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**10,000 Expected At Convention Of Kiwanians**

More than 10,000 persons are expected to attend the 35th annual convention of Kiwanis International May 7-11 at Miami, Fla., officers of the Big Spring Kiwanis club have been informed.

Dr. R. B. G. Cowper, president of the local club, said reports from convention headquarters indicate preparations for the five-day meeting are rapidly nearing completion.

Many nationally known figures will be on hand to address the delegates, representing 3,100 clubs and 200,000 members throughout the United States, Canada, Alaska, Hawaii and the Yukon Territory.

Speakers will include Defense Secretary Louis Johnson, Gen. Carlos P. Romulo, president of the U. N. General Assembly, the Rev. Marshall R. Reed, bishop of the Methodist Church in the Detroit area, and John Fisher, Toronto, widely known Canadian radio commentator and newspaper columnist.

Anticipating a huge delegate registration, Kiwanis International established its convention headquarters at Miami in January.

J. Hugh Jackson, dean of the graduate school of business at Stanford University, and president of Kiwanis International, will preside over the convention sessions.



**THEY WANNA GET MARRIED**—After driving from Honesdale, Pa., to Towson, Md., in hopes of getting married, Robert W. Kimble and Alice Jane Bonham (above), both 16 years old, made only one mistake. They inquired at a police station where they could get married. They are shown here as they waited for their parents to come get them. (AP Wirephoto)

**ECHOES OF VOGELER TRIAL**

**Hungary Demands Reduction Of British And U.S. Staffs**

By **ENDRE MARTON**  
AP STAFF  
BUDAPEST, Hungary, Feb. 24.—Hungary demanded last night that

Britain and the United States reduce their diplomatic staffs here, charging they had been implicated in the spy trial of Robert A. Vogel-er.

(In London, diplomatic officials regarded the Hungarian demand as a move to get the jump on possible American and British retaliation for the conviction of American Businessman Vogelger and his British Asst. Edgar Sanders. They said the United States and Britain were considering the possibility of breaking off relations with Hungary.)

The Hungarian government charged the two legations with hiring Hungarian "enemies" of the Communist-led regime.

Vogelger, assistant vice president and European representative of the International Telephone and Telegraph Co., was sentenced by a Hungarian peoples court Tuesday to 15 years in prison on charges of espionage and sabotage. Sanders was sentenced to 13 years. Both made confessions they were agents of American and British intelligence services.

Notes sent to the two legations here said the number of their diplomatic personnel "greatly exceeds their prewar number." They

said evidence at the Vogelger trial showed "the purposes served by the maintenance of such disproportionately large staffs."

Hungary also asked the two countries to reconsider "counter-measures taken by the governments of the United States and Britain as retaliation."

The State Department ordered the closing of two Hungarian consulates in the United States and banned travel of American citizens to Hungary shortly after Vogelger was arrested last Nov. 18. Britain broke off trade talks with Hungary when Sanders was arrested.

The Hungarian notes declared: "It has been proved that several officials of the United States and British legations in Budapest took an active part in the subversive work of the group of saboteurs and spies."

it's Spring

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The Stetson Texan takes you anywhere and brings you back looking like a man who can handle his own business. You'll have to travel far to find a smarter hat. Try it on. Silver Belly Color.  
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Other Qualities \$12.50 to \$50

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**Lee Adventure**  
You've never worn a felt so light... so comfortable... and so full of spring fever. It's pre-shaped to give you confidence... get you compliments. For a new experience in smartness try on the Lee Adventure. Grey, Tan, Brown, Green, Regular and Long Oval.  
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Suit the occasion... suit the shape of your face, wear a Lee "Trinity" up or down... whichever does the most for you. The smart lines in the crown are blocked in beforehand and for keeps by Lee's pre-shaping process. Grey, Tan, Brown, Green, Regular and Long Oval.  
\$10

**Victor Melling's**  
Store for Men & Boys  
THIRD AND MAIN

**'DOUBTFUL' SLAYER IS RELEASED AFTER 16 YEARS BEHIND BARS**

CHICAGO, Feb. 24. (AP)—Theodore Marcinkiewicz, 41, slight and balding after serving more than 16 years in prison of a 99-year sentence for murder, was freed in criminal court yesterday.

One of the first persons to greet Marcinkiewicz upon his release was Joseph Majczek, who was convicted with him in the slaying of Policeman William Lundy in the attempted holdup of a delicatessen. Majczek, after serving 11 years, was pardoned in 1945 when he was declared to be innocent. Two years later he was awarded \$24,000 by the Illinois legislature as damages for unjust imprisonment.

Majczek, whose fight for freedom was portrayed in the film "Call Northside 777," now is an insurance salesman.

Chief Justice Thomas J. Lynch ruled that Marcinkiewicz's constitutional rights had been violated in that he had not been given a fair trial. He said that a statement to police by the owner of the delicatessen, Mrs. Walush Kasulis, was suppressed but if produced by the state might have had a "very good influence on the jury."

Mrs. Kasulis had identified Marcinkiewicz as one of the slayers. But Asst. Public Defender Erwin Bloch told Judge Lynch that before the trial Mrs. Kasulis had told police in a statement that she could not identify the slayer.

**Ritz** LAST SHOWING TODAY

Never such singing, dancing, Danny Kaye pers!!

**DANNY KAYE**  
**Inspector General**

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**TOMORROW (SATURDAY) ONLY**

In one terrifying moment she realized what she had done... yet it was too late to turn back...

**"TOO LATE FOR TEARS"**

**LIZABETH SCOTT**  
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"Executive"

Arrow's "The Executive" ... with belmont collar ... made of white broadcloth with tiny tan, wine or blue colored stripes ... famous Mitoga fit ... sanforized and anchored buttons that won't come off ..... \$3.95

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**Florsheim**  
"Wing Tip Shoes"

You've said it ... when you ask for "the best there is" ... because you get choice calfskin cut from the Heart of the Hide ... you get the finest needlework of skilled leather-craftsmen ... you get incomparable style and comfort plus "The extra wear of a second pair."

17.95

Also Ladies' Florsheim Shoes!

**British Film People Like Vote Result**

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 24. (AP)—First reaction of the British film colony here to the apparent labor victory at home ranged from "delighted" and "probably best thing that could have happened" to "no comment."

"I've been a liberal all my life, but now I'm in labor's camp," said Nigel Bruce. "Labor is the great bulwark against Communism. I am delighted at the outcome of the election."

"This doesn't in any way take away from my admiration for Winston Churchill. People are not against him, but the party he is in."

Deborah Kerr, while protesting that "actors and actresses are too emotional to be good at politics," said that the labor victory "is probably the best thing that could have happened in this frightfully difficult period." She described herself as a "liberal-minded Socialist."

Labor's way, said Miss Kerr, seems to lead to "the happy medium which we all try for, but never quite attain in this life."

David Niven declined comment. "I have a theory about politics," said he. "I drop my ballot in the box and say nothing about it."

Niven, however, did not vote in this election.

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BEDROOM, ADJOINING bath for couple or lady, 1800 Main Phone 265-W.

Bedroom
Outside den, private bath and garage. Ideal for working man. Would like reference. See at 1600 Main St.

Bedroom, private entrance, adjoining bath, men only, 811 Gregg, Phone 324.

Large bedroom, 3 large beds, suitable for 2 or 3 people. Phone 1217-J, Ed Johnson.

CLEAR BEDROOM close in. Private entrance. Men only, 209 Johnson.

CLEAR BEDROOMS 1/2 or 3/4 a night for \$2.50. Perfect for working men. Address: 208 Gregg, Phone 324.

FRONT bedroom, newly furnished, private entrance, adjoining bath. Occupied only 1100 East 8th. Phone 324.

A MAN with a nice large bedroom, two beds, waste room, adjoining bath. 1801 Scurry. Phone 265-W.

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4-ROOM FRAME house on 24 1/2 ft. with bath, kitchen and kitchen cabinets to be moved. 1/2 mile north and 3 miles east of Achary. Vermon Heights.

GOOD 5-room house, 4 years old, corner lot in Washington Place. \$6,000. A loan of nearly \$4,000 can be assumed.

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I have for sale some nice apartment houses and rental units in good locations. Furnished and ready to go. Reasonable prices.

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Ready to move into, 6-room beautiful brick on Washington Blvd. Guest house in rear with private bath. Terms can be arranged.

Small duplex close to town and school. New 4-room house and bath, venetian blinds, \$4650; will take car as trade-in.

4-room house on E. 12th, \$4000, near school. Conveniently located brick home, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths.

Nice home on Bluebonnet St. Newly decorated 6-room house, 3 bedrooms, close in on pavement, vacant now.

Y-rm brick home within walking distance of town; good buy. For quick sale, 6-room house, close to school, 3 baths.

Well located 3-room house and bath, \$1250 down will handle. Wholesale candy and tobacco business with two 1/4-ton trucks.

Large business lot in heart of business district. Also beautiful residential lots in Park Hill, Edwards Heights and other parts of town.

A Nice One
Pretty 5-room home in Edwards Heights. Beautiful view. Price is right.

Emma Slaughter
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For Sale
6-room home, Washington Blvd. 4-room home, almost new, North Bell St., price very reasonable, half cash.

10-acre tract with water, on Highway. 2 miles of Big Spring.

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HOUSES FOR SALE M2
Need Houses
Have buyers for a 3 and 4-room houses and apartment houses. Also need homes that can be bought for \$1,500 down. List your property with me for quick sale.

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For Sale or Trade
My home—eleven rooms, furnished.

700 Aylford
C. F. Morris
Let Your Tenants Buy Your Home

5-room house in southeast part of town, nice location, \$4300
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1. You can obtain immediate possession of this good 3-bedroom house. Reasonable down payment, balance carried by owner. The house is in excellent condition throughout.

2. A very lovely home is this 2-bedroom FHA built house in Edwards Heights. The very best buy in a home in Big Spring that we know of, \$8950.

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4. A city block of land with a 4-room and bath all utilities. Will sell all or just the house and 2 lots.

5. You will secure an exceptionally large return with the greatest of safety by buying this nicely located and well constructed brick duplex with its garage rental units in the rear. A real buy for the investor and home seeker.

6. 20 unit Tourist Court located on 250 ft. frontage on U. S. Highway No. 80. A money maker.

Phone 531 or 702
After 5 p m call 1846-W
304 South Scurry St.
For Sale
Nice 5-room house on corner; very nice and clean, inside, \$6900.

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Notice
Have buyers for houses and lots. List your Real Estate with

Vernon S. Baird
Res. 2405 Runnels Pl. 2495-W
Special
Big 4-room house, nice and clean, large rooms. Real nice location. Close to South Ward school. Price \$3950.

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Real Estate
5-room frame, furnished, NR 12th. Would consider small cheap house on south side town.

4-room frame, 8-ft. front refrigerator, table top range, breakfast room suite; \$2522.50 cash, assume loan and paving. Vacant.

3-room frame, fenced for chickens, Airport Addition, \$2450 cash. 3-room stucco, paved street, venetian blinds, hardwood floors, A-1 condition.

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Worth The Money
4-room brick home in Washington Place 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, double garage, air conditioned, veran, terms, only \$2000.

4-room brick home, 2 garage apartment, 2 lot biggest and best buy today for \$11,000.

2 bedrooms, 2-bath apartment, double garage, corner, close to school, \$2000.

