

Crop Control Bill Passed By House

New Measure Designed To Aid The Farmer Now Goes To Senate

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 (AP)—The house voted approval today of the revised crop control bill, speeding it along to final legislative action in the senate.

The roll call vote was 363 to 153. On a standing vote that preceded the roll call, approval was given 183 to 82.

House action came at the end of four hours of debate under procedure which many republicans described as a "gag rule." No member was permitted to change any section of the bill which a joint senate-house committee drafted from separate measures the senate and house passed at the end of the special session of congress last December.

The program would continue the soil conservation act and set up machinery by which Secretary Wallace, with the approval of farmers,

could apply marketing regulations to wheat, corn, cotton, tobacco and rice.

Here are the principal provisions of the bill:

1. Continuation of soil conservation act payments to farmers who co-operate with the agriculture department in substituting soil-conserving crops for soil-depleting crops.

2. Controls on the amount of cotton, tobacco, rice, corn or wheat a grower may market if Secretary Wallace estimates that prospective supplies will be dangerously high, with heavy fines for sale of above-quota production. The quota scheme becomes inoperative, however, if more than one-third of the farmers voting in a referendum reject it.

3. Acreage withdrawn from soil depleting crops may not be used for dairy feed crops beyond a farmer's normal needs.

4. Although no limit is placed on the amount of money that can be used for the new program, administration sponsors say it will not cost more than the \$500,000,000 which has been appropriated recently for other farm programs.

5. A \$200,000,000 appropriation for starting a wheat crop insurance program. Authorization for creation of \$100,000,000 corporation to provide insurance for other crops.

6. Individual payments under new act will be limited to \$10,000.

7. Machinery set up by Secretary Wallace can try to develop new uses and markets for the nation's major commodities. Research laboratories to be established in four sectors of the country.

RECTOR SLAIN



Dr. Charles H. Lee, shown, vice-lighting rector of Christ church on St. Simons Island near Brunswick, Ga., was killed by an unknown sniper as he sat writing a sermon.

City Expenses Over Estimate

Sewer Line Extension Calls For Major Outlay

Continued general fund expenditures in excess of budget appropriations due to sewer line extensions were reflected in the regular monthly financial report of the city of Big Spring Wednesday.

Commissioners, in session Tuesday evening, approved the report which showed an over-run of \$2,919.90 for January, gains in water revenues and in tax collections.

Only other action by the commission was to order the refunding of beer and wine and other liquor license fees to their holders when a certificate from the city secretary can be furnished saying that all city tax has been paid for the year.

Collections Good

During January, according to the report compiled by H. W. Whitney, city comptroller, general fund disbursements reached \$19,791.65, and although an excess over appropriations for the period, it was a decrease from previous months. For the first 10 months of the fiscal year.

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SENTENCES AFFIRMED

AUSTIN, Feb. 9 (AP)—The court of criminal appeals today affirmed the life sentences given Hugh R. Stanfield of Val Verde county, charged with rape of his daughter, and Harry Dengie of Travis county, convicted as an habitual criminal.

The court rejected Stanfield's claim evidence was insufficient and his objection to the cross examination of his wife. He was indicted for ravishing his 13-year-old daughter, Virginia Stanfield.

Oklahoma To Set Up Wage-Hour Codes Similar To Old NRA

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 9 (AP)—The first general wage-hours codes in the nation since the demise of the NRA will set up minimum standards for 300,000 employees—men as well as women—in Oklahoma May 1.

Eight industries are affected by the maximum hours and minimum wages code—laundries, dry cleaning establishments, office buildings, hotels, restaurants, retail stores, wholesale houses and the automobile business, including filling stations, garages, parking lots and dealers.

Significant features are a six-day week in all industries, a 48-hour week for women, except in small town mercantile businesses,

LICENSE GRANTED FOR HELIUM TO GERMANY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 (AP)—Germany was assured today of an ample supply of helium for her new trans-Atlantic zeppelin, the state department having granted a license for the export of 2,800,000 cubic feet of gas.

This will be the first installment of an allotment of 17,000,000 cubic feet.

The zeppelin, now known as the LZ-120, will make its first trip to the United States in June.

German Army Leaders To Withdraw

BERLIN, Feb. 9 (AP)—Three generals were reported by reliable sources today to have asked to be dismissed from the army in protest against Reichsfuehrer Hitler's merger of the high command and the Nazi party in the Feb. 4 shake-up. Their names were withheld.

Their withdrawal would raise to 17 the number of generals removed as a consequence of the upheaval in which the fuhrer assumed direct command of the armed forces.

Hitler left Saturday for Berchtesgaden, his Bavarian retreat, apparently with serene confidence that the new regime created by his decree would be accepted without protest.

Since his departure, however, evidence has developed that the reorganized army was not willing to go as far as the Nazi party would like.

Japs Prepare For Strong Offensive

Major Movement To Be Directed At Heart Of China

SHANGHAI, Feb. 9 (AP)—Japanese armies were poised at six points on the Far East war map today for a giant campaign to crush Chiang Kai-Shek's legions and swallow the fertile heart of eastern China.

New Movements

The magnitude of the campaign which has been in the making since the first shot was fired seven months ago became apparent through new military movements.

Japanese military headquarters disclosed the zero hour was approaching in a communique which said:

"The troops, with rearranged positions and with morale growing stronger, are impatient for further operations."

The Japanese grand objective was to bottle up 400,000 Chinese troops along the Langhai railway and conquer the corridor which has kept them from piecing together the Japanese occupied areas in North China and the Yangtze river valley.

For weeks the Japanese have edged into position for the offensive in a series of victories attributed by the army to "the prestige and virtues of the emperor and the loyalty and valor of Japanese forces."

But Chinese, facing a six-way attack on the corridor some 300 miles long and 180 to 200 miles wide, found cheer in these developments: Their troops at the south central fringe of the corridor have kept Japanese south of the Hwai river; persistent guerrilla attacks behind Japanese lines have hampered Nippon's movement of reinforcements and supplies; China's air force has grown; a steady stream of planes and war materials has reached central China from the south.

IN SPAIN

HENDAYE, France (At the Spanish Frontier), Feb. 9 (AP)—Spanish insurgents completed the "first stage" of an attempted push to the sea through government-controlled eastern Spain and halted today to bury their dead and take inventory of captured prisoners and supplies.

The Franco forces counted 230 square miles of territory gained in a four-day offensive north of Teruel.

George VI To Visit France

Political Significance Attached To Journey In June

LONDON, Feb. 9 (AP)—King George's state visit to France next June was considered here today to be a planned demonstration of the close political ties between Europe's leading democracies.

Political observers were quick to point out that the monarch's first journey outside the realm since his coronation last May would serve to balance the German Fuhrer Hitler's springtime visit to fascist Rome.

The London press generally hailed the announcement that King George and Queen Elizabeth would spend four days in France, visiting President Albert Lebrun in Paris from June 28 to July 1.

Commentators held the visit a logical step to symbolize the ties between Britain and France—Britain's bulwark against possible aggression from the continent.

One newspaper, the Daily Express, gave consideration to the possibility of a meeting between the king and his brother, the Duke of Windsor. The two have not met since Edward abdicated and went into voluntary exile and George succeeded to the throne.

The Express headed its editorial: "Will they (the king and queen) meet the Duke and Duchess of Windsor?"

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THEATRES TO OPEN AT 9 A. M. THURSDAY

To accommodate big crowds expected for a final cash award, all three local theatres will be opened at 9 o'clock Thursday morning, the management has announced. Kitz, Lyric and Queen will receive patronage beginning at that hour.

The local showhouses are discontinuing their "back night" after Thursday.

ICY FLOODS HARASS NORTHERN STATES



Sixty per cent of Sebawaing, Mich., was covered with water and drifting ice cakes as the Sebawaing river, its mouth clogged by ice, left its banks. This picture shows the flooded Pere Marquette railroad yards at Sebawaing. Flood waters gave trouble in other parts of Michigan, Wisconsin and Ontario.

Hull's Denial Of Alliance Due To Help Navy Expansion Bill

FD's Program, However Faces Opposition

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 (AP)—Senate chiefs today regarded today Secretary Hull's denial of a naval understanding with England as helping smooth the legislative path for the \$350,000,000 navy expansion program.

Democratic Leader Barkley of Kentucky predicted the secretary of state's reply to questions of Senator Johnson (R-Calif.) would "cut the ground out from under" some of the senate opposition.

Hull said there was no agreement to operate the United States fleet in conjunction with Great Britain or any other country, or to use the fleet in patrol duty.

Hull added a denial that there was any understanding with England relating to possible war developments.

From Senator Nye (R-ND) came a prediction of "fireworks" when the bill is sent to the senate from the senate from the house, where administration leaders said they expected its approval without major changes.

Nye said a dozen senators, most of them members of the "neutrality bloc," would fight to reduce the proposed expenditure.

Meanwhile, the first woman member of congress, opposing the expansion, told congress that "wholly abnormal" warship building by the United States would "intensify international tensions" and speed the world toward war.

Former Representative Jeannette Rankin, of Montana, legislative secretary of the National Council for

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REWARD GIVEN FOR OUTLAWS' ARREST

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 (AP)—Attorney General Cummings awarded \$500 each today to J. Wood Harpole, Jackson, Miss., and D. M. Wrotenberg, Lufkin, Tex., for information furnished the justice department leading to the arrest last month of Alvin Karpis and Hugh Ganey.

Hunt and Ganey, who had been sought since December 16, 1936, for a Florida bank robbery, were trapped by G-men and Houston, Tex., police detectives at Houston January 11. They were sentenced to 25 years yesterday for bank robbery.

Cummings said that Harpole was awarded one-half of the \$1,000 reward posted last July 27 for having identified a photograph of Hunt as a tenant of the house near Jackson.

Wrotenberg recognized Ganey's picture in a Houston newspaper as being identical with a person living in Houston and notified authorities.

NEW FLOOD THREAT

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9 (AP)—A forecast for continued rain in northern California and a rapidly rising Sacramento river brought another flood threat today.

Twelve highway patrolmen who had been searching Northeast Texas for the jailbreakers returned to Dallas early today and a new detail of eight men was sent out.

Officers believed three of the bandits had split their forces. The prisoners slugged Constable C. F. Withers at the county jail with his own pistol and stole an automobile at the Jefferson hotel garage.

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BELGIUM WILL HONOR HOOVER FOR WORK DURING WAR DAYS

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 (AP)—Bound on a "sentimental journey," former President Herbert Hoover is sailing for Europe today to revisit the scenes of his labors as director of the food administration in war-ravaged Belgium.

Now 63, he was invited by the Belgian government and various Belgian universities to make the voyage for a round of ceremonies calculated to show the Belgian people's "unalterable attachment."

The program in Hoover's honor, it was stated, will signal the "twenty years after" gratitude of a nation which never has forgotten the dark days of the World War when the Hoover commission fed millions of hungry inhabitants of the stricken little nation.

For five years, until July, 1919, Hoover directed a "kitchen empire" without parallel in history.

Amid the chaos of thundering guns, while governments struggled with the gigantic task of feeding their armies at the front, Hoover's organization functioned as an almost independent state.

It flew its own flag, issued its own passports, operated an ever-hurrying fleet of ships, barges, railroads, food factories and mills.

"War or no war, the people must eat," said Hoover. And they did.

Jail Fugitives Are Pursued

Felons Steal Cars After Escaping At Sulphur Springs

SULPHUR SPRINGS, Feb. 9 (AP)—Five fugitives who broke jail here last night left a trail of stolen automobiles today as officers pursued them towards the Oklahoma line.

Sheriff Ed Bannister reported the machine the felons seized in front of a hotel here last night had been found about 15 miles north, near Nelta, on a lateral dirt road.

Two other automobiles were reported stolen, L. C. Littleton, of Nelta, telephoning officers a sedan and truck parked in front of his home were missing. Officers believed the band had split their forces.

