mrs. Belle Wilkinson, Mrs. Vena Lawson, Mrs. Cecil Wilkerson, Mrs. Fred Ratliff, Mrs. D. W. Parker, Lora Medlin, Mrs. Jim Ratliff, Mrs. Cal Pruitt, Mrs. Mac O'Bannon and Mrs. Clyde Berry.

Students of the grammar school were entertained with a Valentine party Monday afternoon at the school. Refreshments were served and Valentines were exchanged.

Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Deats and Mrs. Earl Carter left Saturday morning for San Antonio, where they will attend the wedding of Nellie Marie Mueller Tuesday.

Mrs. John Crews of Fountain, Colo., is visiting Mrs. W. B. Martin.

COMING EVENTS

MONDAY
FIRST CHRISTIAN LADIES CIRCLE will meet at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Norman Spencer, 1101 Wood.
ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL WOMAN'S AUXILIARY will meet at the Episcopal Parish House at 3 p. m.
JOHN A. KEE REBEKKA LODGE will meet at the WOW Hall at 8 p. m.
LADIES BIBLE CLASS OF THE CHURCH OF CHRIST will meet at the church at 3 p. m.
VFW AUXILIARY will meet at the VFW Hall at 7:30 p. m.
BIG SPRING FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS will meet in the Red Cross Headquarters at 7:30 p. m.
HIGH HEEL SLIPPER CLUB will meet at 7 p. m. in the home of Dolores Franklin, at 3 p. m.
SEW AND SEW FORTH CLUB will meet in the home of Mrs. Tom Suckner, 1103 East 4th.

TUESDAY
ORDER OF RAINBOW GIRLS will meet in the Masonic Hall at 7 p. m.
AIRPORT BAPTIST WOMEN will meet at the church at 2 p. m.
BIG SPRING REBEKKA LODGE will meet at the WOW Hall at 7:30 p. m.
BETA SIGMA PHI OMICRON CHAPTER will meet in the home of Mrs. L. D. Crane, 1202 1/2 Place, at 8 p. m.
EXEMPLAR CHAPTER, BETA SIGMA PHI will meet in the home of Mrs. DOUBLE DECK BRIDGE CLUB will meet at 7 p. m. in the home of Mrs. C. C. Wilson, Continental Oil Camp, at 3 p. m.
AAUW will meet at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. J. G. Gibbs, 902 West 17th.
NORTHSIDE WOMEN will meet at the church at 3 p. m. for a Bible study.

WEDNESDAY
LADIES HOME LEAGUE OF THE SALVATION ARMY will meet at the club at 3 p. m.
FIRST METHODIST CHURCH CHORUS will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH will meet at the church at 8:30 p. m.
BIG SPRING GARDEN CLUB will meet in the Episcopal Parish House at 2:30 p. m.
SEW AND CHATTER CLUB will meet in the home of Mrs. Hollis Webb, 114 Lincoln, at 3 p. m.
EAGER BEAVERS will meet in the home of Mrs. Jones at 2 p. m.
NEW IDEA SEWING CLUB will meet in the home of Mrs. Garrett Patton, 1109 East 14th, at 7:30 p. m.

THURSDAY
MODERN BRIDGE CLUB will meet with Mrs. John Brubaker, 210 West 10th, at 2 p. m.
EPHRAIM SIGMA ALPHA ALPHA CHAPTER will have a banquet in room 1, Settles Hotel, at 7:30 p. m.
DEBENT BRIDGE CLUB will meet in the home of Mrs. W. K. Edwards, Jr., 1106 Sycamore, at 2 p. m.
ROYAL NEIGHBORES will meet in the WOW Hall at 2:30 p. m.
NEW IDEA SEWING CLUB will meet in the home of Mrs. M. K. House, Sr., 1504 Main, at 7 p. m.

FRIDAY
AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB will meet in the home of Mrs. Edna McCarty, 1201 Sumner, at 2 p. m.
MODERN WOMAN'S FORUM will meet in the home of Mrs. D. C. Sadler, 607 Sumner, at 3 p. m.
EAGER BEAVERS will have a forty-two party at the Settles Hotel at 7:30 p. m.

Project Underway

Members of St. Mary's Episcopal church are in the midst of a beautification and landscaping project. During the last week, concrete walks have been laid on the north-side of the church. Plans for the coming weeks include the levelling of the lot directly behind the church and the parish house. This lot will either be planted in grass or made attractive in some other way. A fence will be constructed around this property. The Rev. J. R. Maceo is rector of St. Mary's.

Iris Mae Lilly Honored At Party

Iris Mae Lilly was named honoree at a party on her twelfth birthday anniversary in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Frank Hughes.

Mrs. J. B. Lilly was co-hostess. Games were entertainment and refreshments were served. Those attending were Barbara Jordan, Sandra Reed, Peggy McCann, Carylon Ward, Vonna Springfield, Deanna Hunter, Louella and Charlene Wasson, Barbara Lewter, Janet Graham, Sharon Jacoby, Francis Morgan, Denna and Billy Hughes and the honoree.

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Dr. And Mrs. E. R. Kellersberger To Appear Here At Friday Luncheon

Recently returned from a five months tour of Far Eastern countries to study the postwar leprosy situation, Dr. and Mrs. Eugene R. Kellersberger will address a luncheon meeting of the United Council of Church Women at the Presbyterian church, Friday, Feb. 25.



DR. AND MRS. EUGENE R. KELLERSBERGER

Dr. and Mrs. Kellersberger visited leprosy colonies in the Philippines, Hawaii, China, Siam, and India and in 1946 made a similar tour of Latin America, Africa and Europe, in behalf of the American Mission to Lepers. This inter-denominational agency, with headquarters in New York City, is an auxiliary of 39 Protestant Mission Boards, giving financial assistance to those boards in rendering physical and spiritual ministry to leprosy patients in 125 colonies in 29 countries.

The need for more adequate treatment and care for persons afflicted with leprosy will be described by the Kellersbergers. They will tell of the deplorable conditions existing in all the countries they visited due largely to unsettled post-war conditions, negligence of governmental agencies, and the understaffing of Christian mission stations. Mr. and Mrs. Kellersberger will also briefly discuss leprosy in the United States, touching on the need for modernization of the regulation governing segregation and treatment of leprosy patients in the light of present day knowledge.

In 1938, Dr. Kellersberger was a delegate to the First International Leprosy Congress in Cairo, Egypt

and in 1948, he served as an official United States delegate to a similar Congress in Havana, Cuba.

In addition to his position in the American Mission to Lepers, Dr. Kellersberger holds membership in the U. S. Public Health Service Commission on Leprosy, the American Society of Tropical Medicine

Scout Troop Four Elects Officers For Three Months

Ensuing officers for the next three months were appointed by Jo Ann Miller, president, at the meeting of the Girl Scout Troop Four in the home of Mrs. L. L. Miller Friday.

Kay Richbourg was named program chairman; Joyce Gound, Good-Deed chairman, Marie Wallace recreation and Frances Walker, publicity chairman.

During the program, various pantomime skills were presented by the group. Credit under the Dramatic Appreciation Badge was recorded.

Cokes were served to Marie Wallace, Frances McClain, Joyce Gound, Kay Richbourg, Jo Ann Miller, Frances Walker, Mrs. Wallace and two guests, Janis Yates and Ann McClelland.

Stanton News Notes

STANTON, Feb. 19 (Spl) — The Rev. and Mrs. Ellmore Johnson and children left Monday for Turkey, where the Rev. Johnson will conduct a funeral service for a returned war hero.

Mrs. Virgil Baugh and son of O'Donnell were visitors in the home of her parents over the week end. Jean Davis of Dallas was a week end visitor in the home of her mother, Mrs. Ann Davis.

Billy Joe Sadler of Lubbock visited friends and relatives here this week.

Mrs. Elvie Henson and Mrs. Cora Turner were visitors in Odessa and Crane Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Keen and children of Midland visited relatives here over the week end.

Lila Winters of McMurry college at Abilene was a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lidge Winters in the Lenora community, during the week.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleland Atchison were Mr. and Mrs. George Winslow of McCamey.

Mrs. Dewitt Sneed entertained her son and the members of the Cub Scouts with a weiner roast in their home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Turner and son, Larry, of Air Terminal were Sunday visitors in Stanton.

Morris Zimmerman of Monahans visited relatives here over the week end.

Windell Thomason of Midland and Ellis Bennett were Sunday visitors in Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Barfield and children have moved to Clovis, N. M. where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison and family of Ackerly have purchased the Barfield farm and will make their home here in the future.

Alathean Class Holds Dinner In Smith Home

Members of the Alathean Sunday school class of the First Baptist church entertained their husbands at a buffet dinner and 42 party in the home of Mrs. Tracy Smith, 1900 Settles, Friday.

George Washington decorations were used throughout the party rooms. The table was laid with a white linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of red roses.

Loy House gave the invocation. Mrs. Rueben Creighton conducted the games.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Relerce Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Loy House, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Irons, Mr. and Mrs. Billy T. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Eubanks, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Green, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tompkins, Mrs. W. B. Johnston, Mrs. Kelly Brown, Mrs. Leonard Coker, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Creighton, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Coker, one guest, Pat Rivaud and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Smith.

Executive To Be Here

Sarah Bownan, area director of Girl Scouts, will be in Big Spring Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Miss Bownan has recently moved to this area to replace Mary Miller, former director now serving elsewhere. She plans to organize and re-organize some of the scouting work here and hopes to become acquainted with local leaders. Details of her three-day program will be announced later.

New YMCA Group Begins Work At Friday Meeting

Mrs. Roy Tidwell has been elected president of a new organization which will meet every month to make plans for YMCA work with junior members. Mother of the Junior YMCA members compose the membership of the group which met at the Y headquarters Friday night.

Committees appointed include: transportation, Mrs. Elvis McCrary, Mrs. Ray Clark and Mrs. J. E. Washburn; refreshments, Mrs. Eugene Turner, Mrs. Gene Rogers and Mrs. M. N. Thorp; telephone, Mrs. Paul Holden, Mrs. Ocie Henson and Mrs. Jim Ewing; and decorating, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gale and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bluhm.

It was announced that the next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Tidwell, 1510 Main.

Those present were: Mrs. Roy Tidwell, Mrs. Glenn Gale, Mrs. Paul Holden, Mrs. Ocie Henson, Mrs. R. C. Clark, Mrs. J. B. Ewing, Mrs. E. A. Turner, Mrs. J. E. Washburn and Ruth Burnam.

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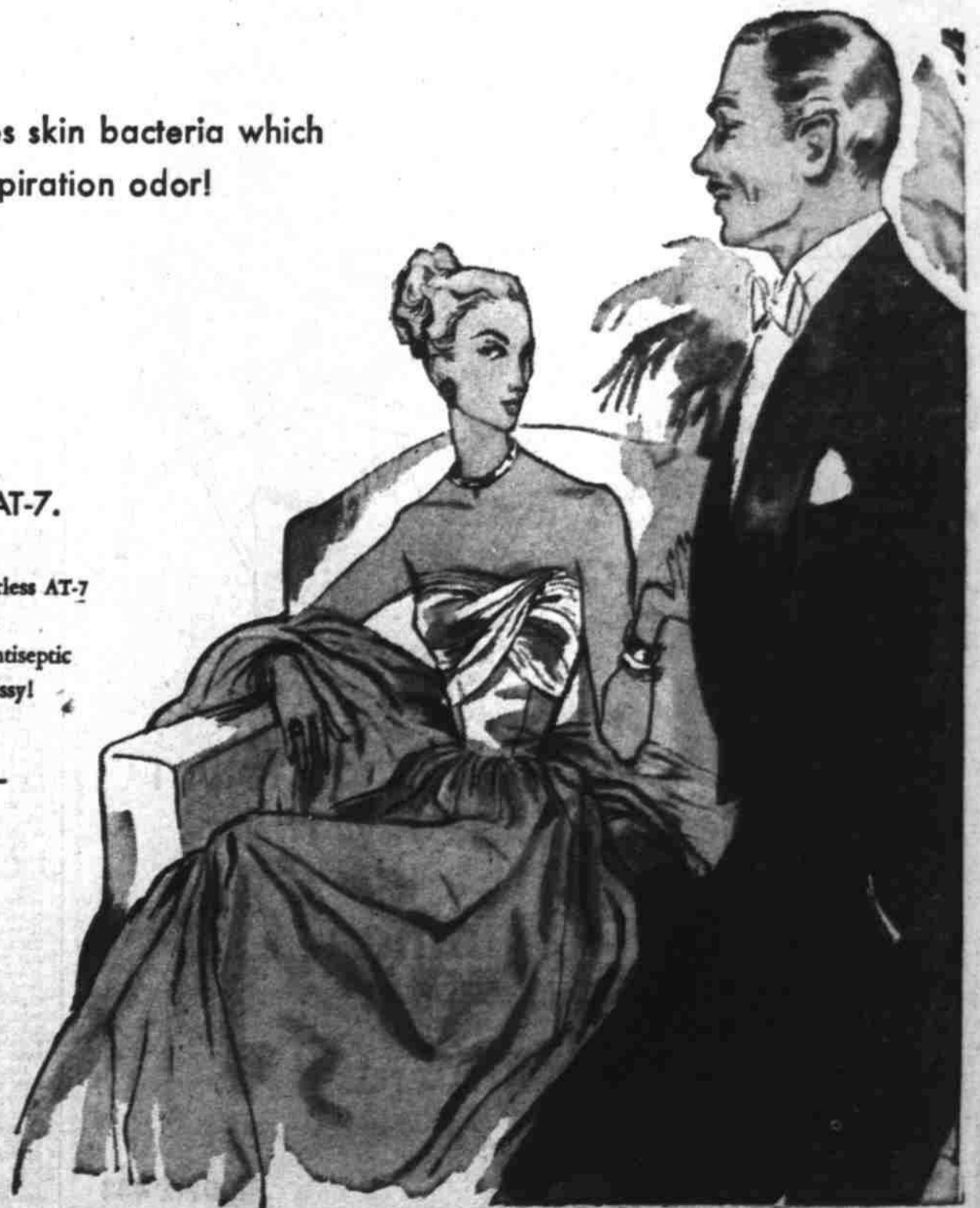
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Mexican Luncheon Plans Are Made

