

STARTING VETERANS' HOSPITAL. — A Gold Star mother, Mrs. F. A. Farquhar, 405 W. 5th street (photo) turned the first spadeful of dirt Friday to symbolize the start of construction of the West Texas veterans' hospital.

GRAND CHAMPION, SEVEN HIGH RIBBONS Howard Entries Walk Off With Fort Worth Honors

FORT WORTH, Jan. 31. — Howard county entries walked off with the grand championship and no less than seven other high ribbons in the boy's steer class of the annual Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show here Saturday.

Packers Hit Meat Curbs Industry Solid In Opposition

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31. (AP)— An array of meat packers and distributors lined up solidly today against a return to meat rationing. They argued it would bring back black markets.

And Senator Wherry (R-Neb.), said that "confusion" in the Administration about the return of controls will mean less meat and higher prices. A Senate Banking subcommittee heard spokesmen for various parts of the meat industry declare that black markets would surely follow rationing.



SEGREGATED? — Walter M. Harrison, 57, ex-army officer and former managing editor of the Oklahoma City Oklahoman and Times, made officials wonder when he tried to enroll in Oklahoma's new segregated Negro law school.

WORK OF NAVY Supersonic Range Reached By Missile

NAVY ORDNANCE TEST STATION, Inyokern, Calif., Jan. 31. (AP)—The Navy announced today that a missile, powered by the largest ram jet engine ever flown, has attained a speed "far into the supersonic range" on its first test flight.

Rear Adm. A. G. Noble, chief of the bureau of ordnance, declined to disclose the nature of the missile or the speed which it attained. He said that the huge ram jet, known to Navy men as the "Flying Stove Pipe," developed a thrust exceeding the combined horsepower of the largest four-engine planes.

The ram jet, a duct open at both ends and with no moving parts, was developed by the allied physics laboratory of Johns Hopkins University, Silver Spring, Md.

Development Helped By UT

AUSTIN, Jan. 31. (AP)—The defense research laboratory at the University of Texas helped to develop a ram jet engine which flies far faster than the speed of sound. The laboratory contributed research in supersonic airflow problems, the chemistry of fuels and electronic problems, under the direction of Dr. C. Paul Boner, professor of physics.

Demos Propose New Tax Slash

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31. (AP)— House Democrats proposed a \$200 additional personal exemption today for every income tax payer. There was every indication, though, that their bid was too low to offer serious competition with the \$6,500,000 Republican tax-cutting bill slated for House passage Monday.

Distillers Asked For Grain Curbs

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31. (AP)—President Truman today called on whiskey makers to limit their use of grain voluntarily to the rate of 2,500,000 bushels a month established for January.

FUNERAL FIRE ALLOWED TO DIE Cremation Of Gandhi Is Completed

NEW DELHI, Sunday, Feb. 1. (AP)—Indian military authorities announced early today that the cremation of Mohandas K. Gandhi's body was complete.

The flickering light of the assassinated Hindu leader's funeral pyre was allowed to die out during the night. Previously it had been expected to burn 36 hours. At 10 a. m. (10:30 p. m. CST Saturday), Gandhi's son, Devadas, will return to the burning ground to decide whether the ashes will be preserved or cast into the Holy Jumna river or the Ganges river.

Soviet Asked For All-Time High Budget

MOSCOW, Jan. 31. (AP)—Russian Finance Minister A. G. Zverev proposed tonight to a joint session of the largest budget in the history of the Soviet Union (parliament) of the Soviet Union. With Prime Minister Stalin and Foreign Minister Molotov among his listeners, Zverev called for expenditures of 387,900,000 rubles and a revenue of 428,000,000 rubles in 1948.

G. M. Roberts Dies Of Heart Attack

G. M. Roberts, 53, city manager, at Lamesa for the past nine months, died Friday at Lamesa from the effects of a heart attack.

U. N. Makes Plans To Enter Palestine

LAKES SUCCESS, Jan. 31. (AP)—The United Nations partition commission will enter Palestine on March 4 or April, informed quarters predicted today.

Morrison Improves

Condition of S. H. Morrison, practicing attorney in Big Spring for the past 33 years, was said to be somewhat improved Saturday night at the Malone & Hogan hospital. Mr. Morrison has been critically ill, but spent a restful day Saturday.

ONLY ALPS SURVIVOR Crash Victim Says German Saved Him

DIGNE, France, Jan. 31. (AP)—The only survivor among 22 Americans in two U. S. plane crashes in the Alps today credited a German prisoner of war with saving his life.

Egt. Angelo LaSalle of Des Moines, Iowa, was thrown clear when his plane — a B-17 Flying Fortress — was bombed. He was found by Horst Kupski, former German Air Force pilot, working for a French farmer on the mountain. The German removed his own shoes, coat and hat and put them on the American.

The Fortress crashed yesterday just after its crew had sighted the wreckage of an Air Force C-47 transport which went down Tuesday. Twelve Americans, including three women and five children, died aboard the transport.

Doctors described LaSalle's condition as fair. When his condition improves he will be flown to the American Army hospital in Frankfurt, Germany.

Man Shoots Up Town Board Meet

DULUTH, Minn., Jan. 31. (AP)—Three members of the town board of Elmer, meeting in final session, were shot to death today by a man who constable Jack Fruh said had just been denied a beer tavern license.

REMARKABLE MEDICAL INSTRUMENT HELPS WIN BATTLE OVER DISEASE

Nine-year-old Donald Summar, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Summar, likely would have difficulty in spelling bronchoscopes — but he's mighty indebted to it. Stricken with an ailment which sounds like a stretch of barbed wire and boils down to an involvement of the larynx, windpipe and bronchial tubes, Donald might have become a statistic but for that handy instrument. Instead, Saturday, two weeks after his parents feared he might suffocate, he was beginning to talk again. In his bed at the Malone & Hogan hospital, Don coughed, by putting his finger over the air-hole button at the base of his throat, carry on a quite animated conversation. His condition, said doctors, was the same as the malady which claimed the lives of several youngsters at Midland and Brownfield. On Jan. 17 he became hoarse and on the following day it seemed as though he had a severe case of the croup. Then he began to have great difficulty in breathing. He was almost blue when the bronchoscope was inserted in the constricted area and gave air until the more handy tube was provided. Twice this had to be used again when hardened mucous plugged the tracts, but for the most part pumps kept the temporary passage clear. Cheered by progress and by a substantial love gift friends made him Saturday, Don was anxious to be back in his desk in the third grade. This was the third bad spell of one kind or another he had had, causing him to lose a grade, and Don had the feeling that time was a-wasting.



1948 LICENSE PLATE — Movie starlet Joyce Reynolds gives a pre-sale look at Texas' new auto plate. Numerals are orange on a black background. They go on sale Feb. 1, with an April 1 deadline. (AP Photo)

Fuel Shortage Shows Texans How Midwest And East Feels

HOUSTON, Jan. 31. (AP) — Texans last week received a good taste of mid-winter fuel shortages, a problem that midwestern and eastern residents anticipate and dread with each approaching winter season. Texas' most severe cold spell in several years came at a time state officials and oilmen already were worrying over a puzzling shortage of butane and other heating fuels. But the prolonged stay of ice, snow, sleet and freezing temperatures was too much in many areas for even the state's gigantic natural gas industry and many schools, industrial plants and business houses were closed down to permit a maximum of relief to households. There were notes of optimism, however, accompanying the situation.

In Washington, Attorney General Tom Clark announced that oil producer and dealers can allocate suppliers during the nation's fuel shortage and that the justice department will not look on it as breaking anti-trust laws provided there is no "fixing of prices."

In Austin, Governor Beauford Jester said 3,000,000 gallons of butane gas had been released to help solve the acute shortage caused by the Texas cold spell.

In Houston, Humble Oil and Refining company officials announced that the Baytown refinery facilities are being "rearranged" so as to permit the company to make available approximately 1,000,000 gallons of butane and propane as an emergency fuel measure.

Earlier the National Petroleum Council had called for increased production of heating oils during the next 60 days, even at the expense of gasoline output.

Humble's announcement pointed out that "as a consequence" of the butane and propane move "a smaller amount of gasoline" would be produced at Baytown.

Clark made his ruling in a letter to Interior Secretary Krug who had advised Clark the petroleum industry has worked out a plan for allocation agreements.

Jester said the 3,000,000 gallons of butane gas being diverted is not from "surplus supplies," adding that there is no surplus and that the "diversions must be made at the sacrifice of industrial users, and in many instances of fuel oil and gasoline used for motor fuel."

The Governor named an emergency fuel commission, including railroad commissioner William J. Murray, (credited by Jester with having obtained release of the gas), J. H. Winters, state director of public welfare; Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of public safety, and Dr. George W. Cox, a state health officer to see that the gas is distributed to the place of greatest need.

In Amarillo, Ernest O. Thompson, Chairman of the Texas Railroad commission, said Clark's ruling "has made it possible for the oil industry to pool its resources to meet emergency heating oil needs and I feel the industry will meet this challenge for free enterprise to do the job for which free enterprise is best suited."

Texas' oil industry figured prominently in the oil and gas journal's annual review and forecast of the nation's petroleum industry.

Statistically speaking, the report included:

Total U. S. crude production in 1947 was 1,896,679,000 barrels, 7.8 per cent above 1946.

Texas wells produced 848,290,000 barrels in 1947, an increase of 10.9 per cent.

Texas oil fields accounted for 56.5 per cent of the increase in production throughout the nation.

There were 106,159 wells in Texas as Jan. 1, with an average daily production of 21.6 barrels.

Reports from individual operators show that 48 drillings in Texas will total 11,503 new wells, 2202 over 1947. Included will be 2312 wildcats, (417 over last year), and 9191 development wells (1785 over last year).

A total of 9301 new wells were completed in Texas in 1947, including 1895 wildcats.

The average depth of all wells drilled in Texas last year was 4411 feet.

The volume of recoverable crude oil known to lie under Texas represents 56.7 per cent of the na-

tion's proven reserves.

During 1947 Texas increased its reserves by 1,664,838,000 barrels, having started the year with 11,800,162,000 and ended the year with 13,654,000,000 barrels. During the year 45,180,000 barrels were discovered in new fields, and 2,467,948,000 were discovered through extensions and revisions of old pools. Production totaled 848,290,000 barrels.

Last January 1, Texas' natural gas reserves totaled 95,500,000,000 cubic feet, an increase of 9,137,000,000,000 cubic feet over Jan. 1, 1947.

Evening School Registration Will Continue

Registration for the evening school at Howard County Junior College will continue through Wednesday evening at the administration building.

Time for enrolling was extended, said E. C. Dodd, president, due to weather conditions which made travel unsafe last week.

Among the courses being offered are those in applied psychology, tax accounting, bookkeeping, shorthand, typing, consumers education, conversational Spanish and other fields.

After being curbed by bad weather,

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 31. (AP) — Two fishing craft which last night radioed they were in distress in the Gulf of Mexico are in no danger and are proceeding towards Brownsville, the Coast Guard reported today.

Search and rescue headquarters in New Orleans said the cutter Triton, which put out from Corpus Christi yesterday, arrived near the two vessels about 7 a. m. today.

er, day school enrollment levelled off at the end of the week and Dodd said that apparently enough new students had enrolled to offset losses at mid-term and those occurring since beginning of the first semester.

VIENNA, Jan. 31. (AP) — Warren Trabant, of New York City, editor of the American-sponsored German language magazine "Heute," was taken off the Prague-Munich train today by Soviet authorities, his wife said. He is being held in Soviet-occupied Austria.

Mrs. Trabant said the Russians had removed her husband from the train at Steyregg, Austria, for failure to have an Austrian visa. She said the Russians had permitted her to continue to Salzburg, although she also lacked a visa.

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Chest Totals Jump

Community Chest totals jumped another \$100 Saturday, according to a report from Ira Thurman, general chairman. This was the amount of a contribution by A. L. Wasson, which brought the total so far to approximately \$27,500.

How Much Did You Make Last Year?

That's not an easy question. Profit can't be determined by arithmetic — but only by accounting. And accounting requires informed and expert judgment. It means sorting and arranging all the complex transactions of business, and presenting them in an orderly manner to show the results fairly.

But even experts can honestly disagree on the amount of profit for a year. Optimism or conservatism can influence their judgment.

That's why the Certified Public Accountant was born. As an independent, professional auditor, he brings to the job a disinterested judgment, and a sense of responsibility to everyone who may rely on the opinion he attaches to financial statements.



COLD WEATHER NO PROBLEM IN HOME WITH INSULATION

During the past several days you have experienced some of our worst weather this season. No doubt you have had a most severe problem of keeping warm, and at the same time using as little fuel as possible. You probably wanted to leave your heaters on at night, but was afraid to do this because of the possibility of asphyxiation, so you did not. Of course the next morning you awoke to find it just as cold inside as it was outside, and it took quite a bit of extra heat to re-heat your home and all the furnishings, also several hours to do this.

Some of you even had to look at walls that were dripping with sweat, and could just imagine a re-papering job in the spring. Now just think things over a bit and bear in mind what follows. The home owner who has his home insulated, weatherstripped, and floor furnaces installed did not have all of these heating problems to worry about. His insulation prevented loss of heat through the ceiling and sidewalls of his home, also allowing his home to be just as warm next to his outside walls as it was in the center of the house. Another thing, he did not have to look at walls sweating and the possibility of that re-papering job in the spring.

able home, eliminating re-heating of furniture and walls. A summary of the above is simply this. FI-Blak Home Insulation will save you up to 40 per cent on fuel bills, will help to prevent wall sweating and cold floors, and works for you in the summer as well as in the winter. It is also fire-proof. It pays for itself over a period of time. A Fraser & Johnson Floor Furnace will give you warm air heating, automatic controls, will circulate the air in your home, pulling the cold air off the floor, reheating it and back into the room again. No gas fumes are turned loose inside the home for you to inhale, and eliminating the danger of asphyxiation. Monarch Weatherstripping will eliminate cold air, rain and dust from coming in around your windows and doors, therefore giving you another saving in fuel bills.

Ladies and Gentlemen how can you go on living in a home that is so uncomfortable, so cold and dusty and paying a large fuel bill when it is not necessary. Think it over and contact us now for further information. The Western Insulating Company at 207 Austin, Phone 325 will be glad to give you free estimates and make arrangements for easy financing. If you own your home you are eligible for the FHA Home Improvement Loan, which allows you to have the above improvements with no down payment, one to three years to pay, and forty five days in which to make your first payment. All you need is a good credit rating. You do not have to put up any collateral but yourself. Get in touch with The Western Insulating Company at 207 Austin now. Don't delay, we have a lot of cold weather ahead. (Adv.)

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<p>MEN'S WOOL AND PART WOOL SWEATERS</p> <p>BUTTON AND SLIP-OVER STYLES PLAIN COLOR AND TWO-TONE</p> <p>Each . . \$3.00</p>	<p>BOY'S RAIN COATS WITH HOODS TO MATCH</p> <p>Each . . \$2.00</p>	<p>BOY'S CORDUROY PANTS TAN NARROW-WALE Sizes 8 to 14</p> <p>Pair . . . \$2.00</p>
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LITTLE DETAIL WAS IMPORTANT

CHICAGO, Jan. 31. (AP)—Raymond Pozlup, 26, manager of the Cherry Meat Packers, insisted to two gunmen that he did not know the combination of the safe. They argued as four other employees listened. Apparently convinced Pozlup did not know the combination, the two started to leave. One gunman stopped and yanked at the safe door. It was unlocked. The gunmen took \$1,500, city police said Pozlup reported yesterday.

Legion Charter Will Be Signed

With the permanent charter on hand and ready to be signed, Post Commander H. P. Steck Saturday urged that as many American Legion members as possible be on hand for a signing Thursday at 8 p. m. at the Legion hut.

The post here operated under a temporary charter for some time, he explained, and all those who were members of the post at the time the permanent charter was granted are entitled to sign the charter. Steck said he was anxious that the list of signatures be as complete as possible.



GANDHI ASSASSINATED AT PRAYER MEETING — Mohandas K. Gandhi, 78-year-old spiritual leader of India's Hindus, who was assassinated at a prayer meeting in New Delhi, is shown (left) surrounded by associates and law clerks outside his office when he was a practicing attorney in South Africa 35 years ago. The four close-ups at right of Gandhi picture him as a law student (top left); as a mustached political leader (upper right); in 1930 when he announced he would foster civil disobedience campaign against British rule in India (lower left); and as the revered Nationalist leader (lower right). (AP Wirephoto).

WANT WEIGHT BEHIND REPORT

Probers Of Texas Education Seeking Support Of Public

By Paul Bolton
Herald Austin Bureau
This is the first of two articles on the Gilmer-Aiken committee investigating Texas education.—Ed.)
AUSTIN, Jan. 31.—The Gilmer-Aiken committee to investigate education is going to embark upon what may be called a triple-jointed selling job at its next session, the first week in February.

This is the group set up to make a thorough-going study of the state's educational system and to bring in recommendations for its streamlining.

Hoping to avoid the fate of past committees—a thorough study, well-considered recommendations, a beautifully-printed report, then dust on the shelves of legislators' desks—the committee now proposes to ask for advisory councils. These councils would be drawn from statewide organizations. One would be set up for each sub-committee. They would have the function of (1) telling the committee what the people want; (2) telling the people what the committee's objections are.

Representatives of numerous statewide organizations have been asked to the meeting, Feb. 5-7, to talk about it. The committee is well aware that it must first arrive at its recommendations; then get the legislature to accept them. To better the chances for legislative acceptance, they want the general public to know and approve them as well.

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SPEAKS TO GROUP

State Library Leader Thinks Local Facilities Can Expand

Opportunities for the Howard County Free Library are extensive, and the Friends of the Library association can do much to bring many of these into reality. Mrs. Robert H. Wilson, Austin, extension director of the state library, told a luncheon group here Friday.

Mrs. Thomas announced committee appointments with Mrs. Ben LeFever and Nell Brown heading the book section group; Lee Milling and Matilda Maier, the discussion group; Bill Dawes, finance; Joe Pickle, publicity; Mrs. V. Van Gieson and Mrs. J. B. Young, memorial gifts; Mrs. H. C. Stipp and Mrs. John Coffee, children's activities; Mrs. Douglas Orme, W. E. Greenlee and Mrs. Matt Harrington, membership; Mrs. Ben Collins, Mrs. James T. Brooks, Mrs. John Hodges and Mrs. Portia Broadman, social activities; Mrs. Shine Phillips, fine arts.

Attending the luncheon were Miss Maier, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Collins, L. E. Milling, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Orme, Mrs. Hodges, Margaret L. Christie, Mrs. G. C. Sawtelle, Mrs. Cecil Collings, Miss Brown and Mrs. Van Gieson.

Activities of the central library could be pushed through adult groups (discussions, reviews, HD reading projects, etc.); through children's activities such as school cooperation, Boy and Girl Scout contracts, story hours, handicraft displays; through extension of library services to include Negro children, served by a branch of their own; through rural branches.

Secretaries Flock To Dallas Meeting

DALLAS, Jan. 31. (AP)—Secretaries from six southwestern states flocked into town today for a district meeting of the National Secretaries association. Main proposal on the two-day agenda is a proficiency and educational rating system to be presented by Miss Lucile Hummel, Tulsa University.

Photo Brings Gifts For Needy Family

DALLAS, Jan. 31. (AP)—Food, clothing, bedcovers, wood and \$150 in cash were given a west Dallas family as the result of an Associated Press photo published in the Dallas News Friday.

Carl Linde, Associated Press photographer, made the picture of three of the family's seven children, as they huddled around a fire in their cardboard-and-sheet-metal home.

TOO COLD

MAYVILLE, N. Y., Jan. 31. (AP)—A Chautauqua county court trial was suspended temporarily when Clerk Lucian Nowak found his ink had frozen.

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A SWEET TREAT MEET!
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One is the fabulous new Dynaflo Drive* where there is no gearshifting, even automatically. You just step on the gas—and motoring close to magic is yours.

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SHOP FROM HOME PHONE EXCHANGE 2330

Gold Star Mother Turns Spade Of Dirt That Symbolizes Start On VA Hospital

On a wind-swept plateau, 250 persons stood with bared heads under Friday afternoon's wintry sun, to watch a Gold Star mother turn a spade of dirt—and thus, symbolically, was started a multi-million dollar project destined to become the Veterans' Administration general hospital to serve West Texas.

This act, performed by Mrs. F. A. Farquhar, 405 W. 5th street, who lost a daughter in the last war, marked the climax of a 50-minute program which included words of dedication to the cause of restoring men crippled in conflict, of hope that these veterans will find a welcome haven here, and of the community's responsibility to those who do come.

The ground-breaking ceremonies drew representatives of the Veterans administration, which will operate the 250-bed hospital, of the Army Engineers, who are supervising its construction; of the general contractor and the architect; and of the servicemen's organizations which will work closely with the hospital administration.

That the project is an undertaking calling for cooperation all along the line was voiced by Col. Henry F. Hannis, District Engineer, Corps of Engineers, Albuquerque, N. M., whose office is overseeing the construction. Said Col. Hannis:

"It took cooperation between the people and their legislators to provide the money for this hospital; it took cooperation between the Corps of Engineers and the Veterans administration to arrange for the construction; it takes cooperation between the contractor and the architect to complete the job; and will take the cooperation of all West Texas citizens to see that the usefulness of this institution is of the highest."

