

Legislature's Calendar Full For Next Week

Hearing On Truck Load Bill, Approval Of Appointments Due

AUSTIN, Feb. 1 (AP)—Texas' whirling machinery for making laws, tuned by three weeks of organizing, bill drafting and preliminary maneuvering, will be sharply accelerated next week.

Legislative committees will hold important hearings on bills to increase the truck load limit and an interest-gripping appointment by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel while an investigation of the old age pension administration will get under way.

Many more bills and resolutions calling for constitutional amendments will be thrust into intake channels, piling on the 300-odd measures already introduced.

Surveying the situation from the pinnacle of 10 years service in the legislature, Speaker Homer Leonard of McAllen asserted the new session was making better than normal progress and the outlook for accomplishment was very bright.

Leonard spoke at the end of a week which had seen:

Much action in both houses on legislation incidental to the national defense program.

Announcement of all house committees and adoption by the house of new rules, one of which is intended to curb personal privilege speech making.

Passage of a bill aimed at reducing unemployment compensation taxes approximately \$10,000,000.

An inquiry into the old age assistance set up ordered by the house.

Confirmation by the senate of a number of gubernatorial appointments and the governor's nomination of several new ones.

A meeting of 50 representatives in an effort to get together on a bill to boost natural resource taxes as a means of supplying new revenue for social security purposes.

REVIEWING THE BIG SPRING WEEK

BY JOE PICKLE

Right now one of the more pressing matters for public consideration is that of handling charity problems. Admittedly, there ought to be a centralization of it, but the financial end of the program furnishes the hitch.

Both city and county are studying the problem, and last week the city advanced the idea, in its basic form, of a community chest to handle cases which the county was not required by law.

This brought up the matter of putting taxes into such a program. The county's view is that it should be expected to meet the city half-way on the bulk of work while the city contends that such would be placing the burden on city taxpayers.

This gets into a good argument right away, one that reverses immediately to valuation inequalities. There may be more said on this before all is settled.

While the Howard county total of 3,681 poll taxes was 200 above Tom Green county, it must be counted as a disappointing figure.

It represents less than half of those who should be interested enough in democratic government at a time like this—to pay \$1.75 to have a voice in it.

So far as Big Spring is concerned, about the biggest benefit of the rainy spell was more water in one of the lake supplies.

This may carry the lakes to the spring rain season and give the wells a much deserved rest. Since they were last pumped Aug. 1, 1940, they have not been pumped.

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Appeasers Line Up To Oppose Petain



KNOX CALLS 'NEGOTIATED PEACE' A WILD FANCY—Usually Jovial Secretary of Navy Frank Knox was this reserved expression as he told members of the senate foreign relations committee that Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's hope for a "negotiated peace" in Europe was a "wild fancy."

Beneficial Rains Cover Wide Area

Beneficial rains, ranging from a half to an inch and a half, fell over this area Friday and Saturday as other points in the state were getting good soakings.

Heaviest fall in this immediate section was at Colorado City where gauges showed 1.58 inches falling from Wednesday to Saturday morning.

At Big Spring the U. S. department of commerce weather bureau reported .49 of an inch, but it was enough for the city to trap 15 inches of water off one brisk shower Friday afternoon.

The rise occurred in the Powell Creek lake and boosted the level to 1.13 feet and the impounded volume to approximately 111,000,000 gallons in the lake basin.

Water trapped Friday was calculated at near 26,000,000 gallons, or enough for about a month at the city's present rate of consumption.

Moss Creek lake, nearest town, caught little or no additional water.

Lamesa reported .45 of an inch moisture to Saturday morning, but it fell in a way to be of maximum benefit. All over Howard county there were reports of good rains, some farmers estimating the fall up to two inches.

Between Hilyard and Knox there were reports of hard showers, and residents in the Yeslmoor area said the fall amounted to an inch or more.

Chief value of the rain appeared to have been in settling listed land or permitting others to put up their fields. Small grains were brightened and winter range foliage was helped.

Very little stock water was put out, however, except in the Mitchell county section.

Over the state as much as four inches fell in some areas with the heaviest falls being reported from Wichita Falls to Waco.

Wichita Falls had two inches to put wheat in the best shape in years. In Kendall county 4.6 inches fell and 4.4 inches in Blanco county.

Waco had 2.7 inches with more falling. Along the gulf the fall was light and at Amarillo in the Panhandle there was only a trace.

At Austin the Lower Colorado River Authority let 16,000 second-foot of water through the Marshall Ford dam to make room for waters from the Llano and Pedernales, but no flood threats were reported.

Rivers and creeks were on a booming rise in Tarrant county as rain continued. Village creek was over the Fort Worth pike east of Handley and was still rising.

The Double dam crossing on the Clear Fork of the Trinity was barricaded.

Other totals included Fort Worth 1.21, Coleman county 2.28, Irian county 2.71, Kerrville 3.94 and Lometa 2.22.

All That Goes Down Comes Up

PRINCETON, Ky., Feb. 1 (AP)—During a coughing spell, Miss Isabella Pilaut, 25, recovered a small gold-plated pin she said she "swallowed" accidentally when she was 9.

More Interest In Vocational Classes Asked

Weygand Tells Troops Not To Desert Vichy

By the Associated Press Formation of a group opposed to Chief of State Philippe Petain's French "national union" committee of 51 was announced by the radio in German-occupied Paris last night, with a violent attack on "the men of Vichy," and a warning that France must collaborate quickly and fully with Germany before the final "victory over England."

The pro-Nazi group of Frenchmen flung its challenge to the Petain government by announcing formation of a "peoples committee" supporting complete collaboration with Germany.

The Paris announcement came shortly after General Maxime Weygand, commander of 500,000 regular French troops in North Africa, had in a radio address—reaffirmed his loyalty to the Petain government and advised his men not to be swayed from their loyalty to France as represented by the marshal.

The waiting army of General Weygand has been described as a potent bargaining tool in the dealings of Chief of State Petain with the Berlin government.

General Weygand, it was said, was not unwilling to throw his forces into the balance if too drastic German measures were imposed on France.

The Paris challenge was accompanied by a belligerent attack on Foreign Minister Pierre Etienne Flaminio, Interior Minister Marcel Feyrount and the Vichy government in general.

It was voiced by Jean Fonteny, French newspaper man, speaking over the Paris radio.

Emphasizing that time was pressing, Fonteny issued a call for support by all Frenchmen. He praised former Vice Premier Pierre Laval and said that Petain's committee of 51 was formed as a result of the events of December 12 when Laval resigned and was placed under technical arrest.

Fonteny said his committee was formed of newspaper editors, industrialists, workers and others in the occupied zone to prepare a program from all France.

He made no direct attack on Marshal Petain but emphasized that the Paris committee was in direct opposition to the Vichy committee formed January 18 under direction of Marshal Petain's office with the aim of developing a national organization and philosophy calculated to bring popular support back to Petain's national revolution.

Weygand urged his French African army to pay no heed to appeals that they enter the war against the Italians.

He charged his men to support the "national revolution" of Marshal Philippe Petain; to stay out of a fight which, he said, was "ended" for France with the armistice with Germany and Italy.

Weygand replied by radio to a broadcast from London Friday night in which the "free French" leader, General Charles De Gaulle, had asked the French in Africa to attack the Italians from the west and thus "help complete the conquest of Libya."

Weygand said he was not in a position to reply to De Gaulle's appeal, but he said he would do his best to complete the conquest of Libya.

Brownwood Building Up 1,609 Percent

BROWNWOOD, Feb. 1 (AP)—Building permits issued during the month of January were 1,609 per cent greater than January, 1939, city records showed today.

Permits issued the last month totaled \$104,270 as compared with \$6,100 a year ago.

Suburban and public construction was not included in the report.

FINED FOR DRUNKENNESS

A fine of \$50 was entered by Judge Tracy T. Smith Saturday against Carl Madison on a plea of guilty to a charge of drunkenness. The severe fine is reserved by the corporate judge for cases where the defendant is taken into custody in a car.

As Well As In Howard County -- Poll Tax Payments Drop Throughout State

Howard county today had a voting strength somewhere in excess of 4,000 and possibly 4,500.

Late Saturday, with a batch of mail still to be opened, poll tax payments amounted to 3,681, second only to the 4,076 record tacked up in 1938 as an "off year" record.

It was estimated the last day's run at the tax collector's office netted around 600 to 700 polls, but still this was under the 1,000 final day run in 1939.

Staff members at the office of Tax Collector John F. Wolcott estimated that there might be two score more polls included in mail posted before midnight Friday.

According To Knox, Axis Would Attack Western Hemisphere

William G. McAdoo, Once Cabinet Member, Expires

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1 (AP)—William Gibbs McAdoo, World War cabinet officer, former senator, and distinguished in law, finance and shipping, died today after a heart attack.

At 77 still the tall, straight, active figure that he was at 50 when he entered public life as President Wilson's secretary of the treasury, McAdoo had come to Washington from his California home to attend President Roosevelt's third inauguration.

He had had two warnings of a weak heart, one a minor attack suffered in Honolulu about a month ago, but he appeared to be in perfect health last night. He became ill about 2 a. m. and died at 10:15 a. m. (Eastern Standard Time) in a hospital to which he was removed from his hotel.

Mrs. Doris Cross McAdoo, his third wife; a daughter, Mrs. Brice Claggett, by his first wife, and a doctor and a nurse were with him.

Funeral services will be held Monday morning at Epiphany Episcopal church here, with the chaplain of the senate, Rev. Zeburney T. Phillips, officiating. Burial will be at Arlington cemetery. A provision was made some time after the World War for the burial in that military cemetery of members of the war cabinet of Woodrow Wilson.

For a quarter century, as administration official, democratic party leader and senator, McAdoo was an outstanding Washington figure. He was retired from official life in 1938 when defeated in the democratic primary by Sheridan Downey, now the junior California senator, and became chairman of the American President line.

President Roosevelt, whose friendship with the former California senator dated from 1922, was one of the first to express sorrow.

"I join with the entire country," Mr. Roosevelt said, "in mourning him as one who has given many years of faithful service to the nation. My personal affection for him grew with the years."

Members of the cabinet and leaders in congress joined hundreds of others in expressing regrets.

"Flags on vessels of the American President line were lowered to half mast."

British Air Force Strikes At Tripoli

CAIRO, Egypt, Feb. 1 (AP)—A violent step-up in the tempo of British air attacks in Libya was announced today in the prelude to another grand assault—aimed this time at Benghazi.

The area to Benghazi from fallen Derna and far beyond—700 miles within Libya to Tripoli—was the theater of this new aerial offensive, intended to clear the way for British mechanized troops striking westward in their cars of steel and to disorganize the Italians far behind their lines.

The Royal Air Force announced that "several" tons of bombs had been loosed upon Tripoli, the capital of western Libya, and a vital communications center, and that "hundreds" of bombs had fallen upon Benghazi's air center, the long-punished airdrome at Barce.

All through the British march, this kind of assault from the skies has preceded the general attacks by ground troops—at Bardia, at Tobruk, at Derna.

Barce lies 120 miles west of Derna. Tripoli is not only a major city in all Libya—having a population of about 100,000—but stands near to Tunisia, headquarters of the restless and die French imperial army of half a million men commanded by General Maxime Weygand.

In Tripoli, the British declared, bombs hit three Italian ships in the harbor, two of 2,000 tons and the third a 4,000-tonner. At least one seaplane was declared destroyed and others damaged.

The docks were hit and hangars were left boiling in black smoke, the RAF said, and fires sprang up among the jetties and along the railway.

Barracks at the large air base were reported bombed squarely and clusters of incendiaries fell with explosives upon hangars, buildings and tents. Two grounded Italian airplanes were declared to have been set ablaze and another shot down in action.

Not a single British loss was acknowledged.

Along the roads leading toward Benghazi there was fighting during the day, the British command thus putting it:

"Contact with the enemy west of Erna is being maintained."

Some 2,000 miles to the south-east the British reported that their troops were driving on into Italian Eritrea with intensified pressure and that elsewhere on the East African fronts there was no change.

Latin-American Groups To Meet

Members of Leagues of United Latin American citizens will gather here today for a district party which includes speaking, a dinner and dance.

Business session of the Luic party will get underway at 10 a. m. in the city auditorium with delegates from Brady, San Angelo, Alpine, and Pecos attending. Visitors from Midland, Abilene and other cities in the area were expected.

M. C. Gonzalez, San Antonio, executive secretary of Luic, is due to address the convention and his talk is scheduled over the local radio at 12:30 p. m.

A dinner has been set for 6 p. m. in the Crawford ballroom, followed by a dance.

A. Cinceros is president of the Big Spring Luic council. Other officers are G. M. Lopez, vice-president, Gen. Salazar, secretary, and Julian Vega, treasurer.

Secretary Of Navy Positive In Assertion

Tells Committeemen He Is "Tremendously Worried" In Crisis

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1 (AP)—Pleading for speed in aid to England, Secretary Knox said today he was "positive" there would be an axis attack on the western hemisphere in event Britain fell, and declared "the odds would be against" United States success in repelling it.

"We'd have to strain every nerve," the navy secretary told the senate foreign relations committee in response to a question from Senator Nye (R-ND) as to whether hemisphere defense would be "hopeless."

"Can we act in time to save Britain if this awful crisis predicted for the near future comes to pass?" Nye asked at another point. (Knox and others have predicted a crisis within 60 to 90 days.)

"Frankly, I don't know," Knox replied. "I'm tremendously worried."

In his lengthy testimony, Knox returned time and again to the contention that the administration's aid-Britain bill was a self-defense measure.

The "primary objective," he said earnestly, was helping England because "the British navy and British lakes" were the "first line of defense" for the United States.

As for repayment for aid given the British, Knox asserted this was a matter of secondary consideration.

"It will be a saving and a good investment," he said of the cost which witnesses have testified may run into billions, "even if we never get a dollar or a penny back."

Meanwhile, house supporters of the legislation confidently tallied off a favorable vote there before next week ends.

Chairman Bloom (D-NY) of the house foreign affairs committee said after a conference today with Lord Halifax that he had assured the new British ambassador that the bill would pass without major change.

Halifax called on Bloom at the latter's capitol office to discuss what he called the "timetable" of the legislation's course.

Three days of house debate will open Monday noon.

Senate supporters said a poll of the foreign relations committee showed a safe margin of at least three votes for the measure. The committee may vote on the measure late next week. It is to begin hearing opposition witnesses Monday when Chairman George (D-Ga.) said, Norman Thomas, socialist leader, and Phillip La Follette, former governor of Wisconsin, are to present their views.

As Secretary Knox supported the bill at today's hearings, several hundred persons who gathered there were "peace marchers" and listened to a speech from the house steps by Rep. Marcantonio (AL-NY) who opposes the legislation.

When the question came up as to the United States' ability to defend the western hemisphere in event England fell, Knox said the axis would have "seven times the ship building capacity, both naval and commercial," now available to this country.

An axis victory over Britain, he said, would mean that the United States navy would have to patrol all waters of this hemisphere to prevent establishment of enemy bases.

"Do you really think there is danger of a combination of European powers attacking us?" Nye pressed.

"Positively," Knox shot back. "Don't you think there is danger?"

Nye replied that he thought the axis would be too occupied with trying to defend present areas, and recovering from distress, disease, and war costs.

SONGFEET RELATED

The Coahoma Baptist church will be the site for a community songfest Sunday afternoon. Singers attending are asked to bring their own songbooks.

Monday Is Dollar Day In Big Spring—See Values In Today's Herald

Former Local Man's Death Held Suicide

SAN ANGELO, Feb. 1 (AP)—An inquest verdict of suicide was returned in the fatal shooting at 8 a. m. today of Frederick V. Gates, 56, Abilene automobile salesman. A note to his wife was found in the room with Gates, who was found lying on the floor with a .38 calibre revolver nearby.

Gates had been in Abilene two years and prior to that lived in Big Spring five years. He formerly conducted a dry goods business here and at Ballinger. No motive was discovered for the shooting. Gates is survived by his widow and four children.

FORBAM, Feb. 1 (Sp.)—Mrs. R. O. Oliver received word Saturday of the death of her father, Frederick Victor Gates, near San Angelo early Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver, accompanied by Mrs. J. E. Gardner and son, James, and Louella Thomas went to San Angelo immediately after receiving word of his death. Funerals will be held at 1:30 p. m. Sunday at Kiker-Knight Funeral home in Abilene.

Party Honors Alva Powell

The J. E. F. club gave a surprise birthday party for Alva Powell Friday night at the home of Nan Carpenter, 805 Johnson. Games were the order of the day, followed by a candlelight ceremony. Miss Powell received gifts from guests of the party.

The guest list included Alfred Cate, Billy Suggs, Claude Wright, Ellis Simmons, Norma Rogers, Opal Martin, Lois Simmons, Toka Williams, Billy Carr, Willie Joe Allison, George Hogan, Anita Cate, Marion Kestis, Dalton Carr, Mina Rebe Johnson, Eddie Carpenter, Jackie Johnson, Carl Kestis, Cecil Ray Ivy, Joyce Powell, Joe Allen Wilkerson, Mary Alice Gans, Billy Cane, Sonny Sullivan, Dale Hogan, Keith Cass, and Dink Taylor.

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New York Eats Most Of Texas' Turkey Exports

AUSTIN, Feb. 1 (AP)—More Texas Christmas turkeys were eaten in New York than in any other state, the University of Texas bureau of business research said today.

Consumption by states for December was: New York 126 carloads, Massachusetts 69, Pennsylvania 67, Ohio 24, Florida 20, Michigan 26, New Jersey 25.

Total turkey shipments to out-of-state points were 779 cars, a decline of 4.8 per cent from December, 1939.

Chicken shipments amounted to 28 cars as compared to 11 moving the previous December.

Texas egg shipments showed a 90 per cent gain over December 1939—48 1-3 cars as against 25 1-3. Forty-nine carloads were received in Texas from other states, more than quadrupling those of the same month last year.

Settlement In Copper Products Strike Reached

NEW YORK, Feb. 1 (AP)—A joint management-union statement issued tonight said a settlement had been reached in the strike of CIO workers at the Elizabeth, N. J., plant of the Phelps-Dodge Copper Products Corporation which the management said might tie up \$230,000,000 in national defense contracts.

The statement said 14,000 members of the United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers of America, who walked out Friday, were expected to return to work Monday if they accept the terms outlined in an agreement reached after day-long negotiations.