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More Demand For Aid Is Foreseen

Money Needed To Supplement What WPA Has On Hand

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 (AP)—President Roosevelt, it was learned today, will ask congress within a day or two to appropriate between \$200,000,000 and \$300,000,000 for relief during the next five months.

Auto Unemployment

Informed sources said the president would send a letter to Speaker Bankhead, probably tomorrow, asking additional funds primarily because of expected relief demands during February, March and April.

The Works Progress Administration, these sources said, has told the president it needed a deficiency appropriation largely because of unemployment in certain automobile cities.

Earlier, Senate Majority Leader Barkley, who conferred with Mr. Roosevelt and other congressional leaders and administration officials, said the message might cover not only the question of a deficiency appropriation for the rest of this fiscal year, but also needs for the next fiscal year, beginning July 1.

Acting as spokesman for the president's relief conferees, Barkley said he did not know how much additional relief money would be required. He added, however, that a deficiency appropriation was "very likely."

Supplemental Sum

The relief money, if the president decides to ask congress for it, will be used to supplement the \$497,000,000 already available to the Works Progress Administration up to June 30.

Aubrey Williams, assistant WPA director, was understood to have proposed the \$200,000,000 figure in discussions with congressional leaders. He conferred yesterday with Mr. Roosevelt, Secretary Morgenthau, and Acting Budget Director Bell.

Midwest mayors who visited the White House yesterday urged the president to request \$400,000,000. They told him that about a million persons should be added to the nearly 2,000,000 now on WPA rolls.

A group of house liberals told Mr. Roosevelt Monday that the need for additional funds might run as high as \$500,000,000.

The president told reporters he was studying the relief subject from the point of view of relieving human needs rather than one of business pump-priming. He indicated he expected to have something definite to say in the next few days.

Big Steel And CIO Sign New Contract

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 (AP)—The United States Steel corporation today granted the Committee for Industrial Organization a new union contract replacing the current agreement expiring February 28. A quarter of a million workers are affected.

Wages were left at the existing level.

The only substantial change made in the old contract, which now is renewed indefinitely, was a provision for conferences on 10 days' notice by either side for the purpose of negotiating changes.

IN AMARILLO
Joe Pond, governor of Lions district 3-T, was in Amarillo Wednesday at club business. He addressed a ladies night gathering Tuesday evening at Florida and was going on to Amarillo Wednesday to meet with past governors Ralph Randal and Elmer Elliott.

Weather

WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; light rain in extreme southeast portion tonight; much colder in north portion tonight and colder in southeast portion Thursday.

EAST TEXAS—Mostly cloudy, probably light rains in east and south portions tonight and Thursday; much colder in northwest and extreme north portions tonight; much colder in north and west portions Thursday.

TEMPERATURES
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3 70 38
4 72 39
5 65 36
6 69 39
7 62 35
8 61 37
9 58 33
10 57 32
11 55 31
12 53 29
Sunset today 6:21 p. m.; sunrise Thursday 7:35 a. m.

SUCCUMBS



A. P. McDonald

A. P. McDonald, Pioneer Of City, Dies

Had Been Civic And Church Leader Here For Three Decades

Alexander Parker McDonald, 74, pioneer merchant and prominent worker in church and civic affairs here for more than 30 years, died at his home at 5:45 a. m. Wednesday after a long illness.

Stricken more than a year ago, he had survived a series of strokes until one last Friday left him too weak to rally.

Few men have been more active in the affairs of their community than was A. P. McDonald. Coming here in 1897 after living five years in Abilene, he went to work for Bledsoe and Atkins. By 1909 he had acquired a business of his own and for years operated one of the most complete men's furnishings stores between Fort Worth and El Paso.

He was born May 11, 1864 in Nashville, Tenn.

In 1905 he was married in Wiggins, Mo. to Miss Mary Faye, a sister to Mrs. S. H. Morrison. A year later he became a member of the First Methodist church and served as a steward for more than a score of years. He was treasurer and a trustee of the church at the time the plant obligation was discharged in full.

Member of City Council
For 30 years McDonald was active in the Masonic lodge, being a member of the Rite Mason. He had many responsible positions in the lodge.

Some of his biggest contributions to civic affairs came as a member of the city council. He was on that body when the first paving was constructed in the city, when the sewage system was put into effect.

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FINAL TREE ORDER TO BE PLACED NEXT WEEK

A reminder of the beautification committee of the chamber of commerce was issued Wednesday that a final order for Chinese elm trees would be placed next Tuesday.

Persons interested in securing the trees for planting this year may make sure of plants by contacting the chamber of commerce.

A large number of trees have been ordered through the committee for delivery around the middle of the month.

What Is Your News I. Q.?

Each question counts 50; each part of a two-part question, 10. Score of 80 is fair; 85, good. Answers on the editorial page.

1. What wreck is this? What caused it?

2. Will Princess Juliana's daughter succeed to the throne of the Netherlands?

3. Were steel operations early this year (a) about equal to capacity, (b) considerably below capacity, or (c) 80 per cent of capacity?

4. President Roosevelt's defense message was confined almost entirely to plans for building up the navy. True or false?

5. What country is rumored to be awaiting proof that a certain Chinese boy is the reincarnation of its good leader?

THE SPORTS PARADE

By HANK HART

Don't tell Red Cunningham short in the Golden Gloves tournament in Fort Worth next week. Take Ray Stice's word for it, the big boy has shown tremendous improvement since the district finals last week and may yet go to town.

He'll probably be campaigning in the light-heavy ranks in the finals since he can't make the dread-cought middleweight. Stice scales in at around 174 pounds now.

Big Red is showing a world of improvement in his footwork which was the main reason he was being laughed at in the tournament and is really learning how to handle himself.

An urgent need for a heavy sand bag is in evidence. The boys show need of sharpening their punches and strengthening their hands.

Stice, a lightweight, has put on the gloves with Cunningham but won't let the carrot-top open up. He really respects that k.o. punch that Cunningham possesses.

Speaking of Stice, he's one of the most interesting and gifted story tellers this department has had the privilege of talking to in a long while.

In a fascinating Tuesday evening, he told of his experiences in California and, incidentally, gave us a regulation that the California Boxing association enforces that we know of.

He said that a boxer in that state must bring two pairs of trunks to the arena each time he fights, that the trunks had to be purple and black, that to violate this rule would bring a penalty of \$5.

He must wear one color trunk, his opponent the other. Officials make the decision as to who would wear which.

Stice knows most of the big-time fighters in the game. He's battled from coast to coast. He once fought a bout in Sacramento to which Jack Dempsey worked and, take it from Stice, the Manassas Mauler is no fighter's referee. Jack hurries the fight along at a terrific pace, burning the contestants out, expecting them to go at the same speed that he himself did in his prime.

Of Benny Leonard, whom Stice fought at ten rounds in California, Roy says that the greatest lightweight of them all was capable of throwing more lefts in less time than any fighter he ever saw.

Stice succeeded in staying the limit with Leonard, however, although he lost the decision. In fact, he was never kayoed but once, that time by Billy Wallace.

The last fight he took part in was in Dallas with Ray Munnell, the Cuban who almost licked Patsy Sarraf for the featherweight championship of the world at the Dallas Centennial two years ago.

Stice earned a draw in that bout but had Munnell on the ropes at the ten round going.

Against Charles Mannini in California several seasons ago, Roy fought eight rounds with three



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BIG SPRING
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Parker Leads Forsan Buffaloes To 30-25 Victory Over Garner Five

Netters Play In Abilene Monday

Vines And Perry In Midst Of 'Show Down' Battles

ABILENE, Feb. 9.—Ellsworth Vines, former American amateur champion, and Fred Perry, of England, former wearer of the world's amateur crown, will meet in match play here next Monday night, to give West Texas tennis enthusiasts an opportunity to see two of the game's greatest tennis stars in action.

Vines and Perry are in the midst of a "show down" series of matches, on a national tour, and come heralded as "shooting the works" nightly. Vines holds a current lead in their series.

Donudge, world's No. 1 amateur net star today, will turn "pro" next year, both Perry and Vines believe, and the winner of their series is expected to be matched with the flaming redhead who brought the Davis cup back to America.

The two played to a draw a year ago, with Vines taking 33 of 63 played in the United States, and Perry taking 7 of 11 played in Canada, Cuba and Mexico, to earn a \$7-37 tie.

Heading a supporting cast in the matches here, Berkeley Bell, former University of Texas star, will meet Walter Senior, University of California ace, in a singles match. In the finale, Vines and Senior play to battle Perry and Bell in doubles.

INTO DEADLOCK

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9 (AP)—Torchy and Doug Peden pedaled their way into a three-way tie for first place early today in San Francisco's international six-day bicycle race.

broken ribs but finally kayoed the Italian, Mannini ended under his guard in the opening stanza with a pile driving jab that crushed the ribs and Stice almost faded away but he stayed it out, finally got Mannini to leading to his chin, then put one across.

Mannini hit the ropes and bounced back to be met by a stiff uppercut that put him away for keeps. Stice staggered to his corner and would have fallen had not his manager caught him.

He was out for five months mending those ribs.

Stice wants to put on several shows here during the summer. He is very welcome to Big Spring. Indeed, local people can expect to see more of him.

Center Scores 12 Points To Take Honors

Nixmen Advance To Final Round, Meet Coahoma Friday

FORAN, Feb. 9.—Their high-powered scoring machine listing badly due to the absence of Willie Dee Froman, flashy guard who was declared ineligible by the Howard county athletic committee Tuesday, Garner's Hill Billies succumbed before the polished attack of Brady Nix's mighty Forsan Buffaloes here Tuesday evening, 30-25, before a capacity crowd.

Not until they had put up a terrific argument did the Floyd Burnett forces go down but, in the end, the deadly eye of Captain Helio Parker plus marvelous team work by his mates, told the difference.

Parker rolled in 12 points to take high point honors and was all over the floor covering follow up and taking rebounds.

The Forsanites jumped into a 7-3 advantage at the finish of the opening quarter and were in front, 21-8, at half time but the end of the rest period saw the Billies suddenly come to life. While the Buffs were tallying four points in eight minutes of play the Billies came through with a total of 14 and almost took the lead.

Cool, accurate shooting enabled the Forsanites to keep ahead through the remainder of the battle, however.

By counting the victory, the Buffs advanced into the final round of the county playoff. They will meet Coahoma's Bulldogs in the Coahoma gym next Friday night for the game that will decide which team shall wear the county honors into the district tournament next week.

In a game preceding the featured battle, Forsan's juniors triumphed over Midway, 18-14, to qualify for the finals.

Box score:

	fg	ft	pf	tp
Whitell, f	3	1	0	7
McDonald, f	1	1	2	3
McBry, f	1	0	0	2
Parke, c	2	1	1	12
LaBef, g	0	3	4	4
Creelman, g	1	0	1	2
Totals	12	4	6	30
Garner:				
Jones, f	3	1	0	7
Jeffcott, f	3	0	1	6
V. Thomas, c	2	2	2	6
C. Thomas, g	3	0	1	6
Brown, g	0	0	1	0
Totals	11	3	5	26

FIGHT TO DRAW

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 9 (AP)—Andre Lenglet, 266, of France, and Big Boy Bray, 210, Los Angeles negro, mauled and tugged through a tedious 10-round bout at the Olympic auditorium last night, with the decision a draw.

GALENTI FLOUTS PROMOTER

Refuses To Go Into Training At Bey's Camp

ORANGE, N. J., Feb. 9 (AP)—Two-Ten Tony Galenti made a sly face today as he washed down a six-course breakfast with a quart of grade-A, and his mouthpiece vowed the Jersey water buffalo would never go to one of those dude training camps—not even if it meant calling off his fight with Harry Thomas at Madison Square Garden.

Tony tried to appease his New York boxing commission critics by switching from beer to milk—he even posed for pictures looking heart-shaped, raspberry lollipops and reading bed-time stories—but he has his own ideas of how to train and can't see the sense of changing.

