

Others Must Help If Band Fund Raised

The band uniform fund made another nice gain Wednesday—but it still is more than \$500 short of the goal, and sponsors of the campaign stressed an appeal for smaller contributions. Although many firms have responded with \$30 contributions—the price of one uniform—subscriptions of this size are too limited to account for the full \$2,400 needed.

Thurman's Shoe Shop was the first to respond to a public appeal for donations of any amount, with a \$5 gift. It is hoped that many others will do likewise, and add their names on the "honor roll."

Those directing the appeal pointed out that no concerted "drive" is being made, but rather a request is made for voluntary response. Those who will assist may call either The Herald office or J. B. Collins, and their gift will be gratefully acknowledged. Promptness will be greatly appreciated.

In addition to the Thurman donation, 14 other firms were added to the list today as \$30 contributors.

Band Director Dan Conley said today that the uniforms will be ordered through a local firm, and a committee will be named to handle the order. He stressed that any Big Spring business house interested in the deal may notify him, and that all bids will be given full consideration. It is hoped that the required \$2,400—for 80 uniforms—will be raised this week, and the order prepared without delay.

The "honor roll" to date:

Thurman's Shoe Shop	\$ 5.00
R. L. Cook	30.00
Hollywood Shoppe	30.00
McEwen Motor Co.	30.00
Wester Oil Co.	30.00
C. L. Rowe	30.00
Will P. Edwards	30.00
Big Spring Rodeo Assn.	30.00
E. V. Spence	30.00
Dr. Pepper Bottling Co.	30.00
Jordan Ptg. Co. and B'Spring Weekly News	30.00
Big Spring Hdw. Co.	30.00
Crawford Hotel	30.00
Dr. E. O. Ellington	30.00
Elmo Wasson	30.00
Lone Star Chevrolet	30.00
Texas Electric Service	30.00
Barrow Furniture	30.00
Albert M. Fisher Co.	30.00
Club Cafe	30.00
Darby's Bakery	30.00
Ritz Theatre	30.00
Lyric Theatre	30.00
Queen Theatre	30.00
Lee Hanson	30.00
Douglass Hotel	30.00
Montgomery Ward	30.00
Empire Southern Serv.	30.00
Malone & Hogan Clinic	30.00
Hospital	30.00
First National Bank (2)	30.00
J. B. Collins Agency	30.00
J. H. Greene	30.00
Burr Store	30.00
Big Spring Motor	30.00
Collins Drug Store	30.00
State National Bank	30.00
Cunningham & Phillips	30.00
Tate and Bristol	30.00
Big Spring Herald	30.00
Band Boosters Club	386.93
Refery Club	100.00
Lions Club	100.00
Kiwanis Club	100.00
Total	\$1,871.93

**LONE STAR GAS CASE BEFORE HIGH COUTH**

AUSTIN, Feb. 21 (AP)—The famous Lone Star Gas case, which has been in the courts nearly seven years, was argued today before the Texas supreme court.

The case had been through Texas district, civil appeals and supreme courts once, thence to the United States supreme court at Washington, then through the Texas civil appeals court a second time.

The question was whether the state railroad commission should be permitted to cut the Lone Star's wholesale rate from 40 to 32 cents per thousand cubic feet. A district court jury here held such a reduction would be confiscatory of property. The Austin court of appeals twice has disagreed.

**DAMAGE SUIT FILED**

C. Loyd filed suit in 70th district court Wednesday against M. O. Hamby, asking damages totaling \$1,000 in connection with a car crash north of here on the Gall road on last Christmas Day.

**INJURIES FATAL**

ALICE, Texas, Feb. 21 (AP)—C. E. (Pete) Jacobs, Alice oil operator, died today of head and body injuries apparently suffered when he was struck by a car on highway 281 Monday.

**Weather**

WEST TEXAS—Fair with increasing high cloudiness tonight and Thursday; warmer Thursday and in south portion tonight.

EAST TEXAS—Generally fair, frost in south portion, temperature 56 to 58 in a.m. and trucking region tonight; Thursday fair, slightly warmer in south portion. Gentle to moderate northwest winds on the coast diminishing tonight.

TEMPERATURES

Tues. Wed.	
p.m. a.m.	
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2	43 35
3	45 31
4	48 28
5	48 25
6	46 23
7	40 20
8	37 17
9	37 15
10	37 15
11	35 15
12	35 15

Sunset today 6:37; sunrise Thursday 7:21.

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**WEATHER**  
FAIR TONIGHT, WARMER THURSDAY.

## Prisoner Admits Joining Woman In Killing Salesman

Young Man's Confession Substantiates That Made By Convict's Wife

WARREN, Ark., Feb. 21 (AP)—Federal agents drew from a 23-year-old prisoner here today a weird story of a crime partnership with a convicted killer's wife that resulted in the hitch-hike slaying of a Houston, Tex., traveling salesman.

E. L. Richmond, agent in charge of the Little Rock Federal Bureau of Investigation, announced that the prisoner, booked as Harold Finnon Burkes, confessed early today to his part in the killing of the salesman, Joseph P. Calloway, near Lake Charles, La., last Wednesday.

Richmond said the confession substantiated one made previously to Louisiana officials by Mrs. Claude D. Henry, 24, Beaumont, Tex., who admitted firing the shot that killed Calloway as he knelt before her and prayed for his life in a rice field near Lake Charles.

Burkes, alias William Lloyd Adams, was arrested here late yesterday by a federal agent, Sheriff C. W. Hickman and Deputy Sheriff Frank Bellin.

Richmond gave the following account of the man's story:

Burkes, using the alias Adams, and Mrs. Henry met at Beaumont, shortly after her husband, Claude "Cowboy" Henry had been sent to Huntsville, Texas, prison to serve a 50-year sentence for the slaying of a San Antonio special officer.

Mrs. Henry wanted him to assist in liberating her husband from the Huntsville prison.

Burkes persuaded the woman an effort to stage a prison delivery would be unsuccessful and the two decided to come to Arkansas, rob a bank and obtain money with which to work for Henry's release.

They were picked up by Calloway on the highway. Later, they locked him in the rumble seat of his car. Near Lake Charles, they decided to take his clothing and leave him nude in a field so he could not quickly spread an alarm.

Richmond quoted Burkes as saying Mrs. Henry marched down the highway through the field at gun point and then told him (Burkes) to go back and start the car so they could make a quick get away. While clambering over a fence he heard a shot, looked back and saw Mrs. Henry running toward him. He told Richmond that when he asked what had happened she responded: "Shut your damn mouth and get going."

The FBI agent said Burkes told him they drove to Camden, Ark., and stayed overnight, planning to rob a bank at nearby Harrell, Ark., the next day. Instead, he left her at a hotel and went to Texarkana where he pawned two revolvers, then went to Arkadelphia and abandoned the car, went to Prescott and sold a watch they had stolen from Calloway, and then came to Warren.

He denied that Mrs. Henry slugged him with a gun butt and Richmond said the man showed no signs of having been struck in the head.

Paul Kitchin, special agent in charge of the FBI office at New Orleans, said Burkes had been charged by the federal government at Shreveport with unlawfully fleeing to Arkansas to avoid arrest and with violating the national motor vehicle theft act by transporting a stolen vehicle (Calloway's automobile) in interstate commerce.

## Her Child 'Too Good To Live'

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 21 (AP)—"She was too good to live."

Thus, says Police Chief Harry Bispham, did an attractive 25-year-old mother explain the slaying of her golden-haired, five-year-old daughter last Monday in a park in nearby Montebello.

Mrs. Betty Hardaker, sought since the body of her eldest child, Betty, was taken with a crushed skull, was found into custody at the desert resort of Palm Springs yesterday afternoon. Last night she was returned to jail here, to face questioning by psychiatrists and determination of formal charges.

Police said they would ask her about a strange religious sect which her husband, Charles Hardaker, 29, informed them she had joined. Officers quoted him as saying:

"She told me that the cult members believe in human sacrifice. She thinks God tells them to kill people."

Dr. Russell M. Gray, Palm Springs physician who treated and questioned her, reported she said she had been "hearing voices" for a year or so. He quoted her:

"I think it's God that has been talking to me, but I can't hear just what the voices say. God did not tell me to kill my child."

## Red Cross Meeting Set Thursday Eve

Annual meeting of the Howard Glasscock chapter of the American Red Cross has been called for 7:15 Thursday evening at the Settles hotel, by Shine Phillips, chapter chairman.

Phillips said new directors and officers will be named, and other important business matters transacted. He urged all directors and everyone else interested in the work of the organization to attend.

C. E. Heaton of Abilene, district representative for the national organization, will attend the meeting, and assist in mapping the new year's work.

## MASONS TO CONFER MASTER DEGREES

Two master degrees will be conferred in ceremonies slated for 7:30 p. m. today in the Masonic hall, W. O. Low, worshipful master of the Staked Plains lodge No. 598 said in urging all members of the organization to attend.

## FACULTY BENEFIT PLAY THURSDAY

High school faculty members will turn back the pages of memory to see how King Sides, assistant superintendent, as the bad boy who eternally earns a spanking; Pearl Butler, the traditional cry baby; W. C. Blankenship, John A. Coffey and many others.

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**ONE DEAD, ONE HURT**

SAN MARCOS, Feb. 21 (AP)—George Grubbs, 30, Temple clothing salesman was injured fatally and Mrs. Emille Parker, San Marcos cafe employe, was hurt in a car-truck collision on highway 21 today. The woman, Grubbs companion in the car, was not injured critically.

# LONG MACHINE IS DEFEATED

## Russians Drive At Mannerheim Line With Two-Way Offensive



CANDIDATE — Harry Hines, member of the highway commission, Tuesday night announced his candidacy for the governorship of Texas. He declared against the sales tax and against "injurious taxation of any group or industry."

## Hines Seeking Governorship

AUSTIN, Feb. 21 (AP)—Harry Hines of Wichita Falls, 56-year-old churchman, oil operator and member of the highway commission, today was before the people as a candidate for the office of governor of Texas.

The courtly, graying former real estate man last night announced his candidacy to the first elective office of his career on a platform including a pledge not to attempt to "out-promise the promoters" and denunciation of the sales tax as a "tax on the poor."

The candidate, who has served on the state and national boards of the Christian church, was the second to announce for the governorship, Rep. Albert L. Derden of Marlin, an anti-sales tax leader in the last legislative session, having thrown his hat in the ring some time ago.

Hines asserted he would not seek votes by playing on ignorance or emotion and called for an end to what he termed "restless confusion in our state government."

He pledged full cooperation with the legislature and stated relief of the needy aged was a legal and christian duty, adding the state must finance its part of the teachers retirement program, provide aid to the adult blind and dependent children, and property care for the insane.

Declaring against injurious taxation of any group or industry, the candidate asserted:

"Industry cannot be expected to give you and me jobs, enlarge its scope of activities and put money into circulation when confidence in the state government is shattered by vote-grabbers who are willing to do anything, say anything and promise anything to be elected."

## POSTOFFICE WILL OBSERVE FEB. 22

Postal service will be all but suspended Thursday in observance of the birth anniversary of George Washington, Postmaster Nat Shick announced here Wednesday.

Only the general delivery window will be open between the hours of 11 a. m. and 11 p. m., there will be no city deliveries, but other mail will be boxed and star route carriers will go out as usual.

Banks will be closed for the day.

## HUNGARIAN VOLUNTEERS

PARIS, Feb. 21 (AP)—One thousand Hungarian volunteers passed through Paris today on their way to fight for Finland and declared that 10,000 more volunteers are making ready to leave Hungary.

## Battle Still Is Critical For Finns

Defenders Report Foes Repulsed In Bitter Fighting

HELSINKI, Feb. 21 (AP) Simultaneous Russian attacks on both ends of the Mannerheim line, throwing two Red army divisions against one sector alone, were repulsed in fighting that lasted far into the night, Finland reported today.

The Red army smashed at the western end of the isthmus defense line and at Taipale, the eastern sector where the two divisions launched their attack.

The twin offensives meant the Russians were trying to break through across nearly the entire width of the isthmus and that the battle still was most critical for Finland.

Finnish hopes were raised by the onset of a swirling blizzard which was expected to balk the Russian drive and further strengthen the defense.