The agreement provides for immediate negotiation of a contract to become effective if and when the union wins a National Labor Relations Board election certifying it as the sole bargaining agent for the plant.

"Representatives of the Bay Way Copper Workers association are reported as having expressed a willingness to modify the existing contract to provide for cancellation in the event of a CIO victory in the election," the statement added.

Dr. J. R. Brinkley, Of Gland Fame, Claims Bankruptcy

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 1 (AP)—Dr. John R. Brinkley, whose career has embraced gland surgery, running for governor in Kansas and the ownership of hospitals, a powerful Mexican radio station, a yacht and a plane, is in bankruptcy.

His voluntary petition asking that he be adjudged bankrupt was granted by R. O. Huff, federal referee in bankruptcy here, and M. Coppard, San Antonio, was named receiver.

Debts listed in the petition totaled \$1,118,064.50, but these were not formally admitted. Assets were set forth as \$216,500.

Today in Del Rio, where the Brinkleys built a palatial home, Mrs. Brinkley enumerated the fate of some of her husband's assets.

She said that the 500,000-watt Mexican station (just across the Rio Grande from Del Rio, was lost to him in 1934; the yacht, once owned by Douglas Fairbanks, Sr., was sold to the U. S. government last December and is in the coast guard service; the Lockheed Electric twin-motored plane was sold as a training ship for Canadian pilots the hospital in Little Rock was sold in October, 1940.

Mrs. Brinkley said her husband was not associated with any hospital. He once owned others in Del Rio and Milford, Kas., where his gland operations first attracted notice.

She added that Dr. Brinkley, who was out of town, had returned with her last week from Washington, where they were among the guests at a White House tea.

Dr. Brinkley ran for governor in Kansas several times and was defeated. He later moved to Del Rio and established radio station XERA, said to be one of the most powerful in the world.

His voluntary petition was filed in the federal district court at Del Rio.

Federal taxes accounted for \$114,000 of the debts while \$93,100 was listed as other tax debts. Unsecured claims totaled \$314,537 while \$41,500 was listed as secured claims, \$277.50 in wages and \$54,650 in other debts.

Policies on securities, listed on the assets side of the petition totaled \$140,000 while bills, promissory notes and securities made up a total of \$47,000. An exemption was claimed on \$12,500 worth of property.

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Stock Market Has Bad Week

NEW YORK, Feb. 1 (AP)—The stock market today ended one of its worst weeks in many months with trends pointing downward.

A half-hearted opening rally faded and real support was lacking. While closing losses ran to fractions for the most part, set-backs of 1 to 2 or more points were seen here and there.

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Frequency Of Many Radio Stations To Change Soon

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1 (AP)—The Federal Communications Commission said today that 796 of the 883 standard broadcast stations in this country would shift to new frequency assignments at 3 a. m. March 26.

The reallocation of frequencies resulted from the North American regional broadcasting agreement involving the United States, Canada, Mexico and Cuba, and designed to eliminate much of the interference in radio broadcasts from those countries.

Chief noticeable difference to the average listener will be that stations above 730 kilocycles will occupy a slightly different place on his receiver dial, usually higher. Receivers with pushbutton tuning will have to have these controls readjusted.

The new lineup:

830 kilocycles—WFAA, Dallas;
WBAP, Fort Worth.
1200 kilocycles—WOAI, San Antonio.
1240 kilocycles—KNOX, Sweetwater.

1270 kilocycles—KFJZ, Fort Worth.
1300 kilocycles—WRR, Dallas.
1320 kilocycles—KTRH, Houston.
1340 kilocycles—KFYO, Lubbock.
1400 kilocycles—KGKL, San Angelo.
1430 kilocycles—KTUL, Tulsa, Okla.
1440 kilocycles—KGNC, Amarillo.
1490 kilocycles—KWEW, Hobbs, N. M.; KBST, Big Spring.
1520 kilocycles—KOMA, Oklahoma City.

Distiller Pays State \$60,000 In Penalties

AUSTIN, Feb. 1 (AP)—The state of Texas was granted \$60,000 penalties from Schenley Distillers corporation and a permanent injunction restraining the corporation from agreements in violation of anti-trust laws in an agreed judgment entered in a district court here today.

The corporation was one of seven distillers and 23 wholesale liquor companies against which Attorney General Gerald C. Mann had filed suit.

The suits alleged the wholesalers and distillers had conspired to fix sales territories and maintain prices.

Under terms of the judgement, it was specified the Schenley corporation "is not admitting or confessing the truth and correctness of the allegations." The company, with headquarters in New York, agreed to operate in Texas under a state license.

Sooners May Change Drunk Driving Law

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 1 (AP)—Gov. Leon C. Phillips proposed today that a mandatory jail sentence be included if the first offense for drunken driving in Oklahoma is to be treated as a misdemeanor.

A bill now on final passage in the house would alter the present law which makes all such cases felonies, and handle the first one as a misdemeanor without setting a minimum penalty.

A chief argument behind reducing the first penalty is that juries hesitate to stamp a felony on a person who has injured no one.

Phillips would not only put the offender in every conviction behind bars, but would make it a felony on first offense if the defendant hospitalized someone or damaged property.

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Will Provides For Dog, But Son Is Disinherited

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.—Fuzzy Wussy, 12-year-old fox terrier of the late Mrs. Gertrude H. Wilson, will receive life care, but her son, Richard H. Dickinson of Danville, will get none of her \$50,000 estate, according to her will.

The entire estate was left in trust to her brother, Dudley W. Fitch, Los Angeles, Calif., and ultimately will go to Christ church, Hartford, Conn.

Lamesa Bottler Goes To Stamford

LAMERA, Feb. 1 (Sp.)—Harmon Daffern, manager of a bottling company here since 1932, has been transferred to Stamford to take a similar position with the same company.

He and his family left Friday for their new home.

L. F. Brothers of Big Spring has succeeded Daffern here. Mr. and Mrs. Brothers will be at home at 519 Travis Street.

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Wheeler Calls Roosevelt's Statement 'Slanderous Lie'

Supervisor Of Colorado City Sewing Unit Quits

COLORADO CITY, Feb. 1 (Sp) — Resignation of Mrs. J. D. Williams as supervisor of the Colorado City WPA sewing room was effective this week, and Mrs. F. C. Shillingburg was installed as her successor.

Mrs. Williams has been in charge of the room since the first project opened in November, 1939. The second project began October 27, 1940.

Under the current project the room has used 2,645.5 yards of federal material, 2,589.75 of sponsor's materials. Seventeen workers have been employed.

Not counting 600 garments to be delivered next week, the room has produced under the current project 344 men's garments, 430 women's garments, 474 boys' garments, 518 girls' garments, and 427 infants' garments, a total of 2,183, plus the 400 coming up.

Mrs. Williams has been working on the project this week with Mrs. Shillingburg.

Assertion Is Attributed To Ex-Envoy

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1 (Sp) — Senator Wheeler (D-Mont) denounced today as "a slanderous attack—attributed to a dead man" the story related by President Roosevelt that the late William E. Dodd once quoted Wheeler as saying that Nazi domination of Europe was inevitable.

The president, responding to a series of questions yesterday, told reporters he had been informed by Dodd, former ambassador to Germany, that Wheeler expressed such a view at a dinner party in 1934 or 1935.

Asked whether Wheeler favored Nazi domination of Europe, the chief executive answered that inevitable was a pretty comprehensive word.

Wheeler, who is recuperating from influenza at the home of Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy at Palm Beach, Fla., said in a statement issued through his office that the accusation was "absolutely false." He added:

"This is a desperate attempt to discredit me because I stand unalterably for American peace and against the entry of the United States into any foreign war."

Wheeler is a leading senate opponent of the administration's aid-to-Britain bill. Ambassador Kennedy, his Florida host, also has declared opposition to the measure in its present form.

"The president now says, according to press reports, that he has known of this slanderous accusation since 1934," Wheeler's statement continued. "If he believed it then, as a matter of decency and justice, he should have called it to my attention while the late Ambassador Dodd was still alive so I might have confronted my alleged accuser face to face and branded this despicable charge for what it is—a lie. That would have been the American way."

He went on to say that he had not in 1934 or at any other time said that Nazi domination of Europe was inevitable but had "always denounced the forceful seizure of territory by Germany, England, France, the United States or any other nation."

Blind Man Passes Through City In Walking Trip Across Country



R. KIT CARSON and SMOKY

Somewhere between Big Spring and Abilene R. "Kit" Carson and his dog, Smoky, are plodding along on a tedious journey to New York City.

Carson, a World War veteran, is blind, struck sightless in an automobile accident at Los Angeles in 1920. Now 52 years old, he is essaying a cross-continent hike with Smoky as his only guide.

He has been at it since Oct. 29 last and averages around 13 miles a day. Carson is making his a home-to-home hike, for he does not accept rides. When obliging motorists stop to pick up the pair, Carson always declines, but asks the driver to sign his register book stating that no ride was accepted.

A friend in aiding him on his journey by driving ahead with a trailer house, in which the two men and dog spend the night. The dog, one of the seeing-eye trainees, possesses almost human intelligence and always extends his paw when anyone offers to shake hands with his master.

While stopping here, Carson was given an impromptu radio interview. Asked the announcer: "Do you have time to see a show while you are here?"

New Producer For Cedar Lake Seen

LAMESA, Feb. 1 (Sp) — Another producer for the Cedar Lake pool was indicated here this week with the showing of Lee C. Harrison No. 2 White.

The test, bottomed at 2,740 feet, flowed 100 barrels daily according to operator's reports. It is to be shot with 400 quarts. Location is in section 4-H, D&W survey. Harrison, now residing at Lubbock, is a former Big Spring and Odessa operator.

Garner Scouts Receive Awards

Scout troop 13 of the Garner school met at the high school building on Monday evening with six scouts and Scoutmaster Earl Bryant and Assistant N. Y. Burnett present.

In addition to the regular business, means of raising money for troop No. 13's \$66 donation to the national scouting fund, annual Scout fee and the annual five-day summer trip were discussed. Plans for a series of ball games with neighboring scout troops and for practice in the annual scout roundup activities with the Ackerly troop were completed.

Six boys who fulfilled requirements for awards, Raymond Stallings, J. O. Sanderson and Cecil Winterlover, second-class; Earl Bryant and Edward Burchell, first-class; and Billie Joe Morris, Eagle scout.

Miss Elsie Gholson, a student at Texas Tech, visited Mary Len Crawford during the weekend.

The F. H. T. girls of the Garner school entertained the F. F. A. boys on Thursday evening at the school gymnasium.

Games were played and refreshments of cookies and a frosted drink were served to 38 guests.

Edna Earl and Melva Lee Weed and three guests from A. C. C. visited Mrs. Edna Weed last weekend. On Saturday Mrs. Weed entertained with a picnic. Lunch was served at noon with hiking and hunting in the afternoon. Guests were Leonard Tyler of Abilene, Hazel Smith of Levelland, Mary Belle Manard of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Allred, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Allred and daughter, Joan, and Mary Mathis.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Allred were hosts at a birthday dinner honoring Edna Earl Weed. A two-tiered birthday cake frosted in purple and white formed the centerpiece for the table. Those present were J. E. Harland, Melva Lee Weed, Jimmie Shortes, Mary Belle Manard, J. W. Miller, Hazel Smith, Donald Allred, Hazel Harland, Leonard Tyler, Martha Mathis, Mrs. Edna Weed, Della Ruth Gist, Mary Mathis, Mrs. John Shortes, Jean Stallings and Nelda Jo Harland.

Elizabeth Brown and her guest, Modetta Lewis of Spring Lake, visited in the home of Elizabeth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brown, during the weekend. The girls are attending Texas Tech.

J. B. Shockey and Johnnie Phillips ran contour lines on their farms Thursday. Phillips had one-quarter section contoured last year and the visible results were enough to encourage more contouring.

After months of delay caused by the lack of a suitable building, the Martin county mattress making program for the Brown community got underway Monday of this week. By Friday 14 mattresses had been made with as many as six and eight persons working each day. The work was done under the supervision of the Brown home demonstration club.

The regular monthly meeting of the Garner P. T. A. has been postponed from Monday evening Feb. 3, to Feb. 10. The meeting has been changed because of a teacher's meeting at the Midway school on Feb. 3. At the Feb. 10 meeting Mrs. Edna Weed's and Mrs. H. F. Hallsbeck's pupils will present the program.

On Wednesday of this week, Mrs. G. T. Thomas, Mrs. W. Boyes and Mrs. Earl Phillips of Big Spring visited Mrs. Lee Castle. Mrs. Castle is papering and painting woodwork and refinishing her floors. The Big Spring women brought along a sanding machine and assisted with the work.

Willkie Visits Lambeth Area In Old London

LONDON, Feb. 1 (Sp) — Wendell L. Willkie crowded another action-filled program into his visit to Britain today, including a bicycle ride in Lambeth Walk, after announcing he would head a call to hurry home to testify on the "lease-lend" aid to Britain bill.

Surrounded by about 400 cockneys in the poor, heavily-bombed south side district where Lambeth Palace is situated, Willkie pedaled a bicycle, sang the Lambeth Walk song and signed his autograph many times—on everything "from a package of tea to a ukiele," as one hobby said.

Willkie plans to leave London Tuesday night for home, omitting visits either to Ireland or Scotland. He said a cablegram from U. S. Secretary of State Hull Friday night had requested his early return and that he understood it was hoped to conclude senate committee hearings on the bill by Feb. 10.

Hull's message relayed the request of Chairman George (D-Ga.) of the senate foreign relations committee asking Willkie's presence at the hearings.

American Legion Meeting Called

A meeting of the local American Legion post has been called for 8 o'clock Monday night at the chamber of commerce office.

Resignation of J. B. Neill as post commander will be acted upon according to L. D. Thompson, adjutant.

Attendance of the entire membership is urged.

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Safe-Blower Goes To Pen For Life

SANTA FE, N. M., Feb. 1 (Sp) — A dapper little safe-blower, Clifton Davidson, 32, entered the state penitentiary for life as an habitual criminal today—anti-climatic and

to a capsule crime wave extending into three states in little more than as many days.

Even as he was brought to the prison, weighted under four separate life sentences, Oklahoma authorities arrived to institute extradition proceedings to return him to Seminole on a charge of killing a

man there January 21.

Davidson, given to vanity over his age, pleaded guilty in district court at Roswell to four burglaries there a week ago Friday, and to an information charging four prior felony convictions. Under the habitual criminal law, he received life for each burglary.

LEAVES HOSPITAL

Jeannette Cutwell, two and a half month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Culwell, 1906 Johnson, has been dismissed from Malone and Hogan Clinic-Hospital, where she underwent treatment.

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Steers Outscore Mustangs, 26-20

Taking the lead from the opening whistle and relinquishing it only for a few minutes near the close of the first half, Big Spring Steers outscored Sweetwater Mustangs, 26 to 20, Friday night in the local high school gym. In an engagement of Sweetwater earlier in the district 3-AA basketball meet at Mustangs' gymnasium, Coach John Daniels' team, 26 to 18.

Puppy Blount, Big Spring center, took the scoring honors in Friday's show, marking up a total of 11 points by means of four field goals and three free throws.

Coach Daniels carried out a

brand of tactics developed in the last couple of Big Spring round-robins when he alternated two complete quarters on the field throughout the contest. On the starting lineup were Horace Boettick and Taber Rowe at guards, Blount at center, and James Fallon and E. H. Weaver at forward positions. The alternate crew included Blake Talbot and Billy Womack at the guard posts, Moss Stuterville at the pivot, and Bennett Reeves and David Lanum at forward berths.

There was little to choose between the two sets of Big Springers in the game, although it was while the second bunch was on the court that Sweetwater had its brief moment at the lead.

Boettick made the first point of the evening when he marked up a free throw in the initial minutes of the game. Sweetwater's Flanagan, guard, retaliated with a give-away shot on his own hook. About midway of the first quarter Fallon came through with a field goal, followed soon after by a one-handed pitch by Rowe from a scramble under the goal.

Flanagan marked up another score for Sweetwater on a free pitch as the second frame got underway and just before Talbot, Womack, Lanum, Stuterville, and Reeves took over the Big Spring side of the proceedings.

In a furious few minutes at the half-way mark of the second canto, Sweetwater's Lee made a contested toss from the hardwood and Womack and Talbot racked up couple of field goals in a rip-roaring exchange. Mustang Fitzgerald looped an overhead toss through the basket and immediately afterward Talbot chalked up a point on the house. After a back-and-forth tussle Daffers of Sweetwater put the ball through the basket and dived for a few moments later.

With the count standing 11 to 12 in Sweetwater's favor, Coach Daniels sent his game-starters back on the field. As the first half neared its close both clubs rocked along with neither making any outstanding bid for a score. Both quintets muffed short shots from under the goal.

The last half opened with a bang as Blount charged through and marked up a field goal. He took the ball from a struggle under his own post, moved into the clear, and put the shot through before the rest of the cagers could get to him.

The lanky Big Spring center added another mark to his scoring record by means of a free toss, and the gap between the Herd and the Ponies was made greater as Boettick made a brilliant shot through the basket. Fallon and Blount then scored from the court in quiet succession.

After Big Spring had kept the ball in its own possession during most of the third quarter, Sweetwater rallied when Fitzgerald and Daffers started shooting for the post from all angles. Blount got in the final kick at Sweetwater with a free toss that paid dividends.

As the last canto opened Big Spring held a distinct lead with a 22 to 14 count, but the Mustangs made a desperate attempt at a comeback when Fitzgerald chalked up two points and Montgomery came through with one.

Big Spring started stalling for time but finally Fallon added to the Herd's lead with a two-point goal. Fitzgerald again thrust at Big Spring with a standout try from the field.

Both teams put on full steam as they moved into the last moments and it looked as though the visitors might overcome Big Spring's advantage. Blount put the finishing touches on the evening's performance with a field goal as the game ended.

Mob Wonders If Louis Has Lost Punch

NEW YORK, Feb. 1 (AP)—Red Burman's savior "lummy" was much better today and Joe Louis took a long nap, while the fight mob bawled with argument as to just how much of the explosive the Bomber has lost from his heavy artillery.

In stiffening the Baltimore red-head in the fifth round last night with a right hand torpedo to the body in Madison Square Garden, Louis did just what he was supposed to do, but before he applied the crusher, he failed completely to bother Burman even a little bit with his choicest rights to the chin.

