

# TEX'S TOPICS

Strange rattlings and weird noises all through the house from top to basement kept us from getting to sleep last night and caused no end of worry because after we got up nerve enough to investigate we hit, we couldn't trace the origin.

We have never believed much in ghosts—although scared by one once—but when we can't find out what is causing strange noises in the night our heart goes pitty-pat and we wish for a big crowd to make up a searching party. Living the life of horror and its disadvantages, particularly when you are afraid of the cars.

No doubt you have heard there soon is to be a blessed event in the governor's home at Austin. We have to take issue with an Amarillo columnist who wrote that "everybody who is anybody in Pampa attended the banquet at Amarillo, marking the opening of the Santa Fe's new Boise City-Los Animas line the other night."

Really, he should know that there are just a lot of important folk over here who for various reasons were unable to get to the banquet as much as they would have liked to. Fact of the business is—EVERYONE in our community is important. We might add that we feel certain the writer really didn't mean to say what it sounded like in print. What he wished to convey was the idea that Amarilloites were tickled pink to have such a big delegation from Pampa on hand.

KPDN's Man on the Street had a lot of fun with the customers day before yesterday and caught all but one of them off guard. The microphone interrogator asks them if they would sign a contract without first reading it. The answer in all instances was "no."

At the end of the program, he proffered them a slip of paper, told them to sign on the dotted line, and then go to the theater office and get a free ticket. When they had signed it, each was asked to read it.

"I read something like this: 'I agree to pay to the bearer one million dollars, and in the event I am unable to pay this sum I further agree to allow the bearer to behold me on the public square at noon tomorrow.'"

One of Broadway's hit shows is an intensely religious production. *Ben-Hur's "The Eternal Road"*—but its first night was marked by klieg lights, confusion, and shrill hokum of Hollywood opening.

Max Reinhardt, according to 2-bit program for "The Eternal Road" brushes and massages his teeth nightly for one full hour, will not sleep on clothes lines, his servants carrying along supply on Pullman boats, has clothes tailor-made in Vienna.

Since 1905 Alaska has had two free public school systems, one administered by federal government and one by the Territory. Along rivers, school curriculums include boat building.

They're just so much Chinese, but maybe you'd like them. A new twist in way of preserved fruit is canned spiced kumquats. The kumquat is an "oriental citrus fruit" like an orange, only smaller.

London cosmetic house is now offering "three shades of the same shade" of rouge. Once she has chosen what shade best, she can get it in varying strengths for daytime, sports, and evening.

Chinese gov't has started campaign against photo-taking by tourists. Feeling that many in foreign lands regard Chinese as backward or barbaric, and that snapshots are "detrimental to dignity of Chinese race."

London being too closely built up for good of populace, the city is doing next best thing... laying out a "green belt" of open spaces and play spots surrounding city. Estimated cost: \$5,000,000.

Another landmark going... Mayor Fiorella LaGuardia at New York City has sent a bill to replace the famous old Tombs prison, Criminal Courts-bldg. with new \$15,000,000 structure.

### U. S. TEMPERATURE READINGS (At Pampa)

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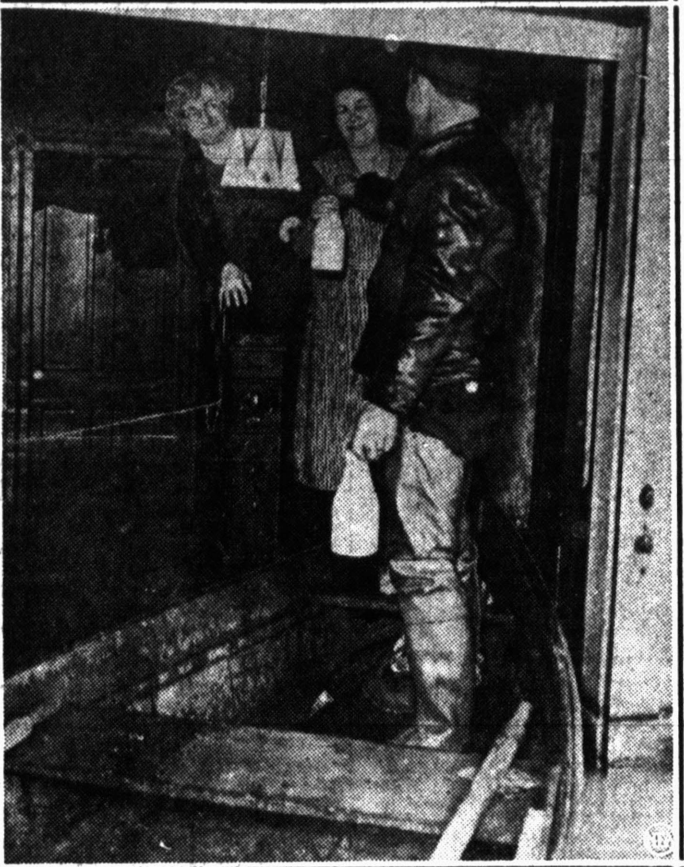
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PAMPA, GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 4, 1937.

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## High-Water Mark for Service



The milkman is likely to find his customers spoiled by the service given during the flood in Louisville, Ky. None of this leaving the bottle on the front porch. No sir. He rows his delivery boat right into the vestibule and hands over the milk in person.

## Scout Finance Drive Planned

The 1937 budget of the Adobe Walls Boy Scout council was set at \$8,500 last night at a general council meeting in the city hall. President C. H. Walker presided at the meeting, attended by 15 council members from over the area.

## REMISSION OF TAXES SOUGHT

County authorities today were asked to lend support to the campaign to get favorable action on a tax remission bill now before the Texas state legislature.

## Ohio Girl Seeks Father in Pampa

An Ohio girl is seeking her father, believed to be somewhere in the Texas Panhandle.

## Hessey Enjoys A Laugh; Also Lot Of Worry

Although it is a serious business, a laugh creeps into the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission's operations now and then, according to John B. Hessey, local representative of the commission.

# GMC WILL OUST STRIKERS

## REBELS BEGIN BIG PUSH ON MALAGA AREA

Spain's insurgent legions—on land, water and in the air—started their "big push" against Malaga today in an effort to snip off that strategic Mediterranean shipping center from the remainder of government-held Spain.

A comparative hush fell over Madrid's battlefronts, 260 miles to the north, while practically every available fascist facility of men or machines was shoved toward Malaga.

The insurgent naval fleet steamed from Algeciras in the direction of Spanish Morocco to join General Queipo de Llano's southern army drive.

A Malaga dispatch reported an insurgent submarine bombarded a vital road linking Malaga with government territory to the east.

Madrid officials, however, contended the drive of de Llano's land forces had been halted on a coastal road leading toward Malaga from the southwest and that a fascist munitions train had been destroyed from the air.

The possibility of another German-Spanish "incident" arose in a report from Bilbao that a German soldier, said to be a nephew of Franz von Papen, Nazi minister to Austria, had been condemned to death by a Spanish provincial court.

He was accused of possessing munitions when he was seized last Oct. 6 in the Isuzua mountains.

## Resignation Of Pension Head Sought By Solon

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## WFW TO GIVE SCOUTS PARTY FEBRUARY 12

Boy Scouts of Troop 21 will give a party by their new sponsor, the Pampa chapter Veterans of Foreign Wars, on the night of Feb. 12 in the American Legion hut, it was voted at a meeting last night presided over by Commander H. P. Lusby.

The boys will put on their own program which will include musical entertainment, Boy Scout stunts and accomplishments and talks.

Following the program, the veterans will give the boys a "feed."

Pampa Veterans of Foreign Wars will celebrate the annual "Hello America hour" with a local program, refreshments and a radio program on the night of Feb. 15 when posts over the nation will gather to hear high national officials and famous musical groups broadcast from 10:30 to 11:30 p. m. Pampa time.

The local program will begin at 8 o'clock in the basement of the First Baptist church with Commander H. P. Lusby in charge. Following the entertainment, which will feature orchestra music, solos, magician and talks, refreshments will be served. Then will come the nation-wide broadcast.

Veterans in session last night completed plans for the program and also received a report from the various committees.

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## WOULD EJECT 'SITDOWNERS' FROM PLANTS

HUNDREDS OF POLICE BEING ENLISTED FOR ACTION

DETROIT, Feb. 4 (AP)—The conference seeking a truce basis in the General Motors automobile strike recessed for luncheon at 2 p. m. EST today, William S. Knudsen, executive vice president of General Motors, announced the meetings "were not over."

FLINT, Mich., Feb. 4 (AP)—General Motors Corp. prepared today to set machinery of the law in motion to eject strikers from two plants they continued to occupy in defiance of a court injunction, while Police Chief James V. Willis announced he was re-summing enlistment of several hundred "reserve police."

Roy E. Brownell, attorney for General Motors announced a writ of attachment, requiring the ejection of the strikers, would be filed between 2 and 3 o'clock (eastern standard time) this afternoon.

Enforcement would develop upon Sheriff Thomas W. Wolcott, who had refused to attempt forcible ejection of the men without such an order.

Police Chief Willis said his "enlistment" of "reserve police" did not constitute a violation of a non-violence agreement reached last night between city authorities and the United Automobile Workers of America.

Capt. Phil Pack, national guard press officer, said that if the writ of attachment should issue, the sheriff should report to him when he is called to serve it. Judge Paul P. Gaddala could call upon the National Guard to enforce it.

He said he was informed the troops would act if requested by Judge Gaddala, who issued the injunction from whom the writ of attachment will be sought.

## SIT-DOWNER IS HOLDING OUT FOR ANSWER

WAITING FOR GIRL TO ACT ON HIS PROPOSAL

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., Feb. 4 (AP)—Harold Hulen, who began a sit-down strike yesterday in the lobby of his sweatshirt apartment house because "she couldn't make up her mind," showed no sign of weakening today.

"I'm a desperate man," he explained candidly. "I'm here to stay until she makes up her mind."

Hulen, 30-year-old former actor, moved into the lobby of Miss Florence Hurlbut's apartment house yesterday, attached himself to a radiator and gave the key to the apartment house manager.

"I asked Florence to marry me," he explained. "She said she couldn't make up her mind. She has repeated that same thing twice every week for the last year."

"Now I'm here, and I'm not leaving until I get an answer."

Last night Miss Hurlbut dozed in a chair near her radiator until a late hour, then retired to her apartment. Hulen read a magazine and then slept, leaning back against a pillar in the hall. Earlier the brown-eyed, 20-year-old object of Hulen's affections had remonstrated vainly at the bizarre method of courtship.

## MATTSON SUSPECT IS FOUND DEAD IN CELL

AUBURN, Wash., Feb. 4 (AP)—John P. Johnson, 40, held since Friday for investigation in connection with the Charles P. Mattson kidnap-slaying, was found strangled to death in his jail cell today.

Police Chief Ed Norris found the body lying on the cell floor, a belt attached to the cot and around the man's neck. Other prisoners, in a "bullpen" nearby said they heard no struggling and no outcries during the night.

Night Jailer Charles Ludwig said he talked to Johnson about 11 o'clock last night and the man appeared despondent, even after Ludwig said he might be released today.

Johnson was arrested in the "hobo jungles" here Friday when some of the 100 other transients there complained to police the man acted queerly and they thought he might know something about the Tacoma kidnaping.

LAW AFFECTS 638,000. WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—The social security board's estimate of workers covered by state unemployment insurance laws include: Louisiana, 222,000; New Mexico, 41,000; Oklahoma, 266,000; Texas, 638,000.

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## ICKES IS INVITED TO ADDRESS LEGISLATURE

AUSTIN, Feb. 4 (AP)—Secretary of the Interior Harold Ickes was invited today over opposition in the senate to address the Texas legislature.

A proposal to suspend constitutional rules to admit immediately a resolution by Sen. Houghton Brownless of Austin was protested by Sen. T. J. Holbrook of Galveston and others.

"Isn't he the man who thought he should have control of all oil production?" demanded Sen. Weaver Moore of Houston.

Senators Joe Hill of Henderson and Gordon Burns of Huntsville also voted against the resolution.

Ickes was asked to appear at his convenience, following a visit to San Antonio, February 17.

## LETTER TO PAMPAN DESCRIBES EXPERIENCES IN FLOOD ZONE

A letter describing a former Pampa resident's experience in the Kentucky flood zone has just been received here by William W. Giles, of the Radford Grocery Co., E. Tyng-st.

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## People You Know

By ARCHER FULLINGER

As usual, there was a bunch of high school boys in a local pool hall yesterday afternoon.

## Farmers Vote To Share With Flood Victims

Farmers of Hansford county will join in the move recently started by C. L. Thomas and J. L. Noel of Pampa to give a percentage of their "wheat checks" to the flood relief fund, a letter received here yesterday from E. L. McClellan of Spearman revealed.

## I Saw...

J. L. Noel leaving this morning for Hereford to attend the funeral of O. M. Shore, 58, with whom he served in the Philippines 38 years ago, in Aguinaldo's Insurrection.

Society and Clubs

Women's Activities

Recital Sunday Will Be First Event Of Crowded Week For AAUW Groups

The date changed to Sunday afternoon because of a conflict, a recital in which the scholarship committee of the A. A. U. W. will present Helen Pools, violinist, will begin at 3 o'clock in city club rooms, and will be open to the public. It was announced today by Miss Kathleen Milam, scholarship chairman.

First event of a full week planned by the A. A. U. W., the recital will offer to music lovers a young artist who has been commended by teachers and musicians who have heard her play. She is a pupil of T. Duncan Stewart of Amarillo, where she recently appeared in solo recital.

No admission charge will be made for the recital, but a silver offering will be taken for the A. A. U. W. scholarship fund, which is used each year to assist a Pampa girl start to college.

Assisting on the recital program will be a girls' quartet from the high school. The club, directed by Miss Helen Martin, members are Pelele Olson, Ruby Scalet, Leona Hurst, Betty Jo Townsend. The accompanist is Pauline Stewart.

Miss Pools will be accompanied by Mrs. Frank Keelin for the following program: Without Words, Grass; Nobody Knows de Trouble I've Seen; White; Tambourin; Rameau-Kreisler.

Selection by girls' quartet. Toy Soldiers March. Kreisler; Dark Eyes, Gypsy folk song; Spanish Dance, Reichard.

Following events of the week will be a meeting sponsored by the vocational guidance group Thursday at 4 p. m., and an open book review Friday evening to benefit the fellowship fund.

High school senior girls, their mothers, and members of High School P-T-A will be guests on Thursday, when Mrs. Ethel Travis, assistant dean of women at West Texas Teachers college, Canyon, will be the speaker. Mrs. Howard Man, vocational guidance chairman, will be in charge.

Mrs. Ruth Midvette, new teacher of journalism in the high school here, will review the book, Wake Up and Live, by Dorothea Brande, on Friday. Mrs. Christopher is in charge of this program, for which tickets may be secured at the door.

Business Meeting Is Conducted by P-TA at Hopkins

HOPKINS No. 2, Feb. 4 — A business meeting of the P. T. A. Wednesday completed several projects. Ten dollars will be given to the Red Cross for the flood relief. Work tables will be put in the first, second, and third grades. A Foundation gift will be sent to the state congress. The P. T. A. will pay one-half on the sweaters for the basketball boys.

A nominating committee was elected: Mrs. George Howe, Mrs. A. W. Mallow, and Mrs. D. Partridge. About 25 members were present. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Frank Monroe, Mrs. Bruce Peck, Mrs. Irene Beckett, Miss Wilma Jerrill, and Miss Lex Siddons.

Another very interesting program was presented to patrons and school children of Hopkins No. 2 Wednesday when Mrs. E. A. Adams, advanced made up of 45 members and directed by Oscar Croson entertained with seven numbers. Mr. Croson gave the pupils of the school a chance to hear and distinguish every instrument by sounding and naming each separately. Mrs. Frank Monroe was in charge of the program.

Mrs. J. A. Adcock and two sons from Bristow, Okla., visited this week with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Horn of the Bowers plant.

A report from M. L. H. Bae, former superintendent of Hopkins school and now superintendent at Brownfield, says that enrollment there has reached an all-time high mark of 1,205 white students and 41 colored. Of these, 307 are in high school, and 50 have been received temporarily from Gomez, a neighboring school where the building burned.

STORK OUTRACES DOCTOR. AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP)—The stork out-distanced the doctor in a race to the home of Mrs. Ella Jackson. The baby was born as a perspiring physician neared the top of a flight of stairs to Mrs. Jackson's third-story apartment.

