

LABOR STRIKES SPREAD TO CORNERS OF NATION

Move To Hike Tax On Crude Is Defeated

No Tax-Raising Proposal Yet Passed By The Texas House

UTILITY APPLIANCE SALE BAN KILLED

Old Age Pension Liberalizers Score Brace Of Victories

AUSTIN, Feb. 24 (AP)—Advocates of an increase in the production tax on oil from 2 3/4 to 10 cents a barrel lost today in the first test in the house of representatives. Although the session is 44 days old, the house has not yet passed a tax-raising proposal. The senate cannot start consideration of any until they have been approved by the other branch.

The house voted, 67 to 48, to kill a bill to prohibit public utility companies from selling appliances. Action was on a motion to print the proposal on a minority committee report.

Liberalizers Win Old age pension liberalizers scored two victories, blocking an attempt to recommit a liberalization bill and obtaining adoption of a second resolution calling for the aid of county commissioners' courts in putting needy persons on the rolls.

The motion to recommit the liberalization proposal was made in an effort to get it in such form that tax-increasing amendments could not be offered from the floor. It was tabled, 76 to 50.

The senate unanimously approved a house bill to appropriate \$125,000 for construction of a power plant at the state penitentiary at Huntsville.

Another senate bill approved by the house would validate Fort Isabel waterworks bonds aggregating \$465,000.

The senate adopted a resolution for submission of a constitutional amendment which would free stockholders in state banks from double liability. Senator Frank Rawlings of Fort Worth proposed the amendment be submitted on the fourth Monday in August.

Rebels Claim A Big Victory

Franco's Men Report 2500 Foes Slain In Battle At Oviedo

(By the Associated Press) Spanish insurgents reported 2,500 government attackers slain at Oviedo today while other government forces "fired of the defensive" pushed widespread offensive operations.

Conflicting reports were received on the fighting at Oviedo. Dispatches from Lazona, on the Franco-Spanish frontier, said movement infantrymen battled their way to the center of the city.

But General Francisco Franco's high insurgent command, reporting rout of the Oviedo government troops, termed it the "most crushing defeat of the civil war."

The government has been besieging Oviedo, near the Bay of Biscay, for months. There has been intense fighting in the very streets of the city for four days.

Reports from Madrid stated government and insurgent troops were locked in hand-to-hand combat for possession of strategic Finzonil hill on the Sarana river front southeast of Madrid. The reports said Madrid defenders held a large part of the hill, from which insurgent artillery has blasted away at the vital Valencia highway for many days.

Government guns blasted at other insurgent positions on the Madrid front. One thousand insurgents were reported slain in a government attack on a concentration of troops about 60 miles northeast of Madrid.

The government also said an insurgent push toward the Mediterranean between Valencia and Barcelona had been checked.

MRS. GARNER IS ILL IN CAPITAL HOME

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—Vice President Garner said today that Mrs. Garner had suffered a "very severe attack" of indigestion last night and was still "very sick" today, but that he believed her condition was not serious.

"The nurse and doctors think she is going to be all right," Garner said.

Mrs. Garner is being treated at home.

AGED TEXAN DIES GAINESVILLE, Feb. 24 (AP)—Mrs. Kattie Bewley, 97, fifty years a resident of Texas, died at her Rosston community home, 33 miles southwest of here, last night.

Girl Drives Spike Into Brain, Lives

BERKELEY, Calif., Feb. 24 (AP)—A 23-year-old girl today was near the death police said she sought by driving a four-inch spike into her brain.

Denna Dunlap, listed by Police Inspector C. T. Neelin as attempting suicide, said she was dependent over ill health. Dr. Eric Kosterlitz, who removed the spike, said the girl was critically hurt but that if she recovered there was nothing to indicate she would be permanently affected by the brain injury.

The doctor said the nail had been shoved through a hole in the bony structure of the skull left from a previous operation to relieve pressure against the brain. The point of the spike ranged downward from the top right side of the girl's skull to a point just above her ear. Inspector Neelin quoted her as saying she thrust the nail into her head Sunday night, then went to bed to wait death. She was awake the next morning with a severe headache.

Claim Enough Votes To Kill Court Change

Foes Of FD's Plan Say They Can Stop Measure In Committee

TYDINGS JOINS RANKS OPPOSING PROGRAM

Reported Score Is 33 To 29, With Other Senators Noncommittal

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—Senate opponents of President Roosevelt's court program said today, after Senator Tydings (D-Md) joined their ranks, that "enough votes to defeat the bill are in sight."

They did not claim sufficient votes already were committed, but insisted they had enough to "stop" the bill by holding it up in the judiciary committee or preventing a final senate vote.

Administration forces contended they had enough votes to pass the bill, but their immediate attention was centered on enacting during the next day or two the voluntary retirement bill for supreme court justices.

This bill, approved by Mr. Roosevelt but not an integral part of his broader program for putting "new life" into the bench, was expected to meet little opposition. It provides full pay for justices who wish to leave the high court at 70, Senator Pittman (D-NeV) served notice, however, he would renew the unsuccessful fight he made in committee to eliminate the section subjecting retired justices to be on See CLAIMS, Page 10, Col. 3

Bus Service In Prospect For B'Spring

Commission Due To Act At Next Meeting On Franchise Application

Way was cleared Tuesday by the city commission for the institution of a low cost motor bus transportation system for Big Spring.

The commission authorized the Hughes-White Truck Co. of Fort Worth to operate a city bus line subject to approval of a franchise. It was indicated that the franchise would be considered and probably acted upon at the next meeting, March 9.

James H. Hughes, member of the firm which proposes to operate the service, appeared before the commission and made verbal guarantee of dependable schedules and good equipment. He pegged the fare price at five cents.

In other towns His company operates similar lines in Longview, Marshall, Ardmore, Okla., and other points, he told the commission.

Hughes was anxious to start the bus service and submitted terms the company wished to be included in the franchise. He indicated that as soon as the franchise were approved that service could be started.

Action on an ordinance requiring taxicabs and vehicles for public hire to carry liability insurance was postponed until the next meeting for further consideration. Several of the taxicab operators were present at the meeting Tuesday evening.

In an effort to smooth out a controversy over property lines, the commissioners instructed the city manager to have the street lines established on Temperance and State streets between E. 3rd and E. 6th streets.

The city manager was authorized to call for bids for auditing the city's books for the fiscal year ending March 31.

LINDBERGH REACH BOMBAY AFTER DELAY

BOMBAY, India, Feb. 24 (AP)—Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh landed here today after being untroubled for 48 hours on an aerial flight over India.

Little concern had been felt for the flying colonel and his wife, whose insistence on absolute privacy has previously caused them to be reported lost, although a widespread unofficial search failed to penetrate their mysterious two-day disappearance.

They left Jodhpur Monday after a week-end spent in sightseeing in the Indian city.

LONG SCHNOZZLE HELPS STUDE WIN 'HOMELIEST' PRIZE

ABILENE, Feb. 24 (AP)—Bill McKinley, Harlin-Simmons university junior from Wichita Falls, placed hopes of fame and the good fortune of dating—all expenses paid—the university's loveliest co-ed on a long schnozzle today.

Early returns in the school's "Beauty and Best" election gave McKinley a substantial lead over a field of 19 of the homeliest Cowboys. The polls close late this afternoon.

Ann Rader of Dallas led the beauty contest, with Betsy Reeves of Munday in second place. The ugliest boy will go to Fort Worth to compete in an all-Southwest ugly collegian contest, called by Joe Frederick, Texas Christian university's champion.

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FEDERAL AIRPLANE WORK INVOLVED IN DOUGLAS 'SITDOWN'

Aircraft Plant At Santa Monica Occupied By 300 Workers; Boat Company In Massachusetts Also Is Held

By The Associated Press

Strikes at opposite ends of the nation—Groton, Conn., and Santa Monica, Calif.—curtailed production of United States government marine and air craft today.

Many other strikes, most of them sit-downs, were in progress. More than 300 sit-down strikers occupied the Douglas Aircraft Company plant at Santa Monica where, company officials said, contracts for government airplanes involved \$19,000,000 of a \$24,000,000 construction program.

Seniority rights, wage increases and recognition of the United Automobile Workers of America union were demands set forth in circulars passed to 5,600 employes.

Labor Parley Is Asked For Chrysler Men

Union Wants Bargaining Conference, Claims A Majority

DETROIT, Feb. 24 (AP)—The United Automobile Workers of America requested a national collective bargaining conference with Chrysler executives today as an union representative reached agreement with General Motors negotiators on seniority rights.

Walter P. Chrysler, president of the Chrysler corporation, at New York advised the union leaders that Lester L. Colbert and Herman L. Weckler, Chrysler executives here, "will speak for the corporation." The union in its request claimed to represent "a majority of your employes."

GM Agreement Conference seeking to settle issues remaining from the recent widespread General Motors strike withheld details of the agreement on seniority rights except to say it will apply to departments in lieu of plants, except under special conditions.

They turned this afternoon to a discussion of wages and "speeding up" of production. Chrysler employs 77,000 persons of whom 50,000 are hourly production workers, in its plants in nine cities.

John Brophy, a director for the Committee for Industrial Organization, said today that the John L. Lewis labor group has been receiving more appeals than it can handle to help workers organize in small plants in the automotive and other industries.

Calls for organizers from auto parts and accessory shops are turned over to the C. I. O.'s ally See LABOR, Page 10, Col. 1

FHA OFFICIAL HERE FOR CONFERENCES

R. E. Sikes, representative of the Federal Housing Administration, with headquarters in Fort Worth, arrived in Big Spring Tuesday, to have several days to confer with prospective home owners. Those interested may see Mr. Sikes at Room 204 Petroleum building, where he will be glad to confer with them in any phase of the FHA.

TURMAN IS DENIED A REVIEW OF CASE

AUSTIN, Feb. 24 (AP)—L. C. Turman apparently lost finally today his effort to have the supreme court review litigation involving divorce from his wife, division of property and custody of two children.

The litigation, originating in Tarrant county, has been before Texas courts for several years. The highest court overruled Turman's motion for rehearing after previously declining to interfere with district and civil appellate court judgments.

PLEADS GUILTY TO MURDER OF GIRL

WEST CHESTER, Pa., Feb. 24 (AP)—Alexander Meyer pled guilty today to the murder of Helen Meyer, 16-year-old high school student, and was ordered held without bail for court.

Last Saturday Meyer was arrested. He gave police a statement that he had deliberately run the girl down with his truck, at-tacked her and threw her body in a well on an abandoned farm near his father's home.

Billion - Dollar Housing Program Before Congress

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—Senator Wagner (D-NY) and Representative Steagall (D-Ala) submitted to congress today a \$1,000,000,000 four-year low rent housing and slum clearance program claiming endorsement of many "sectors of the federal government."

It embodies "in improved form," they added, the major provisions of the housing bill which passed the senate last year but failed in the house.

The measure provides for federal loans and grants to assist local authorities in developing low rent housing and slum clearance projects for families of small incomes. It proposes a \$1,000,000,000 bond issue and a federal contribution of \$500,000,000 during the four years. Estimating \$500,000,000 of non-federal loans would be available, the authors said this would provide for 275,000 family dwelling units at \$4,000 each.

TORNADOES CAUSE HEAVY PROPERTY DAMAGE



Two small tornadoes which swept through several south-west Missouri counties left heavy property damage, but a small casualty list. This view shows the leveled farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Plank, near Rogersville, Mo., in the path of the storm. Both were injured seriously. (Associated Press Photo).

Balm Suit Is Ended Abruptly

Judge Grants Attorney's Motion In Case Of Peggy Garcia Against Rubinoff; Previous Marriage A Factor

NEW YORK, Feb. 24 (AP)—Peggy Garcia's \$500,000 breach of promise suit against Dave Rubinoff ended abruptly in supreme court today when Salvatore A. Cottillo granted a motion to discontinue made by her counsel, Bernard Sandler.

Sandler's decision to drop the action against the radio violinist occurred while Peggy was on the stand relating the details of her marriage in 1925 to Taylor Vance Guinn. Justice Cottillo broke in and said:

"There is no desire on my part to continue this trial and drag in dirt and have the names of innocent persons dragged in. Why doesn't counsel make a motion to discontinue?"

Justice Cottillo said that the minutes of the testimony would be sent to the office of District Attorney William C. Dodge, for consideration.

Didn't Plan His Walkout

That's Testimony Of Townsend In Trial For Contempt

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—Dr. Francis E. Townsend denied today at his trial for contempt of the house that he had planned his sensational "walkout" on a house committee last May before the committee summoned him.

Contradicting testimony to that effect by John B. Kiefer, former Townsend aide, yesterday, the California physician said he had made no such plans and had no such understanding with other members of his old age pension organization.

Kiefer said the walk out was planned at a meeting of the Townsend officials in Baltimore.

On the stand as the last defense witness, Townsend was asked about this meeting.

"I discussed what should be done, whether I should appear," he said. "I said I would, that we wanted a chance for a frank discussion of our plan."

On cross-examination, Leslie Gannett, district attorney, read Townsend the record of the committee's hearing at which Townsend told the committee "I shall have no further statement" and walked out. He asked if this was correct and Townsend answered affirmatively.

The defense then announced its testimony was concluded.

The only other defense witness was Representative Tolson (D-Calif.). The trial proceeded this morning after Justice Peyton Gordon refused to direct the jury to find the old age pension advocates guilty of contempt of the house.

Gordon threw out one count in the indictment, that charging Townsend with refusing to answer questions of a house investigating committee. He ruled, however, that Townsend should continue on trial on another count charging contempt for leaving the committee's hearing last May without permission.

INCOME UP

NEW YORK, Feb. 24 (AP)—Consolidated Edison company of New York, Inc., today reported consolidated net income for 1936 of \$37,598,889, compared with \$33,633,251 in 1935. This equaled \$2.33 a common share, compared with \$2 a share in 1935.

FARM INCOME HIGHER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—The agriculture department said today cash farm income in January was \$669,000,000—a gain of \$118,000,000 over January, 1936.

Government benefit payments accounted for \$43,000,000 of the total.

DEATH PENALTY IS AFFIRMED BY COURT

AUSTIN, Feb. 24 (AP)—The court of criminal appeals affirmed today the death penalty imposed on Dwight Beard for murder of John R. Roberts in a filing station hold-up at Dallas December 23, 1935.

Beard, 28, was a former North Carolina convict.

Beard's attorneys contended the conviction should be reversed because two witnesses were permitted to testify he had been in a North Carolina prison. The court held such testimony was incidentally developed in an effort to ascertain the witnesses' opportunities for observation of him. His defense was insanity.

Rites Friday For Buchanan

Congressional Colleagues Will Attend Funeral At Brenham

BRENHAM, Feb. 24 (AP)—Funeral services for Rep. James Paul Buchanan, eulogized as one of Texas' foremost figures in national life, will be held here Friday at 4 p. m.

The Rev. H. C. Willis, pastor of the Giddings Memorial Methodist church, will officiate. Burial at the Prairie Lea cemetery will be under Masonic auspices.

Representative Buchanan, 73, died Monday night in Washington. To his funeral will come Senators Morris Sheppard and Tom Connally and ten members of the house.

Representative Buchanan's hometown friends yesterday added their words of praise to those made by President Roosevelt, Vice President Garner and congressional leaders. Mayor Roosevelt Lockett said: "We have lost a friend and neighbor as well as a brilliant, conscientious and hard-working public servant."

County Judge Sam D. W. Low said: "He was Texas' strongest and most powerful congressman, whose untimely death is an irreparable loss to Washington county and Texas."