So out went the ponderous beer and spaghetti hall proprietor with Trainer Jimmy Frain for road work—and the folks in the lowlands thought they heard thunder as Tony lumbered through the Orange hills.

"Bologna," said Trainer Frain to Promoter Mike Jacobs' ukase that Tony start training—not later than today—at Madame Bey's camp at Summit or forfeit the chance to brawl with Thomas at the Garden come a week Friday.

Jacobs laid down the law when he heard the New York boxing solons would withdraw their o.k. of the bout unless Galenti, who likes to train in his barroom and a local gym, went into a daily camp routine.

"There's nothing wrong with this training—a 100-yard run, a little rest, and then a 100-yard walk," said Trainer Frain.

"We top off this 14-mile road work with a rest in bed, six, and 1, 2, or 10 rounds of boxing in the gym in the afternoon. We ain't going to Madame Bey's or any other training camp."

"Tony's been training this way for 11 years and he ain't had no trouble yet."

Gehrig Can Be Signed But Dean Is Stubborn

Lou's Range Is Too High, Say Observers

Experts Say 'Iron Horse' Will Come To Terms

By GAYLE TALBOT

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 (AP)—Lou Gehrig is planted on his front porch up at New Rochelle, swearing by all that's Hollywood that he won't sign with the Yankees for a cent less than \$41,400—but you know that he will, eventually.

Unfortunately for Lou's financial dream, even Col. Jake Ruppert, his boss, knows you couldn't keep the "Iron Horse" off first base with a restraining order once the Yankees start after their third straight world championship.

For Lou, who will be 35 next June, loves to play baseball, and he still can play it better than almost anybody, including his tireless young teammate, Joe DiMaggio. Also he still has ahead a few of those \$26,000 seasons like Colonel Ruppert offered him as a renewal of his 1937 contract, and that's good money when the average bank isn't advertising for a president.

He said, after butting heads with Ruppert yesterday, that he wouldn't even go to Florida next month unless the colonel came through, but nobody believed him.

"This guy has played 1,965 straight games up to now," said some one aside, "and I'd like to see anybody keep him from making it 2,000, without using a gun."

Looking at Lou, it's difficult to realize he's been around the big time for 13 seasons and has seen nearly a whole generation of players come and go. Almost all those who were drawing their checks the day Gehrig took over from Wally Pipp in 1925 are gone, yet Lou has shown no sign of slowing up.

He never has been a wise guy, and admits it frankly. He told yesterday how they framed him in Hollywood, putting on a fake gun fight between a couple of extras for his benefit. Lou admitted he tried to separate them before the gun started roaring.

"My face was white as a sheet when that guy went down."

Armstrong Matched

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9 (AP)—Featherweight Champion Henry Armstrong, hard-socking Los Angeles negro who has knocked out 30 of his last 31 opponents, will hook up for ten rounds tonight with Al Cetrino, sturdy San Francisco veteran.

Armstrong's title will not be at stake.

Council Meets Again Tonight

Program For Coming Season To Hold Floor Again

Postponed 24 hours due to conflict with other activities, the monthly meeting of the advisory council of the local recreation department will take place this evening at 8:30 o'clock in the courtroom of the municipal auditorium.

Pat Murphy, presiding chairman, will lead a discussion on various programs that the department will help direct through the year.

Walton Morrison, who has been absent during the last two meetings, is expected to be on hand along with the other members.

Columbia Will Compete Again

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 (AP)—Columbia, led by Ben Johnson, top negro sprinter, will defend its I. C. 4-A indoor track and field championship against about 32 other college squads at Madison Square Garden, March 2.

Notice of the close of entries on Feb. 18 has been sent to the 48 members of the Intercollegiate A. A. A. No entries from the Pacific Coast members are expected, however, as they never have participated in the indoor meet.

Princeton, Manhattan, Dartmouth, Syracuse, Yale, Rhode Island, Harvard and New York U. who finished in that order after the light blue last year will probably be on hand again plus a strong squad from Pittsburgh.

Boast Fine Cage Record

GARNER, Feb. 9.—The Garner girls' tournament, held last week-end after being postponed from the original date, resulted in a victory in the final game for the host team, the Garner girls scoring over Courtney in a thriller, 25-20.

Garner's fame have compiled a fine record this year. Only Forsan and Courtney have been able to score victories and they later trounced both teams. They have won 24 of 27 games.

Cummings Is Winner At Rattle Club

Licks Tex Hager In Main Event, Mandell And Jap In Draw

From Keobuck to Gallipoli they've been passing Tex Hager as a fall guy of the first water but he was the surprise package in last night's busy round of activities at the Big Spring Athletic club.

He didn't win but, even though he watched Bob Cummings' hand raised in victory, he proved the fittest of five survivors in the first minute's "rattle royal" and, all in all, conducted himself in very sporting fashion.

He toppled the Alabamian in almost nothing flat with a bee-line drop kick in their opening bout and then clung to Bobby for almost a half hour before Cummings worked that old back bending snap on him and forced him to retire. He didn't give up the ship, however, until the referee asked the permission of the crowd which was readily given.

Laughable

The decision was very agreeable with the bleachers because they had been treated to more than usual in the semi-go where Jack Mandell and Tetsuri Higami wrestled to 30 minutes and a draw.

Higami continued to pile up the score in his little local battle.

Off times he looked like a bull in a china shop or a Jap in a china shop as he stood off in partial darkness and glared at the Chicagoan but it was all in good natured fun and every one had a good time.

He gave no quarter and asked plenty. He used his jiu-jitsu only two or three times and Mandell made most of it, squealing in child-like glee at each opportunity.

Following the bout, Tetsuri remained in the ring for a moment to give the patrons lesson No. two in something he had started last week but the faithful were laughing so hard at his antics with Mandell that he had to leave the ring.

The boys ganged up on Andy Tremaine in the opening mill and ousted him from further competition when all five aided in pinning his shoulders to the mat.

Aces Tee Off In 1st Rounds

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9 (AP)—Tackling one of the toughest courses on their winter tournament swing, nearly 200 of the country's leading professional golfers tee off today in the first 18-hole qualifying round of the eighth annual \$5,000 San Francisco match play open.

The 6,781-yard San Francisco golf club layout, with 152 traps, was a stern challenge to the touring pros, even in perfect weather, and rain left the turf soggy.

Another 18-hole qualifying round will be played tomorrow and the 32 remaining in the field will go into two 36-hole match play rounds Friday. The winner will receive \$1,000.

Champs Show Improvement

Stice Sends Team Through Snappy Workout

All six district champions of the recent Herald-Cosden Golden Gloves boxing tournament who live in Big Spring reported for training sessions at the Seiles hotel training quarters Tuesday night and began the heavy work for the state final fights less than a week away.

Working with Roy Stice, the kingpins are displaying newly found power in their drills and are giving indications that they may go somewhere after all in the Fort Worth tourney.

Red Cunningham, especially, looked good in his sparring mill with Stice, showing improved foot work and good defense.

Stice expressed a hope that a heavy sand bag can soon be found for the punchers who still look a bit rusty in the heavy going.

The squad will work throughout the week and through next Tuesday.

Two Texans In Polo Lineup

Wrightman To Team With Smith And Inglehart

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 9 (AP)—The Old Westbury polo team, national open champion last year, swung into serious practice today preparing for a series of matches here starting next Sunday.

With Cecil Smith, two of the world's three 10-goal poloists, at the helm, and Cornelius "Sonny" Whitney in the lineup, the crack Long Islanders will present three veterans from the title team in 1937. Charley Wrightman, a 3-goal player from Texas, is now the fourth member, replacing Mike Phipps, who did not come west for the matches.

The opening battle at the Midwick country club will see the easterners pitted against the home club, led by Eric Pedley, an 8-goal man.

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SMOKE FILLED ARMORIES DON'T BOTHER HURLER

By EDDIE HIRSH

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 (AP)—Dr. Walter L. Lingle, president of Davidson College, which doesn't heat the bushes for football talent, says: "There is a lot of difference between a group of students which incidentally plays football and a group of football players which incidentally goes to college." And the doctor may have something there at that.

Some of us are beginning to believe the terrible Tony Galenti wants no part of Harry Thomas. Smoke-filled armories in which he does his stuff, do not bother Spec Towns, the Georgia track star. He was smoking a clay pipe at the age of six.

Except for a telephone, two well filled ash trays, a few pencil stubs and a scratch pad the only decoration on the big mahogany desk of Al Weil, matchmaker of the 50th Century Sporting Club, is a ten cent copy of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" which Al pores over when no one is looking. Can Henderson of Marshall College in West Virginia was the football coach who took and a \$10,000 life insurance policy on "Jumping Jack" Hunt, the Huntington high school sensation. P. S. Hunt enrolled at Marshall two days later after turning down offers from 15 other schools.

Pete Kane, the British middleweight, is a blacksmith and does all his training at the old forge, which, in all probability, is located under a spreading chestnut tree.

Tragedy! This line appeared in the last Baseball Bulletin: "Released by Cleveland—Hugh Alexander." Alexander is the promising young outfielder who played a few games with the Tribe last fall and looked great. A few weeks after the season ended he lost his left hand in an industrial accident.

Wilmer Allison, Planning Return To Courts, Announces Schedule

AUSTIN, Feb. 9 (AP)—Former National singles champion Wilmer Allison, who last Saturday announced his return to big-time tennis, today completed a tentative tournament schedule he hopes to follow on his comeback trail.

One-time Davis Cup hero, who won the National title in 1935 from England's Fred Perry and then quit major competition to pursue a career in the cotton brokerage business, said only recurrence of physical ailments will keep him off the courts.

In company with John Van Ryn, his famed doubles partner, Allison plans to leave late in June for the East. He will compete in singles and doubles of the Spring Lake, Longwood Bowl, Seabright, Eastern Grass Court and National doubles and singles.

Allison indicated he would not play in the Texas state, an event he won last year. He captured the historic Longwood Bowl tournament for the third time last year, gaining permanent possession of the trophy.

Van Ryn's wife, the former Midge Gladman, one of America's outstanding players and a member of the Wightman Cup team, completes Austin's trio of noted residents. Two professional stars, Berkeley Bell and Bruce Barnes, are University of Texas products.

FIGHT WILL BE INVESTIGATED

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 9 (AP)—Brig. Gen. John H. Phelan, chairman of the New York state athletic commission, proposed today an investigation of Middletown Champion Freddie Steele's first-round knockout of Bob Turner last night.

club layout, with 152 traps, was a stern challenge to the touring pros, even in perfect weather, and rain left the turf soggy.

Another 18-hole qualifying round will be played tomorrow and the 32 remaining in the field will go into two 36-hole match play rounds Friday. The winner will receive \$1,000.

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Chattergrams

By Jeanne Suits

Columnists are becoming as prevalent in the newspaper of today as the inevitable war talk. F.D.A. proposals and funny sections. Another nonsensical column won't make much difference whether war is declared or the president scores another hit, but it will, no doubt, enhance your appreciation of the comic strips. Authors of artistic temperament never write until they get an idea but columnists go ahead and write anyway which probably accounts for the fact that one gets Pulitzer prizes while the other gets prize pins of the year. But whether they are appreciated or just endured, this is the beginning of another.

A true puritan is good because he finds it in his heart to be so, but the average person is good because he lacks the courage to be otherwise.

There is nothing so dull as playing bridge with the newcomer who doesn't even know the most common gossip. If all the information imparted at the average party were compiled into one volume, it would contain enough slender material to occupy the court dockets years in advance. In most cases, bridge is an appropriate title for such gatherings. Gaps in the choicest gossip are "bridged" by various guests who have heard something you haven't. And a gaping good time is had by all. But woman isn't the only one possessing follies always good for a rebuke—there's man's inevitable ego which ties the score.

