

G. W. Dabney Elected Mayor Of Big Spring

Fourteenth in the succession of Big Spring mayors is George W. Dabney, Texas & Pacific ticket agent, a railroad man since 1906, resident of Big Spring since 1931 and father of five who wore military uniforms in World War II.



G. W. DABNEY—Fourteenth Mayor.

forward talk, called for support of the commission, all city officers and the entire citizenship. "I want to help citizens of Big Spring to build a better town," he said.

with all phases of city operation so that they could give intelligent answers to citizens' questions. He pledged open meetings of the commission, and said a welcome sign will be out at all times to any citizen of Big Spring.

House Signals Speedy Action On Draft Bill

Committee Votes Ceiling On Size; Limit On Training

WASHINGTON, April 10 (AP)—The house leadership signaled today for double-quick action on a bill for straightaway continuation of the draft until Feb. 15, 1947.



MIHAILOVIC — Gen. Draza Mihailovic, former Yugoslav war minister, is shown as he appeared in an undisclosed prison cell following his capture on March 13 by Yugoslav authorities. Once hailed as a guerrilla hero in the fight against the Nazis, Mihailovic was officially reported under arrest as a traitor and war criminal. (AP Wirephoto via Radio from London).

Lewis And Union Stage Walkout On Conference

WASHINGTON, April 10 (AP)—John L. Lewis and a United Mine Workers committee walked out on wage negotiations with soft coal operators today and threatened to stay out until the producers agree to discuss a welfare fund and improved safety conditions.

Poland Seeks Council Action Against Spanish

Jap Women Line Up Early For First Vote

TOKYO, April 10 (AP)—Twenty-five million Japanese—led by a surprisingly large number of women who lined up early at polling places—today elected a postwar government in their first free election in generations.



GROMYKO RETURNS—Andrei Gromyko, Soviet delegate, resumes his place in the United Nations Security Council meeting, ending his boycott of the council for taking up the Iranian question. (AP Wirephoto).

Franco Reported Offering Haven For Germans

NEW YORK, April 10 (AP)—Poland asked the United Nations Security Council today to take action against the Franco regime in Spain on the ground that it has already threatened world peace and is a haven for Nazis, their assets and German scientists "devising new means of warfare."

Bill Cox Chosen First President Of New Jaycees

Bill Cox, KBST staff member, was elected president of the Big Spring Junior Chamber of Commerce at an organization meeting attended by approximately 35 persons in the Settles hotel Tuesday evening.

Flour Rationing May Be Necessary

WASHINGTON, April 10 (AP)—A flour rationing plan without coupon worries for housewives hung fire today as the government took another careful look in the wheat situation made tense by widespread hunger abroad.

a news conference last night that he had ordered officials in his department to prepare such an order. Should it be issued, it would have the effect of rationing supplies of flour to bakers and retailers, but not to consumers.

Paving Ordinances To Be Submitted To Commissioners

Ordinances for the city's projected 50-block paving program for the year will be ready for submission at their next meeting, members of the city commission were told Tuesday evening.

Truman Reiterates Intention To Veto Farm Parity Rider

WASHINGTON, April 10 (AP)—President Truman reiterated today that he will veto a pending minimum wage bill if it contains a new agricultural parity formula.

British Loan Voted To Senate For Decision

WASHINGTON, April 10 (AP)—The Senate Banking committee voted 14 to 5 today to send the proposed \$3,750,000,000 British loan to the floor for debate.

Oil Production Raised For Navy

AUSTIN, April 10 (AP)—The Navy has won its quest for more crude production, which means more fuel oil.

Australia, US Make Airline Reciprocity

CANBERRA, Australia, April 10 (AP)—Australian Air Minister Arthur S. Drakeford told the House of Representatives today that Australia is negotiating a bilateral agreement with the US which would confer reciprocal commercial rights upon airline operators of the two countries.

Dallas Hail Flurry Damages Windows, Breaks Neon Signs

Dallas reluctantly stole the weather spotlight yesterday when a flurry of hail left a trail of broken greenhouse windows, shattered neon signs and frustrated baseball crowds.

Price Board Says Builder May Figure Price To Last Cent

Whether you are getting ready to build a new home, a trailer or repair your garage or henhouse, it soon will be possible to figure the maximum dollar and cent cost down to the last piece of flooring according to the local price control board.

Wainwright Becomes "Son Of Confederate"

SAN ANTONIO, April 10 (AP)—Gen. Jonathan M. Wainwright today became an honorary life member of Sons of Confederate Veterans at a ceremony in his office at Fourth Army headquarters.

Latin-American Held For Illegal US Stay

Juan Haro, who apparently liked the United States so much he decided to remain in being held in the county jail because he could not produce citizenship papers when questioned by members of the sheriff's office Tuesday.

Chinese Send Silk Message To Stalin

MOSCOW, April 10 (AP)—A TASS dispatch from Changchun today reported that a letter inscribed on silk cloth and signed by 180,000 Chinese had been dispatched to Prime Minister Stalin.

Housing Ceilings On Senate Floor

WASHINGTON, April 10 (AP)—Encouraged by two successes, the administration hammered away hard in the senate today to nail a third bill to its emergency housing bill fashioned to turn out 2,700,000 new homes.

Suit Dismissed

SAN ANTONIO, April 10 (AP)—Indictments against 17 individuals charged in the anti-trust suit against alleged high rate money lenders filed in federal district court here in May, 1945, were dismissed by Judge Ben H. Rice, Jr., today on motion of Holmes Bledsoe, special assistant attorney general.

Verdict Affirmed

AUSTIN, April 10 (AP)—The court of criminal appeals today affirmed trial court judgment which gave Roy Babin 25 years on a charge of murder with malice aforethought in the fatal shooting of Earl Martin last July 19 near Liberty.

Colorado City Vote Canvassed By Board

COLORADO CITY, April 10.—Results of an aldermanic and bond election were canvassed at the meeting of the city board here Monday evening.