Plans were made for a Mexican luncheon to be held next Thursday in the home of Mrs. Troy Harrell when the First Baptist Barbara Reagan Class officers met in the church Thursday afternoon for a regular business session. It was announced that all members and associate members will be invited to attend the luncheon.

After the meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. J. C. Lane, Mrs. Harrell brought a devotional entitled "Giving Thanks To God."

Following the meeting, members carried out a visitation program. Those present were: Mrs. V. H. Cowan, Mrs. H. H. Cook, Mrs. Ray Phillips, Mrs. Troy Harrell, Mrs. W. L. Reed, Mrs. Reddell and Mrs. J. C. Lane.

HI-talk
By Dolores Franklin

Twenty-eight students were named to the mid-term honor roll, but they were only the students making all A's. Physical Education was not counted, since P. E. is only 1/4 credit. Principal Walter L. Reed announced that some 150 or 200 students were on the A & B honor roll, and that the ones making all A's deserve special mention. The honor roll students are: Louise Boodle, Frankie Boyd, Floyce Brown, Beverly Campbell, Lane Bond, La Nell Engle, Jeff Hanna, Delmar Hartin, Harold Haynie, George Hill, Jacqueline Marchant, Marilyn Martin, Carolyn Mills, Bonnie Newton, Mary Frances Norman, Dorothy Patterson, Wanda Lou Petty, Carl Preston, Norma Rose, Jane Stripling, Barbara Smith, Neida Smith, Jackie Sparks, Neta Underwood, Joy Williams, Bud Whitney, and Nancy Whitney, Alan Conley.

An assembly was held Tuesday morning in the Steer gym, under the direction of the student council, with Culin Grigsby as master of ceremonies. A short play was presented by the speech classes of Mrs. Janelle Davis. Participating were: Chubby Jones, Jackie Little, Wanda Lou Petty, Dorothy Kennedy, Mary Gerald Robbins, Marilyn Miller, Luan Creighton with John Richard Coffee introducing the characters. Following the play, a short whistling act was given by Roy Hickman. Then Mrs. Nell Frazier's ensemble sang three numbers, "Gianina Mia," "The Night Is Young," and "The Sleigh Song". The program was closed after the A football squad members received their jackets. The senior lettermen this year were: Kelley Lawrence, Kimball Guthrie, Kenneth Curry, Artless Davis, Donnie Carter, Billy Van Pelt, Culin Grigsby, Melvin Byers, Fred Her-

ington, Don Williams, Virgil Roundtree, Ben Boadie, Jimmie Jennings, Cleone Russell, Billy Satterwhite and Charles Willbanks received managers jackets.

The B team and the Junior High Yearlings also received letters, but not the jackets.

The members of the Big Spring High student council are planning to attend the Texas Student Council association convention to be held in El Paso, March 24 and 25. The four official delegates who will attend are: Culin Grigsby, Luan Creighton, Wanda Lou Petty, and Bud Whitney. Other members who plan to attend are: Jane Stripling, Neta Underwood, Katie Lou Jones, Howard Jones, Janelle Beene, Lou Ann Hall, Mona Lou Walker, Joy Williams, and Peggy Toops. The Student Council sponsor, Mrs. W. D. McNair and Principal Walter L. Reed will accompany the group.

Seniors seem to be getting that old "graduation feeling" since Mr. Reed announced that Earl Ezzell will be here Tuesday 22, to take orders for the senior invitations, diplomas, and the caps and gowns. Speaking of seniors, 26 tried out Thursday afternoon for the senior play, "Bachelor's Wife". The hopeful seniors are: Bill Sewell, Chubby Jones, John Richard Coffee, Kelley Lawrence, Richard Deats, Jimmy White, Charles Campbell, Harold Simpson, Doyle Jenkins, Mary Gerald Robbins, Rose Nell Parks, Ann Currie, Jane Stripling, Nancy Lovelace, Katie Lou Jones, Nancy Whitney, Jane Brookshire, Quepha Preston, Patsy Young, Mary Fells, Hazel Corning, Neta Underwood, Billie Jean O'Neal, Mary Louise Porter, Nilah Jo Hill, Betty Lou Hewett.

SPECTACLE OF THE WEEK: "Wobbler" Willbanks lost his football jacket in about an hour, to Shirley McGinnis.

Kelley Lawrence and Jane Stripling are wearing new sweaters received for their position in the Journalism department, as editor of the high school paper, and editor of the El Rodeo, the annual.

Mary Martha Class Has Regular Meeting

First Baptist Mary Martha Class members met in the home of Mrs. C. L. Lumpkins, 705 Settles, Thursday.

After the meeting opened with a prayer led by Mrs. Theo Andrews, a guest, Mrs. Wayne Williams gave a devotional. Mrs. Henry Carpenter won the door prize. Members voted to continue the weekly meetings.

Decorations carried out the theme of Washington's birthday and included a table centerpiece composed of red and white gladioli. Red candles formed a background for the arrangement. Favors were miniature hatchets with the class name inscribed on them.

Mrs. F. M. Sain served punch from a crystal service and Mrs. Howard Lester served cake.

Those present were: Mrs. C. W. Nevins, Mrs. Lela Mae Baird, Mrs. F. M. Sain, Mrs. Ruby Billings, Mrs. Glenn Smith, Mrs. J. S. Peden, Mrs. Howard Lester, Mrs. J. S. Wayne Williams, Mrs. W. H. Mahan, Mrs. Theo Andrews, Mrs. J. S. Gordon and Mrs. Boone Horne.

Hartwell Notes

HARTWELL, Feb. 19. (Sp.)—Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Barmore and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gross and family have recently moved to this community to make their home.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Barmore and family of Coleman were guests during the week with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Barmore and family. Bill will leave for Japan in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Burchett and family were recent visitors in the home of her father, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Porch of Midland.

Tables of 42 comprised the entertainment at the school Saturday night when several local residents gathered for a social meeting.

Eighteen local residents attended the Sunday evening community sing at the church and the following guests were present: Norman Chandler, Howard and Kas. C. Robinson, Joe Richters and Bill Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McKaskle and family had as their Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Notgrass and family of Odessa.

The Rev. Paul Deal served as pastor of the Glenwood church Sunday. Mrs. Deal and children spent the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Burchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Chap-

man have both been ill but are reported greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Walker were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gross and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Pug Newton and family of Big Spring visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Barmore and family.

Thirty persons attended Sunday school at the Hartwell Baptist church Sunday morning. Announcement is made that the Rev. Weldon Estes will conduct the worship services next Sunday. The Rev. Ellis of Hardin Simmons university, Abilene, conducts the services the first and third Sunday of each month.

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In Hospital

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Lectureship For Churches Of Christ To Be At Abilene Christian College

The Abilene Christian College, Abilene will act as host to its 32nd consecutive lectureship for the Churches of Christ and their affiliates Feb. 20-24.

The program scheduled is as follows: Sunday, Feb. 20, Glenn L. Wallace will speak at 8:45 a. m. and 10:50 a. m. in the regular services at the College Church of Christ. Hulen Jackson will conduct the evening service, "Lest We Forget," at 7:45 p. m.

"Using the Bible," will be taught by Charles Chumley at the 9:30 a. m. service Monday morning. At 7:30 p. m., George H. Stephenson will discuss, "Reverence and Devotion."

Gamma Delphian Meeting Is Held In Parish House

Mrs. Jimmy Mason, program leader, spoke on "The Toll of Human Conflict," at the meeting of the Gamma Delphians in the Episcopal Parish house Thursday.

Trainmen Ladies Meet On Friday

Mrs. Albert Smith, Mrs. Edna Knowles, Mrs. Elsie Hogg, Mrs. Ann Moore, Mrs. Helen Hendrick and Mrs. Josephine Lewis were hostesses to the Trainmen Ladies at a meeting held Friday afternoon in the WOW Hall.

LEGION LETTER

By KAY BUGG

This is the first of a series of weekly columns to appear in The Herald with news devoted to members of the American Legion Post of Howard County, gathered by Kay Bugg. All member of Post No. 355 are hereby requested to call your historian and give her the "word".

We are happy to have Miss Jessie Ryan back in town. She has been away from this post several months. Miss Ryan is employed by Dr. R. G. B. Cowper. Sid Johnston, a new buddy in town from Lubbock, is employed by Hemphill-Wells. Buddy W. P. Bass is in Las Cruces, N. M. We wish him much success, but hate to lose him. Mrs. Neel Barnaby and Neel Jr. are visiting her mother in Harlingen. We think she will be back home for the Barn Dance on the 26 February.

Don't forget the Barn Dance sponsored by the Legion Auxiliary at the Clubhouse 26 February. Come dressed as farmer or farm-erette. Music will be furnished by Jim King and his Bluebonnet Boys from Cosden. Refreshments will be served at midnight. Buddy Odel Womack and wife visited her parents in Archer City last weekend. Buddy Womack is adjutant for this post. District Commander Alvin Thiopen and family spent last weekend in Monahans. The Auxiliary is having their bridge tournament March 1. Public invited. Buddy Harold Steck and wife spent Thursday in Odessa on business. For the first time the Auxiliary is sending a girl from Big Spring high school to Girl's State.

If you Buddies want to get your name in the pot, better pay your 1949 dues. They are now payable and any one of the following members will be happy to sign you up for this year: Buddies Vic Alexander at Zales, Culin Grigsby at Anthony's, Truett Thomas at 800 E. Third, Dock Burnette and Vernon

and at 7:30 p. m., A. C. Pullias, president of George Pepperdine college in Los Angeles, Calif., will speak on the "Problems that Arose in the Apostolic Church."

Services at 9:30 a. m. and 11 a. m., Wednesday morning will be conducted by the Abilene Christian college and by other appointed speakers. M. Norvel Young will present the thought, "Evangelizing Germany," at 2:30 p. m. and will be directly followed at 3:15 p. m. by Jacob C. Vandervis, who returned from the meeting on the missionary field in Holland. He will speak on the "Evangelization of Holland and Belgium." A. C. Pullias will again be heard at 7:30 p. m. His topic will be "The Nature of Christian Unity."

Wednesday evening at 5 p. m., a special dinner will be held for the preachers and elders and a special collection will be offered for the foreign students attending ACC.

On the last day of the lectureship, Thursday, Feb. 24, Harold Thomas and Eldred Echols will have charge of the 9:30 a. m. hour, speaking on the subjects of "Evangelizing the United States and Canada," and "Evangelizing Africa," respectively. "Opportunities in New Fields" will be discussed at 11 a. m.

Larry Evans Named Music Club Officer

Larry Evans was elected parliamentarian and several committee members were appointed when the TeenAge Music Club met Friday afternoon in the parlor of the First Baptist Church.

Dolores Sheats, president, opened the meeting by leading the group in singing "Texas, Our Texas." Annette Puckett was appointed chairman of the social committee and Peggy King and Florine Cass will serve with her. Jo Ann Haley, Larry Evans and Darlene Coufiter were appointed as the telephone committee.

Red and white were named as the club colors and red roses as the flower.