Col. Hannis pledged the full efforts of his department in providing the best in building and facilities for the treatment of veterans.

District Judge Cecil Collins concluded the program with an address in which he emphasized the responsibility of Big Spring people "as Americans" to do "all we can to make the veterans' load lighter, to give them a kind word, to show our appreciation for their sacrifices, to extend our respect to their families who visit, and to serve them in the way all good American citizens should serve." Collins concluded his remarks with the "dedication of this ground to the cause of helping those men and women who served their country in its hour of need." The hospital, he said, belongs to the veterans of



PEPPY BLOUNT, state representative from this district and a veteran of World War II, appeared on the hospital ground breaking program. (Jack M. Haynes Photo).

celebrate." A brief review of the community's activities in bidding for the hospital was given by Chamber of Commerce Manager J. H. Green. He hailed the fruition of that effort as an example of the cooperative work of the citizenship.

Another speaker was State Rep. R. E. (Peppy) Blount, Jr., who lauded those men who will come for treatment—"the men who sac-

CONSTRUCTION SET

Actual construction of the VA hospital should get under way this week, it was said by Louis G. Bradley, project engineer. Contractor's office building has been pre-fabricated in Dallas, he said, and is expected to arrive here Monday for on-the-ground erection. Earth-moving machinery also was expected over the weekend, and leveling and excavation work is due to commence immediately, under a sub-contract awarded by the general contractor, Robert E. McKee.

ricified so that we might continue the American way of life."

Speaking for the Veterans administration was Fred Young of Lubbock, who said his agency was providing the very latest word in hospital construction, and hopes to maintain here "one of the best hospitals in the U. S." Young cautioned that "unless we want to build more and more hospitals such as this in the future, let us keep our nation defensively strong."

Words of greeting, with pledges of aid to the hospital program were voiced by Art Kerns, commander of the VFW post here, and Harold P. Steck, American Legion commander. Sid Lowery, Lubbock, state department service officer of the Legion, also spoke briefly, reminding West Texans of their responsibility to the veterans who come to the hospital.

Introduced by Col. Hannis were: Robert E. McKee, Dallas, of the construction firm which holds general contract on the hospital; Frank H. Gruver of the Albuquerque Engineers office; Louis G. Bradley, who is assigned here as project engineer; and C. V. Head and M. J. Patton, representing Wyatt C. Hedrick, architectural designer of the building.

County Judge Walton Morrison was master of ceremonies, and Rev. James Parks, East Fourth Street Baptist church pastor, gave the invocation following opening numbers by the Big Spring high school band.

At the conclusion of Collins' ded-



FRED YOUNG of Lubbock, represented the Veterans Administration in the ceremonies marking ground-breaking for the VA hospital. (Jack M. Haynes Photo).

icatory remarks, Mrs. Farquhar was handed a decorated shovel to turn the first dirt.

Mrs. Farquhar was chosen to represent Gold Star mothers of the area, since she lost a daughter, Lieut. LaVerne Farquhar, in the war. The daughter, an Army nurse, was a casualty at the Anzio beachhead in Italy Feb. 10, 1944. She had volunteered for service in February, 1942, after having nurses' training at Kings' Daughters hospital, Temple, and serving professionally for a number of years at Abilene.

A son of Mrs. Farquhar, Sgt. James T., was in the Army Air Corps and was stationed at the Big Spring bombardier school. Two other sons, William G. and Robert, still are serving in the U. S. Navy.

Car Bathing

BOSTON (U.P.)—A \$150,000 shower bath which can wash 450 passenger cars daily has been installed by the New Haven Railroad at its Dover Street yards.

TEXANS IN WASHINGTON

Insufficient Storage Called Crux Of Butane Gas Shortage

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (AP)—The butane gas shortage which is hitting so many Texas rural homes has been of concern to Rep. Lindsey Beckworth of Gladewater. He made inquiries and was informed by Governor Beauford Jester's office that the trouble is largely one of insufficient storage capacity to meet demands in cold weather.

The interior department's oil and gas division commented that exports of butane are so negligible in quantity, because of insufficient special pressure tanker vessels, that overseas shipments are not responsible as some people have believed.

Texas Congressman Wright Patman is coming out with a new book, and he says the Republicans are responsible.

The volume, which is to be released Feb. 20, is to be entitled "Our American Government," with a subheading, "The Answers to 1001 Questions on How it Works."

Ten years ago Patman compiled 152 questions and answers on government, how it is set up and how it operates. These were published in pamphlet form by the government printing office as a document in accordance with provisions of a resolution adopted in the house.

Originally the pamphlets cost 10 cents, later enlarged editions went up to 25 cents and then back to 20 cents. The profit of these has netted the government over the years just about the same amount as his salary, Patman estimates.

On that day the Republicans took control of Congress, and he was no longer able to persuade a majority of the House members to authorize a new and revised edition of his pamphlet.

He says, "the upshot was that a publishing company sold him on

the idea of compiling the information he has gathered over the years into a regular book. It will cost \$1.50 for a paper bound copy and \$2.75 for a clothbound edition of 152 pages.

President Harry S. Truman, shown a proof copy of the volume, wrote: "Every American can read this book with profit since it answers correctly so many questions which are not completely understood by so many good citizens."

With the voluntary retirement of Rep. Milton West of Brownsville, effective at the end of the present 80th Congress, Texas House members will have a tough selection to make among themselves in filling West's spot on the Ways and Means committee.

House minority leader Sam Rayburn says the vacancy will be filled by a Texan, notwithstanding the fact that many other states undoubtedly will seek to get representation on that most important of all committees.

Rep. Ken Regan of Midland expressed a desire to get on Ways and Means when he entered Congress last year. He would have an uphill struggle to win selection as West's successor because many members with more seniority undoubtedly also would prefer the position; nevertheless his bid is looked upon with favor by some of his colleagues. The Texas delegation makes the choice.

Mexican food is always a favorite with Texans away from home, so Texans in the capital are looking forward to the opening soon of "Little Mexico" restaurant in northwest Washington. It is to be operated by Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Whitney, who have had such places in Texarkana and San Antonio.

Ralph D. Pittman, the president of the Texas State Society, acted as attorney for a group financing the enterprise.

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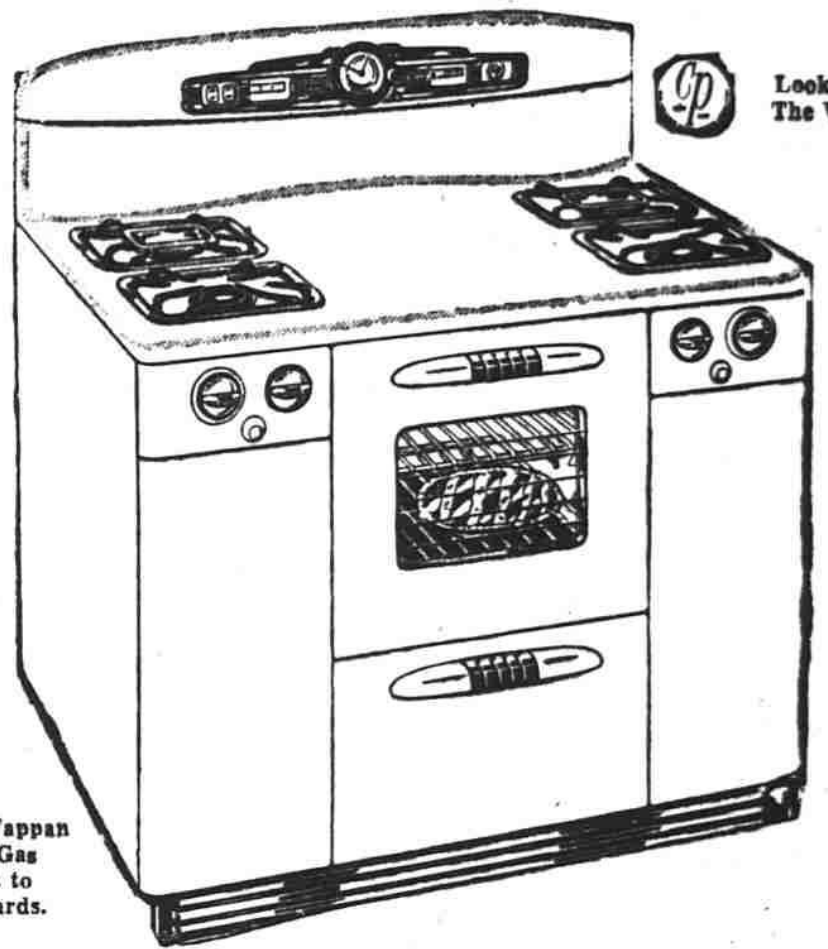
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If you're looking for automatic lighting, automatic heat control, even an automatic clock control that cooks an oven dinner deliciously while you are out of the house... you want a new automatic Gas range.
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Gas for cooking is cleaner, cooler, easier. Add to this the extra-insulated oven, the instant turn-off, the tailored flame which prevents heat loss around the sides of pans... and you see why the new automatic Gas ranges are unbeatable!
- 5. Which is the most economical to operate?**
Only Gas can offer you so much for so little! The new Gas ranges built to "CP" standards not only cost less than any other comparable range—but are wonderfully economical to operate!
- 6. Which has the largest variety of models?**
Today, you can get new, modern, automatic Gas ranges in dozens of styles, dozens of models, all built to "CP" standards. The super-modern Tappan Gas range shown is just one model from one manufacturer. See all the beautiful new models now available; there's one just right for your "New Freedom Gas Kitchen"!



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White Newspaperman Asks Entry To Sooner Negro Law School

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 31. (AP)—In Oklahoma, where the present furor on Negro school segregation started with the Ada Sipuel Fisher case, the issue today waited on developments.

Major decisions have yet to be made in three cases:

1. The application of a prominent white Oklahoma newspaperman, Walter M. Harrison, 57, for admittance to the new Negro school of law, Harrison, who accused state officials of "ducking like moles" on the issue, is the only prospective student the school has. Negroes have shunned it. Harrison is a former managing editor of the Oklahoma City Oklahoman and Times, and is an ex-army officer. He was rejected as a non-Negro yesterday, but the state is now reconsidering.
2. The application of six Negroes for admittance to graduate courses at the all-white University of Oklahoma. The attorney general is trying to prepare a hard-and-fast opinion on this case at request of the school's regents.
3. The United States supreme court case of Mrs. Ada Lois Sipuel Fisher, 22, who started the whole affair with her two-year battle to enter the university as its first Negro student. The state opened the separate Negro law school for her, but she rejected it and has asked the supreme court to compel Oklahoma to admit her to the university. The court meets again Monday, and any action it may take in the Fisher case will have a radical effect on the whole segregation issue.

FAYETTE, Ark. Jan. 31. (AP)—The University of Arkansas announced that qualified Negro students applying for graduate work will be admitted under "special arrangement."

But the student whose application led to the announcement, Clifford Davis, apparently isn't interested in enrolling on the university's terms.

Announcement that Davis would be admitted was made by Dr. Lewis Webster Jones, university president yesterday.

Another university official explained that "special arrangement" meant Davis would attend a separate classroom in the law school building, but would receive regular instruction from faculty members.

MACON, Ga., Jan. 31. (AP)—A 25-year-old white divinity student said last night he and his wife had been accepted into membership of a Negro Baptist church here.

The student, Jack Singletary of Meigs, Ga., said his application and that of his wife for membership in church had been accepted "very cordially" last week. Singletary's only comment was "we try to do whatever we do in the best interests of God."

The Dominican Republic is a little smaller than West Virginia.



ARKANSAS TRAVELER — Her last "passenger" aboard. Mrs. Arthur Lamear, 52, of Bethel, Vermont, stands beside her horse-drawn covered wagon before leaving Fairhaven, Vermont, on the second day of her 1,600-mile journey from Bethel to Arkansas with 11 thoroughbred goats and two mongrel dogs. She is seeking a new home in a milder climate for her invalid husband, who will join her later. (AP Wirephoto).

Heavy Gains Are Registered In Warranty Deed Filings

Two local business yardsticks suffered during the last week's cold weather, while others made impressive gains accounting for one of the busiest weeks since the war.

Heaviest gains were made in warranty deed filings which skyrocketed January figures above the quarter-million dollar mark. Twenty-nine instruments filed at the county clerk's office listed transaction figures totalling \$122,922 for the week, closing out the month with an aggregate of \$266,966. If maintained for a sizeable portion of the year, such a pace would definitely establish a new annual record.

New motor vehicle registrations also gained since the last reports following a temporary decline. The county tax-assessor-collector's office was called upon to license 20 new passenger cars and four new trucks during the week.

Building and construction activity presented a completely different picture, however, as did livestock markets. Weather conditions which virtually stalled construction work kept building permits down to a mere \$6,930 for the week, accounting for a January total of \$86,360. Regular livestock sales were cancelled due to weather conditions.

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Publisher Dies

WEATHERFORD, Tex. Jan. 31. (AP)—Funeral services were pending today for Robert Kerr Phillips, 70, postmaster here since 1934 and a

former newspaper publisher Phillips died at his home here yesterday. He established the Eastland Daily Oil Belt News in 1919 and published the Weatherford Democrat from 1925 until 1941.

Airport Activated

BRYAN, Tex. Jan. 31. (AP)—Bryan's Wartime army air field today was a vital cog in the Civil Aeronautics Administration's airport plan. A low frequency radio beam and communications and weather station was put in operation yesterday when Travis B. Bryan, III grandson of the founder of Bryan, pulled the operating switch.

Anthony's DOLLAR DAY

Once again Anthony's bring you Super Values for this Dollar Day Event. Listed here are only a few of the Many Values you'll find when you visit your Friendly Anthony's in Big Spring. Shop Anthony's Tomorrow and SAVE.

Men's Dress Shirts

Fancy print broadcloth... fast color and sanforized assorted neat stripe patterns... nicely tailored... Size 14 to 17... Were 1.98.

2 for \$3.00

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These dresses were selected for this Dollar Day Event. This group represents SAVINGS of many dollars. Re-Grouped and Re-Priced to...

SELL

Ladies' Cotton Mercerized BRIEFS 8 for \$1 Irregulars

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Sizes 2 to 6... A real Value.

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White and Tearose... assorted sizes... irregulars.

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Lace trim and tailored... irregulars of 98c quality.

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Cotton knit briefs with durable all elastic waist Sizes S, M, L. Irregulars.

3 for \$1.00

Boys' SWEATERS

Made of this fine quality 100% pure wool. Popular long sleeve. Pullover style... solid and fancy colors... Sizes 6 to 12 Were 2.98.

\$2.00

Men's CANVAS GLOVES

12 ounce canvas gloves... famous Boss Walloper and Buckhide brands... knit wrist.

27c

Men's GABARDINE HATS

Good sweat band... sultan color... Size 6 7/8 to 7 1/2.

98c

Ladies' First Quality NYLON HOSE

51 gauge... black beauty... bronze skin...

\$1.79

18"x36" Plaid CANNON TOWELS

Colors: Red, Blue, Green and Gold.

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Ladies' First Quality RAYON PANTIES

Special price for this Dollar Day Event.

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Piece Goods

200 yards of Printed Spuns... Regular 79c yd... for Dollar Day, only...

59c

Men's Dress Sox

Rayon body... elastic top... ankle length... Sizes 10 to 12... assorted patterns and colors... thirds.

5 pr. \$1.00

Ladies' Novelty Satin House Shoes

Values To 2.98, Now Only... **\$1.49**

Others 3.98 Values, Now 2.49

Men's Ties

Fancy Ties in Silk, Rayon, or Wool... Values to \$1.50

3 for \$1.00

Ladies' Briefs

Mercerized... Rayon Stripe

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Children's Polo Shirts

Button on shoulders... assorted colors... Sizes 1 to 8... a real value.

2 for \$1.00

New Chevrolets Now On Display



The new 1948 Chevrolet models, incorporating design changes dictated by a minimum change-over period in order to insure high production flow, are now on display in Big Spring at the Lone Star Chevrolet company.

The 11 models in three series all feature a re-designed radiator grille, pleasing new color harmonies in interior upholstery and engine changes providing a more rigid crankshaft and more durable bearings.

HCJC Offering Course in Bible

Persons interested in taking a Bible course in the "Life and Letters of Paul" are urged to come to room 213 at the high school building Tuesday at 4 p. m.

Organization of the class is to be completed at that time. For those who desire, the course carries college credit, being offered in conjunction with Howard County Junior College. It is, however, open for any who are interested for credit or non-credit. Mrs. Elizabeth Johansen is to be instructor and the class meets twice weekly—on Tuesday and Thursday.

T&P Employee Dies Here On Saturday

Jim Harris, employe at the Texas and Pacific railroad shop, died Saturday morning.

The body will be sent to Marlin Monday night and burial will be in Highbank Wednesday at 3 p. m.

He is survived by his wife, three daughters, one son, five brothers, two sisters and his mother.

A minimum of time was lost in conversion for the new models, thus enabling the largest builder of motor cars in the world to produce a maximum number of automobiles for the motoring public, which is so greatly in need of new vehicles.

The three series of the new models are the superlatively styled Fleetline, in two body types featuring low, sweeping contours; the de luxe Fleetmaster, with five body styles including a cabriolet and a station wagon; and the Stylemaster, offering unusual refinements in the economy price range. All models feature bodies by Fisher, exclusive in the low-price class.

The re-designed front-end grille has been changed by the addition of a modernistic T-shaped, chrome center bar which extends upward to the base of the Chevrolet name plate on the top horizontal grille bar.

The smooth, over-all contours of the front end and sides of the car, achieved through omission of horizontal moldings on the hood and side of the body, are retained in the 1948 models. Fenders, hood, body and door panels all blend in form and color, presenting an overall appearance of simplicity and massiveness in the entire car.

Receives Remission Of Jail Sentence

AUSTIN, Jan. 31.—Ponciano Garcia today received remission of a 30-day county jail sentence imposed June 13, 1947, in Jim Wells county.

Gov. Beauford H. Jester's proclamation granting the remission said numerous citizens have petitioned the board of pardons and paroles for clemency in behalf of Garcia.

Improvements Being Sought For Libraries

AUSTIN, Jan. 31.—School administration in all parts of Texas will have an opportunity this spring to have a firsthand look at how their library facilities may be improved in the face of limited resources.

Under the direction of Miss Mattie Ruth Moore, director of the department of education's school library division, eleven demonstration centers will be spotted strategically over the state in schools of 300 enrollment or under.

This is part of a long-range plan to improve the library facilities of Texas schools to meet the demands of modern "personalized" educational methods and to satisfy nationwide recognition standards that are becoming increasingly rigid.

The plan has actually been under way for two years under a grant to the state department of education from the general education board. Texas was the eleventh state to receive such a grant.

Originally, the grant was made to run through August, 1947, and an effort was made to shift the financial responsibility for the program to the state. An item for it was eliminated in conference committee during the 50th session of the Legislature, but the general education board extended its grant for another year to keep the plan alive. The effort to obtain state financing will be renewed before the 51st Legislature meeting a year hence.

Figures in the department of education show that of the state's approximately 1,300 high schools, only 300 had trained librarians on their faculties, forty-seven of the 270 schools holding membership in the Southern Association of Colleges and secondary schools had to be warned by the Texas committee because of their lack of adequately trained librarians.

This association is an accrediting agency. To meet the emergency thus presented, the library division went to work to step up teacher-training programs for the instruction of librarians, and to inform schools of what steps they must take to maintain their standards.

At Mother's Bedside

E. C. Dodd, president of the Howard County Junior College, left Saturday night to be at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. J. A. Dodd, who suffered a fractured shoulder when she slipped and fell on ice last week. Mrs. Dodd is confined to a hospital in Texas.

Canada has won the Olympic ice hockey crown three of the four times the event has been held.

Jester Still Has Favor Of State

AUSTIN, Jan. 31.—Although governor Beauford Jester's popularity index has declined during his first year in office, it still remains at a high level.

Two months after the governor's inauguration, about nine out of every ten eligible voters with opinions approved the way he was handling his job as chief executive; in the fourth quarter of his first year, eight out of every ten approved.

At five different times during the governor's first year in office, interviewers of The Texas Poll asked the eligible voters of the state the following question:

Time	Approve	Disapprove
After 2 months in office	87%	13%
After 4 months in office	81	19
After 6 months in office	81	19
After 8 months in office	83	17
After 11 months in office	80	20

The above table includes only eligible voters with opinions. The undecided element is eliminated, 23 per cent of the voters on the last survey.

On the last survey, analysis shows that the governor's greatest degree of public approval comes from people living in the small towns and medium-sized cities. More people disapprove in the large cities than do people in smaller towns and rural areas.

The drop in Governor Jester's popularity during his first year follows what appears to be a normal pattern. Public opinion polls often have shown that chief executives lose in public esteem when they begin acting officially on controversial public matters.

Denton Paper Will Show Its New Home

DENTON, Jan. 31.—The Denton Record-Chronicle will show its modern new home Monday and Tuesday. The formal opening climaxes a three-year program of improvements by Publisher Riley Cross since he purchased the newspaper in April, 1945.