Weather

WEST TEXAS—Fair, colder in north and east portions tonight and Thursday; probably frost in southeast portion tonight.

EAST TEXAS—Fair and colder, freezing in north, frost except on the coast and in Rio Grande valley tonight Thursday fair and colder.

TEMPERATURES Table with columns for location, time, and temperature.

'Air Well' Is Still Rampant

Flow From Hole Gauged At More Than 100 Million Feet

One week of roaring today had diminished the pressure of the Westbrook and Graham No. 1 Great West, wildcat oil test, four miles east of the city today, but it had by no means reduced the pressure to where the "air" flow could be brought under control.

Shortly after noon today an Empire Southern Service crew again gauged the flow at 100,000,000 cubic feet daily. This compared with the 174,285,000 shown on the last gauge taken Friday afternoon.

While the pressure was steadily decreasing, it was doing so at a less rapid rate. Friday records showed it was losing at the rate of 2,000,000 cubic feet an hour. Today it showed to be falling off at the rate of 830,000 cubic feet an hour.

Pressure at the mouth of the casing was registered in excess of 40 pounds per square inch. A few hours after the well blew in a week ago it was more than 125 pounds per square inch through a 10-inch opening.

Today the roar was still audible See AIR WELL, Page 10, Col. 3

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Reading And Writing

By John Selby

H. G. Wells has returned to a former activity of his, the creation of big bad bogeymen. His latest bogeyman is, to be truthful, rather an intellectual creation, but it's intended to frighten, and does if you are reasonably easy to frighten.

"The Croquet Player" is the title. The narrator is a mild man devoted to his forceful aunt and to the game of croquet. He also plays chess, usually by correspondence. With his aunt he is taking the waters at a French resort when, rather to his distaste, a Dr. Finchiston insists on telling him a story.

The story concerns the doctor's life in a region called Calnemarch, a low and dampish locality where the natives are sullen, the "better classes" mostly mad, and where an airy atmosphere presses upon all temples. Archaeologists are digging up the bones of primitive men thereabouts, and gradually the doctor establishes a connection between these remains and the state of mind into which he, with the older inhabitants, has fallen.

He takes his problem first to the curator of a nearby museum, who sends him to a forbidding and unbecomingly forceful psychiatrist in London. And the latter sends his new patient to the watering place for rest, which accounts for the meeting with the croquet player.

Well—it turns out that the doctor never saw a place called Calnemarch for the effective reason that no such place exists. The entire horrible delusion is, it further appears, the result of the strong

forces from the past which are overwhelming civilization. Weak and mostly an illusion, civilization is succumbing to these cave-man invaders, and the minds of men are crumbling within their skulls. Modern man cannot withstand the strain of having stepped out of his frame; once he lived in the present, which was all right, but now he has projected himself into the past and the future, which is too much. And so on.

One should not assume that this superficial statement exhausts the possibilities of Mr. Wells' little book. Neither should one assume that most readers will care to exhaust these possibilities. Truth to tell, there will be those who will yawn over "The Croquet Player"; this creation is neither philosophy, fantasy, nor prophecy; nor is it a thriller. It is Mr. Wells making another book.

"The Croquet Player," by H. G. Wells. (Viking; \$1.25).

Members Of Comedy Chorus Announced By Show Director

Life-up for the chorus numbers of "Miss Bluebonnet," musical comedy now in rehearsal to be presented at 3:15 o'clock Friday evening on the stage at the Municipal Auditorium under auspices of the C. I. A. Club was announced today by the director, Miss Madge Chambers of the Wayne P. Sewell Production Company of Atlanta, Ga.

Twenty-four boys and girls who will appear in attractive costumes include Wynell Wilkerson, Evelyn Wilson, Joyce Clardy, Frieda Porter, Virginia Ferguson, Mary Lou Redwine, Virginia Douglas, Louise Hall, Mary Ann Dudley, Wynone Hull, Shirley June Robbins, Mary Margaret Hair, Kawana Smith, Erma Lee Wilson, Mauryne Shultz, Norma Jean Edwards, Frances Blodsoe, Jean Jackson, Billy Casey, Benny Piersen, Richard Potter, Fernan Steadman, Eugene Tocke and Junior Murray.

Fourteen local men and women will compose the cast of the comedy with Miss Mary Joy Odum and J. C. Milburn in the leading roles.

Mrs. A. L. Rogers left Wednesday afternoon for Dallas on receipt of a message telling of the illness of his mother, Mrs. Mattie Rogers. She is suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

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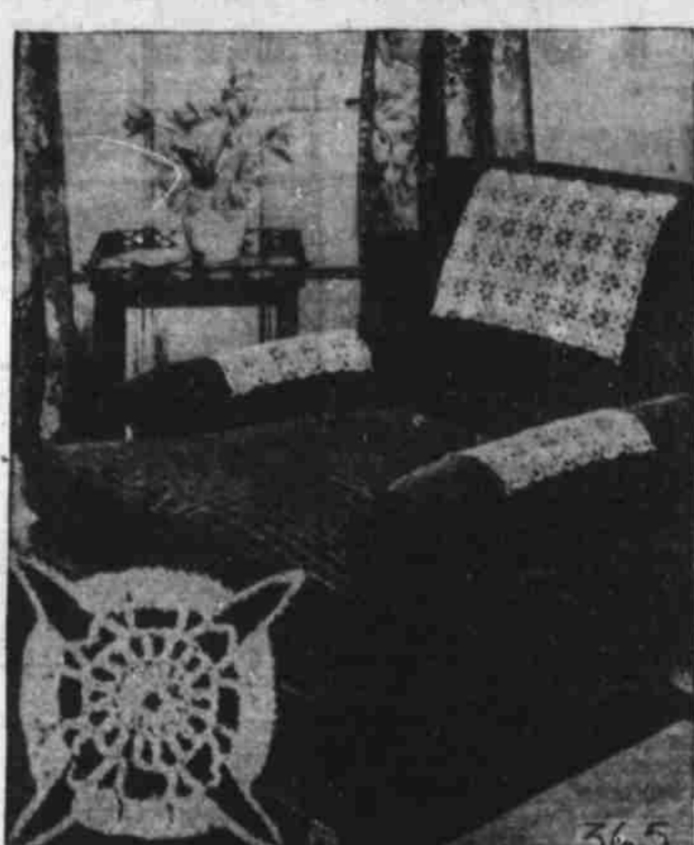
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CALENDAR OF TOMORROW'S MEETINGS

THURSDAY ROYAL NEIGHBORS meeting 2:30 o'clock at the W. O. W. hall for important business session.

Garden Club Takes Four New Members

Four new members were present at the first meeting of the year of the Garden club in response to a called meeting by the club president, Mrs. L. E. Eddy, Tuesday afternoon in the commissioner's courtroom in the city hall.

They are Mrs. Preston R. Sanders, Mrs. H. F. Taylor, Mrs. W. M. Taylor and Mrs. P. W. Malone.

The group spent time discussing the preparations of soil prior to spring planting and planned for a flower exchange at the next meeting, which is to be held on March 9 and at this time the membership drive will be launched.

Mrs. W. D. Willbanks was elected to serve as vice president of the group.

Members attending were Mrs. Eddy, Mrs. Willbanks, Mrs. J. M. Morgan, Mrs. O. P. Griffin and Mrs. J. A. Boykin.

Mrs. Bluhm Honored By Legion Auxiliary

Mrs. R. F. Bluhm was showered with gifts by members of the American Legion Auxiliary Tuesday evening when they met at her home for a social affair.

Bridge-Keeno was the diversion of the evening and prizes were awarded to Mrs. E. W. Anderson and Miss Coy Grimes for their high scores.

Present were Mrs. M. C. Stulting, Mrs. Alfred Moody, Mrs. L. E. Jobe, Mrs. A. J. Gillon, Mrs. Ida Smith, Mrs. Malcolm Alexander, Mrs. J. F. Hair, Mrs. Anderson, Miss Grimes and the hostess.

Rebekahs Plan Pie Sale At March 4 Meeting

Rebekah lodge members Tuesday evening planned a pie sale to provide funds for the sick and flower treasury at the meeting held in the I. O. O. F. hall.

Mrs. Ludie Lyking presided and requested each woman to take a pie for sale to the hall at 7:30 o'clock on March 4. In the afternoon of this date the Miriam Club will hold an all-day meeting and covered dish luncheon. During the day they will quilt.

ATTEND MEETING

Mrs. C. A. Bickley, Mrs. Hayes Stripling, Mrs. Horace Penn and Mrs. V. H. Frewellen attended a meeting of the West side of Methodist workers at Midland Tuesday.

BICKLEY SPEAKS

Rev. C. A. Bickley spoke to more than 80 preachers of the Sweetwater, Abilene and Stamford churches at a Preacher's Retreat held in Abilene Tuesday. Bickley's topic of discussion was "Evangelism."

Consistent Care Is Secret Of A Nice, Fair, Skin

Editor's Note: This is the first of a series of three stories on care of the skin and ideas in makeup designed to freshen faces for the new Easter fashions. Today's story deals with dry skin. The next story will be on make-up.

By ADELAIDE KERR

NEW YORK (AP)—If faces are fortunate, fair skins are "beauty bankrolls."

They can be made and kept. Grandmother used to believe that fair skins must wither with the years. But her granddaughter knows that, instead, with care, they may weather the years. Many continental women keep their skins quite fresh and fairly unlined after their fiftieth birthdays.

The secret is consistent care. The responsibility for making and keeping a beautiful skin is yours. You will have to fight much harder than grandmother did, for you must combat the effects of steam heat, the dust and grime of cities, the cosmetics you use and the nervous strain of modern life. All of these tend to age and dry the skin—and dry skins are fertile fields for wrinkles.

Three of the primary requirements in caring for dry skins have nothing to do with faces. They are fresh air, rest and diet. Spend from a half hour to an hour out of doors every day and breathe deeply while you are there. Get at least eight hours' sleep a night. Eliminate rich pastries and sauces from your diet and concentrate on fruits, vegetables, salads and grilled meats.

Then you will be ready to work on your skin. Three rules govern its care:

- (1) Keep it clean. (2) Keep it oiled. (3) Keep it firm.

Never go to bed wearing your makeup. Remove every trace of it, either with soap and water or with cream. Many continental beauties never wash their faces because they feel soap dries the skin. Most of them make liberal use of creams in their daily beauty regimens and visit a good masseuse at least every two weeks for a massage to stimulate circulation and firm the muscles.

This is the regimen one glamorous Parisian follows daily: She covers her face with a cleansing cream, allows it to remain a few minutes and wipes it off with paper tissues. Then she goes over it again with a pad of absorbent cotton dipped in an astringent. (This is important, since pores left clogged with cream or powder may develop blackheads.)

The third step is a coat of rich nourishing cream, which she massages into her skin with light feathery strokes, concentrating on the eyes, the line where the nostrils meet, the cheek and the corners of the mouth. She runs the middle finger of each hand around the eyes, above the eyebrows and under the eyes toward the nose.

She uses the same fingers in a light circular massage upward at the corners of the mouth from the chin to the nostril. She taps the cheek lightly with her fingers, always moving away from the nose and mouth toward the hairline. That light massage smooths away lines and brings up the circulation.

Then she dashes ice-cold water over her skin 20 or 30 times, removes the cream with paper tissues and goes to bed with a clean fresh skin. She is past 40 and she looks a young 30.

Irish Green Takes Its Place In Party Themes

Tuesday Hostesses Choose St. Patrick's Day Motifs To Lend Decorative Air Of Gaiety To Pre-Spring Affairs

Hostesses for Tuesday bridge clubs gayly decorated their houses and party rooms with shamrocks, Irish green, clay pipes and hats suggesting the coming of St. Patrick's day. Others not so hoary with the theme used the motifs of spring by flowers and tallies of matching designs.

Cactus Club Mrs. M. E. Tatum used the Kelly green theme in her bridge accessories, table covers, refreshment plate and in prize wrappings when she entertained for Cactus Club members. Party favors were miniature green hats that held party candies.

Mrs. Alton Underwood was highest scorer for the guests. Mrs. E. J. McDaniel was club high and Mrs. Charles Worley took the bingo award.

Other guests were Mrs. F. M. Underwood of Albany and Mrs. E. J. Davis, Jr. of Austin. Members playing were Mrs. McDaniel, Mrs. Worley, Mrs. C. E. Hahn, Mrs. R. E. Lee, Mrs. L. R. Kuykendall, Mrs. Harold Parks, Mrs. W. W. Peniston, Mrs. Herbert Whitney and Mrs. H. L. Ellis.

1938 Club Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Shaw were host and hostess to members of the 1938 Bridge Club and used the Irish theme in the game accessories and refreshment plate.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shaw, Mrs. E. J. Davis, Jr. and Mrs. Maurice Grove of Cameron were guests of the evening. Mrs. Davis scored highest for the women guests. Mr. Shaw for men and Mrs. Grove won the floating gift.

Mrs. and Mrs. M. C. Lawrence were the highest scorers among the club members who included other than themselves, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gage, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hahn, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lowmore, Mrs. Harvey Hooser, Sr., Harvey Hooser, Jr. and the host couple.

Happy Go Lucky Happy Go Lucky members and two guests played bridge at the home of Mrs. Hugh Hendrix who chose to use shamrocks and clay pipes as favors for the afternoon. Also she had potted pink geraniums the bases of which were wrapped in green, placed at vantage points about the party rooms.

Guests were Mrs. C. B. Sullivan and Mrs. S. T. Williams, the latter of whom was highest scorer. Mrs. G. C. Graves was club high and Mrs. Lee Parker took the traveling award. Others present were Mrs. J. E. Brigham, Mrs. Harvey Hooser, Sr., and Mrs. Raymond Noah.

Mrs. Brigham will entertain next. Deuce Club Mrs. Lewis Rix was the only guest of the Deuce club when members gathered at the home of Mrs. Jimmie Tucker.

The hostess was highest scorer, Mrs. R. H. Miller took the floating prize, and Mrs. B. P. Franklin binged.

An attractive plate was served at the refreshment hour to Mrs. Rix, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Franklin, Mrs. Shelia Barnes, Mrs. Watson Hammond, Mrs. L. R. Terry and Mrs. George Crosthwaite.

Clubberton Club Three were guests when Mrs. F. Nixon entertained for the Clubberton Study club at the Settles hotel.

The group had luncheon in the coffee shop and had games of bridge on the mezzanine. Mrs. E. D. Merrill scored highest. Guests were Mrs. Merrill, Mrs. H. W. Leeper, and Mrs. C. H. Carlisle.

Club members present were Mrs. Thomas J. Coffee, Mrs. Charles Koebig, Mrs. J. C. Staples, and Mrs. Nixon.

Semper Fidelis Mrs. Frank Rutherford scored highest at the Semper Fidelis club session when Mrs. Charles Landers was hostess at her home.

Mrs. Harry Adams was bingo winner and Mrs. L. N. Millon took the floating award. Only members attended.

Mrs. Foba Honey Joins Woodman Circle; Drill Team Is Discussed Mrs. Foba Honey was received into the Woodman Circle as a new member at the meeting Tuesday evening when members also discussed organization of a new drill team.

Mrs. Myrtle Orr was selected to captain the team and announced that members will be selected during the two weeks before the meeting on March 9 and at this time practice will begin.

Present were Mrs. Anne Petofish, Mrs. Maude Low, Mrs. Altha Porter, Mrs. Minnie McCollough, Mrs. Grace Lee Greenwood, Mrs. Jim Pardue and Mrs. Orr.