Official Russian claims that the coastal fortress of Koivisto, western anchor of the Mannerheim Line, had been captured, were denied by the semi-official Finnish news agency.

The Finnish command's communique reported 17 Russian planes shot down in yesterday's widespread aerial fighting.

Soviet land attacks, centered on Finland's Mannerheim Line of defenses across the isthmus, continued as Russian warplanes returning for the second successive day caused two air raid alarms in Helsinki. No bombings were reported.

An attack by two Russian divisions, strongly supported by artillery and aircraft, was said to have been repulsed at Taipale on the eastern sector of the isthmus front as was continued hammering at the front's western end.

Enemy losses were described as heavy at Taipale where Finns said "the fighting raged fiercely until late at night."

Northeast of Lake Ladoga, 50 miles from the isthmus front, there was relative quiet, on the sector where Finland two days ago reported wiping out a Russian division, but "a few enemy strong points were captured."

Finnish planes scouted behind the soviet lines and bombed Russian encampments during a day which saw extensive aerial activity extending into the night.

## Soviets Bomb Swedish Town

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 21 (AP)—Seven Russian bombing planes today showered between 30 and 40 bombs on the Swedish frontier village of Pajala, setting many buildings afire but causing no casualties, dispatches from the border region reported.

The raiders descended to 3,000 feet before unloading their bomb cargo.

Although the bombing was generally regarded in Stockholm as accidental it added new complications to Sweden's difficulties over the matter of aid to Finland.

It was expected to bring a sharp protest to Moscow and further stimulate the Swedish "activist" campaign for direct military help to the embattled Finns.

The Stockholm newspaper Aftonbladet said half the town was burning.

The terrified inhabitants had brief warning of the approaching planes from the village of Kenigs, which is closer to the frontier.

## Court Says Change Must Be Made In Eastex Proration

Permanent Injunction Will Result Unless Production Schedule Altered

AUSTIN, Feb. 21 (AP)—A three-judge federal court indicated today it would enjoin permanently the railroad commission's method of prorating oil production in the vast East Texas field unless the commission altered its production schedule in such a way as to give more oil to wells in the fairway or center of the pool.

Circuit Judge Samuel H. Sibley of Atlanta said a decree would not be entered, however, until the commission had determined its future course.

The court's "conclusion" was given in the cases of Humble Oil & Refining company and Rowan & Nichols of Fort Worth, operators in the big pool.

Judge Sibley said the commission could change its method of prorating the East Texas flow, if it chooses. If the regulatory body appeals the case the decrees will be entered, he added.

The jurist said judgment would not be entered at this time because it would disrupt the field.

He granted the commission 10 days in which to make a decision and indicated an additional 30 days would be given if commissioners decided to call a public hearing prior to revamping East Texas proration.

Judge Sibley said the court found nothing wrong with the portion of the East Texas schedule which allocates a field allowable of 690,000 barrels basic production.

The principal inequity, he said, was that three-fourths of the top allowable was distributed without consideration of individual well capacity and the reserves under each producer. Because of diverse drilling density in the gigantic field the method of distribution is unreasonable, he added.

The current method of distributing production in East Texas is to assign all non-marginal wells a 20-barrel minimum, thus accounting for about three-fourths of the field's schedule. The remaining one-fourth is assigned by a formula which considers well acreage, sand thickness, bottomhole pressure and potential.

"The reason for distributing three-fourths on a per well basis is not precisely disclosed," Judge Sibley said.

The court denied an injunction in the case of F. W. Fischer of Tyler, a third operator who attacked East Texas proration but on different lines from the Humble and Rowan & Nichols suits.

The judge said no irreparable damage had been shown in the Fischer case whereas it had in the case of the other plaintiffs.

## Magician Here For Second Show Tonight

Regarded as one of the most outstanding magicians now appearing on the stage, Birch, master of magic feats, is in Big Spring today for performances given for the benefit of the band uniform fund.

The first show was presented at the high school auditorium at 8:30 p. m., and another is scheduled there for tonight at 8:15.

Carrying elaborate equipment, Birch performs such famous feats as the Hindu rope trick, the vanishing pony act, and the box escape. He presents a varied and dazzling array of thrilling illusions and demonstrations of the magic art.

## COAL SHORTAGE

LONDON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain admitted today that a serious coal shortage was causing widespread suffering on the British Isles but said the government was taking immediate measures to prevent a recurrence.

## Civic Topics Are Discussed

Discussion of several important topics, including the staging of city-wide Dollar Day, combining charity agencies to stage one drive for solicitation of funds to carry on the work, paying fraternal membership campaign, trade extension activities, civic beautification program, and others, occupied the attention of approximately 50 members of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce at its monthly smoker held from the Settles hotel Tuesday evening. There were several out-of-town visitors present.

President Ted O. Grobel presided, with J. H. Greene, introducing visitors. The Marshall quartet of Loraine favored with several selections.

J. P. Kenney, chairman of the membership committee, outlined plans for his group for the year, stating that a continuous membership drive would be maintained throughout the year, instead of one campaign at the beginning of the year. He asked for suggestions from the membership for any other plans that might assist his committee in carrying on the program.

Derrell Douglas, chairman of the good-will and trade extension committee, spoke briefly on the proposed "Dollar Day" event, to be held monthly in Big Spring. He said a meeting of his committee was to be held in a few days to work out the details of this program. Others spoke in behalf of such a campaign.

Edmund Nostesina, chairman of beautification committee, outlined plans for his committee. He was followed by W. B. Ross, who heartily endorsed the tree planting campaign.

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## Sam Jones In The Lead By 20,000 Votes

Huey's Dynasty Swept Aside After Reign Of Twelve Years

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 21 (AP)—The Huey P. Long political dynasty, born of 12 years of dictatorial violence, died peacefully by ballot yesterday after one of the longest and bitterest election campaigns in Louisiana's history.

To "Restore Democracy" Voters in the democratic gubernatorial runoff primary swept to defeat Governor Earl K. Long, brother of the "Kingfish" and titular leader of the machine, and nominated Attorney Sam Jones of Lake Charles to the office.

Jones, a newcomer to politics, pledged himself to restore democracy to Louisiana, regain much of the millions of dollars he said administration office holders stole from the state, and jail those found

guilty of graft and corruption. The machine rout appeared complete with Jones' slate of secondary state officers, engaged in the runoff, going in without a break, together with a new anti-machine legislature, and possibly an anti-machine state central committee.

Unofficial returns from 1988 of the state's 1,703 precincts gave Jones 258,816 votes and Long 238,692, a lead of 20,124 votes for Jones.

Nomination in overwhelmingly democratic Louisiana is tantamount to election. Jones will take office May 14.

It was the first time since 1925, when Huey himself was elected governor, that the Long administration had been whipped.

The martial air, characteristic of the Long rule, prevailed yesterday as the governor kept the state's 3,500 national guardsmen poised for duty but, aside from several fist fights, there were few disturbances.

Jones early today accepted the victory plaudits of his supporters with the advice that "the job is not yet done."

Particular interest was manifested in the attorney-generalship. Apparent winner was Eugene Stanley, former district attorney of New Orleans who resigned when Huey's servile legislature passed laws which stripped the district attorney of power. Stanley has promised prosecution of all office holders guilty of venality.

When Huey was shot and killed in the skyscraper capitol in Baton Rouge in September, 1935, he had built the first complete dictatorship ever set up in the United States.

Unchallenged in Louisiana, he was sweeping to power in the nation and throwing fright into the major political parties with a threat to seek the presidency on his "share-the-wealth" platform, when a bullet ended his life.

When he died, the underlings he had raised to high positions became his heirs and, with unlimited power and no accomplished leader, went on a spending spree.

That precipitated the political scandals of the past eight months in which former Governor Richard W. Leche and many other administration leaders were indicted by federal and state grand juries, striking the first effective blow at the dictatorship.

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Coahoma Young People Have A Washington Party

Methodist Group Entertained At Legion Hall

COAHOMA, Feb. 21 (Sp)—Sixty Coahoma young people assembled at the American Legion hall Tuesday evening when the Methodist young people entertained with a George Washington program followed by a social.

"America" was sung by the group and Norma Turner gave the welcome address. Mary Jo Barton gave the response.

J. C. Tonn told of the life of George Washington and a girls quartet composed of Velma Ruth Woodson, Charlotte Little, Louise Whitaker and Emma Lee Turner sang. Games were directed by Smith Cochran.

Individual cherry pies topped with whipped cream, and hot chocolate was served. Others present were Mary Nixon, Bertha Leo Tonn, Louise Jo Barton, Evelyn Joyner, Vada Bell Dunn, Futhie Woodson, J. W. Petty, Floyd Kiser, Fred Trotter, Jean Young, Buddy Young, Jack Graham.

Lelton Dunn, Nell Reta Barton, Freddie Tycer, Alma Res Rowe, Mae Ruth Reid, Hezlie Read, Johnnie Landers, Edmond Nixon, Amy Lee Echols, Jack Trotter, Billy Gay, Alice Faye Dorsey, Lorena Nixon, Earlene Reid, Jo Dell Haley.

Betty Lou Loveless, Freda Jo Bond, Mildred Carter, Evelyn Monroey, Ruby Lee Wheat, Marie Warren, Gwendolyn Moroney, Earl Bond, Norma Turner, Garner Phillips, Clifford Lytle, Bessie Lee Coffman, Jim Turner, Cattie Wheeler, Tolle Hale, James Hester, Amy Mae Futch, Mary Wason, C. A. Fuqua and P. D. Kerman.

Mrs. G. L. Monroey, Mrs. Vivian Dorsey, Mrs. N. W. Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. De Vane, and the Rev. J. W. Price.

Coahoma School Has A Founder's Day Program

COAHOMA, Feb. 21 (Sp)—The Coahoma Parent-Teacher Association met Tuesday with a large number present for "Founder's Day." A candlelighting service was held and Mrs. Carl Bates, Zoe Weeks, Mrs. Aubrey Granfill, Oleta Hoodson, Mrs. George Whitaker, Reta Watson and Mrs. Vivian Dorsey took part. Betty Graves gave a reading.

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BEAUTY AND THE BOBER—She is a past master with the lariat—Miss Margaret Owens, 17, of Ozona, who will represent the Southwestern sheep and goat country at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, March 8-17. Miss Owens is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Owens, well known ranch family.

Central Ward Study Group Finishes Its Twelfth Lesson

The twelfth lesson in the study course was finished by the Central Ward Study group Tuesday as members met at the administration building but it was voted to hold three more meetings for those who had missed some of the lessons.

Mrs. L. D. Jenkins talked on "Who is Eves" and pointed out that a child has to be taught independence but still must be shown how to cooperate with family life and how to live within the family circle.

Mrs. O. B. Patton discussed "Must Children Obey" and told that a child should be taught obedience when he is very young so that when he becomes an adolescent he will have the desire and habit of obeying. She also said that a child must be considered as an individual and when he wants to do something, the parent should find out his reason for wanting it and then act accordingly.

Others present were Mrs. Edmund Notestine, Mrs. Pascal Buckner, Mrs. R. V. Middleton, Mrs. E. J. Brooks, Mrs. H. C. Hamilton, Mrs. H. E. Howie, Mrs. Burt Trice.

B & P W Club Discusses New Members And Plans For State Convention

Prospective members were discussed and voted on by the Business and Professional Women's club when it met Tuesday at the chamber of commerce.

The club also voted to give \$5 to the band uniform fund. Means of raising funds for the delegates to be sent to state convention in June were discussed.

The group voted to charge 10 cents for members coming late and 50 cents for not appearing on a scheduled program.

Postpones Founder's Day Meet To Feb. 29

Central Ward P-T.A. has postponed its Thursday meeting until February 29th at 7:30 o'clock for a Founder's Day program.

Daily Calendar Of Week's Events

WEDNESDAY CHORAL CEUR will meet at 7:45 o'clock at the Methodist church. THURSDAY ROYAL NEIGHBORS will meet at 2 o'clock at the W.O.W. Hall. COLONIAL SILVER TEA will be held from 3 o'clock to 5 o'clock in the home of Mrs. H. G. Keaton, 416 Dallas, by the First Methodist Junior department. FRIDAY LADIES GOLF ASSN. will meet at 12:30 o'clock at the Country Club for luncheon. MODERN WOMAN'S FORUM will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Cecil Collings, 806 Lancaster. WOODMEN CIRCLE will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the W.O.W. Hall. SATURDAY 1930 HYPERION CLUB will meet at 1 o'clock at the Monterey Cafe for luncheon and a meeting will be held later in the home of Mrs. R. V. Middleton, 1206 Runnels.

