



## Congress Faces Scrap Over War Debts

### CHICAGO MILK WAR ASSUMES SERIOUS ASPECT

### Smith Crop Loan Bill Is Approved

### Milk Dumped By Dairymen In Protests

### Comparative Quiet Due To Be Shattered

#### News Behind The News THE NATIONAL

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#### WASHINGTON By George Durno

#### Hitches—

Main offices of the Farm Credit Administration and the Home Owners' Loan Corporation here continue to put out rosy reports about the member of loans they have made. Figures run into the millions are tossed about with the greatest ease.

Yet private reports from the field still indicate that the mill is grinding very, very slowly.

Farmers and urban dwellers alike complain they can't get final action on their applications.

In Grauga County, Ohio, for instance, farm land is valued roughly at \$20,000,000. There have been \$100,000 worth of farm loans approved but in nearly every instance some hitch seems to be holding back the actual money.

Despite a state law which says anyone who has held unimproved possession of a piece of property for 21 years and paid the taxes thereon shall have clear title, flaws dating back as far as 125 years are being developed to hold up payment.

A banker in mid-county reports to his personal knowledge only three farm loans had been entirely completed.

This same banker reveals further that only one of all his patrons had been able to get a home loan completed.

Some loans painted a glowing picture of the speed with which applications were being approved. They specifically mentioned a single batch of thirty-five.

Nevertheless careful investigation developed that only three had received their checks.

#### Fees—

Farmers are complaining there is always "an infernal fee" with every application.

They say promise is made that under certain conditions the fee will be returned. If the loan is not approved.

All the same the kickers complain.

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### McDonald To Speak Tuesday On Clair Plan

Hon. J. E. McDonald, state commissioner of agriculture, will speak at the city hall auditorium in Big Spring Tuesday afternoon, beginning at 2:30.

### Large Crowd Expected To Hear Speaker At City Auditorium

The speaker will arrive some time around the forenoon Tuesday. He is scheduled to speak in Colorado and Lamesa before coming to Big Spring.

### Clair Plan Summarized

The Clair Plan as set forth by the National League for Economic Stabilization is a just, direct, practical and legal means for insuring agricultural stabilization and may be summarized as follows:

1. Contends that the restoration of prosperity in this country is dependent upon domestic trade and domestic conditions.

2. Provides for yearly determination of a reasonable minimum price to the producer for the raw clothing and food crops necessary for United States consumption.

3. Provides for yearly determination of prorata for United States consumption against total production of each of these crops, on which quantity prorated for domestic consumption, no less than the established minimum price shall be paid according to law.

4. Provides for a Federal Marketing Control without Governmental Subsidies or Credits through the agency of the United States Post Office, which is positive in its method of control, lends itself to any form of buying, selling, and crop credit procedure and does not entail additional public expense.

5. Provides that the marketing methods proposed will be made compulsory by law, to be executed under the present Agricultural Marketing Act.

6. Provides for tariff protection of the American minimum price.

7. Provides for taking the United States Government out of the business of trading in agricultural products and restores the business of handling these commodities to the normal channels of trade.

8. States that there should be no governmental restriction of production of these crops in this country. Incentive to voluntary reduction in production is provided to those accepting.

9. Provides that surplus production of these basic agricultural commodities, over the national domestic prorata, shall be impounded on the farm unless sold for export.

10. Establishes economic equalization and stabilization between basic agriculture and other industries.

### Former Commander Of Leviathan Will Speak Here Jan. 27

Herbert Hartley, former commander of the U. S. S. Leviathan, will appear here January 27 for a speaking engagement.

Arrangements are being made for his address here.

Speaking under the auspices of a commercial company, the former commander's address does not deal with his company's product. Rather, he chooses to speak in favor of increased use of cotton goods.

"If every woman in the country owned at least two cotton garments," says Hartley, "every cotton mill in the country would be able to run full time."

Pharmacist on the job at all three stores at all times. Cunningham & Phillips—adv.

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Chairman Smith said by its provisions, the radius of seasonal government aid to agriculture would be greatly increased. All farmers would be eligible under the proposed legislation for loans through Regional Agricultural Credit Corporations.

### Red Cross Meets Tuesday Evening

The Howard County Red Cross Association will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the Settles Hotel on the mezzanine floor to elect a new chairman and officers for the coming year.

All members of the executive board, officers, and members of the Red Cross, who embarked during the last drive are urged to attend. A program will be outlined for the coming year's work.

### Ellwood Will Be Probated

DEKALB, Ill. (UP)—The will of William L. Ellwood, Texas millionaire who died at Colorado, Texas, was filed here for probate Wednesday.

The estate, estimated at about \$1,500,000, was left to two daughters, Mrs. F. E. Chappell, New London, Conn., and Mrs. R. L. Keeney, Summersville, Conn.

Ellwood, a former resident of DeKalb and son of the late Col. L. Ellwood, one of the founders of the U. S. Steel Corporation, died last Thursday.

A large land owner. The bulk of his estate was made up of Texas land holdings. Another large share was in cattle held in Texas and bank stock here and at Lubbock, Texas. His personal wealth was estimated at \$500,000 and his share in the unliquidated estate of his father at \$1,000,000.

At the death of Colonel Ellwood in 1910 his estate was valued at about \$7,000,000 and was estimated to have changed little in value since that time.

E. Perry Ellwood, brother of William, and William Eisenberg, connected with the Ellwood estate, were named executors of the estate.

### Funeral Services Held For Estel Sanchez

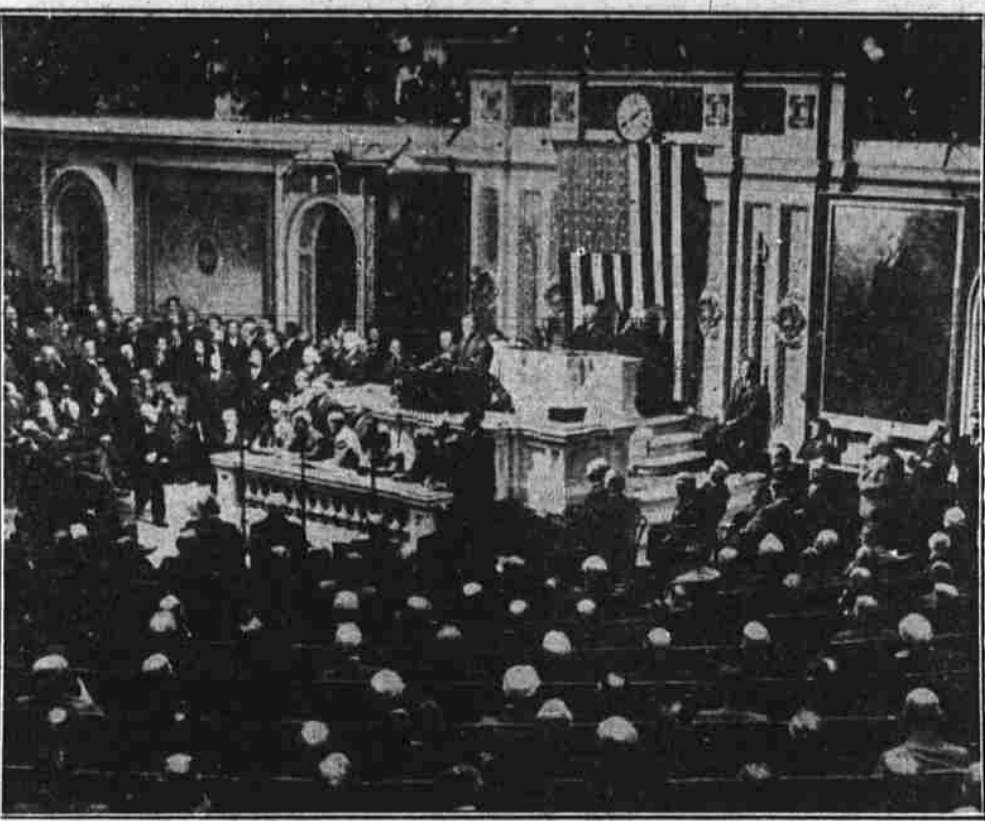
Estel Sanchez, 11-months-old baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. Gavino Sanchez, died Saturday morning at 1:30. The funeral was held at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon, with services at the Catholic church. Father Francis conducted the services. The Rix Funeral Home was in charge of the funeral.

### Firemen Make Run

Firemen Friday afternoon were called to the home of Glen Lovelace at 300 San Antonio street when an oil stove exploded. Little damage occurred.

Walgreen ear oil for ear ache. Cunningham & Phillips—3 stores—adv.

### PRESIDENT ADDRESSES OPENING SESSION OF CONGRESS



This was the scene in Washington as President Roosevelt personally delivered his message on the state of the union to the first regular session of the seventy-third congress. The house and senate met in joint session to hear his speech. (Associated Press Photo)

### Financial Statement Shows Chamber Of Commerce Ran Under Income In Year 1933

Directors of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce heard a financial statement of their organization in a called meeting Friday evening.

A motion commending the manager and secretary and officials of the chamber was offered by T. S. Currie and was given a unanimous vote.

In Mr. Currie's opinion the organization accomplished more in the past year than ever before in its history.

The financial statement showed that the organization was under its income of \$6,250.30 and had \$113.93 cash balance with only \$51 uncollected dues with \$28 of that amount collectable.

Four new directors served for the first time Friday evening. They were Dr. W. B. Hardy, G. C. Dunham, Jim Davis, and J. B. Collins.

A committee composed of Bob Cook, H. E. Hurley, and Jim Davis was appointed to nominate candidates for the offices of president, vice-president and treasurer.

Another committee composed of T. S. Currie, Dr. Hardy, and Shine Philips was named to nominate four directors, as is the custom of the body.

### COUPLE MARRIED

Justice of the Peace Cecil C. Collins Saturday afternoon solemnized the rites which united Gilbert Diaz and Miss Anita Arista.

### CANDIDATES CONTINUE TO ENTER RACES, THOUGH PAY LOWER THAN FORMER YEARS

Along with the road to heaven, the pathway to public office is also straight and narrow and many who would enter it fall by the wayside.

For counties of 25,000 or under, in which class Howard county falls, the lawmakers lopped as high as one fourth of the potential of certain county offices.

No Howard county office can now bring its holder more than \$3,000 per year. A sharp blow, indeed, to some offices that heretofore could net the holder as high as \$4,250 per year.

The county treasurer's office now offers a possible \$2,000 per annum and no more. Justice of the peace and constable positions have potentials of \$1,400. County commissioners had their \$150 per month hit by a 15 per cent reduction.

Other offices are under the shadow of the \$3,000 maximum law. They pay the first \$2,400 received in fees and one-third of all fees received afterwards until the maximum is reached. All fees received thereafter revert to the county and state.

Therefore, flays as you may, the county clerk, county judge, county attorney, county judge, county tax-collector-assessor, and district clerk cannot exceed that limit.

Stories of \$4,000 plus per year for offices in this county may have once been true, but that day has passed.