Modern presentation of candy, flowers and comic Valentines is fascinating but what girl doesn't long to receive a lacy heart dripping with ribbons and permeated

by arrows expressing a bit of sentiment an admirer felt too shy to impart? Remember when you were less than sixteen and awaited Valentine Day eagerly to see if your "claimed" love rejected or shared your affection? Nowadays there is no element of mystery or note of suspense. It's, "Well, Toots, it looks like you and I could get along. How's about it?"

A man never has but two things on his mind—money and women. A woman never has but one thing on her mind—men.

Inconsistency: A man proceeded a woman into a cafe here recently, then stepped aside for her to lead the way to a table. Emily Post and her girls would probably go into a huddle over that one.

Here's a political gem too good to suppress. A couple of would-be lobbyists went to Washington recently to the special session and while there called on one of the Texas senators. They expressed their appreciation of the politico's views on the supreme court question and one of them, being a lawyer, even went so far as to say he wrote him a letter. The senator interrupted the speaker at this point to say he remembered the letter quite well and appreciated his thoughtfulness. Then the man from back home finished with, "But I didn't mail it."

When mother was a girl, everything a woman lost, from the mortgage on the old homestead to Sally's hair ribbon, could be found either in the pocket of a calendar or the cattail vase. Now, she only has to look one place, her purse!

Mexican Theme Is Cleverly Used At Club Party

Mexican theme was cleverly carried out in prizes, tables and table appointments by Mrs. S. L. Parker Tuesday afternoon when she entertained members of the Happy-Go-Lucky bridge club.

Lanchon covers of Mexican design on the tables when refreshments were served were presented to the bingo winners, Mrs. Byron Housewright and Mrs. W. M. Gage. Following the games Mrs. Hugh Hendrix was given a miscellaneous shower.

Mrs. Cronwell White, a guest, received a brilliant bird plaque as did Mrs. J. T. Allen and Mrs. Raymond Noah for winning first and second high.

The club decided to disband indefinitely.

Those attending were Mrs. Hendrix, Mrs. J. E. Brigham, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Noah, Mrs. White, Mrs. Housewright, Mrs. Gage and Mrs. Parker.

Health Unit Is Advocated By District Nurse

North Ward P-TA To Have Food Sale Saturday, Feb. 12

Mrs. L. M. Egbert of Austin, advisory nurse of district one, explained the duties and necessity for a full time health unit within Howard county before members of the North Ward P-TA Tuesday afternoon at the school. She pointed out the major advantage is the fact that it leads those in need of medical care to seek advice from the home doctors and prevents the spread of many communicable diseases.

Founders' Day candle lighting service was held with Mrs. R. C. Williams and Mrs. O. C. Hart in charge. The radio committee reported the purchase of three radios installed in the third, fourth and fifth grade rooms and the association voted to buy additional ones for the school.

A food sale will be sponsored by the P-TA Saturday, February 12, at Hodges grocery.

Fourth grade pupils had charge of the program. Joyce Clardy recited a reading, "Our Lincoln," and the entire group sang "My Valentine." "In Grandmother's Day," a musical reading, was given by Patricia McDonald and Donald Williams read "These Girls."

Those attending were Mrs. O. C. Hart, Mrs. Sidney Choate, Mrs. R. C. Williams, Mrs. V. L. Patrick, Mrs. W. J. Flowers, Mrs. Howard McDonald, Mrs. Harry Weeg, Mrs. Louise Jey, Mrs. L. E. Rice, Mrs. R. L. Beale, Mrs. R. A. Humble, Mrs. White, and Misses Doris Casale, Arthur Hawks, Mildred Creath, Lois Carden and Anne Martin.

Mrs. E. L. McNallen Hostess For Study Club Group

Mrs. E. L. McNallen, Jr., was hostess for members of the Culbertson Study club Tuesday afternoon at her home. High score was won by Mrs. W. N. Thurston. Members present were Mrs. Thomas Coffey, Mrs. W. F. Cuhw, Mrs. J. H. Gilliland, Mrs. W. E. McNallen, Mrs. C. J. Staples, Mrs. Thurston, Mrs. E. F. Willis and Mrs. McNallen.

Mrs. J. F. Hair Is Hostess For Legion Auxiliary Social

Mrs. J. F. Hair was hostess for the monthly social of the American Legion Auxiliary Tuesday evening. Rummy was played with Mrs. W. A. Fitzgerald winning high for guest and Mrs. E. W. Anderson receiving high for members. Those attending were Mrs. L. E. Jobe, Mrs. R. F. Blum, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Alfred Moody, Mrs. Fitzgerald and Mrs. Hair.

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Philathea Class Honored With Valentine Tea By Mrs. Keaton

Valentine tea honoring members of the Philathea class of the First Methodist church was given Tuesday afternoon from 3 o'clock to 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Herbert Keaton who is teacher of the group. She was assisted by three group captains including Mrs. Tom Blaugher, Mrs. Royce Satterwhite and Mrs. Floyd Wasson.

Those in the receiving line were Mrs. Keaton and the class officers: Mrs. Albert Smith, Mrs. O. M. Waters, Mrs. Bernice Freeman, and Mrs. Glenn Hancock.

The reception room was decorated with red roses and fern. In the tea room the table was covered with a hand made lace cloth and centered with a bouquet of red roses. Red candles burned in white holders on either side of the centerpiece. Tea was poured by Mrs. Blaugher, Mrs. Satterwhite and Mrs. Wasson who were assisted by Mrs. B. C. Barron and Mrs. Winston Manuel.

Mrs. V. H. Fiewellen sang two solos accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Keaton and Mrs. Joe Austin gave two violin selections. A violin solo was played by Miss Jean McDowell, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. E. D. McDowell. During the tea hour Mrs. Keaton played.

Those registering in a book provided over by Miss Frances Ferguson, other than the house party, were Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. Hayes Stripling, Mrs. R. L. Pritchett, Mrs. M. Wentz, Mrs. Garner McAdams, Mrs. A. M. McLeod, Mrs. John W. Davis, Mrs. Ralph Towler, Mrs. C. Y. Clinkscales, Mrs. Tommy Layne, Mrs. R. F. Blum, Mrs. Charles Watson, Mrs. Jake Bishop, Mrs. M. R. Coley, Mrs. Pat Harrison, Mrs. L. R. Mcintosh, Mrs. W. T. Strange, Jr., Mrs. Mable Kirkland, Mrs. A. C. Moore, Mrs. Duke Rogers, Mrs. F. L. Eudy, Mrs. Thomas J. Coffey, Mrs. Preston R. Sanders, Mrs. Ralph Duvall, Mrs. O. O. Craig, Mrs. Fred A. Mitchell, Mrs. Sammy Ellington, Mrs. H. B. Matthews, Mrs. Bill Satterwhite, Mrs. C. M. Morton and Miss Marilyn Keaton.

Gifts Presented To Two At 1922 Bridge Club Meeting

Mrs. James Little received a guest prize and Mrs. Jos. T. Hayden scored high for members at the 1922 Bridge club meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. V. V. Strahan.

Others attending were Mrs. Robert Parks, Mrs. Bob Middleton, Mrs. O. E. Wolfe, Mrs. Charles Dublin, Mrs. Roy Carter, Mrs. M. H. Bennett, and the hostess.

Rainbow Girls Are Given A Valentine Social By Teacher

Members of the Rainbow Girls' class of the East Fourth Baptist church were entertained with a social Tuesday evening by Miss Marguerite Bennett who is teacher of the group.

A Valentine box of handkerchiefs was packed following the business session for a friend of the class. Miss Bennett was assisted in serving Valentine refreshments by her mother, Mrs. H. H. Bennett.

Guests were Marcelle Martin, Christine Bird, Maybelle Bly, Vera Mae Holand, Mildred Thompson, Vera Mae Balch, Vera and Virginia Garrison, Mrs. S. N. Morland, superintendent of the Sunday school, and Mrs. Ben Carpenter.

Duplicate Bridge Honors Announced

Duplicate bridge honors for the week go to Mrs. Hayden Griffith and Mrs. Beth Rice for the evening games and to Mrs. R. B. Bliss and Mrs. Elmo Wasson for the afternoon session.

Mrs. J. B. Young and Mrs. Shire Phillips won second high Monday evening and Mrs. L. M. Bankson and Mrs. W. V. Nichols scored second Tuesday afternoon.

Needle Painters Club Organized

A Needle Painters club was organized Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. M. Conley, 514 Washington, with the hostess being elected president of the group. The main purpose of the club is to further the interest of exceptional needlework and it will meet every second and fourth Tuesday from 8 o'clock to 5 o'clock. Mrs. E. W. Smith is to be the next hostess. Miss Martha Ann Harding was elected publicity chairman.

Those present were Mrs. Conley, Mrs. Merle S. Dempsey, Mrs. Herman Howie, Mrs. C. G. Grosselund, Mrs. Smith, and Misses Martha Ann Harding. Other members of the club are Mrs. Hayes Stripling and Mrs. J. W. Wagner. Mrs. J. E. Kuykendall was a tea guest.

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More Than A Hundred Attend Rotary Banquet

Prof. R. E. Jackson Occupies Feature Spot On Evening Program

Rotarians of Big Spring honored their ladies Tuesday evening with a banquet program that was devoted in its entirety to entertainment and fun. More than 100 attended the annual affair, held in the banquet room of the Settles hotel.

Occupying feature spot on the program was Prof. R. E. Jackson of Denton, raconteur and spinner de luxe, who regaled the crowd with a running fire of jokes, told in delightfully informal manner. W. T. Strange, Jr., serving as master of ceremonies, set the program on a plane of pure fun.

Following the dinner, honor guests of the evening were introduced. These include District Governor J. E. McLaughlin, and Mrs. McLaughlin, of Dallas; Past District Governor Fred Wemple, and Mrs. Wemple, of Midland; W. D. Carnett, district governor of American Business Clubs, and Mrs. Carnett; President C. L. Rowe of the local Lions club, and Mrs. Rowe; President W. B. Hardy of the Kiwanians and Mrs. Hardy; and Dr. Preston Sanders, A.B.C. president, and Mrs. Sanders. Mr. McLaughlin and Wemple made short talks, McLaughlin reviewing briefly progress made in Rotary's 127th district during the past year and urging good attendance from Big Spring at the district conference to be held in Breckenridge in May.

Young costumed singers and dancers, pupils of Mary Ruth Ditta, contributed to the entertainment. Shirley June Robbins, Betty Bob Ditta and Gwendolyn Schnitz appeared as a threesome in a tap dance number. Jane Marie Tingle gave a song and dance number, and Betty Bob Ditta appeared for a similar act. All were accompanied by Mrs. Joe Paxton.

"Prof." Jackson, who purposely selected as the title of his talk "God, The Universe and Other Things," so he would not stray off the subject, would have departed from any other given topic as he spent a half-hour or so of rapid fire joke-telling. But his hearers, liked it. In between yarns, he sprinkled such discussions as to how to develop a town with a personality, the advantages of friendliness, confidence and mutual understanding, and the need for organized effort to build a community. All this was served well seasoned with humor. Jackson, a prominent Rotarian and civic worker, is professor of government at the Texas State College for Women.

The Rotarians' ladies were given handsome favors of crystal and chromium hors d'oeuvre dishes with serving forks.

Final Plans Made For Barn Dance Friday

Final plans for the barn dance at the country club Friday evening were made by the Beta Omicron chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi when it met Tuesday evening at the Settles hotel.

Members there were Anne Zarsowetz, Mary Elizabeth Bardin, Mary Burns, Marquerite Alderson, Evelyn La Londe, Jimmie Lou Goldman and Evelyn Merrill.

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Sunday School Has A Monthly Social Hour

Mrs. F. C. Robinson Is Elected Assistant Teacher Of Group

Mrs. F. C. Robinson was elected assistant teacher and members signed a Valentine card to send to a former member, Mrs. R. E. Boroff, who has moved to Stamford, at the monthly social and business meeting of the Homemakers of the First Christian church at the home of Mrs. G. C. Schurman Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Schurman was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. M. K. Edda.