Program numbers included the following piano solos, "Les Frites," Paul Wacks, by Annette Puckett; "A Little Bit Of Heaven," Ernest R. Ball, Jackie Marchant; "Second Murmur," Charles Dennee, Dolores Sheats; "Three Little Kittens," Frank J. Potamkin, Peggy King; "Improvisation and Melody," Arthur L. Brown, Margaret Anne Nichols. Jo Ann Haley and Jackie Marchant sang "The Old Rugged Cross" by the Rev. George Bennard. Mary Frances Norman and Evelyn Wilson played "Humoresque" by Anton Dvorak. Refreshments were served to the 11 members present.

Plans For Work Made By Circle Members

Plans were made for the next six months work when the First Christian Martha Circle met in the home of Mrs. J. M. McCoy.

Those present were: Mrs. Harry Stiff, Mrs. J. A. Hanna, Mrs. F. C. Robinson, Mrs. A. Glenn, Mrs. G. Hall, Mrs. W. B. Martin, Mrs. H. W. Smith, Mrs. Tom Ross, Mrs. C. L. Ice, Mrs. C. D. Wiley and Mrs. J. M. McCoy.

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Glimpse At Divine Regard Of Problem Would Help Solution

Today begins Brotherhood Week, an observance designed to promote just what it says.

Considerable emphasis is placed on combating intolerance and prejudice against race, creed or national origin. This is all well and good, for these malignant qualities have in themselves the seeds of destruction of those who practice them. However, this approach is essentially negative. It is saying "don't have" prejudice, don't be intolerant, and don't condemn people because of their national backgrounds."

More appealing is the need for understanding, first of all of the ideals and implications of brotherhood. Only as we progress toward this goal will we achieve real and lasting solutions of our problems. It is not an easy goal, and therefore not

one to be created purely by edict or ephemeral hope. There is one logical starting point, and that is the recognition of the one thing human beings have in common. We are possessors of souls and therefore the children of God. Of course, this will not appeal to some who purport to deny the existence of God, but on a world-wide basis, those who truly hold this view are in a minute minority.

If we accept this cardinal principle, we also accept the thesis that our business is to progress toward heavenly standards. We can ask ourselves who all men will be regarded by our Maker. When we answer that, we will be less hesitant to pass on prejudices and intolerant attitudes however honestly or justifiably acquired. The revolution of brotherhood would be slow, but it would be a revolution nevertheless.

Return To Character-Building Is Challenge In Nation Today

By FRANK GRIMES
Herald Special Writer

In the current Collier's General Omar Bradley, who writes as forcefully and incisively as he fights, calls on the American people to face up to reality and prepare themselves to promote and defend their most precious heritage: their freedom.

Democracy, he points out is something that must be earned, and to be enjoyed it must be worked at.

"Freedom," writes the brilliant chief of staff, "is not a prize to be given a man for his distinguished achievement in having been born an American."

How right he is. No generation can will freedom to a succeeding generation, and be certain it will stick. The will can be broken in many ways, or the heirs can lose it simply by doing nothing to keep it alive. Our American freedom isn't something we are entitled to enjoy simply because we are our fathers' sons and daughters. It is something we must maintain and nourish for ourselves and our children.

No man, as General Bradley points out, is entitled to the prize of freedom by simply having been born an American. He must work for and defend it, not occasionally, not every so often, but constantly.

General Bradley was born and raised in Missouri. His father was a farmer-school teacher. Between the school and the farm, with the help of his wife and son, Father Bradley managed to eke out a living. He walked eight miles to the school each Monday morning, spent the week boarding with a patron, and walked back to the farm each Friday to spend the week-end helping his wife and son cultivate the land. Young Bradley early learned self-reliance, to do for himself, as most boys brought up on a farm have

learned. Today, General Bradley thinks the school, the church and the home have let the young people down. These are the indispensable factors in the building of national character. In the case of the schools, particularly they have been taken too much for granted. Parents are indifferent about who is teaching their offspring what, and many do not even know the name of their child's teachers, much less their faces. Curricula have not kept pace with modern demands, and patrons are unaware that our educational system has been starved in the midst of plenty.

People today are looking for security and more security. They don't like to be bothered with national or international problems. They don't like to serve on school boards, or assume other civic responsibilities. They write a check, and dismiss the whole thing from their minds. Meantime, the traditional place of refuge and security is breaking up with sickening regularity: the home. Many young people are deprived of this tower of strength, and many others find home a place of bickering and strife, or insecurity and disappointment, rather than a citadel of love and understanding.

The primary purpose of the church is to minister to the spiritual needs of man, to provide solace and peace for his soul. If it becomes instead a battleground of ideology or a clearing house of economics and sociology, it has missed its mission. To survive, this nation needs character: the character that comes from deep religious conviction and the practice of religious precepts. God's great truths are under attack throughout the modern world, and not only in godless lands. A return to the character-building powers of the home, the school and the church is the only answer to national salvation in a world of degeneration and disintegration.

Today And Tomorrow — Walter Lippmann

Trouble Over Atlantic Pact Can Be Ironed Out, Set Right

The trouble over the Atlantic Pact which has been advertised to all the world first by the Scandinavian crisis and then by the discussion in the Senate last Monday, has been brewing for some months. The trouble can be set right. But not by any new combination of words in the pact itself. For the trouble arises from a fundamentally false idea which the American negotiators with the best of intentions, but for lack of experience accepted.

This was the idea that American military collaboration with Western Europe—a necessary and desirable thing—could be and had to be based on a treaty which would run a long time—for as many as sixteen to twenty years.

The idea is fundamentally false. It is not possible to write a treaty which will guarantee military collaboration over a long period of time. The United States cannot under the Constitution do this. No other country can in fact, whatever its constitutional theory, do it. Witness the British and French guarantees to Czechoslovakia before Munich, and their twenty-year treaties, signed during the war and still theoretically valid, with the Soviet Union.

Nor is it necessary to write such a treaty for the purpose of achieving military collaboration of the most intimate and effective kind as long as the situation calls for it. Witness our military collaboration with Canada, with Great Britain as a result of the famous Churchill-Roosevelt arrangement about the destroyers and the bases, with Denmark about Greenland.

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A strong case can be made for a pact which gives legal recognition to the Atlantic Community. A strong case can be made for military aid and special collaboration with Britain, France, and Benelux. But to attempt to fit them together was to drive a square peg into a round

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Washington Merry-Go-Round — Drew Pearson

Riding French 'Merci' Train Revives Poignant Memories Of World War I

ABOARD THE FRENCH gratitude train. — Here I am riding on freight trains again. Of course, these French freight cars are getting super-deluxe treatment, thanks to the courtesy and generosity of the American railroads. But anyway, riding with them brings back memories of the days when I rode in similar boxcars in the Balkans after World War I.

M. Charles D'Hague, the French railway mechanic is traveling with the Gratitude Train, describes these boxcars as "tres fatigues." Perhaps because they are "very tired," have been everywhere, seen everything, a world of sentiment of memories is tied up in them. These are the same type of cars that France sent down to aid her ally, Serbia, during and after the first war, and they are the same cars that carried friendship train food through France and Italy just a little over a year ago.

For many months after World War I they were the only thing in which you could travel, and when it came to choosing between "forty men and eight horses," I personally preferred riding with the eight horses.

Reason was that the horses kept the car warm. And you have no idea how cold those cars could get on winter nights. If, however, you picked out a train carrying cavalry, and slipped into a car with eight horses, you were reasonably sure of spending a warm night. The horses were always tied, their heads facing the door, so you could sleep on the hay in front of them with no danger from their heels. In the morning you woke up to find all the hay eaten out from under you, and perhaps some of you nibbled a—but at least it was warm.

POLICE GUARD

Today the American railroads are guarding these French boxcars with special police night and day, as if they were museum pieces—which, in effect, they are. But in the Balkans, there was only one way to keep your boxes from being rifled—sleep in it yourself.

And, as part of my job was to transport relief supplies from Belgrade south to the Yugoslav-Albanian border, boxcars were a sort of second home to me.

Sometimes we borrowed Yugoslav gendarmes from the government to guard supplies, but usually that meant about 10 per cent of your flour and sugar was sold along the way—by the gendarme.

Or sometimes when you didn't have supplies to guard you rode in the caboose—also unheated, except for a standard oil can, with holes punched in the sides, and a couple of chunks of soft coal burning inside. What smoke belched forth from those cans! There was no chimney, so it was a toss-up whether to stay in the caboose and smother or go out on the rear platform and freeze.

"AMERICAN LADIES"

Then there were those post-war locomotives. Sometimes I rode in them, because they were warm. Usually, they barely crept along and sometimes they didn't go at all. Many of them were left behind by the American Army and had whistles reminiscent of the locomotives of our western states. You could always recognize them by their whistle and the Serbs, hearing them, would call them "Amerikans," meaning "Amerikan Lady."

One Amerikana behind which I rode got stalled on a cold Janu-

ary night in the mountain pass south of Nish, and I still recall as if it were yesterday lining up a dozen men between the locomotive and a creek to pass water in standard oil tins up to the boiler. The Serbs had expected the "American Lady" to make steam with her boiler dry!

BETTER NOW

The railroads of Europe have improved a lot since then. Even the French and Italian roads, though suffering terrific punishment during the war, are now pretty well back on their feet. You still have to take along steamer rugs, heavy socks and long underwear to stay warm, and traveling through most of Europe in wintertime is something you don't do just for the fun of it.

All of which is by way of contrast with the way American railroads are run today, as evidenced by the operation of the Gratitude Train. American railroads are carrying these 49 boxcars 70,700 miles, or the equivalent of three times around the world. To plan this schedule traffic managers for about 17 roads sat down in Washington well before the French ship docked and figured out, almost to the last hour and minute, when each car would arrive at its destination, and how approximately eight sections of

Broadway — By Jack O'Brien

Blind Girl, 12, Makes Good School Grades

NEW YORK—Personal notes off a New Yorker's cuff:

Betty Clark, the blind 12-year-old who sings Sundays over ABC radio program, "Betty Clark Sing," was graduated the other day from Public School 59 in New York City with average grades of 90. She was the only blind girl in her class.

Radio announcer Dennis James and Julia Mead, the television show beauty, say they'll be walking under orange blossoms this Spring as Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Handy, composer of "The St. Louis Blues," is still active in Tin Pan Alley where he operates a music publishing business and sometimes appears on radio programs. The fact that he is almost blind doesn't seem to handicap him. He is now 78 years old. He rarely varies from a standard luncheon he has had for years—Southern fried chicken and hot bread.

James Hilton, the author of "Lost Horizon" and "Mr. Chips," says he thinks that television will cast actors for certain roles even more than did the movies. The preconditioning of audiences—to "expect always to see certain actors in the same type of roles"—is one of the problems being faced by casting directors for television shows.

Mr. Kekki Modi left New York the other day with a contract in his pocket to distribute United Artists pictures for the next several years in India, Burma, Ceylon and Pakistan. He also left New York with a considerable linguistic problem on his hands. Mr. Modi will receive his Hollywood pictures, but when they arrive on the Indian peninsula he faces the problem of dubbing in the local dialects so that the films will be understandable to the countless groups in the Far East in whose local theaters

the train would fan out through the United States.

When the SS Magellan tied up at the Erie RR docks in Weehawken, 49 flatcars were set and waiting on the pier. And within 30 minutes after the ship was secured, the first French car was hoisted by crane onto the waiting flatcar.

The last of the French cars are being delivered next week—a terrific job, executed without a slip-up.

DEMAND FIRM

President Truman is getting worried about heavy deflationary pressures on U. S. economy. The White House has learned that unemployment benefits have increased for 10 straight weeks—also, that various factories throughout the country have been shut down.

In discussing this with aides last week, Truman pointed out that the \$64 question is not the softening in the commodities or luxury-goods lines but whether or not prices drop in basic materials—steel, aluminum, coal, electrical goods, autos and radios.

The demand in all these lines, with the exception of automobiles, remains heavy. Truman feels the large federal budget and the heavy war-preparedness program are guarantees against any serious slump.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Mr. DeWitt MacKenzie, this department's authoritative advisor on Hindustani, income tax and other such complex problems, advises that in India and Pakistan alone Mr. Modi will be compelled to dub in at least 24 dialects to cover the large centers of population where each dialect is spoken by one million or more people. In all of India he says, there are 225 different local dialects.

In Burma and Ceylon Mr. Modi will face additional dialect troubles.