4-room, 2 bedrooms, newly redecorated, close to high school, good home \$20,000.

4-room with breakfast nook, Edwards Heights, garage, central, paved, bus line, \$2000.

4-room furnished home, 2 lots, garage, chicken yard and house, all goes for \$2250.

4-room close in on Lehnster, corner, garage, \$4750.

4 large rooms, East 14th St., all good shape, good location, \$6000.

8 rooms, new home and extra lot, \$22,000. Also in good car, \$2000.

4-room and garage close to South Ward school, \$2000.

4 room close to South Ward, only \$2000.

4 size level lot on East 6th street, \$200 each or all for \$1000.

2 extra lots on Northwest 10th St., all for \$1000.

Choice location on Gregg St. Phone 264
A. P. CLAYTON
800 Gregg Phone 264
See This
5-room furnished house, \$7800.

Emma Slaughter
Phone 1322 1305 Gregg
LOTS FOR SALE M3
FOR SALE: Lots and acreage, two miles west of Big Spring Water, light and gas. Terms: See J. D. Wright, phone 2681-J-1.

I HAVE a few choice lots in Edwards Heights and Washington Blvd. Also have a few good homes ranging in price from \$14,000 to \$30,000.

Build Church Big Enough For God, Methodists Urged In Fund Drive

As the main speaker for a loyalty dinner which officially opened the local First Methodist church's drive for a \$250,000 building fund, Bishop William C. Martin of Dallas, urged over 400 members and guests, who attended the affair to "build your church big enough for God." The affair was held Thursday in the high school gym.

Bishop Martin complimented the membership on their campaign opening and the report of Paul R. Sheahan, campaign manager, who stated that some \$84,000 had already been pledged though solicitation had not officially begun.

"Taking as his subject, 'Why Do We Need A Church?' Bishop Martin declared that churches are needed to hold the world, the home and the individual together. He said that the church is needed to hold the world together because it is the only institution which has a gospel powerful enough to accomplish such a task.

He urged the churchmen to keep the conviction in their hearts that God always has the power to conquer. Turning to the home, the bishop stated that the Christian home is the nearest thing to heaven outside the pearly gates and that it comes from the kind of a love that suffers long and doesn't give up and quit. He said that should the doors of the churches be closed for a generation that family life would fall into decay.

He stated that the church is needed to hold the individual together because in a mechanical age such as the present one, the world is moving so fast that people everywhere are falling to pieces. To keep from falling to pieces the bishop declared that men must have a great faith in a great person, a great Saviour, a great Friend.

Bishop Martin emphasized the idea that even though the building of a church required a sum of money which would demand large individual gifts that its cost could not be measured in a financial way alone. He urged his listeners to build a beautiful church, one in which God will speak evermore. He entered, Bishop Martin warned his audience not to be afraid to build largely nor to forget their obligations outside the building fund such as missions. He also urged that they not forget the children and to give them a chance to contribute to the fund.

Build a church, said the Bishop with prayers, gifts labor and loyalty, that is not just a house, but a fellowship which is big enough for God.

Bishop Martin's address closed a dinner program which had included short addresses by the Rev. Alvie H. Carleton, church pastor Cecil McDonald, general campaign chairman, and Paul R. Sheahan, McDonald urged every person to feel their responsibility in contributing something to the campaign.

Sheahan, vice president of the Wells Foundation, said that every faithful member of the church will have to give generously and some sacrificially because the church needs it because it gives the church and the giver a blessing and because it sets a standard of giving for others. He closed his statement by saying that great churches are built by great Christians, who are always great givers.

Dr. G. H. Wood, chairman of the building fund committee, was the master of ceremonies for the evening. Dr. O. P. Clark, district superintendent of the Sweetwater

Merchandise Gifts To Go At Minstrel

Merchandise prizes by the dozen, to go with candy sales at the forthcoming Lions minstrel, will be displayed Saturday.

The gifts may be seen in Mellinger's window. The annual Lions show has featured between - acts candy sales in old-time tent show style, to the delight of the customers.

And this will be a feature of the new club production scheduled at the municipal auditorium Thursday and Friday nights of next week.

Meanwhile, Lions members were offering tickets as individual salesman, and were planning to set up special downtown booths.

The show this year is called the most impressive yet offered by the service club. Called "Tune Times," it is a John B. Rogers company production with a cast of about 100. It will feature vaudeville specialty acts, plus an act of old-time minstrel fun and music.

Worley Named To Judgeship

WASHINGTON Feb. 24 (AP)—President Truman today nominated Rep. Eugene Worley, Texas Democrat, to be an associate judge of the U. S. court of customs and patent appeals.

Worley's nomination was sent to the Senate along with that of Osborne A. Pearson of California to be an assistant postmaster general.

Worley was named to succeed the late Judge Charles S. Hatfield. He is a member of the Texas delegation in the House.

Health Talks On Radio Tonight
C. W. Mason, city-county health unit sanitarian, and Dr. Max Rosen will be principals in an interview program entitled "Health - A Community Goal" on radio station KBST at 9 p. m. today.

They will be introduced by Thelma Milam of the B&PW club. Script for the program was prepared by Leon M. Kinney, Texas Employment commission manager for Big Spring.

Course Offered National Guard And Reservists

Organized Reserve Corps and National Guard officers of Texas have been offered the opportunity to travel to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, in order to participate in the Special Associate course, of the Command and General Staff college, according to information received here.

Phase I of the course will begin April 16 and continue through April 28. A similar course will be offered June 4 to June 16. Phase II will begin May 7 and extend through May 19.

Purpose of the course is to provide instruction in the light of war lessons and modern development to insure effective employment of the civilian components and the efficient administration, intelligence and logistical support of the Organized Reserve Corps and National Guard divisions.

Respirator Given To City Firemen By VFW Group

A portable iron lung, purchased by the VFW post here, has been turned over to city firemen for use of the public in cases of emergency.

The portable respirator fits over a patient's chest and has attachments for six body sizes. It may be used on two persons at a time is equipped with battery and hand lever for operation in cases of power failure or where electricity is not available.

Makes Complaint, Faces A Charge

Harry Hendrickson went to the law as a complaining party this morning and wound up in justice court, the defendant to a charge of drunkenness.

Hendrickson told county officers he was taken to Seismic Mount by a man who appeared to be a truck driver and rolled of more than \$100 in cash and an undisclosed amount of traveler's checks. His companion said, had struck up an acquaintance with him in a local bar and had offered to take him to the state park "to sober him up."

The authorities began a search for his attacker, but his condition cost him a fine of \$1 plus expenses.

Car License Tags Are Moving Slowly

New license plates, on sale at the county tax collector-assessor's office, are moving slowly.

At noon today, a total of 1,058 passenger car and 121 commercial vehicle tags had been sold, less than one fourth the number registered a year ago.

The new licenses must be displayed by April 1.

Crippled Children's Chapter Organized

Reorganization of a Howard county chapter of the Texas Society for Crippled Children was completed at a meeting of civic leaders and health workers here last night.

Shine Phillips, vice president of the TSSC, was named as chairman of the local chapter, while Mrs. J. C. Lane was chosen vice chairman. Thelma Milam was elected secretary of the organization and Mrs. J. T. Brooks was reelected treasurer.

Mrs. Brooks had been the only active member in the Howard county chapter prior to last night's meeting. The chapter was reorganized to locate and provide aid for crippled and otherwise handicapped children in the area.

Phillips and Mrs. Brooks were granted authority of making emergency expenditures. The organization has on hand approximately \$1,200, including \$177 contributed by the Centennial association when it was dissolved recently.

The Big Spring Business and Professional Women's club is to sponsor the annual Easter seals sales drive which is to start in the near future, Phillips stated.

Attending the reorganizational meeting in addition to the new officers were Mrs. Marie Christoff, representative of the Visiting Nurses association; Mamie Mayfield, B&PW club; Mrs. Louise Horton public schools nurse; Mary Cantrell, county welfare officer; Dean Bennett, Lions club welfare chairman; Eugene Thomas who holds a similar position in the American Business club; L. D. Thompson, Jaycee welfare chairman; Troy Harrell, Kiwanis welfare worker; and H. J. Morrison, chamber of commerce.

Others to be on the committee are Dr. J. E. Hogan, and Neel Barnaby of the American Legion.

Local Men At Scout Parley

Ten local men attended conferences of the Buffalo Trail Boy Scout Council in Midland Thursday night.

Individual sessions were held by various operating committees, followed by an executive board meeting.

All districts in the council were represented and made reports at the board meeting, and P. V. Thorson, council executive, presented the annual council review.

Dr. W. B. Hardy of Big Spring president of the council, presided over the general session.

Glenn Singleton, deputy regional executive from Dallas, was present to discuss the Scouting program with area officials.

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170 1/2 acres, 2 miles from Big Spring. All in farm. Two houses, 3 good wells. Immediate possession.

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SMALL GROCERY store with living quarters. Call 1462-W.

FOR SALE: 2-story shop, in West county seat, all field, only \$100 in town. Owner leaving town. Make three down payments. Call or write Jack Davis, Jayton, Texas.

WANTED: furnished 3 or 4-room apartment. Call Mr. Jones at McCleskey.

WANTED: responsible family. Modern house or apartment, furnished or unfurnished. References. Telephone 1322.

WANTED: THREE or four room house unfurnished for year at least. By couple. Box 15 Big Spring.

Package Store For Quick Sale
At Inventory Price. Doing Good Business. Owner Leaving Town. If Interested, Call 9704

Special
Grocery store and filling station in Highway. Solid stock, fixtures; rent building. Runs around \$2,000.

J. B. Pickle
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Lady, Here's That KITCHEN
You've turned down a lot of real good houses because the kitchens were too small. You'll love this one—roomy and plenty of cabinets. 5-room house and bath, floor furnace, venetians, near school. Price \$7800.

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10-acre tract with water, on Highway. 2 miles of Big Spring.

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Realtor

Nice nice 3-room home, tile bath and kitchen, Edwards Heights. Good 4-room home on Runnels, close to high school.

Have few good lots left for sale. Have few listings of homes and lots. How about a new 4-room home in Washington Place?

705 Johnson Phone 2641-W
Check My Listings
I have houses—all kinds and sizes; apartments; a few nice lots in good locations. If you want real estate, see

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4-ROOM HOUSE on one acre land. All utilities. Just west of County line. \$5000. See W. E. Parrish at T & P Warehouse.

FOR SALE Or Trade My home at 491 East 2nd; 5-room living quarters, 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, tile bath; \$9,140; paved street; a block from Court House. Will let furniture go also. Phone 187.

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Real Estate
5-room frame, furnished, NR 12th. Would consider small cheap house on south side town.

4-room frame, 8-ft. front refrigerator, table top range, breakfast room suite; \$2522.50 cash, assume loan and paving. Vacant.

3-room frame, fenced for chickens, Airport Addition, \$2450 cash. 3-room stucco, paved street, venetian blinds, hardwood floors, A-1 condition.

162 1/2-acre, 6-room house, plenty good water, 5 1/4 miles from town; would consider house in town trade-in. Has 5 acres out of city limits, 6-room house, A-1 condition.

320 acres on Andrews Highway, \$5250 per acre. 5-room house, 100-ft. on Gregg. I need some new listings. If you want to sell, list your property with me.