Mrs. C. A. Murdock, president, presided over the business meeting which was opened with a prayer by Mrs. J. L. Milner. Following the business session games were played and a Valentine refreshment plate was served to Mrs. R. J. Michael, Mrs. R. W. Ogden, Mrs. G. W. Dabney, Mrs. J. H. Ruff, Mrs. J. H. Gray, Mrs. Carl Wasson, Mrs. Murdock, Mrs. Gene Crenshaw, Mrs. George W. Hall, Mrs. F. C. Robinson, Mrs. G. M. Minter, Mrs. W. W. Lickman, Mrs. Milner, Mrs. T. W. Moore, Mrs. C. S. Sledge, Mrs. Harry Lees and the hostesses.

Mrs. M. C. Lawrence and Mrs. Crenshaw will entertain for the next social in March.

Mrs. Maude Jones Hostess To Stitch And Chatter Club

Members of the Stitch and Chatter club met with Mrs. Maude Jones Tuesday and spent the afternoon sewing. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Annie Wilson, Mrs. Minnie Skalkicky, Mrs. Estah Williams, Mrs. Iva Johnson, Mrs. Bonita Fleetwood and Mrs. Jones. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Skalkicky Tuesday afternoon.

Returns From Visit

Robert Prager, manager of the Popular dry goods store in Big Spring, returned from San Antonio Wednesday morning, after spending the weekend there, the guest of friends.

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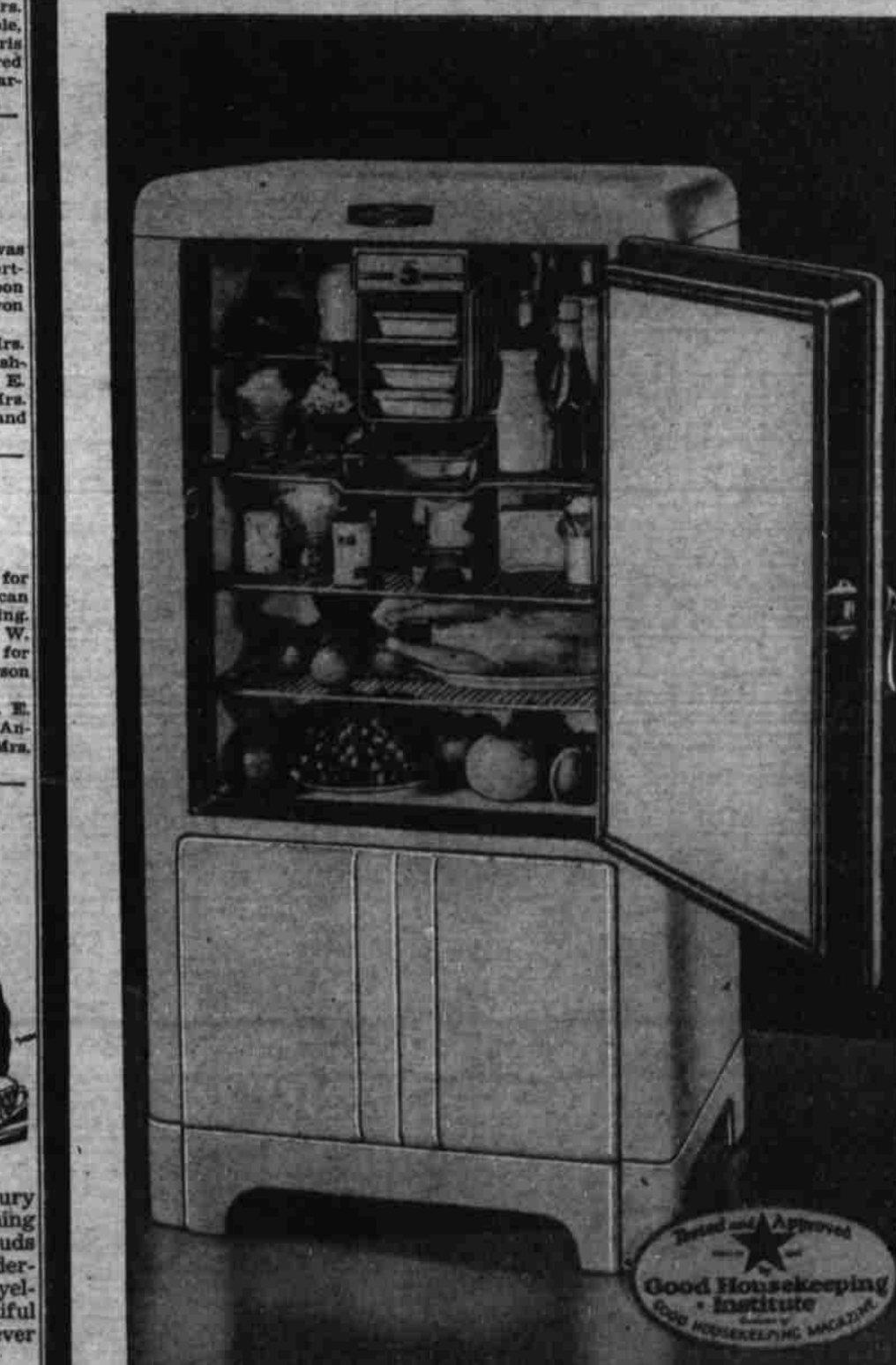
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has filed his application with the Clerk of the United States District Court in and for the Western District of Texas, Waco Division, for an order authorizing him to sell and convey to Mrs. Belle Rose Black, a widow, all of Lot Eleven (11) in Block Nineteen (19) of Doydstun's Second Addition to the city of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, and for a consideration of \$1250.00, and of which amount \$194.00 will be paid in cash, and the balance, \$1056.00, to be evidenced by one note in said sum, to be executed by said purchaser, payable to the order of the undersigned at his office in the city of Temple, Bell County, Texas, and said note to become due and payable in 96 monthly installments of \$14.59 each, the first installment to become due and payable on or before March 1, 1938, and one each on or before the first day of each succeeding 96 months, bearing interest from February 1, 1938, at the rate of seven per cent per annum, the interest being due and payable monthly, and each payment when made to be applied first to the accrued interest on said note, and the balance to the principal, and to provide that failure to pay any monthly installment of principal or interest thereon when due shall at the option of the holder mature said note; to stipulate for ten per cent additional as attorney's fees, and said note to be secured by a vendor's lien and deed of trust lien on the property and premises above described.

Said application will be heard by the Honorable Charles A. Boynton, Judge of said Court, after this notice shall have been published for a period of ten days, and any person interested in said Receivership Estate may contest this application.

WITNESS my hand at Temple, Texas, this 7th day of February, A.D. 1938.

H. C. GLENN, as Receiver for Temple Trust Company, Temple, Texas.

JEWELS, CASH TAKEN
IN MIAMI ROBBERY

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 9 (AP)—Three bandits held up the Arena bar on Biscayne boulevard today, rifled a bank of private safe deposit boxes and escaped with cash and jewelry unofficially estimated at \$30,000 to \$100,000.

With crowbars the men pried open some 20 safe deposit boxes where the owners and a number of friends and customers kept their valuables.

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Taken from the herd of J. C. Sale, Martin county rancher, the calf was started on feed April 1, 1937, weighing 200 pounds at the time.

By Jan. 1 he had gained 24 pounds daily on an average and turned the scales to 865 pounds. Russell, who with his brother, Billy, has been feeding out two calves as 4-H club projects under the supervision of George Bond, Martin county agent.

Calves from eight surrounding counties are expected to be brought

Many, like the one above, will be top stuff by the time the show is held in the building just south of the Ritz theatre.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 9 (AP)—For the first time in 54 years, there soon will be no Rockefeller residence on the 54th street block between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

Mr. and Mrs. Rockefeller soon will move from that house, which is to be razed to make way for the garden of the new Museum of Modern Art.

Soloist Is Praised
By The Leading
MusiciansGrace Adams East
Appears In Concert
This Evening

"Grace Adams East, trumpeter, is a genuine artist whose playing has been counted among the finest attractions ever enjoyed at the Philharmonic auditorium. In tone quality, phrasing and general style which Schubert songs demand, Mrs. East has no equal," says Ray Hastings, organist of the Philharmonic orchestra in Los Angeles. Mrs. East is to appear here this evening at the municipal auditorium at 8 o'clock as one among a series of concerts brought by the Music Study club.

Under the trumpeter's skillful handling, the instrument becomes a medium of interpretation in which color and expressiveness are the outstanding characteristics. Not only is the trumpet seldom used in recital but it is also rare to hear it played superbly by a woman.

During the summer Mrs. East was guest soloist with the U. S. Navy band in two "Patriotic Hour of Memories" broadcasts. Charles Benter, leader of the band, says no one could surpass and few could equal her beautiful performances.

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Woodmen's Circle
Attends To Routine
Business At Meet

Regular routine of business was attended Tuesday evening when members of the Woodmen circle met at the W.O.W. hall.

Mrs. Grace Lee Greenwood, Mrs. Anna Petefish, Mrs. Ernestine Runnels, Mrs. Catherine Franklin, Mrs. Mattie Wren, Mrs. Olga Pardo, Mrs. Minnie McCullough, Mrs. Viola Bowles, Mrs. Mary Womack, Mrs. Vera Reeves, Mrs. Agnes Mims, Mrs. Myrtle Orr, Mrs. Altha Porter, Mrs. Beulah Carrick, Mrs. Maude Love and Misses Beulah Bowles, Mary Beth Wren and Leona Crenshaw and W. E. Carrick.

CALENDAR
Of Tomorrow's Meetings

THURSDAY
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Used By Hostess Of
Four Aces Club

St. Valentine theme was used for prizes and appointments by Mrs. Ward Hall Tuesday evening when she entertained members of the Four Aces club at her home.

Miss Mary Fawn Coulter scored high with the bingo prize going to Miss Agnes Currie. Mrs. Andy Prull was a guest of the club.

Members present were Mrs. Loy Acuff, Mrs. Mat Harrington, Mrs. Ben LaFevre, Mrs. Hall and Misses Mary Coulter, Agnes Currie, Irene Knaus and Edna Avriett.



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NEBRASKA, THE THIRTY STATE

While other states of the union are thinking of ways to relieve the taxpayer, Nebraska has already established itself in a unique position. In its latest issue the Texas Tax Journal publishes "A Tax Parallel of Two Commonwealths," which presents concisely the contrast between the tax system of Texas and Nebraska. It is hardly necessary to add that Texas makes a bad showing in comparison with Nebraska.

Says the Tax Journal, commenting on an illustration in the center of a double page display: "If you were to chart the United States in terms of new, extra and unusual taxes you would get the startling result shown by this map."

All of the map of the United States is black except Nebraska, which will shortly be known as a taxpayer's paradise. If the favorable publicity Nebraska has been receiving lately continues. Of all the states in the union Nebraska alone has no income, sales or luxury tax. Nebraska is debt-free. Its constitution forbids the issuing of bonds, as Texas did before the "bond bond" amendment was adopted. Therefore Nebraskans do not have to pay any interest on bond issues that may have been authorized for some purpose long since forgotten.

Adhering to a policy of thrift, Nebraska pays as it goes, and has been able, also, to reduce property taxes, both state and local. But Nebraska does not practice false economy. The normal progress of the state has not been retarded, simply because Nebraska refuses to fritter in spending sprees. Nebraska builds roads and carries out other public improvements, but it is safe to say that Nebraska does not spend money for wasteful "improvements" that are not needed. Therefore, Nebraska, with a good transportation system, favorable labor conditions and cheap power and fuel, may truly say to the world, "Industry can grow in Nebraska."