Fourteen Bertie Kointy (N. C.) farmers had a 195-pound increase in cotton yield.

Still Coughing?

No matter how many medicines you have tried for your cough, cold or bronchial irritation, you can get relief now with Creomulsion. Serious trouble may be brewing and you cannot afford to take a chance with anything less than Creomulsion, which goes right to the seat of the trouble to aid nature to soothe and heal the inflamed membranes as the germ-laden phlegm is loosened and expelled. Even other remedies have failed, don't be discouraged, your druggist is authorized to guarantee Creomulsion and to refund your money if you are not satisfied, with results from the very first bottle. Get Creomulsion right now. (Adv.)

ALTAR SOCIETY TO ENTERTAIN DISTRICT GROUP

Morning Session and Luncheon Are Planned

The Altar society of Holy Souls' church met at the home of Mrs. J. Emmett Dwyer Wednesday afternoon with 25 members present. Mrs. Dwyer's daughter, Mrs. L. W. Langford, acted as co-hostess in the presence of Mrs. E. W. Bissett who is ill. Ice cream, cake and coffee were served.

It was announced that the National Council of Catholic Women, of which the Altar Society is a group member, will hold a district meeting in Pampa Tuesday, February 16, at 10:30 a. m. in the city club rooms.

His Excellency, the Most Rev. Robert E. Lucey, Bishop of the Amarillo diocese, will be present as well as the pastors and representatives of the various organizations in the parishes comprising this district. They include Sacred Heart and Our Lady of Gaudaluphe parishes of Amarillo, and the parishes of St. Francis, Borger, Dalhart, White Deer, Hereford, Umlinger, Groom and Pampa.

The local officers of the Amarillo diocesan council are Mrs. Lynn Boyd, diocesan parliamentarian; Mrs. Michael F. Roche, district chairman of study clubs; Mrs. Roy E. McKernan, district chairman of girls' welfare; and Mrs. Donald A. Powell, correspondent for the diocesan paper, The Register.

Mrs. Lynn Boyd will act as chairman for the district meeting. Following the meeting in the club rooms, a luncheon will be served at the Schneider hotel at 1 o'clock for all those attending. Reservations for this luncheon may be made with Mrs. A. B. Zahn prior to Monday noon, February 15th.

The Two Roads' Is Evangelist's Sermon Subject

"Jesus took some of the deepest themes of life, and with a few words, put them upon the canvas vividly that all might see and understand. When we think of His teachings we think of a series of pictures," stated Evangelist Masters last night at the First Christian church in his sermon on "The Two Roads."

"We think of the sheep that was lost and of the shepherd that went out to find it; of a woman who lost a piece of silver and how she swept the house in order to find it. We think of the lilies of the field and the birds of the air; of a rich man who lifted up his eyes in hell and saw a poor man in heaven.

"Jesus gave us a contrast of the two roads of life, one broad and the other narrow. I think He said one of the roads was broad because it is a road that has no restrictions, no limitations, no discipline. A man can fling himself to pieces if he chooses. Once he is on that road he will say, 'I can do as I please. I don't believe in God and therefore I am not answerable to Him.' It is a broad way of living. Some people get so broad that they can't tell the difference between right and wrong. They can drink, gamble, lie, steal, cheat, anything they want to do because they are walking the broad way of life, answerable to no man.

"Some people think because Jesus said the other road was narrow, that a person must become narrow minded in order to walk that way. That is a mistake. He said that the broad way leads to destruction and the narrow way leads to life.

"A peculiar thing is that the broad road becomes more and more narrow as it is traveled and the narrow road becomes broad. The broad road narrows until it ends in destruction while the narrow road widens out into life."

Services begin at 7:30 tonight with the special musical numbers, crayon picture and other features. Services every night this week except Saturday.

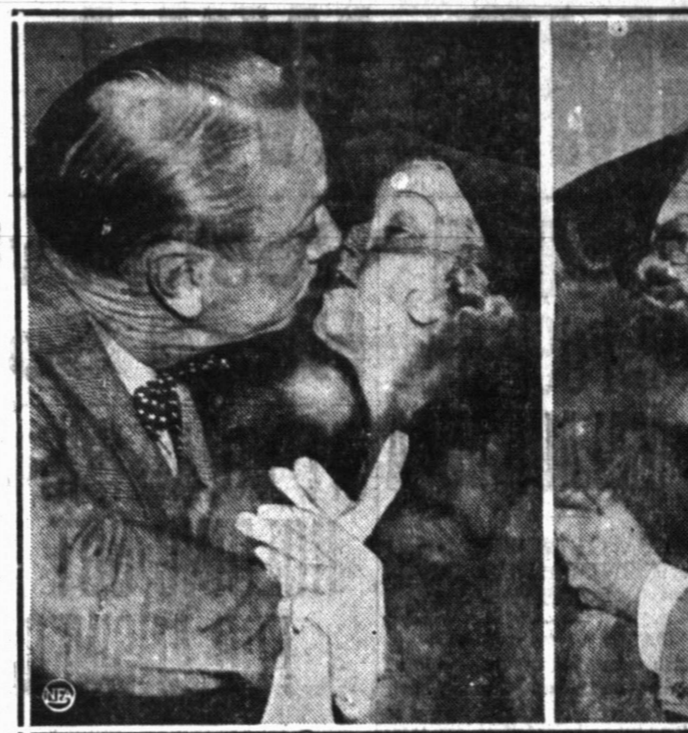
Primary Room to Give Program at Chapel Tomorrow

Chapel at Horace Mann school tomorrow at 9:45 a. m. will be in charge of Mrs. R. Dinkler's primary room. Parents and friends of pupils are invited for the following program:

- Welcome, Glen Covington. Rhythm band numbers. Lincoln day exercise, Henry Clay, Letha Horton, Bobby Campbell, Betty Jean Walls, Amy and Annie King. Reading, Tree Chopping, Freeman Allen. Song, Valentines, Jeanine May and Joe Ben Brown. Playlet, Valentine Visitors, by the room. Reading, True Friends, Laura Jean Barker. Song and dance, Long Ago, Annie King and Joe Ben Brown. Reading, My Valentine, Freddie Jean Brock. Song, Pretty Valentines, Norma Jung and Ronald Johnson. Playlet, King of Hearts. Reading, Billy Focht.

Secretary Woodring says the Tuleen Waterways corporation had a net income of \$99,769.50 for the last fiscal year.

What Privileges These Senators Have!



Competition for congressional jobs probably would increase if senatorial prerogatives regularly included kissing glamorous Jean Harlow. Technique for this duty is illustrated by the gentleman from North Carolina, Senator Robert Reynolds, to welcome Miss Harlow to Washington. As he leads with his chin (left), he

Episcopal Women Will Entertain Friends At Open House Tea Friday

Women of the city are invited to be guests of the Episcopal Women's Auxiliary tomorrow afternoon at the annual silver tea in Mrs. C. P. Buckler's home, from 2:30 to 5 o'clock. All Auxiliary members will act as hostesses. Music through the afternoon will be by Mrs. Malcolm Brown, Misses Lorene McClintock and Marjorie Simonet.

GUEST DAYS OF MONTH PLANNED IN MUSIC CLUB

Two guest days were planned by Treble Clef club for this month, at the February business meeting in city club room yesterday afternoon. Members will entertain their husbands next Wednesday evening, and on Feb. 22 will hold open house for club women of the city.

Treble Clef Will Be Hostesses for Two Events

The MacDowell music club of Amarillo will present a program at the latter event, starting a program exchange between the two clubs. The meeting will be at 4:30 p. m. at city club room.

Mrs. Bob McCoy, president, announced that Mrs. Alex Schneider and Miss Jimma Seary will be in charge of invitations, Mmes. W. A. Braithorn and J. W. Garman of refreshments, Mmes. L. N. McCullough and Dave Dodge of decorations.

A buffet dinner will be served at the club rooms Wednesday, when men will be guests. Misses Marjorie Simonet and Tabitha Adkinson were voted to club membership yesterday.

Queen of Clubs Is Entertained With Breakfast

A Valentine breakfast was given for Queen of Clubs yesterday morning at the Schneider hotel, with Mrs. W. V. Jarratt as hostess. Red carnations centered the table, and places were marked with tiny red baskets of candy hearts.

Mrs. H. D. Keys made high score at bridge, Mrs. Joe Burrows second high, and Mrs. I. B. Hughes received the cut prize. Bridge was played at four tables after breakfast, with Miss Fern Hughey as a club guest.

Kitchen Shower Is Courtesy of Evelyn Shanklin

Gifts for her first kitchen were presented Mrs. Evelyn Shanklin, bride-elect of Eugene Seastrand, when Miss Bernice Larsh and Julia Shackelford entertained at the home of Miss Larsh Tuesday evening with a Valentine bridge shower.

The house was lighted with red candles in heart-shaped holders and brightened with red carnations. Bridge tables had floor length covers of white tulle edged with wide folds of red.

After the bridge games, guests entertained tea towels to present to the honoree. The other gifts were presented in a Valentine box. Red and white heart-shaped cakes, ice cream, and punch were served. Plate favors were tiny lighted candles in red holders.

Guests who registered on the bride's rolling pin, Mrs. R. E. Koener, Bob Klinger, A. J. Johnson, Bob Curry; Misses Wilma Perkins, Ethel Murrell, Mildred Overall, Llewellyn Shelby.

Alanreed News

ALANREED, Feb. 4 — Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Carpenter and daughter, Evelyn, made a business trip to Clarendon Saturday.

Miss Jennie Terbush of Pampa visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Terbush, over the week-end.

Bud Long of Clarendon spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Crisp and daughters were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Farrington of Pampa.

John N. Plaster, math teacher in the Alanreed high school, went home last week while school was dismissed, and is not able to return at once, because of a serious cold.

Those of Alanreed attending the rally at Head Methodist church Sunday were: Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Cole and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Elms, J. R. Bryant and Miss Willie Dee Hall.

The Baptist W. M. S. did not meet Monday afternoon because of the cold weather. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. W. E. James Monday afternoon of next week, with Mrs. W. H. Craig in charge of the program.

When sending out cards, according to custom on his elevation to marshal's rank, Poland's Edward Rydz-Smigly merely sent his old ones—crossing out "general" and writing in "marshal."

Modern Menus

BY MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX, NEA Service Staff Writer. Fruit cake is one good thought, but cake with fruit on it, baked together, is a second good thought. It's some times a lot better than the first.

Prune and Apricot Cake. (6 to 8 servings.) One and one-fourth cups sifted cake flour, 1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 3/4 cup granulated sugar, 4 tablespoons softened butter, 1 egg, well beaten, 1/2 cup milk, 1 teaspoon vanilla; for the fruit part—4 tablespoons butter, 1/2 cup brown sugar, firmly packed, 13 cooked apricots, 6 prunes, cooked, halved and pitted.

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, salt and sugar and sift together three times. Add butter. Combine egg, milk and vanilla. Add to flour mixture, stirring until flour is completely dampened. Beat vigorously for one minute.

Melt 4 tablespoons butter in pan 8 by 8 by 2 inches. Use low flame. Add brown sugar and stir and cook thoroughly with butter. Into this caramel mixture place the prune halves and apricots, cut side up, neatly in order a prune half alternating with an apricot. Over this pour the cake batter. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for about 50 minutes, until done. Loosen cake from sides of pan. Serve upside down, with fruit peering into the hungry eyes of your family. A dash or two of whipped cream on top of each serving won't hurt anybody's feelings.

Apricot Custard Cake. (6 to 8 servings.) Cake batter: 2 cups flour, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 1/2 cup milk, 1 egg, 3/4 cup sugar, 1 1/2 tablespoons butter. For fruit custard: 1 can apricots (No. 2), using all apricots and 1/4 cup syrup, 4 egg yolks, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup sour cream. Cream butter, add sugar, then cream until fluffy. Beat egg yolks well, and stir into butter mixture. Sift flour and baking powder together, adding alternately with milk. Beat four into greased ring mold with spring sides, lined with buttered wax paper. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about 40 minutes, until done.

Beat egg yolks until lemon colored and fluffy. Add sugar and sour cream. Then beat until mixture becomes fluffy like whipped cream. Stir in the apricot juice, then add the apricots. Pour this over and bake until top of custard mixture browns lightly. Remove from oven, cool, and remove sides of spring mold. Serve with whipped cream. That's a dessert!

Tomorrow's Menu. BREAKFAST: Apple juice, whole wheat muffins, bacon, plum jam, coffee, milk. LUNCHEON: Spinach and cheese souffle, buttered toast, ginger pears, tea, milk. DINNER: Ripe olive canape, sauted veal chops with mushroom sauce, baked potatoes, buttered Brussels sprouts, escarole salad, apricot mustard cake, coffee, milk.

tain with a silver tea at the home of Mrs. C. P. Buckler, 2:30 to 5 p. m. Mrs. Roy Tinsley will be hostess to Priscilla Home Demonstration club.

Mrs. George Hancock will entertain Chatterbox club.

Silver Spade Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Jess Clay.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Head will entertain Just Our Gang Bridge club.

Neck's Like Father's, Not Mother's



What most folks want to know about the baby son of Mu Swai is whether he has a long neck like his mother, one of the Burmese giraffe-necked women from the Fautshan states featured at the Olympia Circus in London. But, as you can see, the bouncing boy's head is coupled close like anyone else's. Mother, however, has gone to great lengths to stretch her neck to the limit of Burmese beauty.

Girl News Scout

A new Girl Scout troop, sponsored by Woodrow Wilson Parent-Teacher association met yesterday at the Little House. Mrs. L. J. McCarty is captain, Mmes. Caldwell and L. D. Blanton lieutenants of this group.

Patrol leaders elected were Evelyn Kidwell, Sara Ann Russell, Doris Jean Caldwell, and Robbie Lou Poyner. Vivian Lafferty was elected Minnie Belle Williams pianist with Dorothea Keller and Louise Allman assistants.

Scout laws were studied. Scout games and songs learned by the girls. Their troop, which will soon be assigned a number, will meet on Wednesdays at 4 p. m.

Mrs. F. W. Shotwell was a visitor yesterday. Members not already named are Jean Pickering, Louise Shaddox, Lorene Canfield, Betty Jean Lovell, Florence Mae Dillman, Mildred Austin, Marie Bell, Wilma Jean Bryan, Betty Arman.

Panhandle News

By Mozelle Pruitt. PANHANDLE, Feb. 4 (AP)—The Home Demonstration club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Henshaw.

Mrs. Opal Purvines was hostess to the Mother's club which met in the home of Mrs. Weatherly Tuesday afternoon. A feature of the program was the review of "Gone With the Wind" by Mrs. Crow.

As a tribute to the Panhandle Panthers, the regional champions of 1936, the Panhandle theatermen then pass to attend the football picture "Pigskin Parade" Wednesday night.

Under the direction of the teacher, Leon Landon, the public speaking class of Panhandle high school presented a play, "Follow the Light," in chapel Wednesday morning.

ABOY, PUMPKIN BUTTES! GOLD RUSH COMING. GILLETTE, Wyo. (AP)—There probably will be another gold rush out Pumpkin Buttes way.

Mrs. Iva Frye of Gillette bought a chicken that came from a farmer there and when she opened it found a gold nugget. A jeweler appraised it at \$1.98. Mrs. Frye paid 50 cents for the chicken.

Several years ago a similar incident started a gold rush at the buttes.

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Mrs. King Will Be President of Club in Canadian

By Lela Callaway. CANADIAN, Feb. 4 — The Women's club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Jess Yokley with 21 members present.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. A. R. King, president, Mrs. Lewis Merry first vice, Mrs. G. W. Ayers second vice president, Mrs. J. L. Yokley recording secretary, Miss Georgia Engle corresponding secretary, and Mrs. B. F. Type treasurer.

Mrs. Harry Wilbur, Jr., was welcomed as a new member. Mrs. W. A. Johnson was leader of the program. Roll call response was quotations from poems, Mrs. E. R. Fowler gave a reading, Edna St. Vincent Millay, the leading woman poet, was the title of a paper given by Mrs. Wallace Caldwell, The Nahaigan sisters favored the club with two vocal duets.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy S. Davis, Rev. Clyde A. Loris and the Nahaigan sisters came from Clovis, N. M., Monday to begin a revival at the First Christian church here. Rev. Loris is hope of the meeting and the Nahaigan sisters from Southern California are conducting the song services.