Good 5-room house with 2 baths. Nice for home or two apartments. Between town and high school, \$8,000. Have several nice lots in south part of town.

Two lots on Gregg street with stucco house, ideal business location.

J. D. (Dee) Purser
1504 Runnels Phone 197
Bargain
Two good 3-room houses, one furnished on one lot, paved street, good location \$2500.

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Real Estate Insurance Home Loans
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Build Church Big Enough For God, Methodists Urged In Fund Drive

As the main speaker for a loyalty dinner which officially opened the local First Methodist church's drive for a \$250,000 building fund, Bishop William C. Martin of Dallas, urged over 400 members and guests, who attended the affair to "build your church big enough for God." The affair was held Thursday in the high school gym.

Bishop Martin complimented the membership on their campaign opening and the report of Paul R. Sheahan, campaign manager, who stated that some \$84,000 had already been pledged though solicitation had not officially begun.

"Taking as his subject, 'Why Do We Need A Church?' Bishop Martin declared that churches are needed to hold the world, the home and the individual together. He said that the church is needed to hold the world together because it is the only institution which has a gospel powerful enough to accomplish such a task.

He urged the churchmen to keep the conviction in their hearts that God always has the power to conquer. Turning to the home, the bishop stated that the Christian home is the nearest thing to heaven outside the pearly gates and that it comes from the kind of a love that suffers long and doesn't give up and quit. He said that should the doors of the churches be closed for a generation that family life would fall into decay.

He stated that the church is needed to hold the individual together because in a mechanical age such as the present one, the world is moving so fast that people everywhere are falling to pieces. To keep from falling to pieces the bishop declared that men must have a great faith in a great person, a great Saviour, a great Friend.

Bishop Martin emphasized the idea that even though the building of a church required a sum of money which would demand large individual gifts that its cost could not be measured in a financial way alone. He urged his listeners to build a beautiful church, one in which God will speak evermore. He entered, Bishop Martin warned his audience not to be afraid to build largely nor to forget their obligations outside the building fund such as missions. He also urged that they not forget the children and to give them a chance to contribute to the fund.

Build a church, said the Bishop with prayers, gifts labor and loyalty, that is not just a house, but a fellowship which is big enough for God.

Bishop Martin's address closed a dinner program which had included short addresses by the Rev. Alvie H. Carleton, church pastor Cecil McDonald, general campaign chairman, and Paul R. Sheahan, McDonald urged every person to feel their responsibility in contributing something to the campaign.

Sheahan, vice president of the Wells Foundation, said that every faithful member of the church will have to give generously and some sacrificially because the church needs it because it gives the church and the giver a blessing and because it sets a standard of giving for others. He closed his statement by saying that great churches are built by great Christians, who are always great givers.

Dr. G. H. Wood, chairman of the building fund committee, was the master of ceremonies for the evening. Dr. O. P. Clark, district superintendent of the Sweetwater

Worley Named To Judgeship

WASHINGTON Feb. 24 (AP)—President Truman today nominated Rep. Eugene Worley, Texas Democrat, to be an associate judge of the U. S. court of customs and patent appeals.

Worley's nomination was sent to the Senate along with that of Osborne A. Pearson of California to be an assistant postmaster general.

Worley was named to succeed the late Judge Charles S. Hatfield. He is a member of the Texas delegation in the House.

Health Talks On Radio Tonight
C. W. Mason, city-county health unit sanitarian, and Dr. Max Rosen will be principals in an interview program entitled "Health - A Community Goal" on radio station KBST at 9 p. m. today.

They will be introduced by Thelma Milam of the B&PW club. Script for the program was prepared by Leon M. Kinney, Texas Employment commission manager for Big Spring.

Course Offered National Guard And Reservists

Organized Reserve Corps and National Guard officers of Texas have been offered the opportunity to travel to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, in order to participate in the Special Associate course, of the Command and General Staff college, according to information received here.

Phase I of the course will begin April 16 and continue through April 28. A similar course will be offered June 4 to June 16. Phase II will begin May 7 and extend through May 19.

Purpose of the course is to provide instruction in the light of war lessons and modern development to insure effective employment of the civilian components and the efficient administration, intelligence and logistical support of the Organized Reserve Corps and National Guard divisions.

DICKIE DARE comic strip panels with dialogue about a 'TELEADVENTURE' TIME and a 'MISTERY'.

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SCORCHY SMITH comic strip panels with dialogue about 'SEE, WHAT'S THE SCORE, SCORCH?' and 'THE BARON GOT SOME OF OUR BAYLETS'.

SNUFFY SMITH comic strip panels with dialogue about 'AN' NOW, GENTLEMEN OF TH' JURY I'M PLUMB PROUD TO PERSENT TH' THREE SHINES' and 'OH, I PLANT MY CORN AN' I HOE MY CROP AN' I'LL DRINK IT UP--EVER' LAST DROP'.

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GRIN AND BEAR IT comic strip panels with dialogue about 'OLD EGG--WICKER DEEP' and 'WHAT WOULD WE WOMEN DO WITHOUT HUSBANDS, MAMA?'.

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Crossword Puzzle with grid and clues. Clues include: 1. Depression between mountain peaks, 4. Wine man, 6. City in Scotland, 10. Uncooked meat, 11. Marked with irregular stripes, 12. Tropical bird, 13. Blunters, 14. Made of a certain wood, 15. Run away, 16. Fulle, 17. College degree, 18. Not at home, 19. Bobbins, 20. Jump, 21. Along, 22. Native of the Lone Star state, 23. Languish, 24. Resistant, 25. Lives, 26. Charge, 27. Title of respect, 28. Muffled, 29. Lengthen, 30. Metal fastener, 31. Stir up, 32. Masculine name, 33. Made of a certain wood, 34. Pedal digit, 35. Part of a pedestal, 36. Greek letter, 37. DOWN, 38. Anglo-Saxon slaves, 39. Greek letter, 40. Outer garment, 41. Land measure, 42. Diminutive ending, 43. Grievous, 44. Baking, 45. Tibetan ox, 46. Beam of light, 47. Strong wind, 48. Ages, 49. Forefinger, 50. Water, 51. Imagine, 52. Back of the neck, 53. Bottom, 54. Orange slang, 55. Genus of the alder, 56. Bring back, 57. Concealed, 58. River duck, 59. Persian fairy, 60. Prow of a ship, 61. Wearies, 62. Son of Seth, 63. Tasty food, 64. Volcano, 65. Specially suitable, 66. River; Spanish, 67. Alpine thistle, 68. Contend, 69. Compass point.

FRIDAY EVENING and SATURDAY MORNING radio log listing various stations and programs.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON radio log listing various stations and programs.

MRS. BAIRD'S BREAD STAYS FRESH LONGER advertisement with image of a loaf of bread.

The Herald's Daily Page of Top Comics advertisement for Whigley Spearmint Chewing Gum.

HERALD RADIO LOG

HERALD RADIO LOG listing radio stations and programs for Friday Evening, Saturday Morning, Saturday Afternoon, and Saturday Evening.



**IN BIG SPRING CHURCHES**

**Lenten Season Being Observed With Special Services In City**

With the beginning of the Lenten season, Big Spring churches have commenced various observances of the holy season which will continue to build to the spiritual climax of Easter Sunday. At least three churches will hold special mid-week and Sunday services throughout this season.

At the St. Paul Lutheran church, the theme of the mid-week services will be "Call of the Cross." Services will be on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. and the Rev. Ad H. Meyer, pastor, will speak on the subject, "To Faith" this Wednesday. Sermon topics announced for the mid-week services are "More Forged Prayer Life," "For Greater Love," "To Bear Witness," "To Remember Life's Goal" and on

April 7, Good Friday, the pastor will be heard on "He Saved Others; Himself He Cannot Save." Theme for the special Sunday services will be "Human Estimation Of Our Lives And Those Things With Which We Are Associated." At the 11 a. m. worship hour Sunday morning the Rev. Meyer will be heard on "Overestimating Self." Sunday topics for the entire season have been announced as follows: "Overestimating Self," "Overestimating Money," "Overestimating Physical Power," "Overestimating Popular Opinion," "Overestimating Physical Suffering" and the subject for Palm Sunday, April 2, will be "Underestimating the Cross of Christ."

Sunday school and Bible class will be at 10 a. m.

from 7 to 8:30 p. m. Saturdays. At the Sacred Heart Catholic church (Latin American) Lenten services will be at 7 p. m. on Sundays and Wednesdays. Sunday masses are at 8:30 and 10:30 o'clock under the direction of the pastor.

The Rev. R. Gage Lloyd will speak on the subject, "The Tenth Part" at morning services of the First Presbyterian church Sunday. Text for the sermon will be Malachi 3:18. Special music will be a duet by Mrs. B. L. Freeman and Mrs. L. B. Edwards entitled "The Lord Is My Shepherd" by Erhardt.

At the evening worship hour the pastor will speak on "The Central Call of Christ to Man" from Matthew 11:28-30.



Cor. Main & Tenth Sts. Rev. John E. Kolar, Pastor

St. Thomas Catholic church will conduct special Sunday services at 7 p. m. throughout the Lenten season. Stations of the cross and the benediction will be under the direction of the Rev. Theo Francis, pastor. Mid-week services will be Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. and will consist of a question-box sermon and benediction. Sunday masses will be at the regular scheduled time of 7 and 8:30 a. m. and week day masses are at 7:30 a. m. Confessions are heard before the daily mass and

"Greatest of These" will be the sermon topic of the Rev. John E. Kolar at the 11 o'clock worship hour of the Main Street Church of God. Scriptural references will be to I Corinthians 13. Sunday school will begin at 9:45 a. m.

The evening service will be conducted by the Missionary Department with Mrs. Truett Thomas as program chairman. The service will begin at 7:30 p. m. and Youth Fellowship will be at 6:45 p. m.

**SUNDAY**  
"Christian Brotherhood"  
Radio Program KBST 8:30 A.M.  
Church School 9:45 A.M.  
Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.  
Youth Fellowship 6:45 P.M.  
Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.  
EVERYONE WELCOME  
WEDNESDAY  
Evening Worship 7:45 P.M.

**WELCOME TO FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
S. E. 9:45; Worship 11:00 a.m. and 7:15 p.m.  
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HERBERT LOVE, Minister

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
E. 4TH. AT BENTON  
Bible School 10 A. M.  
Morning Services 11 A. M.  
Evening Services 7:30 P. M.  
Mid-Week Services Wednesday, 7:30 P. M.  
EVERYONE WELCOME

At the First Baptist church Dr. P. D. O'Brien will speak on the subject, "The Truth Shall Make You Free" at the morning worship hour. Text for the sermon will be John 8:32.

Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, will be guest speaker at the evening service.

A religious motion picture will be shown at the church at 4 p. m. Sunday.

At the First Methodist church the Rev. Alsie Carleton will be heard on the subject, "The Danger of Half-Heartedness." The anthem to be sung by the choir is entitled, "Saviour When Night Invades The Sky" by Shelley. Soloists will be Joyce Howard and Arnold Marshall and there will be a trio composed of Edith Gay, Joyce Howard and Herbert Keaton.

Dr. O. P. Clark, district superintendent, of Sweetwater will speak at the evening worship hour. Special music will be a duet by Wanda Lou Petty and Susan Houser.

"The Enlargement of Life" will be sermon title of the Rev. Lloyd Thompson at the First Christian church Sunday morning.