The page volume of the newspaper and the number of employes have more than doubled in the last three years.

Tomorrow, in a 92-page openhouse and progress edition, the Record-Chronicle will present stories and pictures of the concrete and steel plant along with news of Denton's industrial, educational, agricultural and civic progress.

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(25 Additional Words or Less)

I have, so far, collected and am holding "Treasure Tops" with a total of _____ different designs, not including the one enclosed herewith. I have received assistance and advice in preparation of my entry from the following dealer:

DEALER'S NAME _____
(Your dealer may win a special prize if he has assisted you.)

and ADDRESS _____
(Be sure to enclose one "Treasure Top" with this entry.)

(Not necessary to use this blank. Use any sheet of paper but be sure your entry is complete in every detail.)

HERE ARE THE OFFICIAL CONTEST RULES:

- On your entry blank or a sheet of paper, complete this statement in 25 words or less—"Pepsi-Cola hits the spot because...". Then write down your own name and address, the name of the head of your family, the name and address of the Pepsi-Cola dealer who helped you, and the total number of different designs on Pepsi-Cola "Treasure Tops" you have collected. Then mail your entry, together with one Pepsi-Cola "Treasure Top" with cork removed to show hidden design, to:
Pepsi-Cola "Treasure Top" Contests,
P. O. Box 18,
New York 8, N. Y.
- Entries with insufficient postage will not be accepted.
- The number of different designs you have collected will not be a factor in the awarding of the prizes. However, when you win a monthly prize, you must be able to show your total collection of different designs reported in the winning entry. Also, it's fun to collect and swap "Treasure Tops". Do not send your collection of "Treasure Tops" with your entry. Send in only one top with each entry.
- You may enter these contests as many times each month as you wish, but no entry postmarked after June 30, 1948 will be accepted. Each time you enter, whether you win a cash prize or not, we will mail you a Treasure Certificate good for 100 points toward the \$25,000 Family Sweepstakes Prizes. If you win any one of the monthly prizes, you will receive 100 additional Treasure Certificate points.
- All entries received during each calendar month will be judged in that month's contest. Entries from each state (and from the District of Columbia) will be judged separately, and will compete for the monthly state prizes only with other entries from that state.
- Monthly cash prizes as listed on this page will be awarded on the basis of aptness, originality and interest of the statements submitted (see Rule 1.) Each month's national prizes will be awarded to the three best entries of the 49 state first-prize winners in each monthly contest. All entries will be judged by the impartial judging staff of The Reuben H. Donnelley Corporation, an independent, nationally-known contest judging organization. Decisions of the judges will be final. Names of winners will be published.
- All entries must be prepared by the contestant. Elaborate or fancy entries will not count extra. All entries and statements become the property of the Pepsi-Cola Company and none will be returned. In case of ties, the prize tier for will be awarded to each tied contestant, except for the sweepstakes prizes, procedure for which is listed under Rule 8.
- Only contestants living within the 48 states or the District of Columbia will be eligible. Anyone may enter these contests except the employees of the Pepsi-

- Cola Company. Pepsi-Cola bottling companies or their advertising agencies. Members of the families of these employees are also excluded.
- 8. HUGE NATIONAL SWEEPSTAKES PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED AS FOLLOWS:**
- (a) Each Treasure Certificate received by you or members of your family (see Rule 3) counts 100 Sweepstakes Points for your family. *Save them!* (For the purpose of this contest, a "family" shall be considered as only persons related by blood, marriage or adoption living in the same household under one family head.)
- (b) The 100 families, plus families tying with any of them, who have received the greatest number of Sweepstakes Points in the competition, qualify for the Sweepstakes Finals. Each family thus qualifying must be prepared to show the total number of Treasure Certificates received by the family and also to show the total number of "Treasure Top" designs reported in the family's entries (see Rule 1). Both the number of Treasure Certificates and the number of "Treasure Top" designs must agree with official contest records of the judging staff and these records will be considered final where any discrepancy occurs.
- (c) The qualifying families will then be promptly notified and each family will be required to submit one statement of fifty words or less on the subject "How the Sales of Pepsi-Cola Can Be Increased". They must get the help of their Pepsi-Cola dealer in preparing this statement and must submit that dealer's name and address. The Sweepstakes Prizes will then be awarded by the impartial judging staff, mentioned in Rule 5, on the basis of aptness, originality and sincerity of the statements thus submitted.
- These contests are subject to all state and local laws and regulations.
- HERE ARE THE BIG CASH PRIZES**
- FAMILY SWEEPSTAKES PRIZES:**
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| 1st Prize | \$25,000.00 |
| 2nd Prize | 5,000.00 |
| 3rd Prize | 2,000.00 |
| 4th Prize | 1,000.00 |
| 5th Prize | 500.00 |
| 35 Prizes | 100.00 |
- MONTHLY NATIONAL PRIZES:**
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| 1st Prize | \$1,000.00 |
| 2nd Prize | 500.00 |
| 3d Prize | 250.00 |
- MONTHLY PRIZES IN EACH STATE:**
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|--------------------|------------|
| 1st Prize | \$100.00 |
| 2nd Prize | 50.00 |
| 3rd Prize | 25.00 |
| 4th to 10th Prizes | each 10.00 |
| Next 41 Prizes | each 5.00 |

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call gets a chance to compete for the grandchampionship of the show.

Howard county won't be important at the polls this year by a long shot. What the final count will be is a matter of conjecture...

Jake Bruton, county juvenile officer, put out an appeal last week for a home for an 8-year-old lad.

The city ought to furnish a traffic officer to direct parking or else furnish grandstand seats in the vicinity of excavation work for paving.

Incidentally, the way was all but opened last week for paving of Gollad street from Ninth to Eleventh Place...

Housing continues short here, and hope of relief from new construction is at best many months off.

Looking toward a major savings bond campaign in April, Nathan Adams, Dallas, chairman of the advisory committee for Texas, has alerted county chairmen.

In a letter to Ira L. Thurman, county bond chairman, Adams urged him to begin reactivation of his committees in anticipation of the Security Loan Drive.

He commented that the \$202,896,000 record in 1947 for the state was a little below the national average...

Gravel Company Gets VA Contract

West Texas Sand and Gravel Company of Big Spring has been given contract to furnish sand and gravel materials for the Veterans Administration hospital project.

Hurns Have Son

Word has been received here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hurn at Corpus Christi on Jan. 25.

A dinner meeting at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday in the Settles hotel will launch the big gifts division of the Buffalo Trail Council Boy Scout Ranch campaign.

Over 10,000 Boy Scouts, parents, officials and supporters in 15 counties from Pecos to Sweetwater will be part of the campaign to raise \$200,000 to improve a 6,000-acre tract in the Davis mountains...

Other big gifts field chairmen in the council include J. M. Waddell for Pecos, Kermit and Monahan; John D. Mitchell for Odessa; Holt Jowell for Midland; C. R. Simmons for Sweetwater, Rotan and Snyder.

Council vice-chairmen for special gifts in Big Spring are Champ Rainwater and J. E. Forte. Others in the council include Judge Earl W. Bell and Ira Hopper, Pecos; G. H. Mitchell and G. E. Thompson, Kermit; Roy McKee and Rickard Hinkle, Midland; M. N. Cadedell and G. D. Foster, Colorado City; Harley Sadler and Ed Neinaf, Sweetwater; Wayne Boren and R. A. Schooling, Snyder; Robert Morris and Henry Withers, Rotan.

Campaign offices are in Pecos, Odessa, Midland, Big Spring and Sweetwater.

Formal kickoff for the campaign on a council-wide scope is set for Feb. 9, during simultaneous, nation-wide observance of Scout anniversary week and the 15-county observance of the Silver Jubilee of the Buffalo Trail Council.

Pleads Guilty

A. D. Crews, charged with defrauding by obtaining things of value with a worthless check, entered a plea of guilty in county court Saturday morning and was fined \$10 plus expenses.

Trial Delayed

Trial of Randolph Marion, charged with receiving and concealing stolen property, which was to have started in 70th district court Friday, was continued until the next term due to the failure of several witnesses to arrive.

ON NETWORK

Broadcast Will Start Scout Week

Boy Scouts of the Buffalo Trail Council will begin observance of National Boy Scout week Friday afternoon with a half-hour broadcast on a special network of eight radio stations in the area...

The 30-minute program will originate in council headquarters at Midland. It will include proclamations by mayors of all cities and towns in the council, setting aside the week of Feb. 6-12 as Boy Scout Week...

A special feature will be a transcribed message from Gov. Beaufort H. Jester, which has been prepared especially for the occasion.

The program also will signal approach of the council's Scout Ranch campaign, a project designed to raise \$200,000 for financing development of a 6,000-acre tract in the Davis mountains for a camping area.

Simultaneously with the program huge flags will be hoisted in all communities throughout the 15-county council to focus public attention upon the campaign.

VISITS HERE

Mrs. C. C. Worrell, accompanied by George and Joyce Worrell, were visitors here this week end from Lubbock.

COURT RULING

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 31.—Attorney General Mac Q. Williamson late today ruled it would be "unlawful" for the University of Oklahoma regents to admit six Negroes who seek graduate work.

LODGE HITS 'WEATHER MEDDLERS' WHO CREATED 'CHAOTIC WINTER'

QUARRYVILLE, Pa., Jan. 31.—Declaring that it will never tolerate the "weather meddlers" who created "this chaotic winter," the Slumbering Lodge of Groundhogs today mapped plans for its annual forecasting ritual.

Court Will Turn To Civil Docket

Attentions of 70th district court will turn from its criminal to its civil docket this week.

Ten cases have been set down for the week. They are Mattie Shoultz vs. Nona Belle Saunders, defendant's motion for want of prosecution; Edward L. Lovelless vs. Dutch Iserman, damages; A. N. Stephens vs. S. J. Huestis, damages; T. C. McLaughlin vs. Olsen Drilling Co., damages; Oscar Martin et al vs. Frank Miller et al, damages; Crespin Chevarria et al vs. Farmer's Gin Co., damages; Trinity Universal Insurance Co. vs. George C. Swint, Jr., damages; C. C. Thompson et ux vs. J. B. Bucher, damages; Mrs. A. M. Runyan vs. Banner Creamery Co., hearing on plea of privilege; and W. T. Holt vs. Fred E. Keating, damages.

the bondless treasurer, "the chaotic conditions these weather meddlers would produce. Already they are credited with having caused the hurricane in the southern states and the never-to-be-forgotten New York snowstorm."

According to tradition, the "nature forecasters" of the lodge will march out in top hat and false whiskers to the hole of the groundhog for observations Monday.

If the woodchuck spots his shadow, he'll go back underground and there will be six more weeks of winter. If not, Hensel declared, you can put away your red underwear and be sure that the winter is at an end.

Midlander To Pay Honor To Truman

MIDLAND, Jan. 31.—Taylor Cole of Midland, president of the international junior chambers of commerce, said today he will present President Truman an honorary membership in the Midland chamber of commerce and a gift from Midland in Washington next Wednesday.

Cole will visit in Washington en route to a Jaycee meeting in Canada.

More than 10,000 lakes have been charted in the Minnesota lake region.

Joe Beiden and associates, who have operated the Texas Poll and have been in commercial research fields in the Southwest since 1935, have gone south of the Border. Beiden has announced opening of an office in Mexico City. He has been in Mexico for more than a year, first experimenting to determine feasibility of consumer investigations in Mexico then setting up an organization. A dozen studies by his staff have convinced him that surveys can be conducted in Mexico with the same degree of accuracy as in the U. S.

Crash Heard

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 31.—The Tennessee highway patrol tonight said it heard a large plane had crashed in flames near Tiptonville, Tenn., but three hours later no wreckage had been found.

Five kinds of cockroaches are found frequently in American homes.

A SWEET TREAT MEET! See The Movie Page

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TEXANS AT CAPITOL — Guy Jackson, Anaheim, president of Texas Water Conservation Association; Rep. Tom Fickett (D-Tex.); John W. Fulbright, Beaumont, president of Intracoastal Association and Rep. J. M. Combs (D-Tex.); Beaumont (left to right), chat on Capitol Hill in Washington after a House Appropriations subcommittee hearing where Texans backed government aid for waterway projects in their state. (AP Photo.)

Mrs. Ida Collins Asks Re-Election To County Post

Announcement that she will be a candidate for re-election to the office of county treasurer of Howard county, subject to the Democratic primaries, has been made by Mrs. Ida Collins.

A native of Erath county, Mrs. Collins has resided in Howard county for the past 42 years. For the past decade, she has lived in Big Spring.

Mrs. Collins has raised three children in Howard county. One of them is a graduate of the US Naval Academy and at present an officer in the Navy.

In a statement submitted to The Herald, Mrs. Collins said: "In announcing for re-election, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you personally for the vote and support the people have given me in the past.

"I appreciate their faith and confidence in electing me to the office of county treasurer. I have tried at all times to serve the people and I seek their continued good will and support in the primary election."

See The Movie Page *A SWEET TREAT MEET! MISS Wholesome*

TEC Traffic Up By 300 Per Cent

Traffic has increased 300 per cent at the Texas Employment Commission office within the past two weeks, L. O. Connally, manager, reported Saturday.

While this has not been reflected in placement increases, Connally felt that it was an indication that placements would start picking up

sharply in February.

Those referred to jobs during December and January followed a 10 per cent seasonal decline, but with the VA hospital job around the corner, together with a paving and a pipeline project in operation, Connally said that job inquiries were increasing steadily. About one-third of those asking about work could be classified as transient labor, he said, that had heard elsewhere about the local projects.

KEYS made at Johnny Griffin's.

NOTICE

The West Texas Livestock Auction Co. Is Now

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EAST TEXAS AIDED FIRST

Emergency Butane Moving Through Regular Channels

AUSTIN, Jan. 31. — Emergency supplies of butane for Texas homes and hospitals are moving through regular distribution channels and more will be moved in the next few days.

The Governor's emergency fuel commission reported only 12 calls for more supplies have come from butane distributors today.

Emphasizing that it is not allocating the emergency quantities

of butane released by wholesalers at the request of the commission, Chairman William J. (Bill) Murray said East Texas was where the first "extra" butane started moving.

The commission reported supplies moving into the Hill country and the Dallas-Fort Worth area as well as East Texas. These areas have been the most critically affected by the butane shortage during the cold spell of the past week.

Winters said Kerville, which has a municipal butane system, "ran pretty low but did get some additional gas yesterday."

No calls for butane have come from the Panhandle.

East Texas had the greatest need because the cold spell hit there first and lasted longer and because it has a great deal of rural population, Murray said.

"Nearly every butane dealer is in a pretty tight situation," he added.

Murray and other members of the emergency commission made a plea to the consuming public to conserve butane as much as possible, and Murray commented, "We're hoping for warm weather."

He said the commission told retailers who are receiving increased allotments: "If you hike prices after the wholesalers have sacrificed their reserves, we're going to feel very badly about it."

"We have now just about canvassed all possible sources we knew of or could learn of where butane could be diverted to domestic consumers," Murray reported.

He was unable to estimate how much extra butane will be made available by Texas producers and manufacturers who voluntarily have released reserve supplies.

"We have practically exhausted all reserves," he said.

"Another cold spell and we will face the same situation, so all butane users should conserve as much as possible," warned Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the department of public safety.

"This extra butane wasn't given to the commission to allocate," John Winters, director of public welfare, reminded. "The producers merely promised to give what they could to regular customers, and we are encouraging the retailers to divert as much as possible to hardship cases."

Airport School Classes May Be Started Soon

School officials expressed hope Saturday that it would be possible to begin holding classes in a classroom building at the airport area this week.

Electricians have finished with their work and heating facilities are being put into order. If carpenters can be assigned to make ready the building will be ready by the end of the week.

All-day sessions will be held in the building for students in the first, second and third grades, said Dean Bennett, supervisor of elementary education. This will relieve the situation at West Ward school so that space conditions will permit the fourth and fifth grades there to go back on regular all-day sessions instead of the double day plan which has been in force. First, second and third grades at West Ward, however, will continue on the double day schedule.

Enrollments continue in the face of bad weather last week, elementary schools averaging from five to 10 increase each, said Bennett. High school registration remained steady, said W. L. Reed, principal.

Emergency Parole Revoked By Jester

AUSTIN, Jan. 31. — The 15-day emergency parole of Grady Howard Lisby was revoked today by Gov. Beauford H. Jester. Action was ordered because Lisby was reported seen in Tarrant county, without permission of his parole advisor, bragging of his status and claiming he "will probably never have to go back to the penitentiary," the governor's proclamation said.

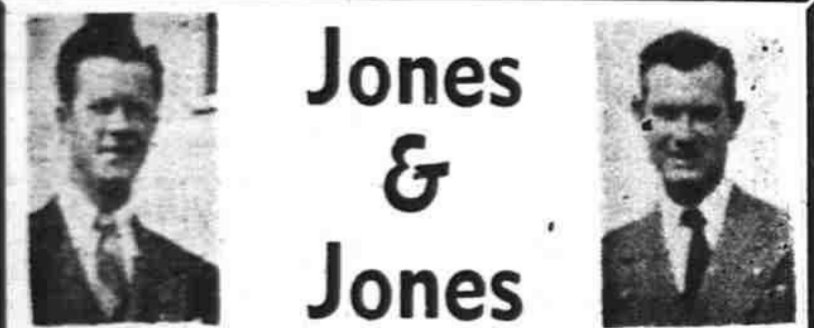
Lisby was convicted in the district court of Tarrant county and sentenced July 18, 1947, to 10 years for murder with malice.

He was granted the emergency parole five days ago to Titus county in order to visit his brother, who was reported to be critically ill.

One Killed In Crash Of Cars Near Jasper

JASPER, Jan. 31. — William Pierce Womack, Jr., 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Womack of Jasper, was killed and four other persons were seriously injured in a head-on collision of two automobiles here yesterday.

The injured were Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Humphreys of Kilgore; Presley Eldon Ward of Mount Pleasant, and Clyde Stephens of Jasper.



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This exciting, wonderful contest closes at the stroke of midnight, Friday, April 30, 1948. So don't delay. Start reading "Hints on How to Win" right now. Send in your entry today.

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3. Entries must be postmarked on or before midnight, April 30, 1948.
4. Entries will be judged for originality, suitability and aptness of thought. Judges' decisions will be final. First prize winner will have choice of 2 round trips to Switzerland or a 1948 DeSoto Convertible Coupe. Second prize winner will receive either 2 round trips to Switzerland or 1948 DeSoto Convertible Coupe, depending on choice of the first prize winner. Duplicate prizes will be awarded in case of ties. No entries will be returned and there will be no correspondence in reference to the entries. All entries and ideas therein become the property of American-Burlington Buslines which shall have the right to use, with contestants' names, in American-Burlington advertising.
5. Winners will be notified by mail. Complete list of winners will be available about June 1, 1948. For list, send self-addressed, stamped envelope.
6. This contest is open to every person in the continental United States... except employees of American Buslines-Burlington Trailways, its affiliates, its advertising agency and members of their immediate families. Contest is subject to all federal and state regulations.

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2nd PRIZE: Either of above not selected by 1st prize winner

3rd PRIZE: \$2,400 Canadian Beaver Fur Coat

4th PRIZE: 1948 Crosley Station Wagon

5th PRIZE: Hallicrafters Carnegie Hall Radio-Phonograph

NEXT 4 PRIZES: Thor Automagic Washing Machines

NEXT 5 PRIZES: Expense-paid bus tours to New York or Hollywood for 2 persons

NEXT 50 PRIZES: EKCO Pressure Cookers. Simple... Safe

NEXT 100 PRIZES: Eversharp CA* Pens

NEXT 100 PRIZES: Flint Holdster Cutlery Sets

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New Crosley Station Wagon | |
| 5TH PRIZE
Hallicrafters CARNEGIE HALL RADIO-PHONOGRAPH | NEXT 4 PRIZES
THOR AUTOMAGIC WASHING MACHINES | NEXT 5 PRIZES
Expense-Paid BUS TOURS to Hollywood or New York for 2 persons | |
| NEXT 50 PRIZES
EKCO PRESSURE COOKERS
<small>Simple... Safe</small> | NEXT 100 PRIZES
EVERSHARP CA* PENS
<small>Magic Sphere Ball Point</small> | NEXT 100 PRIZES
FLINT HOLDSTER CUTLERY SETS | NEXT 50 PRIZES
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Engine Spark May Have Caused Blast

WICHITA FALLS, Jan. 31 (UP)—A spark from a gasoline engine was blamed for the explosion in which four men were injured here. The blast yesterday wrecked a cooling tower. W. F. Sims, superintendent of the Panhandle Refining company, said he believed a spark from the engine had ignited "tramp" gas imprisoned in the tower.

Man Found Guilty On Assault Charge

BONHAM, Jan. 31 (UP)—Woodrow W. Pritchett of Honey Grove, was found guilty of assault to murder by a sixth district court jury here today. The charge was in connection with an attack on Mayor Dick Self of Honey Grove May 29, 1947. Pritchett's punishment was set by the jury at two years in the penitentiary. A motion for a new trial was filed by the defense.