Notwithstanding these facts, there is every indication that the county ballot will be bulky when the July 25 primary rolls around. With the exception of two, every incumbent will seek re-election or

### Association Of Milk Producers Appeal To Secretary Of Agriculture

WANT PRICES SET

### Chicago Milk Wagon Drivers Threaten To Join Strike Movement

CHICAGO (AP)—Law enforcement officers were organizing forces to prevent possible violence in a milk strike, scheduled Saturday, while others took steps to prevent drying up city's supplies.

The strike was ordered by Pure Milk Association, which claims the control of 90 per cent of milk in an attempt to get better prices for 18,000 dairy farmers represent in an organization who ship products into the metropolitan area from a radius of 100 miles.

The first violence attributed to the strike was reported at midnight when a group of pickets halted three truck loads of milk and cream and dumped the entire consignment.

The association appealed to Secretary of Agriculture Wallace for him to recommend prices for producers, and consumers.

The strike assumed full proportions later in the day when thousands of pounds of milk were dumped, highway picketing increased and Chicago milk wagon drivers threatened to join the strike as dairy farmers sought to halt the flow of milk.

### Four Plead Guilty To Theft Charges; Sentences Passed

Four pleaded guilty Saturday in county court to petty theft charges and Judge H. R. Debenport passed sentence.

J. C. Henderson was fined \$5 and costs and sentenced to serve thirty days in jail. V. E. Langham received a similar sentence. Carl Locke was fined \$1 but was assessed a 30 day jail term. Leo Nix drew a \$15 fine and a three day term.

Arrest were made by the sheriff's department.

### Museum Trustees To Meet With Association Tuesday

The annual meeting of the board of trustees and the monthly meeting of the West Texas Memorial Museum will be combined in an evening to be held at the Statler Hotel at 7:30. All members of the association and of the executive board are urged to attend.

Many matters of important business are to be transacted. New officers for year are to be elected and new plans inaugurated for the further growth and development of the museum.

The program promises to be interesting and members and friends are urged to be present.

### Men Of Episcopal Church To Meet Sunday Evening

Sunday night at 6 o'clock there will be a meeting of all of the men of Saint Mary's church.

The reports of the treasurer and the minister will be read. The committees will be formed for carrying on the work in 1934. Refreshments will be served.

### Doctor Tests Value Of Altitude Flights In Treatment Of Cold

CHICAGO—Tests to determine the value of altitude flights in the treatment of common colds, are being conducted by Haldor Carlson, of Chicago, through the cooperation of American Airways.

The tests are based on a theory that coryza germs, believed to be a cause of colds, cannot exist in the rarefied atmosphere 10,000 feet or more above the earth, and that relief may be obtained for the patient through such flights.

### Mr. And Mrs. Mary Return From Dallas

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mary returned Friday evening from Dallas, where Mr. Mary has been under treatment in Medical Arts Hospital. Though still confined to his bed, Mr. Mary is steadily improving and hopes to be up soon.

### St. Lawrence River Pact Question Due To Bring Sharp Debate

WASHINGTON (AP)—The bristly subjects of war debts, and the St. Lawrence waterway pact arose Saturday as questions due to shatter shortly the comparative quiet that has marked the young session of congress.

Authoritative spokesmen disclosed a fresh scrap over defaults, or mere token payments on debts owed the United States, already were brewing in the senate. Repercussions were certain to be heard in the house.

Firing was under way Saturday on the St. Lawrence seaway questions. In face of word from the president that the pact would have backing of the administration for ratification and senate ratification, senate opponents forecast a heavy majority against it.

Senators regarded adoption of the Borah resolution Thursday, calling upon the treasury for debt facts and figures, as merely opening a drive to bring the question to the floor.

Senator Borah was understood by associates to be planning to use data during an expected debate upon proposals for reciprocal tariff agreements and taxes.

### Cuban President Offers To Turn Post To Others

HAVANA (AP)—A bomb exploded here Saturday, killing Police Lieutenant Murino and seriously wounding a policeman.

Earlier Xenjamin Fernandez De Medina, Uruguayan minister, announced President San Martin had offered to turn over his office "to anyone who can command more moral support than I."

The president so advised Carlos Menditea, nationalist leader, who is being pushed to succeed San Martin.

### Death Claims Ranch Worker

Oscar D. Cook Succumbs Here Saturday, Burial In Midland Sunday

Death came to Oscar D. Cook, well known ranch worker, 4:30 a. m. Saturday in a local hospital after a severe illness.

Burial will be made Sunday afternoon following funeral services in Midland.

Cook moved to Colorado from Gainesville several years ago with his widowed mother. He worked for some time north of Midland and in Gaines county. For the past seven years he had been employed on the Marion Edwards ranch. Early funeral home was in charge here.

### GOES TO ST. LOUIS

Dave Tobolowsky Of La Mode To Attend Shoe Convention

Dave Tobolowsky, manager of the La Mode left Sunday morning for St. Louis. He was joined at Abilene by his brother. They both will continue to St. Louis where they will attend the sessions of the National Shoe convention and to purchase their spring line for their shoe departments.

### The Weather

East Texas: Probably fair, colder Sunday.

West Texas: Sunday fair, colder.

Leading performers of West Tex. as Cunningham & Phillips—adv.

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# Ritz Feature Makes Use Of New Narrative Device

## Thrills Packed Into Adventure Story At Queen

"Forbidden Trail" is in reality a thrill-packed road of romance and adventure. The picture, due Friday at the Queen Theatre, is the latest Buck Jones—Columbia contribution of split-second outdoor action stories and features such popular players as Barbara Weeks, Mary Carr, of "Over the Hill" fame and Jack La Rue in important supporting roles in the cast.

Buck steps a little out of his usual grim-visaged character in "Forbidden Trail" and plays a happy-go-lucky, never-a-thought-to-morrow cowboy who, with the almost human assistance of his magnificent white stallion, Silver, practically single-handed whips a band of land and cattle thieves into submission.

## Desert Sons



Stan Laurel's provoking, Simon gaze and Oliver Hardy's stare of combined stare of disgust and pity make "Sons of the Desert" an enjoyable comedy. This time they have another slap-sticker of "crack" ability in Charley Chase. Where it was formerly a "pair," it is now a trio.

## Convention Antics Are Disclosed

### Laurel And Hardy Add Redoubtable Chase To Team

When two wife-bedevelled husbands, Laurel and Hardy, find that they must attend their lodge's convention in Chicago, despite the strenuous objection of Hardy's wife, the latter invents a fictitious illness. With the assistance of a friendly horse doctor, who poses as an ethical physician, a trip to Hawaii is prescribed as a sure cure with the pair leaving for Chicago instead.

The resultant story-telling brings about a series of embarrassing situations, which with the assistance of Laurel and Hardy and Charley Chase, as the latter's brother-in-law, becomes a mirth-provoking film that should make "Sons of the Desert" the comedy hit of the year, which comes to the Ritz Thursday.

The production brings out the best in that outstanding team of funsters, Laurel and Hardy, their escapades in the convention city and their return home turns the film into a comedy that even in these times hits a pre-depression high.

With the assistance of Charley Chase, who proves an unbeknown brother-in-law of Hardy's, the latter and Laurel help enliven the convention even though it causes them, in several incidents, near tragedy.

Their return home and the exposure of their provocations by "friend wives," Mae Busch and Dorothy Christy, are climaxes to a story that carries out the best traditions of this outstanding comedy pair. Among others in the cast is Lucien Littlefield, who essays the role of the veterinarian.

Helen Hayes, actress, has accepted honorary membership in the dramatic club at the University of Maryland.

## Objects Of Narratage



Spencer Tracy and Colleen Moore, who play heavy roles as Jesse Laasky's revolutionary screen vehicle, "Power and Glory," introduce a new means by which the plot is unfolded. It is "narratage," a device born of necessity as "Henry," faithful associate of Tom Garner (Tracy) accomplishes the difficult feat.

## Crawford And Cooper Team In War Yarn

### Cinema Cross Section Of Romance Behind Lines

The combined appearance of Joan Crawford and Gary Cooper in a story written, William Faulkner, and directed by Howard Hawks of "Scarface" fame, are the factor which give "Today We Live" opening today at the Queen Theatre for three days, the reputation of being the most anticipated motion picture of the current cinema season.

Cooper As Aviator  
Miss Crawford, who won superlatives from critics and public alike for her outstanding work in "Grand Hotel" and "Letty Lynton" is cast as a member of a British ambulance unit in the present picture which is described as the experience of a woman and three men during the World War. Cooper, in the principal male lead as an American aviator, follows up his effective performance in "A Farewell to Arms" and the other members of the male triangle are played by Robert Young, recently seen in "Men Must Fight," and Franchot Tone, the New York Theater Guild star, who starred in "Success Story."

The activities of the British navy, particularly their dangerous "steamer destroyers," play a prominent part in the action of "Today We Live" with further exciting episodes centered on the aerial spectacles of bombing squadrons. According to the Faulkner story, however, although the war serves as a background for the plot, the conflict is never allowed to submerge the focal point of drama in the strong personalities who are entangled in a struggle for life and love behind the lines.

Comedy interludes are brought into the story through the antics of Roscoe Karns as the "life of the billet," whose humorous philosophies serve to relieve the tension of the aviators.

## Reckoning?



Well, hardly. Not at this particular moment at any rate. Una Merkel as the faithful maid is confiding in the milkman, Stuart Erwin. Her confidences concern Richard Dix and Madge Evans, co-stars in the dramatic Ritz offering, "A Day of Reckoning."

## New Dix Picture Built On Modern Prison Systems

"Day of Reckoning," based on a startling story of modern prisons written by Morris Lavine, former metropolitan newspaper man, opens Friday at the Ritz theater with Richard Dix starred. The new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer feature is reported to be dramatic record of what occurs "behind the doors" of a man's home after he is sent to prison.

Dix, star of such film hits as "Cimarron," "The Public Defender" and "The Conquerors," heads a notable cast which includes Madge Evans of "Dinner at Eight" fame; Conway Tearle, stage and screen star; Una Merkel, last seen in "Bombshell"; Stuart Erwin; Spanky McFarlane, clever child star of Hal Roach comedies; Isabel Jewell, Janet Bell, Raymond Hatton, Paul Hurst, John Larkin, Wilfred Lucas and Samuel Hinds.

The picture was directed by Charles Brabin, who scored with his brilliant directorial touches in "The Secret of Madame Blanche" and the recent film hit, "Stage Mother."

## Narratage Is Conceived To Carry Drama

### 'Power And Glory' As Gripping As It Is Unique

"The Power and the Glory," reported as Jesse L. Lasky's most important film in a career replete with important films, comes to the Ritz Theatre beginning Tuesday and is scheduled for a run of two days. It is Mr. Lasky's third production as a producer under the Fox banner and marks a high point in the screen achievements of this veteran.

The story of the film can not be separated from the method in which it is told. Through a new medium evolved by Lasky, the film reveals the important events in the life of a man who rises from the most humble beginnings to a position of great power and influence. It shows his change from a simple young man without any education to a figure of national importance with manifold interests and great wealth. It depicts events which make his life a complete affair of intrigue, adventure and romance.

The new method of screen storytelling, called "narratage" and it is said to prestage a new form of motion picture technique. It takes the glory out of its usual chronological order and emphasizes only the incidents that are important to the pattern of a lifetime.