Mr. Modi will receive his Hollywood pictures, but when they arrive on the Indian peninsula he faces the problem of dubbing in the local dialects so that the films will be understandable to the countless groups in the Far East in whose local theaters

Around The Rim — The Herald Staff

Typographical Errors Funny Only When They Become History

You might think that newspaper folk would become completely calloused to typographical errors that appear in their publications, since there are so many of them; but the cold fact of the matter is that the responsible people around the office write in the agony of embarrassment at most of the ludicrous errors that a few misplaced letters—or a misplaced line—can cause.

Typographical errors are the plague of all newsmen. Every precaution is taken against them and yet they continually pop up, like the gremlins you used to hear about. Another peculiar thing is that the worst of these seem to come in batches. The paper may go along for weeks with few errors occurring, then suddenly will break out in a rash of the worst sort of mis-cues. There seems to be no accounting for it, and yet there it is.

When the tash does hit, of course the publisher raises Cain with the managing editor; the m.e. sals out the reporters; the reporters snub the copy reader who handled their stuff; the copy reader quips speaking to the printers; and the printers point an accusing finger at the proof reader; the proof reader may find that it was all the publisher's fault in the first place.

These errors generally are very funny when reviewed in past tense, but believe me, they aren't amusing on the day they appear. Another thing is that they cause much more merriment outside the newspaper office than they do inside. We at The Herald still haven't lived down a

very engaging little line that appeared some 15 months ago, something about a falling plane striking a passing automobile.

Well, it, and the other errors are laughable now. Just to show you, a national business magazine for doctors, Medical Economics, has compiled a list of "misprints with a medical slant" gleaned from the newspaper pages. They are funny, but they must have caused resentment when they were first printed. Here are a few choice ones from the magazine's list (it is hoped that local doctors appreciate the fact that their own magazine started this):

"Dr. S—, one of our most eligible bachelors, is retiring from practice. Hale and hearty at 65, he doctor says all he wants is a little peach and quite."

"Recovered from a head injury and shock caused by coming in contact with a live wire, Mr. E— left Mercy Hospital last Wednesday."

"Miss Dorothy N—, who was injured by a fall from a horse last week, is in St. Joseph's Hospital and is covered sufficiently to have her friends come to see her."

"Experienced meat cutter wanted for full-time position. Apply Room 1022, University Hospital."

"He was taken to St. Luke's Hospital for treatment, but left there this morning with no bones broken."

All of which demonstrates that these typographical errors are no respecters of persons or professions.—Bob Hpkaky—oops, I mean BOB WHIPKEY.

Nation Today — James Marlow

World War Veterans Can Put Congressmen On Spot

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 — CONGRESS IS right on a spot with the bill to give war veterans a pension.

A lot of veterans are going to get sore at a lot of congressmen if the vote is "no."

But if the vote is "yes," the pension plan will add billions of dollars to the cost of running the government.

Since President Truman's administration is trying to keep down costs, his leaders will try to keep the bill from coming to a vote.

No one is guessing in exact figures how much the plan would cost the country. But the New York Times says the cost ultimately would be "fantastic."

As it stands, the plan, or bill, calls for a pension of \$90 a month to all veterans of World Wars I and II when they reach 65. That would be \$1,080 a year for each. There are now 18 million veterans.

ABOUT 203,500 VETERANS WOULD BE eligible this year, if the bill passed. The pension for them would cost \$65 million.

As more veterans reached 65, the cost would climb into the billions.

Around here there's talk that if Mr. Truman's leaders are maneuvered into letting the bill come up for a vote, the House, at least, will pass it.

Any congressman with a yen for re-election—and an eye on the veterans he might anger in his district—might well be expected to hesitate about saying "no."

But one congressman took his stand right away. He's Rep. Byrnes, Wisconsin Republican. Stepping before the House he said:

"This legislation is dishonest. It attempts to deceive the veterans into believing they are getting something for nothing when, as a matter of fact, in 10 years our veterans will be shouldering half the nation's tax burdens, including the tremendous increase this bill contemplates."

Byrnes said that if congressmen don't

have the courage to point out to veterans in their district the "dangerous fallacies" in the bill, they don't belong in Congress.

WHEN HE SAID THAT THIS WEEK, Democrats and Republicans on both sides of the House applauded him. This might indicate that at voting time the answer would be "no."

But there's no record of who applauds in Congress. There is a record, for all to see, of those who vote, and how they vote.

Certainly not all veterans would be angered at seeing the plan killed. The American Veterans Committee, opposed to general pensions for veterans, told Congress this bill is a "political handout."

But two big organizations want pensions of \$60 a month for veterans reaching 60. They're the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion.

The AVC charges of "political handout" infuriated Rep. John Rankin, Mississippi Democrat, who daddled the bill through the committee which he heads.

IT WAS RANKIN'S HOUSE VETERANS Committee which okayed the bill, after a stormy session, and sent it up to the House for a vote.

But some members of Rankin's own committee got so sore at his tactics that they walked out of the committee, charging that he was "railroading" it through and acting like a dictator.

President Truman, who reaches 65 in May, and Rep. Rankin, who'll be 67 this year, would get the \$90 a month pension if the bill became law. Both are veterans of World War I.

Besides the \$90-a-month outright pension, the bill would provide other benefits for widows and orphans of veterans.

This country is still paying pensions for wars of a century ago. Veterans their widows, children, and dependent parents all the way from World War II to the Mexican War received \$6,465,232 in pensions last year.

Notebook — Hal Boyle

Wife With 24-Karat Heart True Wealth Of Poor Man

NEW YORK, Feb. 19 — ONCE UPON A time there was a man who learned how to make gold.

He was a poor bookkeeper, tired of poverty and weary of keeping other men's books.

He didn't want to make enough gold to throw the world's money systems out of kilter. No, he intended to keep his discovery—when he made it—a secret. He just planned to turn out enough gold for his own modest needs. A million here a million there.

So he went to a department store and bought himself a chemistry set. He wore out the seat of his pants at the public library reading volumes on alchemy and the transmutation of metals. Finally he decided that the easiest thing to turn into gold was quicksilver.

HE SET UP A LABORATORY IN HIS basement and went to work. Evening after evening he labored there alone past midnight. Feverishly he stewed up stinking messes of chemicals until his home smelled like a glue factory. Into each batch he hopefully poured a little quicksilver—with no result.

His quest became a mania. He quit his job after the 3,001st unsuccessful experiment. After that he stayed in the basement night and day. He grew thin and haggard.

One morning his wife came into the laboratory as he was about to begin his 5,999th experiment. He was out of fancy chemicals and had only kitchen ingredients left.

He poured the last of his quicksilver into a mortar. He put in a pinch of salt and a spoonful of baking soda. Idly he stirred this batch with his finger. Then his wife said quickly:

"There isn't a penny left in the baby's bank, dear. There isn't a scrap of food in

the house, and I know you are hungry."

The tears brimmed into her eyes. The man looked up and said:

"Why, honey, you're crying."

He reached over with his blackened finger to wipe a tear from her cheek. As he touched it the tear turned to a bright hard yellow.

"Gold!" screamed the man. "Gold at last!"

He ran next door and borrowed an onion. He peeled it and held it up to his wife's eyes.

"Cry!" he commanded her. The onion brought the tears, all right, but when he dropped them into the mixture in the mortar—nothing happened.

Maddened, the man grabbed his wife's wrist and twisted it cruelly.

"Cry!" he said. "Cry some more! I hate to do this, honey, but maybe it is tears of pain that make gold. I have to know."

THE PAIN TEARS CAME. HE LET the small giboules of his wife's agony fall into mortar. Nothing. It was the mixture as before.

The man gave a mighty oath of despair. He picked up the mortar and crashed it down on the stone table, smashing it to fragments. And then he ran upstairs.

The loyal wife watched him go, and pity for him replaced her pain. She bent over the table and wept for him alone—the husband she loved.

And as they fell into the spilled mixture, drop by drop, the tears turned to the color of the morning sun—the pure bright gold of compassion.

Moral: A wife with a 24-karat heart is the poor man's true wealth.

WORD-A-DAY
By BACH

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IT'S BEEN THIS WAY EVERY NIGHT SINCE HE BECAME CHIEF TASTER AT THE WINERY!!



Varied Activities Reported At Forsan

FORSAN, Feb. 19 (Sp) — Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Baker honored their son, Kenneth, with a birthday party February 14, his seventeenth anniversary. Decorations carried out the Valentine theme. Indoor games were played.

Refreshments were served to the following: Billie Sewell, Sara Chanslor, Wayne Huestis, Jimmy Green, Charles Wash, Marie Petty, Betty Rose, Laura Whittenburg, Deryl Miller, Betty Jo Robinson, Betty Lunn Oglesby, Pauline Massey, Hood Parker, Jr., Donald McAdams, James Suttles, Bobby Calley, Dan Fairchild, Loyd Claxton, Richard Gilmore, R. W. Dolan, Jr., Virgil Bennett, Bobby Baker, Ronnie and Donna Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Baker.

Mrs. Frank Tate presided at a meeting of the Forsan Study Club Thursday afternoon. Roll call was answered with "A book that helps understand other peoples."

Topic of the program was "International Approach To Literature" with Mrs. Bill Conger as leader. Mrs. C. V. Wash discussed "Wisdom, Happiness And Hope" by Ella Wheeler Wilcox and "Re-

cessional" by Kipling. Mrs. Bob Cowley discussed "Brief History Of Literature." Mrs. O. B. Caldwell spoke on "Current Literature." Mrs. G. D. Kennedy, Mrs. Bob Honeycutt and Mrs. W. B. Dunn, members of the nominating committee, gave a report.

Mrs. Conger closed the program with a prayer.

"English tea" was served to the following: Mrs. E. M. Bailey, Mrs. E. N. Baker, Mrs. Bob Cowley, Mrs. Bill Conger, Mrs. O. B. Caldwell, Mrs. John Cardwell, Mrs. W. B. Dunn, Mrs. Jeff English, Mrs. E. A. Grissom, Mrs. G. B. Hale, Mrs. Joe T. Holladay, Mrs. G. D. Kennedy, Mrs. Frank Jacobs, Mrs. J. D. Leonard, Mrs. H. H. Story, Mrs. Frank Tate, Mrs. C. V. Wash, Mrs. Cleo C. Wilson, Betty Rose and Deryl Miller.

Mrs. O. G. Ham was hostess to the Pioneer Sewing Club Tuesday in her home at the Humble Camp. Mrs. John Cardwell was elected as president and Mrs. John Kubecka as secretary-treasurer-reporter.

A variety of handwork was done. Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. H. L. Tienard, Mrs. G. W. Overton, Mrs. Jesse Overton, Mrs. C. L. King, Mrs. B. A. Farmer, Mrs. Pearl Scuddry, Mrs. J. E. Thompson, Mrs. John Cardwell, Mrs. John Kubecka and Mrs. Ham.

Mrs. C. V. Wash, Mrs. E. N. Baker, Mrs. J. W. White, Mrs. J. E. Thompson, Mrs. G. W. Overton, Mrs. Jesse Overton attended the workers conference held at the First Baptist Church in Big Spring Thursday as delegates from the local church.

The Rev. J. G. Briscoe of Irving, brought the Bible Study based on Hebrews 9 for members of the WMS of the Forsan Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon following the opening prayer by Mrs. Jesse Overton and a song led by Mrs. E. C. McArthur. Mrs. R. A. Chambers led in prayer.

Those present were: Mrs. E. N. Baker, Mrs. C. V. Wash, Mrs. A. L. Byrd, Mrs. J. W. White, Mrs. Jesse Overton, Mrs. G. W. Over-

ton, Mrs. R. A. Chambers and Mrs. E. C. McArthur.

Members of the Sophomore class and others had an evening of skating Friday at Big Spring as a class party sponsored by the room mothers of the class. Sponsors are: Mrs. A. P. Oglesby, Mrs. G. B. Petty, Mrs. E. B. Thorp, Mrs. C. Suttles and Mrs. L. T. Shoults.

Refreshments were served in the school cafeteria.

Those present were: Betty Oglesby, Sara Chanslor, Ruth Overton, Patsy McAllen, Jeanette Petty, Marie Petty, Billie Sewell, Wayne Huestis, Jimmie Shouts, Donald McAdams, Ewing Thorpe, James Suttles, Jimmie Green, Eldon Prater, Bill Hanks, Bob Baker, Virgie Bennett, Larry Stockton, Richard Gilmore, Charles Wash, A. P. Oglesby, and Bob Honeycutt, class sponsor.

Robert Robertson and Ruth Calley were the winners in the contest games played at the seventh grade Valentine party in the home of Mrs. J. B. Green Monday evening.