Miss Opal Type is spending several weeks in Amarillo.

Miss Lena Kennerly and Doris Devore, Supply, Okla., spent the week-end in the I. G. Sarrett home.

Miss Dorothy Rollins left Monday for her home in Tipton, Okla.

Miss Elanta Williams spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Williams. She attends school at C. I. A., Denton.

Misses Irma Sarrett, Agnes Alford, Fernanetta Sayage and Charlotte Tubb attended the annual basketball tournament here the past week-end. They attend West Texas State Teachers College, at Canyon.

POPE FREE FROM PAIN. VALENCIA CITY, Feb. 4 (AP)—Pope Pius XI, virtually free of pain after two months of serious illness, worked today on a short address he expects to deliver by radio Sunday with his blessing of the 83d international eucharistic congress at Manila. The address is expected to center on a hope the pontiff expressed to Dnemis Cardinal Dougherty, papal legate, that the convocation might help bring about unity of all Christian people.

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Raises the Roof—Literally—to Get Supplies



Deers weren't much good unless you had a diving suit, so this resident of New Albany, Ind., visited his home and literally raised the roof. Going by boat, he dodged the chimneys and rooftops of his neighbors, rowed up to his home, pried up a section of tin roof and stepped in to get much needed clothing, bedding and cooking utensils from his attic.

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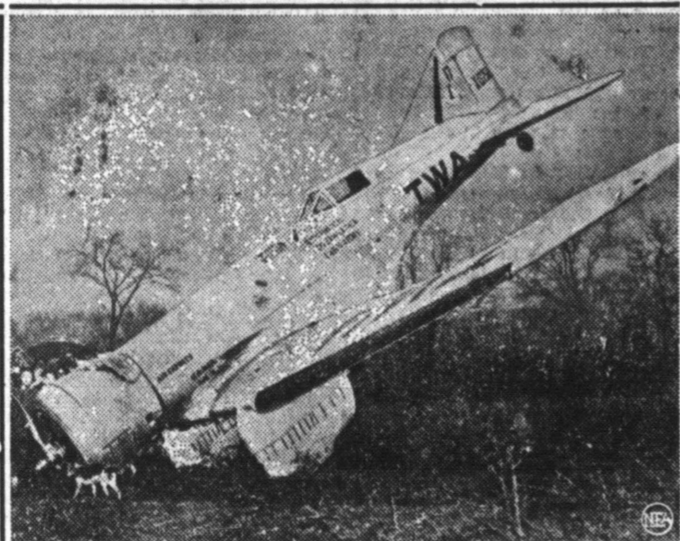


It's not the lure of South Sea islands but science that beckons the happy young George Vanderbilts as they weigh anchor at Miami, Fla., for a cruise toward the Southern Cross. They gleefully shout their farewells from a precarious perch beside the boom of their 175-foot schooner Cressida (left), which has been outfitted as a laboratory for the scientists who accompany them on the South Sea expedition to collect specimens for the Philadelphia Academy of Science.

Lindbergh Is 35 Years Old Today

ROME, Feb. 4 (AP)—Charles A. Lindbergh and Gen. Italo Balbo swapped tales of transatlantic flying today—Lindbergh's 35th birthday. The Rome-to-Chicago airman, who expects the Lindberghs to visit him in Tripoli soon, flew from North Africa to attend a wedding. Shortly after his arrival he sent an officer to ask Lindbergh to visit him at his hotel. A half-hour cordial conversation followed. When they finished their meeting, Balbo smilingly insisted they both be photographed. The bearded Balbo probably will return tomorrow to his post as governor of the Italian colony of Libya to make ready for his distinguished guests. Lindbergh—Charles Augustus—had his birthday amid the relics among Augustus left for eternal Rome 2,000 years ago. Just when he and his wife would leave Rome for Egypt was doubtful.

FLYING TEST TUBE "CRACKS UP"



Purposely taking to the air in weather that grounded all other planes, the TWA's "flying test tube" made the trip from Kansas City, Mo., to Princeton, N. J., to study bad weather aviation problems. Forced to land when its fuel gave out, the craft made a neat landing, then nosed over as pictured due to locking of the brakes.

Around Hollywood

By ROBBIN COONS HOLLYWOOD — Movie choruses are abuzz with swing and hotcha these days, but when Leon Leonidoff came out from New York it was to stage a couple of ballets. These will be seen in Grace Moore's "When You're In Love" and will occupy the screen for four minutes and 32 seconds. To make them required six weeks—and years. First requisite was 60 girls, and Leonidoff was particular. Busby Berkeley, Dave Gould, Bobby Connelly and LeRoy Prinz are particular dance directors too, but— "What do they want for 60 bucks a week? A Pavlova?" cracked one blonde with a baby stare, one "re-ject" among many who passed through the Leonidoff talent selection and out again. On a typical day during the week of interviewing and trying out applicants, six girls were seen before one was selected. She was Olga Chalmers, tall, blonde and slender, graceful and rhythmic in movement. She had been trained in ballet, had danced at the Hollywood Bowl and at the Metropolitan in New York. She had danced—and studied—since she was knee-high. Now she is five feet five inches tall, the exact height required. She weighs 122 pounds, nicely within specifications which are between 120 and 125. Four hundred girls were called and seen before the 60 were chosen and contracted. None of the 60 varied more than a half inch from the prescribed height, all were within the weight limits. Among them were girls whose teachers were Fokine, or Albertina Rasch, or Ruth St. Denis. Some had appeared with the Monte Carlo Ballet Russe. Aida Broadbent, assisting Leonidoff, took charge of the rehearsals—9 a. m. to 5 p. m., for four weeks. Leonidoff, busy with selecting special costumes, stage settings and featured dance teams, oversaw the grueling, made suggestions, rearranged groupings occasionally. Well into rehearsals, the girls were given "costumes" of flowing lines, rough approximations of the real things they would be wearing for the cameras. This was to accustom them to the handling of long sleeves and trains. Cameras Grind Six Days After five weeks the ballets were ready. Star and co-directors, Robert Riskin and Harry Lachman, came in for dress rehearsals while the Leonidoff-Broadbent combination concentrated on last-minute improvements. The sixth week—and the cameras. Six of them, focusing from as many angles in the massive settings, captured the results of all this work, grinding through six days.

Minute By Minute at Station KPND

- FRIDAY. 6:30—Home Folks Prolific. 6:45—Just About Time. 7:00—Eddie Eben. 7:30—Musical Clock. 8:30—News. 8:45—Lost and Found Bureau. 9:30—Announcer's Choice. 9:50—Shopping With Sue. 9:50—Musical Surprise. 9:45—On the Mail. 10:00—Morning Melange. 10:30—News. 10:45—Tango Tunes. 11:00—Hollywood Brevities. 11:15—The Dreamers. 11:30—Luncheon Dansant. 12:00—Oscar and Elmer. 12:05—Richard Liebert. 12:15—Sons of the Pioneers. 12:30—Musical Jamboree. 1:00—News. 1:15—Dance Hour. 1:30—Melody Boys. 2:00—Man on the Street. 2:15—The Gaities. 2:30—Pette Musicale. 3:00—News. 3:15—Mrs. C. E. Powell. 3:30—Afternoon Varieties. 4:00—Billy Hunter and Orchestra. 4:30—Day Dreams. 5:00—Once Upon a Time. 5:15—This Rhythmic Age. 5:30—American Family. 5:45—Concert Hall. 6:00—News. 6:15—Eventide Echoes. 6:30—Sign Off.

JUMPS TO DEATH

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 4 (AP)—A man parked his automobile on the big Huey P. Long bridge early today, left the lights burning and the radio playing and jumped 120 feet to his death in the muddy Mississippi river. P. D. Hebert, a state patrolman, said all signs pointed to the identity of the man as Allen Montz, 26, of Laplace, La. Hebert was related to Montz. Relatives could assign no reason for the plunge.

MAY NAME EXPERT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—President Roosevelt will appoint an aviation expert to the Interstate Commerce Commission in line with his plans for governmental reorganization. Associates said today he was considering that step, since regulation of air transport may be transferred to the commission from the post office and air commerce bureau.

'NIGHTHAWK' IS CHARGED WITH OZARK MURDER

CLAIMS HE WAS FORCED TO WRITE NOTE

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 4 (AP)—A gaunt young Ozark farmhand charged with first degree murder in the kidnap-killing of Dr. J. C. B. Davis insisted today the 67-year-old country physician was abducted and slain by a mysterious hill-country acquaintance he dubbed "Nighthawk." The slim 20-year-old prisoner, Robert Kenyon, who led officers to the doctor's bullet-torn body in a thicket near Willow Springs, Mo., yesterday, clung stubbornly to his alibi "Nighthawk" forced him to write and mail a ransom note.

Held in solitary confinement here for safe-keeping before his arraignment, Kenyon said he never had seen the doctor. Willow Springs civic leader, whose kidnaper spurned family offers to pay a demanded \$5,000 ransom.

Garbed in oversized coveralls and munching hungrily a meal of scrambled eggs and bacon, the youth recounted his wretched, idiosyncratic rustic idiom to officials and newsmen.

"This 'Nighthawk' feller knowed I stole a motor car over by Rolla, (Mo.)," Kenyon drawled. "He said if I didn't write the ransom note he'd turn me in."

"So I done it. Then the fedrals caught me in the postoffice mailing it."

Kenyon was rushed here immediately after the doctor's body was found in Brushland 14 miles southwest of Willow Springs yesterday. The victim, lying face downward, bore two bullet wounds in the head and four in the body.

Federal agents seemed little impressed by Kenyon's claim he was only an accomplice. At Washington, J. Edgar Hoover, director of the federal bureau of investigation, said the case was closed and no other suspects were being sought.

CONTINUANCE OF OIL - GAS LAW FAVORED

AUSTIN, Feb. 4 (AP)—The House of Representatives had before it today a recommendation Texas' oil and gas conservation laws be continued another four years. The oil and gas committee reported favorably last night a bill by Rep. George Davison of Eastland to extend proration to September 1, 1941.

The lone dissenter was Rep. Penrose Metcalfe of San Angelo who charged West Texas oil fields had been "militated against" by proration.

Davison held present conservation measures were working well and was joined by Rep. Roy Tennant, Jr., of Longview, who said proration benefited small operators in East Texas.

The House state affairs committee neared final action on proposals to liberalize old age pensions. It heard from Orville S. Carpenter, acting director of old age assistance, the assertion that persons who accept assistance should be denied the voting privilege.

His statement was in answer to a question as to how legislators could expect re-election if they returned home without liberalizing pension qualifications.

Carpenter said he believed the present law a good one and hoped it would not be altered. He estimated the pension rolls would be stabilized at between 95,000 and 105,000 persons and officials would complete next month a re-investigation of recipients.

The revenue and taxation committee planned early action on Rep. Herman Jones' bill to levy a 5 per cent franchise tax on net incomes of corporations.

TEXAS-OKLAHOMA FISH WAR AT PARLEY STAGE

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 4 (AP)—A threatened fishing war between Oklahoma and Texas over Texas anglers who invade the Oklahoma-controlled Red river moved today toward a peace parley.

The Oklahoma legislature agreed to send delegates to treat with a committee named by the Texas legislature.

The scene of the hostilities, the Red river, is the Oklahoma-Texas border. A U. S. supreme court decision gave Oklahoma the river bed and control of the stream.

Rickey admitted few Texans were caught. Oklahoma rangers, he said, generally were left standing on their bank of the river as the Texans pulled to the Texas side of the river and safety.

Texas contends its citizens should be granted fishing rights on the river, and should not be compelled to pay \$45 non-residence fishing fee Oklahoma now requires.

"Texas might let Oklahoma hunt-

WOMAN'S AILMENTS

Mrs. M. C. Isom of 621 W. 18th St., North Little Rock, Ark., said "Some years ago I became so played out that I really felt I could not go on any longer. I used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as a tonic and I soon noticed signs of improvement. I took the second bottle and then I could eat more, felt better and was soon enjoying life again. Buy now at drug store. New size, tablets 50c, liquid \$1 & \$1.35.

ers cross the river for about a hundred yards to hunt ducks and squirrels," Rickey said, "but I still don't see why we should relinquish any fishing rights to Texas. Other non-residents must pay the \$5 fee."

TALKING PICTURES IN COURT LOS Angeles, Feb. 4 (AP)—Police took talking picture equipment into superior court today for the first time to present evidence in a murder case. Robert Hayes is on trial, charged with killing Carl Munroe last Nov. 26 after Munroe accused him of stealing a chicken for a Thanksgiving dinner. Police said the talking picture would show Hayes' demeanor after his arrest and present his answers to questions asked him at that time about the killing.

The South Carolina penitentiary board seeks legislation for a separate woman's prison.

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THE UNITED STATES, A LAND OF SCARCITY

We believe there is no country in all the world, in all history, in which there is as much scarcity as in the United States.

This, of course, is an amazing statement when people have been told so often by those who have very little, if any, capital, that this is a land of plenty and there is plenty of capital.

It is a strange condition that those who have little, if any, capital are sure there is plenty of capital and that this is a land of plenty and that those who have the most capital are just as certain this is a land of scarcity and there is a great need for more and more capital. Of course, at the same time, we realize the United States has the highest standard of living in the world.

But let us explain why we say this is a land of scarcity. It is a land of scarcity for the simple reason that there is a greater difference between the total wants of our people and our ability to supply these wants than there is in any other country in all the world or at any other time in all history. This being true, the United States is truly a land of scarcity instead of a land of plenty.

It is true because our people are intelligent enough to have almost unlimited demands and desires. Would the inhabitants of the South Sea islands, who cannot read, have any desire for books or newspapers? Would they have any desire for automobiles, radios, rooms, thermostatically controlled, heated and cooled hospitals, chemical factories, beauty, cleanliness and art, when they could not operate or enjoy these things? There barbarous, or semi-barbarous, people would have little use for all these comforts to which we Americans have become accustomed and are entitled provided we have common sense enough to permit them to be produced.

We have a desire not for one automobile, but one for every member of the family; we have a desire for not one radio, but one for nearly every room in the house and in every car. Do peasants in Russia, Germany or Italy have a desire for all these things? They cannot even imagine such a thing being possible for an ordinary skilled workman. They expect these things for the ruler and for a few others but they do not expect them for the masses, as we do. They are satisfied to do without them, but we are not.

Our wants increase much more rapidly than our ability to supply our wants. The wants of an intelligent man are many, many times the wants of a South Sea islander, being fed on coconuts and other fruits.

Consequently, the great unsatisfied wants of our people make this truly a land of scarcity.

CHARITY AT HOME

Generously, Pampans have responded to the plea for aid from flood sufferers. Not only have they sent hundreds of dollars to the inundated area, but moved by thoughts of shivering, homeless humans they have not hesitated to share clothing and blankets with those in need.

When the first appeals went out, bundles of garments were sent to headquarters here and a full shipment was accumulated in a short time. When the Boy Scouts made their canvass of the town, dozens of other warm garments were dragged from trunks and closets and sent where they could be of use in relieving misery.

Donors have a right to feel pleased with themselves for their good deeds. But it is hoped, too, they won't forget the children who go to school in Pampa these cold mornings wearing not quite enough to keep them from really suffering, or some of the others who can't attend school at all because they simply haven't enough decent clothes.

The thrift room was the only resource for these children. It furnished several hundred garments to students before it closed last month—because repeated appeals brought from Pampa homes no more used garments that could be passed on where they could be of use.

SPINACH BY CHOICE

A "child preference survey" made among about 13,000 children in summer camps brought 10,000 replies. And what do you think are the favorite vegetables of young America? The Irish potato comes first. Spinach is second.

When it came to a third choice difference of opinion developed. Girls gave third place to celery, and boys are said to have named lettuce. This is pretty hard to believe, after years of seeing parents struggle to make their offspring eat salad. Come to think of it, the same reluctant salad eaters devour lettuce eagerly if it is in sandwiches. Maybe that's where the boys got their enthusiasm.

Oddly enough, carrots are much farther down the line, with asparagus and cabbage and turnips and beans all ahead of them. Perhaps carrots need a Popeye to put them over.

TWO IN A MILLION

A good way to judge matrimonial success is revealed in a newspaper contest. Husbands and wives who think their mates are exceptional were invited to tell why. The winner of the first prize was a woman who wrote of her husband:

"After 31 years of marriage it's still our money, our children, our joys, our sorrows. I'm still 'it,' so he must be 'one in a million.'"