Spencer Tracy, in the leading role, has a characterization that has been heralded as the outstanding one of his career. It is said to present him with almost unlimited opportunities for a varied portrayal of personality. Colleen Moore, absent from the screen for three years, makes her return in the leading feminine role opposite Tracy.

The supporting cast, headed by Ralph Morgan and Helen Vinson, includes Clifford Jones, Henry Kolker, Sarah Padden, Billy O'Brien, Cullen Johnston and J. Farrell MacDonald. The script, in which the idea for narratage was first revealed, is from the pen of Preston Sturges, noted playwright. William K. Howard directed.

**WOULD YOU BRAND THIS WOMAN CHEAT!**

**RICHARD DIX IN DAY OF RECKONING**

Friday - Saturday

**RITZ**

Crooked politics, romance and guerrilla warfare waged between homesteaders and the cattlemen of a typical western community present their share of screen thrills. We see Barbara Weeks, as the editor of the town's small paper, who is compelled to editorially take sides with a band of criminals because of a debt she is unable to pay off. Jones senses the situation, buys half interest in the publication and proceeds to go after the law-breakers with a vengeance.

Buck Jones fans can be assured of an abundant supply of typical Jones fast riding and quick shooting in this altogether plausible and pleasing story—the when the law was on the side of the party with the fastest "draw."

Lambert Hillier directed "Forbidden Trail," which was written especially for the screen by Milton Krims.

A modern lighthouse is being built on Craney Island off the Virginia coast to replace the old wooden beacon erected 40 years ago.

## 'Only Yesterday' Is Tragic Love Story Woven Into Familiar War Infatuations And False Pride

### Ambitious Production Is Saga Of Broken Heart

Is a woman's life more lasting than a man's? What the man who loves—and forgets? Should a woman keep silent who her happiness is at stake? In the modern view, need there be any stigma on the unwed mother?

These questions, and many others, are prompted by the story of "Only Yesterday" John M. Stahl's Universal drama which comes to the Ritz Theater today, with Margaret Sullivan, John Boles, Billie Burke and Reginald Denny in featured roles.

Miss Sullivan and Boles spend together one evening of delirious happiness—and his regiment is suddenly called to France. A child results from their infatuation, but when the father returns from the war he fails to recognize the girl who has borne her cross proudly, happily and with confidence of the future. Too proud to go to him with her story, she sees him married to another, and waits for the day when recognition shall come. Her life is a tragic story of sacrifice on the altar of love.

But eventually this saga of heart throbs comes to a startling conclusion, and so comes to an end the tragic story of a broken heart and an unconquerable spirit. "Only Yesterday," said to be the crowning achievement of the career of John M. Stahl, is announced as the most ambitious Universal production of the year.

## Death Puzzles Are Plenteous

### 'Before Midnight' Crams Several Murders Into One Play

A chill-inspiring mystery melodrama involving several murders in the country home of an eccentric millionaire describes "Before Midnight," Columbia production scheduled as the attraction at the Queen Theatre, running Wednesday and Thursday.

Ralph Bellamy in the role of "Detective Trent" heads the large cast, Bellamy, one of the screen's most popular leading men with successful performances in many recent productions to his credit, notably "Below the Sea," "Headline Shooters," "Narrow Corners," "Forbidden" and "Ever in My Heart."

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## Today's Picture At The Ritz

It is our belief that no picture ever presented at the local theaters has greater emotional appeal than "Only Yesterday" which is being shown at the Ritz today and tomorrow.

It is a love story of unusual tenderness with unsurpassed direction by John M. Stahl, who directed "Back Street" last season.

The acting of Margaret Sullivan, a newcomer to the screen is sure to make her a star. John Boles also turns in the greatest acting of his career. Other actors of the 33 featured players that give an above average performance Edna May Oliver, Billie Burke and Reginald Denny.

The story covers the time from the beginning of the world war to the financial crisis of 1929. While we believe that no modern girl would handle the situation that arises in the picture exactly as the star does,

## More Moisture For Year Is Indicated In Weather Adage

The first twelve days from Christmas foretells the weather for the twelve months of the year.

Thus a proverb, which M. S. Wade recalled Friday, dismissed the problems of forecasting the weather and indicates a good year.

Since Christmas there we been four cloudy days with moisture traces on as many occasions. If the formula holds true, April, May and November will be rainy months with possibility of moisture during January, September, and December. All the rest, according to the same proverb, will be as dry as a camel's tassel.

Following the old saying further, it is possible to reason that this territory will enjoy a cool summer and a warm autumn. April and May will be particularly chilly with June not much warmer. Old Sol is due to hit a final fling in September.

While Wade regards the proverb as a curiosity there are those who swear by it; others wouldn't give Lydia's almanac for it, and J. A. Cummings, weather bureau head, said one proverb is as good as another when it comes to weather.

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The plot of "Dry of Reckoning" centers on the conditions within a man's home while he is confined in prison. The effort of a wife to maintain a family by plunging into the economic struggle are shown leading to a dramatic climax which destroys a man's happiness only to enable him to find faith and security at the finish.

Thrilling moments of the story include the seizing of the husband, Dix, by police officers after he has embezzled money from his firm, the weakness of the wife, leading to her murder by another outraged woman, the frantic breakdown of Dix in prison, the fight between the family friend and Dix when they meet in prison, the final probation of Dix and his start on a new life.

An exact reproduction of a modern city prison was built at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studio for scenes in "Day of Reckoning."

Here is drama and romance the like of which could not be brought to the screen until a new, sensational method, NARRATAGE, made it possible.



## THE POWER AND THE GLORY

with SPENCER TRACY and COLLEEN MOORE  
Ralph Morgan Helen Vinson  
Tuesday - Wednesday

**RITZ**

with MARGARET SULLAVAN JOHN BOLES and

The cavalcade of American life as seen through the soul of a woman wronged in a great love!

Another dramatic thunderbolt by the director of "Back Street."

When a picture bares a woman's soul it is GREAT; when it bares a MOTHER'S soul it is TREMENDOUS; when it bares the soul of a GENERATION it is truly AN EPIC OF HUMAN EMOTION! . . . Here, at last, is that picture! . . . Thrill with it, laugh with it, cry with it as you must; resist it if you can!

**JOHN M. STAHL**

Production, produced by Carl Laemmle, Jr. Suggested by the book by Frederick Lewis Allen. Presented by Carl Laemmle. A UNIVERSAL PICTURE

**ONLY YESTERDAY**

Monday - Tomorrow

**RITZ**

Charley Chase in "Sherman Sold It" Paramount Sound News

We Urge Everyone To Be In Their Seats By The Time The Feature Starts In Order That They May Understand and Enjoy This Unusual Picture!			
SUNDAY SHOWS START			
Shorts	1:00	3:15	5:30
Feature	1:30	3:45	6:00
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The Pastor's Conference will meet at the Wesley Memorial Methodist church next Wednesday, January 10. A full attendance of the pastors of the conference is desired.

Eastern Oklahoma this year cooked down the biggest crop of "long sweetens" (sorghum molasses) in its history.

that does not keep the picture from being one of the very best we have ever seen on the local screen. You should be sure to see it.—GDG.

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Today and Monday ONLY YESTERDAY, with John Boles, Margaret Sullivan, Edna May Oliver and a host of stars. Also Charley Chase in "Sherman Said It." Paramount News.

Tuesday and Wednesday—THE POWER and the GLORY, with Spencer Tracy, Colleen Moore, Ralph Morgan. Liberty gave it four stars. Also Tod and Kelley in "Backs to Nature." Fox News.

Thursday—SONS OF THE DESERT, featuring Stan Laurel, Oliver Hardy and Charley Chase. Also "Twin Screws," an all star short.

Friday and Saturday—A DAY OF RECKONING starring Richard Dix, Madge Evans, Una Merkel. Also Charley Chase in "Midsummer Mush." Paramount News.

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Today, Monday and Tuesday—TODAY WE LIVE, co-starring Gary Cooper and Joan Crawford with Robert Young and Franchot Tone. Also Willie Woopoo comedy, "Spite Fight."

Wednesday and Thursday—BEFORE MIDNIGHT, with Ralph Bellamy and June Collyer. Also a Charley Chase comedy, "Luncheon At Twelve."

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TODAY and TOMORROW

By WALTER LIPPMANN

On Laughing at Professor Warren

Once upon a time, it is said, a Cabinet minister came into the room while Disraeli was writing a letter.

"I am sending instructions to our Ambassador in St. Petersburg," said Disraeli.

"And what are you telling him to do?" "I am telling him to behave like a slimy ruffian."

level of 1925 collapsed. It then stood at about 50 per cent above pre-war. "A rise of 50 per cent," he says, "such as took place between 1915 and 1925, could only be explained by an enormous increase in gold production the world over."

But in England and America the opposite course was taken. The attempt was made to maintain the 1925 price level in dollars and pounds without reducing the gold content.

It was the illusion that dollar prices in 1925 were real gold prices which misled the British and ourselves. On this fallacy we built up fixed charges in the form of debts and wages and believed that we had returned to normal.

Mr. Rist concludes by saying that "if there is still hesitation about frankly restoring gold to its former functions, it is because the various governments would like to be sure that the new stabilization rates at which they would stop would be the rates best adapted to their circumstances."

It would be a great benefit to this country if American monetary experts and financial writers would study Mr. Rist's articles with an open mind, and come away from it, having abandoned their present feeling that the monetary policy of the United States is too preposterous to be worth serious discussion.

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POLL TAX TIME HERE
Campaigns for public office are beginning full early and with prospects that the field will be full of candidates for each of the places to be filled during the coming year.

Citizens have all the month of January to pay this tax to the county collector—one dollar and seventy-five cents—the greater part of which goes to the public school fund.

No one has any inherent right to an office. Every candidate has a potential right to be elected, but the final decision is the right of the voter.

The article is by Mr. Charles Rist, the chief financial expert of the French delegation to the World Economic Conference, and until recently, if not still, a deputy-governor of the Bank of France.

The question which Mr. Rist sets himself to explain is why the price level in 1925 was so high.

their revenues on what at the moment seemed most compatible with their budgetary and business requirements. In short, they revalued.

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ing a member of the state motor patrol division at Houston; Miss Evelyn Glasscock became the bride of Seth Breeding of the U. S. Geological Survey force working with the state water board.

Wedding bells rang in the State Board of Control office for Miss Hattie May Wilbanks who married F. C. Bryant of Pecos.

Claude Blanton, former University of Texas football star, has qualified as the first state employee to marry in 1934.

When San Antonio citizens applied to the state relief commission for a local relief administrator, they argued the need of some one who understands San Antonio.

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A Cleburne bridegroom married Miss Beulah Oden of the state department of education.

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State Senator Will Pace of Tyler claims the honor of first placing a football in the hands of Coach Frnk of the Greenville high school football champions.

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State School Superintendent L. A. Woods served venison from a twenty-point buck killed near Junction at his New Year's dinner Monday evening.

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Under The Dome At Austin
By GORDON K. SHEARER

AUSTIN (UP)—Dan Cupid is not on the state payroll but he was one of the busiest persons under the state capitol dome during 1933.