Refreshments were served to Robert Robertson, Johnnie Parks, Jerry McMahan, Lela Fletcher, Margie Willis, Ona Maye McElreath, Vivian Green, Leon Martin, David Wise, Freddy Overton, Nancy Huestis, Clifford Draper, Ruth Calley, Mrs. Bill Conger and co-hostesses, Mrs. D. W. Roberson and Mrs. O. W. Fletcher.

Lela Maye Fletcher brought the devotional thought for the day over the room broadcasting system Tuesday. The program was presented by the members of the seventh grade.

Johnnie Parks presided over the program. Robert Robertson played a guitar selection, accompanied by Mrs. Bill Conger. Special music was presented by the chorus composed of David Wise, Lela Fletcher, Nancy Huestis, Leon Martin, Ruth Calley and Freddy Overton.

By 1926, when the constitution was amended to give women the vote, they had been enfranchised by 30 state governments.

Frankie Mae Bedell Named Party Honoree

Mrs. Clay G. Bedell honored her daughter, Frankie Mae, on her tenth birthday in her home at Ross City.

Indoor games were played and refreshments and favors of bubble gum and balloons were served. Fern and Wenoka Bedell, Betty J. Dean and Corina Willis served as hostesses and game directors.

Those present were: Barbara Dean, Marquetta Willis, Mary Lou McElrath, Verna Jo Blankenship, Janell King, Sandra Martin, Gay Griffith, Belvin Martin, Marilyn Bedell, Ellen Suzanne Lamb, Barbara Green and the honoree.

Coahoma Notes

COAHOMA, Feb. 19 (Sp) — Sue Buchanan was named honoree at a party on her 12th birthday anniversary in the home of Mrs. O. B. Hull Friday evening.

Those attending were Mary Massey, Betty Davis, Janice Eppler, Martha White, Miss Tindell, Darrell Robinson, Mrs. S. F. Buchanan and the honoree.

Members of the Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. K. G. Blalock Wednesday, with Mrs. O. B. Snyder as co-hostess.

Attending were Mrs. Sam Armstrong, Mrs. E. G. Rogers, Mrs. I. H. Severance, Mrs. J. Paul Eppler, Mrs. Troy Pierce and daughter, Wanda, Mrs. Albert Werth, Mrs. A. E. Lay, Mrs. Alfred Thieme, Mrs. J. W. Wood, Mrs. G. W. Graham, Mrs. Mary Adams, Mrs. D. S. Phillips, Mrs. W. J. Jackson, Mrs. B. R. Thompson, Mrs. D. W. Byrns, Mrs. O. B. Snyder and Mrs. Blalock.

Garden City Notes

GARDEN CITY, Feb. 19 (Sp) — District Governor Schley Riley of the Big Spring Lions club presented W. E. Chaney, president of the newly organized local Lions club, with its charter at the banquet in the school Thursday.

After accepting the charter, Chaney presented it to his club members.

The Rev. A. T. Mason delivered the invocation and the Rev. Archer C. Durant pronounced the benediction.

Several musical numbers were given by Mrs. R. R. Ricker, Mrs. C. G. Parsons and Mrs. Ira Lee Watkins, accompanied by Mrs. Bernard Tom Houston.

Jeff Davis, president of the Sterling City Lions club presented the local club with a gong and gavel set as a gift from that city.

Lions club members from Sterling City, Midland, Big Spring and Stanton attended the meeting.

Otto Dozier and daughter, Olene, have as their guests, Mrs. Tom A. Walde and son, Allen, of Portales, N. M.

British General To Talk In State

LONDON, Feb. 19 (Sp) — Atty. Gen. Sir Hartley Shawcross announced today he has accepted an invitation to a convention of the Texas State Bar Assn. late in June.

Cosden Chatter

Company Personnel Makes Many Visits

By Personnel Department
R. L. Tollett left Thursday for Chicago. He is spending today in Washington, D. C. with his daughter, and will attend meeting of directors in New York Monday.

M. M. Miller left today on a trip to Kansas City, Missouri and Des Moines, Iowa on company business. While in Des Moines he will attend the annual Iowa Petroleum Association Convention.

Olle Williams, superintendent of transportation for Anchor Petroleum Co. of Tulsa, Okla. was a visitor in the refinery this week observing the operation of our new propane and butane plant.

S. K. Whaley and Lee Harris spent Thursday and Friday in Fort Worth and Dallas on company business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Matheny are spending the weekend in Lubbock visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Vanderworth and family at Abilene were the weekend guests of Mrs. Ruby Martin last weekend.

R. W. Thompson attended the Statewide Oil and Gas Hearing of

Open House Set Sunday

Midway School will be the scene of an open house on Sunday afternoon from 3 to 5 p. m.

A. M. Bryant, school principal, has announced that the open house has been planned in order that interested persons add those who have aided the school since the main building was destroyed in a plane crash last month, may have an opportunity to witness the work which has been accomplished since the disaster.

Refreshments will be served.

Wife Of Oil Man Found Slain In Home Bathroom

CISCO, Feb. 19 (Sp) — Mrs. Pauline Reynolds, 54, wife of a Texas oilman, was found shot to death in the bathroom of her home here late Friday. Justice of the Peace W. E. Brown returned an inquest verdict of suicide.

Mrs. Reynolds had been in ill health for some time. The body was found on the bathroom floor by Harry Reynolds, her husband. She had been shot in the head. A .38 caliber revolver was near the body.

Dirt Farmers Meet

AUSTIN, Feb. 19 (Sp) — The Texas Dirt Farmers Congress holds its 5th annual meeting here in the House chamber Friday. Delegations from all livestock and farm groups in the state came here to discuss Texas' agricultural program.

Plant Explosion

CORSICANA, Feb. 19 (Sp) — An explosion, blamed on accumulated gas in a vault at the Velvet Ice Cream Co. here, caused damage today estimated at \$30,000. Charles Vess, superintendent of the company, was slightly injured.

MAYOR SPEAKS

(Continued From Page 1)

Mrs. W. N. Thomason, Rex Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nabors, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Rupp, Mr. and Mrs. Munson Compton, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Dahney, Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Mundt, A. A. Cooper, T. W. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Lorraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shursten, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dabney, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hartley, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ellison, D. M. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Nabors, O. L. Nabors, Burl Haynie, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Faulkner, Gertrude Standard, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sides.

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the Railroad Commission in Houston Tuesday.

E. L. Long returned to work this week after recovering from a lengthy illness.

Mrs. George Grimes and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown and family left Saturday morning on a vacation trip to Ponca City, Oklahoma. Bob Coffey, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Coffey, who is attending Baylor University spent last weekend with his family here in Big Spring.

Rube McNew's son, Gary, spent two days in the hospital last week.

W. F. Coffman, District Sales Manager of Fort Worth and Dallas and Rex Baggett, Salesman of Abilene, were in the office Thursday on business.

R. O. Wilson, Manager Asphalt Sales, was in the office Monday and Tuesday on routine business.

Other visitors in the office this week included: Ralph Nelson, The Todd Company, Inc. of Fort Worth; Messrs. Hotchkiss, Harmon, Foots, Davis and Langford of the Magnolia Petroleum Company; Bill Norman of Lockhart; Range and Beeman Dockery of Colorado City; Searcy Whaley of Lubbock; Rube Houston, Mansfield Tire and Rubber Company of Mansfield, Ohio; Tom Lumly, Refinery Engineering Company of Tulsa; and H. M. Aber, Aber Company, Inc. of Shreveport, Louisiana.

The following refinery employees are on vacation: Glen H. Johnston, T. A. Slaughter and C. A. Tom.

Demonstration Club Has Luncheon Meet

Members of the Fair View Home Demonstration Club met in the home of their president, Mrs. Shirley Fryar, for a covered dish luncheon and business meeting Thursday. Fourteen members attended the session.

Mrs. Joe Sellers was elected as the club delegate to the district meeting to be held at El Paso in April. Members voted to make contributions to 4H Club work. The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. O. D. Engle on March 3.

Club members present were: Mrs. J. T. Rogers, Mrs. O. D. Engle, Mrs. Ella Hammock, Mrs. D. F. Bigony, Mrs. Joe Sellers, Mrs. W. H. Ward, Mrs. G. W. Webb, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. Roy Green, Mrs. L. Z. Shafer, Mrs. Bill Eggleston and Mrs. W. A. Langley.

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Centerpoint Club Hears Discussions

CENTERPOINT, Feb. 19. (Sp1) —Mrs. Ernest Hull and Mrs. J. W. Brigrance discussed, "Step Saving Methods For Doing Housework," at the meeting of the Home Demonstration club in the home of Mrs. Leonard Hanson Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Allen Hull was named district delegate of the Texas Home Demonstration association in El Paso in April.

Announcement was made that the THDA assessments were 100 percent paid and that the 4B club girls would sponsor a special program in April for the club.

Mrs. H. S. Hanson gave the devotional.

Refreshments were served to two guests, Mrs. Lois Ray and Mrs. J. G. Hull and to the following members: Mrs. Ernest Hull, Mrs. Walter Davidson, Mrs. J. M. Crow, Mrs. W. C. Carroll, Mrs. J. W. Brigrance, Mrs. Allen Hull, Mrs. H. S. Hanson, Mrs. W. O. Leonard, Mrs. A. A. McKinney, Mrs. Walter Pachall, Mrs. Ira Rice, Mrs. J. E. Wood, Mrs. Holbert Fuller, Mrs. A. F. Johnson, Mrs. D. E. Capansky, Mrs. L. J. Davidson and the hostess, Mrs. Hanson.

GARDEN GUIDES-III

Select, Plant, Watch Your Trees Carefully

A celebrity, who had achieved a miracle in landscaping, was confronted by an admirer who observed that it was marvelous what God had done for the place.

"You ought to have seen it when God had it by himself," quipped the owner.

There's a great deal of sense to this when applied to trees particularly in this area. God expects people to use some judgment.

At the outset, you should decide whether you want a fast growing tree or one that is slower in maturing. If you are impatient, Chinese elms stand at the top of the list. They offer rapid growth, good shade, are easy to establish and are thrifty. They require frequent shaping, however, and the shallow spreading roots can sap lawns, clog sewer lines and crack sidewalks. For long life, it requires close care.

Chinaberry, either umbrella or conventional types, also are reasonably fast developers. They are less troublesome about roots, but substantially more brittle and subject to wind damage. Thornless honey locust is a fairly fast growing tree. In evergreens, the Arizona cypress and red cedar outstrip others for quick maturity. The latter is easier to establish.

Among the slower growing trees are the live oak, which noted for longevity but requires a great span of years to make a real showing. The Arizona ash is a good tree. Pecan and improved black walnut also are recommended along with the non-bearing mulberry. The jujul, which attains moderate size, is a fine decorative tree. Although the climate is a bit arid, some have reasonable success with maple.

For those who want their cake and eat it, too, certain fruit trees serve a dual purpose. Topping the list is certain varieties of apricot (check your nurseryman for the U. S. Experiment Farm). Sweet cherry (which does not fruit) makes acceptable shade, as do some peach and apple trees.

In planting your tree, dig a hole big enough for the roots. Don't plant over a couple of inches above the soil mark. Don't add fertilizer. Snip bruised ends of roots. Pack dirt firmly around roots with water or the foot. Don't leave too much wood on the tree at the outset until the root system has a chance to become established. Make sure that the tree gets ample water until it is well established, and in later years, if growth hits hard, let your trees be the last thing to suffer for water. They can't be conjured up in a season or so as can grass, flowers and even border plants.

Miriam Club Holds Study

A ritual and by-laws study session was held at the meeting of the Miriam club in the home of Rosale Gilliland, 1010 E. 12th, Thursday, with Lucille Thomas as co-hostess.

Plans were completed to serve a banquet to the members of the Nu Phi Mu sorority in the near future.

Lucille Petty, 1013 Sycamore, will act as hostess at the next meeting, March 3, with Jewel Caldwell as co-hostess.

During the social hour, Iris Lanham was presented with a farewell shower. She will make her home in Coleman in the future.

Those attending were Judy Kehler, Lewis Stevenson, Lucille Thomas, Trudy Cline, Lillie Parker, Marie Parker, Jewel Rayburn, Lucille Petty, Lois Foresyth, Irene Gross, Lenora Amerson, Nannie Adkins, Happy Hickman, Jewel Caldwell, Thelma Braune, Eula Pond, Ruth Wilson, Sonora Murphy, Iris Lanham, Lorena Blumh, Ida Mae Cook, Della Herring, Moselle Herring, Tessie Harper, Emily Mattingly, Albert Gilliland, Eugene Thomas and Gene Crenshaw.

Eight New Families Move To Big Spring

Eight new families were welcomed to Big Spring by Mrs. Jimmie Mason, city hostess, during the past week.