With this in mind, the sidewalk "experts" wondered who in the near future had the best chance to take Fiestiana's fanciest bauble from Joe, and the majority put the finger on Billy Conn, the Pittsburgh gladiator, who tangles with the champion in June. Louis not only was slower in tossing his punches last night, which is not a handy habit to have in trading with flashy Billy, but by actual count Joe landed 22 solid shots on Burman's chin without making a dent. And, while Red is a good, tough, solid citizen, there has been no one in the past who would have stood up under more than half a dozen of these explosions.

Joe was the first to admit that the \$21,028 pay-check he picked up for last night's 12th defense of his title was well earned. The title-holder pointed out that Red "was the second fellow who really tried to take my crown away; the other was Galento." That's the kind of showing Burman put up in running Louis right from the start, absorbing his heavy guns and still pouring in, trying to put Joe away. For his efforts, Burman received \$9,197 from the net gate of \$33,153.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 1 (AP)—College football coaches, still arguing the merits of three major rule changes announced less than a month ago, were confronted today with the likelihood two more changes will be incorporated into the 1941 gridiron code.

Walter Crowell, middle Atlantic district representative on the N. C. A. A. rules committee, said the late changes "will be formally introduced into the code at a meeting in New York next week-end."

They stipulated that:

1. A kicked ball touched first by the kicking team within the opposition's 10-yard line is to be classified as a touchback. The ball thus will be returned to the 20-yard line.
2. Three balls will be used in games played on wet or muddy fields. Crowell said they are to be rotated after each play to provide "ample opportunity to have the balls wiped dry on the sidelines."
3. Crowell told a gathering of district coaches the new rules were "agreed upon by a telegraphic vote" of the committee.

Less than a month ago, the committee announced rule changes providing for unlimited substitution, handing the ball forward to any player one yard behind the line of scrimmage and elimination of the touchback on fourth down passes thrown into the end zone.

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Browns To Go To San Antonio Early

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 1 (AP)—With most major league teams training earlier than ever this year, the St. Louis Browns today also advanced the opening of their spring camp at San Antonio, Texas.

Pitchers and catchers will report Feb. 24, instead of Feb. 27, and the other players are due Feb. 25, instead of March 1.

Several changes were made in the Browns' spring exhibition schedule. A game with the Boston Red Sox March 19 was cancelled and another set for March 26 at San Antonio will be played a day earlier at Austin, Tex.

On March 19, instead, the Browns will play Minneapolis at New Braunfels, Tex. and on March 26, Fort Worth at Brownsville, Tex.

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Texas League Starts Play Easter Sunday

HOUSTON, Feb. 1 (AP)—Texas league magnates voted today to open the hot-balled 1941 schedule on Easter Sunday, April 12—for the first time in this loop's history—and awarded the all-star game to Beaumont on July 16.

The 154 game schedule—seven contests less than were played last season—begins with Fort Worth at Dallas, Tulsa at Oklahoma City, San Antonio at Shreveport and Houston at Beaumont on April 12, 14, 15.

The northern clubs then will reverse for another three game, three day series, while the southern teams about face for two games, April 16 and 17.

J. Alvin Gardner, long time head of the league, declared in an interview he looked forward to a "better year in 1941."

Lamesa Beats Colorado City

LAMESA, Feb. 1 (Sp1)—Lamesa's high school basketballers vanquished Colorado City's Wolves, 28 to 12, in a district 3-AA tussle in the Lamesa gym Friday night.

The engagement turned into a rough and tumble affair in the closing minutes with the Wolves making a valiant attempt at rallying. Not to be outdistanced in the final lap, Lamesa's Tornados widened the gap by which they had led, 11 to 7, at the close of the first half.

Top spot on the evening's entertainment was turned in by Lamesa's Herman High. High came out of a scramble under Colorado City's goal post, dribbled the length of the floor, and tossed up a crisp shot to give the visitors two points.

Early in the game Lamesa muffed two scoring plays before Center Blair took a rebound and dropped in a one-handed shot to put the hosts ahead, a lead which was maintained throughout with the exception of a 1 to 5 dead-end at the end of the first quarter.

Leading scorer for Lamesa was High, with nine points. He was tied by Colorado City's Henderson. Lamesa showed a marked improvement over the game with Big Spring last Tuesday. In a Klondike invitational tournament during the week, the Tornados won their pair of games there against Ackerly and Dawson.

	FG	FT	TP
Gill, f	2	0	4
Bratcher, f	0	0	0
Earnest, f	2	3	7
Blair, c	2	0	4
Smith, g	1	2	4
High, g	3	3	9
Total	10	8	28

	FG	FT	TP
Henderson, f	3	3	9
Coffey, f	0	0	0
Smith, c	0	0	0
Mann, c	0	0	0
Porter, g	1	0	2
Allen, g	1	0	2
Cook, g	0	0	0
Total	5	3	13

Jeffrey-Thomas Nuptials Read

Miss Faye Jeffrey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jeffrey of Big Spring, became the bride of Ralph Thomas, Lubbock, in ceremonies solemnized by the Rev. C. E. Lancaster at his home here Saturday at 10:15 p. m.

The bride was attired in a navy blue suit and white hat with accessories to match. Attending the couple were A. C. White and Burchett Ellison. Guests were Margaret Woods, Frank Gosden and Ken Leamer and Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas spent the night in Big Spring and were to leave Sunday for Lubbock where they will be at home at 2401-A 7th street.

Mrs. Thomas attended schools in Carrizo, N. M. Draughon's business college in Lubbock and is employed by the Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma bus lines at Lubbock. The groom is the son of Mrs. J. B. Prewitt and is associated with the Galbraith Steel and Supply company at Lubbock.

Marriage Of Former Resident Here Told

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Mrs. Jean Craig to Paul G. Utesch, both of San Antonio, at Bourne on Jan. 21. The Rev. H. W. Donohue officiated.

Mrs. Utesch is a former resident of Big Spring and daughter of Mrs. Harriett Stewart of El Paso and Walter J. Stewart of San Antonio. He is the son of Rev. Wm. Utesch of Brenham and is an auditor for the firm of Ed A. Seidman, San Antonio. The couple is residing at the Southland hotel in San Antonio.

Riggs, Kovacs To Finals In Tourney

CORAL GABLES, Fla., Feb. 1 (AP)—Former national champion Bobby Riggs of Chicago defeated Jack Kramer of Los Angeles, 7-5, 6-4, 5-4, today to earn the right to meet Frank Kovacs of Oakland, Calif., in the finals of the University of Miami tennis tournament tomorrow.

Kovacs gained the final round by whipping Gardner Mulloy of Miami, 7-5, 7-5, 6-2 yesterday.

Vanderbilt Mag Wins

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 1 (AP)—Alfred G. Vanderbilt's Good Turn, eight to one shot, defeated the featured Porter's Cap and sixteen other rivals in the \$10,000 San Vincente handicap at Santa Anita park today.

Sports

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Lookin 'em Over

WITH JACK DOUGLAS

Jodie Tate and Tink Riviere, Big Spring's baseball commissioners, have a club on hand, players signed up or on tap, uniforms ordered and expected, and a park, but still lack one thing—a name for their crew.

Both men have decided to pass the buck to the people of Big Spring and of this area and will be open to suggestions for a name for the reborn Big Spring club.

They have announced that the person who offers the best suggestion will be guest of the baseball club's management at all games played in Big Spring. A system whereby a suitable name from those offered can be selected will be worked out in the near future, according to Riviere.

Looking at it from the possibility of headline variation, this department is hoping that a name better fitted for newspaper use than "Barons," Big Spring's 1940 baseball club's moniker, will be selected. A word sometimes has to be changed somewhat to fit a headline count or to break up the monotony to a small extent. For example, Big Spring high school's athletic teams go under the name of Steers, a name that can be changed to Herd, Longhorns, or Bovines to suit the count and the case. That makes it handier for the headline writer to work it into the paper no matter if the space calls for a long, short, or medium count.

Lamesa high school's teams have a name that presents a great deal of difficulty for the muchly maligned newspaper man. Tornados can only be changed to Whirl-

wind, and both of them have practically the same headline count. So, this department, indulging in a bit of wishful thinking, hopes that the local ball club will be called a simple name with a wide range of variations.

Tate and Riviere have taken up quarters at the Betties hotel as they prepare the ground for the coming season and expect to handle all their affairs from that location.

Gordon "Pappy" Steele, from Oklahoma City and new co-owner of the Billy Simons bowling lanes, took over management of the local keggers' meeting house Saturday morning. Steele is slated to be well qualified to pull his weight among Big Spring bowlers, having won second in singles last week in the Oklahoma City Times tournament.

Big Spring's district Golden Gloves champions are getting in tune for the competition they'll meet in the state tournament at Fort Worth, beginning February 13. With the exception of Blackie Patton, featherweight, the clouters are in tip-top physical condition so far as lack of injuries are concerned.

Blackie, a hustling, shoot-the-works type of boxer, is nursing a ruptured vein on his ear but expects to be in there swinging when the Fort Worth meet gets underway. For the present, he is taking things easy and avoiding any chance of being knocked out of his right for a bid to the meet. The little guy has plenty of nerve and likes to fight, so this department predicts he will make it interesting for titleholders from other districts if he gets anything like a series of good breaks.

Heavyweight Clifton Patton, Light-heavy J. W. Coates, Middleweight Brady Piper, and Flyweight Ynez Yanez are getting in trim for the state bouts and with a hard course of training should be in shape to show their wares to the best advantage when they meet what other districts have to offer.

The boys have given Big Springers two good boxing shows, have worked hard, and have taken several bruising knocks for this chance at one of Texas' biggest athletic events. In return they will receive awards instead of money, but if the local lads are like those in other places their Golden Gloves jackets will mean more to them than a check in the bank. In addition to actual goods received for their endeavors, these amateurs have the satisfaction of knowing they are the best entered in a particular line of sport—namely, they're champions.

Phoenix Tourney Leaders In Tie

PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 1 (AP)—A good little man and a good big one shot their way to a draw in the Western open golf championship today.

The star fairways marksmen were slender Ben Hogan, the Texan now registering out of White Plains, N. Y., and big Johnny Bulla of Chicago. Each scored sub-par second rounds to wind up in a 136-stroke deadlock as the 72-hole tournament reached the halfway point preparatory to tomorrow's 36-hole final drive.

Refugee Kids Get Ball Game Passes

BOSTON, Feb. 1 (AP)—Bob Quinn, president of the Boston Bucs, announced today that refugee European children would be admitted free of charge to National league fields this summer, and that a baseball school would be established for them if they cared to learn the game.

"We feel," said Quinn, "that it might help to spread the best game in the world and help all the boys and girls to be interested in something that will be of great consolation to them."



HE'LL BE A DODGER—Young Bob "Lefty" Felthaus, 18, star of the San Diego high school nine, is counting the days until he can join the Brooklyn Dodgers for spring training. He's a pitcher, was eyed by the Dodgers two years ago.

Rules May Get College Grid Hour Notice

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 1 (AP)—College football coaches, still arguing the merits of three major rule changes announced less than a month ago, were confronted today with the likelihood two more changes will be incorporated into the 1941 gridiron code.

Walter Crowell, middle Atlantic district representative on the N. C. A. A. rules committee, said the late changes "will be formally introduced into the code at a meeting in New York next week-end."

They stipulated that:

1. A kicked ball touched first by the kicking team within the opposition's 10-yard line is to be classified as a touchback. The ball thus will be returned to the 20-yard line.
2. Three balls will be used in games played on wet or muddy fields. Crowell said they are to be rotated after each play to provide "ample opportunity to have the balls wiped dry on the sidelines."
3. Crowell told a gathering of district coaches the new rules were "agreed upon by a telegraphic vote" of the committee.

Less than a month ago, the committee announced rule changes providing for unlimited substitution, handing the ball forward to any player one yard behind the line of scrimmage and elimination of the touchback on fourth down passes thrown into the end zone.

Recreational News

East Side midgets won over ABC cagers, 14 to 9, in a practice game Tuesday at ABC park. Standout players for ABC were Ben Kirkland, Marvin Wright, Charlie Wright, Dewayne Hooper and J. D. Matlock, and for East Side James Thomas, Billy Dearing, Adron Cates, Dee Thomas and Audie Knox.

The Junior Hoosier Hot Shots ousted the East Siders, 19 to 19, Thursday at ABC park. N. H. Boyett, Noel Hull, Horton Redwine and Oscar Gattin played as the Hot Shots. Richard Simmons, Marshall Stewart, J. F. Millholland and Buford Wilmoth were best players for East Side. Birdwell park juniors defeated Mexican Plaza cagers, 17 to 13, Thursday at Birdwell park. Outstanding players for Birdwell park were Billie McClendon, Billie Mims and Lad Smith; for Mexican Plaza, Alfonso Mendez, Enrique Hernandez and Roberto Luvano.

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Forsan, Sterling City In Hot Race

FORSAN, Feb. 1—Forsan and Sterling City schools are neck and neck in the race for basketball honors in the district 12 race. To date Forsan is slated to have the edge on the Sterling City quintet, Forsan has tallied 572 points to its opponents' 213 for the season thus far.

Basketball Results

Baylor 45, TCU 30.
Austin Col. 38, Daniel Baker 22.
Arkansas 71, Pitt Teachers 45.
Syracuse 37, Penn 30.
Purdue 40, Indiana 36.
Navy 42, Virginia 34.
Dartmouth 50, Army 42.
Tulsa U. 42, Washburn 34.
Butler 52, Ohio 30.
N. Dakota 70, S. Dakota 47.
Nebraska 41, Iowa State 36.
Notre Dame 58, Marquette 40.
Yale 49, Princeton 42.
Creighton 51, Drake 42.
St. Louis U. 22, Okla. A.M. 20.
Georgia 47, Tennessee 36.
Georgia Tech 48, Auburn 36.
Kentucky 51, Vanderbilt 50.
Duke 43, Maryland 17.

For the season's standing, Forsan has topped 12 victories while dropping two contests, one to Sterling City and the other to San Angelo. Cagle Hunt, Forsan mentor, is scouting for a couple of games to be played before his boys go into the county-wide tournament.

Season's Games
Forsan 27, Garden City 21; Forsan 27, Westbrook 12; Sterling City 17, Forsan 15; Forsan 2; Stanton 13; Forsan 26, Westbrook 4; Forsan 21, Colorado City 19; Forsan 19, Sterling City 12; Forsan 17, Stanton 7; Forsan 2; Crane 12; Forsan 52, Garden City 23; Forsan 36; Westbrook 9; Forsan 25, Lakeview 24; San Angelo 22, Forsan 15; and Forsan 24, Sterling City 21.

Tech's Athletic Council Postpones Election Meeting

LUBBOCK, Feb. 1 (AP)—Texas Tech's scheduled athletic council meeting was postponed until Monday due to illness of two of the members, H. C. Penner and Paul Redding, Chairman W. L. Stangel announced tonight.

The other members, H. F. Godeke and W. E. Street, met with Stangel, and presenting themselves for interviews were Harold Critch and Hershel "Red" Ramsey, former Texas Tech football stars "interested" in the freshman coaching position recently resigned by Bert Huffman, who "gave notice" along with Head Coach Pete Cawthon, Line Coach Dutchy Smith and Graduate Manager of Athletics G. C. "Mule" Dowell.

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Oil Industry Can Increase Production 1,000,000 Barrels

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 1 (AP)—The United States oil industry could boost its daily crude production by 1,000,000 barrels a day on 24 hours notice, the Oil and Gas Journal reports in its annual statistical review.

A survey among petroleum leaders throughout the nation, the Journal says, indicates the industry is qualified "to meet any conceivable increase in normal domestic and defense demands."

Proven reserves of crude oil scattered throughout 23 states were reported to total 20,099,238,000 barrels, an increase of 411,919,000 over last year after deducting 1940 production.

The industry drilled 30,040 wells in 1940 and completed 21,103 oil wells with an average initial production of 344.8 barrels and 2,494 gas wells, the Journal reports.

The United States produced 62.7 per cent of the world's crude oil during the year. World production was placed at 2,136,666,088. Average price of regular gaso-

line in 50 representative cities fell to 12.71 cents a gallon, exclusive of taxes, but prospects of an 8 per cent increase in demand during 1941 was expected to bring higher prices.

Statements from 40 petroleum leaders over the country who express unreserved opposition to proposed federal regulation of the industry are carried by the Journal.

Forsan Baptists End Study Course

FORSAN, Feb. 1 (Sp)—A week's Sunday school study course at the Forsan Baptist church was completed Friday night. Teacher was the Rev. B. T. Chambliss of Goldsmith.

Those who successfully completed the course were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hicke, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Wash, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Leach, Mrs. C. S. Butler, Mrs. Alfred Theime, Mrs. C. B. Parker, Mrs. Virgil Simmons, Mrs. Oscar Bradham, Mrs. Earl Thompson, Mrs. Frank Tate, Mrs. Jim Craig, Joe Marling, J. E. Roberts and Walter Russell.

Application for standardization has been made by the Sunday school.

Panama, viewed from the air, is a veritable blanket of flowers, so brilliant are the wild flowering trees.



WORLD TRAVELER and missionary, the Rev. K. Hawley Jackson and Mrs. Jackson will appear at the Church of the Nazarene here Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. The Rev. Jackson is just returned from India, and the public is invited to hear his lecture at the church, located at 4th and Austin streets, said the pastor, the Rev. J. F. Simmons.

Malone Hogan Clinic-Hospital Glen Jo Riley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Riley of Garden City, was admitted to Malone and Hogan Clinic-Hospital Friday for medical attention.

Sally B. Chittum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chittum, was admitted Saturday for medical attention at Malone and Hogan Clinic-Hospital.

At The Big Spring Churches

EAST FOURTH BAPTIST
Corner Nolan and East Fourth
R. Elmer Dunham, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Training Union, 6:30 p. m.
Praching services, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor.
Solo for the morning worship will be by Miss Virginia Terry.

North Nolan Mission
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Mr. W. R. Puckett, general superintendent.
Devotional services at 10:45 each morning.