His arrow hit one state senator, seven state representatives, fifteen members of the state highway department staff, four employees of the state comptroller's office, three from the Board of Control and two in the State Railroad Commission offices.

In several instances he brought down two state employees with one shot. Cecil Murphy's recent marriage to Miss Zula Matthews, an assistant clerk in the Senate, brought down one of the State Senate's eligible young bachelors.

Judge Mack Burch, Decatur, head of the legal division of the state highway commission, married Miss Jessie Ziegler, who was former Gov. Ross S. Sterling's secretary.



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# CLUBS

## Community Chorus Patronage Plan Explained; Rehearsals To Start

The Community Chorus will begin its regular weekly rehearsals Tuesday evening at 7:30 in Room No. 1 of the Settles Hotel, working now for the program to be given Easter Sunday.

The singers got together last Tuesday and showed enough interest and enthusiasm to justify the formation of such a chorus with a hope of a permanent organization being made from it. There are still vacancies and Mrs. Bruce Frazier asks that all who wish to join be on hand to enroll next Tuesday at the first rehearsal. This can not be a drop in and drop out affair and singers accepted for the Chorus are considered not only for their voice but for their eagerness to study and willingness to be on hand at every rehearsal even at a personal sacrifice.

Mrs. Frazier says she has heard many enthusiastic comments over

the singing already done and many express hope for its continuance.

The chorus, she says, is not expecting to make any financial gains but does need a small backing from the town at large. For this reason the public is invited to join the patrons list, which will be published in full later. Several people have already done so. The patrons show their interest by donating \$2.50, less than 25 cents a month. This is collected in one sum to make the task of collection easier.

Those who have not already signified their interest in the community chorus by approaching some members to have their name added to the list of patrons may get in touch with the director, Mrs. Frazier, the pianist, Miss Helen Duley, the president, Virgil Smith, or the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. George Gentry.

## FORMER SENATOR WITH HIS BRIDE



James A. Reed, former senator from Missouri, and his bride, formerly Mrs. Nell Donnelly, are shown in their Kansas City home as they held open house to friends. Reed was attorney for Mrs. Donnelly when she was kidnaped in 1931. (Associated Press Photo)

## South Ward P.-T. A. To Inaugurate Extensive Membership Campaign

"Striving for Greater Accomplishments" was the theme of the devotional led by Mrs. C. T. Watson, Thursday in the first meeting of the new year of the South Ward P.-T. A., and sounded the keynote of the year's program of work.

The pupils of Mrs. Dahme's room presented a playlet in which Dean Miller played the part of the little New Year, with the seasons, months and days cleverly represented by others.

Mrs. O. L. Thomas presided over the business session. The reports of the various officers showed an active and helpful service rendered the school by health, welfare and financial activities of the association.

Miss Amerson presented an educational part of the program and talked on "The School Must Know the Home." She said that if the teacher knew something of the education, culture, health conditions, ideals and attitude of the home she knew better how to direct her efforts in the school room for the greatest benefit of the child.

Because these educational programs have proved helpful to the parents and the association felt the need for a better understanding between parents and teachers, the executive committee decided to conduct an extensive attendance campaign. Mrs. Watson, chairman of the membership committee, urges every parent of the school to become an active member of the P.-T. A. and have a part in working out the problems that affect the well being and happiness of their children. A gift will be presented each month to the room having the most mothers present, as a means of stimulating the activities of the pupils in the campaign.

The February meeting will commemorate Founders' Day of the P.-T. A. organization, and a special program will be arranged.

Mrs. Dahme's room received the gift this month for having the most mothers present. Those attending were:

Mmes. Alfred Moody, C. T. Watson, J. D. O'Harr, C. L. Thomas, Hayes Stripling, L. R. Case, Jack M. Hall, E. M. Smith, E. W. Killgusworth, J. C. Mittel, F. B. Williams, A. B. Smith, Edward Lowe, L. C. Taylor, Shirley Robbins, D. F. Bigony, W. B. Sisson, George Winslow, C. S. Diltz, R. E. Hull, Louis Thompson; Misses Letha Amerson, Grace Mann and Neal Cummings.

## Mrs. Milly Smith Celebrates 72nd Birth By Dinner

Mrs. Milly Smith celebrated her seventy-second birthday Thursday as the honoree of a surprise birthday dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Earnest.

Her children attending were: Mrs. J. Hollis, Mr. A. E. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hull, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Earnest Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Loudamy, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Smith, Mrs. J. L. Anderson and Mrs. L. E. Anderson.

The grandchildren present were: Messrs. and Mmes. Elmer Rainey, Leonard Hollis, Emery Rainey, Earl Hollis, J. W. Hull; Messrs. B. W. Joe, L. F. Loudamy, Jr., Evelyn and Otha Loudamy.

The great-grand children present were: Ethelne and Garmon Rainey and Billy H. Hollis.

## Ruth Class Has Social At Home Of Mrs. Reagan

The members of the Ruth Sunday School Class were entertained at the home of Mrs. E. Reagan, their teacher, Friday afternoon for a very pleasant social session and business.

Mrs. Clara, president, presided over the business session. Mrs. Loper and Mrs. Manell were elected vice-president to complete the roster of officers.

A clever newspaper contest was staged during the social hour, after which the hostess served tea in the dining room. Poinsettias and red tapers furnished a holiday note for the table. Mrs. Clara poured, assisted by Mrs. Horace Reagan in passing dainty orange-bread sandwiches, fruit cake and cheese wafers to the class members.

Present were: Mmes. John Hodges, Clara, J. A. Pruitt, Troy Gifford, Horace Reagan, H. M. Campbell, J. L. Hull, Ben Sullivan, J. C. Loper, S. A. McCombs, Tom Cantrell, Jess Hall, M. M. Manell, T. L. Bannister, C. P. Williams, Carl Merrick and Dee Davis.

Mrs. B. J. Cook is visiting in Hartington, Tex., with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Shiner, who has been ill for some time.

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## Forsan Duplicate Class Win From Local Players

At the tournament between Forsan duplicate class and the Big Spring afternoon duplicate class Friday the Forsan players won. They were Mrs. Robert Wagner, Mrs. C. W. Harlan, Mrs. Burkhardt, and Miss Frances Coulson. They played against Mmes. Sidney House, W. K. Edwards, Ray Simmons and Turner Wynn.

The local class was defeated by 580 on a set of 24 boards, a very narrow margin, showing how well matched the two groups were.

Mrs. Ashley Williams will begin her next two classes the third week in January. The night class will be held on Thursday, and the afternoon class on Tuesday, both at the Crawford Hotel ballroom. Those desiring to enroll are asked to call Mrs. Williams at 1378, as soon as possible.

## SOCIAL CALENDAR

- MONDAY**  
E. S. A.'s—Called meeting at home of Mrs. W. J. McAdams at 7:30 p. m.
- TUESDAY**  
Les Deux Tables Bridge Club—Miss Zillah Mae Ford, hostess.  
Cactus Bridge Club—Harold Parks, hostess.  
Tuesday Luncheon Club—Mrs. J. Y. Robb, hostess.  
Ski Hi Bridge Club—Mrs. Jimmie Mason, hostess.  
Petroleum Bridge Club—Mrs. Monroe Johnson, hostess.  
West Texas Memorial Museum—Settles Hotel at 7:30.  
P.-T. A. Council—Meeting at the high school.  
American Legion Auxiliary—Legion Hall this evening.  
V. F. W. A.—Settles Hotel this evening.  
Community Chorus—Settles Hotel 7:30.
- WEDNESDAY**  
Bluebonnet Bridge Club—Mrs. Lee Weathers, hostess.  
Ideal Bridge Club—Mrs. Lee Weathers, hostess.  
Justamere Bridge Club—Mrs. J. Y. Robb, hostess.  
Triangle Bridge Club—Mrs. Robert Currie, hostess.  
Arno Art Club—Mrs. W. J. McAdams, hostess.  
Big Spring Study Club—Settles Hotel.
- THURSDAY**  
Tahlequah Luncheon Club—Mrs. Ray Simmons, hostess.  
Ace High Bridge Club—Mrs. Bill Tate, hostess.  
Thursday Night Club—Mrs. O. L. Thomas, hostess.  
Idle Art Bridge Club—Miss Imogene Runyan, hostess.  
West Ward P.-T. A.—School building.  
Matinee Bridge Club—Mrs. George C. Grimes, hostess.  
R. N. A. Camp No. 7277—Woodman Hall.
- FRIDAY**  
Contract Bridge Club—Mrs. C. W. Cunningham, hostess.  
Thimble Club—Mrs. Fox Stripling, hostess.  
Delta Hat' Aroun' Bridge Club—Miss Jo Cole, hostess.  
Congenial Club—Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Jr., hostess.  
Parliamentary Club—Crawford Hotel at 7 o'clock.
- SATURDAY**  
Hyperion Club—Mrs. Homer McNew, hostess.  
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## New Progression Rules For Bridge Parties According To Culbertson System

This is the first of a series of articles dealing with various aspects of bridge. The laws given today are the laws for progressive bridge from Gruenther's "Duplicate Contract Complete" which are used by Ely C. Culbertson and followed by those who play the Culbertson system correctly. Mrs. Williams asks that presidents of all bridge clubs clip them and read them to their clubs:

**Touching Cards**  
A card touched in dummy is a card played, with the following exception: When Declarer touches names a card in Dummy saying "I arrange," or words to that effect, or if he is manifestly pushing one or more cards aside to reach the one desired, touching the card does not constitute a lead or play.

**Deal Passed Out**  
Only four hands are dealt at each table, one by each player. If a deal is passed out (that is, if all four players pass at their first opportunity to declare) the deal passes to the left and both sides score zero for that deal.

**Method of Progression**  
At the conclusion of each round, the winning pair at Table No. 1 remain and the losing pair move to the last table. At all tables except Table No. 1, the losers remain and the winners move up one table toward Table No. 1.

**Progressing Scoring**  
Each deal is scored and recorded separately, and no trick points are carried over from one deal to the next.

**Game is 100 points for tricks bid and made in one deal. The game is 300 points, if not vulnerable and 500 if vulnerable, and it is allowed only when game is bid and made in one deal.**

**A premium of 50 points is scored for making any contract less than game. This premium is in addition to the value of the tricks made. Premiums for small and grand slams are allowed only if bid for.**

**Scoring Limits**  
A side may not score more than 1000 points in a single deal, except in the case of a slam contract fulfilled.

**Vulnerability (Important)**  
The first deal of each round shall be played and scored as if neither side were vulnerable. The second and third deals of each round shall be played and scored as if the Dealer's side were vulnerable and the other side not vulnerable. The fourth deal of each round shall be played and scored as if both sides were vulnerable.

**Recording the Score**  
One of the four players at each table is appointed to record the score. He enters the results of each deal on the score pad separately and, at the end of the round, totals all the points made by each side.

He enters on the individual tally of each player the points made by that player's side and also the points made by the opponents.

Correctly designed tables provide spaces to record both "My Score" and "Opponents' Score." It is im-

portant that both be entered on the tally, for otherwise the record would be meaningless.

**Computing Total Score**  
At the conclusion of the game, each player totals his score. He also totals the scores of his opponents, as recorded on his tally, and subtracts his opponents' total from his own.