Mrs. Eliza Hallah of Denver Colo. is in Big Spring to visit her sister, Mrs. A. L. Rogers.

R. E. Hendricks, commercial manager of the Texas Electric Service company of Fort Worth was a business visitor in Big Spring Tuesday. He also visited in Midland before returning to Fort Worth.

Jack Underwood, brother of Alton Underwood, is visiting here from Winters.

Mrs. F. M. Underwood of Albany who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alton Underwood, returned to her home last night.

ANGELO GIRL FACES CHARGE IN OKLAHOMA

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 23 (AP)—Walter Marlin, assistant Oklahoma county attorney, filed a common pleas court information against Betty Jean Skaggs, 24, San Angelo, Tex., charging her with molesting an automobile, a misdemeanor.

Miss Skaggs, who said her mind "went blank all of a sudden," was arrested Sunday after about car-officers shot out a rear tire of a taxi-cab she was driving.

Jimmie Travis, cab driver, said the girl boarded his cab at a beer parlor and he later stopped to deliver a package. When he returned, he said, the cab was gone.

GERMANY JOINS IN ETHIOP DEVELOPMENT

ROME, Feb. 24 (AP)—Germany went to the financial aid of Italy today in developing the resources of conquered Ethiopia with the formation of the 200,000,000 lire (\$10,000,000) Italian East African Mining Corporation.

German capital took a 49 per cent block of the initial stock of 60,000,000 lire (\$2,500,000) issued by the new company under government auspices.

AIR CORPS TESTS IN MICHIGAN CONCLUDED

MT. CLEMENS, Mich., Feb. 24 (AP)—The departure of 19 attack planes for Barksdale Field, Shreveport, La., today marked the close of the United States army air corps' winter tests in progress here since Feb. 1.

Major Lester J. Matland and the eighth attack squadron returned to Selfridge Field yesterday from Camp Sebel, near Oacoana, Mich., where they had been participating in gunnery practice, to leave for the south today.

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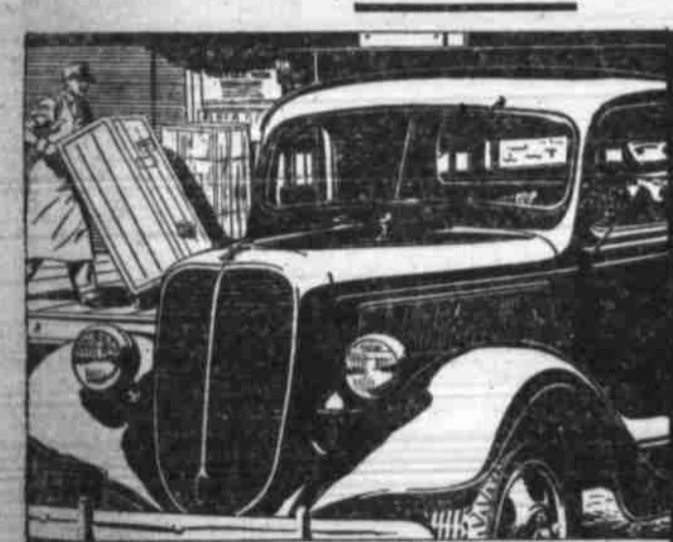
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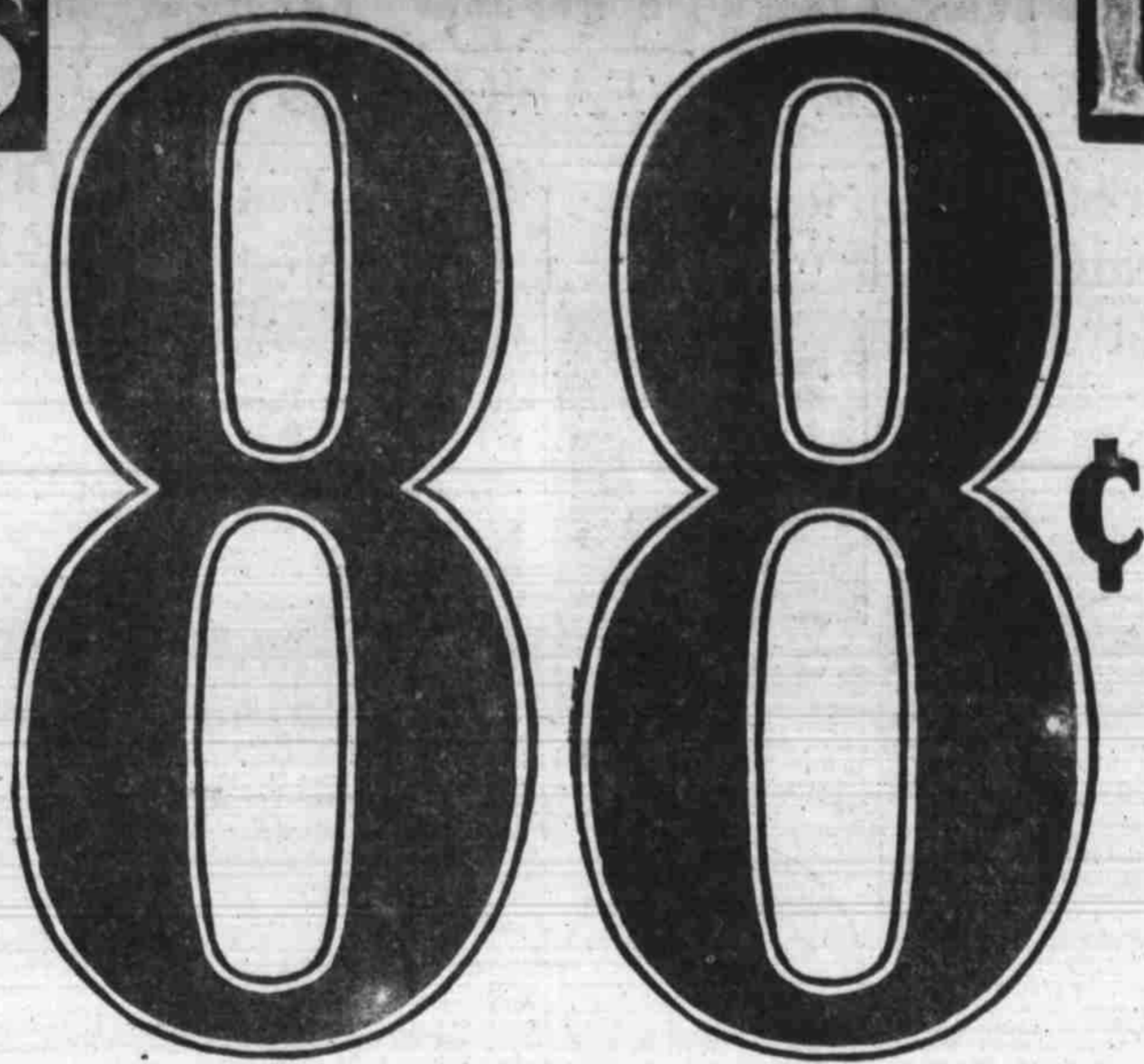
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THE SPORTS CIRCUIT

More Interest In Baseball League Plans

BY TOM BEASLEY

DAY BY day Big Spring seems to be taking a little more interest in baseball. The boys are still out working and the possibility of Big Spring having a team in the West Texas League is good. Joe Pate telephoned into yesterday from Midland to say he had made arrangements to send players here...

THE JOHN Tarleton Flawboys who have won 78 straight basketball games, have only one game to go for a fourth undefeated season. The Flawboys' winning streak began with the first game of the 1934 season. It now appears that it may extend to the 1938 season.

SPORT SLANTS

For a dozen years Paavo Nurmi's indoor 2-mile record of 8:58.2 was regarded as unbreakable. Now it has been shattered. Don Lash of Indiana clipped one-fifth of a second off Nurmi's mark in his first serious effort this winter.

Lash blames his Berlin flinchoff illness that added 10 pounds which he didn't have time to shed. He ran in the Olympics seven pounds overweight.

When Lash was Lashed There was criticism of Lash's training methods. American Olympic coaches thought he worked too hard and even said he left all his running on the practice tracks.

Lash insists, and he should know, that he must have plenty of work to reach his peak. He doesn't prescribe the same for anyone else. He is one of the few athletes who think it wise to indulge in a stiff workout the morning before a race.

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CHARLEY DRESSEN PICKS REDS FOR FOURTH PLACE

SAYS CLUBS ARE EVENLY MATCHED

CINCINNATI, Feb. 24 (AP)—Charley Dessen, who at the start of two past seasons has forecast accurately where his Cincinnati Reds would finish in the National League pennant race, scanned his roster today and expressed hope "that we'll take fourth place."

"But," he added quickly, "I'm not making any predictions. If we can finish fourth, we can finish in first place just as well, the way the teams stack up now. They're mighty evenly matched."

He referred to first-division clubs at the close of the 1936 season: New York, Chicago, St. Louis and Pittsburgh, in order. In March, 1935, starting his first season as manager, Dessen shuffled his eight-place team of the year before, added new "blood" and declared cockily: "We'll finish sixth."

Few believed him, but he was right. Last year he told a pre-season civic baseball dinner: "We'll finish in fifth place," and again he proved correct. The peppery little leader was cheered by signing of Paul Derringer, the club's ace hurler, at a figure which the big right-hander said included "an unexpected bonus."

SOX FOR SOCKS THE CALIFORNIA PLAN BERKELEY, Calif., Feb. 24 (AP)—Last season the University of California baseball team changed from its conventional blue and gold socks to blue and gray. For the first time in four seasons it failed to win the conference title. This season the boys will bat 'em out again in blue and gold.

SCORE HEAVILY GEORGETOWN, Feb. 24 (AP)—Wesleyan college's basketball team last night scored heavily in the closing minutes of play to defeat Southwestern university, 39 to 21 in a non-conference game.

Approximately 36,307 full-blood Indians live in Oklahoma, according to a recent census.

before, thinking they are storing up energy. I have known runners to spend the day before a race resting in bed.

Setting-Up Exercises for Nurmi Nurmi believed a workout in the morning primed him for a later effort. I recall an incident in the winter of 1926 when Nurmi was touring the U. S. There was a meet in Buffalo, in which Nurmi, and a number of lesser lights including myself, were scheduled to compete. Several of us, wishing to see Niagara falls, chartered a car and set out at 7 a. m. We came upon the famous Finn, sweat-soaked and wearing huge homemade shoes teetering along a secluded road.

That afternoon Nurmi set what at the time was a new world record of 4:12 for the mile—on a flat track without the benefit of spikes in his shoes. The early morning workout didn't seem to dull his racing edge.

MAX BAER IN TANGLE OVER LONDON, N'YORK FIGHT

Star-Studded Field On Hand At Houston

Four Former Champions To Play In Annual C.C. Tourney

HOUSTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—A glance at the entry list in the 23rd annual Houston Country club invitation tournament showed clearly that more than one champion and many bright stars were doomed to defeat. Among the some 200 golfers from nine states and Mexico grouped in threesomes for the qualifying 18 holes today were four former tourney titlist and many champions of other link wars.

The former champions were Gus Moreland, Dallas wizard who changed his address to Peoria, Ill.; George Rotan of Houston; Johnny Dawson of Chicago, and Ossia Carlton of Houston.

Other laurel winners in other places included Percy J. Clifford, holder of many titles around his home at Mexico City; Ed McClure, often Louisiana champion from Shreveport; Bobby Rice, Richmond, Va., had new living in Beaumont where he keeps his southern cup; Jack Malloy, top-fighter from Tulsa; Don Schumacher, Texas champion from Dallas; Reynolds Smith, Dallas' Walker-cupper; Jack Munger of Dallas, southern titlist; Harry Todd of Dallas, 1935 Texas champion.

Local hopes were centered on Willie Maguire, Jr., Houston city champion, and Dick Nauta, former city titlist. The field of stars also included such shotmakers as Paul Leslie of Louisiana State university and Hank Bowler and Gus Nevolety of Chicago and many others.

Lieut. Ken Rogers, who beat Ed White of Bonham in the 1936 final, was absent. So was Ed. Match play in the five flights of 32 players each will start tomorrow and end Sunday with the finals in all flights.

NUMBER 76 STEPHENVILLE, Feb. 24 (AP)—John Tarleton junior college's lanky basketballers ran their successive court victories to 76 last night with a 77-12 triumph over Ranger junior college.

Only two more games are on their schedule this season, North Texas Agricultural college here Friday night and Texas Wesleyan college of Fort Worth, Thursday night.

SUGAR IN SUGAR BOWL NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 24 (AP)—The Sugar Bowl sports carnival here was a financial success. The track meet drew 4,000 fans. Inter-city boxing matches between St. Louis and New Orleans drew 3,000. The basketball game between Arkansas and Tennessee drew 2,500 and the Santa Clara-L.S.U. grid game drew 42,000, giving each event a \$40,000.

BEARKATS IN TIE DENTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—Sam Houston's Bearkats were in a second-place tie today with the East Texas Teachers by virtue of a 28 to 27 basketball victory last night over the North Texas Eagles.

ORGANIZING REBEKAH LODGE AT ODESSA Ora Martin, Big Spring, state deputy, spent Monday in Odessa seeking to organize a chapter of the Rebekah lodge. She reported good response and said that another attempt would be made to complete the work within a few days.

Every effort is being made to push the organization so that the charter may be applied for at the state encampment. A number of the local Rebekahs are planning to accompany her to Odessa on her next trip.

Gold production in Texas during 1935 increased 44 per cent over the 1934 output.

Has A Few Enemies In his prime Hafey was terrific right-handed batter. Few ever hit a ball harder. His big league average was .320. He was a dependable fielder and boasted one of the finest throwing arms.

Chick is picking no soft spot for his comeback. The Reds' outfield may not be the best in the league, but there are several promising youngsters coming up to vie with veterans.

Only right field seems definitely filled—with Ival Goodman. Kiki Cuyler likely will hold down center field as long as his legs hold up. The real battle is going to be for left field. For that berth, Chick will have to beat out: Babe Herman, the one and only; Phil Weintraub, former Giant who hit .371 with Rochester last year; Jon Dwyer, Nashville, who hit .65 doubles and batted .383, and Jack Rothrock, who is up for another fling in the big show after a successful '36 season with Rochester. Outside of these gentlemen the left-field spot is open and waiting for Chick.

TECH BEATS ARIZONA LUBBOCK, Feb. 24 (AP)—Texas Tech's Red Raiders ended their basketball campaign and about conferred the defending Border conference champions, the University of Arizona, out of the pennant picture last night, 42 to 34.

The victory gave the Texans a mathematical chance at the championship.

Record Wreckers —



Indiana's Don Lash, who set the world record for the 2-mile run outdoors at Princeton last spring, ran the fastest 2-mile of all-time at the Boston A. A. indoor carnival. Lashed Paavo Nurmi's old indoor mark by a fifth of a second.



A new pole-vault ceiling indoors was established at Boston by George Varoff of San Francisco and the University of Oregon—at 14 feet 4 7/8 inches. The husky Hawaiian — born son of a Russian parent — also holds the outdoor pole-vault standard at 14 feet 1-1/2 inches.

Chick Hafey To Report For Cincy Reds

One-Time Terrific Batter To Try Again After Two-Year Rest

Associated Press Sports Writer NEW YORK, Feb. 24—Chick Hafey seems determined to regain a berth with the Cincinnati Reds. He's listed among those expected to report at Tampa if contract difficulties can be ironed out.