At the evening worship hour the pastor will be heard on the subject, "The Man Who Couldn't Take It."

"Good News" will be the sermon title of the Rev. J. Tilden Johnson at the Lees Baptist church on Route 2 Sunday morning. Sunday school will begin at 10 a. m. At the evening worship hour the pastor will speak on "How To Hear From Heaven." The evening service begins at 7:30 p. m.

Announcement is made that a revival will begin at Lees Baptist church Sunday, March 5. Mrs. R. E. Thompson, song evangelist of Lubbock, will lead the singing and at the 10:30 a. m. services.

The Rev. James S. Parks will speak on "Eternal Punishment Is Not A Myth" at the morning worship service of the East Fourth Baptist church. Scriptural references will be to Matthew 13:35-42.

The evening evangelistic service will begin at 7 p. m. Young people of the church will gather at 6 for a social and Training Union will start at 6:30 p. m.

"Christ Jesus" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist Sunday and in the local reading rooms at 217 1/2 Main street at 11 a. m.

The Golden text is: "As ye have therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk ye in Him: for in Him dwelleth all the fullness of the Godhead bodily" (Colossians 2:9-10).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Make you perfect in every good work to do with, working in you that which is well pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ; to whom be glory for ever and ever" (Hebrews 13:21).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Who is ready to follow his teaching and example? All must sooner or later plant themselves in Christ, the true idea of God" (page 54).

The Rev. I. A. Smith will deliver the morning and evening messages at the Park Methodist church. Morning services are at 11 a. m. The young people will meet at 6 p. m. and the evening worship hour will begin at 7:30 p. m.

"The Truth Shall Make You Free", John 8:32.  
Dr. James H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College will bring religious moving picture at 4 p. m. Everyone welcome.  
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Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday..... Luke	7	18-23
Monday..... Isaiah	61	1-5
Tuesday..... Matthew	5	13-17
Wednesday..... Luke	4	1-13
Thursday..... Thomas	3	2-7
Friday..... Matthew	23	1-11
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# World Day Of Prayer Call Extends Around The World; Services Here

"In ninety countries today people are hushed in expectation of the Presence of God. They await the annual call to united prayer throughout the world on this first Friday in Lent. An ever-increasing throng joins the globe-encircling body.

"We worship in sixty languages, in varying temples dedicated to the one God and Father of us all.

"Physically hemmed in by national boundaries, racial walls, and language veils, nevertheless we are not divided. We are ONE—not by a flag, but by the Cross of Christ. The Cross magnifies us all; it draws us to Him and to each other. In this unifying Cross is the Christian's assurance that he lives by faith in the redeeming power of Love.

"Some will pray who cannot read; some will pray who are not

fed; some will pray shivering in rags, and some will pray from the lush seats of comfort. All will pray for health, for a better life for their children; for relief from life-destroying war; and for a surer faith that God is in His heaven, and that a better day will dawn.

"The chain of prayer that starts today another year of daily intercession begins with prayers of the Filipinos. Leaping from island to island, from continent to continent, it passed through the national and racial walls catching up identical prayers and scriptures until it reaches the meridian where fur-wrapped Eskimos and sarong-clad Tongans close the day with praise that reaches the ever-open ears of the Eternal."

It was such a call to prayer, issued by the World Council of Churches, which the members of the local Council of Church Women answered when they gathered in the First Presbyterian church today for special services. A call, was also given for local women who could not attend the services to pause for a moment of prayer for peace during some part of the day.

Saturday, the council will sponsor a special prayer service for children of the city. The service will begin at 10 a. m. and will be held in the First Christian church.

Mrs. Fred Wetzel of the Main Street Church of God, is the general chairman. She will be assisted by Mrs. Floyd Brooks, First Christian, Mrs. Elvira McCrary.

First Presbyterian Mrs. Conn Isaacs, First Methodist, Mrs. G. H. Briden, Wesley Methodist, and Mrs. W. K. Edwards, Jr., St. Mary's Episcopal.

The entire service will be presented by the children. There will be special prayers, songs and activities. An offering will be taken for work with children around the world.

This is the first service for children to be held by the council.

## Mrs. J. Newcomb Gives Book Review

FORSAN, Feb. 24 (Sp)—Mrs. J. Newcomb gave a review of the book, "The Prospect Of Little Cane Creek," Monday afternoon when the First Baptist WMS met in the home of Mrs. O. N. Green. Mrs. Green gave the opening prayer and Mrs. J. W. White closed the meeting with prayer.

Others attending were Mrs. R. A. Chambers and Mrs. C. V. Wash.

Mrs. J. P. Kubecka entertained the Pioneer Sewing club Tuesday afternoon in her home.

A gift was presented to Mrs. Jesse Overton by the club members. Mrs. Overton has a new home.

Present were Mrs. Jeff English, Mrs. O. G. Ham, Mrs. A. B. Farmer, Mrs. Claud King, Mrs. C. V. Wash, Mrs. H. L. Tienarend, Mrs. Pearl Scuday and the hostess.

## W. B. Hilgers Announce Birth Of Son In Austin

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hilgers of Austin, announce the birth of a seven pound, six ounce son born on February 20 in the Seton hospital in Austin.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Lamun of Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hilgers of Lockhart.

## State Leaders Will Conduct OES School

State officers of the Order of Eastern Star will be present for the school of instruction which is to be conducted in Big Spring March 8 for members of the 11 OES Chapters in Section Eight, District Two.

Pauline Baker of Amarillo, district deputy grand matron, will direct the school and Elsie Bill of Fabens will serve as grand examiner. The worthy grand matron and grand patrons, heads of the OES in Texas, will be present to speak. They are Mable Harle of Fort Arthur, and Dean Gaudin of Dallas.

Their talks are scheduled in the afternoon, with social events of the meeting. The instruction and business will be held in the morning. The school will award A and B certificates in Eastern Star work.

## HD Supervisor Improved

Mrs. Grace M. Martin, District 6 Home Demonstration club supervisor, has been released from the Houston Memorial hospital and is at her home at College Station, Eugenia Butler, local agent, reports that Mrs. Martin is awaiting a final checkup before resuming her duties.

Mrs. R. L. Minter and Robert Lee Minter, Jr., of Fort Worth are here as guests of her mother, Mrs. J. I. Prichard, 500 Aylford.

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## RIBBON RAMBLINGS

By Mildred Young

Not so long ago, in my home town, a group of "kids", most of them with some ambition, used to listen to a boy's dreams about becoming a great boxing champion. But dreams don't mean so much except to the person dreaming and though most of them were thrilled when an amount of success did come, they took the first dreams with a grain of salt. But Laverne Roach became the boxing idol at Plainview and yesterday he died in New York of injuries received in the game he loved best. To some that seems a tragic defeat. But it is not complete defeat because to those who knew him best, he left behind a symbol of good sportsmanship and as some of his admirers said yesterday, the type of life that a lot of Plainviewians would like to see their sons live.

Those who watched Roach's rise from the beginning knew that he would need a lot of breaks and a lot of courage to keep dreaming because he didn't have the pull or the backing that a lot of others might have. But he believed in himself and he seemed to win the belief of everyone in the old home town. While other "kids" dreamed and forgot their dreams, Laverne did something to make his dream a reality. Though some may say that he just happened to get the breaks and the Marine Corps was largely responsible, those who knew him well always believe that he kept on dreaming to the last.

Though his star may not have been as bright as some and though it burned out quickly Laverne knew what he wanted and there's a lot of us who wish we had as much ambition.

Most people looked on him as a gentleman and though some will say he was good and others will say that he was bad and that they didn't approve of his game, he was probably like the most of us, a little of both.

Sure, he might have gone into something a little safer and something that might have contributed more to the betterment of people, but we doubt that he could have done more to make people love good sportsmanship. And there's something everyone needs regardless of their walk of life.

Sometimes we get to thinking rather indifferently of the people who manage to make the headlines a few times in their lives. We get to thinking of them as names, not people. But to the people a little bit north of here, yesterday's sports headlines didn't concern a name, but to many a friend and to others just a "good guy" that used to smile at them on the street.

Our home town is proud of a "kid" who dreamed and then went out to do something about it.

## Forsan Visits

FORSAN, Feb. 24 (Sp)—Week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Martin were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wishart of Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Peck and children of Snyder visited here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Esser visited Sunday in Snyder and in Colorado City with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gayley and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. West and family had as a visitor during the first part of the week, Lester Calloway of Bay City.

Mrs. Al Luke of Colorado City, was a Forsan visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Virgil Bennett underwent major surgery Wednesday morning in a Big Spring hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff McDonald and Leta Dale of Abilene, were weekend guests of Mrs. McDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Porter, and Mrs. McDonald's brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud King and Joe spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Andrews.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cowley and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Goodrich and Mrs. S. C. Motley and Carolyn Jean of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. John Cloud of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hogan and Donna and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cowley at Bobby of Pecos.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chambers spent the weekend with their daughter, Virginia, in Carnegie, Okla., and with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Chambers in Iowa Park.

Cleo Wilson of Wichita Falls spent Sunday visiting his family here.

Gyrdolmy Oglesby was home from Sul Ross College, Alpine, over the past weekend.

O. G. Ham attended the farmers banquet of the Humble Oil company in Midland Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Thompson of Odessa, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude King, Jr. and Claudia Beth of Jackboro, visited King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud King, Sr. Wednesday.

## Coffee Scheduled

Zone chairmen for the residential drive of the Red Cross campaign will be entertained at a coffee to be held in the Douglas Hotel Maverick room Saturday at 10 a. m.

Mrs. E. J. Hughes, chairman of the residential drive, will be in charge of the meeting which will include the distribution of campaign material and the securing of workers. The drive is scheduled to begin on March 6.

Zone chairmen are: Mrs. B. E. Freeman, Mrs. Conn Isaacs, Mrs. Donald Anderson, Mrs. Charles Holderbaum, Mrs. Rhea Anderson, Mrs. L. E. Phillips, Mrs. Marvin Miller, Mrs. Neal Barnaby, Mrs. C. Y. Clinkcales, Mrs. Alvin Tipton, Mrs. J. D. Cauble, Mrs. G. L. James, Mrs. A. C. Bass, Mrs. J. A. McGee, Mrs. Jack Y. Smith, Mrs. L. A. Griffith, Mrs. Ray Shaw, Mrs. Velma Allington, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Fern Poleack, Mrs. W. H. Bethal, Georgia Collins and Mrs. Gerata.

## Eddie Gene Manns Announce Son's Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Mann of Vincent, are the parents of a son, Eddie Gene Mann II, born Thursday night at Cowpers.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Knight of Coahoma, and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Mann of Big Spring.

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## Bingo Party Cancelled

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## Coahoma News Notes Include Visits; Socials And Organizational Meets

COAHOMA, Feb. 24 (Sp)—Rosalee DeVaney is out of school this week because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. O'Daniel and Mr. and Mrs. O. D. O'Daniel left Sunday for the fat stock show at San Antonio, but were called home because of the death of Judge J. E. Brown.

Sonny Edwards was at home Saturday after spending the week in El Paso attending the stock show and rodeo. He left Sunday for San Antonio where he was to appear in rodeo performances there this week.