Dodd Speaker At NAA Meeting Last Night

Dr. E. C. Dodd, president of the Howard County Junior College, spoke on aviation training in the schools before the NAA meeting last night in the Settles hotel.

Wallace Urges Party Use Self-Discipline

WASHINGTON, April 10 (AP)—Secretary Henry A. Wallace said today he favors the two-party system, was against the Roosevelt "purge" of 1938, and asserted that in the days ahead "we will need a sense of party responsibility."

Sports Editor Signs "Thirty"

ATLANTA, April 10 (AP)—"It is with the greatest pleasure that we bid goodbye to our readers," wrote the departing sports editor. He gave up his job on "The Atlantian," edited by and for inmates of the Atlanta federal penitentiary.

Hilldring Approved As Undersecretary

WASHINGTON, April 10 (AP)—The senate foreign relations committee today approved the appointment of Gen. John H. Hilldring, US army, to be assistant secretary of state.

Hot Money, But It's Identified

DECATUR, Ill., April 9 (AP)—After a fire destroyed C. T. Durbin's house he poked around the ruins and found two pieces of iron pipe which had been part of his cash box and which had contained \$2,400 in currency.

Hot Money, But It's Identified

He took the pipes to a Decatur bank and some charred material in the pipes were sent to the federal treasury with the proper claim filed.

Hot Money, But It's Identified

Treasury experts identified the charred bills and have authorized the bank to credit \$2,400 to Durbin's account.

Brotherly Love With The DiMaggios

SARASOTA, Fla., April 10 (AP)—Will somebody please contact that big Bronx Bomber of the New York Yankees, Joe DiMaggio, and tell him that his little kid brother, Dom, of the Boston Red Sox, is determined to let the baseball fans know there is more than one DiMaggio in the big leagues this season.

It seems that the baby of the famed San Francisco family (Vince is with the Pirates) doesn't like the way big brother Joe hogs the spotlight. Now don't get the little fellow wrong. He's only kidding, of course, but Dom can't see why there isn't room in the record books for more than one DiMaggio.

"Take 1940, for instance, the year I broke into the big league," explains Dominic. "I led all the outfielders in assists. So what happens? When the record book comes out, it tells how Joe added my mark to his list.

"So I kidded him about it all winter. I said, 'You've got enough records—enough of your own feet, without trying to take credit for mine. No wonder nobody knows there's another DiMaggio!'"

The brothers DiMaggio like to kid each other all the time.

Take the time Dom was playing in Yankee Stadium against Joe.

"I don't know why, but I played close on him. He hit a short one just back of second and I picked



The American League's two DiMaggio Brothers, Joe (left) and Dominic, get together for the first time in years. Both were in the service during the last three baseball seasons.

it up on the shoe string," smiles Joe's kid brother.

"That night when we got together, Joe said: 'You play them

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Giants In Need But Don't Want Mickey Owen

NEW YORK, April 10 (AP)—Owner Horace Stoneham of the New York Giants says he isn't interested in the "For Sale" sign that Brooklyn hung on Senior Mickey Owen but he is scouring the majors for more pitching, a right hand hitting outfielder and a utility infielder.

"We have the best catcher in baseball," said Stoneham who bought Walter Cooper from the St. Louis Cardinals for \$175,000 during the winter. "Despite all that talk about our trying to buy Owen at Columbus, we never were interested."

Elephants Run Riot

FREDERICK, Md., April 10 (AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics resume their series with the Baltimore Orioles here today. The A's had a picnic yesterday at Mercersburg, Pa., where they thumped Mercersburg Academy, 12-1.

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with the Red Sox if "my legs and arm hold up."

He thinks that will be the same story about most of the servicemen coming back. They'll all start off good, but may have trouble finishing, he says.

Dom Changes Stance
 The little Boston centerfielder has changed his stance this season. Here's how it happened: "I couldn't understand why I didn't hit better than in the minors, especially after that 300 year with San Francisco in 1939," says Dom.

"So while I was with the Navy in the Pacific, I thought it was a good time to experiment. I moved my left foot in a little and found I could hit all pitchers harder than ever.

"I had more freedom with my hips, and could pivot easier. "It isn't an experiment any more. I hope, for I've got to show that big brother of mine this year—and I think he's going to have a great season."

Local Bowlers Leave For ABC

Jake Douglass and Stanley Wheeler left town this morning for Buffalo, N. Y. and the American Bowling Congress, where they are scheduled to toe the line Wednesday, April 17.

The local representatives planed stops at Oklahoma City, St. Louis and Detroit, Michigan, for exhibitions and practice rounds and may go to Toronto, Canada, for a match before returning to Big Spring. They expect to be gone about two weeks.

Douglass is making his fourth expedition to the big show while Wheeler has competed in one previous meeting.

Cubs Lose In 13th

WICHITA, Kas., April 10 (AP)—The Chicago Cubs, lagging by four games, will send Hiram Bithorn against the St. Louis Browns today in the semi-final of their 30-day exhibition marathon. Denny Galehouse will be gunning for the Browns' 12th victory over the Cubs. Joe Grace ped a 13th inning homer to beat the Cubs, 3-2, yesterday and spoil a four-hit stint by Hank Borowy who batted the first nine frames.

War Casualty Ready

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 10 (AP)—Ex-paratrooper Johnny Grodzicki, who still wears a steel brace on his right leg while pitching as a result of a wound suffered in Germany a year ago, is scheduled to make his 1946 debut on the mound for the St. Louis Cardinals today against the Oklahoma City Indians. He is slated to relieve Harry Brecheen, a native Oklahoman, who will start for the Red Birds.

Prep Sensation

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 10 (AP)—Charlie Aurandt, a 17-year-old William Penn high school student, today was hailed in Pennsylvania scholastic sports circles for hurling his second no-hit, no-run game.

The youthful sensation, in four games this season, has allowed no runs in 26 innings pitched. He has allowed a total of three hits; walked three, and struck out 47 of 86 men he has faced.

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With ANGUS LECHESTER
 A lot of familiar faces are popping up in the WT-NM league. Al Carr is hitting the cover off the ball for Lubbock. Shooting from the port side, he used to loft the ball over the short right field wall all too consistently here.