Chick feels fit again, but whether he will be able to step back after an absence of almost two years is something else. He is not too old to have some baseball left in his system—he's just 34. There are many bigtimers at that age or older.

Hafey's biggest handicap is that long absence. Few ballplayers can stay away more than a year and then come back. Early in 1935 Chick was stricken with flu. It left him a chronic sinus ailment. He went on the voluntary retired list.

Last spring when Hafey appeared cured the Reds placed him on the roster. They thought that when warm weather rolled around the big fellow would put in an appearance. But he never did. Perhaps Chick found that he was not quite ready.

His correspondence with Cincinnati this winter indicated Chick feels he can be of real help. He is hardly one to go to the trouble of training unless he feels reasonably sure there is some chance of recapturing some of the form that enabled him to lead National League batters in 1931 while still with St. Louis.

Los Angeles, Feb. 24 (AP)—Glen Lee's fistic fortunes soared to a new high today by reason of the young Nebraska's 10-round victory over Ceferino Garcia, Filipino challenger for the welterweight crown. Lee won a hairline decision by Referee George Blake which was both hoed and cheered by a capacity crowd of 10,400 at Olympic auditorium last night.

ATHLETICS IN MEXICO City Training Camp MEXICO CITY, Feb. 24 (AP)—Mexico opened its arms to the Philadelphia Athletics—but showed no disposition to let baseball conflict with Mexican bullfights.

The Athletics, in spring training camp, will play an exhibition game with a Mexican team Sunday. The game will start at 12:30 p. m. (E.S.T.) to avoid interfering with the regular Sunday bullfight, scheduled for 4 p. m.

BASKETBALL SCORES TUESDAY NIGHT By The Associated Press Notre Dame 41, Marquette 24. Southern Methodist 34, Texas Christian 22. Texas Tech 42, Arizona 34. New Mexico 35, Arizona State of Tempe 33.

Mustangs Win First S'west Cage Crown

S.M.U. Tramples Horned Toad Cagers For Conference Title

DALLAS, Feb. 24 (AP)—For 13 years Southern Methodist university's cage teams have been knocking at the Southwestern conference throne room and today they were in—for the first time.

It fell to the Ponies' perennial rivals from Fort Worth, Texas Christian's Horned Progs, to be on the losing end of the game that won the conference championship for S.M.U. The score was 24 to 22.

The victory established another athletic milestone for S.M.U. in that the basketball championship was the first conference title the school had won in any sport except football.

Coach Jimmy St. Clair's Ponies have finished second and third several times and once in a three-way tie with Arkansas and Rice for the crown.

Two lank sophomores, Bill Dewell and J. D. Norton, stood out for the Mustangs. Norton scored 12 points, Dewell 11.

The Mustangs found the going slow at first but Norton and Dewell soon found the range and helped push S.M.U. to a 15-8 lead at the half.

Whether the Ponies win or lose their, and last, two games will not affect their status as champions. They play Rice Saturday and Texas A. and M. next week.

PLAN PROTEST IF SUTHERLAND RESIGNS POST

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 24 (AP)—Campus leaders threatened today to call protest demonstrations if Dr. John B. (Jock) Sutherland resigns tomorrow as head coach of the University of Pittsburgh's football team because of a disagreement with the university athletic authorities.

Fraternity men, student heads and alumni lined up solidly behind the "silent Scot" and rallied support for the outbursts despite Sutherland's prediction the differences would be settled.

He declared the trouble between him and W. Don Harrison, athletic director, was a matter of pocket money allowances for the Pitt players after the Rose Bowl game New Year's day in Pasadena, Calif.

SINGTON MAY JOIN CHAPMAN AS A SENATOR

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 24 (AP)—Freddie Sington, the former Alabama football great, comes anywhere near expectations in spring training, he will join a former high school teammate in the Washington Senators' outfield.

The other half of the combination, Ben Chapman, is so confident big Freddie will make the grade that he has already arranged for his roommate for the 1937 season.

The two played for Phillips high school here in 1927, but neither was an outfielder. Sington was a fireball pitcher, and Chapman a first baseman at third base.

CREWS, DUBLIN IN FIRST ROUND OF REGIONAL Crews, outstanding favorite in the region 2 basketball tournament, will meet Dublin in the first round Saturday morning. All games will be played in Abilene.

Hamlin, given a slim chance of upsetting Crews, will meet Evant in another first round game.

BRADDOCK'S TITLE MAY BE TAKEN

NEW YORK, Feb. 24 (AP)—Max Adelbert Baer, who was ready to retire from the ring for good after dropping his heavyweight championship to Jim Braddock and then absorbing a beating from Joe Louis, was back in the midst of the fight argument today with two bouts waiting for him.

Max has contracts for a bout in England May 6 against either Ben Foord or Tommy Farr and for a bout here against Bob Pastor in Madison Square Garden March 19. He also has a British promoter, Brig. Gen. Alfred Cecil Critchley, on hand to persuade him to go through with the London fight.

The affair may be settled at today's meeting of the New York state athletic commission, when the Pastor bout will come up for approval. Max was summoned for questioning about his often damaged hands and perhaps some other matters, before the New York soldiers would approve the match.

Meanwhile Critchley is demanding a showdown. "Either Baer goes through with my offer or I'm through with him," he said, "I don't want any part of him if he fights Pastor. Personally, I think it's silly for him to fight Pastor. If he beats him, what has he gained? Nothing. If he loses, he's through."

"My agreement with Ancil Hoffman (Baer's manager) was that Baer is not to engage in any fights before May 6."

While everyone concerned in the Braddock-Schmeling feud remained silent, reports were current that Braddock would be deprived of his title by the New York commission if he should fail to appear for the June 3 bout with Max Schmeling.

It also was reported that Schmeling would lay claim to the crown if it was taken from Braddock. In that case Max probably would be matched with the best available heavyweight and the winner recognized in New York as champion. Even then it wouldn't have much if any, effect on the Braddock-Louis Chicago bout.

BABE RITCHEY KNOCKED OUT IN 2ND ROUND

CHICAGO, Feb. 24 (AP)—Shooting at a place in the finals next month, 192 youthful amateurs will trade punches tonight in all divisions of the third and semi-final round of the tenth annual Golden Glove tournament at the Chicago Stadium.

Out of tonight's competition will come 32 boxers, who on March 3 will fight for titles and places on the Chicago team which will meet a New York aggregation for the inter-city title.

A crowd of 12,000 spectators saw last night's card of 14 bouts. Results last night included: In the 147-pound class, Joe Elder of Fort Worth defeated Andrew Roy of Huntington, W. Va., in three rounds. In the same class George Mitchell of Detroit defeated Marvin Liddell of Oklahoma City, three rounds.

In the 160-pound division Carl Hilger of Fort Worth decisively Warren Wilson of Atlanta, Ga., in three rounds.

In the heavyweight division, Babe Ritchey of Lubbock was knocked out in the second round of his bout with John Washington, Dayton, O.

Earl Crowe, Texas, stopped Tom Sutherland, Elmoington, Ill., and defeated Joe Moore, Livingston, Ky.

Magnolia, Buffs Clash Tonight At Forsan Berl Cramer's Magnolia Oilers and the Forsan high school Buffs will close the basketball season tonight in the Forsan gym.

Brady Nix will start the same lineup he has used in all championship encounters this season, with Distler and McKinney at forwards, Chambers in the jumping position, and Loper and Scudday in the guarding posts.

It will be the last game for La-Voice Scudday, Forsan guard, who has been selected on seven all-tournament teams this season. Cramer will probably use Liles and Townsend at the forward berths with Johnson at center, and Matt Scudday and Ted Phillips at guards.

Scott Would Donate Time As Instructor For Amateur Boxers Earl "Scotty" Scott, former amateur middleweight champion who fought around Fort Worth for several years with such artists of fisticuffs as Sully Montgomery, Dick Dixon and "Wildcat" Conner, is willing to donate his services free as a boxing teacher if a place can be found to open an athletic club.

GEORGE ROTAN LEADS WALKER CUP STARS TO HOUSTON MEET

DALLAS, Feb. 24 (AP)—One of golf's grand figures, George Rotan, leads a battery of four present and former Walker Cup stars into the Houston country club's annual invitation tourney today.

Member of Uncle Sam's first Walker Cup contingent, Rotan, aging in years only, still has a game that will make any youngster step. Other coppers teeing off include Reynolds Smith of Dallas; Gus Moreland of Peoria, Ill., and Billy Howell of Houston. Quiet Ed White of Bonham, still another Walker Cup star and runner-up last year, decided not to enter. Work, Ed sagely opines, rates a shade higher than a golf trophy.

Perfect climax to Sammy Baugh's "can't-make-up-my-mind" contest would be for the slinger to sign a contract as coach of his alma mater, Sweetwater high school. The job is wide open—and he could probably have it for the price of a postage stamp it would take to mail his application. Lennon Blackmon, the Texas Christian fullback who spent five unconscious hours after he rammed his head into an unidentified knee at scrimmage last Saturday, will be back on the practice field in a few days. Just watching, however. Physicians report his concussion was not serious.

Again Jim Monroe, iron-fisted ruler of Houston's Epsom Downs, has laid down the law. "We'll have men stationed around the clubhouse and grandstand and any bookmaker caught accepting a bet on Epsom Downs races will be in for a very, very bad afternoon."

Dapper Jack Groat, Fort Worth's Glen Garden country club professional, has left for greener pastures. He assumes the role as Henry Picard's first assistant at Hershey, Pa., country club in a few days and will be quite busy with Picard off for Europe around July 1 for a five months stay.

Reynolds Smith leaves the fairways on March 1 to take over his new job as golf columnist on a Dallas newspaper. United States Golf Association officials have assured him it will not impair his status if he toes a very straight line they have drawn for amateur writers.

Al Trakan of Fort Arthur one-putted the first greens on a round at Fort Arthur country club recently. His two putts at the ninth gave him an amazing total of ten for the loop. Jinx Tucker reminds that the James Dobbins who impressed as the heavyweight winner in the St. Louis Golden Gloves tourney is an Austin negro who weighs 224 pounds, is six feet five inches tall and only 21. He has a remarkable 87-inch reach—seven inches more than Camara could stretch his hayingmaking jolla.

3 Veterans Swimmer May Favored At Santa Anita

By C. ROBERT KAY NEW YORK, Feb. 24 (AP)—Students of thoroughbred breeding and performance adhere to the maxim that "class will tell" in a horse race, and expect the winner of Saturday's \$100,000 Santa Anita handicap to be one of three proven distance runners—Time Supply, Rosemont or Mr. Bones.

F. A. Carraud's Time Supply, though raced seldom this winter, worked the Santa Anita distance of a mile and a quarter in an impressive 2:05 3/4 recently. Time Supply has won \$144,560 during his racing career, more than any probable starter in the far west classic.

William Du Pont, Jr., Rosemont also has confined his racing efforts to fast company and demonstrated his fitness for the rich stake by winning the San Antonio handicap at Santa Anita last Saturday.

John Hsy Whitney's Mr. Bones, failed in the San Antonio, but the added distance of the Santa Anita handicap is expected to be to his liking.

Time Supply has the best record in previous Santa Anita handicaps. He was third in the 1935 inaugural and second to A. A. Baron's Top Row last year. Rosemont was third in last year's renewal. Mr. Bones will be making his first Santa Anita handicap start.

Other Santa Anita probable starters accustomed to first class competition are Major Austin C. Taylor's double entry of Special Agent and Indian Brom; C. V. Whitney's Red Rain and Walter M. Jefford's Firehorn.

Just shows nobody reads this stuff we write. Madison Square Garden threatens to sue if the Braddock-Schmeling championship bout is stopped. They figure they can collect damages for losing their percentage on what the bout would draw. "On that basis," cracks Braddock's manager, Joe Gould, "they oughta pay me 50 per cent of what they'd lose for stopping the bout!"

JACKSONVILLE WINS JACKSONVILLE, Feb. 24 (AP)—Jacksonville college's basketball team defeated Tyler junior college 56 to 55 here last night.

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Darby's Sally Ann Bread. At Your Grocers. MODERN CLEANERS PHONE 860 203 East Third St. SUITS & DRESSES CLEANED & PRESSED CASH & CARRY 35c UP. TECH BEATS ARIZONA LUBBOCK, Feb. 24 (AP)—Texas Tech's Red Raiders ended their basketball campaign and about conferred the defending Border conference champions, the University of Arizona, out of the pennant picture last night, 42 to 34. The victory gave the Texans a mathematical chance at the championship.

Chick Hafey To Report For Cincy Reds. One-Time Terrific Batter To Try Again After Two-Year Rest. By TOM PAPBOCKI Associated Press Sports Writer NEW YORK, Feb. 24—Chick Hafey seems determined to regain a berth with the Cincinnati Reds. He's listed among those expected to report at Tampa if contract difficulties can be ironed out. Chick feels fit again, but whether he will be able to step back after an absence of almost two years is something else. He is not too old to have some baseball left in his system—he's just 34. There are many bigtimers at that age or older. Hafey's biggest handicap is that long absence. Few ballplayers can stay away more than a year and then come back. Early in 1935 Chick was stricken with flu. It left him a chronic sinus ailment. He went on the voluntary retired list. Last spring when Hafey appeared cured the Reds placed him on the roster. They thought that when warm weather rolled around the big fellow would put in an appearance. But he never did. Perhaps Chick found that he was not quite ready. His correspondence with Cincinnati this winter indicated Chick feels he can be of real help. He is hardly one to go to the trouble of training unless he feels reasonably sure there is some chance of recapturing some of the form that enabled him to lead National League batters in 1931 while still with St. Louis. Los Angeles, Feb. 24 (AP)—Glen Lee's fistic fortunes soared to a new high today by reason of the young Nebraska's 10-round victory over Ceferino Garcia, Filipino challenger for the welterweight crown. Lee won a hairline decision by Referee George Blake which was both hoed and cheered by a capacity crowd of 10,400 at Olympic auditorium last night. ATHLETICS IN MEXICO City Training Camp MEXICO CITY, Feb. 24 (AP)—Mexico opened its arms to the Philadelphia Athletics—but showed no disposition to let baseball conflict with Mexican bullfights. The Athletics, in spring training camp, will play an exhibition game with a Mexican team Sunday. The game will start at 12:30 p. m. (E.S.T.) to avoid interfering with the regular Sunday bullfight, scheduled for 4 p. m. BASKETBALL SCORES TUESDAY NIGHT By The Associated Press Notre Dame 41, Marquette 24. Southern Methodist 34, Texas Christian 22. Texas Tech 42, Arizona 34. New Mexico 35, Arizona State of Tempe 33.

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Radio, Magazines And Newspapers Help To Keek Students Posted

Recent Expenditures, Improvements Increase Facilities Of School Library WPA Aids In Expansion Program

A radio, five daily and a weekly newspaper together with 40 weekly and monthly magazines keep students up on the news of the day at the Big Spring High school library where more than 4,000 volumes to furnish material on every subject from ancient history to the latest world affairs are on the shelves for the use of the 600 who study there.

Work on the library has gained momentum during the past three years although the material has been accumulating for nearly ten. While the beginning was fortuitous, the interest lagged, picked up, lagged again and finally dropped to extremely low ebb and books were issued but never returned. Three years ago Miss Enid Avriett was employed as a full time librarian and she began the task of "doing over" the library.