FIRST BAPTIST
C. E. Lancaster, Pastor
Church school, 9:45.
Morning worship, 11 o'clock, to be broadcast over KIBST.
6:30 o'clock, B. T. U.
7:30 o'clock, evening worship.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Fourteenth and Main Street
Melvin J. Wise, Minister
Bible study, 9:45; worship and sermon, 10:45 a. m.; sermon topic: "Untroubled Paths."
Worship and sermon, 7:30 p. m.; sermon topic: "Why You Should Be a Christian."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
Rev. D. F. McConnell, D. D., Pastor
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 11 a. m.; subject: "Strengthen the Brethren."
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.; subject: "Consider."

Young People's Vespers, 6:30 p. m. At this time five of the young people will review the book, "Sent From God," in observation of home and foreign mission month.

ST. THOMAS CATHOLIC
Rev. C. J. Duffy
Mass Sunday, 10 a. m.
Mass Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 7:30 a. m.
Sunday night, 7:30 p. m., Rosary, sermon and benediction.

Sacred Heart Church
Mass Sunday, 8:30 a. m.
Mass, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 7:30 a. m.

First Methodist Church
Rev. J. O. Haymes, Pastor
You are invited to the First Methodist church Sunday morning, Feb. 2nd, to take part and enjoy the Church School hour that begins at 9:40.

The pastor will preach the morning service and the special music will be "Lead Kindly Light," by Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Keaton.

Evening worship for young people will begin at 6:30 o'clock and will be an inspiring program presented by the senior department for the entire young people's division.

Evening service will be the fourth in a series on old testament characters, "Solomon, the Foolish Wise Man."

Main Street Church Of God
Corner 10th and Main Streets
Robert E. Bowden, Minister
All services at the usual hour
Sunday: Sunday school 9:45; morning worship at 11 o'clock, sermon

by the pastor. Young people's hour at 7 o'clock, and the evening sermon at 7:45.

Special prayer meeting Monday night 7:30, in the basement. Mid-week prayer meeting each Wednesday night. Ladies' Missionary Society Thursday 2:30 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Corner of W. 4th and Lancaster Sts.
Homer M. Sheats, Pastor.
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning-Worship, 11 o'clock.

Evangelistic Service Sunday evening at 7:30.
W. M. C. Meeting Tuesday 2:00 p. m.
Bible Study and Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Evangelistic Service every Saturday evening 7:30.

Radio Broadcast over KHST, 12:45 noon.
Young People's C. A. Band, 6:30 St. Paul's Lutheran Church
501 N. Gregg
T. H. Graalman, Pastor
9:45: Sunday school and Bible class.

10:30: Morning service.
On Sunday the pastor will preach his farewell sermon. In this service the Lord's Supper will also be celebrated.

WESLEY MEMORIAL
J. A. English, Pastor
12th and Owen Street
Church school, 10 o'clock.
Morning worship, 11 o'clock.
Youth meeting, 6:45 o'clock.
Evening worship, 7:30 o'clock.
Women's Society of Christian Service meets Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the church. Choir rehearsal Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Bible study at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening.

FIRST CHRISTIAN
Scurry at Fifth
Homer W. Halslip, Pastor
9:45 a. m., Bible school meets in classes and departments.
10:45 a. m. The Lord's Family at the Lord's Table.
11 a. m. "The Church in Sardis" will be the subject for the pastor's sermon. Special music will be given by Mrs. L. A. Eubanks, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ogden. E. B. Bethell, Herschel Summerlin is director of music.

6:30 p. m., Youth Fellowship.
7:30 p. m., "When Youth Goes Courting" will be the subject for the pastor's sermon. The worship program will be under the direction of the young people. An anthem, "The Hour of Evening Prayer," will be given by the choir.

Twenty-nine states elect all their judges. Five states appoint them and 14 both appoint and elect.

Civil Service Jobs Announced

Civil service openings with the United States government have been announced in several fields recently.

These included, with salaries: Senior stenographer, \$1,620 a year; junior stenographer, \$1,440 a year; senior typist, \$1,440, and junior typist, \$1,260. These examinations are open to men only, as there are adequate registers of women.

Associate chemist-petrographer, \$3,200.
Junior technologist, \$2,000 per year, with higher positions ranging to \$3,800. Jobs in any special-

ized branch of technology. Pharmacologist, various grades, with salaries from \$2,600 to \$4,600. Technical editors in war department—work to include writing and editing, largely in fields of engineering, chemistry and physics—\$3,200 and \$2,600 a year. Artist-designers, \$1,620 to \$2,600. Full information may be received from the civil service secretary at the Big Spring postoffice.

FARMERS TO MEET
AUSTIN, Feb. 1 (AP)—With an expected attendance of 1,000, the Texas Dirt Farmers Congress, federated group of farm organizations, will meet here Monday and Tuesday to discuss major agricultural problems, President Halley Ragadale, announced today.

County Agent Talks To Lees Farm Club

LEES, Feb. 1 — County Agent Berry H. Duff discussed many phases of the AAA program at the first 1941 meeting of the farm and ranch recreation club in Lees.

New officers elected for the year were Mrs. T. Haley, chairman; Mrs. Temp Carter, vice-chairman; Mrs. Charles Williamson, secretary and treasurer, and Mrs. Everette Overton, reporter. Mrs. Charles Williamson had charge of the recreation. About 50 people were present.

Next meeting will be held Feb. 25.

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Marjorie Rutledge, Grady Ragsdale Are Married Here

Grady Ragsdale and Marjorie Rutledge were wed Saturday at 7:30 p. m. at the First Methodist parsonage in rites solemnized by the Rev. J. O. Haymes, pastor.

The couple was attended by Buddy Lampkin and John D. Smith. Mrs. Ragsdale is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed M. Rutledge. Ragsdale is employed by the Texas and Pacific Railway Co. They will make their home in Big Spring.

State Funds Have Balance Of 19 Million

AUSTIN, Feb. 1 (AP)—In a figure-crammed, 364-page report, State Auditor Tom C. King today said it cost more than \$165,000,000 to run the state government last year.

The audit, covering the fiscal year ending Aug. 31, was of prime interest to Texas' 181 lawmakers who face the task of determining how much and on what the government should spend taxpayers' money the next two fiscal years.

In 1930, the cost of state government was but \$5,000,000 and expenses have grown with the increasing population and that population demand for good schools, fine highways, regulation of industry, enforcement of laws and pensions for oldsters.

While outgo was more than \$165,000,000, state government income during the year totaled slightly over \$137,000,000—the difference being tucked away in a large number of the treasury's 102 funds as balances.

Despite an over-all balance of some \$18,000,000 which the treasury books consistently reflect, the general revenue fund stands currently about \$24,000,000 in the red. The deficit grew by \$4,500,000 over the year previous.

King stated recorded funds assets showed an increase of \$34,250,000 of which \$2,200,000 was in available cash, \$13,000,000 in unemployment compensation funds, \$5,900,000 in investments and a decrease of \$1,900,000 in state relief bonds.

Governor W. Lee O'Daniel has asked consolidation of some of the treasury accounts and an increase of \$50,000,000 in taxes with which to pay bigger pensions, match teachers retirement contributions, finance aid to the blind and dependent children, retire the general revenue fund deficit and for other purposes.

More than two-thirds of the government costs, however are for public education and highway-building and improvement. King pointed out schools got in excess of \$47,000,000 last year, \$1,200,000 of which came from the federal government, but reflecting a jump of \$11,800,000 over the year before. With state college expenses, the amount totaled over \$58,000,000.

Highways cost some \$33,700,000 while public welfare, including pensions for the aged and the Confederate veterans, totaled nearly \$20,000,000. Highway costs are partially borne by the federal government but the money still comes from taxpayers.

Deprivations of the mosquito cost more than \$125,000,000 last year, principally by spreading malaria and yellow fever.



NICE FOR A MANTEL—As neat a mantel decoration as one could ask for is Ida Lupino, film actress, who wears this fireplace well. She also has on a pajama costume of green and white striped crepe, with a scimitar-accented wide waistband.

News Notes From The Oil Field COMMUNITIES

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Spivey are parents of a daughter born Tuesday night in a Big Spring hospital. The infant has been named Dorothy Janelle.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. White held prayer service at their home in the Superior camp Thursday night.

Those present were Rev. Homer Sheats, Myrtle and Beatrice Wright, W. J. Powder, J. D. Wilkerson of Big Spring, Mrs. S. C. Cowley, Mrs. P. P. Howard and children, Wanda Whirley and Billie White.

Alton Lilly of Fort Worth is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Lilly Mae Johnson.

Hazel Gladden is visiting Maxine Morelan at Seminole this week.

T. R. Camp is on the sick list this week.

Mary Frances Cowley of Deming, N. M., is at the home of the S. C. Cowleys and will attend Forsan school.

Jimmie Johnson of NTAC is with his mother, Mrs. Lillie May Johnson.

Donald Alston left for Randolph field Wednesday.

E. D. Lewis was a business visitor in Abilene Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Brown were Abilene visitors Wednesday. They were accompanied home by Ruth and Mary for the weekend.

Mrs. R. E. Minyard, Mrs. C. L. Sterling and Mrs. Floyd Davis were Abilene visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lane received word that their daughter, Joy, had been received as a new member of the Cadettes club at Abilene Christian college.

Mrs. T. L. Campbell is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Butler were San Angelo visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lane visited Mr. Lane's brother in Colorado City Wednesday.

Jo Axtell of Westbrook is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Eggbert.

Mr. and Mrs. U. I. Drake were business visitors in Coleman Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson have Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Rainey as guests.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Wash and children are visiting in San Antonio and Austin this weekend.

Erda Lewis, who has been in a veterans' hospital in California, has returned to his home in Ross City.

Eva Smith is ill.

Bill Calhoun left for a visit in Louisiana this week.

Kenneth Butler, of San Angelo, is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Butler.

Lloyd Morgan of Texas Tech is at his father's Howard county ranch.

Mr. Ruth Reed of Coshoma visited Colleen Moore this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davis were visitors in Abilene Friday.

Tom Moore and Loyd Lunceford were visitors in the Paul Whirley home Thursday.

Virginia Scroggs of Hillsboro, a student in Hardin-Simmons university in Abilene, is a weekend guest of Ruth and Mary Brown, also H-SU students, who are home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Brown.

Eloise Kent was hostess to a few friends Friday night in her home in the Humbie camp. Guests included Rebe Johnson, Leon Lewis, Gayle Green, Alton Lilly of Fort Worth, Mrs. J. L. Johnson, Jimmie Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Shedy have had as recent guests from Comanche Mrs. Shedy's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob E. Gress-

sett, and a niece, Nita Jean Gressett.

Sue Belle Couchman of Brownfield has been the house guest of Ila Bartlett for the past several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Hinds are in Tye with Mr. Hinds' parents for the weekend.

Margaret Jackson is visiting relatives in Westbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gardner entertained with a Mexican dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Oliver, who leave soon for their new home in Killeen. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Hinds, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver and James Gardner.

Stanton News

STANTON, Feb. 1 (Spl) — Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cornelson and daughter, Bobbie Jean, of Big Spring were guests Tuesday night of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Thornton.

Beth Houston and Angela Schell have returned from Dallas markets.

Dick Arnett was called to Austin this week by the death of his brother, J. C. Arnett, a former resident of Stanton. Mr. Arnett's brother and sister from California met him in Big Spring and all went together.

Miss Frances Grey is in El Paso as the guest of her brother, C. A. Grey. Grey is in the employ of the U. S. government there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson made a business trip to Colorado City Wednesday.

Hoot Tom and son, Bobby Glen, were the guests Sunday of his mother, Mrs. George Tom. Tom is with his brother, Ellison Tom, on the Andrews ranch and Bobby Glen is attending school in Midland.

Mrs. O. B. Bryan and children are spending the weekend in Lubbock. The Bryans spent Thursday of this week in Stanton visiting in the Fillmore Epley home.

Mrs. W. B. Buchanan had as a guest Thursday, Mrs. W. W. Whipkey of Colorado City.

Children Killed In Oil Explosion

WICHITA FALLS, Feb. 1 (AP)—Burns suffered in an explosion of kerosene being poured into a wood stove claimed the lives of two Burk Burnett boys.

Sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. German, who were seared in rescue attempts, the victims were Euel Dean, 4, and J. H., Jr. They succumbed in a hospital here this afternoon.

Also burned were Avis Lee German, 10, and his grandfather, W. N. Bedford.

The blast occurred in a bedroom of the German home in Burk Burnett, where investigators reported Avis Lee picked up a five gallon can containing kerosene and began pouring the fluid into the stove.

The boy was blown with a door into the yard. His two brothers who were fatally injured were blasted across the room.

Texas Crude Flow Remains Under Demand

AUSTIN, Feb. 1 (AP)—With a new 60-day state wide oil production order increasing production approximately 7,000 barrels daily, Texas railroad commission engineers today estimated that, based on the old order, total state yield this week averaged 37,993 barrels under the U. S. bureau of mines February demand forecast of 1-312,900.

The engineers figured the net allowable production at 1,312,147 barrels a day with underproduction in assigned but unproduced allowances at 46,320 barrels. The total allowable figure increased 9-380 barrels over last week.

Ninety-nine wells completed last week brought the statewide total to 93,230.

The current order, effective today, exempted 60 fields from nine days of shutdowns this month and 10 in March. Engineers had estimated the average daily allowable production at 1,318,873 barrels and predicted it would, with underproduction, net a yield of about 40,000 barrels under the federal bureau's figure.

Big Spring Man Will Graduate At Annapolis

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 1 (AP)—In a "June Week" in February, 400 midshipmen will be graduated from the U. S. naval academy Friday, Feb. 7—a step in the speed-up program to provide officers for the nation's expanding fleet.

Graduating class members from Texas include:

Robert Hailey, 212 N. Johnson St., Big Spring; Henry Dale Vanston, 1230 W. Grandy St., Denison; Dick Henry Quinn, El Paso; Joseph McGuffin Reeves, El Paso; Joseph Clark Spitzer, Route 1, Box 277, Lufkin; Lionel Adams Collins, Jr., 3501 Thomas Blvd., Port Arthur.

Houston Holds Building Lead

By The Associated Press

Building in thriving Houston touched almost a million dollars the past week and ran that city's construction permits for 1941 to better than \$2,000,000.

Major cities of Texas reported the following totals:

City	Last Week	Total
Houston	\$820,870	\$2,004,075
San Antonio	798,190	1,029,920
Fort Worth	207,894	499,457
Corpus Christi	129,125	1,206,984
Beaumont	59,030	208,835
Amarillo	42,800	177,980
Austin	41,096	303,581
Lubbock	26,063	209,968
Corpus	20,000	33,350
Midland	14,600	17,825

Mrs. Dora Coffee Dies At Lamesa

LAMESA, Feb. 1 (Spl)—Last rites were said here Saturday afternoon for Mrs. Dora Coffee, who died here Friday at 1:45 p. m.

Mrs. Coffee, widow of J. L. Coffee, had been a Dawson county resident since 1902. She was a member

Stanton Folks Have Visitors

STANTON, Feb. 1 (Spl)—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Huston spent last weekend in Olton, visiting in the home of Mrs. Huston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Huston and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mitchell were called to Throckmorton last Friday by the death of Mrs. Huston's grandfather and Mr. Mitchell's father, who lived in Throckmorton.

Mrs. B. C. Morgan came in Wednesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Thornton. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan's boat docked at Los Angeles on Monday from Sydney, Australia, where he had been with an oil company.

Doris Gregg went to Ranger Tuesday night to visit Mrs. Revia Gregg, who has been returned to the Ranger City-County Hospital for treatment where her condition is reported as critical.

Mrs. Webb Flanagan and children, Mattie Lou and Mary Frances spent the weekend in Lubbock, where they visited another daughter, Doralee, who is attending Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stewart of the Courtney community were called to Cisco last weekend to attend the funeral of his uncle, Will Stalon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sheppard of Alpine, spent Friday night in the home of his brother, Riggs Sheppard. The latter is superintendent of the Courtney schools.

Mrs. Opal Porter, Lamesa, is visiting in the Bullard home in the Wolcott community this week.

Tillie Rice of Big Spring, visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. Roy A. Wilson and Mr. Wilson this week.

Joe Carr was dismissed from the Stanton Clinic-Hospital Monday where he underwent an appendectomy recently.

Sybil Holder and Rama Barber, Eastland, spent the weekend with Miss Holder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Holder, Carlton Holder, Cisco, also visited.

Beth Houston and Angela Schell have returned from Dallas markets, where they have been since the first of the week selecting merchandise for their shops.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Tom and children of Andrews, were the guests Sunday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Zimmerman.

Mildred Head of Lubbock, and Miss Joni Lu Jones of the Courtney community, who is an enrollee of Texas Tech, visited the latter's mother, Mrs. S. E. Jones this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tom returned Wednesday from a Temple hospital where he underwent major surgery three weeks ago. He says he is feeling fine, and will soon be back at his post of cashier of the First National Bank.

Mrs. Lulu P. Mercalf has received word that John L. Hawkins and Virginia Hammond were married at Patterson, N. J., and they will make their home in Pennsylvania.

Hawkins is a Stanton boy and is with the United States navy. He served four years and re-enlisted.

Marjorie Blackerby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Blackerby, is confined to her home with a severe case of influenza.

H. D. Haley, principal of the Stanton schools, is at home suffering from an attack of the flu and a sore throat.

Traffic Safety Program Needs Public Support

Hopes of strengthening a traffic safety program through the 47th legislature lie in the ability of some 25 organizations arousing sufficient public opinion for action, L. A. Stanton, Fort Worth, believes.

Stanton, interested in safety measures by virtue of his association with the Travelers Protective association, said that driver's license laws needed to be bolstered, that adequate manpower should be given the highway patrol, that obsolete speed laws should be revised, that sure punishment be meted out to drunk drivers, and that there ought to be uniform reporting of accidents.

Among proposals, which have been endorsed by 25 major safety organizations, are recommendations to permit the public safety department to suspend drivers licenses for just cause after proper hearing; to restore patrol salaries to the 1939 pre-economy slash by assessing a 1 fee for a two-year drivers license, issued only when the driver demonstrates his ability in tests and in practice.

To provide a 30 mile city speed limit, 60 mile day speed limit on open highways and 50 miles per hour at night; to standardize accident reporting so that a scientific approach may be had to combating mounting traffic casualties.

Stanton urged that all people concerned with promoting traffic safety contact legislators and let them know of their interest.