Evidently so. But in a case like that it probably isn't just "one" in a million. It takes two for such a record.

And they wouldn't be merely two in a million, either. Such cases are more frequent than that. You can find them in every town and every neighborhood.

By order of the police department, a suspicious looking character can't get into a New York night club unless he is the proprietor.

Washington Letter

By RODNEY DUTCHER

WASHINGTON.—Even the friends and admirers of John L. Lewis are mixed up as to the wisdom, implications and possible consequences of his call to President Roosevelt for help in the General Motors strike, accompanied as it was by pointed reference to Roosevelt's political obligations to organized labor.

It can be asserted confidently that Lewis felt he knew exactly what he was doing when he served notice of expecting Roosevelt help against a common enemy and also that the effect on the inner White House circle was something approaching consternation.

Although this will be denied, Roosevelt had to all intents and purposes been intervening in the strike through long distance telephone conversations with Governor Frank Murphy of Michigan. The extent to which the president made recommendations to Murphy as to his handling of the situation cannot be revealed here, but the governor's refusal to allow troops to be used against strikers or to permit local forces to try to eject sitdown strikers was an outstanding event in labor history.

The interesting thing is that there had been no communication about the strike between Roosevelt and Lewis, although the latter's group spent more time, money and effort on Roosevelt's re-election than any other group did.

It is open to argument, perhaps, whether the Lewis challenge to Roosevelt actually constituted an admission of weakness or a claim of strength. It has been obvious that the United Automobile Workers had signed up less than a majority of G. M. workers and that the Committee for Industrial Organization had practically been forced to throw itself into the strike.

Nevertheless, C. I. O. leaders have been elated at membership gains made in the face of intensive labor espionage and other union-busting tactics.

On the other hand, the Lewis movement has tied up a huge corporation and dozens of its plants. About 135,000 men are out of work. That's hardly a weak position and Lewis, in his startling statement—which was partly designed to buck up his forces—at least bekeved he was on safe fighting ground. Any strike is a gamble and the appearance of groups of "loyal workers" in opposition to the strike is giving Lewis plenty of concern.

Yesteryear In Pampa

FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY

An invitation basketball tournament started here, with 32 teams entered. Play was in both girls' and boys' divisions.

Three bridges in the county were mysteriously fired after dark and county officers believed incendiaryists were responsible. A new bridge over the Red river east of LeFors was three-fourths destroyed at a loss of \$15,000. Little damage was done to the other two bridges, small structures over Cabin and Cantonment creeks, where blazes were discovered and extinguished promptly.

Rotary President C. P. Buckler presided at a joint banquet of Pampa and Amarillo Rotarians. Amarillo sent 120 visitors and its club band.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

A temperature of 3 degrees at dawn marked the coldest of the year.

Traffic bells were silent while repairs were being made, to the confusion of motorists and pedestrians.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



NO STARCH IS PRODUCED IN THE CELLS OF A TREE AFTER SUN DOWN.



THE name "albino" comes from the Latin, Albus, meaning white, but not all albino animals are albinos. In a true albino, pigment, which normally develops in the tissues, is lacking. Not only is it lacking in the skin, but in the deeper tissues as well. Pink eyes in albinos are the result of red blood vessels showing through.

NEXT: From what does the word reptile come?

MAN ABOUT MANHATTAN

By GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK.—A day in the life of a man about Manhattan: Briskly out of bed, shower (duke warm), breakfast (mainly coffee), and to the office where the morning mail convinces me there are already too many press agents in New York. There are 19 envelopes of theatrical blurbs, and one opens them all. Once I kicked one into the wastebasket and learned two days too late that it contained tickets to an important premiere.

However, here are several telegrams. One is from Howard White, a Columbus, Ohio, editor who is inquiring after the publication rights to a series of horror pictures. Another is from G. E. Thomas, of the Vandamm studios, who is giving a party for Russel Crouse. "Having wonderful time," telegraphs Marc Connelly from about four doors around the corner, but he doesn't mean a party is in progress. "Having Wonderful Time" is the name of a new comedy he is producing.

That husky, ruddy Irishman swinging this way is Richard Maney, and with him he has numerous reels of motion pictures just back from the developing laboratories. So we huddle over to his office where an 8-millimeter projector and screen are in readiness. Maney is a buy on amateur photography, and the films he shows are a true record of his Broadway travels. Here is Noel Coward in an informal pose, and Billy Rose, grimacing at the camera, snapping a show-string. Gertrude Lawrence is shown lounging in a pale blue negligee.

John Gleigui, the English actor, is the most "written-about" player of the season. Articles about this great nephew of Ellen Terry have appeared in 23 magazines and hundreds of newspapers.

HOW'S YOUR HEALTH

Edited by DR. IAQO GILDSTON

There was a time when barbers were surgeons. Now the tables are turned and physicians write on barbers. In "Cosmetic Dermatology," Dr. Herman Goodman devotes a chapter to shaving, and his advice should prove of interest to at least half the population.

Among the basic requirements for good and safe shaving Dr. Goodman lists: Plenty of light should be directed on the part to be shaved. With good light and a mirror, you actually shave the hair. With poor light and a badly placed mirror, you hoe at the father and trust to luck that some hair will come along with it.

The straight or jack-or-barber razor he considers the ideal shaving instrument. The difficulties of using this instrument he considers overrated. The type of razor to be used depends somewhat upon the beard. The youth with thin, sparse hairs might start out with a light half-inch blade. The man with the tougher beard should select a broader, heavier razor.

As to shaving with or against the grain, Dr. Goodman says it matters little if the blade is sharp and the lathering well done. But, if the blade is dull and if the edge is carried across a hair by main force, the hair is yanked out, and the result is an irritated face.

Dr. Goodman disavows shaving twice over. The first time should remove the hair that is visible above the skin surface. The second time over is likely to take off a portion of the top skin. It is better to shave morning and evening than to shave twice over, the doctor maintains.

Most ingrown hairs are merely infected and enlarged hair follicles. The hair does not turn back on itself and grow into the skin, but is merely buried within a pimple-like formation. Mild skin infection is the cause of such ingrown hairs. The infection may in turn be due to poor shaving technique and to the "twice over" method.

Shaving does not make the hair grow. If it did, we could resort to shaving the scalp as a means of

deprived of faith in God is unfortunate, though he may never realize what he has missed. Psychiatrists frequently say that the people who never apply to them for help are the people who have found religion and made the equation with it. To give it to a child, therefore, may be of value even from a therapeutic standpoint.

This, That and Everything

By JEFFREY KELLEY

This pious form of homicide catalogued under the title, "Traffic Accidents" ought to be reduced. We all agree that 36,000 lives in one year are too many to be sacrificed this way. But despite the unanimity of opinion on this matter, our efforts to reduce this appalling death rate are relatively small in the presence of such an emergency. The safety campaigns and such safety devices as are featured in the latest models of cars demand state of our roadway. When two cars are approaching each other at the average speed they are driven, only a few inches are between the occupants and death. The slightest error on the part of either driver, or the smallest mechanical flaw in either machine marks the beginning of a tragedy. Why should we insist upon living by the slim chance of so many physical miracles?

AROUND HOLLYWOOD

By ROBBINS COONS

HOLLYWOOD—It was on the set of "Walkie Weddies" and the elaborate nuptials ceremony was in progress, without however the presence of the star, Bing Crosby. The set was brilliant with flowers and ceremonial robes—the robes on the bride and bridegroom and the native priest, the flowers on the trees and shrubs, and the landed about the lissom bodies of amber-skinned, black-haired hula girls.

The girls—and native men—were formed in a circle, ready to be joyous at the command of LeRoy Prinz, the dance director, and Frank Tittle, the director. They were going into their dance and into other quaint matrimonial customs of the islands. Suddenly Prinz, noting a vacancy in the circle, called out:

"Virginia! Virginia Hogan!" "Virginia!" came from off-stage, followed by the slim form of a dark-skinned, black-haired girl who took her place in line.

Hogans in Hawaii? No, smiled Mrs. Louise Beamer, the technical adviser, tolerantly. That was making up. Miss Hogan would be as Irish as his name.

Two Fingert Eaters In fact, continued Scotch-Irish-Hawaiian Mrs. Beamer, who has a school of the dance in Honolulu, and came over especially to "expert" on this film, there is but one native Hawaiian girl in the whole island who lives here and dances in a night club. The others are all make-believe—for a sad and inevitable reason.

"Hawaiian girls won't do," said Mrs. Beamer, "because they begin to put on weight very early. Some of them are two-fingert eaters, and a lady you know, eats with one finger. The food is rich and fattening. Many of them don't care. We interviewed some 200 girls, but Mabel was the only full-blooded Hawaiian we could use."

Why then, I wanted to know, isn't there some organization of native girls who would agree to keep in trim for picture careers? he answer was—movie cycles, there is no frequent demand for such types. When there is, all the studios want them at once. As crowd, when besides "walkie weddies" there are the productions "Hurricane" and "Wings Over Honolulu" glamorizing for hula artists. A "Native" May Return

Another English picture—this time "Fire Over England"—gives an actor it once had. His name is Laurence Olivier, who with wife Jill Esmond was here before.

Olivier does an emotional role in this political, romantic, somewhat

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Husband Is Jailed In Child Marriage

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Feb. 4 (AP)—The law today cast a shadow across the marital happiness of 12-year-old Leona Elizabeth Backus as it sent her 19-year-old factory husband to jail under threat of a statutory charge.

District Attorney Carl J. Hynes said a warrant charging rape, second degree, would be sworn out today against the husband, Stanley Backus.

Hynes said the youth and the girl had admitted intimate relationship prior to their marriage at Carthage on Jan. 15.

Their parents had sanctioned the marriage. The average Nebraska taxpayer of a county seat town paid \$36.96 in taxes for every thousand dollars' worth of property he owned in 1936.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

By Frederic J. Haskin

A reader can get the answer to any question of fact by writing The Pampa Daily News Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, director, Washington, D. C. Please enclose three (3) cents for reply.

Q. How much money has been realized from the President's birthday balls in former years? D. F. F. A. In 1934, the amount received from the birthday balls was approximately \$1,015,000. In 1935, it was approximately \$1,071,000. The amount in 1936 was estimated at approximately \$1,500,000.

Q. Has Los Angeles the largest area of any American city? P. S. A. Greater Los Angeles has an area of 1,474.34 square miles, but Greater Pittsburgh exceeds this with an area of 1,626.05 square miles.

Q. Is there a trailer camp at Mammoth Cave, Ky. J. F. A. The Mammoth Cave Operating Committee has begun work on a trailer camp which it is hoped will be completed by the time the summer touring season begins.

Q. Is Lenin's widow living? H. L. A. Mme. Nedezhda Konstantinovna Krupskaya, Lenin's widow, is living in Moscow where she is active as a speaker.

Q. Has there ever been a completely fireproof passenger ship? J. L. A. What is said to be the first one will be launched this month when the Catherine, owned by A. H. Bull & Company, is completed. The furniture, all trimmings, and doors consist of bakelite and asbestos. The joist bulkheads and all sheathing are of metal and asbestos. The fire screen bulkheads of steel are insulated with asbestos and covered with steel metal. Even the draperies have been treated with a fire-proof solution.

Q. In dog-racing, how far ahead of the dogs is the mechanical rabbit kept? N. S. A. It is kept about 20 feet ahead.

Q. How many grains are there in the average bushel of wheat? L. F. C. A. There is a wide variation—between about 446,600 and 971,900.

Q. How many miles has Mrs. Roosevelt traveled since she became mistress of the White House? J. H. A. Mrs. Roosevelt traveled 58,000 miles the first year, 42,000 miles the second year, and 35,000 miles the third year.

Q. Where is the monument to Sam Davis, the Confederate hero? E. H. A. His statue is on the Tennessee state capital grounds at Nashville, Tenn.

Q. Who conceived the idea of having chain newspapers in the United States? H. W. A. Benjamin Franklin was the first proponent of the chain newspaper idea. He did this by setting up a business young journeymen printers, supplying printing office equipment, paying one-third of the running expenses and receiving one-third of the net profits. He established such branches in seven different places: Charleston, S. C.; Annapolis, Md.; New York City; Lancaster, Pa.; New Haven, Conn.; and in Georgia.

Q. Some maps carry a name Baja Calif. What does Baja mean? A. L. B. A. The word is Spanish, meaning lower. Baja California is the peninsula of Lower California.

Q. Please give some information about Edie Bergen, the ventriloquist. G. S. A. Mr. Bergen is a native of Chicago and attended Northwestern University. He began his stage career on the chautauqua circuit having an act that included ventriloquism, magic, and cartoons. Subsequently he played in this country and abroad in an act called The Operation. In addition to appearing on the radio, stage, and in night clubs, he has made a number of movie shorts.

Q. What is the best wood to burn? W. H. A. Hickory, of the non-resinous woods, has the highest fuel value per unit volume of wood. It burns evenly and holds the heat.

FROM A FRIEND SALT LAKE CITY, (AP)—City officials ordered removal of parking meters because of a price disagreement and general protest of merchants and citizens. One citizen, however, apparently grieved their passing, Police found a large floral wreath draped over one of the meters with an appropriate sentiment attached.

FOR MY COUNTRY NEW YORK, (AP)—Ruth Sienkynska, 12-year old piano prodigy, she aspired to be the greatest pianist in the world "so the United States can have that honor."

Her father, Josef, who sailed with her for a European tour, is making an arrangement of Strauss' "Blue Danube" which he said he hopes will be so difficult only his daughter can play it.

POLITICAL COMPLIMENT TRENTON, N. J., (AP)—Mayor Frank Hague of Jersey City, Democratic leader of New Jersey and vice chairman of the Democratic national committee, told 409 state prison convicts he might have been in prison himself if the present penal system had been in effect when he was a boy.

Republican Governor Harold G. Hoffman, following on the platform, said: "It might have been tougher for Mayor Hague if he had been sent to jail, but it would have been a lot easier for the Republican party."

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# LUBBOCK BOYS WIN GOLDEN GLOVES BOOTS

FORT WORTH, Feb. 4 (AP)—Survivors in the Texas Golden Gloves tournament prepared today for bouts tonight which will leave only four contestants in each weight division.

Semi-final and final events will be tomorrow night. Winners of each division will be sent to a national tournament at Chicago.

Upsets marked opening round matches last night. T. E. Shrader of Milford sprang a surprise as he bounced from the canvas and out-punched Ray Oest of Galveston in a middleweight bout.

Another upset came when Louis Terrell, 109-pounder from Lubbock high school, rallied after a knock-down to outpoint Taylor Arnold of Dallas, heavy pre-tournament favorite, to take the flyweight title.

Babe Ritchie, 229-pounder of Lubbock, and Joe Elder, Texas Wesleyan college welterweight, both heavily favored, advanced to the second round on byes. Heavyweight, 184-pounder, featherweight and bantamweight boxers will see first action tonight.

Other results last night: Flyweights—Wayne Mixon of Houston won decision over Ted Snakewitz of Brownwood.

Lightweights—Bob Simmons of Dallas outpointed Dutch Mills of Waco; Elby P. Rowley defeated Wood Ferguson of Brownwood; Jack Loving of Lubbock defeated Jack Davis of Brownwood.

Welterweights—Jack Timney of Arlington outpointed Bill Mays of Wichita Falls; T. V. Tison of Dallas outpointed Max Mitchell of Fort Worth; Harry Hennington of Lubbock won decision over Red Daniels of Amarillo; Phillip Benestante of Houston knocked out Doyle Allen of Petrolia in second.

Middleweights—Lee Ross of University of Texas outpointed Ray Reynolds of Kilgore junior college; Carl Higler of Dallas stopped Earl Sunderman of Brownwood in third; Wynell Cox of Lubbock defeated Bill Carson of Brownwood.

# Kentucky Derby Entries Groomed

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 (AP)—It won't be long until the three-year-old colts set out for winter quarters to start training for the 63rd running of the \$50,000 Kentucky derby at Churchill Downs on May 8.

Many of the stars will be galloping before the entries are announced officially early in March. Because of the Ohio river flood, which stood several feet deep over the Downs, the closing date for the entries was moved back from Feb. 15 of March 1. Otherwise, the flood has not altered plans for the classic.

In Tennessee and Kentucky, not many miles from where the Ohio reached unprecedented heights, are quartered several outstanding candidates. The others are stabled in almost every section of the country.