At Amarillo last Sunday, Al Duarte powdered the nugget satisfactory for Bob Seeds in a game against Clovis. (Duarte played up there in 1941). The Gold Sox won, 15-14. Bill Kramer, who should be well known to local fans, toed the slab part of the time for Clovis.

There will probably be a party of fans go from here when Lamesa's Lobos open their home season against Albuquerque on Friday, April 26.

Lamesa's merchants are opening and want local citizens to take part in the festival.

Among the fans who are already looking forward to sit in are R. L. Cook, the retiring mayor, Clarence Fox, Jr., and others.

Four years ago, when Joe Louis kayoed Billy Conn to retain the heavyweight boxing championship, ringside seats to the fight sold for \$25 each.

Now the boys are apparently four times better than they were, for Mike Jacobs is asking \$100 for ringside seats. And they say Mike is having no trouble disposing of the pasteboards.



ROCKY GRAZIANO

Rocky Graziano probably played it smart in moving from the welter ranks to the 160-pound class what with Ray Robinson still mending the welters.

However, the Italian is going to have his mittens full if he climbs through the ropes with Tony Zale, middleweight champion. Tony is no slouch with his dukes. He's the best of the 160-pounders since Freddy Apostoli's time and perhaps could take Freddy into camp.

At his best, Tony was classier than such operatives as Ben Jety, Freddy Steele and Al Hostak.

The trouble is, does he still have the ring-moxie and poise so necessary in a champion?

Manhattan Thumps Stanton Softballers By 15 To 1 Count

Manhattan's softball team, improving with each outing, invaded Stanton Tuesday evening to defeat the independent aggregation representing that village, 15-1.

Johnny Daylong went the route on the hill for the Big Spring nine, handcrafting the opposition with a one-hit job and registering 13 strike outs.

The Stantonites came through with their only safety in the fifth, long after the Manhattanans had sailed the decision away.

Howard Smith and Charley Teague were the big guns in the Big Spring hitting spree. Each reaped for two solid smacks. Cliff Harrison takes the Clubbers to Coahoma for another tune-up bout with the Stanolind Oilers this afternoon.

Nats Win Again

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 10 (AP)—The Philadelphia Phillies, who have been outdisting the Washington Senators pretty regularly, will have to start besting them today if they're to even their spring series. The Nats won 4-2, on three hits yesterday to take a 4-1 lead in the exhibition series.

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TULSA, Okla., April 10 (AP)—Hal Tronky, left-handed power hitter, will try switch-hitting for the first time in years in the Chicago White Sox's waning exhibition feud with the Pittsburgh Pirates.



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DCCW Has First Meeting In Two Years Tuesday

For the first meeting in two years the district Diocesan Council of Catholic Women convened Tuesday at the Settles hotel in Big Spring.

Park Study Club Has Bible Study

The Park Community Study club met Tuesday afternoon at the park mission for a devotional by Mrs. Joe Dorton.

Dr. Dodd To Speak

Dr. E. C. Dodd, president of the Big Spring Junior college, will speak to the West Ward P-T-A group when the meeting is held Thursday at 3 p. m.

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Social Calendar For The Week

THURSDAY XYZ will meet at 7:30 p. m. at the Settles hotel with Mrs. Walker Bailey, Mrs. Woodrow Campbell and Mrs. Lonnie Coker as hostesses.

Ina McGowan Made Head Of TAABC

Mrs. Ina McGowan was named president of the local chapter of Texas Association of Accredited Beauty Culturists, when members met Tuesday evening at the Settles for an organizational meeting.

Past Matrons Have Theatre Party

The Past Matrons Club of the Order of the Eastern Star met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Sylvia Lamun for dinner, after which the group proceeded to a movie. Mrs. Minnie Michael was hostess.

Mrs. W. H. Foresyth Honored At Party

Mrs. W. H. Foresyth was honored with a pink and blue shower Tuesday evening by Mrs. A. E. Walker and Mrs. Loy Smith, in the home of Mrs. R. V. Foresyth.

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Class Gives Play At P-TA Meeting, Ed Agent Speaks

"Through the Crystal," a play, was presented by the sixth grade Tuesday afternoon for North Ward P-T-A meeting.

Jan Tillinghast Has Birthday Social

Jan Tillinghast celebrated her sixth birthday with a party given for her by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Tillinghast Monday at the country club.

Kings Have Son

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. King are parents of a son born Monday at 7:15 p. m. in a local hospital.

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Miss Merrick Wed Sunday

Oleta Merrick, daughter of Mrs. Florie Merrick of Big Spring, was married Sunday afternoon in Wink to Jack Greaves.

Mrs. McClain Enters Local Rebekah Lodge At Tuesday Meeting

Mrs. Willie McClain was accepted as a transfer member of the Rebekah lodge of Knott when the local unit met Tuesday evening at the IOOF hall.

Schoolmen To Hold Monthly Meeting

Regular monthly meeting of the Big Spring Independent School district board will be held in the administrative offices at 7:30 p. m. today.

Shipment Of Books On Library Shelves

The shipment of 578 fiction and non-fiction books, which arrived recently at the Howard county Free library has been approved by the committee in charge of the donated fund and placed on the function's shelves.

Mrs. Hendricks Home

Mrs. J. F. Hendricks has returned from Fort Worth where she was called by the critical illness of her grandson, Harold Hendricks, who was taken there from his home in Brownwood last week.

Visits Sister

Roten Quinn of San Francisco, Calif., left Wednesday morning after visiting with his sister, Mrs. Roy Tidwell, and family. He is en route to Dallas where he will meet a younger brother, Russell Quinn, who is on his way home after spending 18 months in Germany.

Glenn Smith, a student at North Texas State college, is home visiting his parents on spring holidays.

Betty Jo Pool is home from Fort Worth with a case of mumps.

America Must Educate To Survive Readers Digest Editor Declares

America must educate to survive, Dr. Robert M. Griffin, educational director and associate editor of Readers Digest, told the Rotary club Tuesday at the Settles.