More Buildings For Baylor Asked

WACO, Feb. 1 (AP)—Mrs. L. W. Alexander, speaker at the Founders Day program today that honored her for her gifts and at the dedication of Catherine Alexander hall, appealed for four more Baylor University buildings before the school celebrates its centennial in 1945.

The new hall dedicated today is a \$300,000 dormitory for girls.

She mentioned student buildings, now under construction; the J. B. Tidwell Bible building, for which a campaign is now being conducted; the Robert Browning library building; and a dormitory for boys.

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SCS Planning Martin Unit

The local soil conservation service is inaugurating a new cooperative planning group near Lenorah similar to the ones that were conducted near Coahoma and north of Big Spring. Farms owned by Owen Ingram and G. B. Pollock will be used in the program.

Terracing work on the Pollock place is already underway where a ten-mile system is to be worked. On Ingram's acreage 17.4 miles are to be terraced.

One hundred acres of pasture land on each farm will be furrowed in order to carry out a plan to utilize outside water spreading. Pasture land is to be managed so, as to secure maximum vegetative production. Sudan will be used for summer grazing, according to soil conservation officials, in order to rest native pasture during that period.

Three phases of conservation will be put into effect in the program to obtain the greatest productivity of crops. Terraces, contoured tillage, and proper arrangement of crops to prevent wind blowing are the means whereby the conservation body expects to gain its objectives in this area. Dudley T. Mann, supervisor of the district soil conservation plan, explained.

Supervisors and all agricultural agents who operate in this district are to meet at Stanton Tuesday to formulate means of carrying out future programs, Mann announced.

Greeks Move Into Tepelini

ATHENS, Feb. 1 (AP)—Greek occupation of the key Albanian town of Tepelini was said tonight to await only cleaning-up operations and dispatches from the front reported recent gains have put the Greeks on the threshold of "new big victories."

Tepelini, the dispatches said, has been enclosed on three sides, leaving open to the Italian defenders only the road toward Valona and the fascists were reported retreating toward that seaport, the next major goal of the Greek counter-invasion.

Important gains were reported both north of Kluera and in the coastal sector, where counter-attacks were said to have been crushed with heavy Italian losses. The high command described Italian mountain positions captured near Tepelini as the best fortification in Albania and of "great importance."

Fenner's Duck Also Dead
KENDALLVILLE, Ind. — Goo-goo, the duck that brought fame and fortune to the late Joe Fenner, comedian, died only a few weeks before the death of his former master. For the past three years Goo-goo had lived in the backyard of Mrs. Helen Tyler, north of the city.



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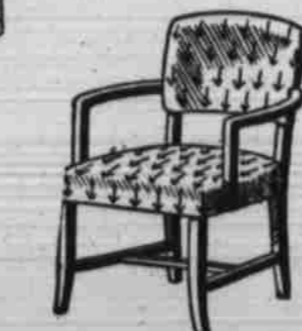
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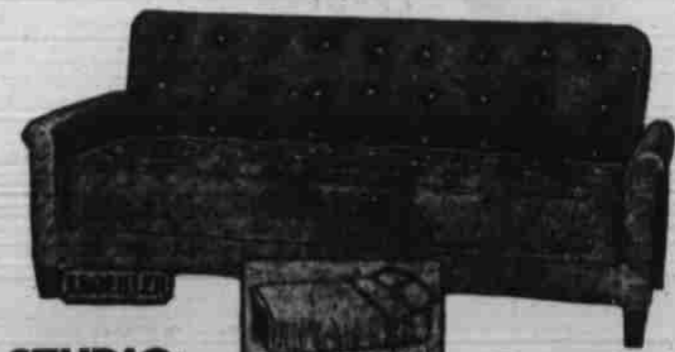
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**Local Indices
Of Business
Trend Mixed**

Part of the business barometer followed the upward curve here in January while construction eased off, according to a survey of public records Saturday.

New car registrations boomed, jumping to 115, higher than any month in 1940. It was one above the December total and well ahead of the 90 for January a year ago.

Postal receipts reacted favorably, amounting to \$6,728.50, an all time record for January. It was, naturally, off from the \$5,312.26 in December, always the heaviest month of any year, but showed a substantial gain over the \$4,386.44 for January of 1940.

Not so encouraging was the building permit total. For January all permits totaled 13,881 and only two new residential structures were included. One of these amounted to no more than a lean-to and the other was a garage apartment for \$1,500. December building totals had reached \$15,840 and January of last year produced \$21,108. The current January figure was the smallest for the month since 1937.

Here And There

First of the 1941 passenger car license tags were issued by the tax collector's office Saturday, Lee Christian, Jr. getting the first one for his 1938 Ford coupe. Five were issued during the day. They are not supposed to be placed on cars until March, but "supposed" is used advisedly.

Also noted at the same office was the fact that Friday saw the issuance of the 6,000th 1940 license tags, ahead of the last year's pace by a full seven days.

Sam Cain is bootless these days. Some thief stole them from his car while it was parked near the downtown section on E. 3rd street Friday night.

Sheriff Morris Zimmerman of Stanton called over to have the police radio, KACM, broadcast a report on theft of three tires at Stanton Friday night. He had descriptions of three men.

The "north" and "south" rural school basketball classes at Midway Friday night ended in a stand-off. The south girls won their game by a 23 to 17 score, while the north boys reversed the order in winning over the south by a 23-13 count. Around 150 people witnessed the games.

The AAA force is right proud of their new planimeters, little gadgets that calculate the acreage in any shape tract of land. Before the war all planimeters came out of Germany, and those connected with the farm program fretted no little. But an American make is now out and the local staff has a couple of them. They like them better than the ones they "used to get from Adolf."

That story about Spokane police all sinking up in trying to pull out one car calls to mind the predicament J. R. Huckaby, formerly a police dispatcher here, precipitated last year. Huck bogged down near Moss Creek lake. When Frank Covert, caretaker, tried to move him, he stuck. Along came another man, and his car couldn't move either. They summoned a city truck, and it was mired. Then a wrecker was pressed into service. After it pulled cars up to it by means of a winch, it couldn't move. Finally, O. H. McAllister went out and freed the whole mess.

Tom Cook will be playing host to a Firestone test fleet of trucks at his ferry Monday. The convoy, loaded with lead pigs, is putting tires and batteries through a practical check-up by means of a cross country grind.

Schley Riley New Business Manager For Hospital Here

Schley Riley assumed duties Saturday as business manager for the Malone & Hogan Clinic-Hospital.

He is to handle all business matters for the hospital, attending to credits, collections, etc.

A native of Coahoma, where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Riley, lived for years, Riley gained a bachelor's degree from AGC and came here in 1933 from Clovis, N. M. After a short time, he went to Sweetwater to open an automobile loan agency for J. B. Collins but returned six months later to join Collins here. Riley is vice-president of the Lions club.

RECORD ESTABLISHED
MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 1 (AP)—King Ranch's Dispo established a new track record of 1:22 2-5 over the seven furlongs of the \$5,000 added Bahamas Handicap of Hialeah Park today in defeating a big field of three year old candidates for the Flamingo stakes three weeks hence.

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Public Records

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J. M. L. Brown to repair and remodel a building at 2411 Gregg street, cost \$500.

Marriage Licenses
G. F. Ragsdale and Marjorie Rutledge, Big Spring.
Horace C. Wallen and Juanita Young, Big Spring.
David E. Thomas, Anson, and Wanda White, Lamesa.
T. F. Heffley and Mrs. Annie E. Hoes, Big Spring.
Jack Underwood and Sylvia Pond, Big Spring.
Facundo Rodriguez and Salda Rosales, Knott.
J. B. Ramsey and Mrs. Belle Maxwell.

In The Probate Court
Application by Mrs. S. J. Eddens to have will of F. G. Tynes, deceased, admitted to probate.

New Cars
J. B. Gullery, Plymouth coupe.
O. H. McAllister, Ford tudor.
J. D. Phillips, DeSoto sedan.
Paul Liner, Plymouth sedan.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Feb. 1 (AP)—U.S. Dept. Agr.—Cattle salable 200; calves 100; today's trade nominal. For week: top mature beef steers and mixed steer and heifer yearlings 11.50; best beef cows 7.25; practical top bulls 6.50; best killing calves 10.00; truck lot 231 lb. mixed steer and heifer stock calves 13.10; practical top stock heifer calves 11.50; other stocker and feeder steers and yearlings 10.50 down; stock cows up to 7.00.

Hogs salable 4.00; top 7.50; paid for good and choice 1.00-3.00 lb. weights; several lots of light and medium weight butchers from territory that produces soft and city port 4.20-6.50.

Sheep salable none. Today's trade nominal. For week top good and choice fed lambs 9.75; most woolled fat lambs 9.00-9.50; shorn lambs 8.00 down; top woolled yearlings 8.50 and woolled two year old wethers 7.50; woolled aged wethers 6.00 down and fall shorn aged wethers up to 5.50; woolled ewes scarce, few to 5.00; woolled feeder lambs mostly 2.25; fleshy feeders to 3.00.

Howard Teachers To Meet Monday

Howard County Teachers association will convene Monday evening at Midway school to hear a discussion on the 12-grade system for schools.

Miss Sue B. Mann, Alpine, deputy state superintendent, is due to be here to deliver the principal talk. Herschel Summerlin, Midway superintendent and president of the county association, said that there would be other entertainment and refreshments.

Processed grass now is being used as a supplementary poultry ration.

Bowling Team Goes To Meet

A Big Spring women's bowling team left for the annual Panhandle women's bowling tournament at Amarillo Saturday to compete with the best the state offers. On the local roster are Stella Flynt, Lillian Crosthwaite, Minnie Howze, Nell Hall and Eloise Haley. The first three named are making a return trip to the meet, having competed in the kegler's get-together last year.

Stella Flynt rolls a steady 160 to tie with Miss Haley for top average among Big Spring women. Co-champions of the United States, a San Antonio team of fem bowlers were in Big Spring Saturday to play an exhibition match with a men's crew. They won their co-ttle at Syracuse, N. Y., last year and are defending champions of the Panhandle open, where they will compete over the weekend.

Red Cross Ships More Clothing

The Red Cross chapter launched a busy weekend Saturday by dispatching another box of clothing to war-torn Britain while plans were made to begin a first aid instructor's class here Monday.

Mrs. Gilbert Sawtelle, executive secretary of the chapter, said that the box packed under direction of K. S. Beckett contained 50 boys' shirts and girls' skirts and 125 sweaters. This brought the total number of garments made by volunteer workers in Howard and Glasscock county to well over 1,000.

Roger C. Flaisted, first aid specialist for the mid-west branch of the Red Cross, was due here Sunday to assist in final preparations for the instructor's course which will draw enrollees from El Paso, Pecos, San Angelo, Lubbock, Abilene and other points. Local first aiders were urged to attend the classes at the city hall.

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Draft Clerk Accused Of Taking Bribe

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 1 (AP)—A 28-year-old draft board clerk accused of extorting \$50 from a man on promise of deferment heard his case denounced by the government today as "tantamount to treason."

The clerk, Fred Kaplan, was held in \$25,000 bail for a further hearing Feb. 10 on charges of extortion and violation of a section of the selective act which prohibits interference with duties of draft boards.

John F. Sears, chief of the federal bureau of investigation in Philadelphia, said Kaplan accepted \$50 from Max D. Dantowitz, 23, a draft registrant, "to see that" he was not summoned for military training.

Kaplan was arrested by FBI agents last night when he appeared at a jewelry store Dantowitz operates.

Federal agents said the jeweler cooperated with them in bringing about Kaplan's arrest.

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averaged gaining in level around two inches a day.

After looking over the negro school, which has to put up with a pretty bad housing situation here, a staff member made an observation we think is worth passing on: "Perhaps the most pathetic thing was the thought that maybe we, who have opportunities for education and do not appreciate them, are to be pitied—not they."

Men who have worked in machine shops or who have welded—or who are now engaged in those trades, and youths out of school and between 17-24 years are urged to register as soon as possible at the high school for special defense training. This promises to be an important extension in school service if men and youths will but respond by enrolling. It's excellent skilled labor training at no cost.

Not because we happen to live on it, but because much of the worker traffic to Coedon travels over it, that portion of E. 11th street beyond the Washington street gates ought to be caliche, gravelled or paved. It's so slippery after rains that even hogs avoid it.

The birthday ball affairs Friday night appears to have been well attended, and while proceeds from them are not immediately available, it was believed that there would be another sizeable chunk to contribute toward the fight against infantile paralysis. Someday that fight will be won.

Don't sell Big Spring short this year because other cities appear to be getting the national defense plums. If things pan out right on a WPA airport project now in Washington and if the legislature doesn't whittle hospital requests too much, we may see well over a million dollars worth of work underway in 1941.

Apart from recent European immigration, Africa has four main types of people—Pygmy Bushman, Negro, Hamitic and Semitic.

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Court Enters Final Week

Seventieth district court will go into its fifth and last week of the current term Monday with the grand jury's final session on Wednesday scheduled as one of the highlights.

District Attorney Martelle McDonald said that there were five or six criminal complaints awaiting consideration by the investigative body.

Saturday Judge Cecil Collings heard a plea of privilege by D. C. Reed and J. W. Strickland in the case of A. E. Walker versus J. N. Partin (Partin Drilling Co.), but counsel for both sides desired to submit cases in point before a ruling.

COWPER CLINIC NOTES

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Schultz of Forsan Thursday. Mother and child are doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rudd are the parents of a daughter born to them late Saturday night at their home, 301 NE 3rd street.

Mrs. H. J. Lightfoot, 301 NW 8th street, was readmitted Friday for medical care.

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Sheriff Holds Two Prisoners Here

The sheriff's department Saturday was holding two persons for other authorities, while the sheriff's office in El Paso had a man for Big Spring.

Held by Sheriff A. J. Merrick were Freda Padgett, wanted in Miami, Okla., on a forgery count, and Jim Wolcott, sought by officers on a complaint at Plains.

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OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY—Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wasson, pictured at the left, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Saturday afternoon with an Open House and tea at their home, 502 Hillside Drive. The Wassons, who are well-known ranch people, are the parents of two children, Mrs. A. S. Barnett of Dallas and Cecil Wasson of Big Spring. The Wassons were childhood friends and were married when she was 17 years old and he was 21. They were married in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pallmeyer in Hill County. He is the son of C. L. Wasson, Sr. Wasson's ranching activities have been extended over more than 15 counties in West Texas the past 50 years. (Bradshaw Photo).



BRIDES — Pictured left is Mrs. Jack Parrish who is the former Geraldine Howard. Her marriage took place in Carlsbad, N. M., on January 21st. The couple is at home at 410 W. 6th St. Parrish is employed by the Big Spring Motor Company. The bride was entertained this week with a miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. Alden Thomas. (Photo by Borum).

At right is Mrs. Malcolm Bridges, whose marriage took place at 9 o'clock this morning in Floydada in the Rushing chapel church. The bride is the former Juanita Rushing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rushing of Floydada. The couple will honeymoon in Mexico City and will be at home here after February 10th.



Open House Given Saturday By Mr. And Mrs. Arthur L. Wasson

Open house Saturday afternoon was held by Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wasson, who observed their Golden Wedding anniversary at their home, 502 Hillside Drive. Invitations were sent to more than 800 persons and had written in gold the dates 1891-1941. Members of the house party included Mrs. Temp Curtis, Mrs. C. W. Cunningham, Mrs. Albert Fisher, Mrs. Eva Thurman, Mrs. Seth Parsons, Miss Jena Jordan, Miss Lillian Jordan, Dorothy Gentry, Mrs. Tracy Smith, Mrs. Norman Read, Mrs. Bob Parks, Mrs. Harvey Williamson, Mrs. M. M. Edwards, Mrs. M. N. Bennett, Mrs. G. T. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wasson, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bennett of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Pallmeyer of Fort Worth. Mrs. Cunningham and Mrs. Fisher presided at the silver tea service. The Wassons were married in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pallmeyer of Hill County at Steiner Valley by the Rev. Aquilla Morris, Baptist minister, February 1st, 1891. Mrs. Wasson was Miss Martha Pallmeyer and just 17 years old at the time of her marriage. Wasson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wasson, Sr., and the grandson of J. H. Dyer, a judge who was one of the

first white men to move to Hill county. He was 21 when he returned from Baylor University to marry his childhood sweetheart. Soon after their marriage, the couple moved to Wilcox, Ariz., where they bought a ranch. They well remember the tales of Geronimo and his band of renegades. But after a few years, the family moved to Big Spring. With his grandfather and father all in the ranching business, it was only natural that A. L. should take up where his parents left off and since just a young boy, cattle and ranching have been his business. And just several years ago, Wasson purchased a ranch in Gaines county. Due to a hunch, Wasson decided there was oil on his land

and hung onto it tenaciously when others wanted to buy it from him. A dream that Mrs. Wasson had furthered his belief in his hunch and when oil was discovered practically in his front yard, he felt justified for his belief in the land. Summing up 50 years of married life, Wasson commented that Mrs. Wasson "made a pretty good fellow out of me." Both are charter members of the Lamesa Baptist church and are active workers in the church here. Mr. Wasson's suggestion to young married couples is to "put a little by. Sacrifice and save for a rainy day. That is the best foundation for a happy marriage." The guests were met at the door

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Miss Bates And McDuffie Rites Announced

Announcement has been made of the October 9th, 1940 marriage of Stella Bates and Forrest McDuffie of Fort Worth. Mrs. McDuffie left Saturday for Fort Worth to join her husband where they will make their home at 1505 Sylvania. The marriage took place in the home of the Presbyterian minister in Abilene. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Bates of Waco and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan McDuffie of East Point, Ga. McDuffie was formerly employed by the American Airlines here and was transferred to Fort Worth a year ago. He is a graduate of Georgia Tech. Mrs. McDuffie was graduated from All Saints School of Nursing and Tarrant County Business college in Fort Worth. She has been at the Malone and Hogan hospital as superintendent until September 1st, when she resigned to accept a position in the office. Mrs. McDuffie was also the first woman filer to solo in Big Spring in 1935 and is a flying enthusiast.