Formerly all books for student use were in the small office room in connection with the study hall, and were checked out to pupils during the period. This was found to be most unsatisfactory as pupils many times did not know the material which they might find and when they found it, it was unsuited to their needs, it was necessary to turn in the book and check out another. With the introduction of the "stack system," however, this inconvenience was eliminated.

Newest Fiction
The "stack system" is used in the reading room where books and magazines are stacked according to their subject matter, and one may look through the offered material until he finds his necessary data. This may be used during the period or if need be, may check it out for over-night use. In this room also are the shelves for books of fiction. A special effort is being made by the librarian to get the newest fiction books in, instead of re-orders of the time worn ones that have been on the shelves since the beginning of the school system.

The radio, a gift of a public minded citizen, is used on days when a broadcast of special interest is being made. The radio room is directly across from the study hall and works along with the current news section of the library.

In the reference section which is still being added to in hopes of making this one of the outstanding ones in this section, may be found the latest edition of the Dictionary of American Biography; six sets of the World Book, Compton's Americana, new Encyclopaedia Britannica, new Encyclopaedia of Social Sciences, Book of Knowledge, Encyclopaedia of Popular Science and six refer-

ence books on Texas. During the Centennial year more than \$100 was spent by the system on Texas history books and in the lot is a set that contains photostatic copies of the original pages. More than \$2000 has been spent in replenishing the shelves of the library since 1934, \$600 of the amount during this school year.

WPA Assistance
On October 1, 1935 six helpers were assigned to the Big Spring independent schools by the Works Progress administration for library work. They were Mrs. Inez Ragsdale, Mrs. Cora Cole, Mrs. Alpha Byrne, Mrs. Buelia Morrison, Mrs. Dorothy Morris and Mrs. Elita Phares. All have been trained in this particular work and are a decided asset to the system. Mrs. Phares does book binding and repair work, Mrs. Byrne and Mrs. Morris keep the books at the Junior High building and others aid at high school.

The Senior High library is the focus point of the work. Into the hands of the workers at this school come all books, pamphlets, magazines, and newspapers. At this central point they are checked in and issued. Nothing is put on the shelves that has not been examined and passed on as suitable material for students. The books are generally ordered after suggestions or recommendations from teachers.

The books are numbered by the Dewey Decimal System, one of standard reputation, in order that pupils of the school will be acquainted with library usage elsewhere.

For Ward Schools
Library use is extended to the ward schools, each of which is allowed an annual appropriation for replenishing the library facilities. This central point in the system is an interesting place for readers, and even those who are not interested. Here one may find reproductions of some of the world's most famous pictures in beautiful natural color, for in new books are full of striking illustrations. For young women there are style magazines, home and garden issues and those on art. For the boys science magazines of all types may be found on the open shelves. For general reading one finds the Readers Digest, The American and others of reputable reading matter.

The only disqualifying mark on the system is the fact that pamphlets and other sheet issues, although catalogued, have not been bound, but to keep near the perfect mark, the librarians are preparing to correct this matter in the near future.

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Cities with an increase in sales during January greater than that for the state are: Abilene, Dallas, El Paso, Fort Worth, Houston and Port Arthur.

The first railroad west of the Mississippi was started in south Texas in 1852.

TUNE IN KBST 1500 KILOCYCLES

- Wednesday Evening
- 4:00 Dance Hour, NBC.
- 4:15 Pacific Paradise, Standard.
- 4:30 Xavier Cugat Orchestra, NBC.
- 4:45 Concert Hall of the Air, NBC.
- 5:00 Rhythm Rhapsody, Standard.
- 5:30 American Family Robinson, WBS.
- 5:45 Dance Ditties, NBC.
- 6:00 Dinner Hour, NBC.
- 6:30 Harmony Blues Boys, NBC.
- 6:45 Curstons Reporter, NBC.
- 7:00 Glen Queen, Tenor, Studio.
- 7:15 H. V. O'Brien and Robt. Hood Bowers, NBC.
- 7:30 Mellow Console Moments, Jimmie Wilson.
- 7:45 Newscast.
- 7:55 Tom's Medicine, NBC.
- 8:00 "Goodnight."
- Thursday Morning
- 7:00 Musical Clock, NBC.
- 7:30 Rhythm Makers, NBC.
- 7:45 Morning Devotional, NBC.
- 8:00 Just About Time, Standard.
- 8:15 Home Folks, NBC.
- 8:30 Gatties, Standard.
- 8:45 Joey and Chuck, NBC.
- 8:50 Hollywood Brevities, Standard.
- 9:00 This Rhythmic Age, Standard.
- 9:15 Tuning Around, Standard.
- 9:30 Jerry Shelton, Accordion, Standard.
- 9:45 Lobby Interviews.
- 10:00 What's The Name of That Song? Jimmie Wilson.
- 10:15 Newscast.
- 10:30 Texas Wranglers.
- 10:45 Song Styles, Standard.
- 11:00 Morning Concert, Standard.
- 11:30 Weldon Stamps.
- 11:45 The Drammers, NBC.
- Thursday Afternoon
- 12:00 Gypsy Strings, Standard.
- 12:15 Zenith Smile Time, NBC.
- 12:30 Songs All for You.
- 12:45 George Hall Oreb, NBC.
- 1:00 Snooping Around.
- 1:15 Religious Service.
- 1:30 Nat Shilkret's Orch, NBC.
- 1:45 The Melodeez, NBC.
- 2:00 Srenade Espagnole, Standard.
- 2:15 Male Chorus & Studio Orch, Standard.
- 2:30 Sport Parade, Studio.
- 2:45 Newscast.
- 3:00 Afternoon Concert, NBC.
- 3:30 Sketches in Ivory.
- 3:45 Novelty Trio, Standard.
- Thursday Evening
- 4:00 Dance Hour, NBC.
- 4:15 Jimmie Grier Orchestra, Standard.
- 4:30 Rhythm Rascals, Standard.
- 4:45 B. C. Moser, Songs.
- 5:00 Modernistic Varieties, NBC.
- 5:30 American Family Robinson, WBS.
- 5:45 Dance Ditties, NBC.
- 6:00 Dinner Music, NBC.
- 6:15 Fete & Jimmie, Songs & Organ.
- 6:30 Harmony Blue Boys.
- 6:45 Curstons Reporter.
- 7:00 Eventide Echoes.
- 7:15 Musical Varieties.
- 7:30 Rhythm and Romance.
- 7:45 Newscast.
- 8:00 "Goodnight."

L/Stock Shipments For January Gain

AUSTIN, Feb. 24.—Shipments of livestock from Texas to Fort Worth stockyards and interstate points during January increased moderately over the corresponding month last year, the University of Texas bureau of business research has reported. Forwardings of all classes totaled 5,186 cars, against 4,972 a year ago, an increase of four per cent. Cattle shipments, 3,053 cars, declined four per cent from January last year. Shipments of calves, 861 cars, increased 17 per cent; hogs, 736 cars, increased 23 per cent; and sheep shipments, 369 cars, increased 40 per cent.

"The large year to year increase in marketings to Los Angeles, noted in previous months, continued during January," the bureau's report said. "There also was a marked increase in shipments of cattle and calves to other California points."

"Comparatively large shipments of sheep were made to Kansas City, Oklahoma, and Iowa."

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Fuel Supply Problem For Some Oil Men

Stock Increase Is Watched; Price Situation, However, Is Cheering

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 24 (AP)—Two of the sensitive spots of petroleum's nervous system—the inventory of finished products and the price of refined products—had oil men a little jumpy today.

Those who had their eyes focused on some significant price increases were hopping a little if not jumping for joy. The increasing amount of motor fuel on hand disturbed those inclined to take a dour view of the general situation.

The American Petroleum Institute's figures as of ten days ago showed total stocks of motor fuel at 73,865,000 barrels, an increase of 5,718,000 over the year before. A continued heavy run to stills was indicated by a new peak in the production of crude oil 2,294,531 barrels daily for the week ending Feb. 20 as reported by the Oil and Gas Journal.

Most executives here were agreed too much gasoline was being refined despite the indicated heavy demand.

Kerosene Prices Up
The over-all picture of the industry was brightened by a three-tenths of a cent a gallon increase in the tank wagon price of kerosene made effective yesterday by Standard Oil of Indiana in ten mid-western states.

Refining companies need, operators were agreed, a hike of a cent a gallon in the price of gasoline and a quarter of a cent a gallon for kerosene to keep pace with the increased costs of production and the general advance in the cost of crude.

The pickup in field operations continued, with 590 completions reported in the country compared to 499 the week before. About 80 per cent of the completed wells were productive.

Texas' far-flung fields reported heavy operations. An important discovery was in Wilbarger county, North Texas, where a deep sand well looked good for 2,500 to 3,000 barrels daily. It was an old producer deepened to 3,071 feet and completed in sandy lime formation.

The first Swedish settlement in America was founded in Delaware in 1638.

Livestock Prices Depend On Buying By The Housewife

CHICAGO, Feb. 24 (AP)—Housewives, said livestock men today hold the key to the current riddle at the stockyards—how far will meat animal values advance because of last year's drought?

Livestock prices have been moving gradually but with numerous temporary recessions in recent months. Market observers said the substantial rise that trade analysts talked about last summer will be well under way by now.

Livestock men generally regard the housewife as the dictator of livestock and meat prices and statistics indicated she has been showing some indifference toward meat. Lent is a contributing factor, it was pointed out, but at the same time, with retail meat prices lower or than the peak levels of 1936, packers have been storing heavily and moving a comparatively decreased volume into consumption.

Prevailing livestock prices were considered high for this time of year and in view of the lows reached in 1932, 1933 and 1934, but are well below peaks touched in 1925 and 1936. Cattle are at the best comparative level.

SITDOWN STRIKERS IN BAKERY HAVE PIE AS A STEADY DIET

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 24 (AP)—Eleven striking bakers, defying dietetic monotony, again today confined their eating to products of Brownie's Pie shop.

Since Monday they have been sitting down beside the ovens and pie racks of the bakery, demanding a 25 per cent wage increase and a 44-hour week.

"They can eat all the pies they want," said Proprietor William Pletchy, "but I think they're getting tired of them as a steady diet."

SCHOOL BROADCAST SLATED TOMORROW

The second broadcast in a series of programs sponsored by the local Parent-Teacher council will be heard over KBST Thursday morning from 11 to 11:15 o'clock.

Mrs. Garland Woodward will be the featured speaker, talking on the history of public schools in Texas. The high school will present a musical program.

The fifth month of the ecclesiastical year of the Jews is named Ab and corresponds to the period from July 15 to August 15 in the ordinary calendar.

MRS ROBBINS RETURNS

Mrs. E. F. Robbins has returned from Trenton where she was called during the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. M. W. White for whom funeral services were held Sunday. She had been at the bedside a week previous to death.

LEASEN STATION

Tom Slaughter has leased the Magnolia Service Station at 203 West Third street, and has changed the name of the establishment to the Tom Slaughter Service Station. Magnolia products are handled by Slaughter.

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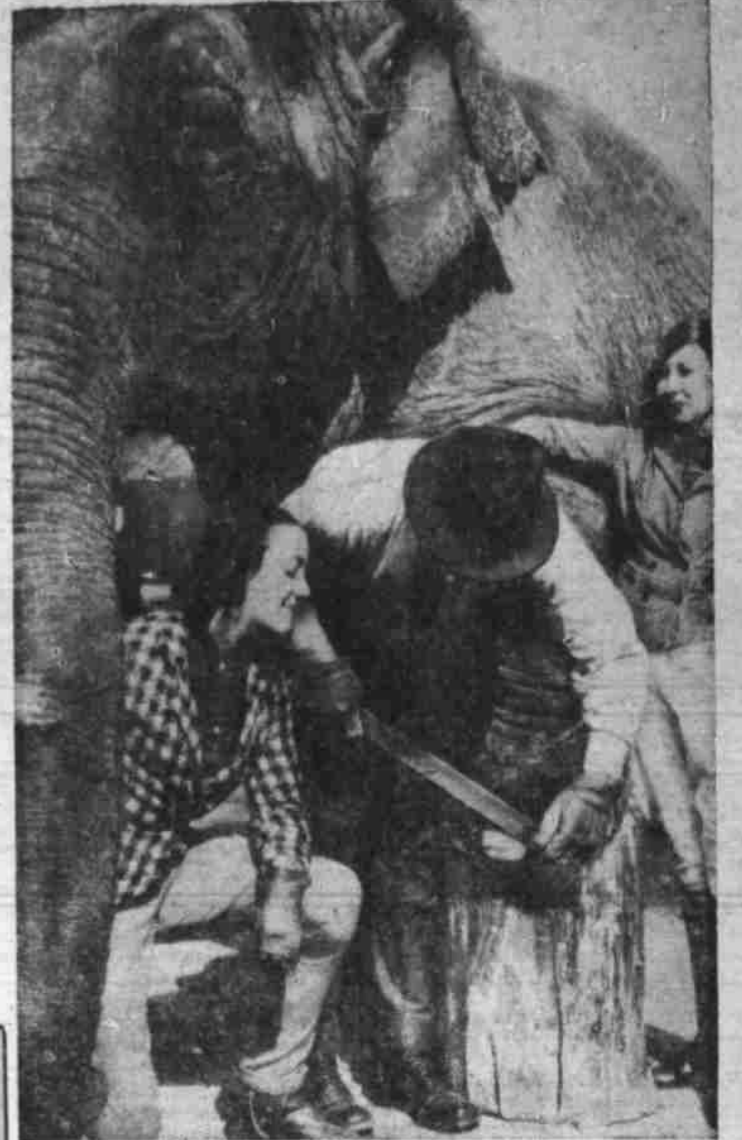
Miss Sara Jane Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phillips of Bartlesville, Okla., is shown at New York with her fiancé, Frank Begrish, Jr., of New York at the Hotel St. Regis, where a dinner was given in their honor. The father of the bride-to-be is president of the Phillips Petroleum Company. (Associated Press Photo)



There was a big hug and kiss from dad for Tallulah Bankhead when the speaker of the house of representatives went backstage at Washington to congratulate his daughter on her performance in a show on her opening night in the capital. (Associated Press Photo)



A big crowd was on hand at Rome to greet Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh and his wife when they arrived there in their new plane, especially built for them in England. The famous flier and his wife still have their helmets on. From Rome they started on an unhurried trip to Egypt. (Associated Press Photo)



Big things are going on at the winter quarters of the circus (A. G. Barnes-Sells Floto) at El Monte, Calif., as it prepares for the new season's tour. Here is one of the biggest jobs, manuring Babe, the elephant. Mary Bannon (left) and Idella Bow watch Walter McClain, trainer, wield the file. (Associated Press Photo)



Pausing in Rome on a flight to Egypt with his wife, Col. Charles A. Lindbergh (right), is shown as he inspected an experiment in the laboratory of Senator Nicola Pende (second from left), Italian scientist, who, like the American flier, has made studies of the so-called "artificial heart." (Associated Press Photo)



Rep. Arthur W. Mitchell, Negro Democrat from Illinois, (above), protested to President Roosevelt the dropping by the Naval Academy of James Lee Johnson, 19, Negro midshipman, for low marks. Mitchell said he believed Johnson was "railroaded out of the school." (Associated Press Photo)



Mary Astor (above), central figure in the widely publicized "diary case," surprised even Hollywood gossips with her secret plane elopement to Yuma, Ariz., with Manuel Del Campo, City of Mexico insurance salesman. (Associated Press Photo)



Mrs. James P. Donahue (above), the former Jessie Woolworth, dime-store heiress, takes time out between races at Hialeah, Fla., to make her toilet. (Associated Press Photo)



John M. Carmody (above), of New York, was nominated by President Roosevelt for the post of Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration. He succeeds Morris L. Cooke, who resigned. (Associated Press Photo)



EUNICE JONES



CARLENE HICKMAN



Robert Pinkerton, president of the Pinkerton National Detective Agency, seemed perplexed when the civil liberties committee of the senate demanded that he turn over to the inquiry confidential reports. On advice of counsel, he refused the investigators some of the records in the dispute. (Associated Press Photo)



Admiration gleaming on their faces, these young women were among the crowd which bid Buddy Rogers (right), bon voyage, when the screen star and orchestra leader sailed from New York for England. Rogers said Mary Pickford will sail to join him in two weeks and that they will be married within a month. (Associated Press Photo)



Margaret Muntyou, 19, (above), lights up a cigarette after winning her plea in a New York court to have her father cease forbidding her to smoke, date and stay out after 11 at night. "No girl was ever ruined by a cigarette," was the ruling of Magistrate Mark Rudich, who accused the father of having "horse and buggy" ideas. (Associated Press Photo)



FRANCES BUSTER



HELEN CONNOR

Members of the first-year class at Texas Christian University have named four girls from their group as the most popular in the class of 1940. They are: Misses Eunice Jones, Breckenridge; Carlene Hickman, Helen Connor and Frances Buster, Fort Worth.