But what of Texas? Texas does not pay as it goes. On January 1 of this year the bonded indebtedness of Texas was approximately \$18,000,000. On the same date there was a deficit in the general fund of \$11,735,411 and in the Confederate fund of more than \$5,000,000. However, there was a surplus in other funds of about \$20,000,000.

Texas has enormous natural advantages, but its tax situation is not any too attractive to industry.

FLASHES OF LIFE

By The Associated Press. SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 8.—Mrs. Edith A. Kaser, 55, who was born Edith A. Newcomer, will become Edith A. Newcomer again.

She has obtained a license to marry Floyd Newcomer, 50, no relation.

CHERAW, S. C.—Nine hundred votes were cast in an election here, yet nothing was decided.

The two candidates for warder, J. Lewis Hill and W. Joyce Baker, each received 450 votes.

Another election was ordered.

OAKLAND, Calif.—Judge Chris Fox accepted with thanks the envelope of a 35-year-old man handed him after the judge married him to a 32-year-old woman.

Inside, instead of \$2, was a note: "Dear Judge—I'm short of cash, but I will remember you when the Townsend (old age pension) plan is the law of the land."

LINCOLN, Neb.—Coads at the University of Nebraska teachers' college went most of all to be married.

Washington Daybook

By Preston Grover

WASHINGTON—Death and resignations recently have cut into the quota of far westerners in top federal jobs, and the

eral jobs, and the West is getting a bit miffed at the failure of the administration to remedy that loss by new appointments.

The turnover on the supreme court is the outstanding example. Justice Van Devanter retired last spring. He is from Wyoming.

GROVER from Wyoming. The West had a candidate for the job, Justice William Denman of the ninth circuit court of appeals in San Francisco. Denman is widely credited with conceiving the idea of the court-enlargement plan which brought the president such a winter and spring of storm and strife. The job went to Senator Black, former Klansman of Alabama.

Then last month Justice Sutherland, the West's only other member, retired. He was a former senator from Utah. The West advanced a candidate for the job, Sam G. Bratton of Albuquerque, N. M., member of the eighth circuit court. But the job went to Stanley Reed of Kentucky, who had been solicitor general.

That leaves two western circuits represented on the supreme court by justices who scarcely ever set foot on the sunset-side of the Mississippi.

A Trouble-Quiz. Another vacancy in western appointments came with the recent death of T. A. Walters of Idaho, assistant secretary of the interior.

To succeed him, the president nominated Ebert K. Burell of Pennsylvania, long a departmental executive and right hand man to Secretary Ickes. That appointment aroused western ire of another sort.

Burell and Senator Pittman of Nevada never have been especially friendly, nor has joy been shared between the important Nevada senator and Secretary Ickes. So when Burell came up for senatorial confirmation, Pittman was after him.

Pittman had a briefcase full of trouble for Burell, including reports of departmental wire-tapping, and a detailed story of the three-year forgery of a CCC payroll by an interior department underling which resulted in a cumulative loss of more than \$80,000. Burell protested that he could hardly be expected to check personally every voucher in a public spending program running into billions, but Pittman gave him an uncomfortable cross examination.

A Case of Omission. Likely enough, Senator Pittman never would admit it even to himself, but some of his friends suspect that one little memory ranking in the back of his mind was that his name was left off the bronze plaques installed on Boulder dam, the huge Colorado river project for which Pittman and other western senators "fit-bled-and-died" for many years. And yet among the names on those bronze plaques were those of Secretary Ickes and Burell, Johnny-come-lately as far as the Boulder dam job was concerned.

It should be mentioned that still another westerner is leaving a federal job of importance—with no guarantee that a westerner will replace him. J. F. T. O'Connor, controller of the currency, resigned to return to California to enter the democratic gubernatorial primaries.

Man About Manhattan

by GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK—It now seems patent that "Tobacco Road" is a Frankenstein-bent on destroying its progenitors. This is an unlovely but exciting drama which is saved from the level of the cesspool by a glittering vein of buffoonery, and it has now entered into its fifth year on Broadway.

"Tobacco Road" was written first as a novel by Erskine Caldwell, who claims it to be typical of certain rural sects in the Georgia back-country. It relates the unsavory activities of a depraved Georgia family and is about as typical of Georgia as the lunatic asylum at King's Park is of the state of New York.

After the novel came out Jack Kirkland dramatized it for the Broadway stage, and, heeding the handicap of indifferent reviews, got it away in true dark horse fashion until it became a show-town legend.

In the original cast was Sam Byrd, who achieved great success in the character of Duke Lester, the half-wit son. Mr. Byrd left the name for himself and a lot of money, and he was deeply impressed with what appeared to be Broadway appetite for intimate details of rural family life in the Deep South.

With this in mind, most of us probably would have obeyed the same impulse. Mr. Byrd left the cast of "Tobacco Road" and became a producer in his own right. He chose an unappetizing thing called "White Man," which dealt with a negro who carried in his veins a strain of white blood. It was a tragic, unlovely drama and it was summarily dealt with by the critics.

Meanwhile, Mr. Kirkland, still drawing royalties from "Tobacco Road," tried his hand a second time with a novel by John Steinbeck. This was "Tortilla Flat,"

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+ Daily Crossword Puzzle +

Crossword puzzle grid with clues and solutions. Includes sections for Across, Down, and a Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle.

UNDER \$6,000 BOND

PLAINVIEW, Feb. 9 (AP)—Columbus Williams, Farmer county farmer, was under \$6,000 bond today in connection with the slaying of Virgil Eaves, 40.

Williams waived examining trial before Justice of the Peace B. E. Nobles at Farwell.

Eaves died Friday night of gunshot wounds.

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Hollywood

Sights And Sounds

by ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD—J'accuse. In a bewildered, plaintive blast, I accuse the movie dress designers of unfair, unethical, corrupt practices. They permitted their representative to strike behind my back.

That witty gentleman, telephoning, would have no words with me. Ah, no, he must speak to the head of the house.

"Mrs. C." said the blackguard. "The leading studio designers are having a style show... You will come—and bring Mr. C."

So Mr. C sat, squirming in prehistoric tux, trying to make his Adam's apple choose between up and lower berth on a tight wing collar. Mr. C sat while the models marched and the music (happily, Paul Whiteman's) played and the honey-toned commentators "described" and the Coconut Grove echoed with polite applause and the ebb of "Oh!" and the flow of "Ah!"

And then, drat it all, Mr. C suddenly realized that he had something there. A vital problem: Do clothes make the star or vice versa?

A Matter of Importance. Here were the stars' clothes, spectacular, theatrical, and mostly too-too, parading around without the stars in them. And yet the garments—beg pardon, creations—were beautifully filled by lovely youth.

Inevitable conclusion: Clothes have a goddamned lot to do with it, even when you don't notice them on the screen.

To an old abandoned previewer these masterpieces of Adrian, Rover, Kelly-Kerry, Vera West, Milo Anderson, Gwen Wakening—did I skip anyone?—should have been old stuff. All the gowns came from recent pictures yet all were news to me. Inevitable conclusion: A star is a star for a' that.

Now where was I? Oh, yes, at a style show. All the stars aren't here, in fact not one in a Grove-ful... They have sent stock players, stand-ins, professional models.

...That Edith Abel, modeling the Kay Francis stuff, knows how... The Brewster twins, wearing Alice Faye's, so delectable and demure... Janet Shaw, so pretty! ...

Knock-Out Frocks. A sample description: "Presenting—g-g-g—stunning flamingo dinner ensembles in black crepe roma and monkey fur... Note fringe and simply DIABOLIC use of sequins at hipline. It would not be complete without the WICKEDLY long black gloves."

What's WICKED about long gloves? Tell me that... Comes my big moment, the climax... Ah, Adrian's creations for "Mannequin"... Whimsical chap, he's given them names, to wit: "Feeling Like a Million" and "Second Wife" and "I Love Emeralds."

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Thursday Morning. 7:00 Musical Clock. 7:25 World Book Man. 7:30 Musical Clock. 8:00 Devotional. 8:15 WPA Program. 8:30 Hillbilly Harmonica. 8:45 Monitor News. 9:00 Just About Time. 9:15 Morning Concert. 9:30 On the Mall. 9:45 Lobby Interviews. 9:55 Newscast. 10:00 Old Family Almanac. 10:05 Cleo Brown. 10:15 Piano Impressions. 10:30 Farr Brothers. 10:45 Melody Special. 10:55 Newscast. 11:00 School Forum. 11:15 Gypsy Rhaphody. 11:30 Smoky and Banful.

Thursday Afternoon. 12:00 Rhythm Makers. 12:15 Curstone Reporter. 12:30 Songs All For You. 12:45 Singing Sam. 1:00 Drifters String Band. 1:15 Lutheran Quarter Hour. 1:30 Stomp-in at the Savoy. 2:00 Newscast. 2:05 Serenade Espanol. 2:30 Dance Hour. 2:45 Easy To Remember. 3:00 Newscast. 3:05 Concert Hall of the Air. 3:30 Sketches in Ivory. 3:45 Hollywood Briefs. 4:00 Home Folks. 4:15 Dance Ditties. 4:45 Junior Hubbard.

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China reached the height of its power under Kublai Khan in the 13th century.

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EMPIRE FOR A LADY

BY ALAN LEMAY

Chapter 20 ONLY A MIRACLE And then—Clyde came.

The perpetual, brain-destroying beating in the jungle had died down a little, in honor of the mid-die of the night; and from under it now came a faint, thin signal from the shore. I stood frozen for a moment, unable to believe.

But it sounded again, drifting across the water on the breeze with an eerie distinctness. This time it was unmistakable. That thin, two-toned piping was from the bosun's pipe, Clyde said.

"Starboard watch! Into the long-boat! Starboard watch! Into the long-boat! Starboard watch! Into the long-boat!"

The bosun came stumbling to his feet. "What's the matter? What's up?"

"Wake those men up! Get 'em into the boat!"

Surprise gagged him. He stammered as he muttered an order to a sleepy seaman, then stood staring as if he could not believe that the man had obeyed. After a moment, though, he went wavering down the deck, hunting out the rest of the men.

We piled into the long boat, and as the oars began to find themselves, I headed straight in-shore—cannon tube and all. Because of its load, the boat shipped a little water now, even in the small ripples of the bay. Here on the surface I thought I could place the whistle as it came again. But for a long time it did not come, until I was beginning to doubt my own ears.

Then at last, as my steering wavered, it sounded once more, distinct and clear.

Something clicked through the swing of the oars as the men heeded that. It wasn't a change in stroke, but more as if a deeper pulse had suddenly begun to beat driving us forward. I swung the nose of the boat to port.

Every man in the boat must have known the chances we were taking, especially loaded as we were. That signal, Clyde's own whistle though it might be, could easily have been the bailing of a trap. I got hold of one of the six-shooters, stuck it in the front of my belt, and strained my eyes for the first sign of a prau hiding in the black bar of shadow on the beach.

There is no surf in Balingong bay. I put her in as close as I dared, then turned and began coasting the shallows.

"Rest oars," I said at last. "I'm going ashore. Stand on and off for a little bit, and keep me in sight as long as you can. If there's any sound of something going wrong, don't try to follow me. Pull out to clear water, and get ready to make a running fight back to the ship."

We were very close in to the shallows now; any moment I expected to hear the keel find the bottom. I was getting ready to step into the water, when suddenly there was a splashing close beside us in the shadow, and a sharp boom-wal-dump. Some of the men gave a spasmodic jerk on their oars, swinging the boat.

And then the figure spoke. "Damn it, do I have to chase my own boat all night?"

I half dragged him aboard as he floundered over the transom. Under my hands I felt a sticky clotting of blood, and a sharp, cold, loomed waist-deep. Some of the men gave a spasmodic jerk on their oars, swinging the boat.