Country Club Names Its Committees

COLORADO CITY, Feb. 1 (Sp) Committees to serve the Colorado country club during 1941 have been announced by Jim White, the new president. They are as follows: Entertainment—Mrs. Henry Vaught, Mrs. W. S. Rhode, Mrs. J. W. Randle, Joe Earnest and Dr. Harry A. Logsdon; House and grounds—Frank Ramsdell, Dr. W. S. Rhode, Frank Kelley, A. L. McSpadden and R. O. Pearson; Sports and greens—J. C. Pritchett, D. M. Merritt, Luke Thomas, E. C. Nix and R. H. Cantrell; Membership—G. D. Foster, O. B. Price, R. J. Wallace, W. W. Whipple and J. Ralph Lee; Boating and fishing—Walter Henderson, Dr. Oscar Rhode, Chas. Smith, Roy Dozier and Joe Mills.

Bride-Elect Complimented With Shower In G. T. Hall Home Here

To honor Miss Nancy Jo Haymes, bride-elect of R. W. Thompson, Mrs. G. T. Hall and Mrs. G. H. Wood entertained Friday afternoon with a miscellaneous shower in the Hall home. Miss Haymes and Thompson will marry February 6th. A Valentine theme was used in the decorations. The tea table was centered with greenery and fern and white cellophane sticks holding red hearts. Red tapers in crystal holders were at each end of the table. Miss Gertrude MacIntyre presided at the silver service. A musical contest was held and Miss Haymes was declared winner and presented with the gifts. The guest list included Mrs. R. H. Jones, Mrs. O. D. Cordill, Mrs. W. S. Satterwhite, Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. Pat Sullivan, Mrs. Randall Pickle, Mrs. Joy Stripling, Mrs. Robert Stripling, Mrs. J. W. Burrell, Mrs. R. O. Beadles, Mrs. Charles Watson. Mrs. R. W. Reeder, Mrs. J. B. Pickle, Mrs. E. M. Conley, Mrs. John English, Mrs. Jake Blahop, Mrs. Pat Harrison, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. L. S. McDowell, Mrs. Lorin McDowell, Mrs. Turner Bynum, Mrs. H. B. Matthews. Mrs. Ches Anderson, Mrs. J. V. Gant, Mrs. J. P. Kenney, Mrs. G. C. Dunham, Mrs. Cecil McDonald, Mrs. R. E. Satterwhite, Mrs. A. J. Butler, Mrs. Ralph Toler, Mrs. Garner McAdams, Mrs. Harold Parks, Mrs. H. E. Howie, Mrs. Cecil Collings, Miss Nell Hatch, Mrs. Dell Hatch, Mrs. H. B. Robb of Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. J. D. Jones.

Those present were Margaret Price, Emily Earl Scott, Bertie Mary Smith, Doris Nell Tompkins, Mary Ann Cox, Jo Ann Switzer, John Anna Terry, Billy Cain, Dorothy Sue Rows, Jean Johnson, Ann Talbot.

Double Four Club Has Dinner And Theatre Party

The Double-Four club entertained with a theatre party Thursday evening and had dinner in town afterward. Those present were Margaret Price, Emily Earl Scott, Bertie Mary Smith, Doris Nell Tompkins, Mary Ann Cox, Jo Ann Switzer, John Anna Terry, Billy Cain, Dorothy Sue Rows, Jean Johnson, Ann Talbot.

Farewell Theatre Party And Shower Is Given For Mrs. Lige Brothers

Mrs. Charlie Pinkston and Mrs. Charles Girdner complimented Mrs. Lige Brothers, who is moving to Lamesa, with a farewell theatre party in the Pinkston home Friday evening. Following dinner, the honoree opened her gifts. The group later attended a theatre. Mr. and Mrs. Brothers are moving to Lamesa where Brothers is employed by the Coca Cola bottling company. Those present were Mrs. Melvin King, Mrs. Jack Roden, Mrs. Donald Mason, Mrs. Paul Harper, Mrs. Rupert Wilson the two hostesses and the honoree. Mrs. Barney Thurman sent a gift.

Garden Club To Meet

The Garden club will meet at 3 o'clock Tuesday in the home of Mrs. D. W. Webber, 439 E. Park.

Queen Of Peace Study Club Meets Saturday

The Queen of Peace Study club met Saturday at the St. Thomas Catholic rectory with the Rev. C. J. Duffy as leader. Attending were Doris and Joe Boadle, Rita Ann Dyer, Margaret Perry, Pat McCarty. The group studied the first part of the First Five Weeks of Lent. Next Saturday the club will study the second part.

Fraternity Organizes Here In Home Of Bill Dyer Friday Night

The Rho Alpha Tau, a newly organized fraternity met in the home of Bill Dyer Friday evening and charter members were named and officers elected. Red Newton was elected president, Jack Graves vice president, Ralph Stewart, secretary, Maurice Howard, reporter, Bill Dyer, business manager, Gerald Potter, committee man. Other charter members present included John Huey Winter. Refreshments were served and it was voted to meet in the home of Jack Graves Wednesday evening.

South Ward Study Group Has Lesson At School

The lesson was taught by Mrs. R. L. Gomillion for the South Ward Study group when members met Friday at the school. The topic was on understanding and cooperation. Attending were Mrs. R. O. McClinton, Mrs. Marvin Sewell, Mrs. Jack Reed, Mrs. James Little, Mrs. J. E. Pritchett, Mrs. A. A. Foster, Mrs. J. A. Coffey, Mrs. W. E. Younger, Mrs. Wayne Pearson.

Arlen, Devine Are Teamed In New Film

'Lucky Devils' Is Story Of Cameraman's Adventures

A popular player combination that provides both adventure and laughs is that formed by Richard Arlen and Andy Devine. The two have appeared together in numerous films, and their latest co-starring effort is "Lucky Devils," headlining the program for today and Monday at the Queen theatre.

In this one, Arlen and Devine are news cameramen who range the world in search of exciting news-real sequences. It follows naturally that they encounter all manner of adventure on this colorful job, and that they run into events so as to make news themselves.

Arlen is the hero of the pair, and gravel-voiced Andy may be counted on to furnish the laughs. Arlen has his romantic interests, too, and the girl in the case is played by Dorothy Lovett.

Agriculture scientists have discovered a parasite that is gradually catching up with the spread of Japanese beetles.



CLARK GABLE AND HEDY LAMARR in "Comrade X" at Ritz Today and Monday



LEILA ERNST AND JACKIE COOPER in "Life With Henry" at Lyric Today and Monday



RICHARD ARLEN AND DOROTHY LOVETT in "Lucky Devils" at Queen Today and Monday

Jackie Cooper Again Takes Henry's Role

Aldrich Family Comedy Current Attraction At Lyric

"Life With Henry," the Aldrich Family picture which again features Jackie Cooper in the role of Henry Aldrich, which plays today and Monday at the Lyric theatre, was made following his great success in the first Henry Aldrich picture adapted from the Broadway play, "What a Life."

"Life with Henry" is an original story resulting from the collaboration of playwright Clifford Goldsmith and scenarist Don Hartman. It continues the comic, sometimes heart-tugging, but always well-measured misadventures of the hapless Henry, a typical high school lad with a faculty for getting into difficulties, "because," as he will explain, "of a misunderstanding." Its action takes place in the Aldrich household, roams his home town of Centerville, and goes afield to Chicago for a sequence.

The story concerns Henry's activities and tribulations in trying to qualify for a trip to Alaska, as offered by a Chicago philanthropist to high school youths who can earn \$100 through their own initiative, and furnish him with three letters attesting to his good character and intelligence. At first Henry thought the \$100 was an insurmountable barrier, but the money proved easier than the letters for anyone of Henry's reputation living in a small town.

"Life with Henry" introduces his whole family and a number of his close friends, where in the previous picture only his mother appeared. As previously, his mother is played by Hedda Hopper. His father is Fred Niblo, Sr., the director of "Ben Hur" and other important silent pictures. His sister is played by winsome, dark-eyed Kay Stewart, formerly a cheer leader at Northwestern University. His Aunt Harriett is played by Josephine Whittell. Their amusing colored landlady is played by Estelle McDaniel, sister of the well-known Hattie.

The most important additions to the cast in this picture are Henry's girl friend, played in her screen debut by Leila Ernst; and his pal, "Disco," played by fright-wigged Eddie Bracken. Both Miss Ernst and Bracken were recruited by the producer-director Jay Theodor Reed from the Broadway musical comedy, "Too Many Girls," and placed on long term contracts by Paramount.

Proctor Heads Oil Mill At Lamesa
LAMESA, Feb. 1 (Sp.)—C. L. Proctor has arrived here to assume his duties as manager of the Lamesa Cotton Oil Co., succeeding Phillip Norris.

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Clark Gable, Hedy Lamarr Have Fling At Comedy In 'Comrade X' At Ritz

In "Boom Town," Hedy Lamarr romanced with Clark Gable, but lost him, which prompted thousands of fans to request Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer to put them together as hero and heroine in another picture. The result is "Comrade X," an hilarious, adventure-

some comedy, which is the featured attraction on the Ritz theatre's program for today and Monday.

THE WEEK'S PLAYBILL

SUNDAY-MONDAY
RITZ—"Comrade X," with Clark Gable and Hedy Lamarr.
LYRIC—"Life With Henry," the Aldrich Family, with Jackie Cooper, Leila Ernst and Eddie Bracken.
QUEEN—"Lucky Devils," with Richard Arlen, Andy Devine and Janet Shaw.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY
RITZ—"Maise Was A Lady," with Ann Sothern, Lew Ayers and Maureen O'Sullivan.
LYRIC—"Strike Up The Band," with Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland.
QUEEN—"Moon Over Burma," with Dorothy Lamour, Robert Preston and Preston Foster.

THURSDAY
RITZ—"Where Did You Get That Girl," with Leon Errol; also, "Face Behind The Mask," with Peter Lorre.
LYRIC—"Lucky Partners," with Ginger Rogers and Ronald Colman.
QUEEN—"Gay Cabellero," with Cesar Romero.

FRIDAY
RITZ—"Second Chorus," with Fred Astaire and Paulette Goddard.
LYRIC—"Doomed Caravan," with William Boyd.
QUEEN—"Billy The Kid In Texas," with Bob Steele.

RADIO PROGRAM

Sunday Morning

7:00 News.
7:15 Organ Melodies.
7:30 Jaco Quartet.
7:45 Uncle Dudley.
8:00 Melodies For Sunday.
8:30 Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel.
9:00 Banks of Life.
9:15 Music In a Lighter Mood.
9:30 News.
9:45 Christian Men's Class.
10:15 Reviewing Stand.
10:30 Sonata Recital.
11:00 First Baptist Church.
12:00 Concert Miniatures.
Sunday Afternoon

12:15 News.
12:30 Sunday Serenade.
12:45 Assembly of God Church.
1:00 This is Fort Dix.
1:30 Texas Pharmaceutical Program.

2:00 Haven of Rest.
2:30 Hardin-Simmons Cowboys.
3:00 Texas Hall of Fame.
3:30 Lutheran Hour.
4:00 The Entertainers.
4:30 The Shadow.

Sunday Evening

5:00 Double or Nothing.
5:30 The Show of the Week.
6:00 Joseph Szigetti: Violin.
6:30 News.
6:45 Wythe Williams.
7:00 American Forum.
7:45 Dorothy Thompson.
8:00 We the Students Speak.
8:15 Two Keyboards.
8:30 Sacred Songs.
8:45 Evening Meditations.
9:00 California Melodies
9:30 Mutual's Sunday Night Playhouse.
10:00 Goodnight.
Monday Morning

7:00 Musical Clock.
7:30 Texaco Star Reporter.
7:45 Morning Devotions.
8:00 News.
8:05 Musical Interlude.
8:15 Musical Impressions.
8:30 Keep Fit to Music.
8:45 What's Doing Around Big Spring.
9:00 Organ Melodies.
9:15 Piano Spotlights.
9:30 Backstage Wife.
9:45 Easy Aces.
10:00 Neighbors.
10:15 Our Gal Sunday.
10:30 Songs of Carol Leighton.
10:45 News.
11:00 News.
11:05 Dr. Amos R. Wood.
11:05 Musical Interlude.
11:15 Farm and Ranch.
11:30 "11:30 Inc."
12:00 News.
Monday Afternoon

12:15 Curbstone Reporter.
12:30 The Three Suns.
12:45 The Cheer Up Gang.
1:00 Cedric Foster.
1:15 Gall North.
1:30 Radio Garden Club.
1:45 The Man In the House.
2:00 Jack Melton Orchestra.
2:15 The Islanders.
2:30 El Paso Troubadors.
3:00 News: Markets.
3:15 All Request Program.
3:45 The Johnson Family.
4:00 Piano Medleys.
4:15 Crime and Death.
4:30 Everett Hoagland Orch.
4:45 American Family Robinson.
Monday Evening

5:00 University of Texas.
5:30 Songs of Lowry Kohler.
5:45 Gus Arnheim Orchestra.
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
6:15 Selective Service.
6:30 To Be Announced.
6:30 Sports Spotlight.
6:45 News.
7:00 Roger Busfield.
7:15 Evening Serenade.
7:30 Roake Carter.
7:45 Ed Mayehoff.
8:00 Address: Maj. Gen. Paul B. Malcolm.
9:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
9:15 News: Lew Diamond Orch.
9:30 The Lone Ranger.
10:00 News.
10:15 Goodnight.

Students Compete For Essay Award

High school students are competing in a pair of essay contests which old out \$1,000 grand prizes for national winners.

Entry in the contest is being made optional with students. The entire English class of Eloise Haley is entering the American Magazine essay contest, a part of the American Youth Movement which holds out a \$1,000 prize. Outside the class entry in the contest is being made optional. The essay subject is "Americanism."

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Bill To Limit Liquor Sales To Cities Offered

AUSTIN, Feb. 1 (SP)—Roadside drinking taverns, in the opinion of Rep. A. H. King of Throckmorton, should be abolished.

Referring to a bill he introduced which would limit the sale of liquor, wine and beer to incorporated towns and cities, King asserted:

"The roadside drinking evil in my district is growing intolerable. People from dry districts go to those joints, pull off orgies and then, drunk and at night, menace the lives of others on the highways.

"My proposal is essentially a safety measure. If it saves one human life, I shall be amply repaid. Everyone knows gasoline and alcohol don't mix."

The bill would amend liquor statutes to prohibit issuance of retailers' permits to places of business located outside of incorporated villages, towns or cities and prevent manufacturers and wholesalers from selling outside of city limits.

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Newlyweds Are Given Shower By Friends

A miscellaneous shower was given in the home of Mrs. G. R. Simmons honoring Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Anderson Thursday night. Mrs. Anderson is the former Maxine McGee, whose marriage took place recently.

Mrs. Edd McGee and Mrs. J. T. McGee assisted the hostess.

Games were played and refreshments were served. Candy hearts and miniature hatchets were given as favors. A pink and white cake topped with miniature bride and bridegroom was presented to the couple.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Willie T. Gobbel, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennett and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Porter and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McGee, Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Anderson, Mrs. Dee Richardson and children, Mrs. Clint Richardson and children, Mrs. Lewis Christian, Mr. and Mrs. Edd McGee and children.

Mrs. W. G. Anderson, Mrs. Hubert Smith, Mrs. Melvin J. Wise, Mrs. W. W. Davis, Mrs. H. E. Higginbotham, Mrs. W. T. Gobbel, Mrs. R. R. Vick, Mrs. Horace Bettis, Mrs. Ted Brown and son, Mrs. C. R. McClenny, Mrs. A. C. Preston, Mrs. Terrell, Mrs. B. Cunningham, Mrs. Isom Carr, Mrs. Gene Crittenden, Mrs. Charlie Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Simmons and children, Edith Christian, Louise McClenny, Ethel Campbell, Frances Anderson, Eva Sue Simmons, Margie Preston, Mary Pearl Mittel, Josephine Anderson, Billie Jean Smith, Lillian Crews, Durward Bettis, Wilford Anderson, Eugene Gobbel and Randall Simmons.

Sending gifts were Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Whitley, Mrs. C. M. Harrell, Mrs. J. B. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. S. Riley, Mrs. H. D. Mansur, Mrs. W. O. McClendon, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kennedy, Mrs. Pheny, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Cunningham, Mrs. James Redman, Lewis Christian, Mrs. J. V. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Jones, Mrs. Jewel Shipman, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Flower, Mrs. Lee Nuckles, Mrs. Don Mason, Mrs. R. L. Holly, Mrs. Penick, Corrine Mittel, Ethel Snyder, Myrtle Richardson, Jewel Tucker, Johnnie McGee, Esther Mae Shaffer.

Visitors Enjoy Activities Here This Weekend

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Lee and family have returned from Fort Worth and Dallas where Mrs. Lee visited with friends in Fort Worth and Lee attended an underwriters sales conference in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Fox and son, Bobby, have moved back to Big Spring from Abilene after an absence of three months. He is a salesman for H. J. Heins company.

Mrs. George McBride of Florida and Mrs. Stripling of Crystal City are visiting their sister, Mrs. A. S. Smith, who is seriously ill.

Marie Dunham spent the weekend here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Dunham. She is a student at T. S. C. W.

Opal Bates is spending the weekend in Fort Worth.

Mrs. D. S. Orr returned Friday from Ranger where she visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones left Friday night for Lawton, Okla., to attend funeral services for his father who died Friday morning.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Haynes and daughter, Nancy Jo, left Sunday for Dallas where they will spend the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Klesmer and Mrs. Mora Culp of Baton are spending Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hall, Jr.

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January Marriage Of Roxelle Stephens And R. E. McKinney Told

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stephens announce the marriage of their daughter, Roxelle, and Richard Edward McKinney of Dallas on January 19th, 1941.

The marriage took place at Rockwall with Miss Dewles, justice of the peace, performing the ceremony. The couple was accompanied by Omnis Delta Psi, social sorority. She was also a member of the Todd Music club of Dallas and active in music and social affairs.

She is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hanson and a cousin of Mrs. Michael Plesian, the former Roberts Lee Hanson.

McKinney was graduated from North Dallas high school and attended B. M. U. and Terrill Military junior college and prep school. He was president of the school while at junior college and played football both in high school and college.

The couple will be at home in Big Spring for a week and will then leave for Dallas where they will reside.



MRS. R. E. MCKINNEY

High Score Won By Mrs. McCamey At Bridge Club

FORSAN, Feb. 1 (Sp1) — Mrs. Bill McCamey won high score Thursday evening when the Happy Thirteen Bridge club met with Mrs. M. H. Dubrow at her home in the east Continental camp.

Bingo awards were presented to Mrs. C. M. Adams, Mrs. W. K. Scudday and Mrs. Cleo Wilson. Mrs. H. A. Hobbs received consolation.