Clues Are Where You Find Them In Country Club Treasure Hunt

Clues will be where you find them Saturday night when the Country Club begins its Treasure Hunt that is due to wind up at 12 o'clock at the clubhouse.

The affair is given for members of the club and is to begin at 8:30 o'clock when instructions will be given. The hunt is to start at 9:15 o'clock and at 12 o'clock coffee and sandwiches will be served for the group by the entertainment committee.

A prize is to be awarded the winner of the treasure hunt. For those who can't find the first clue, a group will be stationed at the clubhouse to give them the clue in order to keep them in the hunt.

Christian Class Has Benefit Bridge And Forty-Two Party

Mrs. Willard Sullivan, Mrs. Doug Perry and Miss Anne Martin were co-hostesses for a benefit bridge and forty-two party held Tuesday evening in the Sullivan home for the First Christian Blue Bonnet.

High score went to Mrs. B. Housewright and low to Mrs. H. E. Clay in the bridge games and Mrs. B. N. Ralph won high score and Mrs. Ida Collins won consolation prize in forty-two.

A George Washington theme was used and favors were red gum drops holding small silk American flags. Refreshments were served. The class realized \$8 from the benefit party. Others who attended were Mrs. Jack Johnson, Jim Allen, Mrs. Gene Wilson, Pauline Schubert, Mr. and Mrs. Perry, W. H. Summerlin.

Mrs. J. F. Jennings, Mrs. C. E. Bunce, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. James Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dunn, Allyn Bunker, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shaw.

R. L. Beale Talks Before Garden Club On Pruning Methods

A demonstration on pruning and a talk on the best methods of pruning were given by R. L. Beale for the Garden club Tuesday as members met in the home of Mrs. Robert Stripling.

Mrs. R. E. Satterwhite told of designs for the flower garden and Mrs. Harry Stalcup discussed "New Roses."

A short business session was held with Mrs. Beale presiding. Others present were Mrs. B. T. Cardwell, Mrs. George Garrette, Mrs. Ben Hogue, Mrs. W. W. McCormick, Mrs. L. S. McDowell, Mrs. C. L. Roden, Mrs. H. P. Steck, Mrs. W. P. Sullivan, Mrs. Preston R. Sanders, Mrs. D. W. Webber, Mrs. Cliff Wiley.

Five Visitors From Knott Attend Cactus Rebekah Lodge Meet

Five visitors from Knott Rebekah Lodge met Tuesday night at the W. O. W. Hall. Mrs. Gladys Judd presided at the meeting.

The guests were Mrs. Amanda Hughes, Mrs. Winifred Wood, Mrs. Lola Myers, Mrs. Cleo Bayes, Mrs. Willie McClain.

Two Are Hostesses To The Los Troubadores Club Tuesday Evening

Evelyn Lawrence and Winnell Fisher were co-hostesses to the Los Troubadores club when it met Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Lawrence.

Miss Fischer discussed the importance of correct stage costumes and a quiz on actors was given with Bill Graves winning the high score.

Games of forty-two were played and refreshments of cherry tart and punch were served. Miniature hatchets were given as favors.

Others present were Euna Lee Long, Georgia Griffin, Ann Griffin, Robbie Elder, Jack Stiff, and a guest, Bob Dabney.

Parish Council Studies Five Weeks of Lent

The first lesson in five weeks of Lent taken from "Church Liturgy" was studied by the St. Thomas Catholic Parish Council as it met Tuesday evening at the rectory.

A fruit sale for March 9th was planned. Others present were Mrs. W. D. Willbanks, Mrs. Charles Pines, Mrs. J. M. Morgan, Mrs. Joe Boudle, Mrs. W. E. McClain, Mrs. L. D. Jenkins and Father Paul Halley.

Welfare Worker To Give Report To Council

Meeting To Be Held Thursday At 3 O'Clock

Members of the Welfare Committee and representatives from various organizations met Tuesday at the Settles hotel to hear Miss Lydia Calge, welfare worker, explain her work and methods of operating for child welfare.

Miss Calge, who was asked to make a survey here for the Council of Women, will make her report to the group on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Episcopal parish house.

Her survey is about the conditions among the children here with regard to establishing a welfare unit with a worker in charge, a measure that the Council has been backing.

All those interested in child welfare work are invited to the Thursday meeting when the council will take action on Miss Calge's report.

Easy Ace Club Gives Farewell Gift To Mrs. J. Hodges, Jr.

A farewell gift was presented Mrs. Jack Hodges, Jr., by the Easy Ace club when members met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. R. P. Rinehart with Mrs. C. H. White as hostess.

Mrs. Hodges is leaving for Odessa soon where the family will make their home.

Mrs. George Tillinghast was also given a shower. High score went to Mrs. Ray Shaw and second high to Mrs. Hodges. Mrs. Cecil Snodgrass binged.

Red, white and blue were the chosen colors and used in the table appointments and prizes. A salad and dessert course was served with small flags as favors.

Mrs. Rinehart is to be present next meeting as a new member. Others present were Mrs. B. Housewright, Mrs. J. F. Plangman and Mrs. James Wilcox, who is to be next hostess.

Mrs. Berlesford New Member Of 1940 Sewing Club

Mrs. Bassett Berlesford was present as a new member of the 1940 Sewing club when members met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. E. M. Callahan.

Mrs. S. J. Adkins was included as a guest. The group sewed and Mrs. Bill Croan is to be next hostess at a forty-two party.

Cherry pie and coffee were served and others present were Mrs. S. Orr, Mrs. Crown, Mrs. Marvin Wood, Mrs. Grady Jones, Mrs. H. C. McKinley, Mrs. Loy Thompson, Mrs. J. F. Moore, Mrs. R. V. Foresyth, Mrs. P. Bradley.

Mrs. Wilkinson Is Leader For West Ward Study Group

Mrs. Bart Wilkinson was leader on the subject, "Understanding the Adolescent Child" for the West Ward P-T.A. Study group meeting held Tuesday morning at the school.

Mrs. Wilkinson pointed out that growing children need parents who grow with them. "It is not the adolescent who has changed," she said, "but that new conditions have brought for him and his parents new and perplexing problems."

Mrs. C. R. Moad is to be leader next Tuesday on the subject, "The Play Life of Children."

Registering were Mrs. W. S. Middleton, Mrs. L. G. Brady, Mrs. Buel Fox, Mrs. W. W. McCormick, Mrs. Cal J. Watt, Mrs. C. R. Moad, Mrs. Della K. Agnell, Mrs. Gould Winn, Mrs. Randall Pickle and Mrs. Wilkinson.

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Washington's Birthday Party Is Given For Tuesday Dinner Club

A cherry tree centered the dining table and red tapers in blue holders were on either side to set the theme for the Tuesday Dinner Bridge club as it met last night at the Settles hotel with Mrs. Ruth Staba as hostess.

Baskets filled with candy were placecards and favors were fortunes for the members. Mrs. R. L. Beale, a guest, won high score and Mrs. E. M. McKinney won second high score. Mrs. Fred Mitchell binged. Mrs. L. E. Marchbanks was also present as a guest.

Mrs. W. H. Summerlin sent in her resignation as a member. Others present were Mrs. George Crosthwait, Mrs. Jim Zack, Emily Bradley, Mrs. Harold Steck, Mrs. Henry Covert, Edith Gay and Katie Gilmore. Mrs. Steck is to be next hostess.

Rebekahs To Attend Party Given By The Odd Fellows

The Green team won over the Pink team by 29 points in the attendance contest held by Rebekah lodge 284 Tuesday evening at the I.O.O.F. Hall. The Rebekahs received an invitation from the Odd Fellows to attend their Thursday night Washington's party at the I.O.O.F. Hall.

Present were Mrs. Dorothy Pike, Mrs. Odessa Pressley, Mrs. Viola Robinson, Miss Chloie Stuteville, Mrs. Ruthie Wilson, Mrs. Evis Pond, Mrs. Josie McDaniel, Mrs. Dollie Mann, Mrs. Julia Wilkerson, Mrs. Ora Martin.

Mrs. Nova Ballard, Mrs. Mabel Glenn, Mrs. Faye Martin, Mrs. Alma Crenshaw, Mrs. Della Herring, Mrs. Eula Robinson, Mrs. Hazel Lamar, Ben Miller.

Teen Age Children Are Discussed By Group At College Heights

Teen age children and their social life was discussed under the topic "Saturday-Sunday," by Mrs. Garner McAdams for the College Heights and South Ward study group that met at the College Heights school Tuesday.

Mrs. McAdams discussed dating for the teen aged children and how to guide the young people.

Two new members included Mrs. J. D. Hall, Jr., and Mrs. M. E. Anderson. Others present were Mrs. W. S. Satterwhite, Mrs. W. B. Younger, Mrs. R. L. Gomillion, Mrs. Alton Underwood, Mrs. Aultman Smith, Mrs. B. J. McDaniel.

Central Ward P-T A To Serve Lunch At School Tuesday

School children of Central Ward school will be served luncheon Tuesday by the members of the P-T.A. and parents are urged to let their children eat at the school.

Mrs. Thurman Gives Luncheon For Mrs. Homer McNew

Mrs. Ira Thurman compliments Mrs. Homer McNew of San Antonio with a Mexican luncheon in her home Tuesday at 1 o'clock and included a few old time friends of the honoree.

Luncheon guests included Mrs. Robert Piner, Mrs. Rhine Phillips, Mrs. W. W. Inkman, Mrs. Beth Parsons and Mrs. V. H. Frewell. Calling in the afternoon were Mrs. R. Richardson, Mrs. J. D. Bites and Mrs. Ebb Hatch.

Study Club Talks About Second Half of Lent

Members of the Queen of Peace study club turned their attention Monday afternoon in their second meeting to considering the second half of Lent.

The meeting was held at the home of Margaret and Teresa Perry and the next session will be with Mary Ellen Tucker. Attending were Doris Boudle, Paul Corcoran, Pat McCarty, Rose Bernice Million, Teresa and Margaret Perry, Ghaslie Reedy, Mary Ellen Tucker, Leola Vines, Mary Margaret Williams, Ollie Lea and the Rev. Father Joseph Dwan, pastor of the St. Thomas Catholic church.

Somebody is always holding people up to other people and saying, "Why can't you be like so and so?" And G. Washington is one man who has held the lead for many years. Of course, we never cut down a cherry tree so we can't tell how we would feel about that but we've been owing up to mistakes with fair regularity but without very good results.

Nobody puts us on the head when we tell the truth. Instead, they just snarl and say, "so you are the one, huh!" It may be our lack of technique but the results have always been disappointing.

George, we are told, just took a deep breath and said, "Yes, father, I cannot tell a lie, I cut down the trees." Well, when we take a deep breath and say, "Yes, we are the guilty party" we get just what the cherry tree got and in the neck.

Maybe there is something in that "good old days" stuff after all and we were just born too late.

However, we don't mean to be cynical or even sinister because we are laying private bets that we won't get to be president anyhow. In fact we couldn't hold the job. We can't fish, are tongue-tied in a crowd and have yet to be diplomatic at the right time.

Beta Sigma Phi Names Nominating Committee

A nominating committee of Mrs. S. R. Whaley, Dorothy Le Fevre and Elizabeth Northington was appointed by Beta Sigma Phi Sorority when it met Tuesday in the home of Marguerette Alderson.

The International Convention to be held in Kansas City, Mo., in 1941 was also discussed.

The subject was "Her Own Room" and Miss Alderson talked on "Composing pictures with furniture." Ann Zafarioneta told of the use of color and Dorothy Le Fevre discussed, "Chiaroscuro." Art examples were exhibited by La Fern Dehlinger. Others present were Mrs. Ben Le Fevre and Mrs. Dave Eastbourne.