Reaping Rewards and Case Ace from Mrs. Ehel V. Mars' Milky Way farm, are at Pulaski, Tenn. E. R. Bradley's Brooklyn is receiving preliminary training at his owner's Idle Hour farm near Lexington. Not far away are Warren Wright's two eligibles—Privileged and Galsum.

Chief of the eastern hopefuls is J. H. Louchheim's Pompoon, stabled in Maryland's Worthington Valley. Reaping Reward, winner of the recent nation-wide poll, probably will open in the books at the choice on the basis of his victories over Pompoon in the New England futurity and privileged in the Kentucky Jockey club stakes.

# MOBETTIE GIRLS HAVE WON 4 TOURNAMENTS

MOBETTIE, Feb. 4.—Supt. M. D. Blankenship is not only a school leader but a great basketball coach. His girls team this season has won four invitation tournaments and was runner-up in three others.

Victory cups of the Mobettie high school trophy room includes first place in the semi-final game of the Kellon and Canadian tournaments and second places in the Allison, Mobettie and Briscoe tournaments, all won by Allison's crack sextet.

Allison, with 24 consecutive victories this season, was the Mobettie opponent in the semi-final game of the Canadian tournament last week. Taking no heed of the Allison record the Mobettie girls broke thru to down their foe, 40 to 31. The Hornet lassies then won the final game from Canadian, 48 to 31.

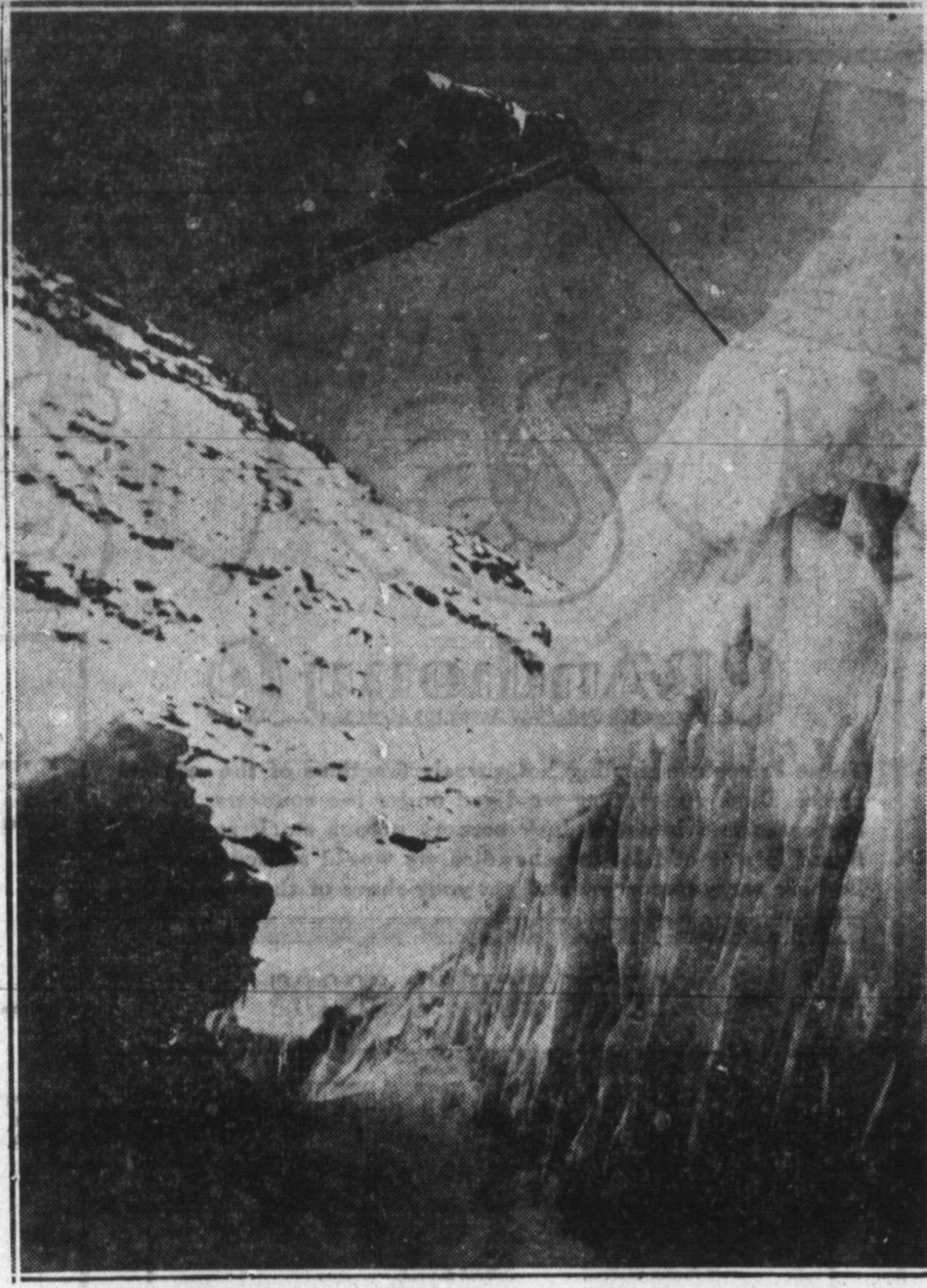
Mobettie's only losses this season have been to Allison. The second team, however, lost a game to the Wheeler sextet last week.

# Chicago Ski Tower Is 184 Feet High

CHICAGO, Feb. 4 (AP)—The breath-taking pastime of risking life and limbs on a skills will be brought to the heat of Chicago Sunday in a fashion not seen even in the wide open spaces.

From atop the world's tallest ski tower, a structure reaching 184 feet toward the sky just outside the south wall of Soldier Field, a star field will rise in the Centre U. S. Ski Assoc. title meet sponsored by the Chicago Daily Times. Rising as high as a 15-story building, the giant slide sweeps 425 feet down the wall of the huge stadium, giving the sky cavalymen plenty of space for record leaps. The snow will be of the artificial variety, manufactured from 1,000,000 pounds of ice. Weather cold enough to keep the snow from melting will be the only help needed from natural sources.

# Skier Leaps Over Mountain Crevasse



The magic splendor of snow and ice and blood-tinging daring are combined in this dramatic action photograph of a skier leaping over a glacial crevasse high in the mountains.

# Miami First String Swamps Guerilla Cage Team 55-13

## PROMOTERS AND MANAGERS OF FIGHTERS IN FREE-FOR-ALL

### Sports Roundup

By SCOTTY RESTON

NEW YORK, Feb. 3 (AP)—Eleanor Holm Jarrett ran herself out of the Amateur Athletic union last December 27 and she doesn't even know it now. She failed to renew her A. A. U. registration card on that date, and A. A. U. officials, still passing the buck on the case, are satisfied to keep quiet about it and hope she doesn't rock the boat. The big fellow on the 42nd street ferry every morning at 11:15 is James J. Braddock, the heavyweight champion. He's on his way to Joe Gould's Central Park hotel to see what's new.

Sign on Cincinnati's flooded ball park: "No game today. — wet grounds." Bob Pastor tapes up his left eyebrow before a fight. He won his first important match with it taped and likes to have his opponent aiming at the tape, because actually it's the right eyebrow that needs it. The New York State Unemployment Insurance department lists major league ball players as "manual labor" . . . Incidentally, the Giants and Yankees don't have to pay the full New York state income tax because they carry part of their money on the road. . . . Jimmy Johnston is trying to arrange a Baer-Pastor bout for March 19.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 (AP)—James Joy Johnston, matchmaker for Madison Square Garden, is mourning these days for poor old Maxie Baer. . . . It seems poor Maxie lost around 100 suits of clothes when Manager Anell Hoffman's Sacramento house burned down the other night, and while this is nothing to what a good fire could get at Maxie's own house, it must, as James Joy says, have cut into the wardrobe quite a bit. . . . Starting with suits, it is no trick at all for Johnston to get to Baer's most recent misfortune. . . . Arthur Donovan, who refereed the Baer-Joe Louis fight, testified before the New York state athletic commission yesterday that when Louis landed the knockout punch, he (Mr. Donovan) felt forced to lean over at the count of eight and whisper to Max: "Get up." . . . More specifically, Donovan said he was of the opinion Maxie heard him quite distinctly but decided to cling to the safety of the floor. . . . This obviously does not help Johnston's proposed Baer-Bob Pastor fight in March, and what Mr. Johnston, loud as an auctioneer, has to say about Donovan must be cited twisted, polished and divided by three.

George Selkirk won't like this, but his Yankees teammate, Red Rolfe, swears it's true: During a tough game, an argument started and developed into a brawl. . . . When it finally calmed down, Rolfe saw Selkirk go over to first base, lift up the edge of the bag, pick something up and put it in his pocket. . . . When they came into the dugout

A fast-breaking Miami high school basketball team last night swamped the Pampa Guerrillas 55 to 13 in a game played here. The victors used the speedy type of play with surprising skill and assurance, handling the ball well and passing with quick, easy motions. Whenever they got the ball, the Guerrillas handled it well but size and experience kept them from doing much playing. Little Foster, a guard, led the scoring for the Guerrillas with six points.

Arrington, Miami's rangy center, was high scorer on the floor. He was closely followed by Locke, another tall boy with a deadly shot. Miami will represent Roberts county in the district tournament here on Feb. 19 and 20.

The Guerrillas will meet the Miami second string in a return game, maybe Saturday night, Coach Bob Curry said today. The Miami lineup last night included: Drumm and Roach forwards; Arrington, center; Locke and Murry, guards. Guerrillas were O. Harrell and Williams, forwards; McDaniel, center; Foster and Esslinger, guards; P. Harrell was a substitute.

## BUDGE DETERMINED TO BEAT BITSY THIS TIME

SURFSIDE, Fla., Feb. 4 (AP)—Don Budge is showing signs of newly found determination not to take a third straight tennis beating from Bryan Grant, his nemesis from Atlanta.

A lull in singles competition in the Surf club tournament today found Budge pitted against Arthur Hendrix of Lakeland who enjoys some reputation as a giant killer. Grant plays Charles Harris of Palm Beach, another dangerous swinger.

## 'Loss' Ready to Perform Another Fistic 'Miracle'

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4 (AP)—Los Angeles, always ready to perform a miracle, today produced a pair of fight managers willing to help Bob Pastor of New York cash in on his feat of not getting knocked out by Joe Louis.

Foster, who helped Jimmy McLarrin goldplate his future, has an up and coming-back young heavyweight, Lee Ramage. Between them, they are anxious to contribute to young Mr. Pastor's career and will do so for an appropriate share of the purse.

Gus Wilson, who started training and handling fighters when Jack Johnson was a pretentious boy, possesses that coast's brightest heavyweight prospect of the year in Bob Hextell.

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# Harvester Cagers And Tulia Will Play Here This Evening

Canada's Candidate

Albert Ayer, veteran Harvester center, was back in school this morning after an absence of two days, but he will not be able to play tonight when his mates take the floor against the Tulia Hornets who lost to the Pampans by big score at the beginning of the season. The basketball contest will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Blood-poisoning set up in Ayer's arm Monday. A small scratch caused the dangerous infection. He will not be able to play against Lubbock tomorrow night and Plainview Saturday night, it is believed.

Coach Odus Mitchell will probably send "Admiral" Dewey to the center position again, as he did at Whittsburg Tuesday night. Cox and Heiskell will be at the forward positions, and Reynolds and Kilgore will hold down the guard berths. McKay, Cunningham and Enloe will be ready to take the starters' places if any of the latter should falter.

## Dietrich Denies Husband Trouble

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 (AP)—Mildly amused, Marlene Dietrich was back from an 8-months visit to Europe today with an airy denial of husband trouble—or of any budding romance with Douglas Fairbanks Jr. Displaying shiny boots, Russian-style, on the famous Dietrich legs, the German actress said there wasn't a chance of her seeking a divorce from her husband, Rudolph Sieber, a movie director, who is now in Paris.

She lifted only a cryptic eyebrow when ship news reporters questioned her on reports young Fairbanks had been her devoted squire in London.

## LILY PONS TO SING AND DANCE IN OPERA

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 (AP)—Lily Pons matched the high notes of exotic arias with the classic steps of a ballet dancer to inject new life today into customarily staid opera.

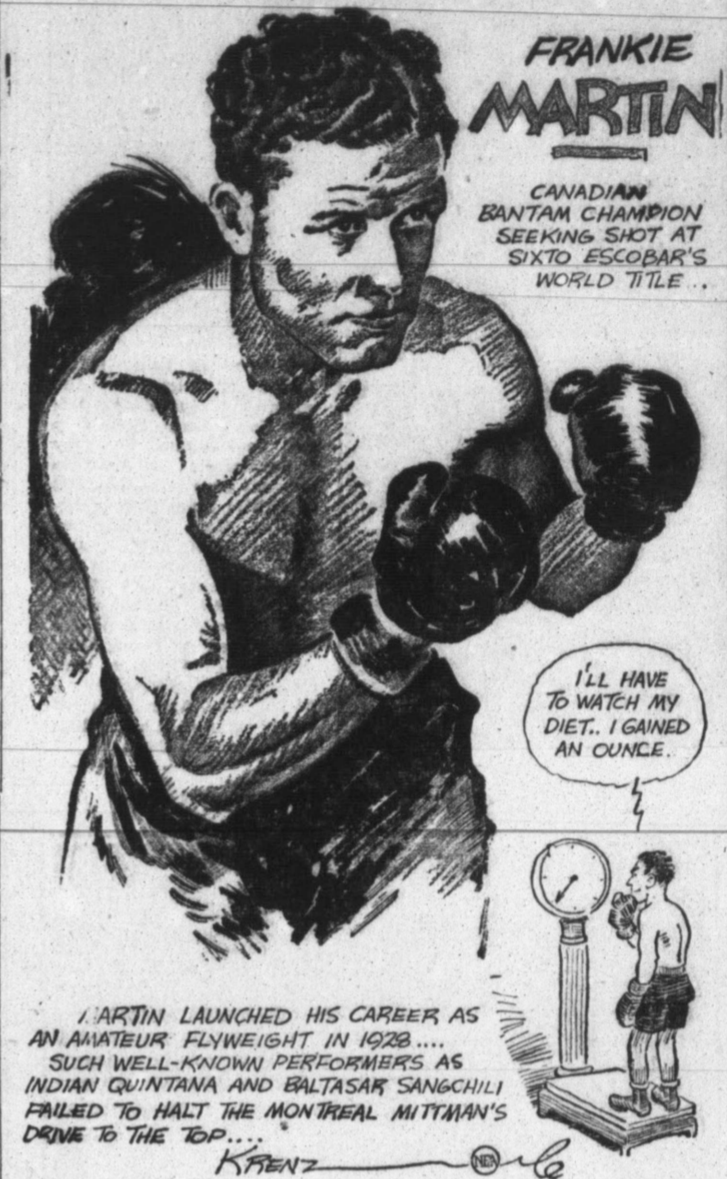
The petite opera star had the role of the wicked sorceress in Rimsky-Korsakov's 30-year-old opera "Coc d'Or" (The Golden Cockerel).

Today's performance marked the first time in the United States an artist essayed the dual task of singing and dancing in this role.

Rimsky-Korsakov intended his singers also would dance. First presented in Russia, "Coc d'Or" was done that way but difficulties in combining the action and music led to a division of the labor.

A ballet troupe danced the action in pantomime and the singers stood at the side or backstage. The Metropolitan followed that idea when the opera was presented first in America in 1918 and again seven years ago with Gall-Curci in the leading role.

Miss Pons was forced to train her voice to reach high E and hold that note for some 20 to 25 seconds, all the while carrying out the dance.



MARTIN LAUNCHED HIS CAREER AS AN AMATEUR FLYWEIGHT IN 1928. SUCH WELL-KNOWN PERFORMERS AS INDIAN QUINTANA AND BALTASAR SANGCHILI FAILED TO HALT THE MONTREAL MITTMAN'S DRIVE TO THE TOP.

## COURT RECORD

AUSTIN, Feb. 4 (AP)—Proceedings in the Court of Criminal Appeals included: Affirmed: J. H. Kendrick from Wichita; J. B. Stanton from McLennan; H. L. Martin from Nueces; Opal Pearson from Anderson, Lizzie Mae Palmer from McLennan; W. R. Bell from Howard.