Three persons were drowned and 300 fled their homes when the Galena River, commonly known as Fever River, went on a rampage at Galena, Ill., rising from flood stage of 13 feet and attaining a crest of 27.58 feet in eight hours. This view of main street was taken shortly after the water started to recede. (Associated Press Photo)



Student soldiers at the University of Arkansas named Miss Ruth Bateman (above), Chi Omega of Clarendon, Ark., as their honorary cadet colonel for 1937. She will preside over the annual military ball festivities and drill exercises of the Fayetteville R.O.T.C. (Associated Press Photo)



Alexander Meyer (left), is shown as he was photographed while pointing out the well at Coatesville, Pa., where police found the nude and ravaged body of 16-year-old Helen Moyer, (right), missing since Feb. 11. Meyer, paroled sex offender, confessed he purposely ran the girl down with his car, attacked her, and then concealed her body in the well. (Associated Press Photos)



Bert Wheeler, 41, film comedian, and Sally Haines, 26, actress, are shown at Los Angeles as they filed notice of intention to marry. They planned a quiet wedding. (Associated Press Photo)

Bud Grafting Work Watched

If Experiment Successful, Trees At City Park May Bear

This year should tell the tale for an experiment in grafting English walnut buds onto a native walnut stock at the city park.

Two years ago several English buds were grafted onto the stock of a small Spanish walnut tree in the turn of the road across from the tennis courts. For the past two years the grafted limbs have been acquiring size. Now they are about large enough to bear—if they bear.

The limbs have attained a length of six and seven feet and are very sturdy. Only on close examination is it possible to tell where the buds were grafted. The English walnut limbs are a brighter color than the black, rough bark native stock.

If the experiment shows results, it is planned to attempt grafting the buds on a larger scale along the creek banks where the native walnuts thrive.

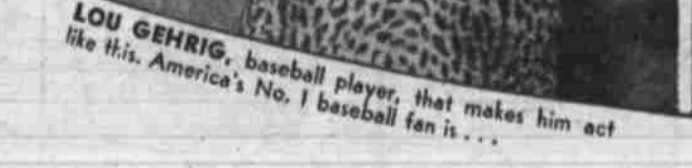
Only other grafting being done in the park is that of pretty standard line roses onto wild rose roots. Results in this work have been more than satisfactory. Some of the most beautiful roses raised in the park are coming out of wild rose roots, which are more hardy and drought resistant than other roses.



GYPSY Rose Lee, burlesque star, stopped the swing yesterday. Above is a genuine gypsy to start us swinging today. Undoubtedly it is the gypsy in...

Swing PICTURES

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LOU GEHRIG, baseball player, that makes him act like this. America's No. 1 baseball fan is...



THE PRESIDENT, whose real hobby is fishing. Fishing is both hobby and livelihood to...



A PELICAN, its beak holds more than its belly can, suggesting that...



AN ARMY travels on its stomach. This soldier, apparently, is getting ready for a long trip.

TOMORROW we swing to the dog show.

Tree Planting Time Is Here

Chinese Elm, American Elm Cited As Choice Varieties For This Section Experiment Farm Shows Results On Various Plants

"I think that I shall never see 'A poem as lovely as a tree.' Critics say that Joyce Kilmer had the right idea, and horticulturists say that now is the right time for poetical planting.

People planning on a new tree around the place had better get out picks and shovels, for in a very few weeks the most opportune time of the year for tree and shrub transplanting will have passed.

This is also an ideal time for pruning. Dead branches should be cut out, superfluous growth eliminated, branches that rub and nip, and top-heavy growth curbed. The antiquated practice of 'bobbing' trees to a bare nub is not considered pruning—rather tree maiming. There is one exception to this, however, in the case of young, large stock Chinese elms.

Whether pruning or planting, the time is ripe to act.

"A tree that looks to God all day

"And lifts her leafy arms to pray."

Here you have a crack description of your tree as you want it to be. However, here in West Texas the climate has proved that some varieties of trees are more adept at praying, while others border on being knotty hypocrites.

Fred Keating, superintendent of the U. S. Experiment farm, knows well the characteristics of many trees in this region when they are grown without the aid of water above precipitation.

For instance, the Chinese elm, a quick growth tree, is in popular demand. Contrary to oft spoken rumors, there is no reason to believe that Chinese elms will die after about a score of years. Thus far, they have not proven susceptible to insects.

Less rapid at growth in the early stages but almost as fast over a period of 15-20 years, the American elm is adapted to this country. It is a vastly more beautiful tree than the Chinese elm and makes a more perfect prayer all the time. Sycamore, non-bearing mulberry and green ash are good trees for the section. The persimmon tree is rapid in growth, but like the unpopular chinaberry tree, it is much too brittle.

Hackberry, prickly ash and boldo are "spiritual" weaklings in this part of West Texas. True, the hackberry is sturdy and hardy, but it furnishes poor shade and grows ever so slowly. Cottonwood are considered impracticable because they are most always targets for borers. The lombard poplar is a stately tree with its single shaft supplantation, but belonging to the cottonwood family, it too falls victim to borers. Black and Spanish walnut are sure but slow.

"A tree that may in summer wear

"A nest of robins in her hair."

Here again the American elm is ideal. Many of the trees not so rapid in growth are in favor of our feathered friends. Many of their choice homesites are the evergreens. Red cedar is not only handy for catching an occasional bird's nest, it is, next to Arizona cypress, perhaps the best evergreen tree to plant in this country. Several other members of the cedar or juniper do well in this area, and the more sticky the leaf, the better for "nesting robins." The native cedar or juniper is hardy, but it is slow in growing, squatly in appearance and is not a beautiful tree. There are several other ever-

OIL PRODUCTION AT A NEW RECORD HIGH

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 24 (AP)—For the third week in succession and the fifth time this year the output of the nation's oil wells has reached a new peak, the Oil and Gas Journal reported today.

The production for the week ending Feb. 20 was 3,298,531 barrels daily, an increase of 31,416 barrels over the week before.

Oklahoma's production, however, increased 5,800 barrels daily to 8,525 while East Texas increased 3 barrels daily to 543,487 and the state of Texas increased 12,155 barrels daily to 1,338,470.

Louisiana had an increase of 2,400 barrels daily to 240,930.

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Best-Dressed Man Of Screen, Gable, Wears Sport Togs

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Feb. 24 (AP)—The man whom a group of New York style experts dubbed the best-dressed actor of the screen was dressed rather sloppily today in a scarred leather jacket, battered hat and well-worn boots.

Clark Gable was in the Kaibab national forest hunting cougars and his appointments were strictly utilitarian. He looked nothing like the fashion plate of nimrod.

The husky film star left for his safari late last week, and he was clad comfortably in the above-mentioned attire when he drove his station-wagon out of the film city.

Selection of Gable as the screen's best-dressed actor occasioned a little surprise among some of his associates. He is not generally considered a sartorial virtuoso.

His is a specialized field. He is at his best in sports clothes and he usually wears them.

While tie and tails he seldom dons, off the screen he rarely has the sleek, polished and smooth appearance of a "clothes horse."

But Gable sets many a pace in casual, comfortable sports and informal men's wear.

The renaissance of the turtle-neck sweater is attributed here to Gable.

His sports wardrobe is considered the most complete among Hollywood's male stars. He never lets it accumulate, however. Male fans get many of his cast-off sports outfits.

WOMAN'S FORTUNE IS HELD BY POLICE

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 24 (AP)—Police guarded today two money-filled suitcases containing everything from pennies to \$500 bills as they sought to learn where a humble storekeeper, now dead, acquired the coin and a \$25,000 bank account.

Mrs. Jennie Wood, sent to a hospital from her modest grocery store several days ago, wrote a note just before she died yesterday directing Dr. C. J. Albaugh and Attorney Joseph Jones to her plain three-room apartment address.

LIQUOR CANNOT STAND THE LIGHT OF TRUTH

It is estimated there are now more than five hundred thousand drug addicts in the U. S. A. and that the number is increasing by leaps and bounds.

There is a break in the dike which has been keeping back the flood of opium from this country and the traffic in opium which has been such a scourge to the people of China and India has commenced to find its way into the United States in considerable quantities and that stream is likely to become a rushing river.

The opium drug is so easily smuggled and the profit from a small quantity is so vast that the temptation to deal in opium is very great.

The statement has appeared in print that opium brought by the ounce and sold by the dose often yields a profit to the trade of one thousand dollars.

The children and youths are the easiest and quietest victims. The trader goes to them and offers a "shot" in the arm. The young person is "tired anything once."

The experience is very pleasant, and he tries it again and again. The evil is done. The trader has his customer.

I would suggest that we bring back the pledge.

Pledge the youth of the country against indulgence in intoxicating drink and drugs.

This pledge will help them to resist when they are asked to take "just one little sip."—Mary Leitch. (Submitted by the W. C. T. U.)

Bounty Offered for Moles

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (UP)—Counties in Arkansas may pay 10 cents per pair for the front paws of gophers and moles under a measure passed by the Arkansas senate. Proponents of the bill stated that damage to crops necessitated an organized fight on the animals.

Joining her store.

What they found prompted them to summon the police.

"There must have been more than \$50,000 hidden around the house," officers said.

Police said they had on occasion been summoned to the Wood store, and its proprietress always spoke of her "hard times."

Texas ranks 30th among states in library support. County library service is maintained in only 15 of its 254 counties.

Porpoises are credited with keeping sharks away from shore waters. They are rarely slain by fishing folk.

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I know! We can get a lot of new ideas looking through the advertisements in this paper. Here's a suggestion to start with right here...

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And the place to find out about these new things is right here in this newspaper. Every day its columns are filled with important messages which you should read. Whether you're planning a party or remodeling a room you should follow the advertisements... to learn what's new... and cheaper... and better.

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No. 1 in Proved Economy among all popular cars in the recent 352-mile Los Angeles-Yosemite Economy Run. Hudson, 22.71 miles per gallon; Terraplane, 22 miles per gallon. Both marks certified by the A.A.A. Contest Board! And each car carried five passengers and baggage—with no coasting allowed.

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EXPENSIVE GOVERNMENT

Abolition of the Texas department of agriculture would not be a step at the farmer, as the commissioner and some of his antagonists are reported as asserting, but would be a favor to the farmer, because it would relieve the farmer as well as other citizens of Texas paying out some thousands of dollars for a department that is not needed. The appropriation for this year is \$119,000, and Commissioner McDonald has asked something over \$200,000 a year for the next two years. Like all other agencies, its cost increases year by year.

Bringing the department to an end would not affect Mr. McDonald nor would it be any reflection on him. It would not be operative until the end of the term for which he was elected, and as he nor any other official has any contract with the state beyond the term for which elected he would have no ground for complaint.

The state established its department of agriculture because some other states had them and it was said to be in the interest of the farmer to have them. But other states did not have and today do not have the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical college—an institution that is of much more service to the farmer than the state department of agriculture that there is no comparison. Politics has nothing to do with the A. & M. It is operated on scientific principles and its work proves itself. The extension services, the work of the home demonstration and farm agents which it directs, are worth more to the farmer of Texas than all the agricultural department has ever done or will do.

The legislature hesitates at abolishing a department that has employes from many portions of the state. It would be perhaps a bad political move. But it would save the taxpayers those four hundred thousand dollars that are asked, and the work would be done and better done by the college.

Man About Manhattan

By GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK—It wasn't so long ago that... Contrad Thibault was earning \$20 a week as an electrician's helper. Frank Parker was a chorus man in the "Greenwich Village Follies." Lucille Manners was an obscure stenographer. Jack Benny was making fiddle music for the Seamen's benefit fund, during the war. A skippy fellow named Fred Astaire, and his sister, were dancing in a show called "Funny Face."

Sammy Shipman was turning out his first hit after 13 consecutive dramatic failures. The Reds in Union Square were front page news. A dark-skinned young dancer named Rudolf Valentino was taking the town. Erin O'Brien-Ruode was attracting the attention of Broadway writers in "Street Scene." Breadlines formed on alternate corners. Samuel Seabury and J. J. Walker were giving each other the "hypnotic eye." Garbo ambled about town in roll-neck sweaters.

And it hasn't been so long ago since Jack Dempsey and Estelle Taylor appeared under the aegis of David Belasco in "The Big Fight." Madison Square Garden was really in Madison Square. The big NRA parade down Fifth avenue. Lindbergh was an amicable fellow. Dutch Schultz was pistolled in Jersey. Gunland flamed and such pug-uglies as Kid Dropper, Dopey Benny Fein, and Little Augie were shooting up the town.

F. Scott Fitzgerald was writing those "Tales of the Jazz Age." The Everglades Club was the last word in hang-outs—but definitely. Jan Garber played the big Southern proms. Harvard and Princeton severed athletic relations. Army and Navy severed athletic relations. Edgar Wallace wrote a novel in two days. John Gilbert was engaged to Garbo. John Gilbert married Ina Claire. John Gilbert married Virginia Bruce. John Gilbert died. And Marlene Dietrich collapsed at the news.

"Pompador Jim" was commuting daily from Long Island. Jeanne Eagels was making theatrical history in "Rain." Babe Ruth was a side-wheeler for the Boston Red Sox. Arnold Rothstein was shot down in a Broadway hotel. "Legs" Diamond's widow was playing in burlesque. Every third restaurant was named after Enrico Caruso.

Illegal drinks were purveyed behind ten thousand darkened doorways. John Bunny was Broadway's funniest funnyman. The hack companies engaged in a price war and you rode for nothing, tipping the driver. Women's dresses were knee length and the waistline just caught the hips.

The Woolworth building was the tallest in town. The Chrysler tower was the tallest in town. Twenty-third street was way up town. John Curry was Tammany's boss. Amos 'n' Andy were unknown comics.

Luis Firpo knocked Dempsey out of the ring. The Duke of Windsor was the Prince of Wales. Alfonso of Spain lost his job. Rumble seats were innovations.

No, it wasn't so long ago. But, my, how times change!

NEWS

BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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Religious groups oppose court program.
Tampering with freedom of worship feared.
Roosevelt plan stymied in upper house.
33 opposing senators can block a vote.

Doubts
WASHINGTON, Feb. 24—Peculiar cross-currents of religious interest in President Roosevelt's court reaping program are noticeable deep within congress.