Homemaker's Class To Meet Thursday Here

First Christian Homemakers' class will meet at 2:30 o'clock Thursday with Mrs. G. W. Dabney, 806 Runnels.

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### Civic Topics

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...aign as sponsored by the cham-ber of commerce, promising his full support.

...E. LeFevre urged the mem-ber-ship to lend their support to the newly organized Permian Basin association, which had in its pro-gram vital matters pertaining to the oil industry of this section. He called special attention to the meeting here next month of the local committee of this association.

...E. LeDeason pointed out the value of the work of a chamber of commerce, and said it deserved better support from the citizen-ship. He urged all to take part in the coming elections, and to send to office the men who stood for progress.

...Dr. Frank Boyle began a dis-cussion on combining charity of the city to launch one drive for funds, instead of staging sep-arate drives, and establishing one agency for the dispensing of charity relief. He was followed by Shine Phillips, chairman of the Red Cross chapter of this county, who pointed out the many disadvantages and handi-caps his organization was work-ing under in administering re-lief. He heartily favored the es-tablishment of one agency to handle relief matters, citing in detail the advantages one agency would have in handling relief, and eliminating the necessity of staging so many drives for funds.

...Dr. E. O. Ellington made a few remarks, telling the members the difference in the city as it existed today—as compared to the time thirty-one years ago when he first came here. "The chamber of com-merce has always accomplished a great deal here—and there is yet much more to do, and the mem-bers of today have more opportuni-ties than before."

...C. S. Blomsheld favored the es-tablishment of an agency to handle relief, and told of the Community Chest drive, of which he was chair-man, held in this city in 1930. "There were many problems to solve then, and I know there are many to solve now—many with difficulty. It will be a hard task, but it is one that should be solved."

...L. P. McCasland, state patrol-man, addressed the meeting, and voiced his thanks to the cham-ber of commerce for their assistance in sending him to the National Pistol Shooting meeting in Florida last year, at which he captured 87 medals, many trophies and prizes for his shooting. He explained the value of representation at such a meeting, and stated that the American Legion post of Big Spring was



**THIS'LL TEACH HIM**—Booked on charges of disorderly conduct after he'd disrupted the Fell public school in Philadelphia, this goat (first name unknown) got five days in jail, much to the sorrow of House Sgt. Herman Phillips.

...sending him to represent Big Spring again this year. He was accompanied to Florida last year for the meet by Jess Woody of Stanton. The meeting went on record as favoring the local chamber sending Mr. Woody to Florida again this year as a teammate of McCasland, to compete in the shooting contests, to represent Big Spring.

...Jim Winslow, county commis-sioner, told of the county's partici-pation in relief matters, and was followed by Boyd McDaniel, city engineer, who spoke briefly on the city paving program.

#### JUDGMENT ENTERED IN DAMAGE SUIT

Agreed judgment totaling \$250 was entered in a damage suit filed in county court Tuesday afternoon before County Judge Charles Sullivan.

E. D. McDowell agreed to pay damages of \$200 to Clara Royce McAllen, minor child, for injuries received as a result of a mishap which happened near where Clara was playing, and \$50 to John McAllen for medical expenses.

#### JAILED HERE

Frank Cooper, wanted in California for postoffice robbery, was quartered in the Howard county jail Tuesday night. Federal officers were taking him from Okla-homa, where he was captured, to the west coast for trial.

### Choral Group To Offer Pageant Monday Night

In what promises to be the most elaborate program ever presented by the choral section of the Music Study club, the "Pageant of the Seasons" will be offered at the municipal auditorium at 8 p. m. Monday.

Settings befitting the four seasons of the year are being prepared by Mrs. Virgil Smith, and Mrs. G. C. Schurman, director of the choral unit, is blending some of the town's best voices in approxi-mately 40 songs to match the sea-sonal settings. Mrs. J. H. Kirk-patrick will be at the piano.

"The program is free to the pub-lic and is being offered, as are music club programs of this sort, in the interest of cultural improve-ment of the community. Music and background for the production, accordi-ly, to those who have heard and seen both, are among the most pretentious yet un-dertaken by the club.

#### DAUGHTER BORN

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Queen, 1501 East Fifteenth street, at the Malone & Hogan Clinic-Hospital, a daughter, Wednesday morning. Mother and child are do-ing well.

### MARKETS

#### Wall Street

NEW YORK, Feb. 21. (AP)—Stock prices slipped fractions today under intermittent selling pressure, but erased some of the larger losses before the final bell.

Despite the decline, however, selected issues increased yesterday's gains and the average level seemed only slightly off toward the close. About 750,000 shares were exchanged.

#### Livestock

##### FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH, Feb. 21 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle salable 1,400; total 1,800; calves salable 1,100; total 1,200; bulk beef steers and yearlings 7.00-8.50; few sales above 8.50; several lots club yearlings 9.00-10.00; common steers and yearlings largely 6.00-7.00; load good fed heifers 8.50; most beef cows 4.50-6.00; odd head above 6.00; bulls 6.00 down; slaughter calves 5.50-8.00; choice to 8.50; top veal-ers 9.50; stock steer calves up to 9.75; stock heifer calves 8.75; year-ling stock steers 8.25.

Hogs salable 1,300; total 1,400; packer top 5.25; good and choice 1.75-2.75 lbs. 5.20-5.40; packing sows 4.00-4.50.

Sheep salable and total 1,500; woolled fat lambs mostly 5.25-8.25; good 4-H club lambs 8.75; fall shorn lambs 7.75 with yearlings out at 7.00; good fresh shorn lambs 7.25; shorn aged wethers 3.75; woolled ewes to yrd dealers 4.50; woolled feeder lambs 7.25 down.

#### Cotton

##### NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 21 (AP)—Cot-ton futures closed two lower to one higher:

	Open	High	Low	Last
Old contract:				
Feb. ....	11.04	11.05	11.01	11.03-04
May ....	10.77	10.79	10.75	10.77
July ....	10.36	10.38	10.35	10.38
New contract:				
Feb. ....	11.15	11.16	11.16	11.17N
May ....	10.52	10.52	10.52	10.51N
July ....	9.72	9.74	9.71	9.71
Oct. ....	9.60	9.62	9.60	9.60
Jan. ....	9.57	9.60	9.57	9.57N
Middling spot (7-8 inch-11.18N.				

#### ELKS MEETING IS SLATED THURSDAY

Members of the Elks lodge were reminded today of the regu-lar meeting Thursday evening when important business will be discussed and initiation rituals ef-fected.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Parsons have as their guest his mother, Mrs. Joseph G. Parsons of Crookston, Minn. The elder Mrs. Parsons will remain here until spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rix and son, Lewis, Jr., returned Tuesday eve-ning from Lubbock where the baby had undergone treatment.



'LEAP YEAR' IN DOGDOM—Played by two grey-hounds, Belgrave Prince (on top) and Sawtry, this must be "leap dog" instead of "leap frog." The pair was racing at Wembley stadium, London, before thrilled dog-race fans.

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#### BECOMES AGENT FOR INSURANCE COMPANY

Edward T. Smith, former night clerk at the Douglass hotel, has resigned his position and has been appointed general agent for the State Reserve Life Insurance com-pany, with headquarters in Big Spring. Mr. Smith will remain in Big Spring to make his residence. Eugene F. Harris of Plainview, agency organizer, was in Big Spring Wednesday to confer with Mr. Smith.

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#### Public Records

Building Permits  
R. W. Foster estate to move a house to 1221 W. 3rd street from 1107 W. 3rd street, cost \$100.  
R. F. Wills to reroof residence at 200 Nolan street, cost \$255.

In the 70th District Court  
City of Big Spring versus Barbara Bauer, et al, partition.  
Lois Smallwood versus Roy Smallwood, suit for divorce.  
C. Loyd versus M. O. Hamby, suit for damages.

#### TRUCKERS PAY FINES

An even dozen truckers paraded into justice court here Tuesday for infractions of the railroad commis-sion rules.  
Eleven of them paid fines of \$14 each for overloading and one a similar amount for having no registration papers.

#### Colonial Silver Tea To Be Thursday In H. G. Keaton Home

A Colonial Silver Tea will be held from 3 o'clock to 5 o'clock Thurs-day afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. G. Keaton, 416 Dallas, sponsored by the junior department of the First Methodist church.

Members of the houseparty are to be dressed in Colonial costume and a program has been planned. Funds are to be used to buy chairs for the junior department of the church.  
The program will include a vocal duet by Helen Blount and Marilyn Keaton, accompanied by Jean Ellen Chowns and Betty Alice Nobles will also give a vocal solo.  
Jimmy Hardy will sing several cowboy songs and a musical reading in to be given by Gloria Brown. Richard Stripling will give a read-ing and Anna Claire Watson will play the guitar.  
Thelma Joyce McIntosh is to play several accordion solos and Mary Nell Cook will play a piano solo. Emma Jean Tucker will also have a reading.  
The public is invited to attend the affair.

#### Joe Birdwell Given Party On His 10th Birthday Tuesday

Joe Birdwell was complimented on his tenth birthday anniversary Tuesday evening with a dinner party in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Birdwell.  
Hours were from 5 o'clock to 7 o'clock. Games were played with Eugene Blocker winning the prize. A George Washington theme was used with hatchets given as favors.  
Pictures of the party were taken by Mrs. Birdwell. Others present were Billy Bob Watson, Keith Har-froye, La Verne Cochran, Wanda Sue Patton, Harold Glen Jones, Billie Jean Younger, Callie McNew, Charlene Kelsey, Emma Jeanne Slaughter.

#### BABY IN HOSPITAL

Baby Margaret Barnard, daugh-ter of Mr. and Mrs. Pinkney Bar-nard, residing on route 1, Big Spring, was admitted to the Big Spring hospital Wednesday morn-ing for medical treatment.

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The Sales Tax Issue

It becomes increasingly apparent that the sales tax will be a paramount issue before the voters of Texas this year, perhaps one to be settled definitely in the democratic primaries.

Some developments would lead you to believe the old-age pension problem and kindred social security matters are the issues. Indeed they are, in a sense, but, boiled down the crux of those problems is the financing. Texans already have voted age pensions, aid to dependent children, teacher retirement, and aid to the needy blind, and there remains the question of meeting the cost.

Harry Hines, member of the Texas highway commission for the past five years, becomes the first major public figure to enter the gubernatorial contest. He did so with an announcement Tuesday night, an announcement that stressed raising of money to meet social security obligations, and also one that stressed opposition to the sales tax.

Hines, viewing the sales levy as do so many others, termed it a tax on poverty. We believe there will be other candidates who will take the same stand.

All speculation to the contrary, it appears from this distance that W. Lee O'Daniel will be a candidate for re-election. We believe he will want to go ahead another term, seeking to establish whatever program he has in mind, or to overcome any deficiencies that have accumulated during his first administration.

O'Daniel is on record as a staunch advocate of the sales tax. He can be expected to take the stump for such a method of financing social security as he campaigns this summer.

On this premise, we have one major candidate urging the sales tax. Already there is one who opposes it, and we think there will be others. It is a natural trend of politics that all others seek the governor's chair will train their guns on O'Daniel. He is the incumbent, the man to be defeated. So you can expect to hear the sales-tax and anti-sales-tax forces making plenty of noise during the next few months.

There are other important issues in the deciding of a governor's race, of course. But developments are putting the sales tax in the spotlight; and the voter ought to begin studying that particular issue, and determine what course he wants this state to pursue in its finance program.

George Tucker

Man About Manhattan

NEW YORK—Writing a daily informal New York column can be a lot of fun at times, and it can also be a lot of grief.

After you do it for a while you find yourself leading an irregular life, because history on Broadway is usually made at night, and you can't talk to people unless you measure your playtime by theirs—which means crazy hours and almost never going to bed before 3 or 4 a. m.

Most Broadway columnists simply invert their work-day and let it go at that. They make regular rounds of the gathering places, with pad and pencil, and all their nights are spent in theaters, bars, and clubs.

Maybe I'm not geared for it or maybe I should have been an engineer, but a couple of nights a week chasing around is enough for me. Perhaps this is a subconscious way of making excuses for myself, but I have always felt that people with much imagination couldn't sit in stuffy rooms night after night, weekend-month out, listening to the same old blare, going through the same old motions.