The difference, plus or minus, as the case may be, is recorded in the space provided at the bottom of his tally.

Let us suppose that a player scores 2460 points and the opponents score 1620 points against him. This makes his net score plus 940 for the entire session. On the other hand, if a player scores only 1600 points, and the opponents score 1940 points against him, then his net score for the session is minus 290 points. Do not make the mistake of recording only plus scores, for that method gives false results, and is likely to lead to improper doubling and redoubling.

**Determining the Winner**  
The player with the largest plus score is the winner. Other players with plus scores rank in descending order followed by the players with minus scores, the one with the largest minus being the last.



"THE BEGINNING OF A MORTAL" By Max Miller (E. P. Dutton and Co.)

This book needs no recommendation to those who read "I Cover the Water Front" and many Big Spring people did, for I am still hearing compliments.

Experienced readers will not expect a writer's second book to be as interesting as his first—and regard themselves as more than lucky if it is. "The Beginning of a Mortal" runs true to form in this respect. Its stories are not as high on an average either in interest or meditative philosophy. But the author can not be blamed altogether for that; the book is the story of his childhood and few are the childhoods that present many chronicles worth relating in adult days to a disinterested public.

It is amazing that Max Miller found enough material for a book in his life. He lived as a young boy in a sawmill town on the Pacific Coast. His parents then moved to Montana to a ranch in a country more arid than this one; he lived with them for a few years until they sent him back to the Coast for schooling. He tells stories of both places.

For readers who enjoy a straightforward simple style and a clear-cut picture of what they read, and stories of people whose lives bear a relation to their own, I can think of no better book than this. Its few chapters of western boyhood are unforgettable and they tell of old familiar story of barren lands from a new angle.

## Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rush Entertain For Friends With Farewell Party

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rush entertained honoring Mr. and Mrs. Gary Young Thursday evening at a lovely farewell party. A red and white color scheme was effectively carried out in the accessories.

Mrs. Hittson and Mr. Pfeuffer made high scores, she receiving a red and silver makeup box and he a red and silver combination cigarette and ashtray. Mrs. Ford cut for high for which she was given a dining table mirror. The honorees were favored with a double deck of cards.

A red and white salad plate was passed to the honorees, Mrs. Bill Hittson and the following couples:

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## From The Sidelines

**By BILL ZEE**

Blondy Cross gave a very fitting eulogy to Coach Harry Taylor of the San Angelo Bobcats some few days ago. The sage of the Concho paid complimentary tribute to the Cat mentor for leading a district championship team out of a group of gangling scrubs. The boys lacking in physical qualities and knowledge of football were none other than Curly Hays, Herb Reid, Pete Castello, Gregg and Raiborn, all important cogs in the Bobcat machine with several seasons' experience.

At the first of the season Cross touted the Concho clan as potential champs, eloquently expounding upon the power, strategy, and tactics of the above-named lads. At the same time we predicted them to be wearers of District 3's royal purple.

Now that moleskins and cleats have been stored Blondy praises the underweight Tom Thumbs that conquered all by sheer grit and fight. Oh well, it reads well.

If any coach in this district deserves credit for building a football team out of inferior material, it is Obie Bristow. Not expecting to have a chance with any opposing club, the Steers ended the conference season with a loss to Sweetwater and the witless powerful Bobcats. The Angelo game was an epic; the Bobcats, doped to lose by two to four touchdowns, battled the Taylormen off their feet to hold them to a scoreless deadlock.

A couple of rare coaches are Obie Bristow and George Brown. Each year coaches are given athletic awards along with the players. In time they have more sweaters, blankets, and gold footballs than they can use. "Why not," decided the Steer mentors, "give our sweaters to some deserving second stringer who would otherwise do without an award." So it was done.

During the holidays an aggregation of former Steers took the court against the present quintet. The college experience of Tommy Hutto, now playing on John Reid's Texas Aggie team, overshadowed the play of the high school lads. Tommy tied for high point honors with Oile Cordill, both making 12 points each.

Coach Brown has entered his oak floor artists in the Colorado tourney to be held January 12 and 13. Big Spring has taken a number of trophies at Colorado's expense the past three years, winning the first place award along with medals and miniature basketball for all-tournament positions and high point honors.

Jim Cantrell, we hear through the grapevine, is more jovial than ever, wearing a grin constantly. Last year he stated that it was a rather expensive procedure to buy trophies with Colorado money and then let Big Spring take 'em home. This is the year, he avows, to break the Bovine's corner on Colorado's awards. It may be; Abilene is also signed up for the court joust with a goodly array of basket talent. Cogdell, flashy Eagle forward, leads his team and plays the dribble game as well as he does football.

The Wolves are stronger this season than ever before. Four lettermen are back to form the nucleus of Cantrell's squad, Church and Cox, guards; Stagner and Rogers, forwards; Cooper, who saw some action last year is regular center, while Lowry has a starting berth at guard.

Big Spring tangles with Colorado on the Wolf stamping ground January 9th, taking part in the Colorado tourney on the 12th and 13th, engaging the Wolves on the local court after the tournament. Abilene plays host to the Steers, Jan. 16 with the locals to return the compliment at a later date.

## Junior High Team Takes Hard Drills

The Monkeys have been working hard for the "Steer" of the future. Every day at noon till one o'clock they are coached by Gene Gardner. After midtime the youngsters will practice from 2:30 to 3:30 p. m. every afternoon. This is a good outlook for the high school for a good basketball team by letting the Junior High boys be coached by Mr. Gardner.

The following names will probably be the starting game heroes. They have plenty room for improvement but the coach of now will mean a lot for the name of Big Spring High School. The names: Chock Smith, a good basket ball player, a football player; Jerrill Jones, a boy we haven't seen much of; Alton Cunningham, will make a real player in the future; Eddie Savage is like his last name on the basketball court; J. H. Kimbrell, has a good chance to show his ability if he chooses to do so in the next game.

Chock Jones, is the sixth man and is a little like his older brother, "Sleepy" Jones.

## High School Bad Boy Turns Nice At University

**By BILL ZEE**

Big Spring High's "Bad Boy" has become Texas University's best one!

Most of you will remember Curtis Bishop. His high school career began in the early twenties, ending in 1932 when a long-suffering principal handed him two diplomas and bade him god-speed. The audience, I remember, laughed when he came onto the stage, laughed because it was being sarcastic. He laughed too. He dealt in sarcasm also.

One I especially remember. "It isn't the school that I object to," he told Mr. Gentry, "it's the principal of the thing."

Objects To "Principals"

In all of his high school existence he objected to principals. And most of them, I might add, objected to him. He painted "Just Married" on the back end of their cars; he edited outlaw publications that raked them over the coals. He managed outlaw football teams, cut classes, and skipped detention halls.

But you know about that already, and besides that isn't the idea of the story at all. He's different now. He has, as I have said, become Texas University's best boy. The best freshman, in fact, that Texas U. ever had.

Now Editor

He's editor of the Texas Ranger, this despite the fact that he has been in school only ten months; he is sports editor of the Cactus and has been sports editor of The Daily Texan. Radio station K.N.O.W. features him in his "Sports on Parade" broadcast. He is on the variety tennis squad, the strongest collegiate unit in the country. He will represent Texas University in the intercollegiate extemporaneous contest in Kansas City in February. In a recent student election he received more votes than any candidate in any race, so he must be popular also. He is an honor student—nothing but A's for him who in high school flunked plane geometry seven times!

Change

But he's changed. He had to of course. He isn't sarcastic anymore. He is quiet and modest. He didn't spend Christmas holidays telling an impromptu audience about how great he had become as was expected. In fact, he said nothing at all about it. He is as different from the Curtis Bishop that became a tradition at Big Spring High as bathtub gin from champagne. He recognizes faculty supervision; moreover, he permits it. He has even, so I hear, fallen in love.

Yes, Big Spring's "Bad Boy" has become Texas University's best one. But I think sometimes that it has broken his heart.

## Coach Lights His Lamp In Seeking Honest Scribe

Somebody may have been looking high and low for his Shanghai Lil, but he was a mere piker compared to the fan searching for a truthful sport scribe.

However, a long-imposed-upon public idealistically believed they have found their man at last in Bill Parker, AP sports writer. There was one, they said, who they could quote authoritatively. The pedestal on which he was placed could not be too high.

But that lofty pedestal toppled. It fell and shattered fandom's belief in him—leastwise the local sport clientele's.

The reason was simple enough: Mr. Parker related at length about Obie Bristow using deaf and dumb signs to convey signals to his quarterback. In a still more lengthy discourse he explained the crux in the affair was losing the game 14-7.

In the gridiron annals, since Bristow's tenure as coach, the Steers have neither won nor lost a game by that score. Of the three signal callers under Bristow in the same span of time, none had any deaf and dumb relatives. One has a mute friend; one has a brother that isn't deaf; and the other could never have learned to talk on his fingers even if he had a deaf and dumb friend or kinsman.

Anyone acquainted with finger signs knows that it could not be successfully used by embryo "dummies," not to say anything of the distance from the sidelines to midfield. Some other method of signaling would lend itself more readily.

One time Obie jokingly made reference to a plan whereby he could signal his quarterback with his fingers. The idea was taken seriously by several of the boys, but when they were shown its inconsistency and impracticability, it was discarded.

## Notes From Classrooms

**By Margaret Wade**

The Current Event History Club has a long hard row to plow provided it is composed of the stuff Mrs. Bumpass thinks it is. There is to be a new proposition offered in connection with a relic in her unique museum.

Miss Jordan's public speaking class will continue with debating for this term. The new question for debate is a timely one in America; "Resolved that the United States should adopt the essential features of the British system of radio control and operation." The class is to prepare debates and give them.

The question is to be used in the interscholastic meet this March. Those interested in furthering their debate in honor of our country are: Evelyn La Londe, Halbert Woodward and Jack Dealing. Miss Jordan wants to get one team of girls and one team of boys. Material necessary for the discussion can be obtained in Miss Jordan's room.

Mr. Coffey bragged on his geometry class, but he's old had accompanied the host with a knock on wood. They are approaching "original problems." Don't ask if they have made them up and then worked them like we did.

The Physics classes, also under Mr. Coffey, are studying ohms and amperes and Ohm's law. An amperer is a doo-dad on the dashboard of a car. Ohms is a man, we suppose—only men make or have laws. You must come around some time (sotto voice; and don't get me wrong).

## Exchanges

**By Harry Jordan**

Men students of Texas University are to be offered a novelty course in physical training in form of horserack riding.

"Classes will be small, not exceeding twelve to a class, and the fundamentals of riding will be taught both in a ring and on bridal paths throughout the 360 acres of the park. Each class will meet three times a week; no special equipment is necessary for the course."—The Daily Texan, Texas University, Austin, Texas.

"Did you put that in the Battery about me? Well, I don't appreciate that sort of publicity. "This is just an example of what the average journalism student has to affront after each publication of the Battery.

"A true definition of good sportsmanship is the ability to enjoy a joke on oneself as well as on some one else. A good sport is that sort of person who can take it."

"Do you consider the opinion others gather of your actions? If you do, why should these actions, when published, irritate you to the extent that you complain, thus revealing a guilty conscience?"—The Abilene High Battery, Abilene, Texas.