Others present were Mrs. Bill Conger, Mrs. Buster Grissom, Mrs. Jeff English, Mrs. G. C. Rainey, Mrs. Woodrow Scudday, Mrs. Jeff Green.

Friday Night Contract Club Given Party In M. A. Cook Home

A valentine theme was used in the decorations when Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Cook entertained in their home for the Friday Night Contract club.

Mrs. H. N. Robinson and Harvey Clay won high scores and Mrs. Clay and Robinson binged.

A salad course was served and others were Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Pharr, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chowna, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. McCarty, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Collings are to be next hosts.

Open House

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by Mr. and Mrs. Wasson. Mrs. Wasson wore an aqua marine hostess gown with a beaded and jeweled top. Mrs. Barnett wore a green hostess gown with a green sequin top.

Members of the houseparty were dressed in formals with corsages of spring flowers.

The tea table was laid with a Pointe Venise cloth and centered with a silver bowl holding yellow jonquilla, pink roses and purple ranunculus.

Three gold tapers in silver candleabra were on either side of the centerpiece. A gold cake stood on top with the dates 1891-1941 was at one end of the table and silver service at the other.

Yellow mums, jonquilla, tea roses and other flowers were placed at vantage points about the room. Gifts were on display in the rooms and all expressed the golden theme of the anniversary.

Musical Comedy To Be Given By Stanton Club

STANTON, Feb. 1 (Sp1) — "Bubbling Over," the college comedy which is sponsored by the Stanton Study Club for the benefit of the Martin County Library, will be presented in the high school auditorium Thursday night, February 6th.

The play revolves around the plan which two college students devise to raise money for their tuition. Amazing complications arise in which one of the boys has to masquerade as Miss Lively, an old maid with whom the president of the college is in love. This leads up to a highly amusing climax when the real Miss Lively arrives and creates a situation which causes one of the students to say, "I can feel goose pimples running up and down my spine!"

Many music specialty numbers are included in the play.

The members of the cast are: Tubby Potts—J. D. Poe; Bruce Brandon—Bob Schell; Bob Preston—Russell Sadler; Carol Drab—Marjorie Blackerby; July Tilden—Mary F. Barfield; Priscilla—Josephine Houston; Mrs. Maxwell—Eleanor Poe; Miss Doolittle—Beth Houston — Miss Lively—Angela Schell; Prof. Washington Wellington Watta—Bill Clements.

A baby contest is being held in connection with the play to elect the most popular little boy and girl of Stanton. Various merchants are sponsoring the children. Votes are a penny, each penny counts one vote. The contest closes at noon, February 6th, and the winners will be presented at "Bubbling Over" that night. The winning girl will receive a baby rind with a ruby set, and the winning boy will be presented with a gift from the Albert Fisher store in Big Spring.

Faculty Bridge Club Is Entertained

FORSAN, Feb. 1 (Sp1) — In Bartlett and Louella Thomas were hostesses Friday night in their home on the school campus to the faculty bridge club.

A chili supper was served to the group. High score for women was presented to Mrs. Ira L. Watkins and high to C. B. Connally for men.

Playing were Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conger, Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. Cagle Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Williams, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Connally, Mr. and Mrs. Debbart Martin, Margaret Jackson, Pauline McWilliams, Sue Belle Couchman of Brownfield.

Union Bible Study Class Has Session

OTIECHALK, Feb. 1 (Sp1) — The Union Bible Study club met Friday with Mrs. C. B. Kirk to study the 19th chapter of Acts.

Mrs. M. M. Green led the singing and those present included: Mrs. O. B. Caldwell, Mrs. Jack Haynes, Mrs. George Biedge, Mrs. Lloyd Butler, Mrs. Rouben Schuster, Mrs. Otis Wails, Mrs. M. M. Green, Mrs. Mary Chalk, Mrs. R. P. Hargrove.

A. A. U. W. To Join Federation Of Clubs Here

A board of directors meeting of the A. A. U. W. was held Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Seth Parsons and voted to recommend joining the Howard County Federation and elect delegates.

They also voted to assist the organization in all of its projects. The next meeting was set for February 20th in the home of Janice Mollinger when a one act play will be put on under direction of Mrs. Ray Lawrence.

Each member is to be allowed one guest for the February 20th meeting.

Mrs. H. A. Stegner, reporting for the social committee announced a social for Friday night at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Neil Brown for members only.

Others attending were Mrs. Eugene McAllen, Mrs. Carl Blomshild, Mrs. K. H. McGibbon, Mrs. Harvey Buncie, Miss Brown, Lorraine Lamar, Nellie Puckett.

Mrs. G. C. Rainey Given Gift Party By Three In Forsan

Mrs. M. M. Hines, Mrs. Woodrow Scudday and Mrs. J. C. Scudday honored Mrs. G. C. Rainey with a gift party in the Hines home Thursday afternoon.

The affair was in the form of a tea and the honoree received gifts from Mrs. Bill McCamey, Mrs. C. C. Wilson, Mrs. Walter Gressett, Mrs. M. H. Dubrow, Mrs. Paul Johnson, Mrs. J. D. Galt, Mrs. R. N. Wagener, Mrs. C. B. Parker, Mrs. S. B. Loper, Mrs. Harry Miller, Mrs. L. R. Blackwell.

Mrs. P. F. Shedy, Mrs. E. T. Branham, Jr., Mrs. C. M. Adams, Mrs. Jeff Green, Mrs. A. D. Barton, Mrs. Jimmie Hagar of Denton, N. M., Mrs. C. V. Wash, Mrs. O. L. Bradham, Mrs. Bill Conger, Mrs. Sam Rust, Mrs. S. C. Cowley, Mrs. Ray Wilson, Mrs. Virgil Green, Mrs. J. R. Asbury, Jr., Margaret Madding, Virgil Green, Jr., and Miss June Rust.

Piano Pupils To Be In Recital Here Monday

Piano students of Mrs. Bruce Frasier will be presented Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church. High school students will be presented in a piano and voice recital Thursday night at the church.

Appearing Monday night will be Cathryn and Caroline Williams, Mary Margaret McDonald, Patricia Lloyd, Bobby Jean Cornelison, Zobera Warren, Margery Lancaster, Dorothy Marie Wasson, Kay Tollett, Dorothy Satterwhite, Joyce Merrick.

Leona Mann and Clarissa Mann of Midland, Barbara Gomillion, Marilyn Keaton, Betty Jean Holt, Helen Blount, Jean Ellen Chowna.

Bible Program Given By Sub Deb Club Members Saturday

A Bible program was given by the Sub Deb club when it met Saturday in the home of Cornelia Watta. Roll call was answered with Bible verses and Mary Ann Dudley gave a Bible story. A scripture was read by Gloria Conley.

Program books were distributed and reports of officers given. Refreshments were served and others present were Anna Belle Edwards, Margaret Jackson, Caroline Smith, Ruth Ann Dempsey, Mary Ann Dudley, Robbie Piner, Hope Simpson, Gloria Conley, Abbie Drue Hurley, and Vilo Rowe. Abbie Drue is to be next hostess.

The first trans-Atlantic cable was rendered unusable by use of a current too powerful. Only 400 messages were sent.

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Lucky Thirteen Bridge Club Includes Guests

The Lucky Thirteen Bridge club met Friday in the home of Mrs. Robert Stripling and a table of guests was included.

The Valentine theme was used in the tables and refreshments. Red carnations decorated the room. Mrs. H. L. Beale won guest high score and Mrs. Mark Wentz won club high score.

Mrs. Oran Waters won the bingo prize. Other guests were Mrs. K. H. McGibbon, Mrs. Agnes Young, Mrs. J. C. Smith, Mrs. E. W. Potter.

Other members were Mrs. H. B. Matthews, Mrs. J. B. Reeder, a new member, Mrs. Joy Stripling, Mrs. T. A. Pharr, Mrs. H. G. Keaton, Mrs. H. N. Robinson, Mrs. Seaman Smith, Mrs. Cecil Collings, Mrs. Joe V. Birdwell. Mrs. Birdwell is to be next hostess on January 7th.

Lollita Cleavenger of Chalk is the houseguest of Charlene Pinkston.

Ophelia Green of Midland is visiting Edith Gay over the weekend.

Sam H. Hall Is Given Party On His Birthday

Sam Huan Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hall, Jr., was honored on his fifth birthday anniversary Saturday afternoon with a party in his home.

Games were played and balloons given as favors. The birthday cake was a gift from his grandmother, Mrs. Mora Culp of Baton. Prizes were presented each of the guests that included Margaret and Mary Elizabeth Martin, Billy John and Betty Jo Early, Bob Fox, Arthur McDaniel, Jacquelyn and Betty Sherman Cox, Charles Bonner, Ray and Bill Holper.

Others present were the honored guest's great-grandmother, Mrs. A. G. Hall, Sr., Mrs. Brittie Cox, Mrs. Bill Early, Mrs. W. A. McCall, Mrs. J. J. Green.

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Of Tomorrow's Events

FIRST CHRISTIAN COUNCIL will meet at 3 o'clock at the church for a missionary program. Mrs. George Hall will be program leader.

NEALE YOUNG YWA will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church.

ST. MARY'S UNIT of St. Mary's Episcopal church will meet at 3 o'clock at the parish house.

FIRST BAPTIST W.M.S. will meet in circles. Christine Coffey, Mrs. Thomas A. Roberts, 1100 Johnson, 3:30 o'clock; East Central, Mrs. R. V. Jones, 1013 Nolan, at 2 o'clock; Lucille Reagan, Mrs. Wayne Matthews, 706 11th Place, at 3 o'clock; Mary Willis, at the church, at 3 o'clock.

WESLEY MEMORIAL METHODIST W.S.C.S. will meet at 2:30 o'clock at the church.

CHORAL CLUB will meet at 7:45 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church.

CATHOLIC UNITS will meet at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. C. W. Deata, 509 W. 4th.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY will meet at 3:15 o'clock at the church for a business meeting.

FIRST METHODIST W.M.S. will meet at 3 o'clock at the church with Circle Threes in charge.

EAST 4TH ST. BAPTIST W. M. U. will meet at 3 o'clock in circles.

P-T.A. Council To Have Special Meet Wednesday Here

The P-T. A. Council will meet Wednesday at 4 o'clock at the high school with Mrs. L. E. Spierley of Midland, district president, as special guest.

Plans for the spring conference, April 5-10, in Big Spring will be formed. Presidents of local units and council representatives and all council officers are urged to be present.

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Editorial

Oil Industry's Advance Amazing

When we read about the difficulties encountered by the warring nations of Europe in obtaining gasoline and other oil products, it gives us a great feeling of security to think about the United States supply of petroleum.

Over there, disruption of shipping methods and seizure of single pipeline points may mean the difference between a war won and a war lost.

Here, the petroleum industry has developed oil resources to such extent that a shortage is scarcely imaginable.

Statistics show that even if the United States needed 150 million barrels of oil a year to wage a war—and that figure is pretty high—Texas oil producers alone can supply it with valves only one fourth open.

Imagine the envy of Europe's generals! Waging a major scale war with only one-fourth of the local flow being needed, and with the production of other states not even touched.

This figure does not apply merely to oil in the ground. It means oil in usable form, that can be supplied in a moment's notice without depriving us of a single gallon of gasoline for non-military uses.

Surplus pipeline capacity is ready to carry this oil to refineries, which have surplus capacity to turn it to high octane gasoline and fine lubricants.

The citizens of the United States should be thankful—to providence for supplying us with such resources, and to the progressive petroleum industry for so well developing them.

Washington Daybook—Homing Pigeons May Play Large Role In War

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON—When this news gets around, the "pigeon protection" bill of Dr. Joseph L. Pflieger, Brooklyn congressman, medico and fancier, is probably going to have a lot more chance of consideration than it has had in recent sessions.

The news is that the U. S. signal corps is interesting itself in the registration (for possible use in defense emergency) of the country's trained homing pigeons.

The signal corps has dispatch riders, telephone and telegraph lines, wireless and radio, but when all lines are out, the circuits dead, and riders can't get through, there's nothing so handy, it seems, as a homer that can wing its way back to headquarters.

The signal corps has pigeons—lots of them—but as a means of building a reserve supply, the corps plans to ask all private fanciers to register their lots.

This way, the army figures, it could, in an emergency, get about 50,000 trained pigeons in no time at all.

Used By Spies

Stories keep drifting in from England about the use of homing pigeons in the present war, particularly in getting information back from the continent, where it is reported Great Britain has an elaborate spy system, abetted by thousands of persons in German-controlled territory who are willing to take all sorts of risks to contribute to British victory. There has been some talk in army circles that carriers may be supplied to these spies in parachute cages. At any rate, it is estimated that 20,000 pigeons now are in use in Great Britain.

If these were U. S. signal corps pigeons, the parachutes wouldn't be necessary. Army trainers recently have made a contribution to military science which, I'm told, has a lot of fanciers bug-eyed. They are training signal corps carriers to fly both ways.

Would Fly To Front

As the signal corps explains it, these two-way pigeons, under modern battle conditions, would fly forward in groups of 12 from the message receiving point near headquarters to the front lines or outposts. Having delivered their messages there, they would be kept overnight in cages and sent on the return trip the following day.

All of the signal corps pigeons already have been trained to do their mile-a-minute stint at night, a feat which the signal corps of other wars would have considered impossible.

The signal corps' largest carrier contingent is at Fort Monmouth, N. J., where more than 600 well-trained birds are kept in 20 lofts—pigeons apartment houses. Each pigeon has his own apartment and his own generous portion of food and water.

Capsules Stay Put

Never having become more familiar with pigeons than in making the acquaintance you strike up feeding them crumbs around the White House and state department building, I had a lot to learn. For example, the leg-band which homers carry through life is placed on them when they are less than a week old. When they are a month old, training starts and in another two weeks the message capsules are attached to their legs and stay there from that time on. Carriers start racing before they are a year old and their usefulness extends to varying periods. The average is about eight years.

Eight years is much infancy, however, to the army's most famous pigeon. He's "The Kaiser" and probably the only carrier veteran of the World War alive today. He got his name when American troops picked him up on a battlefield where he had been left by retreating Germans. The leg-band he still wears bears the seal of the Imperial German army. "The Kaiser" no longer flies, of course, but that doesn't keep him from being the most popular tenant of the lofts at Monmouth.

Man About Manhattan—Mayor LaGuardia Looks Like Another Napoleon Bonaparte

By GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK—I have been haunted by the ghost of Bonaparte since 1934. This may seem eccentric, but every time I see his picture I have the feeling that he is alive and that I have just passed him on the escalator.

These vague distortions first became insistent about six years ago. I noticed that they occurred after I had been sent on news stories, and after I had read the day's newspapers. In my mind's eye I could half-see Napoleon in the most unusual situations, situations that could not possibly have occurred in his time.

On one occasion I had the feeling that I had just seen him with a trowel in his hand, laying a cornerstone. He was surrounded by a mass of people. As he spoke into the public address system I became utterly amazed at his voice for it was a girl's voice, high and piping, almost like Jack Dempsey's.

I can also remember him hurrying down the aisle of a theatre, wheezing a little as he panted along on his short legs, his breathing so audible that one had the impression he was coughing with asthma. You think this is silly, don't you? So do I. But what would you do if Napoleon haunted you, and you ran into him everywhere you went?

There was a fire on the waterfront the other night—the first night I was up from the mumps

—and after it was over I had the sudden feeling that Bonaparte had been there and that I had seen him leap out of a car and rush up to the Chief and speak to him.

It was then I decided that if I were really going nuts I had better see a doctor and get him to do something about it.

But this never became necessary. The newspaper PM quietly laid Napoleon's ghost for me this morning for all time I hope. It was like this. I picked up PM at the newsstand and in it was a picture of the Little Corporal himself. It wasn't exactly a photograph, it was a sketch, showing him in satin breeches, a ribbon across his chest, black boots bearded, swart, pugnacious.

Under it I read: "Since the time Mayor LaGuardia hinted that he might not finish his term expiring Dec. 31, 1941, speculation has run high on what kind of job he would get in the Federal Government. The latest rumor has him appointed ambassador to the Court of St. James, but LaGuardia spiked that with 'I have cowboy legs—I don't believe I would look good in knee pants and silver-buckled pumps.'"

Well...? Well, next time you see a picture of LaGuardia, scrutinize it closely. Note the jaw, the brow, the chin. Nappy was only about five feet six, and so is Fiorello. In caricature they have much in common. LaGuardia also has Italian blood.

Hollywood Sights And Sounds—Rooney Gets Grammatical Grilling In New Hardy Film

By ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD—"Go over to Stage 22," said Carey Wilson as he passed in the studio street, "and you'll see Mickey Rooney get the third degree."

We went, and we did, and came away convinced that Master Mickey had been well grilled, thoroughly roasted, and done to a turn. It wasn't the kind of grilling expected, but one even more tortuous if you consider Andy Hardy's age and susceptibility.

Master Mickey was seated at a table in a corner of the high school library. To his left stood George Nelson, a fellow student. To his right and rear stood Ann Rutherford, our own Polly Benedict, and Kathryn Grayson, who plays the title role in this tenth of the Hardy chapters, "Andy Hardy's Private Secretary."

The trio constituted a gang of inquisitors worthy of old Spain, although their motives were helpful and their weapons mere questions in English grammar.

Andy, you see, is president of the senior class, and he's up against it. Major trouble among his usual troubles is the fact that, falling in English, he can't get his diploma—and he has to tell his dad, Judge Hardy. His "secretary" (a winsome young lady making her first picture), has won him a retrial, and this seems to be the trio's effort to cram learning into Andy's tumbled, war-weary cranium before the test.

The bright hanging light, low over the table, added to the third degree effect. They picked up the scene where George, slightly superior, enjoined Andy to hurry up. Tomorrow, counseled George smugly, he wouldn't have all day to answer questions.

"The town of Dickson lies or lays?" snapped George.

"Lies? Lays? The town of Dickson LIES—" Andy was triumphant.

"Who or whom do you think you are?" Polly popped.

Andy goggled right.

"You believe as much as WE or US?" Polly again.

Andy fumbled, "We."

"Us!" pounced Polly.

"No, WE!" groaned George.

"Get together, won't you?"

Magic Spring

Chapter 13

THE FALL OF DAVID

"The Inn is all of that," said David. "But it's also a great burden. Taxes, repairs—things like that." He laughed. "But you wouldn't know about such things."