Judgment reversed and affirmed: Will Frank Parent from Nueces. Reversed and remanded: Jerome Kirkendoll from Hale. Judgment reversed and prosecution ordered dismissed: W. A. Wilkinson from Lubbock.

Submitted on affidavit to withdraw appeal: Floyd Johnson from Tom Green; Bob Huff from Wichita.

Submitted on state's motion for rehearing: Lee Ogburn from Bowie. Submitted on affidavit to withdraw motion for rehearing: New Lytton from Travis.

Submitted on appellant's motion for rehearing: Lovie Blackerby from Smith; Harry Abadie from Jefferson; Earl Pleasant from Jefferson.

## Basketball Scores Wednesday Night

(By The Associated Press) Springfield, Mo., Teachers 28; University of Mexico 18. Wichita University 32; St. Louis University 31. Navy 53; Maryland 37. Duke 31; Army 28. New York University 29; St. John's 21. Notre Dame 47; Purdue 40. Oklahoma A. & M. 32; Oklahoma University 27.

## GIFTS FROM MEXICO

LAREDO, Feb. 4 (AP)—Reports received here today said about \$3,000 had been contributed for relief of midwestern flood sufferers by the American colony at Monterrey, Mex. The total included \$777 collected by the American women of the Monterrey women's club and sent directly to the secretary of state in Washington by Counsel William Blocker.

# LEFORS WINS 21-19 BATTLE AT ALANREED

ALANREED, Feb. 4.—The LeFors Pirates upset the county basketball race Tuesday night with a 21 to 19 victory over the Alanreed Longhorns. The Longhorns had previously defeated McLean. McLean has won from LeFors. Now standings are tied up again.

James, Alanreed star, was the big noise on the floor but his teammates were unable to give him any support. The youngster looped five field goals and a free throw to lead the scoring parade.

Robertson, a new find, and Ted Simmons made six points each for the Pirates. It was Bigham, however, who paced the Pirates with his steady handling of the ball and his defensive work. He looped the tying free throw and then put the game away with a field goal in the closing seconds of the game.

LeFors led all the way, 6 to 2 at the first quarter, 12 to 8 at the half and 14 to 12 at the third quarter. The LeFors girls defeated the home team in an avalanche of field goals, 32 to 28. Both sextets played bang-up ball from the opening whistle.

Led by Coach Francis Smith, the LeFors faculty five downed the Alanreed pros, 36 to 2. Smith looped 18 points. Darnell was high for Alanreed with six points.

## NO CHANGES MADE IN REGION ONE FOOTBALL

No changes were made in Region 1, Class B football, at a meeting yesterday in Houston. The same teams that participated last season will battle for honors in 1937.

Four new teams were admitted in East Texas and the setup changed in several districts. Teams in Region 1 this year, by districts: District 1—Canyon, Dalhart, Dimmitt, Dumas, Friona, Happy, Hereford, Tulia.

District 2—Canadian, Claude, Fallett, Groom, Miami, Panhandle, Perryton, Phillips (Whittsburg), Spearman, White Deer. District 3—Clarendon, Lakeview, LeFors, McLean, Memphis, Mobeetie, Shamrock, Wellington, Wheeler. District 4—Estelline, Flomott, Floydada, Lockney, Matador, Paducah, Quitaque, Silvertown, Spur, Turkey.

District 5—Canyon, Dalhart, Dimmitt, Dumas, Friona, Happy, Hereford, Tulia.

District 6—Canadian, Claude, Fallett, Groom, Miami, Panhandle, Perryton, Phillips (Whittsburg), Spearman, White Deer.

District 7—Clarendon, Lakeview, LeFors, McLean, Memphis, Mobeetie, Shamrock, Wellington, Wheeler.

District 8—Estelline, Flomott, Floydada, Lockney, Matador, Paducah, Quitaque, Silvertown, Spur, Turkey.

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The Santa Fe is happy to announce the completion and opening to service, on February 1st, 1937, of the longest piece of new railroad undertaken in the United States in the past year—the 112 miles of new line linking Las Animas, Colorado, with Boise City, Oklahoma.

The new line carries rail facilities to and through a considerable area of potentially rich country, but it has an even broader purpose—to provide finer Santa Fe service for the shippers and consumers of a tremendous and already developed territory.

In a word, the new road, linking together existing Santa Fe lines, provides to the shippers and consumers of a vast and productive area of Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Colorado, and of the northern mountain states clear to the Pacific Northwest, through facilities and shorter routings for the rapid interchange of their shipments. It reduces the previous shortest rail distance between Amarillo, Texas, and Denver, Colorado, by over 25 miles. It saves from 142 to 228 miles in the movement of freight over the Santa Fe to and from Colorado, from and to points in Texas, and on portions of the Santa Fe in Oklahoma and New Mexico. Today, Amarillo is placed but 435 miles from Denver, via the Santa Fe. Products of the Pacific Northwest, connecting with the Santa Fe at Colorado points, can now have direct routing to the markets of Texas and the Gulf ports, while producers in the Lone Star State will benefit from similar service in reaching Colorado and the great Northwest.

The new line has been carefully sited and solidly constructed, with every facility for the handling of business offered at new stations located in a territory that had been making progress even in advance of the advent of the rails. Here is good wheat country, and corn, grain sorghums, broom corn and other crops have done well with natural rainfall. In the Las Animas area, where irrigation farming is done with water from the Arkansas River, there is promise of greatly increased production of sugar beets, melons, vegetables, onions, and alfalfa. West of Springfield, Colorado, and Boise City, Oklahoma, and north of Amarillo, general farming and livestock raising are important activities. Among the towns on the new line north of Amarillo, in Texas, are Dumas and Stratford.

In the construction of the new Boise City-Las Animas line, the Santa Fe reaffirms its abiding faith in the future of that vast Southwest in which it pioneered and with which it has grown. Your local Santa Fe representative will be glad to point out how the new line can best be of service to you.

# Santa Fe System Lines

EDWARD IS REPORTED TIRING OF SECLUSION

VIENNA, Feb. 4. (AP)—The gay Austrian capital, emboldened by reports Edward of Windsor was tiring of seclusion, sought today to draw the self-exiled former British ruler into the whirl of Vienna's social season.

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(Continued From Page 1) a month ago was that it be designated the "sole" bargaining agency on behalf of employees.

The continued occupancy of General Motors plants by strikers has presented one of the major obstacles to a settlement conference.

Gov. Frank Murphy appeared pleased with the undisclosed results of two sessions with representatives of the corporation and the union as he called the conferees to another meeting here (at 9 a. m. CST).

Another factor reducing the uneasiness in the troop-patrolled strike zone was a "truce" signed by the United Automobile Workers of America and Flint civil authorities.

Following the strikers' defiance of an evacuation court injunction yesterday, both Circuit Judge Paul V. Gadola, who issued the injunction, and Sheriff Thomas W. Wolcott, who would be charged with enforcing it, said the next move was up to General Motors, which took no apparent action to seek removal of the "sit-downers."

WELL STARTS FLOWING. SHELVEPORT, La., Feb. 4. (AP)—Hocomb & Thomas, Flish & Hocomb's Henderson No. 1 three miles north of Jefferson, Texas, Marion county, after being swabbed since Saturday, started flowing of its own power this morning, making estimated 50 to 60 barrels of oil during the first hour through open tubing.

FOUR DIE IN CRASH. BELFAST, Ireland, Feb. 4. (AP)—An airplane owned by a London newspaper was found by a shepherd today near Newton-Stewart, Scotland, wrecked and burned, its four occupants dead.

TWO PERSONS KILLED. LAKE CHARLES, La., Feb. 4. (AP)—Two persons were killed and five were injured late yesterday in a highway crash between an automobile and a truck a mile and a half east of Iowa, La.

SHIPS 4,000 SKINS. NEW BRAUNFELS, Feb. 4. (AP)—Arthur Kessler says he shipped about 4,000 furs this season, mainly possums. Other pelts included 400 coons, the same number of ringtails, some rabbit and skunk.

SENTENCE SUSPENDED. John Layman, charged with driving an auto on the public highway while intoxicated, was given a one-year suspended sentence when he pleaded guilty in district court.

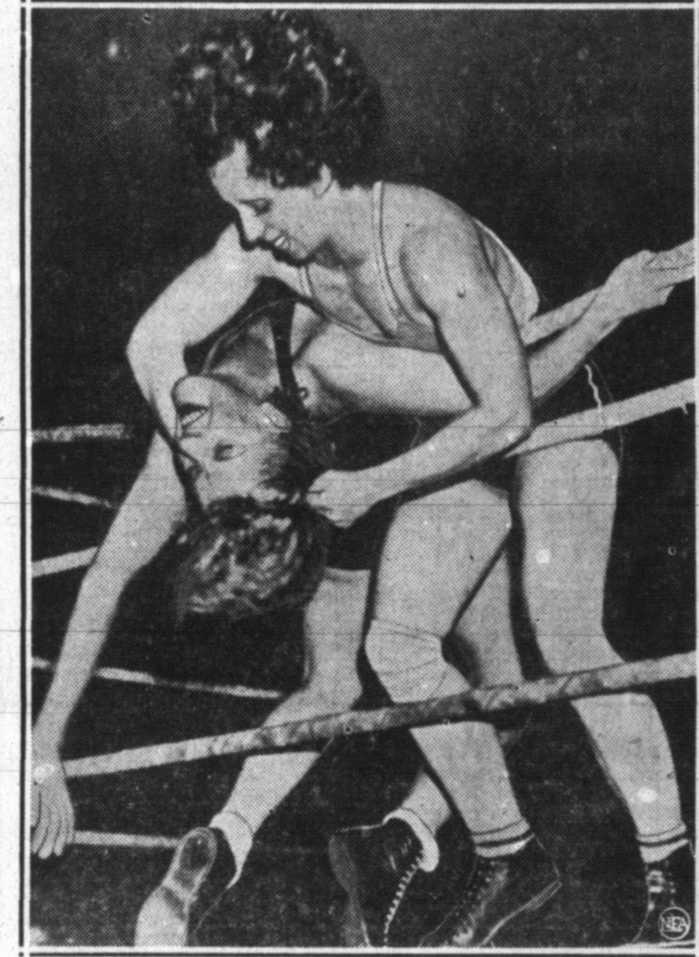
Mrs. Helen Partridge has recovered from an attack of influenza.

GOVERNORS TAKE PART IN RAIL CELEBRATION



Citizens of four states joined in celebrating the opening of the Santa Fe's new line between Boise City and Las Animas, February 1. Speaking at an Amarillo banquet were (standing, left to right): Jules Cox, representing Gov. Marland of Oklahoma; W. K. Etter and F. B. Houghton, Santa Fe vice-presidents; Gene Howe, Amarillo editor, hostmaster; and (seated, left to right): Gov. Alfred of Texas, Gov. Ammons of Colorado, and Gov. Tingley of New Mexico.

Sweeping Into Championship



Mildred Burke of Kansas City, Mo., took opportunity by the forelock as it were to wrest the world's feminine wrestling championship from Clara Mortenson of Glendale, Calif. in a match at Chattanooga, Tenn. That's Clara who is being parted from her title hair by hair.

MARKET BRIEFS

Table with multiple columns listing market data for various commodities like wheat, corn, oil, and livestock. Includes sub-sections for 'NEW YORK', 'CHICAGO GRAIN', 'KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK', and 'INCOME TAX BILL FILED'.

WOULD HIKE PENSION. AUSTIN, Feb. 4. (AP)—The House of Representatives today sent back to the labor committee a bill by Rep. Joe Ed Winfree of Houston to increase the maximum workman's

compensation from \$20 to \$30 a week. Mrs. E. E. Bechtelheimer is slowly recovering from a severe attack of influenza.

McLEAN RAISES \$288. McLEAN, Feb. 4.—The McLean chapter of the Red Cross has raised \$288.09 for the flood relief fund, with every indication of exceeding \$300, according to Boyd Meador.

chairman of the local chapter. McLean's quota was set at \$225. The emancipation proclamation is in the new Archives building at Washington.

DIVORCE GRANTED. A divorce was granted in district court to Verean Dunn from George Dunn, according to records in the district court clerk's office.



No-Fade Shirts. We hate to do this but as we are not in the laundry business, it has to be done. You buy them and wash 'em. \$1.49 values. \$1

CR Anthony Co. These Prices are sizzling hot, merely fractions of the original prices. During inventory we dived under the counters, behind the cases and into the dark corners of our stock room.

Jackie Jumper. Coats, Jackets, Pants. If you are looking for a selection of patterns we have them, but they do not match, just another buyer's mistake. Values to \$4.95. \$1

Men's Sweaters. There is really nothing wrong here. We just bought too many, or the weather wasn't cold enough. Anyway you can have them for 1/2 PRICE

SALE OF TOILET GOODS. 50¢ Size PEPSODENT ANTISEPTIC. Limit per customer—while they last! 1 REG. 50¢ BOTTLE 1¢. With purchase of 4 Regular bottles 39¢

Men's Jackets. There are eighteen garments in this lot. Some are corduroy, others wool, most of them are the wrong sizes. Values to \$2.98. 69¢

Children's Union Suits. They say children have quit wearing union suits. We believe them, at least they have quit wearing this tuck stitch kind. You can have them now for— 25¢

Table listing various White Elephant products and prices: Palmolive Soap (3c), Hinds Honey and Almond Cream (39c), Lady Esther Face Cream (37c), Ipana Tooth Paste (39c), Vaseline Hair Tonic (37c), Listerine (39c), Ponds Cream (39c), Pebecco Tooth Paste (19c), Woodbury's Face Powder (39c).

Corduroy Overalls. Children's sizes. They are made with tab fronts, which is wrong. We found that out, too. They were \$1.98. Now— 79¢

White Elephant Values! Kenwood Blankets. We thought everyone liked Kenwood all-wool blankets, but they don't, so we have seven that are getting soiled. You can buy them now at 25% OFF

More White Elephant Values. Ladies' Coats. We have twelve of these untrimmied coats. The salespeople tried all Fall to sell them for \$14.75. They failed! You can have them now for \$5.00

White Elephant Values! Ladies Hats and Flowers. We wouldn't want to say what these ones sold for, you wouldn't believe us. But anyway here they are. Your choice— 10c EACH

Gloves - Collars. We have one big pile of left-over cloth gloves and dirty-collars and cuff sets. Take your pick if you can use them. 15c

Ladies' Coats. We have twelve of these untrimmied coats. The salespeople tried all Fall to sell them for \$14.75. They failed! You can have them now for \$5.00

Wash Dresses. We have eighteen dresses that are dirty and need pressing. They were once \$1.98 frocks. Your choice— 25c EACH

Prints and Scrim. An assortment of fast color prints and narrow width' scrim. Some short and some long. Take your pick. We need the room. 5c YD.

SUEDE SHOES. We expected you to buy a whale of a lot more suede shoes than you did. We missed our guess. Our loss, your gain. \$1.98

Wool Dresses. There are twelve dresses in this group. The styles are bad, the colors worse, and there probably won't be a size you can use, but here they go— \$1.00

Men's Winter Union Suits. Nothing wrong, we just bought too many. These sold at 68c pair. Now— 50c PAIR

Children's Boots. Lace or Pull On Styles. Small Sizes \$1.00. Drew Arch Rest Styles. Values to \$5.99. \$1.49

Ladies' Silk Hose. Do ladies still wear hose? From the looks of this assortment I would say no. If you do, buy yourself a bargain— 15c PAIR

HAPPY RELIEF FROM PAINFUL BACKACHE. Caused by Tired Kidneys. Many of those gnawing, nagging, painful backaches people blame on colds or strain are often caused by tired kidneys—and may be relieved when treated in the right way.

Children's Suede Oxfords. Values to \$2.98. \$1.00

Children's Panties. Tuck Slit Style. Really we don't know what is wrong with them. We tried 25c, then 19c, then 10c, but you still would not buy. So now— 5c PAIR

# ANTI-DROUGHT PLANS URGED BY ROOSEVELT

## LONG-TIME PLANNING WILL COMBAT FLOODS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—President Roosevelt, having just recommended long-time planning to combat floods, set himself today to involve that principle against droughts.

While Congress began to digest his proposal for an ever-ready \$5,000,000,000 public work program, he studied another report designed to protect the Great Plains areas from the devastation of 1934 and 1936 it may go to the capitol in the next few days.

Support for a flexible six-year construction program, embracing curbs on rivers and presented as preparedness, was evident there.