WEST TEXAS OIL

Crane County Gets Silurian Discovery

By JOHN B. BREWER

SAN ANGELO, Jan. 31.—Completion by Gulf of a Silurian lime discovery in north central Crane county, showing of distillate in the Ellenburger by a Pecos county wildcat each in Crockett, Schleicher, Midland, Andrews and Yoakum counties were among principal West Texas oil developments this week.

Gulf No. 1-E-A Hattie Connell in Crane county registered a daily flow of 839 barrels of 44.8 gravity oil and gas-oil ratio of 769-1. The gauge was through a half inch tubing chucked and casing perforations above plugged back depth of 8,375 feet. The well tolled in the Ellenburger. It is in the C NW SW 26-B22-psl, four miles northeast of the Sand Hills (Permian and Ellenburger) field.

Humble No. 1-L University, prospective lower Permian lime discovery in Pecos county five miles northeast of the Taylor-Link field, C NE NW 5-18-U, prepared to pump. On the last gauge reported it swabbed 69.93 barrels of fluid—80 per cent 37 gravity oil and 20 per cent water — after injecting 5,000 gallons of acid through casing perforations at 4,704-20 feet. The wildcat missed the Ellenburger and stopped at 5,640 feet in granite.

Entering the Ellenburger at 8,790 feet 6,310 feet below sea level, C. W. Chancellor and Slick Oil Co. No. 1 Thornton Davis, Pecos county wildcat, showed an estimated half million cubic feet of gas daily and recovered a small amount of distillate on a drillstem test from 8,885-8,950 feet. The next 30 feet was barren. Drilling continued. Location is the C NW SE 105-S-H&GN, two miles west of the Pecos Valley (Yates) pool.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 5-M University, discovery or 1 3/4-mile south-southwest extension to Ellenburger production in the Fullerton multiple-pay field in Andrews county, logged more pay in drilling from 10,425-490 feet, and drilled ahead. It is in the C SW NE 31-13-U, amid Fullerton Devonian wells. Stanolind prepared to start No. 1 H. M. Ford, slated 4,800-foot, rotary wildcat in Andrews county, C SE SW 19-A43-psl, two miles east of the Fuhrman-Mascho field.

Humble No. 2 Yarbrough & Allen, south offset to No. 1 Yarbrough & Allen, opener of the Yarbrough & Allen (Ellenburger) field in SW Ector county, found rich pay between 10,609-714 feet. It flowed 259-21 barrels of oil in three hours on a drillstem test from 10,689-714 feet, and drilled ahead. Location is the C SE NW 18-B14-psl.

Magnolia No. 1 C. H. C. Anderson, C SE SW 13-B14-psl, north offset to the discovery, became the third producer in the Yarbrough

and Allen field when it flowed 192 barrels of oil in 90 minutes on a drillstem test from 10,549-580 feet. Seven-inch casing was run for cementing.

Gulf spotted No. 1-E Wilson (Bilby) Bryant, slated 12,500-foot wildcat in Midland county C NE NW 36-39-3s-T&P, 14 miles south of Midland.

Fikes & Murchison will seek lower Permian production in drilling No. 1 C. A. Elliott estate on the SW side of the Wasson field in Yoakum county, where pay is from around 4,900-50 feet in the San Andres. Location is 1,312 from the south, 1,070 feet from the east line of section 832 D-John H. Gibson.

Jimmy Mills of Del Rio and others' No. 1 J. H. Fisher, proposed 2,500-foot, cable tool wildcat in Culberson county 30 miles northwest of Toyah, was credited unofficially with bailing heavy oil at the rate of 36 gallons hourly on a short test with total depth 509 feet in lime. It is 990 feet out of the southeast corner of section 12-110-psl.

Plymouth No. 1 Mrs. Willie Mae Foster, Sterling county wildcat C NW NW 56-2-H&TC, showed some oil and gas, and headed drilling fluid when tools were out of the hole, while cleaning out with reverse circulation after shooting the Ellenburger from 8,368-82 feet with 40 quarts of nitroglycerin.

Flowing 97.40 barrels of pipeline oil in 24 hours, Sun No. 3 W. I. Tubb became Sun's seventeenth completed producer in the Jameson (Strawn) field in NW Coke county, from pay between 6,340 and 6,509 feet. It is in B.L. Anthony survey, quarter mile south of No. 1 Tubb, most northerly well, on the west side of the field.

Given Five Years On Murder Charge

WICHITA FALLS, Jan. 31 (UP)—Hubert Phillips, 35, last night was assessed five years in prison by a jury which convicted him of murder without malice in the slaying of Leroy Farabee, 33.

Defense attorneys during the trial attempted to show that Phillips struck Farabee only once with his fist and then in self defense when the two men fought Sept. 23.

Convoys Ordered

MANILA, Jan. 31 (UP)—The U. S. Army has ordered its military and civilian personnel to travel in convoys of no less than three jeeps after dark because of the increasing number of robberies. It was learned today.

Rosary Will Be Said For Hattie Hyer

Rosary will be said at 7:30 p. m. today at the Eberley chapel for Mrs. Hattie Hyer, 59, wife of Fred Hyer, who died Friday morning in Mineral Wells.

Services will be held at 10 a. m. Monday in the St. Thomas Catholic church with the Rev. Theo Francis, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in the Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Hyer had been seriously ill only a short while. Until last year, she and Mr. Hyer, who pioneered oil development in the Howard-Glasscock pool, had maintained permanent residence in Fort Worth, where they had moved originally in 1919. They had, however, had temporary residence here several times. Mrs. Hyer was born in the Indian territory.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Hyer leaves one son, Lon Hyer, Grattan, Conn.; two sisters, Mrs. Morris Geyer, Houston, Mrs. L. M. Eudaley, Tatum, N. M.; one brother, George Seidle, Copan, Okla.

Couple Is Killed By Carbon Monoxide

WICHITA FALLS, Jan. 31 (UP)—Justice of the Peace C. Coit Mock returned a coroner's verdict of carbon monoxide poisoning in the deaths of Edward Bailey Batte and his wife, Jacqueline.

The pair was found in their apartment at the Sheppard field veterans' housing project yesterday. Their five-month-old daughter, Alexandria, was also in the apartment but hospital attendants said she was recovering.

WEEK ADDED

March Of Dimes Extended Since Cold Hampers Drive

Because collection efforts were stymied during the past week because of severe weather, the local campaign for funds to combat infantile paralysis—the March of Dimes—will be carried on another week, leaders announced Saturday.

At the same time, a late rush of contributions served to swell the special fund. Latest donations to be acknowledged included:

Lozen McDowell, \$250; J. M. Bucher, \$15; M. M. Edwards, \$10; Mrs. Ira L. Thurman, \$10; Mrs. W. D. Anderson, \$5; Mrs. Reba Baker, \$3; Mrs. Joy Harmon, \$2.50; R. T. Piner, \$10; Jim Zack, \$10; T. E. Jordan & Co., \$10; Caroline's Flower Shop, \$2; P. E. Riddle, \$5; J. W. Elrod, Sr., \$5; Ula Burch, \$2; Agnes Currie, \$2.

A total of \$391.88 was tabulated from dime cards filled by children in the city schools. It was reported by Mrs. Stella Womack, general

director of the fund drive. Cards from rural schools are yet to be reported.

Under Mrs. Womack's direction, a special solicitation booth is being maintained downtown, by girls of the high school athletic association. This undertaking was expected to bring in more funds, as will the various special coin boxes throughout the city on which a report will be made this week.

Total accounted for in the special solicitation efforts now stands at \$1,654.38.

C. S. Blomshield, chairman of the local polio chapter, emphasized that more money must be raised if Howard county is to have a fund sufficient to care for emergency polio cases that may occur. A total of \$4,000 is being sought in the county, of which one-half will remain here for local cases. The other half will go to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, which finances the nationwide research against the crippling disease.

Blomshield pointed out that the \$2,000 wanted will help provide treatment for no more than 10 patients, and that the incidence of the disease could run higher than that any year. He appealed for a wider and more generous response to the March of Dimes appeal, and asked that special gifts be turned in to Ira Thurman, chapter treasurer.

ON SCHEDULE

Books Will Be Ordered For Library

Plans for ordering books regularly during 1948 for the Howard County Free library were made Saturday morning by the county commissioners' court.

Orders will be placed on a monthly schedule, County Judge Walton S. Morrison said, based upon a plan recommended to the court by Mrs. Robert H. Wilson, extension director for the state library.

Mrs. Wilson, who discussed library problems at the commissioners' Saturday morning session, made several other recommendations for improvement of the library which will be developed as nearly as possible according to suggested plan.

The recommendations involved purchase of general supplies, mending materials and suggestions to the librarian concerning modern methods of indexing, etc.

Although the purchases of books will necessarily be limited each month to funds which commissioners consider advisable to use for that purpose, Morrison said he believed that the program would provide a substantial increase to the shelves by the end of the year.

Selection committee of the Friends of the Howard County Library will assist in choosing volumes to be purchased each month. Each order will include volumes of fiction, non-fiction and reference books on approved lists.

Wrong Door Fatal

LA PORTE, Ind. (U.P.)—Ed Flitter left his stalled automobile on a busy highway and walked into a nearby farmhouse for help. He opened the wrong door, stumbled over a step and fell down the basement stairs. He was dead when the occupants of the house reached him.

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Gilbert Dodds Sets New Indoor Mile Standard

Pearman Cops 880-Yard Run

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 (AP)—National Champion Gilbert Dodds shattered his own World Indoor mile record tonight by winning the Wanamaker mile at the Millrose Indoor track and field games in 4:05.3, cutting more than a full second from the previous mark of 4:04.4 set in 1944.

The 29-year-old ordained minister won by 70 yards over his closest opponent to hand up his 20th consecutive indoor mile triumph as the sellout gathering of 15,000 spectators yelled themselves hoarse in Madison Square Garden.

His five opponents, representing the class of the remaining millers in the country today, never had a prayer against the racing reverend from the plains of Nebraska, who does his running for the Boston Athletic Association.

In cracking his own World standard, Dodds traveled the fastest competitive mile ever run by a U. S. citizen.

Glenn Cunningham, the former Kansas flier, was clocked in 4:04.4 in a special event at Dartmouth college in 1938, but that effort was a paced affair on a track measuring only six and two-thirds laps to the mile.

Dodds, time tonight, made on the standard Garden track which measures 11 laps to the mile, eclipsed the previous U. S. citizens' record by 4:06 held by Bill Hulse of the New York Athletic club.

It also equalled the American outdoor record of 4:05.3 set by Gunder Haegg of Sweden at Cambridge, Mass., July 24, 1943.

Hulse's 4:06 was established at Berea, Ohio, July 31, 1943, when he was beaten by Haegg.

Reggie Pearman of New York university, America's chief Olympic hope at 800 meters, came from behind on the final lap to win the 880-yard run.

A sellout crowd of 15,000 watched the long-striding National AAU 800-meter champion set his own pace.

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With TOMMY HART

Directors of the Longhorn baseball league would like to take a cue from the Texas league and declare the full-season front-runner the pennant winner starting with the 1948 season. . . . Ballinger's doughty Cats captured the Shaughnessy playoffs last year after Big Spring had finished atop the heap during the regular campaign. . . . As a result, the Felines will fly the championship flag over their park the coming season. . . . No one is protesting them that right. . . . Still and all, Big Spring is recognized as the king pin because they showed up best in the long haul. . . . No title can be decided in a best four-of-seven game set. . . . If it can, then the directors had best get together and limit the season to that many games. . . . Borger's Gassers of the WT-NM league plan to train at San Angelo this spring. . . . Where does that leave C. West's Colts, in event the Concho City fields a team in the Longhorn circuit? . . . Jake Morgan, after reading our article on the 1931 Big Spring high school basketball team, says he thinks the '33 quintet was the all-time Steer best Morgan played on both clubs. . . . Incidentally, one of Jake's better stories concerns Freddy Townsend, stellar softball player of the local diamonds some ten years back. . . . The El Centro, California, barnstorming mushballers, boasting the peerless pitcher, King Kong Kelly, stopped off here to play an all-star aggregation and Freddy was one of the first to bat against him. . . . Freddy looked at three pitches without taking the bat off his shoulder, deliveries so fast one could hardly follow them in flight. . . . Upon Fred's return to the bench, Morgan queried of Townsend, "Why didn't you take a cut at one of them, Fred?" . . . To which Townsend sheepishly replied, "To tell you the truth, I was afraid it wouldn't throw it and then I would look silly. . . . That reminds me of the story Lefty Gomez, the famed El Goof, told about the first time he ever faced Mose Grove. Grove was so fast, Gomez swore he couldn't see the ball. . . . The umpire screamed out "Strike One!" "Strike Two!" "Strike Three!" in succession. . . . After the third fireball, Lefty turned to the blind tom and growled, "I didn't see that one, but it sounded awful loud."

Campbell To Step Into Layne's Shoes

Peppy Blount, up from Austin, says Bobby Layne won't be missed too much by the University of Texas as grid team with him. . . . Jimmy Moon, the local linksman who halts from Gilmer in East Texas, likes to tell the story about the time the high school basketball team representing his home town went to the state meet and ankled out into spacious Gregory gym for the first of the hardwoods, capable of firing 'strikes' from any angle on the court. . . . Obviously, they had never been on as modern a court as the U of T fieldhouse. . . . One of the athletes dribbled out across the court, blazed away at the basket over his shoulder, watched it drop in and then turned in the direction of his mates. "Hot dog," said he, "you don't have to allow for the wind here."

Salvador Flores Tests Newcomer At Athletic Club Monday Night

Karl Gray, a stranger in these parts, makes his debut on Pat O'Dowdy wrestling card at the Big Spring Athletic club Monday night, meeting Salvador Flores of Mexico City.

Flores has been in and out of here in the past but he'll be new to many of the patrons. Like most Mexican grapplers, Sal is slick as a button and as hard to hold as a greased pig.

The two boys square away in

League May Be Formed Sunday

Encouraged by the turnout at their initial meeting here last Sunday, West Texas softball leaders will gather here again next Sunday to enter further into the discussion of an inter-city league for summer play.

Half a dozen cities of the area, including San Angelo, Odessa, Midland and Lubbock, were represented at last Sunday's meeting and Abilene, Crane and other communities have indicated they will send delegates here.

The enthusiasts will convene at the Settles hotel at 3 p. m. Sunday, Feb. 8, at which time the league will be tentatively set up and officers will be named. The constitution and by-laws will probably be brought to a vote, too.

Ralph Bumpass, Lubbock, has been named temporary chairman of the league.



ACE FREEMAN Gets Big Boy

the preliminary, which begins at 8:15 o'clock.

For a main event, Promoter O'Dowdy is throwing Ace Freeman of New York City in against Leon Kirilenko, Moscow, Russia.

Kirilenko hasn't been beaten here yet. Freeman returned to BSAC last week to scramble George Lopez in the opener and earn the shot against Leon.

The Mad Russian is big and tough. He's whipped Pierre LaBelle, Dory Funk and Jack Kiser in succession without working too hard at it.

Chances are Freeman will make him hustle, however. The Ace was a good boy at his trade ten years ago. He's craftier and stronger now.

Dates Changed For Tourney

The Big Spring Women's Bowling tournament, originally scheduled to have been held at the West Texas Bowling center Feb. 21-22 and Feb. 28-29, will instead be limited to the latter two dates, Mary Ruth Robertson, one of the meet's directors, announced Saturday.

First scheduled weekend of the annual show was cancelled due to conflict in dates with the Cosder Sweepstakes.

Fem leglers from a wide area are scheduled to take aim on the pins during the two days of the convention.

The tournament is being sponsored here by Wear-Ever Aluminum company.

Cranford Boom Dies As Gino Buinivino Wins

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 (AP)—The Jackie Cranford boom is as dead today as Terry Young's hopes for a lightweight title bout.

Pudgy Gino Buinivino of Bari, Italy, took the wind out of Cranford's sails in a thumping heavy-weight bout Friday night at Madison Square Garden. Young's scheduled Feb. 27 championship bout with Ike Williams was derailed by 19-year-old Paddy Demarco, in the eight-round semi-final.

Both Buinivino and Demarco were 2 to 1 underdogs with the surprisingly large crowd of 16,247 who paid \$64,836.

Cranford, a tall blond youngster from Washington, D. C., came out of the Coast Guard with bright prospects. Early success was followed by disaster in 1946 when he was knocked out twice. Back on the comeback trail, he had a seven-fight win streak going when he bumped into roly poly Gino.

Now Cranford no longer is talked about as a heavyweight title prospect. For that matter, neither is roly poly Buinivino. Next on the schedule for tireless Gino probably is a match with Joe Baksi.

Cranford remains a puzzle because he appears to have the makings of a real spragger. When he boxed Gino, using his superior reach and talented left hand, he had no trouble. But once the pudgy Italian rushed to the attack, swinging—not punching—both hands to the body, Jackie folded. Cranford had a bad cut over his left eye and Buinivino's left eye was swollen shut when it ended with a unanimous decision for the invader, who has yet to lose on American soil in 10 scraps.

Young's title bust may not be as disastrous as it sounds. For the veteran from New York's East Side now has a good pay day coming in a return scrap with Demarco, a product of Brooklyn's Navy yard sector. Paddy will be able to fight 10 rounds in this state after his 20th birthday, Feb. 10. They probably will top a late February Garden show. In the meantime, Bob Strauss can dig up another foe for Williams.

Bovines Swarm Over S'water Ponies, 38-18

Coach Johnny Malaise's "noble experiment" worked to satisfaction as the Big Spring Steers thumped the Sweetwater Mustangs, 38-18, in a 3AA basketball game here Friday night.

Malaise set up his offense to take some of the pressure off Captain Eddie Houser, his leading scorer. The Sweetwater defense kept hawking Edward but the other members of the Steer crew proceeded to break loose and enjoy a field day.

Houser was used as pivot man in the Bovines' passing and as a decoy and reacted well in both roles.

Delmar Turner, who had but two field goals during the evening, walked off with high scoring honors. He did that by making good on five of nine gratis pitch offerings.

Three other members of the locals collected six points each—Jim Bill Little, B. B. Lees and Harold Berry.

The Longhorns were in front all the way. Sweetwater could get but two points during the first quarter and was behind, 21-9, at half time.

Malaise filled the game with substitutes during the waning moments of the struggle and the boys looked fully as good as did the regulars.

The Steer B string set the stage for a grand slam when they registered a 54-34 victory over the Sweetwater Colts in a preliminary game. Culin Grigsby, who continues to wax warm, banged in 22 points while Howard Jones had 12.

BIG SPRING	FG	FT	PF	TP
Houser	4	2	1	2
Miller	0	0	1	0
Madison	0	0	3	0
Little	0	0	1	0
Lees	3	0	1	4
Hale	0	0	0	0
Turner	0	0	0	0
Robb	0	2	2	0
Benton	1	2	4	0
Carier	1	0	2	0
Anderson	1	0	0	0
Bis	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	16	25	7
SWEETWATER	FG	FT	PF	TP
Halladay	0	1	8	1
Yakum	1	0	4	2
Lightfoot	1	2	4	4
Ammons	0	3	1	3
Munn	0	0	6	0
Hand	0	2	0	0
Gill	0	2	0	0
Justus	2	2	2	4
Totals	4	10	16	18

Half time score—Big Spring 21, Sweetwater 9.

Free tries missed—Houser Miller 3, Little 2, Madison, Lees, Turner 4, Berry 2, Halladay 3, Yakum 4, Lightfoot 6, Munn, Hand 2, Justus.

Officials—Reidern and Ellis.

Ramsey Inks Pact With Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 31 (AP)—Joe Gasparella, 21, of Vandergrift, Pa., understudy of two of Notre Dame's greatest passers during his collegiate career, has been signed by the Pittsburgh Steelers, the National football league team announced today.

A 215-pound, six-foot, four inch quarterback, Gasparella understudied both Angelo Bertelli and Johnny Lujack during two seasons and part of a third at Notre Dame.

The Steelers also announced they had signed another quarterback, Bob Ramsey of Dallas, 23-year-old southern Methodist blocker who is in front of Doak Walker last season.

HARLINGEN NEXT

Touring Golfers Tee Off In Texas Open This Week

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 31 (AP)—The oldest tournament on the winter circuit—the Texas Open—beckons the nation's golf stars next week. They'll be moving into Texas for a lucrative two weeks of chipping and putting with \$20,000 dangling before them. As soon as they finish the \$10,000 Texas Open Sunday, they will move on to Harlingen for the \$10,000 Lower Rio Grande Valley Open, scheduled Feb. 12-15.

It will be the twenty-first renewal of San Antonio's banner golf event. This tournament was the first of the "big money" affairs. Back in the early twenties, the "take" was raised to \$5,000. It was the first tourney to offer such a purse.

Harlingen will be staging its third Open gold tournament in history. The last one was in 1941.

Headed by Bobby Locke, the South Africa star; Lloyd Mangrum, leading money winner of the year thus far with \$5,233; Ben Hogan, third in the cash parade with \$4,160, and Jimmy Demaret, who ranks fourth with \$3,258.33, the Texas Open field will start firing over Brackenridge Park course's 6,400 yards on Friday.