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Don't Expect Too Much

Japan goes through the experience of its first "free" election Wednesday. The natural thing, from the American point of view, would be to hope for sweeping victories for the so-called liberal elements. Yet from a practical point it will be miraculous if this comes to pass.

In the first place the election may be a bit premature, for after all it has been considerably less than a year since Japan threw in the sponge and the Yanks moved in. The period of organization for administration of the occupation took weeks and even months. It is only comparatively recently that there has been opportunity for the more liberal thinkers of the island empire to come out with their causes. Even then, many did so with timidity born of continued oppression.

Men do not suddenly put on the vestments of liberty and of free thought and free speech. It is a process, and a slow one at that. The brief flourish of the Weimar republic in Germany after World War I proved that point.

Too, many of the candidates running under "liberal" banners in Japan are in reality reactionaries in sheep's clothing. Gen. MacArthur's staff has announced candidates were screened, but close observers contend that the screen had too big holes in it. Too frequently candidates are known to have helped run Japan during the war to have connections with the industries or the big families, or to be inclined to listen to the militarists. It is not at all improbable that in the face of circumstances, the new Diet will be wrested from the control of the old factions. Thus, it might be well in advance to recognize these factors, and not put it down as a death blow for democratic hopes

when the results of the election are in. Besides this is the first real opportunity of the Japanese people to express themselves in an election.

Loss Of A Good Man

Big Spring and West Texas are the losers with the death of W. G. Hayden, publisher and founder of the Weekly News, and co-founder of The Herald.

The loss is first of all that of a good man, for Will Hayden was that. He was modest, so much so that he hardly would include his own name in a list of a group that went anywhere or did something in the interest of the community. He had a kindly spirit and quietly went about visiting with and ministering unto old friends. When folks got burned out in the country, he always put a piece in the paper and helped get some slip when it was most needed. If he ever did any harm it certainly was not on purpose.

This is not to say that he was a Folly Anna.

He sort of grew up with this country and he knew its failings as well as its advantages. That's what gave him such a firm faith in the possibilities and its people.

As a newspaperman, he felt it was his job to produce as newsworthy and readable paper as possible. He had his own particular style and he wrote simply as Will Hayden and not as someone else would have written. When the occasion demanded, he could pen some editorials that literally took the hide-off, not that he delighted in it but because he felt the responsibility of his office. On the other hand, he could say things in a way that brought cheer and comfort into hearts. Hundreds and hundreds of people will miss Will Hayden.

Hal Boyle's Notebook

Romans Build Statues, Black Markets

(Hal Boyle's column today is in the form of a letter to his wife, Frances.)

ROME, April 10 (AP) — Dear Frances: Well, here I am in this place where you are supposed to do as the Romans do.

I don't know whether to build a statue or try to sell something on the black market. That's what the Romans seem to be doing mostly.

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would be to start a scrap metal drive! I never saw so many statues and monuments in my life. They certainly must have a strong sculptors union to get so many contracts.

The clothing shortage is reflected in the statues. All over town you see lovely nude bronze and cast iron ladies ritously squirting water through their teeth, wrestling with fishes and holding up stone porches. After walking around among these undressed nymphs you get the slightly insane feeling you ought to step up and help shoulder a porch.

There is no end or beginning to the black market here. It affects all classes and there is little moral feeling about it. We ran into it as soon as we arrived by air from Athens. Before we left the airfield several shady characters sidled up to ask "Anything you want to sell, Joe?" or "Want some money changed, Joe?"

These chaste characters crawl out at you wherever you stroll. Some are neatly dressed, but most appear to be small side-

walk operators—young men who just needed to be put to work. These petty chiselers will buy and sell anything from a derby hat to a leaky fountain pen, but most of the business seems to be in food and cigarettes. American troops can dispose of extra cigarettes, at better than a dollar per pack.

Luxury goods are plentiful and food stores look well stocked, at least in the better-neighborhoods. But high prices bear heavily on the low income classes.

One little smudge-faced girl in a tattered dress slipped a type-written note in my hand reading, "Gentle Sir, I am in want and have no father or mother. Will you not succor a helpless orphan?" I started to give her some money but just then a big blonde woman rushed out from her shop and belted my career "orphan" on her ear.

My money little friend has a very ugly face at the lady and her skipped away looking for another "gentle sir."

Your loving husband,
Harold Veringitelex Boyle

The Nation Today—James Marlow

Old League Of Nations Being Buried

WASHINGTON, April 10. (AP)—The League of Nations, 26 years old but sickly from birth, is being buried at Geneva, Switzerland, its home.

Disowned early by one of its parents, the United States, the league has been in a coma since 1939.

The funeral, starting Monday, may last two weeks. The league members will need that long to express regrets.

Thus ends men's first real modern attempt to preserve world peace.

Neither discouraged nor dismayed by this, but quite sure they have learned from the weaknesses of the league, men have tried again.

They have brought forth now the United Nations, showing signs of strength of properly nurtured.

The league started its active existence Jan. 10, 1920 and, strangely, 26 years later to the day, Jan. 10, 1946, the UNO went into operation.

And, strangely, this happened, too:

Within a few months of the league's opening, Iran protested that Soviet troops were occupying Iranian territory.

Within a few months of the UN's opening, Iran protested that Soviet troops were occupying Iranian territory.

The Iranian case in 1920 was settled peacefully and now in 1946, the Iranian case probably will be settled peacefully.

Shocked by the death and destruction of World War I, the Allied leaders, including President Woodrow Wilson decided to make the greatest attempt.

President Wilson came home and tried to sell the idea to America. He broke his health trying. The Senate broke his heart by saying "No." We stayed out. But league rocked along, starting out with 48 members and getting, eventually, as many as 60. It helped subdue the opium traffic and white slavery when they were practiced internationally.

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Broadway—Jack O'Brian

JOE E. LEWIS SURVIVES CHICAGO

NEW YORK—Joe E. Lewis, the nation's top cafe comic for a good many years, brought to an end what was probably Broadway's most prominent and, in some cases, most envied bachelorhood when he married Martha Stewart, the 20th Century-Fox starlet, recently in Florida.