Similarly, the administration counted on sympathy for a 20 to 25-year program to prevent the drought and dust-storm center from becoming an "economic desert."

Democrats cited economists' estimates that the latest Ohio and Mississippi overflows would cost business in that territory \$600,000,000.

Other losses due to damaged homes and the necessity for relief millions had yet to be estimated. Officials said 300,000,000 tons of rich topsoil was washed away.

Experts who studied the last two droughts for the President said the relief costs exceeded \$500,000,000. Their proposals, aimed both to offset nature and make the 2,500,000 farmers in the area self-supporting, were expected to include:

An immediate survey of the interior, extending from Canada to Western Texas, to map plans for each area on advice of agricultural and engineering experts.

Establishment of a federal-states policy board to pass on the plans. Local groups, similar to county-farmer committees administering federal farm programs, would be responsible for administration.

Federal and state programs to expand the public ownership of land.

State land-use zoning laws to enforce conservation of both soil and water.

Financial assistance to tenants and land owners to enable them to increase the average size of many present farms. These loans would be conditioned upon practicing conservation.

The Great Plains includes a belt about 1,400 miles long and 750 wide, all east of the Rocky Mountains. It embraces 400,000,000 acres, or about one fifth of all the land surface of the United States.

### WRONG NUMBER GETS RIGHT MAN —SO ALL'S RIGHT.

PUEBLO, Colo. (AP)—It was the wrong number but the right party, so Bert Spear's telephone call went through without delay.

He called a lumber company and when the telephone was answered asked for a friend by name.

Spear talked several minutes before he discovered his friend was not at the lumber firm's office, but at another place.

He had called the wrong number, but his friend was at the wrong number, too.

According to preliminary calculations, the total income received from cotton growing by Russian collective farms for 1936 will reach 3,600,000,000 rubles — one billion more than last year.

## Quickly Ease DISCOMFORT OF COLD with SORE THROAT



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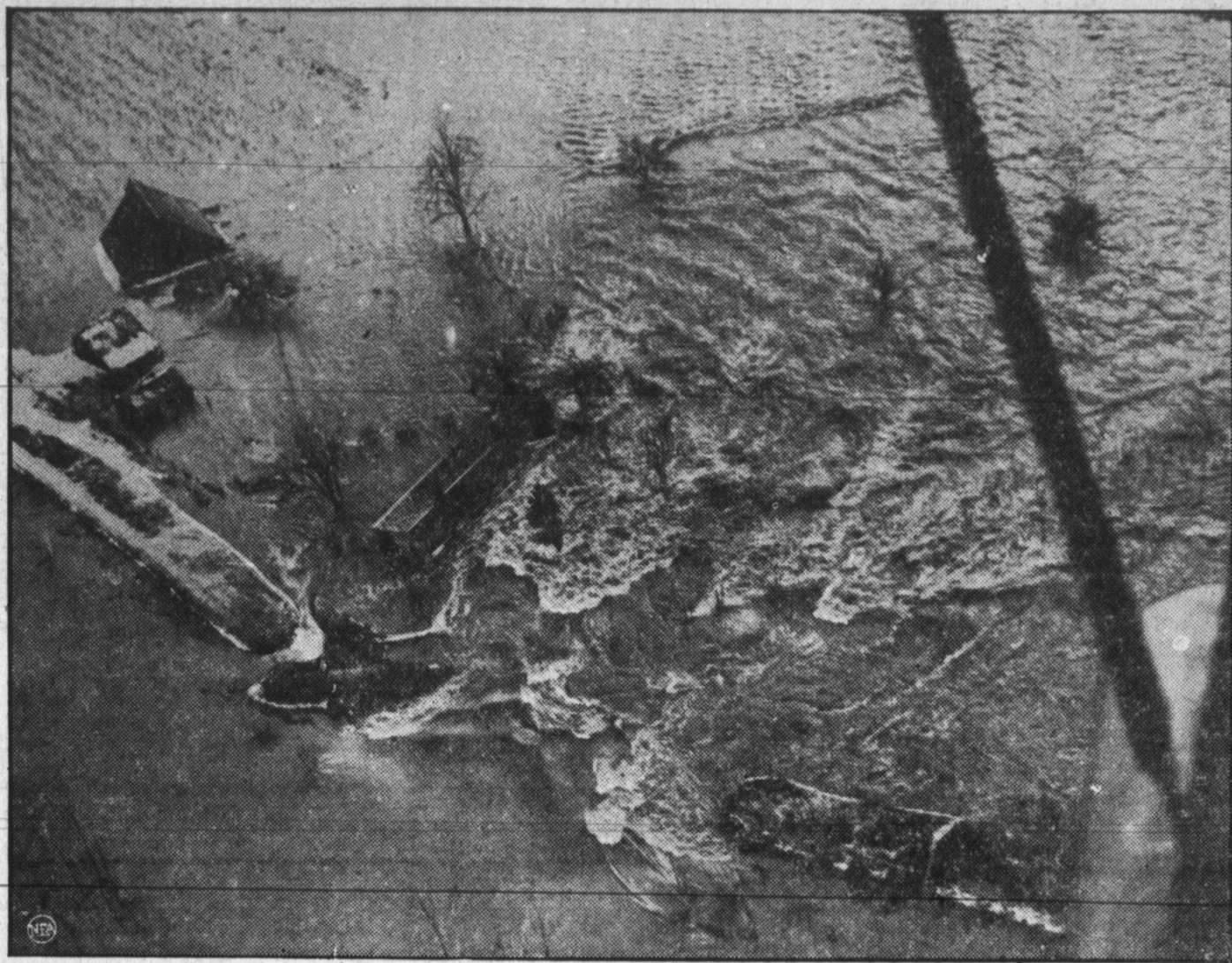
2 Gargle twice. This eases soreness almost instantly.

3 Take 2 Bayer Aspirin tablets with full glass of water.

As soon as you feel yourself catching cold, follow this modern way. Your doctor, we know, will endorse it. This medicinal gargle will provide almost instant relief from rawness and soreness. The Bayer Aspirin you take internally will act to combat fever and pains which usually accompany a cold. Ask for Bayer Aspirin by its full name — not "aspirin" alone.

15¢ FOR A DOZEN 3 FULL DOZEN FOR 25¢ Virtually 1¢ a Tablet

# LEEVE IS BLASTED TO SAVE CAIRO



With a roar, rising flood waters of the Ohio rushed through this gap in the levee above Cairo, Ill., after it was dynamited by army engineers in a desperate effort to relieve pressure on the almost-bursting levee at Cairo by diverting water into spillways above the city. Houses, barns and livestock, deliberately sacrificed to save Cairo's 12,000 people, were swept before the tumbling water at Bird's Point, shown in this air view. More than 120,000 acres constituting the "spillway" were quickly flooded. A strut of the plane from which the picture was made appears at the right.

## Skidding Bus Becomes Fatal Trap for 17



Death brought winter holidays to a tragic conclusion for most of the passengers aboard the sight-seeing bus bound from Miami to the Everglades, when it lost a wheel and hurtled into the canal along the Tamiami trail. Only 13 of the 30 holiday makers escaped alive, the others being trapped in their seats and drowned or too stunned to fight for their lives. Above a crowd watches efforts to drag the death bus from the water.

## CAPITOL JIGSAW

By HOWARD C. MARSHALL

TUSTIN, Feb. 3 (AP)—Youth was served by Speaker Robert W. Calvert in his appointments of House committee chairmen.

Here are the ages of some of the chairmen and their committees: Commerce and manufactures, Ross Hardin of Prairie Hill, 25; criminal jurisprudence, Howard C. Davidson of Rotan, 27; highways and motor traffic, G. C. Morris of Greenville, 24; judiciary, Herman Jones of Decatur, 25; liquor traffic, J. Bryan Bradbury of Abilene, 24; municipal and private corporations, Tom Bullock of Lewisville, 29; gas and mining, Eugene Worley of Shamrock, 27; public lands and buildings, Geo. A. Davison Jr. of Eastland, 28; and revenue and taxation, Alf W. Roark of Silsbee, 25.

The chairmanship of the appropriations committee went to the veteran Harry N. Graves of Georgetown, 59, who served in four previous legislatures, and Fred Mauritz of Canada, 54, was made chairman of the state affairs committee.

Calvert, 31, is one of the youngest men ever to hold the powerful position of speaker.

The same day recently bills were introduced in the House to abolish the death penalty and to make it mandatory for the kidnaping of children under 15 years of age for ransom.

Albert L. Darden of Marlin, 31, sponsored the measure to abolish capital punishment, and E. F. Harrell of Paris, former peace officer, that to make it compulsory for convicted kidnapers.

Governor James V. Allred, formerly attorney general, told the legislature in a special message it had been "niggardly" in appropriating for expenses of the attorney general's department.

He made the statement in a special message urging an emergency appropriation for court costs in state suits prosecuted by the attorney general's department and for traveling expenses of departmental assistants.

He noted the United States Supreme Court requires a cash deposit in advance for costs, and Texas now

pending several important suits in that tribunal. While he was attorney general, he said, the only way he could raise such costs was to have a warrant issued and get some person to cash it.

Pointing out that the attorney general's assistants had been limited to \$3.60 a day for hotel and meals, the governor said it was impossible to obtain decent hotel accommodations in Washington for that amount, to say nothing of meals.

"During my administration," he said, "not a single representative of the attorney general's department made a trip to Washington without suffering a considerable financial loss."

One of the immediate effects of the election of C. V. Terrell as chairman of the Railroad Commission was moving him to the center seat on the rostrum at the last oil and gas prorotation hearing.

The seat had been occupied two years by Ernest O. Thompson whom Terrell succeeded in the regular biennial rotation of the chairmanship.

The other member of the commission is Lon Smith.

An early official act of Terrell as chairman was to read the recommendation of the Federal Bureau of Mines for Texas production of oil in January. Although it was an increase over the recommendation for January, it still was less than the current allowable.

After reading the message, Terrell dryly remarked he would be glad to have volunteers among the operators offer to cut their allowables to bring the recommendation and the current production in line. There was a laugh, but no other response.

The operators had another laugh after one asked for an increase in the allowable of a district and the commission unexpectedly produced figures to show the district had not been able to produce the allowable it had for two months.

Mark McGee of Fort Worth arose and stated that before he asked anything for his clients' prorotation area he would like to squint at the commission's records.

"Gentlemen," he said, "after the squint, I will stand on the record of previous hearings, and I would like to submit that statement without cross examination."

Thompson had just returned from Washington where he urged President Roosevelt to endorse the interstate oil compact as a means of regulating the oil industry, instead of direct federal control.

of the 239 strikebound vessels, tieup of which by the 98-day conflict caused a loss to coast business estimated as high as \$686,000,000—\$7,000,000 a day.

OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS—DUMPIAN ANSWERS LOUDLY. MARYSVILLE, Kas. (AP)—Opportunity knocked in a dump heap for George E. Williams, who took over care of the city dump here for \$21 a month after several other men turned down the job.

Williams salvaged enough wood to build his family a four-room home and poultry house. The latter is stocked with 75 chickens that hatched from "rotten" eggs discarded by a local hatchery. The chickens are fed from state bread Williams finds.

The dump heap also provides him with fuel and a steady income from the sale of bottles, cans and metals. Impressed by his initiative city officials raised his wages to \$30 a month.

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# FIGHT IS NOT WON IN SOUTH

## ENGINEERS CONFIDENT OF ULTIMATE VICTORY

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 4 (AP)—The tide of battle against record flood crests ran favorably along the upper Mississippi today but engineers cautioned that the fight to save the valley from untold disaster was not yet won.

Army engineers directing the nation's greatest anti-flood offensive remained confident of victory but pointed out the crests now ahead for Millwood and Ferguson, in Arkansas, and the secondary levee system in northwest Tennessee awaited its most serious test.

However, crest waters flowed by Cairo with full three feet of seawall left on the city's flood defenses. The fall of the Ohio at Paducah further cheered the embattled city, evacuated by all except flood fighters.

Stationary from 9 a. m. until 6 p. m., yesterday, the Cairo gauge registered 59.95 feet, while at Hickman a stage of 51.38 feet was recorded. New Madrid reported the river stationary with a gauge of 47.94 feet.

Some rain was forecast for today. Danger lurked at every bend in

the 1,600-mile sweep from Cairo to New Orleans; there was no relaxation of effort among the 120,000 pick and shovel laborers working day and night on the embankments protecting the south's fertile farm lands.

Cairo's struggle was far from ended and the situation at Hickman remained critical. The worst of the river's rampage remained ahead for Millwood and Ferguson, in Arkansas, and the secondary levee system in northwest Tennessee awaited its most serious test.

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day in the affected states but conditions generally remained favorable.

The Red Cross and other agencies reported progress in systematizing the care of some 200,000 valley residents already forced from homes. Health conditions remained encouraging.

New work on the Hickman seawall was completed last night. The Red Cross levee also was in good shape.

The rising water had reached the bulkhead on the subsiding levee at Wellwood, Ark., but there was ample freeboard.

Floodwater from a break in the Besse landing levee all but encircled Tiptonville and spread over adjacent thousands of acres.

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Coty Air-Spun Face Powder . . . \$1.00

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13 Self.  
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24 Bell sound.  
25 Hurray!  
26 Lump of coal.  
27 Sea eagle.  
28 Doves' home.  
29 Kimono sash.  
30 Note in scale.  
31 Authority.  
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**ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE**

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31 Switchboard compartment.  
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38 Line on which a body revolves.  
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40 You and me.  
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46 Membranous bag.  
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## THE FINANCIAL WHIRLIGIG

By LOUIS SCHNEIDER

**SUPPORT.** At this writing nobody knows exactly when the Federal Reserve Board is to announce an increase in reserve requirements. Several southwestern and New York banks have argued against such a move. But it is expected.

In preparation two of the largest banks—according to government bond circles—have sold close to \$200,000,000 of long-term Treasury issues while prices were strong. The Federal Reserve Bank was said to have been the taker thus furnishing support to the government bond market.

**SWITCHING.** Investment brokers disclose that bondholders are being eased out of positions in order to conserve capital. This move is attributed to recent discussion as to whether or not bonds are due to slump. Funds obtained from the sales are being switched into bank shares.

Investment houses report that colleges, hospitals and other institutions which rely on investment income are taking part in the switching movement.

**MOTORS.** Automobile trade insiders say that unless the General Motors labor difficulties continue for a couple of months more, 1937 output will be high. It is expected as soon as the GM strike is over production will run at a high pace. As a result of the GM slowdown spring production will run over what had been originally planned. In fact the trade believes that this spring's output will better the frenzied activity of 1929.

In the meantime other automobile companies are taking advantage of the GM labor situation. Production has increased on all sides. This accounts for the trading activity in the shares of Chrysler, Hudson, Nash-Kelvinator, Graham-Paige and Studebaker. But professionals admit the low-priced shares have only speculative appeal.

**COTTON.** Informed cotton interests say that once loan holdings are out of the way prices will move to higher levels. Domestic demand is at record highs. Foreign mill reports are encouraging. France, Germany, Italy and England are anxious for American cotton. As soon as the shipping labor difficulties are settled cotton export figures will show a terrific increase over those of previous weeks. Takers of distant contracts believe that quotations for cotton futures indicate higher levels.

**NEW BILL.** Informed circles have been quietly accumulating railroad securities.

Here's the inside story. A bill is to be presented to Congress to revise the powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission. The bill will have the hidden sponsorship of railroad executives. It is the opinion of such interests that the investing public was not taken into consideration when the ICC rendered its decision on the emergency freight rate surcharges.


The argument will be that many of the carriers were beginning to show earnings recovery as loadings increased. Now that rates have been clipped several will again be thrown over to the red side of the ledger. It will be pointed out that since the Reconstruction Finance Corporation financed railroads during the hard times of 1932 and 1933, the public's money is involved. That's going to be the main basis for pushing the new bill.

**DENIED.** E. W. Bliss insiders say that no near-term recapitalization plan is due. This contrary to so-called informed reports now current. It was also said that no special proposal is being given any consideration at this time by the Bliss officials. Therefore no Bliss recapitalization is imminent.

**REPORTS ARE THAT:** Curb brokers note a sharp increase in public trading activity... United Gas Improvement given preference in utility share buying... Lehman Corp.—investment trust—has wide list of stocks benefiting from moves in any sections of the market... Nickel Plate prices discount better earnings... National Steel has a favorable 1937 outlook—if automobile labor difficulties don't spread... Speculative buying of Certain-ty Products attributed to those who look for increased building activity this spring... For 1936 Gillette will show \$1.70 a share—competition growing keen... President of Pittsburgh Steel has an option on 11,690 common shares at \$12.50 a share—half to be taken before 1938 and the other half before 1939...