Ed Oliver, the round man from Wilmington, Del., who hasn't scratched in a tournament this year, is defending champion here.

In addition to Locke, who has dragged down \$4,195.50 since this year's tournaments began, there will be nearly a dozen players from

other countries—Australia, Canada, Mexico and Argentina.

A half-dozen former champions will be in the field—Oliver, Hogan, Sammy Byrd, Johnny Revolta, Chuck Harbert and E. J. "Dutch" Harrison.

Play actually begins Thursday with a pro-amateur tournament that will be held on two courses—Brackenridge and the Fort Sam Houston layout. To reduce the expected heavy entry of some 300 players to half its size, an 18-hole qualifying round for non-exempt

players will be staged Wednesday. The Open starts with 18 holes Friday. There will be another 18 holes Saturday when the field will be cut to the sixty low scorers for the final 36 holes Sunday.

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Steers Apply Strong Finish To Defeat Angelo, 43 To 33

Locals Lead Most Of Way

Hustling all the way, the Big Spring high school basketball Steers rolled to their sixth consecutive District 3AA triumph before a packed house here Saturday night, defeating the ambitious San Angelo Bobcats, 43-33.

The contest between the two old rivals was far closer than the score indicated. The Felines, using the team-substitution system, kept within hailing distance until the waning moments when Delmar Turner and Jim Bill Little kept dropping the ball through the net.

Angelo gained a brief lead early in the fourth period but the Bobcats were equal to the crisis. They passed to satisfaction and worked the ball in neatly for close-in losses.

Captain Eddie Houser played a significant role in the Longhorn victory, though he was outscored, 15-14, by Turner. Houser looked good on his shots from quarter court and in the corners.

Our Town's troops led at the end of the first period, 10-9, and after three quarters of play, 30-26. Both Houser and Harold Berry fouled out in the last three minutes while the Cats lost Bill Abbott shortly after the third period opened on personals.

The Angelo reserves took a 39-19 victory from the local second stringers in a preliminary game.

Big Spring	FG	FT	PF	TP
Houser	3	8	5	14
Turner	6	2	2	10
Little	1	0	1	2
Lee	1	0	4	3
Turner	6	3	3	15
Berry	1	0	5	2
Totals	15	13	23	43

Medanich Lost
FORT WORTH, Jan. 31 (AP)—John Medanich, the hard-running half-back from Pecos, has been lost to Texas Christian university football. Medanich failed to pass sufficient work to become eligible for the varsity next fall. He was a star of the TCU freshmen last season. All members of the Horned Frog varsity passed their work.

STAMPS TO HARDIN
WICHITA FALLS, Jan. 31 (AP)—William (Billy) David Stamps, coach of Cameron College at Lawton, Okla., today signed a three-year contract as head football coach at Hardin college here.



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BOBBY LOCKE CAPTURES LEAD IN TUCSON OPEN WITH 199

TUCSON, Ariz., Jan. 31. (AP)—Slow moving Bobby Locke, the big money winner from South Africa, captured a one-stroke lead at the end of the third round of the \$10,000 Tucson Open golf tournament with a 54-hole total of 199 today.

Breathing on his neck with scores of 200 were Ed Furgol, Pontiac, Mich., who suffered the toughest break of the day; Jimmy Hines, Tucson and Chicago veteran, and the slick young amateur from Toledo, Ohio, Frank Stranahan.

Ben Hogan, Hershey, Pa., had even par and a third round total of 204.

Fifty-four hole scores in the Tucson Open included: Jack Harden, El Paso, 142-68—210. Lloyd Wadkins, Midland, Texas, 142-74—216. Tony Holguin, San Antonio, Texas, 142-74—216. x-Gil Cavanaugh, San Antonio, Texas, 145-71—216. x—Denotes amateur.

San Angelo JC Rams Turn Back Hawks

CLARK COMBINE Local Stars

SAN ANGELO, Jan. 31—Howard County Junior college's Jayhawks found themselves short of manpower in the second half here Saturday night when the San Angelo JC Rams used two complete teams to lift a 66-43 decision and avenge an earlier setback administered by the Hawks.

The Howard Countians made a game of it in every respect during the first half, retiring for intermission trailing by a mere 23-27 count. The Rams had five new men ready for the second stanza, however, and the Hawks began to show signs of fatigue.

Ralph Ellis, who measures some 6 feet, 5 inches, was the major threat confronting Coach Harold Davis' crew. He connected for 16 points, 14 of them in the second half, finishing up with two free tosses and seven goals from the field.

For the Hawks, it was the Clark Bros., Ray and Don, and Hoss Rankin who carried the offensive power. Ray Clark was only a step behind the Rams' Ellis with 15 points, while Rankin accounted for 11 and Don Clark eight.

San Angelo JC	FG	FT	PF	TP
Clark	12	10	10	25
Rankin	8	6	8	19
Don Clark	5	4	6	14
Hoss Rankin	4	3	4	11
Ellis	16	10	12	36
Templeton	6	6	8	18
Abbott	1	1	2	3
Totals	52	40	50	66

Champs Facing Busy Schedule
COLLEGE STATION, Jan. 31 (AP)—Texas A&M college's defending track champions of the Southwest conference will begin workouts Monday for a busy season of 14 meets, including the National Collegiate and the Olympic tryouts.

The Border Olympics at Laredo, the Southwest Exposition at Fort Worth and the Kansas, Texas Drake and Big Seven relays are among the special attractions.

The Big Seven, National Collegiate and Olympic tryout events will be during the summer months. The schedule:

- March 5—Texas Dual at College Station.
- March 13—Border Olympics at Laredo.
- March 20—Southwest Exposition at Fort Worth.
- March 27—A&M-Rice-Texas Triangular at Corpus Christi.
- April 3—Texas Relays at Austin.
- April 10—U. S. U. at Baton Rouge, La.
- April 17—Kansas Relays at Lawrence, Kan.
- April 24—Drake Relays at Des Moines, Ia.
- May 1—Oklahoma A&M at College Station.
- May 7—Texas at Austin.
- May 15—Southwest Conference at Houston.

PROSPERITY Texas League Boosts Purse For Champion

HOUSTON, Jan. 31 (AP)—J. Alvin Gardner, president of the Texas baseball league, today predicted the 1948 season, the circuit's fifty-third year of operations, will establish a new attendance record that will surpass the 2,000,000 mark.

Gardner, speaking at the opening session of the league's annual schedule meeting, said "each club is improving its ball park facilities in order to handle larger crowds and there is every indication we shall have a much brighter season than even last year's record breaker."

Last year the league's attendance totaled 1,960,000.

Backing up Gardner's prediction, the league officials, aiming at increased attendance, adopted the cash team awards total from \$5,000 to \$9,000, with the team finishing in first place over the regular schedule receiving \$5,000, the second place club \$2,500 and the third place team \$1,500.

A proposal to give the playoff winner a \$2,500 bonus was rejected. Both bonus plans were submitted by Allen Russell, president of the Houston club.

Russell withdrew a controversial proposal that the pennant winner be determined by final positions in regular schedule instead of through the Shaughnessy playoff winner.

Other action saw the league: 1. Set the date of its annual All-Star game for July 13.

2. Authorize presenting awards of at least \$50 value to each participant in the All-Star game.

3. Changed the date of its annual scheduled meeting from the last Saturday of January to the first Saturday after New Year's Day.

Action on proposed schedules submitted by League Statistician William Ruggles was deferred until tomorrow.

A tentative schedule submitted by Ruggles calls for an April 14 opening day.

Knott Springs Prize Upset

KNOTT, Jan. 31.—Knott's Hill Billies staged a District 21B basketball upset here Friday night, defeating the Stanton Buffaloes, 26-24.

Louie Stallings kept the Bisons in the game all the way, firing in 11 points, but Don Barnes and Joe Beall were too much for the visitors. Don Barnes collected eight points, Joe Beall seven.

Max Roman, Delbert Harland and Tom Barnes all scored at least one field goal each.

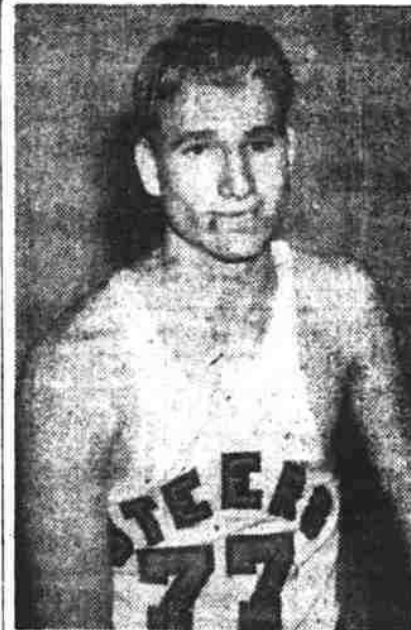
The Stanton team led at half time, 14-12.

Stanton	FG	FT	PF	TP
Harland	3	0	1	6
Barnes	2	0	2	4
Harland	2	0	2	4
Barnes	1	0	0	2
Totals	12	2	5	26

Tornadoes Lose To San Angelo

LAMESA, Jan. 31—San Angelo's Bobcats turned back the Lamesa Tornadoes, 35-23, in a 3AA basketball game here Friday night.

The victory was the Felines' fourth in six league starts and considerably improved their chances for a finish among the first four teams in the standings and a spot in the Shaughnessy playoffs.



BIG STUFF—Delmar Turner, 6-foot-4 center, led the Big Spring high school Steers to victory over San Angelo's Bobcats in an important 3AA basketball game here Saturday night. Delmar roped 15 points and was tremendous on the field. The score: 43-33. (Photo by Jack M. Haynes).

Grapette Wins In Tournament

FORSAN, Jan. 31—Grapette of Big Spring and Ackerly chalked up victories in the opening round of the Forsan independent basketball tournament here Friday night.

Grapette sprang a mild upset by defeating Stanton, 48-27, while Safeway, another Big Spring team, was losing to Ackerly, 43-13.

The tournament will continue into the coming week.

W. O. Shafer Buys Into Odessa Club
ODESSA, Jan. 31 (AP)—W. O. Shafer, Ector county attorney, has purchased the interests of M. E. Andrews of Amarillo in the Odessa Baseball company, it was announced today.

Shafer joins A. D. Ensey of Odessa in operating the company, which holds a franchise in the Class D Longhorn baseball league.

Terms of the sale were not disclosed.

Texas Keeps Slate Clean By Turning Back Ponies

Slater Martin Is Difference

DALLAS, Jan. 31 (AP)—Slater Martin's unerring eye for the basket brought Texas university a 57-51 Southwest Conference basketball victory over Southern Methodist university here tonight.

Martin landed 11 pitches out of 17 at the basket for 22 points as the Longhorns stayed undefeated in the conference campaign.

A crowd of 2,800 watched Texas jump to a lead in the first minute and 20 seconds of play and hold it all the way, although on several occasions, SMU advanced within a single point.

It was a rough and tumble game with Texas making 20 personal fouls and Southern Methodist registering 14. Al Madsen, fiery Texas guard, went out on personal fouls in the closing minutes. Madsen also had a technical foul against him for pushing his hand into the face of Harold Salmon, Southern Methodist guard, after a personal foul had been called on Salmon.

Texas led at the half 23-20.

SMU (51)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Gillette	2	1	1	5
Prewitt	3	4	3	10
Push	2	6	0	10
Hollins	3	2	2	8
Salmon	3	1	3	7
Folsom	1	3	3	3
Penn	0	0	0	0
Canada	3	2	0	8
Kerr	0	0	0	0
Zapora	0	0	0	0
Totals	17	17	13	51

Former SMU Grid Player Passes
DALLAS, Jan. 31 (AP)—John A. Monroe, 46, Dallas insurance man and former member of the Southern Methodist university football team, died of a heart attack today while chatting about football in the office of Coach Matty Bell at SMU.

Monroe was to have been honored as president of the Great National Club president's and leaders club Tuesday on the insurance company's 20th anniversary. A meeting will be held in memoriam.

QUITS KANSAS

Sauer To Take Job With Navy

LAWRENCE, Kas., Jan. 31 (AP)—E. C. Quigley, director of athletics at the university of Kansas, today announced the resignation of Head Football Coach George Sauer to accept a similar post at the U. S. Naval Academy.

"It was not a question of salary," Quigley said in connection with his announcement. "He said he just wanted to make the move, feeling it was a greater opportunity."

The 37-year-old coach, whose Jayhawk eleven went to the Orange Bowl this year, conferred earlier this week with academy officials at Annapolis. He was one of two "professional" coaches interviewed by Captain Tom Hamilton, newly appointed athletic director at the Navy school. The other was Charles (Bud) Wilkinson, University of Oklahoma coach.

The Navy recently announced it was junking its system of officer methods in favor of civilians. "We're sorry to lose George," Quigley said. "I consider him one of the outstanding coaches of the country. The job he and his assistants did for us and his association with the people here couldn't have been improved upon."

Maturity Stakes Won By Flashco
ARCADIA, Calif., Jan. 31 (AP)—Flashco won the \$100,000 Santa Anita Maturity today before 57,500 fans at Santa Anita park.

Flashco caught up with the favored On Trust in the final strides and won by less than a head for first money of \$83,500. It was a photo finish.

Double Jay was third. Time for the mile and one-quarter was 2:03 1-5.

Brabadon ran fourth in the field of 13.

Flashco, owned by Frank Frankel of San Antonio, Texas, paid \$17.40, \$7.80 and \$4.80. On Trust paid \$4.10 and \$3, and Double Jay \$3.80.

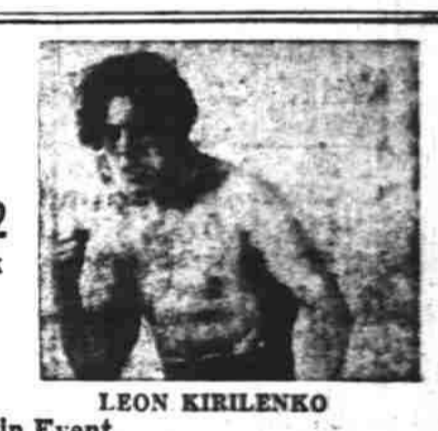
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1-Used Cars For Sale
ATTENTION
1947 Nash Club Coupe
1946 Nash Ambassador Sedan
1946 Chevrolet Sedan
1942 Plymouth Sedan
1942 Studebaker Champion Sedan
1941 Chevrolet Sedan
1940 Ford Tudor
1939 Ford Tudor
1939 Chrysler Sedan
T. W. GRIFFIN
4th and Johnson
PHONE 2340

Good Used Cars
1941 Ford Tudor Sedan with radio
1940 Nash Sedan four door, radio and heater
1939 Chrysler Tudor Sedan
1937 Two ton Diamond T truck with platform bed
Jones Motor Co.
101 GREGG PHONE 555

GUARANTEED USED CARS
New 1947 Ford Tudor
1947 Studebaker Champion four door
1942 Ford four door
1942 Plymouth four door Sedan
1941 Ford Tudor Sedan
1940 Studebaker Champion four door Sedan
1937 Ford pickup
1936 Chevrolet Tudor
1934 Plymouth coupe
1933 Plymouth coupe
McDONALD Motor Company
206 Johnson Phone 2174

Guaranteed Used Cars
New 1947 DeSota four door Sedan
New 1948 Ford tudor, radio and heater
New 1947 Chevrolet Aero Sedan
New 1947 Chevrolet Club Coupe
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1946 Ford Club Coupe
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4-Trucks
1947 Ford truck for sale (one wheel base; 2 speed axle; strain bed; 8 1/2 tires on rear; 7.50 on front; 6 miles North on Brownfield Highway; well used; West Lamesa, M. E. Welch)
FOR SALE 1947 1944 model 2 ton Dodge truck with 3 1/2" Hubby Trailer. 800 tires, truck has new motor, 3 speed axle, and is in good shape. Phone 534 1907 Johnson St.
1944 Ford business truck for sale. See Alex Sanders at Lomax Gm
5-Trailers, Trailer Homes
BOUSE Trailer for sale, good condition \$450. Located at W. J. Prather's at Cookman; owner now living in California.
1946 Model trailer home for sale. 26 ft. by 10 ft. trailer home at El Rio Court.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
16-Lost and Found
LOST: Stable and white, long nose female Collie dog; child's pet; answers to name Peggy. Reward. Call McWhorter, 1109.
LOST: Young male black Cocker Spaniel with long tail, no collar. Reward. Phone 337, or 214-W.
LOST: Black hillford, containing money and checks. Reward. Macomber Auto Supply, 111 E. 2nd St. City.
LOST: Black patent leather slung bag pump and reddish-brown leather slung back pump with nailheads covering platform sole. If found return to Tex Liquor Store, Broadway.
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13-Public Notices
NOTICE TO BIDDERS
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Walter S. Morrison County Judge
THIS is to announce that Derivation Auto Parts Machine Shop and Garage will be open until 12:00 midnight beginning Feb. 2. Your business will be appreciated; prompt attention will be given to all repairs. Phone 1153, 300 N. E. 2nd St.

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14-Lodges
MULLEN Lodge 375 IOOF meets every Monday night. Building 315 E. 3rd St. & 9 o'clock.
Regular meeting of Knights of Pythias each Tuesday evening at 8:00 at Trinity Baptist Church, East 4th and Benton. All members urged to attend. L. D. Chrene, Chancellor. Commander.
STATED meeting Star of Hope Lodge No. 596, A.F. & M. E., every 2nd and 4th Thursday nights. E. R. Gross, W. M. W. O. Lewis, Sec.
Called convention in the Spring Chapter 178, Friday, Feb. 6 at 7:00 p.m. Work in Chapter Degree. Bert Shaw, H. P. W. O. Lewis, Sec.

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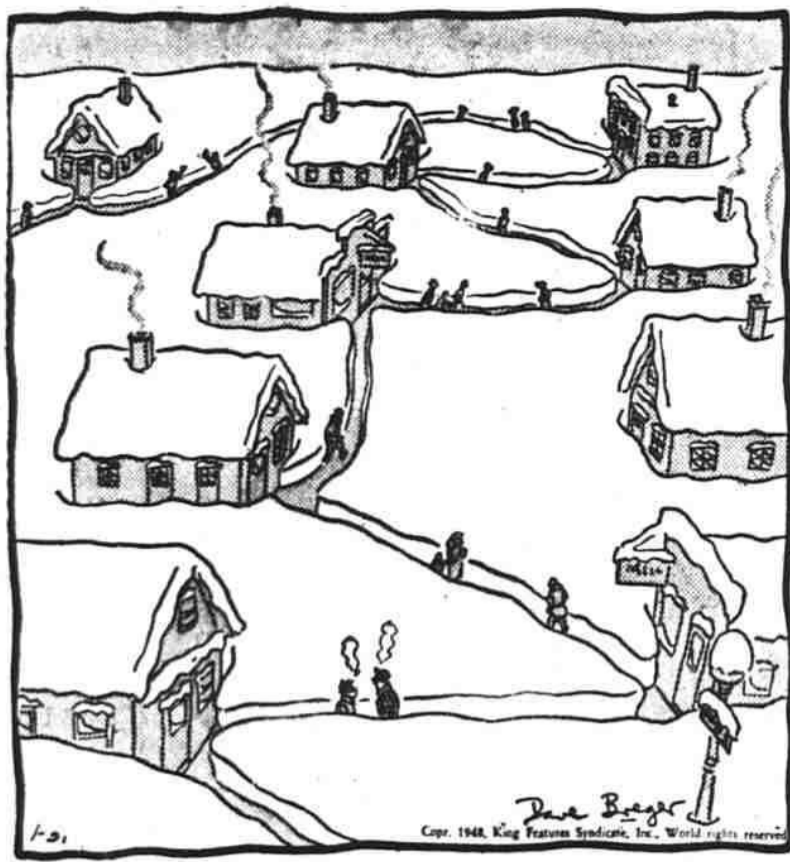
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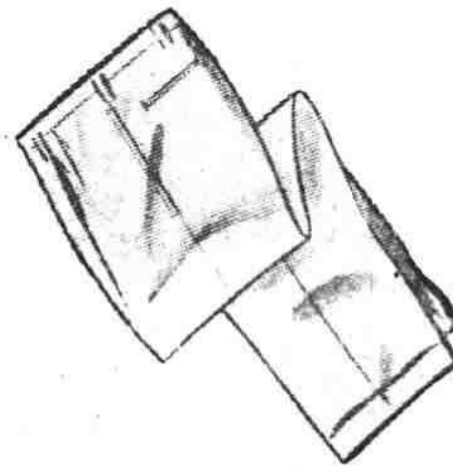
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AVERAGE AMERICAN BOOK READER MOST INTERESTED IN HIMSELF

CHICAGO, Jan. 31 (AP)—The average American book reader in 1947 appeared unconcerned about international troubles, the recent war or the atomic bomb, says the American Library association.

His first and foremost interest was his personal problems.

Housing ranked second and business third.

The association announced the results of its annual questionnaire on reading trends of its midwinter conference today.

The public libraries polled reported that psychology books were in "tremendous" demand, while material on atomic energy, the World War II, and international problems was practically untouched.

One librarian said numerous patrons had requested a book "to believe in and live by."