Joe has had a famous career. He came through one of the most shattering experiences any man could have and live. He was such a popular saloon funny man in Chicago during prohibition that the rival mobsters fought for his appearances in their clubs. This rivalry, almost cost Joe E. his life. He was appearing in one Chicago cafe and another club signed him to appear directly after the end of his engagement. When the tough guys who owned the joint Joe worked in found it out, they caused major ructions in the Chicago underworld. Finally one of the gangs broke into Joe's bedroom while he was asleep and kicked punched, beat him with guns, finally using knives and left him for what they thought was dead.

He very nearly was. But he was taken to a hospital in a hurry by friends, where it was discovered that his jugular vein was severed. He somehow or other came through it but it took him more than a year in bed and another year of quiet to recuperate.

That was the only unhappy period in my cafe life," Joe told me when he was at the Copacabana. "Unless you call losing practically all the time on the horses unhappy. I don't."

There's a story, which Joe wouldn't say yes-or-no about, that he knew who had caused all his grief, but wouldn't squawk. The story also has it that many of Joe's admirers, numbering among them every sort of social and business stratum, including police and

gangsters, had urged him to tell who'd done the job, intimating that the red hots would be cared for in a nice, quiet, definite fashion.

Joe said no, that he didn't know, and that he'd been asleep when the attack happened.

At any rate, Joe E. became one of the most admired fellows in show business in his struggle to get back on top. He's now earning between \$4,000 and \$6,000 a week, depending on the location, and, although the horses and gambling generally keep him busted, he says he's turning over a new leaf in his racing form now that he's married to Martha. The tang of the turf still hangs around Joe's conversation, however, well-intentioned he is about quitting the bookmaking. He even described his wedding this way:

"No one sang 'Here Comes The Bride.' They just yelled, 'They're Off.'"

Belgian War Bride Taken Ill On Train

LONGVIEW, April 10. (AP)—Mrs. Bernice Chavez, Belgian bride of former Sgt. Francisco Chavez of Kingsbury, Tex., may be able to resume her trip to her husband's home soon.

Mrs. Chavez was enroute to Kingsbury when she became seriously ill and was taken from a train and placed in a Longview hospital. Physicians said that a few days of hospitalization would be required.

President Chosen

GALVESTON, April 10. (AP)—The Lumberman's Association of Texas has chosen S. F. Styles of Houston as president. The association met in its 60th annual convention on Galveston's new Pleasure Pier, with an attendance of 2,500.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS	30. Restaurants
1. Brightest star in a constellation	31. City in Holland
2. Situation	32. Confined
3. Seize	33. Exit
4. Public vehicle	34. Old Dominion
5. Recline	35. Let: abbr.
6. Outrigger	36. Units of work
7. Viper	37. Aired
8. Winged	38. Emotionally
9. Article of apparel	39. Lamentation
10. In a tired manner	40. Hindu garment
11. Circular	41. Of another
12. Indicator	42. Particles
13. Glimpse	43. Fuzz
14. Second copy	44. Over
15. Roman date	45. Anger
	46. Summit
	47. Walking sticks
	48. Roguish
	49. English river
	50. Finish
	DOWN
	1. Talon
	2. European river
	3. Glass restorer
	4. Small pastries
	5. Articles of food
	6. Or
	7. Hardpan
	8. Occupied the chair
	9. Occasional
	10. Declared
	11. Kind of meal
	12. Regatta
	13. Elevator
	14. Carriage
	15. Postpone
	16. Strainer
	17. Coveting
	18. antelope
	19. Stomach of mylar
	20. Ringlet
	21. Moves ahead steadily
	22. Number
	23. Piece of soap
	24. Waterfall
	25. Trickery
	26. Abrading tool
	27. Island
	28. Covering
	29. Most rational
	30. Number
	31. Oily substances
	32. Pagan god
	33. Qualified, false
	34. Metal
	35. Look after
	36. Tribune

Washington Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

A-Bomb Pioneer Vetoed As Observer

WASHINGTON. — At a weekly cabinet luncheon recently, Secretary of Commerce Wallace proposed to President Truman and to the Secretaries of War and Navy that President Robert Hutchins of the University of Chicago be appointed as a civilian observer on the board to judge the atom-bomb test in Mid-Pacific.

Few people know it, but Hutchins did a great pioneering job regarding the atom bomb. Back in 1942, when the A-bomb was chiefly a gleam in scientists' eyes, President Roosevelt asked Hutchins to set up a secret laboratory to develop the bomb. Harvard and Massachusetts Institute of Technology already had turned down such a plan. They didn't want to stick their necks out.

Hutchins, however, took chance. He had to stick his neck out to the extent of spending \$150,000 of the university's money, without telling his trustees about it. It was a strict military secret. If the plan fizzled, he would be the laughing stock of the university world. However, he put up the \$150,000 and turned over laboratory space and technicians to the project. That was why the most important research was done at the University of Chicago.

When Wallace put Hutchins' name up at the cabinet luncheon, however, he got a complete turn-down from both Truman and Secretary of War Patterson. They didn't say much, but they vetoed the idea of Hutchins' serving on the board to judge the atom test in the Pacific.

Wallace and Truman

Harry Truman and Henry Wallace continue to be close friends and see a lot of each other even though they did battle to the bitter end at the Chicago convention, and even though Southern Democrats would like to tear Wallace's hair out.

The two men have frequent conferences, and Truman supports most of Wallace's plans for the Commerce Department.

The other day, friends were joking with Wallace about his contact with Truman, and asked him how much backing he really got from the White House. Wallace replied that he got excellent cooperation.

"Well, how many men does he appoint that you recommend for jobs?" asked a friend.

The Secretary of Commerce thought a minute, then admitted: "Not very many."

Tokyo Merry-Go-Round

Startling facts and figures about conquered Japan have just passed Washington via the American advisory committee on Jap education.