I like to drop into a few places, say three or four in an evening, and let somebody who is a good talker, and let him get the reminiscences going. If you listen closely and if you have a broad enough background you can piece together a dozen columns from the things one man tells you.

Then I like to wander back to the office or to my home and sort of collapse in front of a typewriter and let nature take its course. Sometimes the words seem to flow across the page and at other times they are extremely jumpy and reluctant.

As to the value of this routine, there is a difference of opinion among my editors. I am by nature a lousy speller and have been since birth. Because of this deficiency I have had to stand for some good-natured razzing through the years, but then I have never let it embitter me because I feel that the ability to spell is innate, like hair or teeth. If you are fated to be bald, all the tonics in the world cannot save you from a bare skull. Personally I have more hair than I know what to do with.

There was once an editor of mine who looked upon a misspelled word as a sort of horrible crime, and yet he was a kindly fellow who spared the rod and spoiled his men. One day he looked up from some of my copy and, more in sorrow than in anger, said, "Tucker, you have curious limitations."

And yet it was this same editor who rose to my defense one day when his assistant came to him and complained of the way I misspelled simple words. "He isn't hired to spell," he said, "and so long as his copy reads all right I will hold the editors responsible for his spelling."

Well, he is dead now, and some day when I go back to Ohio I will lay a wreath on his grave and whisper, "Peace to the soul of Helms Ricker."

Trailer Tintypes



BLOOD RUNS COLD

By Ann Demarest

Chapter 27 BODY IN THE SNOW

"I can't see why Mary Ann would have been dwelling Joan Kent," Dirck said with a frown. "All I know is, I don't like the girl."

"Why, Dirck? She's awfully pretty and she seems nice." "Women like that, Miss Howarth, are leeches," he said in a loud voice as he came over to my chair. "Quietly, quietly, Mr. Kolff. I don't want the whole house to know you're rooming with me."

He grinned. "I trust that I'm not adding to your already frayed reputation." "Couldn't we hang a blanket between us?" I asked. "I saw that once in the movies and I thought it was enchanting."

"I daresay it won't drown out your snores," he said politely. "So why bother? Are you or are you not going to bed?"

"I'm not," I said firmly. "When the next person comes down that fire escape I want to have both feet on the floor ready to run. Preparedness is my motto."

"Stop smoking and put your arms down. I'm going to tuck you in."

He wrapped me up so securely in a heavy blue blanket that I couldn't have moved an inch if the murderer had given me ten minutes' notice.

"I hope I won't have to get up for anything," I said very feebly. He glared at me, turned out the lights and curled up in a chair by the door. In two minutes he was asleep, very obviously asleep. I saved that up to tell him about in the morning.

Instead of feeling tired, amazingly I was quite wide awake and, putting Dirck firmly out of my mind, I set out to solve the mystery.

Joan Kent was murdered, and by whom? There seemed to be quite a few people who had motives of one sort or another. It was surprising that a girl of her age could get so involved and so innocently involved, at least as far as I could tell.

First of all, Harry Kincaid, who had obviously made himself objectionable and had been forced to leave the house because Richard had threatened to kill him. My theory was that he'd have killed Richard, not Joan.

Then Adrienne Wells, in love with Harry Kincaid and jealous of Joan. Her actions were enough to send her to the gallows, but would she murder anyone? I could imagine her doing all sorts of petty things, but hardly murder.

And what did little red-headed Mary Ann have to do with it? Richard apparently had something against her and she'd been annoying Joan. And then I remembered that Mary Ann said she'd dropped in to see Joan that evening of the murder. Since Adrienne was up in Whitefield's apartment no one knew positively that Mary Ann had come home and gone directly to her room. I was one up on the Sergeant. He'd never mentioned that, unless the color of her hair automatically removed all guilt.

Tim Lathrop! He was very much in love with Joan, but driven by his wife. And from all I heard about her she would stop

at nothing. Had she been up to see Joan more than once? Tim had been up, too, and the girl's uncle, and Harry Kincaid, and then for the first time I had a vague hunch, but before I could pounce on it my mind refused to work any more. I fell asleep thinking vaguely of Toby and Bermuda. A hodgepodge of coral beaches, tennis shoes, white roofs and bicycles. In the past twenty-four hours Toby had beaten a hasty retreat in my mind.

Something Wrong And sleep I did. I could have been strangled and not have wakened. Dirck told me later that he called me a dozen times, quietly of course, so as not to wake the others in the house, before I finally opened my eyes. It frightened him. I must have been dreaming because I seemed to be shut in a dark closet with someone who was trying to lock my arms in a tight grip.

And when I finally came to and realized where I was, Dirck was shaking me by the shoulders. Dazed as I was with sleep, I knew something had gone wrong. In the dim light Dirck looked tired, his face was white and his eyes hollow. He motioned me not to talk as he unwrapped the blanket and drew me towards the window.

I stood beside him, shivering and bewildered, as he pushed the curtain aside and drew up the window. In the cold gray light of that winter morning I saw a policeman standing at the corner of the house.

On the walk beside him stretched a figure, a man, sprawled grotesquely, one leg doubled under his body, his fair head lying in the darkly spreading stain on the snow.

At my side I could feel the pressure of Dirck's hand on my arm, steadying me. I closed my eyes. I wanted to shut out what I had seen, to erase it from my mind—that head etched so sharply in the snow—the policeman leaping watch over that poor, shattered body.

And yet I clung to my mind in clear detail as though it had been painted there. Minutes must have passed before I could swallow the lump in my throat and force a word through my lips. They felt stiff, frozen.

"Richard?" I choked. "Oh, Dirck, is it Richard?" He nodded. "When," I cried jerkily. "Dirck, when . . . did you find . . ."

"A few minutes ago." His voice seemed to come from far away. He closed the window and turned back to put his arms around me. I buried my head against his shoulder. "Never mind, Chris. Never mind."

I shivered in his arms. "What time is it?" "Seven o'clock. Chris, listen to me. I have to leave you for a few minutes. Will you be all right? You see, I must tell Mr. Kimball."

I drew away from him. "I got hold of a policeman," he said jerkily, "and the detective in the shop called the Sergeant from . . . Richard's apartment. Long is coming right away." He bent over me anxiously. "Are you sure you'll

be all right? I'll be back in a couple of minutes. Don't be afraid. Nothing can happen to you now."

And Dirck walked quickly out of the room, closing the door behind him, leaving me alone, my hands clenched in the pockets of my bathrobe, too weak to move away from that window.

It was a dark morning. The sky was a sullen gray in strange contrast with the pure white of the snow in the yard, except for that dark blotch where Richard lay.

It was almost unbearable, being alone. Finally I made myself walk away from the window, cross the room and turn on the lights. And then I knelt in front of the fireplace and crumpled newspapers for a fire. My fingers were clumsy and stiff. It was cold and damp even with the windows closed and there was a stale scent of tobacco smoke. Most of the kindling had been used and there was only one small log left, but enough for a small fire.

Then, shivering, I crept into the wing chair to wait. And for five or ten minutes I sat there without moving.

"Chris." It was Dirck in the doorway. I looked up and told him to come in. He came over to the stool and held his hands before the fire. It was the first time I had ever noticed his hands, they were strong, and his fingers were long and tapering. And then I wondered why I kept thinking about them when Richard was dead, murdered.

His face was drawn, and when he finally spoke again his voice was sharp and tired. "I told Mr. Kimball," he said. "I think he'll go mad. His eyes were terrible."

"Does anyone else in the house know?" After a long moment he said. (Continued on Page 7)

Schedules

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Preston Crover Washington Daybook

WASHINGTON—Today we can be bombed. "Airplanes exist that can make the round-trip from Europe to the United States with a small load of bombs."

"The only rational and effective defense of an objective against night attack is provided by anti-aircraft artillery."

A cluster of such statements has served to demonstrate once more that there is no solid front in the war department about the best way to keep alien bombers off our backs—if war comes. GUNS TOO SMALL, HE SAYS

The above sentences, and many others, were written by Major Thomas R. Phillips of the Coast Artillery in an essay published in the Coast Artillery Journal.

Most irksome were Major Phillips' comments about the U. S. three-inch anti-aircraft guns. Too small, was his verdict.

"Ten years ago," he said, "the American anti-aircraft artilleryman could report, with justice, that his gun had the bomber stopped. The three-inch gun was effective at altitudes well above the capacity of loaded bombers at that time."

"Since then the speed and ceiling of bombers has doubled. Loaded bombers can fly at 28,000 feet. Our own air corps is bombing at 22,000 feet more accurately than it was bombing at one-third that altitude 10 years ago. Speed has increased from 100 to 300 miles an hour. Anti-aircraft artillery now being manufactured should be able to cope with a 300-mile-an-hour plane flying between 25,000 and 20,000 feet."

"While aviation has progressed by yearly bounds, American anti-aircraft has developed itself to refinement of the material of ten years ago. It no longer can fulfill its mission. Area targets can be bombed from altitudes five to eight thousand feet in excess of the effective range of the three-inch gun."

ATTACK FROM THE SEA Major Phillips hammered on the idea that sea-coast cities must depend on artillery, not airplanes, for protection.

Planes, he said, can sweep off carriers 300 miles out at sea, to bomb coastal cities before defense planes can get into the air to stop them.

"Our anti-aircraft coast defense cannot be supplied by interceptor aviation," he said. On the contrary, he reported, experience in the Spanish and Chinese wars had demonstrated that artillery can disrupt bombing operations, even though the toll of planes is not high. He cited an attack of a Chinese squadron against a Japanese aircraft carrier conveyed by destroyers. All ships massed their fire on the planes. Said Phillips, quoting a Chinese source:

"The concussion from shell bursts tossed (the planes) around and turned them over so that they were forced to drop their bombs and run for safety without ever approaching as position from which to bomb the carrier."

But sea-going vessels carry heavier guns than three-inch. The idea behind the show is that the United States has barely a pocketful of anti-aircraft guns. The basic weapon is the three-inch gun. Major Phillips says it will take a surge of public opinion to shake off army lethargy about "a defense against air attack."

Robbin Coons Hollywood Sights And Sounds

HOLLYWOOD—Eddie Polo. Did you get the name? It used to be big. It used to be a name that drew the kids—of all ages—into the flicker houses in weekly homage. Eddie was the serial king. How that boy could tear through a villain, ride a horse, leap off a cliff, stop a buzz-saw, dive and swim—all in the famous nick!

"I still can," says Eddie Polo today. "I could, I mean, if I had the chance. . . ."

Twenty years have written their story on the one-time adventure hero's face and form. He's a bit heavier. His black hair is shot with gray. And his eyes are sad, even when he smiles.

He now wears a ship's officer's uniform on a set of Deanna Durbin's "It's a Date." It's his first film work in the six months he has been back in Hollywood, looking for work in a town where once his name was big. Joe Pasternak, the producer, hired him. Once Eddie worked for Pasternak in Europe, when the producer was in charge of Universal's foreign films.

It was 27 years ago that Eddie Polo, American-born of Italian parents, left the circus for the movies. It was 20 years ago, making a picture called "Dangerous Hour," that Eddie met one of the thousand and one dangerous hours of his career—and lost.

"I jumped a horse off a cliff, and I missed," he says. "They picked me up in a basket. It was several years before I recovered. I went to Europe, made pictures in Germany, worked in Spain and England. I left Germany in 1933, when Hitler came. I went to Vienna, then Hitler came there. Again I fled. Before the Nazis came to power, I had not been politically discreet."

"I must start over now. I can train down in short time so I can do all my old stunts. I know I can do it, if I have the chance. . . ."

Remember Eddie Polo and Marie Walcamp in "Liberty"? Marie is dead now. Remember Eddie Polo and Francis Ford and Grace Cunard in "The Broken Coin"? Jack Holt was in it, too—Jack who kept on to stardom and retained it. Grace Cunard lives in a little house in the valley, married to a western actor, and Francis Ford is a busy character actor. Eddie Polo, the circus lad, is stocky and greying and looking for a chance.

Another refugee on the same set is S. Z. Sakall, who used to be Szoke Szakal in foreign films. Szoke—just call him S. Z.—is a stout fellow of pronounced comedy talents, famed on the continental stage and screen before he left in a hurry. He is Hungarian, but he used to write pieces for German papers in the old days, and some people didn't like those pieces.