A Texas representative who fought the Ku Klux Klan has been receiving letters from constituents whom he recognizes as former Ku Klux leaders, advising him to oppose the program. They give no reason, and, he says, this means they have some fear of a rearrangement on constitutional religious guarantees. In addition, he has received many opposition letters from leading protestant ministers.

Editorials from the Catholic press are being circulated privately among the legislators who will vote on the plan. These express apprehension more directly. A typical example is that of the Catholic Register of Lincoln, Neb., which says: "Catholics had better study well any proposed changes or 'reforms' in the United States supreme court. Catholics in this nation owe a debt of gratitude to the judiciary of the country. Do you remember the Oregon school bill?"

To make the circle complete, some Jewish members of congress are reminding their colleagues of what happened in Germany when the constitution was superseded by a central authority.

Stymied

Despite all this flurry of activity recently, there will not be a vote upon Mr. Roosevelt's original plan next week or next month and possibly not next year.

The technical situation is this: The opposition now has 33 senate votes. This is one vote more than a one-third of the senate, which means no limitation of debate can be voted (a two-thirds majority is required for cloture). It also means that 33 senators, deeply embittered against the proposal, can prevent a vote by talking until Doomsday.

While such matters are rarely debated openly in congress, they have an influence on the legislators.

Many a personal pang was felt at the passing of Richard Doolittle aside from Hollywood's industrial regret at the loss of a talented director.

"Boley" was such a genial, happy, and down-to-earth fellow, like a good-natured boy with his extensive grin, that one seldom thought back to his days of Hollywood anguish. Not even to that particular day, when, in possession of the studio where he had been a power and asked for work, any kind of work—and didn't get it, not even a job as a gardener's helper.

When he landed again, he was kept so busy making pictures that he had no time for vacations. But he still had time for the "little people" of the lots, the workers who "don't matter." Way for a Lancer!

Rat Trainer
Curley Twiford trains rats, and as 150 other animals—trained—at his command.

On the "Seventh Heaven" set, however, it was Twiford's rats, seen in number, that held the center of the stage, which to them was James Stewart's face.

Stewart was doing those trench sequences. All the rats had to do to earn their \$10 a day each was to scurry along damp dugout rafters, over Stewart's face, then stake to a crude table to gorge on stale cheese.

How Stewart felt about the procedure is not certain, but it is obvious that Curley had an artistic interest in the rats' behavior. He admitted that he has had anxious moments with them. Primitive instincts are not so easily forgotten that they would disdain to nibble at an expensive actor's cheek.

Curley always guards against his reversion to type by providing a more tempting bait, such as the cheese above noted. He figures that cheese, in this contingency, makes the world safe for actors, doubtless because of the traditional preference of rodents for cheese to ham.

War Film Flopped
Such little things can defeat a screen writer's hopes. Two youngsters wrote a filmical, and for no special reason placed it in a war-time setting. They didn't know that their producer had made a flop of his last film about that particular war—but that was his cue to throw out their script.

Wind and Breeze Helpful
DENVER (UP)—Wind and breeze in Denver helped the victims of the storm and flood. Glenn Breeze and Frank Wind, tellers from the First National bank, spent their working hours counting, checking and recording funds received by the local chapter of the American Red Cross for flood relief.

How To Torture Your Wife



Hollywood

Sights and Sounds
By Robin Coons

HOLLYWOOD—Screen and radio, those supposed natural enemies, are lying down together, lion and lamb fashion, and the dog-eating prospect appears less forbidding.

But this is something the movie powers had better investigate: three tourists came to town last week, and each separately sneared at the idea of visiting a movie studio. What he wanted, each said, was to attend a Jack Benny broadcast.

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Daily Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Diminish
2. Hall or large room
3. Written promise
4. Shelter
5. Money; slang
6. Floating in or covered by water
7. Orderly
8. Near
9. Edible tuber
10. Substance derived from certain moss
11. Before
12. Plant of the genus Viola
13. Agitation
14. Chilly part of brain
15. Note of the scale
16. Common fund
17. Before all others
18. Writers of music
19. Unconvinced
20. Block of type metal used in printing
21. Son of Judah
22. Clump or tuft of hair
23. Rudely
24. Gladiatorial salute to Caesar
25. Bird
26. Ceremonially uncertain according to Jewish law
27. Clean
28. Out of prefix
29. French city
30. Wear away
31. Waterfalls
32. Lair
33. Having little velocity
34. Old suffix
35. Headresses
36. Compass or degree
37. Oriental dwelling
38. Consequently
39. On the highest point of
40. Shit
41. Indefinite amount
42. Feathered animal
43. Small horse
44. Exploit
45. Tapering solid breaking on the shore
46. Mexican Indians
47. Nonprofessional
48. One who assumes responsibility
49. Becomes less severe
50. Fatty part of milk
51. Zoological order of animals
52. Sailor
53. Alternative
54. Note of the scale
55. Superlative ending
56. Toward
57. Symbol for tantalum

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Industrial Community Ford's Plan

GEORGIA TOWN CHOSEN FOR EXPERIMENT; FACTORY TO BE ERECTED
WAYS, Ga., Feb. 24 (AP)—In the South Georgia community on the bend of the Ogeechee river, Henry Ford will carry to fruition his dream of an ideal industrial community surrounded by farms able to sustain it.

As part of his broad program for this little town 18 miles from Savannah, Georgia's chief airport, the Detroit automobile manufacturer announced today an automobile parts factory will be erected.

The plant will employ the people of this community which formerly knew farming, fishing and lumbering as its chief source of income, and will be closely affiliated with Ford's newly completed manual arts school here.

ESCAPE IF YOU CAN

BY FREDERICK JACKSON

Chapter 17
A Millionaire Is Arrested
Bigelow had dinner at the hotel and went to bed directly afterward, sleeping straight through until 11 the next morning. Then he rang for breakfast and the newspapers.

There were headlines at which he stared incredulously:
MILLIONAIRE ARRESTED FOR VRONSKI KILLING
Sitting up excitedly in bed, his breakfast forgotten, Bigelow began to read feverishly:
Thorne Dryden, wealthy young New Yorker well known in society, was arrested late last night and charged with the murder of Count Anton Vronski whose body was found in his apartment yesterday morning with a bullet wound over the heart.

According to police, the two men had quarreled violently a few nights before and Dryden had threatened Vronski's life. On the night that Vronski was killed, Dryden left home shortly after 10 and made a round of the night clubs looking for Vronski. He made inquiry for the Russian at three resorts that Vronski was known to frequent. The policeman on patrol duty in whose beat the murdered man's apartment lies, swears he saw Dryden twice in that vicinity on that night.

Mrs. Dryden admitted to police that there had been bad blood between the two men, but declared Dryden had attended a business meeting at his club the night Vronski was killed. Inquiry at the club however failed to substantiate this alibi.

Before her marriage a year ago, Mrs. Dryden was Lorna Willoughby, only daughter of the late Daniel J. Willoughby. Her name had frequently been linked by gossip with that of Count Vronski before her marriage.

When arrested Dryden refused to make any statement beyond declaring his innocence. Bigelow glanced hurriedly through the other papers, but they were all very much alike. Then he lit a cigarette and leaned back, staring before him with anxious eyes.

Mrs. Dryden was a development that had not anticipated—that an innocent man should be arrested for the crime!

He reached for the telephone to call Anne, but it rang before he could lift the receiver. "Hello!" he called. "Hello," came back in Austria's calm tones. "I wonder if you can find time to run in and see me sometime during the day?"

"Yes, you bet I can." "Meanwhile," said the doctor quietly, "I should say nothing and do nothing. Understand?"

"Yes," answered Bigelow. "I've given the same advice in at least two other directions, so I shouldn't do too much telephoning from where you are, if I were you." "I won't," promised Bigelow. "He hung up and called Anne.

"How about lunch?" he asked when he got her on the wire. "Yes," cried Anne, anxiously. "Hear that on Mother's going out, so we shall be alone."

"I'll be there," Bigelow assured her. "Visit From A Stranger"
He leaped out of bed and turned on his bath. Twenty minutes later as he was briskly rubbing himself down, he heard a knock on his adjoining room door. He drew on a bath robe and went to open it. Before him stood a man he'd never seen before—a rather stocky, middle-aged man with rugged features and sharp eyes.

"Mr. Bigelow?" asked the man, scrutinizing Bigelow intently. "Yes," said Bigelow. "Come in." He stood aside while his visitor entered and then closed the door.

"Hope you'll excuse my coming like this without first making an appointment. But I didn't think you'd know my name and I didn't want to explain my business by whom."

"That's all right," said Bigelow, "but I'm afraid I haven't much time."

"I'll take as much of it as you can give me anyway," said the other man with a faint smile. "My name is Lyman L. Strong. That won't give you anything to you, probably. I understand you haven't lived in New York for some years. Well, I'm a lawyer—and I am representing Thorne Dryden."

"Dryden?" repeated Bigelow, staring. "So—? I was just reading about him in the newspaper, but I don't believe I've ever met him so I can't imagine why you have come to see me. But sit down—won't you?"

"Thank you," said Strong, laying down his hat and coat. "A cigarette?" "No, I'll smoke a cigar if you don't mind." He drew one from his pocket and bit off the end. "Go ahead," said Bigelow, "I'll be with you in a moment."

He went into the bedroom chiefly to stall for time, although he was burning with anxiety to know the purpose behind the visit. It could only be that the lawyer was here to find out how Bigelow had fared since he had been shot. He schooled himself to calmness, reminding himself that Anne's safety might depend upon it.

Folding a scarf around his throat, he glanced at his reflection in the mirror, and satisfied with what he saw, re-entered the sitting room and began to pour himself some coffee with a steady hand.

Strong declined coffee and sat smoking with the ghost of a smile in his shrewd eyes. He looked as if he knew that Bigelow had been stalling for time. There was something quiet and watchful and purposeful about the way he sat hunched up there, waiting.

"You knew Count Vronski, I believe," said the lawyer as Bigelow sat down. "Very slightly," answered Bigelow. "As a matter of fact, I met him for the first time the night he was killed."

Strong nodded as if he had known that. "I suppose you were surprised when you heard of Dryden's arrest?" He lowered his eyes.

"Hardly surprised," corrected Bigelow. "I was naturally interested."

Strong looked up thoughtfully. "Last night," he said, "directly after Dryden was arrested, he sent for me and I had a long conference with him. He asked me to come and see you. That's why I'm here."

Bigelow looked surprised. "Why did he ask you to come and see me?"

"He thinks you can help him—if you will," answered Strong quietly. "I?" repeated Bigelow.

"Yes, I'll tell you the whole story exactly as he told it to me and then you'll understand why." Strong chewed thoughtfully on his cigar for an instant before going on. "You say you read the newspaper account?"

"Yes," answered Bigelow. "Waiting To Kill Vronski"
"Well, it mentions a quarrel said to have taken place between Dryden and Vronski a few nights before the killing. Dryden admits this quarrel. He says he hated Vronski—and with good reason. Mine's where Vronski happens to be, but he did not see Vronski there by some chance. He saw you and Miss Phelps at a table, but no Madame Karsanoff and no Vronski. So he went on. Failing to discover the Russian, he determined to wait for him at his room knowing that he must turn up there sooner or later."

"It appears that Vronski has been staying at one of the big hotels and Dryden inquired for him there first, only to learn he had moved into a furnished apartment. As I had left a forwarding address I mail, however, Dryden easily learned where this apartment was. He reached it about half past 11—nearly as he can recall—or perhaps a quarter to 12. But there was a reply to his ring at the door as he saw that there were no lights on in the apartment so he concluded that Vronski had not yet come down. He began to walk up and down the street before the door. "It was there that the policeman saw him. The first time that he passed Dryden, he thought nothing of it, naturally; but the second time he looked at him rather sharply and Dryden realized he was inquiring an inquiry by parading so openly before Vronski's door. After that he hid in the area-way of a vacant house opposite."

"He waited there for hours," Bigelow declared to kill Vronski and do it that night. That was how—20 minutes past five by his watch—he came to see you and I, Austrelitz bringing Vronski home. (Copyright, 1937, Frederick Jackson.)

Lawyer Strong drops his pretense of friendliness Monday.

600 Pennies Buy License
FCRT COLLINS, Colo. (UP)—George Hardwick paid for his 1935 auto license with 600 pennies saved during last year and deposited in an ice cream container. When Hardwick presented the container at the county clerk's office it was nearly full and weighed 75 pounds.

Mrs. A. J. Cooper has a guest her sister, Mrs. Bernice Cooper of Fort Worth.

TRAIN, PLANE BUS SCHEDULE

T&P Trains—Eastbound		
No.	Arrive	Depart
No. 12	7:40 a. m.	8:00 a. m.
No. 4	12:30 p. m.	1:30 p. m.
No. 6	11:10 p. m.	11:30 p. m.

T&P Trains—Westbound		
No.	Arrive	Depart
No. 11	9:00 p. m.	9:15 p. m.
No. 7	7:10 a. m.	7:40 a. m.
No. 3	4:10 p. m.	4:30 p. m.

Buses—Eastbound		
Arrive	Depart	Depart
5:55 a. m.	6:15 a. m.	9:20 a. m.
9:25 a. m.	9:45 a. m.	11:05 a. m.
10:57 a. m.	11:15 a. m.	11:40 p. m.
11:24 p. m.	11:42 p. m.	11:40 p. m.

Buses—Westbound		
Arrive	Depart	Depart
12:28 a. m.	12:45 a. m.	12:45 a. m.
4:20 a. m.	4:25 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
10:24 a. m.	10:30 a. m.	4:25 p. m.
7:09 p. m.	7:20 p. m.	8:00 p. m.

Buses—Northbound		
Arrive	Depart	Depart
11:15 p. m.	11:30 p. m.	7:15 a. m.
11:00 a. m.	11:15 a. m.	12:00 p. m.
7:15 a. m.	7:30 a. m.	7:10 p. m.

Buses—Southbound		
Arrive	Depart	Depart
11:00 a. m.	11:15 a. m.	7:15 a. m.
5:15 p. m.	5:30 p. m.	11:05 a. m.
11:20 p. m.	11:35 p. m.	8:00 p. m.

Planes—Eastbound		
No.	Arrive	Depart
7:05 p. m.	7:20 p. m.	8:00 p. m.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS Lost and Found 1 LOST - Black Crocker Spaniel. Name "Dixie." Collar no name. Call 772.

WANTED If you have a copy of the Daily Herald dated March 1st, 1936, please call Galbraith or House at 728 or 729.

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FOR SALE 18 Household Goods 18 FOR SALE - 2-piece bedroom suite; gas range; small ice boxes. Real bargain. 610 Nolan.

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FOR SALE 18 Household Goods 18 FOR SALE - Two bedroom suites; kitchen furniture; odd tables; and chairs. Reasonably priced. Phone 904.

FOR RENT 32 Apartments 32 THREE-room furnished apartment. Modern. Electric refrigerator. Water paid. No children. Washington Place. Mrs. Amos R. Wood. Phone 1283.

WANT TO RENT 40 Houses 40 WANTED - Furnished or unfurnished 4- or 5-room house, available March 20. A. W. Murray, Crawford Hotel.

REAL ESTATE LEASE for Sale - 5-year lease on Hill Crest Swimming pool 3 acres of land goes with it. Located on West Highway out of Big Spring. O. V. Tatum, West Texas Motor Co.