After a careful tour of Japan, this committee of top-notch educators came to some surprising conclusions. . . American GI's have made a terrific impact on the Jap people. Both the GI's and the Japs like each other enormously.

Americans being "devious" backward via the American GI's. The Japs are already 14,000 Japanese children in Japan born of GI fathers. . . GI's have changed the lord-and-master relationship between Jap men and women. GI's yank men out of their seats in street cars, force them to give seats to the women. . . The workers have begun organizing parents' groups, are now taking the same role in Jap society women occupy here. This in itself is revolutionary.

There are now some 70 political parties in Japan. . . Labor union organization is going full blast. However, Jap union leaders have a unique concept of striking. When they go on strike, labor takes over the industry and keeps it pumping, but refuses to receive orders from the owners. They try to run the plant more efficiently. This happened in recent strikes in newspapers, railroads and the motion picture industry. . . Jap union leaders say they stay on the job because they need the money, also that it's in the workers' interests to produce. The profits are placed in escrow for the employers. . . The Japs have big, but not experienced, unions. Like ourselves, the Japs are great joiners and unionization has swept the country.

MacArthur faces his next big crisis in about 60 days, when the rice riots out and Japan's diet will get its shoudest cut. . . MacArthur has done a bang-up job, knows that unless the USA fills

the intellectual vacuum in Japanese society with a strong dose of American democracy, Russia will fill it with her own brand of government. . . He predicts (and does not oppose) a Labor-Socialist government for Japan in the next five years. . . American big business interests in Japan are also plumping for a high-wage economy. They figure that if Japanese workers are well paid, they will not provide cheap labor competition for the US in future years. . . MacArthur has guaranteed Jap Communists complete freedom of speech and assembly, even sends police to protect Communist rallies, feels that it stimulates thinking and democracy. . . The Communists are now soft-peddling their anti-imperialist propaganda, recognizing that the emperor is a symbol holding Japan together. . . Japan's Zaibatsu (big business war-makers) have not been destroyed. They have only been dispersed, much in the way American cartels were somewhat decentralized by Thurman Arnold under the Anti-Trust Act.

Most tragic picture in Japan is the middle class. Inflation has wiped them out. . . Japanese teachers average 120 to 130 yen monthly, need 1,000 yen to survive. . . Jap teachers work in schools for three weeks, take the fourth week off to look for food. . . MacArthur is now importing food, but may not be able to get enough to prevent death, certainly won't get enough to prevent serious malnutrition. . . Yet MacArthur is optimistic about Japan's future, is already looking forward to the day when Japan re-enters the family of nations as a member of the United Nations. . . Biggest question in Japan is how long the US will remain. Will we stay long enough to really democratize the country?

Clothes for Veterans

Major Gen. Graves B. Erskine, chief of the re-training and re-employment administration, has turned out to be one of the most hard-hitting champions of the veteran, especially when it comes to clothes.

Erskine, who was a Marine Corps commander on Iwo Jima, has been working quietly with the Civilian Production Administration to goad that agency into drastic restrictions on woolen and worsted clothing. He has demanded that larger quantities of cloth go to men's wear rather than to women's.

General Erskine has pointed out that, although the Civilian Production Administration fixed a goal of 28,000,000 men's suits this year, only 1,500,000 suits costing \$35 or less were made in the first

quarter of the year. This was exactly 2,000,000 less than was anticipated.

Erskine is also demanding that CPA channel more clothing materials into lower priced within range of the veteran's pocketbook.

Finally, he has recommended that more than 1,000,000 yards of surplus clothing material, recently located by the Commerce Department, be turned over to small clothing manufacturers who have been in danger of closing down because of the woolens shortage. General Erskine believes that between 200,000 and 500,000 extra men's suits a year can be produced by these small plants with the help of RFC financing.

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DANES HOLD MEMORIAL COPENHAGEN, April 10. (AP)—Thousands of Danes stood in silence in town hall square for two minutes at noon today in memory of comrades who died during the German occupation of their country.

WESLACO, April 10. (AP)—The Rio Grande Valley Planning Board today sought a new manager following resignation of R. B. McLeish, who had served the \$10,000-a-year position since the board was organized 18 months ago.

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The fuchsia and blue seals were mailed out of Dallas last Saturday to local residents in sheets of 100 each. Contributions should be mailed to Mrs. Brooks, 606 Johnson Street this week.

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Veterans Ask Probe Of Post Surplus Sale

VICTORIA, April 10. (AP)—Commander W. C. Erwin of the Victoria post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars has asked national leaders of the organization and the War Department to investigate sales of surplus property at Aloe and Foster Fields.

The Victoria VFW commander charged that most of the surplus property sold at the two fields had gotten into the hands of organizations and individuals, "leaving veterans holding the sack."

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CO. COMMISSIONER, Pct. No. 3 R. L. (Pancho) Nall
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Robert F. Bluhm
CO. COMMISSIONER, Pct. No. 4 Earl Hull
CONSTABLE, Pct. No. 1 J. T. Thornton
COUNTY SURVEYOR Ralph Baker

Here 'n There

Number of daily visitors at city park and the municipal golf course is increasing steadily, city officials report. Although much already has been completed, improvement work is still underway to put facilities in condition for the summer.

Chesney Dabney, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Dabney, is recovering from an appendectomy at the California hospital in Los Angeles. Chesney's condition was critical for several days due to the fact that the appendix burst. However, quick work by the attending surgeon saved his life.

Jack Cook, who is confined to the Army hospital at San Angelo, leaves Wednesday or Thursday for Moore's hospital in North Carolina for further observation. Cook decided to turn in at the Angelo hospital after complaining of feeling badly following a strenuous round of exercise.

Their patriotism is greatly admired but County Judge James T. Brooks wishes the people who have been bringing their waste paper to the court-house would refrain. The salvage is no longer being picked up, according to the judge, and must be disposed of by the county.