Anthony's has a new assistant manager, Bill Jobe, who resides with his wife at 104½ West 13th. They are from Seagraves.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Prichard, 1000 Scurry are from Eunice, N. M. They have a son, Duane, 16 months. Prichard is with the D. B. Wash, Drilling Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Fleegeer, former residents of Big Lake, are making their home at 109 West 22nd. They have two daughters, Patricia Ann, 12, and Juanita, 9. Fleegeer is with the Rowan Drilling Company.

Also with the Rowan Drilling Company as motorman is L. B. Kennedy. The Kennedys are making their home at the OK Trailor Courts. They are from Jal, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Taylor, Lloyd, 5, and Frank, 2, are residing at 604 East 12th. They are from Lamesa. Taylor is with the Chevrolet Body Shop.

From Irving, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Campbell, Johnny, 1, and Carolyn, 3, are living at 307-A West 8th. Campbell is a utility man for Brown and Root.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Howeth, 900 East 12th, are from Abilene. They have a son, Dan, 2½.

Eight Babies Register At Local Hospitals

Five girls and three boys were registered as new residents of Big Spring in the local hospitals during the past week.

At the Malone-Hogan hospital, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Foster became the parents of Pamela Kay, born Feb. 14 and weighing seven pounds and seven and one half ounces.

Loyce Sherill was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Currie on Feb. 17. The infant weighed six pounds and three ounces.

A daughter, Julie Carol, weighing seven pounds and 14 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Fleming on Feb. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnes have a son Robert Anderson born Feb. 18 and weighing seven pounds.

Michael David was born to Mr. and Mrs. Pat Ray, Feb. 10. The baby weighed six pounds and 14 ounces.

At the Cowper hospital, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Carpenter became the parents of a son, Joseph Lester, born Feb. 16 and weighing six pounds and five and one half ounces.

Linda Kay Metcalf was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Metcalf Feb. 16. The little girl weighed seven pounds and eight ounces.

Caren Jane weighed eight pounds and three ounces when she was born to Mr. and Mrs. Sherwin W. Agee, Feb. 16.

League Tonight

Members of the Young People's Service league will discuss youth problems at the regular weekly meeting today at 7 p. m. in the St. Mary's Episcopal parish house.

H. D. Norris, assistant area Scout executive, will speak briefly and then members will engage in a round-table discussion of the need for organizations and programs for young people. Teen-agers will be in the panel, said D. M. McKinney, a sponsor. "Adults believe they know what is best," he said, "but we feel that it would be refreshing to get the slant of youth."

Happy Stitchers Plan Gift Day

Plans were made for gift day which was set for the next regular meeting to be held Friday when the Happy Stitchers club met in the home of Mrs. Ella Ruth Morton.

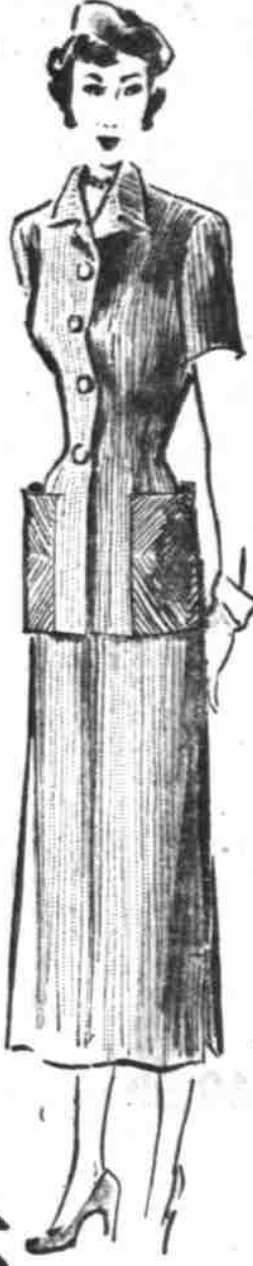
Mrs. Louise Logsdon, 206 North East 12th, will be the gift day hostess.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Roberts Sady, Mrs. Louise Logsdon, Mrs. Viola Sneed, Mrs. Mardena Mathies, Mrs. Lorraine Williams, Mrs. Bennie Daugherty, Mrs. Polly Sunday, Mrs. Zella Abbs and Mrs. Betty Franklin.

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Mrs. R. F. Lozano Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. Ralph F. Lozano was named honoree at a bridal shower given in the home of Mrs. W. D. Berry, 106 Canyon Drive. Hostesses for the occasion were: Mrs. Charles Peterson, Mrs. W. D. Berry, Mrs. Gene Gross, Mrs. H. E. Meador, Mrs. Ervin Daniel, Mrs. Joe Hamby and Mrs. L. E. Hutchins.

Decorations included a refreshment table covered with a white lace cloth. An arrangement of white carnations and pink sweet-peas with white candles completed the table setting. Mrs. H. E. Meador poured coffee and Mrs. Gene Gross served cake.

Approximately 30 guests were present.

Lois Marchbanks Is Program Director For Credit Club

Lois Marchbanks was the program director and Faye Coltharp presided during the business session when the Credit Women's Club held a luncheon meeting in the First Methodist Church Thursday.

Johnnie Morrison gave a treasurer's report. Faye Coltharp won the door prize which was given by Ollie Eubank.

Thirty-one persons attended the meeting.

Is Transferred

Pvt. Gorman Rainey has been visiting in Big Spring for the past ten days with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Rainey, Sr. Pvt. Rainey has been stationed at Shephard Field, Wichita Falls, and is en route to Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, where he will be stationed.

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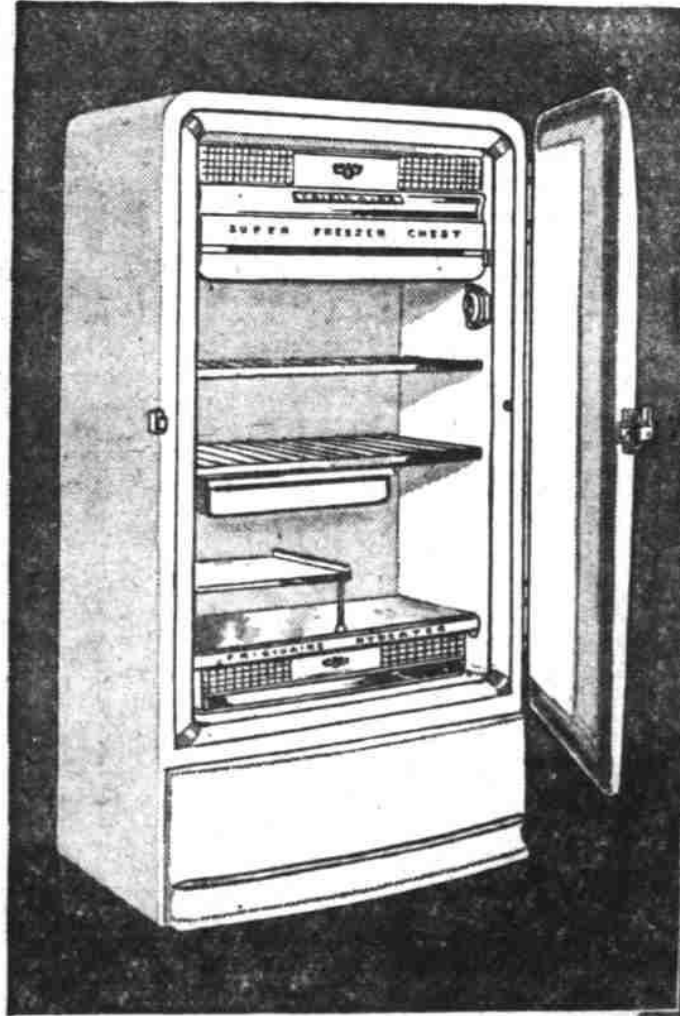
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| Cream of Celery Soup | Health Salad | |
| BROILED FILET MIGNON STEAK on toast with Bordelaise sauce. | | |
| BROILED BEEF T-BONE STEAK with French fried onions. | | |
| PAN FRIED SPRING CHICKEN on toast with country gravy. | | |
| BAKED YOUNG TURKEY with dressing, giblet gravy and cranberries. | | |
| ROAST FRESH PORK HAM with dressing and brown sauce. | | |
| BROILED FRENCH LAMB CHOPS on toast with jelly. | | |
| GRILLED CALF LIVER stripped with bacon. | | |
| BROILED HAMBURGER STEAK with saute' onions. | | |
| FRIED TENDERLOIN TROUT with cold slaw and tartar sauce. | | |
| ROAST SIRLOIN BEEF with dressing and brown sauce. | | |
| BROILED SPECIAL CUT TOP SIRLOIN STEAK with Bordelaise sauce. | | |
| BROILED K.C. SIRLOIN STEAK with French friend onions. | | |
| CHICKEN LIVER OMELET with jelly. | | |
| FRIED SELECT OYSTERS with cold slaw and tartar sauce. | | |
| Butter New Potato | Fruit Jello | |
| Candied Yams | Cherry Pie | |
| Butter Spinach | Sliced Peaches | |
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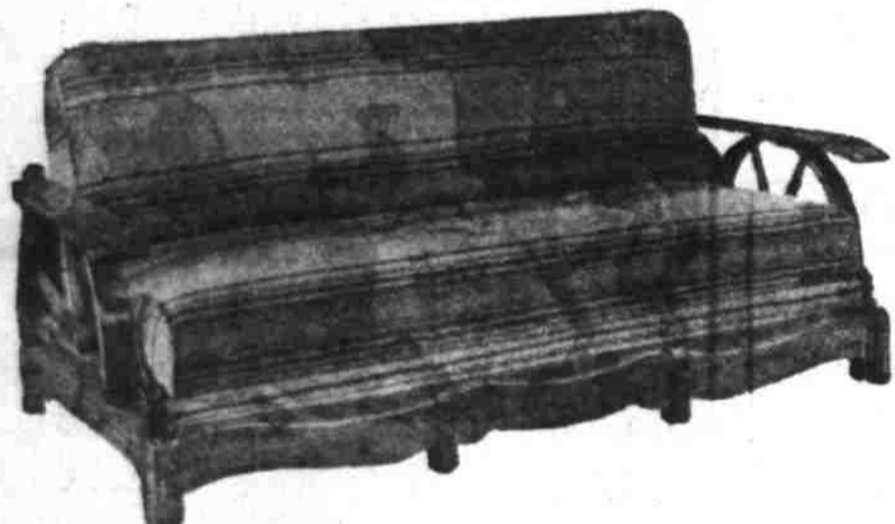
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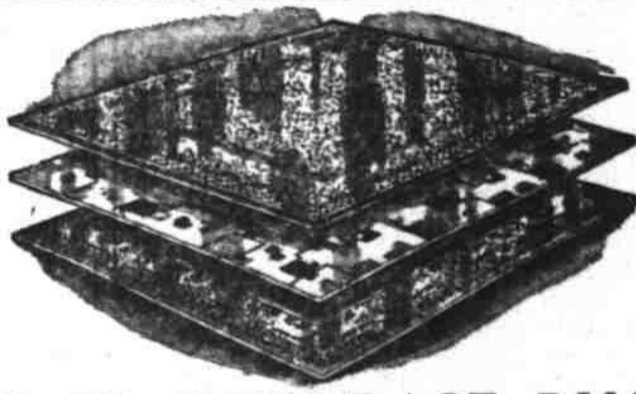
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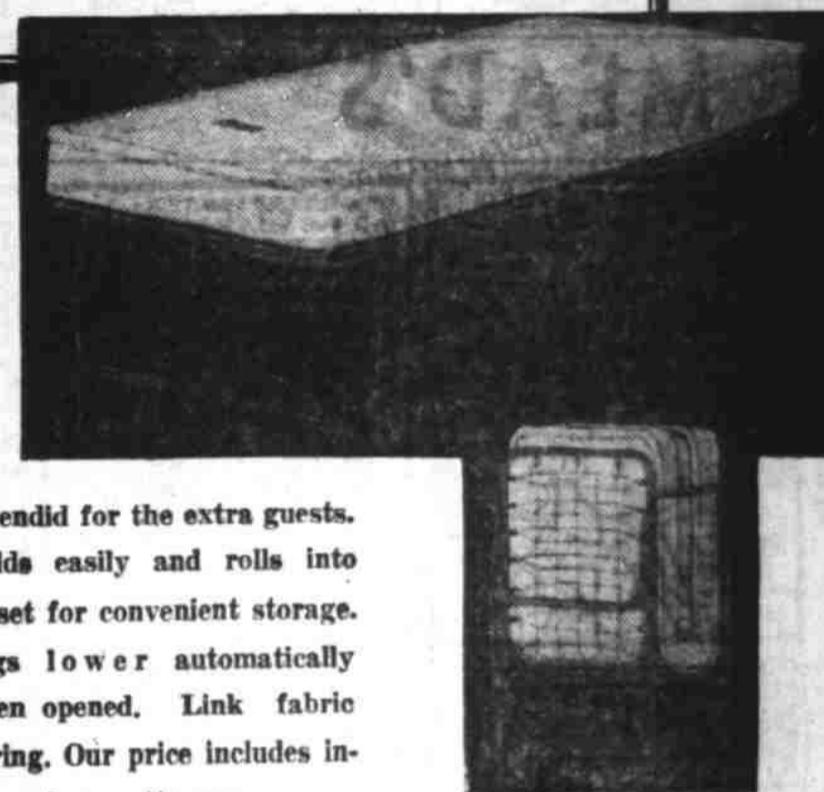
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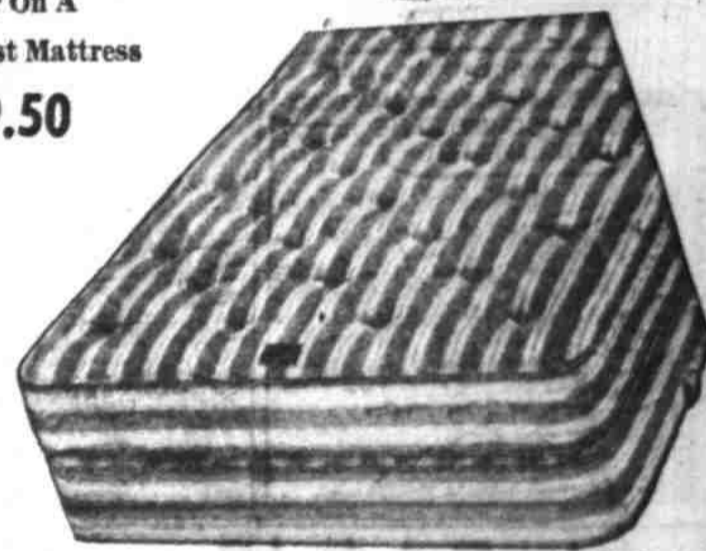
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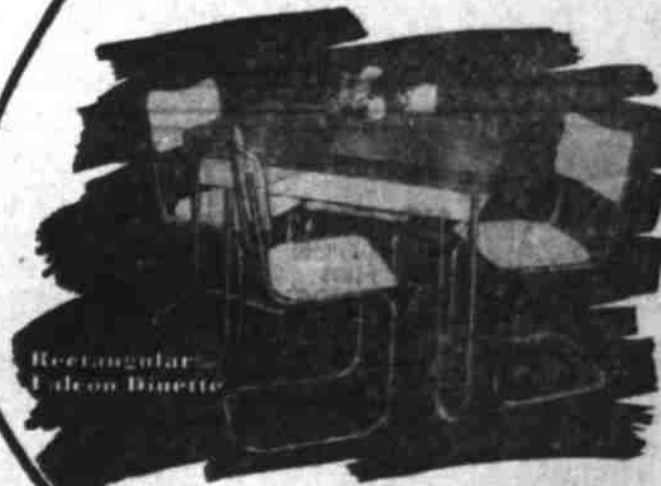
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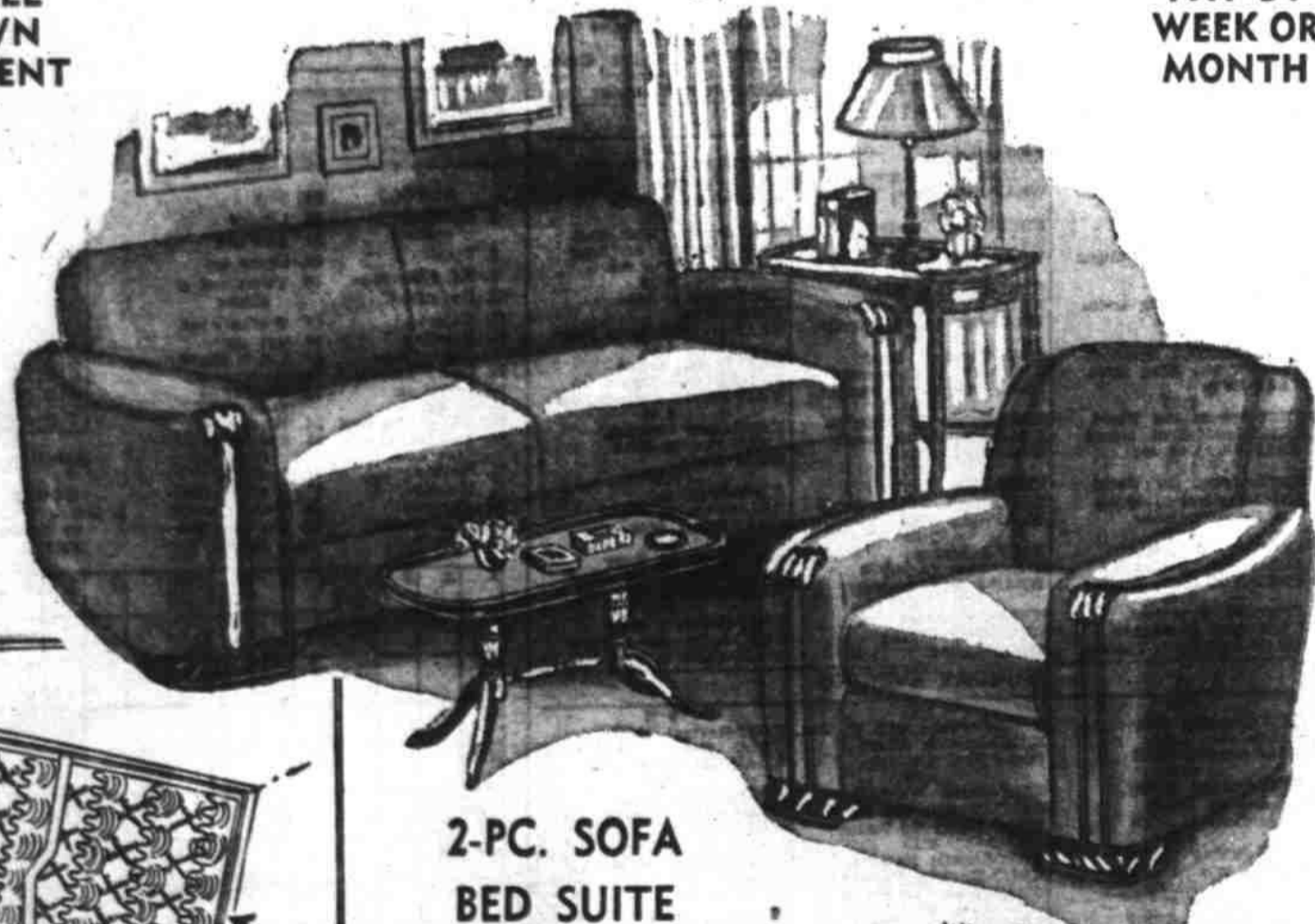
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YEE-OH!