AUTOMOTIVE 53 Used Cars to Sell 52 FOR SALE at a bargain price 1936 model Harley-Davidson service car. Carrying capacity 400 lbs. Driven 5,000 miles. Telephone 819.

Woodward and Coffee Attorneys-at-Law General Practice in All Courts SUITE 215-16-17 LESTER FISHER BUILDING PHONE 501

Parental Guidance Stressed By G-Man In Fighting Crime WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—J. Edgar Hoover put some of the blame today for one of law enforcement's major problems—the harboring of criminals—on parents who pamper their children.

MR. AND MRS. WHO WERE YOU PHONING TO JUST NOW? OH, FELLER DOWNTOWN I'VE GOT TO SEE TODAY

PA'S SON-IN-LAW Y' HIRE THAT YEG T' TAKE CARE OF A HUNDRED THOUSAN' IN CASH IS TH' ABSOLUTE ALL-TIME HIGH IN SUPER-IDIOTCY!

DIANA DANE WELL... THIS WAS ONE NIGHT DOOLEY DIDN'T CARRY THIS SIGN AROUND IN HIS SLEEP...

SECURITY SMITH LOCATE THE TROUBLE YET, SMILES? - A BENT ROD IN THE SHUTTER MECHANISM - BEATS ME HOW IT GOT THAT WAY THOUGH -

WHEN I SAID I WAS GOING TO LAND THAT SHOW TROUPE FOR HOPEE HOUSE I SEEM TO REMEMBER THAT ALL I GOT AROUND HERE WAS THE HORSE LAUGH!

KILLED BY TRAIN DALLAS, Feb. 24 (AP)—Juan Guzman, 57, was killed today when a speeding passenger train caught him as he frantically tried to extricate himself from between ties and a safety rail on an overpass here.

Before you buy any Refrigeration let FRIGIDAIRE give you a thorough DEMONSTRATION in your HOME in Actual Use. COMPARE PRICE - COMPARE QUALITY SAVE WITH THE FRIGIDAIRE BUY ON PROOF

YOU SAID BYE-BYE WHEN YOU HUNG UP. THAT'S A QUEER WAY TO TALK TO A MAN MAYBE YOU THINK IT WASN'T A MAN - HUH?

BUT - I HAVE THE UTMOST CONFIDENCE IN THE CHAP'S ABILITY TO PROTECT MY MONEY, OLD CHAP! AND I SEE NO REASON WHY I SHOULD DOUBT HIS INTEGRITY!

I OUGHTA BE... I SAT UP OUTSIDE HIS DOOR ALL NIGHT. NO-HUM-BOY! AM I TIRED?

OUTSIDE OF OVERHEATING, SCORCHY - HOW DID SHE HANDLE? - I DIDN'T HAVE HER UP LONG ENOUGH TO REALLY TELL, BUT SHE HANDLED BEAUTIFULLY ON THE TAKE-OFF -

IT'S STILL A MYSTERY TO ME HOW YOU DID IT! WELL, I DON'T LIKE TO BRAG ABOUT MY SAGACITY AND BUSINESS ACUMEN, BUT -

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I NEVER SAID SO. BUT BYE-BYE SOUNDS SILLY - FOR A MAN YEAH? WELL, HEREAFTER I'LL SAY -

BECAUSE I HAPPEN TO KNOW THAT HE HELD A POSITION IN A GOVERNMENT INSTITUTION FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS AND WAS QUITE HIGHLY THOUGHT OF!

SAY, POPS... I CURED MYSELF OF WALKIN' IN MY SLEEP LAST NIGHT YOU DID?! HOW, DOOLEY?

THE BOYS ARE GIVING HER A THOROUGH GOING OVER - I WANT TO BE SURE EVERYTHING'S OKAY THE NEXT TIME YOU TAKE HER UP -

WHEN I WAS WITH THE BOSS I'VE HANDLED DEALS FOR HIM THAT MAKE THIS LOOK LIKE CHILD'S PLAY!

FOR WINTER SAFETY Firestone GUM-DIPPED TIRES STOP UP TO 25% QUICKER

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AT-AW-A PLACE CALLED LEAVENWORTH, I BELIEVE! HE WAS KNOWN THEAH AS-AW-TRUSTY! I THINK HE SAID!

Two Ounces of Prevention

Clearing For Action

PRETTY PROUD OF HIMSELF

ANY TIME A GUY WALKS IN AND TELLS ME HE'S GOING TO TAKE MY HOTEL AWAY FROM ME HE'S GONNA WAKE UP AND FIND HE'S GOT A BEAR BY THE TAIL!

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The Markets

COTTON CLOSE

NEW YORK
 NEW YORK, Feb. 24 (AP)—Cotton futures closed steady, 2 to 12 higher.

Open	High	Low	Last
Mch	12.73	12.78	12.70
May	12.50	12.58	12.49
July	12.37	12.43	12.36
Oct.	11.92	11.96	11.93
Dec.	11.57	11.59	11.56
Jan.	11.87	11.89	11.87

Spot steady; middling 13.18, N—Nominal.

NEW ORLEANS
 NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 24 (AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net advances of 8 to 9 points.

Open	High	Low	Close
Mch	12.62	12.65	12.60
May	12.47	12.53	12.46
July	12.33	12.39	12.31
Oct.	11.89	11.93	11.86
Dec.	11.54	11.56	11.53
Jan.	11.94	11.97	11.94

B—Bid.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 21 (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 4 points up. Sales 2,381; mid-middling 11.88; middling 12.93; good middling 13.18; receipts 5,068; stock 571,971.

LOCAL MAN HONORED IN FIRM MAGAZINE

C. L. Rowe, Humble bulk station manager, is honored in the current issue of the West Texas Rattler, production magazine for the company in this area. His picture appears on the cover and an account of his winning a Rose Bowl trip in a contest and a banquet at which he was honored on January 21 is contained in the publication. Rowe is the first employe in the sales division of the company to be honored in the production magazine.

Itinerary for a tour to arouse interest in and attendance to the Parade of Progress exhibit here Tuesday and Wednesday was announced today by W. T. Strange, Jr., chamber of commerce manager.

Strange and Larry Corcoran, advance agent for the exhibit, will leave Thursday morning for Colorado where they will appear before the schools. They are to continue on to Sweetwater, Fort and Lubbock during the day. Friday they plan to make stops in Lamesa, Odessa and Monahans.

Corcoran will show motion pictures of the motorized free show and will explain its scope and purpose. Strange will attempt to organize delegations from each of the cities and surrounding area visited.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT FARM MEETINGS

Unusually large attendance at the meetings held to explain the details of how to conserve soil and building program has reflected increased interest in the work, O. P. Griffin, county agent, declared today.

In connection with his explanatory talks, Griffin has been spending almost as much time on the details of how to conserve soil and moisture and how to build back soil and to maintain its fertility. There has been as much interest on this point as on the control program.

Meetings are to be held at Knott Wednesday evening, Lomax on Thursday, Elbow on Friday and in Big Spring Saturday evening. The series is to be completed with meetings at Moore on Monday and at Center Point on Tuesday.

Lions Make Plans For Dist. Session

Plans for the forthcoming district 2-7 Lions convention to be held here May 24 were discussed at the meeting of that club today. Grover Dunham, general arrangements chairman, said that committees would be named soon and promised a full report next week.

Glenn Golden, terminal manager for American Airlines, was introduced as a new member. Clyde Thomas, for a long time a member of the club, was back. Kyle Blackberry was a guest for the day.

As a get-acquainted stunt, C. W. Norman drew a four dollar check from the club. He must spend this with another member of the club and the recipient must in turn

Public Records

Building Permits
 Phillips Petroleum company to hang a sign at 1st and Main streets, cost \$20.
 A. L. Lindsay to build a garage at 506 E. 12th street, cost \$175.
 J. R. Easdale to add a room to a residence at 706 N. Lancaster, cost \$130.
 E. I. Gibson to reroof residence at 1105 Wood street, cost \$70.
 J. C. Douglas to patch roof on hotel at 3rd and Rannels, cost \$20.
 F. S. McCullough to install a gasoline pump at 409 E. 3rd street, cost \$10.

In the 70th District Court
 L. W. Smith versus Clara Smith, suit for divorce.
 Joe Ratliff versus Violet Ratliff, suit for divorce.
 Fay Brooks versus B. F. Brooks, suit for divorce.

In the Probate Court
 Application to probate will of Lamar Smith, deceased, made by Annelise Smith, executor.

New Cars
 J. C. Womack, Ford tudor.
 C. F. Joffe, Oldsmobile coach.
 Arsh Phillips and Twila Lomax, Ford tudor.
 Dr. G. T. Hall, Ford phaeton.
 George Oldham, Ford sedan.
 C. Kirkpatrick, Studebaker coupe.
 J. F. Bagwell, Royalty, Ford tudor.

Terracing Work Is In Final Phase

The terracing campaign in the county is rounding into the home stretch, O. P. Griffin, county agent, said today. One of the two tractors and graders appropriated by the county to the terracing program has finished its work and has returned to dragging roads.

The crew manning the tractor and grader had met with all requests except one in the Vealmoor community. This particular farm is located along the road and will be terraced when the grader passes.

Other crew assigned to terracing work is operating in the Luther area where it has one more farm to serve. From there it is to go to Vincent to terrace several farms.

Griffin said that with planting time in the offing, bulk of terrace work to be done this season was completed. He indicated another campaign during the autumn and winter.

Labor

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In that field, the United Automobile Workers of America, Brophy said that the requests from other industries have been so numerous that the U. A. W. A. has been asked to supply organizers to aid workers' groups in unrelated industries as well.

A number of these have come from workers who have called sit-down strikes in Detroit, cigar factories, bakeries and other businesses, Brophy said. He indicated that the C. I. O., formed to organize workers in mass production industries, may consider setting up a division to deal with workers in miscellaneous industries.

and amended to include sale-by-the-drink provisions was favorably reported by a senate committee.

Liberalized old age pensions again were approved by the house state affairs committee which reported the bill without its former tax provisions. Instructed to delete the tax features, the committee prepared to offer them as amendments.

Crude

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farmer-controlled soil conservation program, the house committee in agriculture sent the proposal to a sub-committee for further study.

The state board will be permitted to obtain federal grants if the plan conforms with regulations of national agencies. County judges and commissioners would direct wind and water erosion prevention measures with the aid of precinct advisory boards.

A bill authorizing search warrants for state liquor inspectors

Claims

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call for service in lower courts.

Senator McCarran (D-Nev.), in charge of the bill, said he would call it up either today or tomorrow.

33 To 29

Senator Tydings' declaration raised the opposition ranks to 33. On the other side were 29, with the balance still non-committal.

Privately, administration leaders said they had 48 votes; the opponents claim 42. The senate has 96 members.

The claim to have enough votes "in sight" to defeat the program came from Senator Burke (D-Neb.). Tydings, who heretofore has been classed as uncommitted, said:

"I do not feel that the proposed enlargement of the supreme court is proper. In reality such enlargement settles nothing permanently. If wider legislative powers are desired for congress, then the orderly way to secure such wider powers for the congress is through the method of constitutional amendment, where the people may grant

Air Well

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in most parts of Big Spring.

Out Of Control

The flow, almost pure nitrogen gas, is coming from a depth of 1,400 feet in anhydrite. It is issuing through a 580-foot string of 10-inch casing which was mudded in. Pressure has forestalled any attempts to bring the flow under control or to resume drilling. Operators are standing by until the flow has all but stopped.

In addition to marking one week of continued roars from the phenomenal wildcat, Wednesday also marked the first anniversary of the failure of the Moore Bros. deep test on the McDowell ranch in Glasscock county. On Feb. 24, 1936, the deep pay wildcat drilled into salt water at a depth of 10,906 feet, little more than two miles.

A few days before it had lost 2,000 feet of drilling fluid and 18,000 pounds of cottonseed hulls were forced into the hole with aqua-fell to plug the leak. Further drilling caused the water to flow over the casing top and force plugging of the test, which created much excitement with promising shows at 9,594 feet, 9,600 feet, and 9,633 feet.

ACTIVE STOCKS

NEW YORK, Feb. 24 (AP)—Sales closing price and net change of the sixteen most active stocks today.

Callahan Zinc	63,000	4 7-8	up 1-2
Armour III	59,960	13	up 7-8
Park Utah	54,700	7 5-8	up 3-8
Anacosta	53,900	65 1-2	up 2 1-2
Yellow Tpk	48,700	25 1-4	up 2 1-8
Republic Stl	38,500	35 1-4	down 1-8
US Steel	36,700	111 3-4	up 1
Am Zinc	31,900	19 1-4	up 7-8
Mother Lode	31,200	2 1-2	up 3-8
Arum Pict	26,800	2 3-8	up 1 1-8
Int Nickel	24,700	71 5-8	up 1 5-8
Gen Mot	24,400	65 5-8	up 5-8
Interlake Iron	22,500	21 3-4	up 3-4
Beth Steel	20,800	93	up 1 1-4
Kennecott	20,600	64 3-4	up 1 1-2
Socony-Vac	20,600	18 1-2	no

LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Feb. 24 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Hogs 21,000, including 7,000 direct; bulk good and choice 180-300 lb. 9.95-10.05; practical top 10.05; one outstanding load 10.15; bulk good sows 9.25-9.50.

Cattle 9,000; calves 1,500; most early sales today 7.75-10.25; light yearlings 6.50-7.75; heifers steady; prime kinds 12.25 on Kosher accounts; bulk short fed 9.00 down to 8.50; bulls steady at 8.50 down.

Sheep 9,000, including 2,000; practically no early trading on fat lambs; better kinds held steady; b. ding unevenly lower; sheep steady.

FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH, Feb. 24 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Hogs 1,700; top 9.50 paid by packers; bulk good to choice 180-300 lb averages 9.40-9.60; good 150-175 lb averages 8.25-9.25; butcher pigs mostly 4.50-5.50.

Cattle 2,100; calves 1,300; load 1,120 lb fed steers 8.35; 3 loads medium short feds 7.25-8.5; few plain lots 6.75 down; package

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<p>Curtain Scrims 5c 36 Inch Wide Novelty Colors</p> <p>Rayon Panties 15c Tailored Lace Trim</p> <p>LADIES' ACETATE DRESSES 98c A Large Assortment of Styles and Colors</p> <p>A SENSATIONAL PRICE Dress Prints 9c YD. Fast Color 36" Wide New Patterns</p>	<p>35 Only MEN'S ALL WOOL SPRING SUITS \$10.00 EXTRA PANTS \$2.98</p> <p>MARKED 1/2 PRICE</p>	<p>Ladies Shoes \$1.00 All Leather A Thriller</p> <p>MEN'S DRESS OXFORDS \$1.98 Guaranteed All Leather</p> <p>MEN'S Shirts - Shorts 12 1/2c each Swiss Ribbed Fast Color Broadcloth</p> <p>MEN'S WORK SHIRTS 49c Sanforized Shrink A Good Grade of Blue Grey Chambray</p>
<p>Sensationally Priced—Vat Dyed Wash Frocks 37c AVENUE PRINTS 14 To 44</p> <p>SOX 10c Pair</p> <p>50 Pr Only MEN'S HEAVY DUTY WORK SHOES \$1.39 Pr. These Shoes Are Built For Long Hard Wear A THRILLER</p>	<p>Handkfs 3 FOR 10c Large Size</p> <p>SILK CHIFFON HOSE 43c Ringless, Full Fashioned Perfect Throughout</p>	<p>MEN'S Covert Pants 79c Sanforized Shruak Full Cut</p>

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