According to Lynn B. Shaw, general manager of the Texas Motor Transportation association, the industry represented in his organization last year contributed heavily toward education of Howard county school children, as well as to maintenance and construction of the highway system. He figured the 5,181 scholastics drew \$18,851, or \$3.60 each. Trucks and buses paid \$22,031 in special taxes that went toward road and highway work in the county. The state yield was 39 millions, a 10 million tax gain, he said.

Senior Play Cast; Rehearsals Begin

When a miscalculation occurs between the head and the heart, that's heart trouble. And when the senior class at high school selects its annual play, tentatively set for April 30, that's "Heart Trouble" too.

Written by Howard Cheney and directed by Mrs. Wiley Curry of the high school faculty, the play has been cast and rehearsals are under way.

Actors and actresses, in the order of their appearance, include: Evelyn Green as Mrs. Grace Morrison; Joe O'Brien as Junior; Mable Smith as Patricia; Melba Dean Anderson as Laura; Grady Kelly as Conrad Tyler; Donald Williams as Fred; Martine Underwood as Lenore Appleby; Don Richards as Tommy Caler; Castle Campbell as Jethro and Anna Clair Waters as Beatrice Tyler.

It is listed as a domestic comedy, and it has all the ingredients of the stage comedy—from a smooth talking lothario, pro at the local golf greens, to the socially ambitious wife and mother. The cure for the heart trouble about which the play centers is drastic, but the results, in both the plot and the production, is worth it.

Gates to the city cemetery are being locked now during nights. Officials reported that livestock had been entering and causing damage.

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Second Student Dies From Airplane Crash CORPUS CHRISTI, April 10. (AP)—Crash of an airplane at Cuddihy naval auxiliary, air station earlier this week claimed its second victim yesterday, aviation student James F. Menges, who was injured seriously in the mishap.

whether ransom demands, originally reported to be \$375,000, had been paid. The paper said Foo had lost weight but otherwise was in good condition. His family refused to see any visitors.

Australia, US Plan Airline Reciprocity HONGKONG, April 10. (AP)—The return to Macao of Foo Tak Yam, the Portuguese colony's millionaire gambling king who was kidnapped from a Buddhist temple two months ago, was reported today by the Hongkong Morning Post. There was no information

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LATE PARAMOUNT NEWS

USES May Ask Survey Of Labor

Service clubs and other organizations may be asked to help conduct a labor survey in Big Spring if results of a similar program now underway in Abilene prove successful, Henry A. Clark, manager of the local USES office said today.

"There are many people, both employers and employees, who still do not realize the purpose of our office," Clark said. "We have plenty of workers listed at present, but employers are not notifying the office when they need help as we would like for them to do."

The Abilene District, which includes Big Spring, already has been declared a critical area for unemployment, and the situation here is serious, Clark said. In Abilene service clubs are canvassing business firms and reporting job openings to their local office. Some work of this type is carried on by regular staff members of the USES here, Clark said, but they are unable to contact all businesses, because the staff is not large enough and they have other duties which require most of their time.

"We already have started referring workers to openings in other towns when we have nothing listed for them here," Clark said. "He pointed out that such procedure is not desirable, however, because some of them are returned veterans who had their homes established here before the war."

"We believe many of these unemployed workers could find jobs right here in Big Spring if the openings were just made known through our office," Clark concluded.

TEN FAT BECOMES TIM FRED LEGALLY

SAN DIEGO, April 10. (AP)—Ten Fat Tom, 35-year-old native of China, became a citizen of the United States in 1945, but his naturalization certificate inadvertently gave his name as 'Tim Fred Tom.'

Now he has petitioned court to sanction the new name, because—says Tom—the A may also listed him as Tim Fred Tom, and he might as well make it legal.

Public Record:

Warranty Deeds
W. F. Heckler et ux to W. C. Heckler, SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 24, Blk. 34, Tsp. 2-N, T&P Surv. 1800.
Dalton P. White et ux to I. C. Campbell, Jr., N 1/2 S 2-S, SE 1/4 Blk. 23, College Hts., #4770.
Rodney K. Rogers et ux to Mrs. Lucy Rogers, tract 12, William B. Curtis Sub-D, SE 1/4, Sec. 42, Blk. 32, T 1-N, T&P Surv. #10.
Joe F. Wood et ux to City of Big Spring, Lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, Blk. 8, Laloma add. \$2,500.
Maxie A. Younger to City of Big Spring, Lot 6, Blk. 12, College Hts. \$1,000.
Ova Mae Edwards to Will P. Edwards, Lots 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, Blk. 7, Laloma add. \$2,500.
W. G. Hayden to Otto J. Peters et ux, Lot 26, Blk. 2, Hayden's addition. \$250.

Building Permits
Nathan Donskey, to remodel store building at 221 Main, \$3,500.
Isidore M. Crug, to move frame house from 504 NW 6th to 601 N. Aylford, \$65.
C. M. Harrell, to build a frame and stucco house at 1003 E. 15th, \$800.
J. A. Harris, to move a frame house from outside city to 908 E. 12th, \$900.

In 70th District Court
Doris Freeman vs. John E. Freeman, suit for divorce.
Erwin Sawyers vs. Royal W. Sawyers, suit for divorce.
Robert O. Morris vs. Lilla M. Morris, suit for divorce.
Juanita Gomez vs. Davis Gomez, suit for divorce.
Bessie M. James vs. W. H. James, suit for divorce.