"Plans are already under way for a great two-day celebration next year when the West Texas State Teachers College will reach its twenty-fifth year of service to the state.

"The Canyon Chamber of Commerce has included the celebration in its plan for the next year, and all the citizens of Canyon will be united in making this a gala affair."—The Prairie, Canyon, Texas.

## Faculty Plans For Radio Program As Stunt Night Theme

"The Bug Broadcast," which will present many celebrities of the radio world, is to be the current record of the annual Faculty Stunt Night.

This sensation, in all probability, will be presented in two performances on Thursday, January 18, according to present plans. A matinee will be presented in the High School auditorium followed by an evening performance in the Municipal auditorium.

Mr. D. H. Reed, business manager, has announced that contracts for the evening have already been signed with Will Rogers, Eddie Cantor, Kate Smith, The Boswell Sisters, The Mills Brothers, The Early Birds, and Cab Calloway's Orchestra.

In previous years the faculty stunt night program has been an outstanding entertainment of the school year and the teachers in charge promise that the faculty shall maintain its record of producing each year a bigger and better performance.

Stowing away on a ship was made a jail offense by the last session of the Hawaiian territorial legislature.

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# FORBIDDEN VALLEY

by William Byron Mowbray

CHAPTER 37

Over and over again Curt swore to himself, "I'm going to get off this island!" If he could not walk or fly or paddle away, he at least could swim away. But they could not abandon Ralph. To take Ralph with them they would have to get a boat, and the only chance of doing that was for one of them to swim over to the mainland, map after dark and try to steal a canoe.

He himself would have to go. Paul could not; like most men born beside the cold waters of the north, he could hardly swim at all.

"Besides our own lives," he added, "there's Ralph to be considered. If we have a canoe, we can drop down to the Iktimawh mouth in twenty-four hours, and in six more we'll be up at old John's lake. If Smash is waiting there, as he ought to be, we can have Ralph over on the Pacific Coast, in the hospital at Prince Rupert, in thirty-six hours."

Paul glanced across that mile of icy slapping water. "You'd stand one chance in twenty-five of getting over to that camp and one in a hundred of stealing a canoe without getting killed."

"But if I don't go, we don't stand any chance at all. As soon as it gets dark enough I'm going. It had better be tonight; tomorrow night will only find us weaker."

The slight hope of getting away at least of doing something besides waiting helplessly heartened them a little. Curt happened to remember about Ralph's hand-line (the previous evening and went looking for it. A small club was on the line when Curt pulled it in. He cut the whip into bait, threw the line out, caught a gray trout and half a dozen mullets. They scoured the fish over a little wisp of fire and had their first meal in thirty hours.

"Twilight came earlier than usual, for the sky was still clouded. They walked up to the north tip, and Curt stripped for his swim. The lake still ran wild with whitecaps. He shook hands with Paul, waded out and started for the near island. The water was numbing cold at first, but he struck up a vigorous pace that kept the chill out of his blood. In twenty minutes he raised his head and saw a spruce islet, his first stop, not far in front of him.

"At about that same time he heard a distant guarded shout. It sounded like Paul calling to him. He halted, listened, heard nothing more, and swam on. A minute later four shots came rolling across the lake. The peculiar sequence of them — — — stopped him short. It was a signal between him and Paul; they had used in a dozen times to summon each other.

He turned around and headed back for the camp island.

Seventy-five yards off the lower lip, he made out two men standing at the wave edge. Nearer, he recognized Paul, and saw a canoe drawn up on the sand. Thoroughly mystified, he swam in, struck bottom and waded ashore.

Paul came running to meet him, bringing his clothes.

"Partner! It's Tenn-Og! He fetched us a canoe!"

"Whi-aa-t?"

"He came just as soon as it was dark enough that the others would not see him. If you don't believe me there's the boat and there he is!"

"What's the idea?"

"He says he met Sonya over at their camp, just after the fight last

night and she told him to bring us a boat."

"Humph! LeNoir's using him to bait some deadfall for us. Let's find out what his game is." He dressed quickly, walked over to Tenn-Og, nodded to him. "It's a surprise to see you, friend. So you brought us a canoe. That's fine! But why?"

Tenn-Og pointed to his forehead and shoulder wounds, as a reminder that the white strangers had once helped him.

"Is the white girl somewhere at the camp?" Curt asked.

She had left last night, Tenn-Og said. LeNoir had started her north to the white man in charge of three dependable guides.

"Wasn't it you last evening," Curt inquired sarcastically, "who led those three canoes down at the north tip of this island?"

Tenn-Og admitted leading the canoes. But, he added, at the right moment he pulled his men out of the fight by shouting to them that the whites were killing the other Klusobees. When he backed off, it had broken up those plans.

Curt studied the dusky face sharply. It was the most impassive face he had ever met with, as unreadable as a granite mask. Tenn-Og's explanation did fit the circumstance, the whole story sounded plausible enough; but still he did not quite believe it.

"Sam-Klale and LeNoir have cooked up something for us," he told Paul. "They want to get it over with in a hurry, so they're using this fellow to trap us with. Well, they've got another guess coming! And in the meantime we've got a canoe!"

Curt inspected the craft. It was a twenty-foot birchbark, large enough for five or six people. The Indian had also brought three extra paddles, sleeping robes for the four of them, and food—several pounds of caribou jerky and two large roasted fish wrapped in leaves. That tempting food made Curt suspicious.

"We'd better stay away from it, Paul. LeNoir is an artist with poison and it'd be like him to salt grub with strychnine and set it to us."

All thoughts of going on after Karakhan had dropped out of his mind. Sonya could go on, if she wanted to and Karakhan could get away. It had to be. Ralph's life came first.

They picked up the canoe, took it nearer the barricade and floated it. After making a bed of the sleeping robes, they carried Ralph over and laid him in. Curt shed away, unworriedly thankful to see the last of that unlovely island.

"Have your friends got canoes out on the lake tonight, waiting for us?" he asked Tenn-Og.

"Go that way," Tenn-Og pointed west. "No canoes there." He did not argue or try to persuade, but merely pointed and stated facts.

(To Be Continued)

## Makes Mirth for Conoco



Tony Sarg, internationally known artist, toy designer, and marionette showman, is the creator of a series of funny Conoco Bronze Gasoline cartoons which will appear in this newspaper during the first three months of 1934. Sarg, shown above with several characters from his marionette show "Treasure Island", was born in Guatemala and educated in Germany. News of his employment was accompanied by the announcement that Continental Oil Company will spend more for newspaper advertising in 1934 than during any previous year.

proud members of the local high school:

"Sleepy" Jones, Lloyd Brown, Sam Flowers, Robert Satterwhite, Leonard Morgan, Richard Gibson, Ray Alexander, Ambrose Fitzgerald, Elmo Phillips, Jack Wilson, Paul Coburn.

## Report Shows Gain In H. S. Attendance

The report from the principal's office shows that there has been an increase of around 40 students over last year's enrollment, bringing the new total to 596.

Attendance reports from the principal's office for the first four months of school show that attendance was best during the month of September when the percentage of attendance was 94.9 per cent, a bit better than the 94.4 record for September last year. Lowest percentage of attendance for the year occurred in December with a figure of 92.6, but this was a much better record than December of the previous year when the percentage in attendance was only 79.8.

"One remarkable feature of this year's enrollment is that there are more boys than girls," Mr. Gentry stated. "This is the first time I can remember when this has happened." Enrollment information shows 313 boys in comparison with 273 girls.

## Former Steers Toss Current Edition For Loss On Maple Floor

During the holidays the Steers of bygone days collected together a formidable array of basketeers to trounce the present warriors of the Black and Gold 33-25.

Tommy Hutto, ace forward of several years ago, at present a member of the Texas A. & M. quintet, led the other Exes with his accurate passing and goal shooting. Hutto tied with Cordill for high point honors, looping 12 points each.

The Steers were hard pushed all the way, leading only at the end of the third quarter 21-19. Hutto and Pardue came back in the opening of the fourth period and staged a rally that netted the Exes 12 more points to defeat the Bovines.

Coach George Brown was visiting out of town during the holidays. How much his absence had to do with the Steers' defeat remains to be seen.

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## PA'S SON-IN-LAW



"THIS VERRY FINE HOTEL FO' LIVE IN, BUT MISSY PA NO LIKE - YEP? ALLTIME SOLLY!"

"AW - I'M GONESICK, LITTLE 'PELLA! HOTEL AN'T A HOME AN' I MISS MA! OH - GUESS I'LL GO DOWN AN HANG ROUND 'TIL LORRY FOR AWHILE!"

"GEE! I'D GIVE A LOT FOR JUST A GLIMPSE O' MA! I'M THAT LONESO - ER - UM - SUFFERIN' SHEBA!"

"ARE WE LUNCHING HEAH AT THE HOTEL SWELLEANT, MOTHAW?"

"WE ARE! AND HAVIN' TEA AT THE QILTMORE AND WELL DINE AT ONE OF THE QAY SPOTS! I WANT TO BE SEEN EVERYWHERE! I AVAPRE I CAN'T VAMP SITTING AT HOME AN' MY SOLE AIM IN LIFE, NOW IS TO SHATTER THE HEARTS O' MEN, AS MINE WAS SHATTERED!"

"MA! ALL DONE UP IN PLEASANT WITH RED HAIR! NOW WHAT'S SAM HELL IS SHE UP TO?"

## On The Loose



## by Wellington

## DAILY CROSS WORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

- Story
- Facts at hand
- Health resort
- Egg-shaped
- Destroy
- Addition to a building
- Made of wax
- Train of attendants
- Shed; hotel; colloq.
- Ureoven
- Policeman
- Pussy
- Automobile
- Pushy
- Rubbed out
- Note of the scale
- Unwilling
- Expansive
- Football position; abbr.
- Ancient Jewish ascetic
- He has matter with
- Greek letter
- Yarn
- Mixed rain and snow
- Branches of learning
- Dish of eggs and milk

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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 ABET RANEE SERE  
 DEFILES ARIETTA  
 ELEVEN OVEN ISM  
 RED SNEAKER  
 SEER GUYS LEECH  
 OLE LYNX GIRDLE  
 DI LARK PONY OX  
 ATTEND PANG EVA  
 SERAC VASE APED  
 OPENERS ERI  
 EMUREST PRICES  
 DEBASES CONSULT  
 GOLD DEBUT ERSE  
 LEWES SLEDS SEEP

DOWN

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- Neelant
- Gum resin
- Physician's title
- Dawn
- Died
- Those that precede
- Spanish gentleman
- Taking in addition
- Toward the sheltered side
- Render unavailable
- Small lakes
- Number
- Charge
- More rational
- Move
- Small island
- Put in position again
- French winter resort
- Shirked
- Farmer rulers
- Nuisances
- Mark of a wound
- Crescent-shaped
- Bure
- Discomber
- Humor
- Old French coin
- Smug room
- Don, red

## DIANA DANE



"I'LL HELP YOU ON YOUR NEW JOB FOR A COUPLE OF DAYS, SLAT."

"I SHALL MOST ASSUREDLY APPRECIATE IT, DIANA."