Instrument advisory services were popular among small busi-

nessmen, and the ALA said interest in investments, with special emphasis on the grain markets, had increased since the war.

The housing shortage and high cost of labor increased the demand for books on home building, repair and decoration.

Housewives, trying to plan economical menus, borrowed two and three cookbooks at a time. There was a pronounced interest in books on handicraft.

The demand for travel books, high in 1946, continued strong in 1947.

Circulation figures indicated Americans were reading considerably more than in former years, with the average circulation increase approximately eight per cent in 1947.

Leonardo da Vinci drew plans for flame throwers, grenades, tanks and a flying machine.

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Nimitz Undergoes Foot Operation

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 31. (AP)—Fleet Admiral Chester Nimitz today underwent a foot operation in naval hospital, and was afterward pronounced in good condition.

Mrs. Nimitz explained that the surgery has performed to correct a deformity caused by a bunion which forced the toes out of line and interfered with his "enjoyment of taking long walks." The condition has existed for many years, and is not serious, she said. The retired chief of naval operations, who with his wife has been visiting their son-in-law and daughter here, Navy Comdr. and Mrs. James T. Lay, will remain in the hospital about two weeks.

WINGS OVER BIG SPRING

Air Traffic Back To Normal

Icy conditions almost put the quietus on flying last week, but clearing skies Tuesday night permitted commercial lines to resume operations and by the end of the week virtually all classes of traffic were back to normal.

The CAA tower reported that Navy ferry operations were increasing, having amounted to about 200 last week even with limited flights. During January there were about 700 transient civilian aircraft stopping at the Munny port. Total operations for the field stood around 3,000.

Bill Pybus and Dan English completed their cross-country training

flight, having gone to Bonham, Dallas and Abilene. B. H. Smith made his cross-country flight to Abilene and Lubbock.

J. D. Ward is completing his private pilots training at the Stanton auxiliary field of the Big Spring Flying Service.

Leon West has entered his plane at the BSFS maintenance shop for its annual licensing check.

Cecil Hamilton, operator of Hamilton Field, warned former servicemen who are entitled to GI flight training that they may need to act fast if they wish to take advantage

of this government-financed program. President Truman has asked that it be discontinued after June 30, he said. If this is the case, those starting training quickly might be able to finish their commercial course before the program ends.

Several students at Hamilton Field made cross country and night flights last week. Operations were back to normal Saturday.

During the wintry storm, Cecil Hamilton flew an emergency patrol of Texas Electric Service lines.

Burns To Death In Ranch Fire

ABILENE, Jan. 31. (AP)—Mrs. Cliff Clary was burned to death today in a fire that destroyed her ranch home, 15 miles west of Ballinger, after a rescue attempt by her husband failed.

The blaze was blamed on a bottled gas leak.

Sheriff J. L. Moreland said Clary told him he awakened today suffering from a severe headache.

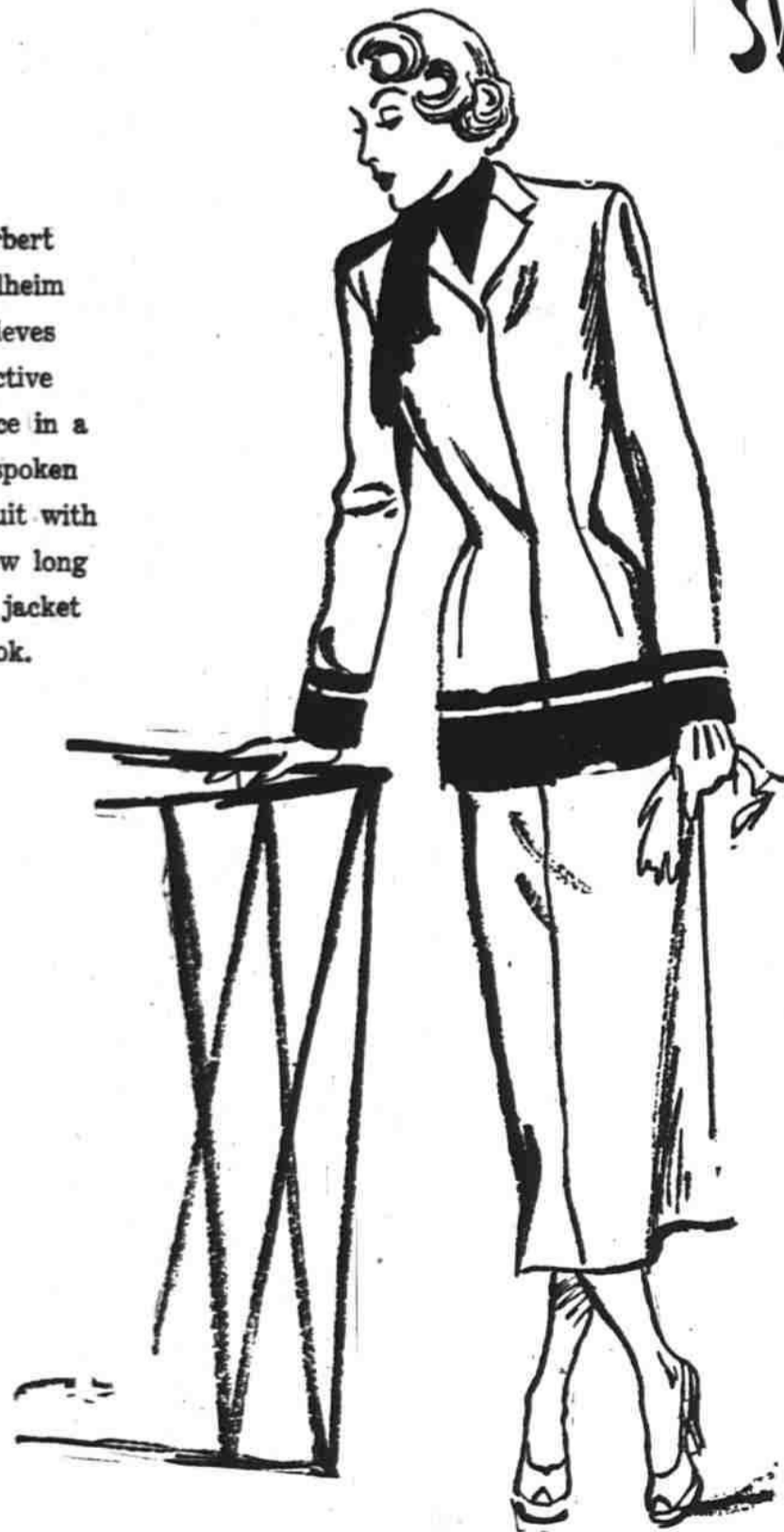
He went into the kitchen and struck a match, and flames burst forth and billowed over the room. The fire forced him out the back door and he ran around the house and attempted to tear off the screen, he said, and get into the bedroom window to rescue his wife. The fire, he stated, drove him back.

Clary was hospitalized, suffering severe shock.

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Is The New 'New Look' Really New Or A Revision Of The '1850 Styles

By BILLIE BURRELL

So much is being said about the new look and the new new look, that it makes one wonder how many "new's" will be added before this thing becomes old to the women.

On the other side of the question, is the look that women are trying to achieve, new? It just takes a casual glance through grandmothers album to discover that the modern miss is using the same styles that they wore back in those days.

Some wonder if the hoop skirts will return? Well, the bustle did and the long ruffled petticoats are coming back—so why not the dresses to the floor with the hoops?

Even the die-hards will wear the long dresses before the fad has passed. Now that the fashion designers are sure that with only a little more time, the dresses will go to the extremes and make the dresses of now, look as out of date as last year's clothes do this year, they have begun to work on the hats, shoes and hairstyles.

Last week the pancake variety of hats was announced as the latest in fashion for spring; but wonder what the women will find atop their heads this spring.

As for what the shoes, hats, and hairstyles will be like in the spring, the average woman can only wait and see, remembering what those pictures in the album did look like and hope that the high top laced shoes remain in the album, also the hairstyle that has such a balloon effect to the hair.

The new look is hairstyles is said to be the "smooth look" with the hair short and waved. It seems that the new look should have been applied when women began wearing slacks, cosmetics and short bobbed hair. This was the only really new thing for the fairer sex that has happened in this century.

Speaking of clothes, it seems that the new, new, new look for the women of Big Spring for the past week might be distinguished as the cold look — as the women forgot the long billowing skirts that caught the wind and again donned the slacks, sweaters, bobby socks, woolen scarfs, coats—anything to keep warm was the policy.

It remains for the experts to explain what brought on all of this new, new look stuff, must be the reaction to the sexy look. The ladies are becoming more feminine, or at least that is the expressed reasons given.

Wonder if the fact that this is leap year has anything to do with the sudden change toward femininity. From the reaction expressed by the men, seems as if this is the wrong weapon for the women to use, even in leap year.

Designers say that the American women will wear dresses as those pictured, and suppose that they are correct as they guessed right in the earlier predictions, but wonder what inner psychological effect makes women do such things?



THE NEW, NEW, NEW LOOK—Far upper left is called a petticoat dress which again makes popular the taffeta petticoats of the Civil War days, upper left is the circus print with a ballet length cocktail dress in pure silk print, with the new full skirt, off-shoulder neckline and peekaboo sleeves. Above, is shown a Dallas-designed suit with a longer jacket and slightly longer skirt. Dallas is the home of the Little-Below the Knee club. Upper right, which is supposed to give the Leap Year Look is a brown and white poker chip print dress with a draped hip and shawl. Far upper right is an impressive evening gown in a taffeta. Lower left gives an idea of the new hair style as well as the "new look" being achieved by the use of a "poet collar" which is described as crisp wings of white pique and a small pleated bertha. Lower right "is a bit of neckwear that has persisted since the days of Queen Elizabeth. Modern version is done in white pique edged in tatting with a perky black tie; but this gives the new, new look.

Dallas Fashion Designers Predict Styles For Women Of The Southwest



DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 1. — Out of the Lone Star state and the Dallas Fashion and Sportswear Center, come bright and sparkling new spring and early summer fashions designed with verve and individuality.

Influenced by the casual ways of the Southwest, with its supper parties on the terrace, week-ends at the ranch, Dallas designers turn their talents to simple, casual dresses and suits that see a busy girl through the day from shopping downtown, to luncheon at the hotel, to the country club in the afternoon and a gay, informal supper with friends.

Chambrays in pastel tones, gingham in vivid plaids, striped seersuckers, print jerseys, piques, denims, imported linens, rayon crepes hold the fabric spotlight.

White eyelet is used a great deal, too, as the trim on pockets, perky peplums or collars of pastel chambrays by two other important Dallas designers (Donovan and Clock-Wise).

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Weaver Announce Engagement Of Sonia To Earl Rusk

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Weaver announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sonia to Earl Jerome Rusk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Lusk.

Miss Weaver is a graduate of Big Spring high school. The bridegroom-to-be is a graduate of Big Spring high school and is now attending Howard County Junior College.

Rebekah Lodge Members Attend Degree Work

Members of the Rebekah Lodge 284 who attended the degree work in Fort Worth were Velma Mitchell, Sonora Murphy, Elizabeth Murphy, Jennie Kimbrough, Billie Barton and Ruth Wilson.

by the degree team of Oklahoma who won first place at the Sovereign Grand Lodge in Winnipeg, Canada.

The degree work was exemplified by the degree team of Oklahoma who won first place at the Sovereign Grand Lodge in Winnipeg, Canada.

Mrs. Mattingly Is Honored At Dinner

Mrs. W. A. Mattingly was honored with a birthday dinner in the home of Mrs. Jim Harper Friday evening with Mrs. Harper and Gladys Mattingly as hostesses.

Landscaping Is HD Club Topic

Miss Margaret Christie, home demonstration agent, gave a talk on the general principles of landscaping at the meeting of the Centerpoint Home Demonstration Club Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Frank Hull.

Wendell Ray Bunn, Thelma Reese Wed

The marriage of Miss Thelma Reese, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Reese, of Baird and Wendell Ray Bunn was solemnized in the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Bunn, Friday afternoon.

Miss Betty Reese, Eddie Myrick Wed

Betty Reese, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Reese of Baird, became the bride of Eddie Myrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Y. Tate Thursday evening.

Mrs. Ina Monteith Is Special Guest

Mrs. Ina Monteith was a special guest at the meeting of the Junior Girls Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church Friday afternoon.

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Billye Gene Keisling, Robert Greene Marry

STANTON, Jan. 31. (Sp1)—Miss Billye Gene Keisling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Keisling and Robert Earle Greene, of San Angelo, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Greene, were united in marriage Jan. 25.

The wedding was solemnized by the Rev. I. A. Smith, with a double ring ceremony in the First Methodist Church which was decorated with baskets and bouquets of pastel gladioli, at 1 p. m.

Mrs. Louise Tom, pianist, played the traditional wedding marches and "Becasse".

The bride wore a powder blue street-length dress, a blue shoulder-length veil with navy blue accessories. Her bride's bouquet was of gardenias and white shattered carnations with white satin streamers.

She was given in marriage by her father.

Mrs. Ted Johnson of San Angelo was matron of honor. She was attired in a pink two-piece dress with brown accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Ted Johnson of San Angelo was best man.

A reception was held in the home of the bride's parents.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Greene and Ray, of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Keisling, of Midland and Fate Keisling of John Tarleton College.

Mrs. Greene graduated from John Tarleton high school and college and is attending the Shannon school of nursing.

The bridegroom graduated from San Angelo high school, served three years with the Navy and is now employed as clerk for the Santa Fe Railroad.

The couple will be at home at 115 N. Oak Street. The bride will continue Nurse's training.

COSDEN CHATTER Officials Make Various Trips On Business

By Personnel Department

Kay Tollett, daughter of R. L. Tollett, will be returning to Höckaday School of Dallas today. She has been in Big Spring for a three-day vacation between school semesters.

Tollett returned to the office Wednesday morning after an absence of 10 days, during which time he attended the regular monthly meeting of the board of directors in New York and attended to other company business in Washington, Pittsburgh and Chicago.

J. W. Burrell, comptroller, left for Fort Worth Friday and is expected to be back in the office Tuesday morning. Mrs. Burrell, Fred Stutzell, and Mrs. Gollnick are with Mr. Burrell on the trip.

Lee Harris spent most of the week in Fort Worth on company business.

R. M. Carpenter, Bee county lease foreman, is confined to the Beeville hospital for a few weeks.

Leonard Morgan returned home from the hospital Wednesday.

R. E. Dobbins' daughter, Beverly, was in the hospital the first part of the week.

Florence Moseley entered the hospital Tuesday for treatment of a severe burn. Her mother, Mrs. Nancy Moseley of Wichita Falls, is here with her.

D. T. Evans entered the hospital Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rip Smith are spending their vacation in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Johnson went to Fort Worth this week to attend the opening of the Fat Stock show.

Dave Gustafson, representative of Falley Petroleum company of Chicago visited our offices Wednesday and Thursday.

We welcome Arthur L. Tamplin and Truman N. Lee, new refinery employees and William H. White, a new pipeline employee.

J. W. Holden returned from a week's vacation last Saturday.

Quiz And Musical Show To Be Given Friday At Municipal Auditorium

A quiz show and musical program will be presented at the Municipal Auditorium Friday night under the auspices of the American Association of University Women.

The original Dr. I. Q. who in reality is the Rev. James W. McClain, an Episcopal minister, will conduct the quiz show, and Joe Krecklow, pianist, will give a program of popular music.

A varied career lies behind the Rev. McClain, who, as Dr. I. Q., was estimated to have travelled half a million miles to give away a like number of silver dollars and enough candy bars to give the dental profession the shivers.

After having attained a comfortable spot (though hardly the \$2,000 per week once attributed to him) in radio, he abandoned it to complete his ministerial studies and accept appointment as a minister with a potential of possibly \$150 per month.

"I had to do it," he explained simply. The Rev. McClain has no panacea, rather a simple desire to labor among people of small towns. He has no ambitions or hopes to rise to higher stations in the church, for "I'm as high now as I'll ever be and I'm satisfied."

Recently, he broke ground for a new church at Eastland, and, displaying the energy and enthusiasm which brought him to the top in radio announcing, has tackled the big job of taking the lead in financing the project. His part of the proceeds in the program here go entirely for that purpose.

A native of Louisville, Ky., where his father was head of the conservatory of music, McClain appeared headed for a successful career in music. But he won an amateur bantamweight boxing title at Jackson, Miss, and got other ideas. Subsequently he hopped for several months, finally entered college and again showed promise as a vocalist. He quit (SMU) in his third year, however, to accept a \$10 per week job as an announcer for WFAA. He landed the job as chief announcer for special events during the centennial, later tried producing, writing and acting in radio plays, then joined the Texas State Network announcing staff. From this he went into Radio agency work and ended up with the original assignment as Dr. I. Q.

Meanwhile, he had been married by an Episcopal minister, and one of the requirements was confirmation. He gave it little thought, but when confirmation came upon him it was for special work. The bishop of the diocese required him to hold off a year before making a decision, but at the end of that time he was more convinced than ever, and so he entered Seabury Western seminary. He flew on weekends to major cities to conduct the radio program, resigning the last two years to devote himself fully to his studies.

He has no regrets, for out of his radio experience he saved enough for most of his training, acquired equipment for his movie hobby, was married and he and Mrs. McClain have three children. At 36, he is prepared to settle for life in the role as small town minister.

Krecklow, who has played with Fred Waring, Russ Morgan and Bob Grant, and accompanied by Hildegard, will present a program which includes his arrangement of Tchaikovsky's Concerto in B (flat) minor.

He will also give a Waltz medley of "The Waltz You Saved for Me", "Beautiful Ohio" and "The Naughty Waltz" and two numbers by Fritz Kreisler, "The Old Refrain" and "Caprice Veinois".

He will round out his portion of the program with three selections by Jerome Kern. These will be "All The Things You Are", "Make Believe" and "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes".

Tickets for the show are on sale at the Book Stall or can be purchased from members of the AAUW. Sub-Debs or High Heel Slipper clubs.

Doris Glenn, student at ACC is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Glenn.

Mrs. Leola Clere Hoss 42 Party Friday Night

Mrs. Leola Clere entertained with a 42 party in honor of Mrs. Anna B. Cook of Clovis, N. M. Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Alexander won high scores for the evening. Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wood, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Alexander, A. G. Pruitt, Mrs. Anna B. Cook, Ethel Johnson and the hostess.

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Crystal Club Has Dinner Friday

Members of the Crystal Club had dinner at the El Patio Friday evening.

Mrs. Leon Cain and Mrs. T. L. Horton were hostesses to the members of the club which met in the Cain home before going to the El Patio. They returned to the Cain home after dinner, where secret pals were revealed.

Games were played with Mrs. Jack Hanson winning the prize.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. E. H. Sanders with Mrs. Jack Hanson as co-hostess.

Those attending were Mrs. M. C. Patterson, Mrs. M. A. Harris, Mrs. Tom Buckner, Mrs. B. H. Williams, Mrs. Morris Sewell, Mrs. Milton Kirby, Mrs. Jack Hanson, Mrs. A. L. Cooper, Mrs. James Wiley, Mrs. E. H. Sanders, Mrs. Lillian Funderburk and the hostesses.

Eastern Star Will Observe Anniversary

The local chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star will celebrate its 60th Anniversary Tuesday evening.

The occasion will be observed by a covered dish supper at the Masonic hall at 8:30 p. m.

All members are urged to attend and bring a covered dish.

Announcement of this was made by Ruth Pittman, worthy matron.

Charles Prather is spending the holidays between semesters at A. & M. College with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Prather.

Lady Ann Frizzell Marries Leroy Rose In Saturday Service

Lady Ann Frizzell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Frizzell of the Lees community, became the bride of Leroy Rose, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Rose of Bunker, Saturday afternoon.

The single ring ceremony was read in the Airport Baptist church by the Rev. J. J. McElreath.

The bride wore a gray suit with black accessories.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Bill McLaren of the Lees community.

The bride attended Garden City high school. The bridegroom is employed by an oil company.

The couple will live in Graham after a honeymoon in Dallas.

Fashions

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The built-up waist line is everywhere, and many Dallas designers favor the attached cummerbund top, while others like the separate belt or sash which ties in a big bow at the back. Grey, brown, natural and black are the important colors in skirts, while the rayon gabardines are neutral, clear pastels and winter white.

Another house (Kohen-Ligon-Folz) has an outstanding collection of dresses in tissue faille sheers in white, pastels, navy and black. Cut-out designs, in leaves or flowers, decorate the bodices and lend a note of Victorian charm. Many of the skirts have spaced knife pleats which gives a trim look to a gracefully skirt, so becoming in this fabric.

One important children's wear designer (Westway) has an interesting collection of dresses for small fry in striped seersucker, tailored neatly, with a nod to the Grown-ups' New Look in flaring skirts and important pockets.

Another puts a touch of Texas in a play suit design for fashion-conscious tots from 4 to 6 with a seniorita blouse (puffed sleeves and low gathered neckline), a bare midriff, and a gay printed and ruffled skirt trimmed with rickrac (Johnston).