He arrived not knowing a word of English, and picked up the language in six months—enough of it, at least, that he can learn a role in English and deliver it.

"Even in Europe," says the native of Hungary, "I always played foreigners, speaking another language than my own."

S. Z.'s studio questionnaire contains one especially pertinent answer—to the question: "What do you like most in Hollywood?" His answer: "Sunshine and freedom."

Government budget makers always like to think that the taxpayer's one more straw before it will break the taxpayer's back.—Troy Record

Daily Crossword Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Clues include: 1. Lying flat on the back; 2. Place opposite or before; 13. Localities; 14. Narrate; 15. Sits free; 16. Tardies; 17. Exist; 18. Exclamation; 19. Tardies prefix; 20. Chinese money; 21. Pro nouns; 22. Pen point; 23. Japanese; 24. Lowest of the scale; 25. Note of the scale; 26. Piece of lumber; 27. Lever for turning a rudder; 28. Situated along or by; 29. No longer in play; 30. Female deer; 31. Blameless coins; 32. Long narrow opening; 33. Humid; 34. Piece of wood; 35. Walked; 36. Correlative of either; 37. Wear away; 38. Direct proceedings; 39. Young lion; 40. Bathes; 41. State of mind; 42. Divisions of a calyx; 43. Down; 44. Small fish; 45. Body of a Mohammedan priest; 46. Crust; 47. Chill; 48. Close; 49. Literary composition; 50. 180 square meters of land; 51. Stake once used in sword; 52. To be the evening meal; 53. Plain of a town site; 54. Made of a certain cereal; 55. Anchor rings; 56. Repeats; 57. In miniature; 58. Newspapers collectively; 59. Feminine name; 60. Fish; 61. To be the evening meal; 62. Mountain to Crete; 63. Symbol for tellurium.

10x10 crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1-63 indicating starting points for clues.

Republican Handbook Will Gather A Great Many Cheers—And Boos

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—The book just published by the republican program committee contains the germinal ideas for eight months of drama which will collect more cheers and boos than did the "Birth of a Nation."

It is called "A Program for a Dynamic America." The 300 authors, none of them any more prejudiced than most other partisans out of power, spent two years collecting the material and writing the opus under the direction of Dr. Glenn Frank, former president of the University of Wisconsin.

As drama, it falls a little short of Shakespeare. As light comedy, it sounds too much like a good scare story. Edgar Allan Poe worked up on a dark and drear midnight.

But as a political document, for which purpose it was intended, the Frank report is likely to become a textbook for scores of republicans during the eight months of campaigning that lie ahead.

If the underlying philosophies of the document might be put in a few sentences, they probably would be:

The American economic system is still capable of absorbing the unemployed and providing for all Americans; if not too tightly hampered by government controls.

The farm program, labor program and business program x x x are x x x interlocked. The farmers, the workers and the business men have a common stake in a healthy and sound expansion of American enterprise.

"What government does or can do to help or to hinder this necessary expansion of American enterprise is not confined to any single program of legislation; it is the net result of the aims, attitudes and acts of the national leadership in control of government at the time, x x x"

"The choice today is between a system of free enterprise and a politically planned and politically dominated economy."

Another point which the document drives home is that, apparently by accident, the democrats and the new deal have done a good many things that the republicans agree with, but the administration of the agencies which handle them is faulty and the republicans could do much better job.

MORE CLOTHING BERLIN, Feb. 21 (AP)—Germany's severest winter in a century has made it necessary to revise clothes rationing to allow patients to purchase the March and April allowance of 20 points immediately.

HEARINGS IN MARCH WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Chairman Dies (D-Tex) said today that the house committee on un-American activities probably would resume hearings about March 15 and continue until June 1. It will recess during the presidential campaign.

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WEEK'S OIL OUTPUT SHOWS AN INCREASE

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 21 (AP)—Daily oil production in the United States increased 36,719 barrels to 3,719,633 for the week ended Feb. 17, the Oil and Gas Journal said today.

Illinois production moved upward 20,566 to 407,583; California, 6,000 to 628,100; Kansas, 2,000 to 176,700, and all Texas 8,745 to 1,361,177.

East Texas declined 2,702 to 397,298; Oklahoma, 2,000 to 429,350; Louisiana, 1,095 to 278,212; eastern fields, 750 to 100,150; Michigan, 87 to 54,871, and the Rocky Mountain area, 2,490 to 87,600.

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BOVINES TO PLAY OVALO FRIDAY, 3:45

Gabby Opines Cubs Must Not Be Overlooked

By TOM SILVER CHICAGO, Feb. 21 (AP)—One Charles Leo Hartnett is showing a fine disregard these days for the critics who are rating Cincinnati, St. Louis, Pittsburgh and Brooklyn as this year's first division clubs in the National League.

Other Sports News On Page 7 who spent most of the 1939 season "running" for the portly Hartnett. He was laid up almost all season with a sore arm after turning in 19 victories in 1938.

GUS HENDERSON TAKES NEW JOB

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 21 (AP)—Occidental, a quaint little college tucked away in the hills of nearby Eagle Rock, woke up today to find it had a big-time football coach moving in to take charge.

Elmer C. (Gloomy Gus) Henderson, whose 20 years of coaching have taken him from one end of the nation to the other, will handle the grid destinies of the traditional "ivy clad" member of the small Southern California conference.

PIEMEN STAGE LATE RALLY TO GAIN 34-31 WIN OVER ODESSA

Staging a rally in the final period, W. L. Thompson's Vaughn's Piemen nosed out the Odessa Bankers in an exhibition basketball game here Tuesday evening, 34-31.

The outcome was in doubt until the last 30 seconds of play when the Sugar Coats' Durwood McCright hit the target for a two-pointer that iced the decision.

Forsan Bisons And Sweetwater Are Matched

The Big Spring's Steers first round opponent in the District Five interscholastic league basketball tournament at Sweetwater Friday afternoon will be Ovalo, Taylor county champion.

The two teams will take the court at 3:45 p. m. Friday. Twelve teams were represented at Tuesday evening's drawing for first round games at Sweetwater.

Friday's schedule: 12 noon—Divide vs. Jayton. 1:15 p. m.—Hamlin vs. Abilene. 2:30 p. m.—Sweetwater vs. Forsan. 3:45 p. m.—Big Spring vs. Ovalo. 5 p. m.—Roby vs. winner Divide-Jayton game.

Asks Oakes To Give Statement

BOULDER, Colo., Feb. 21 (AP)—The University of Colorado board of regents, a member said, will "expect a reply" from Coach Bernard (Bunny) Oakes to charges contained in a petition presented to the board asking Oakes' dismissal.

The petition assertedly was signed by 35 football players and set forth objections to Oakes' coaching methods. "Probably no further action will be taken until Coach Oakes gives us his formal answer," Carl D. McKinley, one of the regents, said at Greeley late yesterday.

Kitts Out Of Picture At Temple U.

Successor To Fred Swan To Be Named Within A Week

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 21 (AP)—Taking cognizance of the fact that a head football coach should produce good after-dinner speeches along with grid victories, Temple university will announce within a week a successor to Fred Swan, who resigned to go to Colgate as Andy Kerr's assistant.

The announcement came from Bob Geary, Temple publicity director, who disclosed the field of 50 applicants had been cut to six—and "most of the six" had visited Temple with teams in the past few years.

Whoever is picked, said Geary, will be a college graduate and able to speak sufficiently well to represent the school on various occasions throughout the year. "We want a coach," he continued, "who will lead us to a few more victories than we had last year, and we want one of proven ability."

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By EDDIE BRIETZ NEW YORK, Feb. 21 (AP)—Fred Apostoli and his manager, Larry White, have parted company and if Fred returns to the ring (against the advice of his friends) Pete Reilly may be his pilot. . . . Red Ruffing and the Yanks really are having salary trouble with the big fellow demanding \$25,000—five grand more than he got in 1939.

IN THE FAMILY The captains and the guards depart when the Huffman boys trapeze off to collihex. . . . Gilbert is captain and guard for the Tennessee Yoks, while brother Marvin holds down both jobs for the Indiana Hoosiers.

Henry Armstrong is 5-6 to trim Cefirino Garcia in the Harlem spots, but on the coast Garcia is the choice by the same odds. . . . Jim "Finner, Holy Cross' fine guard of last season, is being tempted by the Brooklyn football Dodgers.

TODAY'S GUEST STAR Tom Meany, N. Y. World-Telegram: "Sam Nachts, young Dodger right-hander, has passed his New York state bar examinations and is waiting his papers. . . . This probably marks the first time a Dodger ever 'passed the bar.'"

John Winter, a refugee student from what used to be Czecho-Slovakia, has been made fencing coach at Lafayette college. . . . Jimmy Kitts, former Rice coach, is under consideration both at Temple and Washington U. at St. Louis.

GOODNESS, GIRLS You wouldn't know Tom Harmon and Forest White, Michigan's two-man football gang, these days. . . . They are busy rehearsing for the "Union Opera," spring production of Ann Arbor's Mimes club. . . . Both are sweet young things in the ballet line.

Cadets Square Off With Herd

AUSTIN, Feb. 21 (AP)—The Texas Longhorns, who must win four games and lose none in the next two weeks in order to repeat as Southwest conference basketball champions, face their first hurdle here tonight.

While the Rice Owls, resting on top of the race, wait for one game to decide their fate, the Longhorns tackle the Texas Aggies tonight, go to Waco Saturday night to meet the tough Baylor Bears, then wind up the drive next week with Rice and the Aggies. Rice last night swept the series with Arkansas, winning the final game 42-28 to gain the advantage over Texas in the stretch drive. The Owls still must beat Texas to win the title but the Longhorns might drop a game to the Aggies or Baylor which would insure Rice a tie for the title even should the Owls fail to defeat the Longhorns. In addition to the Texas-Aggie game tonight, Southern Methodist and Texas Christian look up at Fort Worth in a neighborhood feud that means nothing in the conference race. S. M. U. won the first time the teams met.

BARNES IN ACTION MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 21 (AP)—Only three singles matches were scheduled today in the \$2,500 professional tennis tournament, but one was between fourth-seeded Bruce Barnes and sixth seeded Walter Senior. Barnes, White Plains, N. Y., netter, yesterday eliminated Carl Rohman of White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., 6-1, 6-3, and Senior, a Chicagoan, made quick work of Sol Goldman of Miami Beach, 6-2, 6-3.

The Sports Parade

M-C League Pilots To Choose All-Star Quintet Next Week

Managers of Major-City basketball league teams will get together next week to name the 1939-40 all-star team. The candidates are many. Every one of the six teams has at least one outstanding candidate for the mythical quintet.

Coahoma's Ollers, who now are in the favored spot to sack up championship laurels in second half play, offer Hollis Parker, center, and Louis Heavel and Rayford Lyles, forwards, as tops in their line.

Farker is one of the leading scorers in the circuit. Hevel has hit his stride of late and was the outstanding star in the Ollers' recent victory over the strong Phillips Tire outfit.

Vaughn's Piemen, leaders in first half play, have Dave Hopper and Jake Morgan, who rated last year's team, Ray Groseclose, tallest man in the league and a grand defensive player, and Skeets West, brilliant guard, while Ackerly's Eagles boast material in C. Bristow, a forward, and L. Burkhardt, defensive ace.

J. E. Harland, Phillips' forward and leading scorer of the circuit, appears to be the only player of the circuit to have a slot clinched. Harland has looked to advantage in every game, has averaged about 14 points in league battles to date.

The Tremen also have Artie Burns, the former Ackerly star, who plays both center and guard. Burns has been consistently good all season.

John Cherry and Ennon Lovelady are handicapped by playing on the hapless Montgomery-Ward quintet, a team that has had difficulty in winning all season, but are respected performers.

The R-Bar Wranglers, a crew that has shown promise at times but has yet failed to win a league game, have something in the way of an argument in Thomas South, janky ex-Steer who has hit top form of late.

Interest Rising In Amateur Baseball In This Sector

Interest in amateur baseball in this sector is on the upswing. Burl Cramer, busy master-minding a basketball team competing in the Major-City league at the present, revealed recently that he would cooperate in banding together a team in the Forsan community if enough interest is aroused in town to form a city or a community loop.