SCREAMS! BUZ THINKS THE BEAR HAS GORED A BEARER. MEN FLAP THEIR ARMS, RUN, WRITHE ON THE GROUND.

HERE I AM, DARLING. WOULD YOU MIND SEEING IF MY CHICKENS ARE SAFE?

MEANWHILE... CHRISTY! WHERE IS CHRISTY?

BUT NOTHING SERIOUS. ONE OF THEM, IN CLIMBING A TREE, HAS MERELY STIRRED UP A WORNOUT NEST.

YOW! OUCH!

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NANCY

MAYBE I CAN FIND AN OLD FRAME IN THE ATTIC

THAT'S THE FIRST GAME I EVER WON

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MEAD'S fine BREAD

LIL' ABNER

NO OTHER ARTIST WILL EVER SEE MAH LAIGS 'S-THAS SILLY?—WHEN AH WALKS OUTA HERE—THEY GOES WIF IT'S ONLY NAT'URAL!?

OH?—I FORGOT TO TELL YOU—YOU'RE NOT WALKING EVER!

I'M A GREAT PAINTER—BUT I'VE NEVER GOTTEN ANY OF THE GREAT NYLON ADS—WHERE THE BIG MONEY IS—BECAUSE I'VE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO AFFORD THE RIGHT MODELS!?

—AND THEN FATE STERPED IN NOW. THE STOCKING INDUSTRY WILL COME CRAWLING TO ME—BECAUSE I HAVE THE MOST BEAUTIFUL LEGS IN THE WORLD!?

AH THOUGHT AH HAD EM!?

YOU HAVE, MY DEAR—BUT I HAVE YOU!?

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BLONDIE

SOMEBODY MUST BE HOME—THE FRONT DOOR IS UNLOCKED!

BLONDIE MUST BE IN THE HOUSE SOMEPLACE, OR SHE WOULDN'T HAVE ASKED ME TO COME OVER

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WHY WOULD SHE COME UP HERE TO PRACTICE THAT ONE HIGH NOTE?

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ANNIE ROONEY

I'M TERRIBLE TIRED, ZERO—AN' MY LEGS FEEL AWFUL WEAK AN' WOBBLY—BUT I'M SCARED TO LIE DOWN AN' REST—

'CAUSE I'M SCARED IF I LIE DOWN I CAN'T GET UP AGAIN—AN' THEN I'LL DIE! BUT I'M GETTIN' SO TIRED—SO TIRED—

GEE, ZERO—WHAT YA WAGGIN' YOUR TAIL FOR? I SEE THE TREES YOU'RE LOOKIN' AT—

BUT THEY AIN'T REAL TREES! GEE!—WOULDN'T IT BE GRAND IF THEY WAS!—

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MEAD'S fine CAKES

SCORCHY SMITH

SCORCHY! I'M SCARED!

ELMOSE MUST BE CALLING A CONVENTION! AS LONG AS SHE KEEPS HIM FASCINATED, HE MAY NOT NOTICE US!

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SNUFFY SMITH

WAAL—DID YE FIND PORE OIL SNUFFY, FALDYROY?

NO, SIR—NOT A SIGN OF HIM ANYWHERE, MR. TYLER

I SEARCHED THE PARKS, THE LIBRARIES, THE MUSEUMS, THE ART GALLERIES, THE SUBWAY—

BUT I HAVEN'T GIVEN UP HOPE, SIR—TOMORROW I SHALL START LOOKING IN THE TAVERNS

VE BODACIOUS IDJIT!! YE ORTER LOOKED THAR FUST!!

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PATSY

SEE, MISS TRUDY—IT'S GOOD TO SEE YOU BACK!

THANKS, PATSY... I WONDER IF MR. BLOCK'S OFFER IS STILL OPEN... I WAS VERY RUDE TO HIM AND I SHOULD APOLOGIZE.

I'M SURE HE'LL ACCEPT IT... AND YOUR SIGNATURE, TOO.

MISS TRUDY, I'M GOING TO BE FRANK... I DON'T SEE HOW YOU CAN MISS TELEVISION STARDOM!

WONDER IF I'M LETTING TRUDY DO THE RIGHT THING?

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DICKIE DARE

WHILE GARY AND KING CORBY MAKE THEIR WAY ACROSS THE DESERT, THEY LITTLE REALIZE THE DANGER THAT LURKS AHEAD...

AHA! TWO STRANGERS HAVE HASSAN HADDEM'S CAMEL!

BUT WHERE IS HASSAN? HE'S THE ONE WE'RE AFTER!

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NUMSKULL! IT'S AS PLAIN AS THE NOSE ON YOUR FACE! THEY KILLED HASSAN HADDEM, TOOK HIS CAMEL AND THE DIAMOND HE STOLE FROM THE CALIPH, AND ARE NOW TRYING TO MAKE A GETAWAY!

THEY WON'T GET AWAY FROM US!

NEITHER WILL THE DIAMOND, MY FRIEND!

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OAKIE DOAKS

SHE IS SECURE, NEER DOCTOR—YOU MAY COMMENCE!

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ALL RIGHT—YOU MEN MARCH TO THAT BUILDING IN UNDER DER TREES!

—OVER THERE—WHERE THEY'RE DRAGGING OUR PLANE—OTHER NRECKED PLANES—INVISIBLE FROM THE AIR—THESE BOYS MUST BE AIR PIRATES!

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GRIN AND BEAR IT

FINAL CLEARANCE ALL FURS COATS CAPES STOLETS

"I finally let my husband have the last word for once, last night He told me to buy the blasted thing and be done with it!"