Margo turned to him. Her eyes were luminous, her mouth inviting. She reached up and touched David's cheek.

"I know people who would give a lot for a tan like yours," she said. "Golden brown—smooth—"

"Margo, listen, I—I—" David began.

And then Margo was in his arms. She was clinging to him. He was kissing her, on the eyelids, on the mouth; kissing her with a sort of wild abandon he had never known he was capable of; holding her to him, close—close—

"David—David—" Margo said.

In a flash David had released her. He took a step backward. It was as though he had suddenly awakened.

"Gosh!" he said.

"Don't look so scared," Margo said, smiling. "I wanted you to kiss me."

"You did?"

"Of course. And you do it amazingly well, too—for a young man who's lived in Ardendale all of his life."

"Then you're not angry?"

"I should say not! I—I liked it, David. Didn't you?"

"Why, er—yes," said David. "I did."

"Then there's nothing to worry about!" said Margo. She began doing things to her hair. "I'm beginning to feel that even a war can do me good. It was the war that sent me home to Ardendale, and in Ardendale I found you."

David could think of nothing to say. He was too busy thinking about Polly. Engaged to Polly, and kissing Margo. What's more, enjoying kissing her! What in heck could a fellow make out of that?

Did it mean that a man could want to marry one girl, and yet enjoy playing around with a girl he had no intention of marrying? He was all confused. He almost loathed himself. This was the first time in ages he had had a date with any girl but Polly—and look at him! Acting like one of those promiscuous, necking college fellows he had heard so much about. Being cheap. Being unfaithful to Polly.

"Come on," he said with sudden gruffness. "Let's get back to town."

"But it's not terribly late," said Margo. "I've stayed up later than this many a night."

"Well, I haven't!" David retort-

ed. "Besides, I've got to get up in the morning and go to work."

Margo looked at him. She smiled.

"Dear, darling David," she said very softly. "He does take himself so seriously."

"She took his arm.

They moved down the path to the yellow roadster. And this time Margo forgot all about the dew. And David forgot all about those paces he was going to take, to see how much pipe he would need....

Hiten in 'The Plan'

Margo frowned had counted on that evening with David being a sort of delightful prologue to many other evenings with him, but it didn't work out that way. Not at all.

A week passed, and she heard nothing from him. He didn't come near her, nor did he telephone. It upset her at first, and then it annoyed her. She found herself growing more and more restless, thinking of him steadily—more steadily than she had ever thought of any other man she had known. She fought a mounting temptation to get into her car and drive to the lumber plant to see him.

She remembered something Warren McNeill had said to her: Warren, the man she had met in Paris, and who had come back to America on the same boat; the man who had asked her to marry him and settle down in the small town where he planned to practice.

"One of these days," were his words, "you'll feel about someone as I feel about you, Margo. Then perhaps you'll grow up."

She had laughed at him, and said: "You're sweet, Warren, but much too serious about this love business."

"Love is a serious business," he had retorted, smiling.

"Is it?" she said. "Then perhaps that's why I just can't say I'll marry you and bury myself in an obscure little town—playing the part of a doctor's wife."

"You're planning to bury yourself in a little town in the South, aren't you?"

"No, I'm not going to be buried there. I'm only going to visit. I can pick up and leave whenever I feel like it. I couldn't pick up and leave if I were married to you."

"But you'll think over my proposal, won't you, Margo? Perhaps distance and absence will work in my favor."

"A girl always thinks about her first proposal, Warren. But marriage is such a definite thing; and

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In Senate - - State Appointees Face Gauntlet

Herald Austin Bureau

AUSTIN, Feb. 1—Governor W. Lee O'Daniel's major appointees are slated to run a tough gauntlet during the next week or two as they come up for confirmation by the Texas Senate.

Every legislative session is featured by bitter fights, but tussles over confirming the governor's appointees frequently arouse personal bitterness that lasts through the years.

Capitol circles are buzzing now with talk of the probable fate of the following O'Daniel appointees—Harry Knox and Frank Davis on the board of control, Claude Williams on the unemployment commission, Reuben Williams as life insurance commissioner, Dr. W. D. Bradford on the liquor control board, and William Lawson as secretary of state.

Senators are loathe to talk of the probable fate of the appointees. The votes on confirmation are secret, and senators shun discussion. For that reason, it is generally very hazardous to predict the outcome of confirmation fights, but talk is in the air.

Everyone agrees that Harry Knox is on the danger-line. His work in the Dr. Johnson case, where the board of control sought to remove the head of the San Antonio state hospital, made him many enemies, and he is conceded to be in grave danger.

Frank Davis of Itasca, the other O'Daniel appointee to the board of control, may have some uneasy moments. Some senators are fearful that he may be too subject to Knox's influence, and they want members of this board to be independent in their judgment. However, Davis admittedly has a much better chance of confirmation than

Knox. The famous Dr. Johnson case also hangs heavily over the head of Claude Williams, the governor's choice as chairman of the unemployment compensation commission. Williams served as prosecutor in the Dr. Johnson case, and it is sure to cost him votes in the senate.

The nomination of Reuben Williams, the O'Daniel campaign manager, as life insurance commissioner presents another problem. Williams is very likeable, but he is under fire.

Some insist that he is too young to be chairman of the entire insurance commission, while others fear that he is too friendly with Carr Collins, Dallas insurance man and O'Daniel crony. Collins is plain poison to a number of senators, and they are determined to keep him from having too much influence in state government. This was one of the big reasons why Collins was rejected as highway commissioner two years ago.

For a time it appeared that Dr. W. D. Bradford, chairman of the liquor control board, would be rejected because of his rabid prohibition views. With the passage of time, however, his chances have improved materially.

He is a man whose high calibre and unimpeachable integrity is conceded by all, and while a number of senators feel that a partisan should not be on this board, they are likely to vote against him on that ground. The odds now seem to favor his confirmation.

The appointment of William Lawson, the governor's first secretary. As secretary of state still is in question. No organized opposition to Lawson has formed, but there is an undercurrent which might go either way. There is little objection to Lawson personally, but many were openly mad at O'Daniel for summarily dismissing Judge Martin O. Flowers as secretary of state to appoint Lawson.

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Fish Show No Liking For Clean Water Lakes. LANSING, Mich.—Clean water is good for drinking, but so good for fish, Michigan department of conservation studies have revealed. The conclusion was reached when a testing disc was visible through 30 feet of the clear "biologically barren" waters of Golden Lake, while in lakes more productive of fish the disc was out of sight at 10-foot depths.

YANK DODDLE comic strip panels showing characters in a boat and on a cliff.

PATSY comic strip panels showing a character in a producer's office and on a river boat.

SCORCHY SMITH comic strip panels showing a character with a ransom money problem and a car chase.

SUPERMAN comic strip panels showing Superman at a construction site and talking to a foreman.

PARSONS comic strip panels showing a character discussing a contract with a president and a boss.

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Miss Young, H. Wallin Marry Friday Night In Home Of Pastor

Pastor And Wife Given Farewell Shower Here

The members of St. Paul's Lutheran church were hosts at a reception and handkerchief shower Friday night for the Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Graumann in the home of Mrs. Bertha Rusekart.

The Graumanns are leaving Tuesday for Brenham where the minister will be in charge at the Grace Lutheran church. He has been pastor here for the past five years and during that time has increased the membership of the church.

Guests registered in a book made by Mrs. Waller Rusekart that was decorated with suitcases labeled "to Brenham."

A farewell poem was composed by Mrs. W. F. Pachall in honor of the couple and Miss Pauline Schubert gave a farewell toast to the honored couple.

Alma Rusekart gave a farewell address and the gifts were presented. Mrs. Helen Schneider, mother of Mrs. Graumann was also honored with a handkerchief shower. She is to accompany the pastor and his wife to their new home.

The couple has been honored during the week at several farewell parties.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Pachall, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fabler, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Oppenard, Mrs. A. S. Jahren, Mrs. Bertha Rusekart, Mrs. Helen Schneider, Mrs. M. Schubert, Mrs. E. L. Bynum, Hulga Jahren, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rusekart, Bonnie Lee Huddleston, Miss Pauline Schubert, Adolph Jahren, Jr., Hanna Winkuf, Mrs. N. Winkuf, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Pachall, Alma Rusekart, Mr. and Mrs. Haemon Pachall, Mrs. J. R. Creath, Mildred Creath, Mrs. McHenry.

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Magic Spring

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one ought to be very, very sure before going into it."

"I know. That's why I want you to be sure," Warren had taken her hands then, as they were standing on the deck of the liner. "I'll be in your part of the country one of these days," he went on, "and I'm going to drop in on you. At least I'll see what you look like in a small town setting."

"No that!" she had said. "I'd like to see you again—sometime, Warren." She had let him kiss her, and hadn't found it in the least unpleasant. "Since you seem to have a weakness for little towns, you might like Ardendale."

"I know I'd like it, if you were there," was Warren's reply. "Maybe it's hard for you to understand, Margie, but I think there's been too much specializing among the medical profession. I think the time is ripe for the old-fashioned family doctor; you know, the sort of practitioner who ministers to all of his patients' needs. This business of sending a patient to one doctor for his liver, another for his rheumatism, and so on, and so on is not only hard on the patients' physical being but on his pocket-book as well."

"But," she had asked, "don't doctors like that usually end up penniless? Don't they usually die and leave nothing to their families but a lot of unpaid bills?"

"Not all of them," said Warren. "So many patients have a way of trotting to their doctor with a lot of nonsense, use up his time, take advantage of his learning, and then ignore his monthly statements."

Warren had smiled at her—that odd, crooked, and fascinating smile which she had first seen in a sidewalk cafe.

"There's quite a lot of truth in all you say," he replied. "But I'm willing to gamble."

She had stepped back, looked him squarely in the face, and said: "Well, I'm afraid I'm not willing."

Capitulation

No, she had thought later in her cabin, she wasn't the type to become the wife of a doctor, especially one who was content to work for practically nothing in a dull little town. She needed gaiety, lots going on around her. And yet, here she was now, pinched over a young man in a small town. Pining over David, and remembering what Warren had said.

She began pacing the floor of her large, cool bedroom. Then suddenly she whirled about and went to her clothes closet. She had made up her mind. Nobody could neglect her and get away with it, least of all a young man who worked for her father.

If David wouldn't come to her, she would go to him, and to heck with pride. It was Saturday afternoon, and David would probably be putting about the house somewhere, if he wasn't doing things out at the Inn.

No matter where he was, she would find him.

She got into pale blue slacks, a white sweater, sandals, which she wore without stockings, tied a narrow white ribbon about her hair to keep it out of her eyes, and left the house. A few moments later she was honking her horn in front of David Wiley's cottage.

There was no answer. The place looked deserted.

She drove on, heading out toward the old Inn.

That's where she would find him, she decided.

She remembered the moonlight, the solitude, David standing so close to her; his kiss, the feeling that she had experienced of being utterly alone with him in a way made just for them.

And while she sped on toward Freddy's Folly, David and Peter and Polly, already there, were talking excitedly. They stood on the edge of the swimming pool, watching it slowly fill with the water from the spring.

"Look!" said Peter. "It's nearly half full!"

"Oh, David," said Polly, "it's wonderful! Just think, we can have all the swims we want, from now on."

"Sure, Sweetness," said David. He put an arm about each of the two there with him, drew them close to him.

"Maybe Freddy's Folly isn't going to be such a white elephant, after all," Polly went on. "Anyway, it'll pay us some dividends in the pleasures we get out of the pool."

"Right!" said David. "Everything's hunky-dory, unless, maybe, the drainage—But I'll get that going in a few days."

"Of course!" said Polly. "You can't get everything perfect all at once."

"And you sure worked hard, Cousin David," Peter said. "Evening this week—getting those old pipes fixed, and everything. Gosh, look! Oh, boy, see that old water pouring in."

The three of them watched it for a time without speaking.

"I wish I'd thought to bring along our bathing suits," David said presently. "But I wasn't sure we'd get the pool filled in time. Looks now like it'll be all set for use in no time at all."

"I brought them," said Peter.

To be continued.

M. E. Berry Home Is Scene For Class Party

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Berry's home was the scene for a Valentine party Thursday night when the East 4th St. Baptist Friendship class entertained for the Pure Gold class.

Valentines were exchanged and games were played. Favors were candy Valentines.

Refreshments were served and present were Dorothy Moore, Levern Wilson, Lois Kinman, Lavern Porch, Wanda Don Reese, Thelma Barnett, Lou Wanda Harrell, Ruby Lee Sherrod, Ethel Lee Potter, Modena Hill, Mrs. Lex James, Geraldine Bly, Mr. and Mrs. Berry.

Society

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Shirley June Robbins Entertains With Dance At Country Club

Shirley June Robbins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Robbins, entertained with an informal dance at the country club Saturday evening and used a patriotic theme in the ballroom decorations.

A large statue of liberty centered the dining table and red, white and blue candles in white candelabra burned on either side. A large American flag was in the background.

Red, white and blue streamers decorated the room and red roses in white vases were on the table.

Shirley June presented each guest with miniature flag pins, and music was furnished by the nickelodeon.

Those present were Kathryn Travis, Red Newton, Verma Jo Stevens, Bruce Frazier, Jack McDaniel, Robbie Piner, Jack Graves, Virginia Douglas, Billy Womack, John Anna Terry, Owen Brummett, Dorothy Sue Rowe, David Lamun, Sara Maude Johnson, John Billy Gary, Eileen Killingsworth, C. H. Collins, Betty Newton, Bob Laywell, Gloria Nall, Blake Talbot, Mary Ann Dudley, Ray Cloud, Marjorie Potter, Ralph Stewart, Evelyn Ann Flynn, Calvin Boykin, Betty Bob Diltz, Gene Green, Janette Marchbanks, Tabor Rowe, Mina Mae Taylor, John H. Lees, Ann Talbot.

Edward Fisher, Mary Margaret Williams, Harry Dorman, Ellen Dempsey, Elbert Shultz, Darlene Beasley, Jewell Plangman, Janet Robb, Johnny Dorman, Lem Nations, W. E. Davidson, Jess Slaughter, Jr., George Hogan, Wesley Deats, Billy Neal, Sweetie Hair, Virginia Terry, Clifton Patton, Myra King.

Jim Nummy, Pauline Sanders.

Downtown Stroller

At the President's Birthday Ball . . .

Those who didn't dance on the president's birthday (a day late, really) were either sick, tired, or out-of-town. All others who could raise-up the price of a ticket were in a dancing mood and in their best bib and tucker.

Dances at the Crawford, Settles and Elks hall, numerous cocktail parties before and after, kept the town in a holiday mood till much too late.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Walker were at the Elks hall dancing to the old-fashioned dancing. She wore a black net formal trimmed and embroidered with colored flowers on the skirt and a large red rose shoulder corsage.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Pitman were also out dancing. Mrs. Pitman in a black and white ensemble.

Mr. and Mrs. Shine-Phillips took in the Elks and Settles dance and Mrs. Ellen Wood and Earl Eazell were busy trying to catch up with them. Mrs. Wood wore a black full formal skirt with white blouse and tucked a white gardenia in her hair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jennings were celebrating and she in a black net embroidered with gold thread.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Satterwhite took in the Settles dance and she wore an aqua-marine chiffon trimmed with lace of matching color on the bodice.

Among the private and open house affairs was the one given at the Settles. Members of the local committee directing the Birthday Ball activities were joint hosts for an informal "open house" in a hotel suite during the dance. The group included Grover Dunham, Gene Spence, Hob Hayward, D. D. Douglass, V. A. Merrick, G. T. McMahan, Cal Boykin, L. L. Spear, Bob Whipkey, Carl Blomquist, M. H. Bennett and J. Y. Robb.

Nu Stitchers Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. Loy House

Mrs. Loy House entertained the Nu Stitchers club in her home Friday afternoon and sewing and knitting were diversions.

Others present were Mrs. Brutus Hanka, Mrs. Merrill Creighton, Mrs. Paul Sledge, Mrs. Charles Tompkins and the hostess.

A salad course was served. Mrs. Dswain Leonard is to be next hostess.

High Heel Slipper Club Meets For Business Discussion Saturday

Members of the High Heel Slipper club met in the home of Dorothy Sue Rowe. The group wore their new club coveralls.

Songs were sung and business discussed. A Valentine theme was used in the refreshments. Others present were Mary Kay Lumpkins, Vera Jo Stephens, Betty Newton, John Anna Terry, Mina Mae Taylor, Sara Maude Johnson, Virginia Douglass, Katherine Travis, Lorena Brooks, Ellen Killingsworth, Betty Bob Diltz, and Mrs. Fred Mitchell, sponsor, Betty Bob Diltz is to be next hostess.

Farewell Gift Presented To Mrs. Pennington

A farewell gift was presented to Mrs. E. C. Pennington when the Re-Deal club met Friday in the home of Mrs. W. O. Queen. Mrs. Pennington is leaving Sunday with her husband for Borger where he will be employed in the schools there.

Mrs. Dee Davis was present as a guest and high score went to Mrs. Glenn Queen. Mrs. T. H. Neel received second high score and Mrs. Pollard Runnels binged.

Refreshments were served and others present were Mrs. H. C. Hamilton, Mrs. Pascal Buckner, Mrs. W. L. Hanshaw. Mrs. Runnels is to be next hostess.

Founder's Day To Be Observed By High School

A Founder's Day program will be presented Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock by the High School P-T. A. in the school building. Mrs. Jack Nall is in charge of the social hour and Mrs. Thurman Gentry's speech class will have a panel discussion on various professions.

The students will include Margaret Jackson, Helen McGee, Janice Carmack, Peggy Thomas, Joyce Glenn, Eva Jane Altway. The founder's day cakes will be served during the social hour and fathers are especially invited to attend.

South Ward To Observe Father's Night At High School Gym

South Ward P-T. A. will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the high school gymnasium Thursday night to observe Father's Night. Teachers will be in charge of the program and refreshments will be served. Fathers are urged to come and special guests will be present.

The Polynesians averaged six feet, six inches in height.

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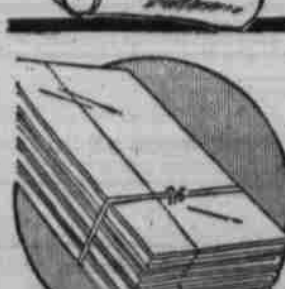
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