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**PET BUCK DEER IS MAIL CARRIER.**

WEIMER, Tex. (AP)—"Billy," pet buck deer, is the mail carrier for the family of Oscar Kohleffel.

Each morning "Billy" meets T. J. Green, rural mail carrier, at the box a half mile from the home. Green ties the mail to his collar and the deer dashes for the house.

Kohleffel adopted the young stag last spring when it came timidly near his farm in quest of food. He raised it on milk from a baby bottle. Now "Billy" is on friendly terms with the farm dogs and attended a funeral recently with Kohleffels.

Indigent families dependent upon counties of Ohio and the state for help decreased 75,983 in 1936. Persons on the Ohio WPA payroll dropped 28,594.

**LET'S KNOW TEXAS AND TEXANS**  
BY WILL H. MAYES.

In this column answers will be given to inquiries as to Texas history and other matters pertaining to the state and its people. As evidence of good faith inquiries must give their names and addresses, but only their initials will be printed. Address inquiries to Will H. Mayes, Austin, Texas.

**Q.** What inscription is on Houston's monument at Huntsville summing up his leading achievements and characteristics? G. L.

**A.** "Soldier under Jackson—Boy hero of Horseshoe Bend—Congressman from Tennessee—Chief of the Cherokee—Commander-in-Chief of Texas Army—Hero of San Jacinto—Twice President of the Republic of Texas—United States Senator from Texas. A brave soldier, a fearless statesman, a great orator, a pure patriot, a faithful friend, a loyal citizen, a devoted husband and father, a consistent Christian, an honest man."

**Q.** For what is the historic oak near the courthouse square at LaGrange especially noted?

**A.** From under its great shades Capt. N. M. Dawson and his company of 53 men marched to the relief of San Antonio after its capture in 1842; it shaded Gen. Kirby Smith's volunteers assembled to join the Southern Confederacy; two companies were formed beneath its foliage for the Spanish-American war; there Fayette county's young manhood gathered to enlist in the World War; and there the people of the county assembled to give

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## OUT OUR WAY - - - - - By WILLIAMS



OH, THERE'S THE KIND OF HORSE I'D LIKE TO RIDE, INSTEAD OF THESE OLD SHAPELESS THINGS! WHY WON'T YOU LET ME HAVE HIM?

WELL, MA'AM, HE'D NEVER GIT TO WHERE WE'RE AGONIN'—HE'S A THOROUGHBRED, AN' COULDN'T STAND TH' ROCKY MOUNTAIN TRAILS! TD KILL HIM

BORN TO RACE, BUT COULDN'T WIN ONE! A HAM, WHERE HE SHOULD'N'T BE, AND A HAM WHERE HE SHOULD BE! PROUD, BUT PROUD O' WHITT! THEY WON'T TEACH HER NOTHIN'—SHELL MARRY A FELLER LIKE THAT—

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YIPPIE-YAY! YEEHOO!

GOOD HONK! WE'RE TRAPPED!

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WELL, HERE I AM, POP!

COME INSIDE AND SHUT THE DOOR!

DID YOU LICK HIM, SON?

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## CRIME FILE ON BOLITHO BLANE

Chapter VIII  
DETECTIVE OFFICER NEAME'S SHORTHAND NOTES OF DETECTIVE OFFICER KETTERING'S EXAMINATION OF MR. INOSUKE HAYASHI.

K.: Good morning, Mr. Hayashi. Just sit down and answer a few questions, will you?

H.: Certainly.

K.: Will you give me your movements please from the time you came on board this yacht until you went in to dinner last night?

H.: Oh, yes. I came on board from a launch at 4:30 yesterday afternoon. After visiting my cabin I had tea with my host and some of the other guests. About 10 past six I went down to my cabin again to do some work, and remained there until after I had changed for dinner.

At 8:15 I came into the lounge, where I found the bishop and Lady Welter, whom I had met at tea. The latter introduced me to Mr. Stodart whom I had not seen before.

(FROM THIS POINT INOSUKE HAYASHI'S STATEMENT CONFIRMS THAT OF THE OTHERS.)

K.: Now, I'd like to know the reason for your coming on this trip.

H.: At the invitation of Mr. Rocksavage. We are business friends—it is nice to meet each other—and enjoy the pleasures of such excellent company upon this very beautiful yacht.

K.: Now, that won't do, and the sooner you come clean with me the better. This pleasure trip was a blind to cover a big business deal between Rocksavage and Blane. You're going to tell me just what part part you were going to play in that?

H.: I tell you anything you like. When I say that it is a pleasure trip I speak truthfully, but I have already said that I was a business friend of Mr. Rocksavage, too. When business men are together, even for pleasure, their conversation is of their business also, most of the time, as I have frequently observed.

K.: You knew, then, that business would come under discussion?

H.: Certainly I knew that.

K.: Well, let's hear the part you were going to play in it.

H.: I have the honor to act for the Shikoku Products Company, which is associated with my government. Shikoku handles various commercial concessions for the ministry of the interior and one of these has to do with the supply of soap to the armed forces and also civil services of Japan. This monopoly is of considerable value for whatever company acquires it since, if they wished, they could float a subsidiary company upon the prospective profits which the monopoly will bring and thus attract considerable new public money to their business.

K.: And you were about to sell this monopoly to either Rocksavage or Blane?

H.: That is so. I have been negotiating by correspondence with both for some time. A fortnight ago, however, Mr. Rocksavage called me and negotiations could go no further until after a conference he proposed to hold on this date. He suggested that I should join the party and said that, if I did so, he had every reason to believe that the affair might be concluded to the satisfaction of all concerned. I sailed from San Francisco to Panama and from there I came overland to join his yacht at Miami.

K.: I see. That will do.

DETECTIVE OFFICER NEAME'S SHORTHAND NOTES OF DETECTIVE OFFICER KETTERING'S EXAMINATION OF COUNT POSODINI.

P.: Hello! Hello! Has this writing room been converted into a photographic studio overnight?

K.: No. Come in, Count. It's just that we're taking a flash of all the guests on board before we examine them. Matter of routine, that's all. Sit down, will you? There are still a few questions I'd like to ask you about this unfortunate affair last night.

P.: Fire away, friend, fire away!

K.: From your name I had imagined you to be an Italian, but you talk like an American.

P.: I am an Italian, but I have lived in the States nearly all my life. My mother was an American and she had the money so, although I still have the old place in Italy, I regard New York as home.

K.: I see. Now, would you mind telling me what were your movements from the time the yacht sailed till you went in to dinner last night?

P.: There's no mystery about that. I was having a drink in the lounge with Mrs. Jocelyn when the engines started to turn over. A few moments later Mr. Rocksavage joined us. We had another spot with him and then Blane's secretary, a chap named Stodart, came in and made himself known to us. We had another round of drinks to keep him company while he was taking some notes of share prices off the board for his boss. The lounge steward took those down to Blane's cabin for him and came up to say that he couldn't get any answer to his knock, so Stodart told him to take them down again and push them under the cabin door.

Just after that I said I thought it was about time to go below and change.

K.: Can you tell me what time that would have been?

P.: About a quarter of eight. Mrs. Jocelyn said she thought she would go down, too, so we went down together, after which I went straight to my cabin.

I came up to the lounge again about 8:25, and when the dinner bugle sounded most of the guests were assembled there.

(FROM THIS POINT COUNT POSODINI'S STATEMENT CONFIRMS THAT OF THE OTHERS.)

K.: Now, count, what'd you know about the real motive for this party?

P.: Real motive? There's only one as far as I know—stealing a little summer down in these waters before New York becomes livable again. I'm just mad about sunshine, but maybe that's my Italian blood.



INOSUKE HAYASHI FLASHED BY NEAME, 8.1.37



COUNT LUIGI POSODINI FLASHED 8.1.37

K.: Do you mean to tell me you had no idea that an amalgamation between the big soap interests was to be negotiated during this trip?

P.: That's news to me. The only thing that I know about soap is that it's useful to wash with.

K.: How long have you known Mr. Rocksavage?

P.: Just three and a half days.

K.: You'd never met him, then, before you came on board at New York?

P.: No, sir.

K.: How long have you known Bolitho Blane?

P.: I'd never met him, either. I'd heard of him, of course, as a big financier, but I didn't even know that he was interested in soap.

K.: All right. What about the Jap, Inosuke Hayashi? How long have you known him?

P.: The same applies. I didn't even know of his existence before he came on board yesterday afternoon.

K.: But if you've never had any dealings with any of these people can you give me a satisfactory explanation as to why Rocksavage invited you to join this outfit?

P.: He didn't. It was Reggie Jocelyn who asked me if I'd like to come along for a few days' sunshine and big-game fishing.

K.: How long have you known Jocelyn?

P.: I met him coming over on the Normandie, and later developed the acquaintance in New York. His wife is Lady Welter's daughter and I gather that Lady Welter is a very old friend of Mr. Rocksavage. In fact, although Miss Rocksavage is nominally hostess here, Lady Welter gave me the impression that she was running the party and, as the invitation came from her son-in-law, I didn't hesitate to accept it.

K.: Thank you, Count. That'll do for the present.

By Dennis Wheatley  
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DETECTIVE OFFICER NEAME'S SHORTHAND NOTES OF DETECTIVE OFFICER KETTERING'S EXAMINATION OF THE LOUNGE STEWARD, JACK CANE.

K.: Come in, Cane. I just want to ask you a few questions about what occurred last night.

C.: Yes, sir.

K.: How long have you been in the employ of Mr. Rocksavage?

C.: A year and three months, sir.

K.: What were you doing before that?

C.: I was third barman at the Biltmore in New York. I did eighteen months there and before that I was at the Sporting Club in Havana, doing lounge waiter.

K.: That's all right; now, I want you to tell me all that you can remember about which guests came and went from the lounge from the time of the ship's sailing until they went in to dinner last night.

C.: CANE'S STATEMENT CONFIRMS THE TIMES OF ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF THE GUESTS FROM THE LOUNGE, AS GIVEN BY THEMSELVES BETWEEN THE TIME OF SAILING AT 7:05 AND THEIR GOING DOWN TO DINNER AT 8:40.

K.: Were you in the lounge the whole of that time?

C.: Yes, I was there the whole time, as they kept me pretty busy mixing drinks, except, of course, for two brief absences between 7:40 and 7:45. Mr. Stodart took down some figures from the notice board in his pocket book, tore out the leaf and asked me to take it down to Mr. Blane's cabin. I knocked and there was no reply, so I took it up again, and then Mr. Stodart remarked that Mr. Blane was probably in his bath, so he sent me down with it again and told me to slip it under Mr. Blane's door which I did.

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## PANHANDLE OIL ALLOWABLE IS RAISED 2,500

### PRODUCTION WILL BE LARGEST IN YEARS

Producers of oil in the Panhandle field—Gray, Wheeler, Carson and Hutchinson counties—have been granted the largest allowable in several years with a recent announcement by the railroad commission that the field would receive a 2,500 barrel hike for February.

In the schedule just released by the local office of the Texas Railroad commission, the percentage of prorable oil allowed was increased from 2113 per cent as of January 1 to 2354 per cent for February.

The field, according to the report, was given a daily potential of 842,063 barrels, a gain of 14,824 barrels over the preceding month. The increase allowed by the commission sent the field allowable to 71,610 barrels daily or an increase of 14,500 barrels during the last six months.

Field statistics revealed in the new report show: 2,992 wells; 916 marginal wells; 842,063 barrels potential; 51,348 barrels marginal; 1,889 barrels exempt; 789,016 barrels prorable; 71,610 barrels allowable.

Allowable by counties: Carson, 6,378 barrels; Gray, 35,276 barrels; Hutchinson, 18,558 barrels; Wheeler, 11,398 barrels; total, 71,610 barrels.

Allowable of the Moore county field and the Osborne area in Wheeler county, not considered a part of the Panhandle field, were given no increases in allowable.

## King Oil Company Stockholders Get Five Cents Share

Stockholders of the King Oil Co. have received an additional dividend of five cents per share to make the total 22 cents per share since Dec. 21, 1936.

The King Oil Co., operators in the Panhandle field, particularly in Gray county, is a merger by purchase of the King Royalty Co., the Dixon Creek Oil Co. and the Cockerell-McElroy Oil Co. The latter two

## Bride at 9; Still Likes Dolls



Believed to be the youngest bride in the country, golden-haired Eunice Winstead Johns, 9, of Sneedville, Tenn., is shown here with the doll her 25-year-old mountain husband gave her on the eve of their marriage. The third-grade pupil was married to the husky mountaineer by a Baptist minister who said the couple met him on a lonely road and demanded that he unite them in matrimony then and there. He did. Although the marriage had parental blessings, ministers and social workers in Knoxville organized a movement to annul the marriage.

companies were organized several years ago by S. D. McElroy and White McElroy and associates. Headquarters of the King Oil Co. is in Wichita Falls. The company is regarded as one of the strongest independent companies in the mid-continent.

## Texans In Washington

BY DONALD A. YOUNG.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—Two cabinet officers and a high government farm official plan to visit Texas in the next few weeks.

Postmaster General Parley promised he would attend the dedication of Waco's new postoffice in March, and Secretary Wallace told Senators Tom Connally and Morris Sheppard and others he would address the cotton March meeting of the Texas Cotton Association if he could be away from Washington at that time.

A. G. Black, head of the agricultural department's bureau of agricultural economics, told the same delegation he would address the cotton research committee of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce at Dallas Feb. 15. He promised to discuss what the government has done and hopes to do to develop new uses for the south's principal commodity.

Burriss Jackson, Hillsboro postmaster, took a leading part in the conferences. He is chairman of the chamber's cotton research committee and has taken an active leadership in Texas Democratic affairs.

Among Texans in Washington for President Roosevelt's inauguration were these who signed Senator Tom Connally's guest register:

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller of Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thomas, Henry D. Young, Amon Carter, and Clyde Jenkins, all of Fort Worth; Wallace Jenkins, W. H. Jack, Mrs. Harold Abrams, Dr. S. D. Meyers Jr., Bruce Luna, Bill Kiltrell, and Ray Toley of Dallas; Dr. N. D. Bule of Marlin; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dillard of Mexia; Alvin R. Allison of Levelland; W. C. Fothergill of Vernon; William R. Boyd of Teague; Sam E. Roddy and V. C. Marshall of Temple; Mr. and Mrs. Steven King of Beaumont; E. H. Nesbett of Gatesville; Ed Finck of San Antonio; George R. Donnell of Waxahatchie; William D. Taylor and Harry Ulmer of Houston; Ralph W. Moore, master of the Texas State Grange; Albert K. Daniel of Crockett; Herman Jones of Decatur; Burriss Jackson of Hillsboro, and Price Daniel of Liberty.

For the first time in the memory of House officials, the chamber this year has two men who sign themselves alike—G. H. Mahon. One is from South Carolina and the other is second term from Colorado, Texas. The latter is known familiarly as George while the other lists himself in the congressional directory as G. Heyward Mahon Jr.

Virtually unchanged from last session, except for new members, here is the list of committee assignments of Texas congressmen:

William West, Brownsville—chairman, elections No. 1, irrigation, immigration, flood control; George Mahon, Colorado—elections No. 2, insular affairs, census, civil service; Al Thomas, Houston—elections No. 3, pensions, labor, irrigation; Morgan Sanders, Capitan, ways and means; James P. Buchanan, Breham—chairman, appropriations; Hatton Summers, Dallas—chairman, judiciary.

Wright Patman, Texarkana—banking and currency; Charles South, Coleman—coinage, weights and measures, claims; J. J. Mansfield, Columbus—chairman, rivers and harbors, merchant marine; Marvin Jones, Amarillo—chairman, agriculture; Richard Kleberg, Corpus Christi—agriculture; Luther

## HANSFORD GASSEY IS PRODUCING 8,000,000

A connection between the prolific Panhandle gas field and the huge reservoir in Kansas has been established with completion of the Curly Hobbs No. 1 Pearson-Hitch wildcat, in section 290, block 2, P.H. survey, in northern Hansford county, which is producing between 6,000,000 and 8,000,000 cubic feet of gas following a shot of 360 quarts of nitro glycerine