Members of the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the church Monday afternoon. Mrs. J. W. Wood was in charge of the program which was entitled "Love." Others taking parts were Mrs. Meadow, who took as her subject, "Consecration," Mrs. Ed Carpenter, who spoke concerning "Realization" and Mrs. Cates, who discussed "Adoration." Others included Mrs. Roy Roxborough and Susie Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Thomason spent last weekend visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Thomason of Toyah.

Carl Rates is recovering from minor surgery in a Big Spring hospital. Other Coahoma residents receiving treatment in Big Spring hospitals are Bill Bostick and Mrs. Leon Mincee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smart and J. Burk of Odessa spent last weekend and her visiting friends.

Mrs. Bob Hickson of San Antonio has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Holly here this week.

Members of the Baptist WMS met Monday morning for an all-day session. Mrs. Paul Camp presided during the morning hour when plans were made to honor the men of the church with a dinner. The date will be announced later.

At the noon hour, a covered dish luncheon was served. Men, who are doing repair work on the parsonage were special guests. They included the Rev. Mark Reeves, Floyd Hull, R. A. Marshall and W. L. Nixon.

"How Christian Is America" was the title of a royal service program held in the afternoon. Mrs. Charles E. Engle presented the topic, "Precious Fruit of the Earth" with Mrs. Charles Engle as leader. She was assisted by Mrs. Paul Camp, Mrs. R. A. Marshall, Mrs. W. L. Nixon, Mrs. Rosie DeVaney and Mrs. Mark Reeves.

Others present were Mrs. Alfred T. Thelme, Mrs. Floyd Hull, Mrs. Wesley Baker, Mrs. Austin Coffman and Mrs. Chester Coffman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cramer were dinner guests last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shepard of Vincent. Twenty-five persons were present for the af-

fair which was held in observance of Shepard's birthday.

Mrs. F. P. Woodson honored her daughter, Daria, Tuesday afternoon with a party celebrating her 13th birthday. Games and contests provided entertainment.

Refreshments were served to the following: Joyce Hill, Arlton DeVaney, Beth Welch, Jane Graham, Carolyn Ward, Warren Wise, Mark Reeves, Sandra Reid, Martha Camp, Art Dodds, Jacquelyn Roberts, Peggy McCann, Ethel Thelme, Clinton Wood, Stormy Edwards, Perry Lee Knox, Ricky Phinney, Deana Hunter, Lathan Wood.

Mrs. Bobby Cathey, formerly Ruth Holly, was honored last Tuesday evening with a gift tea in the home of Mrs. A. D. Shive. Hostesses included Mrs. Donald Lay, Mrs. Ralph White, Mrs. W. R. Morrison, Mrs. Charlie Holly, Mrs. P. F. Sheedy and Mrs. LeRoy Echols. Those in the receiving line were Mrs. Shiva, Mrs. Cathey, the bride's mother, Mrs. F. M. Holly and the groom's mother, Mrs. Lillie.

Shive presided at the register. Refreshments were served from a table covered with cut work linen and centered with an arrangement of yellow jonquils, pink stock in crystal holders at each side. Dorris Ray 'Morrison and Janie Echols presided at the punch service.

Pastel daisies furnished decorations for the other party room. Mrs. Donald Lay directed the guests from the refreshment table to the gift displays.

The guest list included Mrs. R. D. Cramer, Mrs. W. D. Hays, Mrs. B. O. Williams, Mrs. E. W. Brown, Mrs. C. A. Coffman, Mrs. Cullen Cranfill, Mrs. Rex Shive, Mrs. Mut Robertson, Mrs. Troy Roberts, Mrs. C. A. Dixon, Mrs. Jack R. Cathey, Mrs. F. P. Woodson, Mrs. A. W. Thompson, Mrs. Nancy Annen, Mrs. G. F. Hogan, Mrs. J. T. Hancock, Mrs. Jim Hodnett, Mrs. T. H. McCann, Mrs. G. W. Graham, Mrs. G. H. Graham, Mrs. R. A. Marshall, Mrs. Ruth Smith, Mrs. Earnest Garrett, Mrs. Albert Wirth, Mrs. D. S. Phillips, Mrs. Virginia Kidd, Mrs. Truett DeVaney, Miss Joyce K. Bell, Margaret Stamps, Joyce Nixon, Lee York.

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## Eager Beavers Meet For Sewing

Sewing was the entertainment when the Eager Beavers met in the home of Mrs. H. D. Bruton for a regular session. Mrs. V. C. Barber, 304 West 19th was named hostess for the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held Tuesday.

Attending were Evelyn Kendrick, Neva Jones, Virginia Bryant, Jennie Barber, Mary Rupp, Lolita Grimes, Lois Jernigan, Lois Johnson, Cletha Clayton, Lola Mitchell, Sarah Findley and Edna Merle Gaskins.

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**BACK TO THE BIBLE . . .**

A friend's question, "Why do ministers of the church of Christ say so much about baptism?"

We say no more than the Bible says about baptism. Concerning Christ it is said, "There is salvation in none other; for there is none other name under heaven, given among men, whereby we must be saved"; Acts 4:10-12.

In Gal. 3:26-27 The Bible teaches plainly that believers are baptized into Christ. In Ro. 6:3 Paul included himself when he said, "Know ye not, that so many of us as were baptized into Christ were baptized into his death", who will say we are saved out of Christ? The above passages teach that believers are baptized into Christ.

Christ said, "Teach all nations, baptizing them into the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit", Mt. 28:19. It was Christ who said, "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved"; Mk. 16:16.

My friends, in every place where the Bible associates "Faith" and Salvation, faith comes first every time. Now read your Bible where baptism and salvation are associated and you will find that "baptism" comes first every time. The Holy Spirit guided the Apostles into "ALL TRUTH", if the apostles did not teach the truth on the relation of baptism and salvation how do we know they taught the truth on the relation of faith and salvation? Let the man that teaches that baptism is not a condition of salvation, find the passage where the two subjects are associated, wherein it would be possible to conclude that salvation was enjoyed before baptism.

Attend the church of Christ in your community where the truth is preached like it reads in your bible, and listen over KTXC 1400-K.C. Big Spring, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:30 to 9:20 a. m. Bible answers given to Bible questions.

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A Bible Thought For Today -

Most of our fears and sorrows are shadows. Terribly dark now but the sun will dispel them usually tomorrow. "Until the day break, and the shadows flee away." Sol. 2:17.

A Little Common Courtesy Would Greatly Help Traffic Situation

People, in general, can be accused of having very bad traffic manners, whether they're at the wheel of a motor vehicle, or playing the role of pedestrian. Sins of omission and commission are many, and they all add up to a unhealthy and unsafe condition.

As drivers we pay no attention to a stop sign, if the coast happens to be clear and the cops are around. We burst right on through without slowing down. We get away with it most of the time, but if we keep it up someday there will be a collision, and hospital bills, and damage suits.

Opening U. S. Market One Way Of Bolstering Europe Economy

We have spent several billion postwar dollars trying to get Europe on its feet economically as the only way of saving it from communism.

just under three billion for ECA's third year, and he argued that America could buy up to one and a quarter billion dollars' worth of European goods without affecting the American economy in the least.

Today And Tomorrow - Watler Lippmann

New Conference With Russia Would Be Doomed To Failure

The pressure which is building up for a conference of some sort with the Soviet Union is embarrassing and dangerous. It is increasingly hard for the President and Mr. Acheson to resist it.

with their fellow men. Whether they meant it or not, the net impression of the Truman and Acheson press conferences was that they had slammed the door.

Notebook - Hal Boyle

Didn't Make Grade In Sports, Is Expert As A Sportscaster

NEW YORK, N. Y. - AMERICA IS FULL of people who want to do something big-but just sit around and talk about it.

HE EARNED A LAW DEGREE, TOO, and passed the bar. But he didn't hang out his shingle. He preferred a job in Birmingham broadcasting football games.

BUT THERE IS A GOLDEN LINING to his cloud. Allen gets between \$150,000 and \$200,000 a year for all his oral exercises, and when his chains of this career break, he will likely employ a phrase familiar to millions of his fans:

"The secret of his success? "To me sports are still glamorous-and always will be. I'm still country boy enough to be thrilled by the personalities, and I get as excited as any other fan."

Today's Birthday

LORD TEMPLEWOOD, born Feb. 24, 1880 in Chelsea, London, as Samuel John Gurney Hoare. Credited with developing British aviation, champion of India's home rule, and long a conservative statesman, Sir Samuel was made a viscount in 1944.

HOW TIMES CHANGE



Merry-Go-Round - Drew Pearson

Bert Andrews Picked As Miracle Man To Put Life Into Republican Campaign

WASHINGTON - Bert Andrews, Pulitzer prize-winning chief of the New York Herald Tribune's Washington Bureau, has been offered the man-size job of breathing life into the Republican Party.

bushy eyebrows, his senatorial statements and his bulldozing manner have become such a symbol of dislike to the American public that there is little sympathy for the miners he represents.

should not move to other jobs, allowing other mines to work full time. In brief, what the very sick coal industry needs is not prolonged hickering, but over-all planning.

DEFENSE SPEEDED It's an unpleasant but inescapable fact that civilian defense preparations for dealing with any surprise attack on the United States are being speeded up in important ways inside the Pentagon Building.

SICK INDUSTRY The truth is that the coal industry is sick. And Lewis, by his work stoppages to win wage increases, has made it sicker.

Larry Todd, the thin, red-cheeked reporter for the Russian news agency, Tass, rushed into the State Department's press office to ask: "Does the department have a statement on the arrest of Klaus Fuchs?"

THE CIVILIAN defense program may lead to enormous expansion of industrial capacity and the relocation of some parts of the population, but there will be no drastic changes overnight.

THE MEETING happened by chance last October when Nick was visiting his pal, Pete Freeman, at Paramount studios. The romance began immediately.

every angle and attended Loyola (Los Angeles), Chicago, and DePaul universities. He did an 18-month stretch in the Navy and was a radar man aboard the North Carolina during bombardments of Japan.

TRAGIC CLIMAX John L. Lewis, at the age of 76, has reached his most tragic climax of his long career.

THE TIGER'S ON HIS TOES TONIGHT! A cartoon illustration showing a man and a woman in a domestic setting.

Around The Rim - The Herald Staff

Dixieland Music Is Returning; With It Rash Of Banjo Pickers

Let's dwell once again upon the subject of recurring fads—and they do recur, you know.

strings. That is, it consists of a piece of hide, or similar material, stretched tightly across a strectar "head" and it has a neck similar to that of the guitar. It is not a resonant instrument, but sounds exactly as you might expect — like a drum with strings.

The Nation Today - James Marlow

Here's More Tips On Filling Out Income Tax Form No. 1040

WASHINGTON, D. C. - HERE ARE SOME examples of using the 1949 short form in making your 1949 income tax return.

falls to file jointly with him, Smith files his own return, merely claiming the \$600 exemption he's entitled to for her as a wife who had no income.

FIND YOUR TAX IN THE TABLE ON Page 4. When you've finished, tear off Page 1 and turn it in to the collector with any tax you owe.

THE TAX ON THIS ABSENT-MINDED couple is \$536, the same as it was on Kelly, the single man with one dependent. You find that tax, \$536, opposite \$4,700 (\$4,700 to \$4,750) in Column 2 which shows the tax on a married person filing separately but claiming two exemptions.