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WEDNESDAY, FEB. 9
THURSDAY, FEB. 10
MUST BE SOLD

Forty-three beautiful American Orientals, woven through to back deep piled with sheen and luster or real Orientals. Replicas of Bokara, Kermanshah, Sarouk, Isfahan and Saraban. Small room size as low as \$12. Some of the finest, \$25. You must see them to appreciate. Call at
J. B. SLOAN
TRANSFER AND STORAGE
100 NOLAN ST.

23 Pets
FOR SALE: Pedigreed pekinese puppies; love birds \$4 pair; German roller singers \$3 each; also select finch birds \$2 pair. Big Spring Feed and Seed Co. 105 W. 1st St.

NEAL AUTO LOANS
Douglas Hotel Bldg.
204 Main St. Phone 1880

MISCELLANEOUS

ROSE HUNTER - "Say it with flowers, but give her the bushes." Two year old field grown, extra fine quality guaranteed, \$1.50 for dozen, postpaid. Includes the world's famous varieties of 4 flaming reds, 4 charming whites and yellows, 4 beautiful and fragrant pinks. This list includes 12 different varieties, each rose with a different shaded color or of beauty; overblowing from April to November. Money back guarantee. Send remittance by money order or check. Bryan R. Kay, Roses at Wholesale, Rt. 2, Tyler, Texas.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Furniture, stoves, washing machines, sewing machines, pianos. Ritz Furniture Exchange. Telephone 55. 401 E. Third St.

ONE two-room nicely furnished apartment; built in features; private bath; couples only; good references; 307 Johnson St.

NICE large two-room furnished apartment; bills paid. \$30 a month; no children; 709 Lancaster; Telephone 805.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Three-room apartment; no pets; no children; apply 206 W. 6th St.

TWO-room furnished apartment; adjoining bath; private home; large closets; close in; no children taken; 719 E. 2nd St. Phone 305.

COMFORTABLE rooms and apartments. Stewart Hotel. 315 Austin. BEDROOM for rent; or room and board. Telephone 1016. 308 Austin St.

FRONT bedroom; adjoining bath; 1208 Main St.

ROOM and board. Phone 685 or 1021. 800 Main St. and 305 Gregg.

FOR RENT

FURNISHED 3-room apartment; built in features; city conveniences; garage; west of city; 1 block north of highway; Settles Heights addition. Mrs. M. R. Mullet.

FURNISHED apartment; south front room; private bath; built in fixtures; couples only; 901 Lancaster St.

TWO-room furnished apartment; bills paid; 407 Nolan; Phone 906.

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ROOMS & BOARD

WANTED: Rooms and board; reasonable. 310 E. 10th St.

FOR RENT: Small furnished house; call at 801 N. Gregg St.

Duplexes

TWO-room duplex apartment for couples only; no pets. Call at 210 N. Gregg St.

REAL ESTATE

VERY modern, well located 6-room house; perfect condition; refinished in and out lately; can be handled for \$500; balance in loan at 5% long term. Box XYZ, 5 Herald.

FOR SALE: House and lot at 2102 Nolan St.; also trailer house; will sell at bargain. Apply 2102 Nolan St.

MODERN house; 5 rooms and bath; newly painted and papered; close in; \$2500; some terms. Phone 565 or 1080.

BEAUTIFUL Fairview Heights and the Earle Addition; close to schools; close to business district; select your lot for a home now; they are reasonable. H. Clay Read and Earle A. Read; office in Reed Hotel Bldg.

LOTS & ACREAGE

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REAL ESTATE

FARM 230 1/2 acres; 187 cultivated; 8-room house; another 150 acres; 100 cultivated; 6-room house; close school; plenty water; sub-ject irrigation; 5 miles east Midland. D. A. Casper, Rt. 1, Midland, Texas.

FOR SALE: 100 acre farm; 136 acres cultivated; 2 wells; one windmill; 3-room house; 5 miles of town; \$3000; some terms. Phone 565 or 1080.

Business Property

FOR SALE: New cafe and bar in connection at Royalty. See Jack Phillips, State Hotel, Big Spring, Texas.

AUTOMOTIVE

Used Cars To Sell

FOR SALE OR TRADE 1935 Chevrolet truck - 33 Plymouth coupe; two typewriters for cattle or vacant lot or house; R. C. Harrell at 216 W. 2nd St. at O. K. Rooms.

The French academy is limited to 40 members.

Lakes cover 11.5 per cent of the total area of Finland.

OFFER LARGE PURSES

INGLEWOOD, Calif., Feb. 9 (AP) - Purses aggregating \$353,000 will be distributed by the Hollywood Turf Club during a 12-day racing week here this summer as the new track General Manager Jack J. Macken said today.

SENSATIONAL USED CAR Values

WITH A WRITTEN 30 DAY GUARANTEE

Stock No. 832
1935 FORD V-8 COUPE, good tires, paint just like new, runs like a new car and will give new car service, an exceptional buy in a good car with a 30 day guarantee. Easy terms **\$410**

Stock No. 915
1936 PLYMOUTH COUPE, new paint job, motor in perfect condition, upholstery is good, tires are good, is equipped with radio, a car worth more than this price. 30 day guarantee **\$395**

Stock No. 1054
1932 CHEVROLET COACH, in extra good mechanical condition, has lots of mileage left for some busy happy, tires and paint are good. A steal at this price. 30 day guarantee, easy terms **\$175**

BIG SPRING MOTOR CO.
11th and Main Streets V. A. MERRICK, Mgr. Phone 426

MR. AND MRS.

BY GOSH, I DON'T SEE WHY PEOPLE SAY CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE IS INDIGESTIBLE HAVE YOU BEEN EATING SOME?

YEAH, HAD SOME FOR LUNCH TODAY. FOUR NICE SLICES - THEY JUST FELL APART - I KNOW IT DOESN'T AGREE WITH ME

AND A LITTLE MOUND OF WHITE CABBAGE, SO TENDER YOU COULD FEED IT TO A BABY SOME BABY!

(THE NEXT DAY)
WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH YOU?
'S THAT DARNED CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE I ATE YESTERDAY

PA'S SON-IN-LAW

IT'S VERY REGULAR THE WAY CEDRIC - ER - COLLAPSED JUST AS HE WAS GETTING DOWN TO HIS BROKER'S OFFICE TO SELL OUR STOCK! HOWEVER, IT'S CERTAINLY DONE US NO HARM, FINANCIALLY!

NO, THE STOCK WENT UP FIVE MORE POINTS!

CAN YA BEAT IT? HERE I'VE BEEN TRYIN' EVERY-THING I KNOW OF TO KEEPER 'EM FROM FINDIN' OUT I SIDE-TRACKED 'EM IN SAVIN' BUYIN' ORDER 'TIL THE STOCK FLOPPED, AN' IT JUST KEEPS ON GOIN' UP!

CEDRIC THINKS THE STOCK HAS REACHED ITS PEAK. NOW, HOWEVER, SO I AM GOING DOWN TO SEE THAT IT'S SOLD AND TO COLLECT OUR PROFITS!

Y-THIS IS IT! FINISH! SHE'LL GET 'ER LOW-DOWN AS SOON AS SHE GETS TO THAT BROKER'S OFFICE! AND - WHEN SHE GETS BACK HERE, I HATE TO THINK OF WHAT I'LL GET!

DIANA DANE

THREE'S NO USE OF YA MAKIN' OUT A LIST OF GUESTS, DIANA. I TELL YA I CAN'T STAND THE EXPENSE JUST NOW.

BUT DAD - I'M GONNA MAKE IT A COOPERATIVE PARTY -

COOPERATIVE PARTY? WHAT'S THAT?

WELL - ALL THE GUESTS SHARE THE COST OF THE ENTERTAINMENTS AND STUFF EQUALLY. AND...

WHAT?!! AND GIVE ALL YOUR FRIENDS THE IMPRESSION YOU'VE GOT A MAN CAN'T AFFORD TO LET YA THROW A PARTY? I SHOULD SAY NOT!

WE'LL GIVE 'EM A REAL BANG-UP PARTY, WE'LL SHOW 'EM!

SCORCHY SMITH

GRANT SLADE, HIS CREW, BLACKIE AND HIS THUGS LOAD INTO THE WAITING PLANES - IN A FEW SECONDS THE SHIPS ROAR ACROSS THE FIELD, AND LIFT INTO THE NIGHT SKY -

THEY'VE KILLED HANK AND JOE IN THE OFFICE -

THEY'LL HAVE TO LAND SOMEWHERE! TELEGRAPH GUARDS TO BE ON THE LOOKOUT! HAVE THEM RELAY THE MESSAGE TO THE INDIAN GOVERNMENT QUICKLY!!

BUT THE TELEGRAPH OPERATOR IS GONE - AND THE INSTRUMENTS ARE SMASHED!

OF COURSE! - HE WAS IN CANOOTS WITH THEM - REMEMBER? HE LEFT THE TABLE BEFORE THOSE THUGS BROKE IN!

HERE COME SOME TIBETAN SOLDIERS! THEY HEARD THE NOISE!

WE CAN SEND THE MESSAGE FROM THEIR STATIONS! IT'S THE HANS WINE TO GUARANTEE!

HOMER HOOPEE

A FINE BUST YOU TURNED OUT TO BE - COULDN'T EVEN WHEEL A FEW BOXES OF FREIGHT AROUND WITH-OUT DROPPING ONE ON YOUR FOOT!

A NOBLE EXAMPLE OF YOUNG AMERICAN AGGRESSIVENESS AND INDUSTRY! FOEY! IT'S A WASTE OF TIME TO TRY TO HELP YOU DO ANYTHING!

THAT'LL BE ENOUGH OF THAT NOW!

YEH! GET HIM OUT OF HERE!

--- AND STAY OUT! EGBERT FEELS BAD ENOUGH WITHOUT YOU ANNOYING HIM!

RITZ

TODAY LAST TIMES
BARGAIN DAY
Half-Price AdmissionThe Boy Star of the Year
...in the Picture of the Year
MICKEY ROONEY

IN

"Hoosier Schoolboy"

PLUS:

FOX NEWS SNAPSHOT NO. 3
"BARNYARD BOSS"SHORTS START 1:00 2:25 4:00 5:30 7:31 9:12
FEATURE STARTS 1:26 3:07 4:48 6:29 8:10 9:51

TOMORROW ONLY

NO TIME TO MARRY

with Richard Arlen, Mary Astor, Lionel Stander
Columbia Picture

TWO NEWS-HOUNDS MERGE THEIR LOVE INTERESTS!

SCOUT WORK TOLD AT LIONS MEETING

In keeping with the 25th anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scout movement in America, the Lions club Wednesday had a program which concerned the work of the scouts.

Ed McCurtain, field executive, outlined the essentials of the program for the club, listing such things as boys, trained voluntary leadership, activities, organization and the scout oath and law.

At the meeting were County Superintendent Anne Martin and Mrs. Mills McKnight Egbert, advisory nurse for the state department of health.

Floor Sanding and Finishing by Experienced Workmen
R. L. EDISON
Phone 336

YOUR OPPORTUNITY!

WIN An AUTOMOBILE

\$1500.00

Yes, Sir! An Automobile or \$1,500.00 in Cash is First Prize in this contest: That's our offer to you.

The winner may have choice of a 1938 Buick, Plymouth, Ford, or Chevrolet. Winner will receive a new car or \$1,500.00 in cash. Contest open to all. Prizes awarded to the winner of the contest. Contest closes March 1, 1938.

Can You Solve this Puzzle?

When the Scrambled Letters above are correctly rearranged they will spell the name of a Famous Movie Star.

YES-IMP-TELL-HER

When the Scrambled Letters above are correctly rearranged they will spell the name of a Famous Movie Star.

ANSWER COUPON

My name is _____

I am _____ years old.

I live at _____

City _____ State _____

Send me the name of the movie star.