Kyle Gray, a local trucker who helped operate the "Hitless Wanderers," local independent nine, last season in ready to take up where he left off in 1939.

It is believed that Elias Gamboa or Julian Vega or both would be in harmony with such a move. Gamboa and Vega have been pilots of the Mexican Tigers in recent years.

Another individual interested in the game is Ben Daniel, the former grid coach who annually helps operate a softball as well as a baseball team. Daniel usually coaches a team of youngsters of junior high and high school age.

Within recent years such communities as Flower Grove, Knott (Garner), Luther, Fairview and

Wranglers, M-Ward In Cage Wins At Forsan

FORSAN, Feb. 21—R-Bar's Wranglers and the Montgomery Ward Retailers of Big Spring chalked up victories in Tuesday evening's double header basketball attraction at the Forsan gym, defeating the Forsan Outlaws and the West-Tex Food quintet of Odessa, respectively. With Thomas South filling the basket with 15 field goals, the Wranglers had an easy time with the Outlaws, winning, 61-24.

South was given plenty of help by Steve Baker, who accounted for 15 points, and Sam Coy Flowers, who scored up five field tosses and a gratis pitch. Tommy Yarbro was outstanding for the losers, hitting the hoop for an even dozen points.

In the other game, the Retailers had a difficult time in stopping Jack Robbins but finally won, 30-28. Robbins counted 11 points to beat out the Retailers' Bobby Asbury for scoring laurels. Asbury totaled four field tosses.

R-BAR (61) fg ft pf tp Powers, f ..... 5 1 0 11 Baker, f ..... 9 0 0 18 Souter, c ..... 13 1 1 27 Womack, g ..... 0 0 1 0 Howard, g ..... 0 0 0 0 Miller, g ..... 2 0 0 4 Totals ..... 30 1 2 61 FORSAN (24) fg ft pf tp Sewell, f ..... 1 0 0 2 Maddox, f ..... 2 0 0 4 Yarbro, c ..... 6 0 0 12 Greaves, g ..... 2 0 3 4 Wilson, g ..... 1 0 2 2 Cowley, g ..... 0 0 0 0 Totals ..... 12 0 5 24

White, Dawson Watched At Houston

HOUSTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—A field bulging with talent teed off in qualifying rounds of the Houston country club invitation tournament today, but looked back over its shoulder to see if a couple of artists maintained the pace set in practice rounds.

Ed White, defending champion and home course player, and Johnny Dawson of Chicago, brought the frowns. White has consistently broken the links' 36-35-71 par, and Dawson, in his first crack at the layout yesterday, posted a 69.

Only two weeks ago Dawson won the Palm Springs, Calif. invitation tournament with a record breaking score of 67-69-130 for the 36 holes. Another jolt to the boys was administered when Lieut. Ken Rogers, Montgomery, Ala., player feared and respected in Texas, flew in today to qualify.

Other threats were John Barnum of Houston, runnerup last year; Don Schumacher, former Trans-Mississippi champion, and Harry Todd, Western amateur champion, both of Dallas; Ellsworth Vines, former tennis great, and Billy Bob Coffey of Fort Worth, who led amateurs in the Western Open by posting a total of 308 for 72 holes. Match play will start Thursday, with the title tilt scheduled for Sunday.

Sometimes It Pays To Toss Wildly

Derringer's Erratic Inkwell Pitching Earns Him \$500

By GAYLE TALBOT SARASOTA, Fla., Feb. 21 (AP)—This is the story of how a man collected \$500 for throwing an inkwell at his boss, and if you've heard a stranger one, stop me. Paul Derringer, the Cincinnati pitcher, was the man who pegged the glassware, and the object of one of the best throwing arms in baseball was Larry MacPhail, whose fertile imagination and ready cash are revolutionizing baseball in Brooklyn.

It happened in 1935, Paul recalled, when Charlie Dressen was managing the Reds and MacPhail was master-minding from the business office. Derringer constituted about 90 per cent of the club's pitching staff.

The strange thread of events began when Paul, toward the close of a tight game, failed to slide into home plate. The Duke sweats he was thrown out by a good 20 feet and saw no reason for fitting the dirt. MacPhail evidently had a different idea, for he socked a \$250 fine on his star and suspended him for three days.

Derringer made golf dates and started to enjoy his forced vacation. He was doing fine when MacPhail reached him by phone the next day and demanded to know why he wasn't at the ball yard.

There was a pretty hot argument, Paul recalls. He refused to report that day, because he remembered, even if MacPhail didn't, that he was a suspended ball player. He finally consented, however, to meet Larry at his office the next day.

Tempers were short when the two faced each other across MacPhail's desk. Finally Larry said something that Derringer resented. He grabbed the inkwell and let fly point-blank. It creased one of MacPhail's ears, knocked plaster on the wall and erupted ink all over the premises.

Derringer recalls that MacPhail looked somewhat shaken. "Why, Slim, you might have killed me with that thing," he said. "That's what I was a-trying to do," Derringer admitted, cooling off slightly.

MacPhail steadied and punched a button on his desk. He asked his secretary to bring him a check. He filled it in carefully and passed it over to the big pitcher. Paul looked at it incredulously.

"But, Larry," he said, "You didn't fine me but \$250 and this check says \$750."

"That's all right," said MacPhail, who was breathing almost normally again. "That extra \$500 is for missing me!"

Referee—Charley Smith.

BOBBY SAVAGE SETS NEW SCORING MARK

Faculty Again Trims Steers, 52 To 48

The faculty basketball team defeated the high school Steers, 52-49, for the second straight time last night in a game that Bobby Savage employed to break Jake Morgan's all-time scoring record for a Big Spring player.

Savage counted ten field goals and two free tosses to run his season's point total to 271, shattering Morgan's 1932-33 mark by three points.

The ace forward rallied briskly in second half play after close guarding on the part of the teachers had limited him to four field goals during the first two periods.

The Steers put up a whale of an argument but the teachers used their height and experience to good advantage to gain the triumph, clamping down with a potent if not a stylish defense in the last few minutes when the youngsters speeded up their attack.

Davis Fisher again was the pace setter for the schoolmasters with nine field goals. Mule Stockton had four field tosses and three gratis pitches. Most of his two-pointers came from far out.

The teams were deadlocked at half-time, 22-all. Box score: Steers (48)— fg ft pf tp Gardner, f ..... 5 0 3 10 Savage, f ..... 10 0 0 0 Talbot, f ..... 0 0 0 0 Bostick, f ..... 0 0 0 0 South, c ..... 1 2 0 4 Davidson, c ..... 0 0 0 0 Rowe, g ..... 1 0 2 2 Martin, g ..... 4 2 3 10 Reeves, g ..... 0 0 0 0 Totals ..... 21 6 10 48 Faculty (52)— fg ft pf tp Fisher, f ..... 9 1 0 18 Pennington, f ..... 3 1 3 7 Stockton, c ..... 4 3 0 11 Coleman, g ..... 0 1 0 1 Daniel, g ..... 4 1 2 9 Swatzy, g ..... 0 0 1 0 Routh, g ..... 3 0 0 6 Totals ..... 23 6 6 52 Halftime score—Steers 22, Faculty 22.

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Davis Having Trouble With His Weight

By HUGH S. FULLERTON, JR. NEW YORK, Feb. 21 (AP)—In the record books, the young fellow who fights lightweight champion Lou Ambers Friday is listed as Al Davis, a welterweight who hasn't been beaten in 27 bouts in his two years of professional fighting.

Over in Brownsville, a part of Brooklyn, they call him "Bummy" and know him as a very tough young lad with a punch. His real name is Albert Davidoff. Because "Bummy" was tagged onto him because his pals claimed he was a bum fighter in his amateur days.

A pleasant looking boy, he is having trouble getting his weight down to the 145 pounds he agreed to make for Ambers. He is a thoroughly unpleasant customer in the ring. You don't learn to be a "Fancy Dan" fighter on the streets of Brooklyn. He's the kind of guy who lets the boxers box while he wades in until he finds a chance to knock them stiff.

Davis never has tackled one of the big Tony Canzoneri, who was so far along the downgrade when they met that Al's clouts finally convinced him he should quit for good. Still he has won 22 of his 37 bouts by knockouts and has been held even only by Jack Sharkey, Jr., who did it twice.

The whole thing seems to add up to a rather busy evening for Ambers, who usually isn't as successful in these non-title bouts as when there's a championship at stake. Lou is favored at 5 to 8, mostly because of his greater speed and experience. But the fight isn't as important to Ambers as to Davis, who sees it as a step toward a title bout with Henry Armstrong and toward the big money.

By the Associated Press NEW YORK—Al McCoy, 181-1-4, Boston, outpointed Buddy Scott, 177-1-4, Dallas, (8).

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y.—Wild Bill McDowell, 151, Dallas, outpointed Vinnie Vines, 145, Schenectady, N. Y., (8).

DEMARET AND PENNA CLASH FOR WESTERN OPEN CROWN

By WILLIAM T. RIVES HOUSTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Jolly Jimmy Demaret, impervious to pressure, salutes forth this afternoon to do right by the home folks.

He had done a handsome job of coming through for them by tying Tony Penna, Dayton, O., professional, for the Western Open lead at 293 and was the favorite for the 18-hole playoff.

If ever a man had reason to fold up Jimmy had it during the 72-hole regular play.

For three days he had to make his way through back-slapping crowds to get to his ball. Before every shot well-wishers yelled encouragement, soothing to the spirit but maddening to a golfer's game. Before and after each round his hand was pumped into numbers.

But Demaret, his cherubic face always creased in a big smile, eased along with the leaders and then wound up with a searing par 71 despite wind and cold.

Penna posted his 146-74-73-293 to take a lead he never knew he could reach—and the word went out to Demaret and Sammy Snead of Shawnee-on-the-Delaware.

Coming to No. 17, they knew they could shoot par golf on the next two holes and the Penna. Snead folded and bogeyed No. 17, winding up in third place with 143-76-75-294.

Demaret calmly parred each hole and reported the day's finest score, 36-36-71, identical with River Oaks' par.

He paired it with his morning 76 to give him 146-76-71-293.

The winner of today's tilt pocketed \$1,000; the runnerup \$750 of the \$5,000 in prize money. Snead won \$500.

Ralph Guldahl of Dallas, who won the title three times in a row before Byron Nelson took it last year, blew up for 145-77-81-303.

Nelson quit the tournament because of poor putting.

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  - 5:15 Chamber of Commerce Program.
  - 5:45 Southern Gentlemen.
  - 6:00 American Family Robinson.
  - 6:15 Don Allison, Orch.
  - 6:30 Cliffe Wiley.
  - 6:40 Sergeant Troy Gibson.
  - 6:45 Social Security Program.
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  - 7:15 News.
  - 7:30 Southwestern University Roundup.
- 8:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
- 8:15 Louis Sobol.
- 8:30 Music By Faith.
- 9:00 Frank Gagen Orch.
- 9:30 The Lone Ranger.
- 10:00 News.
- 10:15 Goodnight.
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  - 7:00 News.
  - 7:15 Rhythm Ranch Boys.
  - 7:30 Sandy Hollingworth.
  - 7:45 Al Clauser.
  - 8:00 Morning Devotions.
  - 8:15 Lamarr Quartet.
  - 8:30 Hilo Hawaiians.
  - 8:45 Bing Crosby.
  - 8:55 Musical Interlude.
  - 9:00 Dr. Amos E. Wood.
  - 9:05 Morning Melodies.
  - 9:15 Gall North.
  - 9:30 Rumba Rhythms.
  - 9:45 Choir Loft.
  - 10:00 News.
  - 10:15 Musical Impressions.
  - 10:30 Keep Fit To Music.
  - 10:45 Organ Melodies.
  - 11:00 News.
  - 11:05 Piano Interlude.
  - 11:15 Neighbors, with Blanchard McKee.
  - 11:30 Dancopations.
  - 11:45 The Drifters.
  - Thursday Afternoon
    - 12:00 Refreshment Time.
    - 12:15 Curstone Reporter.
    - 12:30 Hymns You Know and Love.
    - 12:45 Enoch Light Orch.
    - 1:00 Backstage Wife.
    - 1:15 Our Gal Sunday.
    - 1:30 Julian Aikin.
    - 1:45 School Forum of the Air.
    - 2:00 Palmer House Orch.
- 2:15 - Texas School Of The Air.
- 2:30 Bob Heen And His Royal Hawaiians.
- 2:45 WPA Program.
- 3:00 News: Markets.
- 3:15 Description Hialeah Races.
- 3:45 Radio Technique Class.
- 4:00 Premier Edouard Daladier.
- 4:15 Crime and Death Take No Holiday.
- 4:30 The Johnson Family.
- 4:45 The Noveleers.
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  - 5:30 Shelby Collier.
  - 5:45 The Dreamer.
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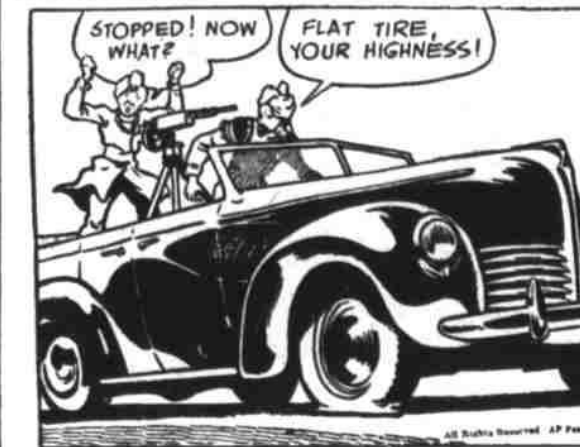
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**JOE FAUCETT**

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## GOOD FIELD IN PROSPECT FOR ANITA DERBY

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 21 (AP) — With guesses on the number to be named ranging from 15 to 25, entries were awaited today for the sixth running of the \$50,000 added Santa Anita derby tomorrow.