JONES'S BOSS DURING THE YEAR withheld \$608 from his salary in taxes. So Jones finds, because of that extra \$209 in untaxed dividends, that he owes an additional \$44 in taxes, or a total of \$652.

(IF HER INCOME WAS \$600 OR MORE, she could file jointly with her husband and each of them on the one return would get his own \$600 exemption, a total of \$1,200. If they file separately she would claim her \$600 exemption on her return, he'd claim his \$600 on his return.)

Capital Report - Doris Fleeson

Natural Gas Rate Proposal Affects Nation's Consumers

WASHINGTON - The Senate will shortly be faced with a major decision on natural gas policy which will affect gas consumers in more than 40 states.

low, the companies are making profits, he states. In the past both the FPC and the Supreme Court have been on both sides of the question of FPC's rate-fixing powers over producers.

Billions of dollars, great power and much politics are involved in the question. So are old wrongs and confusions, emotions and personalities.

The Big Spring Herald Publication history and weekly afternoon circulation figures.

WORD-A-DAY

WORD-A-DAY by BACH. FETTL (fett'l) A CONDITION OF STATE OF READINESS; GOOD TRIM OR CONDITION; AS, IN FINE FETTL. THE TIGER'S ON HIS TOES TONIGHT!

# New Year's Eve Atmosphere Prevails In Piccadilly Circus

LONDON, Feb. 24. (U.P.) — Thousands of rain-soaked Londoners jammed Piccadilly Circus and nearby Trafalgar Square until the early morning hours today to cheer or jeer the election results. The atmosphere was that of New Year's Eve, enlivened by bursts of fireworks, as electric illuminated boards flashed the returns.

Conservative victories were signalled by a sea of balloons, union jacks, and blue and white stars. Labor successes got an answering wave of red and yellow balloons. Flower girls and hawkers of balloons and noise-makers did a land office business in Piccadilly. Some pranksters improvised their noise-makers by touching balloons with lighted cigarettes.

British pubs, unlike bars in most American states, remained open during the election. They did not close until midnight. Clubs and restaurants got permission to serve patrons into the wee hours. As labor zoomed into the lead, the expensive night spots dispensed mainly liquid cheer. The crowds, chiefly pro-labor, grew more enthusiastic by the hour. The merry-makers found the last stragglers didn't desert Central London until after dawn.

Labor party headquarters was quietly confident. Tory headquarters staged early celebrations as Conservative candidates piled up local victories, but gathering gloom set in as the Laborites forged ahead and stayed in front. Prime Minister Attlee, Foreign Minister Bevin, Herbert Morrison and other labor bigwigs were at Transport House party headquarters.

Most of the Tory leaders were at Winston Churchill's Hyde Park home, where the results came in by teletype. The liberals, who may be finished as an effective force by their crushing defeat, were the quietest of all.

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# Czechs Release Missionaries, Order Them Out Of Country

PRAGUE, Feb. 24. (U.P.) — Two American Mormon missionaries held by Czech police since Jan. 28 on charges of entering a "prohibited area" were released today and expelled from the country.

The American Embassy said the two missionaries, Stanley E. Abbott of Lehi, Utah, and C. Aldon Johnson, of Idaho Falls, Ida., were released from jail in Olomouc, Central Moravia.

They were placed on a train in the company of two plainclothesmen, brought to Prague, taken to the airport and whisked off to Zurich, Switzerland, by plane. A spokesman for the American embassy said plane tickets were waiting for Abbott, 23, and Johnson, 22, when they arrived at the airport.

The missionaries were seen off at the airport by members of the American Embassy and Wallace Toronto, head of the Mormon Church in Czechoslovakia. The two missionaries were released at a time when the Mormon Church is withdrawing all its American workers here in accordance with Czechoslovakia's new church law.

Eleven other missionaries, two of whom also have been expelled on charges of conspiracy left Prague Monday night to take up new missions in the United States, Britain, and Western Germany. Czech church laws decree that all officiating clergymen must be Czech citizens, swear an oath of loyalty to the government and receive their salaries from the state.

**4-H Activities Reported To Club**  
Big Spring Kiwanis club members Thursday heard a report on county 4-H club activities and an outline of possibilities for a county-wide agriculture field day. Principal was County Agent Durward Lewter.

# Sweetwater Bids For Clincher

By The Associated Press  
One more entry in the Class AA high school basketball tournament will be decided tonight. There may be others.

Texas City and Beaumont, all square at one game each in their bi-district series, meet at Texas City in the third and deciding game. The winner will join Highland Park of Dallas and Texarkana in the state tournament. That will leave five vacant spots to be filled by tomorrow night.

**Milam To Graham**  
GRAHAM, Feb. 24. (U.P.) — John Milam, former Southern Methodist University football player, has been named head coach of Graham High School. He succeeds John Little, whose contract was not renewed. Milam graduates from Southern Methodist in June.

Class A and B regional tournaments are being unrec'd tonight and tomorrow to pick the eight teams in each class to go to state meets.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON**  
**Paul Continues His Missionary Journeys**

Scripture—Acts 15:36-18:22; I Corinthians 5:9-6:20; II Corinthians 6:11-7:1.  
By NEWMAN CAMPBELL  
Today we continue Paul's missionary journeys. Consult the map to see the many miles he traveled with his companions to bring the Gospel of Christ to Jew and Gentile alike.

Sweetwater, victor over Stephenville Wednesday night, can clinch a tournament spot with another win tonight at Sweetwater. So can Austin of El Paso, 40-29 winner over Lamesa last night. Corpus Christi, 28-25 victor over Temple Wednesday night, and Laredo, which beat Harlingen, 32-48 Wednesday night. Vernon squared its series with powerful Borger last night, winning 35-34. The third game will be played tomorrow night at Childress, Tex. Borger was after its 30th victory, but suffered its third defeat this season when it lost by one point.

The distances seem small, measured by modern means of transportation, but they required weary hours to travel in the time of Paul and his comrades. Paul and Barnabas were in Antioch after going to Jerusalem to make a report of their activities. Paul suggested to Barnabas that they visit again the brethren in every city where they had preached the word of the Lord. Barnabas evidently agreed, but he was determined to take John Mark with them, Paul said so.

You remember John Mark had deserted them on one of their former expeditions. Luke says, "the contention was so sharp between them that they departed asunder one from the other." The two apostles almost quarreled, we may say, and parted—Barnabas took care to introduce a new and very important character in Paul's life. His name was Timothy, son of a Jewess and a Greek. Two of Paul's last epistles, written just before his death in Nero's persecutions, were addressed to him.

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Paul knew it was the Lord that had called him. At the chief Macedonian city, Philippi, the three—Paul, Silas and Timothy—met Lydia, a seller of purple cloth, who was baptized with all her household and who insisted that they accept her hospitality.

At Thessalonica Paul preached in the synagogue, and reasoned with the elders. Many believed, but those that believed not stirred up evil and rough men and they Mark and sailed to Cyprus, and Paul went the other way, through Syria and Cilicia, taking Silas, a prominent member of the Antioch church.

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The lesson is so long and so filled with exciting incidents, that we must be brief in recounting each one in order to have space for the temperance lesson Paul preaches to us in Corinthians.

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GOOD OR BAD BUSINESS?

US Borrowing From Reserves

By SAM DAWSON Associated Press Staff NEW YORK, Feb. 23. — Uncle Sam is making the financing of his treasury deficit easier by dipping into the social security funds you pay. The Federal Reserve Board observes this today without comment. But others are more vocal. This borrowing from federal agency reserve funds instead from the banks, in pay current expenses, leads some to charge that the reserves are becoming "a fiction." The critics are stoutly opposed, however, by others who see the practice as good business for both the funds and the treasury, as justifiable, and even to your advantage. Here are the arguments on both sides: Those who oppose the habit call it "robbing Peter to pay Paul" with all the self-delusion such a policy involves. They also call it double taxation. First, the treasury taps your pay check to provide for old age and unemployment insurance. It gives government securities to the trust funds for this cash. But when the time comes to pay you your pension, so the argument goes, you may be taxed again. That would be to provide the cash the treasury will need to redeem its securities from the agencies and provide them with the money to pay you. Those who champion the present policy of handling the reserve funds make the following arguments: 1. These reserve funds are not to blame for the national debt, nor for the deficit, nor for any future taxation to redeem these or any other government security. Debts, deficits and higher taxes can stem only from congressional sanction of government spending. 2. Investment of these government agency funds in treasury securities is defensible on the same grounds as the investment by life insurance companies of their reserve funds in government securities. 3. The funds get from two to four per cent interest each year. And, although this interest is raised, of course, by general taxation, still the reserve funds are swelled by it—whereas they would earn nothing if left in cash.

Group To Protest Hydrogen Bomb

NEW YORK, Feb. 24. (U. S. A.) — A marathon meeting starts at the community church of New York tonight to protest making of the hydrogen bomb. A discussion session, sponsored by the interdenominational church and several peace groups, will be followed by a 24-hour prayer vigil.

Radio Quizmaster To Take A Bride

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 24. (U. S. A.) — Radio Quizmaster Bob Hawk, 42, says he and Mary Rechner, 40, one-time secretary to Film Producer Dore Schary, will be married on April 11. The couple obtained a marriage license yesterday. It will be the first wedding for each.

Former Hospital Guard To Push Appeal Against Death Decree

WICHITA FALLS, Feb. 24. (U. S. A.) — "It's not fair and I'm not giving up." That was the reaction of Tommy C. Saucier, 24, when he was told yesterday the court of criminal appeals in Austin Wednesday had affirmed his death sentence. "I've got 15 days to make another appeal and I'm going higher," the former guard at the Wichita Falls State Hospital declared. He was accused and convicted of killing a patient, Thomas Houston Gibbons, by stomping, hitting and choking him on March 4, 1949. Gibbons had entered the hospital that day after having been adjudged insane in Hopkins County.

when he was arrested March 7, 1949. "I don't know what I'll do until I have talked to my lawyer," he said. "I never had no malice aforethought, and they didn't prove it either."

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By WILLIAM C. BARNARD Associated Press Staff You're not so busy. Not compared with Charles T. Wellborn. Five days a week, Wellborn goes to two Texas colleges, working on two different degrees. And does this busy gent rest on week ends? Nope, he flies 1,700 miles every week end and preaches as three sermons. Wellborn, tall, slim, intense, unmarried and 25, holder of two medals for bravery in action, hails from Gladewater. Here is the story of his amazing activities: He is a student at Baylor University, Waco, where he is working on a master's degree in religion. He already has a bachelor of arts degree from Baylor. Two days a week he goes to Fort Worth where he is working on a bachelor of divinity degree at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. He hopes to get both the master's and bachelor's degrees in June. On Saturdays, Wellborn takes an airliner to Atlanta, Ga., to preach a 35-minute sermon (2:30 p. m. CST) on a coast-to-coast American Broadcasting Co. network. One hundred and seventy-five stations carry these sermons to an estimated three or four million listeners. The program is sponsored by the Southern Baptist Radio Convention. In Atlanta churches, Wellborn also preaches sermons Sunday morning and Sunday evening. On Monday, he flies back to Waco. During the war, Wellborn won two bronze stars in Italy. In one instance he ran out into the line of machine gun fire to rescue a wounded buddy. The war over, he returned to Baylor where he had already done some pre-law work. A religious talk he heard in the Baylor chapel fired him with a desire to preach. "What do you do in your spare time?" we asked Wellborn. "Answer letters," said he. "I get about 250 a week and try to answer all of them. But right now I'm 'way behind.'" Several times, on his trips to Atlanta, weather has grounded the commuting preacher en route. "But I've always made it on time," he said, "by train or bus. Once I even chartered a private plane. "How do you feel about planes, Wellborn?" "They just make me sleepy. I sleep all the way to Atlanta and back." "Are you making any money?" "Not much. For the radio broadcasts I get a little bit more than my bare traveling expenses. I get some pay for preaching at the Atlanta churches. But the main thing to me is that I hope I am accomplishing something."