Marriage Licenses
Nathaniel Lewis and Mrs. Eleanor Clark, Big Spring.
Jesus H. Satelo and Mildred Fuga, Big Spring.
Albert H. Combes and Mrs. Rena Kay Combes, Odessa.
Alex G. Hunziker, Arkansas, and Mrs. Frances Arlene Morey, Coleman.
W. L. Everett, Big Spring, and Peggy Ruth Reynolds, Oklahoma.
Jack Wallace Greaves and Velma Oleta Merrick, Big Spring.
Richard C. Thomas and Mary Clanton, Big Spring.
I. A. Nelson, Big Spring, and Tma Jean Weir, Lamesa.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, April 10 (AP)—(USDA)—Cattle 1,700, calves 500; active, fully steady; Good and low choice beef steers and yearlings 15.50-16.90, common and medium 12.00-15.00. Medium and good cows 11.00-13.50. Good and choice killing calves 14.50-16.00. Common and medium calves 11.00-14.00, good and choice stocker calves and yearlings 14.50-15.75, about two loads mixed steer and heifer calves at new high of 16.25, common and medium stockers 12.00-14.00. Stocker cows 9.00-13.00.
Hogs 1,100, active, steady. Practically all barrows and gilts at ceiling of 14.65, sows 13.90.
Sheep 11,000, active strong to 25 higher. Medium and good spring and old crop woolled lambs 13.50-14.75; top old crop lambs 14.75, choice spring lambs 15.00-15.50, a new high for the season. Good and choice shorn lambs 13.75-14.25, medium and good grades 13.00-75, common and medium and good grades 13.00-75, common and medium clippers 10.50-13.00. Few lots medium and good shorn yearlings 11.50-12.50. Medium and good shorn ewes 7.00-50, recently clipped at 7.00.

Scout Leaders Seek Camp Reservations

Recommendation was made that reservations be sought now for local boy scouts to attend Philmont camps next year, at a meeting of scoutmasters and scout commissioners Tuesday night in the Wesley Memorial Methodist church.

Plans for procedure for the 20th annual round-up to be held here April 25-27 were made, and regular meeting dates were set for the second Tuesday night of each week.

Attending Tuesday night's meeting were George Melear, district commissioner, and J. B. Apple, Elra Phillips and Cecil Nabors, local commissioners; R. C. Crane, Ligon Baird, Stanley Peurifoy, J. C. Caraway, A. G. Hall, Rev. W. L. Porterfield, and H. D. Norris, and Scouts Dan Wood and Sam Thurman, representing troop No. 2.



REV. E. SCHMELZENBACH
Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Schmelzenbach, Nazarene missionaries now on furlough from the Transvaal, South Africa, will hold a service tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Nazarene church at Fourth and Austin streets.

Home for the first time since they went to Africa in 1936, the couple is doing deputation work for the church. The Rev. Schmelzenbach was born in Africa, to a veteran missionary and his wife, and has been in charge of the Bible training school there for two years.

Weather Forecast

DEPT. OF COMMERCE WEATHER BUREAU

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY:
Fair with little change in temperature this afternoon, tonight and Thursday. High today 86, low tonight 55, high tomorrow 86.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy with not much change in temperatures through Thursday.

City	Max.	Min.
Abilene	83	63
Amarillo	75	59
BIG SPRING	87	69
Chicago	42	33
Denver	59	35
El Paso	76	46
Fort Worth	80	50
Galveston	81	72
New York	56	40
St. Louis	58	41

Sunset at 7:15 p. m.; sunrise at 6:22 a. m.

Bostick On Furlough In Luzon Playground

BAGUIO, P. I., April 10 (Sp)—Mall Man Third Class James M. Bostick recently spent an eleven day furlough in Baguio, Luzon, summer capital and playground of the Philippines as a guest of Camp John Hay's recreation center.

MM 3-c Bostick entered the Navy May 29, 1945, from his home in Big Spring, where his father, J. H. Lloyd, resides. After training at San Diego, Calif., MM 3-c Bostick embarked in November for overseas duty in the Philippines. He is now serving with the commander of naval base on Luzon.

WAC's Now Offered Service Overseas

Overseas service is now being offered to enlisted personnel of the Women's Army Corps, according to information funneled through the local US Army recruiting office by the War Department.

Openings are available in the European theater for 600 women in five specialist categories. This applies equally to WAC's who re-enter the service, who will be given the grade which they held at the time of discharge, and to those still in uniform who volunteer to remain beyond their scheduled time of discharge.

All applications for re-entry must be filed in recruiting stations by April 30.

Ex-Aggies To Discuss "Muster Day" Plans

Plans for what promised to be the biggest "muster day" since 1940 will be discussed at a meeting of the Texas A&M club at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the Settles hotel.

The Ex-Aggies organization has set aside April 21 as "muster day" this year. John Johanson, who will be in charge of the discussion tonight, said he was hopeful all former students of the college will participate in the celebration which this year will be dedicated to the Aggies who died in the service of their country in the last war.

Representatives from A&M clubs at Colorado City and Sterling City have been invited to attend tonight's session.

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City Lake To Open Sunday; Fishing, Swimming Banned

The city's Moss Spring Lake area will be open, beginning Sunday, for sightseeing and casual recreation—but the ban on fishing, swimming and boating remains in effect until June 1.

Opening the lake area, which has been closed for five years, was ordered by the new city commission Tuesday evening. Previously, it had been decided to open the waters to fishermen on June 1, and this date will hold, because of a desire to protect the fish during the spawning season.

The padlock comes off the gate this weekend, however, so that groups may take advantage of the lake for outings. The dam will be fenced off, and far reaches of the lake restricted, but a sizeable area on the north boundaries of the lake and around the concession house will be open to the public.

The commission held up for further study a proposal to lease the Powell lake area for grazing purposes. The state health department will be consulted before action is taken. The board did grant a year's grass lease on section 17 to Louis Thompson, who has had that right for the past several years. The rental is 50 cents per acre, with the money going into the park fund.

Passed by the council was a resolution permitting construction, under supervision of the city engineering department, of a barge chute by the Guitjar gin. This chute will be an overhead span across North Main street, to permit transfer of cotton gin waste for burning.

Farmers Make Record Insurance Requests

Lessons learned from last year's lean crop season has brought a record number of requests for 1946 cotton insurance to the Howard county AAA office.

Up until noon today 150 applications had been made for the current coverage, almost three times as many as were accepted a year ago. In 1945, only 54 farmers took out the protection.

Deadline for application is 5 o'clock this afternoon. The office remained open during the noon contrary to policy to register some of the applicants.

Fire In Grocery

Firemen were called to the Morris System grocery at 8:30 Tuesday night to extinguish a small fire on a counter. The fire started from an electric fly spraying apparatus, causing small damage to the counter.

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