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Stanton Study And Music Clubs Meetings Highlight Activities

STANTON, Feb. 1. (Sp1)—Mrs. Bob Whitacker read a letter from the family in Greece that the Stanton Study club had adopted through CARE at the meeting of the club in the home of Mrs. Jim Tom, Thursday afternoon.

The letter expressed deep appreciation and gratitude for the interest shown and the help given them. It indicated that the Greek people continue to suffer from the effects of the war and internal strife.

Another box, containing used warm clothing, will be sent to this family by the club this week.

Mrs. Jim Tom gave a review of the book, "Three Came Home," by Agnes Newton Keith.

Mrs. Paul Jones presided at the business meeting. Members answered roll call with items of national news interest.

Mrs. Edmund Tom presided at the silver coffee service.

Approximately 15 persons attended the meeting.

Mrs. Claude Houston was hostess at the regular meeting of the Stanton Music club at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Pittman discussed composers of today and gave a history of American music. For her discussion, she chose six major composers. Aaron Copeland, George Antheil, Roy Harris, Henry Cowell, Roger Sessions and Walton Piston.

She also gave the life and works of George Gershwin. Following the talk, recordings of Gershwin's "Love Walked In," and "Rhapsody in Blue," were played.

Mrs. Houston gave a short review on Texas composers. She played a piano solo, "Remembrance," by Texas composer, Reuben Davis.

During the business session, the club decided to order some operettas for use in the Music Week program in May.

Plans were also completed for the club to sponsor an Easter cantata.

Mrs. Arlo Forrest will be hostess at the next meeting Jan. 28.

Mrs. Imogene Ledbetter, County Home Demonstration Agent, met with the Stanton Senior 4H club Monday afternoon.

Members of the club learned how to make button holes and hem stitch.

Each member was given a goal to complete in accordance with their ages and abilities.

Betty Bennett, vice-president, presided at the meeting.

Wayne Polson bought the Stanton Humble Station this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Lewis are moving to Sweetwater where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross sold their home and the City Cafe recently. They have purchased the Stanton Hotel Coffee Shop.

Mrs. Jim Henson, who is in the hospital with an infected ear, has bought a home in Stanton. She will move off the farm and into town as soon as she is able.

Dero Sneed and Bernie Free of Sweetwater are visiting Dero's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Sneed.

Stanton schools and business firms were closed Wednesday and Thursday because of the gas shortage.

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Jane Rice, T. L. Butts Marriage Will Be Solemnized February 26



MISS JANE RICE

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Rice are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jane, to T. L. Butts, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Butts of Lamesa.

The wedding will be solemnized Feb. 26 in the East Fourth Baptist church with the Rev. J. W. Arnett, uncle of the bride, reading the double ring vows.

Faye Rice, sister of the bride-elect, will be maid of honor.

Dean Robertson is to serve as best man.

Miss Rice graduated from Big Spring high school and is now assistant manager of the Sallie Ann dress shop.

Butts graduated from Lamesa high school and is now ranching near Seagraves where the couple will be at home following the ceremony.

Mrs. Vaughan Is Honored At Shower

Mrs. Adrian Vaughan was complimented with a gift shower Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. D. E. Meier with Mrs. Shirley Fryar, Mrs. R. C. Thomas and Mrs. Kent Morgan as hostesses.

Mrs. Fryar presided at the silver coffee service. Mrs. Thomas served caked and Mrs. Morgan greeted guests.

The table was laid with lace and a color scheme of pink and blue was used in the decorations and the centerpiece.

Those attending were Mrs. L. B. Amaon, Mrs. Grover Bissard, Billie Burrell, Mrs. Gene Choate, Mrs. D. E. Meier, Mrs. Chad Rockett, Mrs. Tommy Ratliff, Rhoda Miller, Mrs. Jack M. Haynes, Mrs. H. E. Choate, Sr., Mrs. T. B. Clifton, Mrs. Marie Haynes, Mrs. Willard Hendricks, Mrs. Billie Funderburk, Mrs. Lois Talkington, Mrs. Dalton Carr, Mrs. Gene Combs, and the hostesses.

Forsan Residents Have Party Despite Cold Weather During Week

FORSAN, Feb. 1. (Sp1)—Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Porter were hosts to a dinner at their home Tuesday night.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Burl Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Peek, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thieme, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Grant and Bill Smith.

Visits-Visitors

Mrs. L. S. McDowell left by airline Saturday night for San Antonio where she will visit in the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Alexander for the next two weeks.

Fred and George Franklin will spend the weekend in Fort Worth attending the Fat Stock Show.

Mrs. Leola Cleere has as her guest Mrs. Anna B. Cook of Clovis, N. M. for the weekend. They will leave Tuesday to attend the Mardi Gras in New Orleans, La.

Tri-County Council Of P-TA Will Meet

FORSAN, Feb. 1 (Sp1)—Mrs. W. K. Scudday, president of the Tri-County Council of the Parent-Teacher Association of Garden City, announced that the Tri-County Parent-Teacher's Association will meet at the Settles hotel Thursday, Feb. 5th at 10 a. m.

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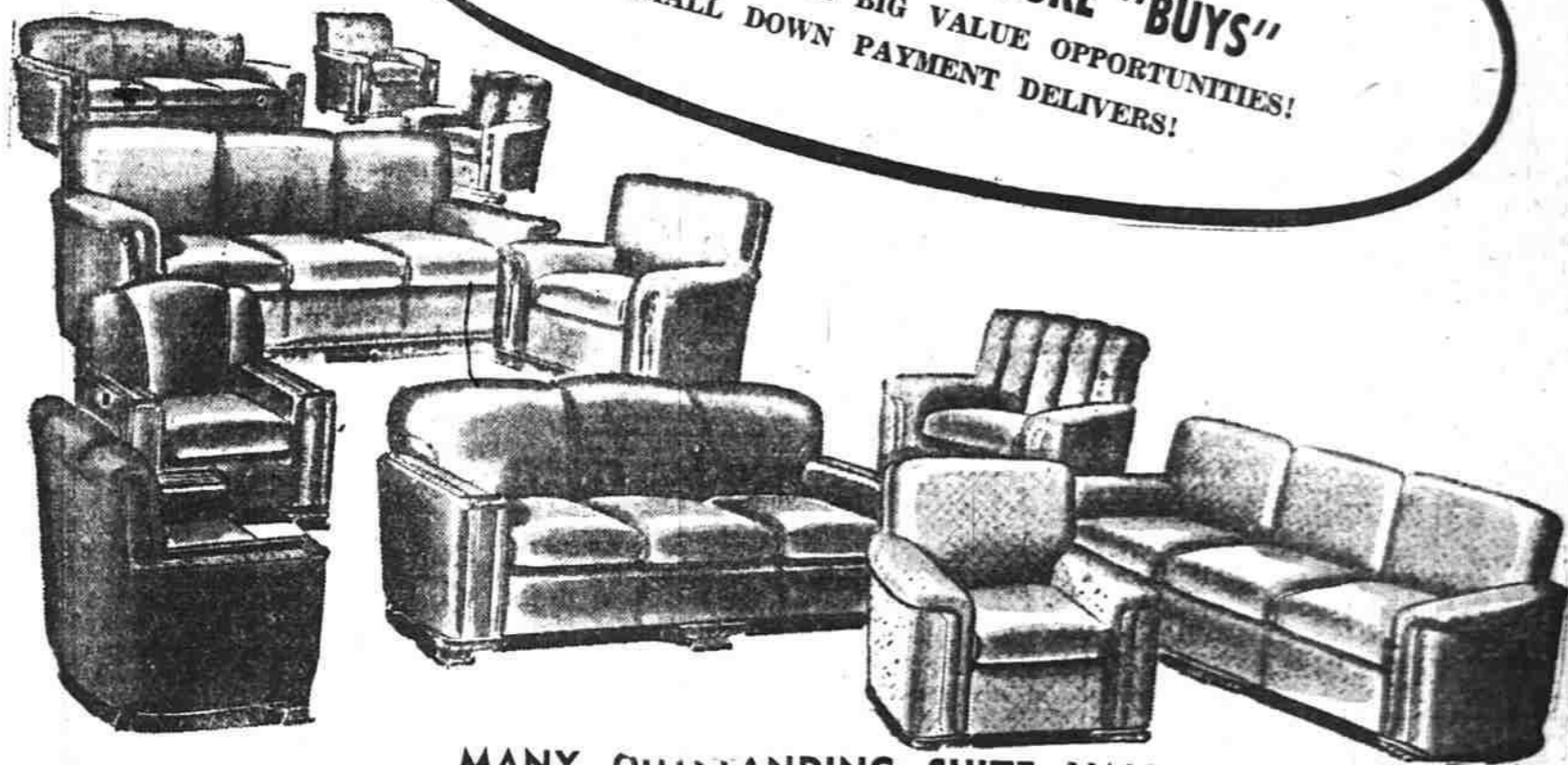
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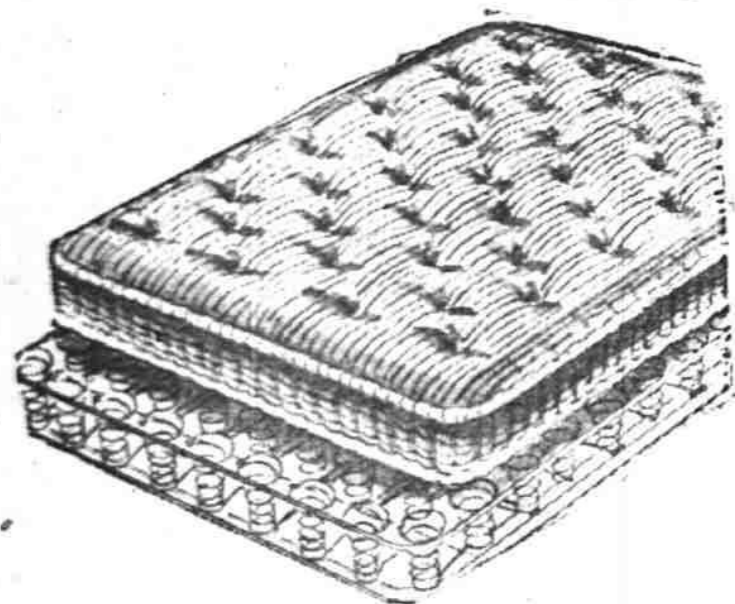
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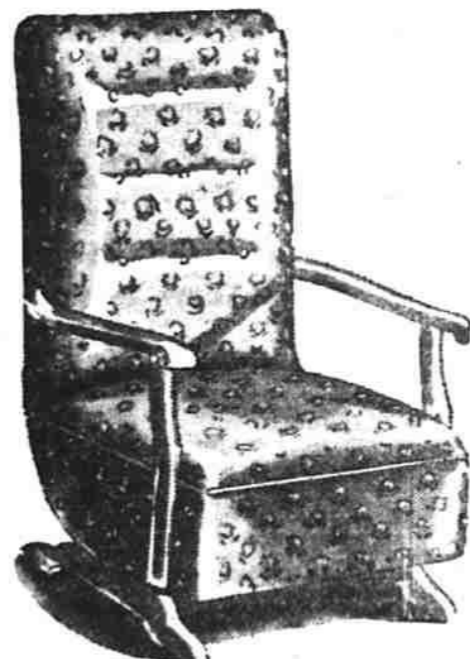
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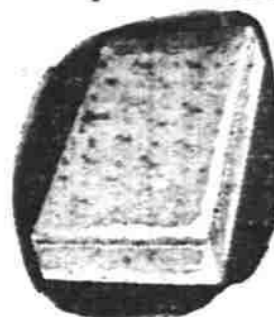
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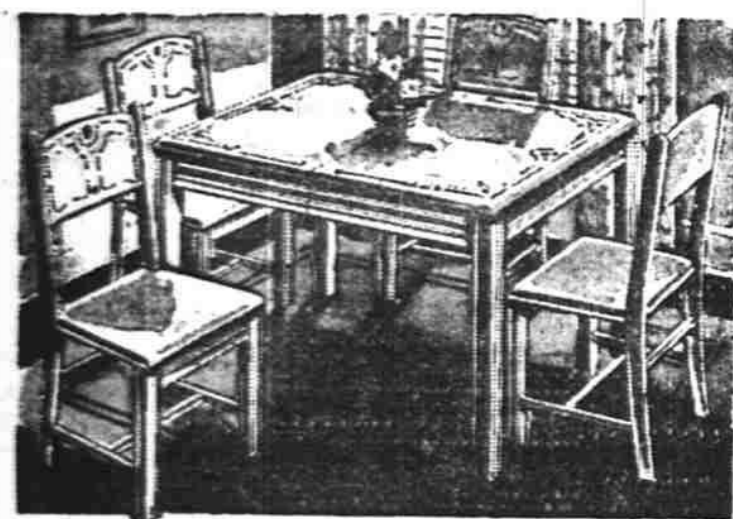


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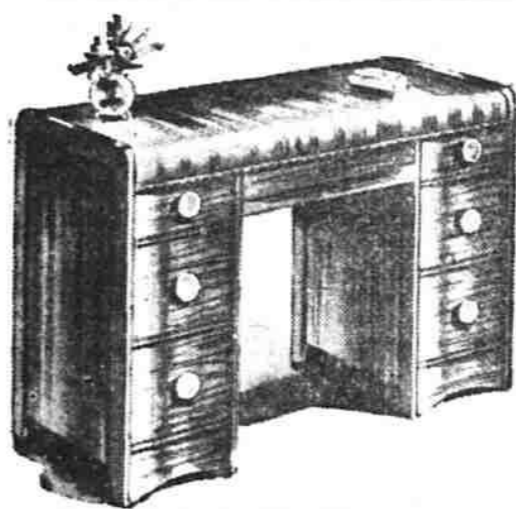


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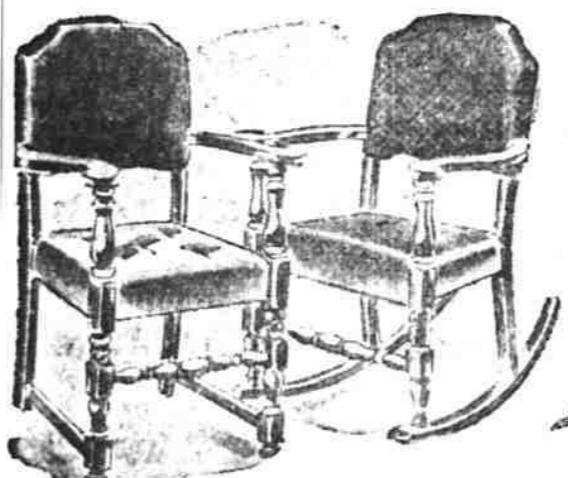


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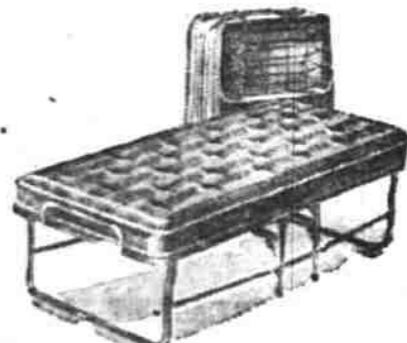
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PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY will have a monthly business meeting at the church at 3 p. m.
FIRST METHODIST WSCS will meet at the church for a business meeting at 3 p. m.
EAST FOURTH BAPTIST WMU will meet in Circles, Circle One with Mrs. H. Braves, 601 E. 12th, Circle Two with Mrs. O. R. Smith, 1600 State, Circle Three and Four with Mrs. Geo. McLellan, 600 E. 4th, and Circle Five with Mrs. J. P. Kinz, 505 Johnson at 3 p. m.
EAST FOURTH BAPTIST YWA meets with Antia Cate, 408 Owen at 7:30 p. m.
FIRST BAPTIST WMS meets in Circles, Maxie Taylor Circle with Mrs. Jack Haynes, 1005 Wood at 10 a. m., Christian Coffee Circle with Mrs. A. E. Underwood, 601 E. 16th, Mary Willis Circle with Mrs. C. O. Andrews, 505 Lancaster, East Central Circle and Lillian Heaman Circles meet at the church at 3 p. m.
FIRST BAPTIST JUNIOR GIRLS' AUXILIARY will meet at the church at 4:15 p. m.
WESLEY METHODIST WSCS will meet in the church parlor at 3 p. m.
SUB DEBS will meet with Veracoe, 404 E. 12th at 6:30 p. m.
FIRST CHRISTIAN WOMAN'S COUNCIL will meet at the church at 3 p. m.
NORTHEAST BAPTIST WMS will meet with Mrs. J. E. Parker, 1105 N. Scurry at 3 p. m.
Tuesday
JOHN A. KEE REBEKAH LODGE will meet at the Settles hotel at 8 p. m.
B AND W CLUB meets at the Settles hotel at 7:30 p. m.
BIG SPRING REBEKAH LODGE 284 will meet at the IOOF hall at 7:30 p. m.
ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR meets at the Masonic hall at 6:30 p. m. for a covered dish supper.
HIGH SCHOOL P-T-A will meet at the school at 3:30 p. m.
RUTH CIRCLE OF THE FIRST CHRISTIAN WOMAN'S COUNCIL will meet with Mrs. James Petroff, 1111 Settles at 7:30 p. m.
AIRPORT BAPTIST WMS will meet at the church for Bible study at 3 p. m.
Wednesday
FIRST METHODIST CHURCH CHORUS meets at the church at 7:30 p. m.
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHORUS will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH CHORUS meets at the church at 8:30 p. m.
LADIES LEAGUE of the Salvation Army will meet at the Dora Robert's Citadel at 2 p. m.
P-T-A COUNCIL will meet at the High

School at 3:30 p. m.
PARK METHODIST STUDY CLUB meets at the church at 7:30 p. m.
FIREMAN LADIES will meet at the WOW hall at 3 p. m.
PHYLATHEA CLASS of the First Methodist church meets at the church at 10:30 a. m.
NITE OUT BRIDGE CLUB will meet with Mrs. Bill Dehlinger, Jr. at 8 p. m.
STITCH-A-RIT CLUB will meet with Mrs. H. J. Asee, 704 W. 18th at 3 p. m. Thursday
RIGHT CIRCLE of Wesley Methodist WSCS will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.
OIA will meet at the WOW hall at 3 p. m.
LOTTIE MOON YWA of First Baptist church will meet at the church at 8 p. m.
EAGER BEAVER CLUB will meet with Mrs. R. G. Burnett, 709 Douglas at 2 p. m.
BIBLE STUDY GROUP OF CHURCH OF CHRIST will meet at the church at 10 a. m.
AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY will meet at the Legion Hut at 8 p. m.
SOUTH WARD P-T-A will meet at the church at 3 p. m. for an executive meeting and at 3:30 p. m. for regular meeting.
AUXILIARY CLUB will meet with Mrs. Bob Satterwhite, 610 E. 17th at 7:30 p. m.
CREDI WOMEN'S CLUB will meet at 10 a. m. First Methodist church for a covered dish luncheon at noon.
DESSERT BRIDGE CLUB will meet with Mrs. Travis Carlson, 1908 Johnson at 2 p. m.
FAIRVIEW HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB will meet with Mrs. R. C. Nichols, 1019 Nolan at 2 p. m.
Friday
LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION will meet at the Country Club at 1 p. m. with Mrs. Ole Bristow, Mrs. Elma Wasson, Mrs. R. E. McEwen, Sr., Mrs. Roy Townsend and Mrs. George Tillman as hostesses.
SUSANAH WESLEY CLASS will have a luncheon at the First Methodist church at 12 noon.
JUNIOR WOMAN'S FORUM will meet with Mrs. Marie Haines at 101 Lincoln at 3 p. m.
HAPPY-GO-LUCKY SEWING CLUB will meet with Mrs. A. J. Allen, 2000 Scurry at 3 p. m.
THE HYPERION CLUBS will have a joint meeting at the Episcopal Parish House at 3 p. m.
SUNDAYS OF THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH will meet at the church at 3 p. m.
SUNDAYS of the East Fourth Baptist Church will meet at the church at 3 p. m.
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Funeral Set For Fomer Resident Here

STERLING CITY, Jan. 31. —Funeral services for Mrs. O. D. Collins, a former resident of Big Spring, will be conducted at the First Baptist Church here at 2 p. m. Monday.
Mrs. Collins died Thursday night in Tucson, Ariz., where she was visiting relatives.
Survivors include the husband, one son, Tom Collins of San Angelo; two daughters, Ala B. Collins, San Angelo, and Mrs. Hampton Becker, Danbury, Conn.; a brother, J. H. McCabe, who lives in Colorado; two sisters, Mrs. Raymond Roberts, Tucson, and Mrs. Nettie Townsend of California.
The body, which is being shipped by train, is due to arrive Monday morning.
Palbearers for the funeral service will be nephews. They include Ralph and Charlie Collins, Jr., Cecil Collins, L. B. and Paul Collins, Jiggs Hall, Harold and Frank McCabe.