Body May Be That Of Naval Attache In Bucharest

VIENNA, Austria, Feb. 24. (U. S. A.) — The battered body of a man believed by Austrian police to be Capt. Eguene Karpe, U. S. naval attache in Bucharest, was found in a tunnel south of Salzburg yesterday. U. S. Army officials said they had not yet positively identified the man as Karpe, who was a close friend of Robert A. Vogler, American businessman imprisoned this week by the Hungarians on spy charges. Austrian police said papers found on the body bore the name of Capt. Karpe. However, a diplomatic passport Karpe was known to be carrying has not been found. The Austrian press agency said police believe the man fell from a sleeping car on the Arlsberg express, which runs from Vienna to Paris.

Pecos Men Given Damage For Injuries

PECOS, Feb. 24. (U. S. A.) — A \$17,000 judgment was awarded F. J. Kraus of Pecos yesterday in a suit against Texas Electric Service Co. Kraus had both arms and legs paralyzed when a 50,000-volt charge passed through his body while he was working on a line believed dead.

Easy Transportation

ROSELLE PARK, N. J., Feb. 24. (U. S. A.) — Passerby struggling on icy streets yesterday were treated to the spectacle of a dignified commuter skating his way to the railroad station with his business shoes under his arm.

PARTY LINE IS TO BLAME

CYPRESS, Calif., Feb. 24. (U. S. A.) — "Oh, that's an old excuse to get the line," someone laughed when John Ogil broke into the conversation on his 10-party telephone line to call the fire department. While the conversation was resumed and Ogil ran to a nearby ranch to use the phone there, his house burned down, leaving the Ogils and their five children homeless, yesterday.

Old Courthouse Destroyed By Fire

MANISTEE, Mich., Feb. 24. (U. S. A.) — A wind-whipped fire, fought together by prisoners and firemen, destroyed the 60-year-old Manistee County court house early today. The firemen and prisoners succeeded in protecting neighboring residences endangered by falling embers flung by the wind onto rooftops. County officials made emergency arrangements to retain custody of the burned-out inmates of the jail. The spectacular fire could be seen for miles around this community on the shore of Lake Michigan. The building was reported a "total loss." No injuries were reported. Jailers let out the half dozen prisoners, all held on minor offenses. The prisoners pitched in and joined in the battle against the fire.

Voters Rush In, Can't Get Ballots

COVENTRY, Eng., Feb. 24. (U. S. A.) — A last minute rush of voters who couldn't get ballots may change election results in two parliamentary districts which are to be contested. Night polling stations ran out of ballots 20 minutes before voting ended. The names and addresses of those unable to vote were recorded.

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### Swiss Mechanic Convicted For Espionage

BERN, Switzerland, Feb. 24. (AP)—A Swiss army mechanic, said to have put nearly \$10,000 earned from spying into a New York bank before the war, pleaded guilty yesterday to espionage for the United States, Britain and France.

Willy Gerber, 47, was brought before a Swiss military court. He faces a maximum penalty of life imprisonment.

The prosecution charged that, for personal gain, Gerber "made it his life work to divulge everything there was to divulge in Switzerland."

The court charged he even sold occasional information to Sweden, Turkey and Yugoslavia as a sideline.

He was said to have systematically betrayed Switzerland's military secrets, stole secret plans and documents from the Swiss army and engaged in economic and political espionage.

Maj. Bidwell Moore, assistant U. S. military attaché in Bern who was recalled last October, was said at that time by the Swiss federal council (cabinet) to have been in

### GOVERNOR TAKES ACTION Florida Clamps Lid On Gambling

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 24. (AP)—At the peak of Florida's winter season, gambling in every form is at a virtual standstill throughout the state.

In the wake of Gov. Fuller Warren's "get tough" letter to all sheriffs, constables, county solicitors and law enforcement agencies a survey of the state shows that the "lid" is truly on.

From Pensacola to Key West the picture was the same: Gambling, if any, was being conducted on a sneak basis. Slot machines had disappeared. Bookmaking activities were practically at a standstill and the plush gambling casinos of Jacksonville and the "gold coast" were either dark or simply serving diners and cocktails.

Sheriffs of almost every county in the state reported their county "clean" with little or no activity in the world of fast money.

Operators of the expensive roulette and dice parlors on the Florida east coast were reported highly irritated at the governor's edict to shutter.

It came at the very crest of the Florida winter season — the last week in February — when the state is flooded with well-moneyed visitors dodging winter snows.

Several phases of the unprecedented gambling "brownout" were open to conjecture.

Although many law officers reported they had not yet received the governor's letter — sent Wednesday — gambling in their areas had slowed to a mere trickle.

### Irene Rich Plans Fourth Marriage?

NEW YORK, Feb. 24. (AP)—Slim, attractive Irene Rich, 33-year-old actress, is reported planning to marry George H. Clifford, 58, a utilities executive.

It would be the fourth marriage for Miss Rich, a Broadway stage star and one-time star of silent films. She and her third husband, David Blakenbom, were divorced in 1931.

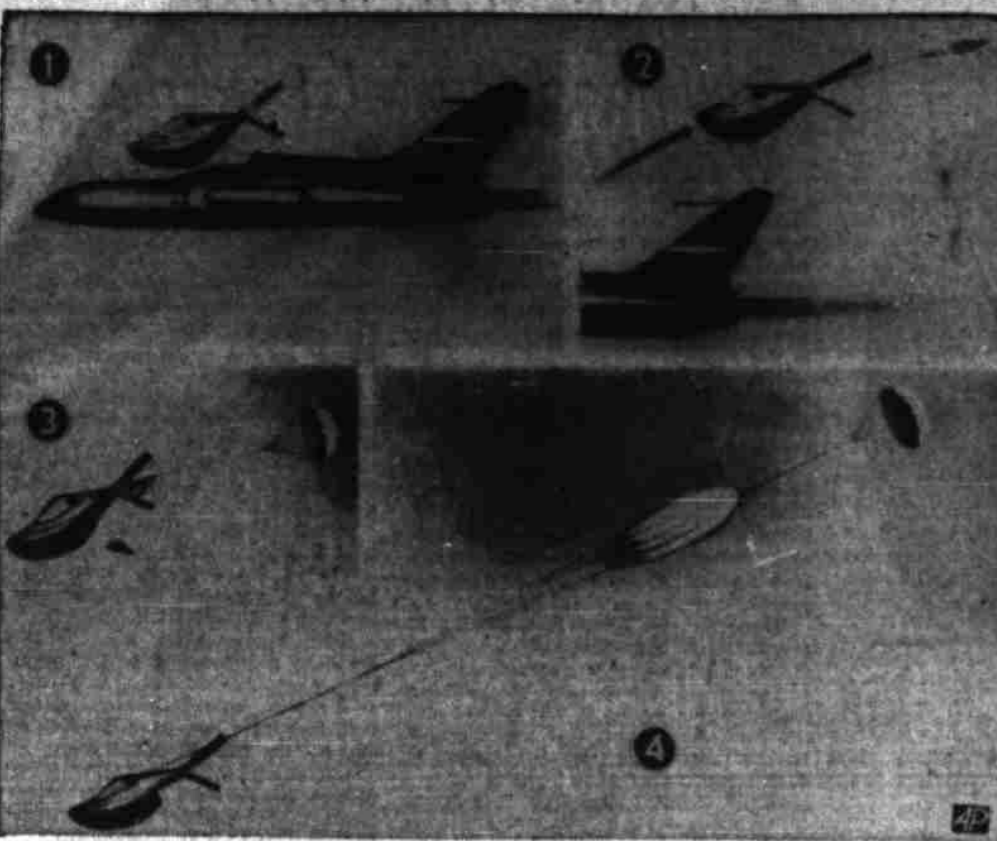
Neither she nor Clifford, a widower since 1935, would confirm or deny the reported marriage plans today.

"If, and when we're ready," he said, "we'll make the announcement. It is premature to make any

### Wedding Called Off

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 24. (AP)—Virtually on the eve of their scheduled wedding, Director Howard Hawks and Actress Marion Marshall have called it off.

They were to be wed Sunday, but yesterday Miss Marshall disclosed the break up occurred "sometime ago" and added "there is nothing to say." Hawks, former husband of Nancy (Slim) Hawks, is on his Arizona ranch.



NAVY'S NEW BREAKAWAY COCKPIT—These drawings of the new breakaway cockpit unit, designed by the Navy bureau of aeronautics to serve as a parachute-borne emergency escape pod for pilots of high altitude, supersonic planes, are issued by the Department of Defense. The pressurized, insulated pod is ejected (1) with stabilization fins in place and (2) as the pod's speed decreases a small para chute is released and, upon opening (3), the small chute releases a larger one (4), designed to support the capsule's drop. (AP Wirephoto)

### Laredo Group Seeks Writ To Bar Radio License Revocation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. (AP)—Judge Edward E. Tamm will hear arguments Feb. 28 in a petition by the Laredo Broadcasting Co. for an injunction to block the Federal Communications Commission's revocation of its license.

The petition for the injunction was filed yesterday in district court.

The broadcasting company operates Station KLAB at Laredo, with Mark Perkins listed as owning a majority of the outstanding stock.

The commission revoked the station's license in January on the grounds that Perkins had relinquished his rights and responsibilities to Allen K. Tish, William Prescott Allen, and others, in violation of the communications act.

Under FCC procedure, the license revocation was suspended upon the

control of funds for operation of the station.

(Judge Allred said that while there was some failure of the defendants to appreciate the requirements of law, that on the other hand the FCC and its agents should recognize practical conditions, particularly as they relate to the border country.

(Allred said Allen, publisher of the Laredo Times, is a public-spirited citizen interested in keeping the station operating. Probably he is the only man who could do so in view of the peculiar conditions here, the judge added. Allred referred to Nuevo Laredo, Mex., radio stations which cover the Laredo area completely and have low advertising rates due to the exchange value of Mexican money.

(In referring to the hearing on cancellation of Perkins' permit, Allred said it seemed to him that the fair thing to do would be to combine the hearing with one on the application for transfer of title to the station.)

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### A PLATFORM THAT WINS

MENSTON, Eng., Feb. 24. (AP)—Nine-year-old Dale Smith, running as a Communist, triumphed easily in a school mock election here yesterday.

Dale's winning platform: Hang all teachers. Free ice cream for all children.

Let children collect the five-shilling (70 cents) per child weekly family allowances the government gives British parents for every child after the first.

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Miners Union Faces Trial For Contempt

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. (AP)—Judge Richmond B. Keach refused today to drop contempt charges against the striking coal miners union and ordered a trial on Monday.

Keach told union attorneys they could have a jury trial if they desired.