The Thrill That Comes once in a Lifetime

WHY, TERRY, I'M SO GLAD YOU DROPPED BY! I WONDER IF YOU WOULD DO ME A BIG FAVOR. I'VE JUST MADE A CHOCOLATE LAYER CAKE, AND I'D BE OBLIGED IF YOU WOULD TRY A PIECE AND TELL ME IF IT'S ALL RIGHT

Herald Radio Log

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Frank Sinatra Essays Role Of Gay Blade In 'Kissing Bandit'

If you can picture Frank Sinatra as a would-be desperado who can barely retain his seat on a horse but who aspires to follow in the footsteps of his infamous bandit father whose unforgettable kisses made his feminine victims faint, you'll have some idea of the fun offered in "The Kissing Bandit," a Technicolor production offered today and Monday at the Ritz theatre.

This tongue-in-cheek tale of romance, action and laughs in the days of California's bad-man history permits Frankie to display his wares as a comedian as well as a singer. With comely Kathryn Grayson as the senorita of his dreams, this Robin Hood of the High Sierras fights and gallops his way through all sorts of hilarious adventures until a stratagem, by which he outwits a pair of tax collectors from the Spanish Crown, wins him both the Governor's pardon and the Governor's daughter. The action is blended with music, and the picture offers such songs as "If I Steal A Kiss,"

"Senorita," "I Like You," "Love Is Where You Find It," "Tomorrow Means Romance," and "Siesta Song." In addition, there is a spectacular production number, "Dance of Fury," with Ricardo Montalban, Ann Miller and Cyd Charisse as dancers.

Others in the cast are J. Carroll Naish as the veteran bandit; Mildred Natwick, Sono Osato, Mikhal Rasumny, Billy Gilbert, Clinton Sundberg, Carleton G. Young and Eda Skinner.

House Group Urges Revision Of State Election Laws

AUSTIN, Feb. 19. (AP)—Revision and strengthening of the Texas election laws was encouraged Friday by the House Committee on elections.

The committee approved by 9-to-3 vote creation of a three-man commission to make "a complete revision and reconditioning" of general, special, and primary election laws.

Unanimous approval was given a bill to keep elected or appointed state officers from running for other political offices with terms that would begin before the candidate's present term expired.

Anti-Mask Drive

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Feb. 19. (AP)—The Hamilton County grand jury has cracked down against the wearing of masks in public by returning a nine-point indictment charging violations of the Tennessee anti-Ku Klux Klan law.



FRANKIE AS GAY LOTHARIO—From astride his horse, Frank Sinatra sweeps Kathryn Grayson off her feet, in this scene from "The Kissing Bandit," a comedy with musical garnish which is at the Ritz today and Monday. The picture is in Technicolor.



MORE CHILLS—That fellow Frankenstein keeps cropping up, and is to be seen again at the Lyric theatre today and Monday in the thrill-chiller, "The Bride of Frankenstein." Boris Karloff and Basil Rathbone have the principal roles.

The Week's Playbill

RITZ
SUN.-MON.—"The Kissing Bandit," with Frank Sinatra and Kathryn Grayson.
TUES.-WED.—"The Mating of Mille," with Glen Ford and Evelyn Keyes.
THURS. - FRI. - SAT.—"Fighter Squadron," with Edmund O'Brien and Robert Stack.

STATE
SUN.-MON.—"Enchanted Valley," with Alan Curtis and Anne Gwynne.
TUES.-WED.—"One Sunday Afternoon," with Dennis Morgan and Dorothy Malone.
THURS.—"Broadway," with Pat O'Brien and George Raft.
FRI.-SAT.—"Sheriff Of Cimarron," with Sunset Carson and Linda Sterling.

Brawl Over Hubby Nets Woman Fines

Marie Louis White, a Tahoka Negress, was fined \$15 in justice court Thursday on an assault charge after she admitted she had set upon Betty Jo Tyson, another Negress, Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Tyson was treated for a minor chest wound which police said was caused by a pen knife.

Mrs. White claimed complication over her husband's attentions caused the trouble. She added she first tried being diplomatic and, when that failed, she decided to use physical violence on the girl.

Lyric SUNDAY MONDAY

THE PHANTOM MONSTER SHOW!

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Also "LITTLE PONCHO"

HIGHLIGHTS ON KBST

Health Program To Be Radio Topic

"Should We Adopt A Compulsory National Health Insurance Program?" will be the question discussed on the ABC-KBST broadcast of America's Town Meeting Tuesday, Feb. 22, from 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.

Participants in the debate—Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the "Journal of the American Medical Association"; Walter Reuther, president, United Auto Workers, C. I. O.; Sen. H. Alexander Smith (R-N.J.), member of the Senate Labor and Public Welfare committee, and Oscar Ewing, Federal Security Administrator—represent highly divergent opinions on the issue.

The America's Town Meeting debate was prompted by controversy over the Administration's health insurance bill re-introduced recently, calling for health insurance for about 85 per cent of the population.

"MARY OF SCOTLAND"
Maxwell Anderson's historical drama, "Mary of Scotland" comes to Radio listeners this evening at 8:30 over KBST. Voted number one in the ten best plays during its Broadway season, "Mary of Scotland" will be presented by Theater Guild On The Air, and stars Deborah Kerr as the petite Mary Stuart.

How one chief executive became involved in mystery, revolution, and international intrigue to gain a world byway is the theme of Edward Arnold's portrayal on ABC's Mr. President on KBST today at 1:30 p. m.

Here the president actually is called upon to engage in typical cloak and dagger tactics to realize his, and the world's, ambition, to open a passage on the high seas which would bring countries everywhere closer together.

"PAT NOVAK"
Imagine the surprise when Pat Novak discovers that somebody has promptly deposited an extra \$1000 in his bank account. For that matter, imagine the surprise when he discovers that it was done by a certain "dame" named "Connie." And, imagine his surprise when Connie hires him to find the "Jack of Clubs"—which proves more murderous than mirthful, during this evening's broadcast of KBST's Pat Novak for Hire, 6 p. m.

The Jack of Clubs, you see, is being held by a gentleman by the name of Max Coleman whom Novak finally locates. But, just as the "Patsy Boy" is approaching Mr. Coleman, somebody ups and extinguishes Mr. Coleman with a bullet, sending one Mr. Novak on the trail of a murderer.

GROUCHO MARX
A leading exponent of non-sensical situation comedy finds a perfect vehicle for his art when Groucho Marx stars in the George Gershwin musical, "Lady Be Good," with singing host Gordon MacRae, Monday, February 21 at 7 p. m. on KBST.

The plot of "Lady Be Good" lends itself to the well-known Marx character. Briefly, a brother and sister are evicted from their home. The sister impersonates a Mexican widow in order to obtain a legendary fortune, which would

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DAVID J. HOPPER

One of the Cosden veterans who has been around Big Spring for a long time is David J. Hopper, whose association with the company dates back nearly 16 years.

Although Hopper was born in Roscoe, he spent his boyhood in this city, and was graduated from Big Spring high school in 1932.

After attending Baylor University for a year, he returned to Big Spring, and joined Cosden July 15, 1933. He started as a fireman at the stills, then held various jobs at the loading rack, the treaters, and as a stock gauger. In December, 1941, he was transferred to the pump house and is now a Pumper No. 1.

Hopper served in the U.S. Navy for 3 years. A part of his combat duty included time on the U. S. Cruiser Helena, which was torpedoed and sunk in the Kula Gulf during the New Georgia Island invasion July 3, 1943. Hopper was injured in that action. He was a first class machinist's mate (shop) when he was discharged from the Navy.

Hopper was married to Miss Jewel Irene Meek of Robert Lee April 14, 1933. They own their home and farm in Martin County near Stanton. Hopper enjoys all types of sports during his leisure time.

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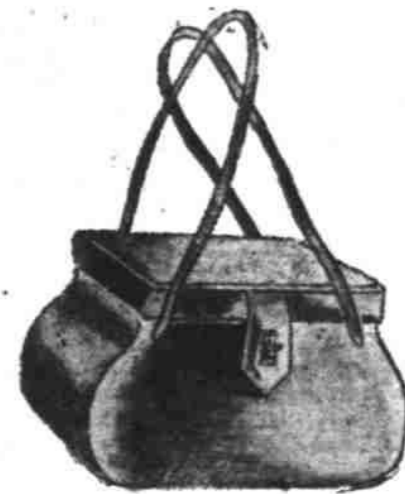


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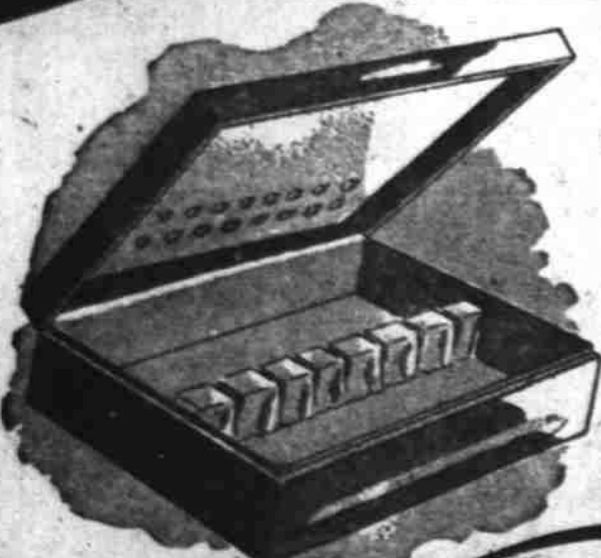
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Exchange Teacher Featured Here, Tells Of Scottish School System

Academic excellence mired in extreme rigidity and inflexibility characterizes the educational system of Scotland Miss Lillian McElroy, Odessa, told a group at the First Baptist church here Saturday afternoon.

The Odessa woman, returned from a year abroad as an exchange teacher, spoke under auspices of the American Association of University Women and the local Classroom Teachers association following a tea.

At the outset, Miss McElroy reviewed the salient points of Miss Robina Dawson, a Scot teacher who gave her evaluations of the schools in her native land and in Texas here last year. Miss Dawson, according to Miss McElroy, was convinced at the end of her stay that Scotland's educational system was "more thorough than that of the United States."

The Odessa teacher agreed with Miss Dawson on certain points. She agreed that the pupils of that country are more advanced in mathematics, reading and writing than ours. But the reason for this fact is that the students there are forced to spend long hours in practice and study. Through fear of harsh punishment they work much harder to learn the material placed before them. They are expected to cover much more ground in one year than an American pupil.

The educational system in Scotland, said Miss McElroy, is based on periodic, exams peculiarly different in their value from those in this country. The schools are divided into different classes similar to ours in several ways. They have Primary School covering children

from the ages of 5 to 11. In their eleventh year pupils must take an examination over what they have studied in the preceding six years. This test determines whether they are to go into the next phase of instruction as students to be given rapid teaching or teaching of a slower pace. All students terminating this high school period in the top bracket are given the privilege of going to college. These top bracket students are again those who have passed the test covering all the material in the years of that period. Those who flunk this rigid and difficult test are barred from attending college.

In brief, it seemed to the Texas teacher that the Scottish educational system puts great stress on academic achievement, that the instruction is quite thorough, and

that those who can run the high speed course of instruction without falling behind, will emerge highly educated. But the regulations are highly inflexible. They leave no avenue to higher education for the slower students, and this system would tend to destroy initiative and independence, she stated.

Hostesses for the tea held in connection with the American Association of University Women-Classroom Teachers Association-sponsored lecture and tea were: Agnes Currie, Mrs. Gilbert Gibbs, Zolie Mae Rawlins, Letha Amereson, Mrs. Carl Blomsheld, Mrs. Creed Coffee, Mrs. J. A. Coffey, Ruth Beasley, Mrs. A. C. Klover, Mrs. Martha Hall and Mrs. Ar-

Treasury Sees That Your Money Is Well Cured Before Using

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 (AP). — So you can't salt away any money these days? Cheer up:

The treasury is taking steps to see it's well cured before you get it. It's putting it away for seasoning like a Callaway County, Missouri, ham.

In making certain that your currency is aged in the wood, or at least in the vault, the treasury is really being economical.

It has found that fresh or first-run money wears out quicker than mossback greenbacks. More fuse oil or something. The treasury didn't have to run

up a special smokehouse for the ripening process, which takes several months. It just picked out some nice airy vaults where the ink would have a chance to dry.

The Bureau of the Public Debt, strangely enough, has charge of the process. Commissioner E. L. Kirby ordered the printing of 16 million new sheets of bills, with 12 bills to the sheet, to build up his stock in the cooler.

This means that the skilled plate printers will be put on a 9-hour day and a 5-day week for the next four months.

Anyway, we don't have 'em working nights yet.

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