Midland Paper In New Home

MIDLAND, Jan. 31. —The Midland Reporter-Telegram is opening out the first week in its new home, a modern plant built on the site of Midland's first newspaper.
New equipment include a 16-page Duplex tubular press, capable of printing 20,000 papers an hour.
The move was made without missing an edition. The new plant is located at 221 North Main Street, the site where the Staked Plains began publication before the turn of the century.
James N. Allison is publisher of the Reporter-Telegram, having purchased the paper in 1940 after 14 years with the Associated Press.
The new plant, started last summer, is of brick, steel and concrete construction and fireproof throughout. New furniture and equipment has been installed throughout the front offices.
Allison said a formal open house will be held at the new plant sometime in February.
"Everything possible has been done to make the plant the most complete and most modern in West Texas," the publisher said.

Cranfill Named Dean
PLAINVIEW, Tex., Jan. 31. —Dr. S. E. Cranfill will become academic dean of Wayland college here Monday and his wife will head the college's sociology department. President J. W. Marshall has announced. Cranfill has been head of the economics department at Baylor university.
DIES OF BURNS
ATHENS, Tex., Jan. 31. —Mrs. Minnie Lee Ware died yesterday of burns received when her gown caught fire Thursday night.

WHAT GIVES 'ROUND TOWN

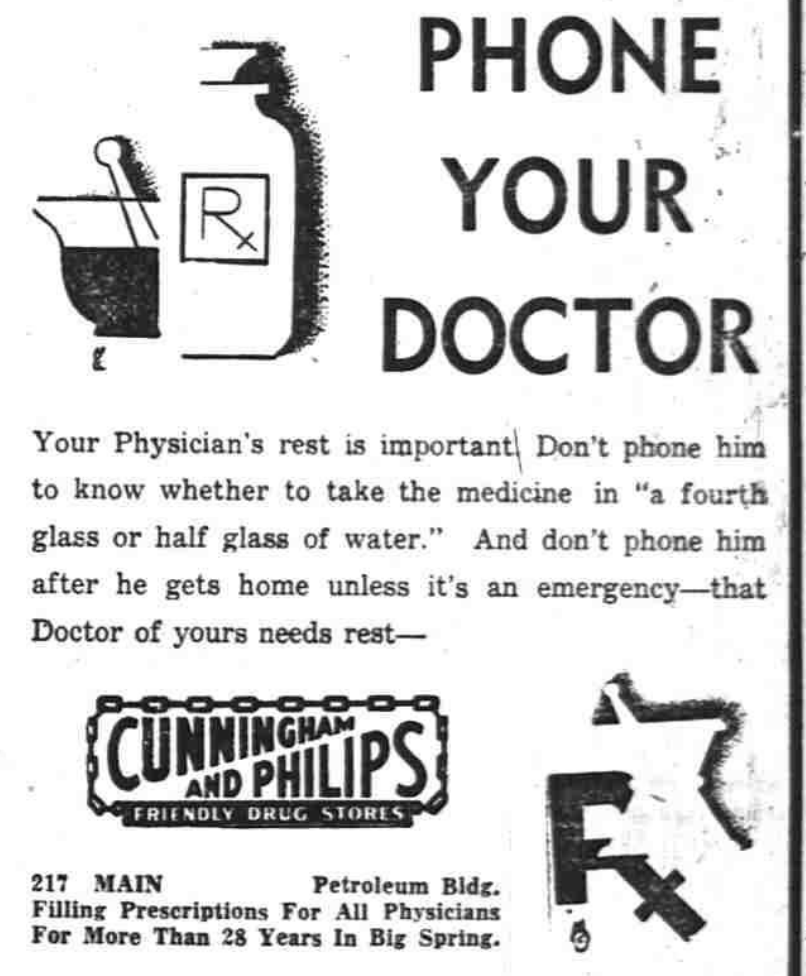
By Leatrice Ross

Big Spring High school this week announced selection of those students who will be sent to district—possibly state—speech meets in the spring interscholastic league contests. The school is entering a one-act play, debate team, declaimers and extemporaneous speakers as per usual.
Cast for the play is Babs Douglas, George Oldham and Eddie Hickson. Babs and Eddie, if you recall, were principals in the junior class play last year. Debate team will include Nancy Whitney, Lynn Porter, Rebekah Lloyd, Sue Leonard, Nita Hill, Gerald Harris, Odell Vinson, Billie Bob Watson, Billy Wheeler and John Coffee.
And other entries are Fay Russell, Lynn Porter and Eddie Hickson in declamation competition; Corky McDonald and John Coffee in extemp speaking.
Members of the Steer basketball A-string were guests Friday at luncheon with the American Business club. Cagers in attendance were Harold Berry, Ike Robb, Moe Madison, Donald Hale, Bob Carlisle, Delmar Turner, R. B. Lees, R. H. Carter, George Oldham, Eddie Houser and Jim Bill Little.
Jimmy Tamsitt, former Texas U student, is enrolled at HGIC this semester. Jimmy says he'll be back at the university come summer. Evelyn Huddleston, who this past term graduated from high school at Brady, also is registered at the junior college. Other newcomers are Brooks and Clay Bedell, Garden City; Fred Clark, Brownfield, Claude Evans, Gustine; Don Henry, Chillicothe; Bill Johnson, previously at H-SU; Harold Hardy, Dick Clifton, and Bill Inkman.
The ground-breaking ceremonies at the Vet hospital site Friday afternoon apparently were of interest to many. Among people we saw: Beverly Stulting, home between semesters from TCU; Dot Satterwhite, also from TCU; Helen Blount and a fellow Texas U student, Ruth Ann Ratliff of San Antonio; Patsy Sue McDaniel, visitor in town from Abilene; and

members of the junior college sociology class Charles Buckner, Jack Crenshaw, Dormand Hill, Darrell Hickman, Olney Thurman, T. D. Weaver, and Gerald Anderson.
Hoss Rankin, Chuck Gressett and Jackie Barron spent several days this week in Brownwood. Bob Hill and Bob Hatcher spent Friday evening in Odessa. Twenty-two boys in the FFA class at high school under Ed Robnett departed Friday afternoon for Fort Worth and the Fat Stock show. They were to spend the weekend.
Among persons expected here next weekend for the 20-30 club installation dinner and dance are Jimmy and LaVerne Marshall of Odessa, Jimmy, a Tech student



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Half Of Surplus Sales Go To Cost

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31. —The cost of selling war surplus now amounts to about half the receipts, the War Assets Administration reported today.
Administrator, Jess Larson told Congress he still has to get rid of goods which cost the government about \$7,472,000,000 new. He expects the job to be pretty well finished about June 30.
Disposal costs, which amounted to 25.7 per cent of the money taken in during 1947, rose to 49 per cent in the final quarter.
The reason, Larson said, is that WAA's stocks are down to the not-so-choice and the "white elephant" items.

Low Bid Noted For Brazos Dam Project

GALVESTON, Tex. Jan. 31. —A bid of \$15,995,598 was the apparent low offer for construction on the Whitney Dam project. District Army Engineer Col. B. L. Robinson disclosed.
L. P. Reed, Inc., of Meridian submitted the lowest bid of three offered.
The government estimate on the project, which has been under partial construction since spring, 1947, was \$13,483,547.82.
Robinson said the contractor would be given 1,200 days to complete the dam across the Brazos river in Hill county.

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fect of heredity—the transmittal of the same genes from generation to generation—both in maintaining desirable bodily characteristics and enhancing the same, and in handing on certain character-factors. This is especially true with breeders of racehorses and polo ponies, where a good and tractable disposition may be as important as physical equipment.

The Nation Today—James Marlow

Military Training Bill Is In Box

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The bill to make compulsory military training a law is in a bit of a box in Congress.

powerful in Congress—called the House Rules committee.

Palestine's Future—Max Harrelson

Jerusalem Rule To Be Problem

(This is the last of a series of articles on the coming partition of Palestine.—Ed.)

supervising its operation was assigned to the U. N. Trusteeship Council. That body already has begun work on a statute, which will serve as a constitution for the international zone, and expects to have it ready by April 29, the deadline set by the General Assembly.

Today's Birthday

DR. IRVING LANGMUIR, born Jan. 31, 1881, associate director of General Electric research laboratories, is one of the world's best known chemists.

set; the rest of the cast will be English. The story traces the navigator's life from his young manhood through the first voyage.

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Herald Radio Log

Table with columns for station call letters, time, and program names. Includes sections for Sunday Morning, Sunday Afternoon, Sunday Evening, and Monday Afternoon.

Washington Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

Distillers Try To Block Holiday

WASHINGTON.—When Chairman Jesse Wolcott of Michigan called his banking and currency committee together to vote on extension of the whiskey holiday he swore every member to secrecy.

teered the information that he could control Wolcott. The Senate whiskey-holiday extension would be blocked in Wolcott's committee, he said.

UNCONTROLLED WOLCOTT Chairman Wolcott, the man Hiram Walker said they could control, then launched into a fiery tirade against controls.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS 1. Term of address 6. Equality 9. Footlike part 12. Nimble 15. Before 18. Rodent 21. Form of puzzle 24. Jett 27. At home 30. Variety of mint 33. Become sleepy 36. Persons 39. The yellow 42. Goddess of music 45. Land measure 48. Excited with anticipation 51. Positive electrode

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A crossword puzzle grid with numbers indicating the start of words.

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WORD-A-DAY

INCUBUS

(in 'kū-būs) noun THE NIGHTMARE, WITH A SENSE OF A GREAT PRESSURE UPON THE CHEST; HENCE, ANYTHING THAT TENDS TO WEIGH DOWN OR PREVENT PROGRESS; ANY DEPRESSING WEIGHT OR BURDEN



Crosby, Hope Hit Road Again; This Time For Gay Rio

Those hilarious highwaymen, Bing Crosby and Bob Hope have again hit the road for Paramount and their latest excursion, "Road to Rio," turns into the Ritz theatre today.

Dorothy Lamour is co-starred with the duo as the diverting decor in their wanderings.

Tender Vegetables Are Badly Hurt By Valley Freeze

AUSTIN, Jan. 31. — The freeze Wednesday and Thursday caused almost complete loss of tender vegetables in the lower Rio Grande valley. Hardy vegetables suffered comparatively heavy damage.

This was the preliminary report released today by the Austin office of the federal agricultural statistician, United States department of agriculture.

Growing crops of tomatoes, corn, green peas and potatoes were killed to the ground. However, the greatest proportion of the potatoes were young and were expected to recover.

Citrus fruit losses were not believed serious.

Heavy top losses to carrots, beets and turnips were reported. Broccoli was badly burned. Settings of young cabbage were definitely hurt. Statistician V. C. Child reported. Matured cabbage heads were showing ice through the center.

Temperatures three to seven degrees below freezing hit the valley for two days. Childs said the ultimate losses were dependent upon the degree of moderation, and a full appraisal will not be possible for several days.

Further embellishing this comedy hit are the Andrews Sisters and the Wiere Brothers, the former adding to the film's melodic moments and the zany male trio to its madness. Then, too, there are four brand new song hits from the fertile pens of James Van Heusen and Johnny Burke. Crosby solos on "But Beautiful," teams up with Hope on "Apalachicola, Fla.," rounds out a quartet with the Andrews Sisters swinging "You Don't Have to Know the Language," then turns over the vocal chores to Miss Lamour who goes it alone with the novelty number, "Experience."

Down on their luck, clarinetist Crosby and trumpeter player Hope hit the "Road to Rio" when one of their crazy money-making schemes wrecks a carnival. They stow away on a luxury liner bound for the land of coffee, romance and the samba. There they run into Dorothy Lamour, prevent her suicide and become involved in the strange doings of her aunt, who is obviously up to no good. Before the film runs its comic course, there's an awful lot of laughter in Brazil.

Gale Sondergaard, as the sinister aunt, heads the supporting cast of "Road to Rio," with Frank Faylen and mustachioed Jerry Colonna in a surprise bit. The film was produced by Daniel Dare and directed by Norman Z. McLeod. All concerned have made "Road to Rio" the place to go for fun.

It Took Time
MISHAWAKA, Ind. (U.P.)—Melvin W. Mix, the city's second mayor, lost a cap while in office from 1902 to 1906. It was found when Mayor E. Spencer Walton cleaned his city hall office after taking over the administration.

NEW QUALITY, QUARTER-POUND CANDY BAR OFFERED AT SHOWS

Something distinctive in the way of fine chocolate confections is being introduced in Big Spring, to patrons of the local theatres.

During this week, a girl appearing as "Miss Wholesome" is appearing at the Ritz, State and Lyric theatres to offer a large bar of Cook's candy, a quality chocolate with roasted almonds. It's a mammoth, quarter-pound bar to make what is advertised as a "whole some meal."

Production of the Cook's bar was started a few years ago in Hollywood, as a special candy for a film producer. Its outstanding quality attracted attention of major hotels, clubs and de luxe refreshment spots, and it has spread across the continent in that type of establishment, being offered exclusively by them. The Cook bar recently was stocked by the big British de luxe liners.

Theatres in major cities more recently started offering the candy as an exclusive line, and the Cook's bar has found a popular reception. It is now being introduced in the theatres here, and will be available only through the candy stands of the Ritz, State and Lyric.



OLD FAVORITES—An impressive lineup of first rank stars, Spencer Tracy, Hedy Lamarr, Claudette Colbert and Clark Gable (shown above) return to the State theatre today in a re-release of "Boom Town."

The Weeks Playbill

RITZ
SUN.-MON.—"Road to Rio," with Bing Crosby and Bob Hope.
TUES.—WED.—"Unsuspected," with Joan Caulfield and Claude Rains.
THURS.-FRI.-SAT.—"Pirates of Monterey," with Rod Cameron and Maria Montez.
STATE
SUN.-MON.—"Slave Girl," with Yvonne De Carlo and George Brent.
TUES.-WED.—"Variety Girl," with Mary Hatcher and De Forest Kelley.
THURS.—"Smart Politics," with June Priesser and Freddie Stewart.
FRI.-SAT.—"Devil's Playground," with William Boyd and Andy Clyde.
LYRIC
SUN.-MON.—"Boom Town," with Clark Gable and Claudette Colbert.
TUES.-WED.—"Wild Harvest," with Alan Ladd and Dorothy Lamour.
THURS.-FRI.-SAT.—"Along the Oregon Trail," with Monte Hale and Adrian Booth.



HORSE PLAY — Bing Crosby and Bob Hope cook up a bit of horse play involving Dorothy Lamour in the above scene from "Road to Rio," which begins today at the Ritz theatre.



SLAVE GIRL — Yvonne De Carlo (above) has the female lead in "Slave Girl," opening today at the State theatre. George Brent is also starred in the Technicolor comedy.

Abilene Slates Barter Players

ABILENE, Jan. 31. (Sp1)—The Barter Players, only state-subsidized theatre in the United States, will come to Abilene Friday Feb. 6, to present Oscar Wilde's popular production, "The Importance of Being Earnest." The play will be given at 8 o'clock at Hardin-Simmons.

The State Theatre of Virginia is chartered by the Commonwealth of Virginia as a non-profit organization "dedicated to the theory that good professional theatre should be made available to the American people everywhere."

Wilde's comedy, "The Importance of Being Earnest," has been described as the most popular of his plays, including his serious writings. Since this play premiered at the St. James Theatre in London on Valentine's Day, 1895, it has been a real attraction as the "greatest comedy of manners."

Never Fails

CONNERSVILLE, Ind. (U.P.) — Ben McKenney, a city mail carrier, lost his glasses during the Christmas mail rush. He recovered them from Ft. Worth, Tex. He had dropped the spectacles and case into a mail bag sent to the Lone Star State.

Dogs On Payroll

NEW YORK (U.P.) — Lassie, 4 years old, and her son, Teddy, 2, are watch dogs at the city-owned Canarsie Cemetery and take over at night when the day-time employees leave. Borough President John Cashmore of Brooklyn, announced he was putting Lassie and Teddy on the city payroll at \$5 per month. The money will be used to feed them.

No False Alarms

DUBLIN, Ga. (U.P.)—This mid-Georgia city racked up at least one perfect record during 1947. Fire Chief S. V. Holmes said Dublin has not had a false alarm since late 1946.

Story Of Pirates Is Told In Technicolor Movie Now At State

A chapter of appeasement in the history of the United States, when the young nation paid tribute to the Barbary Coast pirates, inspired the technicolor comedy, "Slave Girl," starring Yvonne De Carlo and George Brent. The Universal-International picture comes to the State screen today.

Writer-producers Michael Fessier and Ernest Pagano based their story on incidents, early in 1800, when the State Department sent gold to the ruler of Tripoli so his ships wouldn't prey on American commerce, and sell captured Americans into slavery.

For nearly two decades Uncle Sam, from time to time, contributed to the coffers of the Arab chieftains. Not until 1815 did the Navy become strong enough to beat the Barbary pashas in their own Mediterranean back yard, and end their piracy.

George Brent plays an American sent by the State Department to the Pasha of Tripoli to ransom a group of American seamen. Yvonne De Carlo co-stars in the Technicolor picture as a Venetian captured by the Arab ruler. Albert Dekker portrays the pasha. The adventurous comedy-romance was directed by Charles Lamont.

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Hungry, Not Greedy

TRENTON, Neb. (U.P.)—A cafe owner upon arriving at work found he was the victim of a hungry lawbreaker. His shop had been burglarized. Missing were three buses and some lunch meat.

Jails Himself

BRAZIL, Ind. (U.P.)—Orval Stevens got himself into jail without any prodding by the police. While patrolmen were hunting Stevens to arrest him on a drunken driving charge, they heard sounds of a wreck near the jail. Police assisted Stevens from his damaged car, which had bumped into the jail, and led him into a cell.

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LONG-TIME AMBITION
Gainesville Circus Adds Aerial Act

GAINESVILLE, Jan. 31 (AP)—The famed Gainesville community circus, a touring group of skilled ama-

teur performers, this season will boast the last word in circus offerings—a flying aerial act.

Nine Gainesville young people already have put in nine weeks of training under two Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bailey aerialists, Gus Bell and Harold Ward, who came here in the fall as instructors.

Until last year, when the Gainesville group acquired a 110 foot big top, they never had a tent large enough for a flying act.

The nine who are training as aerialists are all volunteers and most of them have been in the show in other roles. Bill and Elsie Ritchie had a double trapeze act last year. Evelyn Kaps was an aerialist and Billy Bob Alexander and Lawrence Davis were bareback riders. Buddy Gandillon rode roman style on two horses. Newcomers include Ralph Gerneth, who became interested in acrobatics while serving as a property man last season; Jack Craig and Larry Flowers.

Craig, Flowers and Alexander are catchers—the others are fliers.

Addition of the flying act fulfills a prophecy by J. C. G. Stertevant of San Antonio, nationally-known circus historian. He first saw the show here in 1931 and came back in 1932 and 1935 to be at the opening performances.

"On a visit to Gainesville, he said: 'You've done everything except have a flying act and I am confident you someday will accomplish that, too.'"

The colonel will receive an invitation to see the show's first flying act make its debut in 1948.

Rounds It Out

GREEN BAY, Wis. (U.P.)—One thief here likes comfort with his reading. He stole 78 comic books and 35 assorted love, detective and movie magazines from a newsstand. To have something to go along with the reading, he stuffed his pockets with four pipes, four packages of nuts and handfuls of penny candy.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
Knowledge About Jesus

BY NEWMAN CAMPBELL

(The International Uniform Lesson on the above topic for Feb. 1 is Isaiah 53:4-6; Matthew 1:21; 5:17; 20:28-29; Luke 19:1-10; Hebrews 4:15, 16, the Memory Verse being Luke 19:10: "The Son of man came to seek and to save that which was lost.")

Isaiah, the prophet, wrote the first words assigned to our lesson, presumably, in Jerusalem about 710 or 712 B. C. "Surely He hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows; yet we did esteem Him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted."

"But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement of our peace was upon Him; and with His stripes we were healed."

"All we like sheep have gone astray we have turned every one to his own way; and Jehovah hath laid on Him the iniquity of us all."

Seven hundred years from the time this prophecy was written, Joseph of Nazareth was told by an angel of the coming of a son to his affianced wife, Mary. "And thou shalt call His name Jesus, for it is He that shall save His people from their sins."

Seven hundred years passed before Christ was born at Bethlehem, and more than 1,900 years have gone and we still are (many of us) "like sheep that have gone astray." When will we heed the Saviour's voice and follow His teaching and example?

Not as a law breaker came Jesus to the world, as He said Himself:

chaeus, make haste, and come down, for today I must abide at thy house."

Now Zacchaeus was, as we said before, a tax-gatherer; that is, he was working for the Roman rulers, which made him, a Jew, very unpopular with his own people. He was chief tax-gatherer of that district, having others under his charge, and these men were required only to turn in to the Roman authorities so much money per person in the district. This was a temptation for them to collect more than they had to turn in and pocket the difference—which many did.

Thus when Jesus chose Zacchaeus to be His host in Jericho, the people whispered one to another, "He has gone to be guest with a man that is a sinner."

Zacchaeus, however, received the Lord most joyously, and, standing before Jesus, he said, "Behold, the half of my goods I give to the poor; and if I have anything from any man by false accusation, I restore him fourfold."

Jesus said to him: "This day is salvation come to this house, forasmuch as he also is a son of Abraham."

So was converted Zacchaeus, the Jewish tax-gatherer, and Paul, in his letter to the Hebrews, sums up Jesus' mission on earth and attitude towards His people, when he says: "For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin."

"Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need."

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