Miners Ignore Cities' Pleas For More Coal

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 24. (AP)—Striking soft coal miners are showing no inclination to dig coal on an emergency basis despite pleas from fuel-hungry cities and hospitals.

The trickle of coal mined by non-union diggers is being choked off by roving bands of pickets who insist production stand still.

Unemployment in coal-mined industries is rising by the hour. That's the picture in the nation today as John L. Lewis, head of the United Mine Workers, continues to plug it out with soft coal operators.

The St. Louis Hospital Council said it got a reply from Lewis to its urgent plea for him to help provide coal.

It quoted him as saying: "Suggest you urge coal companies heretofore supplying you coal to sign contract with United Mine Workers of America, which will permit immediate resumption of production."

The board of Allegheny County commissioners in the coal capital of Pittsburgh, also wired Lewis, asking him to permit a few mines to operate near here.

The commissioners said only 3,000 tons of coal are available and that from 7,000 to 10,000 tons is needed daily.

Lewis didn't reply. The situation in Pittsburgh is no worse and no better than in many other cities.

Stringent emergency measures are going into effect across the nation.

Officials have ordered disouts and industrial layoffs, forced schools to close and put other conservation measures into effect.

The situation in New York State is so bad that Coal Administration Bertram D. Tallamy says no one will get any soft coal except hospitals, food processing plants, municipal water works and other essential consumers.

Truman Takes FEPC Fight To The Senate

He Wants Bill With Enforcement Provisions

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. (AP)—Its prospects of success clouded by House passage of a voluntary FEPC bill, the administration switched to the Senate today in its drive for compulsory fair employment practices legislation.

Backed by President Truman, Sen. Lucas of Illinois, the Democratic leader, kept to a schedule which will bring a bitterly-fought anti-job discrimination measure up in the Senate next month.

Mr. Truman told his news conference yesterday that he has made it clear he wants a bill with enforcement clauses.

When a reporter asked if such a measure could be made effective without interfering with an employer's right to hire whom he pleases, Mr. Truman said he'd always thought so.

Even FEPC approval by the Senate might mean only a disagreement between the two houses. That would kill the legislation in this session. Civil rights advocates then would have to start all over again in the next Congress.

The House bill, approved by a 240 to 177 vote, would set up a fair employment practices commission to try to persuade employers not to discriminate in hiring against anybody because of race, creed, disability or sex. Civil rights advocates didn't like it at all.

The administration bill to be called up in the Senate would give the FEPC power to enforce its decisions, providing criminal penalties for violations.

Sen. Russell (D-Ga.) leader of the Dixie forces expected to filibuster against Senate action on the compulsory measure, called the House bill only a springboard to discriminate in hiring against the Senate's compulsory measure.

"We will fight it with every resource of our command, just as we are going to fight the compulsory bill," he said.

Laborites Hold Narrow Lead In British Returns

Working Majority Appears Doubtful

LONDON, Feb. 24. (AP)—The Labor Party held a narrow and precarious lead tonight in the parliamentary election. It was doubtful that Prime Minister Attlee would have a workable majority in the new House of Commons even if he defeated the combined opposition of Conservatives and Liberals.

The count shortly after 5 p. m. (11 a. m. CST) showed: Labor 295 seats, Conservatives and allied parties 274, Liberals 7.

Forty-nine party seats remained to be decided at that time. There will be 625 seats in the new commons, but the speaker, elected as a Conservative, is regarded as a neutral.

For a time, the Laborites and the combined opposition were all even. Four times in 15 minutes of counting the opponents were dead level, and four times Labor went one seat ahead. Then the Laborites forged ahead by several seats again.

The Conservatives came back sharply in today's counting after overnight results had cast a pall of gloom over headquarters of Winston Churchill's party. When a recess in the count was taken early today, the Laborites held a lead of 61 seats.

In the old house of commons, which had 640 seats, the Laborites outnumbered the Conservatives 381 to 202.

A Labor spokesman said his party needed a majority of 30 seats to function effectively in the new house.

Churchill, re-elected in his own district by a big margin, spoke to his constituency at Woodford. The wartime prime minister said:

"We cannot tell and I am certainly not going to pronounce what is going to happen, but it is obvious parliament is going to be in a very unstable condition."

"All we can do is to keep our eyes steadily fixed on the main purpose to bring our country back to the forefront of the nations and to make her a home for all our people."

The popular vote at 5 p. m. was: Labor 11,698,099, Conservatives 10,938,204, Liberals 2,318,247.

"We have the votes so close it was possible that votes in four constituencies in the remote parts of Scotland could have an important bearing on the issue. Because of travel difficulties they will not report on how they voted until next Monday."

The constituencies are in the highlands and islands off the Scottish coast. Of the four, one voted Liberal National, one for Labor, and two for the Conservatives in 1945.

A Conservative spokesman said there seemed a good chance that the winning party, whichever it was, would be lucky to scrape home with a majority of 10.

If this happened another election would be unavoidable.

Usually in these circumstances there are minority political groups which can be persuaded to support one side or the other.

But this time the liberals, third strongest party in Britain, were making a sorry showing in seats won and the "splinter" groups were completely obliterated.

An outpouring of voters from the rural and small city districts revived Conservative hopes early in the day after a night of gloom.

The picture changed completely overnight. In the early returns, Labor piled up a lead which many leaders of both parties believed meant certain victory.

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Whistle-Stop Tour Planned By President

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. (AP)—President Truman may try to rescue his "fair deal" program by a pre-adjournment stumping tour aimed at bringing voter pressure on Congress.

The President himself gave impetus to such speculation by disclosing that he is considering a spring trip to the Northwest complete with "whistle stops" going and coming.

The trip under consideration would have for its avowed purpose dedication of Grand Coulee Dam in Washington State.

The President told his news conference yesterday that he had been invited and was considering making the trip. If he went, he said, there probably would be some whistle stops going and coming.

In view of his previously announced decision to stay out of Democratic primaries except in his own state of Missouri, the President likely would concentrate on opponents of his legislative program, especially Republicans, but leave enough implications to whip some Democratic recalcitrants in line.

Republicans generally viewed the spring tour as a part of a Truman campaign to get his sort of Democrats elected to Congress.

Mr. Truman did not say when his Northwest trip might be made, but his press secretary, Charles G. Ross, told reporters that it would be before the end of May, if undertaken.

The chamber of commerce aviation committee is to meet at 10 a. m. Saturday to complete arrangements for greeting a 92-plane aerial group which is scheduled to arrive here Tuesday morning from Portland, Ore.

The committee is to serve refreshments to the visitors and furnish them with fact sheets about Big Spring, Jack Cook, chairman, said. The flyers will be representing the Portland chamber of commerce. They will stop in Big Spring enroute to Havana, Cuba. The flight is made annually by the group.

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PRINCIPALS—Winston Churchill (upper right in top photo) dons his hat to crowd cheering him after voting in Saint Stephens Hall, Kensington, London, in the British election. In the lower photo, Prime Minister Clement Attlee talks with a young supporter in his suburban London constituency. The lad carries an Attlee electioneering placard. (AP Wirephoto).

SCHOOL ABSENCES HEAVY

'Flu' Wave Runs Erratic Course

Status of Big Spring's flu epidemic appeared uncertain today, as new cases continued to develop intermittently.

"Just when we begin thinking it's easing up another new wave of cases pop up," one local druggist declared.

Dr. J. E. Hogan, city health officer, said doctors indicated Thursday morning that traffic at hospitals was lighter than earlier in the week.

That could mean that the flu epidemic is beginning to wane, or else more people are relying upon home treatment, he explained.

The city health officer said school attendance records probably offered the most accurate statistics, and the attendance figures themselves virtually defied interpretation.

Abseences declined at the High school, but increased sharply in the elementary grades.

There were no less than 400 pupils from elementary schools out of the classrooms Thursday. That represented an increase of 101 from Wednesday figures.

The High school office reported 163 absences from the eighth grade through the 12th grade. The total Wednesday was 190.

However, High school officials said some pupils were attending classes while they had symptoms of flu and fever. They urged parents to keep children at home and encourage treatment in such cases. The disease spreads rapidly in classrooms, they explained.

Abseences reported Thursday by the various elementary schools were as follows: Central Ward, 112; College Heights, 67; East Ward, 34; North Ward, 35; Kate Morrison, 49; West Ward, 190; Albert 39; South Ward, 30.

Local druggists have managed to bolster their supplies of ampicillin, a new drug that is being used extensively in the treatment of flu patients.

However, chloramphenicol, another new drug that has been proved effective, is no longer available from jobbers, local druggists report.

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Wallace To Talk To Progressives

CHICAGO, Feb. 24. (AP)—Henry A. Wallace, the Progressive Party's presidential nominee in 1948, will be the keynote speaker tonight at the opening of the party's second national convention.

Some 1,200 Progressives from 35 states were expected for the first session at the Ashland Auditorium. Some ABC stations will broadcast the keynote address which the former vice president will give at 10:35 o'clock tonight.

Truman Heads Off Rail Strike

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. (AP)—President Truman set up an emergency fact-finding board, automatically heading off a nationwide railroad strike scheduled for Monday.

The action has the effect of delaying the proposed strike for 60 days.

Mr. Truman signed an executive order creating the board to investigate a dispute between the carriers and the Brotherhoods of Railway Conductors and Railroad Trainmen.

The names of the emergency board members will be announced later.

The dispute is between the brotherhoods and carriers represented by the eastern, the western and the southeastern carriers' conference committees.

Officials of the trainmen's brotherhood in Cleveland have said the union will comply with legal procedures provided by the Railway Labor Act.

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Half-Million Appropriated For Hospital

Big Spring State Hospital has been allotted half a million dollars in appropriations announced for the fiscal year beginning Sept. 1, 1950.

Final legislative approval came yesterday on a 26-million dollar outlay for state institutions, all of it to be spent in the next 18 months.

Five million dollars for the appropriation is to be spent on construction for state hospitals and special schools, and the Big Spring State hospital will be one of the first to figure in the construction program. The Associated Press reported that first construction outlays were due at Vernon and Terrell, then probably at Big Spring and Austin.

An allocation of \$20,612,128 to be used during the fiscal year Sept. 1, 1950 through Aug. 31, 1951, will be divided among 25 state institutions, including hospitals for the mentally ill, state orphan homes, schools for the deaf and blind, schools for juvenile delinquents, etc.

Additional millions are due to be made available in subsequent years. The immediate problem is to get more bed space, it was agreed.

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COMMITMENTS AUTHORIZED

Federal Aid For Housing Project

Federal aid for construction of an 80-unit housing project here was apparently assured this morning.

Federal Housing Administration officials have notified the Fort Worth FHA office to release commitments on the proposed Big Spring housing project, Rep. George Mahon informed the local chamber of commerce in a telegram this morning.

The Big Spring Rental Housing company, headed by Leland Payne of Lubbock, had applied for Federal assistance for the development in January. The application called for construction of 40 duplexes in the west half of the Belvue addition, or what was formerly the rodeo grounds.

The two-unit houses would be built on sites on both sides of extensions of Wood and Sycamore streets, and would be for rental purposes only.

Apparently the only obstacle to the development now are zoning restrictions. The area in which the duplexes are to be constructed is classified as a one-family "A" residential district.

The city Planning and Zoning commission has called a public hearing for Mar. 6 to determine the advisability of changing the area to a class "B" two-family district.

To Visit Husband

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