"OH DIANA, THERE'S A NEW FELLA IN TOWN! HE'S IN TWO OF MY CLASSES!"

"YEAH? SO WHAT?"

"OH, BUT HE'S JUST THE HANDSOMEST THING!"

"WHO IN THE WORLD ARE THEY RAVING ABOUT, DOOLEY?"

"WELL... I DON'T RIGHTLY KNOW HIS NAME, BUT I HAVE MET HIM SORTA CASUALTY LIKE!"

## Welcome Stranger



## by Don Flowers

## SCORCHY SMITH



"EVERYTHING IS READY TO START. I'M GOING UP ON THE CLIFF TO HELP MR. BROWN TURN THE WATER ON -"

"ISN'T SCORCHY WONDERFUL?"

"YES -"

"HE SAYS HE IS GOING TO TEACH ME TO FLY BECAUSE I SEEM NATURALLY FITTED FOR IT -"

"ANYBODY CAN LEARN TO FLY -"

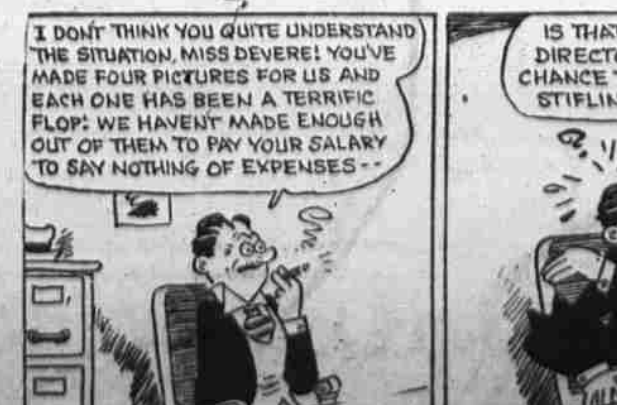
"I GUESS THEY ARE GOING TO START NOW -"

## Ready To Start Mining

## by John C. Terry

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## HOMER HOOPEE



"I DON'T THINK YOU QUITE UNDERSTAND THE SITUATION, MISS DEVERE! YOU'VE MADE FOUR PICTURES FOR US AND EACH ONE HAS BEEN A TERRIFIC FLOP! WE HAVEN'T MADE ENOUGH OUT OF THEM TO PAY YOUR SALARY TO SAY NOTHING OF EXPENSES -"

"IS THAT MY FAULT? - ROTTEN STORIES, DIRECTORS AND CAMERA MEN - NO CHANCE TO EXPRESS MY ART! YOU'RE STIFLING ME - MY SOUL CRIES FOR EXPRESSION -"

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## Look Her In The Eye

## by Fred Locher



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"No, I am sorry" came the answer. "It is now 4:15. You'll have to wait until tomorrow."

League

Champions of the League of Nations are busy these days trying to figure out some method of saving it from slow decay.

Inside observers say one trend of thought now gaining ground would be to save it by cutting out the clauses containing guarantees and sanctions and making it a consultative body.

Those sponsoring the idea can visualize a perpetual international conference looking not to forcible prevention of war but the peaceful promotion of peace.

Notes

It will be interesting to watch the Tammany bloc in the House perform since the New York City elections and the administration's thumb-down on Curry.

They'll probably turn out to be fair-weather friends for fear of what their constituents might say. Times change rapidly. It was only a few ears ago that everyone was joking about the number of commissions appointed by former President Hoover.

Now President Roosevelt gets applause every time he sets up a new body to explore and report. The world's biggest auction sale is taking place here in Washington. Nations are competing for our liquor trade and offering all sorts of things in return.

N YAW YORK

By James McMullin

New Broom

Mayor LaGuardia's new broom will sweep out plenty of dirt in the next couple of months. The show will be entertaining if not edifying.

Insiders understand that Commissioner of Accounts Paul Blanshard and his counsel Irving Ren Cooper will be encouraged to make all the headline news they can. The police department under General O'Ryan will also command continuous public attention.

The housecleaning in these departments will be sincere but its most useful purpose is apart from its obvious intent. LaGuardia's transit policy is bound to stir up heated resentment from those who advocate the 5-cent fare including the salaries who do the riding.

It is hoped that energetic attention to campaign pledges in other directions will tone down the deafening raspberries that would otherwise greet a higher fare. Tammany will be hampered in its efforts to build up political capital by aggressive counter-attacks.

Grand Juries

The grand juries will have a lively time of it. The Grand Jurors' association is preparing for a tooth-comb investigation of city accounts and incoming city officials have promised warm cooperation. Nobody is going to raise any question this time about the limitation of grand jury functions.

Mayor LaGuardia's appointment of Dr. S. S. Goldwater as Commissioner of Hospitals threw a number of staff members of some of the better known New York hospitals into a mild panic. Dr. Goldwater is a stern disciplinarian and in recent years has voiced sharp criticism of hospital conditions. He was especially displeased with the way things were being run in the two institutions with which he was formerly connected, Bellevue and Mount Sinai. Nobody paid any attention to the old-timer—but now he is going to clean house.

Hospitals

The outlook for city charter revision by Fusion prescription is nil. Tammany representatives in the state legislature are set to swing a hefty axe on any such proposal that shows up.

Charter

It's O. K. with Tammany if Tenement House Commissioner Langdon Post shoots the works on his sweeping plans for alum clearance. Quite a few of the boys saw the storm coming a year or two ago and bought up the land which will have to be condemned by the city. That way the opposition will help them feather their nests.

Advertising

Repeat has certainly brought some curious paradoxes. Imagine the annoyance of the distilling concern that appropriated a million dollars for popularizing its brands via the air waves only to find that neither of the two big broadcasting chains would touch the program. But the real agony is in the executive offices of the non-too-prosperous radio companies. How they curse the "uneducated" public in the dry states!

Racket

We have with us a new racket. Some time ago a few smart physicians hid themselves in Europe to study—for a few weeks—with a professor whose rejuvenation experiments are world famous. The professor is always careful to explain that he is still very much in the experimental stage. That did not prevent his American "pupils" from establishing themselves

as sure-fire rejuvenators upon their return to these shores. At first the money didn't roll in as they expected but since one of the crowd went to California recently and hooked two film stars the business booms in New York and Hollywood.

Aviation

Aviation executives can't figure out where they stand. On one side they are threatened with reduction in mail subsidies via Congressional investigation. On the other PWA is trying to boost them along. They are all at sea on future policies and wish the government would make up its mind whether to give them a hand or slap them down.

Copper

New Yorkers hear that a copper code will be imposed on the industry by the government unless it can agree with itself within two weeks. Most copper men believe a code would help them out of their troubles but not on the terms for which Anaconda has held out. The industry is much more hopeful than it has been in some time. The only serious bug in its butter is the possibility of fresh over-production induced by the government's silver-buying program. The boys aren't quite sure whether they can resist temptation.

Encouragement

New York learns that Germany is building a network of new roads and eliminating all automobile taxes for one year in order to stimulate the motor industry. American manufacturers think it's a bully idea and faintly hope that it proves contagious.

Mrs. Homer McNew

Hostess To Informals

Mrs. Homer McNew was hostess to the Informal Bridge Club with a very jolly party Friday afternoon at her home.

Mrs. Van Gleson made high score for members and Mrs. Blomshild for guests present were: Mmes. Carl S. Blomshild, G. B. Cunningham, Louise Paine, Buck Richardson, G. H. Wood. Members attending were: Mmes. V. Van Gleson, J. B. Young, C. B. Cunningham, J. D. Biles, Steve Ford, George Wilke and Shine Phillips.

Mrs. Cunningham will be the next hostess.

Pretty Green And White

Party Given Lucky 13

The members of the Lucky Thirteen Bridge Club are entertained at the home of Mrs. O. M. Waters Friday afternoon with a very pretty afternoon party.

A green and white color scheme was carried out in the decorations and all the party accessories, as well as the prizes themselves. A pretty green vase was presented Mrs. Howie for making club high. Mrs. H. L. Bohannon, the only guest, was given Dutch Shoe as a whatnot ornament.

Members present were: Mmes. O. R. Bollinger, Hugh Duncan, H. G. Keaton, Hayes Strippling, M. Wentz, L.-G. Talley, Cecil Collins, Morris Burns, H. E. Howie, Halle Robinson and Kin Barnett.

The Flewellen Hosts

To As You Like It Club

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Flewellen entertained the As You Like It Bridge Club Friday evening with an unusually merry party. The host and hostess captured the highest score of the evening.

The club decided to have its annual Dutch feast at its next regular session. Mr and Mrs. Buck Richardson played with the following members: Messrs. and Mmes. M. R. House, Emil Fahrenkamp, L. W. Croft and G. E. Cunningham.

Mrs. Croft will entertain at the next regular club session, after the annual party.

Committee Named

At Brotherhood Auxiliary Meeting

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen met Friday afternoon at the Woodman Hall for a business meeting, with Mrs. Ralph Smith presiding.

Mrs. Knowles was installed as inner guard. The following committees were appointed by the president: Sick: Mmes. Meador, Schull and Clay. Financial: Mmes. Allen, Grant

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De Luxe Club Plays Bridge At Jolly Party

The De Luxe Club was entertained Thursday night by Jessie Mae Couch with a jolly bridge party.

Guests of the evening: Mildred Herring was the prize-winner. Since the meeting was held on the birthday of one of the members, who preferred her name kept secret, the refreshments were served with a lighted candle on each plate. Each table then made a wish or gave a toast to the honoree and blew out the lighted candles.

The members attending were: Margaret McDonald, Mildred Herring, Dorothy Mae Miller, Mary Louise Gilmour, Elnora Guthrie, Florence Guthrie, Barbara Freeman, Helen Duley, Reddie Winslow. Helen Duley will be the next hostess.

REHEARSAL BAND

Members of the Rhythmic Band which will appear Thursday before the West Ward P.T.A. are now being directed by Raymond Winn. A course in directorship is being given by Mrs. B. G. Frost, supervisor.

CHILDREN'S THEATRE

The children's theatre is now rehearsing a Valentine play in which there are several small parts ending with a Tom Thumb wedding in red and white. The cast will be announced later.

The First National Bank

OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS

STATEMENT DECEMBER 30, 1933

RESOURCES

Table with 2 columns: Resource Name and Amount. Includes Loans and Discounts (\$239,538.00), U. S. and Other Bonds and Stocks (240,400.00), Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures (39,000.00), Redemption Fund (2,500.00), Other Assets (775.47), Other Real Estate (2,500.00), Federal Reserve Bank Stock (4,500.00), CASH (309,731.74), TOTAL (\$838,945.21)

LIABILITIES

Table with 2 columns: Liability Name and Amount. Includes Capital Stock (\$50,000.00), Surplus and Profits (109,205.14), Circulation (50,000.00), Borrowed Money (NONE), Rediscounts (NONE), DEPOSITS (629,740.07), TOTAL (\$838,945.21)

Deposits in this Bank are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation in the manner and to the extent provided under the terms of the Banking Act of 1933.