Among top flight contestants expected were Milky Way Farms' Gallahadiah and Tough Hombre, as well as Chatted if the track is muddy; C. S. Howard's Midland, Neil McCarthy's Augury, Foxcatcher Farms' Fairy Chant and Maestro Esarch, and W. C. Stroube's Raacha.

## WOULD COIN SILVER TO CHECK DEBT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP) — Senator Pittman (D-Nev) suggested today that the treasury coin silver bullion at a profit to delay the national debt's approach to the statutory \$45,000,000,000 limit.

Pittman, chairman of a special senate committee to investigate administration of the silver purchase act, made this proposal after the federal reserve advisory council urged that treasury purchases of foreign silver be halted.

"All the leading bankers admit that our gold should be coined and circulated," Pittman said. "The same reasoning applies to silver. The only thing that is going to stop the worthless managed currency mania of today is to circulate gold and silver coins."

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By special request of his two children, whose visits with him are cut short by his concert engagements, Vladimir Jascha Heifetz has a family party at the Heifetz home in Redding, Conn. The children are Robert, 7, and Joseph, 5. Mrs. Heifetz is the former Florence Vidor, a movie actress.

### TAFT-VANDEBERG FORCES 'GANG-UP' TO HALT DEWEY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP) — An informal coalition of Taft and Vandenberg forces was reported to be trying to keep Thomas E. Dewey from getting a head start for the republican presidential nomination in the Washington primary April 2.

Although Senator Taft of Ohio announced last Saturday that he would not enter the Wisconsin contest, first major pre-convention battle, friends said there was good reason to believe he would give quiet support to Senator Vandenberg of Michigan.

The theory, they explained, is that Vandenberg appears to have a better chance to beat Dewey in Wisconsin.

The democratic picture, meanwhile, continued to place the third term question in the foreground.

Oscar Ewing, eastern campaign manager for Paul V. McNutt, said that President Roosevelt would be "almost the unanimous choice of the democratic convention for a third term if he does not take himself out of the running."

Ewing explained that the strategy of McNutt's campaign is to line up second-choice delegates who would favor McNutt if the president eliminated himself.

### BLOOD RUNS COLD

By Ann Demarest

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"They have not been told." There was a strange, frightening expression on his face.

A curious thing to say, I thought. "They have not been told."

Did Dirck mean that someone in the house knew what had happened without being told? Was there someone in the four floors of this old brownstone house who knew Richard was lying dead there in the snow?

Dirck buried his face in his hands. "It's my fault," he said slowly. "Somehow—in some way—I should have stopped it."

"Dirck—no—don't worry so." I got up and went over to sit on the stool beside him.

His head was bent forward so that I couldn't see his face, and his arms hung limply at his sides now.

"How did it happen that you found him—or don't you want to talk?"

There was an odd light in his eyes as Dirck raised his head and

looked at me. "I woke up," he said, "and I thought I heard a noise in his room, so I tiptoed out and went upstairs. Richard wasn't there. The window was open, so I looked out." He buried his face in his hands again, "I didn't know you were asleep. You are the only person, though, I know couldn't have done it." And then he added irrelevantly, "You looked so pretty asleep there in the chair."

"He jumped to his feet. 'Well, you'd better dress now. I'll go down to see Mr. Kimball again. Poor old Ish's scared out of his seven senses.'"

It took about fifteen minutes under the hot shower before I felt as though I even had the strength to dress. And by the time I had rubbed myself dry and was back in the room again I could hear the Sergeant downstairs.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 21 (AP)—Market followers will turn their attention to exchanges in Canada and abroad tomorrow when financial and commodity markets throughout the United States suspend trading for Washington's birthday. A few cattle markets will do business.

**WANTS MARRIAGE RITES 'REVERSED'**  
DURANT, Okla., Feb. 21 (AP)—A Dallas, Tex., man who persuaded C. A. Woodward, Durant justice of the peace, to perform a marriage ceremony on credit, now wants him to "reverse the thing."  
"Some time ago," the man wrote Woodward, "I came up there and married a girl. I was to send you \$3, but the truth is, she has got me in bad in a number of ways and we didn't stay together long.  
"I want you to write me and let me know what you will charge me for reversing the thing from the way it is now, and I will send you the money, because she is too much for me."

hours after fire destroyed the main building of the Cole Brothers circus winter quarters last night. More than 100 other valuable circus animals burned to death in the fire and Zack Terrell and Jess Adkins, the owners, estimated their loss at between \$150,000 and \$200,000.  
The roaring of lions, tigers and leopards and the screaming of monkeys, trapped in the burning building, drowned out the noise of the crackling flames.

**Claims Unemployed Insurance Systems Need Overhauling**  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Arthur J. Altmeyer, social security board chairman, declared today it was imperative that the states overhaul and liberalize their unemployment insurance systems.  
Altmeyer recommended that the waiting period for benefits be cut to one week, that payments be made for at least 16 weeks a year, and that states with large surplus insurance funds pay two-thirds of the weekly wage—at least \$20.  
Altmeyer also proposed that the minimum benefits paid by the states should be at least \$5 a week, that partial unemployment benefits should be paid in all states, and that eligibility regulations should be simplified with a view to more prompt payment.

**ELEPHANTS AT LARGE**  
ROCHESTER, Ind., Feb. 21 (AP)—Rochester citizens and circus attendants, turned elephant hunters, today had rounded the last of eleven elephants which wandered around the countryside for several



**DOES THE TWAIN MEET?**—Probably Alan Lee, 3, of New York's Chinatown, and the little children behind him never heard of Kipling's oft-quoted, "East and west is west and never the twain shall meet," but this was a scene when the Chinese in New York celebrated their New Year, and urged China to resist further any conquests by Japan.

**Dish Washer Quits Job After Learning Of Inheritance**  
FORT WORTH, Feb. 21 (AP)—Night after night for two years Roy S. Buckles, 57, has washed dishes at a downtown cafe, and at the end of each week he was handed \$10.  
Last night he took off his white apron for the last time, dried his hands, and gave notice. Today finds him en route to Broken Arrow, Okla., his old home, to claim his share in his mother's estate. It involves some oil land, and a part share in a bank at Broken Arrow.  
Buckles walked out of the cafe for good a few hours after his name went out over the ether in a nation-wide radio broadcast. They call it the "Court of Missing Heirs," and Buckles was identified as one of the missing. He didn't hear the program—he was in the kitchen of the cafe doing his work.  
One who did listen was Mrs. Pauline Walsh, business agent for the cook and waiters local, No. 748. She telephoned the dishwasher the news that he had inherited what is expected to amount to several thousands of dollars and some land.  
A reporter's questions caused him to burst into tears.  
"My mother was the best friend I ever had," he pointed out.  
The information he chose to impart was meager, insofar as it concerned his absence from his family. He will share the estate with two brothers and a sister, though he explained.

**Mourners Take Time To Kill Suspect**  
TORREON, Coahuila, Mex., Feb. 21 (AP)—A crowd of mourners interrupted a funeral last night long enough to drag a slaying suspect from jail, shoot him four times and split his head with hatchet blows.  
About 300 persons invaded the jail, overpowered guards and dragged Emil Castro from his cell. They left his body in the street.  
The crowd was composed of mourners following Ismael Rosales' coffin to the cemetery. Castro was charged with shooting Rosales on the orders of a local political leader.  
After the killing, the crowd continued to the cemetery for the Rosales burial.  
Police made no arrests.

**School Fund Grows**  
AUSTIN, Feb. 21 (AP)—The permanent school fund is \$2,497 richer today from the first sale of excess land under the new land law.  
The statute made possible the sale of land where acreage was listed to be greater than originally listed.  
The state school land board yesterday made the awards which included, by counties:  
Panola, 434 acres at \$2.50 each, to S. L. and E. H. Burnett of Marshall.  
LaSalle, 196.3 acres in two tracts to J. C. Martin of Laredo at \$2.25 an acre.

**CROCKETT MAN NAMED**  
AUSTIN, Feb. 21 (AP)—Rep. Bailey B. Ragdale of Crockett today held the position of official farmers' legislative representative, a post created by agricultural organizations to urge passage of measures designed to aid farmers.  
Ragdale's election yesterday concluded the second annual Texas Dist Farmers Congress attended by about 30 representatives of agricultural associations.

**German Tanker In U.S. Waters After Running Blockade**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 21 (AP)—A war-flavored mystery of the sea puzzled shipping circles here as the Texas Petroleum company's giant new tanker Scandinavia—built in Germany and flying the Norwegian flag—departed for Texas to pick up a load of oil.  
The 10,444-ton tanker, one of the largest ever constructed, arrived last Wednesday amid considerable secrecy, after running the British blockade in far northern waters. It left for Texas yesterday.  
While company officials refused to discuss the ship, other sources said the tanker was finished a month ago for the American firm by the Deutscher Werft Agbet Finkenwerder Co., in Hamburg, Germany.  
Leaving Hamburg late in January, the Scandinavia slipped along the Danish coast to reach Oslo, Norway, and on Jan. 20, manned by a Norwegian crew, the tanker set out on its circuitous 24-day trip to New York—eluding a tight British net in sub-Arctic seas.  
The Scandinavia's destination after calling at Port Arthur, Tex., was not disclosed.

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**KBST NOTES—**  
**Tribute To Be Paid To ROTC**  
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A tribute from the French premier, Edouard Daladier, to George Washington, America's first president, will be heard Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock when Daladier speaks at the American Club dinner in Paris. A running English translation will be maintained for American and English listeners.  
**APPROVAL IS CERTAIN**  
AUSTIN, Feb. 21 (AP)—The Texas public welfare board's merit system appears certain of federal approval.  
Director Adam R. Johnson said he was informed yesterday by Senator Tom Connally that differences between state and federal officials on a compromise plan had been worked out.  
Lack of federal approval earlier this month threatened February old age pension payments.

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**MARCH OIL DEMAND IS ABOVE LAST YEAR**  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—The bureau of mines today forecast the March market demand for domestic crude oil at 3,500,600 barrels daily or a total of 108,520,000 for the month.  
This was 4.5 per cent more than the actual March demand last year.  
Officials said that today's forecast was 28,400 barrels less than the estimated February demand and reflected unusually high gasoline inventories and a relatively low level of exports.  
The bureau's estimates of daily average crude oil demand by states, included:

State	March	February
Texas	1,330,600	1,371,400
Oklahoma	420,300	429,000
Louisiana	253,200	252,800
New Mexico	103,200	100,300
Arkansas	65,500	60,000

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