LYRIC

TODAY LAST TIMES

JOHN BARRYMORE
LYNNE OVERMAN
LOUISE CAMPBELLPlus:
"Termites Of 1938"SHORTS START 1:00 2:27 4:04 5:41 7:18 8:55
FEATURE STARTS 1:17 2:54 4:31 6:08 7:45 9:22

TOMORROW ONLY



City

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year a total of \$194,912.83 has been expended from the fund, producing a \$26,195.23 over-run. Among January expenditures was \$4,134.94 for sewer tile.

Collection on 1937 taxes at the end of January reached \$90,118.43, leaving \$18,683.48 uncollected. Of this uncollected amount \$6,409.20 represents balances to be paid on a quarterly and half payment basis, leaving only little more than \$12,000 actually delinquent. The percentage collection for the year was 84.3 against 83.3 last year. Delinquent collections of \$1,277.59 in January brought the total back-tax payments to \$14,050.85 for the year.

Payments of \$1,000 for bond retirement and \$456.39 for interest were made from the interest and sinking fund during January. The \$88,941.43 paid out of it in the first 10 months was divided as follows: \$33,500 for retiring bonds and warrants; \$33,556.62 for interest and exchange; \$22,085.81 bonds purchased for investment. The fund had a cash balance of \$50,646.64 at the end of the month.

Water revenues for January were \$3,268.21, a gain of \$442.02 over December and \$827.50 more than for January a year ago.

McDonald

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feet, and when the new water wells were located south of the original supply. At that time the water shortage had become acute here and the discovery led to the continuance of expansion of the city, saving the town as well as the T. & P. shops.

Services Thursday. After 37 years in business, he sold his stock in 1935 and leased his building on Main street to the F. W. Woolworth company. Not long after his retirement he was stricken and never fully recovered.

Services are to be held at 3:30 p. m. Thursday at the First Methodist church with Rev. W. C. House, pastor, and Rev. C. A. Bickley, former pastor, in charge. Burial will be in the Masonic cemetery.

Surviving him are his widow, and three children, Marian McDonald, Mrs. Cornell Smith, and Margaret McDonald, all of Big Spring. Out-of-town relatives to be here for the services are Kirby McDonald, Alex McDonald, Mrs. Tom McDonald, Mrs. A. P. McDonald, Mrs. Gus Niblack and Mrs. James Pruitt of Lubbock, Mrs. Edwin Martin of Houston, Mrs. Mary Roper and John McDonald of Athens, Ala., Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McBride of Cooper, and Sam Pope of Duncan, Okla.

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QUEEN

TODAY LAST TIMES

SQUADRON OF HONOR
DON TERRY
MARY RUSSELLPlus:
Broadway Highlights No. 7
"Grampy's Indoor Outing"SHORTS START 1:00 2:11 3:30 4:49 6:08 7:27 8:46 10:05
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TOMORROW ONLY

ALLAN LANE
HEATHER ANGEL

B. Littler, R. T. Piner, L. S. Patterson, G. H. Hayward, W. D. Cornell, L. B. Dudley.

Joe Fisher, Bernard Fisher, Albert M. Fisher, Clifford Hart, Otis Chalk, Hardy Morgan, W. P. Edwards, Marion Edwards, J. J. Hair, Dr. W. S. Simmons, R. F. Harris, W. G. Orenbaum, W. R. Settles, R. C. Strain, A. E. Pistole, T. F. Shipley, Jess Slaughter, B. O. Jones, T. J. A. Robinson, John Northington, S. A. Hathcock, C. E. Thomas, C. E. Talbot, E. E. Howell, T. L. Price, Harvey E. B. Fox.

Earl Read, Clay Read, V. Van Gieson, Jas. T. Brooks, Bud Roberts, Dave Rhodon, G. A. Brown, Bud Brown, W. L. McCollister, J. W. Allen, W. R. Purser, Ben Allen, C. H. McDaniel, Nat Shick, Dr. E. O. Ellington, Walter Deats, Dave Berry, Sam Elson, R. L. Evans, Pete Johnson, W. G. Hayden, J. M. Morgan, Ben Hiller, J. E. Moon, A. L. Wasson, J. B. Pickle.

Death Tuesday evening claimed Thomas Melton Brown, two months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Brown.

He was born Nov. 24, 1937 and died at 8:30 p. m. Tuesday. Services were to be held in the Eberly chapel at 4 p. m. Wednesday with Rev. E. E. Mason, pastor of the West Side Baptist church, in charge. Burial was to be in the baby section of the New Mount Olive cemetery.

Three sisters, Eva Ruth, Dorothy Louise and Ella Faye Brown, and two brothers, Leonard James and Bobby Joe Brown survive.

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Mrs. McCoy Is Death Victim

Long Illness Fatal
To Mother Of
Local Residents

Mrs. Mary R. Mills McCoy, 76, mother of well known local residents, died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. J. A. Davidson, 309 East Ninth street, at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday.

She had been seriously ill for some time.

Mrs. McCoy follows her husband, John L. McCoy, in death. He succumbed and was buried in Hagerman, N. M., in 1914. Mrs. McCoy was born in Eden, Ala., on Aug. 29, 1861.

Surviving her are three sons, D. E. McCoy of Whitewright, M. M. McCoy of Newark, N. J., and Lawrence McCoy of Hickman, N. M.; four daughters, Mrs. J. A. Davidson, Mrs. M. E. Broughton, and Mrs. Chen Anderson of Big Spring and Mrs. J. R. Monroe of East Chicago, Ind. She leaves a sister, Mrs. J. R. Rice of Wichita Falls.

Sixteen grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren survive.

Services will be held in the East Fourth Baptist church with the pastor, Rev. W. S. Garnett, in charge. Burial will be in the Mount Olive cemetery. Other arrangements are incomplete.

Pallbearers will be her grandsons, D. E. McCoy, A. N. McCoy, Joe Davidson, J. W. Broughton, Gerald Anderson, and Henry Long.

Extending the facilities of the local schools to the general public, a night class in show card writing will be organized at the high school building Thursday evening.

Seth Parsons, coordinator of the diversified occupations course, said that the organization meeting would be held at 7:30 p. m. on the third floor of the school building.

Melvin J. Wise will serve as instructor for the course. All persons interested in learning the art of show card writing are urged to attend the meeting.

DEMONSTRATION IS STAGED IN BEHALF OF STRIKERS

HARLINGEN, Feb. 9 (AP)—Truck loads of Rio Grande Valley union sympathizers and independent produce truckers and shippers marched today on Harlingen for a demonstration in sympathy with striking composing room employees of the Valley Publishing company.

Texas rangers were ordered out of Austin and other points to reinforce state highway police on guard against possible disturbance.

WOODWORK LAUDED

The ingenuity of Wendell Lawrence, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lawrence, has won special recognition from local school officials.

Wendell, 9 years old and a student in the fourth grade at Clay Hill, received special comment for a bit of woodwork done on the end of an orange board.

MARKETS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH, Feb. 9 (AP)—(USDA)—Cattle 2,100; calves 1,000; few sales best steers 6.75-7.00; most yearling steers and heifers 6.00-7.00; load choice heifers 7.25; beef cows 4.00-5.00; cutter grades 2.75-3.75; bulls 5.35 down; killing calves 4.00-7.00; few steers 8.00-9.00; most stock steer calves 6.75 down; calves 4.00-7.00; few yearlings 8.00-9.00; most stock steer calves 6.75 down.

Hogs 1,100; top 7.90 paid by shipper and small killers; packer top 7.50; good heavy butchers averaging 300-350 lb. 6.80-7.50; good to choice underweights averaging 150-175 lb. 7.15-7.70; butcher pigs mostly 6.00 down; packing sows steady to 25 lower, mostly 6.00-25.

Sheep 2,800; shorn lambs and fall shorn yearlings fully steady; packers bidding steady to 25 lower on woolled lambs; good shorn lambs 5.75; fall shorn yearlings 5.25; bidding 6.50-7.50 on good woolled lambs; few shorn ewes 3.25.

Cotton

NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 (AP)—Cotton futures closed 5-12 higher.

	Open	High	Low	Last
Feb.	8.71	8.79	8.68	8.77
Mar.	8.80	8.88	8.67	8.87
Apr.	8.80	8.85	8.65	8.84
May	8.80	8.84	8.65	8.83
Oct.	8.98	9.04	8.83	8.99
Dec.	9.04	9.07	8.96	9.02
Jan.	9.06	9.11	9.01	9.06N

Spot steady; middling 8.87.

N—nominal.

Active Stocks

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 (AP)—Sales closing price and net change of the fifteen most active stocks today:

U S Steel	21,000, 54, no.
Anaconda Cop	19,200, 31 3-8, down 5-8.
Yellow Trk	17,200, 13 1-2, up 1-8.
Chrysler	15,000, 54 1-2, down 1-2.
U S Rubber	14,200, 28 1-2, down 3-8.
N Y Central	14,100, 17 1-4, no.
Beth Steel	13,200, 54 7-8, down 3-4.
Paramount	11,200, 10 1-8, up 1-4.
Gen Mot	10,500, 34 1-8, down 1-4.
R C A	10,100, 48 5-8, down 1.
Int Nickel	8,100, 18 1-4, up 1-8.
Unit Gds	Int 8,100, 10, up 1-8.
Nor Pac	8,000, 11 1-4, down 1-8.
Kennecott	7,900, 37, down 1.

Plane Mishap In France Kills 8

MARSEILLE, France, Feb. 9 (AP)—Eight persons were killed and six injured early this morning in the crash of an Air France flying boat against the Marseille breakwater at the moment of take-off.

The trans-Mediterranean airliner was starting her scheduled flight to Ajaccio, Corsica, on the Marseille-Tunis run. She hurtled against the breakwater at 60-mile-an-hour speed, and burst into flames.

Air France announced the dead were five passengers and three of the crew. Four passengers and two of the crew were injured. All were French, including Chief Pilot Pierre Burello, veteran flier who was at the controls.

Farmers Gin Distributes Earnings

Stockholders, Customers Share In \$20,000 Sum

Checks were being placed in the mail Wednesday to customers and stockholders of the Farmers Gin Co., under order from the directors to refund approximately \$20,000 in earnings.

Every customer of the gin, regardless of whether he is a stockholder, will receive a refund of 33 per cent of cotton ginned with the company here. At latest count there were between 6,900 and 7,000 bales handled by the gin this season.

Stockholders, although receiving a liberal return on their holdings, received less than half the amount paid back to customers. Directors retained sufficient funds for reconditioning the gin for another season and for other purposes.

For the past three years the company has paid back part of the earnings to the customers, although it never promises any such refunds. This year's payment is a record figure.

The gin was organized and had its first season of operation in 1923. It has been in regular operation since.

HOWARD LOSING IN TYPO BALLOTING

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 9 (AP)—Scattered and unofficial returns to International Typographical Union headquarters here showed Charles P. Howard of Indianapolis, was running almost 4 to 1 behind today in endorsements by I.T.U. locals for re-election as president.

Claude M. Baker of San Francisco, first vice president, had the endorsement of 105 of the 860 locals in the I.T.U. Howard, who also is secretary of the Committee for Industrial Organization, had 28 endorsements.

FLOOD DAMAGE IN MICHIGAN CHECKED

DETROIT, Feb. 9 (AP)—Damage in Michigan from overflowing, ice-choked streams appeared checked today, but a forecast of rain for the entire lower peninsula aroused fear conditions might become worse in several communities.

Fifteen more families were assisted from their dwellings in Grand river lowlands.

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Romance Blooms Again After A Half-Century

SUPERIOR, Neb., Feb. 9 (AP)—A romance that blossomed in 1887, lay dead for half a century, and was rekindled recently finally culminated yesterday in marriage.

Edward M. Kleven and Miss Pink Seydel fell in love at the wedding of her brother, Elsworth, in September, 1887. They planned their marriage, later quarreled, parted and each married someone else.

Last Sept. 20 Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Seydel celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. Among the guests were the old couple, now widowed.

They met, talked and fell in love again. Yesterday they were married and they'll settle down on Kleven's farm.