The State National Bank

OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS

STATEMENT OF CONDITION AS REPORTED TO THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 30, 1933

RESOURCES

Table with 2 columns: Resource Name and Amount. Includes Loans and Discounts (\$486,168.71), Overdrafts (47.21), U. S. Bonds (75,100.00), Other Bonds and Warrants (113,175.50), Banking House (11,000.00), Furniture and Fixtures (1.00), Other Real Estate (1.00), Federal Reserve Bank Stock (4,500.00), Federal Deposit Ins. Fund (1,249.43), 5% Redemption Fund (2,500.00), CASH (337,688.13), TOTAL (\$1,031,430.98)

LIABILITIES

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 30, 1933 CONDENSED FROM REPORT TO COMPTROLLER OF CURRENCY

ASSETS

Table with 2 columns: Asset Name and Amount. Includes Loans and Discounts (\$399,680.01), Overdrafts (1,729.68), United States Bonds (50,000.00), Federal Reserve Bank Stock (3,000.00), Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures (65,000.00), Other Real Estate (14,057.50), Other Assets (2,477.96), Bills of Exchange—Cotton (\$33,456.36), 10 cent Gov. Cotton (24,652.68), County and Municipal Bonds (66,600.00), Other Stocks and Bonds (7,527.84), Cash in Vault and Banks (147,672.06), TOTAL (\$815,854.09)

LIABILITIES

Table with 2 columns: Liability Name and Amount. Includes Capital Stock (\$50,000.00), Surplus and Undivided Profits (59,097.41), Circulation (50,000.00), DEPOSITS (656,756.68), TOTAL (\$815,854.09)

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office will be wide open, with one already announced, another privately drumming votes, and at least two more keenly watching developments.

The county attorney's position has, as yet, no publicly announced candidates, but two contestants are assured. Probably no more. One aspirant has his hat in the ring for the justiceship, vacated by the incumbent who seeks her post. The constable's badge may fall on anyone of a half dozen men who may announce before now and the deadline. The incumbent also asks promotion.

In this approaching primary, the sheriff's office is also attracting the eyes of candidates. Two are already in the race. Rumors all but have another running.

The county clerk's office has been a bitter lesson to many who have applied to that post. The dean of Howard county office holders will not likely be bothered with an opponent.

Office of district clerk will have one candidate for certain. Undercurrent gossip does no seriously implicate any others as candidates for that position.

In district offices there will probably be two candidates for the attorneyship and as many for the judicial robes.

Before all is over, it may be possible to multiply all numbers by two. Farmer friends and neighbors can put buzzing bees in the bonnets of longing men before final date for filing passes on June 4 and 16.

### Services

### Churches

### Topics

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
C. Alton Hickley, pastor  
9:45 a. m. Sunday School. Miss Nell Hatch, general superintendent.

Preaching 11 a. m., subject: "The Burning Heart."  
Music by the choir.  
6:30 p. m. The Young People's Groups will meet.

Preaching 7:30 p. m. Subject: "A Partnership That Can Not Fail." Special music by the choir.  
A big welcome awaits you at all these services.

**ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL**  
The services Sunday morning at Saint Mary's church will be Holy Communion at 11 o'clock.  
This is the first Sunday after the Epiphany and the sermon and services will be in keeping with the season.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**  
The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the First Presbyterian Church next Sunday at 11:00.

The pastor, Rev. John C. Thorns, will bring a communion meditation on "The Memory of Jesus." Special music by Miss Barnett, organist will be the prelude "Poeme" by Fibich, the offertory "Melodie" by Massenet, and the pastlude "Largo" by Handel. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Keaton will sing a duet "The Kingdom of Love" by Lansing.

At the evening hour at 7:30 the subject of the sermon by the pastor will be "God and the Children." The musical program will be "Humoresque" Dvorak, "Um Larme" Moussorgsky, and "Narcissus" Nelvin.

Church school meets at 9:45, Mr. E. E. Fahrnkamp, general superintendent. The Young People of the church meet at 6:30. Mrs. D. E. Striplin, sponsor.

**EAST FOURTH ST. BAPTIST**  
Rev. Woodie W. Smith, pastor. Sunday services as follows:  
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., in all departments.  
Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.  
B.T.S. at 6:15 p. m.  
Morning message subject: "Love's Blessing."

Evening subject: "Christ The End of Them All For Righteousness."  
Special music by the choir and orchestra. Carl Young will sing.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Melvin J. Wise, minister.  
Bible School at 9:45.  
Morning worship at 10:45 a. m. The sermon topic will be: "The Value of the Soul."  
Sunday evening at 6:30 the young peoples' meeting will be held.  
Evening services at 7:15. The sermon topic will be: "The Son Ship of Christ."  
Ladies' Bible class meets Monday afternoon at 4 p. m.  
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## Whisker Boys Beat Steers

### House Of David Team Displays Comedy With Flashy Game

Comedy and cleverness, harmony and horseplay, beards and baskets were all mixed up last night and handed out to basketball fans at the high school gymnasium in a weird game which ended in 34 to 31 victory for the House of David over Coach George Brown's Steers.

In many respects it was the strangest basketball game that has ever been played in Big Spring. It was good playing throughout, the Steer team showing some ability as well as the House of David quintet. The clever and deceptive passing of the visitors and their hilarious antics on the floor gave the crowd an extra portion of interesting entertainment that left everyone in high spirits following the game.

**Display Ability**  
With all their comedy, the whiskered brothers displayed excellent ability, shooting at times with uncanny accuracy and displaying excellent floor work and a thorough knowledge of the game. They were an unusual combination from the 6 foot 11 inch Brad Lair to the tricky Buck Buchanan, who did everything with the ball except hide it in his whiskers.

The Davidites provided such an unusually interesting performance that fans might have overlooked the doings of the Bovines. They performed very creditably and displayed a well-balanced team that promises good games this season.

The Benton Harbor, Michigan cut-ups passed up numerous chances to score in the stunting exhibition, giving the locals a slight lead until well in the final period. The Bovine led 10 to 8 at the end of the first quarter, 18 to 12 at the half and 25 to 24 at the close of the third stanza. Dean at center, was high point man for the Bovines with four field goals, Cor-dill next with seven points and Driver third with six.

Linfield, bewhiskered guard, fouled out late in the fourth period. There was some dispute as to the number and Linfield confided to scorers, they were "just a little crooked with a pencil."

The Davidites had only six players, which forced Brad Lair, the giant center to enter the game. Lair had a lame foot. He was injured while playing Tech.

Coach Brown sub tuted freely, eleven players breaking into the lineup.

**Fundamentalist Meeting Starts Sunday Morning**

Evangelist services will begin at the Fundamentalist Baptist Tabernacle Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and will continue for an indefinite period, according to Rev. Horace Goodman, pastor of the church.

Evangelist Dr. T. Myron Webb of Denver has been invited by the church to conduct the services and a great spiritual feast is expected by all who have had the privilege of hearing him on a former engagement at the church.

Dr. Webb is one of the outstanding champions of the Fundamentalists of the faith and has been used signally of the Lord in bringing the gospel message of salvation to large audiences over the middle and western states during the past four years. His ministry has been blessed by hundreds of conversions and his previous association in the scientific world has equipped him with a special ministry of reconciling the Bible and Science in a simple and straightforward way that leaves no doubt in the sterner mind as to the Divine authority of the scriptures.

Dr. Webb's subject for Sunday morning will be "Divine Dynamite"; Sunday evening, "Dreams that never come True"; Monday evening, "Dreams That Never Come True," Monday night, "God's Matchless Book"; Tuesday night, "God's Matchless Man"; Wednesday night, "God's Matchless Men"; A special invitation is given to minister, teachers, doctors, and high school children to attend the services on Thursday, Friday and Sunday nights of next week, when Dr. Webb will invade the scientific world and discuss in the light of science the story of creation, dealing with the mineral, animal, vegetable and spiritual realms in the light of science and the Bible.

Thursday night he will discuss, "Science and Genesis"; Friday night, "Knocking the L' Out of Evolution" and on Sunday night, Jan. 14, he will speak on "God in History." All denominations are cordially invited to attend these services.

Mrs. Ben Miller had as guests Friday, her sister from Abilene, Misses May and Ethel White.

services will be held Wednesday, beginning at 7:15 p. m.

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## Personally Speaking

R. E. Hendricks, commercial manager of the Texas Electric Service company, with headquarters in Fort Worth, spent Thursday in Big Spring.

Miss Alberta Mayfield, who has been visiting Mrs. J. Y. Robb, has returned to her home in Los Angeles, Calif.

Mrs. J. L. Rush has gone to Tulsa to be gone for a week.

Miss Dorothy Frost of Amarillo is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. G. Frost, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gill have returned from Lovington, New Mexico, where they have been for the past year making their home. Mr. Gill has been in the engine service of the Texas-New Mexico, but was recently "bumped" when one of the trains was discontinued on that line.

Mrs. C. R. Fuglaar and daughter, Vi Jean, returned home to Tullis, La., Saturday after visiting with her parents, M. and Mrs. Tom Horton, relatives and friends.

## Income Tax Forms Mailed Citizens Here March 15 Deadline

Citizens of Big Spring and Howard County who filed income tax returns for 1932 now are receiving blanks for filing returns for 1933. All persons who are required, by virtue of their 1933 incomes, to file returns under the new income tax law will be able to secure blanks for that purpose from internal revenue collectors' offices, according to the information issued from Austin Thursday, or from traveling deputies before the close of filing time, March 15.

Filing of a return is required, whether or not a tax is paid, from every person having a gross income in 1933 of \$5,000 or more, or a net income of \$1,000 or more if single; or a net income of \$2,500 or more if married. Exemption of \$1,000 is allowed a single person, and \$2,500 to the head of a family, with additional exemption of \$400 for each child under 18 years of age. In the classification on net incomes under \$5,000, the tax is 4 per cent income after personal exemptions are allowed.

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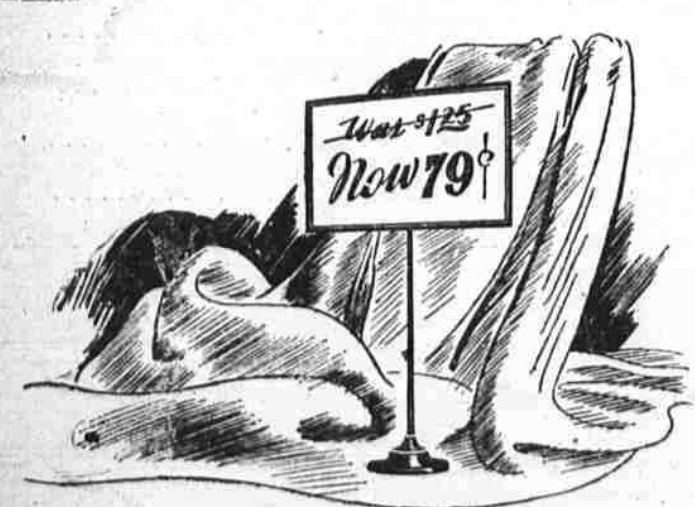
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**CANDIDATE—**  
(Continued From Page 1)  
collector-assessor race already has three entered and has prospects of more. The treasurer's office has two avowed aspirants and a third section to some higher post. The

one exception the commissioners will draw opponents. Political winds have blown but there seems only one candidate for the judgeship. The county superintendent's

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